TonenGeneral Sekiyu K.K. 1H 2008 Financial Results and Business Strategy

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Business Overview

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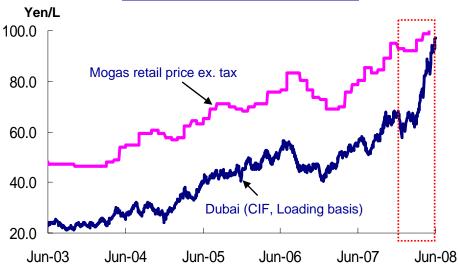
Business Environment

Domestic oil demand dropped

- » Oil demand dropped due to energy shift/ energy conservation/ demographic change/ environment protection moves/ structural change of industries
- Crude prices increased/ Downstream margin decreased
 - » Crude prices increased substantially, especially in 2Q
 - » Significant drop in oil products margins: crude cost increase was not fully reflected in product price increase
 - » According to PAJ and METI publications, Japanese oil companies increased product exports
- Petrochemical margin still firm but decreased
 - » Margin decreased in Aromatics business



Crude Oil & Gasoline Price



Source: METI, Platt's, The Oil Information Center, etc.

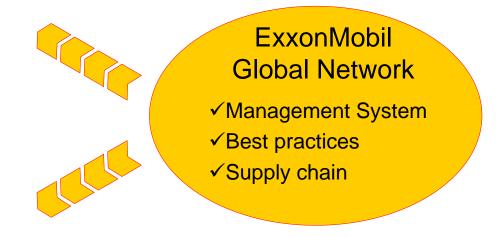
Our Vision & Management Philosophy

Long-Term Vision:

Establish "Prominent Position" in Japanese oil industry

Basic Management Philosophy:

- Ensure "Flawless Operation"
 - » Operations
 - Safety: "Nobody gets hurt"
 - Environmental Protection: "Protect Tomorrow, Today."
 - » Business:
 - Effective internal controls
 - Maintain integrity/ corporate ethics
- Improve Efficiency & Profitability
 - » Pursue efficiency/ profitability with cross-functional initiatives
 - » Effective asset management
- Increase Shareholders' Value
 - » Increase Shareholders' Value from long-term perspectives
 - Optimal combination of business investment and return to shareholders (Dividends, Stock buy-back)



Ensure Flawless Operation

Safety

- » Top priority in all our activities
- » Commitment to our vision: "Nobody Gets Hurt"
- » No employee incurring a Lost Time Injury since 2004

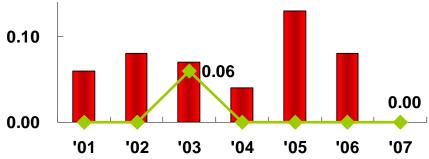
Environmental Protection

- » Our vision: "Protect Tomorrow. Today."
- » Implement action plans to improve environmental performance
 - Energy efficiency improvement
 - Already achieved PAJ voluntary action plan
 - Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC) emissions reduction

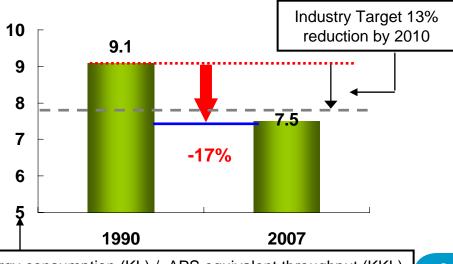
Governance and Integrity

- » Another foundation of our business
- » Periodic refresher training for employees





Unit Energy Consumption in Our Refineries



Improve Efficiency & Profitability

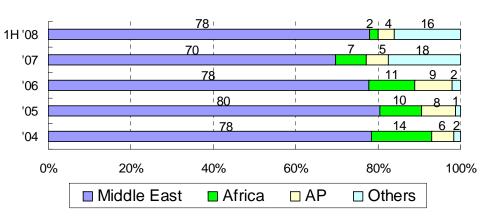
Profit Improvement throughout the company by use of the ExxonMobil Global Network

- Crude / Feedstock Diversification
 - » Promotion of new crude processing
 - » Optimal combination of crude oils and other feedstock
- Further Expansion of Exports
 - » TG is expanding Mogas and Middle Distillates exports
 - Enhancement of offsite facilities
 - Utilization of ExxonMobil's global network

Efficient use of capital: Strategic Investments

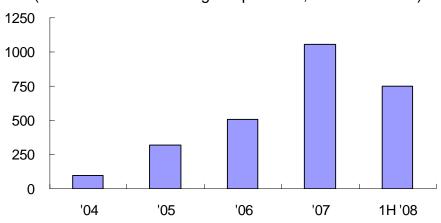
- Pursuing growth of Battery Separator Film
 - » Demand for separator film for lithium-ion batteries expected to increase significantly
 - » Agreed to build a new production facility in Korea

Crude Import Sources



Product Exports

(Middle Distillates and lighter products, Index:'04=100)



Increase Shareholders' Value

Our principles

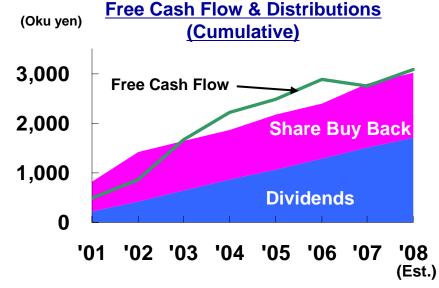
- » Company cash flow not required for our business should be returned to shareholders
- » Balance long-term shareholder value with distributions

Stable Dividend

- » Maintain total payout amount (22G yen per year) since the merger, while increased per-share dividend
- » Dividend yield: ~4%, top level in TSE stocks

Stock Buy Back

- » 130G yen since 2001, resulting in reduction in outstanding shares by 20%
- » Show stable growth in per share dividend by absorbing volatility in year-by-year earnings due to changes in environment
- » Pursue long-term shareholders return



1H 2008 Business Results and Revised FY 2008 Financial Forecast

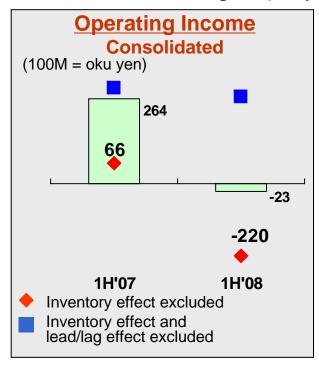
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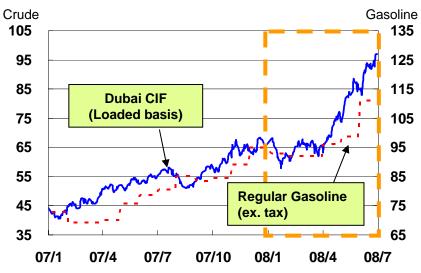
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Business Highlights

- Operating income dropped significantly from the previous year
 - » TonenGeneral's downstream margins (ex. Inventory effect) decreased
 - Large negative effect from prompt crude cost recognition accounting
 - Positive effect from realization of Nansei Sekiyu K.K. inventory gains associated with stock sale
 - Slightly better oil segment earnings excluding these temporary and special factors above
 - » Chemicals continued positive contribution
 - Lower aromatics margins than previous year
 - » Almost same level of positive impact versus previous year from overall inventory effect
- Dividend forecast unchanged (38 yen/share in 2008)



Crude and Retail Pump Price (yen/L)



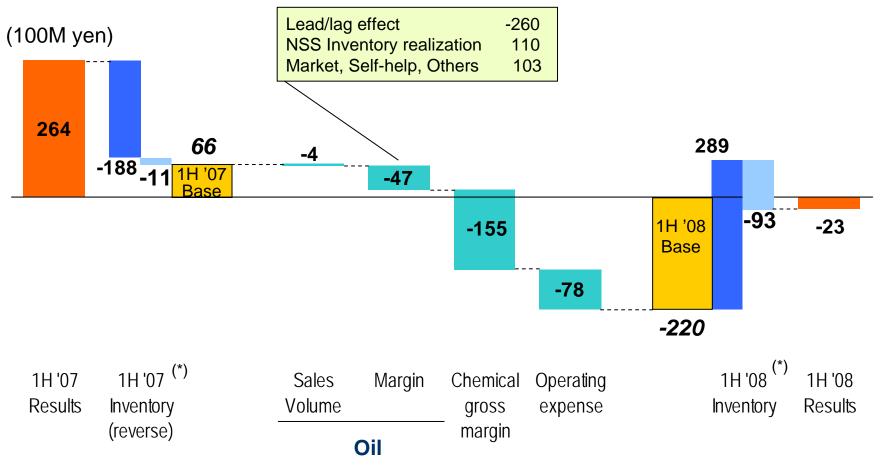
Source: Platt's, The Oil Information Center, etc.

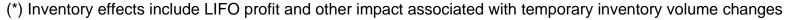
Earnings Results [Consolidated]

(100M yen)	(100M yen)		<u>1H '08</u>	Inc./Dec.
Sales revenue	Sales revenue		16,926	2,872
_ Operating inco	Operating income		-23	-288
Ordinary income		284	38	-246
Extraordinary gain/loss		-6	56	62
Net income Reverse inventory effects		171	59	-112
		-199	-196	2
Adjusted opera	ating income	66	-220	-285
Oil se	gment and others	-277	-399	-121
Chemi	Chemical segment		179	-164
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Factor Analysis of Operating Income

[1H '08 Results vs. 1H '07 Results; Consolidated]







Sales Volume/ Capacity Utilization

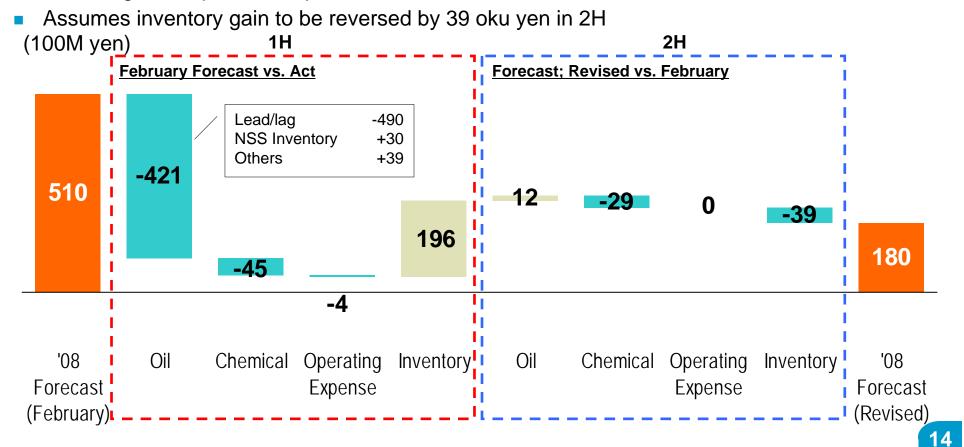
- All fuels volumes lower versus 1H 2007 due to less demand
- Continued increase of export opportunities
 - » Gasoline and Middle Distillates exports excl. bond business: Twice 1H '07 actual
- Higher Aromatics sales due to absence of turn-around at Wakayama in 2007

	Products*	1H 2007	1H 2008	Inc./Dec.	Industry Inc./Dec.	
Japan Inland Sales	Gasoline Kerosene Diesel fuel Fuel oil A Fuel oil C	5,415 1,915 1,804 1,656 1,084	4,969 1,670 1,527 1,315 901	-8.2% -12.8% -15.3% -20.6% -16.9%	-2.1% -4.3% -2.6% -6.3% 23.2% 0.2% s: Insolidated and excluding Barter excluding bond sales Others include crude, product anges within ExxonMobil Japan	
	5 Major Fuels Total LPG and others Sub Total Exports** Others*** G. Total	11,873 1,305 13,179 1,494 2,645 17,317	10,381 1,365 11,745 2,343 2,379 16,467	-12.6% +4.5% Notes: -10.9% *: Consolida +56.9% **: Excludin		
	emical Products (Consolidated) On) Olefins and others (TCC) Aromatics and others (TG) Chemical Total	956 352 1,309	927 432 1,360	-3.0% 22.7% 3.9%		

'08 Operating Income Forecast

[FY '08 Forecast; Revised vs. February, Consolidated]

- Operating income for full-year '08 is projected to be 330 oku yen less than the February forecast
- Key reason for change is 1H lower oil margin associated with large "one-month lag effects" in crude price recognition
- Slightly lower chemical margin in 2H
- No changes in Opex assumptions in 2H



Revised Earnings Forecast [Consolidated]

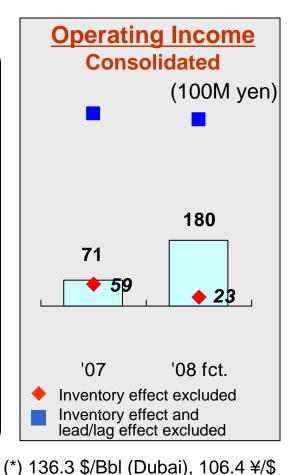
Adjusted operating income for FY '08 is projected to be 23 oku yen

 157 oku yen residual positive inventory effect in 2008, taking into account projected inventory levels; assumes no material change in crude prices during rest of year

Projection assumes no change from 490 oku yen negative effect from prompt crude cost

recognition accounting that arose in 1H

(100M yen)	<u>'07</u>	<u>'08 fct.</u>	1H act.	2H fct.
Sales revenue	30,498	39,000	16,926	22,074 ^(*)
Operating income	71	180	-23	203
Ordinary income	151	250	38	212
Extraordinary gain/loss	-40	60	56	4
Net income		190	59	131
Reverse inventory effects		-157	-196	39
Adjusted operating incor	ne 59	23	-220	243
Oil segment and others	s -497	-357	-399	42
Chemical segment	557	380	179	201



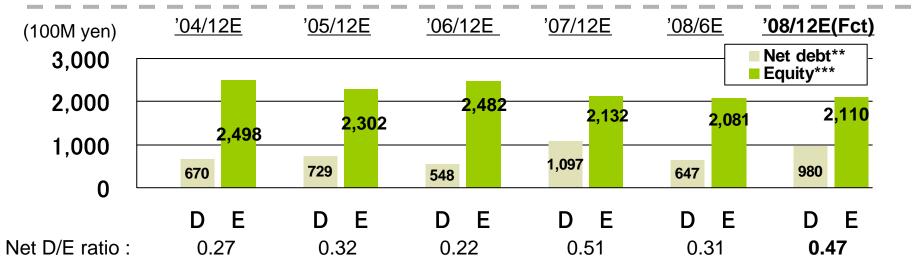
<as of June-end '08>

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Cash Flows, Debt/Equity [Consolidated]

(100M yen) 1H '08 **Operating / Investing Activities** 558 Net income before taxes 94 Net capex/Depreciation/Asset Disposal 110 Inventory 149 TAR/TAP/Gas tax & other payables 224 -36 Income tax payment **Others** 17 **Financing Activities** -557 Dividend to shareholders -107 Change in net debt -450 **Net Cash Change**

- Financial position remains healthy
- 558 oku yen of free cash flow
- Net D/E ratio at June end: 31%



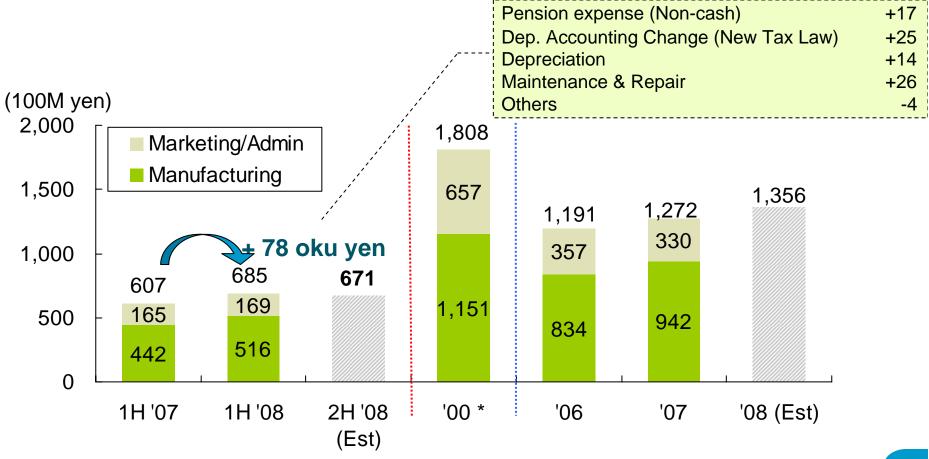
- * Cash flow before adjustment of B/S changes associated with NSS stock sales. The adjustments do not affect total cash flow
- ** Debt excl. cash and loans receivable
- *** Net Worth excl. Minority Interest

Supplemental Information

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Operating Expenses [Consolidated]

- Increased depreciation expenses for the new facilities and due to change in depreciation method under new rule
- Increased maintenance and repair cost reflecting higher construction costs including material costs



^{*} Tonen+General (unaudited pro forma combined)