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### **DSM Composite Resins AG acquired the Spanish distribution company Fontanals Composites S.A.**

Schaffhausen/Barcelona, March 16, 2007 – DSM Composite Resins AG today announced the acquisition of Fontanals Composites, S.A. This acquisition is a first step in the strategy of DSM Composite Resins to create the undisputed European market leader in composites distribution.

Fontanals Composites S.A. has a tremendous experience as composites distributor and solution provider and reinforces the existing distribution position of DSM Composite Resins -Euroresins in Spain into a leading position.

Fontanals Composites S.A. will be integrated in DSM Composite Resins' own distribution group Euroresins and the combination is renamed as **Euroresins-Fontanals Composites**. The combination of both companies in Spain will offer the clients an interesting product portfolio and an excellent level of technical and logistical service. "The objective of this integration is to offer all our clients Class A brands, new trends, new techniques and an optimal technical and logistical service"; says Jordi Geli, general manager of the newly formed company Euroresins-Fontanals Composites.

[DSM Composite Resins AG](#) is part of the Dutch Multinational DSM. DSM Composite Resins is the largest producer of structural resins in Europe. DSM Composite Resins' develops and produces high quality, technically innovative resins and gelcoats, serving industrial customers via Expertise Centers and its own European distribution network [Euroresins](#). DSM Composite Resins is also growing rapidly in Asia. Furthermore, DSM Composite Resins cooperates worldwide with strategic partners on selected products and distribution of (licensed) DSM product technology.



[Fontanals Composites SA](#) was funded in 1974 by Don Ramón Fontanals Baques who by that time had over 12 years of experience in the composite market. This family owned company started business in composite materials with a clear idea of combining products, information and developments. Their philosophy is focused on serving customers with their excellent knowledge and experience of the composite distribution market in Spain.