

## Press Release

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## Antalis has acquired Gosuma in Spain, a company specialised in the distribution of industrial Packaging solutions

Antalis has acquired Gosuma, a Spanish Packaging distribution company with annual turnover of €5 million and more than 1,000 customers. Located in Castilla y Leon (Burgos), Gosuma is strategically positioned in a highly industrialised area and will consequently strengthen Antalis' position in the Iberian market.

Gosuma's expertise lies in the distribution of Packaging products such as cardboard boxes, plastic containers, polyethylene, adhesive tapes and machinery, mainly for the automotive sector, but also for the food and pharmaceutical industries.

Antalis is therefore further expanding its presence in the European packaging market. Gosuma is featured as the first acquisition of 2023, joining the 2022 acquisitions of BB Pack Group in Germany and Cohal Group in Spain.

Commenting on this acquisition, Hervé Poncin, Chief Executive Officer of Antalis, said: "Gosuma offers extensive product expertise to better serve the specific needs of our B2B customers in Iberia and we look forward to the growth opportunities that this investment will provide. As a European Packaging leader, Antalis continues to reinforce its presence in order to offer the best products and services to its customers."

"Antalis shares our values. We are proud and pleased to be part of the Antalis growth story in the Iberian market. Being part of the Antalis group will allow us to expand our customer portfolio as well as provide new services and areas of expertise in the future as a leading European distributor," added Manuel Gonzalez de Suso Mata, Chief Executive Officer of Gosuma.

## **About Antalis**

Antalis is a wholly-owned subsidiary of KPP Group Holdings Co., Ltd., a worldwide leader in Papers, Packaging and Visual Communication distribution headquartered in Japan and listed o²n the Tokyo Stock Exchange (ISIN JP3293350009) with JPY 563 billion (approx. €4 billion) turnover in 2022. In Europe and Latin America, Antalis is the leading B2B distributor of products and services in Papers and industrial Packaging, and number two in the distribution of Visual Communication media. Headquartered in the Paris area (France), Antalis operates in 30 countries serving over 90,000 customers with a team of 3,800 employees and breakthrough e-commerce solutions. Our 60 distribution centers, focused on eco-responsibility, provide world-class services.

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