













































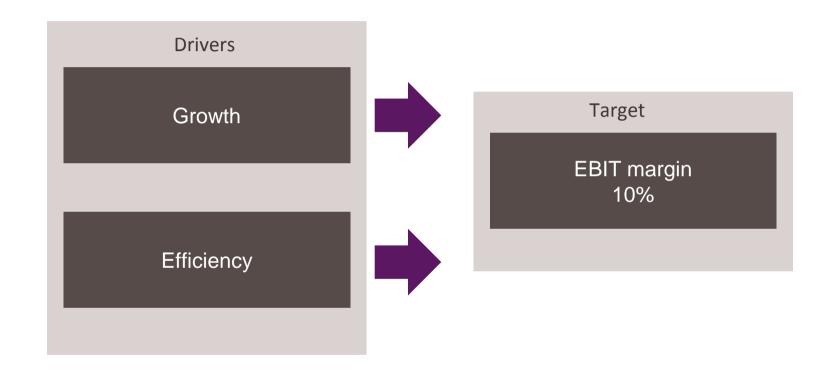


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## Interim report Q3

27 October 2011





Q3 2011 **Continued** cost savings

## Q3: Group results in brief

- Net sales SEK 3,109 m (3,228)
- Organic growth 0% (-1)
- Gross margin 38.5% (40.3)
- EBIT 126 m (153)
- EBIT margin 4.1 % (4.7)
- Restructuring costs totalled SEK 113 m (76)
- Profit after tax incl. restructuring costs SEK
   -8 m (42)
- EPS including restructuring costs SEK -0.05 (0.25)
- SEK -5 m net currency effects on EBIT (5)
- Operating cash flow SEK 124 m (283)

Excluding restructuring costs

Currency=SEK



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# Market trends UK Nordic CE

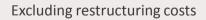
UK region organic growth



# UK region in Q3

- Lower volumes in Magnet
- Increased price levels
- Material prices and sales mix effects impacting gross margin

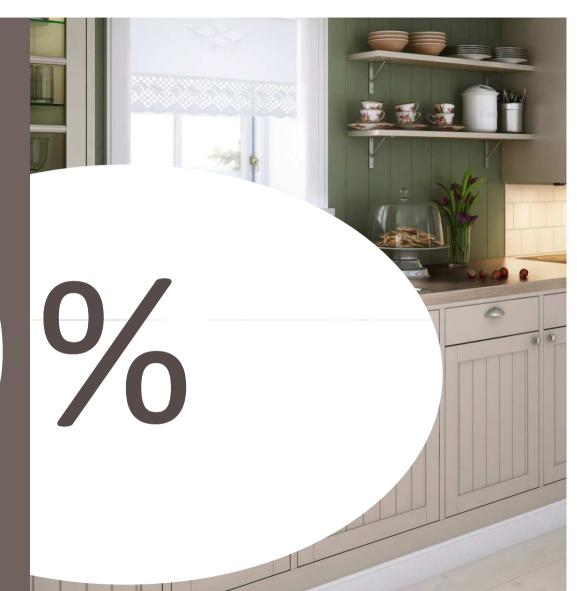






Nordic region organic growth

+10%



# Nordic region Q3

- Higher volumes in all markets
- Marginal effect from sales mix on gross margin
- Price increases contributed to increased profit generation

	2010 Jul-Sep	2011 Jul-Sep	
Net sales SEK m	1,091	1,192	
Gross margin	38.3%	37.9%	
EBIT SEK m	63	102	
EBIT margin	5.8%	8.6%	

Excluding restructuring costs



Continental Europe region organic growth

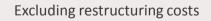
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# Continental Europe region Q3

- Decreasing sales in France and in Poggenpohl
- Ongoing refurbishing program in Hygena
- Lower volumes and sales mix burdened gross margin

	2010 Jul-Sep	2011 Jul-Sep	
Net sales SEK m	875	811	
Gross margin	41.5%	38.2%	
EBIT SEK m	6	-18	
EBIT margin	0.7%	-2.2%	

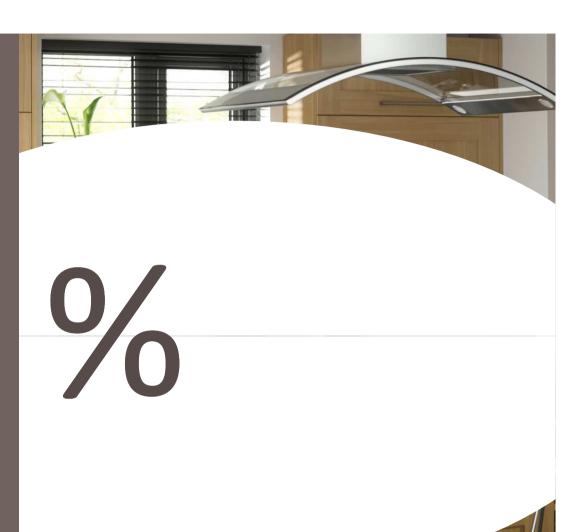




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Group EBIT margin

4.1



### Q3: Group earnings trend

### Positive factors

- Growing Nordic sales
- Price increases
- Cost savings measures already implemented and newly initated

### Negative factors

- Lower volumes outside Nordics
- Gradually decreasing organic growth
- Negative mix effect and higher raw material prices

SEK m	2010 Jul-Sep	2011 Jul-Sep
Gross margin	40.3%	38.5%
EBIT SEK m	153	126
EBIT margin	4.7%	4.1%

Excluding restructuring costs

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Debt/equity ratio

40/0



## Financial position

### **Operating cash flow**

- Reduced prepayments
- Higher inventory and accounts receivables and increased restructuring cost
- Substantial decrease of working capital last year

### **Net debt**

Reduced by repayments

SEK m	2010 Jan-Sep	2011 Jan-Sep
Change in working capital	174	-279
Operating cash flow	544	136
SEK m	2010 30 Sep	2011 30 Sep
Net debt - of which pensions	1,615 601	1,466 573
Net debt/equity	45%	40%

