

# Francotyp-Postalia Holding AG

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# Francotyp-Postalia (FP) at a Glance

## Overview

- FP-Group **covers the entire value chain** in the outbound mail market
- One of the **world's leading manufacturers of franking machine**: Globally, 9.6% market share
- Worldwide base of approx. **250,000 customers**
- Strong aftermarket business leads to **67.9% recurring revenues and strong cash flow generation** in Mailroom
- With approx. **160 million sorted letters** and **9 sorting centres** one of the biggest companies in Germany for mail consolidation services
- Digital business with approx. 200 customers and approx. **19 million letters**
- Worldwide >1,100 employees

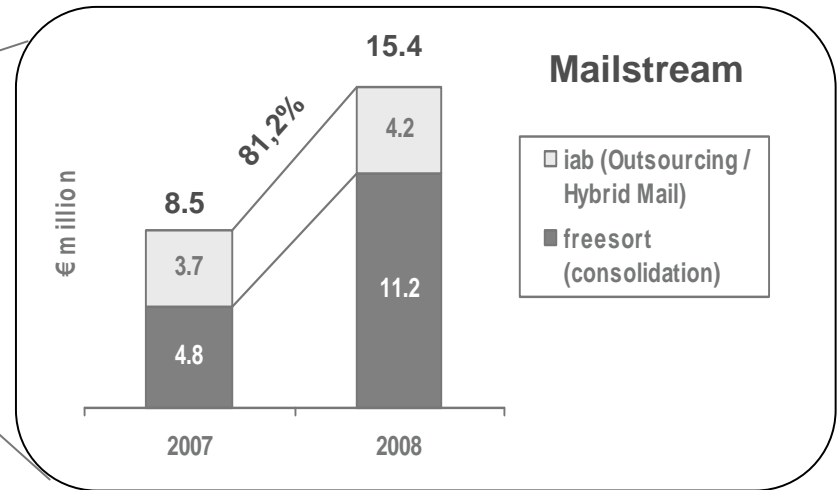
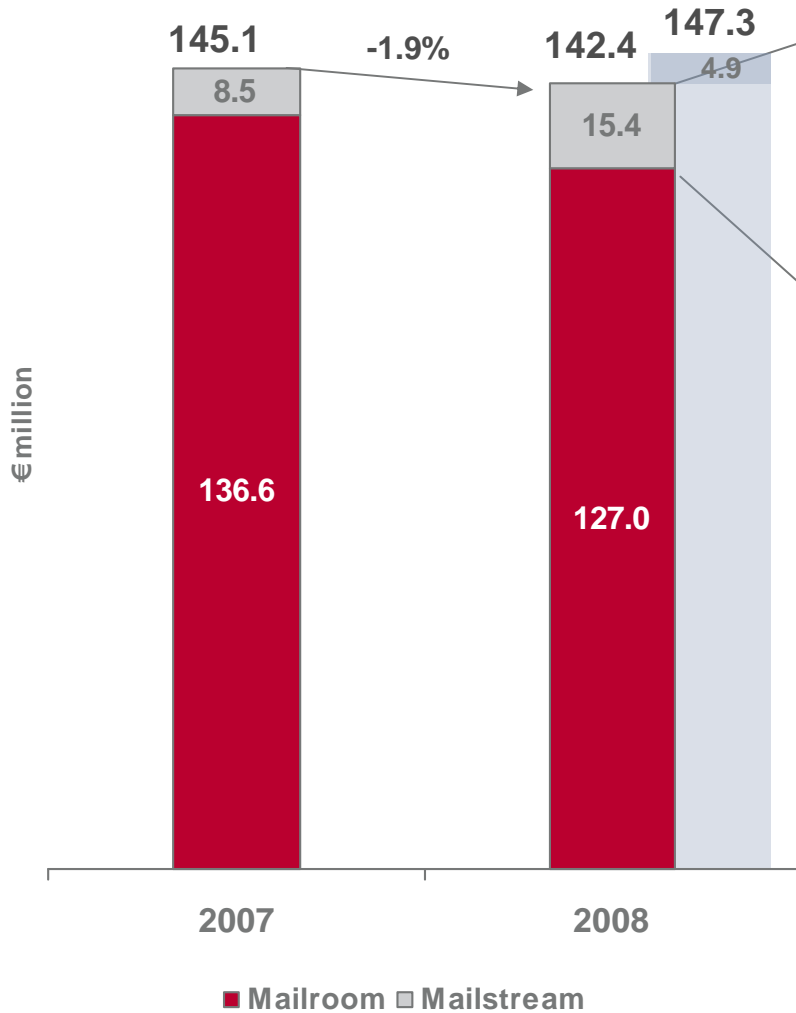
## Key Figures

€ million	2007	2008
Revenues	145.1	142.4
EBITDA before restructuring in % of revenues	25.2 17.4	22.2 15.6
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Net loss	-2.8	-15.7
Operating Cash Flow	19.4	18.7
Installed Base	265,501	267,828



# Mailstream with Strong Growth – Mailroom Burdened with Currency

## Revenues



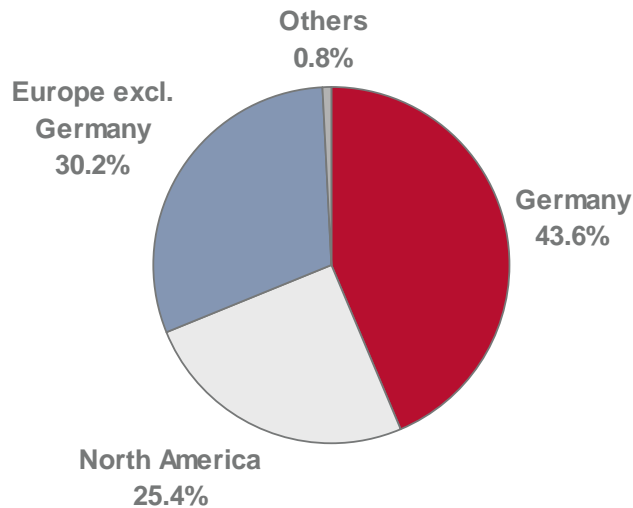
- Revenues of €147.3m (+1.5%) at constant exchange rates
- Mailstream increases revenues by €6.9m
- Mailroom burdened with:
  - currency effect (€-4.9m)
  - NetSet™ effect in The Netherlands in 2007 (€-2.2m) and loss of high volume inserter business (€-1.5m)
  - U.S. rate change lower than expected (€-0.5m)
- Mailroom business in key markets stable in 2008



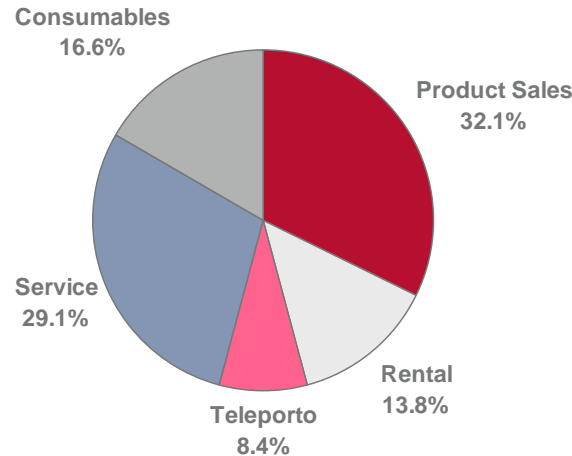
# Diversified and Predictable Recurring Revenues in 2008

## Revenue breakdown for 2008 (including Mailstream)

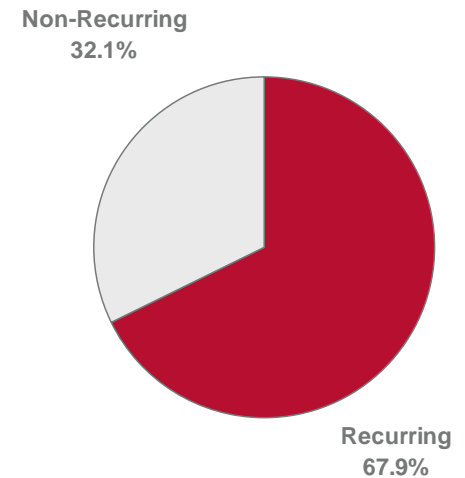
By region



By product



Recurring / Non-recurring

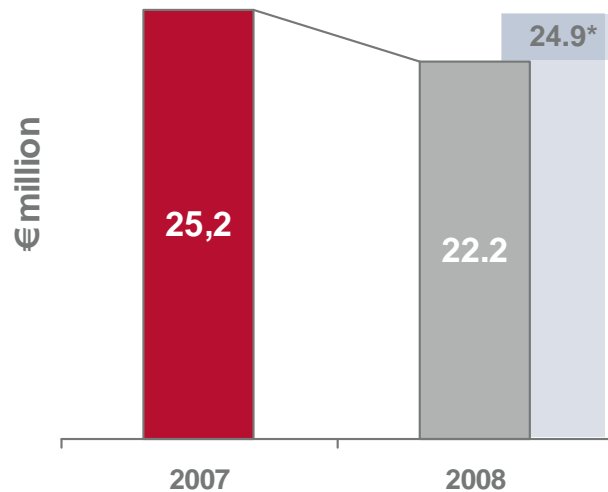


**Global business with strong potential to grow market share internationally**

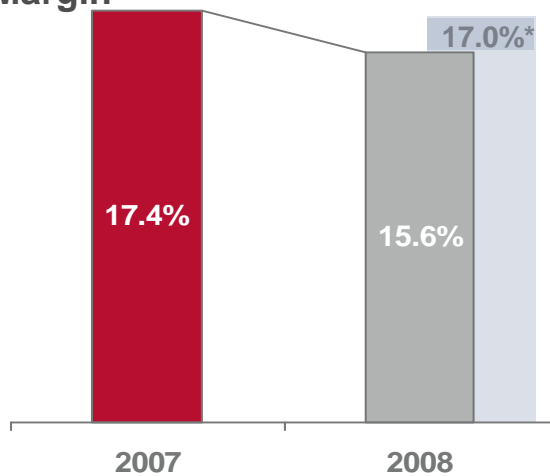
**Percentage of service increasing due to growing Mailstream**

**Large and continuous stream of recurring revenues as a result of extensive and stable installed base**

# Currency and One-off Effects strained EBITDA in 2008



## EBITDA Margin



- **EBITDA of €24.9m** at constant exchange rate and before restructuring costs
- **Currency effect of €2.7m**
- **Restructuring costs** show an impact of **€4m**:
  - €1.4m personnel expenses incl. severance payments
  - €1.9m SCO
  - €0.7m other consultancy
- **Mailstream:**  
Positive EBITDA of €1.2m (2007: €-0.9m)

\* Change at constant exchange rate and before restructuring costs

# Net loss due to Restructuring Cost and Extraordinary Depreciations

€ million	2007	2008
<b>Revenue</b>	<b>145.1</b>	<b>142.4</b>
Change in inventories	-1.0	0.6
Own work capitalised	12,1	8.2
<b>Total output</b>	<b>156.2</b>	<b>151.2</b>
Material expenses	46.0	43.3
in % of revenue	31.7	30.4
<b>Gross profit</b>	<b>110.2</b>	<b>107.9</b>
Personnel expenses	54.3	55.3
in % of revenue	37.4	38.8
Operating expenses ./ income	30.8	34.5
<b>EBITDA before restructuring</b>	<b>25.2</b>	<b>22.2</b>
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Depreciation	9.9	14.6
<b>EBITA</b>	<b>15.3</b>	<b>3.5</b>
Amortisation	18.2	15.7
<b>EBIT</b>	<b>-2.9</b>	<b>-12.2</b>
Interest result	-2.6	-3.1
Financial result	1.0	-0.4
Tax result	1.7	0.0
<b>Net profit/loss*</b>	<b>-2.8</b>	<b>-15.7</b>
<b>EPS (€)**</b>	<b>0.18</b>	<b>-0.96</b>
<b>EPS (€)</b> adjusted by amortisation	<b>0.71</b>	<b>-0.17</b>

- **Own work capitalised** down due to reduced swap rate of rental machines in 2008 compared to higher rate in 2007 in Canada (Decertification) and The Netherlands (Net Set); lower capitalised R&D cost.
- **Material expenses** mainly declines due to lower own work capitalised.
- **Personnel expenses**
  - higher due to a net effect of €0.7m for severance payments
  - growing **Mailstream** business leads to increased expenses of €1.2m
  - savings in **Mailroom** business of €-0.9m
- **Operating Expenses** increased by €4.1m mainly due to €2.6m restructuring costs and €1.3m higher costs in expanding Mailstream business
- **Extraordinary depreciation** due to iab GmbH (€2.5m), alignment of SCO (€1.4m) and R&D (€1.2m)
- Negative **financial result** due to an **exchange rate driven reassessment** of intercompany receivables for CAN, US, UK

\* before minorities

\*\* after minorities

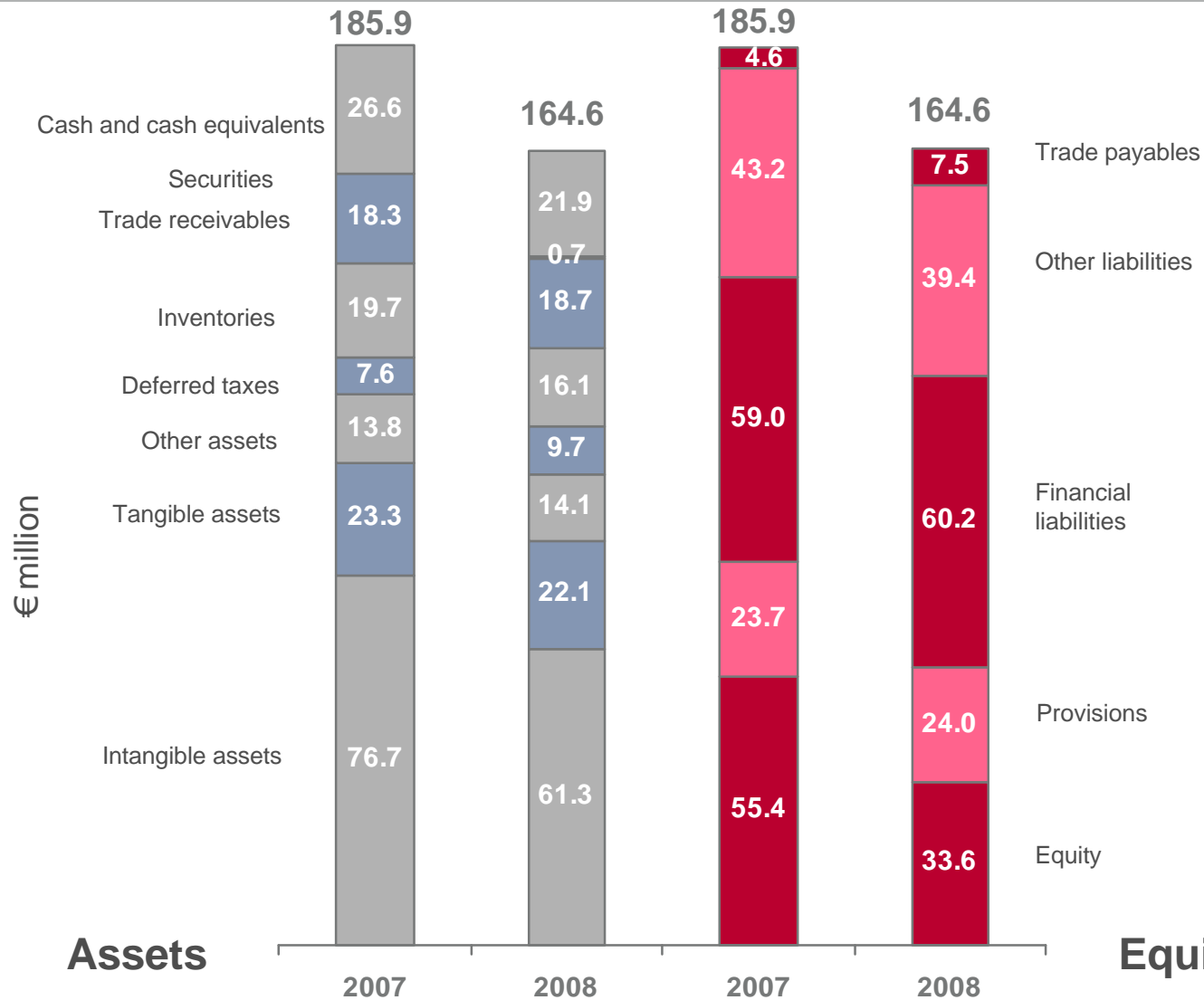


# MOVE – Restructuring Programme

- **Research and Development: completed**
  - Definition of new structure and processes
  - Reduction of expenses mainly external personnel expenses and consultancy services
- **Administration: completed**
  - Reduction headcounts worldwide in administration, IT and sales
- **Supply Chain Optimisation: in progress**
  - centralised stocking
  - Synchronised production
  - Headcount reduction
  - Evaluation of current SCO-project leads to realignment.

**Ongoing Restructuring programme is a requirement for mid-term gains**

# Consolidated Balance Sheet Abbreviate as Planned



- **Inventories reduced by €3.6m**
- **Networking Capital of €27.3m (€33.4m in 2007)**
- **Intangible assets further amortised as planned**
- **Negotiations about mid-term funding completed since Dec 08 and secured mid-term liquidity**
- **Loan redemption will continue to decrease net debt position as planned**
- **Net debt of €3.2m (€51,7m in 2007)**
- **Equity ratio of 20.4% (29,8% in 2007)**



# Ongoing Strong Operating Cash Flow

€ million	2007	2008
<b>Cash flow from operating activities</b>	<b>19.4</b>	<b>18.7</b>
<b>Cash flow from investing activities</b>	<b>-17.4</b>	<b>-15.8</b>
thereof:		
R&D	-5.8	-3.7
Tangible assets	-3.7	-3.6
Intangible assets	-1.6	-3.8
Leased inventories	-6.3	-4.9
<b>Free cash flow</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>2.9</b>
<b>Cash flow from corporate acquisitions</b>	<b>-17.0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Cash flow from financing activities*</b>	<b>-18.7</b>	<b>-3.3</b>
<b>Cash and cash equivalents</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>7.0**</b>

\* incl. currency effect of €-0.2m (prior year €-1.6m)

\*\* including €0.7m securities

- **R&D:** First results from **restructuring programme**
- **Intangible assets:** Mainly **customer lists** of Direkt Express Brief AG and **Software** in connection with SCO
- **Leased inventories:** Absence of decertification effect in CAN and NL

- **Dividend payments** €2.2m
- **Share buy-back** €1.3m
- **Repay bank loan** €3.6m
- **Take-up a bank loan** €4.0m



# Business Year 2008 at a Glance

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- 2008 was a **challenging year** for the FP-Group
  - Global recession affected operative business
  - Strong Euro had a **negative currency impact** of €4.9m on revenue and €2.7m on EBITDA
  - **One-off depreciations** – mainly iab and realignment SCO - burdened earnings
- **Restructuring programme** to lay the seeds for **profitability**
- FP-Group was still **in line with expectations**
  - 64.0% predictable **recurring revenues**
  - **Stable development** in **key markets** Germany and UK
  - **81% growth rate** in Mailstream business

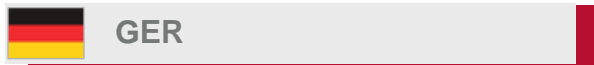


# Strategy and Outlook

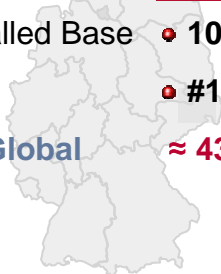


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# Mailroom: FP Gained Market Share in US and UK



• **233k** Installed Base    • **102k** Installed Base  
 • **#1** Market Position  
 ≈ **8.4%** of Global Market    ≈ **43.8%** Market Share



• **251k** Installed Base    • **22k** Installed Base  
 • **#3** Market Position  
 ≈ **9.0%** of Global Market    ≈ **8.7%** Market Share



**Global Market Franking Machines**

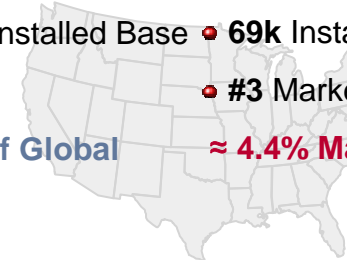
- Installed base: 2.8m

**FP Market Share Franking Machines**

- 9.6% global market share
- 267k Installed base
- Installed base > 80 countries worldwide
- Leading position in key markets
- FP is set to gain market shares in UK and US markets



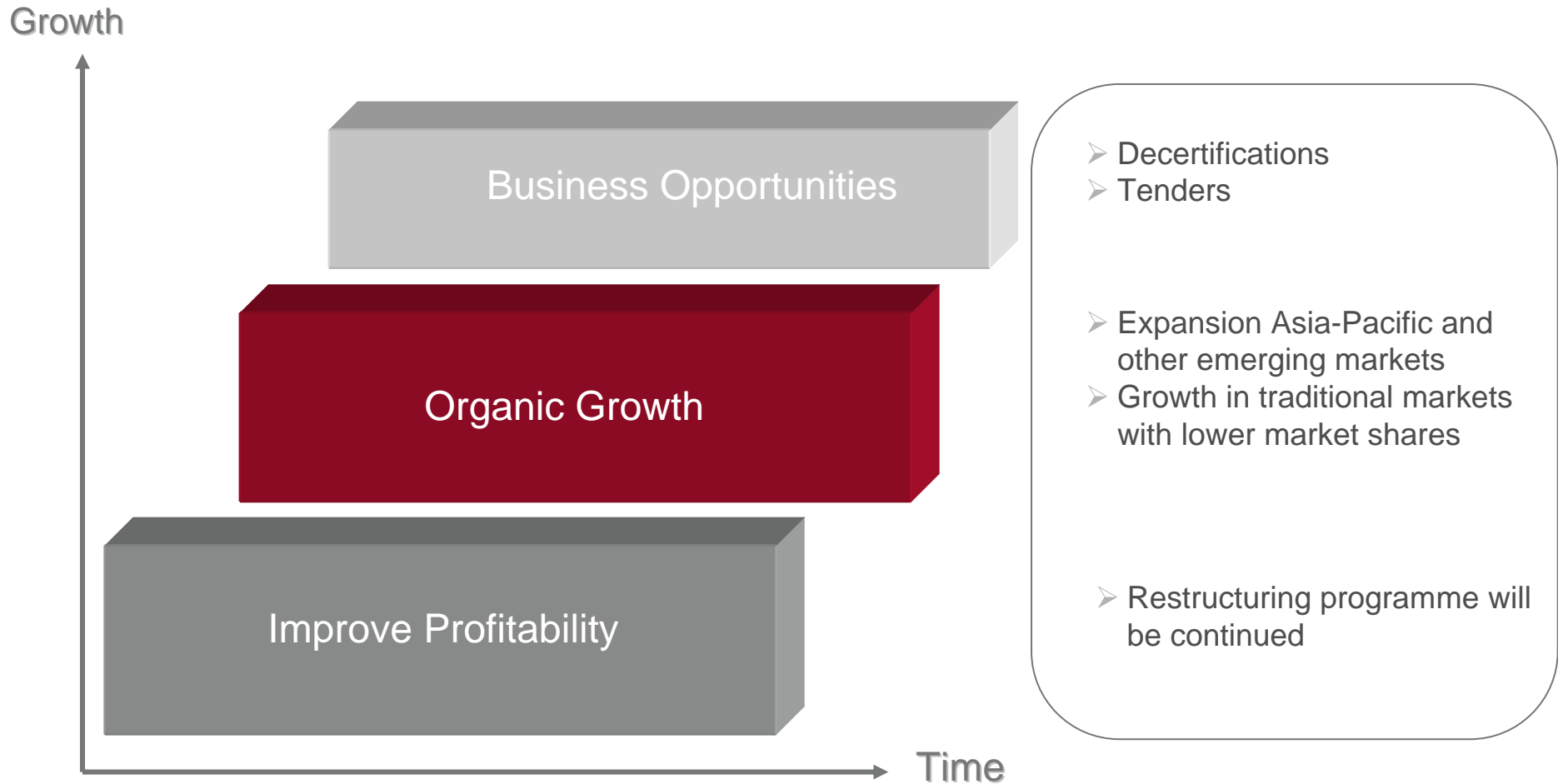
• **1,570k** Installed Base    • **69k** Installed Base  
 • **#3** Market Position  
 ≈ **56.4%** of Global Market    ≈ **4.4%** Market Share



• **53k** Installed Base    • **15k** Installed Base  
 • **#2** Market Position  
 ≈ **1.9%** of Global Market    ≈ **27.7%** Market Share

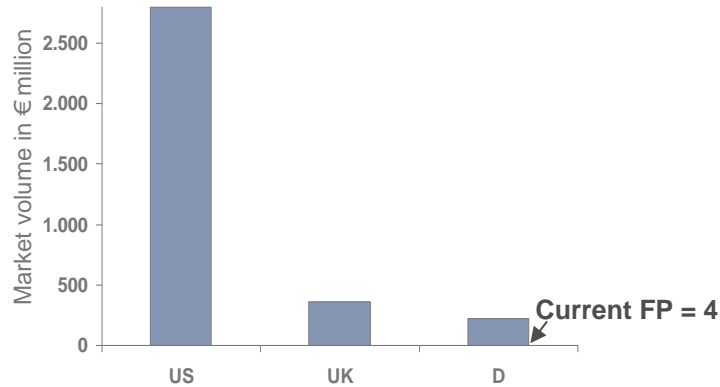


# Mailroom: Strategic Thrust to Improve Core Business

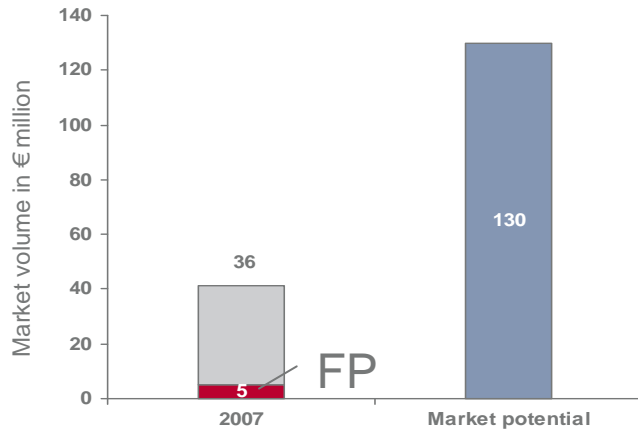


# Mailstream: Still High Growth Potential

## Digital Market 2008



## Consolidation Market Germany



- **New Sales structure in Germany** unifies Mailstream and Mailroom sales activities

### Digital business:

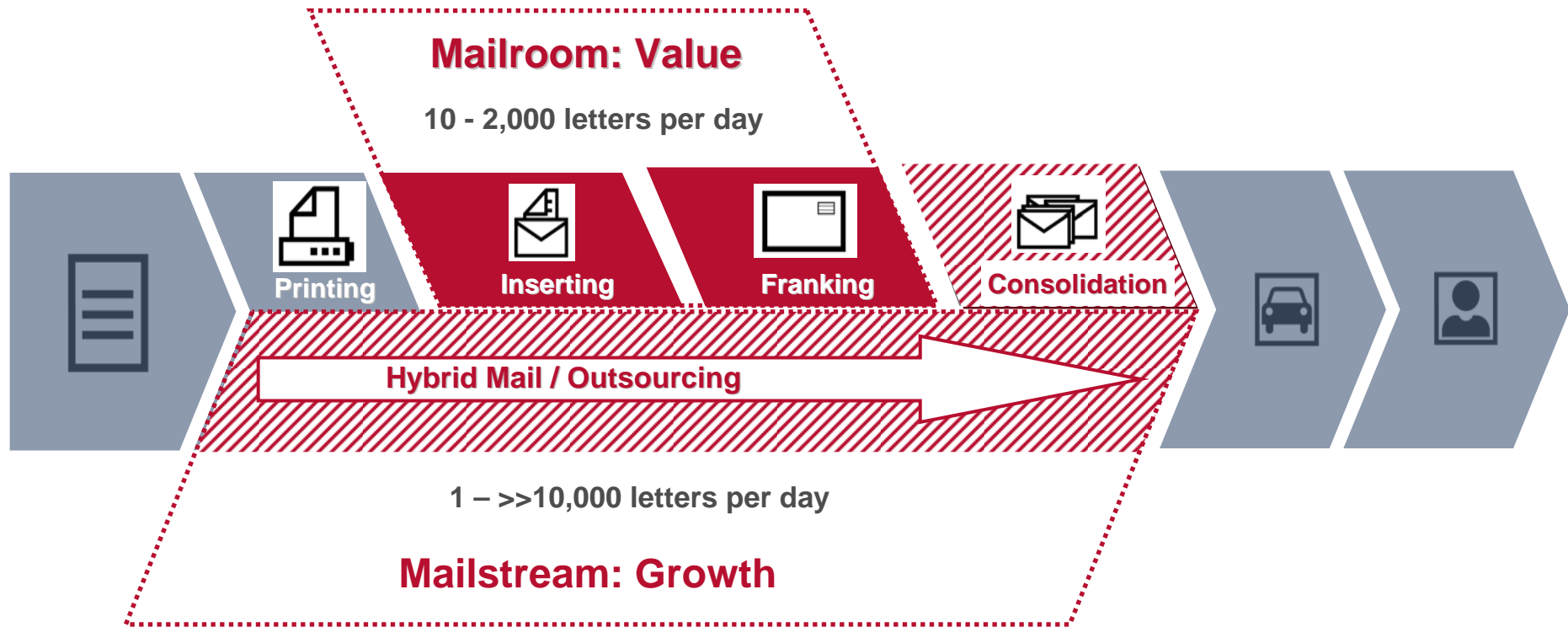
- approx. **200 customers and 19 million letters** in Germany
- **International roll out of digitalisation** business will start in UK

### Consolidation business:

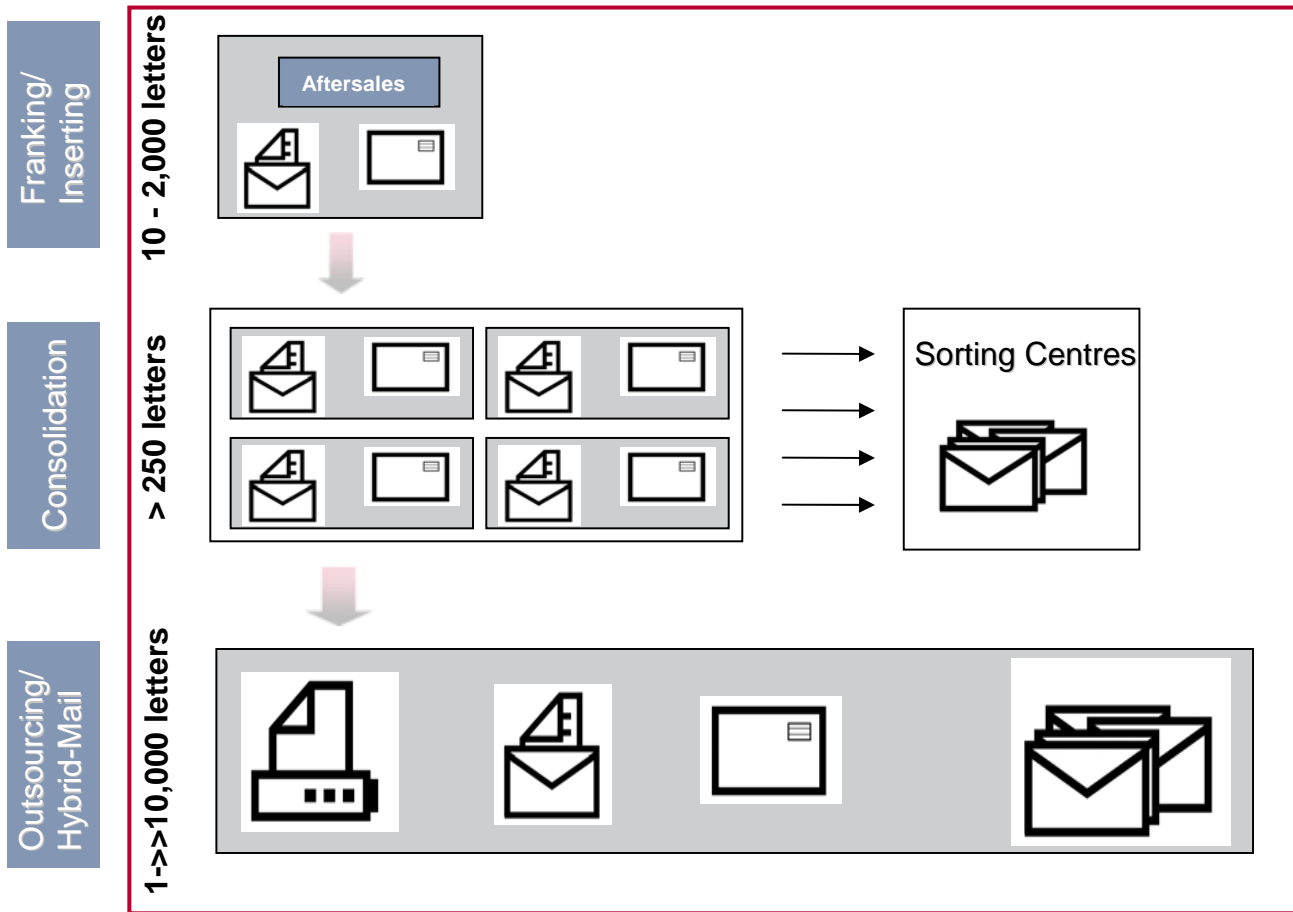
- **Stronger competition**
- **Nationwide network of sorting centres**
- Consolidated letter volume of **160 million letters** in 2008 (2007: 80 million letters)



# FP – Your Mail Management Company



# Mail Management by FP - A Unique Competitive Advantage



## Cost Savings Example Germany:

costs/letter	€1.38
Outsourcing costs/letter	€0.25
<b>savings/letter</b>	<b>€1.13</b>
Letter/day	7,000
Letter/year	1,76m



**Broad Customer Base Offers Attractive Cross-selling Potentials**

# Outlook for 2009

- **Deep global recession** will continue to impact FP markets in 2009
- Significant **reluctancy to invest**
- **Uncertainty** about length and depth of the recession **does not allow quantitative forecast**

- High percentage of **recurring revenues**
- **Mail Management Solutions** will help customers to fulfill cost-saving programs – midterm opportunity
- Restructuring with **positive effect on earnings**



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**We will now answer your questions.**

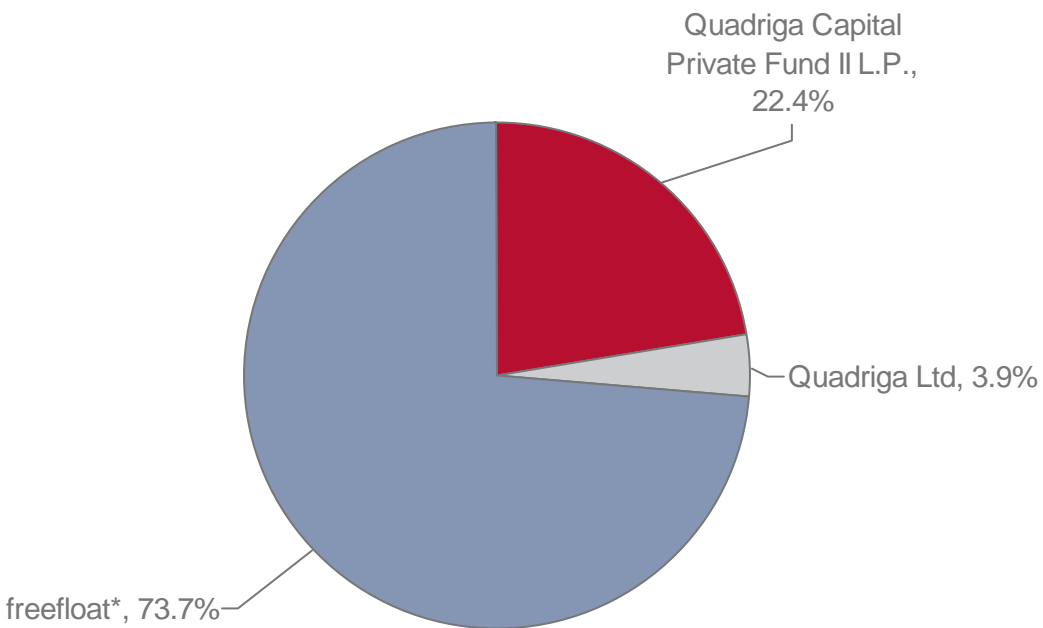


# Appendix



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# Shareholder



## Freefloat

Amiral Gestion	11.30%
Baillie Gifford & Co	5.39%
Financière de l'Echiquier	5.11%
Richelieu Finance Gestion Privée	4.85%
Eric Spoerndli	3.28%

\*Treasury Stock 2.52%



# Financial Calendar

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Results 2008	April 2009
Results Q1 2009	28 May 2009
Annual General Meeting	23 June 2009
Halfyear Results 2009	27 August 2009
Results Q3 2009	November 2009
Results 2009	April 2009



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