## 3Q'17 Earnings Release

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LG Electronics

All information regarding management performance and financial results of LG Electronics (the "Company") during the 3rd quarter of 2017 as contained herein has been prepared on a consolidated basis in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS").

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These forward-looking statements also refer to the Company's performance on consolidated base, as indicated.

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## Consolidated Earnings and Outlook

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# Consolidated Earnings and Outlook 

Sales / Profits
(Unit : KRW tn)


## Performance by Division

(Unit : KRW bn)

|  |  | 2Q'17 | QoQ | 3Q'17 | YoY | 3Q'16 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Consolidated ${ }^{* 1)}$ | Sales | 14,551.4 | 4.6\% | 15,224.1 | 15.1\% | 13,224.3 |
|  | 0.1 | 664.1 | -148.0 | 516.1 | 232.9 | 283.2 |
|  | (\%) | 4.6\% | -1.2\%p | 3.4\% | 1.3\%p | 2.1\% |
| H\& ${ }^{\text {* }}$ ) | Sales | 5,264.6 | -5.3\% | 4,984.4 | 16.4\% | 4,281.6 |
| Home Appliance \& Air Solution | 0.1 | 464.3 | -39.4 | 424.9 | 88.0 | 336.9 |
|  | (\%) | 8.8\% | -0.3\%p | 8.5\% | 0.6\%p | 7.9\% |
| HE | Sales | 4,234.9 | 9.5\% | 4,637.6 | 12.0\% | 4,141.5 |
|  | 0.1 | 343.0 | 115.0 | 458.0 | 76.5 | 381.5 |
| Home Entertainment | (\%) | 8.1\% | 1.8\%p | 9.9\% | 0.7\%p | 9.2\% |
| MC ${ }^{\text {2) }}$ | Sales | 2,701.4 | 3.9\% | 2,807.7 | 7.9\% | 2,601.4 |
|  | 0.1 | -132.4 | -242.9 | -375.3 | 50.3 | -425.6 |
| Mobile Communications | (\%) | -4.9\% | -8.5\%p | -13.4\% | 3.0\%p | -16.4\% |
| VC | Sales | 882.6 | -1.0\% | 873.4 | 29.4\% | 674.9 |
|  | 0.1 | -16.4 | -12.6 | -29.0 | -12.8 | -16.2 |
| Vehicle Components | (\%) | -1.9\% | -1.4\%p | -3.3\% | -0.9\%p | -2.4\% |

*1) Including LG Innotek
*2) From 2Q'17, Companion Device(Innovative Personal Device) has been restated to MC division from Others. From 3Q'17, Smart Lighting has been restated to H\&A division from Others.

Consolidated Earnings and Outlook

Income Analysis
(Unit : KRW bn)


Income
(Unit : KRW bn)

|  | 2Q'17 | QoQ | 3Q'17 | YoY | 3Q'16 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Operating Income | 664.1 | -148.0 | 516.1 | +232.9 | 283.2 |
| Net financial income/expense | -53.1 | -9.0 | -62.1 | +44.7 | -106.8 |
| Gain/Loss on equity method | 258.1 | -92.5 | 165.6 | +145.7 | 19.9 |
| Other non-operating income/expense | -126.9 | +23.0 | -103.9 | +44.5 | -148.4 |
| Income before tax | 742.2 | -226.5 | 515.7 | +467.8 | 47.9 |
| Corporate Income Tax | 227.3 | -47.7 | 179.6 | +50.2 | 129.4 |
| Net Income | 514.9 | -178.8 | 336.1 | +417.6 | -81.5 |
| EBITDA | 1,100.3 |  | 957.1 |  | 711.2 |

# Consolidated Earnings and Outlook 



Cash In Cash Out


|  | $2 Q^{\prime} 17$ | $3 Q^{\prime} 17$ |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| $\square$ Cash at the beginning of period | $3,031.9$ | $3,604.4$ |
| - Cash flow from operating activities | 936.3 | 433.8 |
| Net income/loss | 514.9 | 336.1 |
| Depreciation | 436.2 | 441.0 |
| Gain/Loss on equity method investment | -258.1 | -165.6 |
| Changes in working capital | -598.4 | -116.5 |
| Others | 841.7 | -61.2 |
| Cash flow from investing activities | -597.5 | -765.1 |
| Increase in tangible assets | -427.9 | -620.7 |
| Increase in intangible assets | -168.1 | -161.3 |
| Cash flow from financing activities | 163.0 | 168.2 |
| Dividend paid, etc | -90.4 | -11.4 |
| Increase/Decrease in debt | 253.4 | 179.6 |
| Effects of exchange rate changes | 70.7 | 45.2 |
| on cash and cash equivalents | 572.5 | -117.9 |
| Net changes in cash | $3,604.4$ | $3,486.5$ |
| $\square$ Cash at the end of period |  |  |

*1) Net Cash Flow: Excluding Cash flow from financing activities
*2) Others: Increase/decrease of Deferred Income Tax Asset/Liabilities and other Asset/Liabilities

## Consolidated Earnings and Outlook

Leverage Ratio
(Unit: \%)


Financial Position
(Unit: KRW tn)

|  | 4Q'16 | 2Q'17 | 3Q'17 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| $\square$ Assets | 37.86 | 39.34 | 41.13 |
| Current Assets | 16.99 | 18.28 | 19.60 |
| Cash | 3.02 | 3.60 | 3.49 |
| Inventory | 5.17 | 5.62 | 6.36 |
| Non-Current Assets | 20.87 | 21.06 | 21.53 |
| $\square$ Liabilities | 24.50 | 24.93 | 26.20 |
| Current Liabilities | 15.74 | 15.97 | 17.01 |
| Non-Current Liabilities | 8.76 | 8.96 | 9.19 |
| $\square$ Equity | 13.36 | 14.41 | 14.93 |
| $\square$ Debt | 8.66 | 8.96 | 9.16 |
| $\square$ Net Debt | 5.64 | 5.36 | 5.68 |

## Consolidated Earnings and Outlook

Business
Environment

O Continued business risk caused by trade conflict from increasing U.S. trade protectionism
O Strong price competition risk from entering year-end peak season

O Increase premium product sales by differentiating marketing activities
O Secure competitiveness in B2B business by making the best use of strengths in B2C

Sales \& Profits Outlook
(4Q'17)

O Sales increase by more than $10 \% \mathrm{YoY}$
O Down QoQ operating income due to seasonality, but maintain stable profitability

## Performance and Outlook by Division

Performance ${ }^{* 1)}$
(Unit: \%, KRW tn)


Key Products


InstaView DID
TWINWash
CordZero A9
*1) From 3Q'17, Smart Lighting has been restated to H\&A division from Others

## 3Q'17 Performance

- Sales : 5.0 tril. Won, up $16 \%$ YoY driven by strong performance in domestic market and sales growth in overseas market including North America, Europe and Asia
- Domestic: Up 30\% YoY from strong air conditioner sales during peak season and continuous boom of new growth products such as Dryer, Air Purifier and CordZero Handstick vacuum
- Overseas: Despite sluggish growth in Central Asia due to low oil price and weak currency, up 10\% YoY (based on USD) from solid sales in North America, Europe and Asia
- Profitability : Despite raw material price increase, profitability improved YoY from solid earnings in domestic market and sales expansion of premium appliances


## 4Q'17 Outlook

- Market : Expect growing demand in Europe, Asia, Latin America from global economic recovery trend; Anticipate continuous demand growth in newly added premium home appliances (Air/Water Purifier, CordZero Handstick vacuum) and new growth products(Styler, Dryer)
- LGE : Maintain solid profitability by maximizing sales of premium products such as InstaView Refrigerator and TWINWash washing machine; Continue cost structure improvement activities


## Performance and Outlook by Division



## 3Q'17 Performance

- Sales: Up more than 10\% YoY, by improving product mix from premium TV sales growth and by increasing TV shipments in North America, Asia and Latin America
- Achieved strong sales growth in OLED TV and Ultra HD TV from proactive marketing mainly in developed markets
- Profitability : Achieved strong profitability by increasing sales and by improving profit structure through continuous premium product sales


## 4Q'17 Outlook

- Market : Despite continuous risks in interest rate increase and F/X fluctuation, expect global TV market to grow QoQ by entering year-end peak season and by increasing demand in premium products such as OLED TV and Ultra HD TV
- LGE: Focus on establishing stable profit structure by expanding sales through active response to customers' year-end premium TV demand


## Performance and Outlook by Division

Performance ${ }^{* 1)}$
(Unit: \%, KRW tn)


Key Products


G6+

*1) From 2Q'17, Companion Device(Innovative Personal Device) has been restated 8

## 3Q'17 Performance

- Sales: Up 4\% QoQ and up 8\% YoY from steady sales of G6 and strong performance of mass-tier smartphone lineup such as Q6/K series
- Achieved smartphone shipment of 13.7 mn units ( $+3 \%$ QoQ, $+1 \% \mathrm{YoY}$ )
- Smartphone shipment increased 9\% QoQ in North America and 44\% QoQ in domestic market
- Mass-tier smartphone shipment recorded up 6\% QoQ
- Profitability : Down QoQ by increasing raw material price from unit cost rise in core materials such as memory and by applying one time royalty expense


## 4Q'17 Outlook

- Market : Strong competition in new premium models by entering year-end peak season;

Expect promotion expense increase from intensified market share and price competition

- LGE: - Focus on global launching of V30, which has been favorably reviewed by the customers from its high performance in camera/video, ultralight design and 6 inch OLED Full Vision
- Increase sales portion of mass-tier models such as Q6
- Improve cost competitiveness and business fundamentals by reinforcing platform and modular activities in manufacturing process


## Performance and Outlook by Division

| Performance |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Op. Margin |

## 3Q'17 Performance

- Sales: Up 29\% YoY by increasing smart infotainment product sales from new customers and by growing sales of EV components;
Slow growth due to car OEM's inventory adjustment and sluggish vehicle sales
- Infotainment : Improved from telematics and CID product sales
- EV components : Improved YoY from sales growth of GM BOLT
- Profitability : Slight loss due to burden of advanced resource input in EV components and new infotainment business


## 4Q'17 Outlook

- Market : Expect market to expand as more car OEM from North America and Europe to proactively announce EV manufacturing plans and as IT manufacturers are entering electric car component market from increasing electric component ratio in vehicle component market
- LGE : Lead the infotainment market by preparing future communication technology; Strengthen Tier-1 position in EV components by referencing GM BOLT project


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## Sustainability Indices

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## Appendix

## Summarized Financial Statements (Consolidated)

## Income Statement

(Unit: KRW bn, \%)

|  | 2016 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2017 |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1Q |  | 2Q |  | 3Q |  | 4Q |  | Total |  | 1Q |  | 2Q |  | 3Q |  |
| Sales | 13,362.1 | 100.0\% | 14,002.9 | 100.0\% | 13,224.3 | 100.0\% | 14,777.7 | 100.0\% | 55,367.0 | 100.0\% | 14,657.2 | 100.0\% | 14,551.4 | 100.0\% | 15,224.1 | 100.0\% |
| Cost of goods sold | 10,038.4 | 75.1\% | 10,236.4 | 73.1\% | 9,915.4 | 75.0\% | 11,440.1 | 77.4\% | 41,630.3 | 75.2\% | 10,963.0 | 74.8\% | 10,830.0 | 74.4\% | 11,619.9 | 76.3\% |
| Gross profit | 3,323.7 | 24.9\% | 3,766.5 | 26.9\% | 3,308.9 | 25.0\% | 3,337.6 | 22.6\% | 13,736.7 | 24.8\% | 3,694.2 | 25.2\% | 3,721.4 | 25.6\% | 3,604.2 | 23.7\% |
| Selling \& admin expense | 2,818.5 | 21.1\% | 3,181.9 | 22.7\% | 3,025.7 | 22.9\% | 3,372.8 | 22.8\% | 12,398.9 | 22.4\% | 2,772.7 | 18.9\% | 3,057.3 | 21.0\% | 3,088.1 | 20.3\% |
| Operating income (Loss) | 505.2 | 3.8\% | 584.6 | 4.2\% | 283.2 | 2.1\% | -35.2 | -0.2\% | 1,337.8 | 2.4\% | 921.5 | 6.3\% | 664.1 | 4.6\% | 516.1 | 3.4\% |
| Financial income (Expense) | -120.9 | -0.9\% | -81.5 | -0.6\% | -106.8 | -0.8\% | -84.3 | -0.6\% | -393.5 | -0.7\% | -109.2 | -0.7\% | -53.1 | -0.4\% | -62.1 | -0.4\% |
| Gains (loss) on equity method investment | -22.3 | -0.2\% | -26.2 | -0.2\% | 19.9 | 0.2\% | 297.3 | 2.0\% | 268.7 | 0.5\% | 230.1 | 1.6\% | 258.1 | 1.8\% | 165.6 | 1.1\% |
| Other non operating income (Loss) | -80.4 | -0.6\% | -1.6 | 0.0\% | -148.4 | -1.1\% | -260.9 | -1.8\% | -491.3 | -0.9\% | 49.5 | 0.3\% | -126.9 | -0.9\% | -103.9 | -0.7\% |
| Net income before tax | 281.6 | 2.1\% | 475.3 | 3.4\% | 47.9 | 0.4\% | -83.1 | -0.6\% | 721.7 | 1.3\% | 1,091.9 | 7.4\% | 742.2 | 5.1\% | 515.7 | 3.4\% |
| Corporate Income Tax | 83.5 | 0.6\% | 206.8 | 1.5\% | 129.4 | 1.0\% | 175.7 | 1.2\% | 595.4 | 1.1\% | 256.2 | 1.7\% | 227.3 | 1.6\% | 179.6 | 1.2\% |
| Net income | 198.1 | 1.5\% | 268.5 | 1.9\% | -81.5 | -0.6\% | -258.8 | -1.8\% | 126.3 | 0.2\% | 835.7 | 5.7\% | 514.9 | 3.5\% | 336.1 | 2.2\% |
| Controlled shares | 190.6 |  | 271.0 |  | -62.0 |  | -322.7 |  | 76.9 |  | 795.3 |  | 497.5 |  | 318.1 |  |
| Non-controlled shares | 7.5 |  | -2.5 |  | -19.5 |  | 63.9 |  | 49.4 |  | 40.4 |  | 17.4 |  | 18.0 |  |

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## Appendix

## Statements of Financial Position

|  | 2016 |  |  |  | 2017 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1Q | 2Q | 3Q | 4Q | 10 | 2Q | 3Q |
| Assets | 37,176.9 | 37,244.9 | 37,285.6 | 37,855.3 | 38,124.5 | 39,342.4 | 41,127.2 |
| Current Assets | 17,378.8 | 17,271.8 | 17,277.5 | 16,990.6 | 17,474.9 | 18,275.2 | 19,597.9 |
| Cash and cash equivalents | 3,294.8 | 2,908.0 | 3,488.5 | 3,015.1 | 3,031.9 | 3,604.4 | 3,486.5 |
| Accounts receivable | 6,838.2 | 7,351.8 | 6,644.7 | 7,059.9 | 7,360.1 | 7,344.6 | 7,737.6 |
| Inventory | 5,417.8 | 5,209.5 | 5,544.8 | 5,171.0 | 5,392.0 | 5,620.2 | 6,358.0 |
| Other | 1,828.0 | 1,802.5 | 1,599.5 | 1,744.6 | 1,690.9 | 1,706.0 | 2,015.8 |
| Non-current Assets | 19,798.1 | 19,973.1 | 20,008.1 | 20,864.7 | 20,649.6 | 21,067.2 | 21,529.3 |
| Investment | 4,768.3 | 4,721.1 | 4,701.7 | 5,104.6 | 5,175.0 | 5,503.8 | 5,695.8 |
| PP\&E | 10,359.8 | 10,514.9 | 10,606.2 | 11,222.4 | 11,086.9 | 11,171.4 | 11,385.1 |
| Intangible assets | 1,468.9 | 1,509.1 | 1,523.5 | 1,571.1 | 1,610.4 | 1,703.6 | 1,778.0 |
| Other | 3,201.1 | 3,228.0 | 3,176.7 | 2,966.6 | 2,777.3 | 2,688.4 | 2,670.4 |
| Liabilities | 24,186.9 | 24,116.6 | 24,707.8 | 24,498.6 | 24,432.9 | 24,934.3 | 26,202.3 |
| Accounts payable | 6,561.4 | 6,315.3 | 6,740.7 | 6,746.4 | 7,613.2 | 7,116.9 | 8,127.2 |
| Debt | 9,291.7 | 8,801.6 | 9,007.7 | 8,659.0 | 8,629.2 | 8,956.5 | 9,163.7 |
| Other | 8,333.8 | 8,999.7 | 8,959.4 | 9,093.2 | 8,190.5 | 8,860.9 | 8,911.4 |
| Equity | 12,990.0 | 13,128.3 | 12,577.8 | 13,356.7 | 13,691.6 | 14,408.1 | 14,924.9 |

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