

**EVOLIS EXCEEDS ITS GROWTH TARGETS FOR 2010
WITH SALES OF €42.5m, UP 30%**

Angers, 18 January 2011 – Evolis, the European leader in solutions for plastic card personalisation, today published its sales for 2010.

STRONG AND STEADY GROWTH

Evolis recorded consolidated sales of €42.5m in 2010, up 30% from 2009.

| Sales (€m) | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2010/2009 |
|---------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Q1 | 7.7 | 6.8 | 8.8 | +29% |
| Q2 | 11.5 | 8.8 | 11.7 | +33% |
| Q3 | 8.9 | 8.6 | 11.6 | +35% |
| Q4 | 8.6 | 8.5 | 10.4 | +22% |
| Total annual sales | 36.7 | 32.7 | 42.5 | +30% |

The structuring and innovation strategy and the support given to the distribution network in 2009, together with a stronger economic environment in 2010, allowed Evolis to post excellent sales in its core business lines, i.e. Networks, Integrators and Projects. The group continued to grow despite an unfavourable €/US\$ exchange rate in 2010.

The Network business continued to do well all year long in the American and Asian areas. In the EMEA zone, sales began to pick up again in the second half.

The Project business resumed strong growth in 2010 with sales of €6.2m, evenly spread over the group's markets and geographical zones. Demand for technological solutions with high value added is gradually becoming widespread.

HIGHER PROFIT MARGINS IN THE SECOND HALF OF 2010

While continuing investments in structural, human and logistics resources throughout the year, strong growth is expected to have raised Evolis profit margins in 2010.

The group is even expected to post a higher operating margin in the second half than the 15.7% recorded in the first.

Next meeting:

Publication of financial statements for FY2010, 22 March 2011, after trading hours

About Evolis:

Evolis (Alternext: ALTVO – www.evolis.com) develops, manufactures and markets a complete range of on-demand technological and secure card printers. Its printers provide all options needed for graphic, magnetic and electric personalisation (chip card with or without contact – RFID technology) of all types of cards (employee badges, student cards, bank cards, etc.). Based in Angers (France) with subsidiaries in Miami (United States) and Singapore, and representative offices in Tokyo (Japan) and Shenzhen (China), Evolis posted sales of €42.5 million in 2009. The Company has 160 employees and is represented in more than 100 countries throughout the world.

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