

KT&G, taking a large step toward a global leading company fulfilling continuous self-innovation and sustainable management.

## Paradigm Shifter 2009 Annual Report



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## Financial Highlights

In billions of KRW

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Net Sales	2,209	2,263	2,413	2,573	2,776
Operating Profit	677	714	814	1,046	952
Net Income	516	650	661	850	745
Total Assets	3,964	3,668	3,978	4,614	4,788
Total Liabilities	516	623	836	1,159	935
Total Shareholders' Equity	3,448	3,046	3,142	3,454	3,853
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ROA	13.2	17.0	17.3	20.4	15.8
ROE	15.5	20.0	21.4	25.3	20.4
Operating Margin	30.6	31.5	33.8	36.9	34.3
EBITDA Margin	32.6	36.9	39.3	42.0	38.8
EPS	3,497	4,608	4,992	6,527	5,803
DPS	1,700	2,400	2,600	2,800	2,800
Liabilities-to-equity Ratio	15.0	20.4	26.6	23.8	24.3
Net debt-to-equity Ratio	-	-	-	-	-



By applying the three core belief of its management philosophy, "Righteousness", "Enlightenment", and "Companionship" to every aspect of its business engagement, KT&G has continued to win commendations and respect for its business transparency and ethics such as corporate governance, ethical and transparent management practices, and business innovations, among others. KT&G has also shared created values with its clients, shareholders, and constituents, further with the society at large with a great sense of balance.

While improving superior product quality and manufacturing capabilities by competing with foreign cigarette manufacturers operating their production bases in Korea, KT&G has dominated domestic market over 60% by developing and releasing new products marked by ceaseless technological innovations. KT&G has also successfully developed over 40 export markets including Russia, Middle East, Central Asia, and Southeast Asia with its flagship product "Esse" spearheading its campaign.



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## CEO's message



Going forward, KT&G will continue to make its best efforts to propel growth and enhance profitability with the goal of maximizing corporate value and promoting sustainability management.

CEO's Message

## We are committed to enhancing business competitiveness and pursuing management innovation.

#### Dear stakeholders.

Throughout 2009, the global community introduced multifaceted efforts and concerted measures to address the challenges posed by the economic crisis. As the entire world endured a difficult year, uncertainty shadowed the Korean financial markets and real economy as well.

KT&G is also faced with challenging environment in domestic cigarette business, KT&G's main business area. Demand in domestic market is stagnant due to the declining smoking rate amid the growing health consciousness and tightening regulations related to smoking. At the same time, market competition with global players has been getting fiercer.

For fiscal year 2009, KT&G recorded net sales of KRW2,776.4 billion which was an increase of 7.9% over the previous year. However, higher production costs and increased operating expenses led to a decline in profitability, with operating profit and net income decreasing by 9.1% and 12.3%, respectively, to KRW951.5 billion and KRW744.9 billion.

Going forward, KT&G will continue to make its best efforts to propel growth and enhance profitability with the goal of maximizing corporate value and promoting sustainability management.

We are committed to enhancing business competitiveness and pursuing management innovation.

Our brand portfolio for the domestic tobacco business will be reshuffled to center on strategic brands. Related to new product development and packaging innovation, we plan to harness external capabilities to set up a brand-oriented management system. Additionally, we will pursue direct communication with consumers to identify major trends and focus on the key customer segments.

For the overseas tobacco business, KT&G will further strengthen its presence in its main export markets, namely the Middle East and Central Asia. We will also explore new markets by making investments in the regions of vast demand and strong growth such as Southeast Asia, Latin America and Africa.

For ginseng business, which is being nurtured as a new growth engine, we will solidify customer trust by putting our priority on ensuring safety. Under the goal of becoming a global leader in ginseng products, we will establish an R&D network to develop manufacturing, processing and packaging technologies while securing stable procurement of raw materials. In particular, we will build 'Cheongkwanjang', Korea's signature ginseng brand, into a global brand that represents Korea in overseas markets.

KT&G will take advantage of crisis as an opportunity to evolve from a good company to a great company that continues to thrive and grow.

All of us at KT&G are committed to creating better value for the future. We will firmly establish a management system of global standards and secure a solid footing in markets across the globe to achieve our vision of becoming one of the world's top five tobacco companies and the world's leading health food company. We will also faithfully carry out our promise to shareholders and society while doing our best to promote a corporate culture of integrity as a "righteous company" to inspire hope and dreams in future generations.

Thank you.

Young-jin Min Chief Executive Officer

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#### 2009 News & Issues









## 1 First group of KT&G scholarship recipients

The KT&G Scholarship Foundation presented scholarship certificates to the first group of recipients.

Scholarships were awarded to 10 domestic students and 12 foreign students. The Foundation will strive to help scholarship recipients succeed in their academic achievements and promote basic studies to enhance Korea's long-term competitiveness.

## 3 Kindergarten in the slums of Cambodia

KT&G set up a floating kindergarten in an impoverished section of Siem Reap in Cambodia. A vicious cycle of poverty persists in this area due to lack of access to education. By providing well-rounded education from an early age, the floating kindergarten is expected to contribute to resolving social issues stemming from poverty.

## The 1st Volunteer Awards ceremony

The following is a photo taken during the 1st KT&G Volunteer Awards ceremony. The awards provided an opportunity to look back on KT&G's volunteering activities over the past year and recognize outstanding volunteer groups and individuals.

## 4 Taste-oriented quality roadmap

The manufacturing headquarters drew up a mid- to long-term quality assurance roadmap to guarantee consistency in taste and quality of KT&G cigarettes. The roadmap should enable KT&G to deliver stable supplies of products with quality that meets consumers' expectations.

## Preventing H1N1 flu with red ginseng extract

H1N1 flu spread throughout the world at a fast pace in the third quarter of 2009. Amid the outbreak, interest grew in ways to boost immunity to prevent H1N1 flu. Red ginseng is widely recognized for its effect in increasing the immune function.

## 7 Financial innovation and corporate value enhancement

KT&G received the Korea Financial Innovation Award in 2009. The company was honored for enhancing corporate value through innovative financial management by establishing a group-wide integrated financial management system based on International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS).

## 6 HOOPA - based on traditional American Indian technique

The nationwide sale of the regular high-tar cigarette "HOOPA" began in October following a trial distribution in the Seoul districts of Gangnam and Hongdae. Test marketing in the two trendy districts contributed to refining the brand and led to an effective launch strategy.

## 8 Best Enterprise in the industry by DJSI Korea

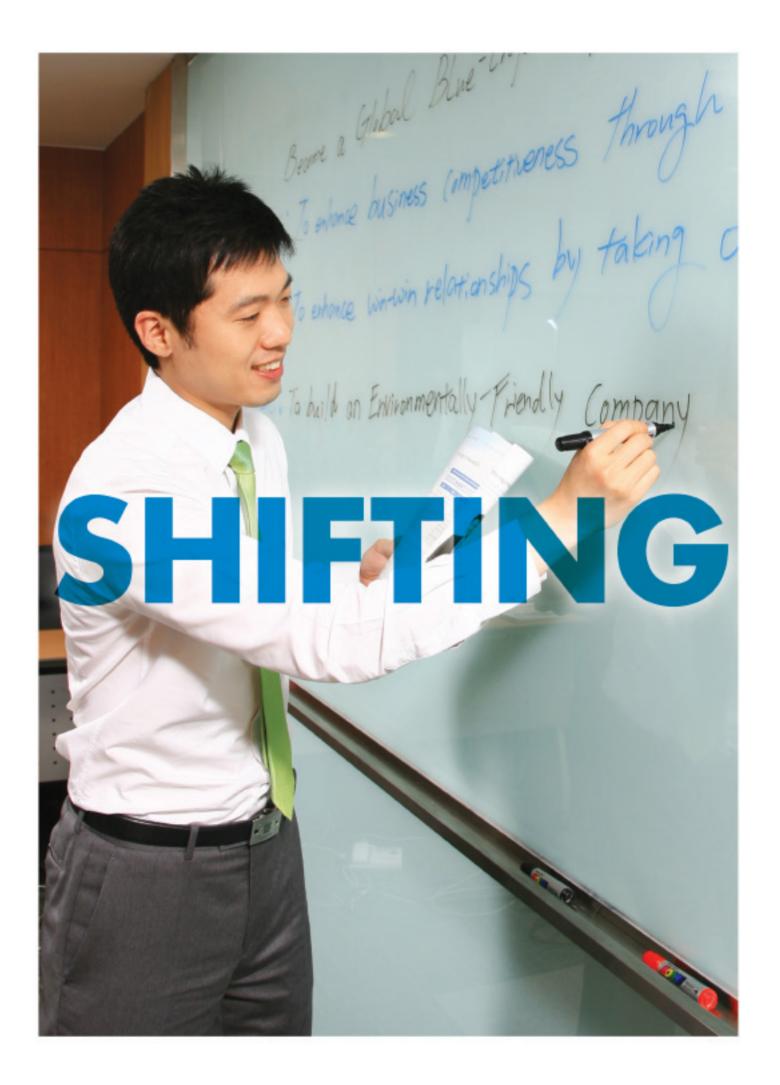
KT&G was selected as the best enterprise in the industry in the DJSI (Dow Jones Sustainability Index) Korea. The honor was given just two years after KT&G began implementing its sustainability management system and activities. Inclusion in the index will help establish KT&G as a sustainability leader in Korea.











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## BUSINESS TO GLOBAL

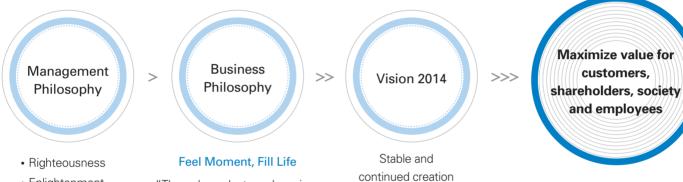
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## Corporate Vision & Strategy

## Vision, "Maximize value for customers, shareholders, community"

#### **Corporate Vision**



- Enlightenment
- Companionship
- "Through products and services founded on trust, we will fulfill people's emotional sensitivities to create a better life."
- Cigarettes (Stylish Life)
- Red Ginseng (Energetic Life)
- Health Foods (Well-being Life)
- Pharmaceuticals (Healthy Life)
- of corporate value
- Global tobacco company
- Global health company
- Leading domestic pharmaceutical company



KT&G's ultimate goal is to maximize value for customers, shareholders and members of society. We have aligned our management philosophy, business philosophy and vision accordingly and continue to make our best effort to realize our goal. In line with our three core beliefs of "righteousness," "enlightenment" and "companionship," we strive to create products and services that are founded on trust that complete our "Feel Moment, Fill Life" vision by fulfulling the sensitivities of taste, vitality, well-being and health. Through this process, we will pursue stable and sustainable creation of corporate value and grow into a global corporation.

**Business Strategy** 

KT&G aims to become a global blue-chip company displaying growth and profitability by establishing a balanced business portfolio comprising domestic and overseas tobacco business as well as health foods

For our domestic tobacco business, we will focus on consumeroriented marketing activities to strengthen our core brands and shift a paradigm in the market competition to bolster stability and profitability. To fulfill this objective, we will restructure our brand portfolio to center on our strategic brands and practice brandoriented management. We will also carry out direct communication with customers to read trends and concentrate on the key customer segments.

Our overseas tobacco business continues to thrive in key markets such as the Middle East and Central Asia. At the same time, we will aggressively explore new markets in Southeast Asia, Latin America and Africa to grow as a global player. Through these initiatives, KT&G will recapture lost share in the domestic market and pursue profitability and growth in overseas markets.

KT&G is nurturing the red ginseng/health food business as a "core growth business" to become a leading comprehensive health food company in the fast growing health food market by utilizing our R&D capacities in red ginseng and new ingredients. Based on our competitive edge in R&D and quality, we will aggressively expand our domestic red ginseng business and penetrate the Chiness market. We also expect new endeavors in the new health food business segment to provide added momentum for future growth. As red ginseng/health food business is directly linked to people's health, KT&G will place safety as a top priority which should ultimately translate into greater consumer trust in our products. At the same time, we will bolster our competencies to promote Cheongkwanjang as Korea's leading ginseng brand in overseas markets.



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## **Business Review**



#### **Key Brands**



**ESSE** series



THE ONE series



**RAISON** series



**BOHEM** series

KT&G strives to maximize customer satisfaction and elevate our status in both domestic and overseas markets.

#### Tobacco

#### - Product Line-up

KT&G offers a diversified product portfolio that appeals to everchanging customer preferences, both in terms of price and flavor. Our product line-up ranges from "88 light" (KRW 1,900 per pack) to "ESSE golden leaf" (KRW 4,000 per pack). Backed by ongoing R&D and market surveys, we continue to unveil diverse new products and enhance the quality of existing products through renewal launches. KT&G strives to maximize customer satisfaction and elevate our status in both domestic and overseas markets. We recognize that in addition to taste and flavor, product concept and design play a crucial role in satisfying customers' demands. With this understanding, we provide a wide range of superior products with distinctive concepts and designs to strengthen our competitiveness.

#### New Products

#### • ESSE Soun 0.1 \_ 2009-01-01

ESSE Soun 0.1 is the top brand in the ESSE series in terms of brand power, domestic sales and exports. ESSE Soun 0.1 is an ultra-thin cigarette with 0.1mg of tar that uses a bamboo activated filer. This product uses state-of-the-art blending technology to create a smooth and clean favor. The package design, which couples crisp white with bamboo green, aims to project the youthful appeal of a bamboo tree. ESSE Soun 0.1 also tries to create an upscale feeling by expressing "Soun" with sophisticated modern black ink calligraphy.

- Y IS STYLE BLANC \_ 2009-04-15
- Y IS STYLE ROUGE \_ 2009-04-15

The concept behind this product was to launch a "simple & stylish" cigarette that would spearhead a new ultra slim trend. The packaging features the alphabet "Y" which projects a simple and youthful image. This cigarette uses high quality leaf tobacco which are cultivated under bountiful sunshine until it is fully ripened to provide a full but clear flavor. The tar/nicotine content is 1.0mg/0.1 mg for BLANC and 3.0mg/0.3 mg for ROUGE.

#### • HOOPA\_2009-06-23

HOOPA originated from the idea of taking the traditional American Indian method of making cigarettes and re-inventing it to suit modern day needs. The name comes from "Hoop" which is the sound of inhalation that Columbus made when he first learned about cigarettes from American Indians and "Pa", the sound made during exhalation. The "original recipe" calls for blending 100% pure tobacco leaves that best creates the natural taste of cigarettes. In order to heighten visibility of HOOPA, we selected a native Indian design for the packaging and emphasized the product's key point which is "100% whole tobacco."

#### • SIMPLE ACE 1mg \_ 2009-08-19

SIMPLE ACE 1mg is the first slim cigarette featuring solid triple tube filters. Since the filter does not become mushy or loses its shape, it prevents nicotine from coming in direct contact with the smoker's teeth or tongue, leaving behind a clean feeling. High quality leaf tobacco such as Zambian leaf, whose quality is well known around the world, comprises 12% of the smooth and mild tasting blend. The combination of silver and blue on the packaging projects a sophisticated yet soft image, coupled with a unique gradation pattern which creates a modern polished design.

- EDGE 5mg \_ 2009-11-18
- EDGE 1mg \_ 2009-11-18

EDGE is the first half-round type, ultra slim 84 mm cigarette in the domestic market. EDGE is known for its smooth taste, thanks to its bountiful tobacco and sweet flavor generated from using a super carbon filter. We use a distinct packaging that comes in a simple layout. To highlight EDGE's urban image, we used metallic stripes and hologram to project a unique image. Tar/nicotine content for the 5mg cigarette is 5.0mg/0.45mg. For the 1mg cigarette, it is 1.0mg and 0.1 mg.

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#### **Business Review**

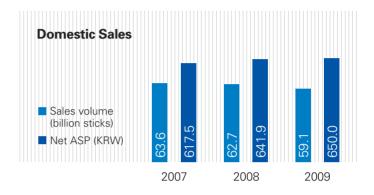
#### - Operation Review

2009 was characterized by intense competition in the tobacco market, foreign exchange volatility stemming from the global financial crisis, and a sluggish real economy with weak consumer sentiment both in Korea and abroad. KT&G devoted its energies to overcome these hurdles to increase corporate and shareholder value. As a result, our sales rose by 7.9% to KRW2,776.4 billion. However, operating profit fell by 9.1% largely due to foreign currency swings. Our performance in each business sector is explained in detail below.



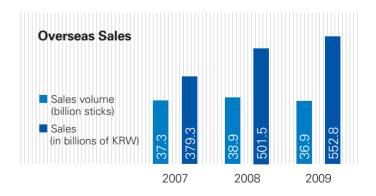
#### Domestic Business

KT&G continued to face a challenging situation in the domestic market amid diversifying patterns in smokers' buying patterns and growing intensity in market competition. We responded by releasing "ESSE Soun 0.1", whose success led us to maintain our superior position in the ultra slim market. We also targeted the regular and high-tar market through HOOPA and launched ESSE EDGE, the first 84 mm ultra slim cigarette in the domestic market, as part of our overall strategy to increase brand power. In 2009, we also focused on strengthening our marketing efficiency by stepping up advertising at key retail outlets, developing a system to better support sales operations, and maximizing resource efficiency by restructuring our marketing resources portfolio. Consequently, the portion of premium cigarette sales out of total sales increased by 2.4%. That helped to raise net average selling price per pack by 1.3%, even though sales volume and operating profit fell by 5.8% and 5.9% respectively.

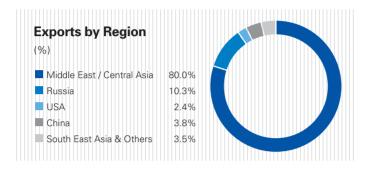


#### Overseas Business

Overseas sales volume recorded 36.9 billion sticks, slipping by 5.3%, but export revenue grew by 10.2% to KRW552.8 billion. Operating profit went up 15.1% to KRW198.3 billion. New products such as ESSE King Size/Mini drove higher sales of our mid to high-priced products. Increased sales volume in the Asia Pacific, a highly lucrative market, also contributed to the revenue growth. The percentage of export revenue from mid- to high-priced brand sales climbed by 7.5%p to 66%, following a reorganization of our sales structure by price segments. In particular, exports of "ESSE", a key brand that we have been promoting as our global strategic brand, showed an increase in sales volume by 18.6% to 11.2 billion sticks.



Meanwhile, we actively pursued overseas investments in markets with high growth potential to build a solid foundation to grow our overseas business. As part of this plan, in August 2009, we started work to build a production facility in Russia, which will facilitate direct management of operations in the market.



#### Production and Procurement

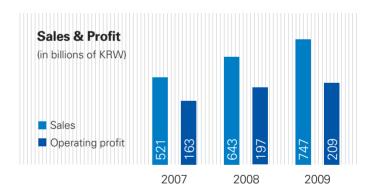
In production, we raised labor productivity by 11.4% and manufacturing yield by 2.8%, which generated approximately KRW20 billion in cost savings. This was achieved by reinforcing the emphasis on high quality and low cost, eliminating low valueadded operations, and identifying and improving inefficiencies. To flexibly respond to market changes, we put our efforts on bolstering the competitiveness of production activities. This included expanding lines for simultaneous production of multiple products, overhauling raw material processing, and upgrading our e-production system for more efficient production management. With a view to achieving consistent flavor and taste in our cigarettes, we trained process management staff, conducted a detailed process review, and carried out performance-based improvement activities. As a result, we saw customers' complaints decline by 42% from the previous year. In addition, we have been working on enhancing our product quality and quality assurance system by re-designing our quality assurance framework and establishing a mid to long-term quality control roadmap.

For raw materials, our focus was on obtaining high quality leaf tobacco in both domestic and international markets to satisfy demand. We established a production system and infrastructure to improve quality for domestic leaf tobacco and purchased substantial amount of leaf tobacco from 18 major tobacco exporting nations to strengthen our cost competitiveness. Moreover, we focused on securing a stable supply of raw materials by pursuing overseas production projects and securing long-term supply contracts.

#### Health Food

#### - Operation Review

Our health food business, represented by red ginseng, is an important growth engine for KT&G along with our overseas cigarette business. Korea Ginseng Corp. (KGC), which runs our health food business, released various products that respond to consumers' needs. KGC maximized brand exposure through various media outlets and diversified distribution channels. Special attention was given to core distribution channels like franchise stores, duty-free shops, and department stores which generate a high proportion of sales. Promotional activities targeting different customer groups continued throughout the year as well. With these efforts, sales increased by 16.2% to KRW746.7 billion while operating profit grew by 6.2% to KRW209.2 billion.







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#### **Selected Financial Data**

(in billions of KRW)

	2007	2008	2009	% YoY
Net sales	2,413	2,573	2,776	7.9
Gross profit	1,420	1,608	1,622	0.8
Operating profit	814	1,046	951	(9.1)
Net income	661	849	745	(12.3)
Total assets	3,978	4,613	4,788	3.8
Total liabilities	836	1,159	935	(19.3)
Total shareholders' equity	3,142	3,454	3,853	11.5
GP margin (%)	58.9	62.5	58.4	(4.1%p)
OP margin (%)	33.8	40.7	34.3	(6.4%p)
NI margin (%)	27.4	33.0	26.8	(6.2%p)
EPS (KRW)	4,992	6,527	5,803	(11.1)
PER (based on Year-end Price)	16.0	12.1	11.1	
Stock price (Year-end)(won)	79,700	79,100	64,400	(18.6)

#### **Analysis of Operating Results**

#### **Summarized Income Statement**

(in billions of KRW)

	2008	2009
Net sales	2,573	2,776
Operating profit	1,046	951
Net income	849	745

Heightened health awareness amid the well-being trend and the continued decline in the smoking rate, diversifying tobacco purchasing patterns, and fiercer competition created a tough business environment in 2009. To effectively respond to the difficult conditions, KT&G launched various products to strengthen brand power and made multifaceted efforts to reinforce marketing activities and efficiency. During the year, sales grew by 7.9% to KRW2,776 billion. However, operating profit and net income decreased by 9.1% and 12.3% to KRW951 billion and KRW745 billion, respectively.

#### **Domestic Market Share**

(%)

	FY08	FY09
KT&G	66.1	62.3
BAT	17.1	17.3
PM	11.9	14.4
JTI	4.9	6.0

Competition was fierce in 2009 due to global tobacco companies' strategic moves to expand market share via aggressive marketing and the penetration of foreign brands. KT&G maintained its dominant position in the domestic market with a share of 62.3%. However, PM and JTI strengthened their presence in Korea as they boosted their market shares to 14.4% (up 2.5%p) and 6.0% (up 1.1%p) respectively. KT&G will continue to release new products boasting differentiated quality and high margins while pursuing innovative marketing to drive a paradigm shift in market competition and realize market share gains and profitability improvement.

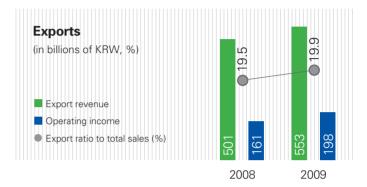
#### **Operating Revenues**

#### KT&G at the Low-tar Segment

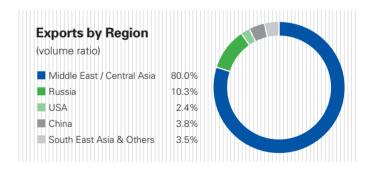
(million sticks, %)

	2008	2009
Korea low-tar market	44,594	44,701
KT&G's low-tar sales	31,773	30,527
KT&G's low-tar sales to total	50.7	51.7
Premium brand sales	42,907	41,390
Premium brand sales to total	68.4	70.1

Consumers persisted in showing a preference for premium low-tar brands in 2009. KT&G led the low-tar market with its brands ESSE, Raison and THE ONE. The Company's portion of this market segment to total volume stood at 51.7% as of 2009. Premium sales portion rose by 1.7%p to 70.1%. Growing sales contribution of premium brands has steadily pushed up the net averaging selling price per pack.



Owing to the slowdown in demand growth and intensifying competition, the domestic tobacco market displays limited potential for future growth. With that in mind, KT&G has been aggressively nurturing its overseas business. Underpinned by a profitability-oriented approach, KT&G boosted the sales proportion of high-priced brands with the launch of new products such as ESSE King Size/Mini while increasing exports to the lucrative Asia-Pacific market. Consequently, export revenue grew by 10.2% to KRW553 billion and operating profit went up 15.1% to KRW198 billion.

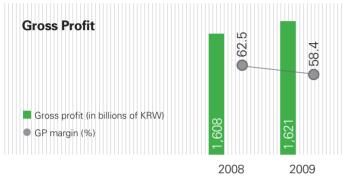


KT&G continues to diversify its export markets. The Company's export markets include Russia, US, China and Southeast Asia in addition to the main destinations of the Middle East and Central Asia. The Middle East and Central Asia including Russia account for about 90% of total exports. Supported by efforts to diversify export markets, shipments are expanding gradually to the US, China and Southeast Asia. In August 2009, construction work began on a manufacturing plant in Russia which should enable KT&G to pursue direct management in the market. In addition, KT&G is fostering brands suited to each region and working to secure strong local distribution networks to make greater inroads into overseas markets.



## Management Discussion & Analysis

#### **Operating Profitability**



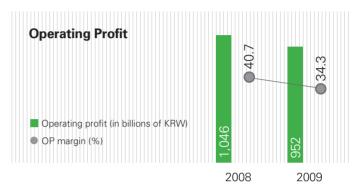
Gross profit inched up 0.8% to KRW1,621 billion driven by growth in overall sales and greater sales contribution of premium products. The gross margin, however, declined by 4.1%p as net sales grew by 7.9% while COGS jumped by a higher rate of 19.6%. The main reason of the surge in COGS was a hike in the cost of imported leaf tobacco for 2008 crop caused by depreciation of the Korean currency. KT&G is continuing efforts to lower production costs by curbing costs related to leaf tobacco and rationalizing inventory. The Company is reducing the usage ratio of domestic leaf tobacco, which carry higher prices, while expanding the use of low-priced, high-quality imported leaves to gain cost competitiveness.

#### **Operating Expenses Breakdown**

(in billions of KRW)

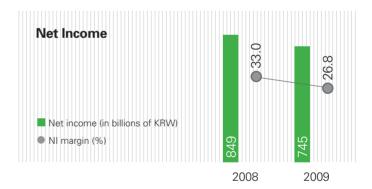
	FY08	FY09
Operating expenses	561	670
Other income	(108)	(51)
SG & A expenses	618	611
Employee welfare fund	15	10
Other expenses	38	100

Operating expenses went up by 19.3% to KRW670 billion, largely owing to sharp foreign exchange fluctuations. Compared to 2008, KT&G posted a reduction in currency related gains and an increase in currency related losses.

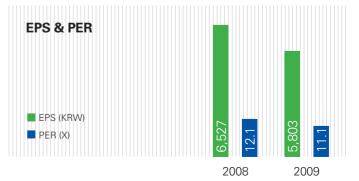


Despite the modest growth in gross profit, operating profit decreased by 9.1% to KRW952 billion due to the rise in operating expenses. Operating margin slid by 6.4%p to 34.3%.

#### Earnings and Dividends



The declines in sales, operating profit and net financial income resulted in a 12.3% reduction in net income to KRW745 billion.



Note) Based on the year-end closing share price

EPS dropped by 11.1% to KRW5,803. The closing share price fell by 18.6% from KRW79,100 at the end of 2008 to KRW64,400 at the end of 2009, which lowered the price-earnings ratio from 12.1 to 11.1.



KT&G has maintained a high dividend policy, with the payout ratio ranging between 40% and 50%. The Company paid out a dividend of KRW2,800 per share, the same DPS of FY08 and the payout ratio was 47.8%. Based on the year-end share price of KRW64,400, the dividend yield was 4.35%. KT&G will continue to uphold its high dividend policy going forward.

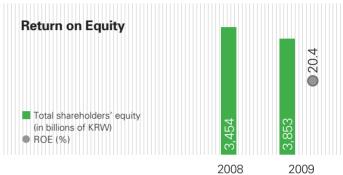
#### **Analysis of Financial Conditions**

#### **Summarized Balance Sheet**

(in billions of KRW)

	2008	2009
Total assets	4,614	4,788
Total liabilities	1,159	935
Total shareholders' equity	3,454	3,853

Total assets grew by 3.8% to KRW4,788 billion whereas total liabilities contracted by 19.3% to KRW935 billion. Total shareholders' equity increased by 11.5% to KRW3,853 billion.



Note) ROE for 2008 is not provided because total shareholders' equity based on IFRS at the beginning of the year is not available.

#### Analysis of Cash Flow

#### **Summarized Cash Flow Statement**

(in billions of KRW)

	2008	2009
Cash flow from operating activities	603	748
Cash flow from investing activities	(92)	(102)
Cash flow from financing activities	(537)	(465)
Net increase(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(27)	181
Cash & cash equivalents at the end of year	88	269

Cash and cash equivalents at the end of 2009 swelled to KRW269 billion from KRW88 billion a year earlier, boosted by greater cash flows from operating activities.

KT&G has been generating stable operating cash flows over the years. The Company will make its efforts to implement effective business activities based on a policy of selection and concentration and produce stable cash flows in order to maximize corporate value.



## Independent Auditors' Report



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## The Board of Directors and Shareholders KT&G Corporation:

We have audited the accompanying non-consolidated financial statements of KT&G Corporation (the "Company"), which comprise the non-consolidated statements of financial position as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008, and the non-consolidated statements of comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows for the years all of which ended December 31, 2009 and 2008.

#### Management's Responsibility

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these non-consolidated financial statements in accordance with Korean International Financial Reporting Standards.

#### Our Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these non-consolidated financial statements based on our audits.

#### Scope of Audit

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the Republic of Korea. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

#### **Audit Opinion**

In our opinion, the non-consolidated financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of KT&G Corporation as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 and the results of its operations, the changes in its equity and its cash flows for the years all of which ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 in conformity with Korean International Financial Reporting Standards.

The accompanying non-consolidated financial statements as of and for the year ended December 31, 2009 have been translated into United States dollars solely for the convenience of the reader. We have reviewed the translation and, in our opinion, the non-consolidated financial statements expressed in Korean Won have been translated into dollars on the basis set forth in note 3 to the non-consolidated financial statements.

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Without qualifying our opinion, we draw attention to the following:

As discussed in note 28 to the non-consolidated financial statements, the Company and the Korean government are defendants in lawsuits claiming damages of \\$\structure{\psi}\$584 million for the effects of smoking. The final outcome of these lawsuits cannot be predicted. Accordingly, no provisions have been made in accompanying non-consolidated financial statements.

As discussed in notes 2 and 33 to the non-consolidated financial statements, the Company has early-adopted Korean International Financial Reporting Standards as prescribed in the Act on External Audit of Corporation from 2009. Accordingly, the prior period non-consolidated financial statements presented for comparative purposes have been restated in accordance with Korean International Financial Reporting Standards No.1101 First-time Adoption of Korean International Financial Reporting Standards.

KPMG Samjory Accounting Corp.

KPMG Samjong Accounting Corp. Seoul, Korea February 11, 2010

This report is effective as of February 11, 2010, the audit report date. Certain subsequent events or circumstances, which may occur between the audit 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 audit report should understand that there is a possibility that the above audit report may have to be revised to reflect the impact of such subsequent events or circumstances, if any.



## Non-Consolidated Statements of Financial Position

As of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008

In millions of Won and thousands of U.S. dollars

		2009		2008	January 1, 2008	
			U.S. dollars			
	Note	Korean Won	(note 3)	Korean Won	Korean Won	
Assets						
Property, plant and equipment	4	₩ 1,210,426	\$ 1,036,679	₩ 1,275,536	₩ 1,282,939	
Intangible assets	5	45,041	38,576	41,260	37,284	
Investment property	6	101,900	87,273	105,075	108,262	
Investments in associates	7	2,830	2,424	7,277	6,777	
Investments in subsidiaries	8	720,330	616,932	662,668	660,372	
Available-for-sale financial assets	9, 27	441,843	378,420	301,956	252,663	
Long-term deposits in MSA Escrow Fund	10, 27, 28	118,121	101,166	110,261	66,633	
Long-term prepaid expenses		4,927	4,218	5,342	2,579	
Long-term trade and other receivables	11, 27	106,567	7 91,270	122,122	128,185	
Total non-current assets		2,751,985	2,356,958	2,631,497	2,545,694	
Inventories	12	1,054,321	902,981	1,147,096	996,860	
Trade and other receivables	11, 27	505,731	433,137	517,644	371,052	
Prepaid tobacco excise and other taxes		169,440	145,118	201,774	164,376	
Advance payments		10,776	9,229	21,297	243	
Prepaid expenses		1,395	1,196	2,575	5,123	
Current available-for-sale financial assets	9, 27	1,957	1,676	2,149	92	
Other financial assets	27	-	-	1,000	1,000	
Cash and cash equivalents	13, 27	268,954	230,348	88,352	115,126	
		2,012,574	1,723,685	1,981,887	1,653,872	
Asset held for sale	29	23,246	19,909			
Total current assets		2,035,820	1,743,594	1,981,887	1,653,872	
Total assets		₩ 4,787,805	\$ 4,100,552	₩ 4,613,384	₩ 4,199,566	

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In millions of Won and thousands of U.S. dollars

		20	009	2008	January 1, 2008
			U.S. dollars		
	Note	Korean Won	(note 3)	Korean Won	Korean Won
Equity					
Ordinary shares	14	₩ 954,959	\$ 817,882	₩ 954,959	₩ 954,959
Other capital surplus	14	2,632	2,254	337	337
Treasury shares	15	(226,945)	(194,369)	(226,945)	(414,947)
Gain on reissuance of treasury shares	15	468,274	401,057	468,274	463,900
Reserve	16	2,074,108	1,776,386	1,821,348	1,738,415
Retained earnings	17, 18	579,963	496,714	436,453	393,213
Total equity		3,852,991	3,299,924	3,454,426	3,135,877
Liabilities					
Long-term trade and other payables	20, 27	24,042	20,591	24,323	26,861
Long-term advance receipts		535	458	622	-
Defined benefit liabilities	21	18,295	15,669	48,336	47,005
Deferred income tax liabilities	24	122,372	104,806	81,691	91,786
Total non-current liabilities		165,244	141,524	154,972	165,652
Short-term borrowings	19, 27	19,338	16,562	13,344	14,955
Trade and other payables	20, 27	277,616	237,766	392,964	329,262
Advance receipts		22,528	19,295	71,296	24,202
Other financial liabilities	27	-	-	2,699	25
Income taxes payable	24	100,038	85,678	153,486	183,482
Tobacco excise and other taxes payable		350,050	299,803	370,197	346,111
Total current liabilities		769,570	659,104	1,003,986	898,037
Total liabilities		934,814	800,628	1,158,958	1,063,689
Total equity and liabilities		₩ 4,787,805	\$ 4,100,552	₩ 4,613,384	₩ 4,199,566



## Non-Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income

For the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008

In millions of Won and thousands of U.S. dollars, except earnings per share

		2009					2008
					U.S. dollars		
	Note		Korean Won		(note 3)		Korean Won
Sales:	26						
Manufacture of tobacco		₩	2,472,054	\$	2,117,210	₩	2,514,164
Real estate			258,033		220,994		21,738
Exports of leaf tobacco and others			46,316		39,668		37,240
			2,776,403		2,377,872		2,573,142
Cost of sales:	22, 26						
Manufacture of tobacco			(960,187)		(822,360)		(938,790)
Real estate			(165,811)		(142,010)		(3,409)
Exports of leaf tobacco and others			(28,946)		(24,791)		(23,119)
			(1,154,944)		(989,161)		(965,318)
Gross profit			1,621,459		1,388,711		1,607,824
Other income	22		51,395		44,018		108,361
Selling expenses	22		(460,792)		(394,649)		(475,044)
General and administrative expenses	22		(150,432)		(128,839)		(142,974)
Employee welfare fund			(10,000)		(8,565)		(15,000)
Other expense	22		(100,137)		(85,763)		(36,748)
Profit from operations	26		951,493		814,913		1,046,419
Finance income	23		41,607		35,635		78,393
Finance costs	23		(7,752)		(6,639)		(10,093)
Net finance income	23		33,855		28,996		68,300
Profit before income taxes			985,348		843,909		1,114,719
Income tax expense	24		(240,406)		(205,898)		(265,233)
Profit for the period		₩	744,942	\$	638,011	₩	849,486
Other comprehensive income:							
Available-for-sale financial assets, net of tax	9		101,055		86,549		25,637
Actuarial gains (losses), net of tax	21		16,924		14,495		(31,044)
Other comprehensive income (expense)							
for the period, net of tax			117,979		101,044		(5,407)
Total comprehensive income for the period		₩	862,921	\$	739,055	₩	844,079
Earnings per share in Won:							
Basic and Diluted	25	₩	5,803	\$	4.97	₩	6,527

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## Non-Consolidated Statements of Changes in Equity

For the year ended December 31, 2009

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						In	millions of Won
				Gain on			
		Other		reissuance of			
	Ordinary	capital	Treasury	treasury		Retained	Total
	shares	surplus	shares	shares	Reserve	earnings	equity
Balance at January 1, 2009	₩ 954,959	337	(226,945)	468,274	1,821,348	436,453	3,454,426
Total comprehensive income							
for the period:							
Profit for the period	-	-	-	-	-	744,942	744,942
Other comprehensive income:							
Available-for-sale financial assets,							
net of tax	-	-	-	-	101,055	-	101,055
Actuarial gains, net of tax	-	-	-	-	-	16,924	16,924
Total other comprehensive							
income	-	-	-	-	101,055	16,924	117,979
Total comprehensive income							
for the period	-	-	-	-	101,055	761,866	862,921
Transactions with owners,							
recorded directly in equity:							
Dividends	-	-	-	-	-	(360,357)	(360,357)
Reacquisition of treasury shares	-	-	(103,999)	-	-	-	(103,999)
Retirement of treasury shares	-	-	103,999	-	-	(103,999)	-
Transfer to unconditional reserve	-	-	-	-	169,000	(169,000)	-
Transfer from reserve							
for research and human							
resource development	-	-	-	-	(15,000)	15,000	-
Expiration of employee share options	-	2,295	-	-	(2,295)	-	-
Total transactions with owners	-	2,295	-	-	151,705	(618,356)	(464,356)
Balance at December 31, 2009	₩ 954,959	2,632	(226,945)	468,274	2,074,108	579,963	3,852,991

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## Non-Consolidated Statements of Changes in Equity

For the year ended December 31, 2009

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			Gain on				
		Other		reissuance of			
	Ordinary	capital	Treasury	treasury		Retained	Total
	shares	surplus	shares	shares	Reserve	earnings	equity
Balance at January 1, 2009	\$ 817,882	289	(194,369)	401,057	1,559,908	373,804	2,958,571
Total comprehensive income							
for the period:							
Profit for the period	-	-	-	-	-	638,011	638,011
Other comprehensive income:							
Available-for-sale financial assets,							
net of tax	-	-	-	-	86,549	-	86,549
Actuarial gains, net of tax	-	-	-	-	-	14,495	14,495
Total other comprehensive							
income	-	-	-	-	86,549	14,495	101,044
Total comprehensive income							
for the period	-	-	-	-	86,549	652,506	739,055
Transactions with owners,							
recorded directly in equity:							
Dividends	-	-	-	-	-	(308,631)	(308,631)
Reacquisition of treasury shares	-	-	(89,071)	-	-	-	(89,071)
Retirement of treasury shares	-	-	89,071	-	-	(89,071)	-
Transfer to unconditional reserve	-	-	-	-	144,741	(144,741)	-
Transfer from reserve							
for research and human							
resource development	-	-	-	-	(12,847)	12,847	-
Expiration of employee share options	-	1,965	-	-	(1,965)	-	-
Total transactions with owners	-	1,965	-	-	129,929	(529,596)	(397,702)
Balance at December 31, 2009	\$ 817,882	2,254	(194,369)	401,057	1,776,386	496,714	3,299,924

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## Non-Consolidated Statements of Changes in Equity

For the year ended December 31, 2008

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					Gain on			
			Other		reissuance of			
		Ordinary	capital	Treasury	treasury		Retained	Total
		shares	surplus	shares	shares	Reserve	earnings	equity
Balance at January 1, 2008	₩	954,959	337	(414,947)	463,900	1,738,415	393,213	3,135,877
Total comprehensive income								
for the period:								
Profit for the period		-	-	-	-	-	849,486	849,486
Other comprehensive income:								
Available-for-sale financial assets,								
net of tax		-	-	-	-	25,637	-	25,637
Actuarial losses, net of tax		-	-	-	-	-	(31,044)	(31,044)
Total other comprehensive								
income		-	-	-	-	25,637	(31,044)	(5,407)
Total comprehensive income								
for the period		-	-			25,637	818,442	844,079
Transactions with owners,								
recorded directly in equity:								
Dividends		-	-	-	-	-	(340,449)	(340,449)
Reacquisition of treasury shares		-	-	(194,128)	-	-	-	(194,128)
Retirement of treasury shares		-	-	379,753	-	-	(379,753)	-
Share-based payment transaction		-	-	-	-	2,296	-	2,296
Employee benefits by treasury shares		-	-	2,377	4,374	-	-	6,751
Transfer to unconditional reserve		-	-	-	-	70,000	(70,000)	-
Transfer from reserve								
for research and human								
resource development		-	-	-	-	(15,000)	15,000	-
Total transactions with owners		-	-	188,002	4,374	57,296	(775,202)	(525,530)
Balance at December 31, 2008	₩	954,959	337	(226,945)	468,274	1,821,348	436,453	3,454,426



## Non-Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

For the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008

In millions of Won and thousands of U.S. dollars

			20	09			2008
					U.S. dollars		
	Note		Korean Won		(note 3)		Korean Won
Cash flows from operating activities							
Cash generated from operations	30	₩	1,034,124	\$	885,683	₩	907,711
Income tax paid			(286,450)		(245,332)		(305,254)
Net cash from operating activities			747,674		640,351		602,457
Cash flows from investing activities							
Interest received			9,468		8,109		14,851
Dividends received			30,215		25,878		63,458
Proceeds from investments in associates			1		1		-
Proceeds from investments in subsidiaries			-		-		282
Proceeds from sale of available-for-sale financial assets			1,648		1,411		249
Collection of loans			23,967		20,527		7,643
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment			17,972		15,392		21,867
Proceeds from sale of intangible assets			64		55		-
Purchases of investments in associates			(500)		(428)		(500)
Purchases of investments in subsidiaries			(34,233)		(29,319)		(2,498)
Purchases of available-for-sale financial assets			(11,222)		(9,611)		(18,931)
Increase in loans			(15,461)		(13,242)		(10,360)
Payments long-term deposits in MSA Escrow Fund			(18,055)		(15,463)		(17,895)
Purchases of property, plant and equipment			(96,400)		(82,563)		(136,727)
Acquisition of intangible assets			(4,769)		(4,084)		(4,507)
Acquisition of investment property			(323)		(277)		(222)
Settlement of financial derivatives			(4,410)		(3,777)		(6,320)
Cash flows from other investing activities			284		243		(2,440)
Net cash used in investing activities			(101,754)		(87,148)		(92,050)
Cash flows from financing activities							
Interest paid			(585)		(501)		(647)
Reacquisition of treasury shares			(103,999)		(89,071)		(194,128)
Dividends paid			(360,357)		(308,631)		(340,449)
Cash flows from other financing activities			(347)		(296)		(1,908)
Net cash used in financing activities			(465,288)		(398,499)		(537,132)
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents			180,632		154,704		(26,725)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year			88,352		75,670		115,126
Effect of exchange rate fluctuation on cash held			(30)		(26)		(49)
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year		₩	268,954	\$	230,348	₩	88,352

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## Notes to Non-Consolidated Financial Statements

December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008

#### 1. Organization and Description of Business

KT&G Corporation (the "Company"), which is engaged in manufacturing and selling tobacco, was established on April 1, 1987 as Korea Monopoly Corporation, a wholly-owned enterprise of the Korean government, pursuant to the Korea Monopoly Corporation Act, in order to secure financing and to promote and develop, through efficient management, the monopoly business of red ginseng and tobacco. On April 1, 1989, the Company changed its name to Korea Tobacco and Ginseng Corporation pursuant to the Korea Tobacco and Ginseng Corporation Act. Also, pursuant to the Act on Management Reform and Privatization of Public Enterprises, proclaimed on August 28, 1997 and enforced on October 1, 1997, the Company was excluded from the application of the Act for the Management of Government Invested Enterprises. Accordingly, the Company became an entity existing and operating under the Commercial Code of Korea. The Korean government sold 28,650,000 shares of the Company to the public during 1999 and the Company listed its share on the Korea Exchange (formerly, the Korea Stock Exchange) on October 8, 1999. On December 27, 2002, the Company changed its name again to KT&G Corporation from Korea Tobacco and Ginseng Corporation.

As of December 31, 2009, the Company has four manufacturing plants, including the Shin Tan Jin plant, and 14 local headquarters and 168 branches for the sale of tobacco throughout the country. Also, the Company has the Gimcheon plant for fabrication of leaf tobacco and the Chunahn printing plant for the manufacturing of packaging, and has its head office in Pyeongchon-dong, Daedeok-gu, Daejeon.

Pursuant to the Korean government's privatization program and management reorganization plan, on December 28, 1998, the shareholders approved a plan to separate the Company into two companies by setting up a subsidiary for its red ginseng business segment effective January 1, 1999. The separation was accomplished by the Company's contribution of the assets and liabilities in the red ginseng business segment into a wholly-owned subsidiary, Korea Ginseng Corporation.

On October 17, 2002 and October 31, 2001, the Company listed 35,816,658 and 45,400,000 Global Depositary Receipts ("GDR") (each GDR representing the right to receive one-half share of ordinary share of the Company), respectively, on the Luxembourg Stock Exchange pursuant to the Korean government's privatization program. Also, on June 25, 2009, the market of the Company's GDR was changed from the BdL Market to the Euro MTF in the Luxembourg Stock Exchange.

The ownership of the Company's issued ordinary share at December 31, 2009 is held as follows:

Shareholder	Number of shares	Percentage of ownership
	2.512.125	2.224
Industrial Bank of Korea	9,510,485	6.93%
Employee Share Ownership Association	5,660,022	4.12%
Treasury shares	10,093,697	7.35%
Others	112,028,293	81.60%
	137,292,497	100.00%

#### 2. Basis of Presenting Financial Statements and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

#### (a) Basis of Preparation

The non-consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Korean International Financial Reporting Standards ("K-IFRS"), as prescribed in the Act on External Audit of Corporations. K-IFRS is effective from the fiscal year beginning on or after January 1, 2011 and the Company early-adopted K-IFRS from 2009.

These non-consolidated financial statements are separate financial statements which are those presented by a parent or an investor in an associate, in which the investments are accounted for on the basis of the direct equity interest rather than on the basis of the reported results and net assets of the investee in accordance with K-IFRS No.1027 Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements.



## Notes to Non-Consolidated Financial Statements

December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008

The non-consolidated financial statements are the Company's first K-IFRS financial statements, with a transition date of January 1, 2008. The prior period non-consolidated financial statements presented for comparative purposes have been restated in accordance with the accounting policies described below. The effect of the transition from the Generally Accounting Principles in the Republic of Korea to K-IFRS, affecting the Company's reported financial position, financial performance and cash flows is described in note 33 to non-consolidated financial statements.

Certain information included in the Korean language non-consolidated financial statements, but not required for a fair presentation of the Company's financial position, results of operations, changes in equity or cash flows, is not presented in the accompanying non-consolidated financial statements.

#### (b) Basis of Measurement

The non-consolidated financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost basis except as described in the accounting policy below on financial instruments and share-based payments.

#### (c) Investments in Subsidiaries and Associates in the Separate Financial Statement

These non-consolidated financial statements are separate financial statements which are those presented by a parent or an investor in an associate in accordance with K-IFRS No.1027, in which the investments are accounted for on the basis of the direct equity interest rather than on the basis of the reported results and net assets of the investees. The Company accounts for investments in subsidiaries and associates at cost. The Company measures an investment in Korea Ginseng Corporation at the deemed cost which is previous GAAP carrying amount at the date of transition in accordance with K-IFRS No.1101 First-time Adoption of Korean International Financial Reporting Standards. Dividends on investments in subsidiaries and associates are recognized in profit or loss when the Company's right to receive payment is established.

#### (d) Foreign Currencies

These non-consolidated financial statements are presented in Korean Won, which is the Company's functional currency that is the currency of the primary economic environment in which the Company operates.

Foreign currency transactions are initially recorded using the spot exchange rate between the functional currency and the foreign currency at the date of the transaction. At the end of each reporting period, foreign currency monetary items are translated using the closing rate. Non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rate at the date of the transaction. Non-monetary items that are measured at fair value in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rates at the date when the fair value was determined.

Exchange differences arising on the settlement of monetary items or on translating monetary items at rates different from those at which they were translated on initial recognition during the period or in previous financial statements are recognized in profit or loss in the period in which they arise. When gains or losses on non-monetary items are recognized in other comprehensive income, exchange components of that gains or losses are recognized in other comprehensive income. Conversely, when gains or losses on non-monetary items are recognized in profit or loss, exchange components of that gains or losses are recognised in profit or loss.

#### (e) Property, Plant and Equipment

Property, plant and equipment are measured initially at cost and after initial recognition, are carried at cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses. The cost of property, plant and equipment includes expenditure arising directly from the construction or acquisition of the asset, any costs directly attributable to bringing the asset to the location and condition necessary for them to be capable of operating in the manner intended by management and the initial estimate of the costs of dismantling and removing the item and restoring the site on which they are located.

Subsequent costs are recognized in the carrying amount of property, plant and equipment at cost or, if appropriate, as separate items if it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Company and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. The carrying amount of the replaced part is derecognized. The costs of the day-to-day servicing are recognized in profit or loss as incurred.

Property, plant and equipment, except for land and other tangible fixed assets, are depreciated on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of each part of an item of property, plant and equipment.

The estimated useful lives are as follows:

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#### Useful lives (vears)

Buildings and structures	10 ~ 60
Machinery and vehicles	4 ~ 12
Tools, furniture and fixtures	4

Each part of property, plant and equipment with a cost that is significant in relation to the total cost are depreciated separately.

Depreciation methods, useful lives and residual values are reviewed at each financial year-end and adjusted if appropriate. The change is accounted for as a change in an accounting estimate.

#### (f) Intangible Assets

Intangible assets are measured initially at cost and after initial recognition, are carried at cost less accumulated amortization and accumulated impairment losses. Intangible assets consist of industrial property rights, rights to facility usage and other intangible assets. Intangible assets are amortized on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of intangible assets from the date that they are available for use. The residual value of intangible assets is assumed to be zero. However, as there are no foreseeable limits to the periods over which rights to facility usage and some of industrial property right are expected to be available for use, these intangible assets are regarded as having indefinite useful lives and not amortized.

The estimated useful lives are as follows:

#### Useful lives (years)

Industrial property rights	10 ~ 20 or indefinite
Rights to facility usage	indefinite
Other intangible assets	5

The amortization period and the amortization method for intangible assets with a finite useful life are reviewed at each financial year-end. The useful lives of intangible assets that is not being amortized are reviewed each period to determine whether events and circumstances continue to support an indefinite useful life assessment for those assets. If it is appropriate to change, such a change is accounted for as a change in an accounting estimate.

#### (g) Investment Property

Properties held to earn rentals or for capital appreciation are classified as investment properties. Investment properties are measured initially at its cost including transaction costs and after initial recognition, are carried at cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses.

Subsequent costs are recognized in the carrying amount of investment property at cost or, if appropriate, as separate items if it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Company and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. The carrying amount of the replaced part is derecognized. The costs of the day-to-day servicing are recognized in profit or loss as incurred.

Investment properties, except for land, are depreciated on a straight-line basis over 10 ~ 60 years, the estimated useful lives. Depreciation methods, useful lives and residual values are reviewed at each financial year-end and adjusted if appropriate. The change is accounted for as a change in an accounting estimate.

#### (h) Inventories

Inventories are measured at the lower of cost and net realizable value. The cost of inventories comprises all costs of purchase, costs of conversion and other costs incurred in bringing the inventories to their present location and condition.

The cost of inventories is determined by the weighted-average method for finished goods, by-products, work-in-progress and tobacco leaf in raw materials, by the moving-average method for raw materials and supplies; and by the specific identification method for all other inventories.



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When inventories are sold, the carrying amount of those inventories is recognized as an expense in the period in which the related revenue is recognized. The amount of any write-down of inventories to net realizable value and all losses of inventories are recognized as an expense in the period the write-down or loss occurs. The amount of any reversal of any write-down of inventories, arising from an increase in net realizable value, is recognized as a reduction in the amount of inventories recognized as an expense in the period in which the reversal occurs.

Tobacco leaf inventories which have an operating cycle that exceeds 12 months are classified as current assets, consistent with recognized industry practice. The estimated amounts of inventories in current assets which are not expected to be realized within 12 months are ₩145,064 million, ₩304,969 million and ₩319,217 million, respectively, as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008.

#### (i) Non-Derivative Financial Assets

The Company classifies a non-derivative financial asset into the following four categories: financial assets at fair value through profit or loss, held-to-maturity investments, loans and receivables or available-for-sale financial assets, relating to recognition and measurement of financial assets. The Company recognizes financial assets in the non-consolidated statement of financial position when the Company becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the financial asset. The Company derecognizes financial assets from the non-consolidated statement of financial position when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the financial asset expire or the Company transfers the contractual rights to receive the cash flows on the financial asset in a transaction in which all the risks and rewards of ownership of the financial asset are substantially transferred. If the Company retains substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the transferred financial assets, the Company continues to recognize the transferred financial asset and recognizes financial liabilities for the consideration received.

Non-derivative financial assets comprise investments in equity and debt securities, long-term deposits in MSA Escrow Fund, trade and other receivables and cash and cash equivalents. When non-derivative financial assets are recognized initially, the Company measures it at its fair value plus, in the case of financial assets not at fair value through profit or loss, transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition of the financial asset.

#### Financial Assets at Fair Value through Profit or Loss

Financial assets are classified at fair value through profit or loss if it is held for trading or is designated as such upon initial recognition. Upon initial recognition transaction costs are recognized in profit or loss when incurred. Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss are measured at fair value, and changes therein are recognized in profit or loss.

#### Held-to-maturity Investments

Non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments and fixed maturity that the Company has the positive intention and ability to hold to maturity are classified as held-to-maturity investments. After initial recognition, held-to-maturity investments are measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method.

#### Loans and Receivables

Loans and receivables are trade receivables, loans and other receivables with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market. After initial recognition, loans and receivables are measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method except for short-term receivables of which the effect of discounting is immaterial.

#### Available-for-sale Financial Assets

Available-for-sale financial assets are those non-derivative financial assets that are designated as available for sale or are not classified as financial assets at fair value through profit or loss, held-to-maturity investments or loans and receivables. Subsequent to initial recognition, they are measured at fair value and changes therein are recognized directly in other comprehensive income, except for impairment losses and foreign exchange gains and losses on monetary available-for-sale financial asset. Investments in equity instruments that do not have a quoted market price in an active market and whose fair value cannot be reliably measured are measured at cost. When the financial asset is derecognized or impairment losses is recognized, the cumulative gain or loss previously recognized in other comprehensive income is reclassified from equity to profit or loss. Dividends on an available-for-sale equity instrument are recognized in profit or loss when the Company's right to receive payment is established.

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#### Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash on hand, demand deposits and short-term, highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value. Equity investments are excluded from cash equivalents unless they are, in substance, cash equivalents, for example in the case of preferred shares acquired within a short period of their maturity and with a specified redemption date. Bank overdrafts are included as a component of cash and cash equivalents for the purpose of the non-consolidated statement of cash flows.

#### (j) Non-Derivative Financial liabilities

The Company classifies non-derivative financial liabilities into financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss or other financial liabilities in accordance with the substance of the contractual arrangement and the definitions of financial liabilities. The Company recognizes financial liabilities in the non-consolidated statement of financial position when the Company becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the financial liability and removes financial liabilities from the non-consolidated statement of financial position when the financial liability is extinguished.

Non-derivative financial liabilities comprise borrowings and trade and other payables. When non-derivative financial liabilities are recognized initially, the Company measures it at its fair value minus, in the case of financial liabilities not at fair value through profit or loss, transaction costs that are directly attributable to the issue of the financial liability.

#### Financial Liabilities at Fair Value through Profit or Loss

Financial liabilities are classified at fair value through profit or loss if it is held for trading or is designated as such upon initial recognition. Upon initial recognition transaction costs are recognized in profit or loss when incurred. Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are measured at fair value, and changes therein are recognized in profit or loss.

#### Other Financial Liabilities

Other financial liabilities are those non-derivative financial liabilities that are not classified as financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss. After initial recognition, other financial liabilities are measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method except for short-term liabilities of which the effect of discounting is immaterial.

#### (k) Derivative Financial Instruments

Derivatives are recognized initially at fair value. Attributable transaction costs are recognized in profit or loss when incurred.

A hedge of the exposure to changes in fair value of a recognized asset or liability or an unrecognized firm commitment that is attributable to a particular risk is accounted for as a fair value hedge. A hedge of the exposure to variability in cash flows that is attributable to a particular risk associated with a recognized asset or liability or a highly probable forecast transaction is accounted for cash flow hedge.

At the inception of the hedge, the Company formally designates the hedging relationship and the Company's risk management objective and strategy for undertaking the hedge and documents identification of the hedging instrument, the hedged item or transaction, the nature of the risk being hedged and how the Company will assess the hedging instrument s effectiveness. The Company assesses the hedge effectiveness on an ongoing basis throughout the financial reporting periods for which the hedge was designated.

Subsequent to initial recognition, derivatives are measured at fair value, and changes therein are accounted for as described below.

#### Fair value hedges

The gain or loss from remeasuring the hedging instrument designated as a fair value hedge at fair value and the gain or loss on the hedged item attributable to the hedged risk is recognized in profit or loss.



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#### Cash flow hedges

The portion of the gain or loss on the hedging instrument designated as a cash value hedge that is determined to be an effective hedge is recognized in other comprehensive income and the ineffective portion of the gain or loss on the hedging instrument is recognized in profit or loss. The associated gains or losses that were recognized in other comprehensive income is reclassified from equity to profit or loss in the same period or periods during which the hedged forecast transaction affects profit or loss. If a hedge of a forecast transaction subsequently results in the recognition of a non-financial asset or a non-financial liability, the associated gains and losses that were recognized in other comprehensive income are removed and included in the initial cost or other carrying amount of the asset or liability.

If the hedging instrument expires or is sold, terminated or exercised or the hedge no longer meets the criteria for hedge accounting or the Company revokes the designation, the hedge accounting is discontinued prospectively. The cumulative gain or loss on the hedging instrument that has been recognized in other comprehensive income is reclassified from equity to profit or loss when the forecast transaction occurs. If the transaction is no longer expected to occur, the cumulative gain or loss that had been recognized in other comprehensive income is immediately reclassified from equity to profit or loss.

Changes in the fair value of derivatives that are not designated as hedging instrument or do not meet the criteria for hedge accounting are recognized immediately in profit or loss.

Derivative financial instruments, which were designed as exchange rate hedging instruments in the year ended December 31, 2008 were settled in the year ended December 31, 2009. Therefore as of December 31, 2009 the Company does not have derivative financial instruments.

#### (I) Non-current Assets Held for Sale

The Company classifies a non-current asset (or disposal group) as held for sale if its carrying amount will be recovered principally through a sale transaction rather than through continuing use, and measures it at the lower of its carrying amount and fair value less costs to sell.

A non-current asset which is classified as held for sale or which is part of a disposal group classified as held for sale is not depreciated.

The Company recognizes an impairment loss for write-down of the asset (or disposal group) to fair value less costs to sell and a gain for increase in fair value less costs to sell of an asset, but not in excess of the cumulative impairment loss that has been recognized previously in accordance with K-IFRS No.1036 Impairment of Assets.

#### (m) Revenue Recognition

The Company s revenue categories consist of goods sold, services and other income.

Revenue from sale of goods is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable, net of tobacco excise and other taxes, trade discounts and volume rebates. Revenue from the sale of goods is recognized when the Company has transferred to the buyer the significant risks and rewards of ownership of the goods, the Company retains neither continuing managerial involvement to the degree usually associated with ownership nor effective control over the goods sold, the amount of revenue can be measured reliably, it is probable that the economic benefits associated with the transaction will flow to the Company and the costs incurred or to be incurred in respect of the transaction can be measured reliably. Tobacco excise and other taxes deducted from revenue for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 were \(\prec{\psi}{3},772,203\) million and \(\psi 4,000,850\) million, respectively.

Revenue from the building lotting-out construction contracts is recognized upon delivery when the significant risks and rewards of ownership of the goods are transferred to the buyer.

Revenue associated with the transaction involving the rendering of services is recognized by reference to the stage of completion of the transaction at the end of the reporting period when the amount of revenue can be measured reliably, it is probable that the economic benefits associated with the transaction will flow to the Company, the stage of completion of the transaction at the end of the reporting period can be measured reliably and the costs incurred for the transaction and the costs to complete the transaction can be measured reliably. When the outcome of the transaction involving the rendering of services cannot be estimated reliably, revenue is recognized only to the extent of the expenses recognized that are recoverable.

Revenue arising from the use by others of the Company assets yielding interest, royalties and dividends is recognized when it is probable that the economic benefits associated with the transaction will flow to the Company and the amount of the revenue can be measured reliably.

In addition, interest is recognized using the effective interest method, royalties are recognized on an accrual basis in accordance with the substance of the relevant agreement and dividends are recognized when the shareholder s right to receive is established.

#### (n) Impairment of Non-financial Assets

The Company assesses at the end of each reporting period whether there is any indication that an asset may be impaired except for inventories, deferred tax assets, assets arising from employee benefits and non-current assets (or disposal groups) classified as held for sale. If any such indication exists, the Company estimates the recoverable amount of the asset. Intangible assets with indefinite useful lives and intangible assets not yet available for use are tested for impairment annually, irrespective of whether there is any indication that it may be impaired. If there is any indication that an asset may be impaired, recoverable amount is estimated for the individual asset. If it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of the individual asset, the Company determines the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs (the asset s cash-generating unit).

The recoverable amount is measured as the higher of an asset s or cash-generating unit s fair value less costs to sell and its value in use. If the recoverable amount of an asset or cash-generating unit is less than its carrying amount, the carrying amount of the asset is reduced to its recoverable amount. That reduction is recognized in profit or loss.

#### (o) Impairment of Financial Assets

The Company assesses at the end of each reporting period whether there is any objective evidence that a financial asset or group of financial assets is impaired, except a financial asset at fair value through profit or loss. A financial asset or group of financial assets is considered to be impaired if there is objective evidence of impairment as a result of one or more events that occurred after the initial recognition of the asset and that loss event has an impact on the estimated future cash flows of the financial asset. For specific financial assets such as trade receivables, if the Company determines that no objective evidence of impairment exists for an individually assessed financial asset, it collectively assesses them for impairment. The objective evidence that the group of loans and receivables is impaired includes an increased number of delayed payments and an adverse change in national or local economic conditions that correlate with defaults on the assets in the group.

The amount of the impairment loss on financial assets carried at amortized cost is measured as the difference between the asset s carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows discounted at the financial asset s original effective interest rate. The carrying amount of the asset is reduced either directly or through use of an allowance account. The amount of the loss is recognized in profit or loss. If, in a subsequent period, the amount of the impairment loss decreases and the decrease can be related objectively to an event occurring after the impairment was recognized, the previously recognized impairment loss is reversed. The reversal does not result in a carrying amount of the financial asset that exceeds what the amortized cost would have been had the impairment not been recognized at the date the impairment is reversed. The amount of the reversal is recognized in profit or loss.

The amount of the impairment loss on financial assets carried at cost is measured as the difference between the carrying amount of the financial asset and the present value of estimated future cash flows discounted at the current market rate of return for a similar financial asset. Such impairment losses are not reversed.

When a decline in the fair value of an available-for-sale financial asset has been recognized in other comprehensive income and there is objective evidence that the asset is impaired, the cumulative loss that had been recognized in other comprehensive income is reclassified from equity to profit or loss as a reclassification adjustment even though the financial asset has not been derecognized. Impairment losses recognized in profit or loss for an investment in an equity instrument classified as available for sale are not reversed through profit or loss. If, in a subsequent period, the fair value of a debt instrument classified as available for sale increases and the increase can be objectively related to an event occurring after the impairment loss was recognized in profit or loss, the impairment loss is reversed, with the amount of the reversal recognized in profit or loss.



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#### (p) Income Taxes

Income tax expense comprises current tax expense and deferred tax expense. Current and deferred taxes are recognized as an expense included in profit or loss for the period, except to the extent that the tax arises from a transaction which is recognized in other comprehensive income or directly in equity.

Current tax expense is the amount of income taxes payable (recoverable) in respect of the taxable profit (tax loss) for a period. Current tax liabilities (assets) for the current and prior periods are measured at the amount expected to be paid to (recovered from) the taxation authorities, using the tax rates that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the end of the reporting period.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized for temporary differences which are differences between the carrying amount of an asset or liability in the non-consolidated statement of financial position and its tax base, the carryforward of unused tax losses and unused tax credits. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply to the period when the asset is realised or the liability is settled, based on tax rates that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the end of the reporting period.

The Company recognizes a deferred tax liability for all taxable temporary differences associated with investments in subsidiaries and associates, except to the extent that the parent or investor is able to control the timing of the reversal of the temporary difference; and it is probable that the temporary difference will not reverse in the foreseeable future.

The Company recognizes a deferred tax asset for all deductible temporary differences arising from investments in subsidiaries and associates, to the extent that, and only to the extent that it is probable that the temporary difference will reverse in the foreseeable future; and taxable profit will be available against which the temporary difference can be utilized.

The carrying amount of a deferred tax asset is reviewed at the end of each reporting period. The Company reduces the carrying amount of a deferred tax asset to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profit will be available to allow the benefit of part or all of these deferred tax assets to be utilised. Such reduction is reversed to the extent that it becomes probable that sufficient taxable profit will be available.

## (q) Dividends

The dividends declared to holders of equity instruments after the reporting period are not recognized as a liability at the end of the reporting period.

#### (r) Equity Capital

Ordinary shares are classified as equity. Incremental costs directly attributable to the equity transaction are recognized as a deduction from equity, net of any tax effects.

If the Company reacquires its own equity instruments, those instruments (treasury shares) are presented as a deduction from total equity. The gain or loss on the purchase, sale, issue or cancellation of treasury shares is not recognized in profit or loss but recognized directly in equity.

## (s) Provisions, Contingent Assets and Contingent Liabilities

Provisions are recognized when the Company has a present legal or constructive obligation as a result of a past event, it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation.

The amount recognized as a provision is the best estimate of the expenditure required to settle the present obligation at the end of the reporting period. The risks and uncertainties that inevitably surround many events and circumstances are taken into account in reaching the best estimate of a provision. Where the effect of the time value of money is material, the amount of a provision is the present value of the expenditures expected to be required to settle the obligation.

Where some or all of the expenditure required to settle a provision is expected to be reimbursed by another party, the reimbursement is recognized when, it is virtually certain that reimbursement will be received if the Company settles the obligation. The reimbursement is treated as a separate asset.

Provisions are reviewed at the end of each reporting period and adjusted to reflect the current best estimate. If it is no longer probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation, the provision is reversed.

# (t) Employee Benefits

#### Short-term Employee Benefits

Short-term employee benefits are employee benefits that are due to be settled within 12 months after the end of the period in which the employees render the related service. When an employee has rendered service to the Company during an accounting period, the Company recognizes the undiscounted amount of short-term employee benefits expected to be paid in exchange for that service.

The Company recognizes the expected cost of profit-sharing and bonus payments if the Company has a present legal or constructive obligation to make such payments as a result of past events; and a reliable estimate of the obligation can be made.

#### Retirement Benefits: Defined Contribution Plans

With regard to the defined contribution plan, when an employee has rendered service to the Company during a period, the Company recognizes the contribution payable to a defined contribution plan in exchange for that service as a liability (accrued expense), after deducting any contribution already paid. If the contribution already paid exceeds the contribution due for service before the end of the reporting period, the Company recognizes that excess as an asset (prepaid expense) to the extent that the prepayment will lead to a reduction in future payments or a cash refund.

#### Retirement Benefits: Defined Benefit Plans

The Company classifies retirement benefits plans other than defined contribution plans as defined benefit plans. The defined benefit liabilities are calculated the present value of the defined benefit obligations less the fair value of the plan assets at the end of the reporting period.

In determining the present value of its defined benefit obligations and the related current service cost, the Company uses the projected unit credit method.

With regard to actuarial gains and losses which arise from application of actuarial assumptions, the Company recognizes all actuarial gains and losses in other comprehensive income are recognized immediately in retained earnings and are not reclassified to profit or loss in a subsequent period.

#### (u) Share-based Payment

For equity-settled share-based payment transactions, the Company measures the goods or services received, and the corresponding increase in equity, directly, at the fair value of the goods or services received, unless that fair value cannot be estimated reliably. If the Company cannot estimate reliably the fair value of the goods or services received, the Company measures their value, and the corresponding increase in equity, indirectly, by reference to the fair value of the equity instruments granted.

For cash-settled share-based payment transactions, the Company measures the goods or services acquired and the liability incurred at the fair value of the liability. Until the liability is settled, the Company remeasures the fair value of the liability at the end of each reporting period and at the date of settlement, with any changes in fair value recognized in profit or loss for the period.

For share-based payment transactions in which the terms of the arrangement provide either the Company or the counterparty with the choice of whether the Company settles the transaction in cash or by issuing equity instruments, the Company accounts for that transaction, or the components of that transaction, as a cash-settled share-based payment transaction if, and to the extent that, the Company has incurred a liability to settle in cash, or as an equity-settled share-based payment transaction if, and to the extent that, no such liability has been incurred.

#### (v) Earning per Share

The Company presents basic and diluted earnings per share data for its ordinary shares. Basic earnings per share are calculated by dividing the profit or loss for the period attributable to owners of the Company by the weighted-average number of shares outstanding during the period.



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Diluted earnings per share are determined by adjusting the profit or loss for the period attributable to owners of the Company and the weighted-average number of shares outstanding for the effects of all dilutive potential shares, which comprise employee share options.

#### (w) Use of Estimates and Judgments

The preparation of non-consolidated financial statements in conformity with K-IFRS requires management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. These include estimates about carrying amount of property, plant and equipment, financial instruments, defined benefit obligations and deferred tax assets and liabilities. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

#### (x) New Standards and Interpretations Not Yet Adopted

The new and amended standards and interpretations that have been issued but are not yet effective as of December 31, 2009 have not applied in preparing the non-consolidated financial statements. These standards and interpretations will be applied for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2010 and are not expected to have significant impact on the non-consolidated financial statements.

## 3. Basis of Translating Financial Statements

The non-consolidated financial statements are expressed in Korean Won and have been translated into U.S. dollars at the rate of ₩1,167.60 to \$1, the basic exchange rate on December 31, 2009, solely for the convenience of the reader. This translation should not be construed as a representation that any or all of the amounts shown could be converted into United States dollars at this or any other rate.

## 4. Property, Plant and Equipment

(a) Changes in property, plant and equipment for the year ended December 31, 2009 were as follows:

					In m	nillions of Won
				Tools,		
				furniture,		
	La	and, buildings	Machinery	fixtures	Construction	
	а	nd structures	and vehicles	and other	-in- progress	Total
Cost:						
Balance at January 1, 2009	₩	1,022,851	837,278	212,724	41,380	2,114,233
Additions		12,100	13,349	17,464	53,487	96,400
Disposals		(13,579)	(17,402)	(2,242)	-	(33,223)
Other		975	2,529	4,823	(49,420)	(41,093)
Balance at December 31, 2009	₩	1,022,347	835,754	232,769	45,447	2,136,317
Accumulated depreciation and impairment:						
Balance at January 1, 2009	₩	(206,967)	(492,017)	(139,713)	-	(838,697)
Disposals		2,918	14,756	2,151	-	19,825
Depreciation		(25,177)	(61,811)	(35,535)	-	(122,523)
Other		-	15,503	1	-	15,504
Balance at December 31, 2009	₩	(229,226)	(523,569)	(173,096)	-	(925,891)
Carrying amount:						
Balance at January 1, 2009	₩	815,884	345,261	73,011	41,380	1,275,536
Balance at December 31, 2009	₩	793,121	312,185	59,673	45,447	1,210,426

Other changes for the year ended December 31, 2009 include the carrying amount of machinery, furniture and fixtures provided as an investment in kind in KT&G Pars amounting to  $\[mu]$ 2,343 million and the amount transferred to non-current asset held for sale amounting to  $\[mu]$ 23,246 million.

(b) Changes in property, plant and equipment for the year ended December 31, 2008 were as follows:

					In m	illions of Won
		and, buildings nd structures	Machinery and vehicles	Tools, furniture, fixtures and other	Construction	Total
	d	na structures	and venicles	and other	-in-progress	TOtal
Cost:						
Balance at January 1, 2008	₩	979,362	812,718	227,020	57,893	2,076,993
Additions		10,802	11,748	21,463	92,714	136,727
Disposals		(7,818)	(44,528)	(40,801)	-	(93,147)
Other		40,505	57,340	5,042	(109,227)	(6,340)
Balance at December 31, 2008	₩	1,022,851	837,278	212,724	41,380	2,114,233
Accumulated depreciation and impairment:						
Balance at January 1, 2008	₩	(187,196)	(467,409)	(139,449)	-	(794,054)
Disposals		2,133	40,003	40,335	-	82,471
Impairment		-	(429)	-	-	(429)
Depreciation		(21,904)	(64,354)	(40,599)	-	(126,857)
Other		-	172	-	-	172
Balance at December 31, 2008	₩	(206,967)	(492,017)	(139,713)	_	(838,697)
Carrying amount:						
Balance at January 1, 2008	₩	792,166	345,309	87,571	57,893	1,282,939
Balance at December 31, 2008	₩	815,884	345,261	73,011	41,380	1,275,536

Other changes for the year ended December 31, 2008 include the amount transferred to inventories and intangible assets amounting to \(\psi 5,970\) million and \(\psi 198\) million, respectively. The Company recognized \(\psi 429\) million of impairment loss on the machinery relating to the closure of the Namwon plant for fabrication of leaf tobacco for the year ended December 31, 2008.

# 5. Intangible Assets

(a) Changes in intangible assets for the year ended December 31, 2009 were as follows:

					In r	millions of Won
					Intangible	
		Industrial	Rights to	Other	assets	
		property	facility	intangible	under	
		rights	usage	assets	development	Total
Cost:						
Balance at January 1, 2009	₩	6,133	14,616	658	25,456	46,863
Additions		42	764	-	3,963	4,769
Disposals		-	(64)	-	-	(64)
Balance at December 31, 2009	₩	6,175	15,316	658	29,419	51,568
Accumulated amortization and impairment:						
Balance at January 1, 2009	₩	(5,028)	-	(575)	-	(5,603)
Amortization		(205)	-	(72)	-	(277)
Impairment		-	-	-	(647)	(647)
Balance at December 31, 2009	₩	(5,233)	-	(647)	(647)	(6,527)
Carrying amount:						
Balance at January 1, 2009	₩	1,105	14,616	83	25,456	41,260
Balance at December 31, 2009	₩	942	15,316	11	28,772	45,041

The Company recognized <del>W</del>647 million of impairment loss on the intangible assets under development due to the relinquishment of the industrial property rights for the year ended December 31, 2009.



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(b) Changes in intangible assets for the year ended December 31, 2008 were as follows:

					In mi	llions of Won
_					Intangible	
		Industrial	Rights to	Other	assets	
		property	facility	intangible	under	
		rights	usage	assets	development	Total
Cost:						
Cost:Balance at January 1, 2008	₩	5,935	14,246	681	21,319	42,181
Additions		-	370	-	4,137	4,507
Other		198	-	(23)	-	175
Balance at December 31, 2008	₩	6,133	14,616	658	25,456	46,863
Accumulated amortization and impairment:						
Balance at January 1, 2008	₩	(4,415)	-	(482)	-	(4,897)
Amortization		(613)	-	(93)	-	(706)
Balance at December 31, 2008	₩	(5,028)	-	(575)	_	(5,603)
Carrying amount:						
Balance at January 1, 2008	₩	1,520	14,246	199	21,319	37,284
Balance at December 31, 2008	₩	1,105	14,616	83	25,456	41,260

(c) Expenditures not capitalized for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 are as follows:

	lr	millions of Won
	2009	2008
Cost of sales	₩ 182	196
Selling expenses	403	2,951
General and administrative expenses	12,815	12,364
	₩ 13,400	15,511

# 6. Investment Property

(a) Changes in investment property for the year ended December 31, 2009 were as follows:

			In	millions of Won
		Land	Buildings	Total
Cost:				
Balance at January 1, 2009	₩	13,919	116,687	130,606
Subsequent expenditure		-	323	323
Balance at December 31, 2009	₩	13,919	117,010	130,929
Accumulated depreciation and impairment:				
Balance at January 1, 2009	₩	-	(25,531)	(25,531)
Depreciation		-	(3,498)	(3,498)
Balance at December 31, 2009	₩	-	(29,029)	(29,029)
Carrying amount:				
Balance at January 1, 2009	₩	13,919	91,156	105,075
Balance at December 31, 2009	₩	13,919	87,981	101,900

(b) Changes in investment property for the year ended December 31, 2008 were as follows:

			In m	illions of Won
		Land	Buildings	Total
Cost:				
Balance at January 1, 2008	₩	13,919	116,465	130,384
Subsequent expenditure		-	222	222
Balance at December 31, 2008	₩	13,919	116,687	130,606
Accumulated depreciation and impairment:				
Balance at January 1, 2008	₩	-	(22,122)	(22,122)
Depreciation		-	(3,409)	(3,409)
Balance at December 31, 2008	₩	-	(25,531)	(25,531)
Carrying amount:				
Balance at January 1, 2008	₩	13,919	94,343	108,262
Balance at December 31, 2008	₩	13,919	91,156	105,075

(c) The amounts recognized in profit or loss from investment property for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 are as follows:

		In	millions of Won
		2009	2008
Rental income	₩	16,739	16,462
Direct operating expense		(3,498)	(3,409)
	₩	13,241	13,053

(d) The carrying amount and the fair value of investment property as of December 31, 2009 are as follows:

		In millions of Won
'	Fai	r Carrying
	value	e amount
Land	₩ 204,383	
Buildings	109,238	87,981
	₩ 313,618	101,900



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## 7. Investments in Associates

Investments in associates as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 are summarized as follows:

In millions of Won, except percentage of ownership

			20	009		2008			January	1, 20	008
			Percentage of		Carrying	Percentage of		Carrying	Percentage of		Carrying
Associate	Location	Principal operation	ownership		amount	ownership		amount	ownership		amount
Cosmo Tabacco		Manufacturing and									
Co., Ltd.	Mongolia	selling tobacco	40.00%	₩	-	40.00%	₩	2,947	40.00%	₩	2,947
Korea Islet		Research and									
Transplantation,		development									
Inc.	Korea	medicine	-		-	48.25%		2,000	48.25%		2,000
Lite Pharm Tech,		Manufacturing									
Inc.	Korea	medical supplies	29.46%		1,830	29.46%		1,830	29.46%		1,830
Korean Carbon											
Finance, Inc.	Korea	Emissions trading	20.00%		1,000	20.00%		500	-		-
				₩	2,830		₩	7,277		₩	6,777

The Company recognized \(\psi\_2,947\) million of impairment loss on the investment in Cosmo Tabacco Co., Ltd. for the year ended December 31, 2009 and this impairment loss is recognized as finance costs in the non-consolidated statements of comprehensive income.

#### 8. Investments in Subsidiaries

Investments in subsidiaries as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 are summarized as follows:

In millions of Won, except percentage of ownership

			20	009		20	800		January	1, 20	80
			Percentage of		Carrying	Percentage of		Carrying	Percentage of		Carrying
Associate	Location	Principal operation	ownership		amount	ownership		amount	ownership		amount
Korea Ginseng		Manufacturing and									
Corporation	Korea	selling ginseng	100.00%	₩	559,882	100.00%	₩	559,882	100.00%	₩	559,882
Yungjin Pharm.		Manufacturing and									
Ind. Co., Ltd.	Korea	selling pharmaceutical	55.50%		50,691	55.50%		50,691	55.50%		50,691
Tae-a Industry		Manufacturing									
Co., Ltd.	Korea	tobacco materials	100.00%		14,198	100.00%		14,198	100.00%		14,198
KT&G Tutun		Manufacturing									
MamulleriSanayive		and									
Ticaret A.S. (*1)	Turkey	selling tobacco	99.99%		54,049	99.99%		35,005	99.99%		35,005
Korea Tabacos		Processing leaf									
do Brasil Ltda.	Brazil	tobacco	99.90%		394	99.90%		394	99.90%		394
KT&G Pars (*2)		Manufacturing and									
	Iran	selling tobacco	99.99%		5,733	99.99%		1,696	-		-
KT&G Rus		Manufacturing and									
L.L.C. (*3)	Russia	selling tobacco	100.00%		34,483	100.00%		802	-		-
KT&G Bio		Manufacturing and									
Corp. (*4)	Korea	selling pharmaceutical	100.00%		900	-		-	-		-
KT&G Mongolia		Manufacturing and									
LLC (*5)	Mongolia	selling tobacco	-		-	-		-	100.00%		202
				₩	720,330		₩	662,668		₩	660,372

- (\*1) KT&G Tutun Mamulleri Sanayi ve Ticaret A.S. increased paid-in capital by way of shareholder allocation and the Company's investments in subsidiaries increased by ₩19,044 million for the year ended December 31, 2009.
- (\*2) The Company established KT&G Pars by way of investment in cash for the year ended December 31, 2008. In addition, KT&G Pars increased paid-in capital by way of investment in kind and the Company's investments in subsidiaries increased by ₩4,037 million for the year ended December 31, 2009.
- (\*3) The Company established KT&G Rus L.L.C. for the year ended December 31, 2008. In addition, KT&G Rus L.L.C. increased paid-in capital by way of shareholder allocation and the Company's investments in subsidiaries increased by \(\psi \delta 33,681\) million for the year ended December 31, 2009.
- (\*4) The Company established KT&G Bio Corp. and the Company's investments in subsidiaries increased by ₩900 million for the year ended December 31, 2009.
- (\*5) The liquidation process was completed in the year ended December 31, 2008, the Company recognized \text{\$\psi}80\$ million of gain on sale of investments in subsidiaries as finance income in the non-consolidated statements of comprehensive income.

The Company measures its investment in Korea Ginseng Corporation at the deemed cost which is the previous K-GAAP carrying amount at the date of transition in accordance with K-IFRS No.1101.



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## 9. Available-for-sale Financial Assets

(a) Changes in available-for-sale financial assets for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 were as follows:

In millions of Won 2009 2008 Balance at beginning of year 304,105 252,755 Acquisitions 11,222 18,931 Net changes in fair value before tax 129,558 32,664 Disposals (1,085)(245)Balance at end of year 443,800 304,105 Current 1,957 2,149 Non-current 441,843 301,956 443,800 304,105

(b) Available-for-sale financial assets as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 are summarized as follows:

			In n	nillions of Won
				January 1
		2009	2008	2008
Available-for-sale debt instruments:				
- Government and municipal bonds	4	₩ 2,001	2,150	2,221
- Corporate bonds		2,000	2,000	2,000
Total available-for-sale debt instruments		4,001	4,150	4,221
Available-for-sale equity instruments:				
Listed				
- Yonhap Television News (YTN)		38,967	37,249	28,366
- Crystal Genomics Co., Ltd.		1,748	1,722	1,791
- Oscotech, Inc.		780	748	1,396
- Shinhan Financial Group Co., Ltd.		173,161	103,950	187,250
- Rexahn Pharmaceuticals, Inc.		4,878	5,196	-
- Celltrion, Inc.		195,462	129,005	-
- Genematrix, Inc.		708	-	-
		415,704	277,870	218,803
Unlisted				
- Rexahn Pharmaceuticals, Inc.		-	-	5,158
- Celltrion, Inc.		-	-	21,245
- Dream Hub PFV Co., Ltd.		15,975	15,000	75
- Migami, Inc.		3,365	2,831	-
- Genematrix, Inc.		-	1,500	1,500
- Other unlisted available-for-sale equity instruments		4,755	2,754	1,753
		24,095	22,085	29,731
Total available-for-sale equity instruments		439,799	299,955	248,534
Total available-for-sale financial assets	+	₩ 443,800	304,105	252,755

The fair value of listed available-for-sale equity instruments is principally based on quoted prices in an active market.

The fair value of Dream Hub PFV Co., Ltd. that does not have market price in an active market is established by the independent rating agency using a valuation method. The fair value of Dream Hub PFV Co., Ltd. is established on the basis of the value per share determined by using discounted cash flow model and net asset valuation model and estimation of probability distribution of the value per share.

The other unlisted available-for-sale equity instruments that do not have market price in an active market and whose fair value cannot be reliably measured and available-for-sale debt instruments whose fair value is similar to their carrying amount, are measured at cost.

# 10. Long-term Deposits in MSA Escrow Fund

(a) Long-term deposits in MSA Escrow Fund as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 are summarized as follows:

	In millions of W				
				January 1	
		2009	2008	2008	
MMF	₩	4,874	110,261	66,633	
T-Bill		57,287	-	-	
T-Note		55,960	-	-	
	₩	118,121	110,261	66,633	

- (b) As discussed in notes 28 to non-consolidated financial statements, long-term deposits in MSA Escrow Fund are deposited to the United States government related to the export of tobacco to the United States. The payments of long-term deposits in MSA Escrow Fund for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 are \times 18,055 million and \times 17,895 million, respectively.
- (c) Investment income on long-term deposits in MSA Escrow Fund for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 are  $\mbox{$\mbox{$$\sc W$}$23 million, respectively.}$
- (d) Long-term deposits in MSA Escrow Fund are measured at quoted prices in an active market.

## 11. Trade and Other Receivables

(a) Trade and other receivables as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 are summarized as follows:

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	2009			20	08	January 1, 2008		
		Current	Non-current	Current	Non-current	Current	Non-current	
Loans to employees	₩	23,985	68,067	27,994	78,437	19,442	95,939	
Loans		9,870	5,861	-	11,049	-	915	
Other receivables		53,775	-	51,813	561	31,003	1,028	
Guarantee deposits		-	32,639	-	32,075	-	30,303	
Accrued income		981	-	87	-	237	-	
Trade receivables		417,120	-	437,550	-	320,370	-	
	₩	505,731	106,567	517,644	122,122	371,052	128,185	



December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008

(b) Trade and other receivables as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 have been reported in the non-consolidated statements of financial position net of allowances as follows:

In millions of Won

	2009			2008		January 1, 2008	
		Current	Non-current	Current	Non-current	Current	Non-current
Gross trade and other receivables	₩	511,138	106,567	522,511	122,122	375,366	128,185
Allowance account:							
- Other receivables		(2,161)	-	(1,636)	-	(1,321)	-
- Trade receivables		(3,246)	-	(3,231)	-	(2,993)	-
		(5,407)	-	(4,867)	-	(4,314)	-
Net trade and other receivables	₩	505,731	106,567	517,644	122,122	371,052	128,185

(c) Changes in the allowance account for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 were as follows:

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		2009	2008
Balance at beginning of year	₩	4,867	4,314
Impairment loss		540	553
Balance at end of year	₩	5,407	4,867

Impairment loss on trade and other receivables are included as part of other expense and income in the non-consolidated statements of comprehensive income.

(d) The age schedule of trade and other receivables which were past due but not impaired as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 are as follows:

			In	millions of Won
				January 1
		2009	2008	2008
Within 1 month	₩	58,419	57,002	35,188
Between 1 and 2 months		71,366	60,654	28,995
Beyond 2 months		15,243	43,580	27,599
	₩	145,028	161,236	91,782

There is no significant concentration of credit risk with respect to trade receivables as the Company has a large number widely dispersed of customers, except for export trade receivables, and the Company holds bank guarantees, other guarantees and credit insurance in respect of some of the past due debtor balances.

(e) Details of trade and other receivables that are measured at amortized cost as of December 31, 2009 and 2008 are as follows:

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			2009				2008	
	Effective				Effective			
	interest rate		Current	Non-current	interest rate		Current	Non-current
Loans to employees	3.00~5.68%	₩	23,985	68,067	5.38~5.68%	₩	27,994	78,437
Guarantee deposits	3.00~5.68%		-	32,639	5.38~5.68%		-	32,075
		₩	23,985	100,706		₩	27,994	110,512

There is no material difference between the carrying amount and their fair value except the above trade and other receivables, due to the short-term duration of the majority of trade and other receivables.

# 12. Inventories

(a) Inventories as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 were summarized as follows:

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				January 1
		2009	2008	2008
Finished goods, net of loss on the write-down of inventories	¥	₩ 86,318	78,473	80,680
Work-in-progress		12,633	10,039	10,100
Raw materials		858,373	822,964	794,210
Supplies		23,895	22,978	21,507
By-products		5,547	3,242	2,641
Completed buildings		53,816	-	-
Buildings under construction		-	182,059	66,837
Sites for building lotting-out construction		-	17,613	14,215
Goods-in-transit		13,739	9,728	6,670
	¥	<b>∀</b> 1,054,321	1,147,096	996,860

(b) The amount of inventories recognized as an expense for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 are as follows:

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	2009	2008
Cost of sales:		
- Loss on the write-down of inventories	₩ -	4,413
- Reversal of loss on the write-down of inventories	(189)	(18,439)
Other expense	2,473	3,763
	₩ 2,284	(10,263)



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# 13. Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 were summarized as follows:

In millions of Wo						
					January 1	
			2009	2008	2008	
Cash on hand		₩	6,681	5,941	1,657	
Demand deposits			62,273	72,411	66,469	
Short-term investment assets			200,000	10,000	47,000	
		₩	268,954	88,352	115,126	

Cash equivalents mainly include short-term deposits with an original maturity of three months or less. The carrying amount of cash and cash equivalents approximates their fair value.

# 14. Share Capital

(a) Details of share capital as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 are as follows:

In Won, except number of shares							
		2009	2008	2008			
Number of ordinary shares:							
- Authorized		800,000,000	800,000,000	800,000,000			
- Issued		137,292,497	138,792,497	143,442,497			
- Outstanding		127,198,800	128,698,800	130,839,907			
Par value		₩ 5,000	5,000	5,000			

The Company has, thus far, reacquired and retired 53,699,400 shares of treasury share. Accordingly, as of December 31, 2009, the Company s ordinary share differs from the aggregate par value of issued shares by  $\[Mathbb{W}\]$ 268,497 million.

(b) Changes in the number of shares for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 were as follows:

Number of share							
		2009			2008		
	Ordinary	Treasury		Ordinary	Treasury		
	share	share	Total	share	share	Total	
Beginning of year	138,792,497	(10,093,697)	128,698,800	143,442,497	(12,602,590)	130,839,907	
Reacquisition	-	(1,500,000)	(1,500,000)	-	(2,254,082)	(2,254,082)	
Employee benefits	-	-	-	-	112,975	112,975	
Retirement	(1,500,000)	1,500,000	-	(4,650,000)	4,650,000		
End of year	137,292,497	(10,093,697)	127,198,800	138,792,497	(10,093,697)	128,698,800	

(c) Changes in the other capital surplus for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 were as follows:

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Balance at beginning of year	₩ 33	7 337
Expiration of employee share options	2,29	-
Balance at end of year	₩ 2,63	2 337

The employee share options were settled in cash and terminated for the year ended December 31, 2009. Consequently, the employee share option reserve was reclassified to the other capital surplus.

# 15. Treasury Share

(a) Changes in the treasury shares for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 were as follows:

In millions of Won, except number of shares

	20	009	2008			
	Number Carrying		Number	Carryin		
	of share	amount	of share	amour		
Balance at beginning of year	10,093,697	₩ 226,945	12,602,590	₩ 414,94		
Reacquisition of treasury shares	1,500,000	103,999	2,254,082	194,12		
Employee benefits by treasury shares	-	-	(112,975)	(2,377		
Retirement of treasury shares	(1,500,000)	(103,999)	(4,650,000)	(379,753		
Balance at end of year	10,093,697	₩ 226,945	10,093,697	₩ 226,94		

(b) Changes in gain on reissuance of treasury shares for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 were as follows:

In	millions	of	Wor

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		2009	2008
Balance at beginning of year	₩	468,274	463,900
Gain on reissuance of treasury shares before tax		-	6,033
Less: Tax at 27.5%		-	(1,659)
Gain on reissuance of treasury shares, net of tax		-	4,374
Balance at end of year	₩	468,274	468,274

# 16. Reserves

(a) Details of reserves as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 are as follows:

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				January 1
		2009	2008	2008
Available-for-sale financial assets reserve	₩	128,793	27,737	2,100
Employee share option reserve		-	2,296	-
Legal reserve		602,937	602,937	602,937
Voluntary reserve		1,342,378	1,188,378	1,133,378
	₩	2,074,108	1,821,348	1,738,415



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(b) Available-for-sale financial assets reserve as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 were summarized as follows:

			In	millions of Won
				January 1
		2009	2008	2008
Available-for-sale financial assets reserve before tax	₩	165,119	35,561	2,897
Tax effect		(36,326)	(7,824)	(797)
	₩	128,793	27,737	2,100

#### (c) Legal Reserve

The Korean Commercial Code requires the Company to appropriate a legal reserve in an amount equal to at least 10% of cash dividends for each accounting period until the reserve equals 50% of stated capital. The legal reserve may be used to reduce a deficit or may be transferred to ordinary share in connection with a free issue of shares.

(d) Details of voluntary reserve as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 are as follows:

			In	millions of Won	
				January 1	
		2009	2008	2008	
Reserve for business rationalization	₩	12,851	12,851	12,851	
Reserve for research and human resource development		15,000	30,000	45,000	
Reserve for loss on reissuance of treasury shares		26,646	26,646	26,646	
Reserve for business expansion		698,881	698,881	698,881	
Unconditional reserve		589,000	420,000	350,000	
	₩	1,342,378	1,188,378	1,133,378	

#### Reserve for Business Rationalization

Until December 10, 2002 under the Special Tax Treatment Control Law, investment tax credits were allowed for certain investments. The Company was, however, required to appropriate from retained earnings, the amount of tax benefits received, and transfer such amount into a reserve for business rationalization.

Effective December 11, 2002, the Company was no longer required to establish a reserve for business rationalization despite tax benefits received for certain investments and, consequently, the existing balance is now regarded as a voluntary reserve.

#### Reserve for Business Expansion

Reserve for business expansion was a legal reserve under the Korea Tobacco and Ginseng Corporation Act, which was abrogated on September 1, 1997, consequently, the existing balance has been regarded as a voluntary reserve since then.

#### Other Reserves

Reserves for research and human resource development and loss on reissuance of treasury shares were appropriated in order to utilize certain tax deduction benefits through the early recognition of future expenditures. These reserves are restored to retained earnings in accordance with the relevant tax laws. Such reserves are taken back into taxable income in the year of restoration. Reserves without specific purposes are restored to retained earnings by a resolution at a general meeting of shareholders.

# 17. Retained Earnings

Changes in retained earnings for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 were as follows:

In millions of Won 2009 2008 ₩ 436,453 Balance at beginning of year 393,213 Transfer from reserve for research and human resource development 15,000 15,000 Transfer to unconditional reserve (70,000) (169,000) Dividends (360,357) (340,449) Profit for the period 744,942 849,486 Actuarial gains (losses), net of tax 16,924 (31,044) Retirement of treasury shares (103,999) (379,753) Balance at end of year 579,963 436,453

# 18. Statements of Appropriation of Retained Earnings

Statements of Appropriation of Retained Earnings for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 are as follows:

Date of Appropriation for 2009: February 26, 2010 Date of Appropriation for 2008: March 13, 2009

In mill				
	2009			
Unappropriated retained earnings:				
Balance at beginning of year	₩ (77,904)	(2,236)		
Retirement of treasury shares	(103,999)	(379,753)		
Profit for the period	744,942	849,486		
Actuarial gains (losses), net of tax	16,924	(31,044)		
Balance at end of year before appropriation	579,963	436,453		
Transfer from voluntary reserves:				
Reserve for research and human resource development	15,000	15,000		
Reserve for loss on reissuance of treasury shares	26,646	-		
	41,646	15,000		
Unappropriated retained earnings available for appropriation	621,609	451,453		
Appropriation of retained earnings:				
Dividends (note 31)	(356,157)	(360,357)		
Reserve for research and human resource development	(60,000)	-		
Unconditional reserve	(203,000)	(169,000)		
	(619,157)	(529,357)		
Unappropriated retained earnings (undisposed accumulated deficit)				
to be carried over to subsequent year	<b>₩</b> 2,452	(77,904)		



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# 19. Short-term Borrowings

Short-term borrowings as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 are summarized as follows:

In millions of						
	Annua	al		January 1		
	interest rat	е	20	09	2008	2008
Customer credit contracts	8.00~8.50%	6	₩ 19,3	38	13,344	14,955

The Company has entered into a customer credit contract with the National Agricultural Cooperative Federation (NACF) and other financial institutions, the financial institutions pay past-due trade receivables for customers and the Company has provided guarantees to the financial institutions for customers. The amount paid by the financial institutions is recognized as short-term borrowings on the non-consolidated statements of financial position.

# 20. Trade and Other Payables

(a) Trade and other payables as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 are summarized as follows:

						In	millions of Won	
		2009		200	)8	January 1, 2008		
		Current	Non-current	Current	Non-current	Current	Non-current	
Leasehold deposits received	₩	-	24,042		24,323		26,861	
Trade payables		35,019	-	27,543	-	9,590	-	
Withholdings		3,504	-	8,633	-	6,243	-	
Withholdings taxes		121,217	-	125,184	-	128,867	-	
Accrued expenses		87,024	-	91,829	-	89,130	-	
Other payables		30,852	-	139,775	-	95,432	-	
	₩	277,616	24,042	392,964	24,323	329,262	26,861	

(b) Details of trade and other payables that are measured at amortized cost as of December 31, 2009 and 2008 are as follows:

In millions of \						
		20	009	20	108	
		Effective		Effective		
		interest	Amortized	interest	Amortized	
		rate	cos	rate	cost	
Leasehold deposits received		3.00~5.68%	₩ 24,042	5.38~5.68%	W 24,323	

There is no material difference between the carrying amount and their fair value except the above trade and other payables, due to the short-term duration of the majority of trade and other payables.

# 21. Defined Benefits Plan

The Company operates both defined benefit and defined contribution plans. According to these plans, the Company pays retirement benefits calculated under the plan s benefit formula at the time employees leave the Company. The defined benefit obligations are calculated annually by independent actuaries using the projected unit credit method.

(a) The components of retirement benefit costs for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 were as follows:

		In	millions of Won
		2009	2008
Defined benefit costs:			
Current service costs	₩	32,676	22,374
Interest costs		5,550	6,582
Expected returns on plan assets		(5,412)	(5,634)
Gains on the settlement of the plan		(279)	-
		32,535	23,322
Defined contribution costs:			
Contributions recognized as expense		365	_
	₩	32,900	23,322

Some of employees have transferred from the defined benefit plan to the defined contribution plan. The Company recognized  $\mbox{$W$}279$  million of the gains on the settlement of defined benefit plan in profit or loss.

The Company recognized contributions payable amounting to \\T4 million as accrued expenses in the non-consolidated statements of financial position.

(b) Changes in defined benefit liabilities for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 were as follows:

		In	millions of Won
		2009	2008
Balance at beginning of year	₩	48,336	47,005
Retirement benefit costs		32,535	23,322
Actuarial losses (gains) before tax		(21,698)	39,800
Payments into plan assets		(29,127)	-
Payments, including the amount transferred to the defined contribution plan		(11,751)	(61,791)
Balance at end of year	₩	18,295	48,336
Non-consolidated statements of financial position:			
- Present value of retirement benefit obligations	₩	129,813	133,459
- Fair value of plan assets		(111,518)	(85,123)
Defined benefit liabilities	₩	18,295	48,336

(c) Changes in defined benefit obligations for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 were as follows:

		In	millions of Won
		2009	2008
Balance at beginning of year	₩	133,459	164,991
Current service costs		32,676	22,374
Interest costs		5,550	6,582
Actuarial losses before tax		(20,937)	40,562
Payments, including the amount transferred to the defined contribution plan		(20,656)	(101,050)
Gains on the settlement of the plan		(279)	-
Balance at end of year	₩	129,813	133,459



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(d) Changes in plan assets for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 were as follows:

In millions of \	Won
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		2009	2008
Balance at beginning of year	₩	85,123	117,986
Expected return on plan assets		5,412	5,634
Actuarial gains before tax		761	762
Payments into plan assets		29,127	-
Payments, including the amount transferred to the defined contribution plan		(8,905)	(39,259)
Balance at end of year	₩	111,518	85,123

Actual returns on plan assets for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 are \(\psi\_6,173\) million and \(\psi\_6,396\) million, respectively.

Expected rates of return are determined taking into account the current level of expected returns on risk-free investments, the historical level of risk premium associated with other invested assets, and the expectations for future returns on such assets.

(e) The amount of actuarial gains (losses) for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 were as follows:

In millions of Won

	2009	2008
Actuarial gains (losses) before tax	₩ 21,698	(39,800)
Tax effect	(4,774)	8,756
	₩ 16,924	(31,044)

(f) The components of plan assets as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 are as follows:

In mil	lions	of	Won
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		2009	2008	January 1 2008
Short-term trading financial assets  Available-for-sale financial assets	₩	105,630 5,888	49,737 35,386	117,986
Available-101-Sale IIIIalicial assets	₩	111,518	85,123	117,986

As of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008, short-term trading financial assets include severance insurance of ₩63 million, ₩164 million and ₩117,986 million which continue to be covered by the existing retirement benefits plan.

(g) The principal actuarial assumptions as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 are as follows:

	2009	2008	January 1 2008
Rate of salary increases	5.00%	5.00%	5.00%
Expected rate of return on plan assets Discount rate	6.00% 5.80%	6.50% 4.25%	6.25% 5.75%

For the purpose of calculating present value of the defined benefit obligations, the Company used the discount rate determined by reference to market yields at the end of the reporting period on high quality corporate bonds consistent with the currency and estimated term of the defined benefit obligations.

(h) Sensitivities in respect of the key assumptions used to measure the defined benefit plan are as follows:

In	millions	of	Won

	1 p	ercentage	1 percentage
		point	point
		increase	decrease
Rate of salary increases:			
- Increase (decrease) in defined benefit obligations	₩	11,366	(10,002)
- Increase (decrease) in retirement benefit costs before tax		2,856	(2,496)
Discount rate:			
- Increase (decrease) in defined benefit obligations		(10,593)	12,300
- Increase (decrease) in retirement benefit costs before tax		(1,250)	1,423
Expected rate of return on plan assets:			
- Increase (decrease) in retirement benefit costs before tax		(1,072)	1,072

The effect on retirement benefit costs before tax is for 2009. The effect on defined benefit obligations is as of December 31, 2009.

# 22. Profit from Operations

(a) Employee benefit costs for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 are as follows:

In	mill	ions	of	Wor
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	2009	2008
Salaries	₩ 316,006	216.062
Retirement benefit costs	₩ 316,006 32,900	
Employee welfare	32,983	
	₩ 381,889	380,699

(b) Depreciation and amortization for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 are as follows:

# In millions of Won

	2009	2008
Depreciation	₩ 126,021	130,266
Amortization	277	706
	₩ 126,298	130,972

(c) Details of other income for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 are as follows:

	2009	2008
Foreign currency transaction gain	₩ 26,854	58,879
Foreign currency translation gain	178	26,141
Gain on sale of property, plant and equipment	12,100	14,286
Others	12,263	9,055
	₩ 51,395	108,361



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(d) Details of selling expenses for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 are as follows:

In millions of Won

	2009	2008
Salaries	₩ 146,695	
Retirement benefit costs	12,340	18,590
Employee welfare	15,839	18,526
Travel	3,606	3,692
Communications	1,668	1,791
Utilities	4,641	4,471
Taxes and dues	13,939	21,395
Supplies	1,271	1,352
Rent	3,881	3,628
Depreciation	32,832	40,578
Amortization	41	152
Repairs and maintenance	3,097	2,642
Vehicles	6,630	7,644
Insurance	75	70
Commissions	31,690	31,531
Freight and custody	24,139	29,465
Conferences	2,232	2,230
Advertising	154,337	142,257
Training	912	1,478
Prizes and rewards	524	819
Normal research and development	403	2,951
	₩ 460,792	475,044

(e) Details of general and administrative expenses for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 are as follows:

	2009	2008
Salaries	₩ 49,175	51,674
Retirement benefit costs	10,221	12
Employee welfare	5,790	5,364
Travel	2,012	2,294
Communications	2,449	2,536
Utilities	1,788	1,627
Taxes and dues	2,274	1,980
Supplies	2,301	3,018
Rent	6,797	5,499
Depreciation	15,172	9,746
Amortization	231	535
Repairs and maintenance	1,525	2,680
Vehicles	1,443	823
Insurance	369	481
Commissions	28,222	30,821
Conferences	1,864	1,216
Training	5,058	6,172
Prizes and rewards	926	4,132
Normal research and development	12,815	12,364
	₩ 150,432	142,974

(f) Details of other expenses for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 are as follows:

# In millions of Won

	2009	2008
Foreign currency transaction loss	₩ 35,784	9,507
Foreign currency translation loss	16,048	812
Impairment loss on trade and other receivables	540	553
Donations	32,557	13,020
Loss on sale of property, plant and equipment	5,831	3,095
Impairment loss on property, plant and equipment	-	429
Impairment loss on intangible assets	647	-
Others	8,730	9,332
	₩ 100,137	36,748

# 23. Net Finance Costs

(a) Details of net finance costs (income) for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 are as follows:

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	2009	2008
Finance cost:		
- Interest costs	₩ 1,095	1,099
- Impairment loss on investments in associates	2,947	-
- Loss on sale of investments in associates	1,999	-
- Loss on transaction of financial derivatives	1,711	6,295
- Loss on valuation of financial derivatives	-	2,699
	7,752	10,093
Finance income:		
- Interest income	(10,806)	(13,516)
- Dividend income	(30,215)	(63,458)
- Investment income on long-term deposits in MSA Escrow Fund	(23)	(1,335)
- Gain on sale of available-for-sale financial assets	(563)	(4)
- Gain on sale of investments in subsidiaries	-	(80)
	(41,607)	(78,393)
Net finance costs (income)	₩ (33,855)	(68,300)

(b) Details of interest costs for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 are as follows:

	2009	2008
Short-term borrowings	₩ 561	639
Trade and other payables	510	452
Others	24	8
	₩ 1,095	1,099



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(c) Details of interest income for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 are as follows:

In millions of Won

		2009	2008
Deposits	₩	6,483	10,488
Available-for-sale financial assets		245	27
Trade and other receivables		4,078	3,001
	₩	10,806	13,516

(d) Details of finance income recognized in other comprehensive income for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 are as follows:

In millions of Won

	2009	2008
Gain on valuation available-for-sale financial assets, before tax	₩ 129,558	32,664
Tax effect	(28,503)	(7,027)
Gain on valuation available-for-sale financial assets, net of tax	₩ 101,055	25,637

## 24. Income Taxes

(a) The Company was subject to income taxes on taxable income at the following normal tax rates.

Taxable income			Tax rate			
Prior to 2008	Thereafter	P	Prior to 2008	2008	2009~2011	Thereafter
Up to ₩100 million	Up to ₩200 million		14.3%	12.1%	12.1%	11.0%
Over ₩100 million	Over ₩200 million		27.5%	27.5%	24.2%	22.0%

In December 2008, the Korean government reduced the corporate income tax rate (including resident tax) and increased the tax base from  $\upsigma 100$  million to  $\upsigma 200$ 8. Effective January 1, 2008, the income tax rate for those having their taxable income less than  $\upsigma 200$ 8 million was reduced from 14.3 % to 12.1%.

(b) The components of income tax expense (benefit) for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 are as follows:

	2009	2008
Current income tax expense	₩ 219.928	275.545
Adjustments recognized in the period for current tax of prior periods	13,074	-,-
Changes in temporary difference	40,681	(10,095)
Total income tax expense	273,683	265,163
Tax expense (benefit) recognized outside profit or loss	(33,277)	70
Income tax expense	₩ 240,406	265,233

(c) Current and deferred tax expense that were recognized outside profit or loss for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 are as follows:

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		2009	2008
Current:			
- Gain on reissuance of treasury shares	₩	-	(1,659)
Deferred:			
- Net changes in fair value of available-for-sale financial assets		(28,503)	(7,027)
- Actuarial gains (losses)		(4,774)	8,756
		(33,277)	1,729
Tax expense (benefit) recognized outside profit or loss	₩	(33,277)	70

The Company recognized current tax expense related to gain on reissuance of treasury shares directly in equity and deferred tax expense related to other comprehensive income in other comprehensive income.

(d) The income tax expense calculated by applying statutory tax rates to the Company's profit before tax for the period differs from the actual tax expense in the non-consolidated statement of comprehensive income for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 for the following reasons:

In millions of Won, except tax rate information

	- ,		
		2009	2008
	<b>NA</b> (	005.040	1 111 710
Profit before tax	₩	985,348	1,114,719
Normal tax rate		24.2%	27.5%
Expense for income taxes at normal tax rate		238,430	306,517
Adjustment:			
- Tax effects of permanent differences		2,928	3,000
- Non-inclusion of proceeds-dividend earned		(7,275)	(15,898)
- Investment tax credits		(1,724)	(5,104)
- Additional income taxes for prior period		8,047	(233)
- Effect of change in tax rate		-	(23,049)
Income tax expense	₩	240,406	265,233
Effective tax rate		24.4%	23.8%

(e) Deferred tax expense (benefit) relating to the origination and reversal of temporary differences for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 are as follows:

		n	mil	lions	of	Wor
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	2009	2008
Deferred tax liabilities at end of year	₩ 122,372	81,691
Deferred tax liabilities at beginning of year	81,691	91,786
Deferred tax expense (benefit)	₩ 40,681	(10,095)

- (f) Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured using the tax rate to be applied for the period in which temporary differences are expected to be realized.
- (g) The net deferred tax liabilities are reflected in the non-consolidated statements of financial position after offsetting assets and liabilities where there is a legally enforceable right to offset current tax assets and liabilities and where the deferred income taxes relate to the same fiscal authority.



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(h) Changes in deferred tax assets and liabilities for the year ended December 31, 2009 were as follows:

				In	millions of Won
			Credited	Charged	
		Balance	to profit	to other	Balance
	at	beginning	(charged	comprehensive	at end
		of year	to loss)	income	of year
Available-for-sale financial assets	₩	8,800	649	-	9,449
Accrued expense		20,101	310	-	20,411
Sales		7,157	(7,157)	-	-
Donations in excess of tax limit		8,606	(8,517)	-	89
Retirement benefit costs		4,986	(2,106)	(4,774)	(1,894)
Depreciation		1,978	2,191	-	4,169
Investments in subsidiaries		(95,884)	-	-	(95,884)
Foreign currency translations		(6,130)	9,971	-	3,841
Treasury shares		(8,565)	-	-	(8,565)
Unrealized gain on valuation of available-for-sale financial assets		(7,823)	-	(28,503)	(36,326)
Voluntary reserve		(10,078)	(3,122)	-	(13,200)
Provision for advanced depreciation		(4,722)	-	-	(4,722)
Others		(117)	377	-	260
	₩	(81,691)	(7,404)	(33,277)	(122,372)

(i) Changes in deferred tax assets and liabilities for the year ended December 31, 2008 were as follows:

				Credited		
			Credited	(charged)		
		Balance	to profit	to other	Effect of	Balance
	at	beginning	(charged co	mprehensive	changes in	at end
		of year	to loss)	income	the tax rate	of year
Available-for-sale financial assets	₩	11,000	-	-	(2,200)	8,800
Accrued expense		22,966	(124)	-	(2,741)	20,101
Sales		1,801	6,332	-	(976)	7,157
Donations in excess of tax limit		18,467	(8,687)	-	(1,174)	8,606
Retirement benefit costs		(4,621)	2,098	8,756	(1,247)	4,986
Depreciation		3,859	(1,387)	-	(494)	1,978
Investments in subsidiaries		(120,350)	-	-	24,466	(95,884)
Foreign currency translations		-	(6,966)	-	836	(6,130)
Treasury shares		(10,781)	75	-	2,141	(8,565)
Unrealized gain on valuation of available-for-sale financial assets		(797)	(1,955)	(7,027)	1,956	(7,823)
Voluntary reserve		(15,578)	4,126	-	1,374	(10,078)
Provision for advanced depreciation		(5,903)	-	-	1,181	(4,722)
Others		8,151	(8,195)	-	(73)	(117)
	₩	(91,786)	(14,683)	1,729	23,049	(81,691)

(j) The income taxes payable and income taxes refund before offsetting as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 are as follows:

			In	millions of Won
				January 1
		2009	2008	2008
Income taxes payable	₩	221,139	275,315	270,220
Income taxes refund		(121,101)	(121,829)	(86,738)
	₩	100,038	153,486	183,482

# 25. Earnings per Share

Basic and diluted earnings per share for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 were as follows:

In millions of Won, except share information

	2009	2008
Profit for the period	₩ 744,942	849,486
Weighted-average number of ordinary shares outstanding	128,372,302	130,140,446
Basic and diluted earnings per share in Won	₩ 5,803	6,527



December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008

# 26. Transactions and Balances with Related Companies

(a) Details of parent and subsidiary relationships as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 were as follows:

Percentage of ownership

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				2009			2008		J	anuary 1, 2	800
		Next most		Sub-			Sub-			Sub-	
Subsidiary	Location	senior parent	Parent	sidiary	Total	Parent	sidiary	Total	Parent	sidiary	Total
Korea Ginseng											
Corporation	Korea	The Company	100.00%	-	100.00%	100.00%	-	100.00%	100.00%	-	100.00%
Yungjin Pharm.											
Ind. Co., Ltd.	Korea	The Company	55.50%	-	55.50%	55.50%	-	55.50%	55.50%	-	55.50%
Tae-a Industry											
Co., Ltd.	Korea	The Company	100.00%	-	100.00%	100.00%	-	100.00%	100.00%	-	100.00%
KT&G Tutun											
Mamulleri											
Sanayive											
Ticaret A.S.	Turkey	The Company	99.99%	-	99.99%	99.99%	-	99.99%	99.99%	-	99.99%
Korea Tabacos											
do Brasil Ltda.	Brazil	The Company	99.90%	-	99.90%	99.90%	-	99.90%	99.90%	-	99.90%
KT&G Pars	Iran	The Company	99.99%	-	99.99%	99.99%	-	99.99%	99.99%	-	99.99%
KT&G Rus											
L.L.C.	Russia	The Company	100.00%	-	100.00%	100.00%	-	100.00%	100.00%	-	100.00%
KT&G Bio Corp.	Korea	The Company	100.00%	-	100.00%	-	-	-	-	-	-
KT&G											
Mongolia LLC	Mongolia	The Company	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.00%	-	100.00%
Korea Ginseng		Korea Ginseng									
HK, Ltd.	Hong Kong	Corporation	-	99.99%	99.99%	-	99.99%	99.99%	-	99.99%	99.99%
KGC Sales		Korea Ginseng									
Co., Ltd.	Korea	Corporation	-	100.00%	100.00%	-	100.00%	100.00%	-	100.00%	100.00%
Cheong Kwan											
Jang Taiwan		Korea Ginseng									
Corporation	Taiwan	Corporation	-	100.00%	100.00%	-	-	-	-	-	-
Korea Red											
Ginseng	United	Korea Ginseng									
Corporation	States	Corporation	-	100.00%	100.00%	-	-	-	-	-	-
Korea Ginseng		Korea Ginseng									
(China) Corp.	China	Corporation	-	100.00%	100.00%						

(b) Significant transactions which occurred in the normal course of business with related companies for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 are summarized as follows:

			In m	illions of Won
Relationship	Related Company		2009	2008
Revenue from sal	es and other income:			
Subsidiary	Korea Ginseng Corporation	₩ 12	,790	13,271
	Yungjin Pharm. Ind. Co., Ltd.		174	171
	Tae-a Industry Co., Ltd.		1	_
	KGC Sales Co., Ltd.		2	_
	KT&G Tutun Mamulleri Sanayi ve Ticaret A.S.	7	,943	3,194
	KT&G Pars	6	,825	1,521
	KT&G Rus L.L.C.		485	-
		₩ 28	,220	18,157
Purchases and ot	her expenses:			
Subsidiary	Korea Ginseng Corporation	₩ 2	,096	1,446
	Yungjin Pharm. Ind. Co., Ltd.		43	121
	Tae-a Industry Co., Ltd.	13	,616	15,321
	Korea Tabacos do Brasil Ltda.		191	165
		₩ 15	,946	17,053

The Company recognized dividends from Korea Ginseng Corporation amounting to \w30,000 million and \w60,000 million as finance income for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008, respectively.

(c) Account balances with related companies as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 were as follows:

				In r	millions of Won
					January 1
Relationship	Related Company		2009	2008	2008
Receivables:					
Subsidiary	Korea Ginseng Corporation	₩	-	3,184	-
	KT&G Tutun Mamulleri Sanayi ve Ticaret A.S.		13,437	25,441	1,127
	KT&G Pars		18,883	7,204	-
	KT&G Rus L.L.C.		5,487	347	-
	KT&G Mongolia LLC		-	-	554
		₩	37,807	36,176	1,681
Payables:					
Subsidiary	Korea Ginseng Corporation	₩	2,238	2,595	2,649



December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008

(d) Details of guarantees provided for related companies as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 were as follows:

In thousands of Euro

Relationship	Type of guarantee	Guarantee recipient	2009		20	08	January 1, 2008		
			Limit	Exercise	Limit	Exercise	Limit	Exercise	
Subsidiary	Guarantee on	KT&G Tutun							
	foreign currency	Mamulleri							
	letter of credit	Sanayive							
	opened	Ticaret A.S.	€ -	-	-	-	10,000	-	
		KT&G Rus L.L.C.	7,267	-	-	-		-	

(e) Details of key management personnel compensation for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 are summarized as follows:

In millions of Won

	2009	2008
Short-term employee benefits	₩ 6,896	
Post-employment benefits	5,838	9,113
	₩ 12,734	17,811

## 27. Risk Management

#### (a) Overview

The Company has exposure to the following risks from its use of financial instruments:

- · capital risk
- · currency risk
- · liquidity risk
- · credit risk
- · interest rate risk
- · market price risk

This note presents information about the Company's exposure to each of the above risks, the Company's objectives, policies and processes for measuring and managing risk, and the Company's management of capital. Further quantitative disclosures are included throughout these non-consolidated financial statements.

## (b) Risk Management Framework

The Board of Directors has overall responsibility for the establishment and oversight of the Company s risk management framework. The Board has established the Risk Management Committee, which is responsible for developing and monitoring the Company s risk management policies. The committee reports regularly to the Board of Directors on its activities.

The Company s risk management policies are established to identify and analyse the risks faced by the Company, to set appropriate risk limits and controls, and to monitor risks and adherence to limits. Risk management policies and systems are reviewed regularly to reflect changes in market conditions and the Company s activities. The Company, through its training and management standards and procedures, aims to develop a disciplined and constructive control environment in which all employees understand their roles and obligations.

The Company Audit Committee oversees how management monitors compliance with the Company s risk management policies and procedures, and reviews the adequacy of the risk management framework in relation to the risks faced by the Company. The Company Audit Committee is assisted in its oversight role by Internal Audit. Internal Audit undertakes both regular and ad hoc reviews of risk management controls and procedures, the results of which are reported to the Audit Committee.

#### (c) Management of Capital Risk

The purpose of managing financial risks is to identify the potential risk factors that may affect the Company's financial performance, and minimize, eliminate and avoid it to the extent that is acceptable. One of the principal responsibilities of the treasury department is to manage the financial risks arising from the Company's underlying operations. The treasury department monitors and manages the financial risk arising from the Company's underlying operations in accordance with the risk management policies and procedures authorized by the board of directors. Also, the treasury department provides an internal report analyzing the nature and exposure level on financial risks to Risk Management Committee of the Company. The Risk Management Committee prepares the overall strategy for financial risk management, and evaluates the effectiveness of the financial risk management. In addition, the internal auditor consistently observes the compliance of the risk management policy and procedure, and reviews the risk exposure limit of the Company. The Company holds derivative financial instruments to hedge its specific financial risks such as currency risk.

The fundamental goal of capital management is the maximization of shareholders value by means of the stable dividend policy and the retirement of treasury shares. The capital structure of the Company consists of equity and net debt deducting cash and cash equivalents and current financial instruments from borrowings. The Company applied the same financial risk management strategy that was applied in the previous period.

As of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008, the Company defines net debt and equity as follows:

			In	millions of Won
				January 1
		2009	2008	2008
Net debt:				
Debts (Short-term borrowings)	₩	19,338	13,344	14,955
Less:				
- Cash and cash equivalents		(268,954)	(88,352)	(115,126)
- Current other financial assets		-	(1,000)	(1,000)
- Current available-for-sale financial assets		(1,957)	(2,149)	(92)
	₩	(251,573)	(78,157)	(101,263)
Equity	₩	3,852,991	3,454,426	3,135,877

#### (d) Management of Financial Risks

## Currency Risk

The Company is exposed to foreign currency risk arising from the export and import of tobacco. The Company s primary exposure is to the US dollar and Euro. The carrying amounts of monetary assets and liabilities denominated in a currency other than the functional currency as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 are as follows:

		20	09	20	08	January 1, 2008	
		USD	EUR	USD	EUR	USD	EUR
Assets:							
Cash and cash equivalents	₩	3,887	44	1,116	83	8,544	-
Trade and other receivables		258,943	8,390	281,320	1,325	150,238	1,127
Long-term deposits in MSA Escrow Fund		118,121	-	110,261	-	66,633	-
	₩	380,951	8,434	392,697	1,408	225,415	1,127
Liabilities:							
Trade and other payables	₩	3,624	4,045	335	7,282	649	3,495



December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008

The Company measures currency risk of changes in foreign exchange rates regularly. As of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008, the effect of 10% strengthening or weakening of functional currency against foreign currencies other than functional currency on profit before tax are as follows:

In millions of Won

	2009			200	08	January 1, 2008		
	10%		10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	
	strer	ngthening	weakening	strengthening	weakening	strengthening	weakening	
USD	₩	37,733	(37,733)	39,236	(39,236)	22,477	(22,477)	
EUR		439	(439)	(587)	587	(237)	237	
	₩	38,172	(38,172)	38,649	(38,649)	22,240	(22,240)	

The above sensitivity analysis was applied to monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies other than the functional currency at the end of the reporting period.

The Company entered into foreign currency option contracts to hedge foreign currency risk of accounts receivable related to the export of tobacco. Details of the contracts as of December 31, 2008 were as follows:

In Won and in thousands of U.S. dollars

	Contract outstandin		Exchange rate
Call Option Sell	\$ 6,00 4,00	D ₩	
Put Option Buy	3,00 2,00		988 989

The above foreign currency option contracts were not designated as hedging instruments, and were settled in the year ended December 31, 2009. Related gains and losses are charged to the non-consolidated statement of comprehensive income as finance charge.

#### Liquidity risk

The Company has established short-term and long-term financial management plan to manage the liquidity risk, and analyzed cash outflows occurred and cash outflows budgeted, so as to match the maturity structure of financial assets and financial liabilities. The Company s management determines the financial liabilities are repayable with the operating cash flows and cash inflows from financial assets. The Company entered into an overdraft agreement with the NACF to manage the temporary liquidity risk.

The maturity analysis with a residual contractual maturity of financial liabilities as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 is as follows:

#### In millions of Won

					Residual contract	tual maturity	
			_		Between	Between	
		Carrying	Contractual	Within	3 months	1 and 5	Beyond
		amount	cash flow	3 months	and 1 year	years	5 years
As of December 31, 2009:							
Derivative financial liabilities	₩	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-derivative financial liabilities		196,275	196,838	92,772	93,707	8,359	2,000
	₩	196,275	196,838	92,772	93,707	8,359	2,000
As of December 31, 2008:							
Derivative financial liabilities	₩	2,699	2,699	2,699	-	-	-
Non-derivative financial liabilities		296,814	297,444	85,252	204,135	6,057	2,000
	₩	299,513	300,143	87,951	204,135	6,057	2,000
As of January 1, 2008:							
Derivative financial liabilities	₩	25	25	25	-	-	-
Non-derivative financial liabilities		235,968	235,968	90,834	138,023	7,111	-
	₩	235,993	235,993	90,859	138,023	7,111	-

The above financial liabilities are presented at the nominal value of undiscounted future cash flows as of the earliest period at which the Company can be required to pay.

### Credit Risk

The Company has transacted with customers with high credit ratings to manage credit risk, and has implemented and operated policies and procedures for credit enhancements of the financial assets. Counterparty credit risk is managed by evaluating its credit rating and limiting the aggregate amount and duration of exposure before sales commence, and the Company has been provided collaterals and guarantees. The credit ratings of all counterparties and the level of collaterals and guarantees are reviewed regularly. Analysis of financial assets past due has been reported quarterly and appropriate measures have been taken to secure the Company's assets.

The carrying amount of financial assets is maximum exposure to credit risk. The maximum exposure to credit risk as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 is as follows:

			In	millions of Won
				January 1
		2009	2008	2008
Available-for-sale financial assets	₩	443,800	304,105	252,755
Long-term deposits in MSA Escrow Fund		118,121	110,261	66,633
Trade and other receivables		612,298	639,766	499,237
Other financial assets		-	1,000	1,000
Cash and cash equivalents		268,954	88,352	115,126

Export trade receivables to overseas clients, including Alokozay International Limited are \\229,096\text{ million}, \\266,592\text{ million} and \\4149,720\text{ million}, and equal to 54.9%, 60.9% and 46.7% of the aggregate trade receivables, respectively, as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008. The Company's trade receivables mentioned above were insured against non-payment up to USD36,200 thousand, USD34,400 thousand and USD34,900 thousand by export guarantee insurance with the Korea Export Insurance Corporation, respectively, as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008. The Company has no significant concentrations of customer credit risk except for the above export trade receivables; on the other hand, there are a large number of widely dispersed customers with trade and other receivables.



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The Company has made deposits on cash, cash equivalent and long-term in NACF and several financial institutions with high credit ratings, thus the credit risks from theses financial institutions are very limited.

#### Interest rate risk

There is no significant effect on cash flows or the fair value of financial liabilities from the interest rate fluctuation, considering the amounts of interest bearing liabilities.

#### Market price risk

Market price risk arises from available-for-sale equity instruments held for investments. Management of the Company monitors the mix of debt and equity instruments in its investment portfolio based on market indices. Material investments within the portfolio are managed on an individual basis and all buy and sell decisions are approved by the Risk Management Committee.

As of December 31, 2009, the effect of 5% fluctuation of the price index of stocks on other comprehensive income is as follows:

		In	millions of Won
		5%	5%
	Incr	ease	Decrease
Other comprehensive income before tax	₩ 25	,536	(25,536)
Tax effect		,618	(5,618)
	₩ 19	,918	(19,918)

#### (e) Fair Value of Financial Instruments

The carrying amount and the fair value of financial instruments as of December 31, 2009, December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 are summarized as follows.

						In r	millions of Won
	2009		2008		January 1, 2008		
		Carrying	Fair	Carrying	Fair	10%	10%
		amount	value	amount	value	amount	value
Assets:							
Financial assets measured at fair value							
- Available-for-sale financial assets	₩	443,800	443,800	304,100	304,100	252,750	252,750
- Long-term deposits in MSA Escrow Fund		118,121	118,121	110,261	110,261	66,633	66,633
- Other financial assets		-	-	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
- Cash and cash equivalents		268,954	268,954	88,352	88,352	115,126	115,126
	₩	830,875	830,875	503,718	503,718	435,514	435,514
Financial assets measured at amortized cost							
- Trade and other receivables	₩	612,298	612,298	639,766	639,766	499,237	499,237
	₩	1,443,173	1,443,173	1,143,484	1,143,484	934,751	934,751
Liabilities:							
Financial liabilities measured at fair value							
- Other financial liabilities	₩	-	-	(2,699)	(2,699)	(25)	(25)
Financial liabilities measured at amortized cost							
- Trade and other payables	₩	(176,937)	(176,937)	(283,470)	(283,470)	(221,013)	(221,013)
- Short-term borrowings		(19,338)	(19,338)	(13,344)	(13,344)	(14,955)	(14,955)
	₩	(196,275)	(196,275)	(296,814)	(296,814)	(235,968)	(235,968)
	₩	(196,275)	(196,275)	(299,513)	(299,513)	(235,993)	(235,993)

#### The fair value hierarchy

The Company classifies fair value measurements using a fair value hierarchy that reflects the significance of the inputs used in making the measurements. The level of fair value hierarchy is as follows:

	the significance of the inputs
Level I	The quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities
Level I	The inputs that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly
Level Ⅲ	The inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data

The fair value measurements classified by fair value hierarchy as of December 31, 2009 and December 31, 2008 and January 1, 2008 are as follows.

In millions of Won Level I Level I Level II Total As of December 31, 2009: Financial assets - Available-for-sale financial assets 6.878 24,095 443.800 412,827 - Long-term deposits in MSA Escrow Fund 118,121 118,121 - Cash and cash equivalents 268,954 268,954 799,902 6,878 24,095 830,875 As of December 31, 2008: Financial assets - Available-for-sale financial assets 274,824 7,196 22,085 304,105 - Long-term deposits in MSA Escrow Fund 110,261 110,261 - Other financial assets 1,000 1,000 - Cash and cash equivalents 88,352 88,352 474,437 7.196 22.085 503,718 Financial Liabilities - Other financial liabilities (2,699)(2,699)As of January 1, 2008: Financial assets - Available-for-sale financial assets 221,024 2,000 29,731 252,755 - Long-term deposits in MSA Escrow Fund 66,633 66,633 - Other financial assets 1,000 1,000 - Cash and cash equivalents 115,126 115,126 403,783 2,000 435,514 29,731 Financial Liabilities - Other financial liabilities ₩ (25)(25)

As Genematrix, Inc. was listed on KOSDAQ in the year ended December 31, 2009, available-for-sale equity instruments in Genematrix, Inc. was transferred from Level !b to Level !'. As Rexahn Pharmaceuticals, Inc. was listed on New York Stock Exchange in the year ended December 31, 2008, available-for-sale equity instruments in Rexahn Pharmaceuticals, Inc. was transferred from Level !b to Level !a. As Celltrion, Inc. was listed on KOSDAQ in the year ended December 31, 2008, available-for-sale equity instruments in Celltrion, Inc. was transferred from Level !b to Level !'.



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## 28. Contingent Liabilities and Financial Commitments

(a) The Company deposited some proportion of sales in accordance with Tobacco Master Settlement Agreement (MSA) under the Escrow Statute of the United States government, related to the export of tobacco to the United States. The MSA Escrow Funds is maintained to pay the medical expenses of tobacco purchasers who have suffered health effects as a result of smoking. The unused portion of this fund will be refunded to the Company 25 years from the date that the fund was established. The Company recorded as long-term deposits the amounts paid into the MSA Escrow Funds of State governments in the United States against potential litigation and damages related to the export of tobacco into the United States.

(b) As of December 31, 2009, tobacco lawsuits claiming damages of ₩584 million were filed against the Company and the Korean government. The plaintiffs have asserted that the Company and the Korean government did not perform their obligations to notify smokers of the potential health hazards of smoking. Additionally, the Company is involved in 6 lawsuits and claims for alleged damages totalling ₩3,910 million as a dependent as of December 31, 2009. The amount of the liability the Company may ultimately have with respect to the litigation cannot be reasonably estimated as of December 31, 2009.

(c) As of December 31, 2009, the Company has entered into Letter of Credit Agreements with the NACF and other banks with a limit set at USD48,000 thousand.

(d) As of December 31, 2009, the Company s trade receivables from the export of cigarettes were insured against non-payment up to USD36,200 thousand by an export guarantee insurance with the Korea Export Insurance Corporation.

(e) As of December 31, 2009, the Company has been provided with a foreign currency payment guarantee for local dealers in Russia and other countries up to USD70,000 thousand by Korea Exchange Bank and others.

(f) As of December 31, 2009, the Company and 28 other companies, which form the Samsung Corporation-National Pension Service Joint Consortium, were guaranteed \(\forall 240,000\) million by Seoul Guarantee Insurance Co., Ltd. in relation to the Yongsan International Commercial Development Project.

(g) The Company entered into an overdraft agreement with a limit of ₩10,000 million with the NACF as of December 31, 2009.

(h) The Company has provided KT&G Rus L.L.C. with payment guarantee on foreign currency letter of credit opened in relation with acquisition of tobacco manufacturing machinery up to EUR7,267 thousand to Korea Exchange Bank

## 29. Non-current Asset Held for Sale

The Company entered into a contract to sell the land for the year ended December 31, 2009 and recognized non-current asset held for sale amounting to \text{\psi}23,246 million at the lowers of its carrying amount and fair value less costs to sell.

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# 30. Cash flows from operating activities

Details of cash generated from operations for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 are as follows:

In millions of Won

	<u></u>	TITIIIIONS OF VVOI
	2009	2008
Profit for the year	₩ 744,942	849,486
Adjustments for:		
- Income tax expense	240,406	265,233
- Finance costs	7,752	10,093
- Finance income	(41,607)	(78,393)
- Depreciation	126,021	130,266
- Amortization	277	706
- Retirement benefit costs	32,900	23,322
- Foreign currency translations loss	16,048	812
- Loss on the write-down of inventories	-	4,413
- Impairment loss on trade and other receivables	540	553
- Loss on sale of property, plant and equipment	5,831	3,095
- Impairment loss on property, plant and equipment	-	429
- Impairment loss on intangible assets	647	-
- Other expense	2,473	3,763
- Reversal of loss on the write-down of inventories	(189)	(18,439)
- Foreign currency translations gain	(178)	(26,141)
- Gain on sale of property, plant and equipment	(12,100)	(14,286)
Changes in westing societals	1,123,763	1,154,912
Changes in working capital: - Trade and other receivables	19,766	(88,411)
- Advance payments	(8,871)	(21,053)
- Advance payments - Prepaid expenses	1,590	2,226
- Prepaid tobacco excise and other taxes	32,333	(37,398)
- Prepaid tobacco excise and other taxes - Inventories		
	90,492	(129,298)
- Trade and other payables	(114,865)	65,737 (1,299)
- Advance receipts	(48,768)	
- Tobacco excise and other taxes payable	(20,147)	24,086
- Payment of retirement benefits	(41,169)	(61,791)
Cash generated from operations	₩ 1,034,124	907,711

## 31. Dividends

Dividends and dividends per share proposed or declared before the financial statements were authorised for issue but not recognised as a distribution to owners during the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 are as follows:

In millions of Won, except share information and dividends per share

		2009	2008
Number of shares receivable dividend		127,198,800	128,698,800
Dividends per share in Won	₩	₹ 2,800	2,800
Total Dividends		356,157	360,357



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#### 32. Date of Authorization for Issue

The 2009 financial statements were authorized for issue on January 20, 2010, at the Board of Directors Meeting.

#### 33. Transition to Korean International Financial Reporting Standards

Prior to 2009, the Company prepared its financial statements under Generally Accepted Accounting Principles in the Republic of Korea (K-GAAP). From January 1, 2009, the Company is required to prepare its non-consolidated financial statements in accordance with K-IFRS. As the 2009 financial statements include comparatives for 2008, the Company s date of transition to K-IFRS in accordance with K-IFRS No.1101 on first time adoption of K-IFRS, is January 1, 2008, and the 2008 comparatives are restated to K-IFRS.

The effect of the transition from K-GAAP to K-IFRS, affecting the Company's reported financial position, financial performance and cash flows, is as follows:

(a) K-IFRS No.1101 permits those companies adopting K-IFRS for the first time certain exemptions from the full requirements of K-IFRS in the transition period. The Company has taken the following key exemptions:

- (i) Business combinations prior to the date of transition are not restated.
- (ii) The Company measures investments in a subsidiary, Korea Ginseng Corporation, at the date of transition to K-IFRS at carrying amounts using a K-GAAP as deemed cost at that date.
- (iii) The Company capitalizes borrowing costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of a qualifying asset as part of the cost of that asset after the date of transition to K-IFRS.
- (b) The main adjustments in changing to K-IFRS are as follows and the tables of reconciliation are cross-referenced to the notes below where relevant:
  - (1) Reclassification of Investment Property and Intangible Asset under Development
    In accordance with K-GAAP, property held to earn rentals or for capital appreciation or both were classified and accounted for as property, plant
    and equipment. In accordance with K-IFRS, it is reclassified as investment property. In addition, development costs of new medicines classified
    as construction-in-progress of property, plant and equipment in accordance with K-GAAP, are reclassified as intangible assets under
    development in accordance with K-IFRS.
  - (2) Reclassification of Guarantee Deposits Paid and Guarantee Deposits for Membership In accordance with K-GAAP, guarantee deposits paid and guarantee deposits for membership recognized as other non-current assets are recorded in intangible assets as rights to facility usage with indefinite useful lives and prepaid expenses, respectively. Prepaid expenses attribute expenses to periods of service.
  - (3) Revenue Recognition Criteria
    In accordance with K-GAAP, revenue from building lotting-out construction contracts is accounted for by the percentage of completion method.
    In accordance with K-IFRS, it is recognized when the significant risks and rewards of ownership are transferred to a third party.
  - (4) Investments in Associates and Subsidiaries

In accordance with K-GAAP, investments in associates such as Cosmo Tabacco Co., Ltd., Korea Islet Transplantation Institute, Inc. and Lite Pharm Tech, Inc. were accounted for under the cost method since the effect of applying the equity method on its financial statements is immaterial. In accordance with K-IFRS, these are reclassified as the investments in associates accounted for under the cost method of accounting.

In accordance with K-GAAP, investments in subsidiaries such as Korea Ginseng Corporation, Youngjin Pharm. Ind. Co., Ltd. and KT&G Tutun Mamulleri Sanayi ve Ticaret A.S were accounted for using the equity method of accounting. In accordance with K-IFRS, these are reclassified as the investments in subsidiaries, and are accounted for under the cost method of accounting.

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In addition, in the preparation of the opening K-IFRS statement of financial position on the date of transition to K-IFRS, the Company measures its investment in Korea Ginseng Corporation at the deemed cost which is previous GAAP carrying amount at the date of transition in accordance with K-IFRS No.1101.

#### (5) Retirement Benefit Obligations

Employees who have been with the Company for more than one year are entitled to lump-sum payments based on current salary rates and length of service when they leave the Company. In accordance with K-GAAP, the Company's estimated liability under the plan which would be payable if all employees left on the end of reporting date is accrued in the statement of financial position. In accordance with K-IFRS, the Company uses the projected unit credit method by way of an actuarial valuation method to determine the present value of its defined benefit obligations.

#### (6) Employee Benefits: Accumulating Compensated Absence and Bonus

According to the K-IFRS, the Company recognizes the expected cost of short-term employee benefits in the form of compensated absence as a liability, when employees render service that increases their entitlement to future compensated absences. Also, the Company recognizes its legal or constructive obligation under a profit-sharing or bonus plan as a liability when employees render service.

#### (7) Derecognition of Financial Assets and Financial Liabilities

With regard to trade receivables with customer credit contracts, trade receivables were derecognized at the point of the collection from lenders in accordance with K-GAAP. However, in accordance with K-IFRS, trade receivables with customer credit contracts were derecognized at the point of the collection from borrowers. In addition, in accordance with K-GAAP, tobacco excise and other taxes payable were reflected in the statement of financial position after offsetting by prepaid tobacco excise and other taxes. However, in accordance with K-IFRS, they are reflected in the statement of financial position the aggregate amount in total rather than offset.

# (8) Impairment and Uncollectibility of Financial Assets

In accordance with K-GAAP, allowances for the receivables were influenced by tax requirements and practice. However, in accordance with K-IFRS, the Company first assesses whether objective evidence of impairment exists individually for financial assets that are individually significant, and individually or collectively for financial assets that are not individually significant.

## (9) Financial Instrument Carried at Amortized Cost

In accordance with K-GAAP, a financial instrument such as loans and receivables was recognized in nominal terms. However, in accordance with K-IFRS, when a financial instrument is recognized initially, it is measured at its fair value. After initial recognition, a financial instrument is measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method.

### (10) Review of Depreciation Period or Depreciation Method

The Company reviewed the depreciation method and the useful life of the asset to reflect the pattern and period in which the asset s future economic benefits are expected to be consumed by the Company.

#### (11) The Effect of Income Tax

In accordance with K-GAAP, it is required that deferred tax assets and liabilities be classified as current or non-current. However, K-IFRS does not specify whether the Company should distinguish current and non-current portions of deferred tax assets and liabilities. In addition, the tax effects of the above adjustments arising from differences between K-GAAP and K-IFRS have been reflected in the financial statements.



Equity and liabilities

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4,382,573

(1,007)

- (c) Reconciliation of equity in accordance with K-GAAP to Equity in accordance with K-IFRS
  - (i) The effect of the change to K-IFRS on the non-consolidated statement of financial position at January 1, 2008 is as follows:

			_						In mil	lions of Won
								De-		
			Re-	Revenue		Retirement		recognition		
			classifi-	recognition		benefit	Employee	of financial	Other	
			cation	criteria	Investment	obligations	benefits	instruments	Changes	
Notes		K-GAAP	(1)(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)(9)(10)(11)	K-IFRSI
Assets	₩	3,977,800	(942)	12,623	36,058	(2,091)	3,741	179,331	(6,954)	4,199,566
Equity	₩	3,142,003	(942)	(6,549)	36,058	15,262	(73,069)	-	23,114	3,135,877
Liabilities		835,797	-	19,172		(17,353)	76,810	179,331	(30,068)	1,063,689
Equity and liabilities	₩	3,977,800	(942)	12,623	36,058	(2,091)	3,741	179,331	(6,954)	4,199,566

(ii) The effect of the change to K-IFRS on the non-consolidated statement of financial position at December 31, 2008 is as follows:

37,474

In millions of Won De-Re-Revenue Retirement recognition classifibenefit of financial Other recognition Employee benefits Changes cation criteria Investment obligations instruments Notes K-GAAP (1)(2)(7) (8)(9)(10)(11) K-IFRSI (3)(4)(5)(6)Assets 4,382,573 (1,007)37,474 (42,563)2,302 3,890 215,118 15,597 4,613,384 Equity 3,539,831 (1,007)(29,574)(42,563)(7,518)(74,659)69,916 3,454,426 Liabilities 67,048 9,820 78,549 215,118 (54,319) 1,158,958 842,742

(42,563)

2,302

3,890

215,118

15,597

4,613,384

(d) Reconciliation of total comprehensive income in accordance with K-GAAP to total comprehensive income in accordance with K-IFRS

(i) The effect of the change to K-IFRS on the non-consolidated statement of comprehensive income for the year ended December 31, 2008 is as follows:

In millions of Won, except earnings per share

					ın m	illions of vvor	n, except earnir	igs per snare
		Re- classification	Revenue recognition criteria	Investment	Retirement benefit obligations	Employee benefits		
Notes	K-GAAP		(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	0	K-IFRSI
Notes	K-UAAF	(1)(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(0)	(6)(9)(10)(11)	K-IFNSI
Sales	₩ 2,644,656	-	(71,975)	-	-	-	461	2,573,142
Cost of sales	(1,023,034)	(3,409)	48,950	-	8,889	(462)	3,748	(965,318)
Gross profit	1,621,622	(3,409)	(23,025)	-	8,889	(462)	4,209	1,607,824
Other income	108,361	-	-	-	-	-	-	108,361
Selling, general and								
administrative expenses	(634,754)	3,343	-	-	15,147	(1,128)	(626)	(618,018)
Contribution to employee								
welfare foundation	(15,000)	-	-	-	-	-	-	(15,000)
Other expense	(48,685)	-	-	-	-	-	11,937	(36,748)
Profit from operations	1,031,544	(66)	(23,025)	-	24,036	(1,590)	15,520	1,046,419
Net finance income (costs)	15,053	-	-	60,000	(7,016)	-	263	68,300
Share of the profit or								
loss of associates	134,706	_	_	(134,706)	-	-	-	_
Profit before tax	1,181,303	(66)	(23,025)	(74,706)	17,020	(1,590)	15,783	1,114,719
Income tax expense	(287,013)		_	-	-	-	21,780	(265,233)
Profit for the period	₩ 894,290	(66)	(23,025)	(74,706)	17,020	(1,590)	37,563	849,486
Other comprehensive								
income, net of tax	29,066			(3,429)	(31,044)	-		(5,407)
Total comprehensive								
income for the period	₩ 923,356	(66)	(23,025)	(78,135)	(14,026)	(1,590)	37,563	844,079
Basic and diluted earnings								
per share in Won	₩ 6,872						_	6,527

<sup>(</sup>e) Explanation of material adjustments to the non-consolidated statement of cash flows

Interest paid, interest received and dividends received were classified as operating cash flows in accordance with K-GAAP. But, in accordance with K-IFRS, interest paid are reclassified as financing cash flows, and interest received and dividends received are reclassified as investing cash flows. The effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents held or due in a foreign currency is presented separately from cash flows from operating, investing and financing activities.

Bank overdrafts which form an integral part of the Company's cash management are included as a component of cash and cash equivalents rather than financing cash flows.



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# To the President of KT&G Corporation:

We have reviewed the accompanying Report on the Operations of Internal Accounting Control System (IACS) of KT&G Corporation (the Company) as of December 31, 2009. The Company's management is responsible for designing and maintaining effective IACS and for its assessment of the effectiveness of IACS. Our responsibility is to review management's assessment and issue a report based on our review. In the accompanying report of management s assessment of IACS, the Company's management stated: Based on the assessment on the operations of the IACS, the Company's IACS has been effectively designed and is operating as of December 31, 2009, in all material respects, in accordance with the IACS Framework issued by the Internal Accounting Control System Operation Committee.

We conducted our review in accordance with IACS Review Standards, issued by the Korean Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Those Standards require that we plan and perform the review to obtain assurance of a level less than that of an audit as to whether Report on the Operations of Internal Accounting Control System is free of material misstatement. Our review consists principally of obtaining an understanding of the Company s IACS, inquiries of company personnel about the details of the report, and tracing to related documents we considered necessary in the circumstances. We have not performed an audit and, accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

A company's IACS is a process designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. Because of its inherent limitations, however, IACS may not prevent or detect misstatements. Also, projections of any evaluation of effectiveness to future periods are subject to the risk that controls may become inadequate because of changes in conditions, or that the degree of compliance with the policies or procedures may deteriorate.

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that Report on the Operations of Internal Accounting Control System as of December 31, 2009 is not prepared in all material respects, in accordance with IACS Framework issued by the Internal Accounting Control System Operation Committee.

This report applies to the Company s IACS in existence as of December 31, 2009. We did not review the Company s IACS subsequent to December 31, 2009. This report has been prepared for Korean regulatory purposes, pursuant to the External Audit Law, and may not be appropriate for other purposes or for other users.

Seoul, Korea February 11, 2010

# Notice to Readers

This report is annexed in relation to the audit of the non-consolidated financial statements as of December 31, 2009 and the review of internal accounting control system pursuant to Article 2-3 of the Act on External Audit for Stock Companies of the Republic of Korea.

# Report on the Operations of Internal Accounting Control System

# To the Board of Directors and Internal Audit Committee of KT&G Corporation:

I, as the Internal Accounting Control Officer ("IACO") of KT&G Corporation (the "Company"), have assessed the status of the design and operations of the Company's internal accounting control system ("IACS") for the year ended December 31, 2009.

The Company's management including IACO is responsible for the design and operations of its IACS. I, as the IACO, have assessed whether the IACS has been effectively designed and is operating to prevent and detect any error or fraud which may cause any misstatement of the financial statements, for the purpose of establishing the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes. I, as the IACO, applied the IACS Framework for the assessment of design and operations of the IACS.

Based on the assessment of the operations of the IACS, the Company's IACS has been effectively designed and is operating as of December 31, 2009, in all material respects, in accordance with the IACS Framework issued by the Internal Accounting Control System Operation Committee.

January 20, 2010

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Kim, San Kyum, Internal Accounting Control Officer

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Kwak, Young Kyoon, Chief Executive Officer

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# Corporate Governance & Organization Chart



Yoon-jae Lee Chairman of BOD



Young-jin Min Chief Executive Officer



**Jin-moo Lee**Independent
Non-executive Director



Won-yong Kim Independent Non-executive Director





Chang-woo Lee Independent Non-executive Director



Yong-chan An Independent Non-executive Director



**Jong-hoon Kim** Independent Non-executive Director



**Duk-hwi Kim** Independent Non-executive Director



Seung-lim Jee Independent Non-executive Director



**Kyu-ha Jo**Independent
Non-executive Director





# Manufacturing & Sales Network, Investor Information

## **TOBACCO MANUFACTURING**

- Shintanjin Plant
- Wonju Plant
- Gwangju Plant
- · Yeongju Plant

## **LEAF TOBACCO PROCESSING**

• Gimcheon Factory

## **PRINTING PLANT**

• Cheonan Plant

## **SALES**

• Regional Headquarters: 14

• Branch Offices: 168

# **OVERSEAS AFFILATES**

- KT&G Turkey
- KT&G Pars
- KT&G Russia



· Capital Stock

Number of Authorized Shares

· Number of Shares Issued

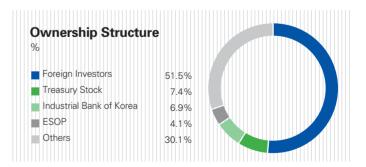
• Shareholders' Equity

KRW 955 billion

800,000,000

137,292,497

KRW 3,853 billion (End of 2009)



THIS SECTION AS A FORM OF BOOK-IN-BOOK IS SPECIALLY PROVIDED TO DESCRIBE THE COMPANY'S SOCIAL & ENVIRONMENT ACTIVITIES



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# CORPORATE TO COMMUNITY

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KT&G upholds its management philosophy of "enlightenment", "righteousness" and "companionship" to redefine itself as a company dedicated to carrying out efficient business operations, fulfilling its social responsibility, and improving the environment.

# KT&G Sustainability at a Glance

# Environmental management system

Since introduction of the environmental management system, KT&G's four tobacco manufacturing plants obtained ISO14001 certification. The leaf tobacco processing plant and the printing plant also acquired the certification in 2008 and 2009 respectively.

# Sustainability management vision for 2015

KT&G's sustainability management goal is to attain excellent economic performances; create economic, environmental and social values; and realize eco-friendliness.

## Certified as the best enterprise in the industry by DJSI Korea

DJSI (Dow Jones Sustainability Korea Index) Korea, which uses the global DJSI standards, is the world's first national level sustainability index designed to track the sustainability leaders among Korea's 200 largest companies by free-float market capitalization. KT&G was certified as the best enterprise

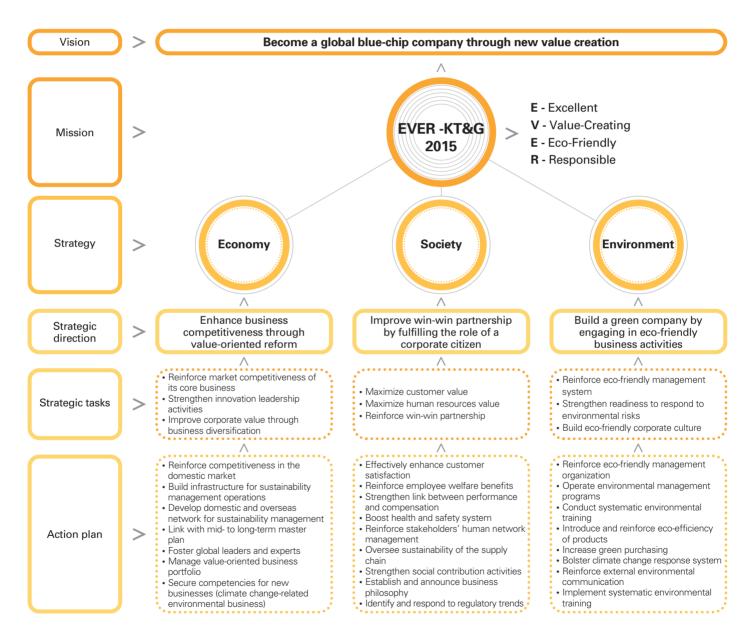
# Pursuing CSR projects aligned to core business

KT&G pursues CSR initiatives that are aligned to our core business. They include public awareness campaigns aimed at promoting consideration for non-smokers, establishing a forward-looking smoking culture, preventing teen smoking, an improving the smoking environment.



# Vision & Strategy for Sustainability

Under its sustainability management vision, KT&G aims to take off as a global blue-chip company through new value creation.



As we aim to emerge as a global blue-chip company through creation of new values, KT&G is keenly aware of the need to pursue sustainability management that serves the pursuits for both business and society for sustainable development and growth. To this end, we have identified key strategic challenges to take on. Our sustainability management goal is "EVER-KT&G

2015." E in Ever stands for "Excellent" economic performance, V for economic, environmental and social "Value-creating," E for "Eco-friendly" company an R for "Responsible" business that fulfils its social responsibility. EVER demonstrates KT&G's firm commitment to attain sustainable growth in the areas of economy, environment and society by the year 2015.

# **Shifting Management Standard**

# Corporate Governance

# - KT&G's corporate governance

The Board of Directors and CEO guide the operations of KT&G to maximize value for the company and its people, as the company forges ahead to take off as a global blue chip company. KT&G complies with laws and regulations, while our independent BOD comprising mostly of outside directors are building a culture of full compliance through management accountability and transparent information disclosure. They also provide a balanced representation of the interest of our shareholders and other stakeholders.

### - Board of directors

KT&G Board of Directors places priority on strengthened BOD functions and efficient operation. The BOD is the top decision-making body on issues facing the company as stated in the BOD statutes and regulations as well as KT&G's articles of incorporation. Of the Board committees, the Audit Committee is comprised of four outside directors in diverse fields of expertise such as economy, finance and policy-making. It is composed entirely of outside directors to ensure transparency and independence.

## - Board committees

KT&G facilitates prompt and sound decision-making through Board committees that focus on key areas of strategy, audit, investment, evaluation and compensation, and brand consulting. In particular, the Audit Committee is comprised entirely of independent directors to provide appropriate assistance and supervision to the top management and ensure the integrity of the company's financial statements and compliance with legal and regulatory requirements.

	Purpose	Authority	Composition
Strategy Committee	Corporate management strategy review	Review corporate value/vision/philosophy, Review mid-to-long term strategy, Review business plan/budget, Review corporate governance, ethics policy, Inspect key legal/regulatory management risks and set countermeasures	4 outside directors, 1 executive director
Audit Committee	Financial/accounting feasibility review, Internal control system review	Review financial statements, Review internal auditing performance, Vote on appointment of head of internal audit department, Appoint outside auditor	4 outside directors
Investment Committee	Investment/CSR/Risk management, Other legal obligations management	Vote on investment exceeding KRW10 billion/ acquisition, disposal of fixed assets, Vote on CSR projects exceeding KRW 500 million, Post-inspection and risk management of invested projects, Discover new growth projects	3 outside directors, 1 executive director
Evaluation and Compensation Committee	Employee performance evaluation and compensation	Set CEO management contract, Review employee wage/retirement pay, Change evaluation index/weight in management contract	4 outside directors
Brand Advisory Committee (1 year, temporary)	Brand/marketing strategy consulting	Brand strategy consulting, Marketing strategy consulting, Report to BOD on key consulting agenda	4 outside directors, 1 executive director

We comply with laws and regulations, while our independent BOD comprising mostly outside directors provide a balanced representation of the interest of our shareholders and other stakeholders.

Efforts at improving the BOD structure and operation to enhance stakeholder value combined with the top management's commitment to adhere to the revised system led to KT&G's receiving the award of distinction for corporate governance in 2003, and subsequently, the award of excellence for three consecutive years from 2004. In 2007, we were inducted into the hall of fame of the Korea Corporate Governance Service.

# **Ethics Management**

# Expand ethics management foundation and strengthen organization

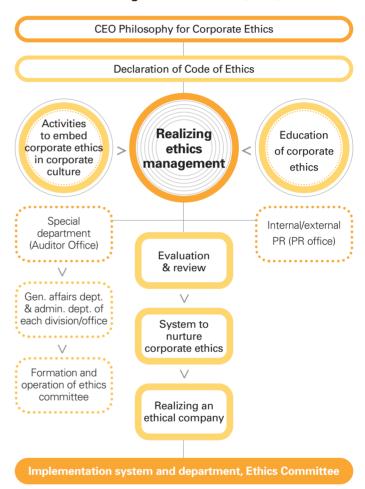
In 2001, KT&G established a comprehensive system for ethics management to promote fundamental values befitting a global blue chip company and endorse a mutually beneficial relationship with stakeholders. KT&G laid the groundwork for ethics management based on four components - Code of Conduct, Code of Ethics for Directors, Compliance Program and Customer Service Code.

New recruits are required to sign a pledge of ethics and honor the Code of Ethics and guidelines. We also strive to bring greater transparency and accountability across all business domains and to our BOD. As part of these efforts, the BOD adopted the Code of Ethics for Outside Directors by the Korea Listed Companies' Association (KLCA).

## **KT&G Ethics Management System**



# **KT&G Ethics Management Structure (2009)**



KT&G's commitment to perform with integrity is instilled in every employee as a non-negotiable expectation of behavior. This expectation is guided by our ethics regulations.

## - Internal control system

KT&G set up an internal control system in January 2006 to satisfy demands for internal accounting requirements and prepare for outside audits. Five internal control elements, namely control environment, risk assessment, control activities, information and communication and monitoring, are reviewed by working level staff and middle and upper level management to enhance transparency.

# Shifting Environmental Standard

we are striving to establish an eco-friendly system through the operation of green production facilities, reduction of pollutants, greater environmental awareness among employees, and activities to preserve our natural surroundings.

# **Environmental Management**

## - Overview of environmental management

Environmental management is an integral part of the KT&G corporate fabric. As part of our commitment to sustainability and corporate stewardship, we are striving to establish an eco-friendly system through the operation of green production facilities, reduction of pollutants, greater environmental awareness among employees, and activities to preserve our natural surroundings. We have drawn up a mission and strategy for our environmental management organization. The head office oversees the overall system while individual worksites concentrate on eliminating environmental risk factors and implementing green practices in everyday operations.

# - Performance-based environmental management system

EnvironKT&G has established a mid- to long-term environmental management plan and is encouraging greater involvement by each department and business site. Since introduction of the environmental management system, KT&G's four tobacco manufacturing plants obtained the ISO14001 certification. The leaf tobacco processing plant and the printing plant also acquired the certification in 2008 and 2009 respectively.

## **Certification Status**

Shintanjin	2005.06.08
Yeongju	2005.06.08
Wonju	1999.09.13
Gwangju	2005.06.08
Printing	2008.11.12
Leaf tobacco processing	2009.12.13

# - Environmental management organization and tasks

Environmental tasks are divided into environmental management, ISO management, and environmental facility operations. Environmental management involves overall management of environmental facilities, and management of budgets, expenses, environmental petitions. ISO management involves ISO9001 documents and establishment and revision of department operating standards. Environmental facility operations include operation and management of waste treatment facilities performed by environmental engineers, and operation and maintenance of air pollution prevention facilities.

## - Eco-friendly corporate culture

- KT&G is fully aware of the importance of building an internal and external network to attain environmental management. We take part in various environmental expos and the International Exhibition on Environmental Technologies and Products, and maintain a cooperative relationship with NGOs and local governments.
- For local residents, KT&G promotes its environment related facilities, holds worksite tours, organizes local environmental events and offers training. In addition, we are building strong ties with local communities through various citizenship initiatives such as helping out farmers, volunteering at children's centers and orphanages, making kimchi for neighbors in need, and holding environmental cleanups.



# Shifting Social Standard

KT&G seeks to build trust and repay support to customers and stakeholders through a wide range of corporate social responsibility activities.

# **Social Contribution**

## - Mid-to-long term social contribution strategy

As a corporate citizen with a global presence that works alongside local communities, KT&G seeks to build trust and repay support to customers and stakeholders through a wide range of corporate social responsibility activities. In order to offer systematic and sustainable programs that are aligned to our core business, we have devised a mid- to long-term social contribution strategy. The goal is to develop basic activities related to KT&G's core business as well as initiatives that are unique to the company. We also seek to work in partnership with external stakeholders like NGOs. KT&G supports various research activities and operates a scholarship foundation. We also extend support to the culture and arts as well as sports. The KT&G Social Welfare Foundation works with public and private sectors to offer more direct help while our employees are engaged in various relief works and volunteering activities.

# Social contribution programs aligned to core business

- Strengthen teen smoking prevention: KT&G recognizes teen smoking as a serious social problem and has devised concrete programs to prevent underage smoking
- Establish proper smoking etiquette: As part of our Smoking Etiquette campaign, we hold the annual "Contents Festival for a Better Tomorrow" which invites contestants to submit videos, photographs, designs and ideas on promoting proper smoking etiquette.
- Improve the environment for non smokers: KT&G is committed to establishing a culture where smokers and nonsmokers can respect each other's rights by finding a solution to eliminate any inconvenience and displeasure.



# **Shifting** Social Standard

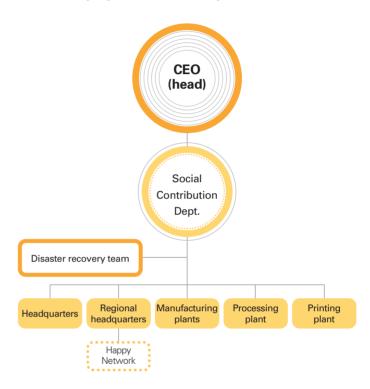
#### - KT&G Social Welfare Foundation

## KT&G Social Welfare Foundation's Major Activities



- Happy network welfare center: To protect local communities, the Happiness Network Welfare Center is networking with diverse local welfare systems to provide professional service to our neighbors in need who desperately require social welfare service.
- Internet welfare programs:
   The KT&G Social Welfare Foundation operates diverse online programs to raise funds for the heads and guardians of low-income families needing medical treatment.
- Social welfare support: As a way to provide mobile welfare services, the company has been donating 100 vehicles every year under the "Social Welfare Compact Car Support Project." So far, we have provided 600 compact cars to be used by social welfare workers.

# - KT&G Employee Volunteer Corps



KT&G is encouraging participation in volunteer activities and instilling the spirit of giving across the company through employee community involvement programs. Employees at each business site and office take part in 182 volunteer groups and visit social welfare facilities or engage in environmental protection work.



## - KT&G Scholarship Foundation

KT&G established the KT&G Scholarship Foundation to foster creative talent and future leaders through sustainable talent nurturing programs.

- Scholarship: KT&G offers tuition fees for foreign
  undergraduate students in Korea, as well as scholarships for
  Korean graduate students pursuing studies in Korea and
  overseas. It also focuses on creating social value by nurturing
  talent in basic sciences and studies that receive less support
  than other disciplines.
- Research: In order to revive interest in liberal arts and academic research in Korea, KT&G holds the "Liberal Arts Contest" to inspire local scholars' research commitment and to encourage greater youth interest in the field of humanities



# - Arts and Culture/Sports

In support of arts and culture, KT&G built "Sangsang Art Hall" and "Culture Planet Sangsang Madang." We are leading the way in promoting cultural life through a rich verity of programs including culture academy, stage performances and creativity workshops.





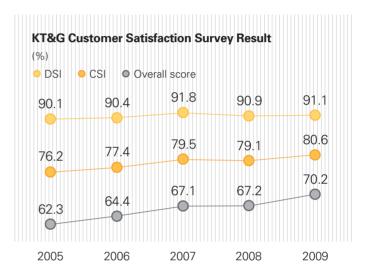
# **Shifting** Social Standard

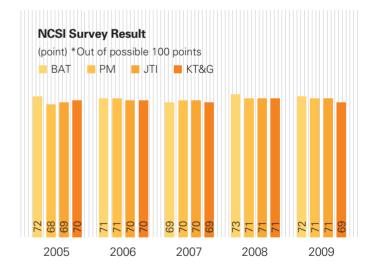
# **Customer Satisfaction**

KT&G has set up diverse communication channels to enhance customer access to information on our business and products. In addition to providing fair and transparent information, we carry out numerous activities to maximize customer satisfaction.

# - Improving customer satisfaction

- Communication with customers: The KT&G website features a Q&A corner where customers can easily pose questions or ideas related to our products, or access diverse product information. Customers can also report work-related irregularities, complaints, recommendations or opinions through the ombudsman section.
- Customer satisfaction survey: We conduct a customer satisfaction index (CSI) survey among adult smokers and dealer satisfaction index (DSI) survey for domestic retailers and salespersons. The results of the surveys which rate product quality, company image (credibility), attitude of salespersons, and sales support are actively reflected in our operations. As a result of our efforts to improve upon shortcomings, KT&G has enjoyed satisfaction levels on par with rivals since 2003.





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