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The year-earlier figure included a one-time gain of \$ 59.9 million from the sale of Corning 's stakes in Japanese businesses . q:i-h-h a:e-p n:x v:e-i-p q:i-h-h n\_of:x n:x p:e-x-i n:x card:i-i-c card:i-i-c p:e-u-i q:i-h-h n\_of:x-i \_ named:x-c \_ n:x p:e-u-i a:e-p n:x \_ \_ Without the gain , operating profit was \$ 64 million , or 71 cents a share . p:e-u-i q:i-h-h n:x \_ v:e-i-p n:x v\_id:e-p-i n:x card:i-i-c ard:i-i-c \_ \_ card:i-i-c n:x p:e-u-i n\_of:x \_ q:i-h-h A year earlier , net included a \$ 700,000 taxlow carry-forward q:i-h-h n:x time\_n:x \_ n:x v:e-i-p q:i-h-h n:x card:i-i-c n:x n:x Sales rose 14 % to \$ 715 million from \$ 625.4 million n\_of:x-i v:e-i card:i-i-c n\_of:x p:e-u-i n:x card:i-i-c card:i-i-c and\_c) and\_c) (ARGI) (ARGI) compound (ARGI) (ARG2) specialty-material segment slowed somewhat and consumer products continued below expectations n:x v:e-i-p a:e-e \_ n\_of:x-i n:x v:e-i p:e-u-i n\_of:x-i As for joint ventures , Mr. Houghton said profit was "essentially flat " due primarily to a slow recovery at Samsung-Corning Co. in Korea following a strike at a major customer and the disruption of shipments to China pre-u-i pre-u-i are-p n:x n:x named:x-c v.to:e-i-h-i n:x p:e-u-i q:i-h-h n:cf:x-i \_ n:cf-to:x-i \_ named:x-c v.to:e-i-p q:i-h-h n:x p:e-u-i q:i-h-h n Also , profit was hurt by the strength of the dollar overseas which negatively affected the company 's currency-exchange rate a:e-h \_ n:x \_ v:e-i-p \_ q:i-h-h \_ n:x \_ p:e-x-i \_ q:i-h-h \_ n:x \_ place\_n:x \_ a:e-e \_ v:e-i-p \_ q:i-h-h \_ n\_of:x-i \_ n:x \_ n\_of:x-i \_ In New York Stock Exchange composite trading p:e-u-i named:x-c named:x-c nix n:x n:x v:e-i-p named:x-c v:e-i p:e-u-i named:x-c v:e-i p:e-u-i n:x card:i-i-c p:e-u-i card:i-i-c n:x