

Financial Summary

Results of the First Half of FY2016 & Outlook for FY2016

Mitsui Chemicals, Inc.

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<Remarks>

FY2016 indicates the period from April 1, 2016 to March 31, 2017.

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1. Results of the First Half of FY2016 (April 1, 2016 – September 30, 2016)



1) Review on 2nd Quarter of FY2016 (Business Overview and Topics)

<Business Overview>

- Mobility: Overseas, healthy demand for elastomers, functional compounds and polypropylene compounds continued for automotive applications.
 Healthy demand continued in functional polymers especially for information and communication technology applications.
- Healthcare: Sales were stable in vision care materials.
 In nonwoven fabrics, consumption of premium paper diapers remained firm, but demand was impacted by the usage of distribution inventories.
 Sales in dental materials were stable mainly in Europe and North America.
- Food & Packaging: Sales for coating & engineering materials and functional films & sheets were stable.
 Sales in agrochemicals were dropped from the corresponding period in FY2015.
- **Basic Materials**: Healthy domestic demand continued and operating rates remained at high levels for naphtha crackers and other production facilities. Business restructuring and cost cutting also progressed as scheduled in bulk & commodity products.



1) Review on 2nd Quarter of FY2016 (Business Overview and Topics)

<Topics>

- Construction starts to expand facilities for polypropylene compounds (July 2016, Total for U.S., Mexico, and India 50,000 tons/annum, commercial operations in FY2017)
- Construction starts to expand facilities for premium high performance nonwovens in Japan (July 2016, 6,000 tons/annum, commercial operations in FY2017)
- Taiwan joint venture for electrolyte solution starts operations (July 2016, 1,500 tons/annum)
- Mitsui Chemicals Agro reached an agreement for the business and capital tie-up with Cuulong in Vietnam (August 2016)
- Startup of Evolue™ Plant in Singapore (August 2016, 300,000 tons/annum)
- NTT Com and Mitsui Chemicals Succeeded Quality Prediction of Chemical Products using AI (September 2016)
- New High Performance Sunglass Lens Material NeoContrast™ (September 2016)

<Topics for and after 3rd Quarter of FY2016 (Planned)>

- Construction starts to expand facilities for Milastomer[™] in Japan (4th Quarter of FY2016, 5,000 tons/annum, commercial operations in FY2017)
- Commercial operations for breathable film facility in Thailand (4th Quarter of FY2016, 4,200 tons/annum)
- Commercial operations for 2 new specialty isocyanates in Japan (FY2016, 2,000 tons/annum)



2) Consolidated Financial Highlights

(Billions of Yen)

Items	FY2015 1st Half	FY2016 1st Half	Increase (Decrease)	%
Sales	708.6	568.7	(139.9)	(20%)
Operating income (loss)	41.4	45.4	4.0	10%
Non-operating income (expenses)	(0.2)	(3.5)	(3.3)	_
Ordinary income (loss)	41.2	41.9	0.7	2%
Extraordinary gains/losses	(0.1)	(2.2)	(2.1)	_
Net income (loss) before income taxes and minority interests	41.1	39.7	(1.4)	(4%)
Profit (loss) attributable to owners of parent	28.5	27.8	(0.7)	(2%)
Exchange Rate (Yen/US\$) Domestic Standard Naphtha Price (Yen/KL)	122 48,000	105 31,450	(17) (16,550)	
Interim Dividend (Yen/Share)	4.0	5.0	1.0	_



2) Consolidated Financial Highlights

(Billions of Yen)

() Denotes a minus

Items	End of FY2015	End of FY2016 1st Half	Increase (Decrease)	%
Interest-bearing liabilities	473.0	455.2	(17.8)	(4%)
Interest-bearing liabilities (net)	393.4	355.3	(38.1)	(10%)
Equity	381.9	384.4	2.5	1%
Net D/E Ratio (Times)	1.03	0.92	(0.11)	_
Equity Ratio (%)	30.3	31.6	1.3	_

(Number of companies)

Items	FY2015	FY2016 1st Half	Increase (Decrease)
Consolidated companies			
Consolidated subsidiaries	95	95	0
Non-consolidated subsidiaries and affiliates to which the equity method is applied	36	37	1
Total	131	132	1



3) Sales and Operating Income/Loss by Business Segment (compared with corresponding period of FY2015)

(Billions of Yen) () Denotes a minus

Segment	Sales			Operating Income/Loss			Breakdown			FY2016 1st Half Previous Outlook (on August 2, 2016)	
Segment	FY2015 1st Half	FY2016 1st Half	Incr. (Decr.)	FY2015 1st Half	FY2016 1st Half	Incr. (Decr.)	Volume	Price *	Costs	Sales	Operating Income/Loss
Mobility	164.5	141.7	(22.8)	24.0	21.1	(2.9)	2.7	(5.0)	(0.6)	149.0	21.0
Healthcare	87.4	67.2	(20.2)	5.1	5.4	0.3	0.1	(0.3)	0.5	71.0	6.0
Food & Packaging	96.6	88.3	(8.3)	10.9	11.0	0.1	0.5	0.0	(0.4)	88.0	10.0
Basic Materials	341.3	253.2	(88.1)	4.3	11.8	7.5	(1.6)	5.3	3.8	257.0	11.0
Others	18.8	18.3	(0.5)	(2.9)	(3.9)	(1.0)	-	-	(1.0)	18.0	△ 4.0
Total	708.6	568.7	(139.9)	41.4	45.4	4.0	1.7	0.0	2.3	583.0	44.0

^{*} Price : Terms of trade, including both sales price and purchase price.



4) Non-Operating Income and Expenses, and Extraordinary Gains and Losses

(Billions of Yen) Non-Operating Income and Expenses () Denotes a minus

Items	FY2015	FY2016	Incr.
Items	1st Half	1st Half	(Decr.)
Equity in earnings of non-consolidated subsidiaries and affiliates	3.7	1.0	(2.7)
Interest expenses, interest and dividend income	(2.5)	(1.1)	1.4
Gain (loss) on foreign exchange	(0.4)	(3.3)	(2.9)
Others	(1.0)	(0.1)	0.9
Non-Operating Income and Expenses Total	(0.2)	(3.5)	(3.3)

(Billions of Yen) Extraordinary Gains and Losses

() Denotes a minus

Items	FY2015 1st Half	FY2016 1st Half	Incr. (Decr.)
Gains on sales of fixed assets	1.2	0.5	(0.7)
Gains on transfer of business	3.7	_	(3.7)
Extraordinary gains (a)	4.9	0.5	(4.4)
Loss on sales and disposal of fixed assets	(2.1)	(2.4)	(0.3)
Impairment loss	(2.7)	(0.3)	2.4
Loss on restructuring of subsidiaries and affiliates	(0.2)	_	0.2
Extraordinary losses (b)	(5.0)	(2.7)	2.3
Extraordinary gains and losses Total (a)+(b)	(0.1)	(2.2)	(2.1)



5) Consolidated Balance Sheet

(Billions of Yen) () Denotes a minus

Items	End of Mar. 2016	End of Sep. 2016	Incr. (Decr.)
Current Assets	628.2	604.6	(23.6)
Cash and deposits	79.6	99.9	20.3
Notes and accounts receivables	245.3	212.1	(33.2)
Inventories	240.7	233.2	(7.5)
Other current assets	62.6	59.4	(3.2)
Fixed Assets	630.7	610.9	(19.8)
Tangible and intangible fixed assets	453.6	436.3	(17.3)
[Intangible fixed assets]	[40.2]	[34.9]	[(5.3)]
Investments and other non-current assets	177.1	174.6	(2.5)
Total	1,258.9	1,215.5	(43.4)

() Denotes a m							
Items	End of Mar. 2016	End of Sep. 2016	Incr. (Decr.)				
Liabilities	815.7	773.2	(42.5)				
Notes and accounts payables	118.3	109.2	(9.1)				
Interest-bearing liabilities	473.0	455.2	(17.8)				
Other liabilities	224.4	208.8	(15.6)				
Net assets	443.2	442.3	(0.9)				
Shareholders' equity	382.4	405.8	23.4				
Other accumulated comprehensive income	(0.5)	(21.4)	(20.9)				
Non-controlling interests	61.3	57.9	(3.4)				
Total	1,258.9	1,215.5	(43.4)				



6) Consolidated Statement of Cash Flow

(Billions of Yen)

() Denotes a minus

Items	FY2015 1st Half	FY2016 1st Half	Incr. (Decr.)
I. Cash flows from operating activities (a)	86.7	67.5	(19.2)
II. Cash flows from investing activities (b)	(12.7)	(20.6)	(7.9)
Free cash flows (a)+(b)	74.0	46.9	(27.1)
Ⅲ. Cash flows from financing activities	(58.5)	(22.3)	36.2
IV. Others	(0.7)	(3.4)	(2.7)
Net incr.(decr.) in cash and cash equivalents	14.8	21.2	6.4



2. Outlook for FY2016 (April 1, 2016 – March 31, 2017)

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1) Consolidated Financial Highlights of Outlook

(Billions of Yen) () Denotes a minus Incr.(Decr.) FY2016 Previous Outlook FY2015 (a) FY2016 Outlook (b) (on August 2, 2016) (b)-(a)**Items** Full Year Full Year % 1st Half 1st Half Full Year 1st Half Full Year Sales 708.6 568.7 (169.9)(13%)1,343.9 1,174.0 583.0 1,215.0 Operating income (loss) 41.4 45.4 88.0 24% 70.9 17.1 44.0 80.0 Non-operating income (expenses) (0.2)(3.5)(8.0)(0.3)(4.0)(9.0)(7.7)Ordinary income (loss) 41.2 63.2 41.9 80.0 27% 40.0 16.8 71.0 Extraordinary gains/losses (0.1)(21.9)14.9 (3.0)(6.0)(2.2)(7.0)Net income (loss) before income taxes 39.7 77% 41.1 41.3 73.0 31.7 37.0 65.0 and minority interests Profit (loss) attributable to owners of 118% 28.5 23.0 27.8 50.0 27.0 25.0 44.0 parent Exchange Rate (Yen/US\$) 122 120 105 103 (17)107 103 Domestic Standard Naphtha Price (Yen/KL) (10,600)48,000 42,800 31,450 32,200 32,300 32,700

	Interim	Year-end	Interim	Year-end	Interim	Year-end	Interim	Year-end
Dividend (Man (Chana)	4.0	4.0	5.0	5.0	+1.0	+1.0	4.0	5.0
Dividend (Yen/Share)	Full year	8.0	Full year	10.0	Full year	+2.0	Full year	9.0

2) Sales and Operating Income/Loss by Business Segment MITSUI CHEMICALS, INC.

(compared with FY2015 results)

() Denotes a minus

			Sales			Operating Income/Loss				
Segment	FY2015		FY2016 Outlook		Incr.(Decr.)	FY2015		FY2016 Outlook		Incr.(Decr.)
	1st Half	Full Year (a)	1st Half	Full Year (b)	(b) - (a)	1st Half	Full Year (c)	1st Half	Full Year (d)	(d) - (c)
Mobility	164.5	318.2	141.7	295.0	(23.2)	24.0	44.9	21.1	40.0	(4.9)
Healthcare	87.4	161.1	67.2	142.0	(19.1)	5.1	11.6	5.4	15.0	3.4
Food & Packaging	96.6	195.2	88.3	182.0	(13.2)	10.9	20.3	11.0	19.0	(1.3)
Basic Materials	341.3	630.8	253.2	516.0	(114.8)	4.3	1.0	11.8	22.0	21.0
Others	18.8	38.6	18.3	39.0	0.4	(2.9)	(6.9)	(3.9)	(8.0)	(1.1)
Total	708.6	1,343.9	568.7	1,174.0	(169.9)	41.4	70.9	45.4	88.0	17.1

3) Operating Income/Loss by Business Segment (1st half vs. 2nd half of FY2016)



(Billions of Yen) () Denotes a minus

	Opera	ting Income	e/Loss	Comments for Operating Income/Loss			
Segment	1st Half	2nd Half	Incr. (Decr.)	[+] denotes profit trigger [-] denotes loss trigger			
Mobility	21.1	18.9	(2.2)	Stable sales, [-] forex, [-] terms of trade, etc.			
Healthcare	5.4	9.6	4.2	[+] Sales expansion, etc.			
Food & Packaging	11.0	8.0	(3.0)	[+] Sales expansion, [-] forex, [-] fixed costs, etc.			
Basic Materials	11.8	10.2	(1.6)	[+] Regular maintenance of naphtha cracker in 1st half, [-] terms of trade, etc.			
Others	(3.9)	(4.1)	(0.2)				
Total	45.4	42.6	(2.8)				



4) Trends of Business Segment

Mobility, Healthcare and Food & Packaging Segments

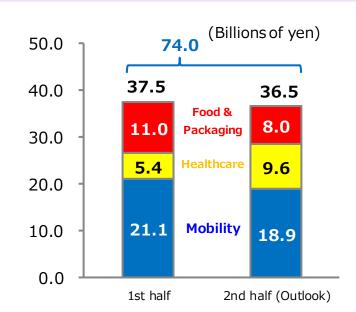
	Trends of Operating Income
	1st half $ ightarrow$ 2nd half (outlook)
Mobility	Stable sales, [-] forex, [-] terms of trade, etc.
Healthcare	[+] Sales expansion, etc.
Food & Packaging	[+] Sales expansion, [-] forex, [-] fixed costs, etc.

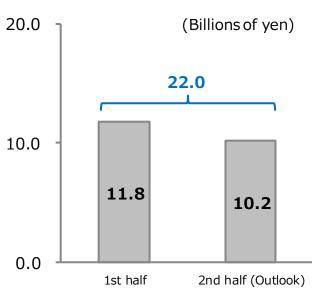
Breakdown of Basic Materials

	Sales Ratio	Trends of Operating Income
	(%)	1st half $ ightarrow$ 2nd half (outlook)
Petrochemical feedstocks and Polyolefins	60%	[+] Regular maintenance of naphtha cracker, [-] terms of trade, etc.
Phenols, PTA&PET and Industrial Chemicals	35%	→
Polyurethane Materials	5%	[+] Terms of trade, etc.

Note: All figures are approximation for reference purpose only.









5) Non-Operating Income and Expenses, and Extraordinary Gains and Losses

(Billions of Yen)

Non-Operating Income and Expenses

() Denotes a minus

•	FY2	015	FY2016	Incr.(Decr.)	
Items	1st Half	Full Year (a)	1st Half	Full Year (b)	(b) - (a) ´
Equity in earnings of non-consolidated subsidiaries and affiliates	3.7	(2.2)	1.0	(0.1)	2.1
Interest expenses, interest and dividend income	(2.5)	(2.6)	(1.1)	(3.0)	(0.4)
Gain (loss) on foreign exchange	(0.4)	(1.9)	(3.3)	(3.3)	(1.4)
Others	(1.0)	(1.0)	(0.1)	(1.6)	(0.6)
Non-Operating Income and Expenses Total	(0.2)	(7.7)	(3.5)	(8.0)	(0.3)

(Billions of Yen)

Extraordinary Gains and Losses

() Denotes a minus

Thomas	FY2	015	FY2016	Incr.(Decr.)	
<u>Items</u>	1st Half	Full Year (a)	1st Half	Full Year (b)	(b) - (a)
Gains on sales of fixed assets	1.2	5.1	0.5	0.5	(4.6)
Gains on transfer of business	3.7	3.7	_	_	(3.7)
Extraordinary gains (a)	4.9	8.8	0.5	0.5	(8.3)
Loss on sales and disposal of fixed assets	(2.1)	(5.6)	(2.4)	(7.2)	(1.6)
Impairment loss	(2.7)	(24.1)	(0.3)	(0.3)	23.8
Loss on restructuring of subsidiaries and affiliates	(0.2)	(1.0)	_	_	1.0
Extraordinary losses (b)	(5.0)	(30.7)	(2.7)	(7.5)	23.2
Extraordinary gains and losses Total (a)+(b)	(0.1)	(21.9)	(2.2)	(7.0)	14.9



6) Consolidated Statement of Cash Flow

(Billions of Yen) () Denotes a minus

Items :		FY2015		FY2016 Outlook		FY2016 Previous Outlook (on August 2, 2016)	
		Full Year (a)	1st Half	Full Year (b)	(b) - (a)	1st Half	Full Year
I . Cash flows from operating activities (a)	86.7	145.9	67.5	110.0	(35.9)	55.0	107.0
II. Cash flows from investing activities (b)	(12.7)	(36.4)	(20.6)	(69.0)	(32.6)	(31.0)	(68.0)
Free cash flows (a)+(b)	74.0	109.5	46.9	41.0	(68.5)	24.0	39.0
Ⅲ. Cash flows from financing activities	(58.5)	(79.0)	(22.3)	(40.0)	39.0	(35.0)	(46.0)
IV. Others	(0.7)	(2.9)	(3.4)	(3.0)	(0.1)	_	_
Net incr.(decr.) in cash and cash equivalents	14.8	27.6	21.2	(2.0)	(29.6)	(11.0)	(7.0)



7) Consolidated Accounting Fundamentals

() Denotes a minus

Items	FY2	015	FY2016 Outlook		
		1st Half	Full Year	1st Half	Full Year
Exchange Rate	Yen/US\$	122	120	105	103
Domestic Standard Naphtha Price	Yen/KL	48,000	42,800	31,450	32,200
Capital Expenditure	¥ Billions	21.1	43.4	18.7	54.0
Research and Development Expenses	¥ Billions	15.7	31.5	14.8	32.0
Depreciation and Amortization	¥ Billions	25.3	48.6	21.5	46.0
Financing Income and Expenses	¥ Billions	(2.5)	(2.6)	(1.1)	(3.0)
Interest-bearing Liabilities	¥ Billions	491.6	473.0	455.2	442.0
Net D/E ratio	times	1.00	1.03	0.92	0.90
Number of Employees	persons	13,626	13,447	13,487	13,400

FY2016 Outlook (on May 13, 2016)							
1st Half	Full Year						
110	110						
33,000	33,000						
25.0	56.0						
17.0	34.0						
22.0	46.0						
(1.5)	(3.0)						
463.0	450.0						
1.02	0.92						
13,800	13,700						

3. Appendix

- 1) Trends in Product Prices
- Increase/Decrease in Business Segment (Sales and Operating Income, year on year)
- 2) 3) Sales and Operating Income/Loss by Business Segment (by Quarter)
- 4) Main Subsidiaries and Affiliates
- 5) **Financial Summary**
- 6) Sales by Region
- Topics for 1st half of FY2016

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1) Trends in Product Prices

(Naphtha prices are Domestic Standard Naphtha Price)

(PE, PP, PH, BPA(Japan): Change in Prices and Raw Materials Prices in Japan / BPA(China), PTA, TDI: Chinese Market Price)

(ACP): Asian contract price

(ACP) : Asian co	ontract price	e										
Year	2013		20	14			20	15		2016		
Month	OctDec.	JanMar.	AprJun.	JulSep.	OctDec.	JanMar.	AprJun.	JulSep.	OctDec.	JanMar.	AprJun.	JulSep.
Naphtha (Yen/KL)	67,800	72,000	69,900	70,900	66,000	47,000	48,800	47,200	40,900	34,300	31,600	31,300
PE (Yen/KG)	about +10	about +10				about (30)			about (10)	about (10)		about (10)
PP (Yen/KG)	about +10	about +10				about (30)			about (10)	about (10)		about (10)
PH (Formula Price) (Yen/KG)												
BZ(ACP) (US\$/T)	\$1,290	\$1,330	\$1,270	\$1,380	\$1,060	\$650	\$790	\$720	\$610	\$560	\$640	\$640
BPA(Japan) (Yen/KG)		+21 From Mar.							(30) From Oct.			
(Tell/RG)				neg	gotiation ba	sed on BZ p	rice and BP	A market pr	ice			
BPA (China) (US\$/T)	\$1,630	\$1,660	\$1,670	\$1,910	\$1,620	\$1,430	\$1,390	\$1,060	\$910	\$940	\$1,140	\$1,130
PTA (US\$/T)	\$1,020	\$940	\$910	\$980	\$760	\$620	\$720	\$630	\$600	\$570	\$610	\$610
PX(ACP) (US\$/T)	\$1,440	\$1,300	\$1,260	\$1,350	\$1,040	\$780	\$930	\$820	\$790	\$720	\$800	\$790
TDI (US\$/T)	\$2,340	\$2,330	\$2,320	\$2,340	\$2,280	\$1,940	\$1,740	\$1,570	\$1,510	\$1,510	\$2,080	\$2,360

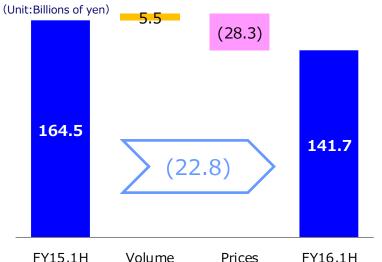
2-1) Increase/Decrease in Mobility (Sales and Operating Income, year on year)

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(Sales and operating interine, year on year)



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141.7 billion yen ((22.8) billion yen year on year)

Volume +5.5 billion yen

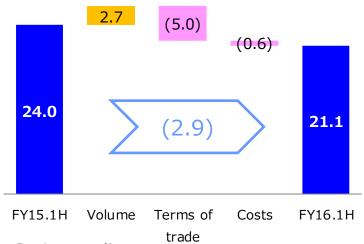
- Prompt response to healthy global automotive use demand.
- Prompt response to healthy demand for information and communication technology applications.

Prices (28.3) billion yen

- Decrease from sales price revision in line with downward swing in raw material prices.
- Decrease from strong yen, etc.

Increase/Decrease of Operating Income (1st half of FY2016 vs. 1st half of FY2015)

(Unit:Billions of yen)



21.1 billion yen ((2.9) billion yen year on year)

Volume +2.7 billion yen

- Prompt response to healthy global automotive use demand.
- Prompt response to healthy demand for information and communication technology applications.

Terms of trade (5.0) billion yen

 Decrease from unfavorable terms of trade due to strong yen, etc.

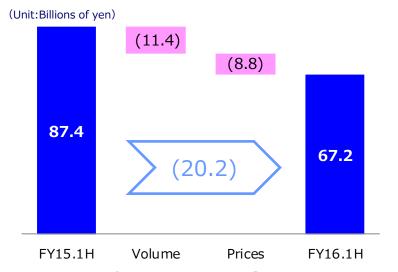
Costs (0.6) billion yen

2-2) Increase/Decrease in Healthcare (Sales and Operating Income, year on year)



Increase/Decrease of Net Sales (1st half of FY2016 vs. 1st half of FY2015)

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67.2 billion yen ((20.2) billion yen year on year)

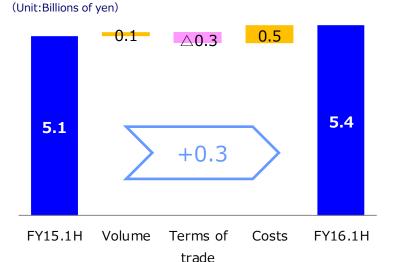
Volume (11.4) billion yen include effects of fiscal period adjustment in FY2015 : (11.4)

- Stable sales of vision care materials and dental materials.
- Customers' inventory adjustment in nonwoven fabrics.

Prices (8.8) billion yen

- Decrease from sales price revision in line with downward swing in raw material prices.
- Decrease from strong yen, etc.

Increase/Decrease of Operating Income (1st half of FY2016 vs. 1st half of FY2015)



5.4 billion yen (+0.3 billion yen year on year)

Volume +0.1 billion yen

- Stable sales of vision care materials and dental materials.
- Customers' inventory adjustment in nonwoven fabrics.

Terms of trade (0.3) billion yen Costs +0.5 billion yen

- Decrease in fixed costs from depreciation of goodwill etc.

2-3) Increase/Decrease in Food & Packaging



(Sales and Operating Income, year on year)

Increase/Decrease of Net Sales (1st half of FY2016 vs. 1st half of FY2015)

() Denotes a minus



88.3 billion yen ((8.3) billion yen year on year)

Volume 0.3 billion yen

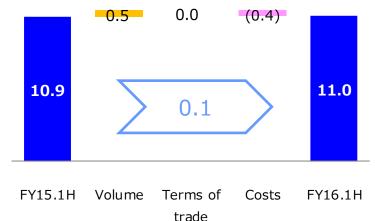
- Stable sales of coating & engineering materials, and functional films & sheets.
- Decrease in agrochemicals.

Prices (8.6) billion yen

- Decrease from sales price revision in line with downward swing in raw material prices.
- Decrease from strong yen, etc.

Increase/Decrease of Operating Income (1st half of FY2016 vs. 1st half of FY2015)

(Unit:Billions of yen)



11.0 billion yen (0.1 billion yen year on year)

Volume 0.5 billion yen

- Stable sales of coating & engineering materials, and functional films & sheets.
- Decrease in agrochemicals.

Terms of trade 0.0 billion yen

Costs (0.4) billion yen

2-4) Increase/Decrease in Basic Materials

MITSUI CHEMICALS, INC.

(Sales and Operating Income, year on year)

Increase/Decrease of Net Sales (1st half of FY2016 vs. 1st half of FY2015)

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(Unit:Billions of yen)



253.2 billion yen ((88.1) billion yen year on year)

Volume (29.0) billion yen

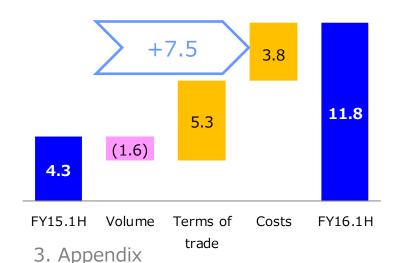
- Decrease from company split-up of polyurethane materials.
- Decrease from production rationalization, etc.

Prices (59.1) billion yen

- Decrease from sales price revision in line with downward swing in raw material prices.
- Decrease from strong yen, etc.

Increase/Decrease of Operating Income (1st half of FY2016 vs. 1st half of FY2015)

(Unit:Billions of yen)



11.8 billion yen (+7.5 billion yen year on year)

Volume (1.6) billion yen

- Decrease from company split-up of polyurethane materials.
- Decrease from production rationalization, etc.

Terms of trade +5.3 billion yen

- Improvement from high operating rates.
- Market price, etc.

Costs +3.8 billion yen

- Improvement from production suspension of polyurethane materials, etc.



3) Sales and Operating Income/Loss by Business Segment (by Quarter)

Sales

(Billions of Yen)

() Denotes a minus

Cogmont		FY2	FY2016			
Segment	Apr-Jun	Jul-Sep	Oct-Dec	Jan-Mar	Apr-Jun	Jul-Sep
Mobility	86.2	78.3	76.2	77.5	74.7	67.0
Healthcare	49.2	38.2	37.8	35.9	35.1	32.1
Food & Packaging	50.3	46.3	47.7	50.9	44.4	43.9
Basic Materials	184.2	157.1	152.3	137.2	130.7	122.5
Others	9.2	9.6	9.2	10.6	8.8	9.5
Total	379.1	329.5	323.2	312.1	293.7	275.0

Operating Income/Loss

(Billions of Yen)

() Denotes a minus

Cogmont		FY2	FY2016			
Segment	Apr-Jun	Jul-Sep	Oct-Dec	Jan-Mar	Apr-Jun	Jul-Sep
Mobility	12.8	11.2	10.9	10.0	12.0	9.1
Healthcare	2.2	2.9	3.3	3.2	3.2	2.2
Food & Packaging	6.5	4.4	4.8	4.6	5.7	5.3
Basic Materials	2.9	1.4	(1.9)	(1.4)	7.0	4.8
Others	(1.7)	(1.2)	(2.1)	(1.9)	(2.4)	(1.5)
Total	22.7	18.7	15.0	14.5	25.5	19.9



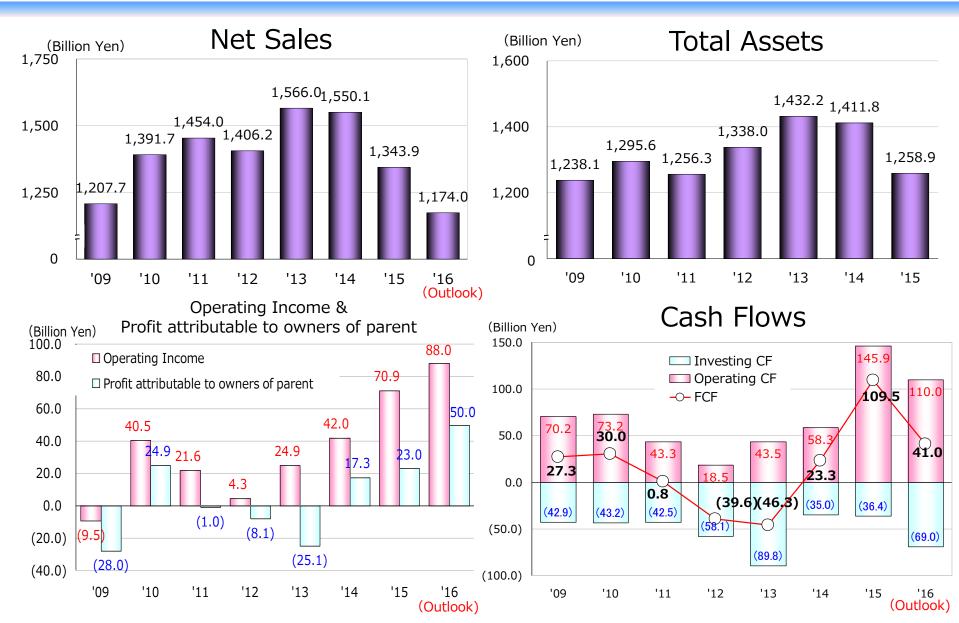
4) Main Subsidiaries and Affiliates

	Our	Sales	Ор	erating Income/Loss
Items	share	FY2015	FY2015	FY2016 Outlook
Subsidiaries	%	Billions of Yen		
Prime Polymer	65.0	260	gain	Terms of trade[-]
Advanced Composites	61.8	110	gain	Terms of trade[-]
Mitsui Phenols Singapore	95.0	40	loss	→
Mitsui Elastomers Singapore	100.0	50	gain	Terms of trade[-]
Mitsui Chemicals Tohcello, Inc.	100.0	80	gain	→
Mitsui Chemicals Agro, Inc.	100.0	50	gain	→
Affiliates				
Dupont-Mitsui Polychemicals	50.0	40	gain	→
Dupont-Mitsui Fluorochemicals	50.0	30	gain	→
Shanghai Shinopec Mitsui Chemicals	50.0	30	loss	→
Siam Mitsui PTA	50.0	70	loss	→

Operating Income/Loss: FY2016 outlook " \rightarrow " represents "no change", or change less than 0.5 billion yen compared with FY2015.



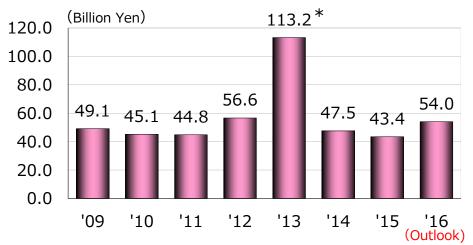
5-1) Financial Summary



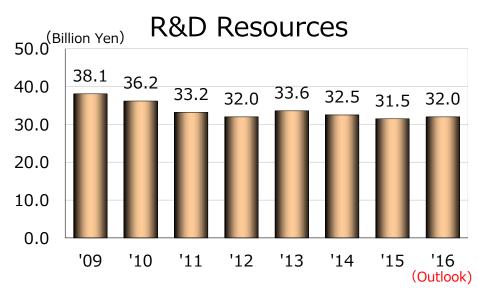


5-2) Financial Summary

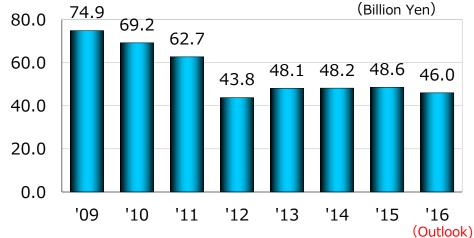




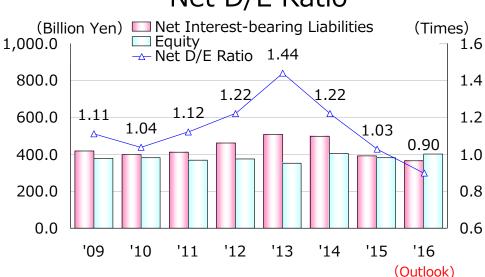
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Depreciation & Amortization

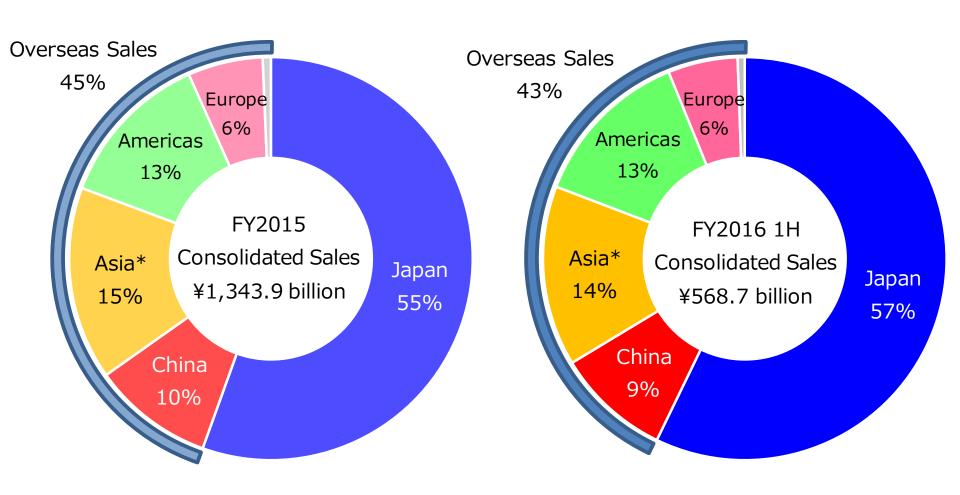


Net D/E Ratio





6) Sales by Region



^{*} Asia excluding Japan and China



7) Topics for 1st Half of FY2016

<Topics>

- Mitsui Chemicals commences operations at Korean subsidiary (April 2016)
- Construction starts at new facility for high performance nonwovens at Nagoya Works in Japan (April 2016, 15,000 tons/annum, commercial operations in FY2017)
- New system house base starts operations in Mexico (April 2016)
- Termination of MDI plant at Omuta Works in Japan (May 2016, 60,000 tons/annum)
- Mitsui Chemicals Agro and PI Industries entered into an agreement to establish a joint venture for agrochemical registration in India (May 2016)
- Construction starts to expand facilities for polypropylene compounds
 (July 2016, Total for U.S., Mexico, and India 50,000 tons/annum, commercial operations in FY2017)
- Construction starts to expand facilities for premium high performance nonwovens in Japan (July 2016, 6,000 tons/annum, commercial operations in FY2017)
- Taiwan joint venture for electrolyte solution starts operations (July 2016, 1,500 tons/annum)
- Mitsui Chemicals Agro reached an agreement for the business and capital tie-up with Cuulong in Vietnam (August 2016)
- Startup of Evolue™ Plant in Singapore (August 2016, 300,000 tons/annum)
- NTT Com and Mitsui Chemicals Succeeded Quality Prediction of Chemical Products using AI (September 2016)
- New High Performance Sunglass Lens Material NeoContrast™ (September 2016)



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