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GFI Informatique 2006 Results

Analysts' meeting

20 March 2007





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Key figures - 2006





Revenues:	€633.1m	+7.4% (organic)
Operating income on ordinary activities:	€40.3m	+35.6%
Operating margin:	6.4%	(vs. 5.5% in 2005)
Net income, group share:	€18.9m	+68.9%
Net earnings per share:	€0.40	+53.8%
Proposed dividend:	€0.2 per share	
Net debt:	€53,7m	

A confirmed improvement in performance



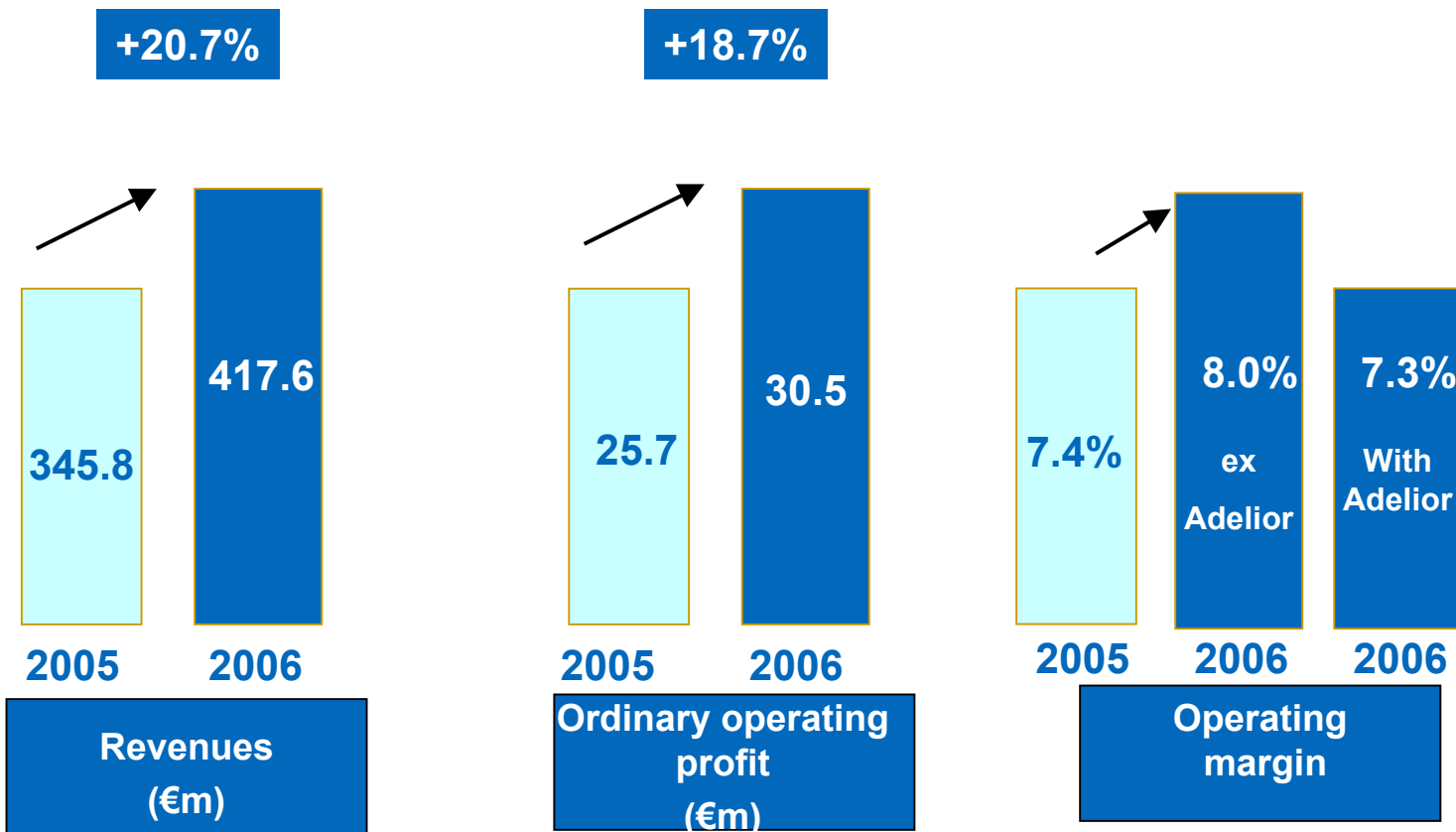
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Activity in 2006





France

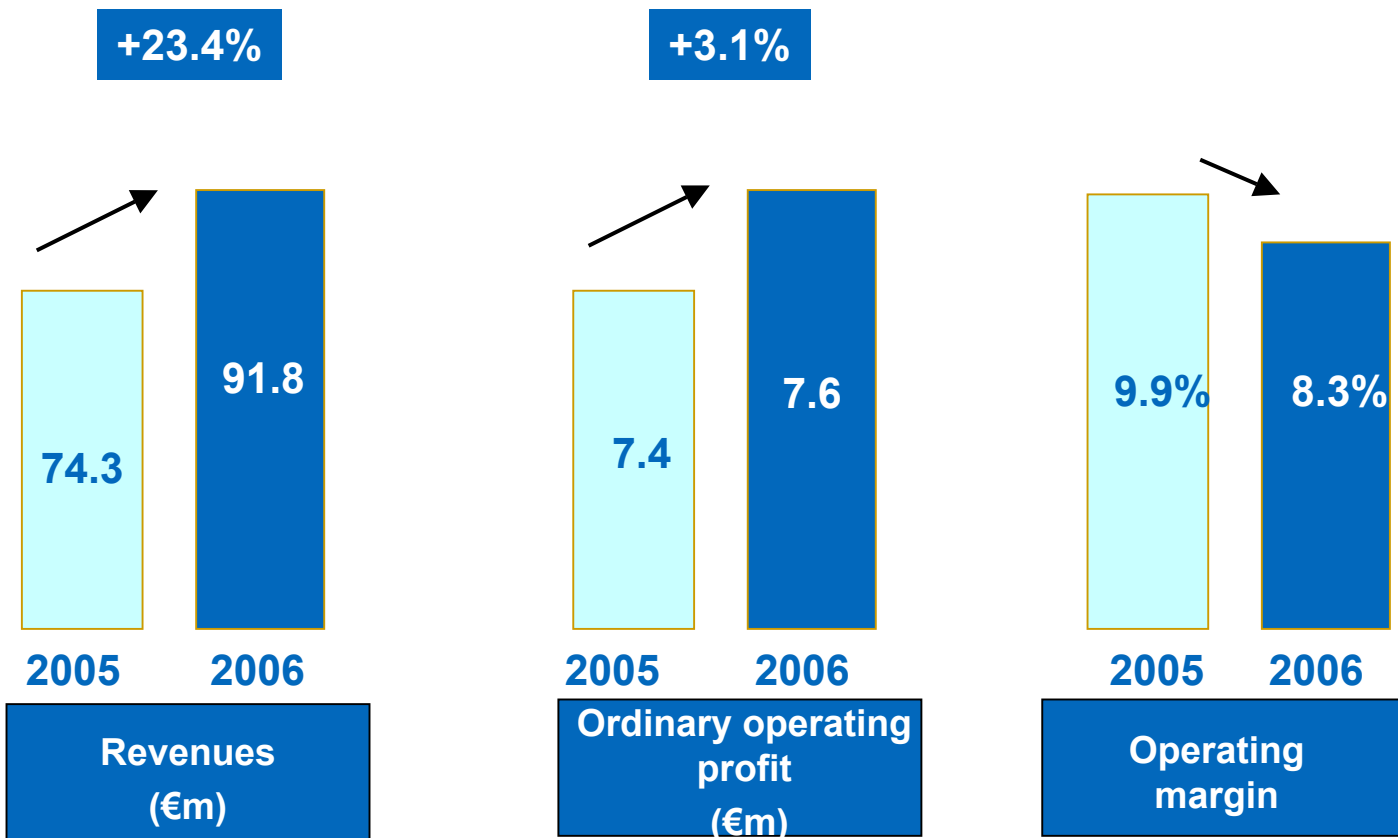




- **Good performance**
 - Revenues: €417.6m
 - Organic growth: 5.1%.
 - Operating margin 7.3%: stronger in H2
 - H1 = 7.2% and H2 = 7.4%
 - excluding Adeliior/Actif: 8.0%
- **Successful integration of Adeliior/Actif:**
 - rise in operating margin: H1 = 2.2% and H2 = 4.8%
 - increased business potential:
 - **Outsourcing, Electronic Payments, Solutions**
 - **Banking, Telecommunications and Public sectors**



Spain - Portugal

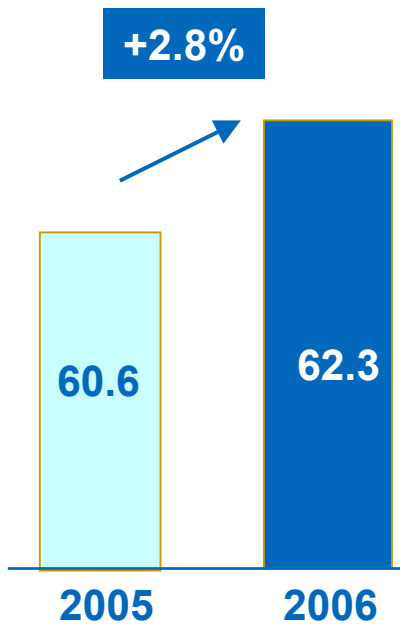




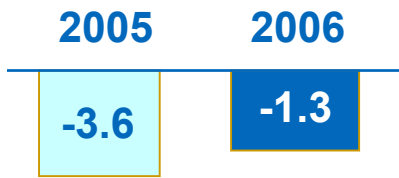
- **Organic growth of 18%**
- **8.3% operating margin:**
 - Software businesses acquired in 2004 and 2005: development is slower than expected but they constitute a growth relay for the medium term
- **Good business performance**
 - Contracts worth several million euros signed in Biometrics in H2
 - Robust growth in systems integration and outsourcing
 - Major ERP project over three years for the Basque regional government
 - Development of the Group service centre in Alicante



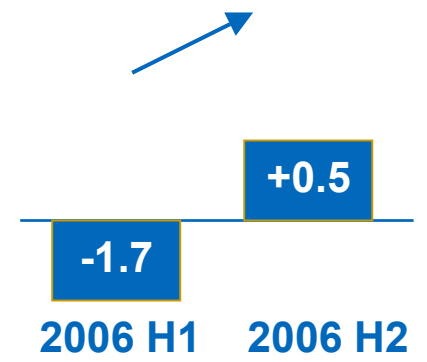
Italy



**Revenues
(€m)**



**Ordinary operating
profit
(€m)**



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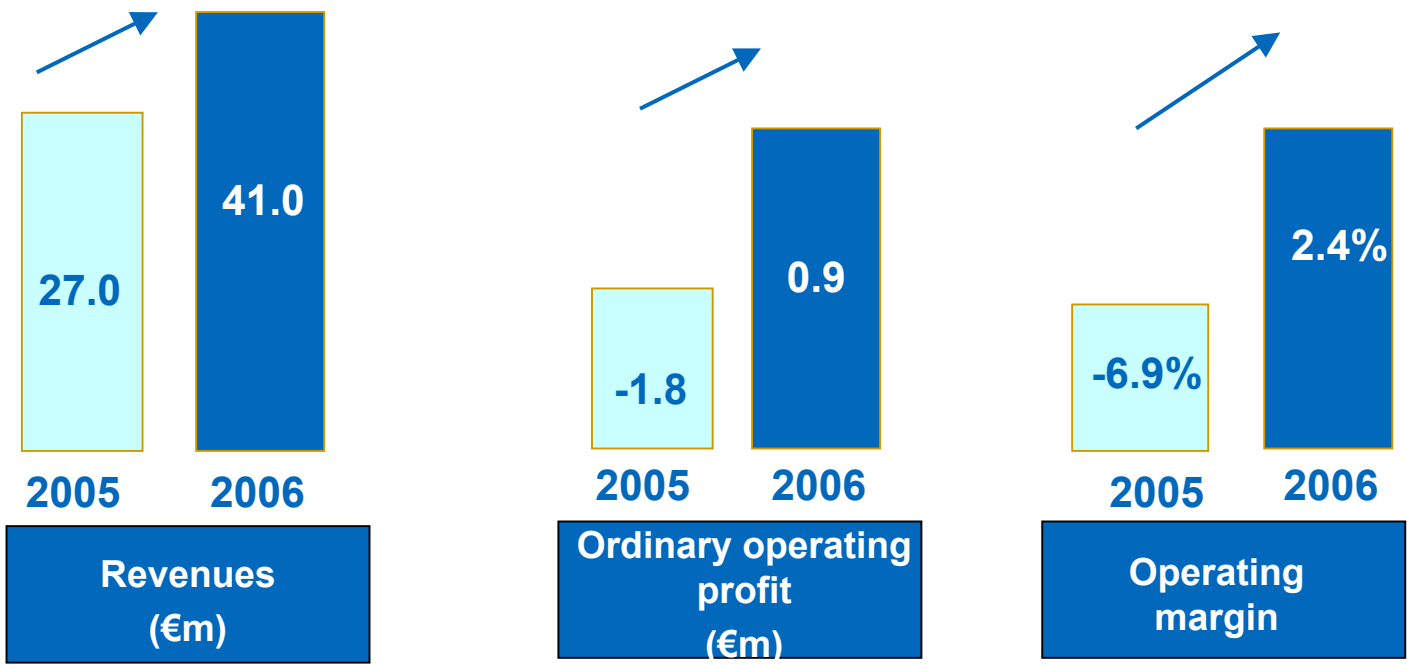


- **Revenue growth, to €62.3m**
- **Operating income/loss: -€1.7m in H1 and +€0.5m in H2**
- **Effective strategic repositioning:**
 - strong progress in the energy sector
 - business development with Group clients operating in Italy
 - ramp up of new technology offers
- **Ongoing efforts to lock in growth and return to profit:**
 - Restructuring is continuing
 - Costs provided for in 2006:
 - **Restructuring: €2.3M**
 - **Goodwill: €1.4M**
 - **Other non recurrent costs: €0.9M**
 - Ongoing sales efforts and management beefing up



Northern Europe

+52.0%



Note: 2005 figures exclude the UK subsidiary, sold in October 2005



Northern Europe

- **Benelux countries**

- Thanks to the integration of Adeliior: additional revenues of €10m with a very good margin
- Acknowledged NTIC skills (Java, Open Source, etc.)
- Group IBM skill centre (Notes and Websphere)

- **Germany**

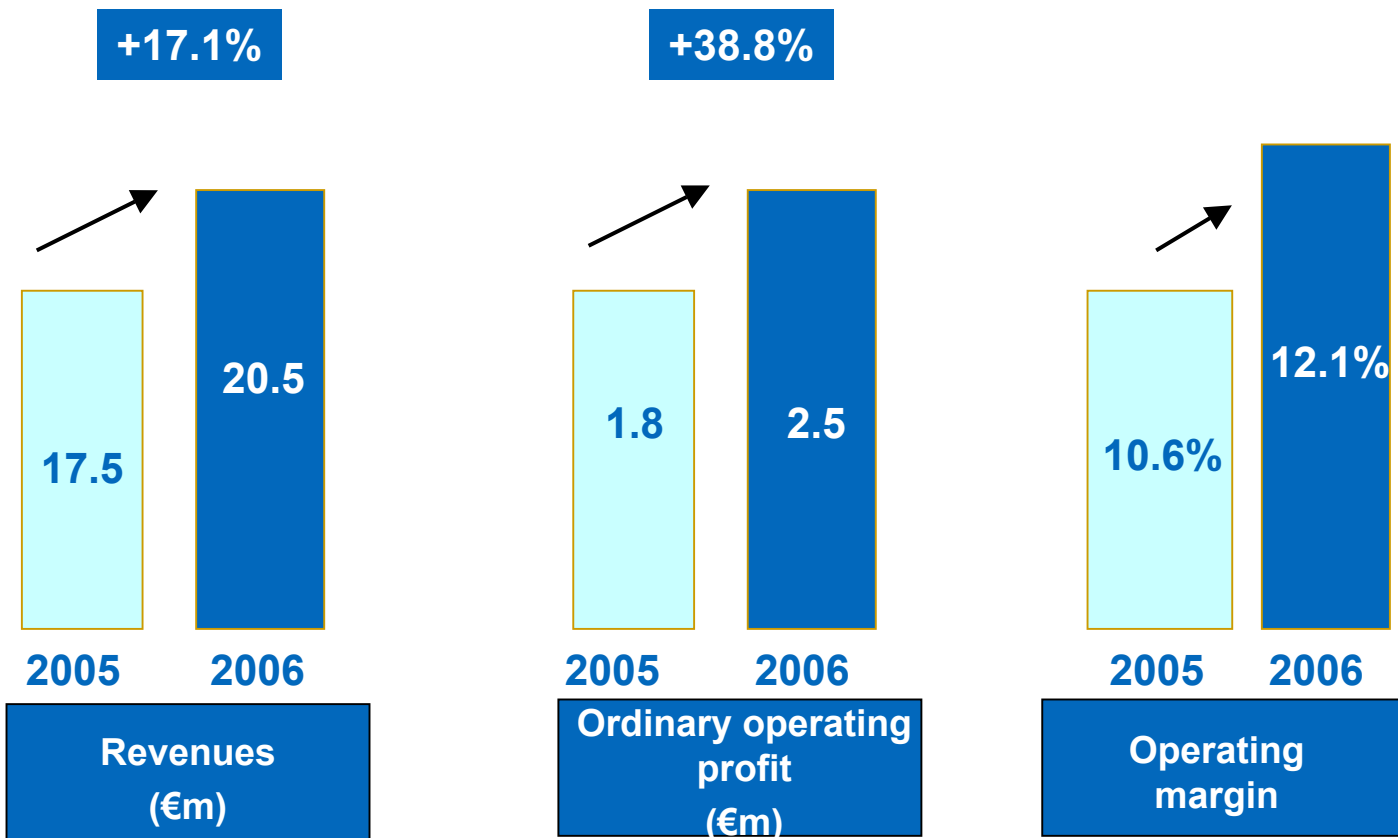
- Robust organic growth in revenues: +24% and profitable business
- Stronger overall business momentum

- **Switzerland**

- Activity stabilised and profitable in Q4
- A new management team is in place



Canada – Morocco





Canada and Morocco

- **Canada**
 - Revenues over €17m
 - Number of employees exceed 200 staff
 - Organic growth over 10%
 - Operating margin: 13%
 - Success of electronic payments business

- **Morocco**
 - Strong growth in Time Management and mid-size ERP
 - Offshore platform now operational and offering top quality services in a favourable cost environment



Conclusion

**All the group's geographic zones were profitable
in the second half of 2006**

**The international subsidiaries
posted strong organic growth**



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Financial results





Revenues (€m)	2006	2005	Overall growth	Organic growth
France	417.6	345.8	20.8%	5.1%
International	215.5	198.0	8.9%	11.7%
Total	633.1	543.8	16.4%	7.4%

Robust organic growth in France and abroad



(€m)	2006	2005
Revenues	633,1	543,8
Operating profit on ordinary activities	40,3	29,7
Margin	6,4%	5,5%
Other operating income and expenses	-6,6	-8,7
Operating income	33,7	21,0
Interest expense and financial charges	-5,6	-3,1
Corporation tax	-9,2	-6,7
Net income, Group share	18,9	11,2
Result per share (in euro)	0,40	0,26

Second consecutive year with an increase of over 30% in operating income and a rise in net income



- **Other operating income and expenses:**
 - Restructuring: €6.2m of which €3.7m in Italy and €2.5m in France
 - Gain on sale of UK building: €2m
 - Goodwill amortisation: €1.8m, of which €1.4m in Italy
 - Other exceptional items: €0.6m

- **Interest expense and financial charges:**
 - Interest expense: €3m : impact of interest rates increase
 - Change in the value of the bond loan and the financial instruments: €1.6m (non cash)
 - Financial cost of commitments towards the staff: €0.6m
 - Swap costs: €0.6m



(€m)	31/12/2006	31/12/2005
Goodwill	187,3	149,5
Non-current assets	22,6	18,4
Other non-current assets	10,1	5,6
Current assets	291,9	245,8
Cash and cash equivalents	25,2	27,4
Total assets	537,0	446,6
Shareholders' equity	187,4	155,1
Borrowings (current and non-current)	78,9	68,5
Non-current liabilities	21,9	19,7
Current liabilities	248,8	203,4
Total liabilities	537,0	446,6

Net debt: €53.7m
Gearing: 29%

(€m)	2006	2005
Cash flow from operations	40,7	28,6
Taxes	-9,5	-6,0
Change in WCR	-6,2	2,8
Cash flow from operating activities	25,0	25,3
Cash flow from investing activities	-13,0	-12,9
<i>of which operating investments</i>	-8,4	-7,2
<i>of which acquisitions/disposals</i>	-4,6	-5,7
Cash flow from financing activities	-20,6	-7,8
Currency effect	-0,4	0,6
Change in cash	-9,0	5,2

Change in WCR = 3 days of sale



	31/12/2006	31/12/2005
France	4,953	3,975
Northern Europe	360	248
Spain-Portugal	1,944	1,788
Italy	831	899
Rest of world	297	256
Total	8,385	7,166

Successful integration of 1,000 staff in France
Strong headcount growth in Spain

100 recruitments in France in Jan. 2007 and
30 recruitments in the offshore centre in Morocco



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GFI-Apax deal: stepping up our development



Proposed deal: a strategic issue for GFI

→ **Apax's arrival as a key shareholder in GFI via a reserved capital increase responds to the issues facing the group:**

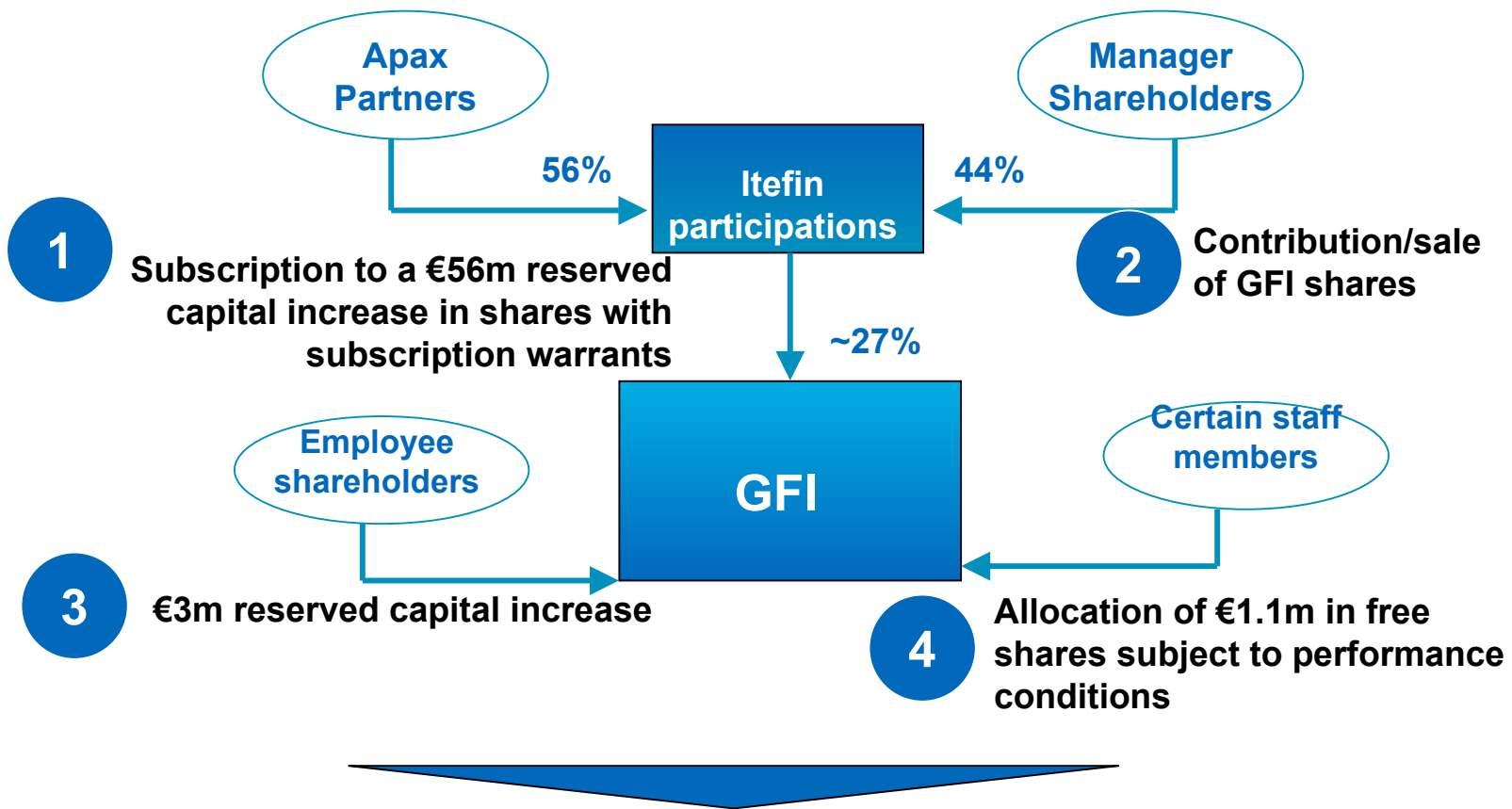
- ❑ Stabilising the ownership structure through the entry of a solid shareholder, thus removing the weight dragging on GFI's market valuation
- ❑ Adding to GFI's financial resources, enabling it to make large acquisitions that are levers for profitable growth
- ❑ Strengthening corporate governance with combined expertise



The proposed transaction will give GFI the financial resources it needs to step up its development and achieve its performance targets



Proposed deal: a four-way partnership



- Stable ownership structure with a reputed private equity fund
- Additional shareholders' equity of €59m for GFI
- Staff involvement in the business project through capital ties



Benefit for GFI

- **The stabilisation of GFI's ownership structure**
 - Entry of Itefin Participations as a key shareholder with 27% of the capital
- **Increased financial resources available to GFI**
 - A capital increase of €59 million
 - Increased borrowing capacity thanks to improved gearing
- **Enhanced corporate governance**
 - Stronger Board of Directors with 7 members (2 GFI executives, 2 Apax representatives and 3 independent directors)

Benefit for the employees

→ Involve employees in the creation of value

- €3m capital increase reserved to all the staff
- Free share allocation plan totalling €1.1m for certain members of the staff, subject to performance targets



Involving the staff fully in the project



Benefit for GFI shareholders

The moderate 15% dilution (20% in the longer term) for existing shareholders is **an investment with strong potential for returns:**

- **In the very short term:** a sharp increase in dividend payouts
- **In the short term:** a gradual reduction in the share price discount - currently around 20% - relative to other listed IT services firms
- **In the medium term:** acceleration in growth and earnings, pushing up the value of GFI shares



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Outlook





Objectives for 2010

- **Achieve €1 billion in revenues**
- **Organic growth at least equivalent to market growth**
- **Step up growth through acquisitions**
- **Generate a high margin of 9% to 10%**
- **Buttress the company's image and governance**



Acceleration of the organic growth

Finalisation of the group transformation

- **Enhancing the added value of our offering**
 - Sector-specific offers
 - Industrialised technology offers
 - Capitalisation of expertise
- **Overhauling the business plan so as to make better use of resources**
 - 5 national service centres
 - 3 near-shore and off-shore centres
 - 15 skill centres



Group transformation: a sales reality

A new sales dynamism

- **Sales approach**
 - 5 transverse sales team: E-payments, E-business, ERP, Application Maintenance, Outsourcing
 - Reinforced account management
 - Incentives aligned with new strategy
 - Training
- **Implementation of a common sales management tool**
 - Shared sales action
 - Sales data tracking and experience sharing



Group transformation : an operational reality

A ramp up of our service centre

- **Service centre in Lille: capacity extension**
 - 180 staff: BNP, Cardif, FT, Arcelor, AGF, PMU,...
 - 14,000 man-day won for BNP
 - 6,000 man-day won for Cardif
 - 6,000 man-day won for FT
 - Over 10,000 man-day in the sales pipeline
- **Offshore service centre in Casablanca: promising start**
 - 20 staff
 - 1,500 man-day ERP support contract
 - 3,000 man-day in final negotiation for an insurance company
 - 1,000 man day in the sales pipeline
 - Target: 100 staff by the end of the year



A focused acquisition strategy

- **Targets:**
 - Value added: electronic payments, CRM, new technologies, etc.
 - Revenues of between €10m and €60m
 - Valuation: 6 months of revenues
- **Timetable:**
 - €60m in revenues in 2007 (on a full-year basis)
 - €210m in revenues from 2007-2010
- **Financing:**
 - Contribution from Apax deal: €59m
 - Cash Flow: €30m
 - Debt: €40m



Challenges for 2007

A global transformation

- **International:**
 - Distribution of the group's products and know how
 - Ensure a lasting recovery in Italy
 - Capitalise on our investment in Biometrics and Healthcare
- **Group:**
 - Tighter management of WCR
 - Improve execution
 - Reinforce management, particularly at sales and marketing level



Objectives for 2007

- **Organic growth in line with market growth, taking the calendar into account**
- **Implement acquisition plan**
- **Improved profitability**
- **Succeed with the launch of GFI Monetic (e-payments)**
- **Continue the investments in the group transformation**





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Appendices





A top ten of well-known names and loyal customers



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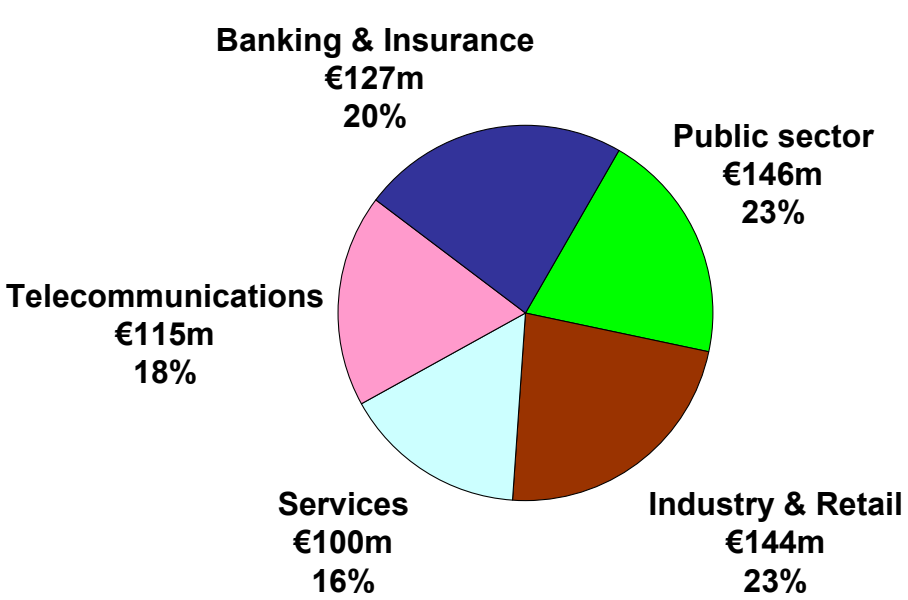
10 top customers:

€178m billed in 2006

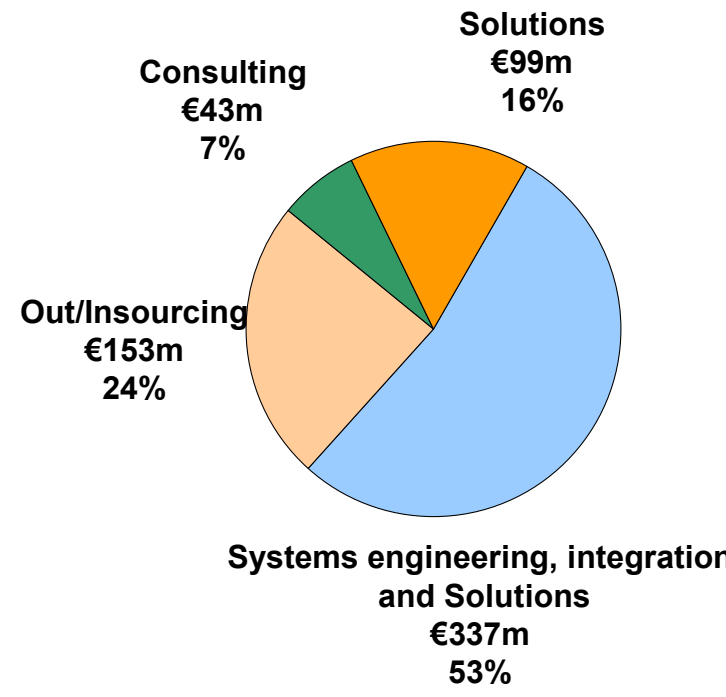
28% of total Group revenues



Breakdown of revenues



Revenues by economic sector



Revenues by activity