Erdemir Group Recorded TRY832,5 Million Net Profit in the First Nine Months of 2011.

The net profit for the period is increased by 33% yoy.

In 2011 9M, Ereğli Plant produced 1.227 thousand tons CRC and 1.561 thousand tons HRC in total 2.788 thousand tons with a increase of 13% yoy. İskenderun Plant produced 481 thousand tons long steel and 1.896 thousand tons HRC in total 2.377 thousand tons with a decrease of 4% yoy.

PRODUCTION - (000 TONS) EREĞLİ							
	2011 9M	2010 9M	2010	2009			
CRC	1.227	1.058	1.502	1.590			
HRC	1.561	1.418	1.904	2.404			
TOTAL	2.788	2.476	3.406	3.994			
% Change	13%		-15%				
	İSKENDERUN						
	2011 9M	2010 9M	2010	2009			
LONG	481	1.067	1.420	1.869			
HRC	1.896	1.407	1.967	818			
TOTAL	2.377	2.475	3.387	2.687			
% Change	-4%		26%				

In 2011 9M, Ereğli Plant had 2.703 thousand tons steel shipments, which increased by 16% whereas İskenderun Plant had 2.330 thousand tons which increased by 3% yoy.

SHIPMENTS - (000 TONS) EREĞLİ					
	2011 9M	2010 9M	2010	2009	
CRC-Domestic	1.110	931	1.340	1.268	
CRC- Export	79	69	115	397	
HRC- Domestic	1.206	1.115	1.492	1.920	
HRC-Export	307	224	336	708	
TOTAL	2.703	2.339	3.284	4.294	
% Change	16%		-24%		

SHIPMENTS - (000 TONS) İSKENDERUN					
	2011 9M	2010 9M	2010	2009	
LONG- Domestic	439	870	1.240	1.236	
LONG- Export	22	152	153	622	
HRC- Domestic	1.315	1.114	1.557	621	
HRC- Export	554	119	282	214	
TOTAL	2.330	2.256	3.232	2.693	
% Change	3%		20%		

Erdemir Group recorded TRY**6.664,8** million (USD**4.118,9** million) consolidated sales with an increase of **41%** yoy.



REFERENCE SALES PRICES - (USD/TON) ERDEMIR GROUP						
	2011 9M	2010 9M	2010	2009		
CRC- Domestic	943	858	854	640		
CRC- Export	898	764	779	529		
HRC- Domestic	746	639	640	482		
HRC-Export	721	640	641	445		
LONG-Domestic	736	551	565	438		
LONG- Export	749	537	538	444		

The ratio of operating expenses to the net sales, which is one of the critical targets for performance, is **3.0%** in 2011 9M. It was **2.7%** in 2010 9M.

EBITDA was improved by **59%** yoy and went up to TRY**1.674,6** million (USD**1.034,9** million) and the EBITDA margin was recorded as **25,1%**.

EBITDA - (USD / TON)					
	2011 9M	2010 9M	2010	2009	
CRC	224	149	164	25	
HRC	170	100	117	-1	
LONG	173	66	89	10	

With an increase of **33%** net income in 2011 9M was recorded as TRY**832,5** million (USD**514,5** million), despite the TRY**627,8** million (USD**414,8** million) profit in the first nine months of the previous year. Profit margin went down to **12,5%** with a **1** percentage points increase.

