

## **Announcement of Extraordinary Losses**

Sumitomo Chemical has posted extraordinary losses as stated below.

### 1. Impairment Loss as Extraordinary Loss

After consideration of the recoverability of fixed assets of Sumitomo Chemical and its subsidiaries based on the business conditions ahead and other factors, the Company recorded an impairment loss of ¥14.2 billion as extraordinary loss for the fourth quarter of the fiscal year ended March 31, 2014.

### 2. Extraordinary Loss on an Unconsolidated Basis

On an unconsolidated basis, the Company posted a loss of ¥11.8 billion on a write-down of its investments in consolidated subsidiaries and equity method affiliates for the fourth quarter of the fiscal year ended March 31 due to a substantial decline in the fair value of investments.