

---

---

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
Washington, DC 20549

---

**FORM 8-K**

---

**CURRENT REPORT**  
Pursuant to Section 13 OR 15(d)  
of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): August 11, 2014**

---

**GENTEX CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

---

**Michigan**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**0-10235**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**38-2030505**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**600 North Centennial Street**  
**Zeeland, Michigan**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**49464**  
(Zip Code)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (616) 772-1800**

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

---

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
  - Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
- 
-

---

**Section 7 - Regulation FD****Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.**

Gentex Corporation made a presentation to certain analysts on August 11, 2014. A copy of an analyst presentation is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report.

**Section 9 - Financial Statements and Exhibits****Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Analyst presentation, dated August 11, 2014.

---

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

Dated: August 11, 2014

GENTEX CORPORATION  
(Registrant)

By /s/ Fred Bauer  
Fred Bauer  
Its Chairman of the Board and  
Chief Executive Officer



## Safe Harbor Statement



This presentation contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of the safe harbor provisions of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. The statements contained in this communication that are not purely historical are forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements give the Company's current expectations or forecasts of future events. These forward-looking statements generally can be identified by the use of words such as "anticipate", "believe", "could", "estimate", "expect", "forecast", "goal", "hope", "may", "plan", "project", "will", and variations of such words and similar expressions. Such statements are subject to risks and uncertainties that are often difficult to predict and beyond the Company's control, and could cause the Company's results to differ materially from those described. These risks and uncertainties include, without limitation, changes in general industry or regional market conditions; changes in consumer and customer preferences for our products; our ability to be awarded new business; continued uncertainty in pricing negotiations with customers; loss of business from increased competition; customer bankruptcies or divestiture of customer brands; fluctuation in vehicle production schedules; changes in product mix; raw material shortages; higher raw material, fuel, energy and other costs; unfavorable fluctuations in currencies or interest rates in the regions in which we operate; costs or difficulties related to the integration of any new or acquired technologies and businesses; changes in regulatory conditions; warranty and recall claims and other litigation and customer reactions thereto; possible adverse results of pending or future litigation or infringement claims; negative impact of any governmental investigations and associated litigations including securities litigations relating to the conduct of our business; integration of the newly acquired HomeLink business operations; retention of the newly acquired customers of the HomeLink business; and expansion of product offerings including those incorporating HomeLink technology. Readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date they are made. The Company undertakes no obligation to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statement, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, except as required by law or the rules of the Nasdaq Global Select Market. Accordingly, any forward-looking statement should be read in conjunction with the additional information about risks and uncertainties identified under the heading "Risk Factors" in the Company's latest Form 10-K and Form 10-Q filed with the SEC.

# Update

**Established:** 1974

**Ownership:** GNTX - NASDAQ Global Select Market

**Operations:** Zeeland, Michigan USA – headquarters and operations; England, Sweden, Germany, Japan, Korea, China – sales and logistics

**Employees:** 3,800 +

**Products:** Automotive automatic-dimming rearview mirrors, automotive electronics, dimmable aircraft windows, and fire protection products



**2013 Highlights:**

- > Net Sales : \$1.17 Billion – 98% automotive
- > Gross Profit Margin : 36.8%
- > Net Income: \$222.9 million
- > EPS: \$1.55

Gentex Vehicle Applications		
Inside Base Mirror	Total Vehicle Nameplates	299
Inside Mirror with Lighting	Total Vehicle Nameplates	52
Inside Mirror with Compass	Total Vehicle Nameplates	102
Inside Mirror with Microphone	Total Vehicle Nameplates	44
Inside Mirror with Video Display	Total Vehicle Nameplates	67
Inside Mirror with Camera	Total Vehicle Nameplates	103
HomeLink - Mirror + Module	Total Vehicle Nameplates	229
Outside Mirror	Total Vehicle Nameplates	178

**Q2 2014 Highlights:**

- > Net Sales: \$338.4 million +18%
- > Gross Profit Margin: 39.7% vs. 35.8% in Q2 2013
- > Net Income: \$76.7million +47%
- > EPS: \$0.52 vs. \$0.36 in Q2 2013



**Q3 2014 Guidance Highlights:**

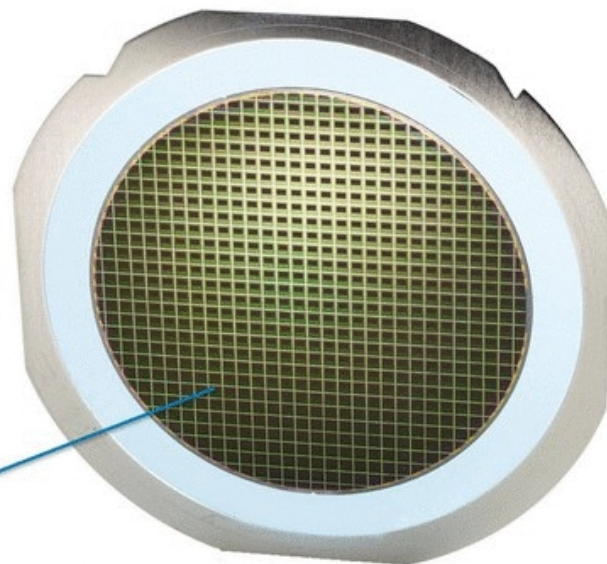
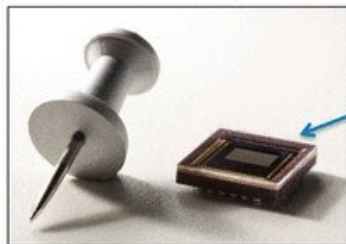
- > Net Sales: +15% - 20% vs. \$288.6 million in Q3 2013
- > Gross Profit Margin: 39.5% - 40% versus 36.7% in Q3, 2013

## New Products – CMOS Imager

Cameras – New Imager



- New Gentex CMOS Imager
  - Designed for automotive vision
    - High dynamic range
    - Captures scene details despite shadows or bright lights
  - Multiple uses



Wafer containing over 500 imagers



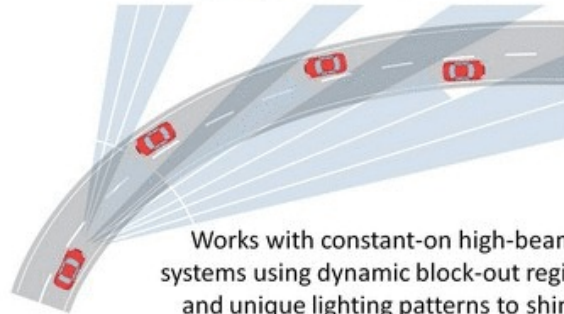
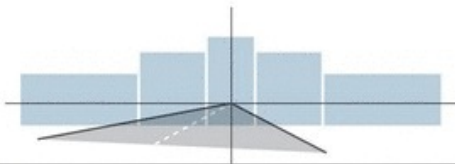
## New Products – Enhanced SmartBeam®

Cameras – New Imager



- New Gentex SmartBeam with enhanced feature set:

- High-Beam Assist
- Dynamic Forward Lighting
- Matrix Beam
- Village Detection
- Motorway Detection
- Tunnel Detection
- Fog Detection
- Collision Detection



Works with constant-on high-beam systems using dynamic block-out regions and unique lighting patterns to shine around oncoming and preceding traffic.

GENTEX CORPORATION

2014 Gentex Corporation

## New Products – Video Cameras

Cameras – New Imager



- New imager can provide video for:
  - Rear camera video
  - Around View Monitor
- Track-proven by Audi at 2012 Le Mans 24 Hours Race
- Debuted on Audi e-tron



Audi 2012 Le Mans Car



Audi e-tron

GENTEX CORPORATION

2014 Gentex Corporation

## New Products - HomeLink® V

HomeLink



- New version of HomeLink
- New features/benefits:
  - Global solution
  - Vehicle-to-home, two-way communication provides garage door open/close status
  - Integration into vehicle displays



GENTEX CORPORATION

2014 Gentex Corporation

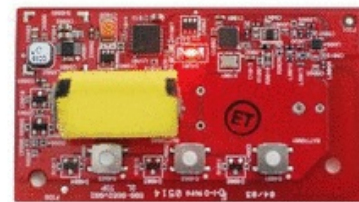
## New Products - HomeLink® V Designs

HomeLink



- New Accessory and Aftermarket versions of HomeLink
- Battery-powered module

**GENTEX CORPORATION**  
OEM Accessories



GENTEX CORPORATION

2014 Gentex Corporation



# New Products - HomeLink® V Designs

HomeLink



**GENTEX CORPORATION**  
A Smarter Vision™

CORPORATE    AUTOMOTIVE    AEROSPACE    FIRE PROTECTION

## Introducing HomeLink for non-automotive applications

Tractors, ATVs, snowmobiles and more

A photograph showing three vehicles parked in front of a white garage door. From left to right: a blue tractor, a red ATV, and a white snowmobile. On the right side of the garage door, there is a black HomeLink button panel with three buttons: a '1' button, a home icon button, and a '2' button. A green 'DETAILS' button is located at the bottom right of the image. A small copyright notice is visible at the bottom right of the image: 'HomeLink house are registered trademarks of Gentex Corporation.'

GENTEX CORPORATION

2014 Gentex Corporation

# New Mirror Styling

Frameless Designs



- Advanced styling to accent vehicle interiors



GENTEX CORPORATION

2014 Gentex Corporation



## New Mirror Styling

Frameless Designs



- Enhanced feature integration – displays, buttons, icons, HomeLink, more . . .



GENTEX CORPORATION

2014 Gentex Corporation

## Upcoming Gentex IR Events

Call to Set Up a Meeting



- Morningstar Behind the Moat Conference - Chicago, IL - September 17-18, 2014
- SEMA Show – Las Vegas - November 4-7, 2014
- Robert W. Baird Industrial Conference - Chicago, IL - November 10-12, 2014
- KeyBanc West Coast Investor Conference - November 17-19, 2014
- Consumer Electronics Show – Las Vegas – January 6-9, 2015

GENTEX CORPORATION

2014 Gentex Corporation



Thank You



**GENTEX**  
CORPORATION

© 2014 Gentex Corporation