LG Chem, Ltd. Interim Financial Statements March 31, 2009 and 2008

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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 statement of financial position of LG Chem, Ltd. (the "Company") as of March 31, 2009, the related non-consolidated statements of income, changes in shareholders' equity and cash flows for the three-month periods ended March 31, 2009 and 2008, 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 interim 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 non-consolidated interim financial statements referred to above 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 statement of financial position of LG Chem, Ltd. as of December 31, 2008, 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 non-consolidated financial statements in our audit report dated March 11, 2009. These non-consolidated financial statements are not included in this review report. The non-consolidated statement of financial position as of December 31, 2008, presented herein for comparative purposes, is consistent, in all material respects, with the above audited statement of financial position as of December 31, 2008.

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As discussed in Note 19 to the non-consolidated financial statements, LG Chem, Ltd. spun-off its Industrial Materials segment into LG HAUSYS, Ltd. on April 1, 2009.

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 May 13, 2009

This report is effective as of May 13, 2009, 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 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 Statements of Financial Position
March 31, 2009 and December 31, 2008
(Unaudited)

(in millions of Korean won)	2009			2008
Assets				
Current assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	₩	968,689	₩	373,300
Short-term investments		~		148,300
Trade accounts and				
notes receivable, net (Notes 4, 12 and 17)		1,290,627		1,123,361
Other accounts receivable, net (Note 4)		94,839		88,829
Accrued income		7,875		2,799
Advance payments		7,550		8,848
Prepaid expenses		24,328		21,490
Inventories, net (Note 5)		1,247,360		1,508,938
Deferred income tax assets		36,411		39,164
Other current assets		1,576	.,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	1,619
Total current assets		3,679,255		3,316,648
Equity method investments (Note 6)		926,996		800,789
Derivative instrument transaction debit (Note 12)		72,721		51,845
Other investments (Note 3)		1,525		2,220
Property, plant and equipment, net (Notes 7 and 18)		3,942,019		3,867,666
Intangible assets, net (Notes 8 and 18)		(109,055)		(112,884)
Long-term guarantee deposits		30,405		31,106
Long-term prepaid expenses		19,395		19,476
Other non-current assets, net (Note 4)		59,364		59,516
Total assets	₩	8,622,625	₩	8,036,382

LG Chem, Ltd.
Non-Consolidated Statements of Financial Position
March 31, 2009 and December 31, 2008
(Unaudited)

(in millions of Korean won)		2009		2008
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity				
Current liabilities				
Trade accounts and notes payable (Note 17)	₩	709,673	₩	527,150
Other accounts payable		536,688		567,475
Withholdings		62,995		47,641
Accrued expenses (Note 17)		72,107		54,752
Income tax payable		221,396		367,620
Dividends payable		209,253		51
Current maturities of long-term debts, net (Note 10)		691,443		575,142
Provision for warranty reserve (Note 9)		6,512		-
Other current liabilities		10,123		22,494
Total current liabilities		2,520,190		2,162,325
Debentures, net (Note 10)		419,055		361,148
Long-term borrowings, net		499,804		458,796
Accrued severance benefits, net (Notes 3 and 11)		105,355		93,344
Deferred income tax liabilities		48,331		38,250
Derivative instrument transaction credit (Note 12)		32,627		26,961
Other non-current liabilities		6,210		5,864
Total liabilities		3,631,572		3,146,688
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		13,855		13,855
Asset revaluation surplus		206,769		206,769
Other capital surplus		39,108		41,285
		1,312,372		1,314,549
Capital adjustment	***************************************	(14,976)		(14,599)
Accumulated other comprehensive income (Notes 12 and 15)		158,096		133,494
Retained earnings (Notes 2 and 13)		3,116,061		3,036,750
Total shareholders' equity		4,991,053		4,889,694
	₩	8,622,625	₩	8,036,382
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	VY	0,022,023	V Y	0,000,002

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 Periods Ended March 31, 2009 and 2008
(Unaudited)

(in millions of Korean won, except per share amounts)		2009		2008
Sales (Notes 17 and 18)	₩	2,932,027	₩	2,993,583
Cost of sales (Notes 14 and 17)		2,320,235		2,468,829
Gross profit		611,792		524,754 184,506
Selling and administrative expenses (Note 17)		195,297	***************************************	
Operating income	***************************************	416,495		340,248
Non-operating income				
Interest income		5,197		2,470
Foreign exchange gains		118,689		21,751
Gain on foreign currency translation		16,862		10,003
Gain on valuation of equity method investments		41,391		20,827
Reversal of negative goodwill		9,792		9,792
Reversal of compensation expenses associated				
with stock options (Note 17)		0.545		3,683
Gain on transaction of derivative instruments		3,545		164
Gain on valuation of derivative instruments (Note 12)		25,191 4,219		16,481 4,272
Others		224,886		89,443
	***************************************	227,000	~	<u> </u>
Non-operating expenses				
Interest expenses		10,039		11,956
Foreign exchange losses		86,602		38,105
Loss on foreign currency translation		72,426		42,128
Loss on disposal of trade accounts receivable		11,772		6,723
Loss on valuation of equity method investments		6,796		8,419
Loss on transaction of derivative instruments		7,617		862
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment		5,967 3,962		002
Impairment loss on property, plant and equipment		7,135		10
Impairment loss on intangible assets Donations		7,103		817
Others		2,599		5,557
Ottolo		215,626		114,577
Income from continuing operations before income tax		425,755		315,114
Income tax expenses on continuing operations		104,673		84,984
Income from continuing operations		321,082		230,130
Income (loss) from discontinued operations (Note 19)		(32,570)		28,302
Net income	₩	288,512	₩	258,432
Per share data (in won) (Note 16)	***	^^1	777	A 700
Income from continuing operations per share	₩	3,844	₩	2,762
Earnings per share	₩	3,454	₩	3,102
Diluted income from continuing operations per share	₩	3,844	₩	2,762
Diluted earnings per share	₩	3,454	₩	3,102

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LG Chem, Ltd.
Non-Consolidated Statements of Changes in Shareholders' Equity
Three-Month Periods Ended March 31, 2009 and 2008
(Unaudited)

(in millions of Korean won)							A	cumulated other				
		Capital stock		Capital surplus		Capital ljustment		mprehensive Income		Retained earnings	*******	Total
Balance as of January 1, 2008 Accumulated effects from changes	₩	419,500	₩	1,299,357	₩	(23,475)	₩	(16,322)	₩	2,199,136	₩	3,878,196
in accounting policy (Note 2)		-		-		•				2,035		2,035
Dividends		-		-		-				(167,006)		(167,006)
Net income		-		_		*		-		258,432		258,432
Changes in equity method investees with accumulated comprehensive income (expense) (Note 15)		_		™		-		36,341		-		36,341
Valuation loss on cash flow hedge												
derivative instruments (Notes 12 and 15)				-			<u> </u>	(13,231)	127			(13,231)
Balance as of March 31, 2008	₩	419,500	₩	1,299,357	₩	(23,475)	₩	6,788	ΔΛ	2,292,597	W	3,994,767
Balance as of January 1, 2009 Dividends	₩	419,500	₩	1,314,549	₩	(14,599)	₩	133,494	₩	3,036,750 (209,201)	₩	4,889,694 (209,201)
Net income		-		-		-		_		288,512		288,512
Changes in equity method investees with accumulated comprehensive				(0.477)		(277)		26 020				22 476
income (expense) (Note 15)		-		(2,177)		(377)		36,030		-		33,476
Valuation loss on cash flow hedge derivative instruments (Notes 12 and 15) Balance as of March 31, 2009	₩	419,500	₩	1,312,372	₩	(14,976)	₩	(11,428) 158,096	₩	3,116,061	₩	(11,428) 4,991,053

LG Chem, Ltd.
Non-Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows
Three-Month Periods Ended March 31, 2009 and 2008
(Unaudited)

(in millions of Korean won)	2009	2008
Cash flows from operating activities		
Net income	₩ 288,512	₩ 258,432
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash		
provided by (used in) operating activities		
Depreciation and amortization	110,493	102,726
Provision for severance benefits	16,577	17,096
Loss on foreign currency translation, net	64,345	37,941
Loss on disposal of trade accounts receivable	12,661	7,497
Gain on valuation of equity method investments, net	(33,191)	(13,527)
Loss on transactions of derivative instruments, net	4,486	-
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment, net	12,719	1,009
Impairment loss on property, plant and equipment	3,962	18
Impairment loss on intangible asset	7,135	10
Gain on valuation of derivative instruments	(29,019)	(20,119)
Reversal of negative goodwill	(9,792)	(9,792)
Others, net	15,901	(10)
	176,277	122,849
Changes in operating assets and liabilities		
Increase in trade accounts and notes receivable	(200,049)	(332,505)
Decrease in inventories	261,579	15,097
Increase in other accounts receivable	(7,715)	(10,521)
Increase in accrued income	(5,075)	(112)
Decrease (increase) in advance payments	1,297	(420)
Increase in prepaid expenses	(2,839)	(5,129)
Decrease in deferred income tax assets	4,447	9,264
Decrease (increase) in other current assets	147	(753)
Increase in trade accounts and notes payable	192,740	72,388
Decrease in other accounts payable	(27,446)	(82,513)
Increase in accrued expenses	18,480	17,023
Decrease in income tax payable	(146,224)	(52,398)
Increase (decrease) in other current liabilities	2,987	(8,470)
Decrease in provision for warranty reserve	2,064	
Accrued severance benefits transferred from associated companie		482
Increase (decrease) in deferred income tax liabilities	2,387	(1,342)
Payment of severance benefits	(12,580)	(12,846)
Others, net	7,945	7,542
	92,232	(385,213)
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	557,021	(3,932)

LG Chem, Ltd.
Non-Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows
Three-Month Periods Ended March 31, 2009 and 2008
(Unaudited)

(in millions of Korean won)		2009		2008
Cash flows from investing activities				
Disposal of short-term investments, net	₩	148,300	₩	99,988
Disposal of long-term guarantee deposits, net		706		472
Acquisition of property, plant and equipment, net		(197,792)		(107,679)
Increase in derivative instrument transaction debit, net		(4,486)		-
Acquisition of equity method investments		(52,522)		(166)
Acquisition of intangible assets, net		(4,810)		(3,291)
Others, net		151		(3,019)
Net cash used in investing activities		(110,453)		(13,695)
Cash flows from financing activities				
Repayment of current maturities of long-term debts		(848)		(216,465)
Issuance of debentures		149,322		-
Proceeds from long-term borrowings, net				93,980
Others, net		347	·	(156)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities		148,821		(122,641)
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		595,389		(140,268)
Cash and cash equivalents				
Beginning of the period		373,300		466,438
End of the period	₩.	968,689	₩	326,170

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

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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, Ochang and Gimcheon.

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

As of March 31, 2009 and December 31, 2008, the Company has an outstanding capital stock of \$419,500 million, including preferred stock of \$43,306 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 \$\\\\\$5,000 per share. As of March 31, 2009 and December 31, 2008, 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, 2008.

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 effect of the change is adjusted on the beginning balance of 2008. The effects of this change were a decrease in deferred income tax liabilities by \$2,035 million, and an increase in retained earnings by \$2,035 million as of January 1, 2008.

3. Restricted Bank Deposits

As of March 31, 2009, long-term financial instruments of $\mbox{$\mathbb{W}$43 million}$ are deposited in connection with bank overdraft agreements (December 31, 2008: $\mbox{$\mathbb{W}$46 million}$). The withdrawal of these deposits is restricted.

Further, the withdrawal of group severance insurance deposits is restricted to employees' severance payments (Note 11).

LG Chem, Ltd. Notes to Non-Consolidated Financial Statements March 31, 2009 and 2008, and December 31, 2008 (Unaudited)

4. Receivables

Receivables and allowance for doubtful accounts as of March 31, 2009 and December 31, 2008, consist of the following:

(in millions of Korean won)		2009		2008
Trade accounts and notes receivable Less: Allowance for doubtful accounts	₩	1,331,144 (40,517)	₩	1,156,519 (33,158)
	₩	1,290,627	₩	1,123,361
Other accounts receivable	₩	107,488	₩	99,166
Less : Allowance for doubtful accounts Less : Present value discount		(12,623) (26)		(10,311) (26)
Ecop : 1 7000 M Valdo diocodi.	₩	94,839	₩	88,829
Long-term trade accounts and notes receivable	₩	128	₩	146
Less: Allowance for doubtful accounts		(14)		(16)
	₩	114	₩	130
Long-term other accounts receivable	₩	202	₩	202
Less : Present value discount				(7)
	₩	202	₩	195

5. Inventories

Inventories as of March 31, 2009 and December 31, 2008, consist of the following:

(in millions of Korean won)		2009	2008		
Merchandise, net of valuation allowance of ₩1,455 million					
(December 31, 2008: ₩363 million)	₩	57,607	₩	67,005	
Finished products, net of valuation					
allowance of ₩9,485 million (December					
31, 2008: ₩19,106 million)		493,845		739,012	
Work-in-process		199,613		178,072	
Raw materials, net of valuation allowance					
of ₩490 million					
(December 31, 2008: ₩421 million)		346,669		351,521	
Supplies		44,336		41,333	
Materials-in-transit		105,290		131,995	
materials in various	₩	1,247,360	₩	1,508,938	

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6. Equity Method Investments

Equity method investments as of March 31, 2009 and December 31, 2008, are summarized as follows:

(in millions of Korean won)	Perce	•						
Investee ⁹	o Owne (%	rship	Acquisiti	on Cost	Book \	Book Value		e or Net Value
	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008
Tianjin LG Dagu Chemical Co., Ltd. Tianjin LG New Building	75.00	75.00	₩ 17,440	₩ 17,440	₩ 40,384	₩ 24,265	₩ 35,771	₩ 24,324
Materials Co., Ltd. ^{5, 8}	100.00	85.35	44,707	33,649	63,463	51,689	63,648	57,945
Ningbo LG Yongxing Chemical Co., Ltd.	75.00	75.00	110,746	110,746	164,124	135,908	161,750	134,388
LG Chemical India Pvt. Ltd.	100.00	100.00	31,466	31,466	56,103	54,928	56,104	54,928
LG Chemical Hong Kong Ltd.	100.00	100.00	254	254	11,360	11,159	11,611	10,039
LG Vina Chemical J/V Company	40.00	40.00	1,194	1,194	2,088	1,313	2,316	1,404
LG Hausys America, Inc. ^{4,8}	100.00	100.00	5,976	9,596	3,140	7,396	6,861	13,367
LG Chem America, Inc. 4	100.00	-	3,620	-	2,069		3,031	_
M. Dohmen S.A. 8,9	49.00	49.00	43,203	43,203	993	993	4,023	4,023
SEETEC Co., Ltd. 9	50.00	50.00	36,643	36,643	58,326	58,416	147,129	147,465
LG Dow Polycarbonate Ltd.	50.00	50.00	36,794	36,794	64,051	62,577	64,392	63,074
LG Chemical (Guangzhou) Engineering Plastics Co., Ltd. LG Chem (Nanjing) Information &	100.00	100.00	13,091	13,091	24,130	21,911	24,078	22,205
Electronics Materials Co., Ltd. ¹	84.36	82.80	82,480	71,523	124,851	98,921	142,258	116,955
LG Chem Trading (Shanghai) Co., Ltd. ^{6,8}	100.00	100.00	7,753	3,503	7,061	2,473	7,060	2,471
LG Chem (China) Investment Co., Ltd.	100.00	100.00	40,340	40,340	50,928	46,337	50,929	46,338
LG Chem (Taiwan), Ltd.	100.00	100.00	6,888	6,888	1,963	-	5,291	7,449
LG Chem Industrial Materials Inc. ⁸	100.00	100.00	17,846	17,846	17,858	15,883	18,244	17,209
LG Holdings (HK) Ltd. ^{2,9}	26.00	18.18	60,889	41,582	62,059	58,207	58,762	56,375
Compact Power Inc.	100.00	100.00	5,483	5,483	1,168	983	1,168	983
LG Chem (Tianjin) Engineering Plastics Co., Ltd. LG Chem Display Materials (Beijing)	90.00	90.00	5,589	5,589	16,155	14,733	17,237	15,810
Co., Ltd.	90.00	90.00	6,865	6,865	13,712	12,450	14,474	13,201
Tianjin LG Bohai Chemical Co., Ltd.	65.00	65.00	63,524	63,524	121,896	105,847	132,696	116,114
LG Chem Europe GmbH	100.00	100.00	1,927	1,927	3,999	3,085	4,397	4,637
LG Hausys Europe GmbH ^{7,8}	100.00	-	2,700	-	2,023	-	2,740	-
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	5,240	8,196	5,240	8,196
TECWIN Co., Ltd. 9	19.90	19.90	419	419	2,840	2,861	2,861	2,861
LG Chem Industrial Material Russia, LLC ^{3,8}	100.00	**	4,754		4,754			
			₩658,639	₩605,613	₩926,996	₩800,789	₩1,044,329	₩942,019

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The Company acquired additional shares of LG Chem (Nanjing) Information & Electronics Materials Co., Ltd. for ₩10,957 million. As a result, the Company's percentage of ownership increased from 82.80% to 84.36%.

The Company acquired additional shares of LG Holdings (HK) Ltd. for ₩19,307 million. As a result, the Company's percentage of ownership increased from 18.18% to 26.00%. As of December 31, 2008, 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%.

The Company acquired additional shares of LG Chem Industrial Material Russia, LLC for ₩4,249 million. The investee is reclassified from investment securities to equity-method

investments.

LG Chem America, Inc. changed its name to LG Hausys America, Inc. and LG Chem

America was spun off from LG Hausys America, Inc. in 2009.

The Company acquired additional shares of Tianjin LG New Building Materials Co., Ltd. for ₩11,058 million from LG Chem (China) Investment Co., Ltd. in 2009. As a result, the Company's percentage of ownership increased from 85.35% to 100.00%.

The Company acquired additional shares of LG Chem Trading (Shanghai) Co., Ltd. for

₩4,250 million.

The newly established Investees that will be transferred to LG HAUSYS, Ltd. on April 1, 2009.

Investees will be transferred to LG HAUSYS, Ltd. on April 1, 2009.

As of March 31, 2009, the Company has control over all the investees, except for M. Dohmen S.A., SEETEC Co., Ltd., LG Holdings (HK) Ltd. and TECWIN Co., Ltd.

7. Property, Plant and Equipment

Property, plant and equipment as of March 31, 2009 and December 31, 2008, consist of the following:

(in millions of Korean won)	2009	2008
Buildings	₩ 1,105,137	₩ 1,092,373
Structures	511,613	510,824
Machinery and equipment	4,971,878	4,892,001
Vehicles	30,273	30,773
Tools and furniture	669,102	671,916
	7,288,003	7,197,887
Accumulated depreciation	(4,231,562)	(4,183,634)
Accumulated impairment loss	(16,256)	(12,301)
·	3,040,185	3,001,952
Land	497,987	498,231
Construction-in-progress	330,338	286,851
Machinery-in-transit	73,509	80,632
•	₩ 3,942,019	₩ 3,867,666

As of March 31, 2009, certain property, plant and equipment have been pledged as collateral for bank loans for up to a maximum of \$419,056 million (December 31, 2008: \$429,171 million).

8. Intangible Assets

Intangible assets as of March 31, 2009 and December 31, 2008, are as follows:

(in millions of Korean won)	20	109	20	08
Intellectual property rights	₩	35,205	₩	32,339
Development costs		38,073		45,908
Goodwill		32,133		33,415
Others		10,759		10,472
Negative goodwill		(225,225)		(235,018)
	₩	(109,055)	₩	(112,884)

9. Provisions for warranty reserve

As of March 31, 2009, the Company has accrued provisions amounting to $\mbox{$\mathbb{W}$}2,064$ million for product defects for a specified period of time after sale and has also accrued provisions amounting to $\mbox{$\mathbb{W}$}4,448$ million for the estimated cost of future repairs and recalls based on experience, terms of guarantees and the expectation of future repairs and recalls.

10. Debentures

Debentures as of March 31, 2009 and December 31, 2008, consist of the following:

(in millions of Korean won)	Anr Interest					
(a	2009	2008		2009		2008
Publicly offered debentures, payable through 2013 Privately offered	3.5~5.38	3.5~5.02	₩	751,480	₩	599,389
debentures, payable through 2009 Foreign debentures,	5.02~5.32	5.02~5.32		100,000		100,000
payable through 2010 ¹	LIBOR+0.2-0.45	LIBOR+0.2-0.45		185,909		169,763
				1,037,389		869,152
Less : Current ma	turities			(617,054)		(506,888)
Discount or	n debentures issued	1		(1,280)		(1,116)
			₩	419,055	₩	361,148

¹ Term notes were issued on March 23, 2006, to mature on 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.

11. Accrued Severance Benefits

Accrued severance benefits as of March 31, 2009 and December 31, 2008, are as follows:

(in millions of Korean won)		2009		2008
Provision for severance benefits	₩	281,508	₩	277,340
Less: Group severance insurance deposits		(173,554)		(181,240)
Contributions to National Pension Plan		(2,599)		(2,756)
Ending balance	₩	105,355	₩	93,344

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12. Commitments and Contingencies

As of March 31, 2009, 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 March 31, 2009, the Company has been provided with guarantees from the Seoul Guarantee Insurance for the execution of supply contracts.

As of March 31, 2009, 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 associated companies. The outstanding balances of such guarantees as of March 31, 2009, amounted to \W272,387 million (Note 17).

As of March 31, 2009, 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 \$\pi\$892,206 million.

As of March 31, 2009, the Company has bank overdraft agreements with several banks for up to $\mbox{$\mathbb{W}$}69,000$ million. The Company has also entered into contracts with several financial institutions to open import letters of credit for up to $\mbox{$\mathbb{W}$}100,100$ million and US\$ 295 million. The Company has entered into contracts with several financial institutions for discounting notes from export for up to US\$ 820 million, for other foreign currency payment guarantee of up to US\$ 15 million, and for other notes of up to $\mbox{$\mathbb{W}$}60,000$ million.

Furthermore, the Company has entered into credit line agreements with several financial institutions for up to ₩30,000 million and US\$ 249 million.

As of March 31, 2009, the Company has B2B contracts with several financial institutions.

As of March 31, 2009, the Company has entered into technology license agreements with companies such as Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company for the production of polymer and rubber products. Further, the Company has entered into manufacture and production technical contracts with Toyo Engineering Corp., while having BPA manufacturing technical contracts with three companies including Exxon Mobile. The Company has also entered into technical contracts for technologies and consultation in relation to the manufacture of certain 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 March 31, 2009, the Company has a long-term purchase contract for certain raw materials and was provided with US \$ 56 million as a guarantee for the contract performance.

As of March 31, 2009, 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.

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The Company has cross currency forward and currency swap contracts with financial institutions for hedging against fluctuations in foreign exchange rates. As of March 31, 2009, the Company's outstanding contracts amounts are US\$ 212 million and JPY 10,000 million (2008: US\$ 202 million and JPY 10,000 million and JPY 10,000 million).

Details of the changes in valuation gain or loss on derivatives for the three-month periods ended March 31, 2009 and 2008, are as follows:

Trading			Hedge ¹							
(in millions of Korean won)		uation pain ²		ation ss²		uation jain²	Valuat loss		compr	ther ehensive ome ³
2009	₩	2,765	\mathbb{H}	718	₩	26,254	₩	-	₩	(27,481)
2008	₩	_	₩	_	₩	20,019	₩	-	₩	(13,231)

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

² Includes gain(loss) from discontinued operations.

13. Retained earnings

Retained earnings as of March 31, 2009 and December 31, 2008, consist of :

(in millions of Korean won)	2009	2008
Appropriations		
Legal reserve	₩ 94,349	₩ 73,430
Reserve for business rationalization	4,000	4,000
Reserve for technology development	2,140,695	1,366,197
Voluntary reserve	212,120	212,120
Reserve for investment losses	376,376	376,376
	2,733,191	1,958,693
Unappropriated retained earnings	288,521	1,004,627
	₩ 3,116,061	₩ 3,036,750

³ The ₩27,481 million (2008: ₩13,231 million), net of tax, was charged to accumulated other comprehensive income

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14. Cost of Sales

Cost of sales for the three-month periods ended March 31, 2009 and 2008, are as follows:

(in millions of Korean won)	2009	2008
Products Beginning balance of inventories Cost of goods manufactured Ending balance of inventories Duty refund Discontinued operations	₩ 916,590 2,178,797 (693,070) (10,119) (161,255) 2,230,943	₩ 669,154 2,573,740 (655,745) (9,194) (208,555) 2,369,400
Merchandise Beginning balance of inventories Purchases Ending balance of inventories Discontinued operations	67,005 189,914 (57,607) (120,116) 79,196	43,812 269,652 (43,170) (181,416) 88,878
Other cost of sales Total	10,096 ₩ 2,320,235	10,551 ₩ 2,468,829

15. Comprehensive Income

Comprehensive income for the three-month periods ended March 31, 2009 and 2008, consists of:

(in millions of Korean won)		2009		2008
Net income	₩	288,512	₩	258,432
Other comprehensive income		•••		2,035
Increase from equity-method investments,				
net of tax effects of ₩7,662 million				
(2008: ₩8,168 million)		36,030		36,341
Valuation loss on cash flow hedge				
derivative instruments, net of tax effects of		((4.400)		(40.004)
\forall (1,662) million (2008: \forall (5,018) million)		(11,428)		(13,231)
Comprehensive income	₩	313,114	₩	283,577

16. Earnings Per Share

Basic income from continuing operations per share and earnings per share for the year ended December 31, 2008, were \$%\$11,341\$ and <math>\$%\$12,022\$, respectively.

Basic income from continuing operations per share and earnings per share for the three-month periods ended March 31, 2009 and 2008, are computed as follows:

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

		2009	:	2008
Income from continuing operations	₩	321,082	₩	230,130
Preferred stock dividends 1		(5,519)		(4,437)
Preferred stock share in the remaining profit available for dividends		(27,866)		(19,582)
Income from continuing operations available for common stock (A)	₩	287,697	₩	206,111
Weighted average number of shares of outstanding common stock (B) ²	7	4,849,856	7	4,628,861
Basic income from continuing operations per share (A/B)	₩	3,844	₩	2,762

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

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Net income	₩	288,512	₩	258,432
Preferred stock dividends ¹		5,519		4,437
Preferred stock share in the remaining profit				
available for dividends		24,489		22,524
Net income available for common stock (A)	₩	258,504	₩	231,471
Weighted average number of shares of				
outstanding common stock (B) ²	7	4,849,856	7	4,628,861
Basic earnings per share (A/B)	₩	3,454	₩	3,102

Preferred stock dividends were assumed to be one-fourth of the dividends paid for the previous years.

There are no outstanding convertible bonds or other dilutive securities as of March 31, 2009 and 2008. 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 income (loss) from discontinued operations per share for the three-month periods ended March 31, 2009 and 2008, are $\mbox{$\mathbb{W}$}(390)$ and $\mbox{$\mathbb{W}$}340$, respectively.

Excludes treasury stock.

17. Related Party Transactions

LG Corp. is the parent of the Company, and issues the consolidated financial statements.

Significant transactions, which occurred in the ordinary course of business with related parties for the three-month periods ended March 31, 2009 and 2008, and the related account balances as of March 31, 2009 and December 31, 2008, are summarized as follows:

(in millions of Korean won)	Sales	Purchases	Receivables	Payables
Controlling company	₩ -	₩ 8,638	₩ 7,723	₩ 69,686
Controlling company Subsidiaries ^{1,2}	264,392	121,713	45,383	50,652
Equity method investees 1	17,786	31,634	5,644	7,991
Key management officers	_	9,253	**	26,138
Other related companies ¹	556,468	163,911	501,741	128,885
2009 Total	₩ 838,646	₩ 335,149	₩ 560,491	₩ 283,352
2008 Total	₩ 3,669,081	₩ 1,175,317	₩ 400,090	₩ 203,872

Please refer to Note 6 for percentage of ownership, acquisition cost, net asset value and book value of the Company's investments to its related parties.

³ Includes LG Display Co., Ltd. and LG Electronics Inc.

Compensation for key management officers for three-month period ended March 31, 2009 and 2008, consists of:

(in millions of Korean won)	2009	2008
Short-term employee benefits Post-employment benefits Other long-term employee benefits Reversal of share-based payments	₩ 6,750 1,111 1,392	₩ 5,466 1,132 1,620 (4,353)
Total	₩ 9,253	₩ 3,865

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

Includes LG Surface, LLC, a subsidiary of LG Hausys America Inc., and Ningbo Bond International Trade, a subsidiary of Ningbo LG Yongxing Chemical Co., Ltd.

The details of guarantees provided by the Company as of March 31, 2009 and December 31, 2008, are as follows:

(in millions of Korean won)		2009	
Guarantee Beneficiary	Amount of Guarantee	Financial Institution	Outstanding Loan Amount
LG Chem (Nanjing) Information &			
Electronics Materials Co., Ltd.	₩ 91,371 27,542	Bank of China Woori Bank	₩ 30,682 27,542
	41,313	KEXIM Bank	41,313
LG Chem Industrial Materials Inc.	34,841	Kookmin Bank	34,841
Tipplin I C Pohol Chamical Co. 14d	13,771	Bank of America	5,508
Tianjin LG Bohai Chemical Co., Ltd. LG Chem Poland Sp.Z.O.O.	13,771 18,164	KEXIM Bank KEXIM Bank	13,771 18,164
LG Chem Foland Sp.2.O.O.	5,449	Nordea Bank	5,449
LG Hausys America, Inc.	12,394	JP Morgan	12,394
LG Chem America, Inc.	13,771	Bank of America	13,771
ac cheminal, men	₩ 272,387		₩ 203,435
(in millions of Korean won)	Amount of	2008	Outstanding
Guarantee Beneficiary	Guarantee	Financial Institution	Loan Amount
LG Chem (Nanjing) Information &			
Electronics Materials Co., Ltd.	₩ 10,060	Bank of China	₩ 10,060
	25,150	Woori Bank	25,150
	12,575	Korea Exchange Bank	12,575
	37,725	KEXIM Bank	32,695
LG Chem Industrial Materials Inc.	31,815	Kookmin Bank	31,815
Timeth I C Dabet Observing Co. 144	12,575	Bank of America	2,767
Tianjin LG Bohai Chemical Co., Ltd.	12,575	KEXIM Bank	12,575 17,763
LG Chem Poland Sp.Z.O.O.	17,762 5,329	KEXIM Bank Nordea Bank	17,762 5,329
LG Chem America, Inc.	11,318	JP Morgan	J,UZÐ **
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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. and others
Industrial Materials ¹	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

As explained in Note 19, the spin off of the Industrial Materials segment is classified as discontinued operations.

Financial information on industry segments for the three-month periods ended March 31, 2009 and 2008, follows:

(in millions of Korean won)	Petrocl	nemicals	El	rmation & ectronic laterials	C	Others		Total
Sales								
External sales Inter-segment sales	₩ 2	2,127,242 24,557	₩	800,090 1,603	₩	4,695 46,866	₩	2,932,027 73,026
	₩ 2	,151,799	₩	801,693	₩	51,561	₩	3,005,053
Operating income	₩	315,423	₩	104,106	₩	(3,034)	₩	416,495
Property, plant and equipment and intangible assets ¹	₩ 2	,098,261_	₩.	1,045,985	₩	913,943	₩	4,058,189
Depreciation and amortization	· ₩	56,552	₩	37,490	₩	1,768	₩	95,810

(in millions of Korean won)	Petrochemicals		Ele	nformation & Electronic Materials Others)thers	Total	
Sales								
External sales	₩	2,380,092	₩	610,350	₩	3,141	₩	2,993,583
Inter-segment sales		16,423		430		43,180		60,033
	₩	2,396,515	₩	610,780	₩	46,321	₩	3,053,616
Operating income	₩	261,569	₩	79,768	₩	(1,089)	₩	340,248
Property, plant and equipment and intangible assets ¹	₩	2,002,424	₩	803,848	₩	855,923	₩	3,662,195
Depreciation and amortization	₩	55,649	₩	31,408	₩	1,483	₩	88,540

¹ Includes sales of continuing operations to the Industrial Materials segment, which was discontinued, amounting to ₩36,883 million (2008; ₩63,056 million).

(2) Geographical Segment Information

The sales by geographical segments for the three-month periods ended March 31, 2009 and 2008, are as follows:

(in millions of Korean won)

•	Domestic ¹	China	North America	South America	South- East Asia	Western Europe	Others	Total
2009	₩1,305,638	₩ 967,670	₩ 79,127	₩22,670	₩118,528	₩ 81,034	₩ 357,360	₩2,932,027
2008	₩1,510,080	₩ 801,941	₩110,349	₩21,541	₩107,255	₩ 99,554	₩ 342,863	₩2,993,583

¹ 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.

² Excludes negative goodwill incurred from the merger, which is deducted from intangible assets. The negative goodwill as of March 31, 2009, amounts to ₩225,225 million (2008: ₩264,395 million). Meanwhile, property, plant and equipment, and intangible assets of discontinued operations as of March 31, 2009 and 2008, are included under others.

19. Discontinued Operations

Pursuant to a resolution of Board of Directors on December 2, 2008, and an approval by the Shareholders on January 23, 2009, the Company spun off its Industrial Materials segment to the newly established LG HAUSYS, Ltd., on April 1, 2009. Therefore, the financial statements of the Company are prepared in accordance with SKFAS No. 11, *Discontinued operations*.

The income before tax from discontinued operations of the Industrial Materials segment for the three-month periods ended March 31, 2009 and 2008, are as follows:

(in millions of Korean won)	2	2009	2008		
Impairment loss on discontinued operations Income (loss) from the industrial materials segment ¹	₩	(168) (43,020)	₩	(19) 39,305	
Income (loss) before tax from discontinued operations	₩	(43,188)	₩	39,286	

¹ Excludes impairment loss on discontinued operations.

The book values of the Industrial Materials segment's assets and liabilities to be spun-off as of March 31, 2009 and 2008, are as follows:

(in millions of Korean won)	2009	2008
Current assets	₩ 549,547	₩ 383,103
Investments	99,629	82,557
Property, plant and equipment	438,392	457,461
Intangible assets	9,352	9,235
Non-current assets	33,629	24,357
Total assets	₩ 1,130,549	₩ 956,713
Current liabilities	₩ 234,072	₩ 245,335
Non-current liabilities	233,973	26,511
Total liabilities	₩ 468,045	₩ 271,846

The statements of operations of the Industrial Materials segment, excluding impairment loss on discontinued operations, for the three-month period ended March 31, 2009 and 2008, are as follows:

(in millions of Korean won)	2	2009	2008		
Sales ¹	₩	341,200	₩	517,557	
Cost of sales ¹		281,975		391,018	
Gross profit		59,225		126,539	
Selling and administrative expenses		86,164		87,997	
Operating income (loss)		(26,939)		38,542	
Non-operating income		19,425		18,431	
Non-operating expenses		35,506		17,668	
Income (loss) from the Industrial Materials segment	₩	(43,020)	₩	39,305	

The income (loss) after income tax from discontinued operations on the Industrial Materials segment for the three-month period ended March 31, 2009 and 2008, follows:

(in millions of Korean won)	2	2009	2008	
Income (loss) before income tax from discontinued operations Income tax (benefit)	₩	(43,188) 10,618	₩	39,286 (10,984)
Income (loss) after income tax from discontinued operations	₩	(32,570)	₩	28,302

Cash flows from the Industrial Materials segment for the three-month period ended March 31, 2009 and 2008, are as follows:

(in millions of Korean won)	2	2008		
Cash flows from operating activities	₩	13,309	₩	430,560
Cash flows from investing activities		(20,932)		(14,490)
Cash flows from financing activities	₩	7,623	₩	(416,070)

20. Early Adoption of Korean International Financial Reporting Standards

The Company plans to early adopt Korean International Financial Reporting Standards (K-IFRS) from 2010. K-IFRS will be mandatorily applied from 2011 for all listed companies. The Company's implementation plan is as follows:

The Company organized certain task force team in order to manage the Company's K-IFRS implementation process and the team regularly reports the result to the management.

Since 2007 the Company engaged an external advisory firm and completed an analysis on significant differences between K-IFRS and the current Korean Financial Accounting Standards. The Company will determine the accounting policies when these significant differences are identified.

¹The amounts include sales and costs of discontinued to continuing operations, which are expected to continue after spin-off.