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# Pierer Industrie AG: Strong performance in 2021

Revenues: € 2,728.3 million (+30%)
EBIT: € 220.7 million (+>100%)
EBITDA: € 423.6 million (+51,0%)

• Staff: 9,530 employees (+1,208), thereof 6,061 in Austria

Investments: € 283.1 million (+50%)

#### Strong development in revenues and earnings in the 2021 financial year

In 2021, the Pierer Industrie Group, the industrial group of Stefan Pierer, achieved again a record result. Despite major challenges in the global supply chains and the effects of the COVID 19 pandemic, Pierer Industrie AG improved its sales by almost 30% and thus achieved **record revenues** of € 2,728.3 million (+29.8%).

The two main business divisions PIERER Mobility AG and Pankl AG achieved significant increases in revenues. The listed PIERER Mobility AG increased its revenues in the 2021 financial year by a third to € 2,041.7 million (previous year: € 1,530.4 million). The Pankl AG also generated record revenues of € 709.1 million (previous year: € 583.4 million) last year.

The result from operating activities (EBIT) of € 220.7 million was more than doubled (previous year: € 96.9 million), which corresponds to an EBIT margin of 8.1%. The operating result before depreciation and amortization (EBITDA) of € 423.6 million is around 50% higher than the previous year's figure of € 280.6 million. The EBITDA margin is 15.5%.

#### **Employees**

As of December 31, 2021, the Pierer Industrie-Group employed a total of **9,530 employees**; **5,249** of them in the PIERER Mobility-Group and **3,904** in the Pankl AG-Group. Around 1,200 employees, equates to almost 13% of the total workforce, work in the area of research & development. In 2021, the proportion of female employees was around 24.5%. As of the reporting date, there were around **360 apprentices** undergoing training in more than 15 vocational training programs. The number of female apprentices has also grown steadily. This intensive apprenticeship training is an essential backbone in skilled worker development.

#### Investments

In the 2021 financial year, around € 283 million was invested in further growth (previous year: € 188.8 million). In addition to investments in property, plant and equipment of around € 147 million, just under € 120 million was invested in product development, especially in the powered two-wheeler segment.

The Annual Financial Report 2021 was published on April 29, 2022 and is available on the company's website <a href="www.piererindustrie.at">www.piererindustrie.at</a> under the following link: <a href="https://www.piererindustrie.at/en/company/reports/">https://www.piererindustrie.at/en/company/reports/</a>



## **About the Pierer Industrie-Group**

The Pierer Industrie-Group is a leading European automotive group with a focus on the global powered-two-wheeler segment and the automotive high-tech component sector. The Group currently employs around 9,500 people worldwide with a group turnover of more than € 2.7 billion.

### **Enquiry notice**

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