# Conquering

## the European water market



#### **Our Starting Point**

SJE Rhombus® had established itself as a dominant player in the North American market. At the turn of the last decade, the company decided to focus on international expansion. From a technological standpoint, the European market was a great fit. The company had established a few relationships through indirect channels and was looking for ways to expand this footprint.

The global water market size was valued at \$3,686.1 million in 2019, and is projected to reach \$4,736.5 million by 2027.

#### **About our Partner**

SJE Rhombus® is a North American company with Corporate Headquarters in Detroit Lakes, Minnesota, USA. The company is the leading control solutions provider, with over 45 years of expertise in pump controls using the latest technology to deliver energy-efficient, cost-effective products for a variety of applications worldwide.



- 1) Industry leader since 1975 2) Industry leading warranty

"We improve lives and positively impact communities around the world by providing exceptional control solutions"



#### **CELEBRATING 10 YEARS**



Challenges along the way



There is 6 hours in time difference between SJE Rhombus® HO and the European market



SJE Rhombus® was looking for a risk-free, cost-effective & flexible solution to have its own European sales force.



There are over 200 languages spoken in Europe and there are many cultural differences.



SJE Rhombus® needed to have boots on the ground and be in front of the EU customers



Some float switches were not yet adapted the European market, they needed to be redesigned.

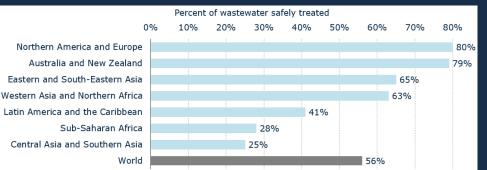
Became one of the most popular float switches in Europe!



Finding a solution to shorten the delivery time from 4-6 weeks to 3-5 days!

### The Industry

PROPORTION OF DOMESTIC WASTEWATER FLOW SAFELY TREATED WORLDWIDE IN 2020, BY REGION\*



Global share of wastewater safely treated 2020, by region

#### Who is EuroDev?

Founded in 1996, the EuroDev Group is a business development organization. We assist internationally oriented North American medium sized organizations that have a strategic focus to develop the European market.

Our team of dedicated, experienced and multilingual business developers and subject-matter experts have successfully worked for over 300 US and Canadian companies.

United Kingdom, and Sweden.

Germany, Austria and Switzerland

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**European Areas Covered** 

SJE Rhombus® experienced successful growth in some of the

most demanding markets like France, the Netherlands, the

Nowadays the business development effort is focused on

**EU Business Expansion** 

**European Accounts** Management

Logistics, Warehousing & Order processing

### **Set up to Success**



EUROPEAN SALES TEAM

EuroDev allocated a business development team, that represents SJE Rhombus® in the European market as SJE Rhombus® Europe. This is provided as a service and allows the company to have boots on the ground in Europe.



WHAT THE EU TEAM BY EURODEV DOES

The team is mandated to perform business development activities across the European theatre, working closely with SJE Rhombus® Sales and Technical leadership teams. Since then, they have been growing the business together.



PROVEN STEPS TOWARDS GROWTH

EuroDev offers a comprehensive introductory program that covers all the bases from product familiarization to market intelligence, lead generation,

qualification as well as commercial negotiation and business trips.



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#### The Results



10.000 calls



34.000 units sold



+ 800 opportunities



<u>+ 600 orders</u>

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