

## PRODUCT RENEWAL - A SOURCE FOR LONG-TERM PROFITABILITY

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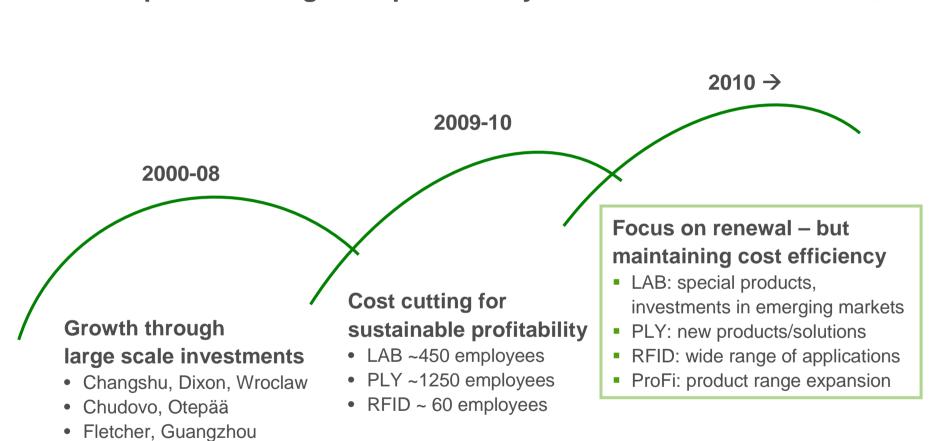
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## ENGINEERED MATERIALS Engineered Materials Business Group in a nutshell



- Labelstock and Plywood Business Areas
- RFID and UPM ProFi development units
- Higher added value businesses with growth potential
- Businesses with opportunity for renewal
  - In-house know-how and development plays a significant role
  - New end-use areas, emerging markets
  - New businesses based on UPM's unique advantages



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# Development from cost cutting to renewal provides long-term profitability

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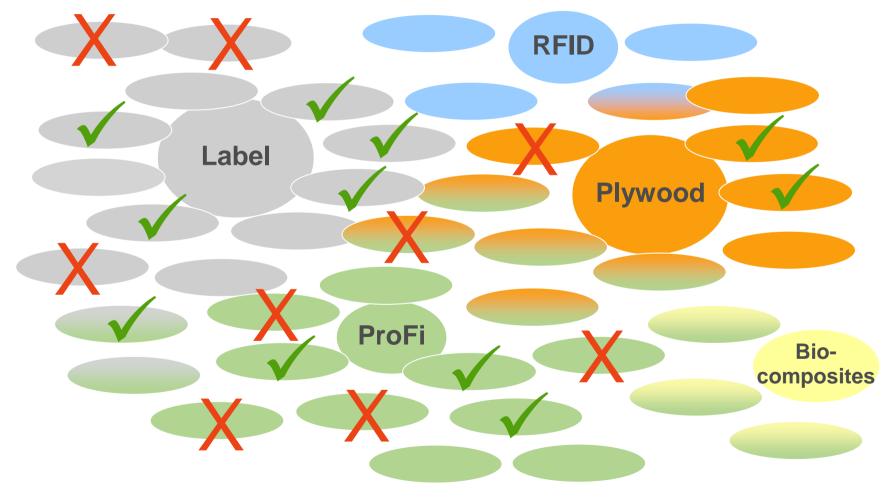
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#### **ENGINEERED MATERIALS**

Product renewal in Engineered Materials comes from a multitude of small or mediumsized opportunities





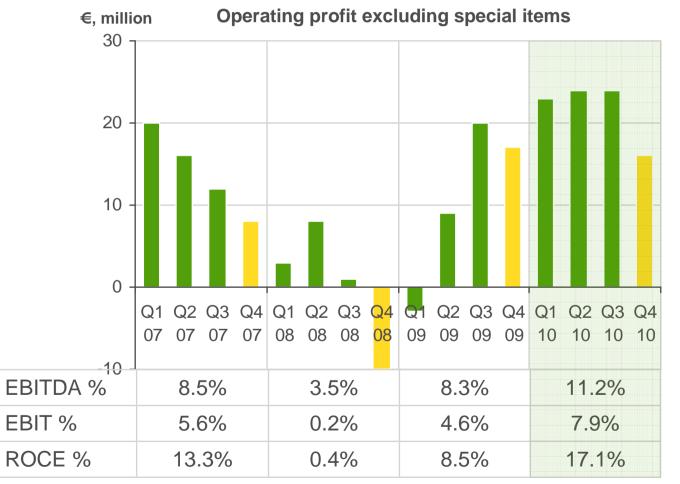


## LABEL BA AS A PROFITABLE GROWTH BUSINESS



## LABEL Good result in a year characterized by record high raw material cost inflation

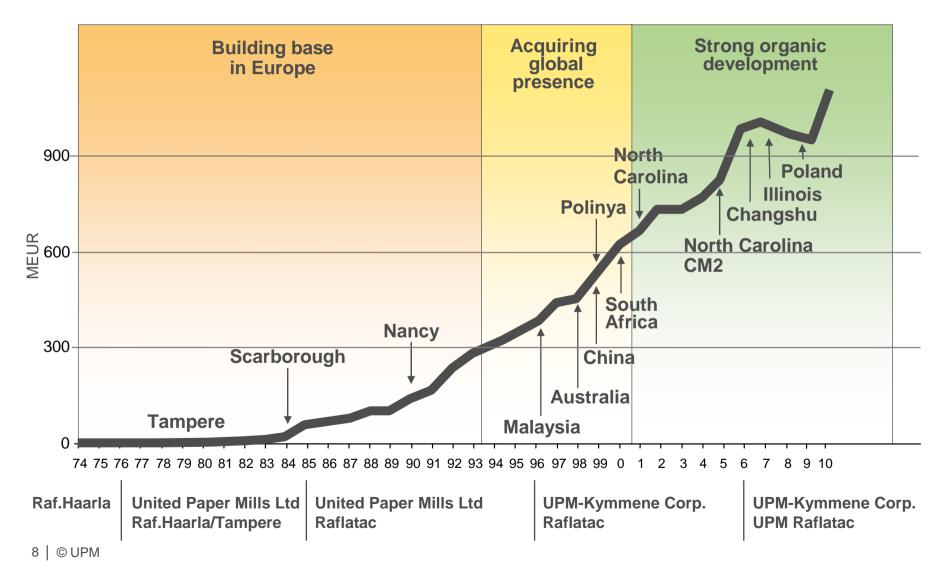




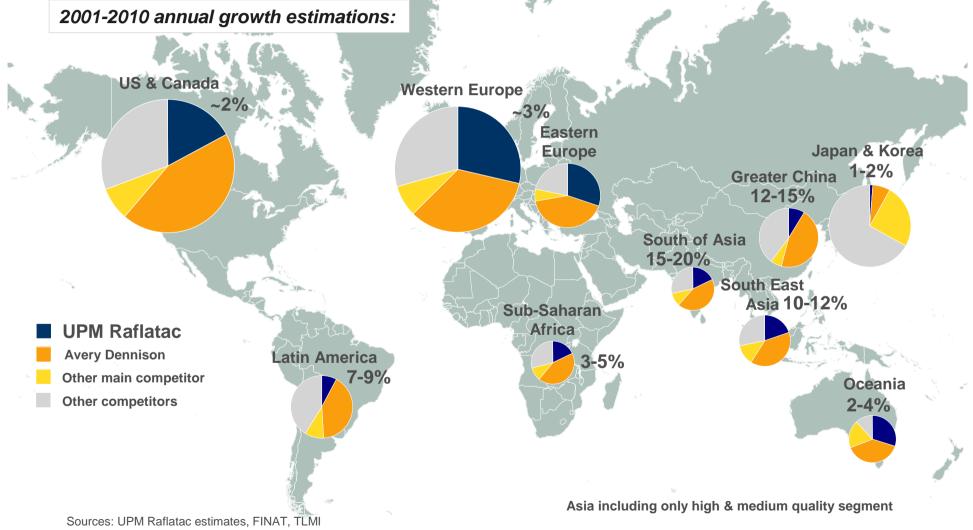
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LABEL Back on growth track through expansion of product range and emerging markets





#### LABEL Labelstock is a ~6 bn EUR growing business globally, UPM has the #2 position in most marketsThe Biofore Company UPM



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## LABEL A wealth of end-use areas offers growth potential in tailored solutions



Beverage labelling

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Food labelling



Security labelling





Wine labelling



Home & personal care labelling



Pharmaceutical labelling



Tyre labelling



Shoe rue Stoe

A4 & Cut-size labelling



Retail Iabelling



Logistics & Transport labelling

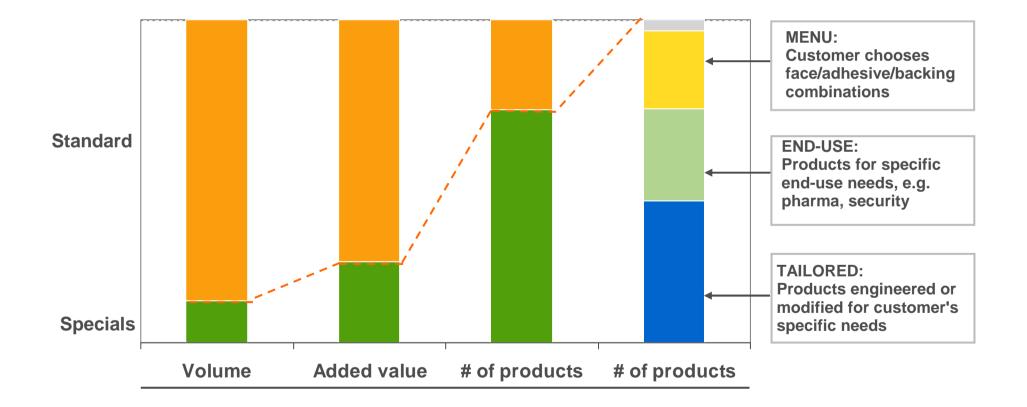


Oil & Industrial Chemical labelling

LABEL

Mastering product complexity deriving out of customers' specialized needs is key to a profitable labelstock operation





## LABEL Case: Thinnovation – ProLiner PP30

- Thin and strong liner material especially for moist environments
- Recyclable
- In-house technology development which enables large-scale production

Benefits for printers, packers and brands

- Faster press speeds
- Lower transportation costs, less warehouse space
- Waste liner has commercial value





## LABEL Case: Biodegradable RafBio range

- Fully biodegradable label materials based on corn starch, cellulose and bio-adhesives
- Based on a specific, branding-based customer need
- Aimed for growing number of biodegradable packaging solutions in the food, beverage and personal care segments.

### Benefits for brand-owners

- Biodegradable package can be composted with label on it
- All materials are completely biodegradable into carbon dioxide and water





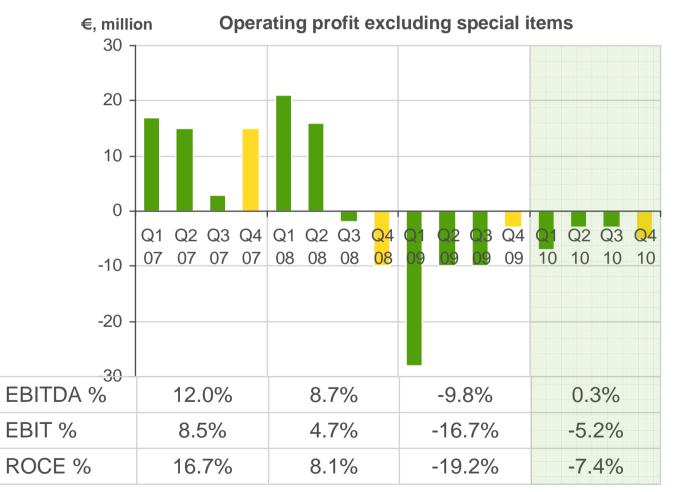


## PLYWOOD RENEWAL – FOCUS ON CUSTOMER BENEFITS



#### PLYWOOD Significant cost cuts and prices are increasing – delivery volumes still at a low level

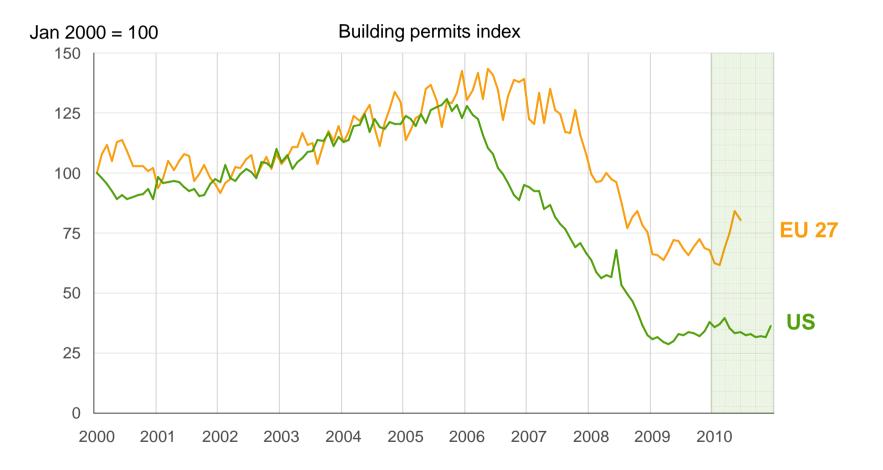




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#### PLYWOOD Construction activity remains low affecting demand for plywood and sawn timber





Source: EU Commission - Economic and Financial affairs, U.S. Census Bureau 16  $\mid$  @ UPM

#### PLYWOOD Cornerstones of strategy: cost competitiveness and product renewal

Ongoing actions to secure profitability and raise competitiveness

- Heinola and Kaukas plywood mills and the Lahti processing plant closed
- Doubling capacity and step-change in operating costs at Savonlinna mill on-going
- Strong focus on pricing

## Growth opportunities

- Structurally good long-term prospects plywood demand drop due to cyclical factors
- At the forefront of development: from products to solutions which enable significant process benefits to customers



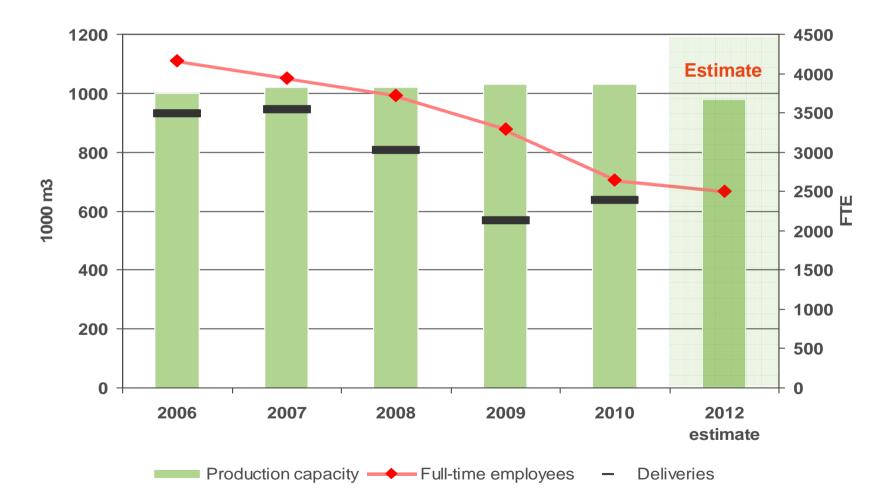




#### PLYWOOD

Once the rebuilt Savonlinna mill is up and running, UPM will be able to produce peak volumes with >35 % less personnel





## PLYWOOD Case: WISA bonded floor solution

- New effective solution to install trailer floor by bonding instead of screwing
- Co-development between UPM and Dow Automotive Systems; patent-protected
- Sold exclusively by UPM

### **Benefits for manufacturers and truckers**

- Rigid structure and more silent chassis
- Enables redesign for lighter chassis
- Improved durability and reduced maintenance need; less corrosion as no screw holes in chassis
- No loose screw damages to the load





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## PLYWOOD Case: Formable plywood

- New patent-protected technology to manufacture layered composites using a special adhesive film
- The first application of the technology is formable plywood which can be formed by heating after manufacturing

### **Benefits for manufacturers**

- Superior efficiency in form pressing; less process steps, less waste and shorter lead time
- Stronger and more stable products
- New design possibilities: thinner and lighter product with same strength, allows new forms







## SUMMARY





## Summary

- Engineered Materials consist of higher added value businesses with growth potential
- Product renewal and cost efficiency are the cornerstones of successful businesses
- UPM's position in the growing labelstock market is strong and current operation platform enables sustained organic growth
- Ongoing actions in Plywood secure profitability and raise competitiveness
- Increasing share of customer driven special products and solutions provides long-term profitability



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