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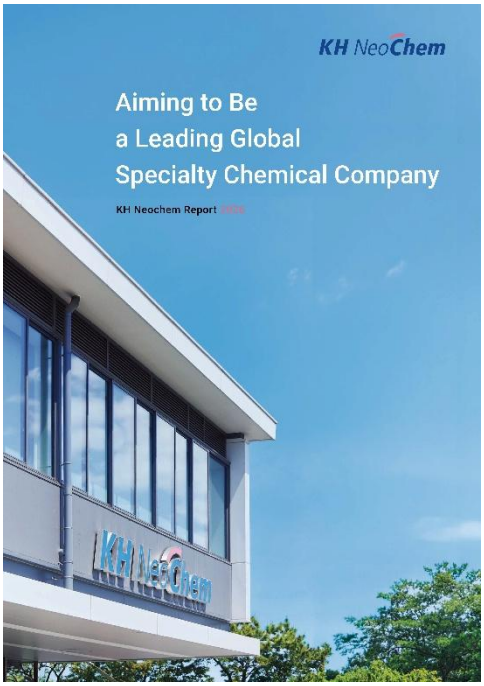
News Release

November 18, 2026
KH Neochem Co., Ltd.

KH Neochem Group has released the English version of its integrated report,

KH Neochem Report 2026: Aiming to Be a Leading Global Specialty Chemical Company.

KH Neochem Co., Ltd. (TSE: 4189, President and CEO: Michio Takahashi, "KH Neochem") has released the English version of its integrated report, *KH Neochem Report 2026: Aiming to Be a Leading Global Specialty Chemical Company*, which is now available on our website.
URL: **https://www.khneochem.co.jp/en/sustainability/annual-report/**



This report aims to provide stakeholders, including shareholders and investors, with a deeper understanding of our business as a whole and our growth strategy.
KH Neochem was listed on the First Section of the Tokyo Stock Exchange in 2016, and this year marks 10 years since its listing. In this report, we look back on the past 10 years and, through management perspectives and voices from employees across the Group, share what our Group aims to achieve and how we will work toward sustainable growth in the years ahead.

Guided by our corporate mission, *"Realizing a brighter tomorrow for society through the power of chemistry,"* we promote sustainable management that contributes to a sustainable society through our business activities while also achieving sustainable growth of the Group.
We will continue to deepen constructive dialogue with our shareholders, including shareholders and investors.

Highlights of *KH Neochem Report 2026:*

1. Aiming to be a leading global specialty chemical company
   - ✓ Long-Term Vision and Medium-Term Business Plan
   - ✓ Message from the CEO
2. After 10 Years Since Listing, Toward Sustainable Growth over the Next Decade and Beyond
   - ✓ History of KH Neochem and Evolution of Products and Technologies
   - ✓ Employee Roundtable for the 10th Anniversary of Our Listing: Reflecting on the Past Decade and Looking Toward the Next Decade
3. Realizing a Brighter Tomorrow Through the Power of Chemistry
   - ✓ TOPICS: Evolving Our Business and Pursuing New Challenges to Create New Value
   - ✓ Special Feature: Changing Society Through "The Power of Chemistry"



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About KH Neochem

Corporate Overview (as of December 31, 2025)

Company name: KH Neochem Co., Ltd.
President & CEO: Michio Takahashi
Establishment: December 2010 (Our predecessor Kyowa Yuka was established in November 1966)
Capital: 8.8bn JPY
Head office: 2-3-1, Nihonbashi-Muromachi, Chuo-ku, Tokyo 103-0022, Japan
Number of employees: 863 (Consolidated)
Business: Research, manufacture, and sale of petrochemical products
Main products: Performance materials (refrigeration lubricant raw materials, cosmetic ingredients)
Electronic materials (high-purity solvents for semiconductors and flat panel displays)
Basic chemicals (solvents for coatings and inks, raw materials for plasticizers)
Group Companies: Kurogane Kasei Co., Ltd. / Kurogane Fines Inc. / KH Neochem Americas, Inc. / Shanghai Seika Trading Co., Ltd.

Corporate History

1948 Kyowa Sangyo Co., Ltd., the predecessor of Kyowa Hakko Kogyo Co., Ltd., became the first company in Japan to mass-produce acetone and butyl alcohol from molasses through fermentation.
1949 Established Kyowa Hakko Kogyo Co., Ltd.
1966 Established Kyowa Yuka Co., Ltd. (A subsidiary chemical manufacturer of Kyowa Hakko Kogyo Co., Ltd.)
2004 Kyowa Yuka Co., Ltd. Integrated the chemical business Kyowa Hakko Co., Ltd. and changed its name to Kyowa Hakko Chemical Co., Ltd.
2011 Spun off from Kyowa Hakko Kirin Group as an independent entity.
Merged Kyowa Hakko Chemical Co., Ltd. and KJ Holdings Co., Ltd.
2012 Name changed to KH Neochem Co., Ltd.

2016 Listed on the First Section of the Tokyo Stock Exchange.
2018 Formulated VISION 2030.
2019 Established the open innovation hub KH i-Lab.
2022 Moved to the Prime Market following the restructuring of the Tokyo Stock Exchange's market segments.

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