

NORMA Group Full Year Results 2012

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Customer Value through Innovation



Highlights 2012 - Strategy

Acquisitions	5 acquisitions in Switzerland, Italy, Malaysia, Netherlands and Australia
APAC	Opening of new offices in Vietnam, Indonesia and the Philippines
Greenfield APAC	New production facility in India to meet increased sales demand
NORMA CONNECT	NORMACONNECT V profile clamp production expansion in England and China
White Spots	Remaining white spot Brazil under close investigation for mid-term production start
EURO6	New product introductions for EURO6 engines
Listing	MDAX listing in March 2013 – 100% Free Float



Highlights 2012 – Financials (I)

Calaa	Record sales of EUR 604.6 million (2011: EUR 581.4 million)
Sales	Growth of 4.0% including acquisitions of EUR 14.3 million
Adjusted EBITA	Record adjusted EBITA of EUR 105.4 million (2011: EUR 102.7 million)
Margin	Sustainable high-level EBITA margin of 17.4% (2011: 17.7%)
EPS	Record pro forma adjusted EPS of EUR 1.94 up from EUR 1.81 in 2011
LFO	Reported EPS increased by nearly 50% to EUR 1.78 (2011: EUR 1.19)
Equity	Strong balance sheet with an equity ratio of 41.7% (2011: 39.5%) despite dividend payment and increased balance sheet total



Highlights 2012 – Financials (II)

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Net debt down to EUR 174.2 million from EUR 176.7 million in 2011* despite payment of EUR 50 million for dividend and acquisitions

Cash Flow

Excellent adjusted net operating cash flow of EUR 81.0 million (2011: EUR 66.8 million)

Dividend

Dividend proposal to the AGM of EUR 0.65 per share

33.5% or EUR 20.7 million of adjusted net income of EUR 61.8 million

Visibility

Order book at year end at EUR 215.4 million almost on same level as previous year (2011: EUR 218.6 million)

Guidance

Moderate sales growth plus approx. EUR 20 million from recent acquisitions

EBITA margin at least on the level of the last 3 business years of above 17%

^{*} excluding non-cash / non-P&L derivative financial liabilities of EUR 24.8 million (2010: EUR 21.8 million)



New Acquisitions Lead to Sales Run Rate of EUR 625* m

Sales consolidation effects 2012 / 2013 in EUR million		2012	2013	Total
Connectors Verbindungstechnik AG	Switzerland	11	4	15
Nordic Metalblok S.r.l.	Italy	3	3	6
Chien Jin Plastic Sdn. Bhd.	Malaysia	0	7	7
Groen Bevestigingsmaterialen B.V.**	Netherlands	0	2	2
Davydick & Co. Pty. Limited	Australia	0	4	4
Total		14	20	34

preliminary sales 2012 of EUR 605 million plus consolidation effects 2013 of EUR 20 million increase in ownership from 30% to 90%

NORMA Group Worldwide

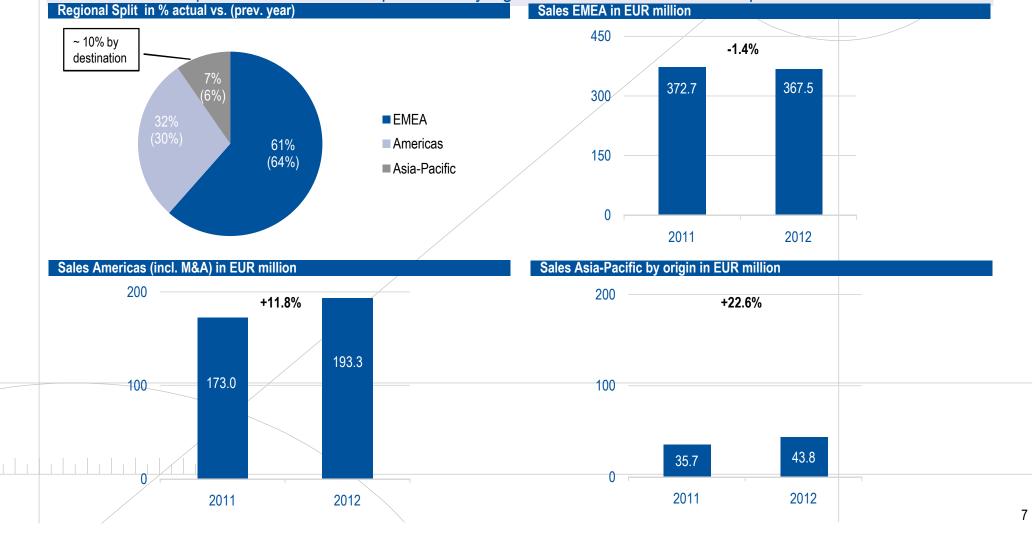




Sales by regional reporting segments

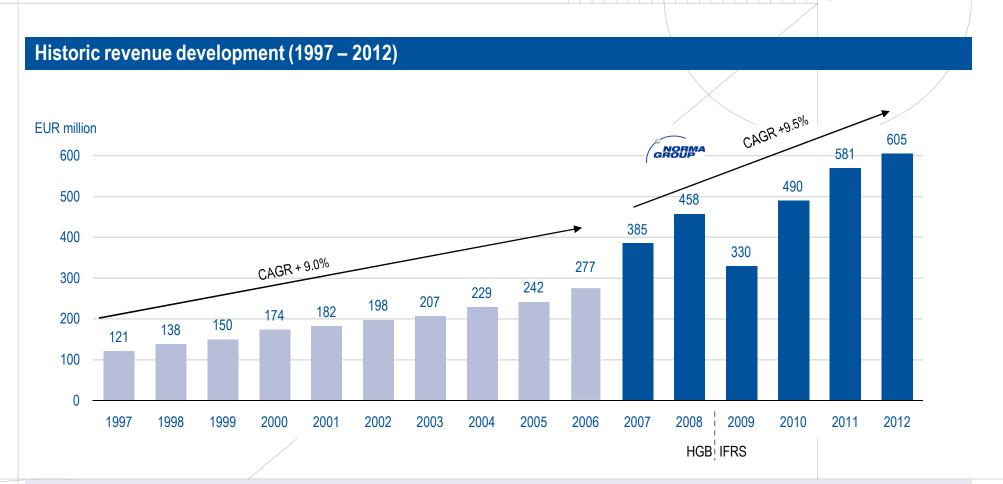


- Reporting segment Asia-Pacific recorded direct sales of 7% in 2012 or 10% including all NORMA exports into the region (sales by destination)
- Excellent double-digit growth in Americas and Asia-Pacific
- Weaker European environment is outperformed by higher content and successful acquisitions





Historic Growth Track Record

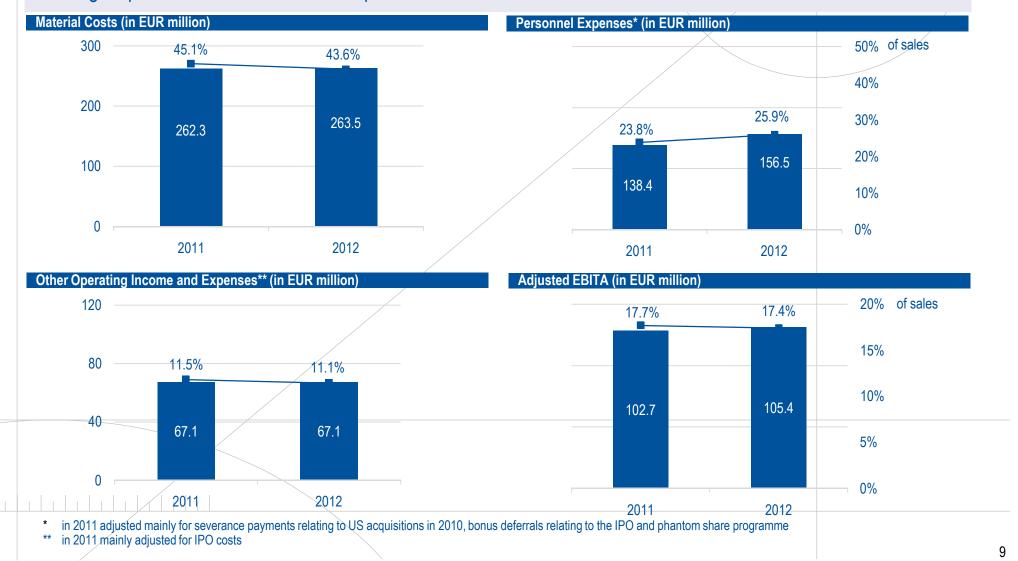


1997 to 2012: 16 years of growth



Material consumption and OPEX improved

- Improved material costs and OPEX compensated higher personnel expenses and lead to sustainable margin
- Higher personnel costs also due to expansion of Asia/Pacific business





No Operational Adjustments in 2012

- No operational adjustments despite recent acquisitions in Switzerland, Italy, Malaysia and Netherlands
- Ongoing PPA adjustments at EUR 0,16 on EPS level

in EUR million	Reported	PPA adjustments	adjusted
Sales	604.6	0	604.6
EBITDA	120.8	No operational adjustments	120.8
EBITDA margin	20.0%		20.0%
EBITA	105.2	0.2	105.4
EBITA margin	17.4%		17.4%
EBIT	94.4	7.5	101.9
EBIT margin	15.6%		16.9%
Net Profit	56.6	5.2	61.8
Net Profit margin	9.4%		10.2%
EPS (in EUR)	1.78	0.16	1.94

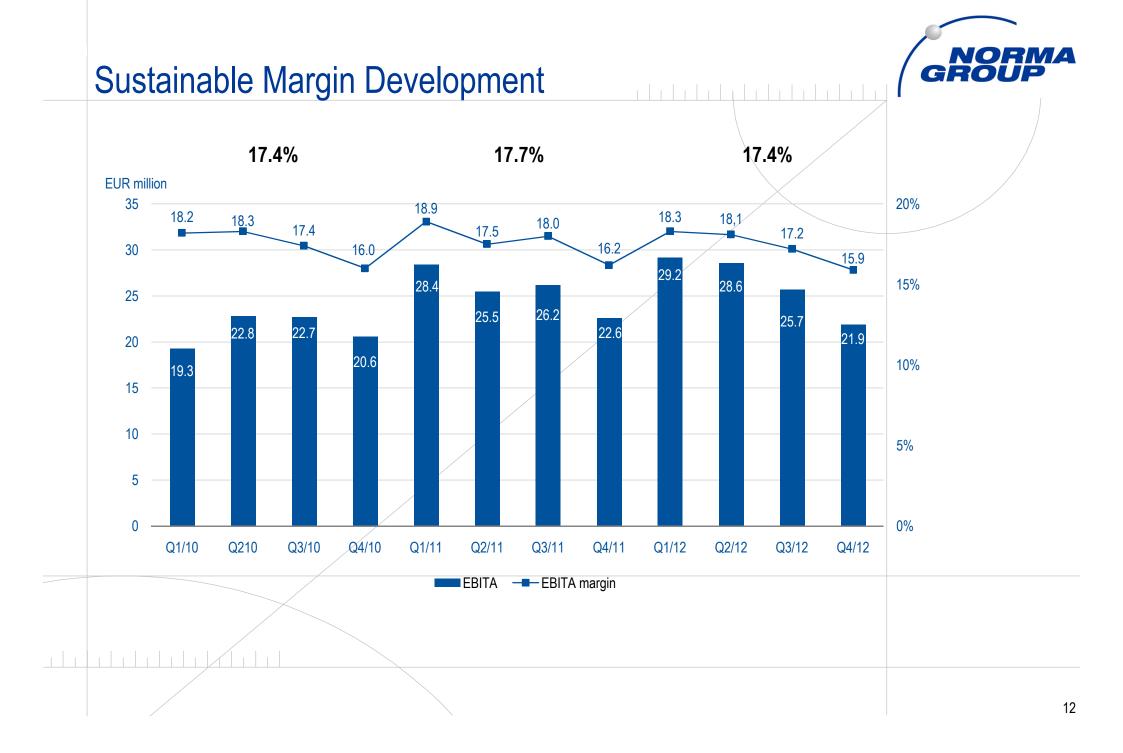


Overview on Adjustments in prior years

- Adjustments in 2011 and 2010 mainly from IPO costs (major part concluded in Q1 2011) Only minor PPA adjustments in 2012 on EBITA level

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in EUR million	2010	2011	2012
Reported EBITA	64.9	84.7	105.2
+ Restructuring Costs	1.3	1.8	0
+ Non-recurring/non-period-related items*	15.5	14.8	0
+ Other group and normalized items	0.7	0.2	0
+ PPA depreciation	3.0	1.2	0.2
Adjusted EBITA	85.4	102.7	105.4

* mostly IPO related costs in 2010/2011





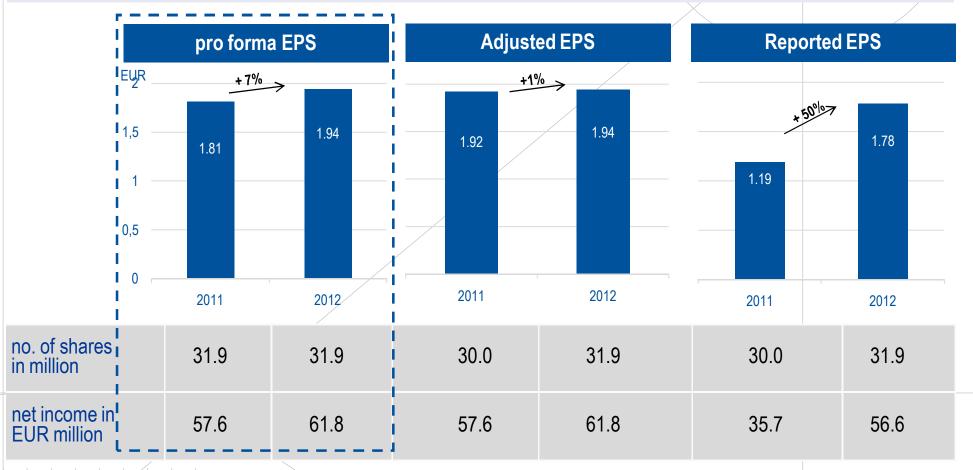
Profit & Loss (adjusted & reported)

in EUR million	2012		20	11
	reported	adjusted	reported	adjusted
Sales	604.6	604.6	581.4	581.4
Gross Profit	344.4	344.4	322.6	322.6
EBITDA	120.8	120.8	100.2	117.0
EBITA	105.2	105.4	84.7	102.7
in %	17.4	17.4	14.6%	17.7%
EBIT	94.4	101.9	76.6	99.7
in %	15.6	16.9	13.2%	17.1%
Financial Result	-13.3	-13.3	-29.6	-17.4
Profit before Tax	81.1	88.6	47.0	82.3
Taxes	-24.6	-26.8	-11.3	-24.7
Net Profit	56.5	61.8	35.7	57.6



EPS – Dividend Proposal EUR 0.65 per share

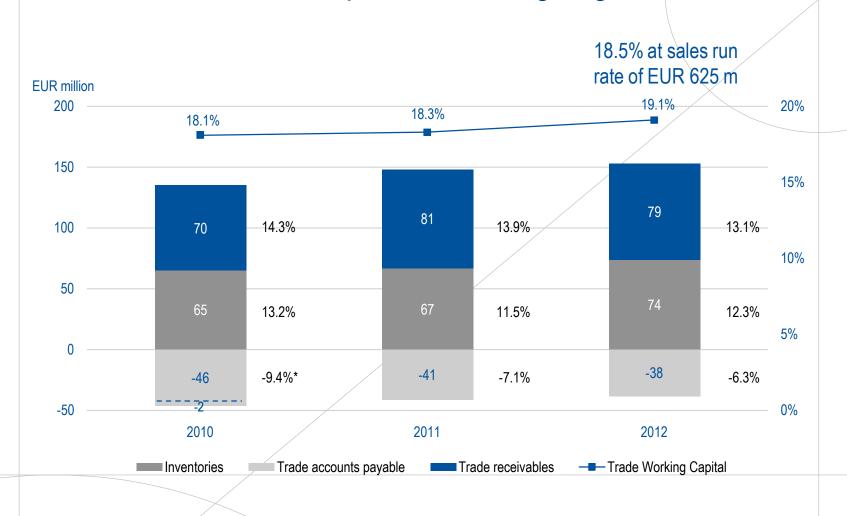
- Dividend proposal to the shareholders at the AGM on 22 May 2013: EUR 0.65 per share = 3.1% dividend yield*
- Pay-out of EUR 20.7 million for 31,862,400 shares equals 33.5% of adjusted net income of EUR 61.8 million



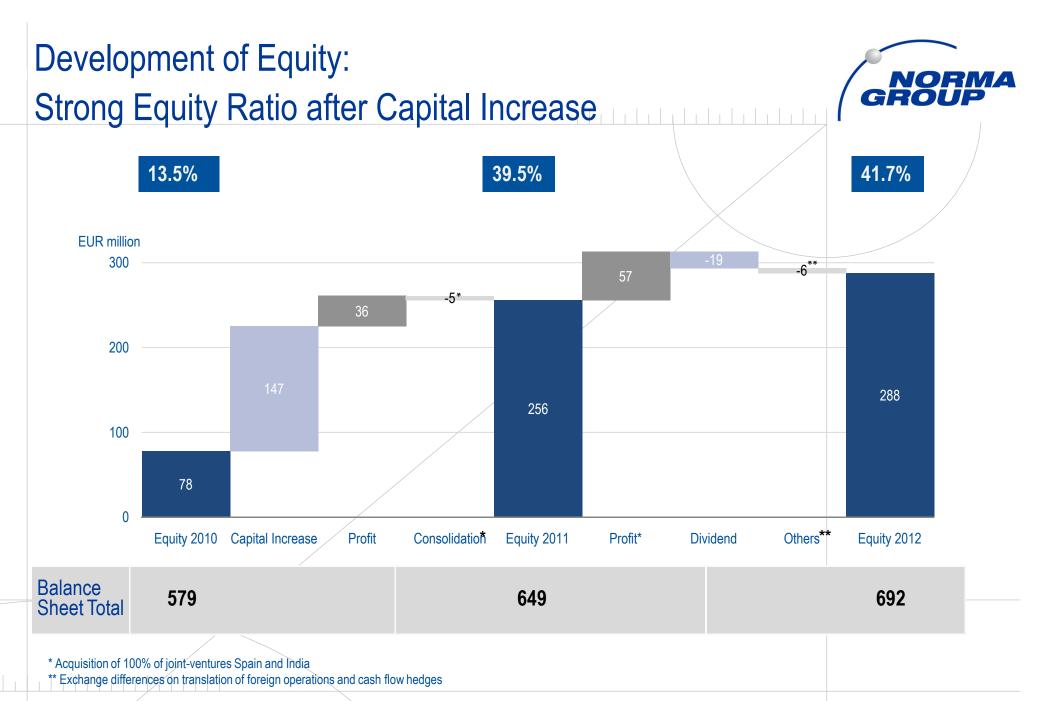
^{*} based on the Xetra closing price of EUR 21,00 at 28 December 2012

Slight temporary increase in TWC through Acquisitions in Distribution Services. Optimization ongoing in 2013





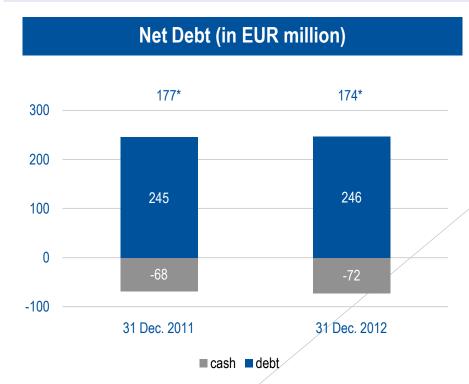
* excluding payments related to IPO costs (EUR 2 million)





Equity and Debt Ratios improved

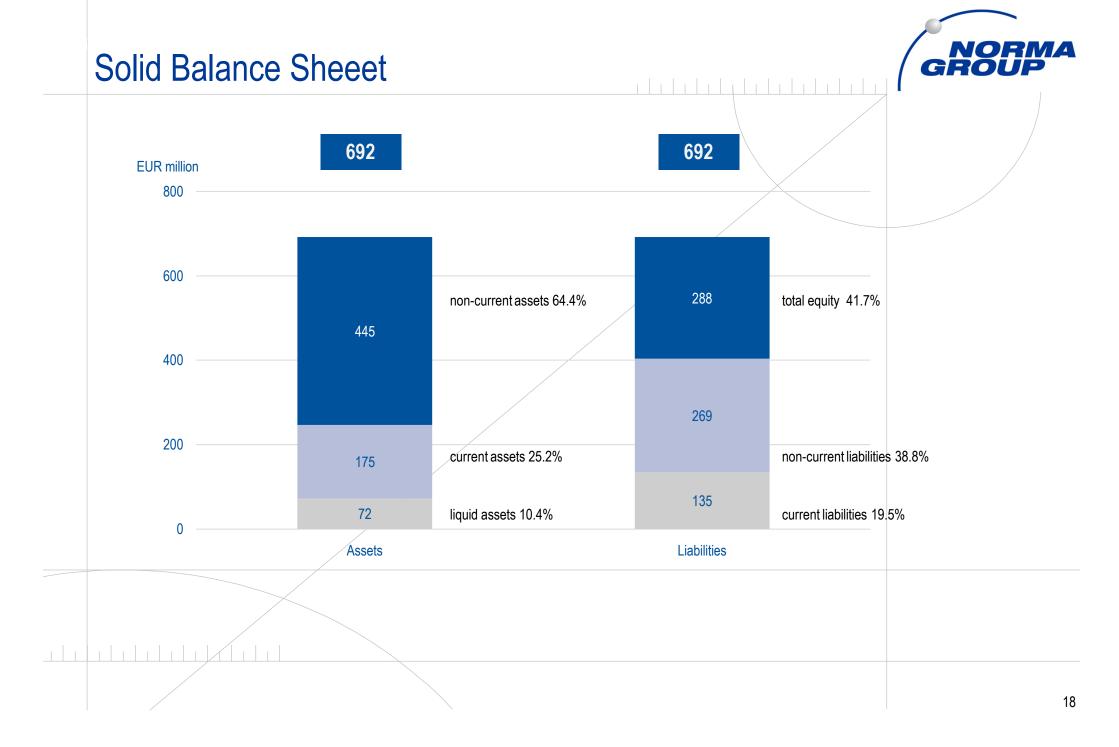
 Equity and debt ratios improved despite ~ EUR 50 million dividend payment and acquisition because of strong earnings and cash generation.



Equity Ratios		
	31.12.2012	31.12.2011
Equity Ratio (Equity / Balance Sheet Total	41.7%	39.5%

Debt Ratios			
excluding derivatives*	31.12.2012	31.12.2011	
Leverage (net debt* / adjusted LTM EBITDA	1.4 x	1.5 x	
Gearing (net debt* / equity)	0.6 x	0.7 x	

^{*} excludes non cash / non P&L derivative financial liabilities of EUR 24.8 million (31.12.2011: EUR 21.8 million): including leverage = 1.6x; gearing = 0.7x





Very Strong Operating Net Cash Flow in 2012

Operating net cash flow			
in EUR million	2011	2012	Variance
EBITDA*	117.0	120.8	3.3%
Δ ± Working capital	-19.5	-9.8	-50.1%
Operating net cash flow before investments from operating business	97.5	111.0	13.9%
Δ ± Investments from operating business	-30.7	-30.0	-2.1%
Operating net cash flow	66.8	81.0	21.3%

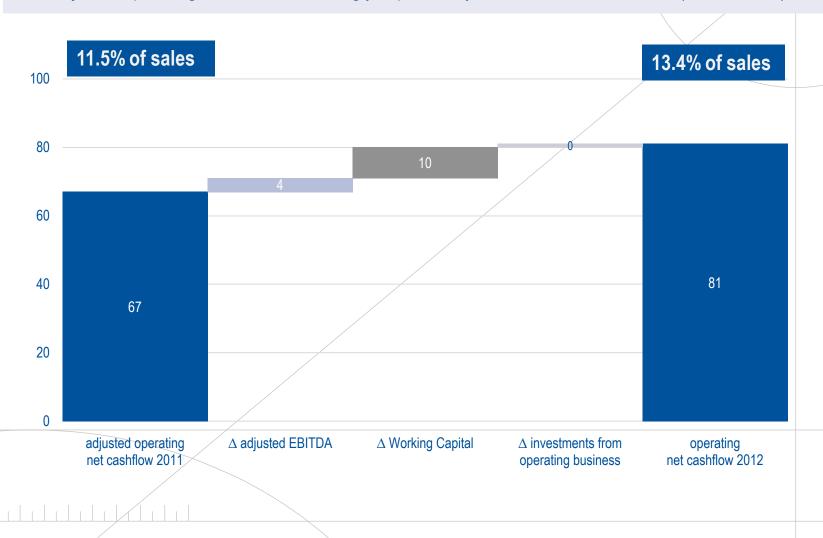
- Operating net cash flow before investments significantly increased by EUR 13.5 million to a total of EUR 111 million in 2012 due to higher EBITDA and less working capital consumption
- 2012 capex spending on the same level as in 2011 leads in total to very high cash flow of EUR
 81.0 million

^{*} previous year adjustments mostly related to IPO costs and other non-recurring / nonperiod related items

Cash Flow Statement



Adjusted operating net cash flow strongly improved by 190 BP to 13.4% of sales (2011: 11.5%)





Proven Business Model Addressing Key Megatrends

NORMA Group products

NORMACLAMP® ~ 53% of sales



NORMACLAMP TORRO

NORMACONNECT® ~ 22% of sales



NORMACONNECT Vario-Pipe

NORMAFLUID® ~ 25% of sales



Specific customer requirements driven by megatrends

Emission reduction

Next global level of emission reduction ramps up in 2013 with EURO 6 in Europe

Weight reduction

Ongoing trend in many industries especially addressed by NORMA Fluid products

Assembly time reduction

Easy to assembly Norma products help reducing production costs for customers

Leakage reduction

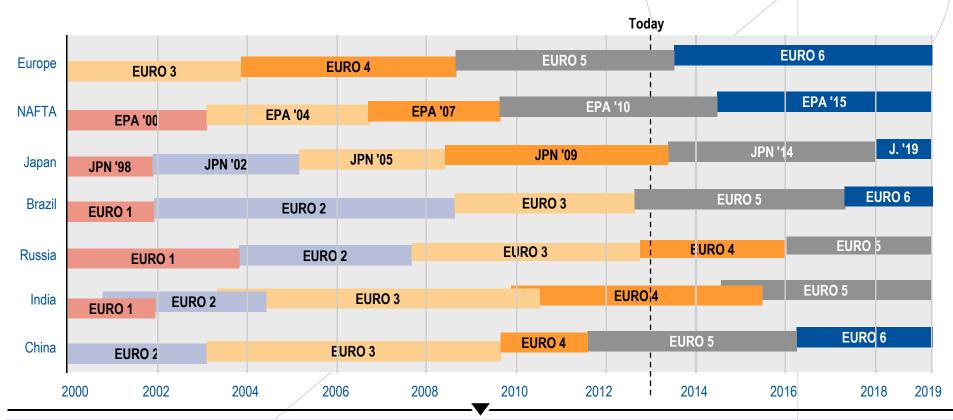
Safely sealed products minimise warranty costs for customers through leak free joints

Product Availability

Distribution Services customers served fast through worldwide presence of regional sales hubs

Tighter Emission Regulations Drive Increased Joining Technology Content





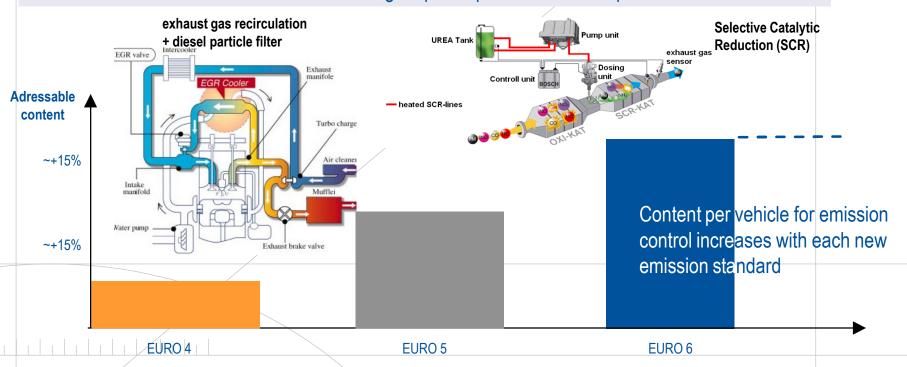
- Environmental awareness continues to drive tightening emission regulations globally
- Increasingly tighter emission regulations, including in emerging markets
- Low-emission alternatives require significantly higher joining technology content at a substantially increased complexity compared to existing/past technologies

Note: Chart shows emission regulation roadmap for passenger vehicles Source: DieselNet, NORMA Group



Strong Content Growth based on EURO 6

- EURO 6 introduction for trucks and passenger vehicles in 2014 triggers new engine generations and ramp-up in 2013
- Market for joining technology is expected to outgrow the respective end-markets, driven by megatrends including
 - Additional components in new engines
 - Higher value of joining technology content
 - -> Lead to increased number of units and higher prices per customer end product





Outlook 2013 - Strategy

- 1 Continue international expansion of sales network and production footprint
- 2 Continue to explore business opportunities in APAC
- 3 Increase China capacity to enable expansion
- 4 Expand and explore opportunities in Brazil
- 5 Increase business opportunities in new industries
- 6 Continue dialogue with potential M&A targets



Outlook 2013 - Macroeconomic Forecast - GDP Growth

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in %	2012	2013e	2014e
USA*	+2.3	+2.0	+3.0
China*	+7.8	+8.2	+8.5
Euro-zone*	-0.5	-0.2	+1.0
Germany*	+0.9	+0.6	+1.4
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- VDMA (German Engineering Federation) expects production increase of 2% in 2013.
- Euroconstruct expects further reduction by 1.5% for the European construction industry.
- POLK expects 5.6 % growth in passenger cars in 2014 after 2.5% in 2013.

^{*} Source: International Monetary Fund, Eurostat February 2013



Outlook 2013 – Company Guidance

Sales	Moderate growth, plus approx. EUR 20 million from recent acquisitions
EBITA margin	On the level of the three previous years, more than 17%
Investments in R&D	Approx. 4% of EJT sales
Material ratio	Approx. on the level of the previous year
Financial result	Approx. EUR -15 million
Tax rate	Approx. 30% to 32%
CAPEX rate	Approx. 4.5% of sales
Dividend	Approx. 30% to max 35% of Group adjusted net profit



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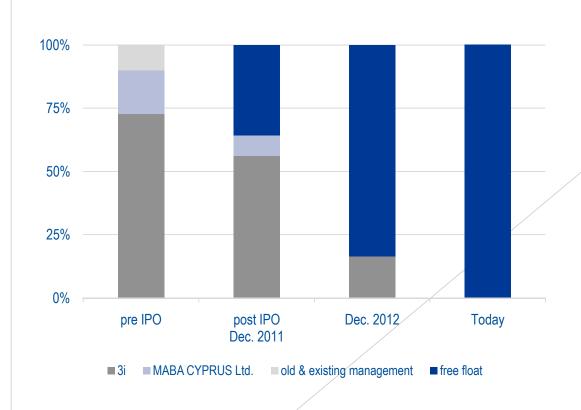
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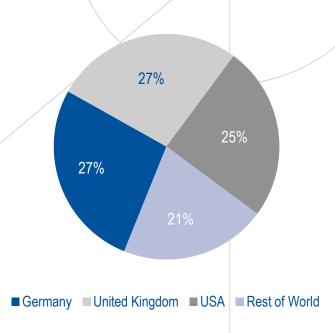
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Shareholder Structure

Identified institutional Shareholders





Free float per Jan. 2013 includes: Ameriprise, USA incl. Threadneedle	10.8%
Allianz Global Investors, Frankfurt	5.8%
Mondrian, London	5.3%
DWS, Frankfurt	4.9%
Oddo, Paris	3.4%
T. Rowe Price, London	3.0%
Management	~2.8%

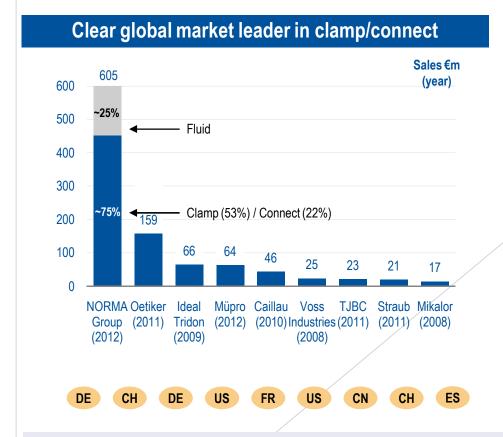


NORMA Group – Key Investment Highlights

- 1 Market leader in attractive engineering niche markets with strong growth prospects
- 2 Premium pricing through technology and innovation leadership in mission-critical components
- 3 Enhanced stability through broad diversification across products, end-markets and regions
- 4 Two distinct ways-to-market providing unique customer access and market intelligence
- 5 Significant growth and value creation opportunity through synergistic acquisitions
- 6 Proven track record of operational excellence



Convincing Growth Prospects



Excellent growth outlook across end-markets End-market Additional growth production unit for Joining (2013-18 CAGR) technology market growth Passenger vehicles +5% add. 2-4% Commercial vehicles +6% add. 2-4% Agricultural equipment* add. 2-4% +1% Construction equipment** +5% add. 2-4% add. 2-4% Engines* +5% White goods* +5% Same level Drainage systems* +6% Same level

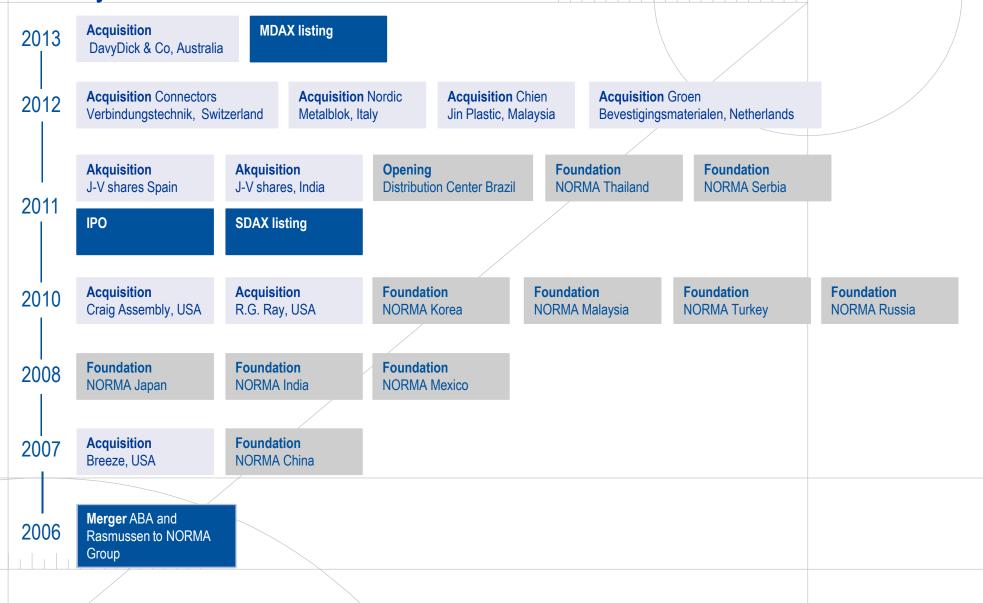
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NORMA Group expects to grow even faster than its end-markets

^{* 2010-2015} CAGR ** 2012-2016 CAGR



History of Excellence



Premium Pricing through Technology and Innovation Leadership in Mission-Critical Components



Mission-criticality: Small relative cost – high impact				
Example: Harvester	Approx. value of joining technology content			
Cooling water	c. € 21-26			
Charged air	c. € 20-25			
Fuel and oil system	c. € 49-60			
Exhaust system	c. € 62-101	AND DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PROPERT		
Standard clamps and connectors	c. € 36-44	The state of the s		
	Total c. € 188-256 (< 0.1%)	Price of harvester: € 350,000		

Ability to achieve premium pricing

- Basis for premium pricing:
 - Market leadership
 - Technology
 - Quality
 - Innovation
 - Tailor-made solutions
- High switching costs for customers
 - Savings potential for customer mismatches risk of switching supplier

Enhanced Stability through Broad Diversification Across Products, End-Markets and Regions



Examples of NORMA Group's key end-markets

Engines



Commercial vehicles



Construction / infrastructure / water management



Passenger vehicles



Construction equipment



Agricultural equipment



Shipbuilding



White goods



Pharma & Biotech



Wholesalers & Technical distributors



- More than 30,000 products, manufactured in 19 locations and sold to more than 10,000 customers in 100 countries
- Presence in China, India, Russia, Brazil and South Korea already established Top 5 customers account for only ~19% of 2012 sales



Good Balance in the Two Distinct Ways-to-Market

Unique business model with two distinct ways-to-market

- Significant economies of scale in production
- Close contact to international EJT customers
- Knowledge transfer from EJT to DS

Engineered Joining Technology (EJT) ~71% of 2012 sales

Innovation and product solution partner for customers, focused on engineering expertise with high value-add











Distribution Services (DS) ~29% of 2012 sales

High quality, branded and standardised joining **products** provided at competitive prices to broad range of

























- Customised, engineered solutions
- Patents in nearly 200 patent families
- B₂B

- High quality, standardised joining technology products
- B₂C

ABP

NORMA Group Provides Mission-Critical Products and Solutions with Clear Added-Value



A world without NORMA Group









Customer impact

Reputation loss

Image loss

Warranty costs

Non-compliance with legal requirements/regulations

Loss of end-customers



Acquisition of Connectors Verbindungstechnik AG

M&A	Acquisiton of Connectors Verbindungstechnik AG, Switzerland, in April 2012
Business Model	Connectors specialises in connecting systems for the pharmaceutical and biotechnology industry.
History	For more than 25 years the company has been manufacturing and distributing connecting elements that meet the highest purity standards for medical sterile technology.
Sales	Approx. EUR 15 million sales in last business year
Consoli- dation	First time consolidation into NORMA Group starting Q2 2012
Adjustments	No operational adjustments planned from acquisition
Margin	Excellent margin of Connectors in the range of NORMA Group's margin; Earnings accretive in 2012 already



Acquisition of Nordic Metalblok S.r.l.

M&A	Acquisiton of Nordic Metalblok S.r.l., Italy in July 2012
Business Model	Company specialises in manufacturing clamps for various applications particularly for the heating, ventilation and air conditioning industry and the agricultural and construction sectors.
History	For more than 40 years the company distributes its products to retailers and wholesalers as well as to manufacturing companies globally.
Sales	Approx. EUR 6 million sales in last business year
Consoli- dation	First time consolidation into NORMA Group starting Q3 2012
Adjustments	No operational adjustments planned from acquisition
Margin	Margin of the company including synergies in the range of NORMA Group's margin



Acquisition of Chien Jin Plastic Sdn. Bhd.

	Acquisiton of Chien Jin Plastic, Malaysia, in October 2012
M&A	Closing expected toward year end 2012
Business Model	Specialised in joining elements for plastic and iron pipe systems for different application areas, esp. drinking and domestic water distribution. Also produces components for sanitary appliances under its brand name Fish. More than 200 customers in 30 countries.
History	In the market for 20 years, the company is based in Ipoh, Malaysia.
Sales	Approx. EUR 7 million sales in last business year
Consoli- dation	First time consolidation into NORMA Group after closing.
Adjustments	No operational adjustments planned from acquisition
Margin	Margin of the company including synergies in the range of NORMA Group's margin



M&A	60% increase in ownership to 90% in Groen Bevevestigingsmaterialen B.V. in December 2012
Business Model	Wholesale supplier of hose and pipe clamps and coupling to the industrial, construction, agriculture, plumbing, hardware and automotive sector in Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxembourg. Moreover, extensive supply programme for traffic sign brackets and necessary mounting tools.
History	Partnership between Groen and NORMA started in 1993 with ABA hose claps. The company is based in Purmerend, Netherlands.
Sales	Approx. EUR 5 million sales in last business year (thereof EUR 2 million additional external sales)
Consoli- dation	First time consolidation into NORMA Group after closing on 31st December 2012
Adjustments	No operational adjustments planned from acquisition
Margin	Margin of the company including synergies in the range of NORMA Group's margin



Akquisition of DavyDick & Co. Pty. Ltd.

M&A	Akquisition of DavyDick & Co. in January 2013
Business Model	Distribution for various elements in the transportation of water in irrigation systems. Specialised in supplying a comprehensive range of rural irrigation fittings, valves, and pumps under the brand PUMPMASTER. More than 700 customers throughout Australia.
History	In the market for more than 20 years. Based in Goulburn, Australia
Sales	Approx. EUR 4 million sales in last business year
Consoli- dation	First time consolidation into NORMA Group after closing in early 2013
Adjustments	No operational adjustments planned from acquisition
Margin	Margin of the company including synergies in the range of NORMA Group's margin

Record sales of EUR 604.6 million including acquisitions and positive currency effects



- Weaker European economic environment visible in 2nd half year
- Globalisation strategy pays off with positive currency effects

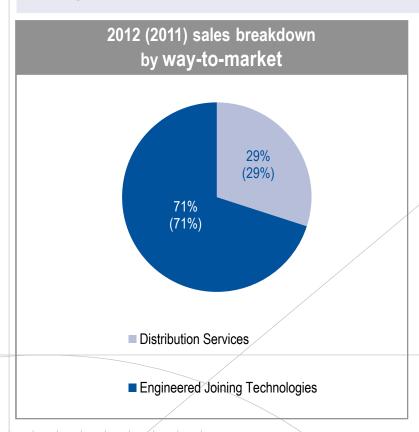
Sales Developr	nent in EUR milli	on				
Sales	2011	2012	Change	Change in %	thereof currency	thereof acquisitions
Q1	150.4	159.7	+9.3	+6.3%	+1.2%	+0.0%
Q2	145.5	158.0	+12.5	+8.6%	+4.6%	+2.3%
Q3	145.8	149.6	+3.7	+2.5%	+5.3%	+3.6%
Q4	139.6	137.3	-2.3	-1.6%	+2.5%	+4.2%
FY	581.4	604.6	+23.2	+4.0%	+3.4%	+2.5%

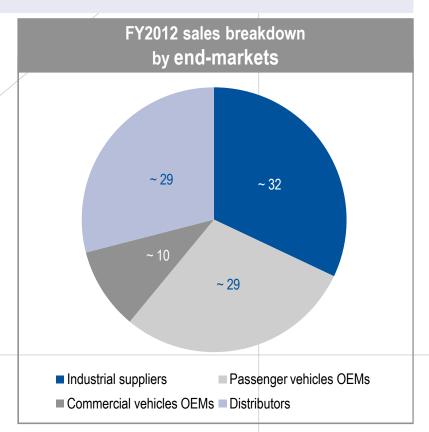
Acquisitive growth of 2.5% related to Connectors Verbindungstechnik AG (consolidated from April 2012 onwards),
 Nordic Metalblok S.r.I. (consolidated from July 2012 onwards) and Chien Jin Plastic Sdn. Bhd. (consolidated from December 2012 onwards)



Sales by Way-to-Market and by Industries

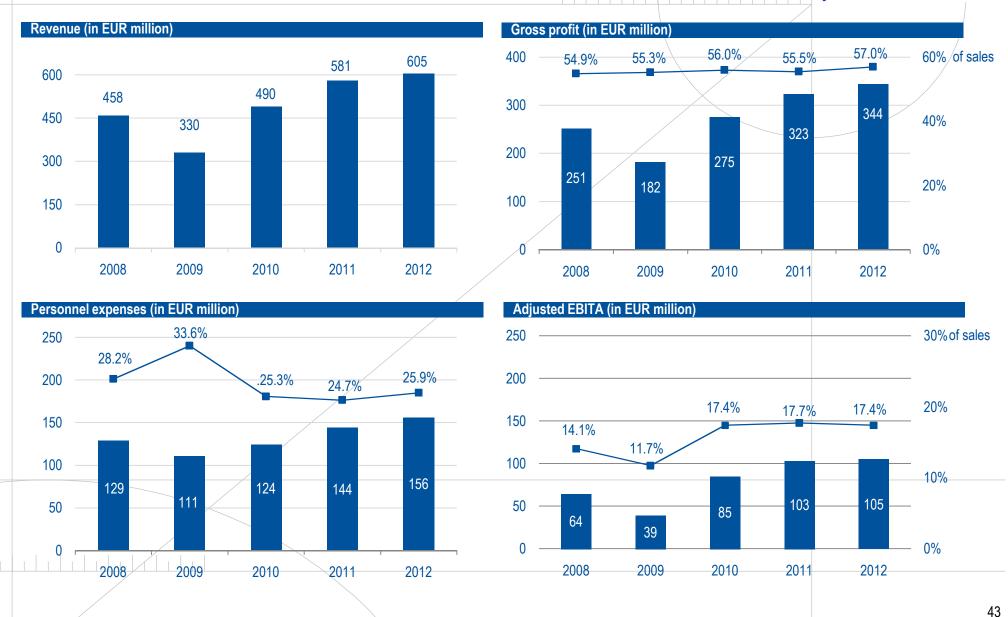
- Stable breakdown by way-to-market: Acquisitions included in Distribution Services
- Majority of sales goes to non-automotive industrials, distributors as well as general tiers
- Sales to industrial suppliers include various industries, e.g. airplanes, trains, buses, water, plumbing, irrigation, agricultural & construction equipment





Continuation of Growth Track and Sustainable Margin into 2012







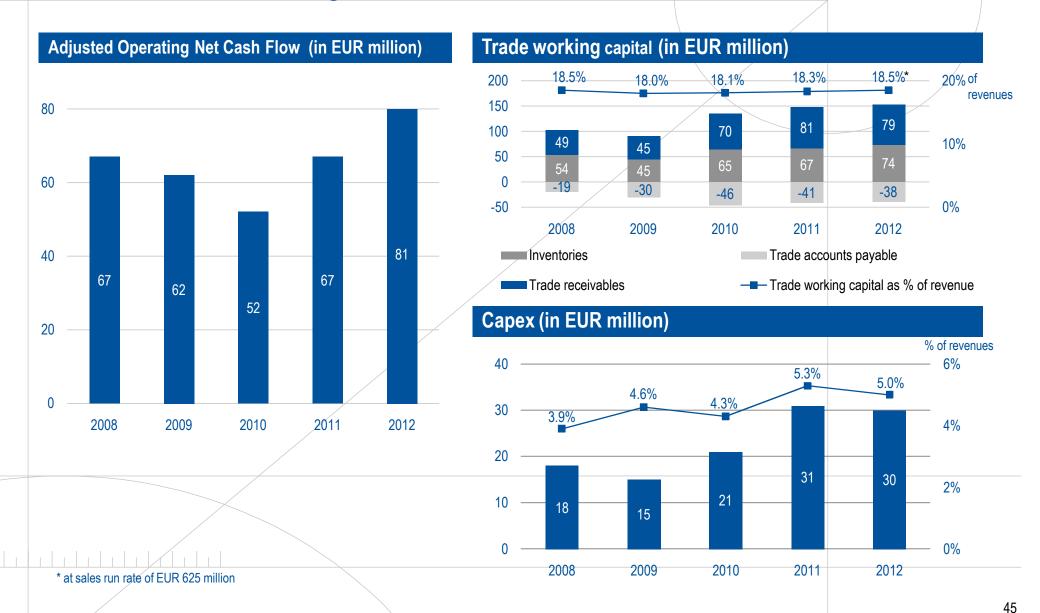
Solid development of Balance Sheet

(all amounts in EUR million)	31 Dec 2012	31 Dec 2011
Assets		
Non-current assets		
Goodwill / Other intangible assets / Property, plant & equipment	436.8	401.0
Other and derivative financial assets / Income tax assets / Deferred income tax assets	8.7	9.2
Total non-current assets	445.5	410.2
Current assets		
Inventories	74.3	66.8
Other non-financial assets / Income tax assets	20.6	22.9
Trade and other receivables	79.3	80.8
Cash and cash equivalents	72.4	67.9
Total current assets	246.6	238.4
Total assets	692.1	648.6

(all amounts in EUR million)	31 Dec 2012	31 Dec 2011
Equity and liabilities		
Equity		
Total equity	288.3	256.0
Non-current and current Liabilities		
Retirement benefit obligations / Provisions	22.8	19.4
Borrowings and other financial liabilities	246.6	244.5
Other non-financial liabilities	21.2	23.2
Tax liabilities and derivative financial liabilities	75.5	64.1
Trade payables	37.7	41.4
Total liabilities	403.8	392.6
Total equity and liabilities	692.1	648.6



Pro-active FCF Management to be Continued





Event	Date
Publication of Q1 Results 2013	07 May 2013
Annual General Meeting	22 May 2013
Publication of Q2 Results 2013	07 August 2013
Publication of Q3 Results 2013	06 November 2013

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