







INVESTOR RELATIONS 2009 2Q

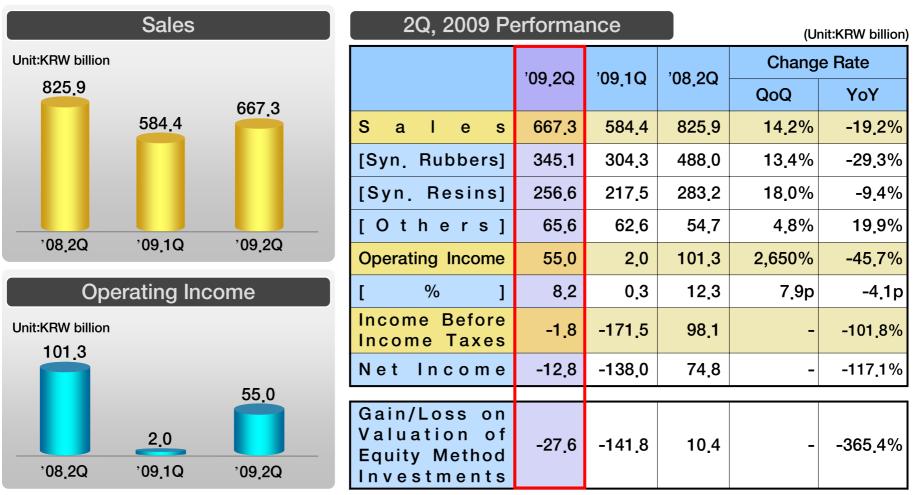
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2Q, 2009 Overview

Sales & Operating Income

• Sales rose 14.2% to KRW 667.3 billion and operating income up KRW 55.0 billion.



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Performance Results for Synthetic Rubbers

Synthetic Rubbers

- Sales increased 13.4% to KRW 345.1 billion (51.7% in total Sales).
- Improvement profitability is based on selling price hikes by a combination of increasing demand of China's tire makers and BD price rising.

Unit:KRW billion 488.0 345.1 304.3 '09.2Q '08.2Q '09.1Q

Sales

Performance Analysis

- BD price advance due to :
 - Strong price of Naphtha and Crude Oil
 - Increased operating ratio of Downstream(Synthetic Rubbers/ABS)
- BD price changes by region

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(Unit:USD/Ton)

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Asia	453	553	533	654	683	813
N. America	617	518	452	436	489	714
Europe	574	259	251	387	478	586

- Synthetic Rubber price advance due to :
- Increased demand due to operating ratio rising of China's tire makers and depleted stock
- Selling price hikes due to BD price rising

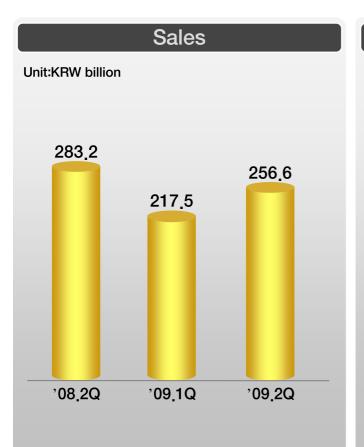
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	'09 <u>.</u> 01	'09 <u>0</u> 2	'09 <u>0</u> 3	'09 <u>0</u> 4	'09 <u>.</u> 05	'09 <u>.</u> 06
SBR	1,152	1,205	1,195	1,250	1,277	1,310
BR	1,301	1,325	1,306	1,350	1,344	1,432
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* Source: ICIS 2009

Performance Results for Synthetic Resins

Synthetic Resins

- Sales increased 18.0% to KRW 256.6 billion (38.5% in total Sales).
- Sales and operating income increased due to selling price rising by seasonal peak entry.



Performance Analysis

- SM price advance due to :
 - Price rising of Naphtha and Crude Oil
 - Increased demand of ABS makers
- SM price change

(Unit:USD/Ton, CFR China)

	'09 <u>.</u> 01	'09 <u>.</u> 02	'09 <u>.</u> 03	'09 _. 04	'09 <u>.</u> 05	'09 <u>.</u> 06
SM	632	735	871	990	905	1,035

- Synthetic Resin price advance due to :
 - China's policy for appliances & cars, seasonal peak entry
 - Continuously reflects of main feedstocks prices advance

(Unit:USD/Ton)

	'09 <u>.</u> 01	'09 _. 02	'09 _. 03	'09 _. 04	'09 <u>.</u> 05	'09 <u>.</u> 06
PS	731	816	926	1,094	957	1,085
ABS	1,023	1,096	1,209	1,460	1,326	1,373

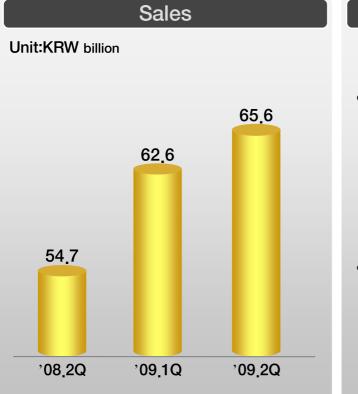
* Source: PLATTS 2009

Performance Results for Others

Others

- Sales increased 4.8% to KRW 65.6 billion (9.8% in total Sales)
- Specialty Chemicals : Operating ratio reduced by decreased demand due to depression of Upstream(Car, Tire)
- Combined Heat & Power Plants : Sales grew on steam price hikes amid rising the oil price and start-up

of 2nd Combined Heat & Power Plant.



Performance Analysis

• Specialty Chemicals

- Selling price declined due to decreasing demand of 6PPD and deepening of sales competition

- Operating ratio reduced by short supply of 4-ADPA and sales fall

Combined Heat & Power Plants

- Sales grew on steam price hikes amid rising the oil price and start-up of 2nd Combined Heat & Power Plant

- Operating ratio reduced due to Shut Down of 1st Combined Heat & Power plant in May

Financial Highlights

- Foreign currency-denominated increased to secure raw materials for production.
- Asset turnover ratio and interest coverage ratio both improved on increased sales and operating income.

Debt to Equity Ratio	Borrowings		Linit	200.00	200.10	200.00	Change	e Rate
(Unit:%)	(Unit:KRW billion)		Unit	'09.2Q	'09 _. 1Q	'08 ₋ 2Q	QoQ	YoY
254%	2,018.1	Assets	KRW bil <u>.</u>	3,588 <u>.</u> 6	3,607 <u>.</u> 2	3,253 <u>.</u> 1	-0.5%	10.3%
		Liabilities	KRW bil <u>.</u>	2,575 <u>.</u> 1	2,556 <u>.</u> 1	2,322 <u>.</u> 5	0.7%	10.9%
			KRW bil <u>.</u>	1,013 _. 5	1,051 <u>.</u> 1	930.6	-3.6%	8.9%
'09.1Q '09.2Q	'09.1Q '09.2Q	Debt to Equity Ratio	%	254	243	250	11p	4p
Asset Turnover Ratio (Unit:Times)	Interest Coverage Ratio (Unit:Fold)	Borrowings		2,060 _. 4	2,018 _. 1	1,698 <u>.</u> 2	2.1%	21.3%
0.74	74 2 24 Won-	KRW bil	1,732.4	1,726 <u>.</u> 5	1,458.5	0.3%	18.8%	
0.64		Foreign currency- denominated		328 <u>.</u> 0	291 <u>.</u> 6	239 _. 7	12 <u>.</u> 5%	36 <u>.</u> 8%
	0.08	Asset Turnover Ratio	Times	0 <u>.</u> 74	0.64	1.04	15 <u>.</u> 6%	-28.8%
[.] 09.1Q [.] 09.2Q	'09.1Q '09.2Q	Interest Coverage Ratio	Fold	2 <u>.</u> 24	0.08	4.75	2,700%	-52 <u>.</u> 8%

Main Business Activities

Reinforcing Position in the Synthetic Rubber Market

- Completion of Construction : SBR 110K MT/Y(April 2009, Ulsan)
- Total Investment : KRW 123 bn
- Total Capa. of SBR/BR : 703K MT/Y
- World's No.1 Maker of Synthetic Rubbers Capa (SBR/BR based)

(Unit:'000 MT)

	Dec. '08	April _. '09	Note
SBR	371	481	-No.1:KKPC(703)
BR	222	222	-No.2:Lanxess(691)
Total	593	703	-No_3:Goodyear(685)

Energy Business Extension : 2nd Combined Heat & Power Plant

- Expanding energy business, ensuring stable utilities supply, laying foundation to become a key utilities provider
- Raising eco-friendly image and reducing the cost expected
- Capacity : 500T/H, 119MWH
- Total Investment : KRW 229 bn
- Commercial operations began in May 2009

Main Business Activities

Completion Ceremony for SB-LATEX Rizhao Plant in China

- Increasing market share by building production bases across China
- Capa. : SB-LATEX(Styrene Butadiene Latex) 150K MT/Y
- Application : Paper coating, Carpet backing, Asphalt modifier, Cord dipping for tires
- Business Form : J/V(KKPC 50%, Rizhao Jinma Group 50%)
- Location : Rizhao, Shandong, China
- Total Investment Amount : USD 39 million(Owner's Equity USD 13 million, Liabilities USD 26 million)
- Completion Ceremony Date : June 24, 2009

Ground-Breaking Ceremony for XPS Shenyang Plant in China

- Early entry for market dominance in the Chinese premium building insulation materials market
- Capa. : XPS(Extruded Polystyrene Foam) 12.8K MT/Y
- Application : Building insulation materials, Refrigeration/Freezing insulation
- Business Form : J/V(KKPC 80%, Shenyang Chemical Industry 20%)
- Location : Shenyang Chemical Industry Park, China
- Total Investment Amount : USD 30 million(Owner's Equity USD 12 million, Liabilities USD 18 million)
- Ground-Breaking Ceremony Date : June 25, 2009

Outlook

Synthetic Rubbers

- The demand of synthetic rubbers will increase due to operating ratio rising of tire makers of China and East South Asia.
- BD price advance
 - Strong price of Naphtha and Crude Oil
 - Tight supplies of BD in Asia area
- Profitability will increase through product price rising to adapt increasing BD price.

Synthetic Resins

- Demand will increase due to Domestic and internal markets activation policies and economic turnaround.
- Maintain strong SM price
 - Strong price of Naphtha and Crude Oil
 - Annual S/D of SM Maker in 2nd half of 2009 and increaing demand of Downstream
- Profitability will improve through selling price rising continuously due to raw materials price rising and focusing sales of high value-added products.

• Others

- Specialty Chemicals
 - Sales will increase because of commencement of supply due to acquirement of big tire makers' quality approvals and increasing sales in South America niche market etc.
- Combined Heat & Power Plants
 - Profitability will improve through the increase in sales due to operating ratio rising of 2nd combined heat & power and cost reduction.

Income Statement

(Unit:KRW billion)

					Change			
	'09.2Q	'09 _. 1Q	'08 _. 2Q	QoQ		Yo	ρΥ	
				Cost	Rate	Cost	Rate	
Sales	667.3	584.4	825.9	82 <u>.</u> 9	14.2%	-158 <u>.</u> 6	-19.2%	
Operating Income	55.0	2.0	101 <u>.</u> 3	53 <u>.</u> 0	2,650%	-46.3	-45.7%	
(Operating Margin)	8.2%	0.3%	12 <u>.</u> 3%	7 <u>.</u> 9%p		-4.1%p		
Net Interest Expense	24,6	23,6	21,3	1.0	4.2%	3,3	15.5%	
Equity in Income of Affiliates	-27,6	-141.8	10.4	114,2	-	<i>-38_.0</i>	<i>-365,4%</i>	
Ordinary Income before Taxes	-1.8	-171 <u>.</u> 5	98 _. 1	169 <u>.</u> 7	-	-99 <u>.</u> 9	-101.8%	
(Ordinary Income Margin)	-0,3%	<i>-29_.3%</i>	11.9%	29 <u>.</u> 0%p		-12 <u>.</u> 2%p		
Net Income	-12.8	-138.0	74.8	125 <u>.</u> 2	-	-87 <u>.</u> 6	-117 <u>.</u> 1%	
(Net Income Margin)	-1.9%	<i>-23_.6%</i>	<u>9</u> .1%	21.7%p		-11 <u>.</u> 0%p		

Balance Sheet

(Unit:KRW billion)

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	'09 _. 2Q	'09 _. 1Q	'08 _. 2Q	QoQ	YoY
1. Current Assets	667 <u>.</u> 6	702_0	689.2	-34.4	-21 <u>.</u> 6
- Inventories	<i>80_.5</i>	60 <u>,</u> 6	10 <u>.</u> 0	<i>19,9</i>	70 <u>.</u> 5
2. Non-Current Assets	2,921.0	2,905.3	2,563.9	15 _. 7	357 _. 1
Total Assets	3,588.6	3,607.2	3,253 _. 1	-18.6	335.5
1. Current Liabilities	1,449.0	1,393.8	833 <u>.</u> 1	55.2	615.9
2. Non-Current Liabilities	1,126 <u>.</u> 1	1,162 <u>.</u> 3	1,489.4	-36.2	-363.3
 Interest Bearing Liabilities 	2,060.4	2,018 <u>.</u> 1	1,698.2	42 <u>.</u> 3	362.2
- Short-Term Debts	1,052 <u>.</u> 5	970 <u>,</u> 5	<i>309_.1</i>	<i>82</i> ,0	743.4
- Long-Term Debts	<i>1,007<u>.</u>9</i>	1,047 <u>.</u> 6	1,389 <u>.</u> 1	<i>-39,7</i>	<i>-381,2</i>
 Non-Interest Bearing Liabilities 	514 _. 7	538.0	624.3	-23 <u>.</u> 3	-109.6
Total Liabilities	2,575 _. 1	2,556.1	2,322.5	19.0	252.6
1. Common & Preferred Stock	142.2	142.2	142.2	-	-
Total Shareholder Equity	1,013 <u>.</u> 5	1,051 <u>.</u> 1	930.6	-37.6	82.9
Net Debt Ratio	55 <u>.</u> 2%	54 .3%	51 .9%	0 <u>.</u> 9%p	3.3%p
Long-Term Debts to Total Debts Ratio	48.9%	51 <u>.</u> 9%	81.8%	-3 <u>.</u> 0%p	-32.9%p
Current Ratio	46 <u>.</u> 1%	50 .4%	82 <u>.</u> 7%	-4 <u>.</u> 3%p	-36 <u>.</u> 6%p
Total Liabilities to Equity Ratio	254 .1%	243.2%	249.6%	10 <u>.</u> 9%p	4.5%p

Cash Flow

(Unit:KRW billion)

	[,] 09,2Q	² 00.10	'08,2Q	Change Cost		
	09.20	'09 _. 1Q	00.20	QoQ	YoY	
Cash flow from operating activities	119 <u>.</u> 4	118 _. 1	127 <u>.</u> 7	1.3	-8.3	
- Ordinary profit before taxes	-12.8	-138.0	74.8	125.2	-87.6	
- Depreciation/Retirement allowance	27 <u>.</u> 0	22 <u>.</u> 3	22 <u>.</u> 8	4.7	4.2	
- Others	105.2	233.8	30 <u>.</u> 1	-128.6	75 <u>.</u> 1	
Cash flow from investing activities	-138.6	-95.9	-117 <u>.</u> 8	-42 <u>.</u> 7	-20.8	
- Tangible assets	-75.6	-90.7	-112 <u>.</u> 5	15.1	36.9	
- Others	-63.0	-5.3	-5.3	-57 <u>.</u> 7	-57 <u>.</u> 7	
Cash flow from financing activities	39 _. 1	26.3	-22.0	12 <u>.</u> 8	61 <u>.</u> 1	
- Borrowings	55.2	27.4	-4.2	27.8	59.4	
- Treasury stock/Dividends	-17.3	-	-17 <u>.</u> 3	-17.3	-	
- Others	1.2	-1.1	-0.5	2.3	1.7	
Net Cash Flow	19 <u>.</u> 9	48.5	-12 <u>.</u> 1	-28.6	32 <u>.</u> 0	

Production Capacity

Production Capacity

	Product	Capa <u>.</u>	Unit	Note
	SBR	481,000		Completion of Expansion : 110,000MT/Y(Ulsan), April 2009
	HBR	167,000		Completion of Expansion : 120,000MT/Y(Yeosu), Dec. 2010
Curath atia	LBR	55,000		
Synthetic Rubbers	NBR	50,000	MT/Y	
Tubbers	HSR	10,000		
	SB Latex	70,000		
	SBS	70,000		
	Total	903,000		
	PS	227,500		
	ABS	250,000		
Synthetic Resins	EPS	73,800	MT/Y	
165115	PPG	52,000		
	Total	603,300		
Specialty Chemicals	Antioxidants	79,300	MT/Y	
Combined Heat &	Steam	1,130	T/H	Completion of Construction :
Power Generation	Electricity	186	MWH	Steam 500T/H & Electricity 119MWH, April 2009
	Ulsan Plant	90,000		
BD	Yeosu Plant	147,000	MT/Y	
	Total	237,000		

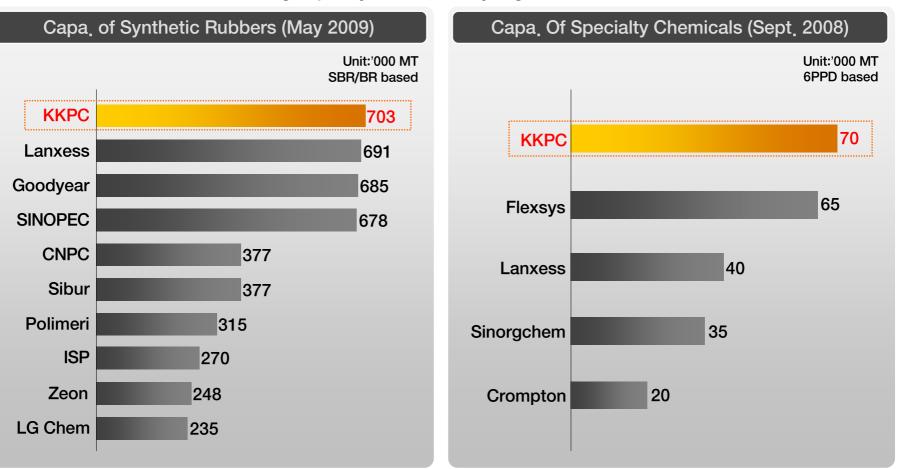
Market Position

Synthetic Rubbers & Specialty Chemicals

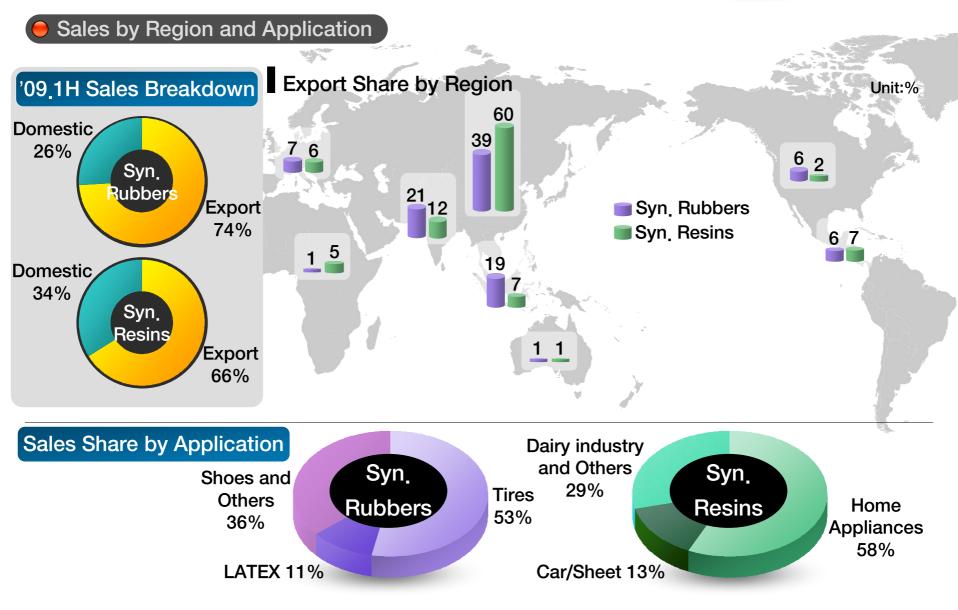
• Synthetic Rubbers : In April 2009, KKPC completed a 110K-ton expansion of SBR

raising to an industry-leading and moving share of global market into over 10%.

 Specialty Chemicals : In September 2008, KKPC wrapped up a 26K-ton expansion of 6PPD boosting capacity to an industry-high.



Sales Status



Ownership Structure

