

Porsche, VW at a glance

Volkswagen and sports car maker Porsche are to merge, creating an “integrated car-manufacturing group” with 10 marques under one roof. The move slams the brakes on Porsche’s attempt to take over Volkswagen by building a 75% stake – it already owns 51% of VW



Volkswagen:

World’s third-largest carmaker behind GM and Toyota

Porsche: Maker of the 911, Boxster, Cayman, Cayenne

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| 6,271,724 | Sales (new cars, 2008) | 98,652 |
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| +1.3% | Change on 2007 | +1.2% |
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| €113,808m | Revenue | €7,021m |
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| €4,688m | Profit after tax | €6,392m |
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| 369,928 | Employees | 12,202 |
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