

Briefings on Financial Results

For the 1st half 0f the Fiscal 2015



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ADEKA Corporation

(Securities code: 4401)

First Half of the Fiscal 2015 Second Quarter Financial Results Overview

[April 1, 2015 – September 30, 2015]

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1. The 1st Half of the Fiscal 2015 Consolidated Performance

The 1st Half of the Fiscal 2015 Consolidated Performance

Consolidated data

(Unit: 100 million yen)

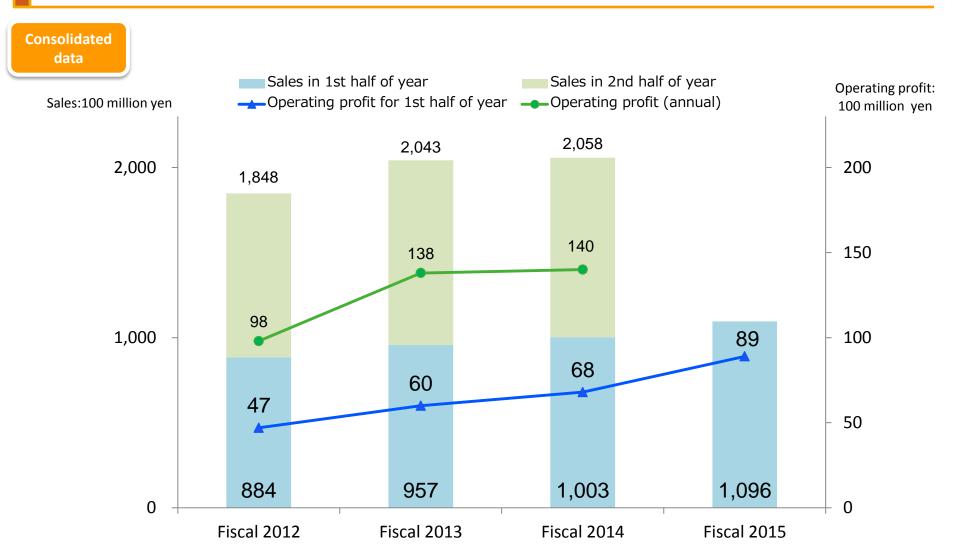
	1 st half FY2014	1 st half FY2015	Increase/ decrease	Increase/ decrease ratio (%)
Sales	1,003	1,096	93	9.3
Operating profit	68	89	21	31.3
Current profit	72	87	14	19.6
Profit attributable to owners of parent	50	58	8	16.9
2nd-quarter net profit per share (yen/share)	¥48.6	¥56.8	¥8.2	
Dividend (yen/share)	¥12	¥14	¥2	

- Sales increased year-on-year driven by growth in overseas subsidiaries.
- Operating profit marked a significant increase year-on-year due to robust performance in China and the rest of Asia as well as efforts to improve profitability.
- Current profit and net income grew also due to the increase in operating income.
- Change in accounting methods
 In order to better reflect the performance of overseas subsidiaries in consolidated financial statements, we changed the method of converting the revenue and expenses of overseas subsidiaries into Japanese yen; instead of the end-of-term exchange rate, applied the average exchange rate for the term starting in FY 2015

Note 1: The data for the first half of FY 2014 has been readjusted by applying the accounting method change retroactively.



Trends in Consolidated Performance



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The 1st Half of the Fiscal 2015 Consolidated Performance (By segment)

Consolidated data

(Unit: 100 million yen)

	1 st half FY 2014	1 st half FY 2015	Increase/ decrease	Increase/ decrease ratio (%)
Sales	1,003	1,096	93	9.3
Chemicals	704	768	63	9.0
Electronics and IT materials	99	103	4	4.0
Functional chemicals	530	570	40	7.6
Commodity chemicals	75	94	19	25.6
Food products	265	294	29	11.2
Other	33	33	0	1.7
Operating profit	68	89	21	31.3
Chemicals	61	81	20	33.4
Electronics and IT materials	19	22	3	16.2
Functional chemicals	40	49	8	21.9
Commodity chemicals	1	9	8	597.7
Food products	3	5	1	41.9
Other	3	2	△ 0	△ 22.1

Note 1: The data for the first half of FY 2014 has been readjusted by applying the accounting method change retroactively.



Electronics and IT materials



Electronics and IT materials (increase in both sales and profit)

- 1. Semiconductor materials: sales of novel high dielectric constant materials available in cutting-edge miniaturized processes increased, especially in overseas.
- 2. Electronic circuit materials: overall sales remained low due to the domestic market shrinking and overseas customers adjusting their production.
- 3. Concerning photosensitive materials used for optical films and photoresists, against the backdrop of the enhancement of display resolutions and semiconductor miniaturization, our highly competitive proprietary products achieved sales growth in markets at home and abroad.

(Unit: ¥100 million)

	1st half fiscal 2014	1st half fiscal 2015	Increase/decrease
Sales	99	103	4
Operating profit	19	22	3

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Functional Chemicals



Functional chemicals (increase in both sales and profit)

- Polymer additives: while the domestic demand for automobiles and building materials improved toward the end of the 2nd quarter, it did not recover in full and the sales volume decreased compared with the same period last year. high-functional products such as Nucleating agents, ultraviolet absorber and general-purpose antioxidants is extended abroad.
- 2. Surfactants: reactive type emulsifiers for architectural paints increased both in the domestic and overseas markets, while the sales volume of cosmetic raw materials decreased due to inventory adjustments by users.
- 3. Lubricants: automobile fuel economy improvement and CO₂ emissions reduced to contribute to engine oil for additives were strong at home and abroad.
- Functional polymer: highly-functional special epoxy resin for the car was extended response to the expansion of the market needs.

(Unit: ¥100 million)

	1st half fiscal 2014	1st half fiscal 2015	Increase/decrease
Sales	530	570	40
Operating profit	40	49	8

Note 1: The data for the first half of FY 2014 has been readjusted by applying the accounting method change retroactively.



Commodity Chemicals



Commodity chemicals (increase in both sales and profit)

- Propylene glycols: those for daily necessities such as toiletries remained firm partially due to the expansion of inbound demand.
- Propylene glycols, hydrogen peroxide and its derivatives: we continued striving for cost reduction by revising sales prices and reviewing productions and logistics bases.

(Unit: ¥100 million)

	1st half fiscal 2014	1st half fiscal 2015	Increase/decrease
Sales	75	94	19
Operating profit	1	9	8

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Food products



Food products (increase in both sales and profit)

- Sales of margarine, whipping cream, and fillings for bakery products, western confectioneries, and desserts remained strong.
- 2. Both the sales and profit of food products increased overseas as a result of increase in sales of processed oil and fat products and fillings.

(Unit: ¥100 million)

	1st half fiscal 2014	1st half fiscal 2015	Increase/decrease
Sales	265	294	29
Operating profit	3	5	1

Note 1: The data for the first half of FY 2014 has been readjusted by applying the accounting method change retroactively.





2. Fiscal 2015 Prospective Performance

FY2015 Prospective performance

(Unit: ¥ 100 million)

Consolidated
data

ed		Fiscal 2015	Increase	Increase/		
	1st half (performance)	2st half (forecast)	Whole FY (forecast)	/decrease Note1	decrease ratio (%)	
Sales	1,096	1,173	2,270	211	10.3	
Operating profit	89	88	178	37	27.1	
Current profit	87	92	180	14	9.0	
Profit attributable to owners of parent	58	63	122	10	9.1	

2nd-quarter net profit per share (yen/share)	¥56.8	¥61.4	¥118.2	¥9.8
Dividend (yen/share)	¥14	¥14	¥28	¥2

		Fiscal 2015 assumption		
		Beginning of the period	2 nd Half	
Exchange rates	¥/\$	118.00	123.00	
	¥∕€	135.00	132.00	
Naphtha	¥/KL	50,000	50,000	

Fiscal 2014 Performance				
109.93				
138.77				
63,450				

Note 1: Increase or decrease are expressed the calculated value in comparison with the performance FY 2014 has been readjusted by applying the accounting method change retroactively.

Note 2: Figures are expressed in units of 100 million yen and have been rounded off.



Point of FY2015 Prospective performance

Modification of the full-year earnings forecast

- Business was robust in the first half of FY 2015 and although sales for the sixmonth period fell short of the forecast, operating income exceeded the forecast by a wide margin. For the full year to March 2016, we are downgrading our sales forecast by 7 billion yen due to market uncertainty for the second half, while upgrading our operating income forecast by 1.3 billion yen on the outperformance by 2 billion yen over the initial projection in the first half.
- As for current income, we are keeping our forecast unchanged as we are expecting a decrease in equity method investment income.

Updating of record performance

We are expecting record highs for all levels of sales, operating income, current income and net income for the full year.

* the highest past profits: Operating profit 17.2 billion yen, Current profit 17.3 billion yen (Both FY2005)

Fiscal 2015 Prospective performance (By segment)

(Unit:¥ 100 million)

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data	the 1st half (a)	the 2nd half (b)	Forecast for fiscal 2015 (a)+(b)	Fiscal 2014 performance (c)	Increase/ Decrease (a+b-c)	Increase/ decrease ratio (%)
Sales	1,096	1,173	2,270	2,058	211	10.3
Chemicals	768	806	1,575	1,424	150	10.6
Electronics and IT materials	103	126	230	192	37	19.6
Functional chemicals	570	604	1,175	1,074	100	9.4
Commodity chemicals	94	75	170	158	11	7.5
Food products	294	330	625	570	54	9.6
Other	33	36	70	63	6	9.6
Operating profit	89	88	178	140	37	27.1
Chemicals	81	78	160	123	36	29.7
Electronics and IT materials	22	29	52	33	18	54.3
Functional chemicals	49	44	94	81	12	15.3
Commodity chemicals	9	4	14	8	5	71.4
Food products	5	7	13	11	1	13.8
Other	2	2	5	5	△ 0	△ 4.8

Note 1: The data for FY 2014 has been readjusted by applying the accounting method change retroactively.





3. Business Strategy

Electronics and IT materials

Chemicals for IT

- Optical materials
 For photo curing resins and photoinitiators, as well as expanding sales of liquid crystal display areas where growth continues, focus on market development of semiconductor resist.
- Imaging materials

 Review the sales, development, and production systems of materials for black matrix and developing solution for liquid crystal displays to increase our market share.

Electronic materials

- Semiconductor materials

 To expand sales of new products and existing products for DRAM and NAND memory.

 We aim to further strengthen sales for logic semiconductors to expand business operations.
- Electronic circuit materials

 We aim to expand the use of our etchant products by responding to the increasing functionality of mobile devices such as smartphones.
- High purity gases
 We aim to increase the sales volume for liquid crystal display panels and optical fibers to increase our market share.

Electronics and IT materials

➤ High sensitivity photoinitiator ADEKA ARKLS NCI series

Display Market and Direction of Our Development

Market Trends

- Next-generation TV (8k)
- Smartphone
- · Wearable device
- Energy Conservation
- Cost reduction production



Technology Trends

- · High definition
- · High brightness
- · High color producibility
- · Making thinner products
- · Improving yield



Performance required for photoinitiator

High sensitivity

High transparency High solubility Low outgassing

- Photoinitiators are compounds that start polymerization when irradiated with ultraviolet rays, and can cure resins.
 - Use: Resist for a color filter, Black matrix, Insulating film, etc.
- Our products include characteristic photoinitiators having properties such as high sensitivities and transparencies for cutting-edge liquid crystal displays, which require improvement in accuracy, luminance, etc.

Functional chemicals

Polymer additives

- Accelerate global sales of high functional products.

 In collaboration with production and sales offices in 11 overseas countries 14 offices, to expand sales of a high-functional products such as nucleating agent, light stabilizers.
- Expand the premium market segment by expanding sales of general-purpose additives.

We aim to increase sales by strengthening the supply system of general-purpose antioxidants and targeting emerging markets expected to have high growth rates.

Promote the development of new products

Stabilizer for PVC: We aim to strengthen the sales of environmentally friendly products

free of lead, tin, and phenol—which are under development—to

increase use in Japan and overseas.

High-functinal additive:

We have been releasing unique new products that have never been seen in conventional markets, including long-wavelength ultraviolet

absorbers and hindered amine light stabilizers.

<Topics>

- The research system (experimental/product evaluation facilities) of ADEKA FINE CHEMICAL (THAILAND) was strengthened in 2015.
- The packaged granular additives plant of UAE expanded its capacity in 2014 and continues to operate at a high rate.



▲ ADEKA FINE CHEMICAL(THAILAND)



Functional chemicals

Surface active agents

Lubricant

We aim to strengthen the sales of engine oil additives in Asia and to adopt expansion in domestic and European automobile manufacturer.

At the same time, We aim to promote sales for diesel engine application.

Cosmetic raw materials

We aim to increase the sales of gelling agents for cosmetics manufacturers in Japan and overseas and expand their use of novel glycols.

Reactive type emulsifiers

Focus on increasing sales in global markets by making comprehensive proposals of combinations of reactive emulsifiers and various additives such as thickeners and defoamers in response to the increased need for high functionality in the field of paints and adhesion.

Functional polymers

Waterborne resins

In addition to existing fields such as steel and glass fiber, to promote the expansion of the sales of resin products into new application areas such as automobile interiors/exteriors, film and coating agents.

Epoxy resins

Intend to expand the sales of epoxy resin for electronic materials by responding to market needs, such as smaller sizes of electronics materials and low chlorine concentration. Moreover, we aim to increase the use of epoxy resins by developing the use of epoxy resin adhesives for automobiles and electric materials.

Commodity chemicals

Propylene glycols

While corresponding to the fluctuation of raw material prices, We will maintain the steady supply of high quality products and also promote sales of derivatives for cosmetics and toiletries.

Hydrogen peroxide

We will ensure cost down measures and expand the application areas with persulfuric acid salts, peracetic acid, and sodium percarbonate to ensure stable profits.

Civil engineering and construction materials

We aim to promote new products in Japan and additionally increase sales of water expansible sealing materials overseas.

Food products

Reinforcement of Domestic Business Bases

Focus on expanding sales of strategic products, to increase our market share in the bread-baking, baking and confectionery industries. At the same time, we plan to implement cost reduction efforts, such as the consolidation of product lines.

• Marche' bretagne gateau

Plenty of high quality butter made in Brittany is mixed to provide butter flavor comparable to natural butter without relying on artificial flavoring. This is a compound product having properties not found in butter, such as providing continuing supple texture to baked confectioneries.

Sociel

This is a vegetable margarine enhancing the natural flavors of materials, such as wheat and butter flavor.

Pure blend whip

When this product, whipping cream for blending with fresh cream, is added, It makes the flavor and melting smooth texture last a long time, while maintaining the good taste of pure whipping cream.



▲ Sociel



▲ Marche' bretagne gateau and applications

▲ Pure blend whip

Acceleration of Overseas Business Expansion

In cooperation with business bases in Malaysia, China and Singapore, We aim to expansion the scale of our business by developing products suited to the needs and tastes of overseas markets including China and Southeast Asia and boosting sales in those markets.

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ADEKA FOODS (ASIA) SDN. BHD.

April 2015 Obtained certification for HACCP from the Ministry of Health Malaysia.





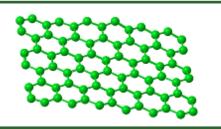
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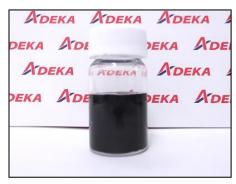
Development of mass production methods of graphene

The graphene

It is a type of nanocarbon represented by fullerene and carbon nanotube. It has properties of being highly electrically conductive, light and strong, etc. and is expected to be material for fuel cells, semiconductors, touch panels, etc. in the future.



- Obtaining a Exclusive license for graphene manufacturing technology that developed by a research group of professor takuzo Aida at tokyo university graduate school to provide full-scale samples.
- Our manufacturing process is characterized in that it can produce a high concentration of high quality graphene at a high yield in a short time.
 We aim to start producing commercially by 2020.





▲ Samples of our graphene (Dispersion liquid/powdered)

Fostering New Businesses

- Adjuvant for Nasal Vaccine for Influenza
 - Protection against infection of Influenza virus was confirmed.

 It had been previously confirmed that nasal inhalation of influenza vaccine mixed with an adjuvant (an augmentation agent that increases the effect of vaccine) developed by us leads to mucosal production of antibodies. *1
 - The protective effect against influenza infection was confirmed anew this time in virus infection experiments with mice. *2
 - *1: Reported in European Journal of Pharmaceutics and Biopharmaceutics.92 (2015) 56-54
 - * 2: Published as a result of a competitive funding program of A-STEP 2014 by the Japan Science and Technology Agency (JST)

Nasal administration Vaccine component

Nasal administration:

Prevents viruses from entering and is helpful in preventing influenza infection. It has garnered attention because the vaccine can be administered without injection and exhibits excellent protection against infection even if the type of virus has changed.

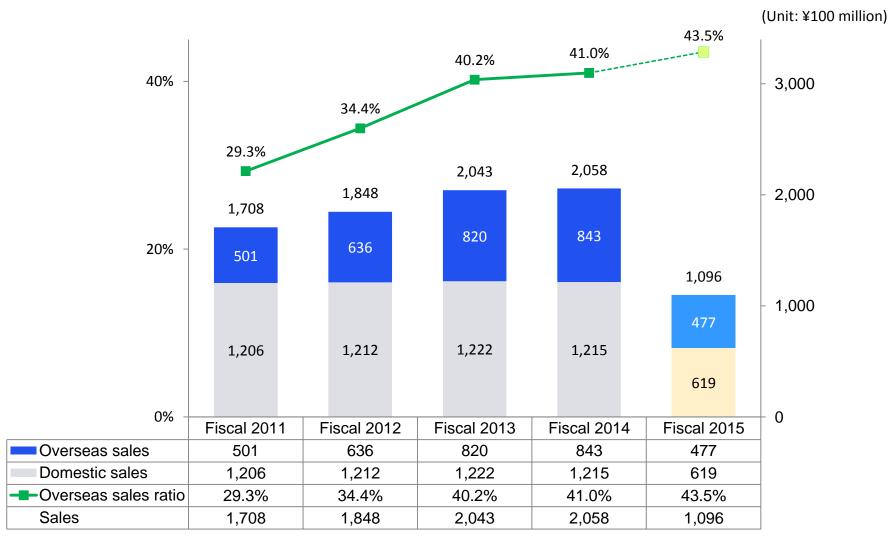
Injection administration:

The vaccine cannot prevent virus from entering, but is helpful to alleviate symptoms.



5. For Reference

Overseas Sales (for reference purposes)



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Supplemental Documents for Financial Results Overview

- I. Supplemental documents for consolidated financial performance
- II. Management indexes
- III. For information purposes:
 - Overview of information on financial results of single-base and consolidated subsidiaries
 - Overview of ADEKA Group (consolidated subsidiaries/affiliated company accounted for by the equity-method)
 - Major products by the business segments

Director and Managing Operating Officer Haruhiko Tomiyasu



I . Supplementary Data for the Consolidated Closing of Accounts

1. Consolidated Balance Sheet

	As of Mar 31, 2015	As of Sep 30, 2015	increase/ decrease
Assets			
Current assets ①	135,558	141,623	6,064
Fixed assets	125,553	125,559	5
Tangible fixed assets ②	76,640	78,617	1,976
Intangible fixed assets	3,460	3,857	396
Investment and other assets ③	45,452	43,084	△ 2,367
Total assets	261,112	267,182	6,070
Liabilities			
Current liabilities ④	69,493	66,875	△ 2,617
Long-term liabilities ⑤	28,385	32,152	3,767
Total liabilities	97,878	99,028	1,149
Net assets			
Shareholders' equity	143,251	147,415	4,163
Capital stock	22,899	22,899	<u> </u>
Capital surplus	19,925	19,925	
Retained earnings	100,652	104,816	4,164
Treasury stock	△ 226	△ 227	△ 0
Accumulated other comprehensive income	13,667	13,476	△ 190
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	6,363	5,572	△ 791
Reserve for land revaluation	4,095	4,095	—
Translation adjustment Adjustments for retirement	5,316	5,795	479
Benefits	△ 2,108	△ 1,986	121
Minority interests	6,314	7,262	947
Total net assets	163,233	168,153	4,920
Total liabilities and net assets	261,112	267,182	6,070

POINT①
Increase in current assets
Increase in Notes and accounts receivable
Increase in inventories

1,345

POINT②
Increase in tangible fixed assets
Increase in buildings and

2,739

(Unit: ¥ million)

POINT3

structures

Decrease in investments and other assets

Decrease in investment securities \triangle 1,557

POINT4

Decrease in current liabilities

Decrease in short-term debts \triangle 3,121 payable

POINT(5)

Increase in long-term liabilities

Increase in long-term debts 3,295 payable

Note1: Figures are expressed in units of 100 million yen and have been rounded off.

Note2: Accumulated depreciation of tangible fixed assets 157,721 million yen



I . Supplementary Data for the Consolidated Closing of Accounts

2. Cash Flow Statement (Summary)

Consolidated data

(Unit: ¥ million)

	1 st half FY2014 (from Apr 1, 2014 to Sep 30, 2014)	1 st half FY2015 (from Apr 1, 2015 to Sep 30, 2015)
Cash flows from operating activities ①	6,041	7,688
Cash flows from investing activities	△5,480	△5,403
Cash flows from financing activities	△953	△1,792
Effect of exchange-rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	△377	222
Net increase/decrease in cash and cash equivalents (increase)	△769	715
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of period	38,670	41,697
Cash and cash equivalents from newly consolidated subsidiaries	_	577
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of period	37,901	42,990

POINT Increase in Cash flows from operating activities is main factor that increase in income before income taxes.

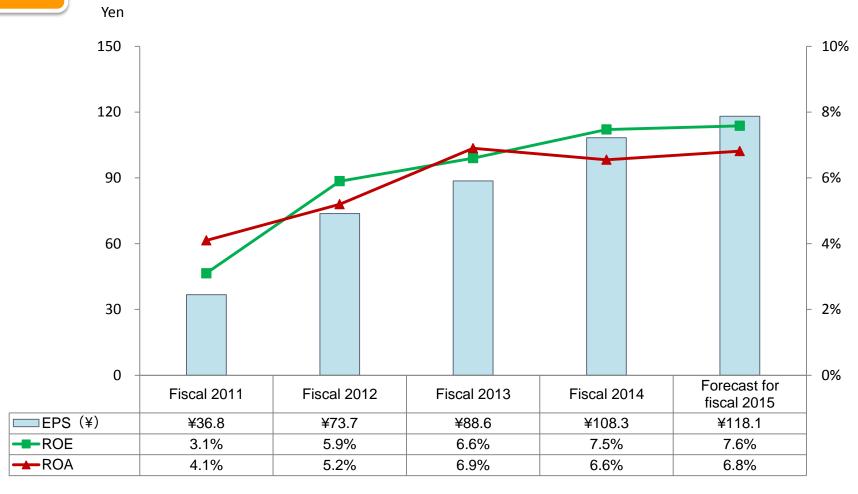
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■ . Management Indexes, etc.

■ - 1. Profitability

Consolidated data

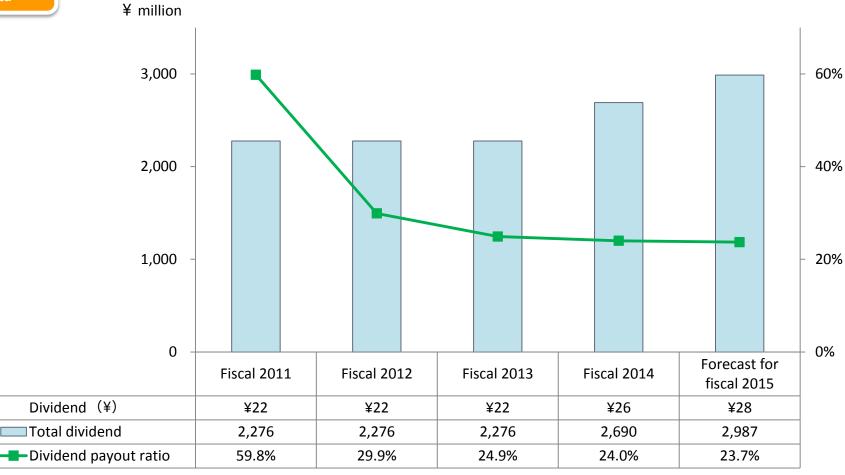


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II . Management Indexes, etc.

II - 2. Dividend payout ratio and dividends

Consolidated data



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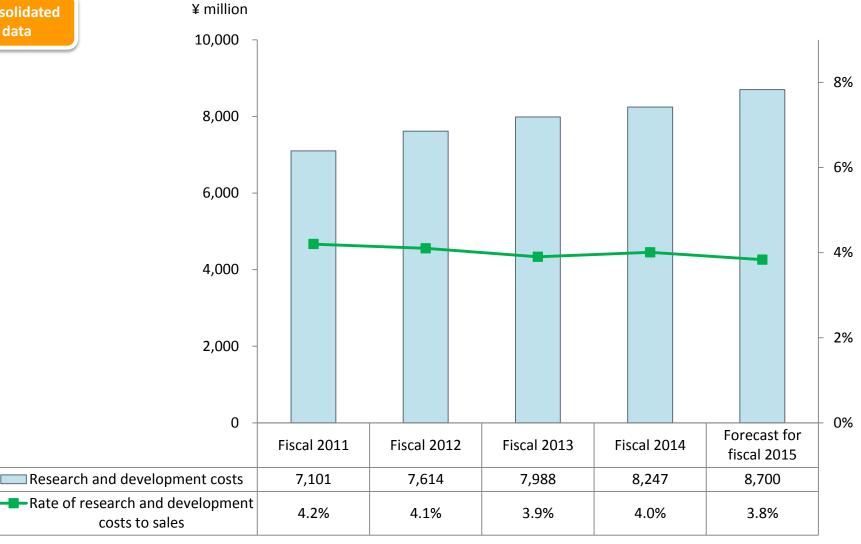
Note 2: Total dividends expressed in units of 100 million yen and have been rounded off.



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II - 3. Research and development costs

Consolidated data

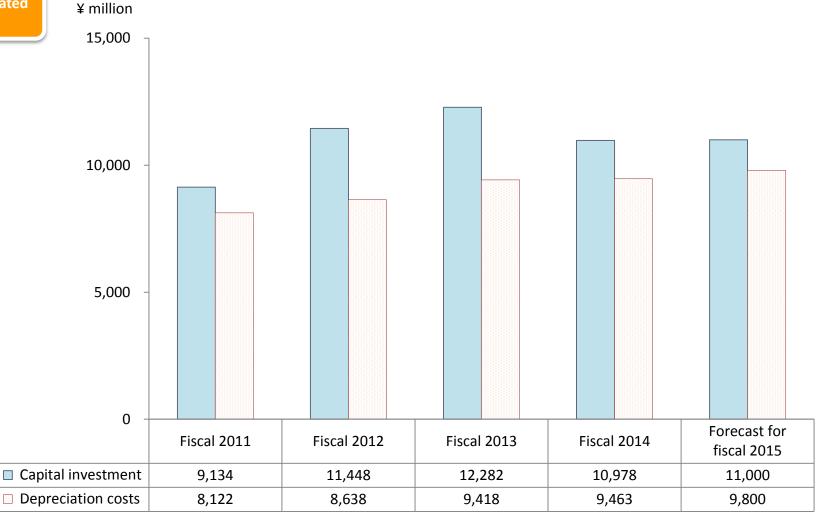


Note: Research and development expense are expressed in units of 100 million yen and have been rounded off.

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II - 4. Capital investment



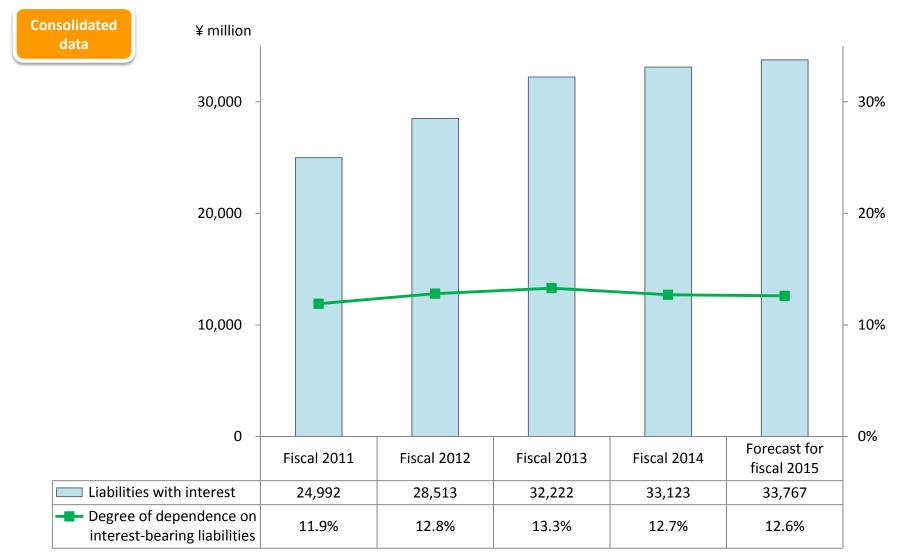


Note: Capital investment and depreciation are expressed in units of 100 million yen and have been rounded off.



II . Management Indexes, etc.

5. Interest-bearing liabilities



Note: Liabilities with interest are expressed in units of 100 million yen and have been rounded off.



Ⅲ. for your reference

1. Overview of non-consolidated and consolidated closing accounts

Non-consolidated closing of accounts				
	Results in 1 st half fiscal 2014	Results in 1 st half fiscal 2015	Increase/ decrease	Increase/ decrease ratio (%)
Sales	588	610	21	3.7
Operating profit	37	55	17	45.4
Current profit	43	56	13	30.2
NET profit for the Term	32	41	9	28.7
NET profit per share for the Term	31.3	40.3		

Domestic companies (10)				
	Results in 1st half fiscal 2014 Results in Increase/ decrease rational results in Increase/ decrease rational results in Increase/ decrease rational results in Increase/			
Sales	352	374	21	6.0
Operating profit	6	5	△0	△10.9

Overseas companies (15) note1				
	Results in 1 st half fiscal 2014	Increase/ decrease ratio (%)		
Sales	511	598	87	17.1
Operating profit	25	33	7	30.1

Consolidation adjustment accounts (deleted)			
	Results in 1 st half fiscal 2014	Results in 1 st half fiscal 2015	
Sales	△449	△486	
Operating profit	<u>△1</u>	△4	

Note 1: Add ADEKA FOODS (ASIA) of Malaysia in the scope of consolidation from fiscal 2015



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2. Consolidated Subsidiaries (10 companies in Japan)

Segment	Consolidated subsidiary	Capital	Controlling share(%)	Line of business
Chemicals	ADEKA CHEMICAL SUPPLY CORP.	¥ 104million	98.04 (Indirect ownership: 3.61)	Sales of chemical products, and the development, manufacturing and sales of metal processing oils, etc.
Chemicals	ADEKA CLEAN AID CORP.	¥ 140million	100.00	Development and sales of kitchen detergents for commercial use, industrial detergents, etc.
Chemicals	OXIRANE CHEMICAL CORP.	¥ 600million	50.00	Manufacturing and sales of epoxy plasticizers, etc.
Food products	ADEKA FOOD SALES CORP.	¥ 42million	100.00	Sales of edible processed oils and fats for confectionary and breads, and sales of other foodstuffs, etc.
Food products	YONGO CO.,LTD.	¥ 18million	92.14	Wholesaling of ingredients for confectionery and bakery business use
Food products	ADEKA FINE FOODS CORP.	¥ 50million	100.00	Manufacturing and sales of mayonnaise products, oil and fat processed food products and processed products using seafood.
Food products	UEHARA FOOD INDUSTRY CO.,LTD.	¥ 70million	100.00	Manufacturing and sales of flour paste products, bean-jams and retort pouch foods.
Others	ADEKA LOGISTICS CORP.	¥ 50million	100.00	General and principal contracting of logistics for the company, warehousing, leasing of vehicles, etc.
Others	ADEKA ENGINEERING & CONSTRUCTION CORP.	¥ 130million	100.00	Design, construction, and construction supervision of facility plants, and facilities maintenance.
Others	ADEKA LIFE-CREATE CORP.	¥ 65million	90.00 (Indirect ownership: 10.00)	Trading, brokerage and management of real estate, property and life insurance agency, sales in the OA equipment area, and management of buildings and company-owned apartments

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3. Consolidated Subsidiaries (15 overseas companies)

Segment	Country	Consolidated subsidiary	Capital	Controlling share(%)	Line of business
Chemicals	U.S.	AMFINE CHEMICAL CORP.	US\$16 million	60.00	Manufacturing and sales of polymer additives.
Chemicals	TAIWAN	CHANG CHIANG CHEMICAL CO., LTD.	NT\$30 million	50.50	Sales of polymer additives, special elasticizers and similar products.
Chemicals	SOUTH KOREA	ADEKA KOREA CORP.	₩15 billion	100.00	Manufacturing and sale of chemical products
Chemicals	SINGAPORE	ADEKA (ASIA) PTE.LTD.	US\$0.8 million	100.00	Sales of chemical products.
Chemicals	GERMANY	ADEKA Europe GmbH	€0.5 million	100.00	Sales of chemical products.
Chemicals	FRANCE	ADEKA PALMAROLE SAS	€3 million	90.00 (Indirect ownership:90.00)	Sales of polymer additives.
Chemicals	TAIWAN	ADEKA FINE CHEMICAL TAIWAN CORP.	NT\$200 million	100.00	sales of ADEKA group products
Chemicals	CHINA	ADEKA (SHANGHAI) CO., LTD.	US\$1 million	100.00	Sales of chemical products.
Chemicals	CHINA	ADEKA FINE CHEMICAL (SHANGHAI) CO., LTD.	US\$20.5 million	100.00	Manufacturing and sales of polymer additives, functional resins, electrochemical materials and similar products.
Chemicals	CHINA	ADEKA FINE CHEMICAL (CHANGSHU) CO., LTD.	US\$21.54 million	50.00	Manufacturing and sales of polymer additives.
Chemicals	THAILAND	ADEKA FINE CHEMICAL (THAILAND) CO., LTD.	₿350 million	81.00	Manufacturing and sale of chemical products
Chemicals	U.S.	AM STABILIZERS CORP.	US\$8.5 million	60.00 (Indirect ownership:60.00)	
Food products	SINGAPORE	ADEKA(SINGAPORE)PTE.LTD.	S\$8 million	90.00	Manufacturing and sales of edible processed oils and fats, frozen piecrusts and related food products.
Food products	CHINA	ADEKA FOODS (CHANGSHU) CO., LTD.	US\$15 million	70.00	Manufacturing and sale s of edible oil products and processed foods.
Food products	Malaysia	ADEKA FOODS(ASIA)SDN.BHD.	RM45million	60.00	Manufacturing and sales of Processing oils and fats

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4. Equity method-applicable companies

Two equity method- applicable companies	Capital	Controlling share	Line of business
NIHON NOHYAKU CO., LTD.	¥10,939 million	24.21%	Manufacturing and sales of agrichemicals and other products.
CO-OP CLEAN CO., LTD.	¥80 million	46.88%	Development and sales of soap, detergents and similar products.

^{*} There was no change in the number of equity method-applicable companies.

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5. Core products of each business category

Business category		Core products
	Electronics and IT materials	High-purity materials for semiconductors, AFES System and etching agents, photo curing resins, recording materials, Imaging materials, and others.
Reportable	Functional chemicals	Additives for polyolefins, PVC plasticizers/stabilizers, Flame retardants, Epoxy resins, Polyurethanes, Water-borne resins, Surfactants, Lubricant, Metal working fluid, Cosmetic materials, and others.
segment	Commodity chemicals	Polypropylene glycol, Hydrogen peroxide, Industrial fats and oil-induced products, Water-swelling sealing materials, and others.
	Food products business	Margarines, Shortenings, Oil and fats for chocolate, Oils and fats for frying, Whipping cream, Enriched milk products, Fillings, Frozen pie crusts, Mayonnaise dressing, functional foods, and others.
Oth	er business	Designing of equipment plants, Construction and construction management, Maintenance of equipment, Logistic services, Warehousing, Leasing of vehicles, Real estate and insurance business, and others.

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