

What science can do

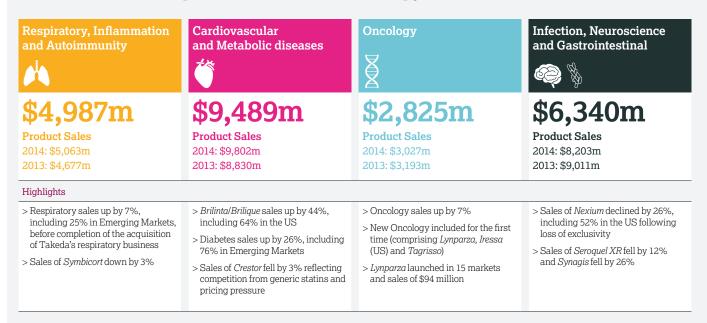
AstraZeneca Annual Report and Form 20-F Information 2015



AstraZeneca at a glance

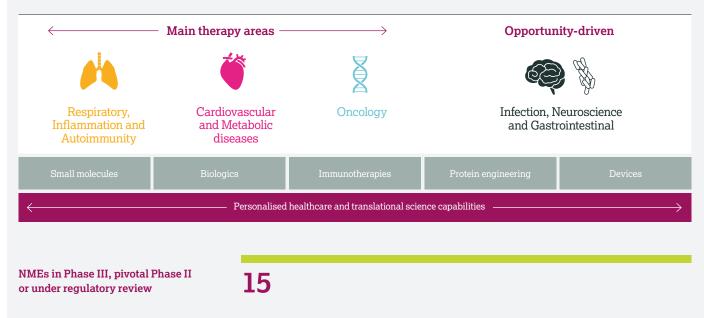
AstraZeneca is a global, science-led biopharmaceutical business...

...with an on-market portfolio in our chosen therapy areas.



Sales and Marketing from page 48, Financial Review from page 62 and Geographical Review from page 227

We have distinctive R&D capabilities, a growing late-stage pipeline...



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...and a strong global commercial presence, with strength in Emerging Markets.

North America	Europe	International and Japan		
\$10,007m Product Sales 2014: \$10,710m 2013: \$10,328m	\$5,323m Product Sales 2014: \$6,638m 2013: \$6,658m	\$8,311m Product Sales 2014: \$8,747m 2013: \$8,725m		
Employees 7,600	5,900	21,900		
Highlights				
 Sales in the US declined by 6% reflecting entry of generic <i>Nexium</i> products and adverse <i>Synagis</i> guideline changes Favourable performances were delivered by <i>Brilinta</i>, <i>Farxiga</i>, <i>Bydureon</i> and <i>Lynparza</i> as well as the acquired Respiratory medicines, <i>Tudorza</i> and <i>Daliresp</i> Sales in Canada grew by 4% 	 > Sales declined by 6% > Strong growth for Diabetes medicines was offset by generic competition facing <i>Crestor</i> and <i>Seroquel XR</i> > 14% decline in <i>Symbicort</i> sales reflected adverse pricing movements driven by competition from analogues in key markets 	 > Emerging Markets revenue grew by 12% to \$5,822 million, including China sales growth of 15% > Sales in Japan grew by 4% to \$2,020 million > Opened facility in Russia 		

Business Review from page 42

Our talented employees are committed to achieving our Purpose in a sustainable way...





8,900 employees in R&D



12,500 employees in Manufacturing and Supply



Increasing our proximity to bioscience clusters and co-locating around three strategic R&D centres



Employees from page 52

...and our disciplined capital allocation enables commitment to a progressive dividend.

All growth rates at CER. All employee numbers are approximate as at 31 December 2015.

\$3,443m

Net cash shareholder distributions increased to \$3,443 million

2015	\$3,443m
2014	\$3,242m
2013	\$2,979m

\$2.80

Dividend per Ordinary Share unchanged

m	2015	\$2.80
2m	2014	\$2.80
m	2013	\$2.80

Strategic Report