# INVESTOR RELATIONS

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#### 1Q, 2018 Overview

# Sales **Operating Income**

Operating Income

10,'18

- Sales increased by 10.5% since the last quarter and declined by 4.9% over the previous year to KRW 1,339.9bn.
- Operating income increased by 74.5% since the last quarter and soared by 152.4% over the previous year to KRW 165.8bn.

(Unit: KDIM hn)

Sales	(Unit: KRW bn)
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165.8		
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40,'17

(Unit: KRW bn)

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	10.10	40,'17	10,'17	Rate of (	Change
	1Q,'18	4Q, 17	10,17	QoQ	YoY
S a l e s	1,339.9	1,212.3	1,408.2	10.5%	-4.9%
[Synthetic Rubbers]	474.5	468.9	636.2	1.2%	-25.4%
[Synthetic Resins]	299.6	299.3	303.5	0.1%	-1.3%
[Others]	565.8	444.1	468.5	27.4%	20.8%
Phenol Derivatives	416.2	288.9	309.2	44.1%	34.6%
Specialty Chemicals	33.9	29.8	33.6	13.8%	0.9%
Energy	57.0	48.2	47.8	18.3%	19.2%
Others	58.7	77.2	77.9	-24.0%	-24.6%
Operating Income	165.8	95.0	65.7	74.5%	152.4%
[ % ]	12.4%	7.8%	4.7%	4.6%p	7.7%p
Income before Income Taxes	194.2	70.4	88.4	175.9%	119.7%
Net Income	132.1	51.4	69.0	157.0%	91.4%
Equity Income/Losses on Investments	41.8	11.6	18.4	260.3%	127.2%

<sup>✓</sup> Net Income is based on Controlling Interests.

#### 1Q, 2018 Overview

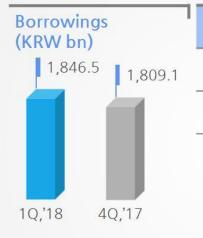
#### Financial Structure

- Interest coverage ratio increased sharply as a result of improved performances in major businesses.
- Stable financial structure was maintained in accordance with optimal liquidity management.

(Unit: KRW bn)

# Debt to Equity Ratio (%)





	Unit	1Q.'18	4Q,'17	1Q,'17	Rate of Change		
	Offic	10,10	40,17	10,17	QoQ	YoY	
Assets	KRW bn	4,712.5	4,579.8	4,760.7	2.9%	-1.0%	
Liabilities	KRW bn	2,639.0	2,623.0	2,961.3	0.6%	-10.9%	
Shareholders' Equity		2,073.5	1,956.8	1,799.4	6.0%	15.2%	
Controlling Interests	KRW bn	1,947.6	1,842.7	1,689.8	5.7%	15.3%	
Non- controlling Interests	DII	125.9	114.1	109.6	10.3%	14.9%	
Debt to Equity Ratio	%	127	134	165	-7%p	-38%p	
Borrowings		1,846.5	1,809.1	2,177.1	2.1%	-15.2%	
Won- denominated	KRW	1,363.9	1,387.6	1,566.9	-1.7%	-13.0%	
Foreign currency- denominated	bn	482.6	421.5	610.2	14.5%	-20.9%	
Total Assets Turnover Ratio		1.15	1.04	1.21	10.6%	-5.0%	

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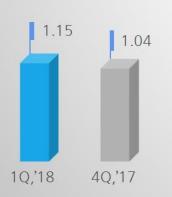
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81.3%

170.6% >

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# Total Assets Turnover Ratio





Interest

Coverage Ratio

Interest Coverage

#### **Business Review**

#### Synthetic Rubbers

35.4% of Total sales

Synthetic Rubbers

Synthetic Resins

Others



- Sales increased by 1.2% over the previous quarter to KRW 474.5bn.
- Growth in profitability caused by increase in selling price due to the rise in raw material (BD) price.

#### · An upward trend in the BD (Butadiene) price

- Gradual uptrend of BD price resulted from an increased in demand, such as restocking demand before the lunar New Year holidays and re-operation from the shutdown; during the period when the supply was stable.

> BD Price changes by region

(Unit: USD/ton)

	Oct.'17	Nov.'17	Dec.'17	Jan.'18	Feb.'18	Mar.'18
Asia	1,169	1,018	1,130	1,298	1,411	1,426
N. America	1,102	959	879	898	1,127	1,356
Europe	1,025	801	879	964	1,126	1,190

\* Source: ICIS/PLATTS 2017, 2018

#### Increased profitability of synthetic rubber

- Growth in sales revenue from the increase in selling price due to risen raw material (BD) price in spite of high inventory.
- Increased profitability due to a favorable downstream market such as stable utilization rates of tire makers and stable operations of new lines from downstream makers.

  (Unit: USD/ton)

	Oct.'17	Nov.'17	Dec.'17	Jan,'18	Feb.'18	Mar,'18
SBR	1,591	1,494	1,548	1,541	1,638	1,655
BR	1,838	1,669	1,688	1,738	1,806	1,855

\* Source: ICIS 2017, 2018

#### **Business Review**

#### Synthetic Resins

22.4% of Total sales

Synthetic Rubbers

Synthetic Resins

Others

- ❖ Sales increased by 0.1% over the previous quarter to KRW 299.6bn.
- Profitability improved through growth in selling price as a result of strong raw material prices (SM/BD).

#### Strong price of raw material (SM)

- Strong SM price resulted from the tight supply due to regular maintenances and unexpected shutdowns.
- Downward pressure in the price at the end of quarter caused by increased utilization rate of Chinese makers and the rise in arbitrage
- > SM Price changes

(Unit: USD/ton)

	Oct.'17	Nov.'17	Dec.'17	Jan.'18	Feb.'18	Mar.'18
SM	1,218	1,275	1,318	1,391	1,431	1,345

\* Source: ICIS 2017, 2018

#### Improvement in profitability of synthetic resin

- Improvement in profitability through growth in selling price as a result of strong raw material prices (SM/BD), in spite of low season.

(Unit: USD/ton)

	Oct.'17	Nov.'17	Dec.'17	Jan.'18	Feb.'18	Mar.'18
PS	1,401	1,388	1,451	1,460	1,563	1,551
ABS	1,950	1,915	2,028	2,014	2,055	2,023

\* Source: PLATTS 2017, 2018



#### **Business Review**

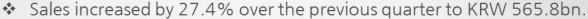
#### Others

42.2% Of Total sales

Synthetic Rubbers

Synthetic Resins

Others



- Phenol derivatives: Growth in both sales revenue and profitability resulted from strong selling price in the bullish market.
- Energy: Enlarged profitability resulted from favorable utilization rates of demand-side and increase in electricity price (SMP).

#### Phenol derivatives

- Maintained strong raw material (BZ) price due to strong price of both oil and styrene monomer (SM) during the quarter; but slight downturn of the price as a result of high inventory at the end of the quarter.
- Growth in both sales revenue and profitability resulted from strong selling price in the bullish market.

#### ➤ BZ Price changes

(Unit: USD/ton)

	Oct.'17	Nov.'17	Dec.'17	Jan.'18	Feb.'18	Mar.'18
BZ	782	838	885	910	905	860

\* Source: PLATTS 2017, 2018

#### Energy

- Increased sales revenue and volume caused by favorable utilization rates of demand-side.
- Enlarged profitability resulted from increase in electricity price (SMP).
- > SMP Price changes

(Unit: KRW/KW)

	Oct.'17	Nov.'17	Dec.'17	Jan.'18	Feb.'18	Mar.'18
SMP	71	81	90	92	90	101





#### 2Q, 2018 Outlook

BD

- Supply is expected to be tight due to scheduled shutdowns and arbitrages to outer region.
- Price is expected to be stabilized through new operation of the crackers and re-operation from the regular maintenance in the end of the 2nd quarter.

Synthetic Rubbers

- Increase in demand is forecasted to be limited due to the rise in the international uncertainty despite stable utilization rates of tire makers.
- The price is predicted to be gradually stabilized after the upward price trend of both BD and SR at the beginning of the quarter.

SM

- Supply-demand balance is anticipated to be stable through new operations despite of scheduled maintenances and reduction in supply.
- Price is forecasted to be strong and stable from the strong expectation in the demand during the traditional peak season and low SM inventory.

 Actual demand may fluctuate depending on the inventory, in spite of the expectation in the increased demand during the traditional peak season.

 The price is expected to be stable in accordance to the stable raw material price (SM). Synthetic Resins

#### **Income Statement**

(Unit: KRW bn)

					Rate of	change	
	1Q,'18	40,'17	10,'17	QoQ		YoY	
	10,10	19717	, Q, 17	Amount	Rate of change	Amount	Rate of change
Sales	1,339.9	1,212.3	1,408.2	127.6	10.5%	-68.3	-4.9%
Operating Income	165.8	95.0	65.7	70.8	74.5%	100.1	152.4%
(Operating Margin)	12.4%	7.8%	4.7%	4.6%p	_	7.7%p	_
Net Interest Expense	13.5	0.6	-11.1	12.9	2150.0%	24.6	-
Equity Income/Losses on Investments	41.8	11.6	18.4	30.2	260.3%	23.4	127.2%
Income before Income Taxes	194.2	70.4	88.4	123.8	175.9%	105.8	119.7%
(Ordinary Income Margin)	14.5%	5.8%	6.3%	8.7%p	-	8.2%p	-
Net Income	132.1	51.4	69.0	80.7	157.0%	63.1	91.4%
(Net Income Margin)	9.9%	4.2%	4.9%	5.7%p	-	5.0%p	2

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### Balance Sheet

(Unit: KRW bn)

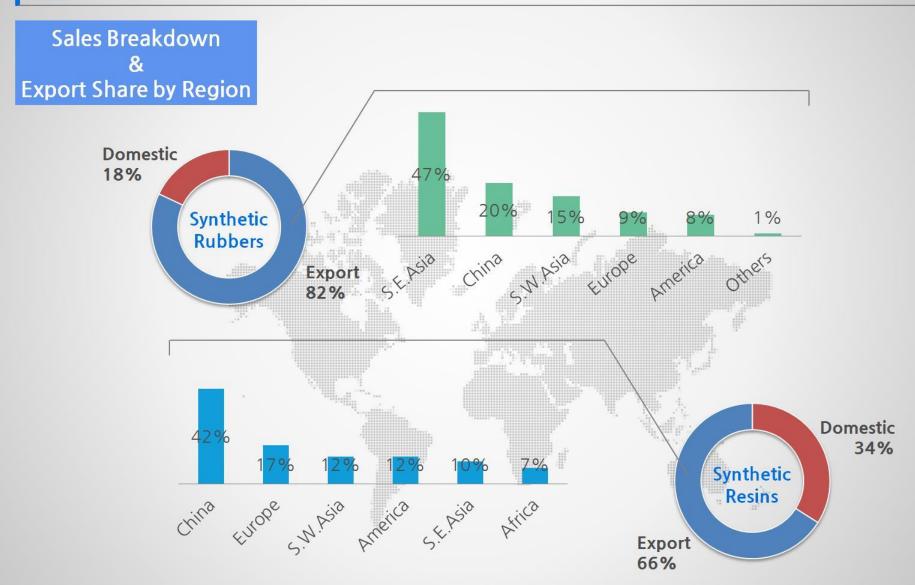
	10.710	40 '17	10 '17	Rate of	change
	1Q,'18	4Q,'17	1Q,'17	QoQ	YoY
Current Assets	1,495.8	1,332.7	1,479.2	163.1	16.6
- Cash and Cash Equivalents	259.4	234.4	118.0	25.0	141.4
Non-current Assets	3,216.7	3,247.1	3,281.5	-30.4	-64.8
Total Assets	4,712.5	4,579.8	4,760.7	132.7	-48.2
Current Liabilities	1,967.5	1,913.9	2,214.4	53.6	-246.9
Non-current Liabilities	671.5	709.1	746.9	-37.6	-75.4
■ Interest bearing Liabilities	1,846.5	1,809.1	2,177.1	37.4	-330.6
- Short-term Debts	1,319.6	1,226.0	1,554.0	93.6	-234.4
- Long-term Debts	526.9	583.1	623.1	-56.2	-96.2
■ Non-interest bearing Liabilities	792.5	813.9	784.2	-21.4	8.3
Total Liabilities	2,639.0	2,623.0	2,961.3	16.0	-322.3
Common & Preferred Stock	167.5	167.5	167.5		-
Total Shareholders' Equity	2,073.5	1,956.8	1,799.4	116.7	274.1
Net Debt to Asset Ratio	33.7%	34.4%	43.3%	-0.7%	-9.6%
Long-term Debts to Total Debts Ratio	28.5%	32.2%	28.6%	-3.7%	-0.1%
Current Ratio	76.0%	69.6%	66.8%	6.4%	9.2%
Debt to Equity Ratio	127.3%	134.0%	164.6%	-6.8%	-37.3%

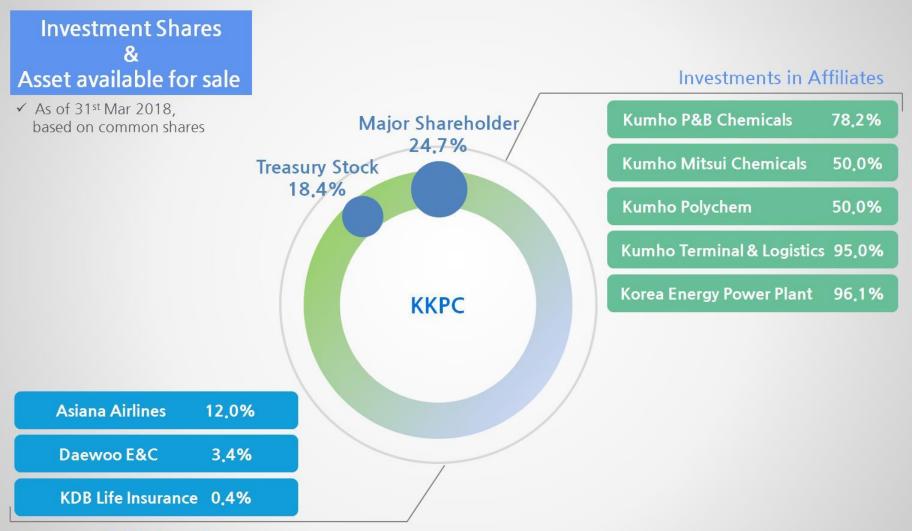
Production Capacity (KKPC)

	Product		Capa.	Unit	Note
Synthetic Rubbers	SBR		384,000		
	BR	HBR	290,000		
		LBR	45,000		
	S-SBR		63,000		
	NdBR		60,000	MT/Y	
	NBR		87,000		
	HSR		10,000		
	NB Latex		400,000		
	SB Latex		82,800		
	SBS		75,000		
	Total		1,496,800		
Synthetic Resins	PS		230,000	MT/Y	
	ABS		250,000		
	SAN/Pwd.		145,000		Completion of Expansion: 16,000MT/Y, 1H, 18
	EPS		80,000		
	PPG		141,000		
	Total		846,000		
Specialty Chemicals			83,500	MT/Y	
Energy	Steam		1,710	T/H	
	Electricity		300	MWH	
BD	Ulsan		90,000		
	Yeosu		147,000	MT/Y	
	Total		237,000		

Production Capacity (Affiliates)

	Product	Capa.	Unit	Note
Kumho P&B Chemicals	Phenol	680,000		
	Acetone	420,000		
	MIBK	60,000		
	Cumene	900,000	MT/Y	
	BPA	450,000		
	Epoxy Resin	135,000		Completion of Expansion: 17,000MT/Y, 1H, 18
	Total	2,645,000		
Kumho Mitsui Chemicals	MDI	350,000		Completion of Expansion: 100,000MT/Y, 2H,'17 60,000MT/Y, 2H '19
	Aniline	20,000	MT/Y	
	Total	370,000		
Kumho Polychem	EP(D)M	220,000		
	TPV/KEPA	12,000	MT/Y	Completion of Expansion: TPV 5,000MT/Y, 4Q,'17
	Total	232,000		





Asset available for sale

# Q&A