

Delivering on growth

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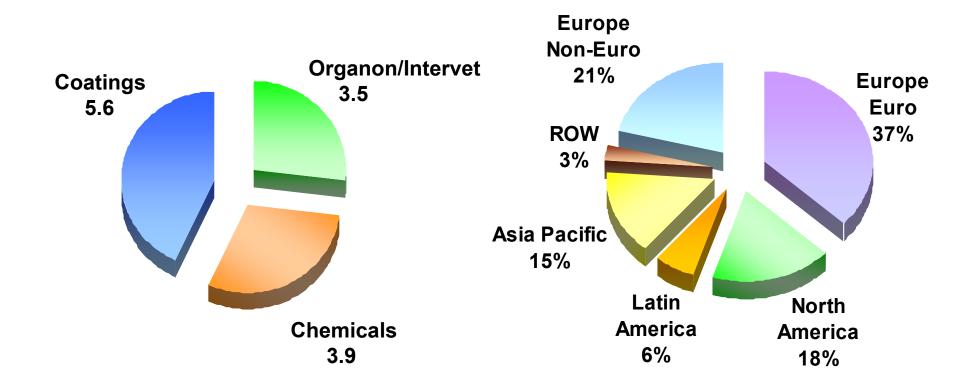
Agenda

- Strategy
- Our performance 1HY 2006
- Update groups
- Agenda 2HY 2006



Leading positions – globally active

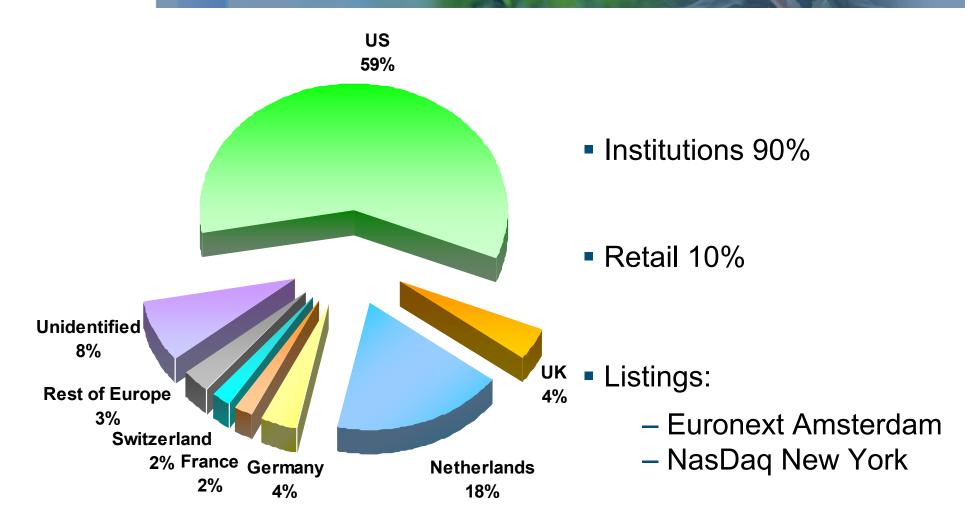
Sales: 13.0



2005 in EUR bln



Shares – globally owned



End 2005



Strategy – delivering on growth

- Leading business positions
 - growth
 - value creation
 - good cash flow
- Pharma investing in future growth
 - high risk; high reward
- Coatings accelerated growth
 - low risk; not capital intensive
- Chemicals adjustments portfolio nearing completion
 - investing in growth
 - medium risk, capital intensive



Akzo Nobel – strong 1HY results

- Revenues up 9%
- EBIT excl. incidentals up 15%
- Positive incidentals EUR 30 mln (2005: 152 mln)
- Strong financial position



Effective strategy drives revenue growth; net income up

EUR mln	1HY-2006	Δ%
Revenues	6,966	9
EBIT (excl. incidentals)	697	15
Net income	610	30

	1HY- 2006	1HY-2005
EBIT margin, % (excl. incidentals)	10.0	9.5
EPS, <i>EUR</i>	2.13	1.64



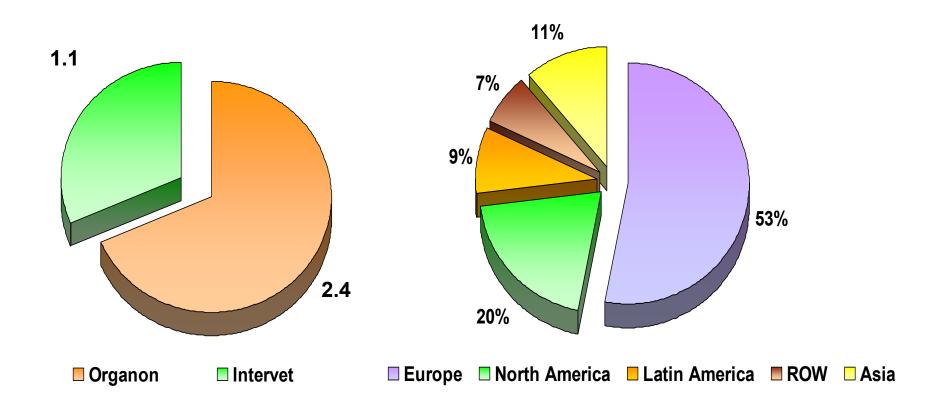
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<i>1HY-'06/'05</i> ∆ in %	Total change	Volumes	Prices	Currency	Acq's/ Divest's .
Organon	12	9	1	2	0
Intervet	4	4	1	2	(3)
Coatings	12	6	1	2	3
Chemicals	5	2	4	2	(3)
Akzo Nobel	9	5	2	2	0



Pharma – continued strong growth

total: 3.5



2005 Sales EUR bln

Pharma – back to growth



Pharma – continued strong growth, investing in future growth and pipeline

- Leading position
 - Organon: gynecology, fertility, anesthesia
 - Intervet: leading in vaccines
- Strong pipeline
 - Organon: 12 products in phases II & III
 - Intervet: steady flow of new products ~10 annually
- Linking biotechnology expertise
 - Nobilon vaccine development



Organon – continued strong growth investing in future sales and pipeline

- Revenues up 12%
- Infertility products continued growth trend
- NuvaRing® strong sales growth, especially in USA
- Continued strong R&D spending
- EBIT improving



Organon – continued strong growth investing in future sales and pipeline

EUR mIn	1HY- 2006	Δ%
Revenues	1,319	12
EBIT (excl. incidentals)	189	19

	1HY-2006	1HY-2005
EBIT margin, % (excl. incidentals)	14.3	13.5
S&D % revenues	31.6	32.3
R&D % revenues	18.9	16.4



Organon – continued strong growth investing in future sales and pipeline

Submissions

Implanon™ US	begin 2006 (approved)

sugammadex	end 2006 – 1HY 20	07

asenapine early 2007

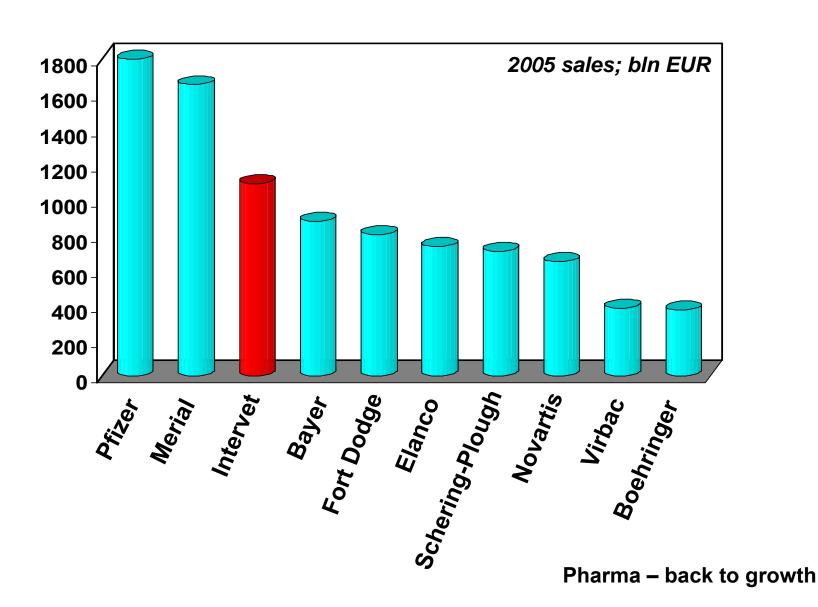
Org 36286 - fertility2008

NOMAC/E2 – oral contraceptive 2009

Org 50081 – insomnia 2010



Intervet - leadership position #3 ww





Intervet - solid growth

- Revenues 7% growth ongoing business
- EBIT margin of 19.4%
- Feed additives divestments completed



Intervet – solid growth

EUR mIn	1HY- 2006	Δ%
Revenues ongoing business	562	7
EBIT (excl. incidentals)	109	2

	1HY-2006	1HY-2005
EBIT margin, % (excl. incidentals)	19.4	19.9
S&D % revenues	25.0	23.7
R&D % revenues	10.1	10.6



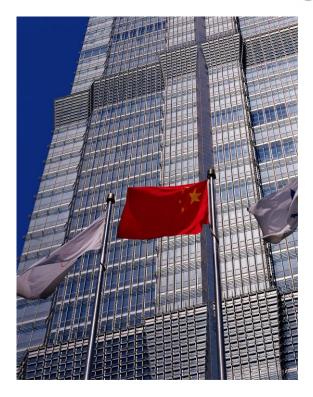
Coatings – # 1 worldwide

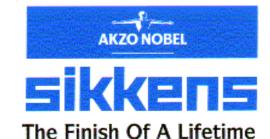




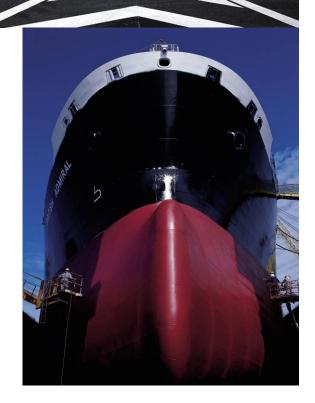
Interpon®

Powder Coatings



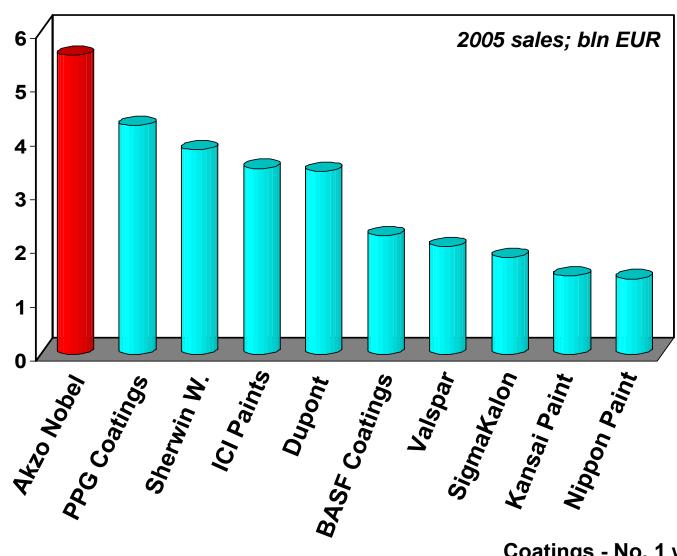








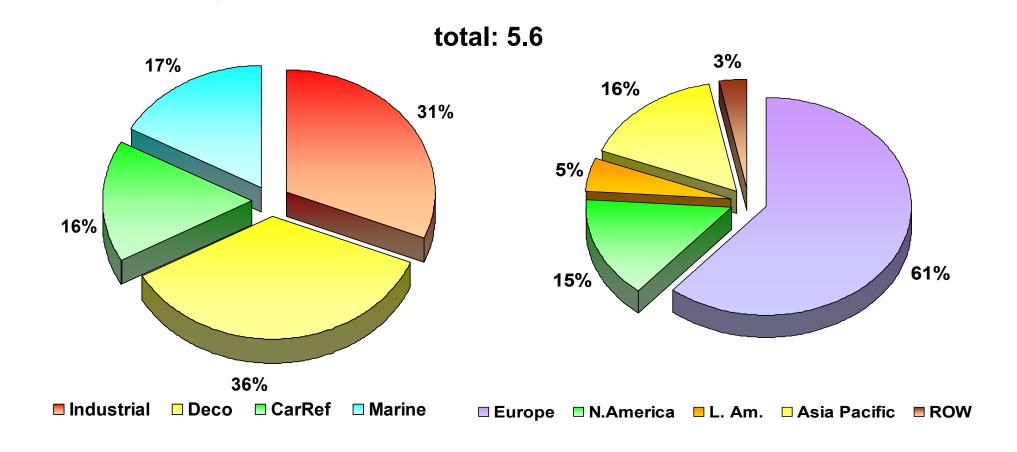
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2005 Sales EUR bln

Coatings - No. 1 worldwide



Coatings - excellent volumes; sharply higher EBIT

- Revenue growth 12%; autonomous growth 9%
- Raw materials price pressure solvents and metals
- Sharp increase in operating income and EBIT margin
- Decorative Coatings challenging business conditions EU; further focus on costs
- Car Refinishes back on track; focus on costs continues
- Industrial activities strong growth across the board
- Marine & Protective continued robust performance
- Acquisition of Sico, Canada completed



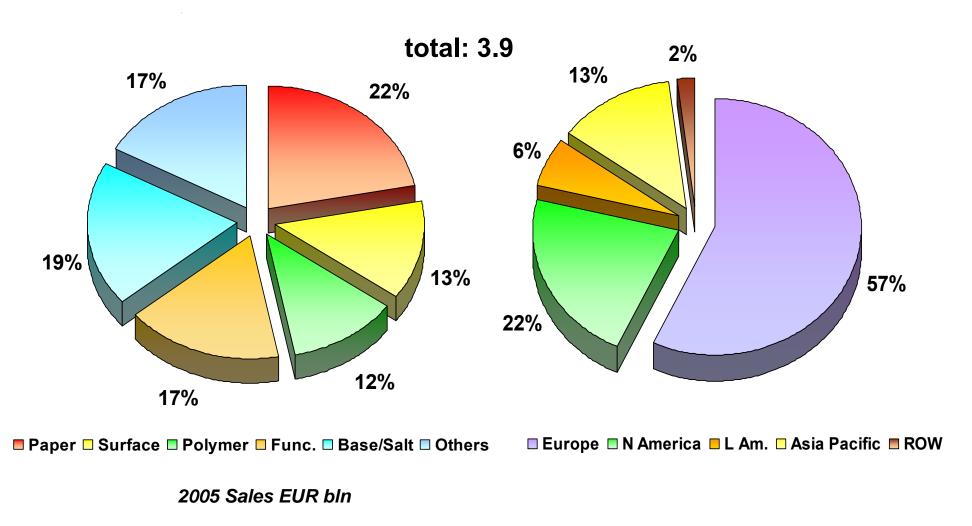
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EUR mln	1HY-2006	Δ%
Revenues	3,077	12
EBIT (excl. incidentals)	279	35

Ratio	1HY-2006	1HY-2005
EBIT margin, % (excl. incidentals)	9.1	7.5



Chemicals – 5 new growth platforms



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Chemicals – strong growth, impact of energy

- Autonomous growth of 6%; EBIT improved
- Pressure from energy and oil-related feedstock
- Pulp & Paper, Polymer and Functional strong improvement
- Divestment program 9 deals closed, sale of remaining 4 smaller unites in progress; Salt Specialties withdrawn



Chemicals – strong growth, impact of energy

EUR mln	1HY-2006	Δ%
Revenues	2,018	5
EBIT (excl. incidentals)	194	15

Ratio	1HY-2006	1HY-2005
EBIT margin, % (excl. incidentals)	9.6	8.8

Chemicals – 5 new growth platforms



Agenda 2HY-2006 (1)

Organon

- Unlock value late stage product pipeline
- Continue to grow key franchises
- Roll-out Implanon™ in U.S.

Intervet

Focus on core activities – continue roadmap improvements



Agenda 2HY-2006 (2)

Coatings/Chemicals

- Identify further growth opportunities, organically and via acquisitions
- Focus on costs in mature markets (mainly EU)
- Conclude Chemicals divestment program

Trading update

Confidence in the second half of the year

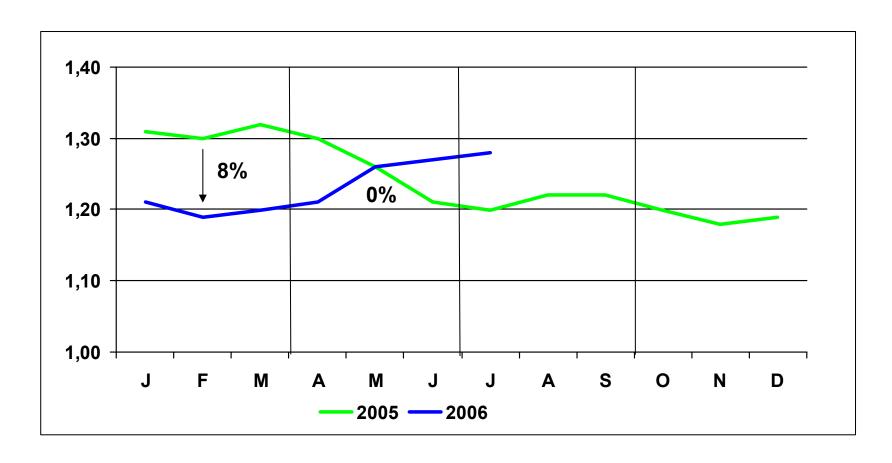


Annexes

- Financials
- Pharma



Euro/USD evolution



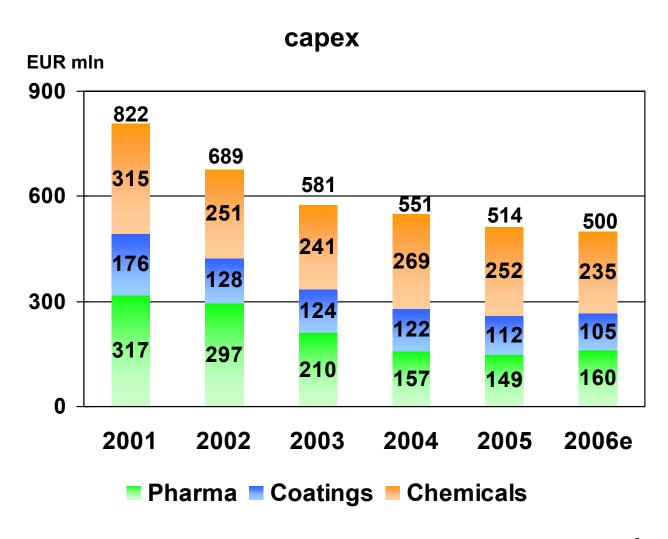
Average rates

USD/EUR

Annex financials



Cash - capex below deprecation



Annex financials



Strong financial position

June '06 / Dec. '05; EUR bln	2006	2005
Equity	3.9	3.6
Net borrowings	1.7	1.6
Gearing (ratio)	0.45	0.44
YTD ratios	2006	2005
Interest coverage	10.1	10.7
EBITDA coverage	13.9	14.6



Cash flow – improved

EUR mIn	1HY-2006	1HY-2005
EBITDA	1,004	1,040
Net cash from operations	168	(31)
Net change in cash	(144)	(446)
Capex	214	233

Annex financials



Indication areas human pharmaceuticals (1)

- Female healthcare
 - Contraceptives
 - mature market, generic pressure, oral segment stable
 - NuvaRing growing very well
 - Infertility
 - biotech niche, stable market
 - Puregon Pen ww available, good growth
 - HT
- market under pressure
- Livial relatively good performance



Indication areas human pharmaceuticals (2)

- Psychiatry
 - Depression Remeron
 Remeron US: reached bottom
 Remeron EUR&ROW: holding up
 - PsychosisAsenapine phase III; on track
- Anesthesiology

no. 1 ww; mature market suggamadex innovation Anzamet licensed-in



Promising R&D pipeline

		Phase II	Phase III	Submission file
	Male fertility control ("male" pill)	Org 3236+TU		
Reproductive Health	New "pill"		NOMAC/E2	2009
	Sustained Follicle Stimulant		Org 36286	2008
	Serotonin-2 - blocker (hot flashes)		Org 50081	
	Oral androgen (male HT)	Org 39970		
	AMPA receptor modulator	Org 24448		
CNS/Psychiatry	HPA axis modulator	Org 34517		
	Serotonin-2 - blocker (sleep)	Org 50081		2010
	Novel psychopharmacologic agent		asenapine	early 2007
Anesthesia	Relaxant binding agent		suggamadex	end 06-begin 07
Cardiovascular	Dual inhibitor (anti-lla / anti-Xa)	Org 42675		



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