

TMK'S SUCCESS IN PIPE PRODUCTION MODERNIZATION was highly renowned by the Russian Government.

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STRATEGIC INVESTMENT PROGRAMME FOR 2004-2014 - STAGES AND OUTCOME

In 2014, TMK completed most of its Strategic Investment Programme launched in 2004. Over the past 10 years, the Company's facilities underwent a large-scale modernisation resulted in fully upgraded production capacities. With cutting-edge equipment and technologies in place, TMK has significantly boosted its market potential by:

- improving pipe quality characteristics and cutting production costs;
- generally providing our facilities with our own billets and improving their quality;
- expanding our product mix and increasing oil and gas pipe output, including premium products;
- enhancing our product performance through advanced controls along with testing and coating tools implementation;
- mitigating our environmental footprint.

Total investments in the production upgrade, advanced technologies implementation and steelmaking equipment amounted to USD 3.8 bn.

Our largest projects included:

- steelmaking facilities at TAGMET with 950 thousand tonnes of steel per year;
- steelmaking facilities at the Seversky Tube Works with 950 thousand tonnes of steel per year;
- production line for large diameter longitudinal pipe at the Volzhsky Pipe Plant with 600 thousand tonnes of pipe per year;
- PQF pipe rolling mill at TAGMET with 600 thousand tonnes of pipe per year:
- FQM pipe rolling mill at the Seversky Tube Works with 635 thousand tonnes of pipe per year.

2004

2005

2006

2007





AUT equipment for seams and LDP end sections, Volzhsky



Continuous caster #1, Volzhsky 650 ktpa





Upsetter, Sinarsky 36 ktpa







Non-destructive pipe testing equipment, Volzhsky



CPE pipe rolling line, TMK-ARTROM 100 ktpa







Steelmaking



Seamless pipe production





Welded pipe production





Finishing Quality control





:..... New equipment

AUT Automated ultrasonic testing

EAF Electric Arc Furnace

LDP Large Diameter Pipe

VIT Vacuum Insulated Tubing





Three-roll rerolling mill for billets, Sinarsky

350 ktpa



Continuous caster, Seversky 950 ktpa









Welded pipe production line, TMK-CPW 100 ktpa

2008

2009







Vacuum degasser, TMK-RESITA 450 ktpa



Tubing pipe production line, TMK NGS-Buzuluk 11 ktpa



Smooth inner coating line, Volzhsky 600 ktpa



Conservation coating line, Volzhsky 200 ktpa

Heat treatment facility, Volzhsky 340 ktpa

Threaded pipe finishing line, Volzhsky 200 ktpa

Heat treatment facility, Sinarsky 200 ktpa



Three-roll rerolling mill for billets, TMK-ARTROM 100 ktpa

PQF pipe rolling mill, TAGMET 600 ktpa



Longitudinal pipe production line, Volzhsky 650 ktpa





Three-layer outer coating line, Volzhsky 650 ktpa



Conservation coating line, Sinarsky 200 ktpa



EAF (150 t), Volzhsky 900 ktpa



Scrap shearing facility, Seversky 200 ktpa



Vacuum degasser, Seversky 950 ktpa



Heat treatment facility, **TAGMET** 200 ktpa

2010

2011

2012





Scrap shearing facility, Seversky 200 ktpa



Hot rolling section of the TPA 159-426 seamless tube mill, Volzhsky 720 ktpa



Continuous caster #3, Volzhsky 650 ktpa



Coupling shop, Volzhsky 420 kpcspa



Vacuum degasser, TAGMET 950 ktpa





Second production line for premium threaded connection pipe, Brookfield (USA) 40 ktpa



Non-destructive testing equipment, **TAGMET**



Automated section for magnetic particle inspection of coupling outer surface, Sinarsky



Conservation coating line, TAGMET 200 ktpa





Production facility for casing pipe with premium threaded connections, Orsk 24 ktpa





Welded stainless steel pipe production line, TMK-INOX 10 ktpa





Long-length tube manufacturing, Sinarsky 50 ktpa



>> 2013

Facility for premium threaded connection pipe production and service,
Edmonton (Canada)
32 ktpa

Non-destructive testing equipment, Sinarsky

Protective inner coating line, TMK NGS-Nizhnevartovsk 32 ktpa

Long-length tube manufacturing, TMK-INOX 7 ktpa



2014

VIT production facility, Sinarsky 20 kmpa

EAF (135 t), TAGMET 950 ktpa

Ultrasonic testing unit for drill pipe weld junction, Sinarsky



Slitting unit, TMK-INOX
10 ktpa

UKV-25 automated ultrasonic pipe testing system, TMK-INOX

High-performance automated seamless pipe quality control lines, Sinarsky

FQM pipe rolling mill, Seversky 635 ktpa



AUT equipment for line pipe bodies and end sections, Volzhsky

Non-destructive testing line for OCTG, Sinarsky

Coupling production equipment, Sinarsky 88 kpcspa*

Hydrotester and coupling machines of the premium threaded connection pipe finishing line, Sinarsky 37 ktpa*

Pipe end forming and calibration unit,
Sinarsky

40 ktpa*

Pipe threading machines at premium threaded connection pipe finishing line, Sinarsky

47 ktpa*



^{*} To be commissioned in 2015

In 2014, we invested USD 293 m to develop our production capacities, and TMK's capex plan for 2015-2016 will amount to around USD 519 m to enhance our finishing operations: heat treatment, pipe finishing, coating and threading operations, coupling production, improvement of controls. The plan includes boosting heat treatment efficiency and treading capacity, and establishing an outer coating line at TMK IPSCO facilities. This will guarantee our products higher value and quality.



TMK's facilities production capacity*

• 2004-2014

/ thousand tonnes / *including acquisitions

