

# **EDITORIAL**

This will be the last Space-Insider newsletters as we are combining it into our Bizlink-Insider newsletter.

We are doing a lot of work on our Generics addition to Spacelink and hope to bring you more information on that in the newsletter.

So for now – please enjoy.

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# **GMROS AND GMROII**

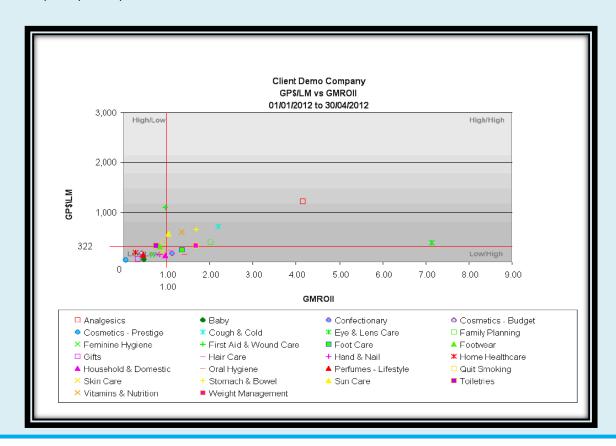
There are 3 reports in Spacelink which show GMROS (Gross Margin \$ Return on Space) and GMROII (Gross Margin \$ Return on Inventory Investment):

- Category Performance Chart
- Space and Productivity Chart
- Pharmacy Productivity Report

The Category Performance Chart was featured in our second newsletter and is available to view on our website <a href="https://www.jr.com.au">www.jr.com.au</a>.

The Space and Productivity Chart sets the category data into a graphical matrix format, the two axis of which are GMROII and GMROS. The matrix depicts the relationship between the gross return on inventory and space for each department. Each quadrant of the matrix indicates the overall performance of each individual department and once interpreted, decisions can be made on what to do with each department i.e. increase/reduce space, focus, price, etc. This will result in lifting the total store space productivity to improve the store profits and cash flow. This chart is included with the JR Pharmacy Space and Stock Productivity Report which provides analysis and advice on the performance of your pharmacy departments. Some of our client's will be familiar with this report.

An example report is provided below.



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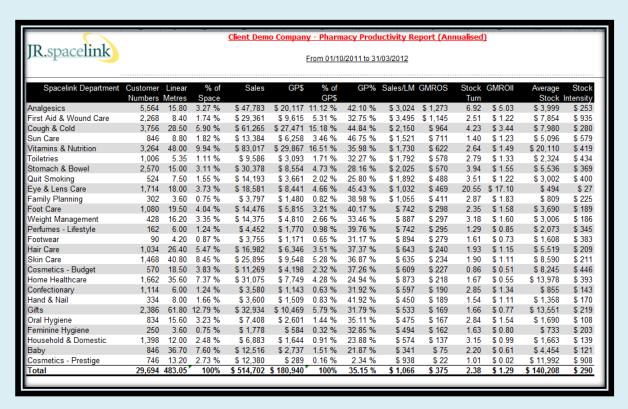


The Pharmacy Productivity Report is a tabulated summary of annualised department averages for your pharmacy. In addition to GMROS and GMROII, information detailed on this report includes:

- Customer Numbers
- Sales
- GP\$
- GP%
- Sales/Linear Metre
- Stock Turn
- Average Stock
- Stock Intensity.

This is a very powerful report upon which to base decisions on allocation of appropriate space to departments and products, pricing reviews and stock intensity. It is also the report on which we base our analysis and advice for the JR Pharmacy Space and Stock Productivity Report.

An example of the Pharmacy Productivity report is shown below.



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