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1st quarter 2017 sales: 28.8 M€

(in K€)	2017	2016	Variance	2015
Sales – 1 st quarter ^(*)	28 770	24 751	16.2%	24 384

(*) non audited figures

Activity

During the first quarter of 2017, the Precia Molen Group achieved a turnover of € 28.2 million, an increase of 16.2 % compared to the same period in 2016.

At constant perimeter and currencies rates, the organic growth amounts to 7.3 %, the currencies changes impact the sales by -0.4%.

In details, the Group recorded an organic growth in France of 2.8% when European turnover slightly declined by 0.8%.

The most important part of the organic growth comes from countries outside Europe with a 73,6% increase. Asia-Pacific area brings the most important part of the growth with noticeable performances in India, Australia and Malaysia (+48%, +248% and +204% respectively).

The group also fully benefited from the past 12 months acquisitions, that impact to 9.4%, mainly due to significant acquisitions such as CAPI in West-Africa, Epona in France and Weighpac in New-Zealand with sales on line with expectations.

Forecasts and outlook

The order intake and backlog of the Company and the Group remain well orientated, as in previous months. As of today, the Group anticipates that its internal target of 10% growth shall be reached.

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About Precia Molen

granted an "Innovating Company" status by French authority Oseo.

PRECIA MOLEN designs and manufactures, sales and maintains systems and solutions of industrial and commercial static weighing and of continuous weighing and dosing equipment. Main clients are heavy industries (mines, quarries, steel, environment, energy...) and light industries (food, chemicals, transportation and logistic...) and also public sectors (posts, local authorities...). From design to after sales service, PRECIA-MOLEN is able to provide total weighing solutions for all businesses Precia Molen is present in 42 countries, with 18 commercial subsidiaries and a large network of selling agents. It has four production sites in France, The Netherlands, India, the United Kingdom and Morocco. The Group pursues a large research and innovation program, and has been

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