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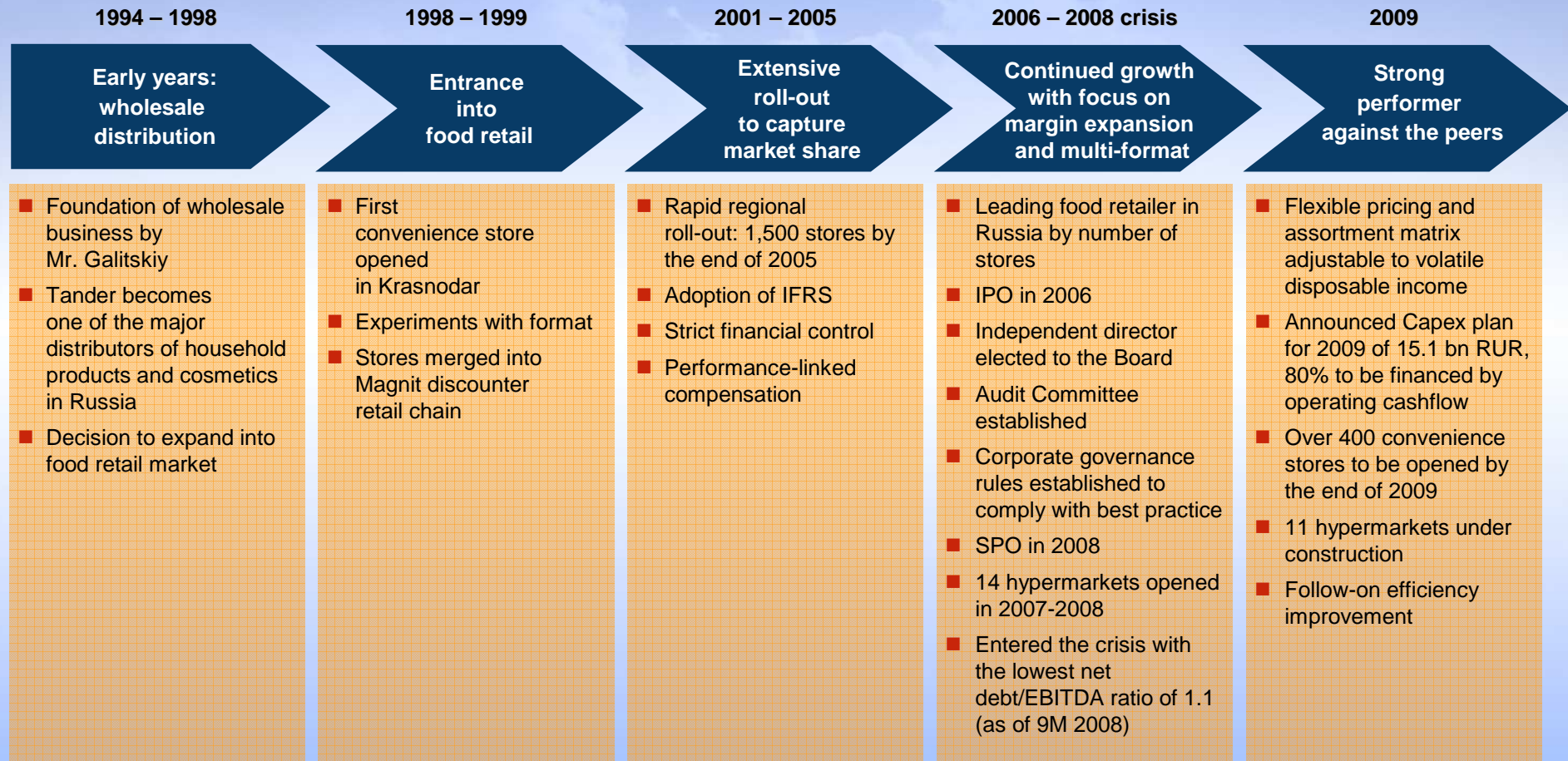
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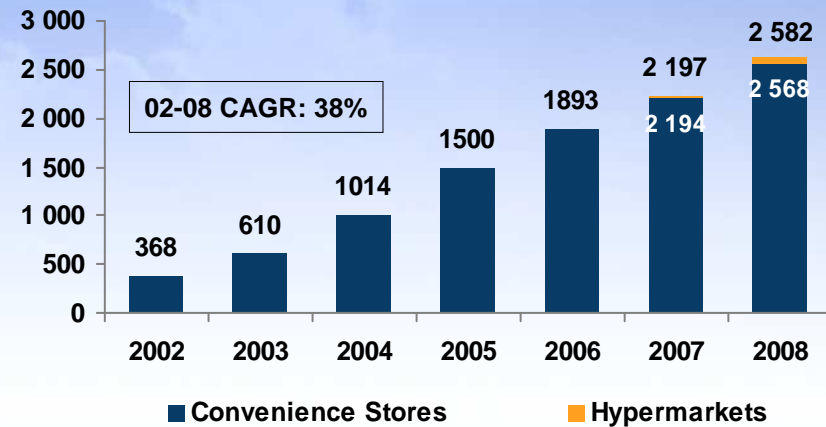
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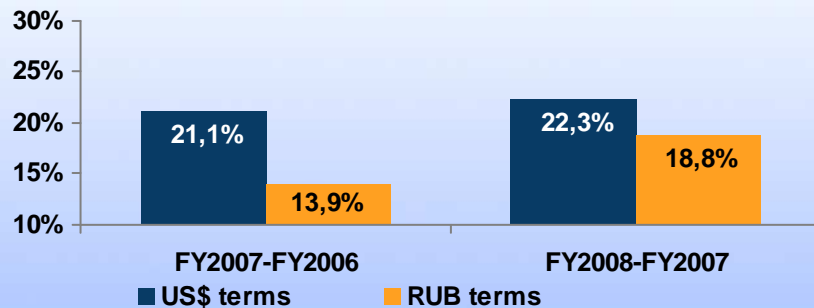
- Leading market position with broad geographic coverage
- Focus on cities and towns with population under 500,000 people
- Strong platform for rapid hypermarket operations expansion
- Efficient logistics system
- Sophisticated IT systems
- Experienced management team
- Strong financial performance

Number of Stores, eop



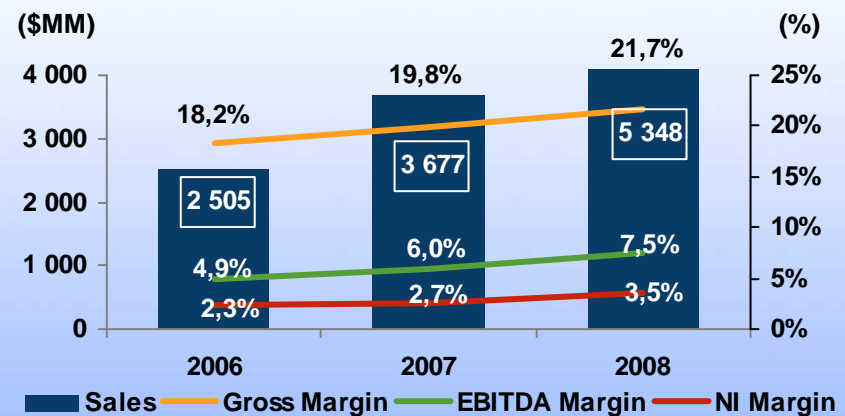
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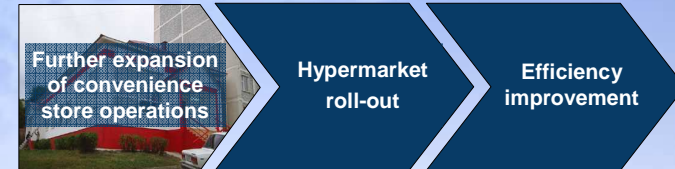
Further expansion
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store operations

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roll-out

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improvements



Further Expansion of Convenience Store Operations



Further penetration in existing and expansion into new regions

- Areas with low modern format penetration
- Expansion into towns with population as low as 5,000 people
- Expansion into new locations within regions where Magnit is already present

Adjusting format to customers' needs

- Flexible SKU matrix adjustable to consumer disposable income
- Gradual shift to larger convenience store size to improve store attractiveness
- Promotion of one-stop shopping concept for everyday needs

Store opening decision factors

- Proximity to existing distribution centres
- Ability to find suitable retail space
- Level of modern format penetration and consumer disposable income

Medium term plans

- High level growth of convenience store operations
- Plan to add 250 – 400 convenience stores annually
- Acquisition of land plots to secure pipeline for future stores



Hypermarkets Roll-Out



Roll-out plan

- Locations are chosen on the basis of competition from other hypermarkets in the area, the strongest growth of disposable income of the population and minimum negative impact on existing convenience stores
- In small towns hypermarkets will be located in central locations which will give advantage of targeting consumers who do not own cars
- Hypermarkets total selling space ⁽¹⁾ will vary from 2,000 to 12,500 sq. m. depending on availability of land plots

Target locations

- Low or limited competition from other hypermarkets or modern retail formats
- Relatively low prices of land plots for hypermarket construction in towns with population of 50,000 to 500,000 people
- Benefiting from strong growth of disposable income and consumer spendings in the Russian regions

Strong operational platform

- Strong brand name recognition and customer awareness generated by a large regional network of convenience stores
- Economies of scale in purchasing and efficient logistics system capable of supporting both formats in existing and new locations
- Existing retail expertise strengthened by a team of hypermarket specialists brought in to manage execution risks

Note (1) Including selling space designated for leases to third parties



Efficiency Improvement



Plans to improve profitability

- Efficient utilization of in-house logistics system
 - Increase in the share of goods distributed through the company's distribution centres
 - Reduction of third party logistics costs
- Further improvement of purchasing terms from suppliers

Benefits from multi format structure

- Higher adaptability to any future changes in customer needs and demographic trends
- Substantial synergies from own production facilities at hypermarkets

Product mix development

- Further growth of the share of high margin products, including fresh food products, ready-made meals and private label
- Fresh food products and ready-made meals are expected to motivate customers to shop at our stores more frequently



Business Overview



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A Shift to Multi Format

Convenience Store



Hypermarket



Number of stores	2,568 as of 31 December 2008	14 as of 31 December 2008
Average store size	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Total space – 458 sq. m. Selling space – 299 sq. m. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Total space: 10,378 sq. m. Magnit selling space ⁽¹⁾: 4,026 sq. m.
Product range	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3,600 SKUs on average Private label – 12.40% of retail sales 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 11,000 – 15,000 SKUs depending on format Private label – 5.12% of retail sales
Positioning (format)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Walking distance from home Ground floor stores or freestanding Open 12 hrs/7 days 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All hypermarkets are built in convenient locations All easily accessed by public transport
Target group	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> People living within 500 metres from the store 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> People living within 15 minutes by car / 30 minutes by public transport from the store. Effective radius – 7 km
Ownership	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 31% owned / 69% leased as of 31 December 2008 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 100% owned

Note: (1) Excludes selling space designated for leases third parties



Convenience Format

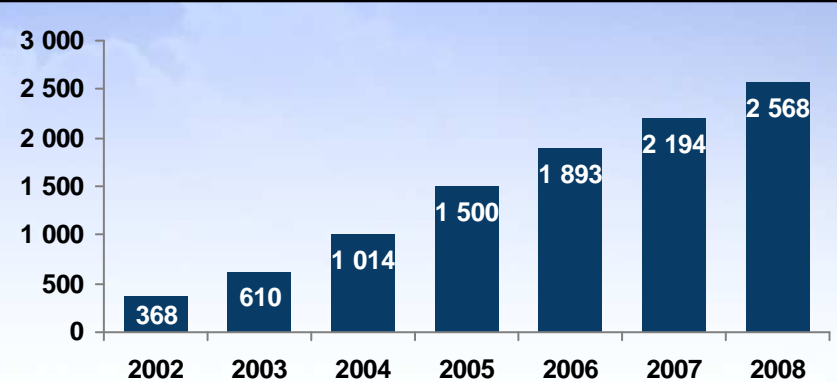


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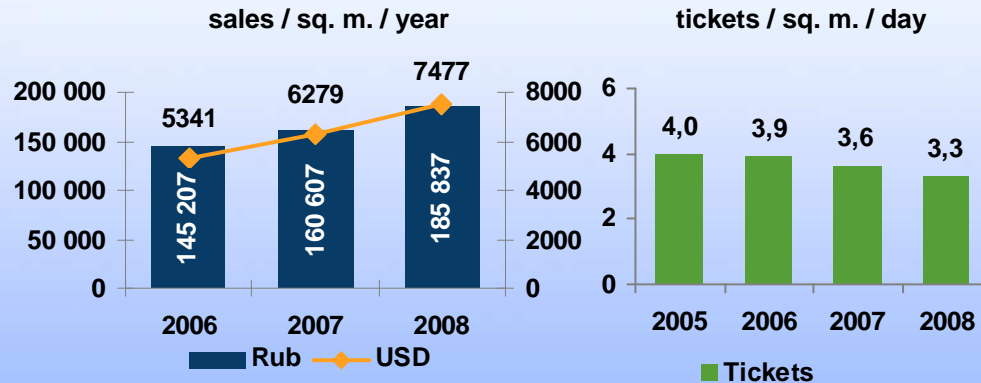
- Low prices
- Convenient locations
- Carefully selected product mix
- Standardised exterior and car parking
- Functional interior design
- Attention to customers
- Increasing customer convenience
- Main target group: mid-income consumers
- Target locations: towns with potential high growth of disposable income of population

Number of Stores, eop



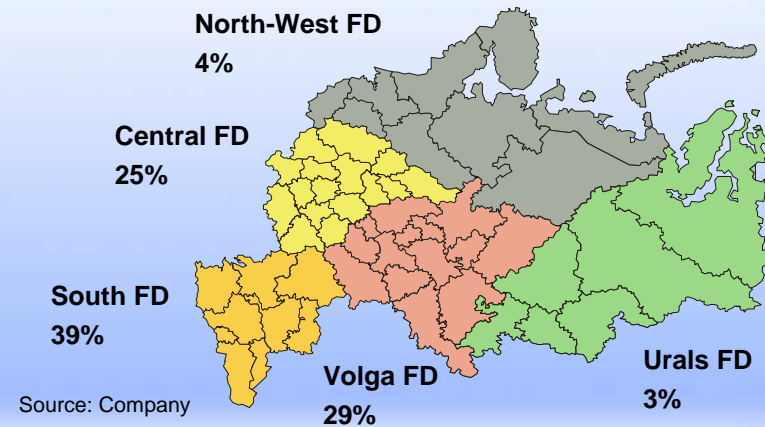
Source: Company

Operating Statistics



Source: Company

Geographical Breakdown (% of total stores)



Source: Company



Typical Store Opening Process

- Considerable experience of store openings
- Preference given to leased store due to quick roll out in new markets
- Acquisitions and construction are preferred in existing markets with already high penetration
- Key store opening criterion is payback period of not more than 3 years if leased; 6 – 7 years if owned
- Average total cost of a new outlet is RUR 4.5 mn / US\$ 183 thousand(1) excl. VAT (excluding cost of inventory and real estate, but including RUR 2.7 mn / US\$ 108 thousand (1) cost of equipment)
- Stores reach traffic comparable to their average levels within 6 months from opening
- Rationalisation of store portfolio

Identification of a property or a land plot

Feasibility report and opening budget prepared

Approval by the regional director and branch director

MOU signed with landlord

Legal due diligence

Technical due diligence

Approval by Committee on Store Openings

Lease agreement or SPA signed

Repair and maintenance

Purchasing and installation of equipment

Personnel hiring and training

Sublet agreements signed

Store opened

	Month 1				Month 2				Month 3			
	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W	W
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
Identification of a property or a land plot	■											
Feasibility report and opening budget prepared	■	■										
Approval by the regional director and branch director		■										
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Legal due diligence	■	■										
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Repair and maintenance			■	■	■	■	■	■	■			
Purchasing and installation of equipment							■	■	■	■	■	
Personnel hiring and training						■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Sublet agreements signed										■		
Store opened												■

Notes (1) based on the FX rate of 24.8553 RUR per 1 US\$ as of 31.12.2008



Store Opening Dynamics

	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Southern	387	550	684	783	889	1,013
Central	100	224	379	461	546	642
Volga	114	214	368	536	628	744
North West	9	26	61	84	89	116
Urals			8	29	45	67
Total	610	1,014	1,500	1,893	2,197	2,582
New openings	259	438	550	513	412	463
Closings	17	34	64	120	108	78
Net openings	242	404	486	393	304	385

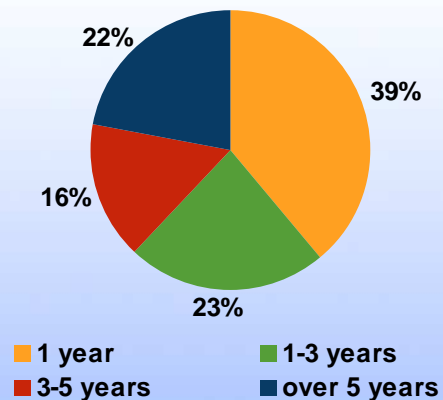
- 78 convenience stores were closed in 2008
 - 30 due to poor performance
 - 22 were relocated to better locations
 - 26 were shut due to disagreements with landlords



Store Ownership Structure

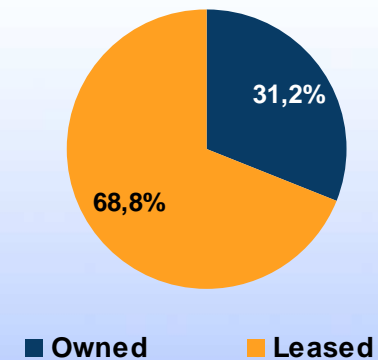
- As of 31 December 2008 the company owned 800 stores and leased 1,768
- Store ownership is gained on the basis of the following documents:
 - Sale-purchase agreements
 - Lease agreements with redemption rights
 - Construction share holding agreements
 - Investment contracts

Lease Maturity Profile



Source: Company

Store Ownership Structure

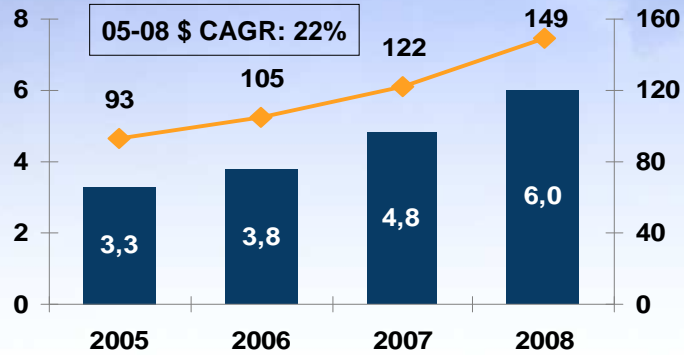


Source: Company as of 31 December 2008



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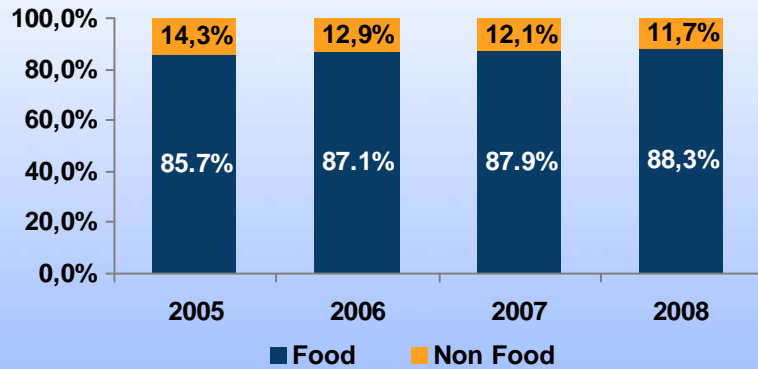
Average Ticket



Source: Company

■ US \$ ◆ RUB

Sales Mix



Source: Company

■ Food ■ Non Food

Traffic

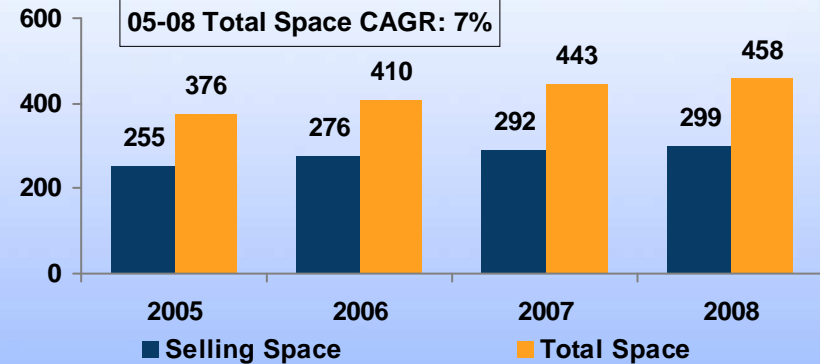
(tickets / sq. m. / day)



Source: Company

Average Floor Size

(sq. m.)



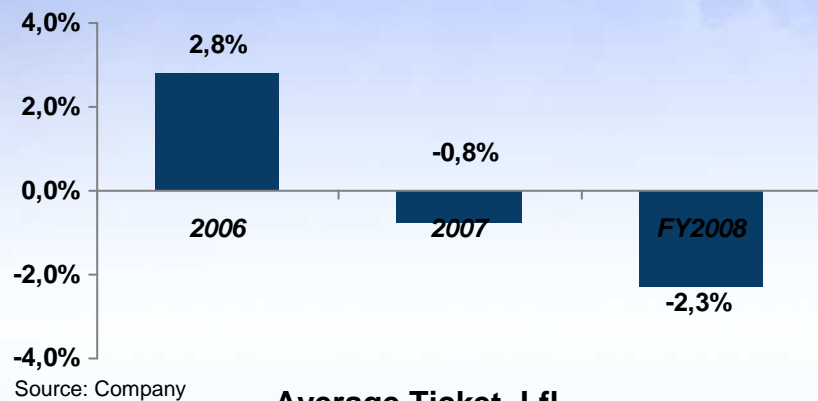
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■ Selling Space ■ Total Space

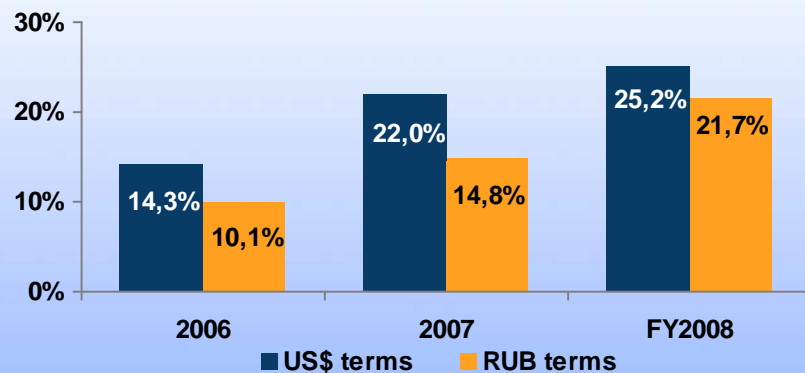


Lfl Sales Analysis

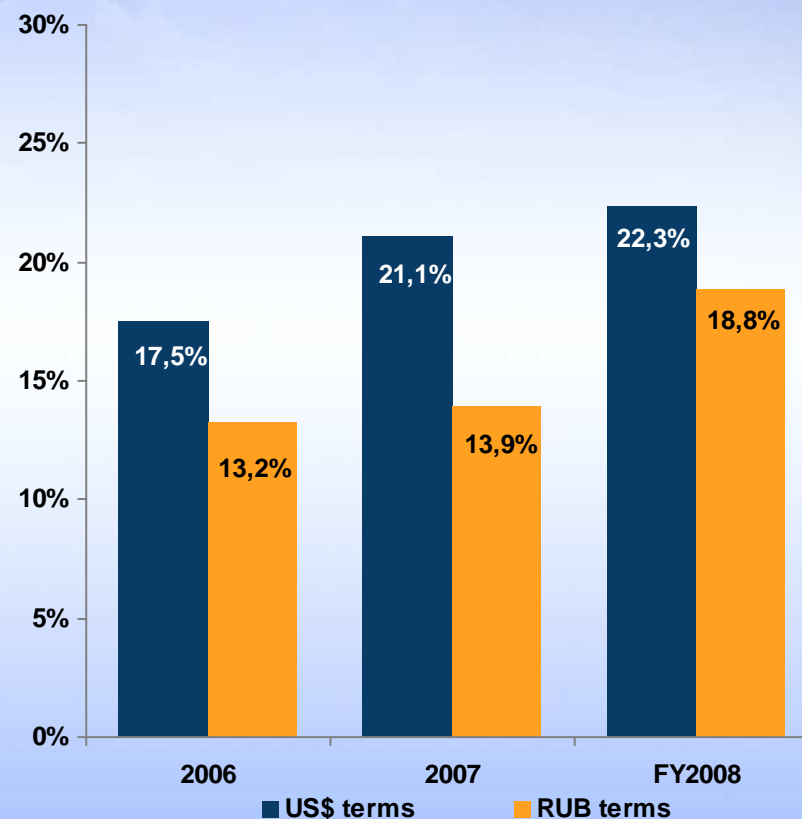
Traffic, Lfl



Average Ticket, Lfl



Sales, Lfl



Lfl Sales Analysis

LFL growth	1Q 08 to 1Q 07*	1H 08 to 1H 07**	9M 08 to 9M 07***	4Q 08 to 4Q 07****
LFL Traffic	(2.64%)	(3.33%)	(3.16%)	0.17%
LFL Average ticket, USD	31.33%	33.41%	31.93%	- *****
LFL Average ticket, RUR	21.11%	22.47%	22.53%	19.09%
LFL Sales, USD	27.87%	28.97%	27.76%	- *****
LFL Sales, RUR	17.92%	18.38%	18.65%	19.30%

* Applicable to 1,487 stores opened by July 01, 2006

** Applicable to 1,446 stores opened by July 01, 2006

*** Applicable to 1,398 stores opened by July 01, 2006

**** Applicable to 1,455 stores opened by March 31, 2007

***** Due to the growth of the US dollar rate to ruble from 01.10.008 to 31.12.2008 by more than 14%, LFL analysis in dollar terms is incorrect



Hypermarket Format



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Format Description

Format Highlights

- 3 principal hypermarket sub-formats
 - **Small:** total space of 3,200 - 4,700 sq. m., selling space ⁽²⁾ of 2,000 - 2,500 sq. m.
 - **Medium:** total space of 11,100 - 11,700 sq. m., selling space ⁽²⁾ of 6,000 – 8,100 sq. m.
 - **Large:** total space up to 21,000 sq. m., selling space ⁽²⁾ up to 12,500 sq. m.
- The decision with regards to hypermarket format principally depends on the following factors:
 - Consumer disposable budget of the region
 - 5-7 year budget forecast
 - Percentage of the budget, attributable to hypermarket
 - Population of the region
 - Competition

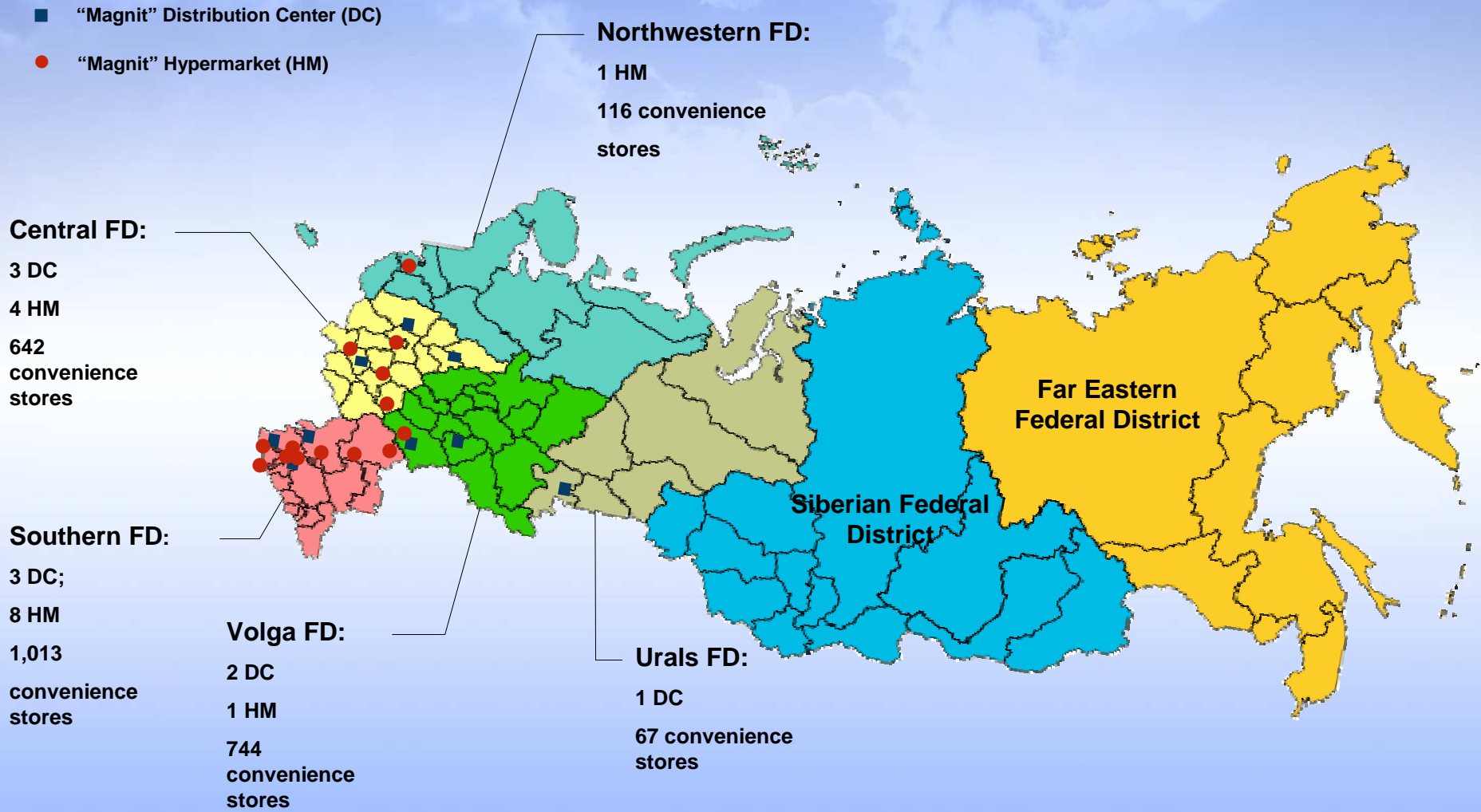
Existing hypermarkets				
Location	Population	Total Space, sq. m.	Magnit Selling Space, sq. m.	Sub-Leased Space ⁽¹⁾ , sq. m.
Krasnodar	800,000	11,283	4,200	3,000
Kingisepp	52,000	6,264	2,790	445
Solnechnogorsk	57,600	11,655	4,600	2,650
Kamyshin	131,000	11,200	4,200	2,800
Bataysk	107,000	11,200	4,200	2,800
Anapa	63,000	8,270	4,550	90
Volgodonsk	178,900	10,200	4,200	2,662
Volgograd	987,000	4,787	2,400	0
Bryansk	420,000	11,200	4,200	2,800
Tambov	293,658	11,200	4,200	2,800
Saratov	900,000	11,200	4,200	2,800
Krasnodar	800,000	21,000	6,900	5,690
Novomoskovsk	138,100	11,088	3,225	2,350
Gelendzhik	89,700	4,745	2,500	0

Source: Company

Notes (1) Selling space designated for leases to third parties
 (2) Including selling space designated for leases to third parties



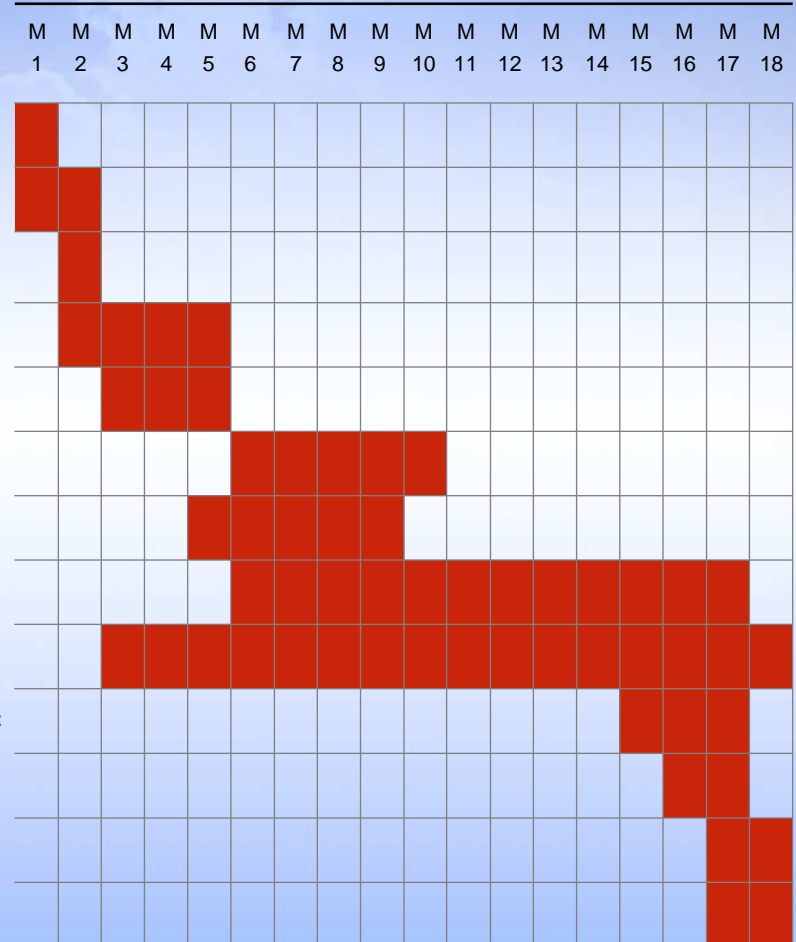
Geographical Coverage



Typical Store Opening Process

- Key store opening criterion is payback period of not more than 6-7 years
- Average total cost of a new outlet (based on hypermarkets launched in 2008) varies between US\$12.0 – 24 MM depending on format (excluding VAT and cost of inventory, but including US\$ 1 – 3 MM cost of equipment)
- Expected store maturity pattern: 9-12 months from opening
- Capex per sq. m. (incl. land) – about US\$ 2,100

Identification
Land plot audit
Land plot approval
SPA signed
Ownership right received
Construction permit
Building design
Construction
Financing
Interior design / equipment
Licences approval
Hypermarket launch
Ownership rights received



General Overview



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Target Audience

Families (30 – 60 Years Old)

Priorities

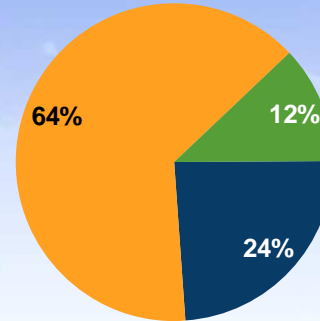
- Location
- Assortment
- Price
- Comfort

Key Features

- Time is of greater value than for other groups
- Growing car ownership
- High level of responsibility for quality of purchased food and family budget

Key Focus Areas

- Increased share of fresh dairy, semi-prepared products and ready meals
- Ensure quick shopping, avoid bottlenecks in rush hour
- One stop shopping: ATMs, pharmacies, payment of mobile phone bills, etc
- Building more parking spaces at the stores



Youth (Up to 30 Years Old)

Priorities

- Assortment
- Location
- Comfort
- Price

Key Features

- More open to western lifestyles and oriented towards modern retail formats

Key Focus Areas

- Offering product categories appealing to young audience

Shopping Motivation

Convenience Stores

- Daily fresh shopping
- First need products

Hypermarkets

- Weekly shopping

Pensioners (60+ Years Old)

Priorities

- Price
- Location
- Assortment
- Comfort

Key Features

- Shopping habits formed in Soviet time
- Conservative shoppers
- Most are low income

Key Focus Areas

- Increased offering of Private Label products to reduce prices for essential goods



Pricing Model

Mark-Up Criteria

Overall necessity of a product

Target audience for a product

Purchasing frequency of a product

Share in consumer basket

- Price assessment for convenience stores is based on an every day product basket (bread, milk, etc...)
- Hypermarket pricing model focuses on SKUs needed on a weekly basis
- Each product category is assigned a certain mark-up
- Revised every 4 months

Mark-up for a given product

Centralised matrix-based pricing system

Mark-Up Adjustments

Target weighted average mark-up for the Group

Competition in the area

Geographical location (urban / rural matrix)

Seasonality

- Weighted average mark-up is established at the Group level based on the monitoring of competitors' prices for 200 key SKUs
- Mark-up monitored on a daily basis using the powerful MIS
- Revised on a bi-weekly basis
- Can be changed within several hours



Suppliers, Purchasing and Private Label

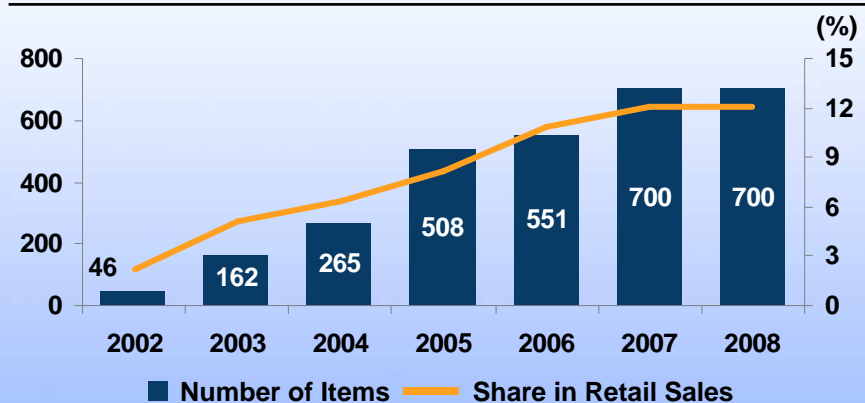
Magnit is the largest buyer for many domestic and international FMCG producers

- Weekly Assortment Committee approves the assortment and suppliers
- Direct purchasing and delivery contracts
- Economies of scale and wide geographical presence enable low prices and favorable contract terms
 - Volume discounts
 - Compensation of external and internal logistics costs
 - Average credit term in 2008 was 40 days and could be up to 60 days
 - Contract term is typically 1-year
 - Often can be unilaterally terminated by Magnit with no penalties
- Supplier bonuses criteria is based on
 - Meeting sales targets
 - Store promotions
 - Loyalty

Private label products are designed to replace the cheapest SKUs to maximise returns on each metre of shelving space

- 700 private label SKUs
- Private label products accounted for 12.40% (convenience format)/5.12%(hypermarket) share of retail revenue in 2008
- Approximately 88% of private label products are food
- Share of non-food products in private label is expected to increase

Share of Private Label Products in Revenue

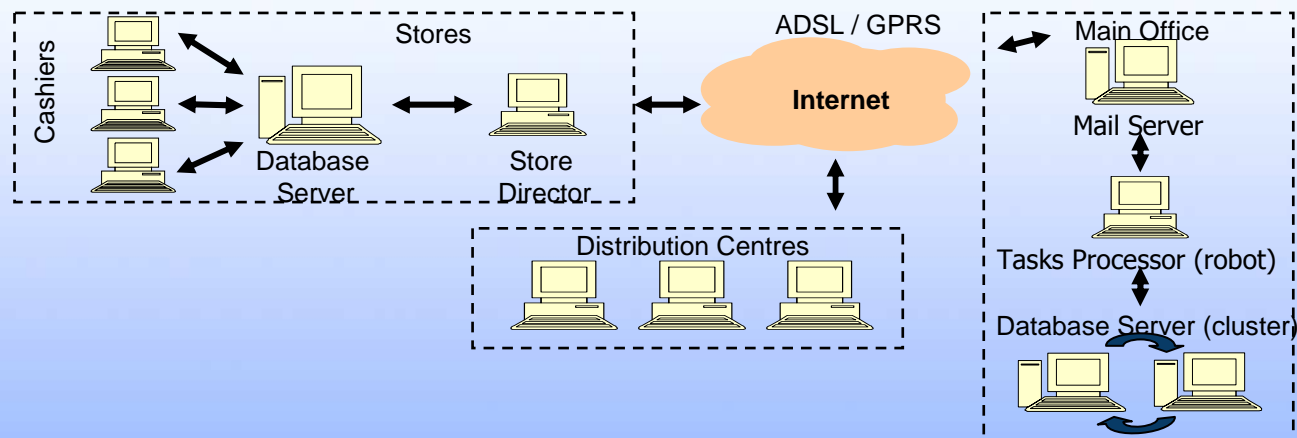


Source: Company



2006-2008 IT Systems Update

- Transport management system
 - Optimal route planning
 - All cars are equipped with GPS locating systems
- Warehouse management systems
 - Introduction of WiFi operated data collection terminals
 - Warehouses are customised to work with hypermarket product traffic
- Oracle IT platform introduced to convenience store format
- New price management system introduced to both formats
- Electronic document traffic system with suppliers
- Introduction of Corporate Information System based on 1C platform



Logistics System

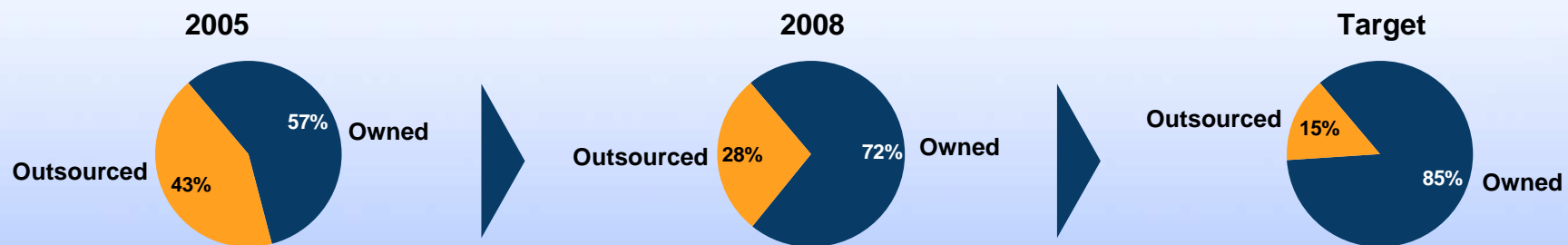
In 2008 approximately 72% of COGS were distributed through the company's distribution centers and the long-term target is to increase this share up to 85%. At the moment Company's logistics system includes:

- Automated stock replenishment system
- 9 distribution centers with approximately 183 693* sq. m. capacity
- Fleet of 1,165 vehicles

City	Federal District	Warehousing Space sq.m.	Number of Serviced Stores	Ownership
Bataysk	Southern	16,138	279	Owned
Kropotkin	Southern	30,048	484	Owned
Slavyansk-on-Kuban	Southern	20,448	106	Owned
Engels	Volga	19,495	366	Owned
Togliatti*	Volga	16 200	279	Owned
Tver	Central	10,714	207	Owned
Oryol	Central	12,472	394	Owned
Ivanovo	Central	42,026	321	Owned
Chelyabinsk	Ural	16,152	160	Owned
Total		183 693*	2 596*	

Source: Company

DC Processed Goods



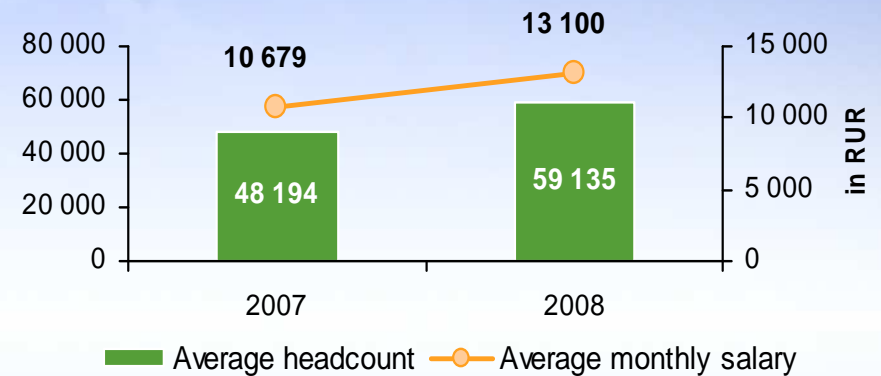
Notes: * As of February 12, 2009



Well trained dedicated personnel

- The **average number of employees** in the Group amounted to **59,135** as of December 31, 2008:
 - **44,986 in-store personnel,**
 - **8,635 people engaged in distribution,**
 - **4,096 people in regional branches,**
 - **1,418 people employed by head office**
- The average age of our employees is approximately 25 years
- The gross **average monthly salary** in 2008 was **RUR 13,100** of which approximately 75% was basic salary
- Special performance-linked bonuses and incentives help to motivate the employees at all levels
- Key members of the Management hold Company's shares
- Performance monitoring and evaluation on a regular basis
- Career development programs for all levels to ensure
 - Lower staff turnover
 - Increased motivation
 - Higher productivity
- Personnel training
 - 106 classrooms for trainings at all levels
 - Regular meetings and seminars between mid-level managers to exchange best practices
 - Coaching for top-management
- Strong corporate culture aimed at development of loyalty of employees
 - The Company publishes a corporate newspaper every two months
 - Team building events to ensure integrity of the team

Average number of employees vs. average salary, 2007-2008



Source: Audited IFRS Financial Statements



Financial Overview



Summary P&L

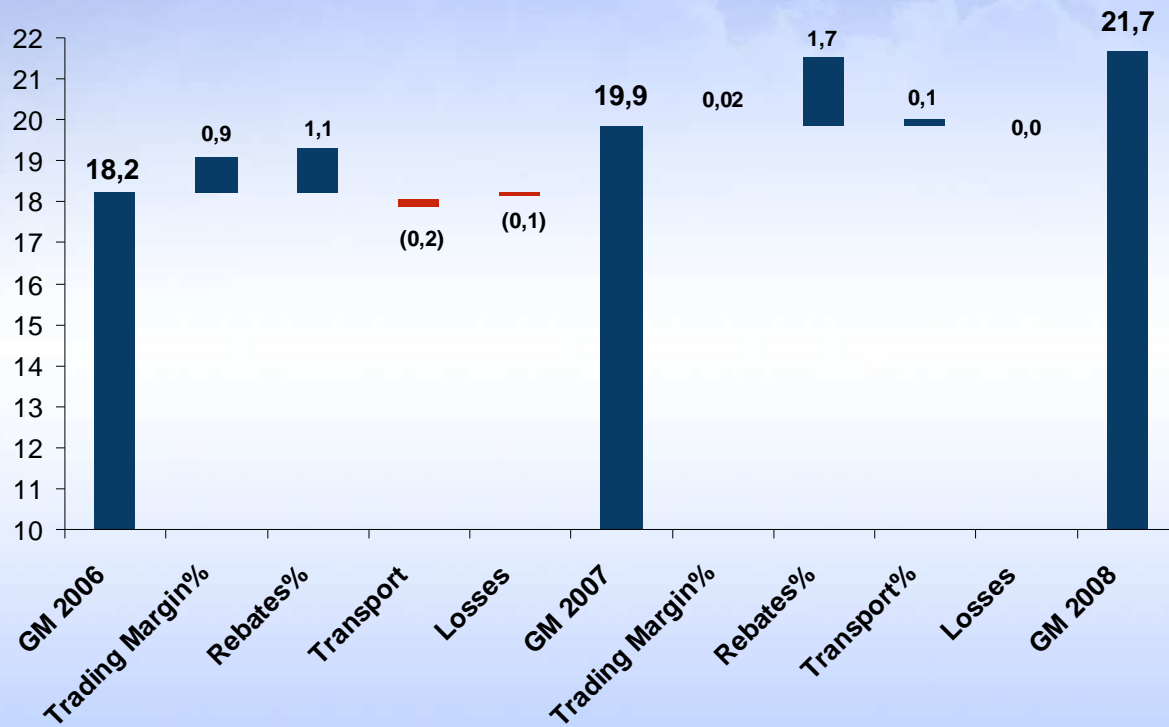
In US\$ MM	2007	2008	2008 / 2007 Y-o-Y Growth
Net sales	3,676.6	5,347.8	45.46%
Cost of sales	(2,946.5)	(4,188.3)	42.14%
Gross profit	730.0	1159.5	58.83%
<i>Gross margin, %</i>	19.86%	21.68%	
SG&A	(513.2)	(761.5)	48.39%
Other income/(expense)	2.4	3.6	
EBITDA	219.2	401.7	83.21%
<i>EBITDA margin, %</i>	5.96%	7.51%	
Depreciation	(53.7)	(88.8)	65.46%
EBIT	165.6	312.9	88.96%
Net finance costs	(35.5)	(53.3)	
Profit before tax	130.1	259.6	
Taxes	(32.7)	(71.7)	
<i>Effective tax rate</i>	25.15%	27.61%	
Net income	97.4	187.9	92.95%
<i>Net margin, %</i>	2.65%	3.51%	



Source: IFRS accounts

Gross Margin Bridge / SG&A Expense Structure

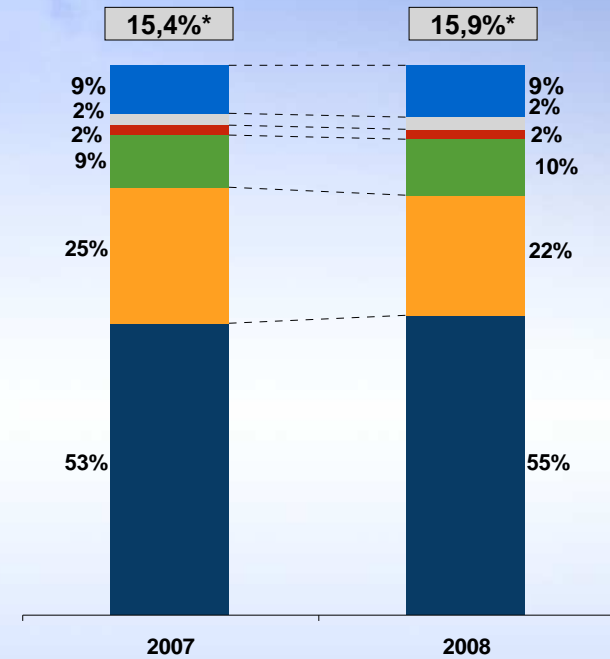
Gross Margin Bridge



As % of Sales

Source: Company, IFRS accounts

SG&A Expense Structure



- other expenses
- repair and maintenance
- packaging and raw materials
- depreciation & amortization
- rent and utilities
- payroll and related taxes

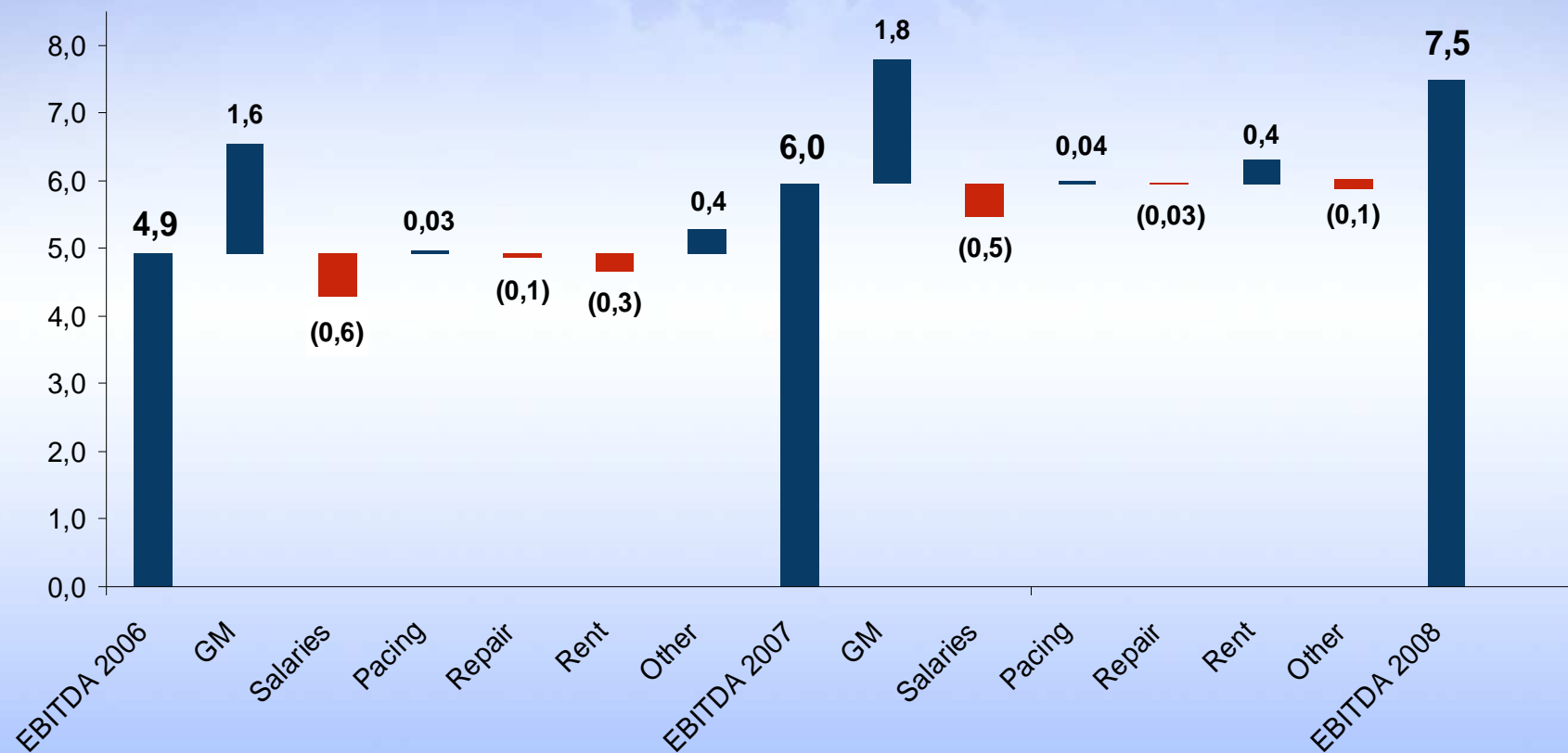
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EBITDA Bridge

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As % of Sales



Source: Company, IFRS accounts



Balance Sheet

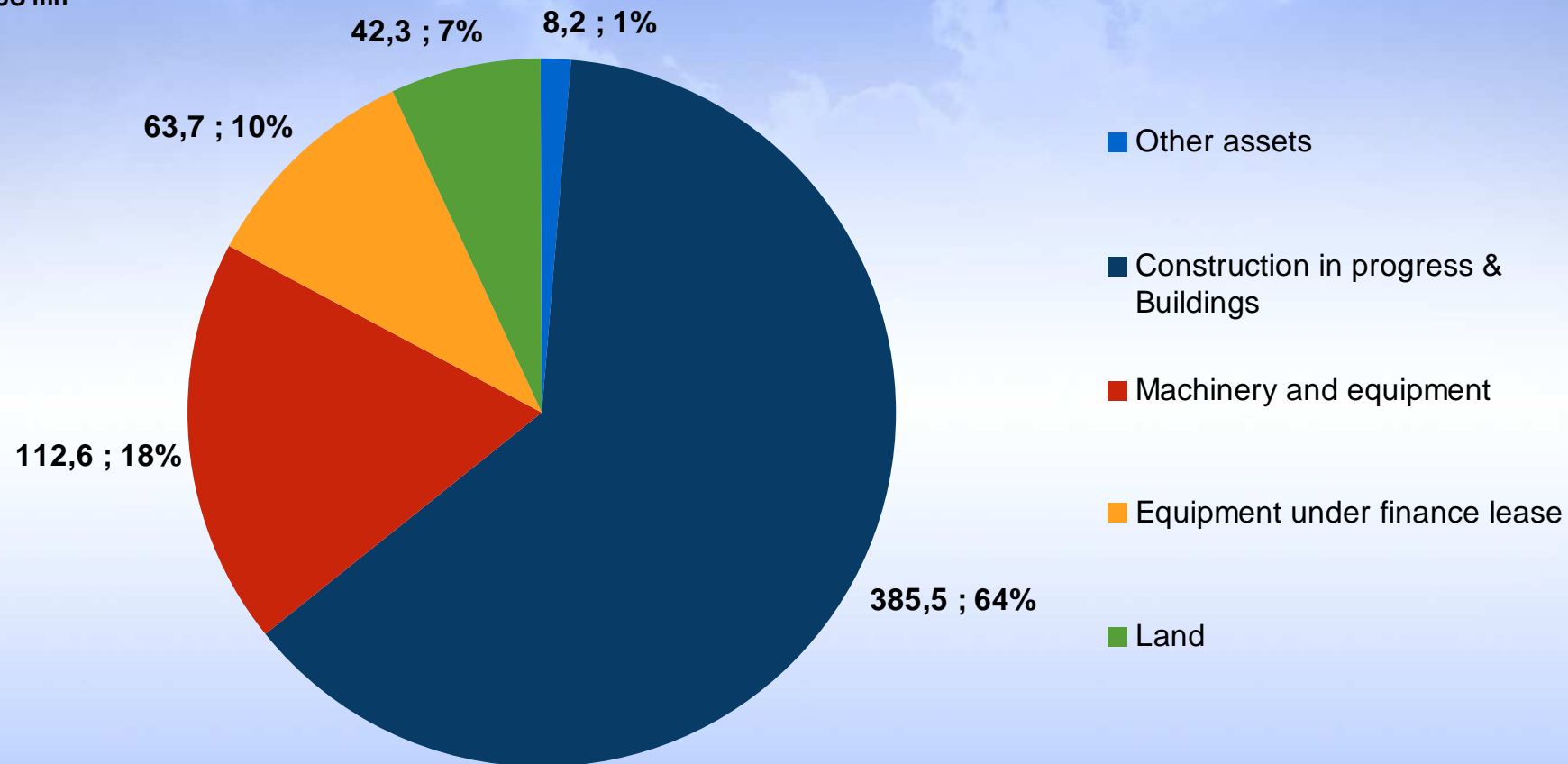
'000 US\$	2007	2008
ASSETS		
Property plant and equipment	1,074,248	1,331,064
Other non-current assets	1,330	19,813
Cash and cash equivalents	120,959	115,055
Trade accounts receivable	2,415	907
Merchandise	330,409	323,336
Other current assets	90,659	53,880
TOTAL ASSETS	1,620,020	1,844,055
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		
Equity	428,347	836,788
Long-term debt	183,444	162,664
Other long-term liabilities	15,811	18,428
Trade accounts payable	437,643	484,857
Short-term debt	509,190	243,205
Other current liabilities	45,585	98,113
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	1,620,020	1,844,055



Source: IFRS accounts

2008 Capex ⁽¹⁾ Analysis

US mn



Total 2008: **\$612 mn**

Source: IFRS accounts

Notes (1) Capex calculated as additions + transfers of PP&E in each period



Cash Flow Statement

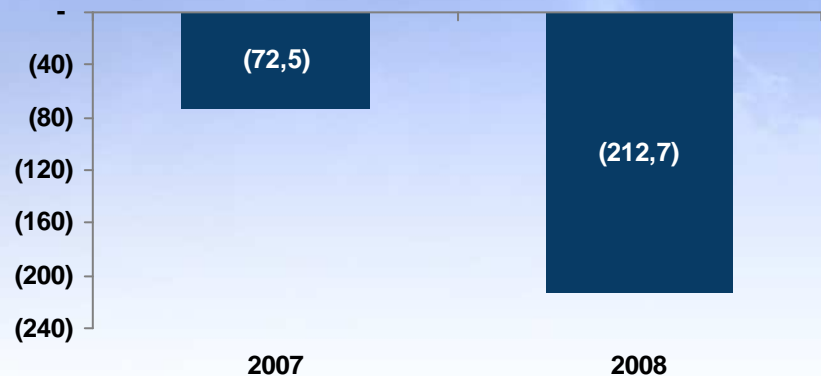
'000 US\$	2007	2008
OPERATING ACTIVITIES:		
Operating cash flows before movements in working capital	219,054	404,820
Net cash generated from operating activities	242,355	420,071
INVESTING ACTIVITIES:		
Net Cash used in investing activities	(568,698)	(575,435)
FINANCING ACTIVITIES:		
Net cash generated from financing activities	354,832	200,175
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	28,489	44,811
Cash and cash equivalents, end of the year	120,959	115,055



Source: IFRS accounts

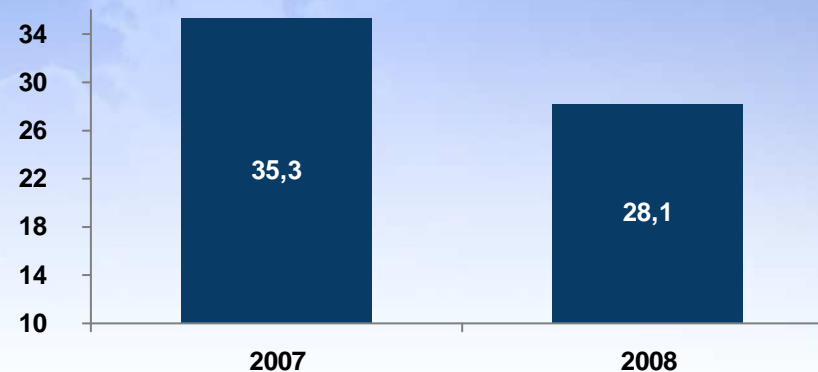
Working Capital Analysis

Working Capital (1)



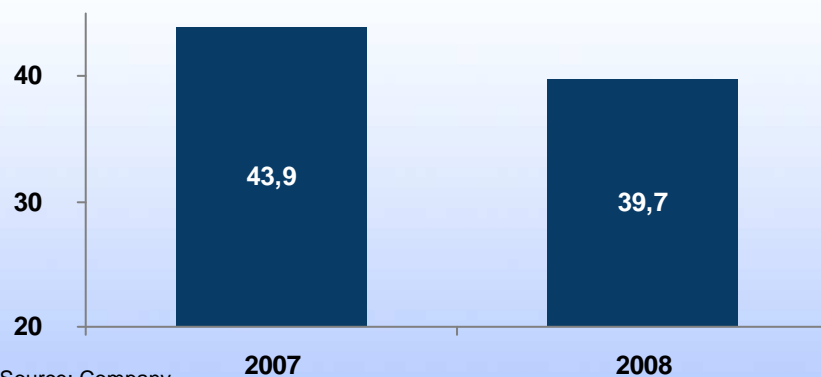
Source: Company

Inventory Management Days (2)



Source: Company

Trade Accounts Payable Days (3)



Source: Company

Net Debt (4)/ EBITDA



Source: Company, IFRS accounts

Notes: (1) Current assets (less C&CE and short-term investments) – current liabilities (less short-term debt)

(2) 2007-2008: 360 / (Cost of sales/year average inventory)

(3) 2007-2008: 360 / (Cost of sales/year average trade accounts payable)

(4) Net debt = long / short-term bonds and borrowings + finance lease liabilities – cash and cash equivalents



Summary Conclusions



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Leading Russian retailer: broadest geographic coverage with 2,582 stores (as of 31 December 2008) in more than 856 cities in five out of seven federal districts in Russia



Strong foothold in Russia's cities and towns with population under 500,000 people: first mover advantage (first retailer in many locations to establish a modern format); low competition from other chains outside of Russia's large cities



Further organic growth of store operations: continued roll-out of established business model in existing markets and selective expansion into new geographic areas



Expanding hypermarket operations: leveraging strong existing platform (operations, logistics, brand, scale) to develop a leading hypermarket chain in the European part of Russia



Additional measures to improve profitability: enhancing product mix, increasing private label and increasing distribution through own logistics system to achieve margin improvements and cost savings



Financing of expansion program: implementation of the Company's mid-term strategy will be executed through a mix of debt and equity raisings

