

The Clorox Company

Supplemental Information – Gross Margin Drivers

The table below provides details on the drivers of gross margin change versus the prior year.

		Gross Margin Change vs. Prior Year (basis points)								
Driver	FY12	FY13					FY14			
	FY	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	FY	Q1	Q2	Q3	
Cost Savings	+160	+170	+190	+150	+150	+160	+180	+150	+140	
Price Changes	+220	+160	+120	+110	+120	+120	+80	+70	+80	
Market Movement (commodities) ⁽¹⁾	-220	-10	-10	-20	-20	-20	-110	-140	-120	
Manufacturing & Logistics (1)	-180	-70	-200	-250	-140	-170	-140	-120	-120	
All other	-120	-140	-	-10	+20	-10	-10	-20	-10	
Change vs prior year	-140	+110	+100	-20	+130	+80	-	-60	-30	
Gross Margin (%)	42.1%	42.9%	42.5%	42.1%	44.0%	42.9%	42.9%	41.9%	41.8%	

(1) Market Movement (commodities) beginning in Q1 FY13 includes the change in the cost of diesel fuel. In FY12, the change in the cost of diesel fuel is included in Manufacturing & Logistics.