

## **Management Briefing**

Progress of Medium-Term Management Program, "Project AP-G 2025" and Direction for the Next Medium-Term Management Program

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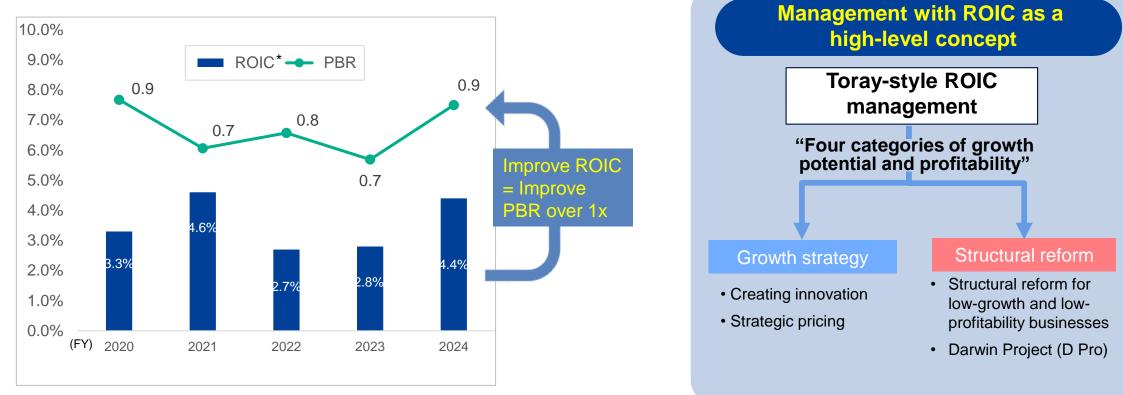
# A Truly Sustainable Company – Our Strengths and Value Creation Model –

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## **Promotion of ROIC Management**

#### <Discussion at the Toray's Board of Directors Meeting >

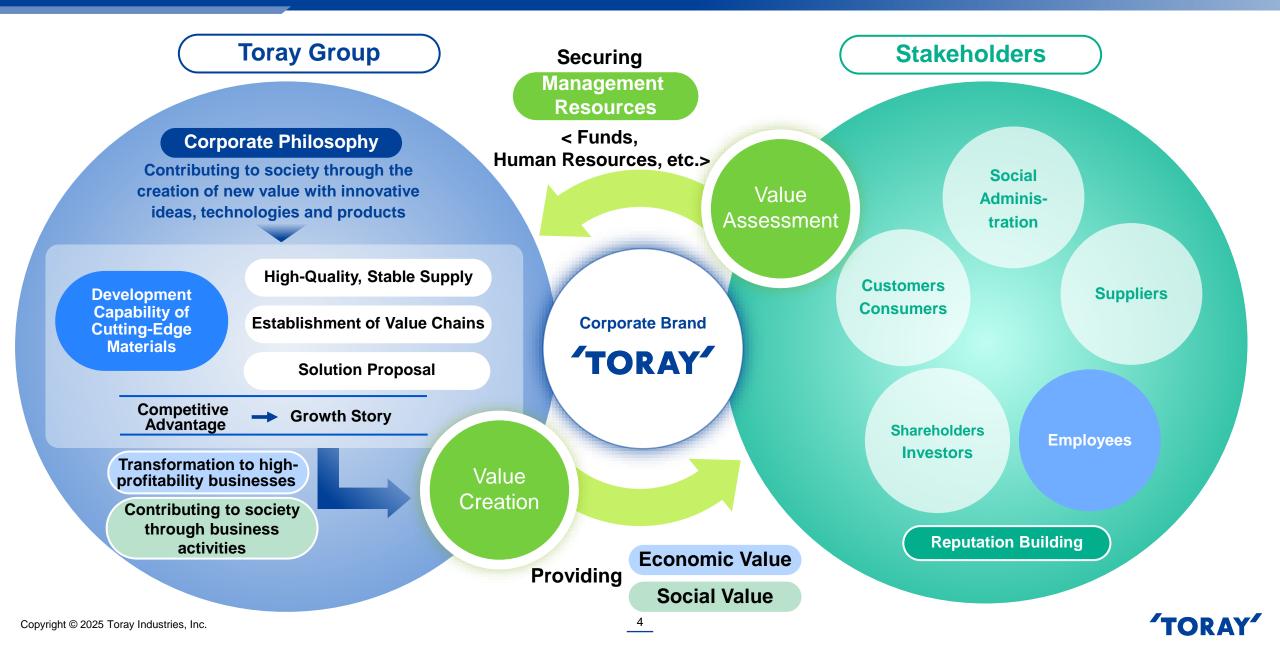
We recognize that the biggest cause of our low PBR is low profitability. In FY 2025, each business division has received instructions to draft "the business strategies to improve ROIC," and we will pursue to gain marginal profit by utilizing new and existing facilities, such as optimizing production capacity by applications and extending supply chains. To this end, as a company, we will work on achieving well-balanced optimal capital allocation in line with the characteristics of each business, such as businesses requiring investments, businesses that can make money with asset-light model. Also, we will promote implementation of ROIC as KPI and as a management tool throughout the Company.



\* ROIC=core operating income after tax / average invested capital (average of the balances at beginning and end of the period)

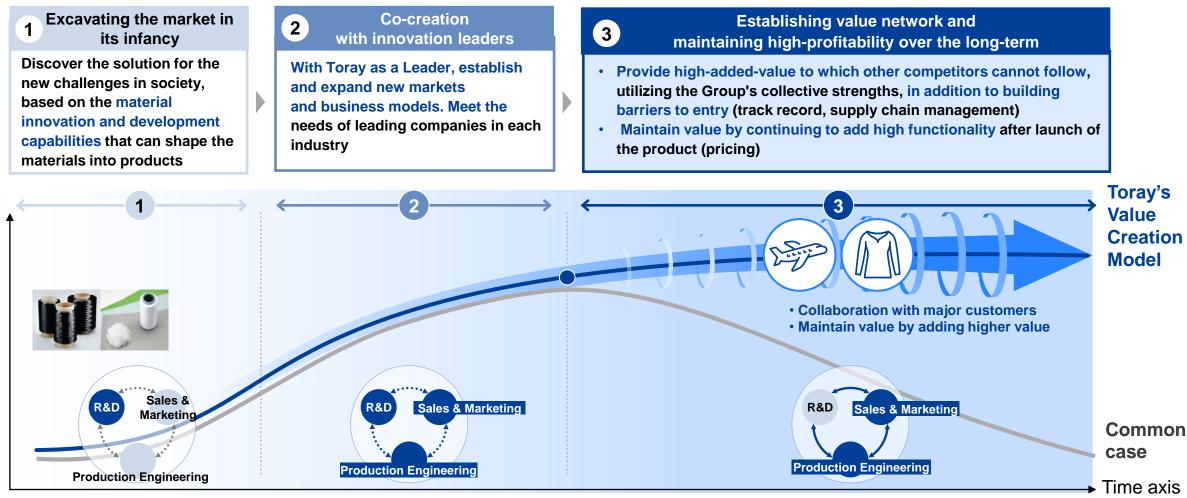
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### Toward a "Truly Sustainable Company" - Virtuous Cycle of Value -



### Winning patterns for Toray = Toray's Value Creation Model

Leveraging our value creation engine, we build overwhelming barriers to entry and create high-added-value to which other competitors cannot follow. It is an unparalleled Value Creation Model which enables the Company to increase added-value continuously in the long-term.



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### Toray's Strengths that realize the "Toray Value Creation Model"

Toray's strengths are outstanding capabilities in R&D, sales & marketing, and production engineering, as well as an innovation capability, which enables to provide new and innovative materials to society by combining the aforementioned capabilities.

#### New technology development capabilities leveraging "technology fusion" and "pursuit of the ultimate limits"

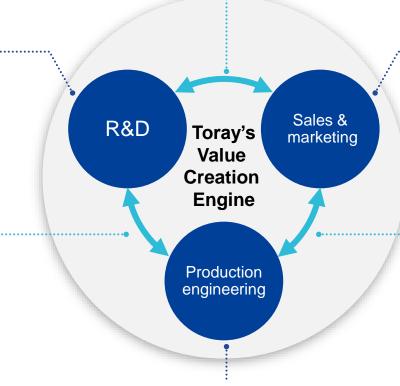
Numerous proprietary technologies (e.g.: NANODESIGN<sup>™</sup> (fiber), light-weight carbon fibers, high-performance water treatment membrane)



## Capability to mass-produce cutting-edge materials

Stable, homogeneous mass production of products that have never existed





Solution proposal capabilities with materials as a starting point

Provide products and solutions leveraging new materials

## Discovering leading players and understanding their needs

Pinpoint leading companies for market penetration of our new products and technologies



## Capability to establish global value chains

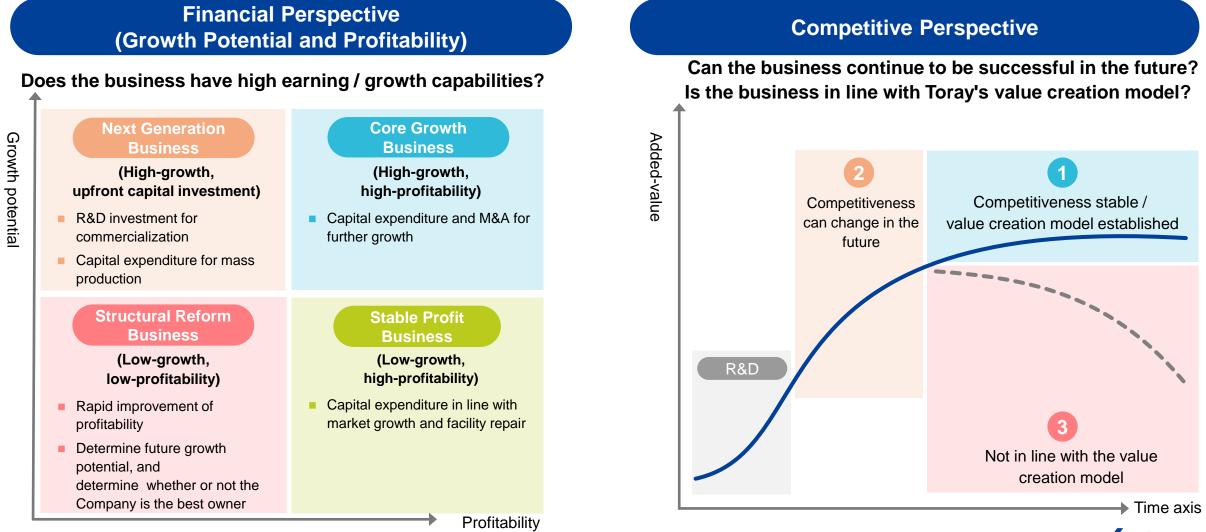
Stable supply capability and tolerance to geopolitical risks through establishment of global production sites

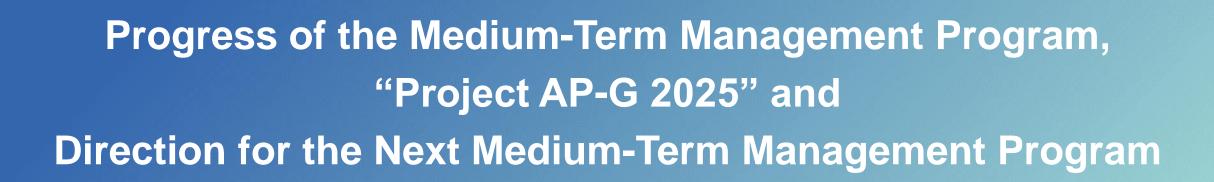
Stable supply capability for high-quality products

Thorough quality control based on workplace competency

### **Business Portfolio Strategies**

Clarifying the positioning of each business, based on the "growth potential x profitability x competitiveness" in the future



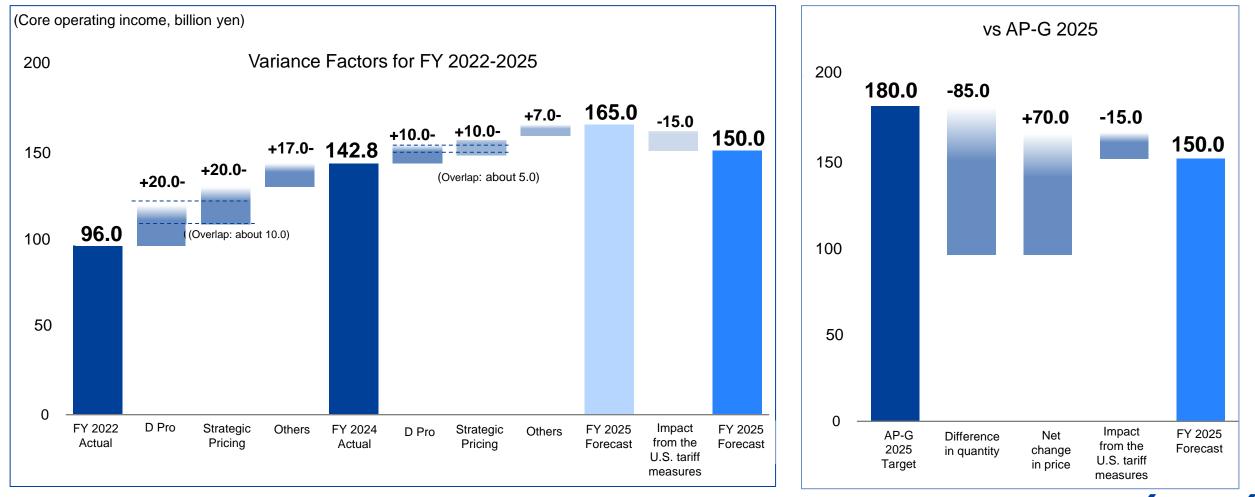


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## Progress of AP-G 2025

By promoting D Pro and strategic pricing to improve profitability, the Company forecasts continuous increases in core operating income for three consecutive years. However, in FY 2025, the last year of AP-G 2025, the pace of improvement in core operating income is expected to slow down, due to the slow recovery of the automobile market and increased uncertainty caused by the U.S. tariff measures.



## **Strategic Pricing and Creation of Innovation**

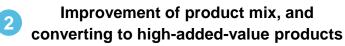
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Price correction and passing on increases in raw material and fuel prices to sales prices

#### **Price correction**

#### High-added value pricing based on product value

- Promote passing on cost increases to sales prices outside the formula
- Price optimization in conjunction with value and sales volume
- Offer fair prices in line with cost and technical services



#### Improvement of product mix

#### Optimize business scale Convert to high-added-value products

- Scale down of low profitability applications, and improvement of product mix through business analysis by region and application
- Expansion of new application through product enhancement

#### Creating new products and new value

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#### Improve prices by creating new value

- Innovation creation and developing differentiated products through collaboration with sales, marketing, and R&D
- Product value increase and price improvement by reviewing supply chains and joint promotion

#### Target under AP-G 2025

# Improvement in core operating income

30 billion yen or more (FY 2024-2025)

#### Example of co-creation of a new market with customers (Yoshida & Co.)



Uses100% plant-based nylon



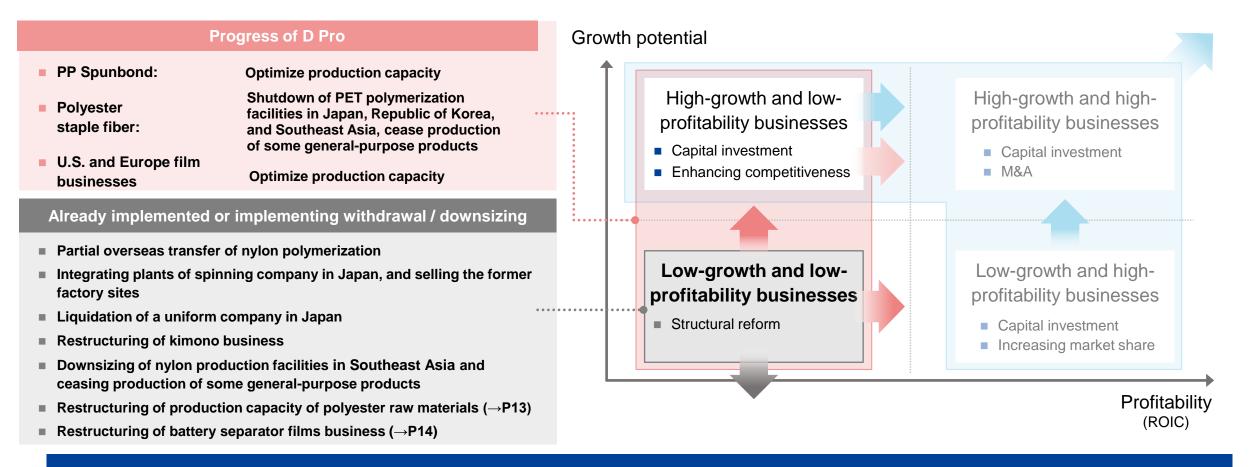
Joint promotion with customers





### Business Structure Reform Based on "Four Categories of Growth Potential and Profitability" Structural Reform for Low-growth and Low-profitability Businesses

- For low-profitability businesses with large invested capital, consider individually in D pro
- For Low-growth and low-profitability businesses with small to medium-invested capital, consider "structure reform" and "withdrawal / downsizing" for each business



### In addition to above initiatives, deliberating and implementing other structure reform

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Business Structure Reform Based on "Four Categories of Growth Potential and Profitability" Results of Restructuring Designated Businesses/Companies

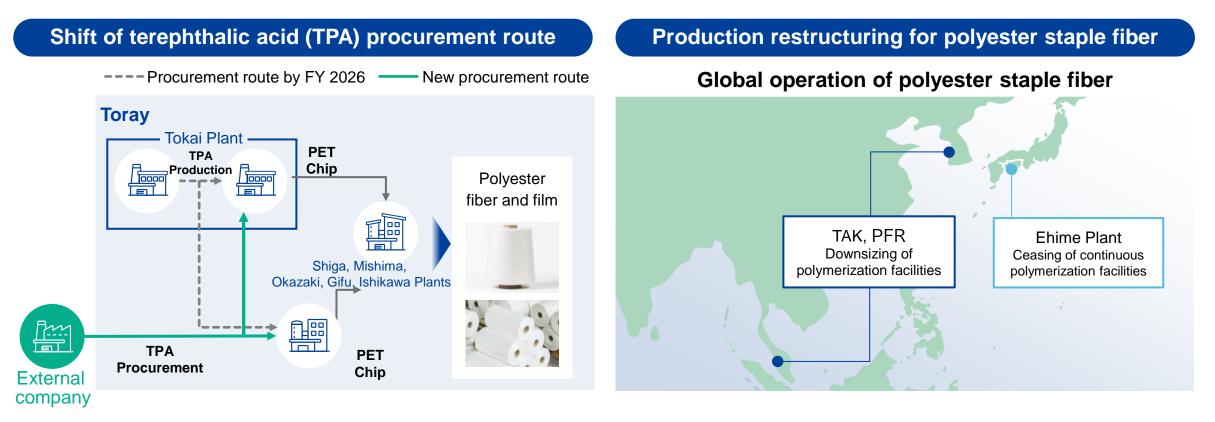
Business/Company	Up to FY 2024	Outlook for FY 2025
Zoltek (Large-tow carbon fiber)	<ul> <li>Reduction of total fixed cost in line with utilization rate</li> <li>Strengthen global operation between Mexico and Hungary</li> <li>Became profitable ahead of schedule in 2Q of FY 2024</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Reduce utility costs by using renewable energy in Hungary</li> <li>Sales volume increase by capturing recovery demand in the wind turbine blade applications, and will aim for full operation of plant by expanding applications beyond wind turbine blades</li> <li>Sales expansion of high-added-value products</li> </ul>
Films businesses (U.S. and Europe)	<ul> <li>Ceased production at the PET film production facilities mainly for general-purpose products</li> <li>Reduction of fixed cost by reviewing production capacity</li> <li>Promoted strategic pricing</li> <li>A subsidiary in the U.S. became profitable in 2Q of FY 2024</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Global supply of differentiated products Convert from general-purpose products to added-value products (release film applications, etc.)</li> <li>Optimize production capacity of PET films</li> <li>Subsidiary in Europe aim to be profitable in FY 2025</li> </ul>
PP spunbond	<ul> <li>Reduction of fixed costs in line with review of the production capacity including shutdown of production lines</li> <li>Promoted differentiation, develop new applications, optimize production scale</li> <li>Promoted strategic pricing</li> </ul>	Aim to restore profitability from the first half of FY 2025 by promoting and taking in the effects of the profitability improvement projects
Toray Plastics Malaysia (ABS resin)	<ul> <li>Improve product mix</li> <li>Reduction of fixed costs</li> <li>Restored profitability in the second half of FY 2023</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Cultivate new customers by promoting circular economy</li> <li>Sales expansion of high-performance products</li> <li>Reduction of variable costs</li> </ul>
Polyester staple fiber	<ul> <li>Implemented global production transfer for shutdown of polymerization facilities</li> <li>Became profitable ahead of schedule in 2Q of FY 2024</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sales expansion of high-added-value products such as recycled and microfiber products</li> </ul>
Impact on the business performance	Improvement in core operating income: about 20 billion yen (compared with FY 2023)	Improvement in core operating income: about 10 billion yen (compared with FY 2024)

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#### Business Structure Reform Based on "Four Categories of Growth Potential and Profitability"

## **Examples of Production Capacity Reform**

- Cease production of polyester fiber and film raw material (TPA) in Japan within FY 2026, and shift to external procurement The decision was made to meet the challenge of aging production facilities, based on the balance among facility maintenance costs, renewal costs, external procurement costs and risks, confirming no problems with quality
- Promoting global operation and high-added-value creation of polyester staple fiber, cease operation of production facilities in Japan for direct continuous polymerization spinning, which is suitable for mass production of the same product, within FY 2025



#### Business Structure Reform Based on "Four Categories of Growth Potential and Profitability"

## **Battery Separator Film (BSF)**

### **BSF** production sites of Toray Group

#### **Production site in Hungary**

- Established manufacturing company in Hungary, with 100% stake of Toray (2018)
- Established 50:50 joint venture with LG Chem (2022)
- Plan to transfer 20% of Toray's stake to LG Chem (2025)

Equity interest of the joint venture to change to 30:70

Promote business expansion under LG Group's vertically integrated business model of battery materials production to battery production, and aim for improvement in profitability



#### Production sites in Japan and Republic of Korea

#### **Promoting business structure reform**

- Focus on high-added-value applications utilizing Toray's technologies and quality (High level of safety, capacity, and output )
- Optimizing production capacity
  - Gradually downsizing old and small production lines that decreased in competitiveness
- Integrated TBSK to TAK (2023)
  - Enhancement of profitability by integration of the two companies, through strengthening of production base and streamlining

Aiming to improve profit by promoting efficient business operation at existing production capacity and reducing cost thoroughly

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Under the harsh business environment such as sluggish EV market conditions, we are working on various profitability improvement measures. At the same time, every possibility is under consideration, including withdrawal from the joint venture, downsizing and withdrawal from the BSF business going forward.

### The Two Wheels: "Growth Strategies" and "Structural Reform"

In order to realize a "Truly Sustainable Company," investments must be screened and a good balance between business expansion and profitability improvement must be achieved



In the next medium-term management program, challenges in both "growth strategies" and "structural reform" will be set in the same degree

#### **Growth strategies (current)**

- 1 Ensure the effect of capital investment (Clarification of competitiveness, risk or opportunity)
- 2 Ensure to maximize profit at the existing production facilities (improvement in product mix, productivity, etc.)
- High-added-value creation for existing products (innovation creation)

#### Growth strategies (beyond 2030)

- Growth strategy from a long-term perspective (toward FY 2030)
- Essential competitiveness (highadded-value or cost), and pursuing "winning patterns"
- 3 Response to fundamental changes in external and market environment

#### **Structural reform**

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  - Consider downsizing / consolidating / withdrawing from the business based on the profit commensurate with the invested capital
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  - Verifying and reviewing the business model

Achieving the targeted core operating income, core operating margin, and ROIC

### **Toray's Business Fields and Growth Potential**

Sogmont		CAGR of Revenue			
Segment	FY 2023 FY 2024 (Actual) (Actual)		FY 2025 (Forecast)	2022-2025	
Fibers & Textiles	6.3%	8.2%	9%	1.9% 15	
Performance Chemicals	3.6%	6.7%	8%	2.3% 26 7 8	
Carbon Fiber Composite Materials	1.7%	3.0%	3%	3.9% 9	
Environment & Engineering	8.3%	9.7%	10%	8.0% 10	
Life Science	-2.2%	-1.4%	0%	0.8% 4	
Total	2.8%	4.4%	5%	2.4%	

#### Business fields that need improvement (Short- to Medium-term)

- Non-woven fabric (PP spunbond), fiber
- 2 Films business in the U.S. and Europe
- Battery separator films
- Pharmaceutical / medical business

#### Core growth business fields (Medium- to Long-term)

- 5 Fibers & Textiles: airbag applications, ultra-microfiber non-woven fabric with suede texture, products from fiber to textiles and further to garments
- 6 Resins: PPS resins (xEV)
- Films: electronic parts-related films, OPP films for automobile
- 8 Electronic & information materials: electronic coating materials for semiconductors
- 9 Carbon Fiber: aerospace applications, pressure vessel applications
- Water treatment membrane (reverse osmosis (RO) membrane)

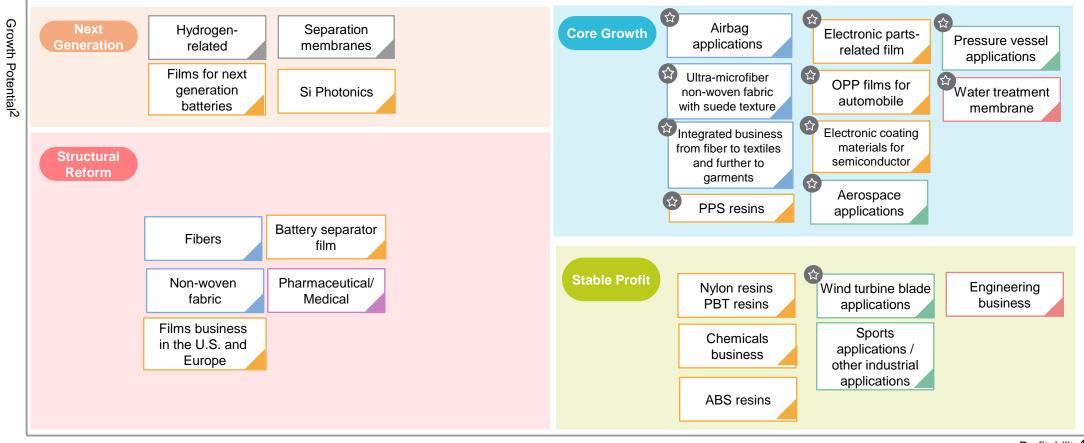


### **Business Portfolio Under the Next Medium-Term Management Program**

#### Maximize profit with two wheels:

core growth businesses that drive growth, and stable profit businesses that can earn a stable income

😥 : Top share 📑 Fibers & Textiles 📑 : Performance Chemicals 📑 : Carbon Fiber Composite Materials 📑 Environment and Engineering 📕 : Life Science 📲 : Others

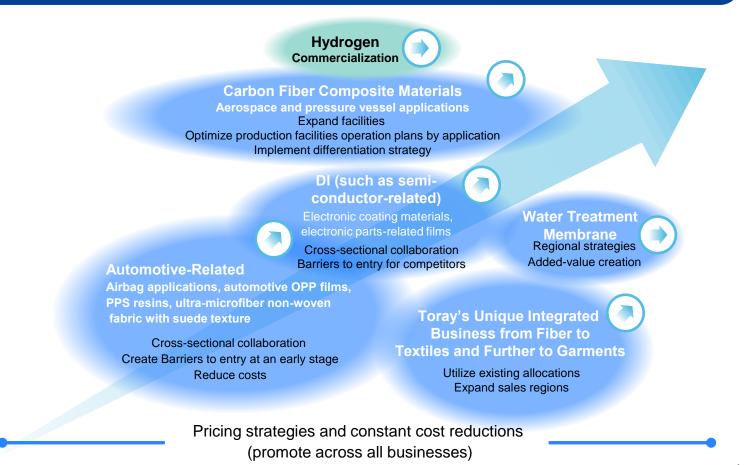


Profitability1

1. :Based on FY 2025 forecast 2.: Growth rate of sales in FY 2025-2030



### Toray's High-Growth, High-Profitability Businesses (image\*)



- Optimal strategies for businesses with high <u>competitiveness</u> (quality, share, technology, supply chain, etc.) in the market
- Promote <u>Toray-style ROIC</u> <u>improvements</u> that increase profits and expand business while maintaining financial soundness
- Improve profitability by differentiation for businesses that are high growth, but require large initial investments (carbon fiber, etc.)
- Expand high-profitability businesses (ex. Toray's unique integrated business from fiber to textiles and further to garments) through <u>asset-light</u> strategy

(\*) The size of the circles are images of the size of the current sales.

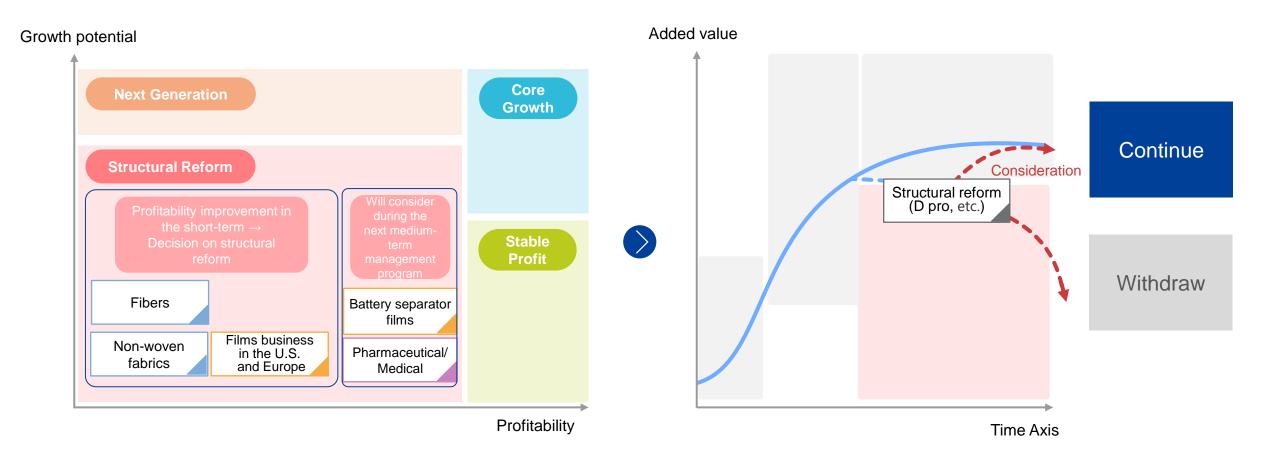
Profitability (ROIC)

Growth potential

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### **Policy for the Structural Reform Businesses**

For the Structural Reform Businesses, in addition to the current D Pro, will consider and decide whether or not they are in line with Toray's value creation model, and whether or not the Company is the best owner during the next medium-term management program at the latest



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### Challenges Under the Next Medium-Term Management Program by Segment

<ul> <li>Expanding sustainable materials to increase profitability</li> <li>Sales expansion of automobile applications</li> <li>Films&gt;</li> <li>Sales expansion of semiconductor-related films and films for electronic parts</li> <li>Sales expansion of semiconductor-related films and films for electronic parts</li> </ul>	Segment	Profitability Improvement of Existing Businesses and Growth Strategies	Structural Reform
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	Life Science		Structural reform for pharmaceutical / medical business

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## **Enhancement of the Effectiveness of the Board of Directors**

### Reduction of the number of Board members and changing the Board structure

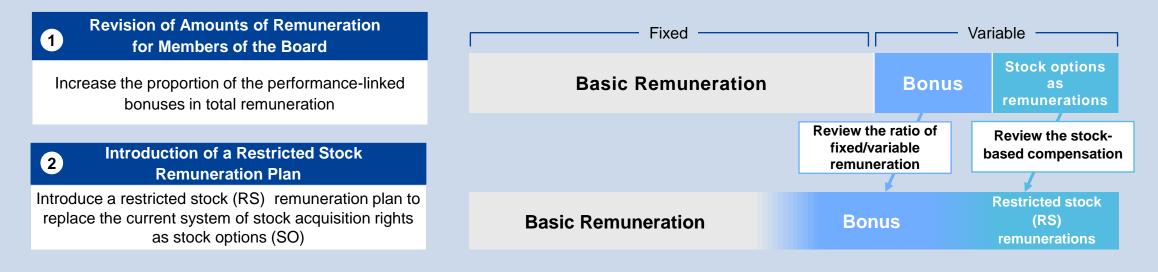
- Deepen the discussions concerning Group management policies and medium- and long-term management plans from a wider perspective, aiming to further enhance the effectiveness of the management that contributes to increasing corporate value over medium- to long- term
- Enhance diversity, and introduce experienced business executives' perspectives by utilizing the skill matrix

(FY)	2009	2012	2014 201	5 2	018	2020	2023	2024 2	2025
Total number of board members	30 28		26	25	19	12	13	12	10
Outside directors included			1	2		4	5	5	4
Percentage of outside directors			3.8%	8.0%	10.5%	33.3%	6 38.5%	41.7%	40.0%
Female directors included							1	1	2

### **Revision of the Remuneration System for Members of the Board**

# Revision of the remuneration system for members of the Board, in order to enhance corporate value and promote sustainable growth over medium- to long-term

(To be implemented from FY 2025)



## Review of evaluation indicators for deciding the remuneration for members of the Board (from FY 2026)

Beginning from the first fiscal year of the next medium-term management program, considering review of the evaluation indicators for performance-linked remuneration and set KPI for the medium- to long- term management program.

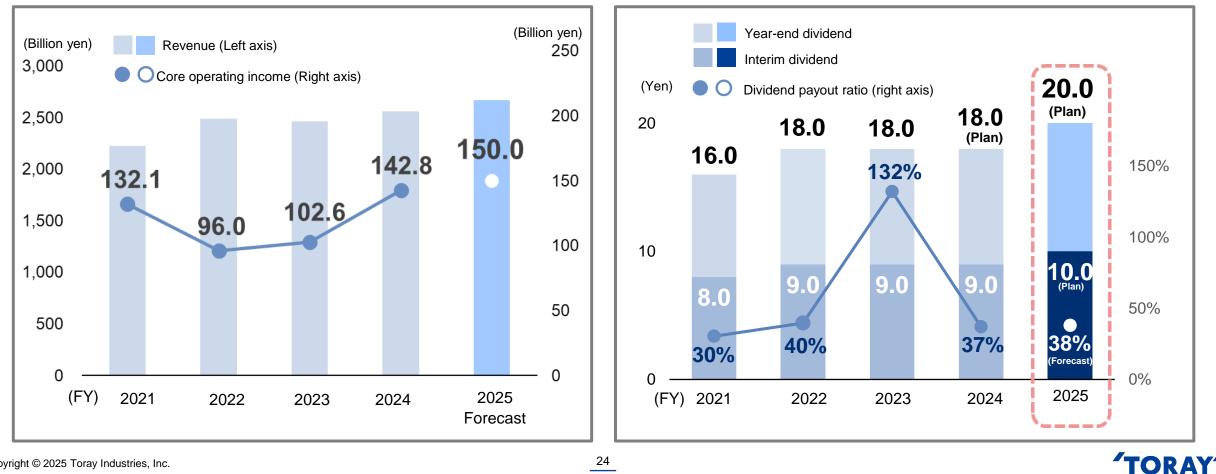
Specifically, in addition to financial indicators such as ROIC, considering introduction of non-financial indicators such as sustainability indicators.



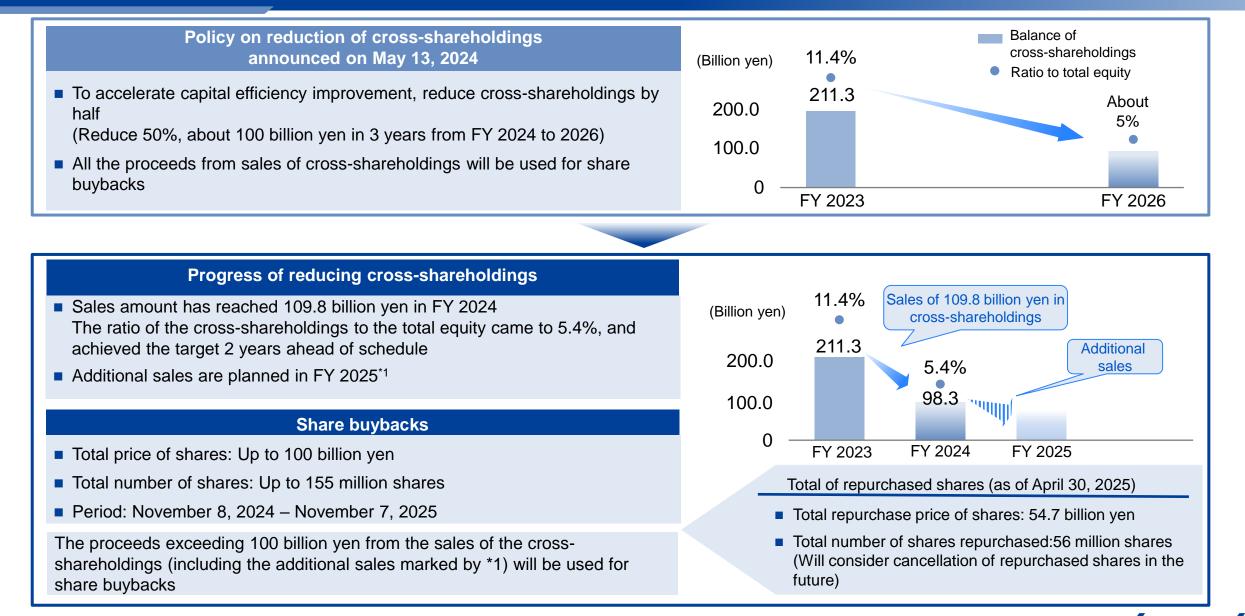
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- As for shareholders return, while maintaining stable continuous dividends, will aim to increase dividends based on earning growth. The target for dividend payout ratio is 30% or more.
- For the annual dividend per share for FY 2025, the Company anticipates paying 20 yen per share, an increase of 2 yen compared with the previous fiscal year.



### **Reduction of Cross-shareholdings and Share Buybacks**



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