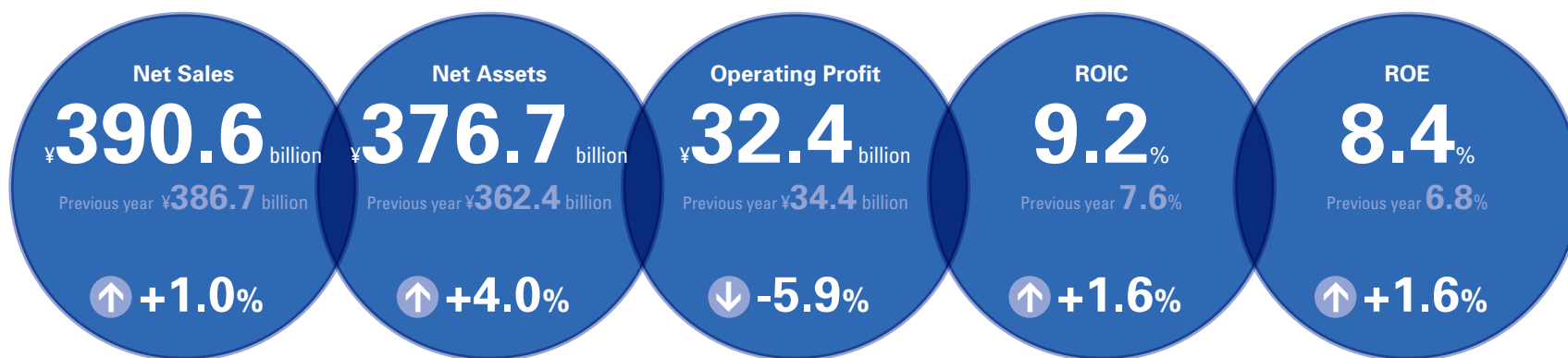


Overview CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

In the FY ended March 31, 2017 (FY 2016), consolidated operating profit declined year on year due to factors such as a stronger yen but substantially outpaced our initial FY 2016 forecast owing to the market recovery in the Petrochemical Products Business.



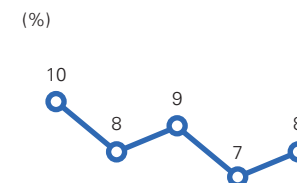
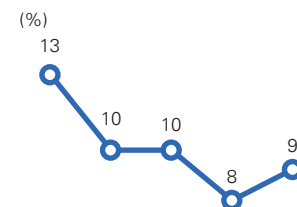
Consolidated net sales rose year on year on sales growth at the life sciences business as well as a second-half market price recovery and higher sales volumes at the elastomers business.

Consolidated net assets grew year on year on a ¥6.5 billion increase in shareholders' equity and a ¥6.1 billion increase in non-controlling interests. The equity ratio was 62.7%.

Consolidated operating profit fell year on year amid a stronger yen overall against the year-earlier level. In the plastics business, margin erosion reflected weaker product prices on lower raw materials prices, and in the display materials business, stiffer competition depressed product prices.

ROIC increased by 1.6 percentage point on factors such as an increase in profit attributable to owners of parent, despite continuing investment to capture growth opportunities.

ROE increased by 1.6 percentage point on factors such as an increase in profit attributable to owners of parent.



Note: FY means year ended March 31

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