

Mitsubishi Chemical Group Corporate strategy meeting

# Vision & Strategy

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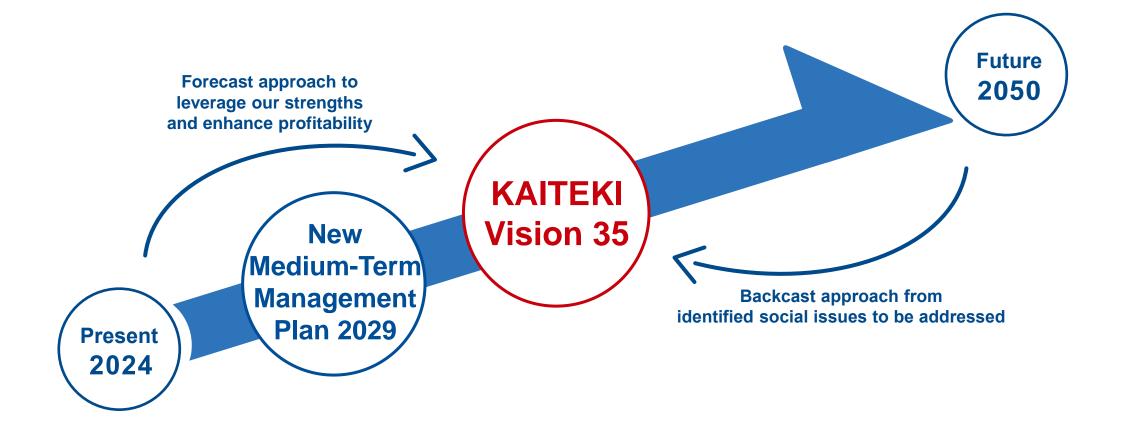
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### KAITEKI Vision 35 and New Medium-Term Management Plan 2029



KAITEKI Vision 35 was developed using both backcasting and forecasting approaches





# **KAITEKI Vision 35**

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## **Our Purpose**



## We lead with innovative solutions

to achieve KAITEKI,

the well-being of people and the planet.



The world is becoming more complex,
the pace of change is relentless,
our customers are expecting and demanding more.

Our way forward is clear.

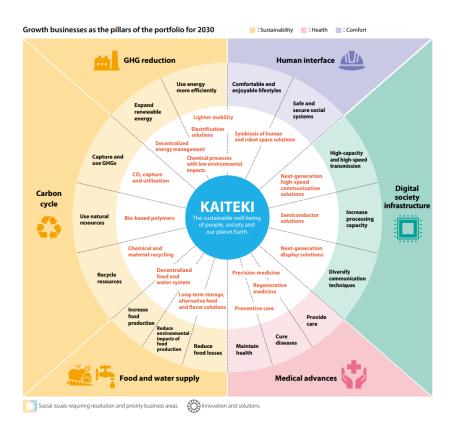
As a "Green Specialty Company" we are committed, to solving social problems and to delivering impressive results to customers with the power of materials.

## **Context for developing KAITEKI Vision 35**



### **KAITEKI Vision 30**

Medium- to long-term management strategy backcasted from our Vision for 2050 (formulated in February 2020)



### **KAITEKI Vision 35**

- Reflects changes in external forces that have accelerated beyond expectations since KAITEKI Vision 30 was developed
- Selected core business focus areas based on our core competencies
- Going back to Our Purpose: management and employees share common aspirations to drive change

# Societal challenges gaining greater sense of urgency in the five years since KAITEKI Vision 30







Number of countries declaring net zero targets after COP25

+82 countries

# Sustainable resource management



Number of countries committed to circular economy initiatives since 2019<sup>1</sup>

+33 countries

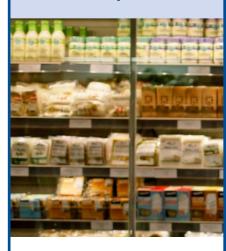
# Digital technology advancement



Average annual growth rate of the generative Al market<sup>2</sup> (2020-2023)

**69**%

# Food and water resource optimization



Increase in number of people facing food insecurity<sup>3</sup> (2018-2023)

+170<sub>M</sub>

# **Extension of**healthy life expectancy



Per capita health care expenditure<sup>4</sup> (2018-2022)

1.3times

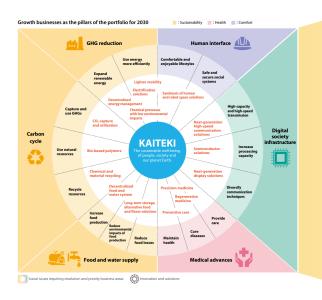
1. UNIDO "NATIONAL CIRCULAR ECONOMY ROADMAPS, A GLOBAL STOCKTAKE FOR 2024"; 2019-, 2. Mizuho Bank, 3. WFP "Global Report on Food Crises" 2024 edition, 4. OECD health statistics

## Targeted business areas for KAITEKI Vision 35



KAITEKI Vision 35 is rooted in our Purpose and addresses pressing issues facing society

### **KAITEKI Vision 30**



### Five key societal challenges

Effective energy use and decarbonization

Sustainable resource management

Digital technology advancement

Food and water resource optimization

Extension of healthy life expectancy

### **KAITEKI Vision 35 (focus areas)**



Stable supply platform for green chemicals<sup>1</sup>



**Eco-conscious mobility** 



Enable advanced data processing and telecommunications



**Food quality preservation** 



Technology and equipment for new therapeutics

1. Basic chemicals and their derivatives with reduced environmental impact

### Our Vision across five business focus areas



Become a Green Specialty Company that provides optimal solutions and solve societal challenges



Eco-conscious mobility

Leveraging materials to accelerate the shift to sustainable mobility



Enable advanced data processing and telecommunications

Supporting the advancement of semiconductor ecosystem



Food quality preservation

Extending shelf-life of food products to support distributing and processing



Technology and equipment for new therapeutics

Enabling new therapeutics through high-performance medical-grade materials



Stable supply platform for green chemicals

Lead the green transformation of chemical industry globally



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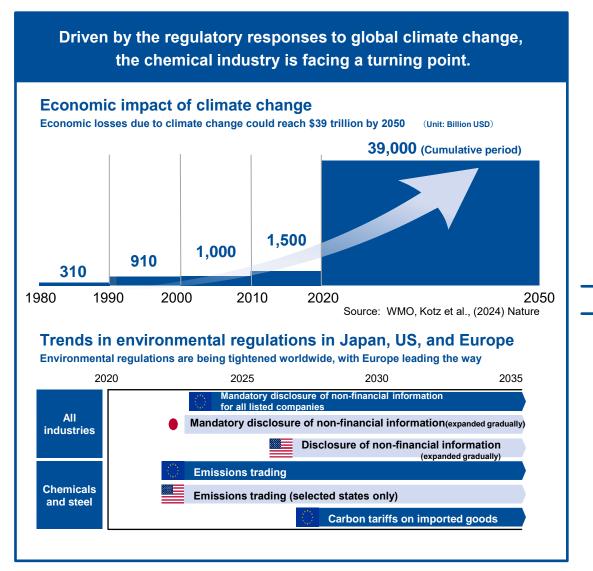
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# Stable supply platform for green chemicals







# Lead the green transformation of chemical industry globally



### Value proposition

- ▶ Promotion and commercialization of carbon and materials cycles
- Expand derivatives using e-methanol<sup>1</sup> (eg. polypropylene) by collaborating with global players
- Establishment of a chemical recycling closed loop for plastics through liquefaction processes
- Commercialization of plant-based chemicals (bio-naphtha, SAF<sup>2</sup> etc.)
- ► Establishment of reliability and traceability for environmental-related disclosure data
  - Lead the development of evaluation methods for environmental metrics and impacts (global LCA<sup>3</sup>, mass balance, etc.)

<sup>1.</sup> Synthetic methanol made from CO<sub>2</sub> and green hydrogen (hydrogen generated using electricity from renewable energy sources), 2. Sustainable Aviation Fuel, 3. Life Cycle Assessment



## **Eco-conscious mobility**



Increase in mobility with lower environmental impact will change the functional requirements for materials

#### EV market will be in full swing after 2020 125 ■FCV ■BEV ■HEV ■ICE **Increased weight** 100 due to EV batteries 75 50 **Growing need** 25 for lighter materials 2015 2020 2025 2030 2035 FCV=Fuel Cell Vehicle, BEV=Battery Electric Vehicle, HEV=Hybrid Electric Vehicle, ICE=Internal Combustion Engine

### Share of autonomous driving vehicles<sup>2</sup> as new vehicle sales

Level4/5 Level3 Level2 Level1 Level0 100 75 50 25 2015 2020 2025 2030 2035

Steady replacement by more advanced autonomous vehicles

Vehicle production by powertrain<sup>1</sup>

Change in impact resistance requirements due to reduced accidents

**Expansion of** material flexibility



### Leveraging materials to accelerate the shift to sustainable mobility



### Value proposition

- Meet the material product requirements for changes in mobility
- Electrification: Lightweight materials (CF, GF, foaming resins)<sup>3</sup> high-performance battery materials, thermal management resins
- Automation: Carbon fiber reinforced plastics, etc.
- Meet environmental regulations for mobility<sup>4</sup> by sustainable materials
- · Various compounds made from chemical recycling
  - → Increase ratio of recycled materials used in vehicle bodies
- Plastic compounds using sustainable olefin products
  - → Reduce carbon footprint of vehicle bodies

Source: Based on MCG's research

- 1. Vehicles weighing less than 6 tons, 2. Defined by the Society of Automotive Engineers (SAE). The higher the level, the higher the degree of automation.
- 3. CF=Carbon Fiber, GF=Glass Fiber, 4. Cases: Compliance with the European ELV Directive | Promotion of the use of recycled plastics, including those derived from end-of-life vehicles



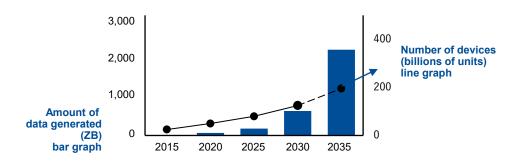
### Enable advanced data processing and telecommunications



Semiconductors are at the heart of driving digital transformation with the proliferation of data generation and communications

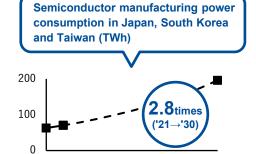
#### Global data generation

Data generation volume growth projected to exceed device usage

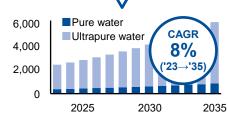


### The growing importance of energy conservation and water recycling

Energy and water consumption in the semiconductor industry



Market size of equipment and systems for producing pure water and ultrapure water for semiconductors (Oku yen)



Source: Fuji Kezai, GREENPEACE



**Vision** 

### Supporting advancement of semiconductor ecosystem



**Value proposition** 

**Support semiconductor manufacturing** with materials and services

#### **Materials**

High purity/high resolution [Contribution to energy saving]



- Higher-order structural analysis
- Properties analysis

Development of optimal structure by computational Chemistry

technology technology

■ Organic
■ Inorganic
■ Ultra trace

### Semiconductor **Manufacturing**



#### Services

Removal of impurities [contribution to recycling]



- Surface condition
- Water quality analysis
- Development of optimal treatment by simulation
- Physical cleaning Chemical cleaning
- Resin adsorption Membrane separation treatment

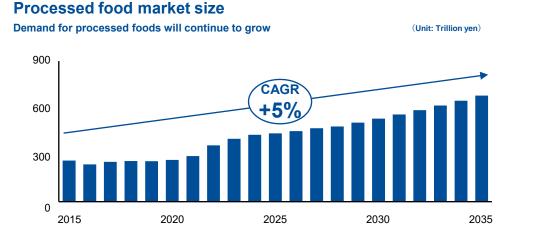
2020 2022 2024 2026 2028 2030



## Food quality preservation



# Rising population, economic shifts, and climate change are widening the food supply and demand gap



Global food supply

Climate change impacts, uneven distribution of food, and food loss will increase the importance of maintaining quality preservation

Impact of climate change

-6~-14%

Due to global warming food production<sup>1</sup> declines (2020-2050) Uneven distribution of food

2~7<sub>times</sub>

Volume of imports and exports among major crop<sup>2</sup> regions will increase by 2050 **Food loss** 

180<sub>trillion yen/year</sub>

Economic losses due to food loss and waste (by 2035)



# **Extending shelf-life of food products** to support distributing and processing



#### **Value proposition**

- ► Advanced functions through materials to support food quality preservation
- Functions: anti-oxidation, texture control, and bacteria control solutions
- Materials: functional food additives, barrier packaging materials, ion exchange resin



Functional food materials

Industrial gases

Packaging

Engineering

Separation materials

Facilities for providing water for food processing

Processing Collection

Food distribution value chain

Materials design and technologies that support recycling

Packaging materials

Chemical recycling technology

Wastewater treatment system

Source: Euromonitor, Nature, MAFF, Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations

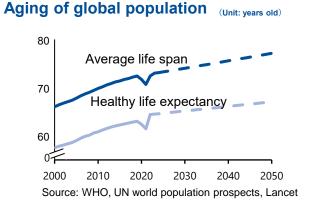
1. Calculated as energy equivalent of total food production of all food sectors, 2. Total of wheats, rice, corns, and soybeans



# Technology and equipment for new therapeutics



The rapid growth of bio-medical innovations and an aging population will drive an increased demand for high-performance materials

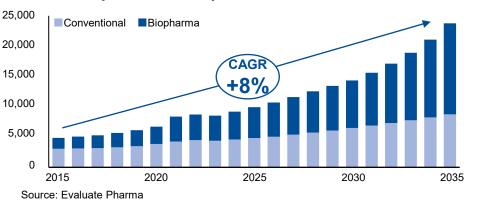


With rising life expectancy, the demand for new therapeutics and related critical devices will grow



Increasing the need for medical-grade materials

### Growth of biopharma in the pharmaceutical market (Unit: 100 Million USD)





#### **Vision**

Enabling new therapeutics through highperformance medical-grade materials



### **Value proposition**

- ► Products supporting production and distribution of biopharma
- Single-use products for bioprocessing, purification process products
- ► Products that support next generation medical care
- Orthopedic products
- Dental products
- Ophthalmic products





- **▶**Sustainability-related products
- Customer process scrap, end-of-life product collection, recycling programs and development of chemical recycling technology



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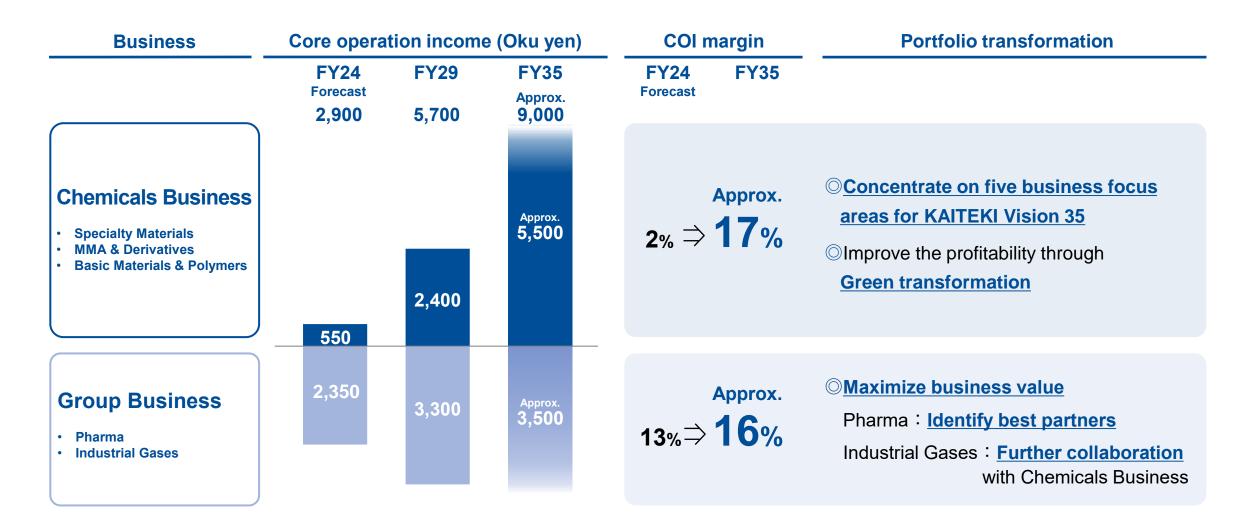
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## **Business structure and profit level toward 2035**



COI of the Chemicals Business will exceed the total COI of the Group Businesses in 2035





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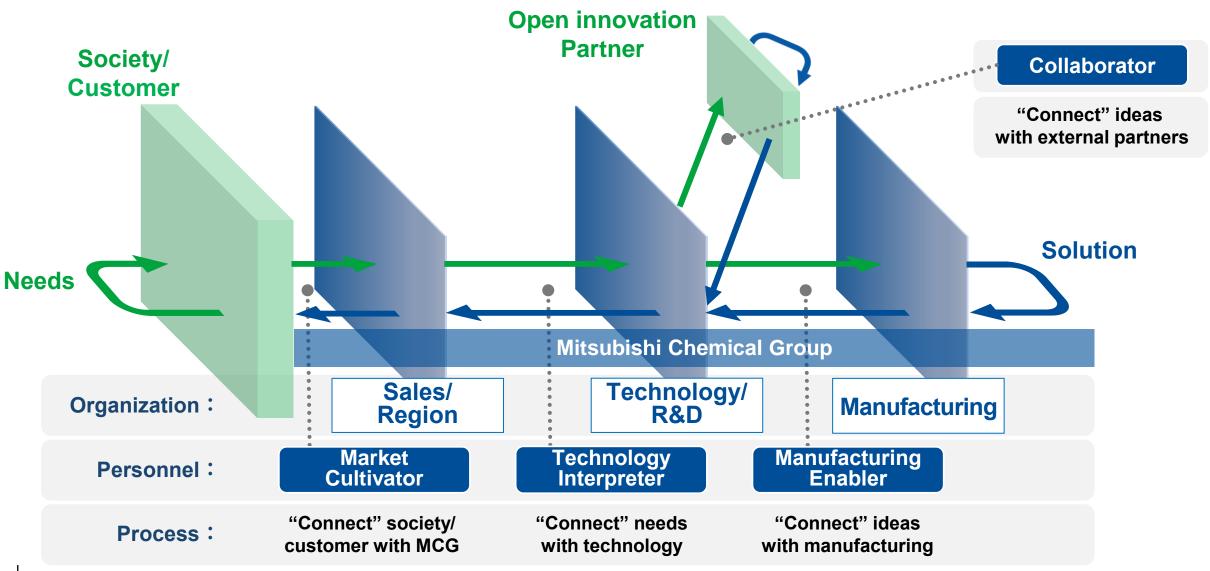
# Our keyword is...

# "Connect"

# Organization, processes and resources to become the Green Specialty Company



"Connect" customer needs with innovative solutions to deliver the best societal outcomes with agility



# Manufacturing at the heart as the Green Specialty Company



Safety and compliance comes first

Enhance the strength of "manufacturing" through "Connect" mindset

# Enhance operation excellence by leveraging the accumulated expertise

### **Technology**

Wide range of expertise in manufacturing and equipment

Initiatives to encourage "Connect" mindset



- Innovative manufacturing technologies to realize commercialization of critical materials to contribute to society
- ► Accelerate evolution of "manufacturing" using Al technologies to maximize our core competencies

### <u>Skill</u>

Consistent operational capabilities across the board

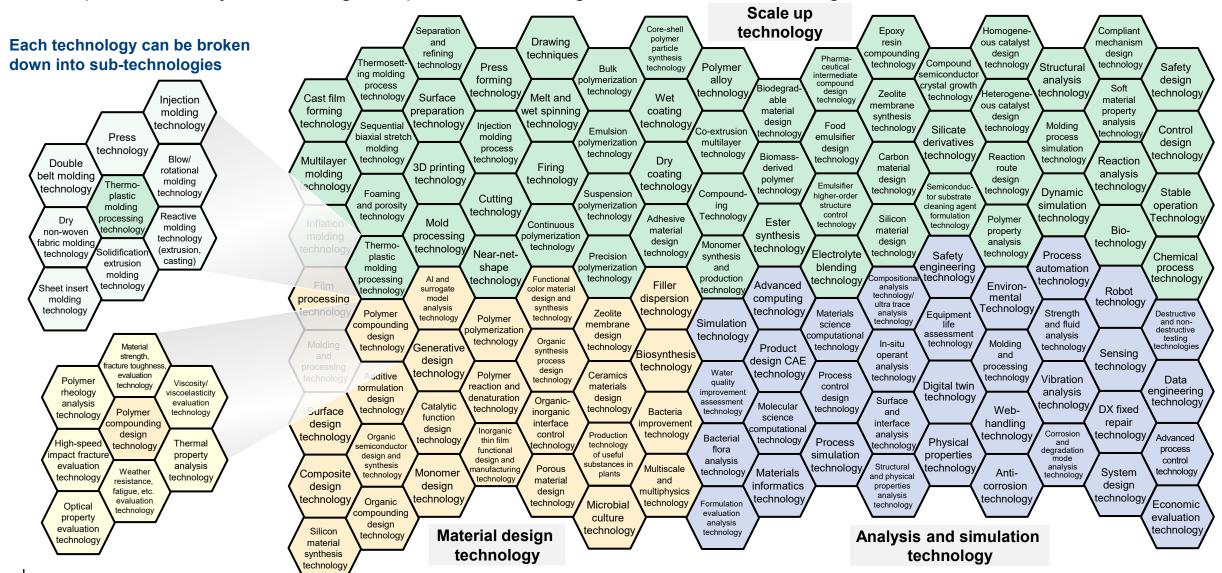
#### **Process**

End-to-end integration throughout the manufacturing process

# Proprietary technologies to evolve into the Green Specialty Company



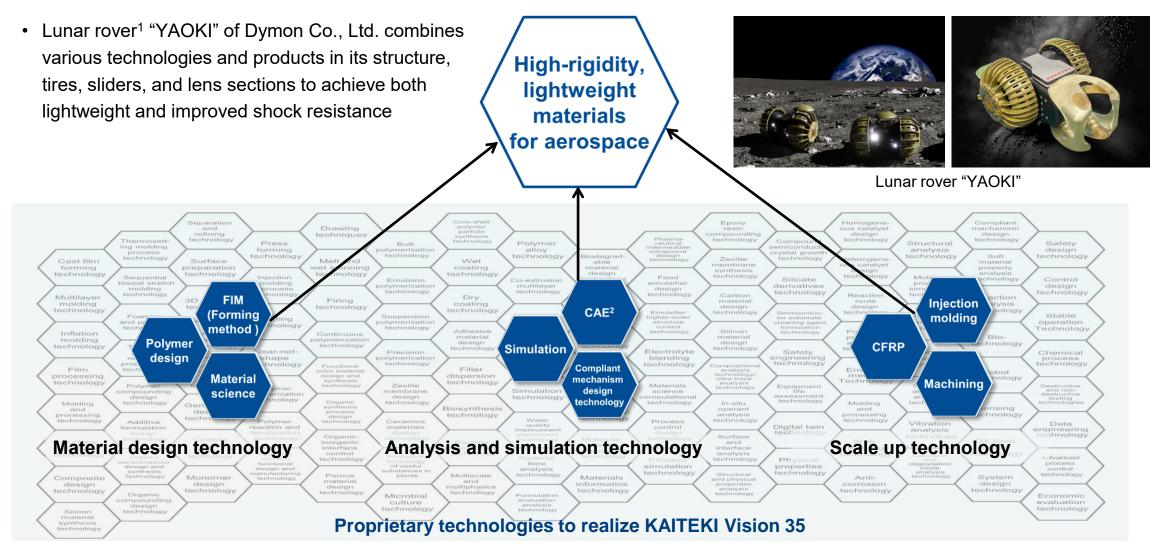
Develop solutions by connecting competitive advantage and diverse technologies



## Successful examples of solutions: connecting our technologies



### High-rigidity, lightweight materials for aerospace



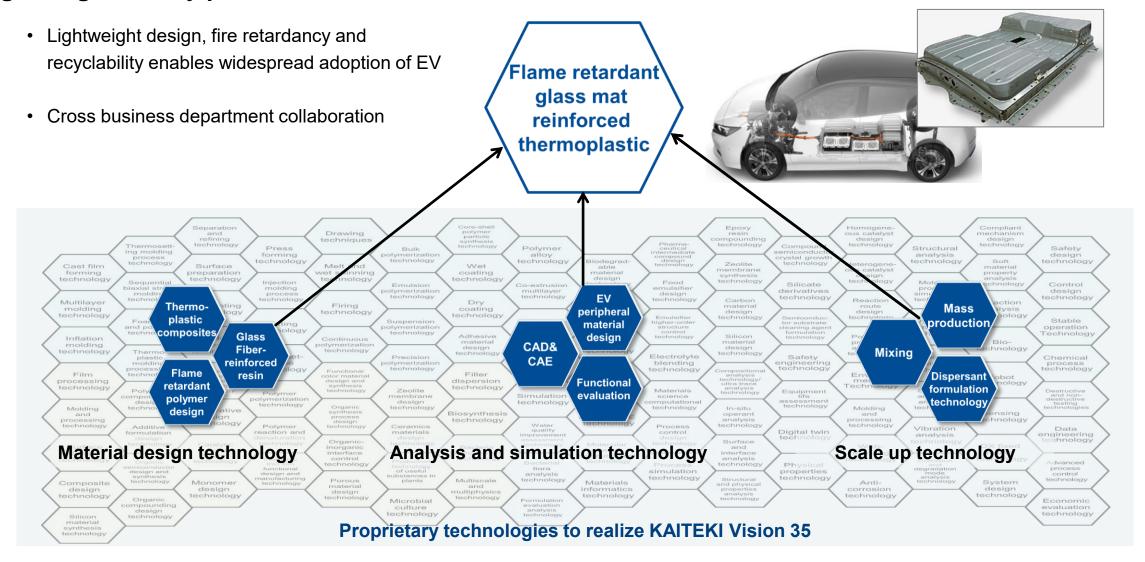
Missions can be carried out on the moon without deterioration in physical properties, even in environments with temperatures ranging from -170° C to 110° C and exposure to cosmic radiation

<sup>2.</sup> Computer Aided Engineering

## Successful examples of solutions: connecting our businesses



### Lightweight battery pack cover material for EV



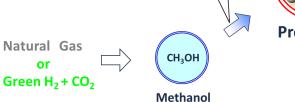
## Successful examples of solutions: connecting with our external partners

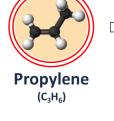


### Technology for producing propylene from methanol

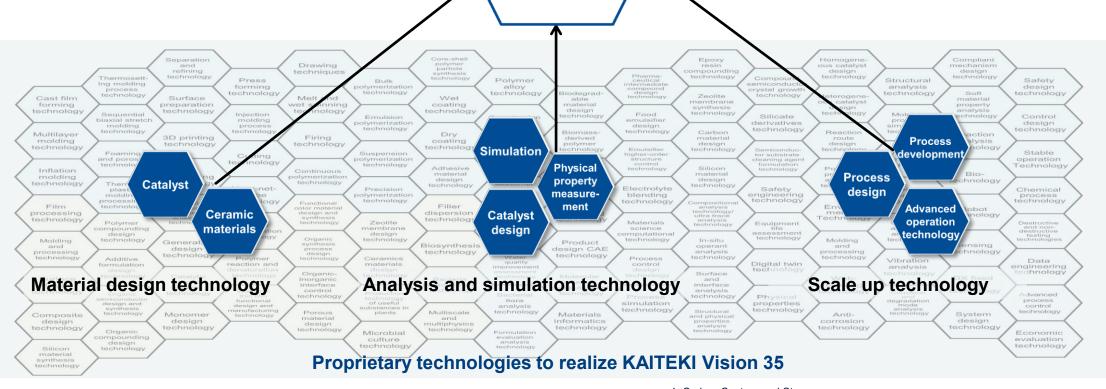
 Co-development with JGC Global Corporation to produce propylene from low-carbon methanol derived from CCS<sup>1</sup> or CO<sub>2</sub> law material at high selectivity, contributing to low-carbon polypropylene and acrylic acid derivatives

Low-carbon propylene derivatives





-On-Purpose Propylene Production from Methanol

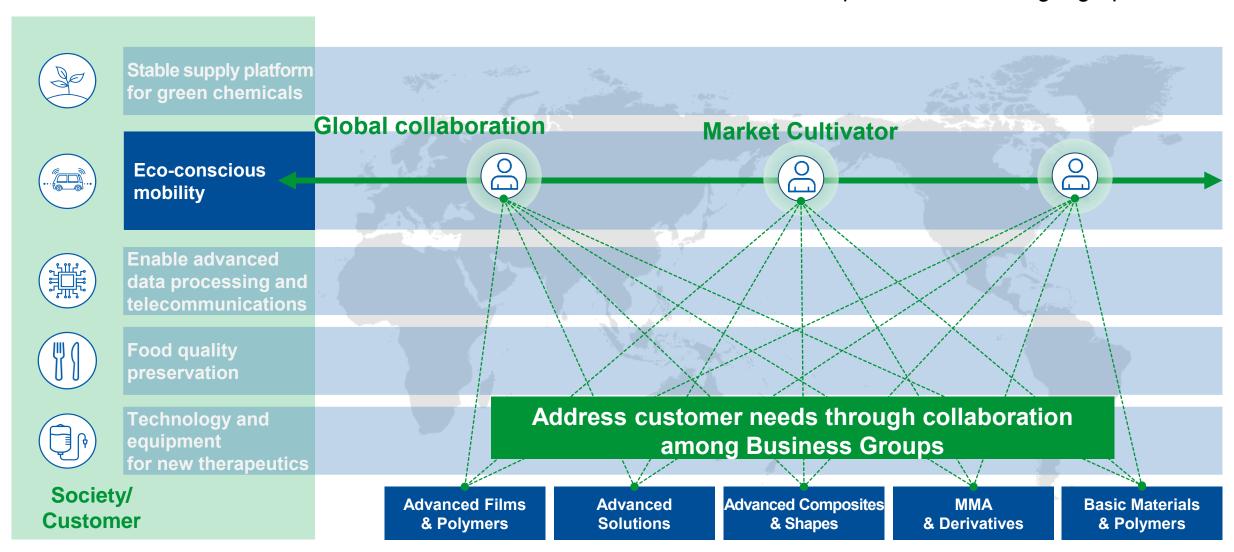


<sup>1.</sup> Carbon Capture and Storage

## Market Cultivator: essential role to evolve into the Green Specialty Company



Enhance skills that can "Connect" five business focus areas and customer requirements across geographies



## Regional growth strategies toward 2035



Maximize our businesses in line with the market trends and characteristics of each region

### **Americas**

### **Driving growth**

 Rapid delivery of valueadded products to key customers driving the market

### Europe

# Environmental regulatory responsiveness

 Adaptation and development to regulatory trends and changes in customer awareness

### China

# Growing with "China for China"

 Strengthen local customer collaboration

### Japan

# Center of Excellence of technologies

 Advance of manufacturing processes, utilizing on-site capabilities and expansion to other regions

### Middle East

# Center for green raw material supply

 Shift from gray to green raw materials

### **APAC**

# **Growing** with customers

 Support growing customer needs



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## People are the driving force for the Green Specialty Company





## **Sustainability**



Achieve carbon neutrality; contributing to a long-term sustainable society



#### Drive initiatives in five business focus areas

Short- and medium-term measures

- GHG reduction through optimal fuel conversion
- Utilization of water resources
- Waste reduction
- CO<sub>2</sub> utilization (bio/CCUS<sup>1</sup>)
- Commercialization and scale-up of recycling for various chemicals
- Global collaboration
- Strengthen supply chain management (incl. human rights due diligence)

# Long-term measures

- Fuel conversion to hydrogen and ammonia
- CCUS Implementation
- Utilization of biomass feedstock
- Regional and industrial complex cooperation

<sup>1.</sup> Carbon Capture, Utilization and Storage



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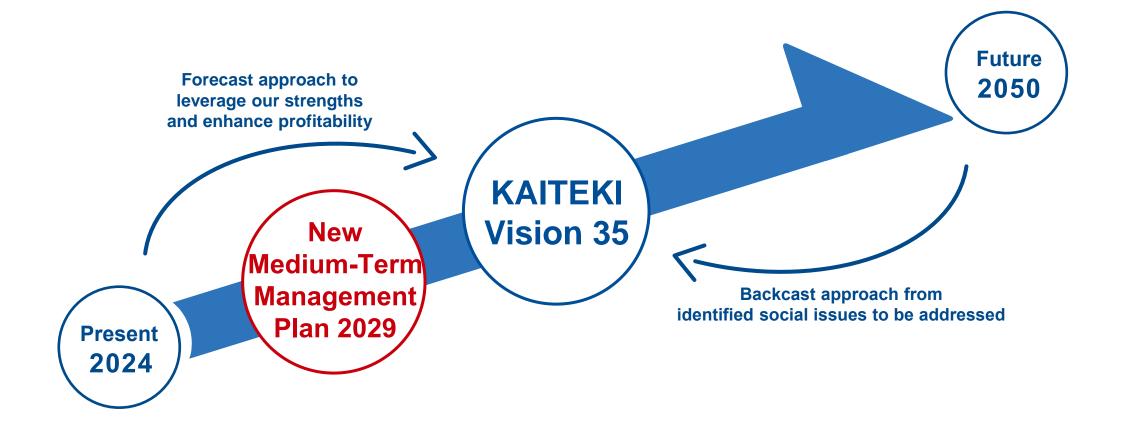
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### KAITEKI Vision 35 and New Medium-Term Management Plan 2029



New Medium-Term Management Plan 2029 is a strategy to realize KAITEKI Vision 35





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Outline of New Medium-Term Management Plan

**Business portfolio management** 

**Business strategies / Rationalization** 

Social value / Human capital / Shareholder value

**Management commitment** 



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# **Outline of New Medium-Term Management Plan**

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# Performance over the past three years



#### **Chemicals Business**

Flat sales revenue and stagnant profit growth

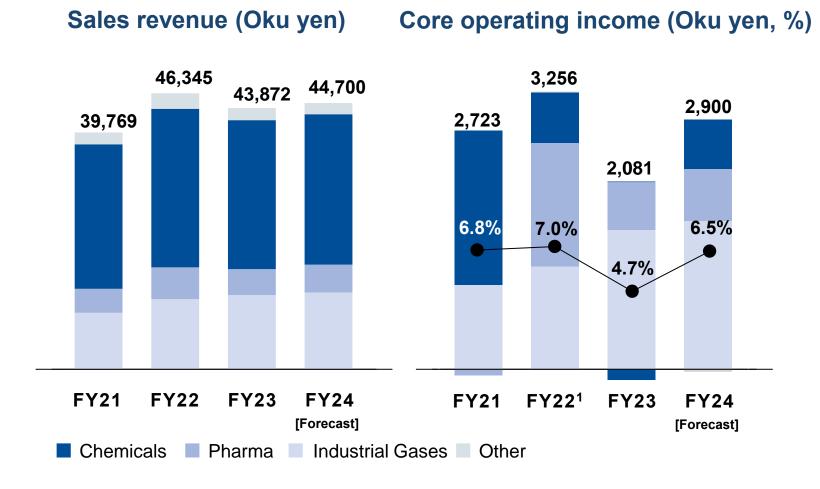
→ urgent need for change

#### **Pharma Business**

Improvement in profit margin

#### **Industrial Gases Business**

Stable profit growth



1. Includes 1,259 Oku yen related to Gilenya in Pharma Business

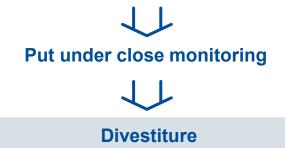
# **Guiding principles for our business operations**



Portfolio transformation and profit improvement using "Three criteria for business selection" and "Three disciplined approaches in business operations"

# Three criteria for business selection

- Consistent with Vision
- Competitive advantage
- Potential for growth



# Three disciplined approaches in business operations

**Pricing policy** 

- Pricing that reflects the value delivered
- •Mix shift to higher value-added products
- •Formula-based pricing to minimize the risk of volatility

Investment decision making

- Rigorous screening and due diligence
- Thorough process management and enhanced reviews
- Decisive and timely decision-making

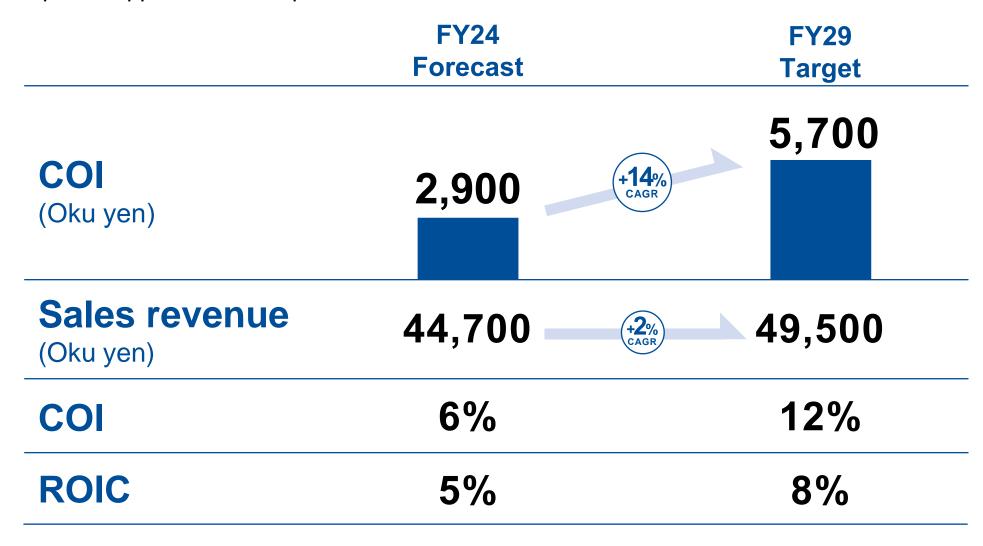
Asset optimization

- Rationalization of excess capacity or equipment
- Optimization of business tasks and personnel
- Synergy realization of facilities/resources with other companies
- Re-evaluation of intangible assets, including IP

# **Business performance targets**



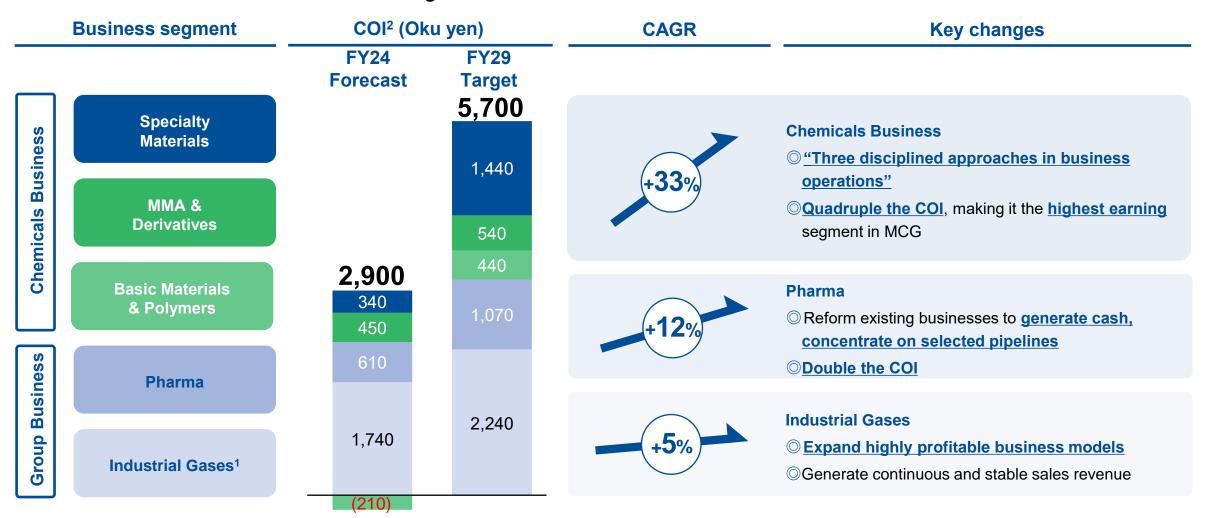
Reflect disciplined approaches and portfolio transformation



# **Business portfolio reform**



#### Re-establish Chemicals Business as a growth driver



<sup>1.</sup> With regard to Industrial Gases Business, Mitsubishi Chemical Group Corporation has made its own estimates based on "NS Vision 2026", which was formulated by Nippon Sanso Holdings Corporation in 2022, and incorporates the effects of continuous demand growth, price management, productivity improvements, etc.

<sup>2.</sup> The total figures include other adjustments. However, the graph does not show such adjustments, and the segment totals do not match the actual totals.



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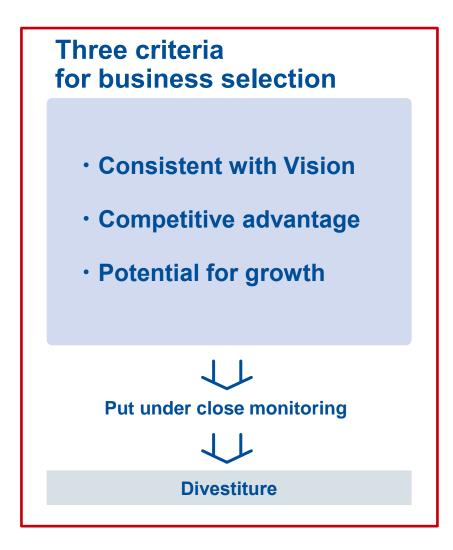
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Select projects based on the "Three criteria for business selection"



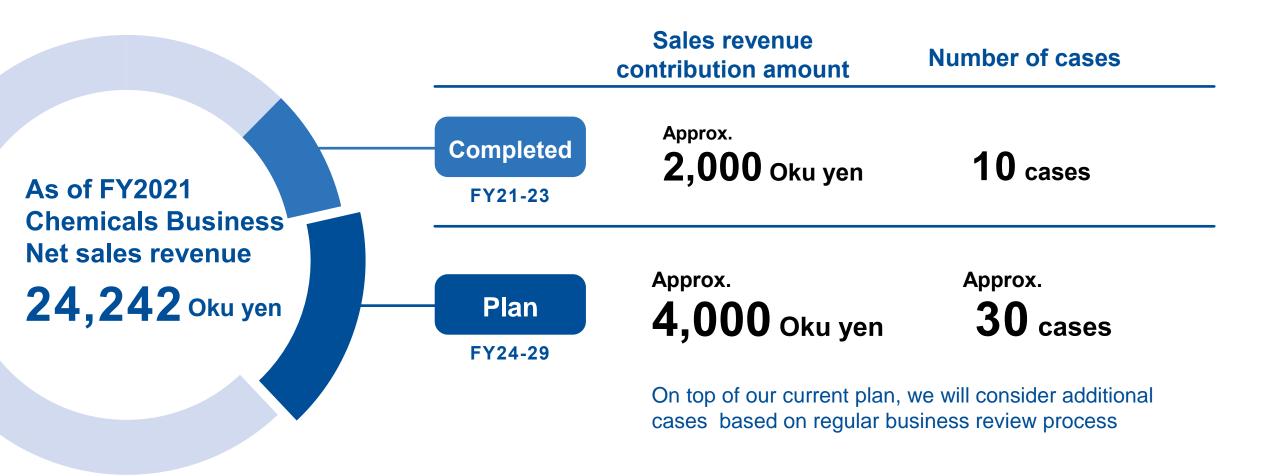
# Three disciplined approaches in business operations Pricing that reflects the value delivered **Pricing policy** Mix shift to higher value-added products Formula-based pricing to minimize the risk of volatility Rigorous screening and due diligence Investment Thorough process management and enhanced reviews decision making Decisive and timely decision-making Rationalization of excess capacity or equipment Optimization of business tasks and personnel Synergy realization of facilities/resources with other companies

Re-evaluation of intangible assets, including IP

## Focus on core: divestiture/closure of non-core businesses in Chemicals



Accelerate streamlining of business based on the "Three criteria for business selection"



# Detailed track-record of our business selection journey



Completed divestitures or withdrawals (FY21-23 and 1st half of FY24)

**FY21 FY22 FY23 FY24 Alumina Fiber Agricultural Films ACH Method MMA (UK) Triacetate Fiber** (Mitsubishi Chemical Agri Dream) **ACH Method MMA. AN CDMO Light Metal Products Acrylic Fiber** (Hiroshima, Japan) (API Corporation) **Purified Terephthalic Acid** Oral Capsule (Qualicaps) VLP Vaccine (Medicago) **Chemical Fertilizer** (Indonesia) **Engineering Plastics Coke for Iron Manufacturing** (Mitsubishi Engineering-Plastics) (Kagawa, Japan) **Bisphenol A Coke for Iron Manufacturing** (Fukuoka, Japan) (Kansai Coke and Chemicals) **IT System Development Medical Products** (Alphatec Solutions) (Argatroban, Europe) **Medical Products Chemicals** (Azanin, Cholebine, Surfacten) **Business Medical Products** Group (Tianjin Tanabe Pharma, China) Business Regenerative medicine (Muse Cells) **Consumer LP Gas** (Taiyo Nippon Sanso Energy)



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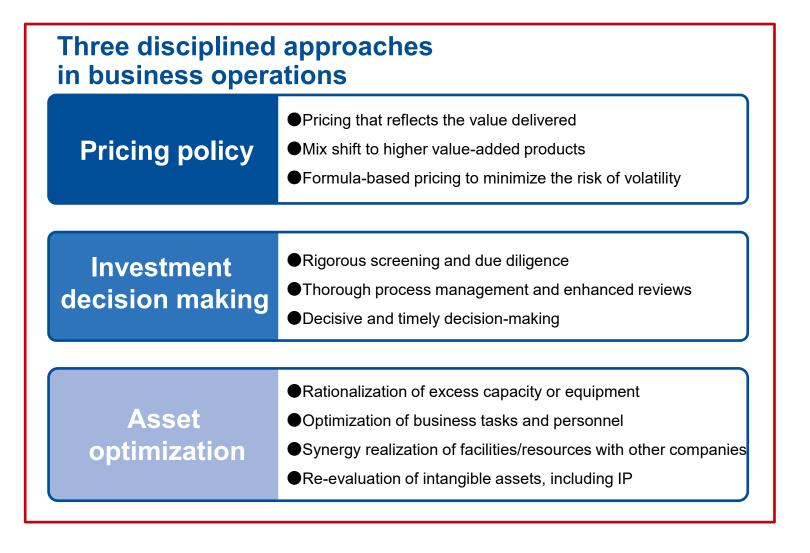


Operate businesses with "Three disciplined approaches in business operations"

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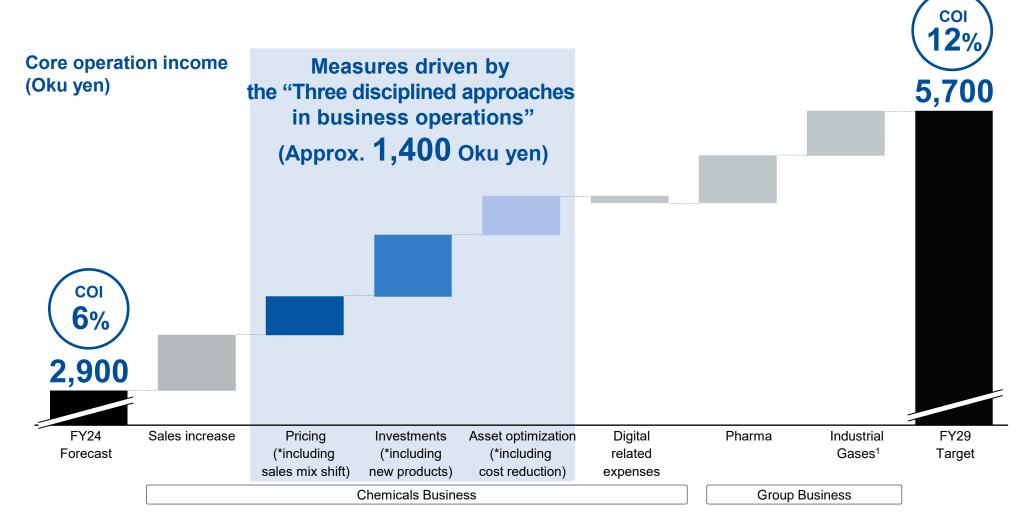


# Business strategies



# Five-year profit growth outlook: breakdown by key measures

COI growth through the "Three disciplined approaches in business operations"

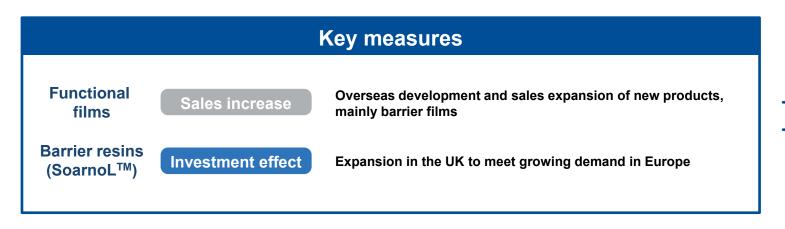


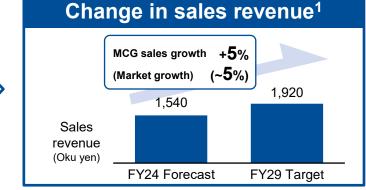
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# **Business strategies** | AF&P | Barrier Films and Resins



Accelerate growth through investment to expand high value-added product lines

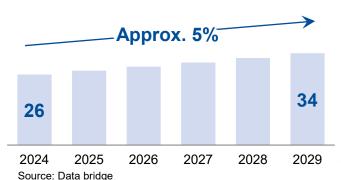




1. Improvement measures by divestment or withdrawal are separately implemented

#### **Barrier Film**

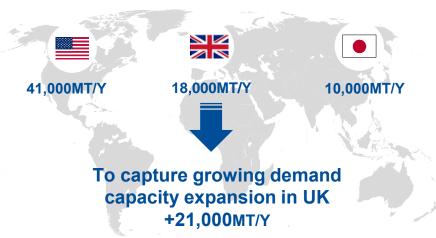
**Barrier film market growth (Billion USD)** 



In addition to food packaging, where demand is expanding, we are also exploring high value-added applications

### Barrier Resin (SoarnoL™)

Global supply capacity and future capacity expansion plans



#### Sources of competitive advantage

Capacity expansion in UK (SoarnoL™)

Ability to solve societal challenges

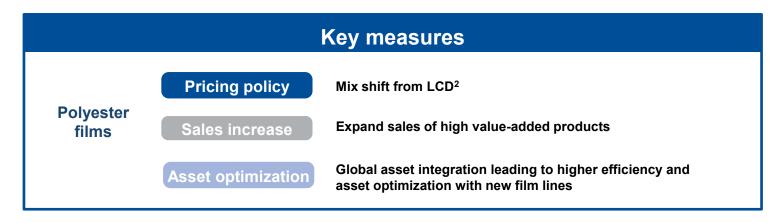
Films that combine high gas barrier properties with recyclability

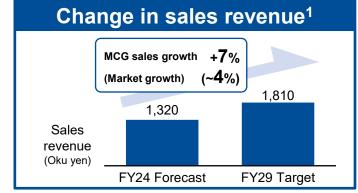
Worldwide technical support in all regions

# Business strategies | AF&P | Polyester Films



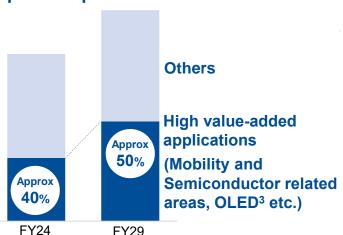
Continue product mix shift to high value-added applications and optimize global asset utilization





1. Improvement measures by divestment or withdrawal are separately implemented

#### Increase sales of high valueadded products and improve product portfolio



#### Strengthen global footprint

(back grinding, dicing)



#### Semiconductor manufacturing process where polyester film is used



(circuit formation, lamination, molding, etc.)

#### Sources of competitive advantage

- Creation of customer value using three major technologies
- Hybrid system with global collaboration as a region-based development and global development system

Film manufacturing technology

Raw material resin design technology

Coating technology (various coating materials)

Sales revenue by application

# **Business strategies | AS | Semiconductor Materials & Solutions**



Invest to serve cutting edge semiconductor market while rationalizing non-core / unprofitable businesses



#### Support semiconductor manufacturing with materials and services

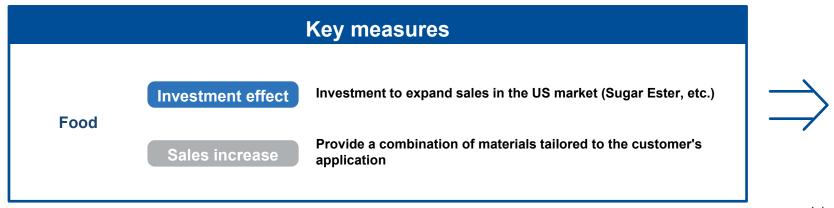


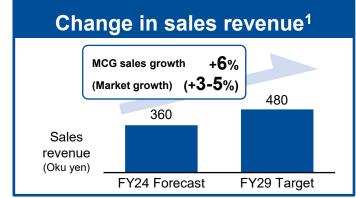
- 2. Gallium Nitride
- High quality by low-pressure acidic ammonothermal method. Social implementation for power semiconductors is underway.
- 4. Membrane Bio-Reactor

# **Business strategies** | AS | Food



Accelerate growth driven by high value-added emulsifier Sugar Ester businesses in each region Contribute to food quality preservation through total solutions

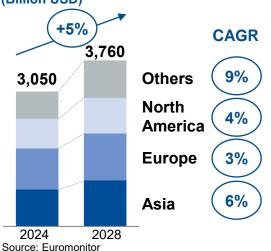




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Strengthen product line-up in shelf life extension through anti-oxidation, antibacterial, and texture control. Strengthen localization by promoting religious and legal compliance

#### **Processed food market growth** (Billion USD) +5% **CAGR**



Mitsubishi Chemical Group Corporation

#### Market entry readiness

 Strengthening the sales base through religious support (acquisition of kosher certification in addition to halal certification)

#### **Examples of product use**



Food emulsifier

Increase in domestic production

capacity (Fukuoka, Japan)

development in each region

Technical service system

**Establish brand equity** "Food preservation, always supported by MCG"

#### Sources of competitive advantage Investment for sales expansion

Raw materials

made from plant-derived fatty acids

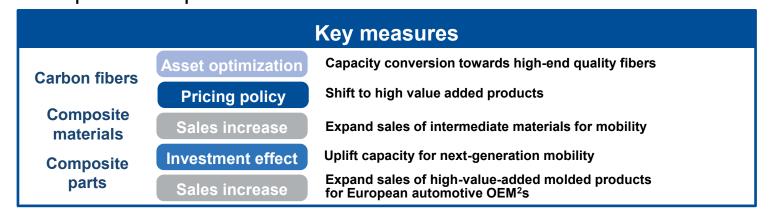
Wide variation of emulsification and quality retention **functions** 

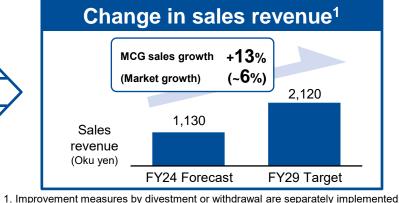
Special manufacturing know-how

# Business strategies | AC&S | Carbon Fibers & Composites

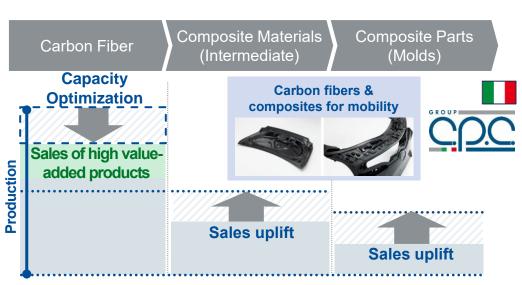


Mix shift to high value-added mobility applications, expand sales of intermediate materials and molded products, and optimize unprofitable facilities





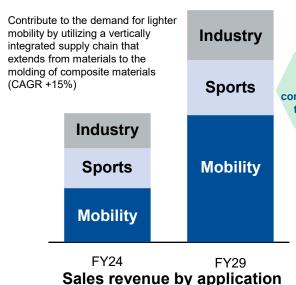
High functionality and application development through the combination of superior technologies

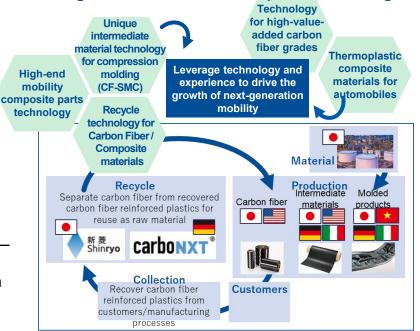


Downstream reinforcement and sales expansion and

"capacity optimization" of the entire chain

Increase sales of high-value-added products and improve product portfolio

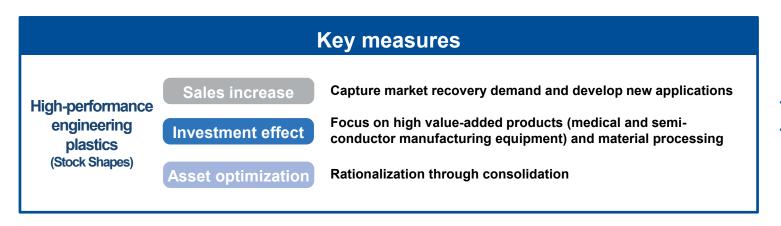


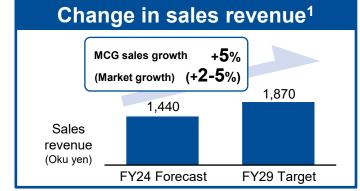


## **Business strategies | AC&S | High-performance Engineering Plastics** (Stock Shapes)



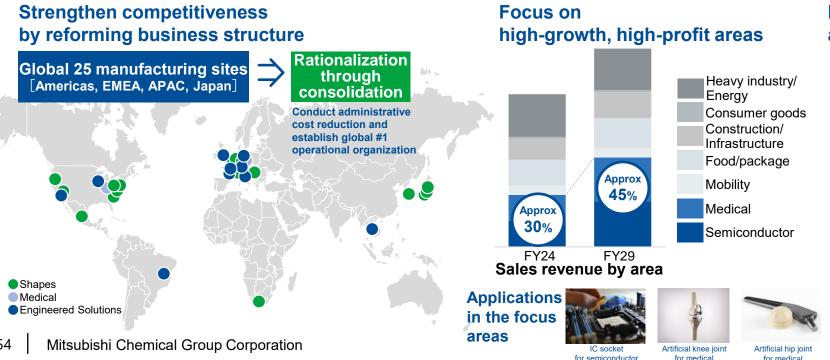
Promote rationalization and capacity expansion of high value-added products simultaneously

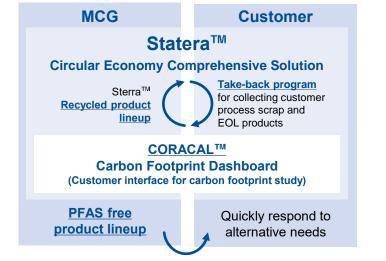




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#### Develop circular economy product program and expand PFAS-free product portfolio

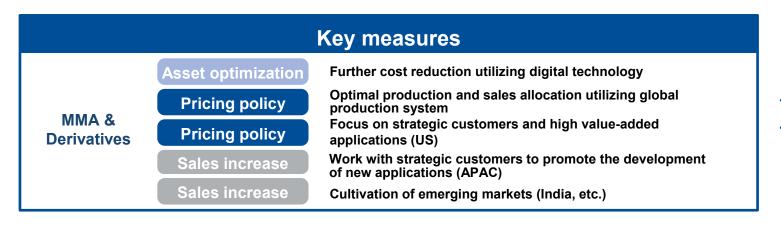


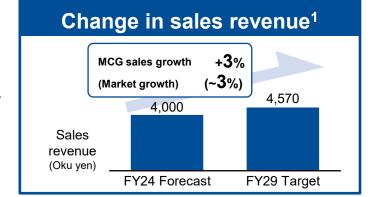


# **Business strategies** | MMA & Derivatives



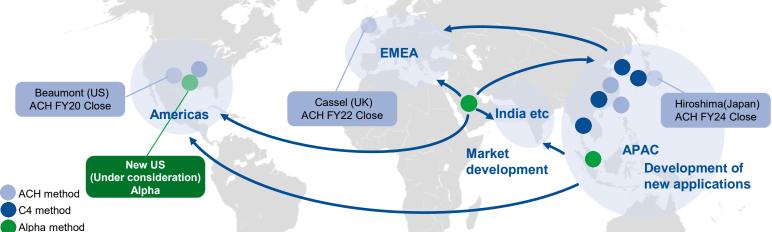
Strengthen No.1 market share position through global operational excellence





<sup>1.</sup> Improvement measures by divestment or withdrawal are separately implemented

## Maximize earnings by operating three global locations



Further improve competitiveness through process mix portfolio optimization leveraging our unique alpha technology with lowest PCF<sup>2</sup> to accelerate green transformation

#### Sources of competitive advantage

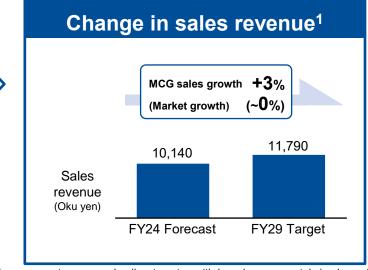


# **Business strategies** | Basic Materials & Polymers



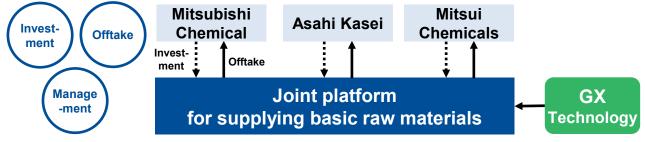
Launch the joint platform for supplying basic raw materials Reduce excess capacity and expand high value-added businesses

Key measures					
	Industry restructuring	Launch of the joint platform for supplying basic raw materials			
Materials & polymers	Sales increase	Expand sales of polymers and compounds for the mobility field			
	Investment effect	Begin chemical recycling - application of closed loop			
	Investment effect	Strengthen ethylene oxide business in Ibaraki			
	Asset optimization	Optimize scale of phenol facility			
Coke	Asset optimization	Rationalize production capacity			
	Pricing policy	Sales portfolio reformulation			



1. Improvement measures by divestment or withdrawal are separately implemented

# New olefin supply structure and GX promotion based on demand for derivatives

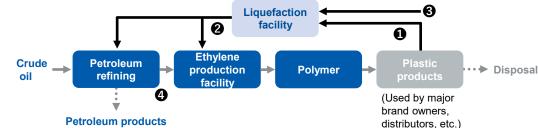


Implementation of green technology and optimal production

#### Begin chemical recycling

#### application and expansion of closed loop

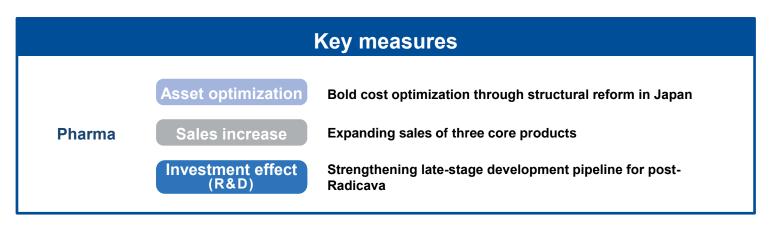
- ① Joint development of packaging design suitable for liquefaction (third party collaboration)
- 2Increase in size of liquefaction facility (cost reduction) and international expansion
- **3**Utilization of biomass as a feedstock (raw material diversification)
- Manufacture of products other than chemicals such as bio-naphtha and SAF (expanding applications)

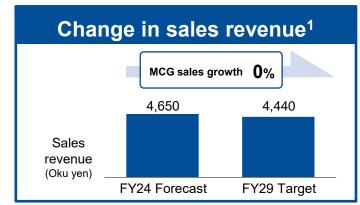


# **Business strategies** | Pharma



## Enhance cash generation agility and strengthen pipeline





1. Improvement measures by divestment or withdrawal are separately implemented

#### **Cash Generation**

#### Maximize sales revenue and profit of core products

#### Radicava

#### Strengthen evidence generation and increase physician coverage

#### ND0612<sup>2</sup>

**Overseas** 

- Launch promptly after approval in FY25
- Sales strategy to ensure high profitability

# Domestic Tirzepatide<sup>3</sup>

- Increase in new prescriptions
- Expand indication for obesity

#### Decisive reform of cost structure in domestic business

## Variable costs optimization

- Procurement costs
- R&D expenses

## Distribution costs optimization

- Rebate and allowances
- Program
   Spin off some

Voluntary Retirement

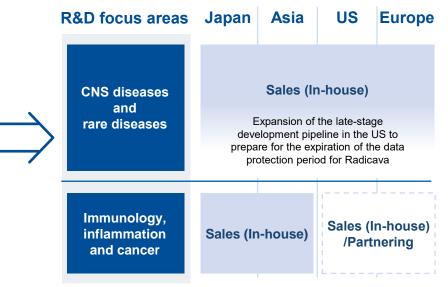
Infrastructure/

organizational

restructuring

 Spin off some businesses/ assets

#### Strengthen pipeline of next-generation core products Sources of competitive advantage



Enhance technology in focus TA<sup>5</sup> with the drug discovery capability

Expand CNS<sup>4</sup> business by leveraging ALS footprint in US

Maximize the value of in-licensed products by leveraging domestic sales capabilities

# Rationalization | Improvement of capital efficiency



Reduce fixed costs and working capital through standardization of operations and optimization of FTE

### Our challenges

### **▶**Business operations

 Inadequate system integration during PMI process resulting in complex patchwork

### ►FTE management

 Room for optimization through streamlining indirect functions and leaner operations

## **5** years actions and FY29 targets

#### **▶** Actions

- Standardize operations through the unification of ERP systems (Investment amount: Approx. 350 Oku yen)
- Optimize administrative expenses to the level of global standards

# ►FY29 targets¹

(compared to FY24)

**Fixed cost reduction** 

Approx. 500 Oku yen/year

Working capital reduction

Approx. 500 Oku yen

1. Figures are managed and executed separately from the impact of business exits and divestitures during the same period



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**Outline of New Medium-Term Management Plan** 

Business portfolio management

**Business strategies / Rationalization** 

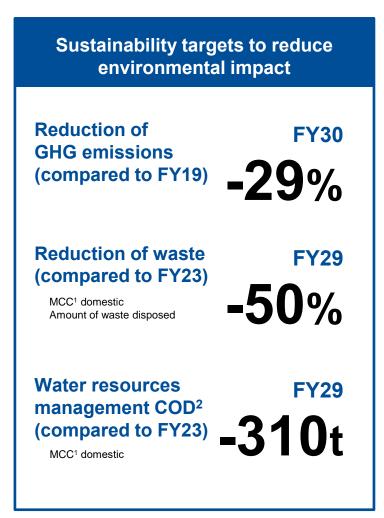
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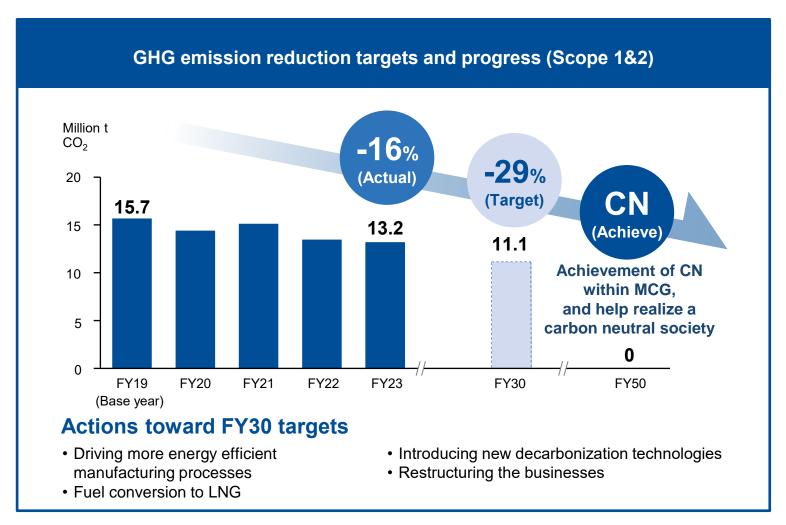
**Management commitment** 

# Social value | Sustainability



On the right track to achieve the target for 2030





<sup>1.</sup> Mitsubishi Chemical Corporation and its subsidiaries and affiliates

<sup>2.</sup> Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD) | An indicator of the level of water pollution caused by organic matter, etc.(The amount of oxidizing agent consumed when oxidizing agent reacts (oxidizes) with organic matter in water is expressed as a value corresponding to the concentration of oxygen).

# Human capital | Our people



Assigning the right person for the right roles unleashing the potential of our human capital

#### We need people with

**▶**Ownership

Takes pride and responsibility in one's work

**▶** Distinctive skills and strengths

Highly specialized and able to contribute to the team

**▶**Challenge spirit

Challenging spirit, adding value towards realization of KAITEKI

▶"Connect" mindset

Lead diverse collaborations across the organization

#### Action

**▶**Promote diversity

Develop a diverse pool of talent both within and outside the company

► Develop people capable of global management

Training top talents and nextgeneration top talents

- ► Provide opportunities for challenges through the delegation of authority
- ► Evaluate contribution to "Connect" beyond organizations
- **▶** Encourage challenges
- ▶ Reward achievements based on deliverables

## **Targets**

Employee engagement<sup>1</sup>

 $69_{pp} \Rightarrow 80_{pp^2}$ (FY23) (FY29)

Diversity at the decision-making level<sup>3</sup>

29%  $\Rightarrow$  40% (FY30)

<sup>1.</sup> Percentage of favorable responses to set items in the employee awareness survey

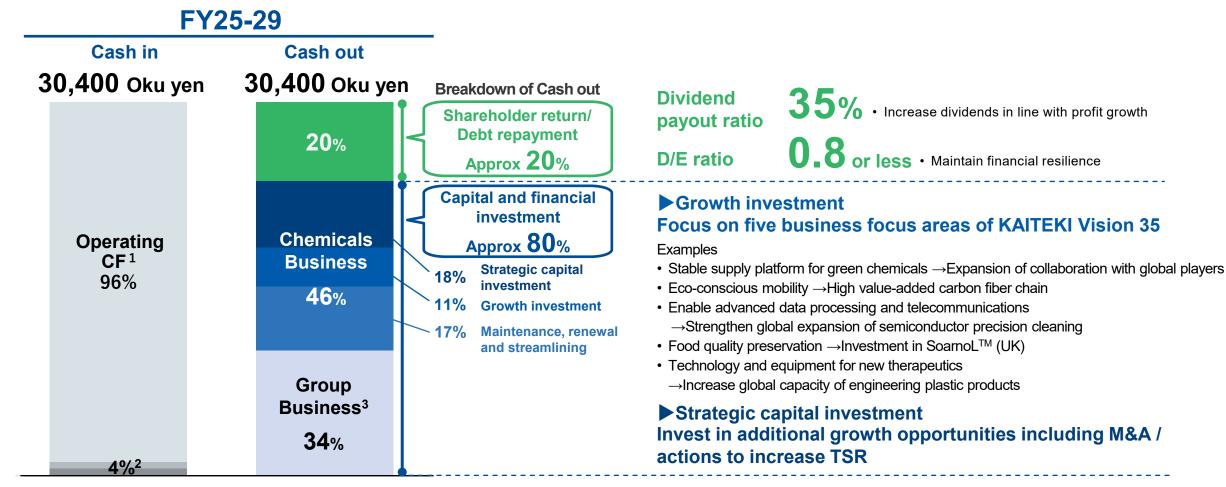
<sup>2.</sup> pp = percentage point

<sup>3.</sup> The percentage of executives plus top-tier employees who meet any of the following criteria: international (foreign nationality), female, and multi-career (mid-career recruitment).

# Shareholder value | Capital allocation policy



Delivering stable shareholder returns while strengthening financial resilience Promoting active investment in Chemicals Business



#### 1. Operating CF = Pre-Tax Profit (After R&D Expense deduction) + Depreciation + Other Operating CF(Corporate Tax etc.)

#### ▶R&D expenses 6,800 Oku yen

- Pharma: Strengthening the late-stage development pipeline for post-Radicava
- Chemicals: Expand new product lineup of five business focus areas of KAITEKI Vision 35

<sup>2.</sup> Working Capital compression and Income from Business Sales (Divestiture)

<sup>3.</sup> With regard to Industrial Gases Business, Mitsubishi Chemical Group Corporation has made its own estimates based on "NS Vision 2026", which was formulated by Nippon Sanso Holdings Corporation in 2022, and incorporates the effects of continuous demand growth, price management, productivity improvements, etc.

## Shareholder value | Enhancement of shareholder value



Improve profitability through the "Three disciplined approaches in business operations" and deliver sustainable shareholder value

# Growth

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} Growing markets \\ \times \\ Drive areas of strength \\ \end{tabular}$ 

- ▶ Deliver results and prove profit growth
- Maintain sustainable business growth through driving green transformation

# ROIC

**5**%(FY24) ▶ **8**%(FY29)

- Steady profit growth centered on Chemicals Business with improved capital efficiency
  - Accelerate portfolio transformation in line with the "Three criteria for business selection"
  - Promote pricing policies, rigorous investment decisions, and asset optimization based on the "Three disciplined approaches in business operations"

# Shareholder return

Strengthening shareholder returns based on dividends

➤ Maintain target dividend payout ratio as 35%, with potential dividend increase based on further profit growth



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# **Management commitment**



- Instill management policies and maximize the contribution of all employees
- Build the best management team based on experience, a proven track record, and the ability to execute, with mutual trust
- Demonstrate clear trajectory over the three-year period beginning April 2024
- Secure the trust of shareholders with results; link shareholder value with management team compensation

## **Our Purpose**



# We lead with innovative solutions

to achieve KAITEKI,

the well-being of people and the planet.



# **Appendix**



- Profile of Mitsubishi Chemical Group
- 5 focus areas and business segments / existing products
- New Medium-Term Management Plan 2029
  - Sales revenue and COI by business segment (FY24, FY29)
  - COI improvement plan in Specialty Materials
  - Accelerating global business growth

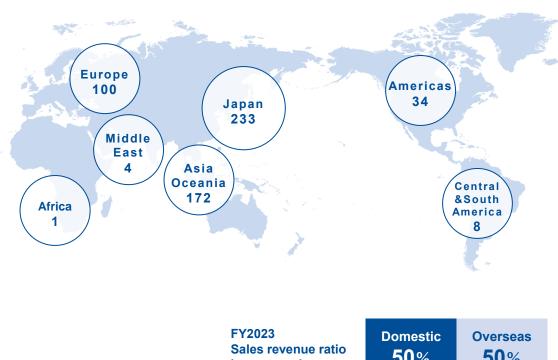
# **Profile of Mitsubishi Chemical Group**



Company name	Mitsubishi Chemical Group Corporation
Representative	Representative Corporate Executive Officer, President & Chief Executive Officer, Manabu Chikumoto
Paid-in capital	50 billion yen
Number of employees	66,358 <sup>1</sup> (Consolidated)
Subsidiaries and affiliates	552 <sup>1</sup>
Fiscal year end	March 31

#### 1. As of March 31, 2024

### Global network (number of subsidiaries and affiliates)

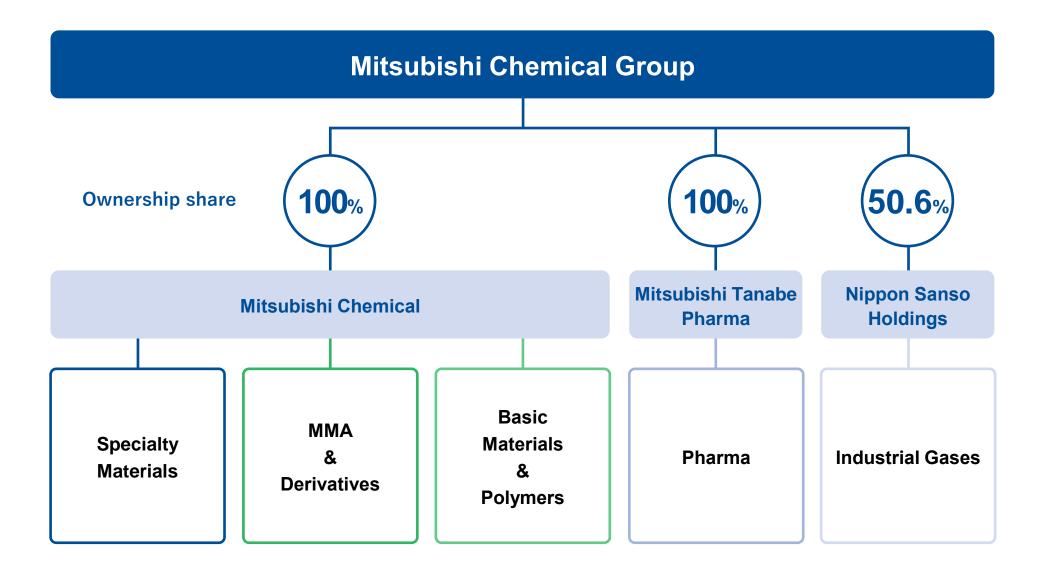


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**50**%

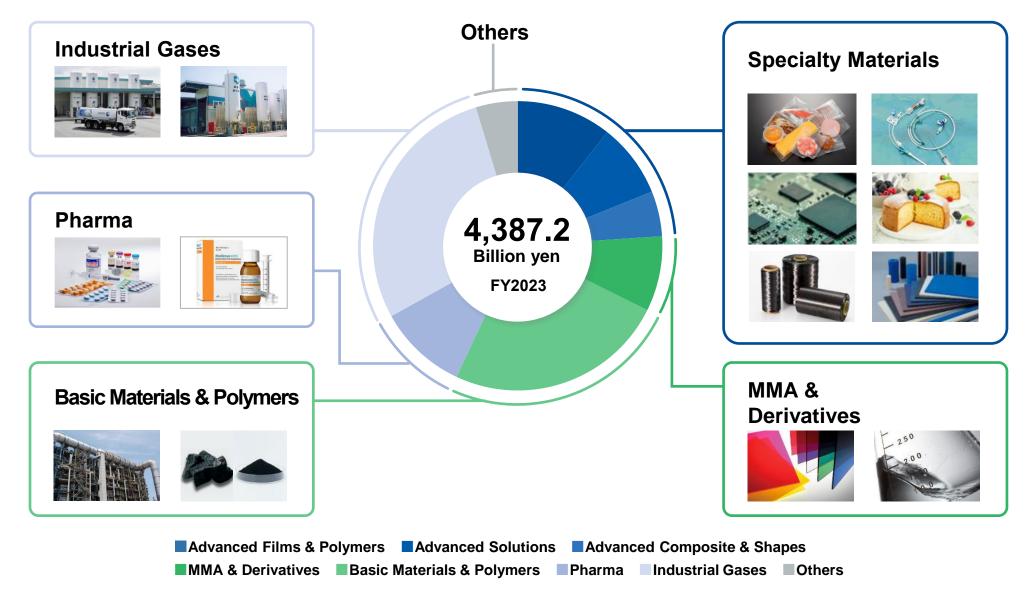
# **Business management structure**





# Sales revenue by business segments





# Five business focus areas and business segments / existing products



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	Stable supply platform for green chemicals	Eco-conscious mobility	Enable advanced data processing and telecommunications	Food quality preservation	Technology and equipment for new therapeutics	
Advanced Films & Polymers		Performance Polymers     Polyester Films	Polyester Films	<ul> <li>SoarnoL<sup>TM</sup></li> <li>GOHSENOL<sup>TM</sup></li> <li>Packaging</li> <li>Polyester Films</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Performance Polymers</li><li>Medical Films</li><li>Polyester Films</li></ul>	
Advanced Solutions		Battery Materials     Electronics	<ul><li>Semiconductor</li><li>Aqua Solutions</li></ul>	<ul><li>Life Solutions</li><li>Aqua Solutions</li></ul>	 	
Advanced Composite & Shapes		<ul><li>Carbon Fibers / Composites</li><li>ESS</li></ul>	• ESS		• ESS	
MMA & Derivatives	• MMA	<ul><li>PMMA</li><li>Coating Material</li><li>Additives / fines</li></ul>			• PMMA	
Basic Materials & Polymers	<ul><li>Basic Chemicals</li><li>Polyolefin</li><li>Sustainable polymer</li></ul>	Polyolefins     Engineering Plastics		Polyolefins	Polyolefins	

ESS: Engineering Shapes & Solutions

# New Medium-Term Management Plan 2029 Sales revenue and COI by business segment (FY24, FY29)

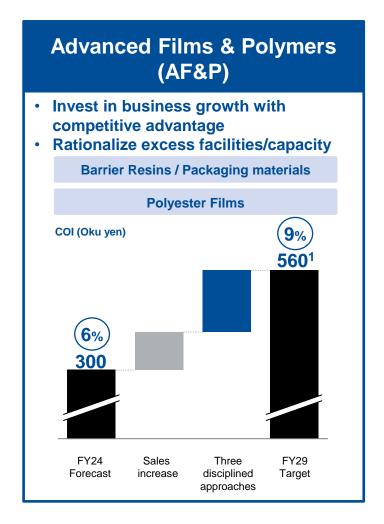


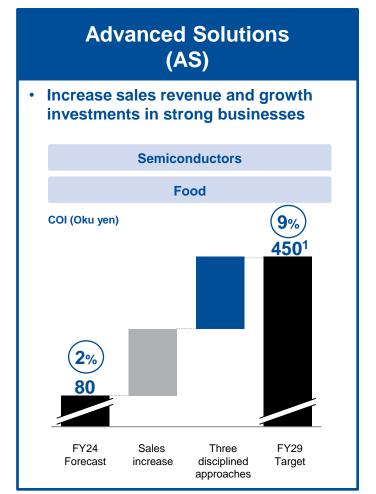
Whole company         44,700 (Oku yen)         2,900 (Oku yen)         6% (Oku yen) (Oku yen)         COI (Oku yen)		Salos rovonuo					FY2029 Target		
Specialty Materials         10,930         340         3%         14,080         1,440           Advanced Films & Polymers         4,800         300         6%         5,340         560           Advanced Solutions         3,520         80         2%         5,020         460           Advanced Composites & Shapes         2,610         (40)         (2%)         3,720         420           MMA & Derivatives         4,170         450         11%         4,380         540           MMA         3,250         430         13%         3,280         450           Coatings & Additives         920         20         2%         1,100         90				COI			COI		
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Pharma 4,650 610 13% 4,440 1,070	Pharma		610	13%	4,440	1,070	24%		
Industrial Gases <sup>1</sup> 12,920 1,740 13% 14,600 2,240	Industrial Gases <sup>1</sup>		1,740	13%	14,600	2,240	15%		
Other 1,890 (30) (2%) 2,150 (30)	Other		(30)	(2%)	2,150	(30)	(2%)		

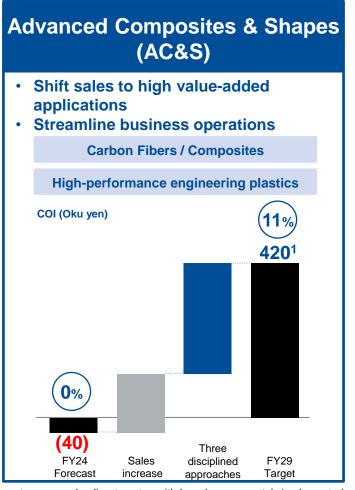
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# New Medium-Term Management Plan 2029 | COI improvement plan in Specialty Materials









1. Improvement measures by divestment or withdrawal are separately implemented

Core operating income margin

# New Medium-Term Management Plan 2029 Accelerating global business growth



Expand business based on regional strategy to meet local customer needs

### Sales revenue growth outlook by region (FY24→FY29, excluding Industrial Gases segment)

