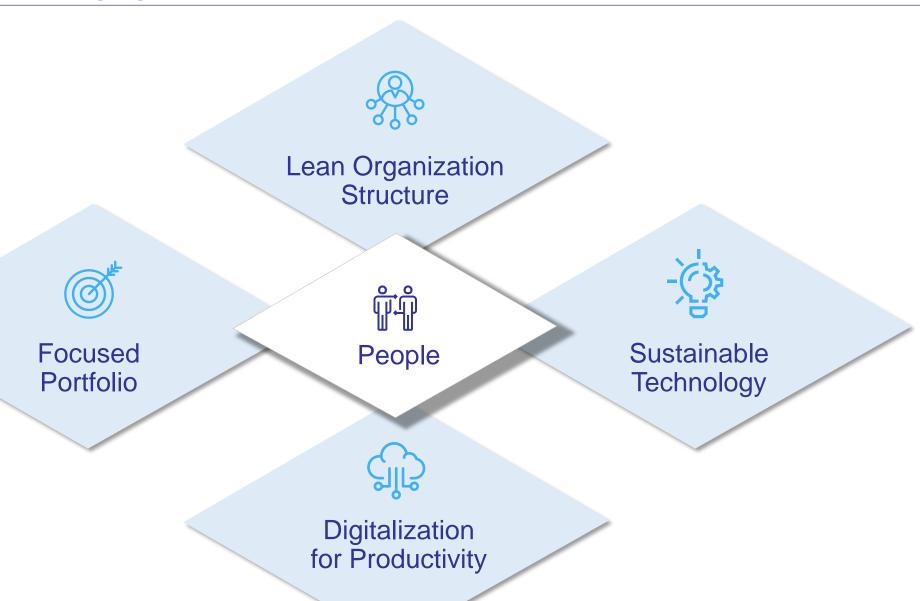
# Forging the future

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# **Our Keywords for Forging Our Future**



# Mitsubishi Chemical Holdings Group Today

**Our Operations in Numbers** 

31<sub>BUs</sub>

in 4 Segments

666

**Group Companies** 

FY2020

69,607

Employees FY2020 15 MM ton

Group GHG (CO<sub>2</sub>) Emission FY2020

Financial Performance - FY2021E

13.6%

**EBITDA Margin** 

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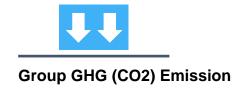
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With a Clearer Strategy to Drive Operational Excellence and Unlock Business Potential, We Can Deliver More Value to Our Stakeholders

# **Strategic Priorities**

#### **More Focused Approach to Maximize Our Value**



Growth, Performance, and Sustainability



**2** Business to Exit



**3** Strategic Cost Transformation



Leaner Structure to Execute Strategy



5 Strategic Capital Allocation

# **Strategy Execution Roadmap**

FY2021 - FY2023 FY2024 - FY2025

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### **Committed Strategy for Increased Shareholder Value**

**Our Portfolio Assessment Criteria** 

**Market Attractiveness** 

Strength

**Carbon Neutrality** 

Market Growth

Potential Risk Factors

ROS / ROIC / EBITDA Margin

No.1 / 2 Market Position Potential

Technology Innovation

Competitive Advantage

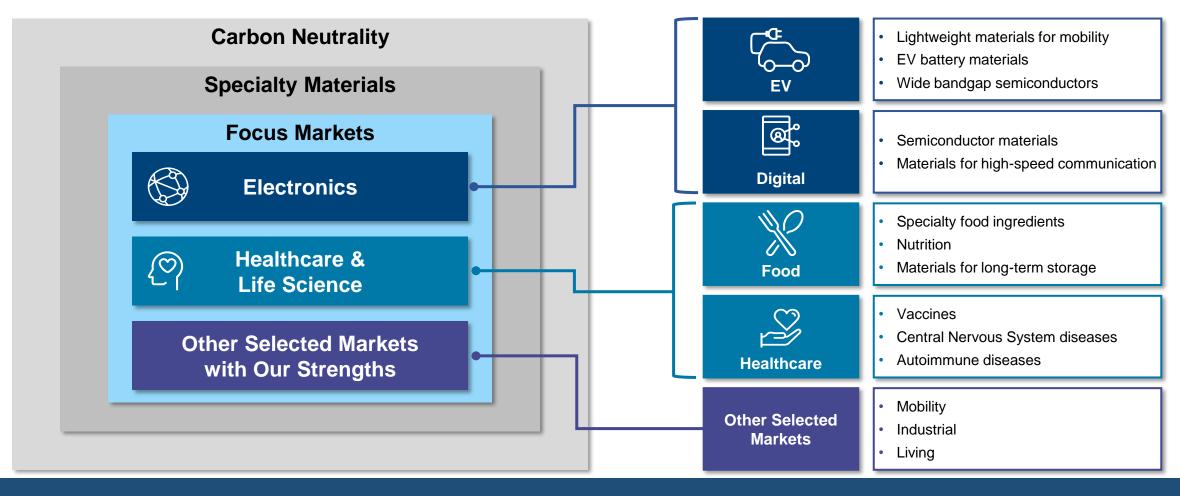
CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions Level

CO<sub>2</sub> Reduction Potential

Values to Customers / Society

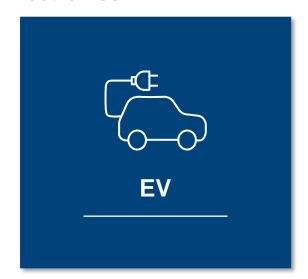
Focus on Businesses in Attractive Markets where We are Positioned to Win

#### **Our Strategic Focus**



Our Strategic Focus is Electronics and Healthcare & Life Science

#### **Electronics**



### **Capture Growth Opportunities**

#### **Target Segments**

- · Lightweight materials for mobility
- · EV battery materials
- · Wide bandgap semiconductors

#### Our Key Technologies

- Composite materials (CF-SMC)
- · High-performance engineering plastic
- · Adhesive materials
- · Electrolyte and anode materials
- · Organic synthesis for batteries



# **Enhance Our Leading Position in Electronics Materials**

#### **Target Segments**

- · Semiconductor materials
- Materials for high-speed communication

#### Our Key Technologies

- Semiconductor cleaning
- Epoxy for encapsulants
- GaN substrate
- Semiconductor gas
- · High-end display materials
- · Luminescent materials
- · Electronic films

#### **Healthcare & Life Science**



# **Lead Innovation Towards a Sustainable Food Supply**

#### **Target Segments**

- · Specialty food ingredients
- Nutrition
- Materials for long-term storage

#### Our Key Technologies

- Food functional materials
- Bio (gene/enzyme technologies)
- Plant factory
- Gas supply for food process
- Freezing equipment
- · Film development



# **Create Value from Late-Stage Development Assets**

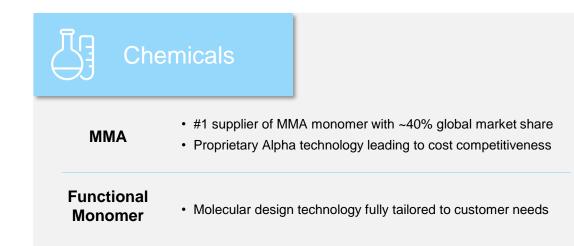
#### Pipeline and Launch Targets in North America

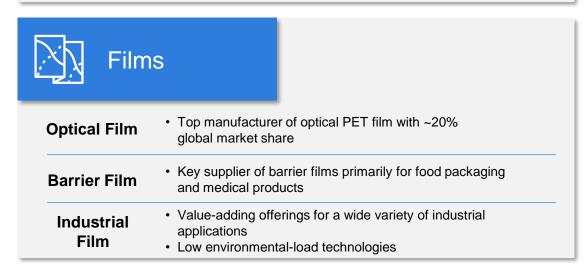
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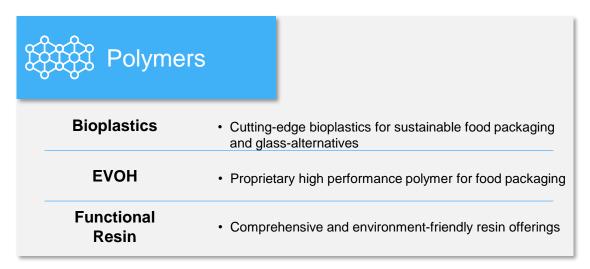
Revenue contribution of

> JPY130 Bil in FY2025

#### **Our Strong Foundation**



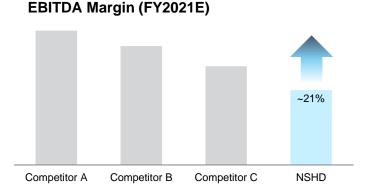


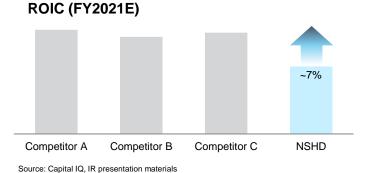




#### **Industrial Gas**

#### **Comparison of Profitability Among Global Gas Majors**





#### **Strategic Initiatives**



#### **Cost Reduction**

- ✓ Apply cost reduction measures taken in Europe & US into other regions
- ✓ Improve profitability in Japan



#### **Financial Discipline**

- ✓ Improve financial stability
- ✓ Balance growth investment, deleveraging, and shareholder returns



# **Capture Global Market Growth**

✓ Especially in the US and Europe



# New Business Development / Realize Synergies with the Group

- ✓ Semiconductor materials
- ✓ Hydrogen
- ✓ Medical gases



#### **Carbon Neutrality**

✓ Roadmap to 2030 and 2050 Carbon Neutrality

# Strategic Initiatives to Capture Growth, Reduce Costs and Improve Profitability

#### **Digitalization**

#### **Key DX Themes of Supply Chain**

#### R&D

- Agile material development using Materials Informatics to realize customer needs
- Use quantum computers

#### Sales

- Improving CX through customer journey map and visualizing end-toend customer processes
- Marketing automation

#### **Procurement**

- Stable and timely procurement at an appropriate price
- Automatically predict order intakes

#### Manufacturing

- Automation of manufacturing process
- Zero critical incident

#### Logistics

- Efficient inventory / warehouse management
- Delivery process management

#### **Key DX Themes**



- Introduction of MCHC Connect
  - One-stop-shop for transactional, educational, informational and inspirational content



Introduction of Global Business Process Council



- Making expert knowledge accessible
- Unlocking potential of 80% undocumented knowledge



Performance
evaluation and
rewarding systems
under the new
structure

# Digital Strategy Enabling CX and End-to-End Business Process Transformations

#### **Carbon Neutrality by 2050**

#### **Our GHG Emission** 16.6 MM tons Purchased Steam & -29% **Improve** Power **Emission Factor** in Purchased Power Fuel Conversion **Business Key Initiatives Process** Growth Optimization In-house Fuel Conversion (LNG → H<sub>2</sub>, NH<sub>3</sub>) power Zero Emission Factor in **Purchased Utilization of Biomass Feedstock** Power **Rationalization of Manufacturing Processes** Processes **R&D of New Technologies** (e.g. Artificial photosynthesis, CCUS) Offset through investment to Other 0 MM tons renewable resources 2019 2030 2050

Affordable Path towards Carbon Neutrality while achieving Sustainable Growth

# Business to Exit

#### 2. Business to Exit

#### **Exit from Petrochemicals and Coal Chemicals**

#### **Strategic Rationale**

#### **■** Challenges

- ✓ Domestic market has limited growth potential
- ✓ National energy policy is transitioning toward Carbon Neutrality and basic chemical industry has to embrace de-carbonization
- ✓ High probability of increasing energy cost in Japan driven by CO2
  reduction efforts
- ✓ Cyclical businesses

#### ■ Required Solutions

- ✓ Consolidated domestic basic chemical value chain brings sustainability benefits to society
  - Integrate resources to develop sustainable businesses and technologies
     (i.e., CO<sub>2</sub> recycling, chemical recycling, and bio chemicals)
  - Basic chemical products are indispensable from national security perspective
  - Increase efficiency

#### We will....

- Lead consolidation of the domestic basic chemical industry for transition toward Carbon Neutrality in 2050
- Restructuring through carve-out and future exit

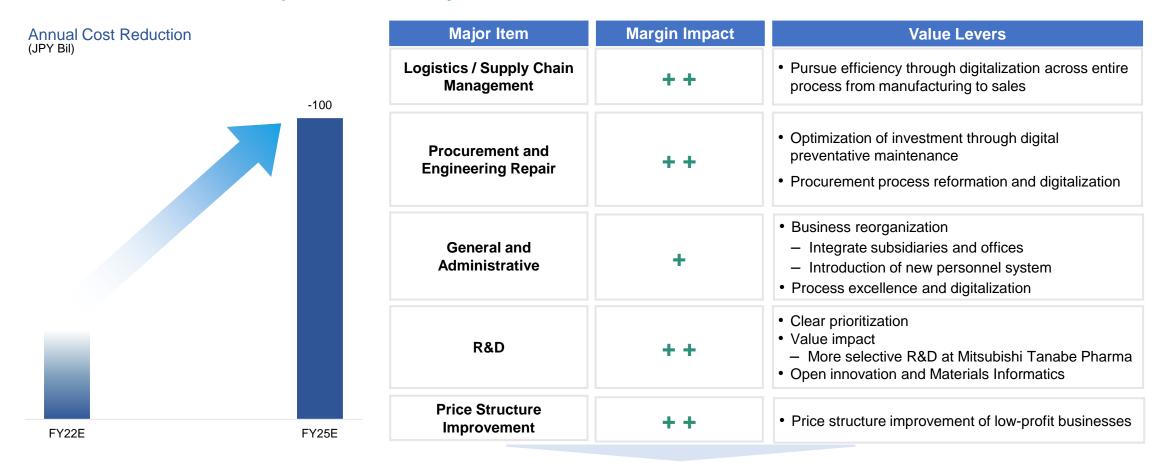
#### Indicative Timeframe for Carve-out and Exit

FY2	2021	FY2022	FY2023			
	Preparation	Detailed planning		Carve-out	Exit	
	ecide how to carve- ut businesses	Design business model and structure with selected partner(s)	and C Further	-out Petrochemicals oal chemicals er consideration of options with partners		

# Strategic Cost Transformation

# 3. Strategic Cost Transformation

#### **Operational Excellence and Improved Efficiency**



Significantly Increasing Our Bottom Line Through > 100 Bil Yen of Cost Reductions and Improvements

# Leaner Structure to Execute Strategy

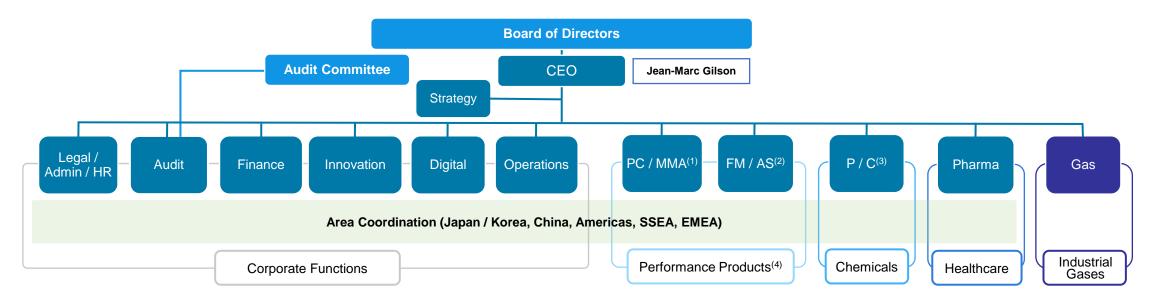
# 4. Leaner Structure to Execute Strategy

#### **Key Characteristics of New Structure**

"One Company, One Team" culture with flat organization

Global business unit / functional heads to streamline decision-making

#### **Organization structure from April 1, 2022**



Note: (1) Polymers & Compounds / MMA

(2) Films & Molding Materials / Advanced Solutions

(3) Potrochomicals / Coal

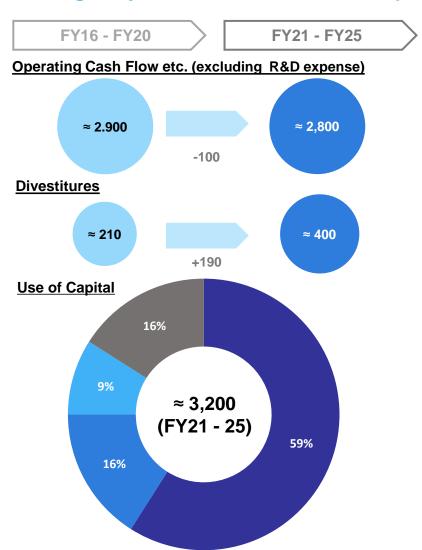
(4) Performance Products might be divided into three businesses



# Strategic Capital Allocation

# 5. Strategic Capital Allocation

#### Strategically Re-Allocate Available Capital from Operational Efficiency and Divestures





• Invest for more sustainable growth for the future

Keep CAPEX < Depreciation and Amortization</li>

Strong discipline with target ROIC and IRR

R&D with clear prioritization

Maintenance CAPEX 580Growth CAPEX 750R&D 570

Financial De-Leverage (≈ 500) **Accelerate "deleveraging"** by increased cash flows through cost discipline, earnings growth, and proceeds from divestitures

(Unit: JPY Bil)

Target Leverage Range

Net Debt / EBITDA: 2.0-3.0xNet Debt / Equity: 0.5-1.0x

Dividend (≈ 300)

Dividend Policy

Reviewing current dividend policy (stable, 30% payout ratio)
 with a view to increase shareholder return

# Improved earnings, cash generation, and balance sheet will create additional scope for:

Unallocated Capital (≈ 500)

- M&A to Accelerate Growth
- Clearly defined investment target areas
- Best-owner mindset, ROIC over WACC, and EPS accretive
- Excess capital to be returned to shareholders (Buyback, etc.)

# **Performance Targets for 2025**

**Group Target** 

Group rarget	FY2020 Actual	FY2021 Forecast		FY2025 Base Target
Group Revenues	JPY 3,258 Bil	JPY 3,886 Bil		JPY 3,000 Bil
Core Operating Income	JPY 175 Bil	JPY 300 Bil		JPY 350~370 Bi
EBITDA	JPY 406 Bil	JPY 530 Bil		JPY 540~560 Bi
EBITDA Margin	12.5%	13.6%		18~20%
EPS	JPY (-5.3)	JPY 108.6		JPY 125-145
Financial Leverage (Net Debt / EBITDA)	5.3x	3.8x		2.0-3.0x
ROE	-0.6%	11.0%	_	≧10%
ROIC	3.3%	5.4%		> 7%
Target by Main Segment				
	Performance Products	MMA		Healthcare

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Improved operational efficiency and financial strength create solid foundation for accelerated growth

rarget by Main Segment	Performance Products	ММА	Healthcare	Industrial Gas (Request based)
EBITDA	≈ JPY 180 Bil	≈ JPY 70 Bil	≈ JPY 70 Bil	≈ JPY 220 Bil
EBITDA Margin	≈ <b>1</b> 5%	≈ 26%	≈ 15%	≈ 25%

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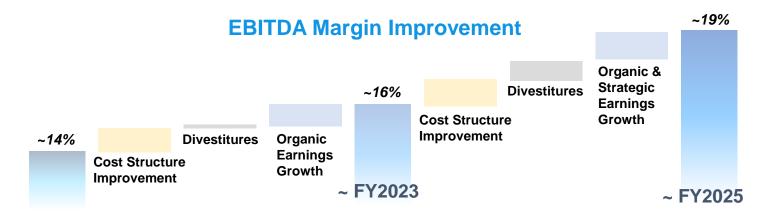
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# **Summary: Our Strategic Priorities and Targets**



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