

The AGC Group's New management policy

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Key message for today's presentation

- In 2015, we will put an end to the profit decline.
- Under AGC plus, we aim to achieve the following business target by the end of 2017.

Sales ¥1.6 trillion

Operating profit more than 100 billion

ROE 5% or above

D/E 0.5 or less

1. *Grow Beyond* Overview and FY2015 Forecast

- ➤ Grow Beyond : Overview
- >FY2015 Forecast

Grow Beyond: Overview (1)

♦ We worked to build foundations for growth, improve the Group's business strength and promote a structural reform.

Grow Beyond

FY2015 onward

Growth initiatives

◆Invested aggressively by using the sales ratio for "fast-growing countries," "new products" and "environmental related products" as the yardstick.

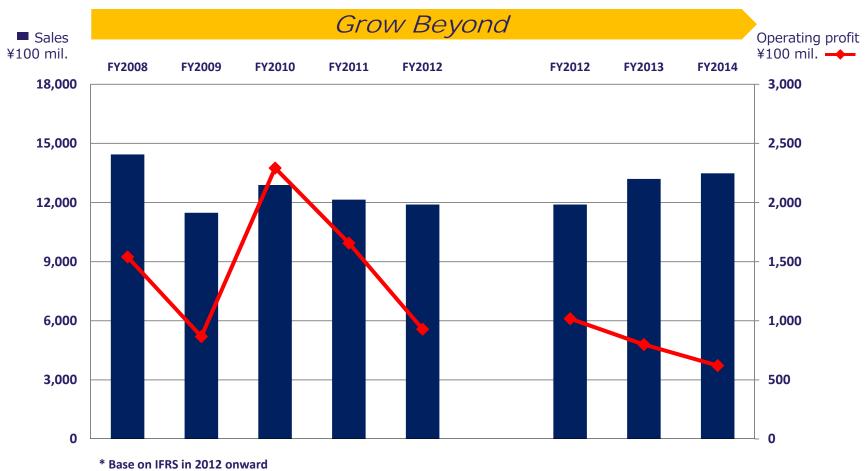
◆Sales in fast-growing countries and sales of new products will grow (and are expected to grow by total 240 billion yen in 2016 from the 2014 level).

Strength building

- ◆Implemented structural reforms to cope with the macroeconomic changes in the global business environment, including collapse of Lehman Brothers and debt crisis in Europe
- ◆Took "strength-building" measures: Groupwide efficiency improvement project, personnel-related measures, etc.
- ◆Will continue the strengthbuilding and cost reduction efforts. (In 2015, over 20 billion yen improvement is expected year on year).

Grow Beyond: Overview (2)

◆ A record profit in 2010, followed by 4th consecutive profit decline due to delay in response to the situation in Europe & drastic decline in LCD glass prices



Grow Beyond: Overview (3)

Variance analysis on operating profit

◆ Sales increase & cost reduction couldn't offset the decline in selling prices

Unit:¥100 mil.

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	Operating from profit previous year		Variance analysis on operating profit					
			Sales Volu /Quantity Product M	/,	Selling price		chase Price Raw Materials	Cost Reduction /Others
2010	2,292	+1,425	+98	5	▲ 450		102	+992
2011	1,657	▲ 635	+13	1	▲ 499	^	223	▲44
2012	929	▲727	+31	5	▲1,024	^	107	+88
2013※	799	▲130	+18	3	▲ 463	▲	118	+269
2014%	621	▲178	+12	6	▲409	^	119	+224
Constantly increase sales by over 10 billion yen		Economic cri Europe, inter competition in glass mark	nsified Increase in crude oil Reduced over 20 b the LCD price/electricity cost yen per year					

^{*} J-GAAP up to FY2012 actual. IFRS in FY2013 onward.

The balance (+9.2 billion yen)generated from the change was added to "Cost Reduction/Others."

1. *Grow Beyond* Overview and FY2015 Forecast

- Grow Beyond: Overview
- >FY2015 Forecast

YoY quarterly comparison: operating profit

♦ Recovered to the previous year's level in 4Q.

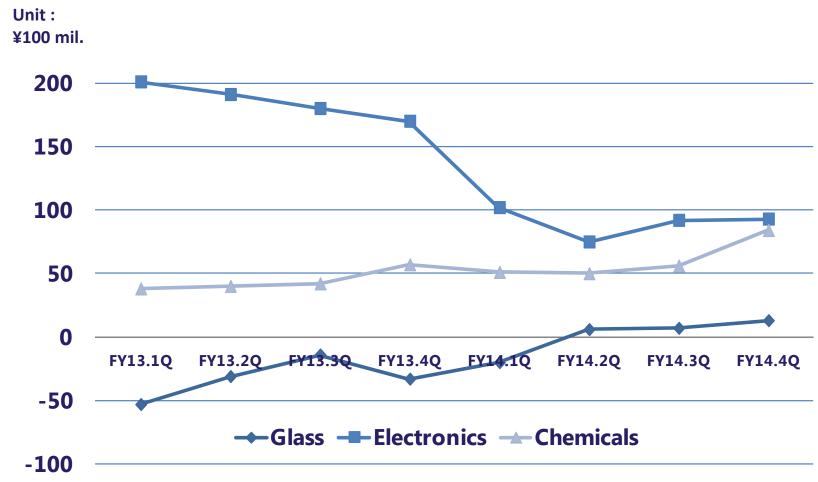
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Quarterly trend by segment: operating profit

- Glass segment turned into black on an annual basis.
- Chemicals segment is on a growth track.
- Operating profit decline in Electronics has become moderate.



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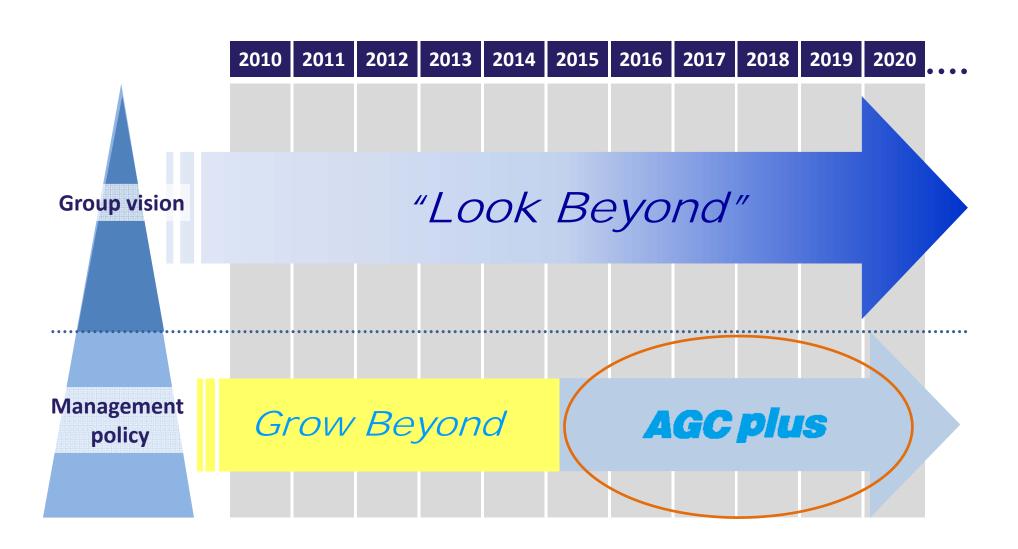
Basis for FY2015 operating profit forecast

◆ Increase in sales volume & cost reduction are expected to offset the decline in selling prices.

Items	Expected impact on operating profit	Basis for our forecast
Sales Volume /Quantity, Product Mix	positive	Will increase in all segments
Selling price	negative	Decline in the prices for flat glass in Europe and LCD glass will be moderate on the year-on-year basis.
Purchase Price Fuels/Raw Materials	_	Lower crude oil price will offset the increase in electricity cost
Cost Reduction /Others	positive	Is expected to have the level of impact similar to previous years through cost reduction and structural reform

2. AGC Group's New Management Policy

New management policy under the new management



AGC Group's new management policy

AGC plus

The AGC Group adds a "plus" by:

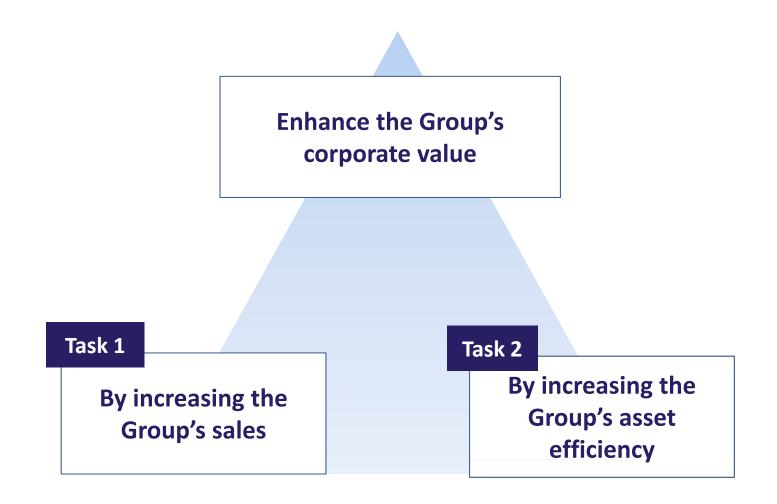
- Providing safety, security and comfort to society;
- Creating new value and functions for customers and business partners and building trust with them;
- Enhancing job satisfaction among employees; and
- Increasing the Group's corporate value for investors.

3. To enhance the Group's corporate value

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◆ The AGC Group aims to increase both sales and asset efficiency.

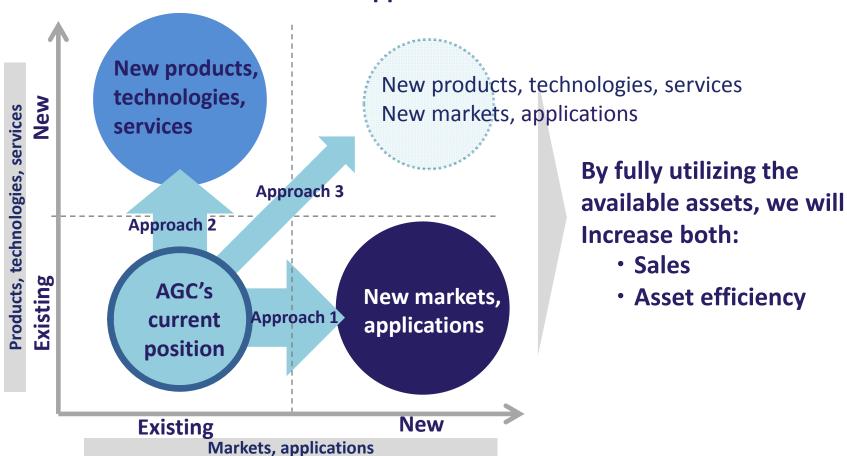


Task 1: Increase the Group's sales

AGC plus

Based on a market-centered perspective, we will make full use of our diverse resources and opportunities, which are one of the strengths of the AGC Group.

[Different approaches to increase sales]



Approach 1:

Explore new markets with existing products



Obeikan

Having shifted from do-our-own policy, we formed a joint venture and strengthened the Group's business in Saudi Arabia.



Planned construction site

Chlor-Alkali (outside Japan)

We developed a supply system to meet the strong demand in Southeast Asia and expand the market in the region.



Plant of PT Asahimas Chemica (Indonesia)

Approach 2:

Explore existing markets with new products



WONDERLITE™

Three-times bigger glass roof with special coating provides greater comfort and energy saving.



AMOLEATM

New refrigerant with low environmental impact of about one-sixth that of conventional products



Approach 3:

Explore new markets with new products



Life science

High-quality pharmaceutical & agrochemical intermediates and active agents based on the Group's advanced manufacturing technology



bio-pharmaceutical manufacturing facility

<u>infoverre[™]</u>

Everything around us can be an Information interface.





Infoverre™

Task 2: To increase the Group's asset efficiency AGC plus

◆ We clarified the policy and strategy for asset allocation within each business portfolio that has been created based on the profitability and growth potential of each business.

	Growth	Cash generator	Strength building area
Glass	-Automotive glass	-Architectural glass (fast growing countries)	-Architectural glass (Developed countries)
Electronics	-Electronic materials -Glass for chemical strengthening - Ultra thin glass	- LCD glass	
Chemicals	- Chlor-Alkali (Outside Japan) - Fluorichemicals - Life science		-Chlor-Alkali (Japan)

Strategic direction of each business

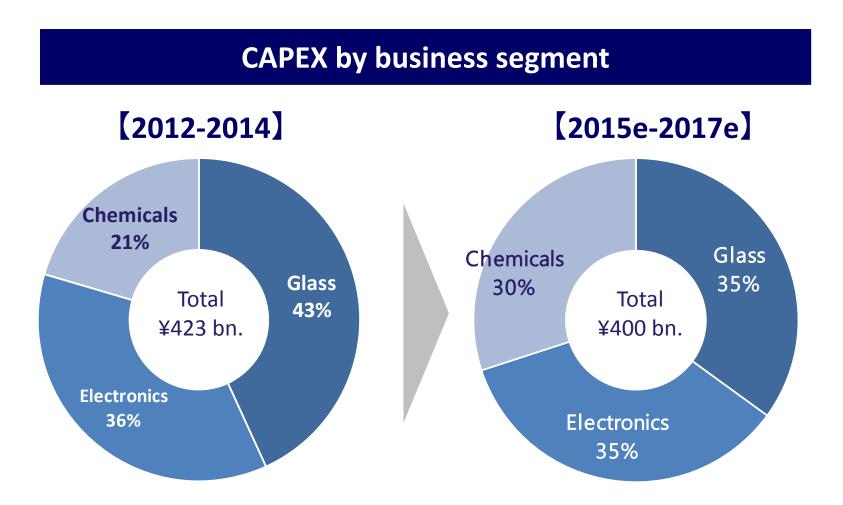


	Strategic direction		2017 Target
Glass	[Architectural glass] -Increase asset efficiency & improve earnings -Continue strength building and structural reform -Use joint venture & stop doing all on our own [Automotive glass] -Solidify the Group's market position as the global leader		ROS 5% or more
Electronics	[LCD glass] -Reduce costs and keep the profitability -Shift the production capacity to growing China [Applied glass material] -"thin, light and strong glass" in various markets (Electronics, architectural, automotive and solar applications) [Electronic materials] -Concentrate the management resources in areas with growth potential		ROS 10% or more
Chemicals	[Chlor-Alkali (Outside Japan)] -Take in the growing Southeast Asian market [Fluorochemicals] -Grow on globally increasing demand for high-performance materials [Life science] -Focus on the expanding pharmaceutical & agrochemical market		ROS 10% or more

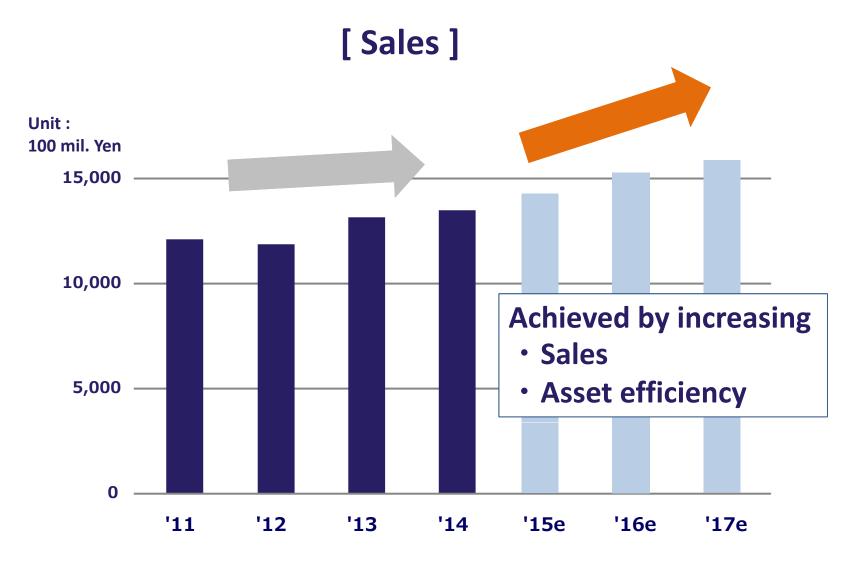
Resource allocation



- **♦** Focus on asset efficiency and concentrate resources into growth areas
- **♦** Keep CAPEX less than depreciation cost







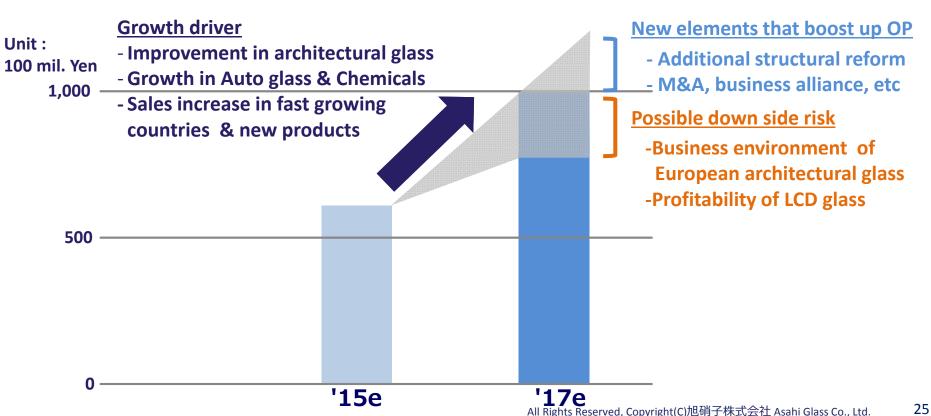
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Growth path to meet the 2017 management goal (2)



◆ We will achieve operating profit of more than ¥100 bn. even if the possible down side risk materializes in the course of implementing additional measures.

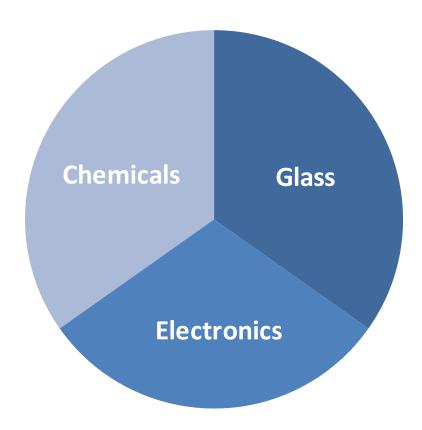
[Operating profit outlook]



Growth path to meet the 2017 management goal (3)



♦ We will ensure a well-balanced earnings structure by achieving a business recovery in the Glass segment & growth in the Chemicals segment



[Breakdown of FY2017 operating income (estimate)]

Dividend policy



Based on its policy to maintain stable dividends, the Company is doing its utmost to proactively return profits to its shareholders, while giving comprehensive consideration to its business results and future investment plans, among others.

Target dividend payout ratio: 30% (only as a guide)

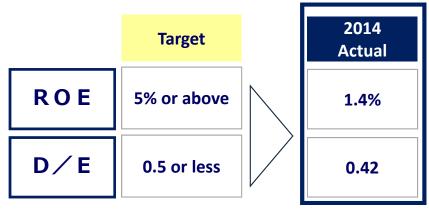
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	Sales	¥ 1,600 bn.				
Target	Operating income	more than ¥ 100 bn.				
for 2017	ROE	5% or above				
	D/E	0.5 or less				

Appendix

Grow Beyond-2015 progress in 2014

[Financial Targets]



[Progress towards the projected business outline in 2020]



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