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### **Company Overview**

...Key Highlights

**E** Leading global player in laser and sheet metal **Breakdown of Sales by Product** machinery 1H 2008 \*\* **Electronics ©** Comprehensive product range in laser systems and Sheet Metal 11% Machinerv sources, punching, shearing, bending and automation **Business** 50% **E** Sales CAGR 2005 – 2007 > 25% Laser **E** 2007 Pro forma sales: ~ EUR 417.8m 39% Breakdown of Sales by Product **E 2007 Pro forma EBITDA<sup>\*</sup>: ~ EUR 49.6m (~ 12%)** 2007 Pro forma Sheet **R** Average yearly 2005 – 2007 R&D expenses: 6% Laser Metal 34.7% Machinery **Business** Over 1,700 employees (210 in R&D) 57.8% Electronics IO Manufacturing facilities (Italy, Finland, USA, China) 7.5%

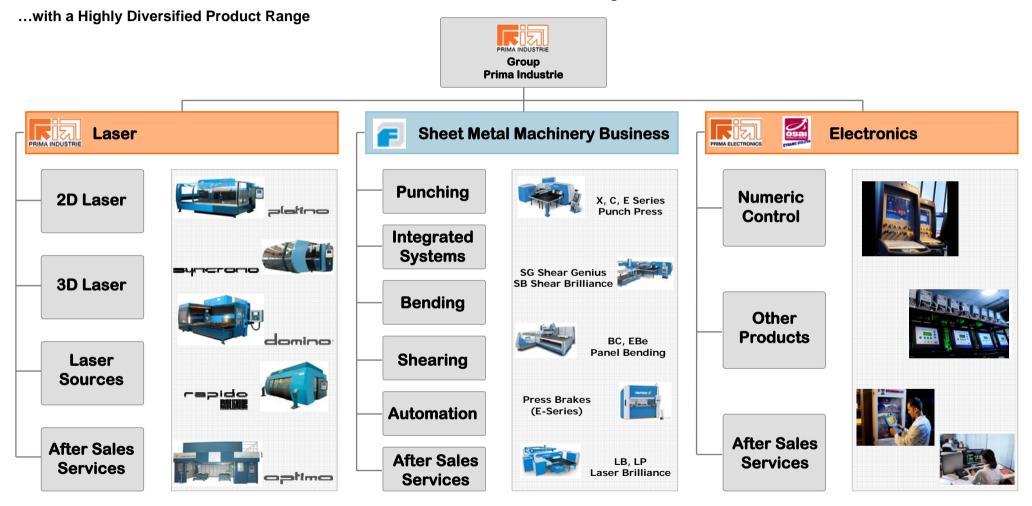
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\*\* Sheet Metal Machinery Business accounts for only 5 months



### A World Leader in Laser and Sheet Metal Machinery



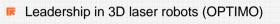




### **An Industrial Success Story**

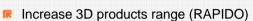
**Key Milestones** 

# 1980-1989: Evolution into an Industrial Company



- Development of industrial electronics & software
- Player in industrial robots for arc welding & handling
- **F** Leader in measuring robots
- First International subsidiary (Germany)

1977-1979



- Development of International sales/service subsidiaries (US, France, UK)
- Sale of non-core activities

1990-1995: Focus on Laser

Entry in 2D laser market through acquisition of the Swiss Company LASERWORK AG

#### 2000-2007: Internationalization

- Acquisition of Convergent Energy and Laserdyne (presently both divisions of PRIMA North America)
- Second JV in China: SHANGHAI UNITY PRIMA
- Launch of SYNCRONO and RAPIDO EVOLUZIONE

2000-2007

Strengthening EU sales/service (Prima GmbH, Prima Scandinavia, Prima Polska)

#### 1977-1979: Start Up as Engineering Company 1996-1999: S

1980-1989

- Incorporation under the name of PRIMA PROGETTI
- Incorporation of PRIMA ELECTRONICS
- Developments of a wide range of hi-tech products
- First 3D laser machine developed in 1979 (ZAC)

- 1996-1999: Strong Growth and IPO
- ISO 9001 certification

1990-1995

- New 2D product launch (PLATINO)
- R&D investment program to extend the product range (New OPTIMO, DOMINO, MAXIMO)

1996-1999

- First JV in China and Branch office in Beijing
- Listing on Italian Stock Exchange (presently STAR segment)
- 2007-2008: External growth

2007-2008

- Acquisition of OSAI
- Acquisition of Finn Power





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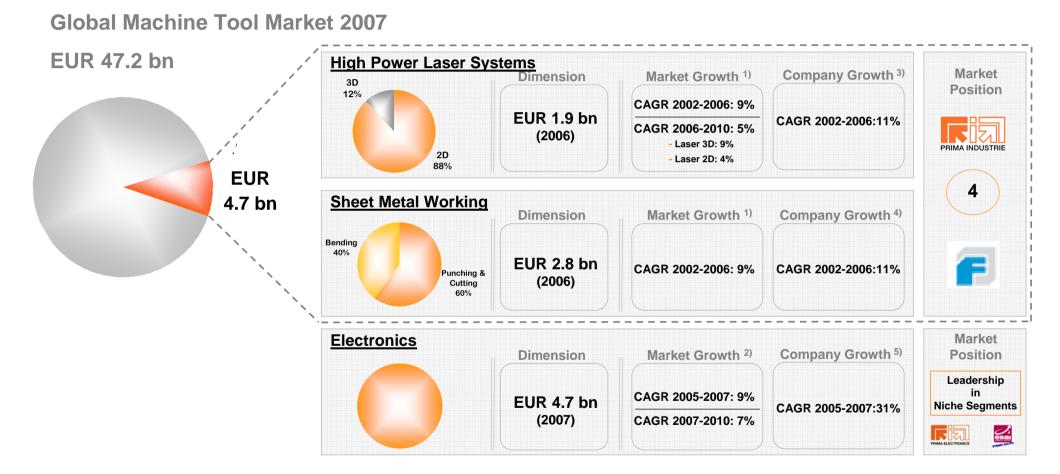
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### Prima Industrie is a World Leading Player in its Reference Markets



October 8th 2008Source: 1) Bain & Co. Research "Market and Competition", November 20074) Finn Power consolidated annual reportPag. 82) Electronic Trend Publications, 20065) Prima Electronics and OSAI accounts3) Prima Industrie consolidated annual report excluding Prima Electronics division





The Combined Entity Competes as a Leader in the Global Market.....



#### Larger size and higher market share mean higher profitability and stability during the cycle

October 8th 2008 Source: Relative Market Share calculated as Revenues on Leader Revenues



Relative Market Share and EBITDA Margin based on last available accounts (Prima Industrie, Finn-Power and Pro forma as of December 2007)

\* Combined entity with synergies

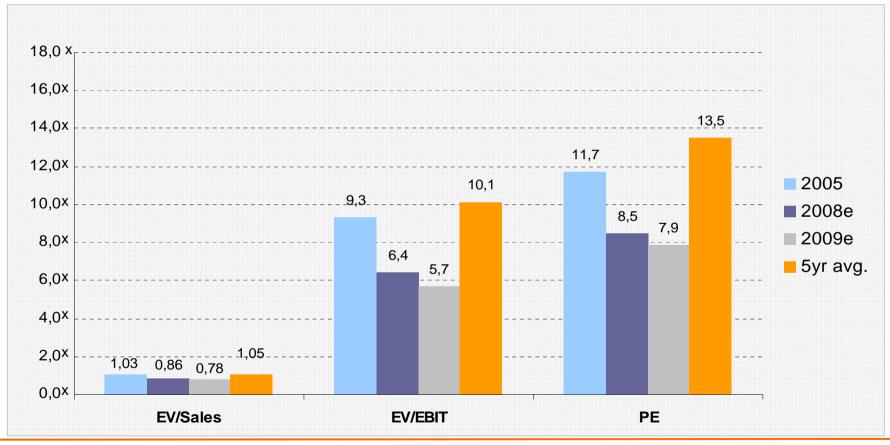
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....Keeping an Eye on a Challenging Stock Market

**Industrial Engineering Universe** 

Current valuation levels vs. 5 year average valuation level







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**Prima Industrie Key Success Factors** 

A comprehensive product range

Internal development and implementation of components with higher value added

Ability to continuously develop new products

A global sales network

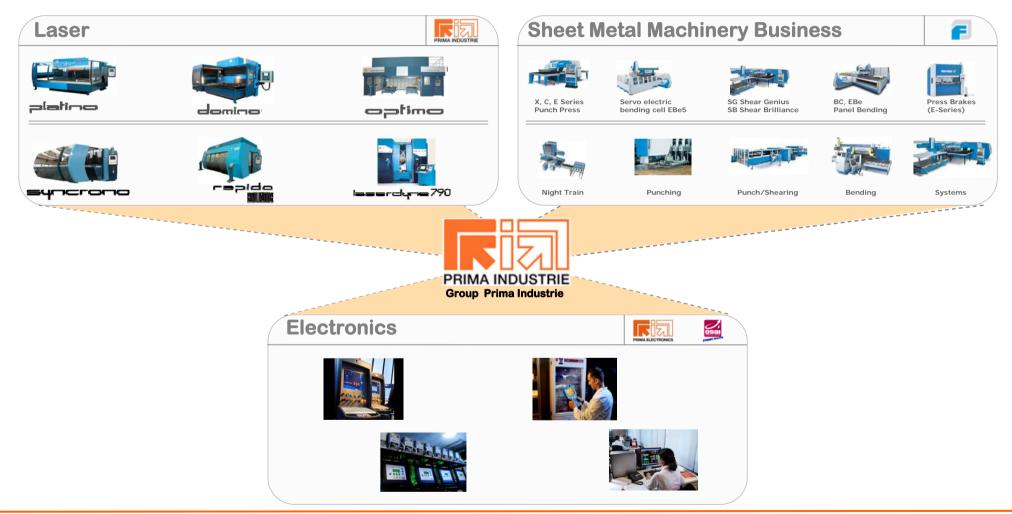
A comprehensive after sales services

**Brand awareness** 





### A Comprehensive Product Range...





### ...Serving a Highly Diversified Top-Class Customer Base









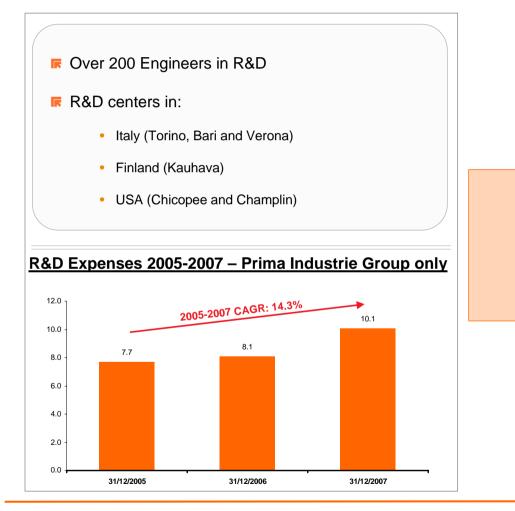
### Internal Development and Implementation of Components with Higher Value Added







#### **Ability to Continuously Develop New Products**





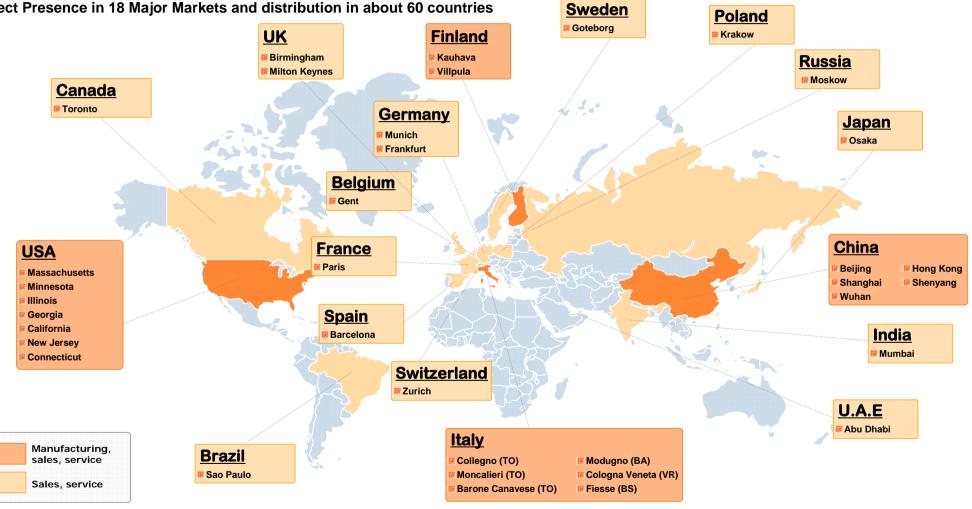
2006 Innovations





#### **A Global Sales Network**

Direct Presence in 18 Major Markets and distribution in about 60 countries



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### **A Comprehensive After Sales Services**

- F Highly trained and skilled technicians assure real proximity to the customer and quick response
- Over 380 employees dedicated
- 24-hour hotline service
- **F** TELEPRIMACH: remote diagnostics
- Delivery of consumables and spare parts for regular maintenance assured in 8 to 24 hours
- **E**-commerce for consumables and spare parts

#### Effective after sales service provides:

- **Customers** loyalty
- **©** Constant feedback on clients' needs
- A stable source of revenues
- An effective marketing tool for signing new contracts













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A Clear Strategy

**Reinforce Worldwide Presence** 

**Cross – Selling Activities** 

**New Products Development** 

**Cost Savings** 





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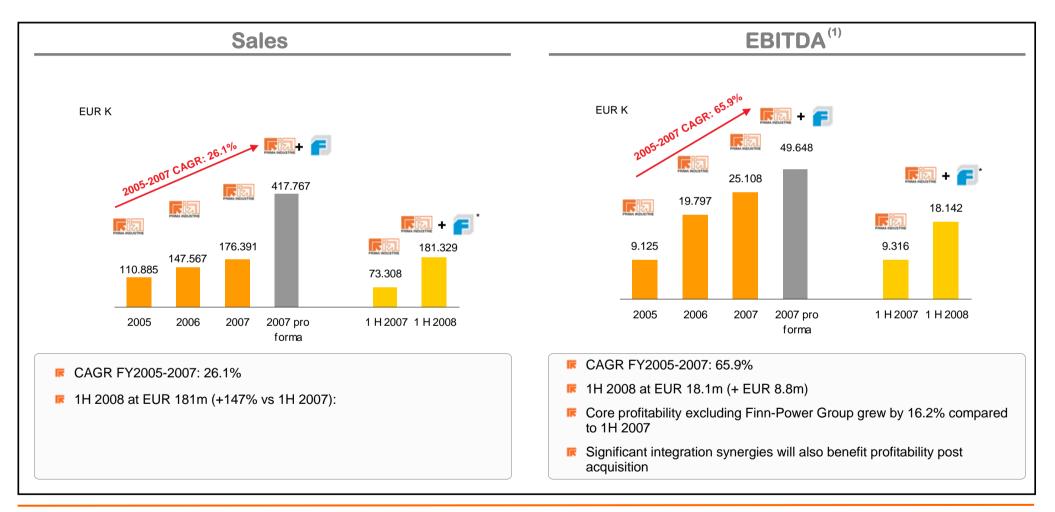
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### **Growth and Profitability**



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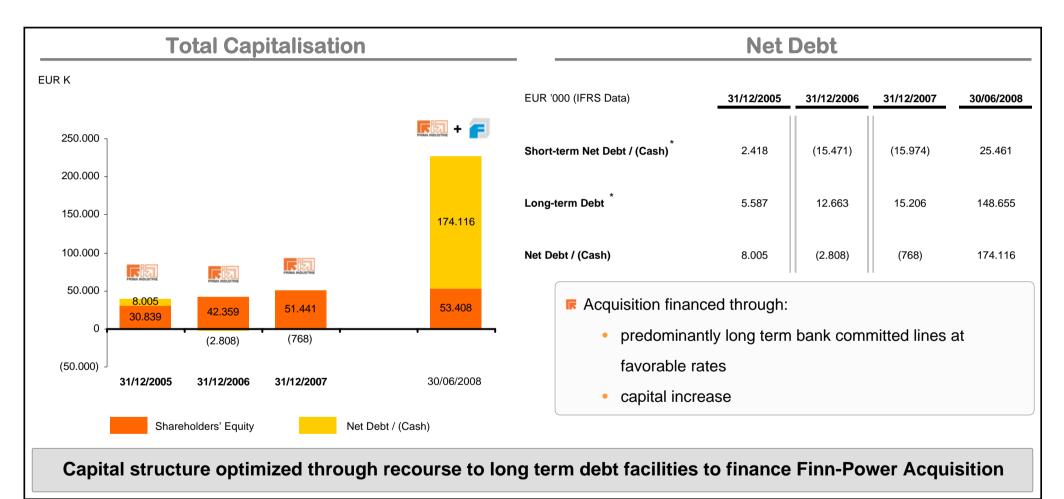
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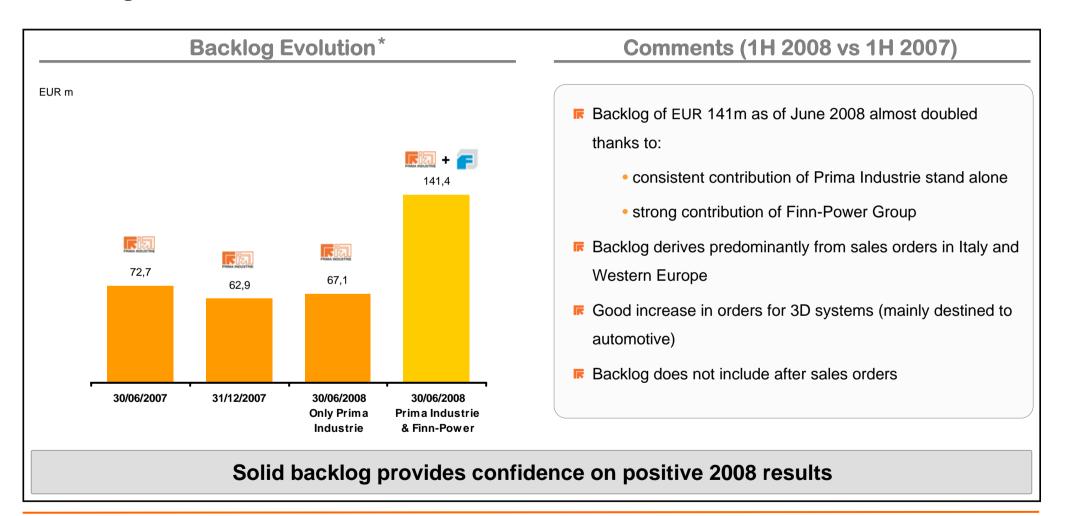
### **Capital Structure**







Backlog as of 30<sup>th</sup> June 2008







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### **Summary Income Statement**

EUR '000 (IFRS Data)	31/12/2005	31/12/2006	31/12/2007	31/12/2007 PF	30/06/2007	30/06/2008 *
Net Sales	110.885	147.569	176.391	417.767	73.308	181.329
Y-o-Y Growth	-	33,1%	19,5%	183,1%	-	147,4%
EBITDA	9.125	19.797	25.108	49.648	9.316	18.142
EBITDA Margin	8,2%	13,4%	14,2%	11,9%	12,7%	10,0%
EBIT	7.917	18.467	23.584	41.686	8.654	15.690
EBIT Margin	7,1%	12,5%	13,4%	10,0%	11,8%	8,7%
Profit/ (Loss) before Tax	7.113	17.577	22.901	31.495	8.381	10.824
- Taxes	(2.005)	(3.857)	(9.154)	(8.865)	(4.353)	(2.993)
- Tax Rate	-28,2%	-21,9%	-40,0%	-28,1%	-51,9%	-27,7%
Net Income	5.108	13.720	13.747	22.630	4.028	7.832
Net Income Margin	4,6%	9,3%	7,8%	5,4%	5,5%	4,3%
<b>Earning per share - EUR</b> # of shares	1,11 4600	2,98 4600	2,99 4600	4,92 4600	0,88 4600	1,70 4600

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## **Summary Balance Sheet**

EUR '000 (IFRS Data)	31/12/2005	31/12/2006	31/12/2007	30/06/2008
Fixed Assets	10.650	11.796	21.049	184.907
-Property, plant and equipment	5.778	6.427	10.166	34.062
-Intangible Assets	2.739	2.511	6.713	143.491
-Investments	2.133	2.858	4.170	7.354
Net Working Capital	36.936	38.043	42.699	54.626
Provisions	8.742	10.288	13.075	19.147
-Provisions for employee benefits	4.937	5.544	7.561	8.844
-Other funds	3.805	4.744	5.514	10.303
Shareholders' Equity	30.839	42.359	51.441	51.441
Net Debt / (Cash)	8.005	(2.808)	(768)	168.945





# Summary Cash Flow

EUR '000 (IFRS Data)	31/12/2005	31/12/2006	31/12/2007	30/06/2007	30/06/2008
Cash Flows from Operating Activities	9.838	15.393	13.634	4.614	16.247
Cash Flows from Investing Activities	(2.246)	(1.759)	(9.823)	(762)	(93.648)
Cash Flows from Financing Activities	(2.545)	(4.426)	(2.963)	(2.698)	81.150
Increase/(Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equiv.	5.047	9.208	848	1.154	3.749



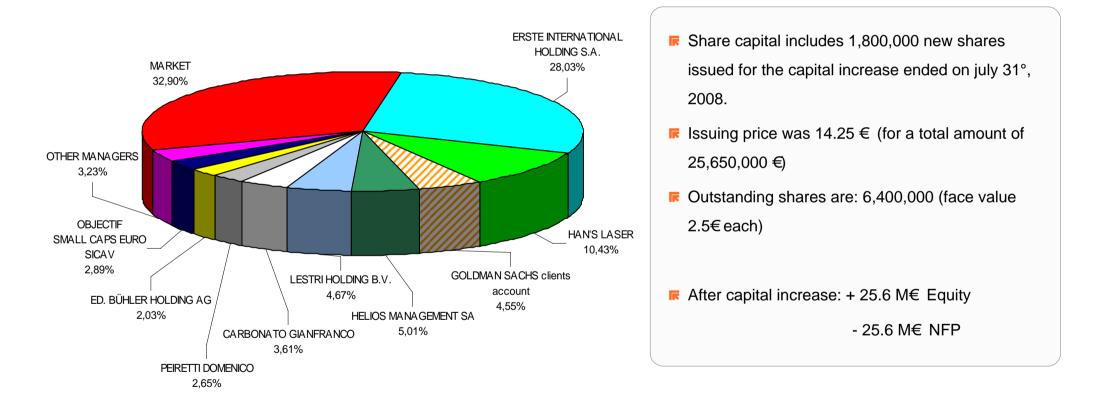


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