

PRECIA SA à directoire et conseil de surveillance au capital de 2 200 000 €  
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## Quarterly Financial Press release

3,9% increase in sales during 1<sup>st</sup> semester 2012

	2012	2011	Evolution
1st Quarter	20 956	20 018	+4,7%
2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter	24 136	23 372	+3,3%
<b>Total 1<sup>st</sup> Semester</b>	<b>45 092</b>	<b>43 390</b>	<b>+3,9%</b>

During the 1st Semester 2012, total sales of Precia Molen (the Group) amount to M€ 45.1 increasing by 3.9% compared to 2011 1<sup>st</sup> Semester (3.7% excluding changes in the scope of consolidation and currencies fluctuations). This performance was driven by export markets where it achieved a strong growth (+14%) while the activity in France resists correctly despite the uncertain economical context.

Orders booking remains high, validating the Group's International strategy and demonstrating its ability to resist. The Group's commercial position on mature markets confirms this strong standing while overseas subsidiaries (Morocco and mainly India) are amongst the most dynamic ones.

The Group will continue its international development, with the aim to open a new South American selling base in Brazil. In early 2012, the Group created a new subsidiary in Romania with the aim to develop business in Eastern Europe where potential significant markets exist. Also, the Group continuously innovates in order to renew and strengthen its range of products.

As such, in the actual hesitant economical context, Precia Molen, confirms its dynamic commercial position. With a wealthy financial position and a real knowledge of its businesses, it also reinforces its will to expand internationally with a target of achieving 50% of the turnover abroad in 2015.

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### About Precia Molen

PRECIA MOLEN designs and manufactures, sales and maintains systems and solutions of industrial and commercial static weighing and of continuous weighing and dosing equipments. 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 11 commercial subsidiaries and a large network of selling agents. It has four production sites in France, The Netherlands and India. The Group pursues a large research and innovation program, and has been granted an "Innovating Company" status by French authority Oseo.

Precia Molen is listed on NYSE Euronext's C compartment in Paris (code ISIN FR0000060832 - Mnemo : PREC).

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