

Cinven's investments

Healthcare

STADA Arzneimittel AG (STADA) is a leading European manufacturer of prescription generics and over-the-counter (OTC) products.

Overview

Founded in 1895 in Dresden, Germany, today STADA is headquartered in Bad Vilbel near Frankfurt and has c. 10,000 employees. STADA offers a comprehensive range of high quality, low cost generic products with a presence across more than 30 countries. The company has an OTC portfolio comprising c. 13,000 different products, including numerous well known and market leading brands across a range of markets and therapeutic areas.

Cinven's Healthcare team identified an opportunity to support STADA's organic growth through new product development and international expansion, alongside implementing international best practices, and to pursue a targeted buy and build strategy. The Healthcare team worked closely with Cinven's German team, whose local knowledge and experience provided invaluable in discussions with the executive and supervisory boards, workers representatives, local advisors and the German regulators in what was a highly complex public takeover with a broad and diverse set of stakeholders.

STADA has performed well under Cinven's ownership to date, and has made a series of acquisitions in line with its buy and build strategy.



STADA

Prescription generics and
OTC pharmaceutical products

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Acquired
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Employees
c. 10,000

CEO
Peter Goldschmidt

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Bruno Schick, Partner
Matt Norton, Senior Principal



HQ
Germany
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