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Nippon Paint Holdings group Mid-term Management Plan

May 22, 2015

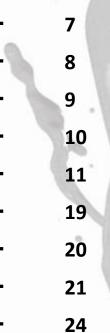


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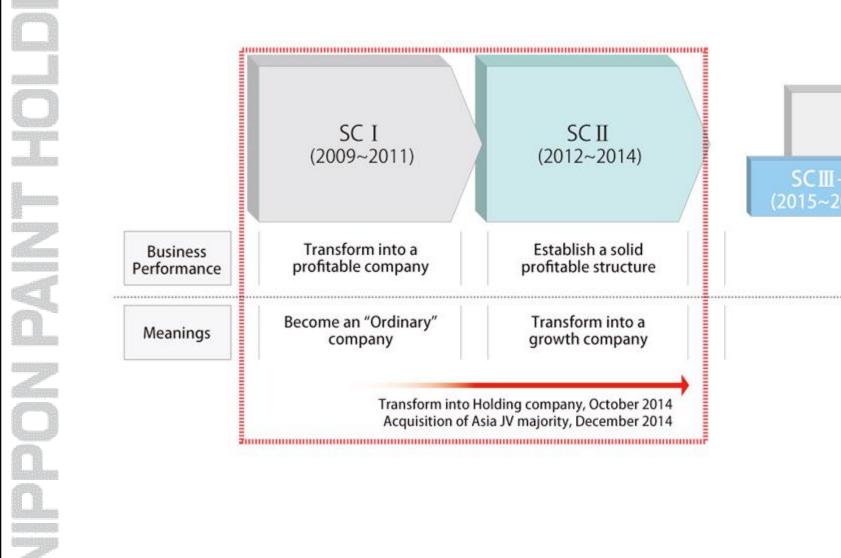
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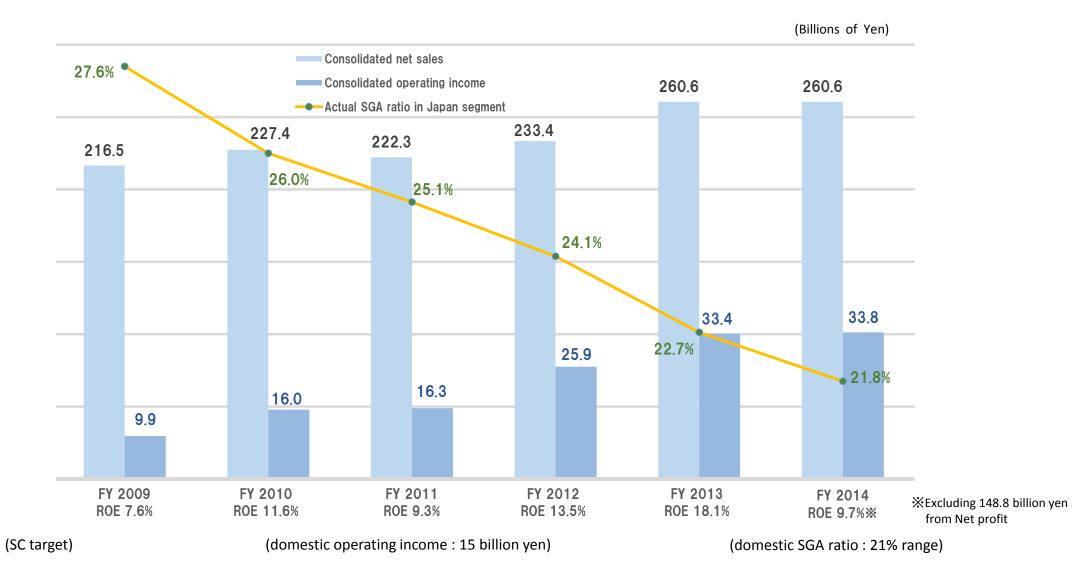


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Review of SC I \sim II

Successful result of profitability and efficiency



Review of SC I \sim II

Established solid profitability in Japan segment

	Japan se	egment	(Billions of Yen) Consolidated			
	FY2008	FY2014	FY2008	FY2014		
Sales	199.1 _{%1}	200.6 **1 **2	239.6	260.6		
Operating Profit	3.0	26.4 %2	3.1	33.8		
OP margin	1.5%	13.2%	1.3%	13.0%		
SGA ratio	27.7%	21.8%				

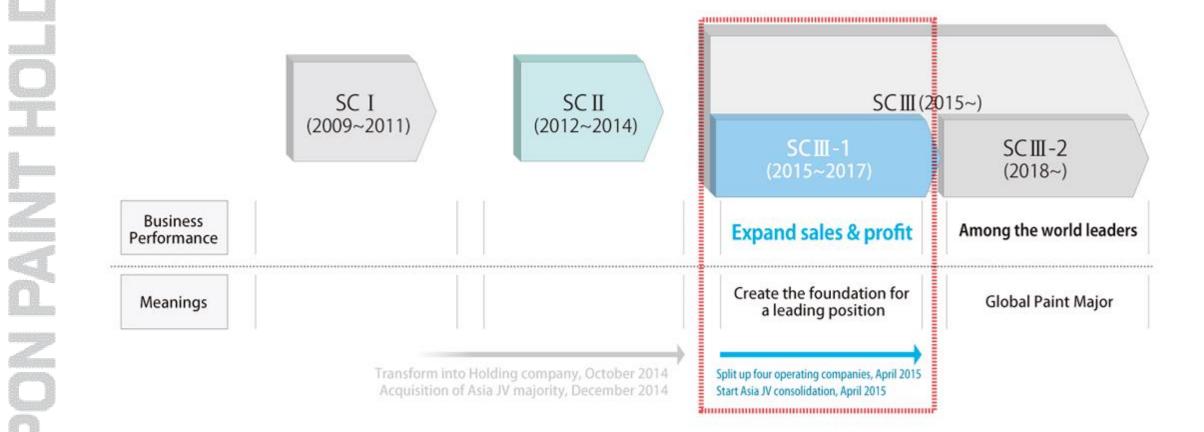
※1 Including internal transaction.

X2 Excluding dividend from oversea to Holding company, 7.8 billion yen, which is posted into operating income in Japan segment.

Position of SC III -1

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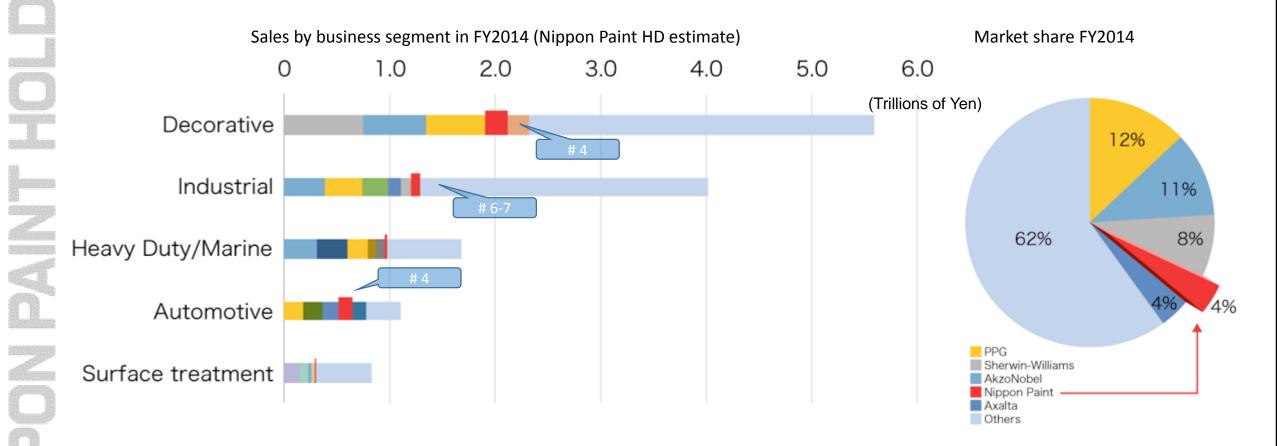
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Altered Vision to start Mid-term Management Plan

- We will deliver satisfaction and deep impression to our customers by providing excellent specialty chemicals products and services, centering coatings technology
- We will grow globally based on respect for the cultures and values of entire world

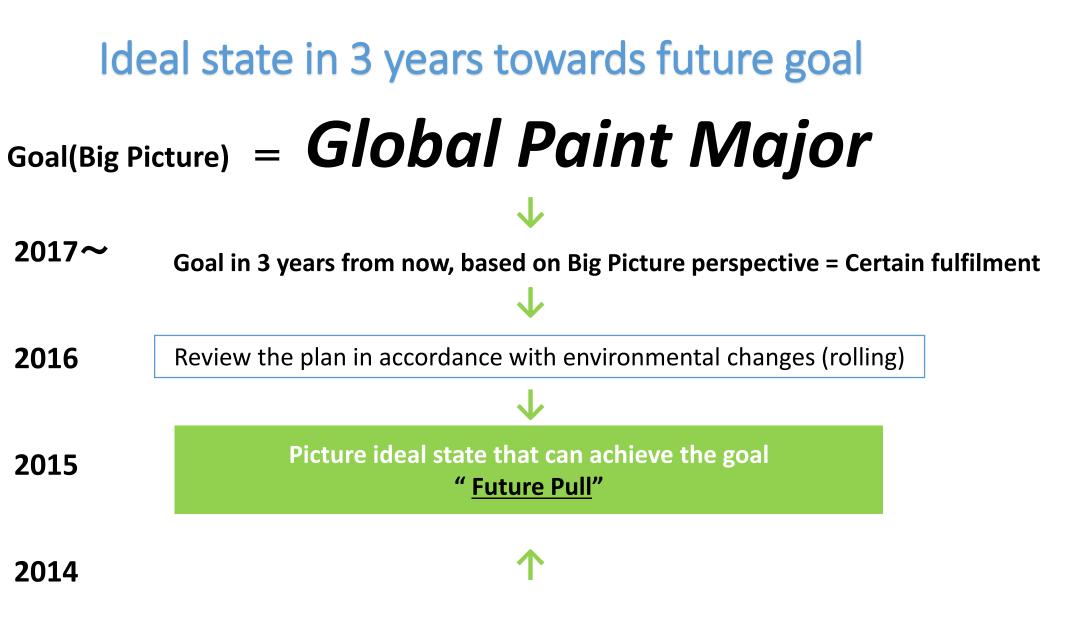
We will pursue corporate culture that accumulates people with challenging sprits and enthusiasm

Global Market Position





Leading Position: among the top 3 position in sales of each business segment



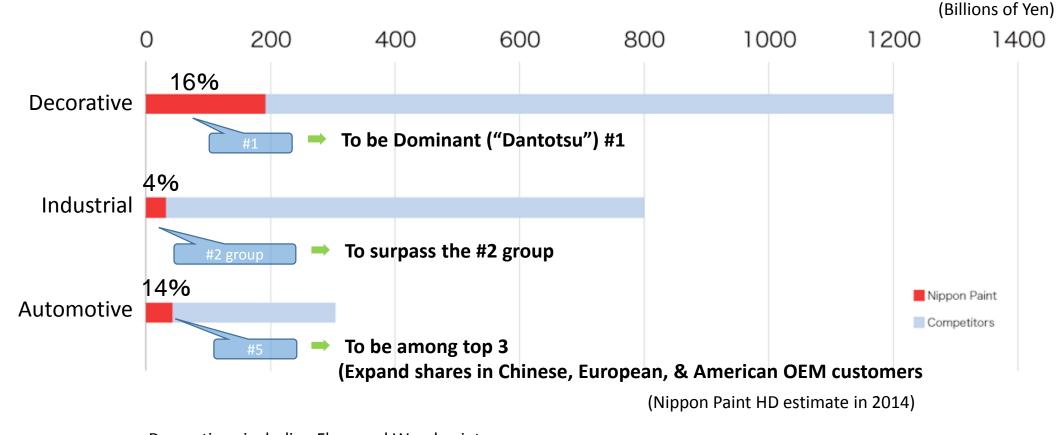
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Business	Japan	China	Other Asia	Americas	Europe
Decorative	O	O	O		
Industrial		O	Ο		
Heavy Duty / Marine		Ο	O	0	
Automotive		Ο	0	0	0
Surface treatment		0	O		

O: Primary domains, **O**: Importanto domains

Mid-term Management Plan 3 China: Presence and Goal in 2017

Create the foundation to be dominant at primary market, China



Decorative : including Floor and Wood paint Industrial : Heavy Duty and Powder coating

Create the foundation to be dominant at primary market, China

 Expanding business area by aggressive M&A to get a dominant position as "Decorative No1", including Floor and Wood paint segment





✓ Boost "repaint demand" and capture demand through new channels

 Aggressive investment for production capacity expansion and environmental regulation to be conducted accordingly from 2015

Established 4 main operating companies

Company split-up for the purpose of setting appropriate strategy and quick action to primary domain

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JAPAN		
Nippon Paint Automotive Coatings Co., Ltd.	Domestic Subsidiaries	Automotive coatings Oversea Subsidiaries
Nippon Paint Industrial Coatings Co., Ltd.	Domestic Subsidiaries	Industrial coatings Oversea Subsidiaries
Nippon Paint Co., Ltd.	Domestic Subsidiaries *	Decorative & Heavy Duty
Nippon Paint Surf Chemicals Co., Ltd.		Surface Treatments Oversea Subsidiaries
Nippon Paint Marine coatings co.,Itd		 Oversea Subsidiaries
 Nippe Trading co.,Itd 		 Oversea Subsidiaries
Europe / America		
Nippon Paint (USA) Inc.	Subsidiaries	Automotive coatings
Nippon Paint (Europe) Ltd.	Subsidiaries	
ASIA		
Nipsea Joint Venture companies		*Subsidiaries of Nippon Paint Co., Ltd. AS Paint Co., Ltd. Nippon Paint Anti-Corrosive Coatings Co., Ltd. Nippe Home Products Co., Ltd.

<Purpose of transferring to Holdings>

✓ Portfolio management

Optimum resource allocation to group companies

✓ Governance in group companies

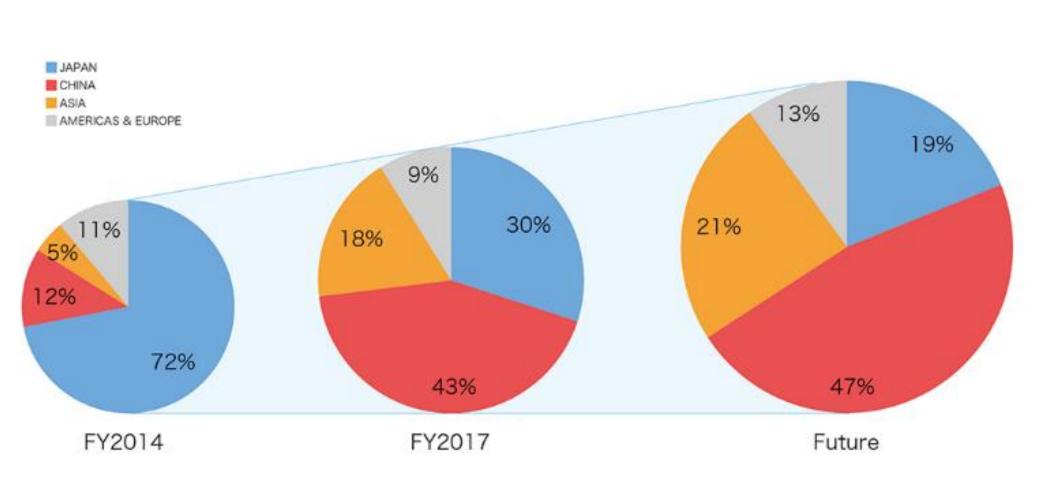
Establish foundation of management to realize best portfolio

Our performance for our growth strategy

✓ December, 2014

- Acquisition of Nippon Fine Coatings 100% shares
- ✓ March, 2015
 Sale of 80% shares of Nippon Liner

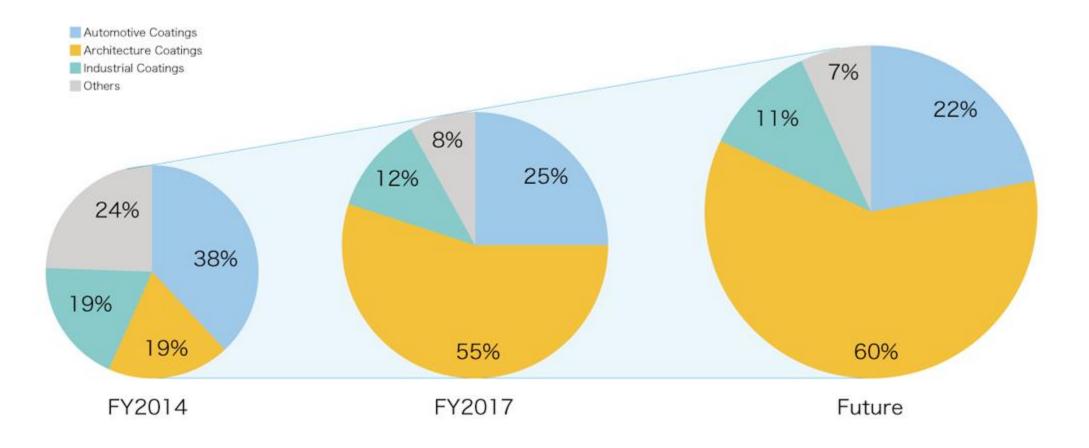
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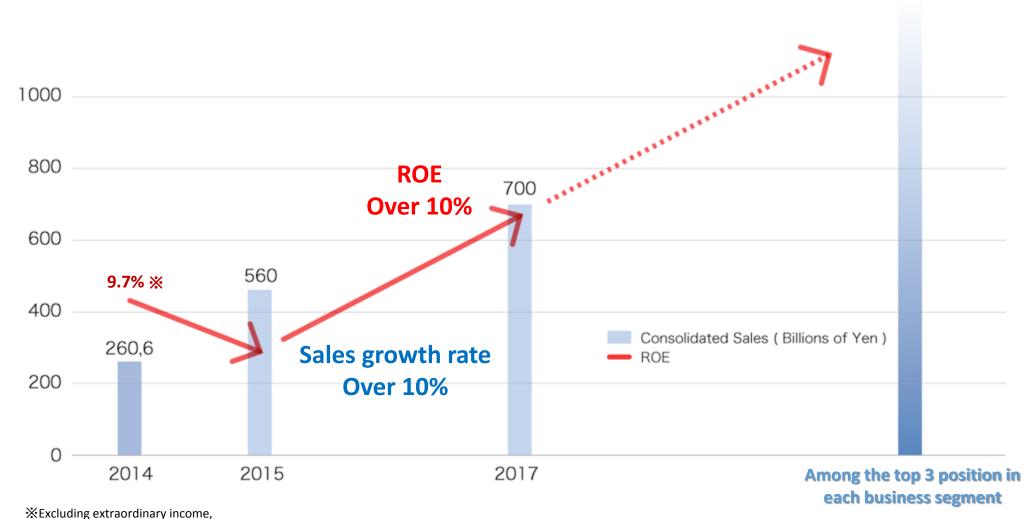


Further focus on Asia region, changing business structure dramatically!

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Shift to high-growth and profitable Decorative, changing portfolio drastically !





148.8 billion yen, from Net income.

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Fund generation	
Cash flow from operating activities	 Aim to create over 200 billion yen in three years net cash flow Aim to achieve over 15% in operating income margin by increasing profit
Funding	 Loans or borrowing facility for growth strategy (targeting EBITDA ratio up to 1.5, considering financial stability)
Distribution	
Investment for the growth	 Proactive M&A and strategic alliance(300 billion yen in 3 years) Capex: about 50 billion yen in 3 years
Return to shareholders	 Remain dividend increasing by profit growth through aggressive investment

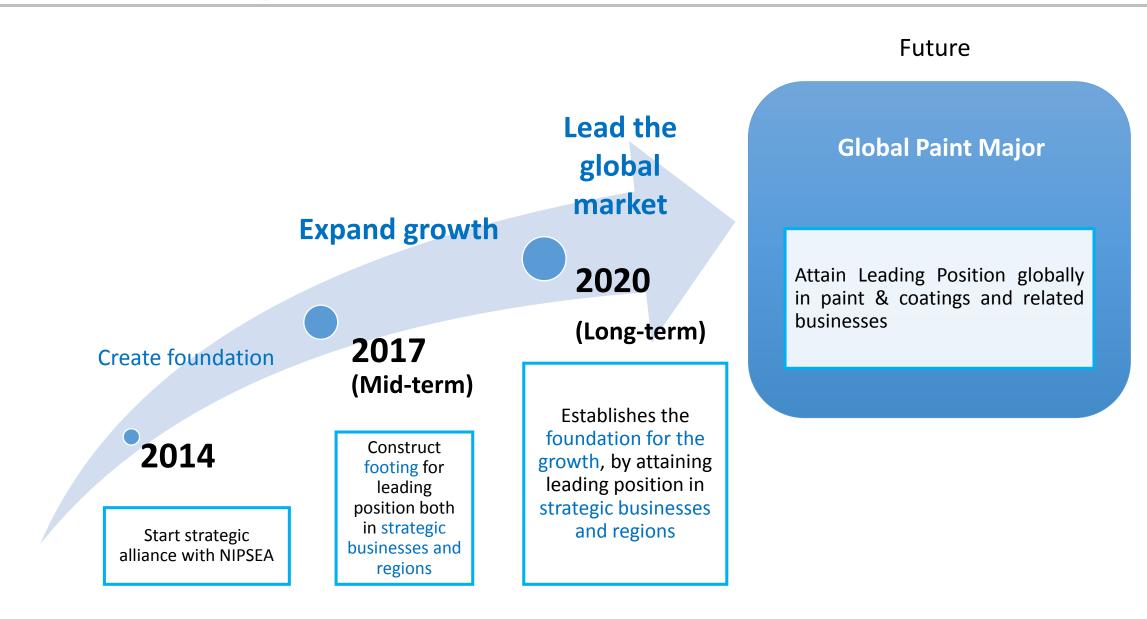
Plan to disclose Securities Report, based on IFRS from FY2018

- ✓ To improve management quality with actions, such as appropriate and immediate reorganization, by unifying globally evaluation for operation
- ✓ To reinforce governance and improve operation efficiency by standardization of financial standard in each country where we are operating
- ✓ To enhance convenience to domestic and oversea investors, and expand of investors range
- ✓ To improve comparability with peer companies

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Significant changes in financial results of FY2015 by the acquisition of equity-method affiliates in Asia

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	FY2014	vs FY	2013			
	Results	Gap	Actual Gap % 1			
Net sales	2,605.9	+0.1	▲3.5			
Operating income	337.5	+3.6	▲6.1			
Equity in earnings of affiliates	141.0	+28.3	+22.0			
Ordinary income	492.7	+24.4	+14.1			
Extraordinary income	² 1,488.9 ≪2	+1,487.3	-			
Net income	1,814.8	+1,493.2	-			

X1 Actual gap excluding the effect of exchange rate fluctuations, business sale of Powder coating unit in North America (November, 2013), and transferring Decorative paint business in Thailand to equity method affiliates(July, 2014). (Exchange rate in PL in FY2014: JPY106.4 / USD (FY2013: JPY98.0 / USD))

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- ※2 148.8 billion yen is posted as extraordinary income related to gain on step acquisition of joint venture in Asia.
- X3 Actual operating income excluding dividends from oversea affiliates. Operating income from 2H of 2014 includes dividends, in accordance with a transfer to holding company in October, 2014(Consolidated adjustment).

【Consolidated Net Sales by Business Segment】			(100 million Yen)		【Consolidated Net Sales and Operating Income by Region】				(100 million Yen)	
		FY2014	vs FY	2013				014	vs FY	2013
		Results	Gap	Actual Gap % 1			Results		Gap	Actual Gap % 1
	Automotive coatings	933.5	+8.4	▲3.9	Japan	Net sales		1,872.0	▲2.7	-
	Decorative and Heavy Duty	457.9	▲42.7	▲ 19.4		Operating income	Ж3	264.1	▲6.1	-
Paint Business	Industrial coatings	464.5	▲11.1	▲13.1	Asia	Net sales		438.7	▲18.4	▲ 19.2
	Other paintsand coatings	595.0	+36.9	+29.8		Operating income		45.3	+2.7	▲1.3
	Sub-total	2,450.9	▲8.5	▲6.6		Equity in earnings of affiliates		141.8	+29.1	+22.0
Fine Chemicals	business	155.0	+8.6	+3.1	North America	Net sales		257.9	+22.4	+22.6
Total		2,605.9	+0.1	▲3.5		Operating income		26.8	+7.1	+2.4
		· · · · · ·			Other	Net sales		37.2	▲1.2	▲4.2
						Operating income		0.6	▲0.1	▲1.1

Total

Net sales

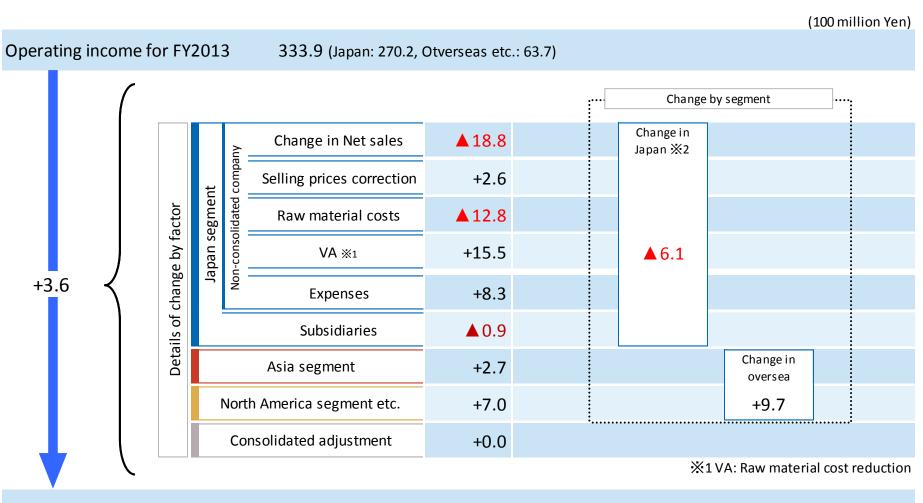
Operating income

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Operating income for FY2014

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337.5 (Japan: 264.1, Overseas etc. 73.4)

*Actual operating income excluding dividends from oversea affiliates.

Operating income from 2H of 2014 includes dividends, in accordance with a transfer to holding company in October, 2014.

Consolidated Financial Forecast

【Conslidated Financial Forecast】						(100 million Yen)			
		vs FY2014							
	FY2015 forecast	Gap	Newly consolidated portion in Asia ¥3	Exsisting consolidated portion	Newly consolidated portion outside Asia ¾4	Effect of Foreign Exchange ※ 5			
Net sales	5 <i>,</i> 600	+2,994.1	2,778.9	88.9	43.6	82.7			
Operating income	740	+402.5	330.8	63.8	▲ 1.9	9.8			
Equity in earnings of affiliates	17	▲ 125.0	▲ 127.5	2.0	0.5	0.0			
Ordinary income	765	※ 2 +272.3	209.2	55.1	▲ 1.8	9.8			
Net income % 1	330	+3.2	▲ 38.0	29.7	3.7	7.8			

X2 Excludes 148.8 billion yen as Extraordinary income in FY2014.

it is a second consolidation adjustment.

X4 Effect of acquisition of German paint manufacturer.

X5 Exchange rate in FY2015: JPY 119.2 / USD (JPY 106.4 / USD in FY2014).

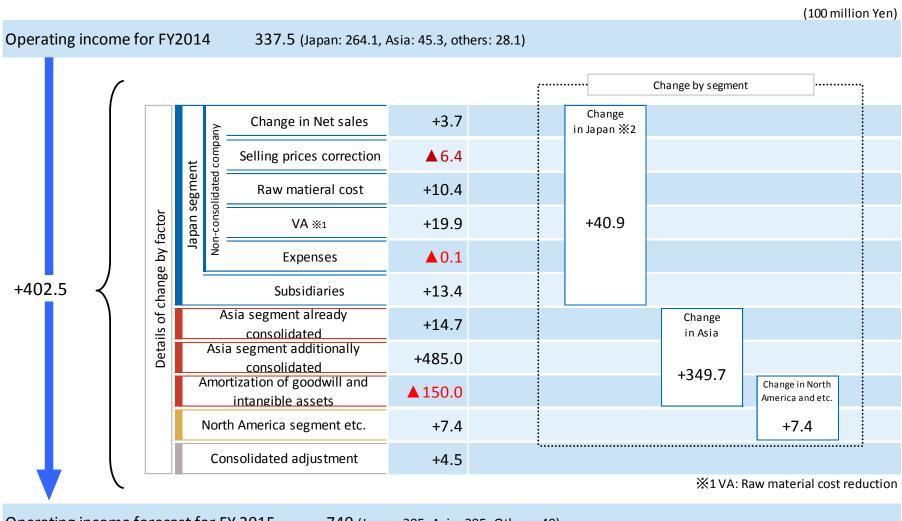
%6 Actual operating income excluding dividends from oversea affiliates. Operating income from 2H of 2014 includes dividends, in accordance with a transfer to holding company in October, 2014(Internal transaction).

%1 Net income attributable to shareholders of the Company

Consolidated N	let Sales by Business Segment】	(100 million Yer				
		FY2015 forecast	Gap vs FY2014	Newly consolidated Net Sales in FY2015 forecast		
	Automotive coatings	1,435	+501.5	357		
	Decorative and Heavy Duty	2,625	+2,167.1	2,169		
Paint Business	Industrial coatings	820	+355.5	300		
	Other paints and coatings	557	▲38.0	30		
	Sub-total	5,437	+2,986.1	2,857		
Fine Chemicals	ousiness	163	+8.0	3		
Total		5,600	+2,994.1	2,860		

Consolidated N	let Sales and Operating Income by F	Region】	(100 million Yen)	
		FY2015 forecast	Gap vs FY2014	Newly consolidated Net Sales in FY2015 forecast
Japan	Net sales	1,800	▲72.0	-
	Operating income %6	305	+40.9	-
Asia	Net sales	3,395	+2,956.3	2860
	Operating income	395	+349.7	335
	Equity in earnings of affiliates	17	▲124.8	-
North America	Net sales	315	+57.1	-
	Operating income	38	+11.2	-
Other	Net sales	90	+52.8	-
	Operating income	-3	▲ 3.7	-
Total	Net sales	5,600	+2,994.1	2,860
	Operating income	740	+402.5	335

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Operating income forecast for FY 2015 74

740 (Japan: 305, Asia: 395, Others: 40)

XActual operating income excluding dividends from oversea affiliates.

Operating income from 2H of 2014 includes dividends, in accordance with a transfer to holding company in October, 2014.

Consolidated Financial Results

	FY2011		FY2011 FY2012		FY2013		FY2014		FY2015	
	1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year	1H forecast	Full-year forecast
Net sales	1,068.3	2,222.6	1,193.3	2,333.8	1,269.0	2,605.8	1,272.5	2,605.9	2660	5600
Operating income	50.2	163.2	135.5	258.6	165.5	333.9	156.9	337.5	^{※1} 335	^{※1} 740
Equity in earnings of affiliates	24.4	43.3	22.1	48.9	51.1	112.7	62.7	141.0	8	17
Ordinary income	64.7	201.9	146.5	329.6	226.9	468.3	228.3	492.7	350	765
Net income ————————————————————————————————————	35.3	123.1	78.3	200.2	153.0	321.6	156.0	^{※2} 1,814.8	140	330
ROE (%)	-	9.3	-	13.5	-	18.1	-	^{%3} 53.8	-	6.5

X1 Operating income forecast in 2015 reflects 15 billion yen as amortization of goodwill and intangible assets related to acquisition of joint venture in Asia.

32 148.8 billion yen in 3Q 2014 is posted as extraordinary income related to gain on step acquisition of joint venture in Asia.

X3 ROE is 9.7%, after extraordinary income is excluded from Net income.

%4 Net income attributable to shareholders of the Company.

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											(100 million Yen)
		FY20	011	FY2	012	FY2	013	FY2	014	FY2	015
		1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year	1H forecast	Full-year forecast
Japan	Net sales	822.0	1723.3	895.8	1745.2	909.1	1874.8	916.3	1872.0	885	1800
	Operating income	47.9	152.7	116.9	224.4	134.1	270.2	122.1	^{%1} 342.3	^{※1} 149	^{※1} 572
Asia	Net sales	163.0	324.0	186.3	370.7	225.5	457.1	216.4	438.7	1595	3395
	Operating income	7.3	13.6	11.7	24.5	19.1	42.6	21.2	45.3	^{※2} 168	^{※2} 395
	Equity in earnings of affiliates	24.4	43.3	22.1	48.9	51.1	112.7	62.8	141.8	8	17
North America	Net sales	71.1	150.8	98.2	191.4	119.5	235.5	120.2	257.9	160	315
	Operating income	-4.4	-2.8	5.8	9.2	11.5	19.8	11.8	26.9	19	38
Other	Net sales	12.2	24.5	13.1	26.5	14.9	38.4	19.4	37.2	20	90
	Operating income	-0.3	-0.4	-0.2	-0.8	0.2	0.8	0.9	0.7	1	-3

×1 Operating income in Japan segment in FY2014 includes dividends from affiliates in accordance with a transfer to holding company on October 1, 2014. (Dividends from affiliates in 2H of FY2014 : 7.8 billion yen, forecast 1H of 2015 : 0.3B, Full-year : 26.7B)

×2 This number includes 15 billion yen, as amortization of goodwill and intangible assets related with the Asia equity method consolidation.

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(100 million Yen)

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		FY2	FY2011		012	FY2	013	FY2	014	FY20)15
		1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year	1H forecast	Full-year forecast
	Automotive coatings	328.7	724.1	414.7	812.9	457.4	925.1	450.9	933.5	670	1435
	Decorative and Heavy Duty	191.9	397.6	220.0	437.7	243.4	500.6	236.0	457.9	1252	2625
Paint business	Industrial coatings	211.2	421.3	220.1	436.4	233.5	475.6	232.2	464.5	392	820
	Other paints and coatings	268.3	545.0	272.8	516.9	262.7	558.1	277.6	595.0	266	557
	Sub-total	1000.1	2088.1	1127.5	2203.9	1197.0	2459.4	1196.7	2450.9	2580	5437
Fine Chemicals b	usiness	68.2	134.5	65.8	129.9	72.0	146.4	75.8	155.0	80	163
Total		1068.3	2222.6	1193.3	2333.8	1269.0	2605.8	1272.5	2605.9	2660	5600

Japan

(100 million Yen)

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		FY2	FY2011		012	FY2	013	FY2	014	FY20	015
		1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year	1H forecast	Full-year forecast
	Automotive coatings	176.8	415.5	224.7	428.2	217.8	444.3	218.9	446.0	215	440
	Decorative and Heavy Duty	173.1	363.2	198.2	395.0	215.8	446.9	211.8	427.0	220	445
Paint business	Industrial coatings	189.5	380.4	198.9	394.6	207.5	424.5	207.1	409.3	209	420
	Other paints and coatings	228.8	457.5	222.5	427.7	216.8	455.7	227.4	487.9	188	389
	Sub-total	768.2	1616.6	844.3	1645.5	857.9	1771.4	865.2	1770.0	832	1694
Fine Chemicals b	usiness	53.8	106.7	51.5	99.7	51.2	103.4	51.1	102.0	53	106
Total		822.0	1723.3	895.8	1745.2	909.1	1874.8	916.3	1872.0	885	1800

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		1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year	1H forecast	Full-year forecast
	Automotive coatings	73.9	143.8	84.5	179.1	111.7	222.6	102.6	212.6	286	615
	Decorative and Heavy Duty	18.8	34.4	21.8	42.7	27.6	53.7	24.1	30.9	1032	2180
Paint business	Industrial coatings	21.7	40.9	21.2	41.8	26.0	51.1	25.1	55.2	183	400
	Other paints and coatings	34.2	77.1	44.5	76.9	39.4	86.7	39.9	87.1	67	143
	Sub-total	148.6	296.2	172.0	340.5	204.7	414.1	191.7	385.7	1568	3338
Fine Chemicals business		14.4	27.8	14.3	30.2	20.8	43.0	24.7	53.0	27	57
Total		163.0	324.0	186.3	370.7	225.5	457.1	216.4	438.7	1595	3395

Consolidated Capital Expenditure, De	epreciation, R&D Expenses
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								,	(100 million Yen)
	FY2	011	FY2	2012	FY2	013	FY2	2014	FY2015
	1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year	Full-year forecast
Capital Expenditure	18.9	35.5	27.2	51.1	27.8	59.8	23.3	51.3	215
Depreciation	37.5	75.3	31.7	64.2	30.0	61.1	29.3	59.0	105
R&D Expenses	33.0	65.7	30.6	60.2	29.1	59.2	28.5	59.9	120

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	FY2	011	FY2	012	FY2	013	FY2014	
	1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year
Cash flows from operating activities	21.6	224.8	101.8	318.5	75.5	269.2	145.8	344.2
Cash flows from investing activities	-14.0	-37.1	-26.2	-69.2	-29.2	-71.7	-20.7	-869.7
Cash flows from financing activities	-85.4	-119.4	-153.8	-187.4	-171.4	-210.3	-112.4	853.0

Foreign Exchange Rates(Term Average)

(Yen)

									(1917)
	FY20	011	FY2	012	FY2	013	FY2	014	FY2015
	1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year	Full-year forecast
US Dollar	81.8	79.7	79.8	80.1	95.9	98.0	102.2	106.4	119.2
Chinese Yuan	13.0	12.9	12.6	12.7	15.5	16.0	16.6	17.2	19.0
Thai Baht	2.77	2.68	2.56	2.58	3.20	3.17	3.13	3.27	3.68

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	FY2011		FY2	012	FY2	013	FY2	014
	1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year	1H	Full-year
Gross profit margin(%)	31.6	33.0	34.7	35.2	36.4	35.9	35.8	35.
Operating income margin(%)	4.7	7.3	11.4	11.1	13.0	12.8	12.3	13.0
Ordinary income margin(%)	6.1	9.1	12.3	14.1	17.9	18.0	17.9	18.9
Net income margin(%)	3.3	5.5	6.6	8.6	12.1	12.3	12.3	^{≫1} 69.0
BPS(Yen)	485.8	514.5	531.9	609.2	684.8	746.3	786.0	^{※1} 1496.2
EPS(Yen)	13.3	46.5	29.6	75.6	57.9	.122.5	59.9	^{※1} 650.0
Capital equity ratio(%)	49.7	49.7	52.8	56.0	59.9	60.0	63.3	59.
Ratio of ordinary income to total assets(%)	-	7.5	-	11.7	-	15.3	-	8.
Consolidated payout ratio(%)	-	19.4	-	18.5	-	16.3	-	₩2 3.

X1 148.8 billion yen in 3Q 2014 is posted as extraordinary income related to gain on step acquisition of joint venture in Asia.

X2 Actual dividend payout ratio is 21.4%, excluding extraordinary income, 148.8 billion yen.

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	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q
FY2011	59,000	54,900	51,700	54,100
FY2012	60,600	49,800	55,800	63,800
FY2013	65,500	63,900	67,800	72,000
FY2014	69,900	70,900	66,000	47,000
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X The figure of FY 2015 is the Company's estimate.

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	(10,000 units)		
	1H	2H	Full-year
FY2011	390	537	927
FY2012	490	465	955
FY2013	474	517	991
FY2014	478	481	959
FY2015 ※		940	

★ The figure of FY 2015 is the Company's estimate.



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