



# PRODUCTION OF ULTRASONOGRAPHS

#### **PROJECT**

Proposed project – production of equipment for ultrasound investigation.

Feasibility of establishing a production of equipment for ultrasound investigation is determined by the following factors:

- Availability of highly qualified specialists and successful experience in creating similar productions.
- Localization of production close to final consumers (primarily Russia).
- High growth rate of imports to Russia (CAGR +30% since 2009). In 2012 imports of medical equipment for ultrasound investigation amounted to around 470 mn USD.
- The main markets are the market of Customs Union and markets of developing countries (BRIC and others).
- Investment costs are estimated at 15-30 mn USD, payback period 5 years.

## SALES MARKETS

#### **Customs Union market:**

- The Russian market of medical equipment, products and furniture in 2012 reached **8,4 bn USD**, long-term market growth rate amounts to **18,2% per year**.
- There are local manufacturers of equipment for ultrasound investigation in Russia: RATEKS, Spectromed, etc. However, according to estimates, local producers account for **not more than 5%** of the ultrasound devices market, the rest is imported.
- In 2012 imports of equipment for ultrasound investigation amounted to **477 mn USD**. Annual growth rate for ultrasound equipment imports to Russia in 2009-2012 was **+30%**.

#### **Developing countries market:**

Emerging markets (BRIC) for the last 5 years have shown a significant growth in consumption. Share of BRIC countries in global consumption of medical equipment and furniture exceeded 10% and amounted to 43 bn USD. In 2012 Chinese market became the 4<sup>th</sup> largest market, Russian - 8<sup>th</sup>.

Thus, the most promising market is the Customs Union market as well as the market of developing countries.

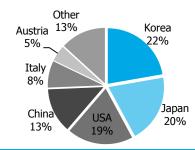


Russian medical products market, 2005-2012

Growth rate, %



Structure of ultrasonographs imports to Russia





## **MARKET OPPORTUNITIES**

### **Global opportunities:**

- Global diagnostic imaging market exceeded 30 bn USD in 2013. CAGR for 2010-2013 amounted to 13%.
- Global diagnostic imaging market is expected to reach **49 bn USD** in 2020.
- Equipment for ultrasound investigation accounts for about 20% of the global market for diagnostic imaging equipment.
- There is a constant ageing of population and expansion of application fields of diagnostic imaging equipment.

### **Regional opportunities:**

- There is a reorientation of the world producers from mature markets of North America and the EU to the more lucrative markets of developing countries.
- Developed countries account for two-thirds of the market, developing countries' share is 36%. But this share is forecasted to reach about 40% by 2017.
- Growth in consumption of medical equipment and furniture in emerging markets is conditioned by a significant **growth in income**.
- Trend of faster growth of medical equipment and furniture consumption in Russia and other BRIC countries is expected to continue in 2012-2018. Russian market of medical products may exceed **10-12 bn USD** by 2018.
- About **75%** of equipment for medical diagnostics in Russia is over 15 years, i.e. equipment on the market is obsolete.
- Diagnostic imaging equipment occupies the first place by the volume of imports of medical equipment to Russia (in 2012 imports increased **by 50%** compared to 2011).
- Market development will be determined not only by modernization of existing health care organizations, but also by the commissioning of new facilities. About 9 thou beds are commissioned annually in Russia.

# **INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

- Investment costs for the creation of facilities for ultrasound equipment production are estimated at **15-30 mn USD**.
- Expected payback period of the project may amount to 5 years.
- IRR for the project may reach around 18-20%.

## **POTENTIAL INVESTORS**



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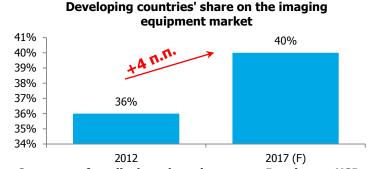
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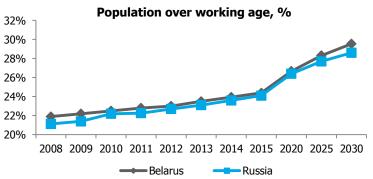
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Forecast of global imaging market, bn USD



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