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Chemring is a leading manufacturer of high value specialist products for the defence sector through its 2 core business segments:

Energetics







Global Market

£1bn

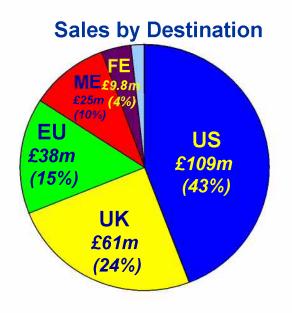
£2bn

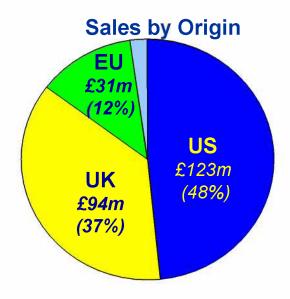
£10bn

£0.5bn

- High volume manufacturer
- Strong investment in products, facilities & safety
- Acquisitive 11 companies in last 3 years
- Global wide customer base in 80 countries
 - 21 sites in US & Europe

Global Customer Base





- US DoD is Chemring's largest single customer; US Air Force is largest component
- Chemring is the principal supplier of flares to US DoD and UK MoD
- Chemring has extensive relationships with prime contractors
 - > BAE Systems
 - > ATK
 - Saab Dynamics
 - Raytheon

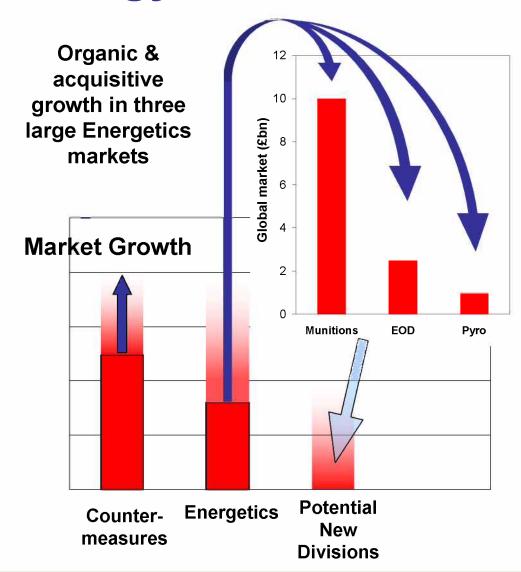
- > General Dynamics
- > Martin Baker
- Boeing
- Lockheed Martin



Core Strategy

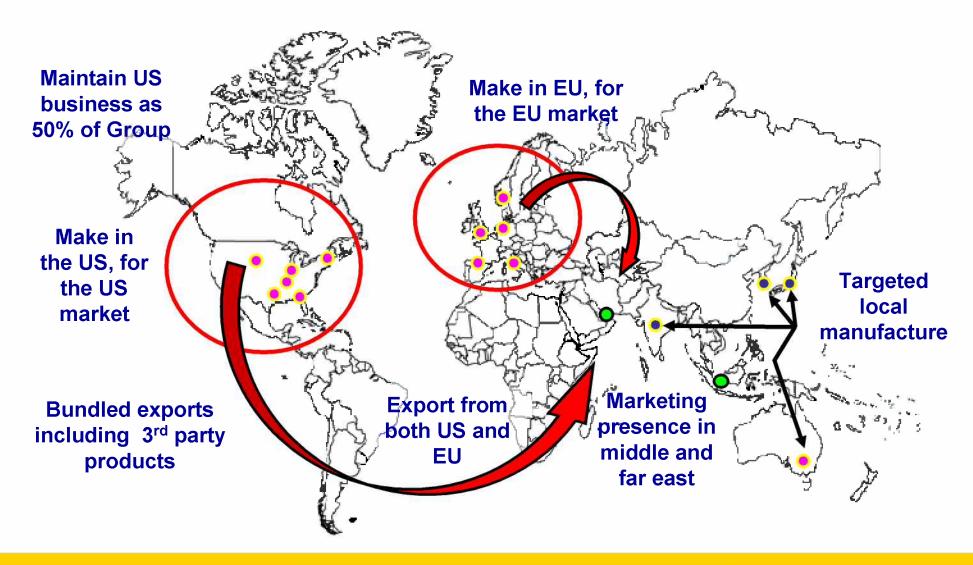
Strategic Intent:

- Excellence in core competences
- > Energetic materials
- > High reliability & safety
- High volume manufacturing
- Global defence markets
- Maintain US/Europe Balance
- Expand countermeasures
- Maintain position as World Leader
- > Exploit lead in SMD, spectral & thrusted flares
- > Maintain lead position on all new platforms
- Energetics focus for strong growth
- > ...be World Leader in Pyrotechnics
- > ... be World Leader in Demolition Stores
- > ...be a strategic partner for Munition Primes
- ...be World Leader in Naval Ammunition
- > ...be a niche Prime Contractor
- Acquisitions in both US & Europe
- > Consolidation for synergy & critical mass



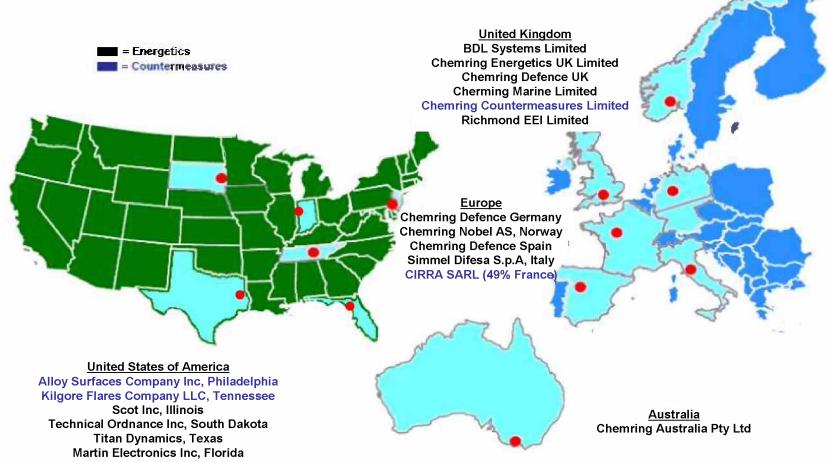


Geographic Strategy





Global Manufacturing Footprint

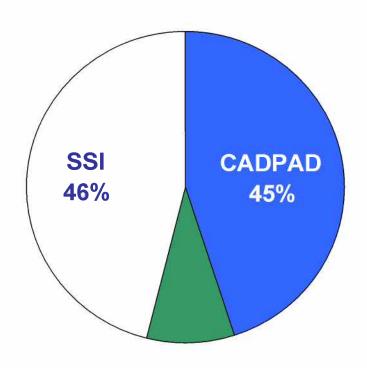


- Manufacturing operations in eight strong defence-spending countries
- Global manufacturing footprint provides flexibility to match customer orders
- Focused programme of capital investment



Pyrotechnics Market – Global Market c.£1bn





Battlefield Simulation 9%







Pyrotechnics Strategy



Pyrotechnics is a highly fragmented market

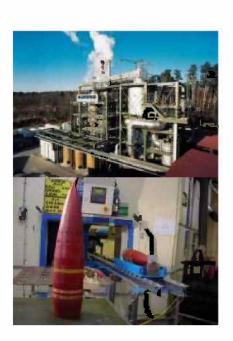
- Chemring has a 7.5% market share
- Large number of small competitors
- Not considered a priority market by most companies
- Many national champions with limited international access
- Often small or family-run businesses with:
 - > Manual manufacture and assembly
 - > Low product investment
 - > Aging technology

Chemring strategy

- Rapidly develop new products
- Displace current incumbents
- Establish position as cost-competitive second source
- Become world leader in pyrotechnics



Explosive Ordnance Disposal – Global Market c.£2bn













EOD Strategy



Highly fragmented market

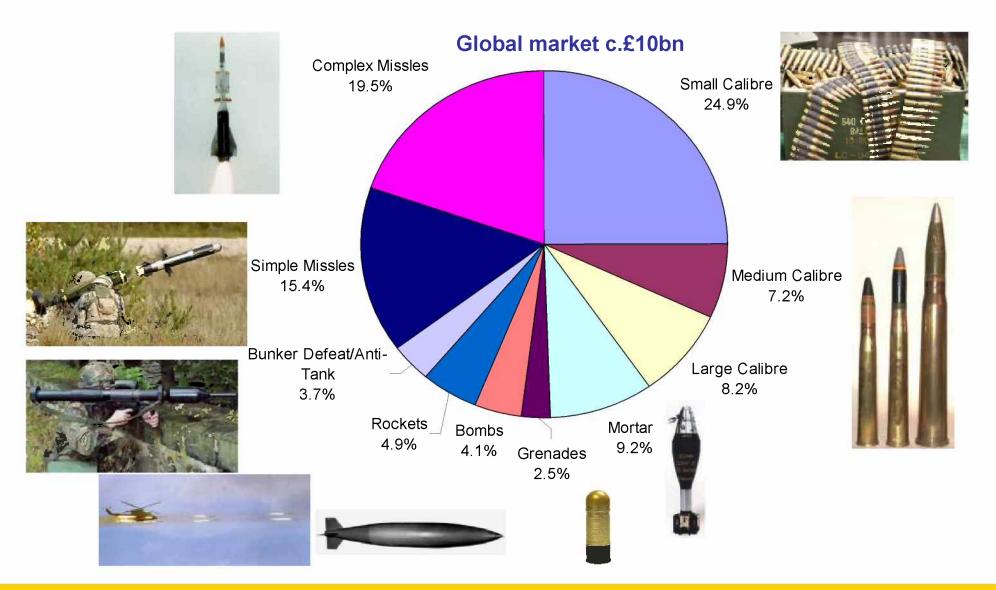
- Large number of small players
- Users have a strong explosives background
- Fast technology cycle
 - Rapidly evolving threat
 - Users need rapid prototyping
- Constraints on sensitive technologies
- Electronics are a significant part of the market

Chemring strategy

- Maintain world lead in:
 - Disrupter technology
 - Weapon carriers
 - Demolition stores
- Expand detection & jamming



Munitions Market - Global Market c.£10bn



Munitions Strategy







40mm Grenades

- > Develop complete family of ammunition including pyrotechnic rounds
- Grow strategic supplier relationships with US prime contractors
- Introduce medium velocity technology to US and Europe
- > Build position as major exporter
- Mortars 60mm, 81mm, 120mm calibres
 - Maintain BAE Systems partnership
 - Develop GD relationship on lightweight mortar
 - Develop pyrotechnic payloads for US market

Naval ammunition

- 40mm L60 & L70 expand export market position, including US Air force
- > 76mm L62 maintain position with key customers (NATO, Middle East, India)
- > 127mm L54 complete development of IM, microwave fuze and PFF variants

Tank ammunition

Maintain niche prime contractor position on 120mm and 125mm calibres



Munitions Subsystems Strategy



- Propellants and rocket motors
 - Complete qualification of 155mm Modular Charge System
 - > Build on NLAW position and expand relationships with missile primes
 - Expand position on 70mm & 81mm rockets
- Fuzing
 - > 40mm grenades develop self-destruct fuze technology
 - Mortars complete development of cost competitive fuze products
 - Medium calibre establish position on US programmes
- Warheads
 - Expand position on European missile programmes start PAAMS production
 - Complete work with Nexter on NTO IM technology
 - > Penetrate US and European markets with range of IM products (DPX series)
- Pellets & Primers
 - Grow partnerships with leading prime contractors in US and Europe



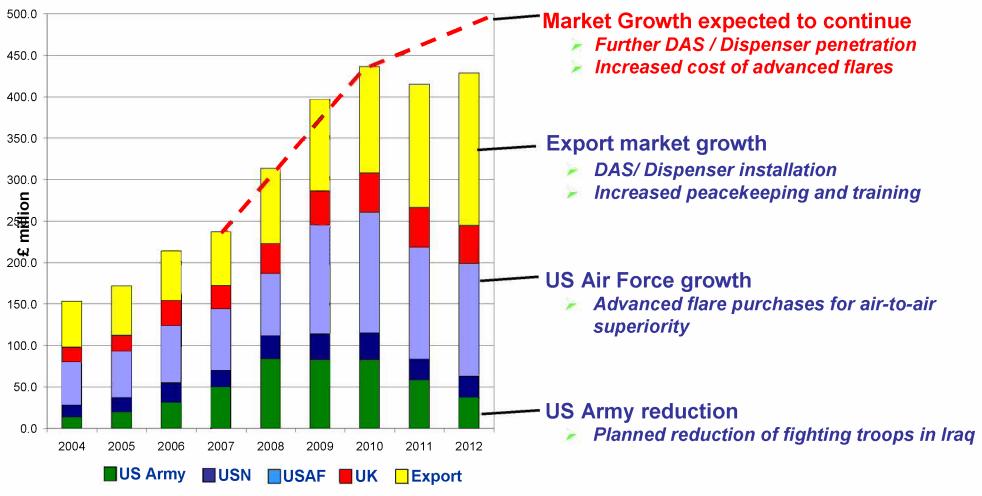
Countermeasures – Threat





The Global Countermeasure Market

Global Market (£m)

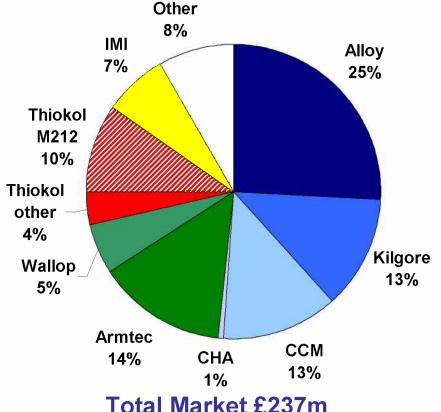


Source: Internal estimates based on US program documentation & export market knowledge



Countermeasures Strategy





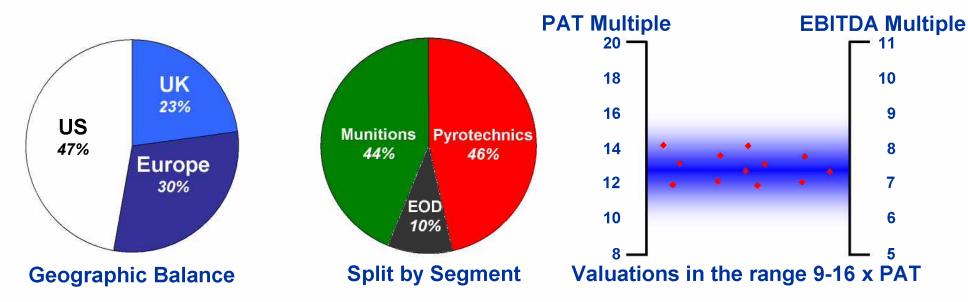
Maintain market share

- M212 win in US
- Primary supplier of advanced flares
 - Legacy platforms B-52, F/A-18, F-15, F-16
 - Next generation platforms Typhoon, F-22, F-35
- Tailored solutions for export customers
 - Mirage
 - > MiG 29
 - > Su-30
- Local manufacture in key markets
 - Australia
 - India (JV)
 - Korea (JV)

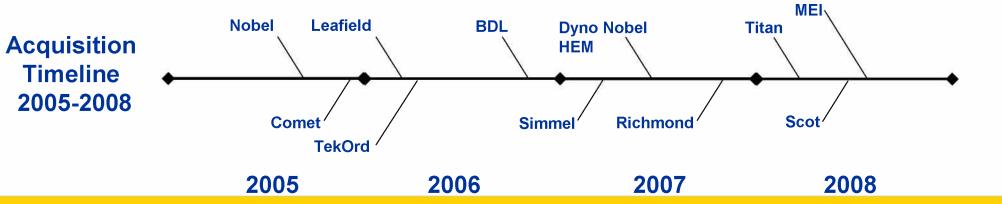


^{*}All figures based on program funding plans & estimates of key export markets

Acquisitions

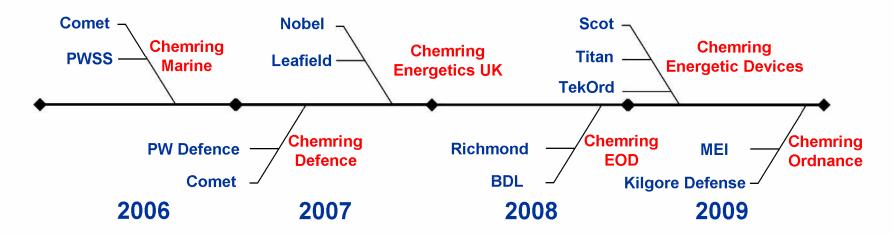


Total investment on acquisitions from 2005 -2008 c.£200m





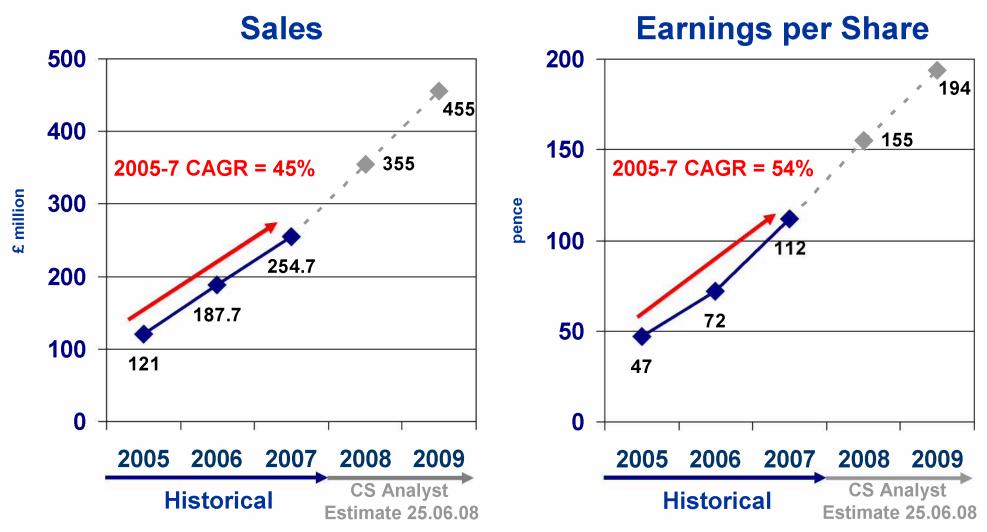
Acquisition Integration



Integration strategy

- Establish product Centre of Excellence
- Start improved product investment
- Take products to global market access to 80 countries
- Significantly increase production volumes
- Introduce automated manufacture
- Substantial investment in safety

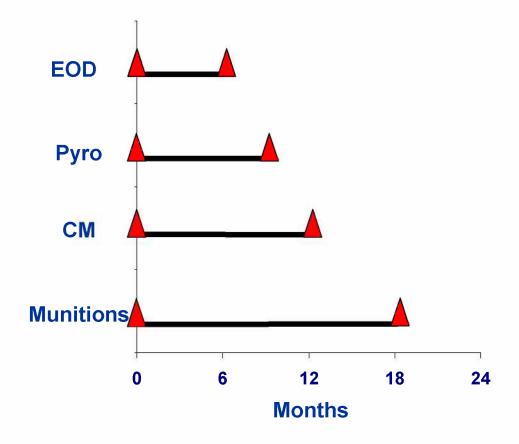




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Business Model – Order to Sales



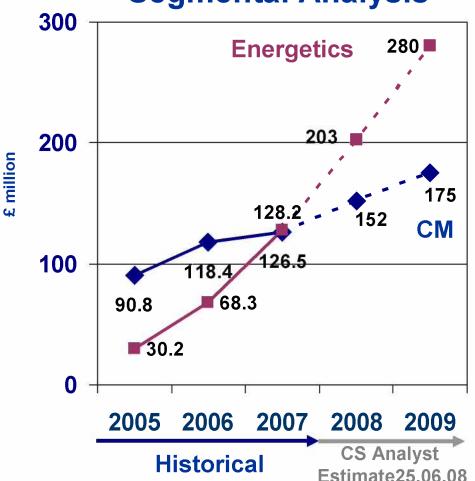
Order Book & Sales



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Segmental Analysis



- Organic & acquisitive growth in Energetics
 - Promote products to 80 countries
 - Investment in new products
 - Displace current incumbents
 - Establish second source position
 - Acquisitions may accelerate growth
 - Access to new markets
 - Access to new products

Organic growth in Countermeasures

- 55% global market share
- Technical leadership
- Investment in automation
- New joint ventures in key markets

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Balance Sheet – 31 October 2007 (£m)

Strong operating cash conversion

Strong balance sheet

Assets

224

Net Debt

<u>(100)</u>

Shareholders Funds

124

- Successful US private placement in November 2007 – \$150m 10-year debt
- Successful £60m equity raising completed in June 2008 to fund acquisitions of Scot and MEI
- Committed bank facilities of £160m

