3M Facts

Year-end 2015

3M is one of 30 companies in the Dow Jones Industrial Average and is a component of the Standard & Poor's 500 Index.

Sales
Worldwide..................................................$30.274 billion
International ..............................................$18.225 billion
60% of company’s total

Net Income
Net income – reported..............................$4.833 billion
Percent to sales ...........................................16.0%
Earnings per share – diluted – reported ..........$7.58

Taxes
Income tax expense.................................$1.982 billion

Dividends
(Paid every quarter since 1916)
Cash dividends paid per share....................$4.10

One original share, if held, is now ...........3,072 shares

R&D and Related Investments
For 2015 ..................................................$1.763 billion
Total for last five years ..............................$8.452 billion

Capital Investments
For 2015 ..................................................$1.461 billion
Total for last five years ..............................$7.482 billion

Employees
Worldwide.................................................89,446
United States..............................................35,973
International.............................................53,473

Patents Awarded
In 2015 ..................................................U.S. 565; Total 3,128
In company history......................................105,000+

Organization
• 26 business units, managed under these five business groups:
  – Consumer
  – Electronics & Energy
  – Health Care
  – Industrial
  – Safety & Graphics

• Operations in about 29 U.S. states and 70 countries around the world.
• Laboratories in 36 countries.

Technology
• 46 technology platforms, including:
  – Adhesives
  – Abrasives
  – Electronics & Software
  – Nanotechnology
  – Nonwoven Materials
  – Light Management
  – Surface Modification

• 8,300 researchers worldwide; 4,500 in the United States.

Sustainability Results
• Prevented the generation of more than 4 billion pounds of pollutants since 1975 through completion of nearly 13,000 Pollution Prevention Pays (3P) projects.
• Listed on Dow Jones Sustainability Index for 16 consecutive years.
• Announced sustainability-related platform and goals, reflecting increasing focus on supporting the environmental and social goals of 3M’s customers and the communities in which it operates.

Community Citizenship/3Mgives
• Cash and product donations to education, community and environmental programs topped $65 million in 2015; 3Mgives has contributed $1.45 billion since its inception.
• 3M employees and retirees volunteered more than 300,000 hours improving lives around the world.