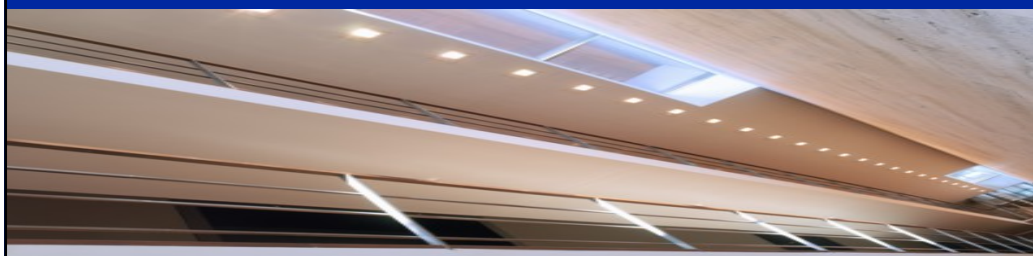


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Performance up-date

Our priorities

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2007: Industry-leading sales growth continued

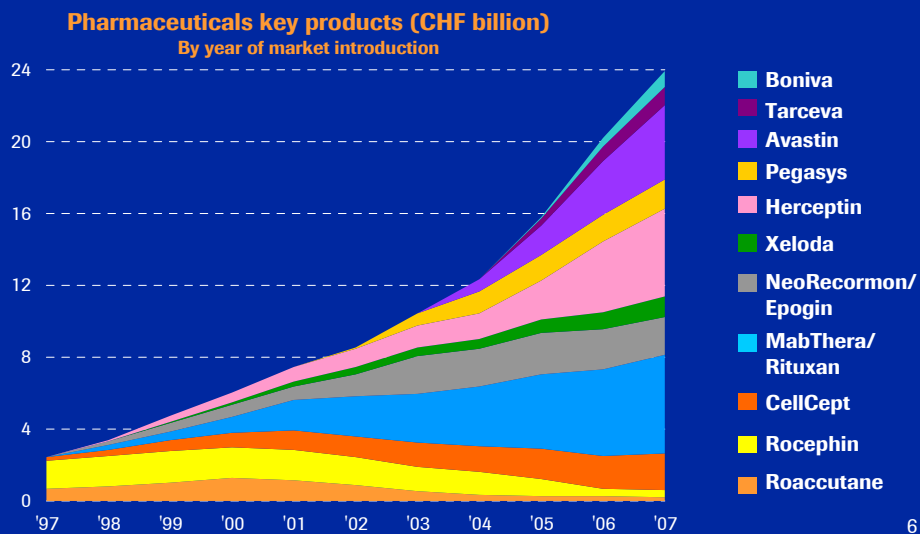


Sales in CHF billion	2006	2007	% change in		USD growth
			CHF	local	
Pharmaceuticals	33.3	36.8	10	11	15
Diagnostics	8.7	9.3	7	6	12
Roche Group	42.0	46.1	10	10	15

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Differentiated and rejuvenated product portfolio

From 1 to 9 products with sales at or above CHF 1 billion



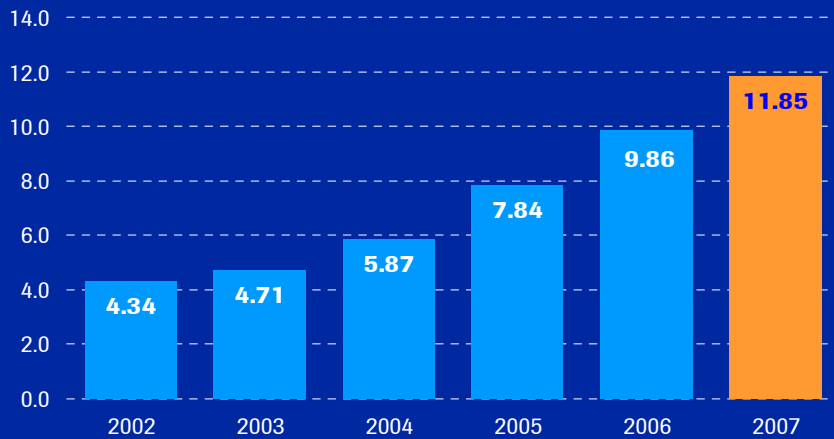
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Core EPS continued to rise rapidly



CHF

Core EPS CAGR¹ ('02 – '07): 22%



¹ Compound Annual Growth Rate

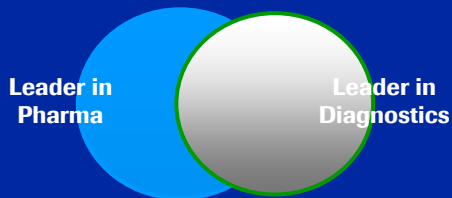
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Strategic acquisitions and portfolio enhancements



Committed to technology leadership

Driving personalised healthcare



- **THP** (therapeutic antibody technology)
- **Alnylam** (RNA interference technology)
- **Transgene** (therapeutic HPV vaccine)
- **BioVeris** (electrochemiluminescence technology)
- **454 Life Sciences** (ultra fast gene sequencing)
- **NimbleGen** (high-density DNA microarrays)
- **Ventana** (tissue-based diagnostics)¹
- **Tanox** (acquired by Genentech)



¹ Tender offer pending

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Our objectives for 2008



Sales

- High single-digit local currency sales increase for Roche Group (excl. Tamiflu pandemic¹)
- Above-market sales growth¹ in both divisions

Core EPS

- Core earnings per share target² at least at record 2007 level despite significant increase in R&D investment and considerably lower Tamiflu pandemic sales

Shareholder return

- Continuous increase in dividend pay-out ratio over the next 3 years

¹ Excluding government and corporate stockpiling orders of Tamiflu for pandemic use
² At constant exchange rates

Barring unforeseen events

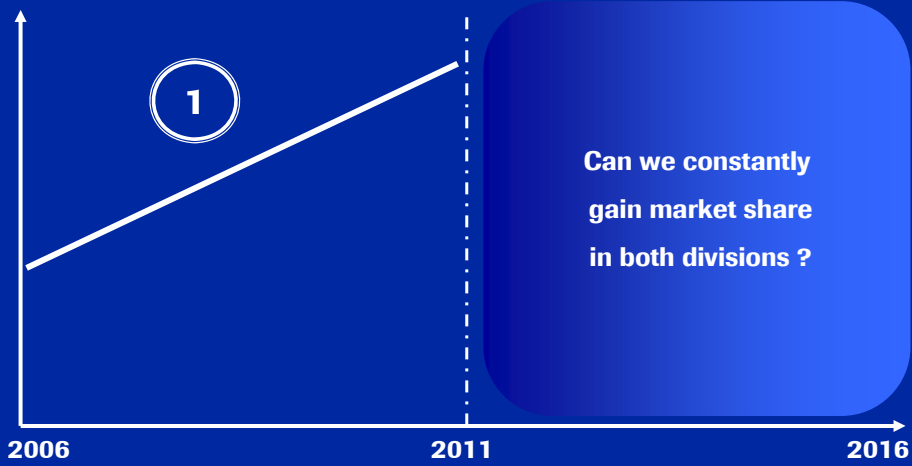
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Roche Challenge # 1

Achieve above peer level sales growth for both divisions

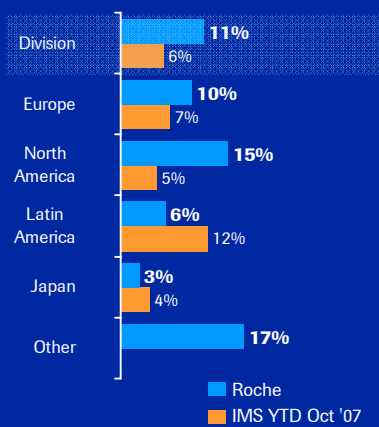


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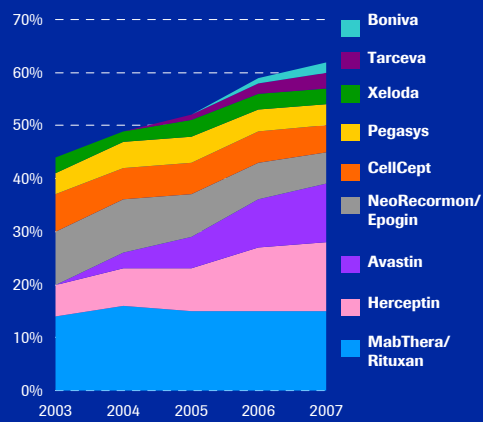
2007: Outgrowing the market in all geographies



Local sales growth



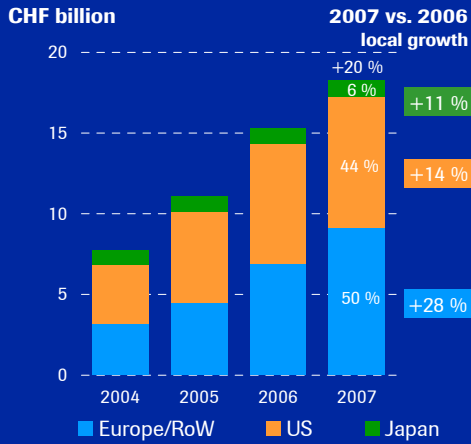
% Key products of total pharmaceutical sales



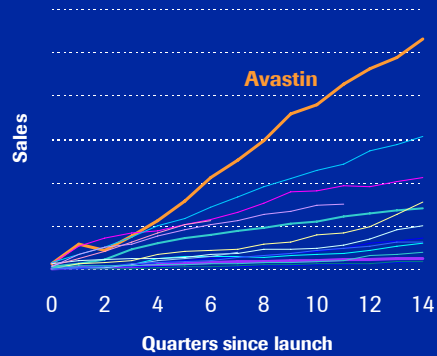
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Roche Oncology: Strongest growing franchise

Avastin: Best growing oncology brand ever



Avastin launch compared to other cancer therapies (US plus top-5 EU markets¹)



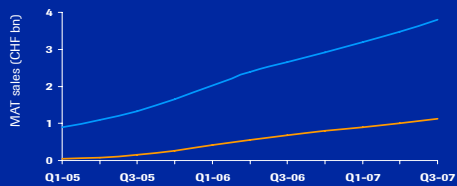
¹ Source: IMS. Products included are Avastin, Alimta, Arimidex, Camptosar, Eloxatine, Erbitux, Femara, Gemzar, Herceptin, MabThera, Nexavar, Sutent, Tarceva, Taxol, Taxotere, Xeloda

Key products on growth path

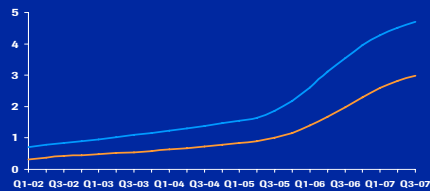
New indications provide fresh growth opportunities



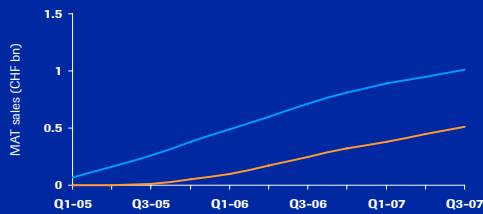
Avastin



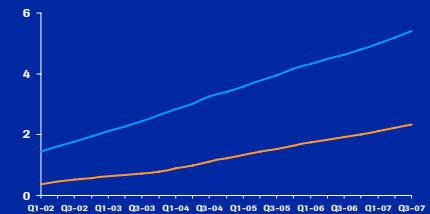
Herceptin



Tarceva



MabThera



■ Pharma Division sales
■ Roche Pharma sales

MAT = Rolling 4 quarter sales at avg. YTD Sept. '07 exchange rates

Our oncology strategy: Setting new standards of care

New tumor types, new combinations, new lines of intervention



Clinically differentiated product

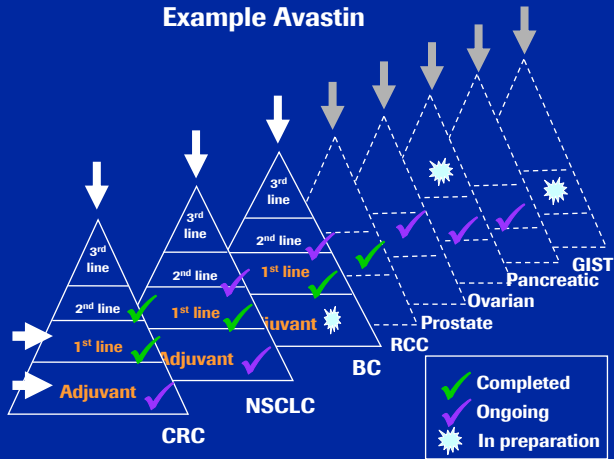
target all tumor types

target all possible combinations

target earlier (adjuvant) intervention

Superior outcome for patients

Example Avastin



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Avastin still early in its journey

Realising full potential across tumour types



Tumour	Early/adjuvant (Potential for cure)	Advanced/metastatic (Extending life)	
		1 st -line of treatment	2 nd -line of treatment
Colon/rectal	Phase III (AVANT, NSABP C-08, E5202, E5204)	✓ Launched [EU, US, JP; broad label in 1st and subsequent lines]	
Lung (NSCLC)	Phase III (E1505)	✓ Launched [EU majority of chemos, US carboplatin/paclitaxel]	Phase III (BETA Lung w/Tarceva)
Breast (HER2-)	Phase III (BEATRICE, E5103)	✓ Launched [EU paclitaxel] Phase III (AVADO, RIBBON-1)	Phase III (RIBBON-2, incl. w/Xeloda)
Breast (HER2+)	Phase III (BETH w/Herceptin)	Phase III (AVEREL w/Herceptin)	-
Kidney (RCC)	-	✓ Launched [EU; with interferon]	

Avastin also trialed in gastric, ovarian, prostate, aNHL, and brain (GBM)

(Trial names) [Approval status]. More trials are ongoing than listed above.

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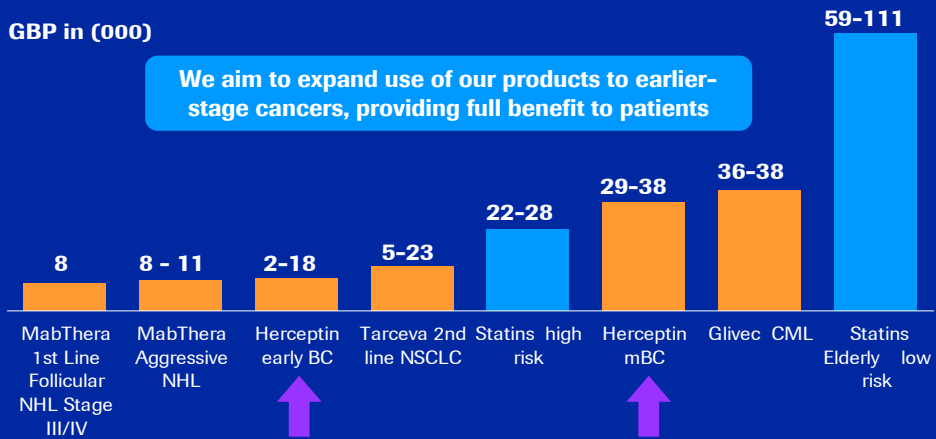
Funding

Roche oncology products are cost-effective



Cost per QALY for selected drugs (UK data – NICE/SMC)

GBP in (000)

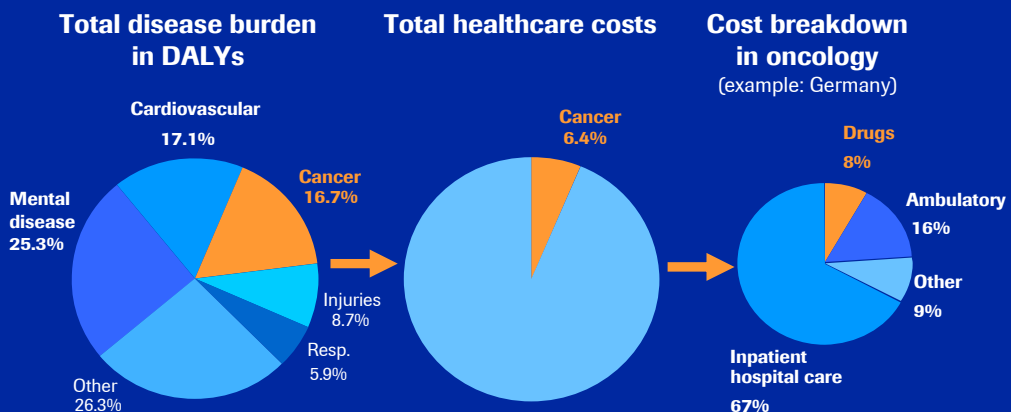


We aim to expand use of our products to earlier-stage cancers, providing full benefit to patients

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Oncology is still dramatically under funded

Compared to other disease areas



Source: A pan-European comparison regarding patient access to cancer drugs, Karolinska Institute
DALY: Disability-Adjusted Life Years, figures from 2002/3; Commonly used measure of the burden of disease

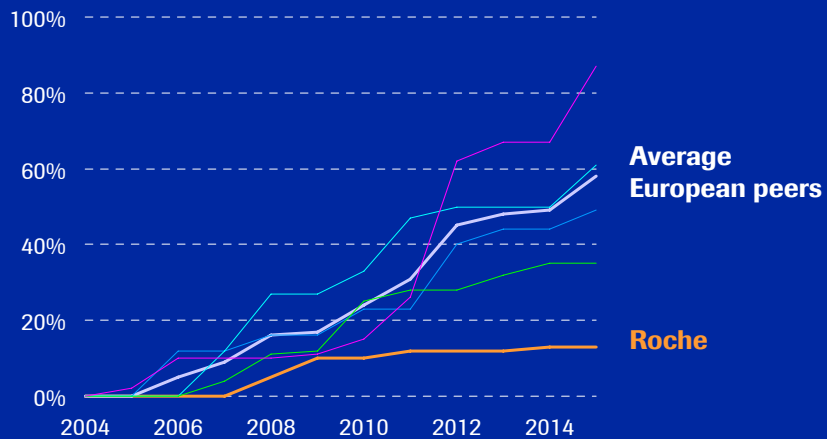
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Roche has a low exposure to generics

Long-term sustainable business



Sales erosion due to generisation (% of 2004 sales)



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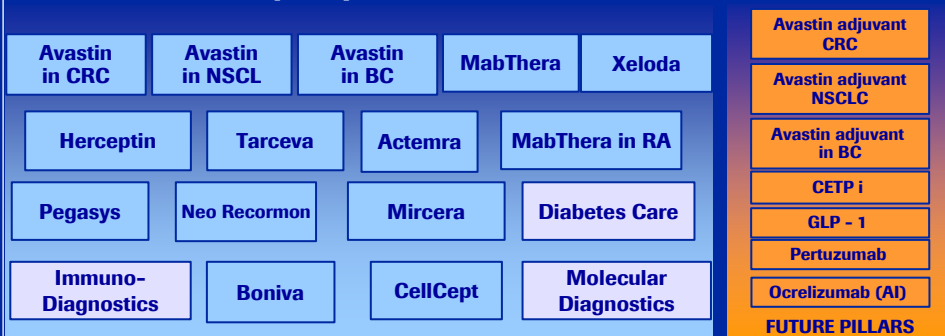
Roche has a unique „investment case“



Roche: Unique geographic risk diversification



Roche: Unique “pillars of value” risk diversification



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The short/medium term *sales* perspective



Challenge # 1:

Achieve above industry-standard sales growth

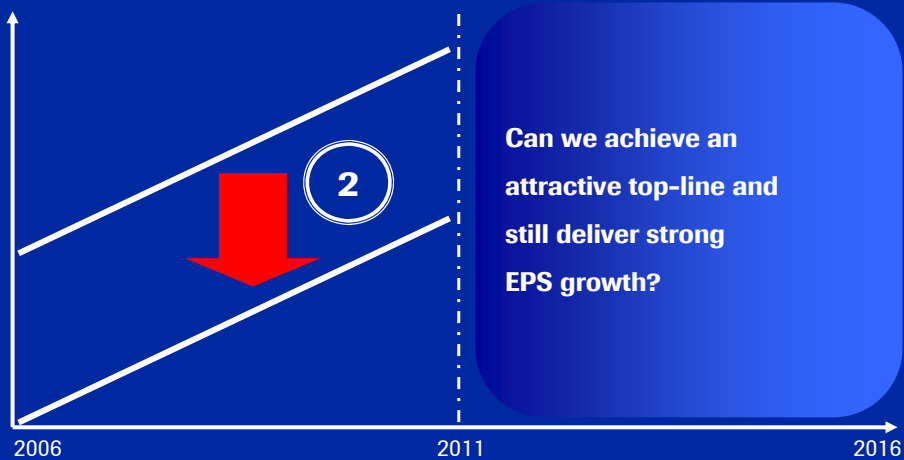
Conclusion # 1:

Roche wants to maximize assets on hand –
and to translate value opportunities into reality

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Challenge # 2

Turn attractive top line into attractive bottom line



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Doing the right things *right*

Three focus areas



- **People are key!**

Activate potential and constantly educate: to learn faster than our competitors is the only sustainable factor of success!

- **The right “quantum” size for Roche ?**

Fixed cost versus variable cost

- **Operational productivity**

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Activate our employees' potential

Constant education to overcome fear of change

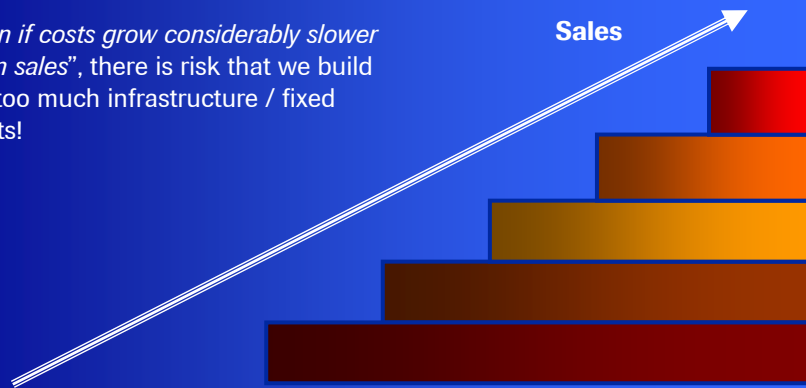


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What is the right quantum size for a “sustainable” Roche?



Even if costs grow considerably slower than sales”, there is risk that we build up too much infrastructure / fixed costs!

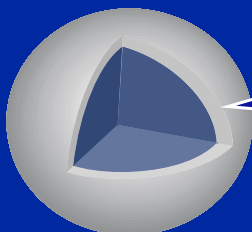


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Constantly improving operational productivity



Operational productivity is an important key enabler for the Roche Group



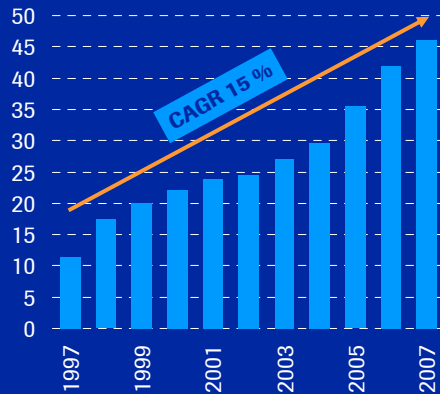
We must become better and cheaper in whatever we do!

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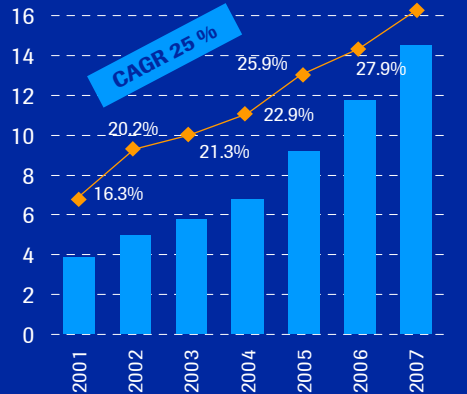
Focus on differentiated products paying off *Outstanding long-term value creation*



Group sales¹ (CHF billion)



Group operating profit² (CHF billion)

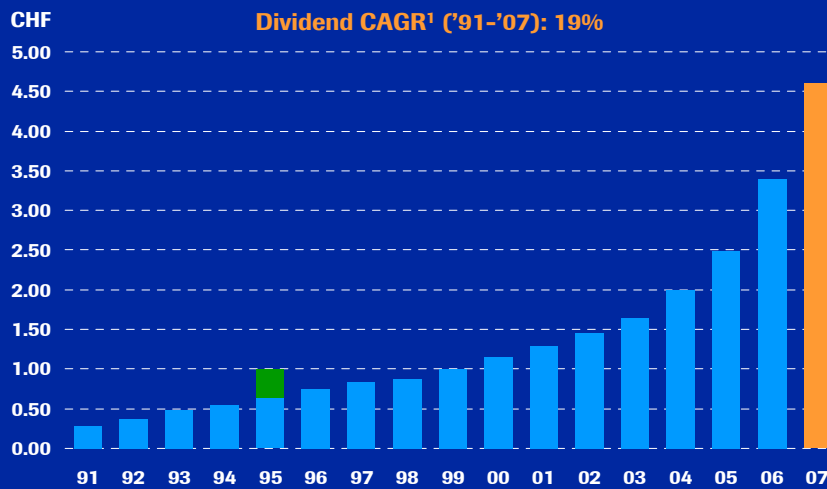


Continuing to focus on our core assets

¹ Prescription and Diagnostics
² Continuing businesses, before exceptional items

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Committed to continuously increase pay-out ratio over the next 3 years



¹ Compound Annual Growth Rate.
1995 includes centenary bonus. 2007 Dividend: Proposed by the Board of Directors.

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Short/medium term *bottom-line* perspective



Challenge # 2:

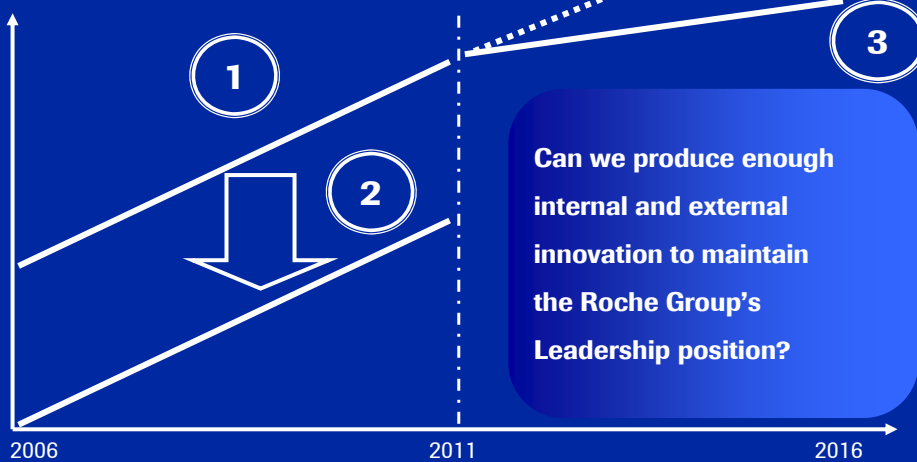
Achieve above industry-standard value creation

Conclusion # 2:

Roche has many programs running to ensure above industry standard EPS-growth

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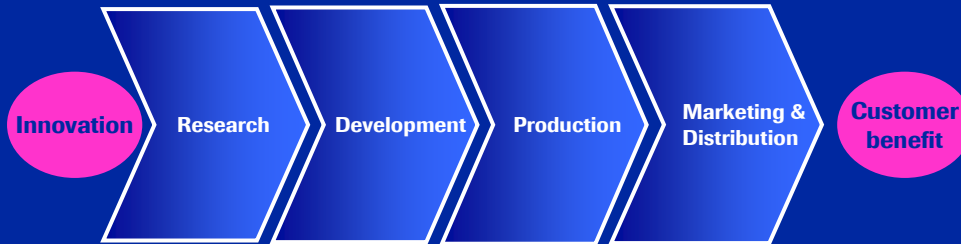
Challenge # 3 *Filling the "strategic gap"*



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Sustainable leadership

How can we constantly provide benefit to customers?

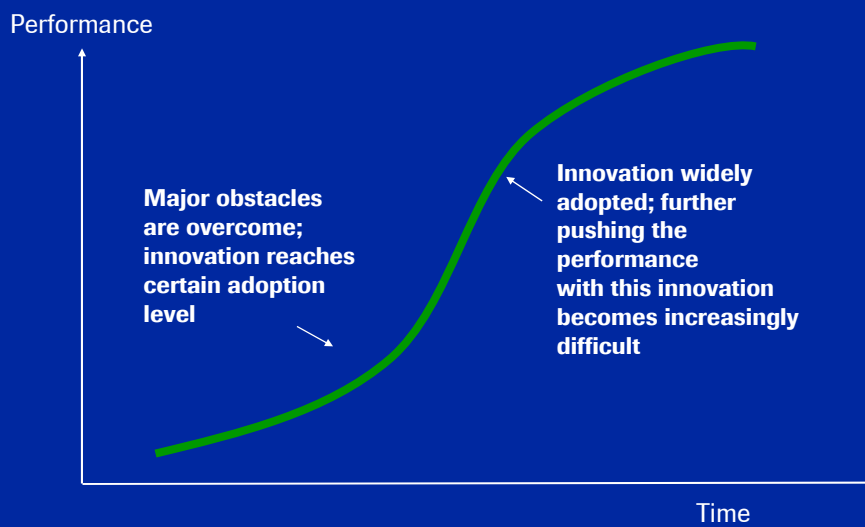


Which degree of innovation (= medical differentiation) is necessary to jump regulatory and reimbursement hurdles?

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Innovation and Change Management

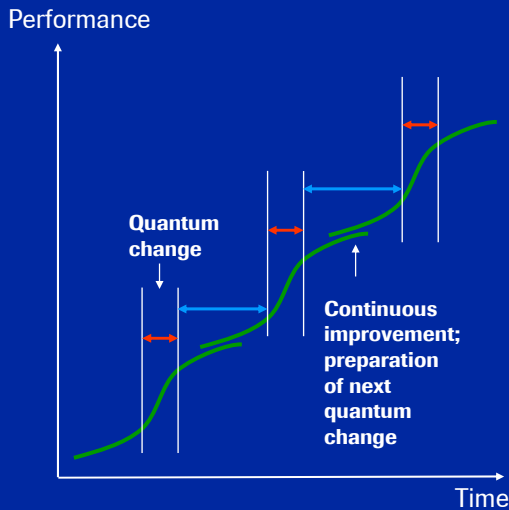
Performance improvements are not linear



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Large-Scale Transformation

Requires multiple S-Curves building on each other

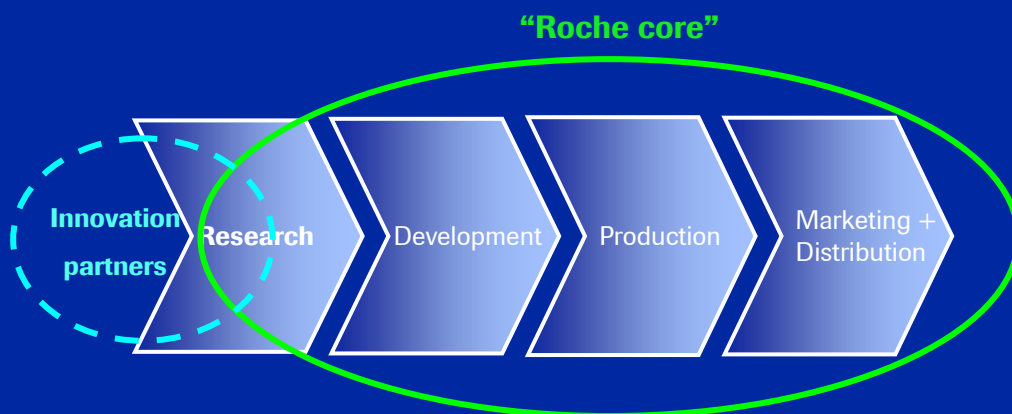


- Critical for large scale transformation is that major innovations build on each other
- Combination of quantum-leap progress and continuous improvement
 - Organisation needs a major step change every few years followed by a period of stability to digest, optimize and continuous improvements

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The Roche “hub & spoke”-model:

Roche controls the global value chain, but is open for Research partnerships

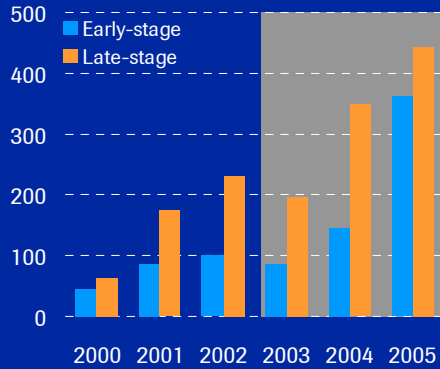


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Access to Innovation is key - competition growing

Costs of third party innovation is raising steeply!

Average cost of in-licensing (Rx), \$m



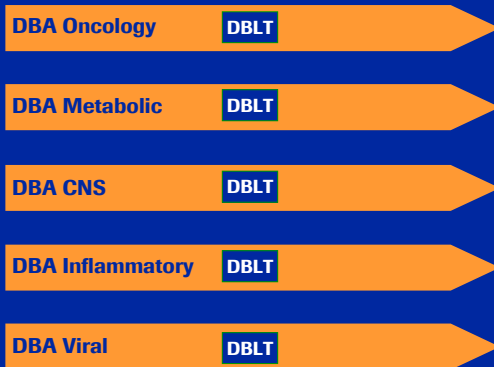
- Average cost of in-licensing deals rose 40% (CAGR) since 2000
- By 2010, 40% of Pharma peers' revenues expected to come from external sources of innovation

Roche 2015: Disease Biology Areas (DBAs)

Alignment and focus

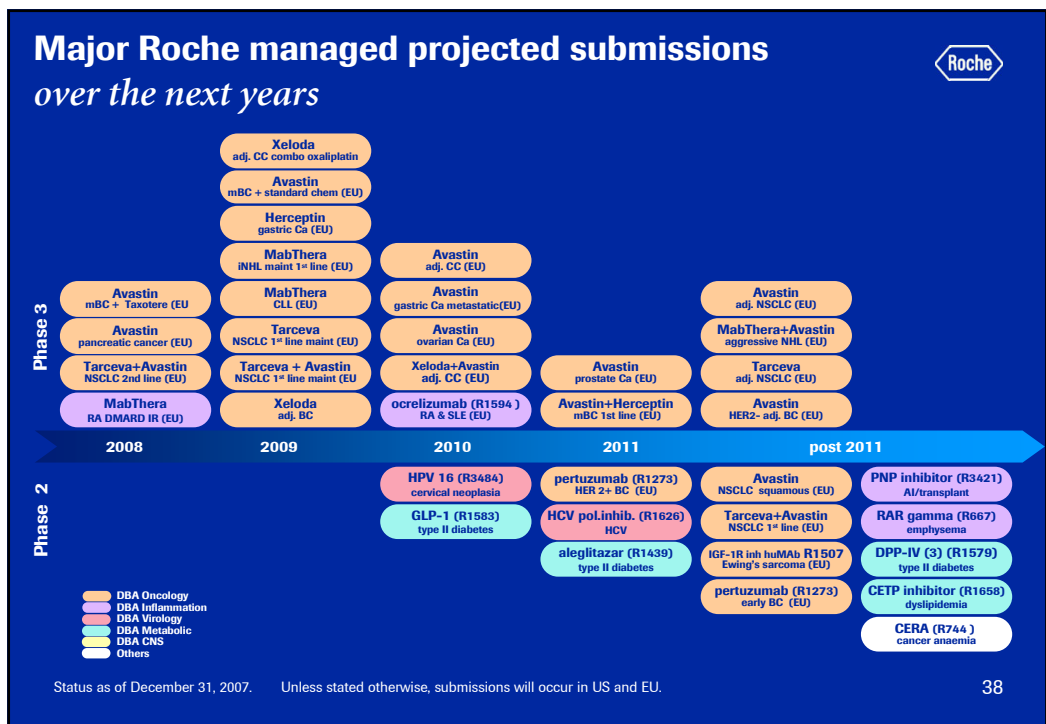
Disease Biology Areas

Idea ← → Market



- Focus on five DBAs
- Decisions made by Disease Biology Leadership Teams (DBLTs) against measurable metrics
- **Up to Proof of Concept:** DBLTs manage compound progression within respective DBA
- **After Proof of Concept:** DBLTs responsible for conducting scientific/ medical reviews and providing options to Pharma Leadership Team

- Clear focus
- More independent and flexible disease areas
- Faster and simpler decision processes



Major phase III commitments – large investments



Additional large phase III trials started or starting soon

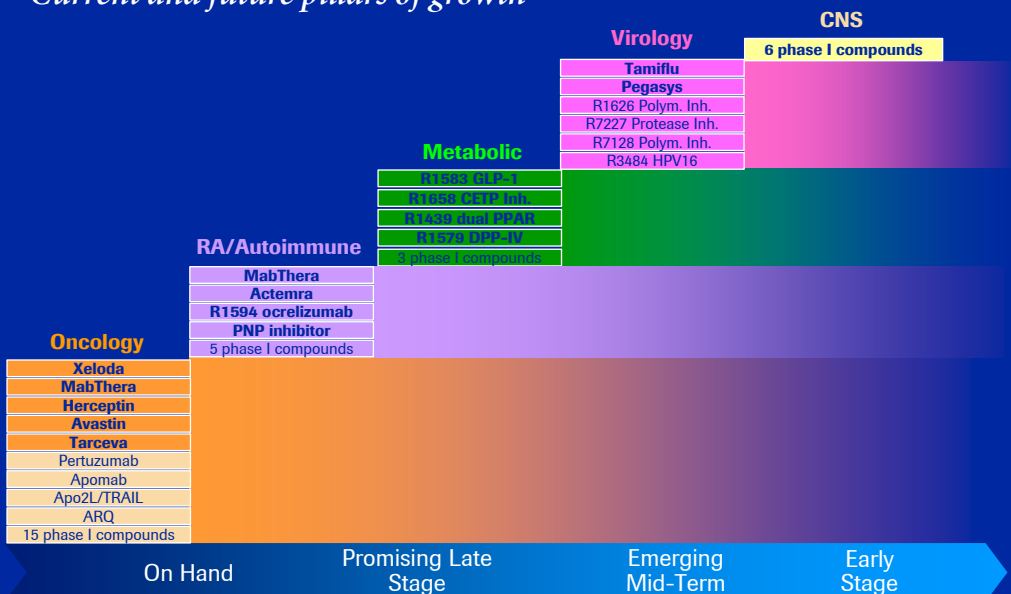


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Roche key therapeutic areas



Current and future pillars of growth



Long-term perspective
Roche 2015 is a crucial platform



Challenge # 3:
Filling the value gap



Conclusion 3:
With Roche 2015 we have the right platform in place
to identify the right priorities

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