

FIRST HALF 2005 FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

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DENMARK AND TURKEY PERFORMED IN LINE OR BETTER THAN BUDGETED; IN ITALY TRADING IN Q2 IMPROVED FROM Q1

(Euro 000)	Jan-June 2005*	Jan-Jun 2004	
NET SALES	402.925	151.075	
RAW MATERIALS	(156.080)	64.111)	
GROSS PROFIT	143.589	55.594	
LABOUR COSTS	(58.197)	(16.325)	
EBITDA	82.764	38.703	
D&A	(33.383)	(14.015)	
EBIT	49.381	24.688	
FINANCIAL RESULT	(2.493)	5.615	
PRETAX	46.888	30.303	

- ➤ Trading at Aalborg was in line with budget. Unicon (RMC) results were above budget
- ➤Trading in Turkey is strong (volumes/prices)
- ➤In Italy Sales we expect an improvement in H2 after a somewhat weak start.
- ➤ Ebitda includes indirect taxes which were previously excluded. 2004 figures are adjusted accordingly





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SALES BREAKDOWN BY DIVISION

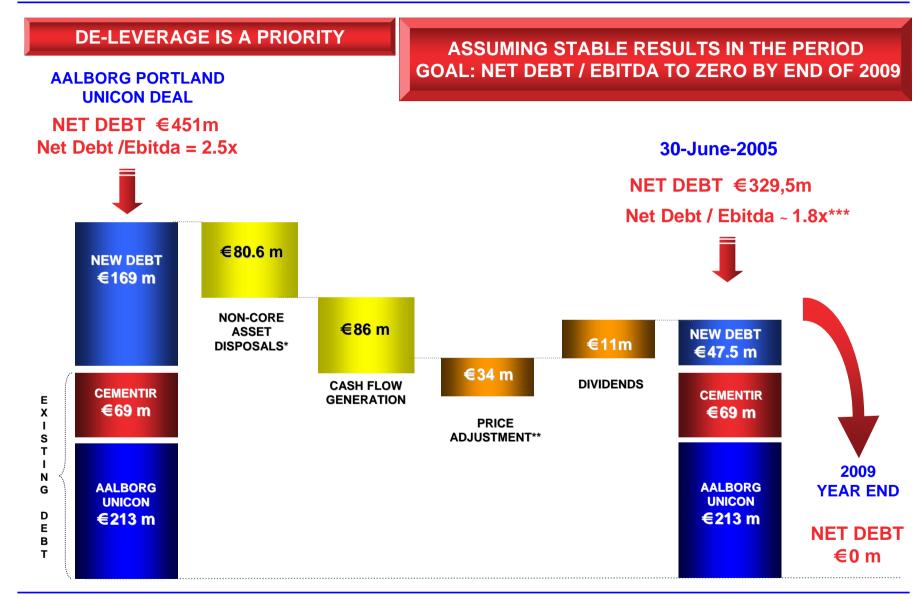
(Euro millions)	Jan- Jun 2005	Jan- Jun 2004	Q2 2005	Q2 2004
EUROPE	308,4	99,5	178,4	50,1
ASIA	65,9	51,6	37,1	29,6
NORTH / CENTER AMERICA	16,3	0	9,0	0
NORTH AFRICA	12,3	0	6,7	0
TOATAL NET SALES	402,9	151,1	231,2	79,7

SALES BREAKDOWN BY PRODUCT

(Euro millions)	Jan- Jun 2005	Jan- Jun 2004	Q2 2005	Q2 2004
WHITE & GREY CEMENT	251,6	132,2	141,4	70,0
RMC	151,3	18,9	89,8	9,7
TOAL NET SALES	402,9	151,1	231.2	79,7

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS: NET DEBT





^{* € 46.6} m from Treasury shares and Caltagirone Editore stake; € 20 m from real estate; € 14 m from other financial stakes

^{**} Retained earnings paid to FLS for Jan-Oct 29th 2004 plus transaction costs and fees

^{***} Based on expected pro-forma EBITDA

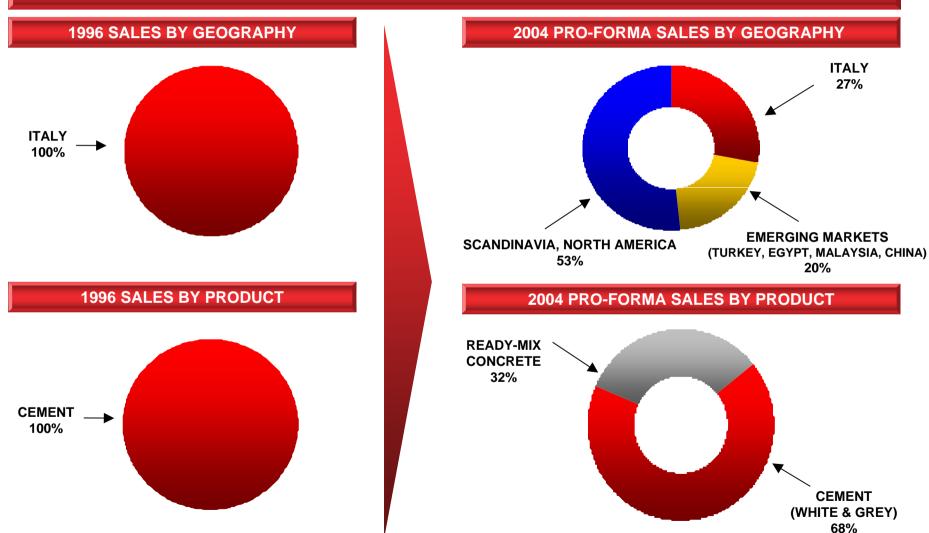




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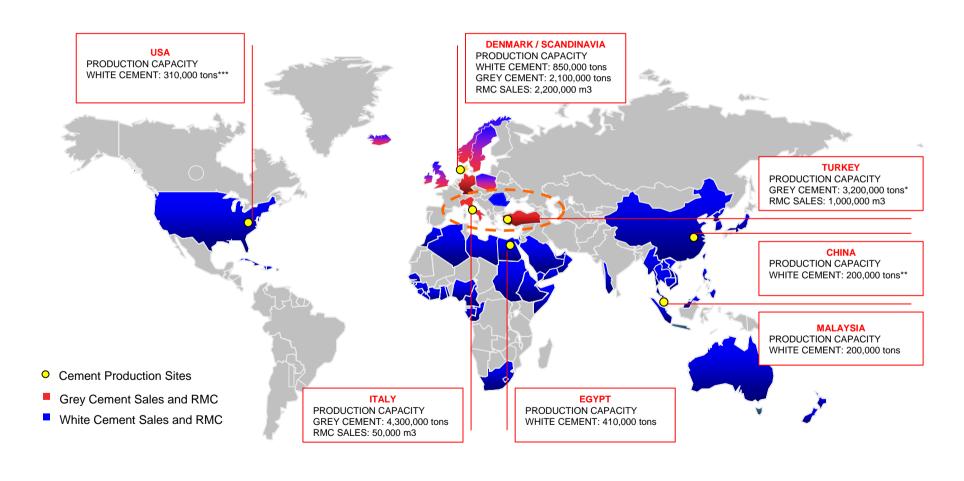
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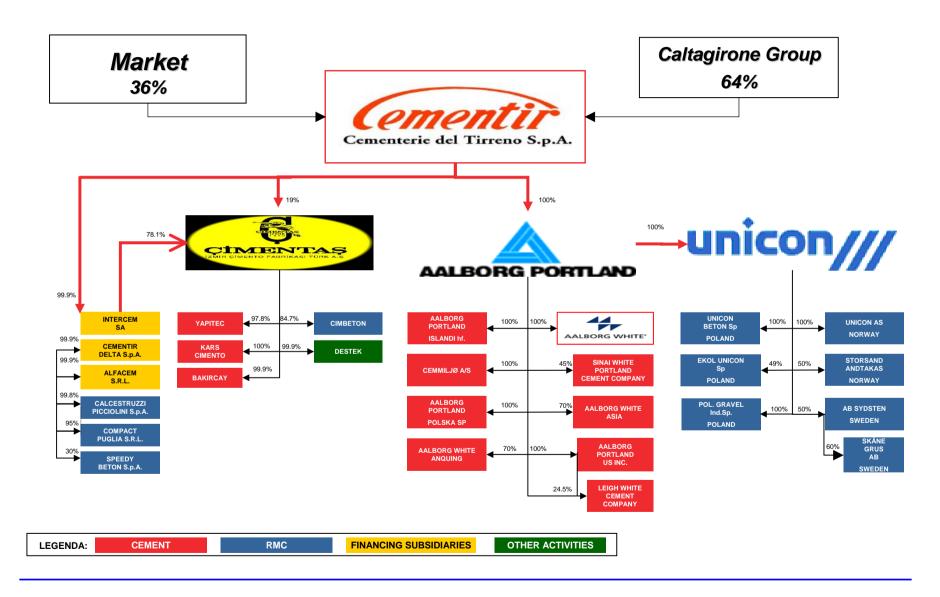
^{*} Including 500,000 tons capacity increase by 2005 year end

^{**} After expansion capex

^{***} In JV with Heidelberger and Cemex

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