LG Chem, Ltd.
Interim Financial Statements
June 30, 2008 and 2007

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Report of Independent Accountants

To the Board of Directors and Shareholders of LG Chem, Ltd.

We have reviewed the accompanying non-consolidated balance sheet of LG Chem, Ltd. (the "Company") as of June 30, 2008, the related non-consolidated statements of income for the three-month and six-month periods ended June 30, 2008 and 2007, the non-consolidated statements of changes in shareholders' equity and the related non-consolidated statements of cash flows for the six-month periods ended June 30, 2008 and 2007, expressed in Korean won. These interim financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to issue a report on these financial statements based on our reviews.

We conducted our reviews in accordance with the quarterly and semi-annual review standards established by the Securities and Futures Commission of the Republic of Korea. These standards require that we plan and perform our review to obtain moderate assurance as to whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. A review is limited primarily to inquiries of company personnel and analytical procedures applied to financial data and thus provides less assurance than an audit. We have not performed an audit and, accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

Based on our reviews, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying non-consolidated financial statements are not presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with financial accounting standards generally accepted in the Republic of Korea.

We have audited the non-consolidated balance sheet of LG Chem, Ltd. as of December 31, 2007, and the related non-consolidated statements of income, appropriations of retained earnings, statements of changes in shareholders' equity and cash flows for the year then ended, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the Republic of Korea. We expressed an unqualified opinion on those nonconsolidated financial statements in our audit report dated March 13, 2008. These non-consolidated financial statements are not included in this review report. The non-consolidated balance sheet as of December 31, 2007, presented herein for comparative purposes, is consistent, in all material respects, with the above audited balance sheet as of December 31, 2007.

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Accounting principles and review standards and their application in practice vary among countries. The accompanying non-consolidated financial statements are not intended to present the financial position, results of operations, changes in shareholders' equity and cash flows in conformity with accounting principles and practices generally accepted in countries and jurisdictions other than the Republic of Korea. In addition, the procedures and practices used in the Republic of Korea to review such financial statements may differ from those generally accepted and applied in other countries. Accordingly, this report and the accompanying financial statements are for use by those who are informed about Korean accounting principles or review standards and their application in practice.

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Seoul, Korea August 11, 2008

This report is effective as of August 11, 2008, the review report date. Certain subsequent events or circumstances, which may occur between the review report date and the time of reading this report, could have a material impact on the accompanying non-consolidated financial statements and notes thereto. Accordingly, the readers of the review report should understand that there is a possibility that the above review report may have to be revised to reflect the impact of such subsequent events or circumstances, if any.

LG Chem, Ltd.
Non-Consolidated Balance Sheets
June 30, 2008 and December 31, 2007
(Unaudited)

(in millions of Korean won)		2008		2007	
Assets					
Current assets			177	466 420	
Cash and cash equivalents	₩	252,886	₩	466,438	
Short-term investments		6,423		106,412	
Trade accounts and				0.55	
notes receivable, net (Notes 4, 12 and 17)		1,418,895		977,305	
Other accounts receivable, net (Note 4)		184,223		98,400	
Accrued income		3,449		3,734	
Advance payments		19,936		2,796	
Prepaid expenses		29,121		14,826	
Inventories, net (Note 5)		1,290,167		1,167,837	
Deferred income tax assets		16,747		23,237	
Other current assets		2,745		902	
Total current assets		3,224,592		2,861,887	
Long-term financial instruments (Note 3)		66		68	
Investment securities		1,912		1,912	
Equity-method investments (Note 6)		716,367		634,498	
Derivative instrument transaction debit (Note 12)		29,318		1,035	
Other investments		227		242	
Property, plant and equipment, net (Notes 7 and 18)		3,692,600		3,621,800	
Intangible assets, net (Notes 8 and 18)		(166,068)		(182,776)	
Long-term trade accounts					
and notes receivable, net (Note 4)		159		207	
Long-term other accounts receivable, net (Note 4)		553		639	
Long-term guarantee deposits		34,684		35,373	
Long-term prepaid expenses		19,669		19,816	
Other non-current assets		60,833		55,251	
Total assets	₩	7,614,912	₩	7,049,952	

LG Chem, Ltd. Non-Consolidated Balance Sheets June 30, 2008 and December 31, 2007 (Unaudited)

(in millions of Korean won)		2008		2007
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity				
Current liabilities	111	074.00	11.7	740 401
Trade accounts and notes payable (Note 17)	₩	874,885	₩	749,401
Other accounts payable		544,480		559,180 58,948
Withholdings		63,685 97,046		37,333
Accrued expenses (Note 17)		224,982		247,641
Income tax payable		224,962 63		40
Dividends payable		465,787		366,283
Current maturities of long-term debts, net		10,083		11,381
Other current liabilities				
Total current liabilities		2,281,011		2,030,207
Debentures, net (Note 9)		399,206		684,007
Other long-term debts, net		385,685		307,304
Accrued severance benefits, net (Notes 3 and 10)		101,094		94,908
Deferred income tax liabilities		29,248		20,771
Derivative instrument transaction credit (Note 12)				1,781
Other non-current liabilities		11,889		32,778
Total liabilities		3,208,133		3,171,756
Commitments and contingencies (Note 12)				
Shareholders' equity (Note 1)				
Common stock		376,194		376,194
Preferred stock		43,306		43,306
		419,500		419,500
Capital surplus				
Paid-in capital in excess of par value		1,052,640		1,052,640
Gain on disposal of treasury stock		841		841
Asset revaluation surplus		206,769		206,769
Other capital surplus		39,107		39,107
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		1,299,357		1,299,357
Comital adjustments				
Capital adjustments Treasury stock		(23,475)		(23,475)
·	5)		V	
Accumulated other comprehensive income (Notes 12 and 1 Gain on valuation of equity-method investments	J)	48,595		9,744
Loss on valuation of equity-method investments		(9,732)		(26,066)
Valuation loss on cash flow hedge derivative instruments		(5,609)		(20,000)
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Retained earnings (Notes 2 and 13)		72 400		<i>EL</i> 700
Legal reserve		73,429		56,729
Other reserves		1,958,693		1,460,097
Unappropriated retained earnings		646,021		682,310
		2,678,143		2,199,136
Total shareholders' equity		4,406,779		3,878,196
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	₩	7,614,912	₩	7,049,952
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of these non-consolidated financial statements.

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LG Chem, Ltd.
Non-Consolidated Statements of Income
Three-Month and Six-Month Periods Ended June 30, 2008 and 2007
(Unaudited)

(in millions of Korean won, except per share amounts)	2008					20	07	
,	Three mon	ths	Six	months	Th	ree months	S	x months
Sales (Notes 17 and 18)	₩ 3,737,9	93	₩ 7	,186,077	₩	2,643,536	₩	5,022,579
Cost of sales (Notes 14 and 17)	2,962,5			,759,366		2,214,611		4,227,933
Gross profit	775,4			,426,711	•	428,925		794,646
Selling and administrative expenses	294,0			566,528		265,289		503,262
Operating income	481,3	93		860,183		163,636		291,384
Non-operating income							-	
Interest income		62		12,513		2,343		4,673
Foreign exchange gains	37,1	86		60,787		9,222		15,561
Gain on foreign currency translation	16,3			14,067		10,506		5,729
Gain on valuation of equity-method investments	49,6			68,198		60,096		110,399
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	1,8	390		2,688		6,121		6,369
Reversal of negative goodwill	9,7	793		19,585		9,793		19,585
Gain on valuation of derivative instruments (Note 12)	17,6			37,801		-		9
Others	8,9	995		13,975		3,229		9,376
	145,4	174		229,614		101,310		171,701
Non-operating expenses						10.055		20.050
Interest expenses	13,0			30,298		19,875		38,970
Foreign exchange losses	40,2			81,379		5,434		14,370
Loss on foreign currency translation	36,0			69,982		2,727		880
Loss on disposal of trade accounts receivable		162		14,959		9,648		18,105
Loss on valuation of equity-method investments		331		10,900		1,856		4,787
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	4,5	577		5,586		4,347		8,461
Impairment loss on intangible assets		32		42		146		146
Loss on valuation of derivative instruments (Note 12)		-				2,044		426
Donations		989		2,134		1,311		2,409
Others	16,3			17,796		1,660		2,231
	124,:			233,076		49,048		90,785
Income from continuing operations before income tax	502,			856,721		215,898		372,300
Tax on income from continuing operations	116,			212,743		(22,002)		16,569
Income from continuing operations	385,	546		643,978		237,900		355,731
Loss from discontinued operations (Note 19)				·		1,321		6,125
Net income	₩ 385,	546	₩	643,978	₩	236,579	₩	349,606
Per share data (in won) (Note 16)								
Income from continuing operations per share	₩ 4,	629	₩	7,731	₩	3,281	₩	4,905
Earnings per share		629	₩	7,731	₩	3,263	₩	4,82
Diluted income from continuing operations per share		629	₩	7,731	₩	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	₩	
Diluted earnings per share		629	₩	7,731	₩		₩	
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LG Chem, Ltd.
Non-Consolidated Statements of Changes in Shareholders' Equity
Six-Month Period Ended June 30, 2008 and 2007
(Unaudited)

(in millions of Korean won)						Accumulated other		
_	Capital stock		Capital surplus		Capital justment	comprehensive Income	Retained earnings	Total
Balance as of January 1, 2007 Accumulated effects from changes	365,432	₩	739,612	₩	(23,129) ₩	(54,419) ₩	⁷ 1,589,744 ₩	2,617,240
of financial accounting standards	-		_		_	10,025	(3,905)	6,120
Dividends	_				**	-	(72,908)	(72,908)
Net income	-		-		-	-	349,605	349,605
Changes in equity arising from equity method investments	-		-		-	48,295	-	48,295
Balance as of June 30, 2007	365,432	₩	739,612	₩	(23,129) ₩	3,901 ₩	₹ 1,862,536 ₩	2,948,352
Balance as of January 1, 2008 Warnulated effects from changes	419,500	₩	1,299,357	₩	(23,475) ₩	(16,322) ₹	₹ 2,199,136 ₩	3,878,196
of financial accounting standards (Note 2	2) -		-		•	-	2,035	2,035
Dividends	_		-		~	-	(167,006)	(167,006)
Net income	-		-		-	•	643,978	643,978
Changes in equity arising from equity method investments (Note 1	5 -		•			55,185	-	55,185
Valuation loss on cash flow hedge derivative instruments (Notes 12 and 15)	_		_			(5,609)		(5,609)
Balance as of June 30, 2008	/ 419,500	₩	1,299,357	₩	(23,475) ₩		∀ 2,678,143 ₩	·

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these non-consolidated financial statements.

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LG Chem, Ltd.
Non-Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows
Six-Month Periods Ended June 30, 2008 and 2007
(Unaudited)

(in millions of Korean won)		2008	2007	
Cash flows from operating activities Net income	₩	643,978	₩	349,606
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash				······································
provided by operating activities				
Depreciation and amortization		205,054		259,267
Provision for severance benefits		34,023		30,441
Loss (gain) on foreign currency translation, net		57,611		(4,309)
Loss on disposal of trade accounts receivable		14,959		18,105
Gain on valuation of equity-method investments, net		(57,298)		(105,612)
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment, net		2,898		2,092
Impairment loss on intangible assets		42		146
Gain (loss) on valuation of derivative instruments, net		(37,801)		417
Reversal of negative goodwill		(19,585)		(19,585)
Others, net		11,226		10,861
Othors, not	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	211,129	<u> </u>	191,823
Changes in operating assets and liabilities			<u> </u>	
Increase in trade accounts and notes receivable		(453,392)		(98,357)
Increase in inventories		(119,474)		(50,920)
Dividends received		51,193		55,480
(Increase) decrease in other accounts receivable		(24,712)		47,346
Decrease (increase) in accrued income		284		(608)
(Increase) decrease in advance payments		(17,140)		496
Increase in prepaid expenses		(14,294)		(12,501)
Decrease (increase) in deferred income tax assets		4,211		(17,449)
Increase in other current assets		(1,798)		(9,829)
Increase in trade accounts and notes payable		122,260		42,658
Decrease in other accounts payable		(21,114)		(108,286)
Increase in accrued expenses		45,052		56,314
(Decrease) increase in income tax payable		(22,660)		63,378
(Decrease) increase in other current liabilities		1,229		(9,610)
Accrued severance benefits transferred from affiliated compani-	es	500		261
Decrease in deferred income tax liabilities		(3,069)		(74,387)
Payment of severance benefits		(28,248)		(25,068)
Others, net		(32)		4,189
		(481,204)		(136,893)
Net cash provided by operating activities		373,903		404,536

LG Chem, Ltd.
Non-Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows
Six-Month Periods Ended June 30, 2008 and 2007
(Unaudited)

(in millions of Korean won)	2008	2007	
Cash flows from investing activities	₩ 99,987	₩ (46)	
Disposal (acquisition) of short-term investments, net	9,689	9,361	
Disposal of property, plant and equipment	696	1,813	
Disposal of long-term guarantee deposits, net	(343,680)	(248,488)	
Acquisition of property, plant and equipment	(2,592)	(18,375)	
Acquisition of equity-method investments	(7,140)	(8,950)	
Acquisition of intangible assets, net	(3,935)	(14,547)	
Others, net			
Net cash used in investing activities	(246,975)	(279,232)	
Cash flows from financing activities			
Proceeds from short-term borrowings, net	-	26,923	
Repayment of current maturities of long-term debts	(266,391)	(293,642)	
Issuance of debentures		94,059	
Payment of dividends	(166,983)	(72,899)	
Proceeds from long-term debts, net	93,070	139,041	
Others, net	. (176)	(598)	
Net cash used in financing activities	(340,480)	(107,116)	
Net (decrease) increase in cash and cash equivalents	(213,552)	18,188	
Cash and cash equivalents	166 120	115,830	
Beginning of the period	466,438		
End of the period	₩ 252,886	₩ 134,018	

1. The Company

The Company was spun off from LG Chem Investment Ltd. (formerly LG Chemical Ltd.) on April 1, 2001, and completed the registration process on April 3, 2001. The Company engages in the business of petrochemicals, industrial materials, and information and electronic materials. The Company has its manufacturing facilities in Yeosu, Cheongju, Ulsan, Naju, Onsan, Iksan, Daesan and Ochang.

The Company merged with LG Daesan Petrochemical Ltd. on January 1, 2006, and LG Petrochemical Co., Ltd. on November 1, 2007.

As of June 30, 2008 and December 31, 2007, the Company has an outstanding capital stock of \$\pmu419,500\$ million, including preferred stock of \$\pmu43,306\$ million. The Company has been listed on the Korea Stock Exchange since April 25, 2001.

The Company is authorized to issue 292 million shares of common stock with par value of \$\foware\$5,000 per share. As of June 30, 2008 and December 31, 2007, the Company has issued 75,238,770 common shares and 8,661,251 preferred shares. Preferred shareholders have no voting rights but are entitled to dividends at a rate 1% more than those paid to common shareholders.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The significant accounting policies followed by the Company in the preparation of its non-consolidated financial statements are summarized below.

Basis of Financial Statements Presentation

The Company maintains its accounting records in Korean won and prepares statutory financial statements in the Korean language, in conformity with financial accounting principles generally accepted in the Republic of Korea. Certain accounting principles applied by the Company that conform with financial accounting standards and accounting principles in the Republic of Korea may not conform with generally accepted accounting principles in other countries. Accordingly, these financial statements are intended for use by those who are informed about Korean accounting principles and practices. The accompanying non-consolidated financial statements have been condensed, restructured and translated into English from the Korean language non-consolidated financial statements. Certain information attached to the Korean language financial statements, but not required for a fair presentation of the Company's financial position, results of operations, or cash flows, is not presented in the accompanying non-consolidated financial statements.

Application of the Statements of Korean Financial Accounting Standards

The Korean Accounting Standards Board has published a series of Statements of Korean Financial Accounting Standards (SKFAS), which will gradually replace the existing financial accounting standards established by the Korean Financial Supervisory Commission. The Company's interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the SKFAS including Nos. 1 through 23, except No.14. Significant accounting policies adopted for the preparation of the Company's interim financial statements are identical to those adopted for the financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2007.

Changes in Accounting Policy

In the preparation of the Company's interim financial statements, the Company adopted the Korea Accounting Institute opinion on Korean Accounting Statement Implementation 06-2, Accounting treatment for taxable temporary differences associated with investments in subsidiaries, associates, and interest in joint ventures, which was revised on February 22, 2008. The financial statements as of and for the year ended December 31, 2007, have not been restated, and the effect of the change is shown as a one-time charge to the beginning balance of 2008. The effects of this change were an increase in retained earnings by \$\forall 1,358\$ million, an increase in changes in equity arising from equity-method investments by \$\forall 179\$ million, and a decrease in deferred income tax liabilities by \$\forall 1,537\$ million as of December 31, 2006. Also, the effect of this change was a decrease in income tax expense by \$\forall 677\$ million for the year ended December 31, 2007, a decrease in deferred income tax liabilities by \$\forall 2,035\$ million, and an increase in retained earnings by \$\forall 2,035\$ million as of December 31, 2007.

3. Restricted Bank Deposits

As of June 30, 2008, long-term financial instruments are deposited in connection with bank overdraft agreements, and withdrawal of these deposits is restricted.

Further, the withdrawal of group severance insurance deposits is restricted to employees' severance payments (Note 10).

4. Receivables

Receivables and allowance for doubtful accounts as of June 30, 2008 and December 31, 2007, consist of the following:

(in millions of Korean won)		2008		2007
Trade accounts and notes receivable Less: Allowance for doubtful accounts	₩	1,469,582 (50,687)	₩	1,025,892 (48,587)
	₩	1,418,895	₩	977,305
Other accounts receivable	₩	208,456	₩	122,605
Less : Allowance for doubtful accounts Less : Present value discount		(24,209) (24)		(24,169) (36)
	₩	184,223	₩	98,400
Long-term trade accounts and notes receivable Less: Allowance for doubtful accounts	₩	182 (23)	₩	239 (32)
Less . Allowance for doubtful accounts	₩	159	₩	207
Long-term other accounts receivable	₩	584	₩	685
Less: Present value discount		(31)		(46)
	₩	553	₩	639

LG Chem, Ltd. Notes to Non-Consolidated Financial Statements June 30, 2008 and 2007, and December 31, 2007 (Unaudited)

5. Inventories

Inventories as of June 30, 2008 and December 31, 2007, consist of the following:

(in millions of Korean won)		2008	2007		
Merchandise, net of valuation allowance of ₩507 million					
(December 31, 2007: ₩607 million)	₩	40,540	₩	43,812	
Finished products, net of valuation allowance of ₩7,340 million		601,748		528,350	
(December 31, 2007: \(\psi_5,298\) million)					
Work-in-process		156,456		141,239	
Raw materials, net of valuation allowance of ₩312 million		351,292		354,493	
(December 31, 2007: ₩335 million)					
Supplies		43,842		37,089	
Materials-in-transit		96,289		62,854	
	₩	1,290,167	₩	1,167,837	

LG Chem, Ltd. Notes to Non-Consolidated Financial Statements June 30, 2008 and 2007, and December 31, 2007 (Unaudited)

6. Equity-Method Investments

Equity-method investments as of June 30, 2008 and December 31, 2007, are summarized as follows:

(in millions of Korean won)	Percent	~					Fair Valu	a or Net
* 4-4	Owne	•	Acquisition Cost		Book 1	√alue	Asset	
Investee ⁴	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007
	2000	2007	2000	200.				
Tianjin LG Dagu Chemical Co., Ltd.	75.00	75.00	₩ 17,440	₩ 17,440	₩ 24,612	₩ 23,370	₩ 24,218	₩ 23,416
Tianjin LG New Building								
Materials Co., Ltd.	85.35	85.35	33,649	33,649	43,674	31,472	49,782	37,544
Ningbo LG Yongxing Chemical Co., Ltd.	75.00	75.00	110,746	110,746	141,367	143,143	140,209	142,382
LG Chemical India Pvt. Ltd.	100.00	100.00	31,466	31,466	53,336	50,173	53,336	50,173
* ? Chemical Hong Kong Ltd.	100.00	100.00	254	254	9,675	7,489	8,508	6,997
Vina Chemical J/V Company	40.00	40.00	1,194	1,194	2,385	2,561	2,523	2,614
LG Chem America, Inc.	100.00	100.00	9,596	9,596	5,123	5,441	10,537	8,531
M. Dohmen S.A.	49.00	49.00	43,203	43,203	993	993	5,889	5,889
SEETEC Co., Ltd.	50.00	50.00	36,643	36,643	68,625	64,306	159,741	157,490
LG Dow Polycarbonate Ltd.	50.00	50.00	36,794	36,794	65,148	75,919	65,129	74,822
LG Chemical (Guangzhou) Engineering								
Plastics Co., Ltd.	100.00	100.00	13,091	13,091	21,663	15,435	22,009	15,453
LG Chem (Nanjing) Information &								
Electronics Materials Co., Ltd. ¹	77.67	77.00	52,447	50,704	56,253	37,339	71,545	51,846
LG Chem Trading (Shanghai) Co., Ltd.	100.00	100.00	3,503	3,503	1,963	1,724	1,962	1,739
LG Chem (China) Investment Co., Ltd.	100.00	100.00	40,340	40,340	45,426	43,125	45,426	43,127
LG Chem (Taiwan), Ltd.	100.00	100.00	6,888	6,888	6,859	2,566	12,231	6,434
LG Chem Industrial Materials Inc.	100.00	100.00	17,846	17,846	12,157	8,545	12,937	8,891
LG Holdings (HK) Ltd. 2	18.18	18.18	41,582	41,582	30,290	27,222	28,196	24,866
Compact Power Inc. ³	100.00	81.00	5,483	4,635	1,012	611	1,012	611
LG Chem (Tianjin) Engineering Plastics								
Co., Ltd.	90.00	90.00	5,589	5,589	10,994	7,125	11,985	7,765
LG Chem Display Materials (Beijing)								
Co., Ltd.	90.00	90.00	6,865	6,865	9,511	7,200	10,261	7,961
ı ıanjin LG Bohai Chemical Co., Ltd.	65.00	65.00	63,524	63,524	89,314	67,238	99,799	77,313
LG Chem Europe GmbH	100.00	100.00	1,927	1,927	2,505	2,015	4,160	2,781
LG Chem Brasil, Ltd.	100.00	100.00	258	258	258	258	258	258
LG Chem Poland Sp. Z.O.O	100.00	100.00	5,790	5,790	13,224	9,228	13,205	9,214
		_	₩586,118	₩583,527	₩ 716,367	₩ 634,498	₩ 854,858	₩ 768,117

- In 2008, the Company acquired additional shares of LG Chem (Nanjing) Information & Electronics Materials Co., Ltd. for ₩1,743 million, increasing its percentage of ownership to 77.67%.
- This investment is classified as an equity-method investment as the combined percentage of ownership of the Company and LG Electronics Inc., a consolidated subsidiary of LG Corp., exceeds 20%.
- In 2008, the Company acquired additional shares of Compact Power Inc. for \W848 million, increasing its percentage of ownership to 100%.
- As of June 30, 2008, the Company has control over all the investees, except for M. Dohmen S.A., SEETEC Co., Ltd. and LG Holdings (HK) Ltd.

7. Property, Plant and Equipment

Property, plant and equipment as of June 30, 2008 and December 31, 2007, consist of the following:

(in millions of Korean won)	2008		2008		villions of Korean won) 2008			
Buildings	₩	1,004,472	₩	1,015,083				
Structures		503,764		492,002				
Machinery and equipment		4,694,097		4,575,811				
Vehicles		25,648		26,413				
Tools and furniture		638,357		606,317				
Others		-		12,935				
		6,866,338		6,728,561				
Accumulated depreciation		(4,022,690)		(3,898,819)				
Accumulated impairment loss		(12,426)		(12,408)_				
,	***************************************	2,831,222		2,817,334				
Land		497,460		497,823				
Construction-in-progress		291,991		286,560				
Machinery-in-transit		71,927		20,083				
·	₩	3,692,600	₩	3,621,800				

As of June 30, 2008, certain property, plant and equipment have been pledged as collateral for bank loans up to a maximum of ₩384,520 million (December 31, 2007: ₩365,822 million).

8. Intangible Assets

Intangible assets as of June 30, 2008 and December 31, 2007, are as follows:

(in millions of Korean won)		2008	2007		
Intellectual property rights	₩	27,904	₩	24,595	
Exclusive facility use rights		1,152		1,242	
Development costs, net		41,672		45,471	
Goodwill		9,454		10,714	
Others		8,352		9,389	
Negative goodwill		(254,602)		(274,187)	
_	₩	(166,068)	₩	(182,776)	

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9. Debentures

Debentures as of June 30, 2008 and December 31, 2007, consist of the following:

(in millions of Korean won)		nual Rate (%)				
	2008	2007	2008		2007	
Publicly offered debentures,						
payable through 2013	3.5~5.02	3.5~5.02	₩	480,000	₩	680,000
Privately offered debentures,						****
payable through 2009	5.02~5.32	5.02~5.32		100,000		100,000
Foreign debentures,				222 542		224 550
payable through 2010 ¹	LIBOR+0.2-0.45	LIBOR+0.2-0.60	***************************************	229,548		234,550
				809,548		1,014,550
Less : Current matur	rities			(408,689)		(327,893)
Discount on d	ebentures issued			(1,653)		(2,650)
			₩	399,206	₩	684,007

Floating rate notes were issued on May 25, 2005, to mature on November 25, 2008. Term notes were also issued on March 23, 2006, to mature on September 23, 2008 and September 23, 2009. Further, the Company issued floating rate notes on March 20, 2007, and will redeem these on September 23, 2009 and September 17, 2010.

10. Accrued Severance Benefits

Accrued severance benefits as of June 30, 2008 and December 31, 2007, are as follows:

(in millions of Korean won)		2008	2007		
Provision for severance benefits	₩	284,778	₩	278,413	
Less: Group severance insurance deposits		(180,504)		(179,983)	
Contributions to National Pension Plan		(3,180)		(3,522)	
Ending balance	₩	101,094	₩	94,908	

11. Stock Options

Based on the Commercial Code of Korea, the Company may grant stock options to directors and employees who have contributed or can contribute to the Company's establishment, management, overseas business or technology innovation through a resolution of the Board of Directors or shareholders. In 2005, the Company granted stock options.

Details of the stock options granted are as follows:

	Number of Commo	1	Exercise Price per Share		
Grant date	Shares Granted ¹	Grant Method	(in Korean won)	Exercise Period	
March 25, 2005	221,000	To compensate price difference	₩ 42,530	March 26, 2008 to March 25, 2012	

Of the stock options granted in 2005, 347,000 shares were forfeited due to the grantees' early termination of employment. Further, if the increase in the stock price is not higher than the increase in the Korea Composite Stock Price Index during the three years after the grant date, the final number of common shares exercised will only be 50% of the number of common shares originally granted.

Changes in stock option during the six- month periods ended June 30, of 2008 and 2007, are as follows:

Granted number of shares

	2008	2007
Beginning balance	221,000	221,000
Exercised number of shares	127,000	
Ending balance	94,000	221,000

(in millions of Korean won)	Amounts				
	2008		2007		
Beginning balance ¹	₩	11,857	₩	-	
Stock compensation cost ²		1,327		3,206	
Exercised amounts		(7,378)		_	
Ending balance	₩	5,806	₩	3,206	

¹ As stock price did not exceed the exercise price, no stock compensation expense was recognized as of December 31, 2006.

12. Commitments and Contingencies

As of June 30, 2008, the Company has provided a joint guarantee for obligations outstanding as of January 1, 2005, for Lotte Daesan Petrochemical Ltd. and SEETEC Co., Ltd. In addition, the Company has provided financial guarantees to customers.

As of June 30, 2008, the Company has been provided with guarantees from the Seoul Guarantee Insurance for the execution of supply contracts.

As of June 30, 2008, the Company has provided one blank promissory note to the Korea National Oil Corporation as collateral in relation to petroleum import surcharges. Further, with respect to the borrowings of the Company, one blank promissory note is provided as collateral to a financial institution.

The Company has guaranteed repayments of various obligations of subsidiaries and affiliated companies. The outstanding balances of such guarantees as of June 30, 2008, amounted to \W159,595 million (Note 17).

As of June 30, 2008, the Company is contingently liable for notes receivable from export sales which were discounted through financial institutions in the ordinary course of business amounting to \$\foware\$890,193 million.

As of June 30, 2008, the Company has bank overdraft agreements with several banks for up to \$85,100 million. The Company has also entered into contracts with several financial institutions to open letters of credit for up to \$103,600 million and US \$552 million. The Company has entered into contracts with several financial institutions for discounting notes from export for up to \$15,000 million and US \$904 million, for other foreign currency payment guarantee of up to US \$15 million, and for other notes of up to \$60,000 million, respectively.

As of June 30, 2008, the Company has entered into various technical license agreements with companies, including Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company, for the production of polymer and rubber products.

The Company entered into a contract with LG Corp. to use trademarks on the products that the Company manufactures and sells, and on the services the Company provides in relation to its business.

As of June 30, 2008, the Company has a long-term purchase contract for certain raw materials and was provided with US \$ 13,859 thousand as a guarantee for the contract performance.

² Stock compensation cost of ₩1,327 million was recognized due to changes in stock price during 2008.

As of June 30, 2008, the Company has been named as a defendant and plaintiff in various legal actions. Management believes that these legal actions will not have a material adverse impact on the Company's operations or financial position although the outcome of these legal actions is uncertain.

The Company has cross currency and interest rate swap with financial institutions for hedging against fluctuations in foreign exchange rates and interest rates. As of June 30, 2008, the Company's outstanding contracts and options include currency swap of US\$342 million (December 31, 2007: US\$ 242 million).

Details of the changes in valuation gain or loss on derivatives for the six-month periods ended June 30, 2008 and 2007, are as follow:

	Trading				Hedge ¹					
(in millions of Korean won)	Valuation gain		Valuation loss		Valuation gain	Valuation loss		Other comprehensive income ²		
2008	₩	_	₩	-	₩ 37,801	₩	-	₩	5,609	
2007		9		426	-		-		-	

¹ The Company applies cash flow hedge accounting and is exposed to fluctuations in cash flows up to January 22, 2012, on its cross currency and interest swaps.

13. Retained earnings

Retained earnings as of June 30, 2008 and December 31, 2007, consist of:

(in millions of Korean won)	2008	2007
Legal reserve	₩ 73,429	₩ 56,729
Other reserves		
Reserve for business rationalization	4,000	4,000
Reserve for technology development	1,366,196	997,664
Voluntary reserve	212,120	212,120
Reserve for investment losses	376,377	246,313
	1,958,693	1,460,097
Unappropriated retained earnings	646,021	682,310
	₩ 2,678,143	₩ 2,199,136

² The ₩5,609 million, net of tax, was charged to accumulated other comprehensive income (Note 15).

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14. Cost of Sales

Cost of sales for the three-month and six-month periods ended June 30, 2008 and 2007, are as follows:

	20	08	2007		
	Three Months	Six Months	Three Months	Six Months	
Products					
Beginning inventories	₩ 655,745	₩ 669,154	₩ 479,070	₩ 480,039	
Cost of goods manufactured	2,757,732	5,270,423	1,903,948	3,594,912	
Ending inventories	(757,755)	(757,755)	(503,453)	(503,453)	
Others	(8,817)	(18,012)	(9,634)	(22,896)	
Discontinued operations	***		(1,937)	(5,572)	
	2,646,905	5,163,810	1,867,994	3,543,030	
Merchandise					
Beginning inventories	43,170	43,812	42,842	47,064	
Purchases	298,410	566,056	330,538	658,406	
Ending inventories	(40,540)	(40,540)	(35,520)	(35,520)	
Discontinued operations	-	····	(6)	(15)	
	301,040	569,328	337,854	669,935	
Other cost of sales	14,630	26,228	8,763	14,968	
Total	₩ 2,962,575	₩ 5,759,366	₩ 2,214,611	₩ 4,227,933	

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15. Comprehensive Income

Comprehensive income for the three-month and six-month periods ended June 30, 2008 and 2007, are as follows:

(in millions of Korean won)	20	08	07	
	Three Months	Six Months	Three Months	Six Months
Net income	₩ 385,546	₩ 643,978	₩ 236,579	₩ 349,606
Cumulative effect of the changes in accounting policy Other comprehensive income	2,035	2,035	-	-
Increase from equity-method investments, net of tax effects of \W17,990 million (2007: \W1,683 million) Valuation loss on cash flow hedge derivative instruments, net of tax effects	18,844	55,185	41,130	48,295
of \forall (2,128) million	7,622	(5,609)	-	-
Comprehensive income	₩ 414,047	₩ 695,589	₩ 227,709	₩ 397,901

16. Earnings Per Share

Basic income from continuing operations per share and earnings per share for the year ended December 31, 2007, were \(\psi_9,466\) and \(\psi_9,264\), respectively.

Basic income from continuing operations per share and earnings per share for the three-month and six-month periods ended June 30, 2008 and 2007, are computed as follows:

(in millions of Korean won, except per share amounts)

, 11	2008			2007				
	Thre	e Months	Six	Months	Thre	e Months	Six	Months
Income from continuing operations Preferred stock dividends ¹	₩	385,546 (2,219)	₩	643,978 (4,437)	₩	237,900 (2,273)	₩	355,731 (4,545)
Preferred stock share in the remaining profit available for dividends		(37,907)		(62,601)		(26,241)		(38,139)
Income from continuing operations available for common stock (A)	₩	345,420	₩	576,940	₩	209,386	₩	313,047
Weighted average number of shares of outstanding common stock (B) ²	7	4,628,861	7	4,628,861	6	3,818,182	6	3,818,182
Basic income from continuing operations per share (A/B)	₩	4,629	₩	7,731	₩	3,281	₩	4,905

(in millions of Korean won, except per share amounts)

	20	08	2007		
	Three Months	Six Months	Three Months	Six Months	
Net income	₩ 385,546	₩ 643,978	₩ 236,579	₩ 349,606	
Preferred stock dividends 1	(2,219)	(4,437)	(2,273)	(4,545)	
Preferred stock share in the remaining profit available for dividends	(37,907)	(62,601)	(26,083)	(37,407)	
Net income available for common stock (A)	₩ 345,420	₩ 576,940	₩ 208,223	₩ 307,653	
Weighted average number of shares of outstanding common stock (B) ² Basic earnings per share (A/B)	74,628,861 ₩ 4,629	74,628,861 ₩ 7,731	63,818,182 ₩ 3,263	63,818,182 ₩ 4,821	

Preferred stock dividends were assumed to be half of the dividends paid for the previous years.

There are no outstanding convertible bonds or other dilutive securities as of June 30, 2008 and 2007. Accordingly, basic earnings and income from continuing operations per share are identical to fully diluted earnings and income from continuing operations per share.

Basic and diluted loss from discontinued operations per share for the six-month periods ended June 30, 2008 and 2007, are computed as follows:

(in millions of Korean won, except per share amounts)

·	2008				2007				
	Three !	Months	Six Mo	nths	Three N	Months	Six M	Six Months ₩ 84	
Loss from discontinued									
operations per share	₩	-	₩	-	₩	18	₩	84	

² Excludes treasury stock.

17. Related Party Transactions

The Company is a subsidiary of LG Corp. The ultimate controlling party of LG Corp is Mr. Koo Bon-moo, the chairman of LG Corp, and his related parties.

Significant transactions, which occurred in the ordinary course of business with related companies for the six-month periods ended June 30, 2008 and 2007, and the related account balances as of June 30, 2008 and December 31, 2007, are summarized as follows:

(in millions of Korean won)	Sales	Purchases ²	Receivables ³	Payables	
Largest shareholder	₩ -	₩ -	₩ -	₩ -	
Controlling company	-	20,040	7,723	3,045	
Subsidiaries	590,381	77,718	115,256	27,094	
Equity method investees	43,278	79,129	14,898	15,428	
Key management officers	-	29,404	-	53,634	
Other related companies ¹	1,185,020	288,518	374,028	94,018	
2008 Total	₩1,818,679	₩ 494,809	₩ 511,905	₩ 193,219	
2007 Total	₩1,300,713	₩1,209,351	₩ 367,716	₩ 183,528	

Includes LG Display Co., Ltd. (formerly LG Philips LCD Co., Ltd.) and LG Electronics Inc.

Compensation for key management officers for six-month periods ended June 30, 2008 and 2007, consists of:

(in millions of Korean won)	2008			2007		
Short-term employee benefits	₩	13,897	₩	13,497		
Post-employment benefits		2,570		1,642		
Other long-term employee benefits		11,610		5,120		
Share-based payments		1,327		3,235		
Total	$\overline{\mathbb{A}}$	29,404	₩	23,494		

Key management officers include directors and audit committee members having duties and responsibilities over planning, operations and control of the Company's business activities.

Purchases of 2007 include purchases of ₩776,713 million from LG Petrochemical Co., Ltd., which was merged with the Company in November 2007.

Allowance for doubtful accounts as of June 30, 2008, amounts to \W3,688 million. Bad debt expenses recognized in the current period is \W1,502 million.

The details of guarantees provided by the Company as of June 30, 2008 and December 31, 2007, are as follows:

(in millions of Korean won)	2008							
Guarantee Beneficiary	Amount of Guarantee							
LG Chem (Nanjing) Information &								
Electronics Materials Co., Ltd.	₩ 17,216		₩ 12,782					
	20,868		20,868					
	17,633	-	10,434					
LG Chem Industrial Materials Inc.	26,398		26,398					
LG Chem Europe GmbH	4,941		_					
Tianjin LG Bohai Chemical Co., Ltd.	41,736		13,913					
LG Chem Poland Sp.Z.O.O.	16,471	KEXIM Bank	16,471					
	4,941	Nordea Bank	4,941					
LG Chem America, Inc.	4,174	Woori Bank	4,174					
	5,217	Kookmin Bank	1,043					
	₩ 159,595		₩ 111,024					
(in millions of Korean won)		2007						
	Amount of		Outstanding					
Guarantee Beneficiary	Guarantee	Financial Institution	Loan Amount					
LG Chem (Nanjing) Information &								
Electronics Materials Co., Ltd.	₩ 15,480		₩ 15,480					
	18,764	. *** ' * 1						
	•		18,764					
	15,856	Korea Exchange Bank	9,382					
LG Chem Industrial Materials Inc.	15,856 23,736	Korea Exchange Bank Kookmin Bank	,					
LG Chem Industrial Materials Inc. LG Chem Europe GmbH	15,856 23,736 4,144	Korea Exchange Bank Kookmin Bank Societe Generale Bank	9,382					
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LG Chem Europe GmbH	15,856 23,736 4,144 37,528 13,813	Korea Exchange Bank Kookmin Bank Societe Generale Bank KEXIM Bank KEXIM Bank	9,382 23,736 15,637 13,813					
LG Chem Europe GmbH Tianjin LG Bohai Chemical Co., Ltd.	15,856 23,736 4,144 37,528 13,813 6,216	Korea Exchange Bank Kookmin Bank Societe Generale Bank KEXIM Bank KEXIM Bank Nordea Bank	9,382 23,736 15,637 13,813 4,144					
LG Chem Europe GmbH Tianjin LG Bohai Chemical Co., Ltd.	15,856 23,736 4,144 37,528 13,813 6,216 3,753	Korea Exchange Bank Kookmin Bank Societe Generale Bank KEXIM Bank KEXIM Bank Nordea Bank Woori Bank	9,382 23,736 15,637 13,813 4,144 3,753					
LG Chem Europe GmbH Tianjin LG Bohai Chemical Co., Ltd. LG Chem Poland Sp.Z.O.O.	15,856 23,736 4,144 37,528 13,813 6,216	Korea Exchange Bank Kookmin Bank Societe Generale Bank KEXIM Bank KEXIM Bank Nordea Bank Woori Bank Kookmin Bank	9,382 23,736 15,637 13,813 4,144					

18. Segment Information

The Company defines its segments by the nature of its products and services.

(1) Industry Segment Information

Industry	Products or Services	Major Customers
Petrochemicals	PE, PVC, VCM, alcohol, plasticizers, ABS/PS, EPS, MBS, SBL, EP, ethylene, propylene, BPA and others	LG Electronics Inc. Daewoo Electronics Co., Ltd. Kia Motors Corp. Youlchon Chemical Co., Ltd. National Plastic Co., Ltd. Mitsubishi Corporation and others
Industrial Materials	Hi Sash, UBR, wall coverings, living materials, building materials and others	Hyundai Motors Co., Ltd. GM Daewoo Auto & Technology Company Distributors and wholesalers
Information & Electronic Materials	Batteries, Polarizers	LG Electronics Inc. LG. Display Co., Ltd. and others

Financial information on industry segments for the six-month periods ended June 30, 2008 and 2007, follows:

						2008				
(in millions of Korean won)	Petro	ochemicals		dustrial aterials	E	rmation & lectronic Iaterials	ie			Total
Sales External sales Inter-segment sales		4,836,948 166,314 5,003,262	₩	1,077,945 3,571 1,081,516	₩	1,264,289 1,386 1,265,675	₩	6,895 90,380 97,275		7,186,077 261,651 7,447,728
Operating income	₩	611,046	₩	75,274	₩	177,978	₩	(4,115)	₩	860,183
Property, plant and equipment and intangible assets ¹	₩.	2,018,958	_₩	' 421,197	₩	895,526	₩	445,453	₩:	3,781,134
Depreciation and amortization	₩	113,151	₩	28,587	₩	60,217	₩	3,099	_₩	205,054

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					20	07				
(in millions of Korean won)	Petroc	hemicals		lustrial aterials	Elec	nation & tronic terials	O	thers	Т	'otal
Sales External sales Inter-segment sales	₩ 3	3,009,507 136,102 3,145,609	₩	1,062,093 909 1,063,002	₩ ₩	942,884 1,384 944,268	₩	8,095 71,964 80,059	₩	5,022,579 210,359 5,232,938
Operating income	₩	188,509	₩	67,692	₩	33,972	₩	1,211	₩	291,384
Property, plant and equipment and intangible assets ²	₩	1,399,363	₩	445,818	₩	891,672	₩	436,356	₩	3,173,209
Depreciation and amortization	₩	153,050	₩	30,709	₩	73,559	₩	1,949	₩	259,267

¹ Excludes negative goodwill incurred from the merger, which is deducted from intangible assets.

(2) Geographical Segment Information

The sales by geographical segments for the six-month periods ended June 30, 2008 and 2007, are as follows:

(in	millions of Kor	ean won)						
·	Domestic ¹	China	North America	South America	South- East Asia	Western Europe	Others	Total
2008	₩3,996,172	₩1,701,177	₩243,628	₩48,578	₩249,356	₩203,631	₩743,535	₩7,186,077
2007	₩2,766,872	₩1,265,978	₩157,609	₩36,680	₩121,243	₩200,298	₩473,899	₩5,022,579

Domestic sales include the exports made based on local letters of credit.

Information on property, plant and equipment of each geographical segment has not been included as the Company does not manage its property, plant and equipment by geographical segments.

19. Discontinued Operations

The Company decided to sell its safety materials business as approved by the CEO of the Company on March 23, 2007. Also, the Company decided to sell its PDP fluorescent substance business and AMS Filter business as approved by the CEO of the Company on October 16, 2007 and December 11, 2007, respectively. The Company disposed of all of the related assets by December 31, 2007.

The loss before tax from discontinued operations for the six-month period ended June 30, 2007, is as follows:

(in millions of Korean won)		materials isiness	PDP fluoresce substance busin			Filter iness	Total	
Impairment loss on discontinued operations	₩	(3,292)	₩	-	₩	<u></u>	₩ (3,29	

discontinued operations \forall (3,292) \forall - \forall - \forall (3,292) Loss from the discontinued operations 1 (3,254) 175 (1,698) (4,777) Loss before tax from discontinued operations (6,546) 175 (1,698) (8,069)

The income statements of the discontinued operations excluding impairment loss on discontinued operations for the six-month period ended June 30, 2007, are as follows:

(in mutions of Korean won)		materials siness	subs	PDP fluorescent substance business		IS Filter usiness	Total	
Sales Cost of sales	₩	3,068 (4,158)	₩	3,330 (2,089)	₩	170 (62)	₩	6,568 (6,309)
Gross profit (loss)		(1,090)		1,241		108	***************************************	259
Selling and administrative expenses Operating income (loss)		(2,183) (3,273)		(1,197) 44		(1,805) (1,697)		(5,185) (4,926)
Non-operating income		144		309		1		454
Non-operating expenses		(125)		(178)		(2)		(305)
Income (loss) from the discontinued operations	₩	(3,254)	₩	175	₩	(1,698)	₩	(4,777)

¹ Excludes impairment loss on discontinued operations.

The loss after tax from discontinued operations for the six-month period ended June 30, 2007, is as follows:

(in millions of Korean won)	•	materials isiness		luorescent ace business	AMS Filter business		Total	
Loss before tax from discontinued operations Income tax effects	₩	(6,546) 1,524	₩	175 (48)	₩	(1,698) 468	₩ (8,069) 1,944	
Income (loss) after tax from discontinued operations	₩	(5,022)	₩	127	₩	(1,230)	₩ (6,125)	

Cash flows from the discontinued operations for the six-month period ended June 30, 2007, are as follows:

(in millions of Korean won)							
	Safety materials business		PDP fluorescent substance business		AMS Filter business		Total
Cash flows from operating activities	₩	743	₩	(492)	₩	(1,598)	₩ (1,347)
Cash flows from investing activities Cash flows from financing		1,945		5,317		(700)	6,562
activities		(2,688)		(4,825)		2,298	(5,215)
Total	₩	_	₩	_	₩	-	₩ -

20. Business Purchase agreement

On June 23, 2008, in accordance with a resolution of Board of Directors, the Company entered into an agreement with Kolon Industries Inc. to acquire the latter's Super Absorbent Polymer facilities in Gimcheon. The purchase date and the purchase price will be determined in the latter half of 2008.