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### **Activity Highlights**

- Long term presence in the international markets of energy Extended sales network -
- Geographical proximity to large energy markets (N. Africa, M. East, W. Europe)
- State of the art and efficient factory
- Flexibility of production basis
- Close collaboration with the most important suppliers of HRC
- Expertise in the management of large scale projects
- Penetration of the Russian Energy market

### Results 9M 2012

### Consolidated Figures:

CORINTH PIPEWORKS is one of the largest producers of high-quality medium and largediameter steel pipes for the transmission of oil and natural gas, while it is also active in the construction sector through the production and PIPEWORKS belongs to SIDENOR Group and represents its pipe arm.

#### **Share Data**

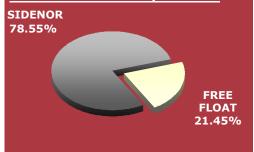
**Europe** Greece

Raw Materials - Steel

**Company Description** 

Price (€) 27/11/2012	1,51
# of shares	124.170
Capitalization	187,5
% change since 30/12/2011	182,2%
52 wks high	1,58
52 wks low	0,46
REUTERS	CORr.AT
BLOOMBERG	SOLK GA

#### Shareholder's Composition



The solid extroversion of CORINTH PIPEWORKS Group and the expansion of its exports, both in existing and in new markets during the nine month period of 2012, boosted Group's sales and profitability, resulting in significant improvement in the financial results, despite the prolonged recession of the Greek economy and the international turmoil.

More specifically, in the nine month period of 2012 CORINTH PIPEWORKS consolidated turnover increased by 27% and amounted to €196.5 mil. compared to €154.8 mil. in the respective period last year. Group's profitability was significantly increased, resulting to gross profit marking an increase of 81.2% standing at €40.5 mil. compared to €22.4 mil. in the nine month period of 2011. Consolidated EBITDA stood at €19 mil. compared to €11.6 mil. in 2011, while EBITDA margin stood at 9.7% of the consolidated turnover compared to 7.5% in the nine month period of 2011. Consolidated profit before tax in the nine month period of 2012 stood at €11.5 mil. compared to  $\in 3.8$  mil. in the respective period last year significantly increased by 205.5%, while consolidated profit after tax and minority rights marked respective increase by 180.5% and stood in the nine month period of 2012 at €9 mil. (0.0727 euro per share), compared to €3.2 mil. (0.0259 euro per share) in the respective period last year.

€ M	9M 2011	9M 2012	Δ(%)
Sales	154,8	196,5	27,0%
Gross Profit	22,4	40,5	81,2%
EBITDA	11,6	19,0	63,1%
EBIT	3,2	10,3	224,6%
EBT	3,8	11,5	205,5%
EATAM	3,2	9,0	180,5%
Margins			
Gross profit	14,4%	20,6%	
EBITDA	7,5%	9,7%	
EBIT	2,0%	5,2%	
EBT	2,4%	5,9%	
EATAM	2,1%	4,6%	

Group's net debt decreased and stood at €8.6 mil. in the nine month period of 2012 compared to €40.9 mil. in 31/12/2011, due to the optimal management of inventories and raw materials purchases, while consolidated Equity increased, standing on 30/9/2012 at €164 mil. compared to €151.4 mil. in 31/12/2011.

CORINTH PIPEWORKS Management's priorities are the penetration in new markets, the expansion of product's portfolio and the completion of the construction of the new production facility for high-strength pipes. These pipes will be used in offshore and onshore energy projects for the transmission of gas and oil, using the LSAW-JCOE production technique. All the above, in conjunction with CORINTH PIPEWORKS's strong capital structure will further strengthen its position in the global market. In addition, the growth expectations in foreign markets, along with the rising energy needs are additional positive factors for the Group.

### **P&L Highlights & Ratios**

		2008	2009	2010	2011
EPS	€	0,0713	0,1630	- 0,0125	0,0453
DPS	€	-	-	-	-
P/BV	Х	0,75	0,62	0,63	0,61

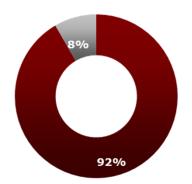
Investment ratios computed at year end number of shares (124,170,201) and share price 0.749 (26/3/2012)

#### **Consolidated Financial Statement**

(000 €)	<u>9M 2010</u>	<u>9M 2011</u>	<u>9M 2012</u>
Sales	114.016	154.778	196.513
Cost of Goods Sold	-86.192	-132.425	-155.998
Gross Profit	27.823	22.353	40.514
SG&A Expenses	-21.474	-17.961	-27.650
EBITDA	17.268	11.645	18.994
Depreciation	-8.521	8.487	8.744
EBIT	8.747	3.158	10.251
Net financial & investment results	109	-1.544	-2.572
ЕВТ	8.856	3.777	11.537
Taxation	-3.390	-560	-2.514
Minorities	0	0	0
EAT & Minorities	5.466	3.216	9.023
Profit Margin %			
Gross Profit	24,4%	14,4%	20,6%
SG&A Expenses	-18,8%	-11,6%	-14,1%
EBITDA	15,1%	7,5%	9,7%
EBIT	7,7%	2,0%	5,2%
ЕВТ	7,8%	2,4%	5,9%
EAT & Minorities	4,8%	2,1%	4,6%

# Sales Breakdown per product (000.€)

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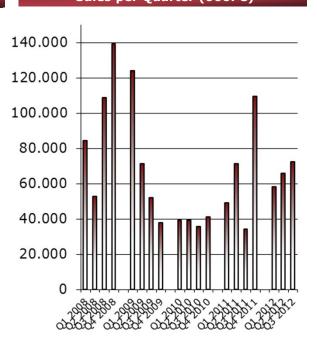


- Energy Unit (Steel Pipes)
- Construction Unit (Hollow Sections)

#### **Consolidated Statement of Financial Position**

(000.€)	2010	2011	9M 2012
ASSETS			
Fixed Assets & Investments	150.514	133.279	128.735
Inventories	43.476	63.673	40.904
Trade receivables and others	35.842	79.699	48.489
Other Current Assets	7	7	0
Cash & cash equivalents	21.516	23.334	28.620
TOTAL ASSETS	251.355	299.993	246.749
CAPITAL AND LIABILITIES			
Long-term bank loans	11.496	9.000	8.000
Other long-term liabilities	14.932	13.836	13.961
Short-term bank loans	15.959	55.245	29.237
Other short-term liabilities	60.475	70.531	31.538
Total liabilities	102.863	148.611	82.736
Total Shareholders Equity	148.492	151.382	164.013
Minority interest	0	0	0
Total Equity	148.492	151.382	164.013
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### Sales per Quarter (000. €)



Additional information concerning the Financial Statements under the International Financial Reporting Standards I.F.R.S. can be found in the company's website: www.cpw.gr

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