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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

REPORT OF A FOREIGN ISSUER
PURSUANT TO RULE 13A-16 OR 15D-16
OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934
for the month of October 2003

ASML Holding N.V.

De Run 6501
5504 DR Veldhoven
The Netherlands
(Address of principal executive offices)

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Yes /_/ No /X/

If "Yes" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b):

Exhibit

- 99.1 "Q3 2003 Results," presentation dated October 15, 2003.
- 99.2 "ASML's New Generation TWINSKAN(TM) System Patterns for the 65 nm Node," dated October 21, 2003.
- 99.3 "Media Advisory: A Very Flat Piece of Glass Enables Atomic-level Precision in Optics Technology," dated October 27, 2003.
- 99.4 "Euronext Semiconductor presentation," dated October 30, 2003.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

ASML HOLDING N.V. (Registrant)

Date: November 13, 2003

By: /s/ Peter T.F.M. Wennink

Peter T.F.M. Wennink
Executive Vice President
and Chief Financial Officer

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Q3 2003 Results

October 15, 2003

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- o Financial Summary
- o Focus Q4 2003

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Financial summary

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New and used system revenues by region and type for the period from Jan 1

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through Sep 28 2003

Region	Type	
Europe 12%	Steppers 3%	
U.S. 40%	Scanners 300 mm 48%	Scanners 200 mm 49%
Asia 48%		

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Overview historical financials consolidated MEuro

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Cash flow MEuro

	QTD* 2002		QTD 2003		YTD
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Net income (loss) from cont. ops.	(36)	(18)	(
Depreciation and amortization	49	45	
Effects of changes in assets and liabilities	(140)	(40)	(
Cash flow from operations	(127)	(13)	(
Cash flow from investing activities	(31)	(2)	
Cash flow from financing activities	1	(125)	
Cash flow from discontinued operations	(36)	(4)	
Effect of changes in exchange rates on cash	(1)	(2)	
Net cash flow	(194)	(146)	(

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Value per technology

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Focus Q4 2003

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Exhibit 99.2

ASML's New Generation TWINSKAN(TM) System Patterns for the 65 nm Node

Veldhoven, the Netherlands - October 21, 2003 - ASML Holding NV (ASML) today introduced the new generation of its TWINSKAN(TM) platform -- TWINSKAN XT:1250 -- a 0.85 NA, 193 nm volume production lithography scanner that extends imaging to the 65 nm node on both 200 mm and 300 mm wafers. ASML has already booked several customer orders for the XT:1250 with initial deliveries scheduled for the second quarter of 2004.

"ASML's commitment to customers drives the functionality and design of the TWINSKAN XT:1250. After conducting a global survey, we concluded that chipmakers wanted a tool that cost-effectively manufactures smaller, faster chips and maximizes customer investment in existing 193 nm infrastructure," said Doug Dunn, president and CEO, ASML. "TWINSKAN XT:1250 achieves this through its extendibility to the 65 nm node, its availability in either 200 mm or 300 mm models and its modular design."

The greatest challenges in manufacturing faster chips is printing the incredibly small - sub-micron - circuit features in precise alignment - measured in nanometers - with as many as two-dozen separate layers. The XT:1250 patterns those minute features accurately, based on the stability and reliability of the proven TWINSKAN platform.

The XT:1250 features Ultra-k1(TM), a hardware and software portfolio that extends the capabilities of 193 systems. This package of proprietary products

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gives chipmakers the ability to continue to shrink circuit features, ensures high die yields and maximizes bottom-line return. The Ultra-k1 portfolio dramatically improves process latitude, depth of focus and critical dimension (CD) control.

To provide chipmakers with highest value of ownership, ASML reduced the XT:1250 footprint by 25 percent. This was achieved by placing components from the original system into redesigned, compact support modules that can be located in the sub-fab. Additionally, all TWINSCAN systems benefit from a 50 percent reduction in specified installation facility requirements, such as power consumption, process cooling water, clean dry air and exhaust flow.

About ASML

ASML is the world's leading provider of lithography systems for the semiconductor industry, manufacturing complex machines that are critical to the production of integrated circuits or chips. Headquartered in Veldhoven, the Netherlands, ASML is traded on Euronext Amsterdam and NASDAQ under the symbol ASML.

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Media Advisory: A Very Flat Piece of Glass Enables Atomic-level Precision in Optics Technology

VELDHOVEN, the Netherlands, October 27, 2003 - To the casual observer, it looks like a round piece of glass in a metal holder, a bit larger than a hockey puck. However, the new PerfectWave(TM) metrology standard from ASML Optics enables reliable measurement of dimensions approaching the atomic

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scale.

Producers of semiconductors, nanotechnology devices, advanced optics and other technologies are constantly shrinking the features of their products to manufacture smaller, faster ICs. Today's silicon chips have features as small as 90 nanometers - less than 1000 atoms across - and 50 nanometer features are just a few years away. The lenses used to print these features have to be smoothed and shaped to even smaller tolerances. Engineers and scientists are finding that traditional measurement systems (based on interferometer techniques) are unable to keep up with advancing technology.

ASML's new PerfectWave metrology standard helps solve this problem, because it is almost incomprehensibly flat - variation is just 1 nanometer, or about 10 atomic layers, across its 4-inch diameter. This consistency provides a new "gold standard" for calibration of advanced interferometer measurement systems, enabling a 5x increase in their accuracy.

The PerfectWave metrology standard is the first commercial product from ASML Optics. Founded in 2001, ASML Optics' depth of experience comes from the former Tinsley Laboratories and Perkin-Elmer Optics Group and includes development of sophisticated optics for the Hubble Space Telescope and Micralign and Micrascan, the semiconductor industry's first mask projection scanners.

"There are less than five optics shops in the world with our extreme-precision optical capability and capacity. ASML recently decided to make these our abilities available outside the company," said Thomas Polzer, managing director, ASML Optics. "With our expertise and resources, we can manufacture the full range of optics - from leading edge to standard - and introduce a level of precision and accuracy that has not existed before in semiconductor metrology. Additionally, the PerfectWave metrology standard will also enable other industries to measure more accurately, a vital capability in the up-coming era of nanotechnology applications."

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Euronext Semiconductor presentation
October 30, 2003 - Amsterdam

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Market Status

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Q3 2003, the changing environment
- global effects

- o Stronger economy
- o Early signs of economic stabilization in Europe
- o Low supply chain inventories
- o Improving seasonal demand
- o Improved fundamentals within global semiconductor industry

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Global GDP Growth, 2000-2004

	2000	2001	2002	2003F	2004F
Real GDP Growth (Percent)	+4.0	+1.3	+2.0	+2.2	+3.3

Source: Gartner Dataquest, 7 Oct. 2003

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Q3 2003, the changing environment
- the semiconductor industry

Growth in semi's grew approx. 10% in Q3

- o Drivers
 - o notebook PC's
 - o cell phones
 - o broadband
 - o DVD players
 - o video games
 - o FPD's
 - o digital cameras

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Q3 2003, the changing environment
- customer reactions

- o Improved confidence with expectations for seasonal strength in Q4
- o Inventories in Q3 increased but some believe it is still too low
- o Capacity utilization continues to increase with expectations of IC price firming
- o Orders for capital equipment increasing
- o Transferring processes to 300mm

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- o Early stages of 90 nm product transition

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Wafer Fab: Overall Industry Utilization

Ratio of Silicon Consumed to Fab Capacity

	Ratio (%)	Leading Edge (%)
1Q00	97.76	99.76
2Q00	97.52	99.52
3Q00	99.03	99.63
4Q00	93.22	96.22
1Q01	82.86	86.86
2Q01	71.71	83.71
3Q01	59.65	74.65
4Q01	62.59	80.59
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2Q02	79.07	95.07
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2Q04	93.36	97.66
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Capital Spending as a percentage of
SEMI Revenues

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Front End Equipment spending
as a percentage of Capital Spending

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Stepper Revenues as a percentage of
Front End Equipment Spending

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What if??

- o NBT \$220B x 25% Capex = \$55B
Stepper Market = \$5.9B

- o NMT \$190B x 25% Capex = \$47.5B
Stepper Market = \$5.1B

- o NT \$175B x 25% Capex = \$43.75B
Stepper Market = \$4.7B

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TWINSKAN(TM) 300 mm transition

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The XT: 1250:

Volume production tool for the 65-nm node

Aimed at the 200-mm and 300-mm markets

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