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Q4 Report 2016

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Financial highlights Q4 2016

- **Solid underlying development in the fourth quarter**

- Good growth in Entrance systems and EMEA
- Growth in Americas and Global Tech
- Negative growth in APAC, mainly due to China

- **Sales** **SEK 19,484 M** **6%**

1% organic, 3% acquired, -1% divested, 3% currency

- **EBIT** **SEK 2,913 M *)** **-4%**

Including China write-down of -300 MSEK (excl. EBIT +6%)

Currency effect 148 MSEK

- **EPS** **SEK 1.88 *)** **-2%**

Underlying tax rate 26%

*) Excluding restructuring items of SEK 1,597 M pre-tax.

Financial highlights 2016

- **A good year despite a challenging market**
 - Strong growth in Americas
 - Good growth in EMEA, Global Tech and Entrance Systems
 - Negative growth in APAC, mainly due to China
- **Sales** **SEK 71,293 M** **5%**
2% organic, 4% acquired, -1% divested, 0% currency
- **EBIT** **SEK 11,254 M^{*)}** **2%**
Including China write-down of -300 MSEK (excl. EBIT +4%)
Currency effect -12 MSEK
- **EPS** **SEK 7.09^{*)}** **2%**
Underlying tax rate 26%

^{*)} Excluding restructuring items of SEK 1,597 M pre-tax.

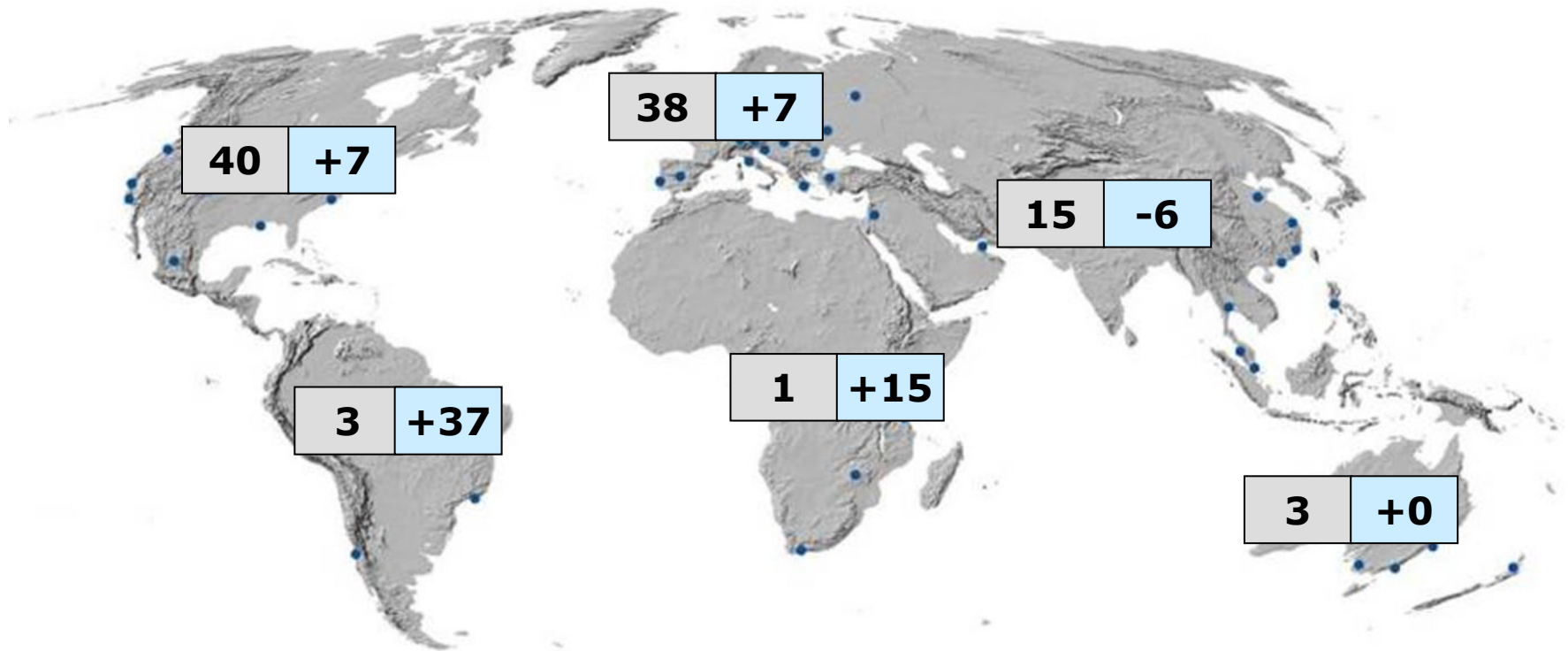
Market highlights

- **Strong digital products growth in Europe**
 - All categories in strong growth
 - Innovation pipeline bodes well for future growth
- **System integrators adopting Seos virtual keys**
 - Good level of on-boarding activities
 - Honeywell's Vector application enables occupant controls
- **Strong growth of service and maintenance**
 - Over 1 million contracts in ESD
 - Service products and e-maintenance,
 - Conversion kits for all main brands



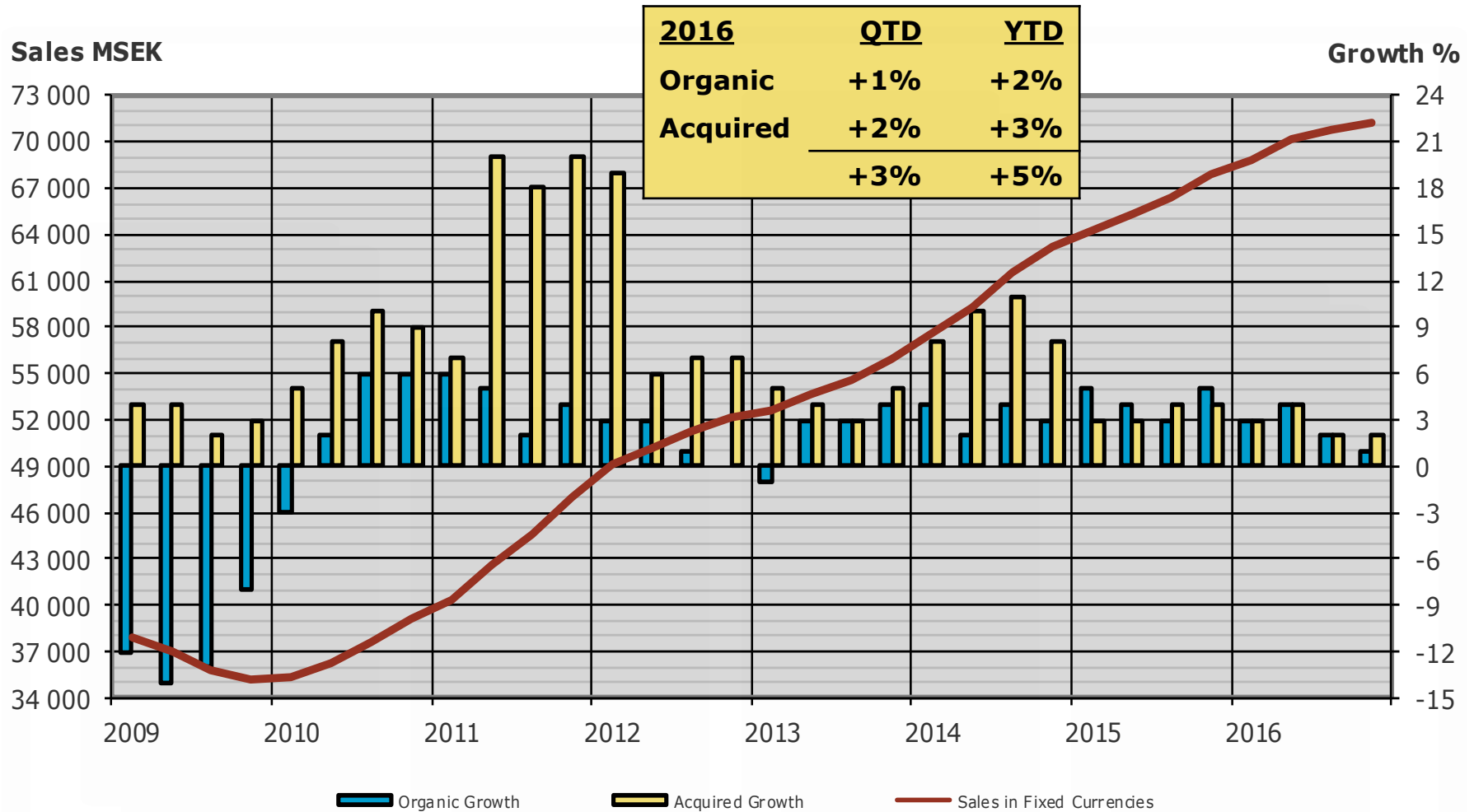
Group sales in local currencies Jan-Dec 2016

Emerging markets 24% (26) of sales



■ Share of Group sales 2016 YTD, %
■ Year-to-date vs previous year, %

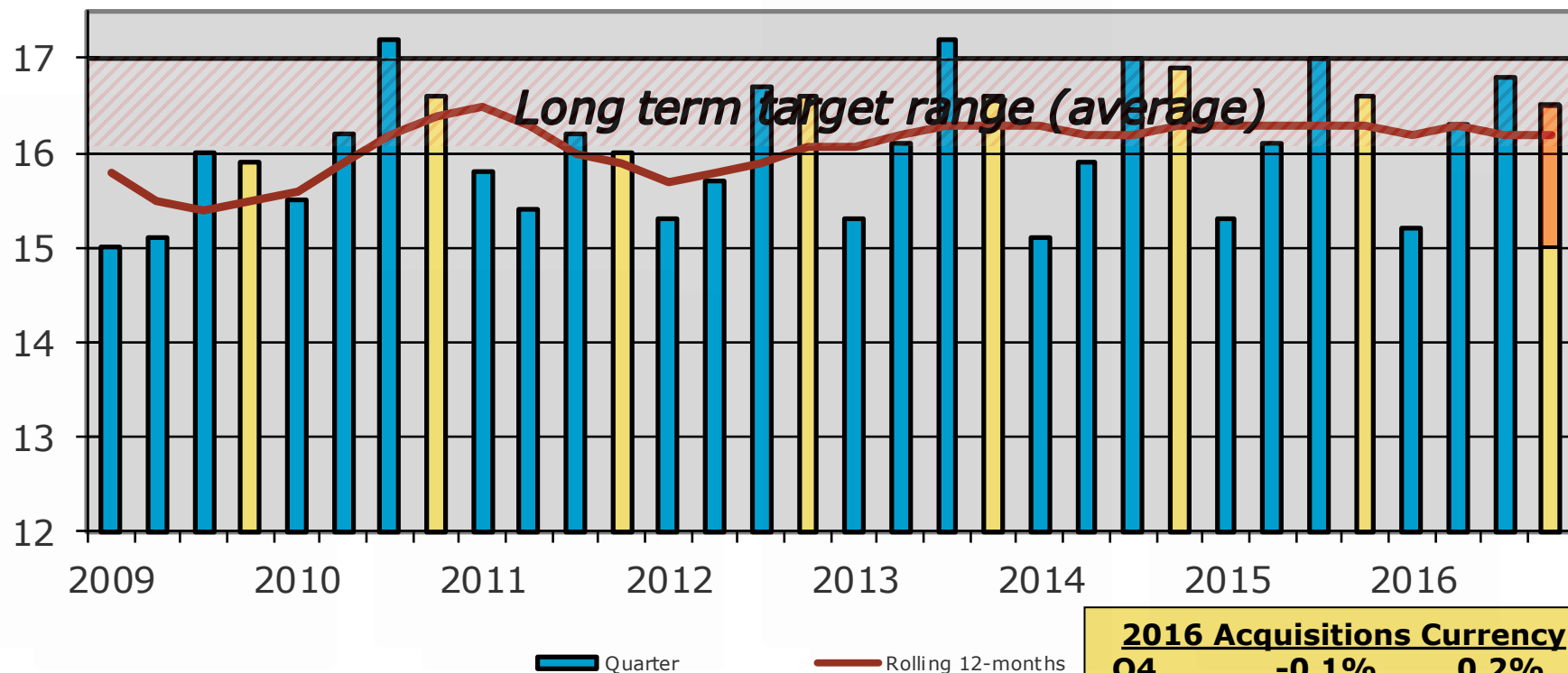
Sales growth, currency adjusted



Operating margin, %

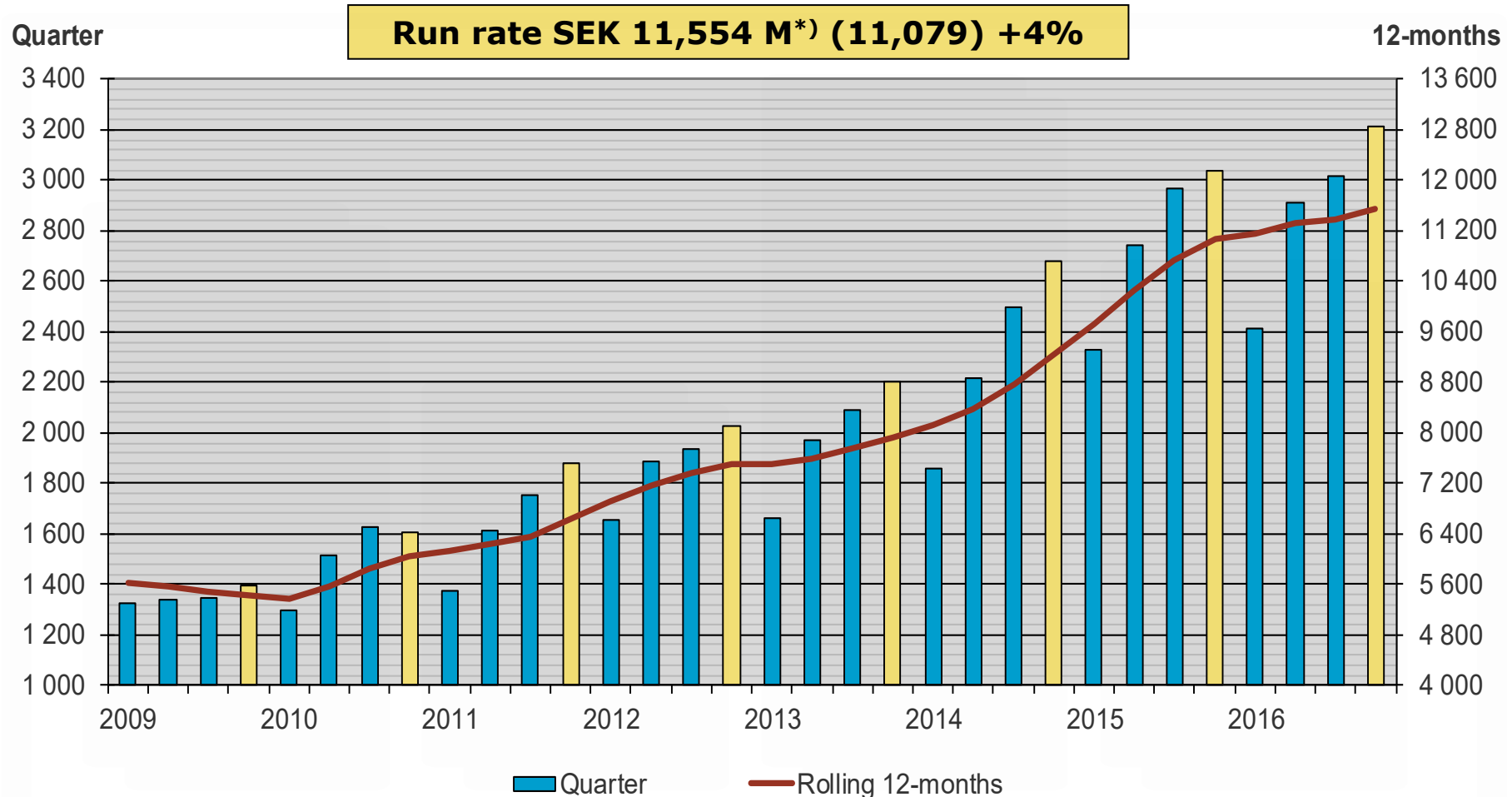
EBIT Margin

Run rate 2016 16.2%*) (16.3)



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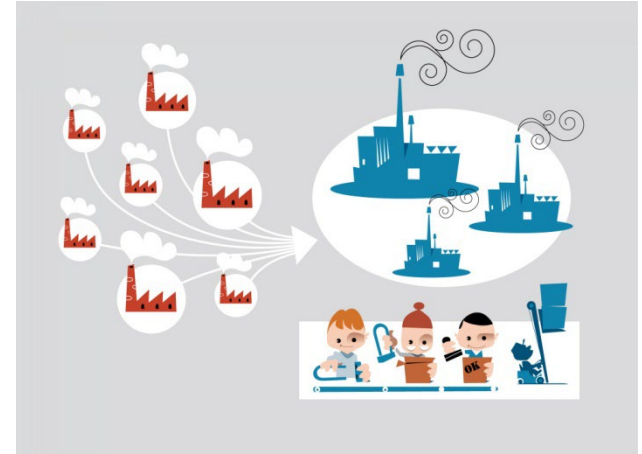
Operating income (EBIT), SEK M



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Manufacturing footprint

- **New program launched in Q4**
 - Closure of 10 factories and 40 offices
 - Personnel reduction 2,538 FTE
 - Restructuring cost SEK 1,597 M
 - Annual savings of approx. SEK 700 M by 2019
 - **Manufacturing footprint programs 2006-2013**
 - 76 factories closed to date, 2 to go
 - 104 factories converted to assembly, 11 to go
- SEK 1,572 M provisions remains for all programs

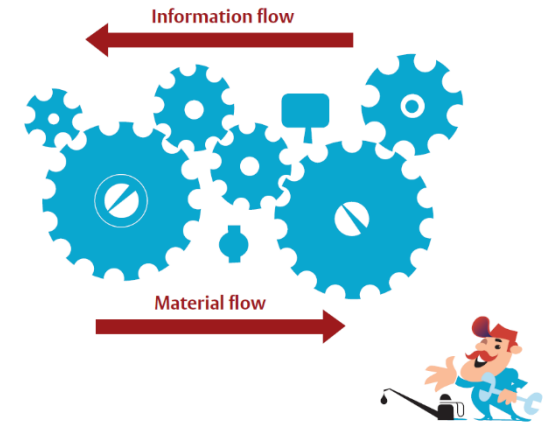


Margin highlights Q4 2016

- **EBIT margin 16.5% (16.6)**
 - excluding China write-down
- + Price increase 1%, volume flat 0%

Margin development

- + Good leverage except APAC
- + Currency 0.2%
- Acquisitions -0.1%



Acquisitions

- Fully active pipeline
- 13 acquisitions in 2016 + 2 in 2017
- Acquired annualized sales SEK 2,700 M
- Added sales 4%
- Divestment of Car Locks SEK 570 M



Construction Specialties, Mexico

- Turnover of SEK 300 M with 140 employees
- Leading distributor with sales and service of sectional doors and docking products
- Strategic move into the direct sales channel in Mexico
- Accretive to EPS



Bluvision, USA



- Turnover of SEK 160 M with 21 employees
- A leading Bluetooth provider in the enterprise Internet of Things (IoT) market
- Strongly complementary to HID's virtual offering
- People flow enabler
- Neutral to EPS



LOB, Poland



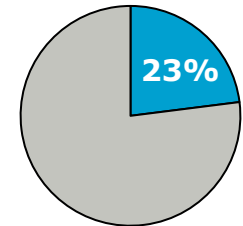
- Turnover of SEK 210 M with 440 employees
- Market leader for mechanical locks in Poland
- Highly complementary to ASSA ABLOY's electromechanical solutions
- Accretive to EPS



Division – EMEA

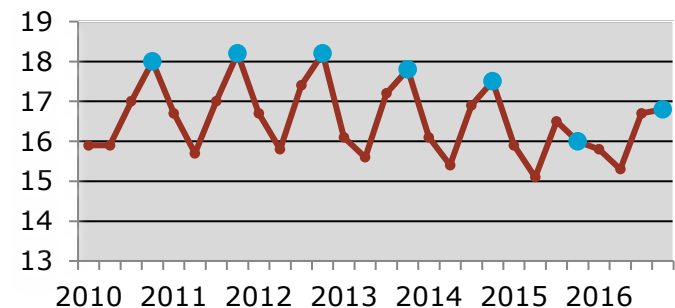
- Good demand situation across Europe driven by electromechanical products
- Strong growth in Scandinavia, UK, Benelux, Iberia and Eastern Europe
- Good growth in Germany and growth in Finland and Israel
- Flat in Italy and negative in France and the Middle East

Sales
share of
Group total %



- Operating margin (EBIT)
 - + Organic 3%
 - = Material cost
 - + Footprint savings
 - + Acquisitions +0.5%

EBIT %



Division - Americas

- Strong growth in Mexico
- Good growth in Doors, Perimeter protection and South America (ex Brazil)
- Growth in High security, Residential and Canada
- Negative in Architectural Hardware and Brazil

- Operating margin (EBIT)

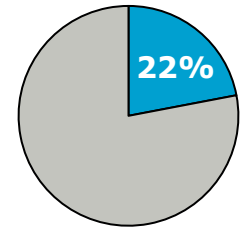
- + Organic 1%

- + Good leverage

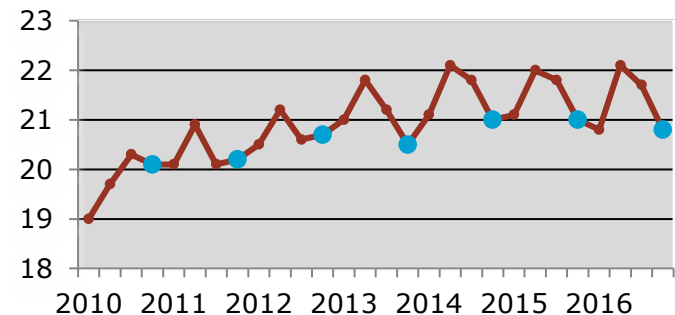
- = Material cost

- Acquisitions -0.6%

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EBIT %

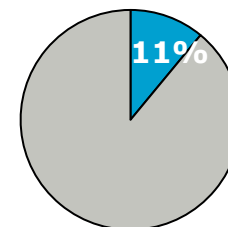


Division - Asia Pacific

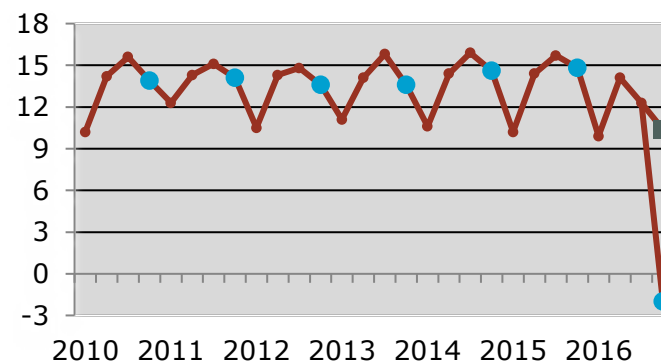
- Strong growth in Korea and Japan
- Flat in Pacific
- Negative in China and South Asia
- Underlying EBIT 10.4%
 - Personnel adjustment in China 2016, -12%
- Operating margin (EBIT)
 - Organic -4%*)
 - + Savings and personnel reduction
 - Material cost
 - Redundancy cost

*) Comparable period restated due to adjusted China reporting

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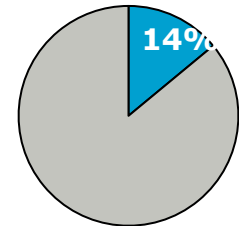
EBIT %



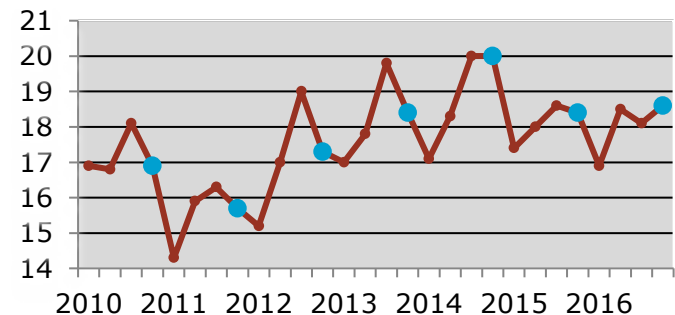
Division - Global Technologies

- **HID**
 - Strong growth in PACS, IAM and IDT (inlays)
 - Good growth in Secure issuance
 - Negative in Gov-ID and project sales
- **Hospitality**
 - Strong sales
 - Good adoption of mobile keys
- **Operating margin (EBIT)**
 - + Organic 1%
 - Investments in R&D
 - Acquisitions and currency -0.3%

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EBIT %

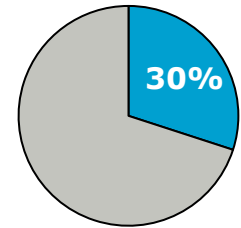


Division - Entrance Systems

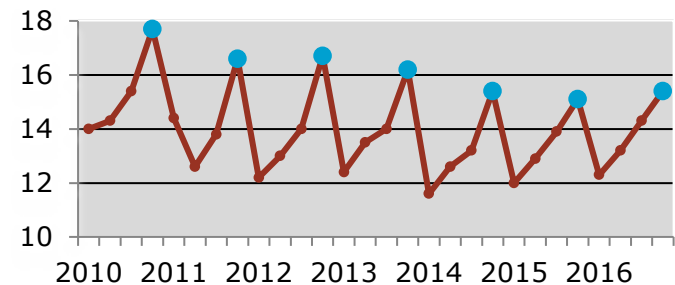
- Strong growth in Door automatics, US Industrial and US Residential doors
- Good growth in EU Industrial
- Slightly negative in High performance doors and door components
- Good leverage from consolidation

- Operating margin (EBIT)
 - + Organic 4%
 - = Direct material
 - Acquisitions -0.3%

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EBIT %



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CFO

Financial highlights Q4 2016

SEK M	4th Quarter			Twelve months		
	2015	2016	Change	2015	2016	Change
Sales	18,301	19,484	6%	68,099	71,293	5%
<i>Whereof</i>						
organic growth	827	120	1%	2,634	1,428	2%
acquired growth	643	455	2%	2,078	1,967	3%
FX-differences	983	609	3%	6,544	-201	0%
Operating income (EBIT)*	3,038	2,913	-4%	11,079	11,254	2%
EBIT-margin (%) *	16.6	15.0		16.3	15.8	
Operating cash flow	4,625	4,620	0%	9,952	10,467	5%
EPS (SEK) *	1.91	1.88	-2%	6.93	7.09	2%

*) Excluding restructuring items of SEK 1,597 M for the fourth quarter and the full year of 2016.

Bridge Analysis – Oct-Dec 2016

SEK M	2015 Oct-Dec	Organic	APAC Write down	Currency	Acq/Div	2016 Oct-Dec
		1%		3%	2%	6%
Sales	18,301	120		609	455	19,484
EBIT	3,038	-17	-300	148	44	2,913
%	16.6%	-13.9%		24.3%	9.7%	15.0%

Dilution / Accretion	-0.2%	-1.5%	0.2%	-0.1%
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Asia Pacific and China comment

- Overstated sales in 2015 – Organic growth effect
 - Q4 / 2016 reported -8%, underlying -4% (SEK 100 M)
 - FY / 2016 reported -9%, underlying -5% (SEK 380 M)
- China
 - Write-down of working capital SEK 300 M in Q4, mainly inventory

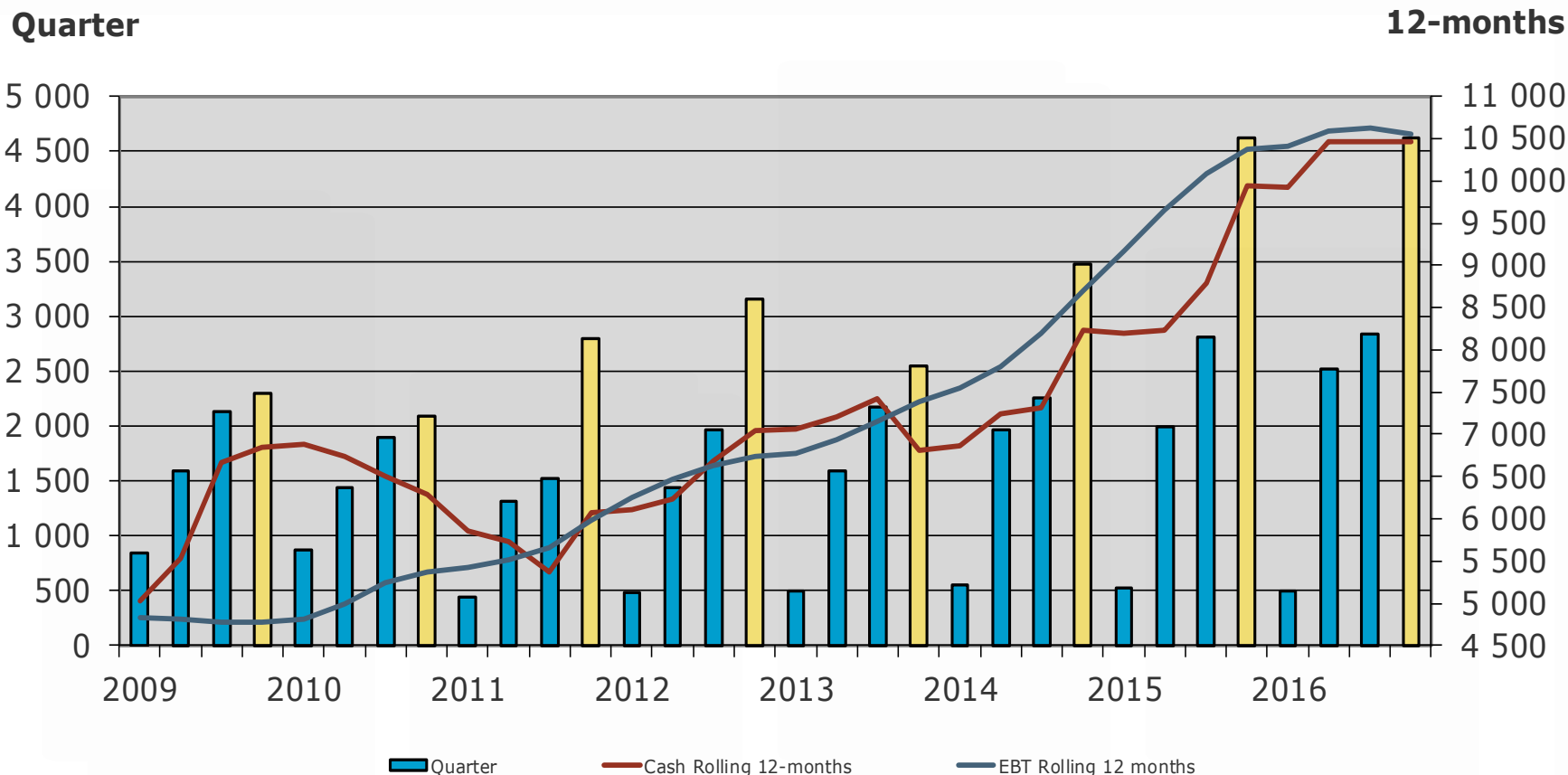
P&L components as % of sales

Jan – Dec 2016

	2015 YTD	2016 YTD excl acquisitions	2016 YTD
Direct material	36.9%	36.2%	35.9%
Conversion costs	<u>24.3%</u>	<u>24.4%</u>	<u>24.6%</u>
Gross Margin	38.8%	39.4%	39.5%
S, G & A	<u>22.5%</u>	<u>23.0%</u>	<u>23.3%</u>
EBIT*	16.3%	16.4%	16.2%

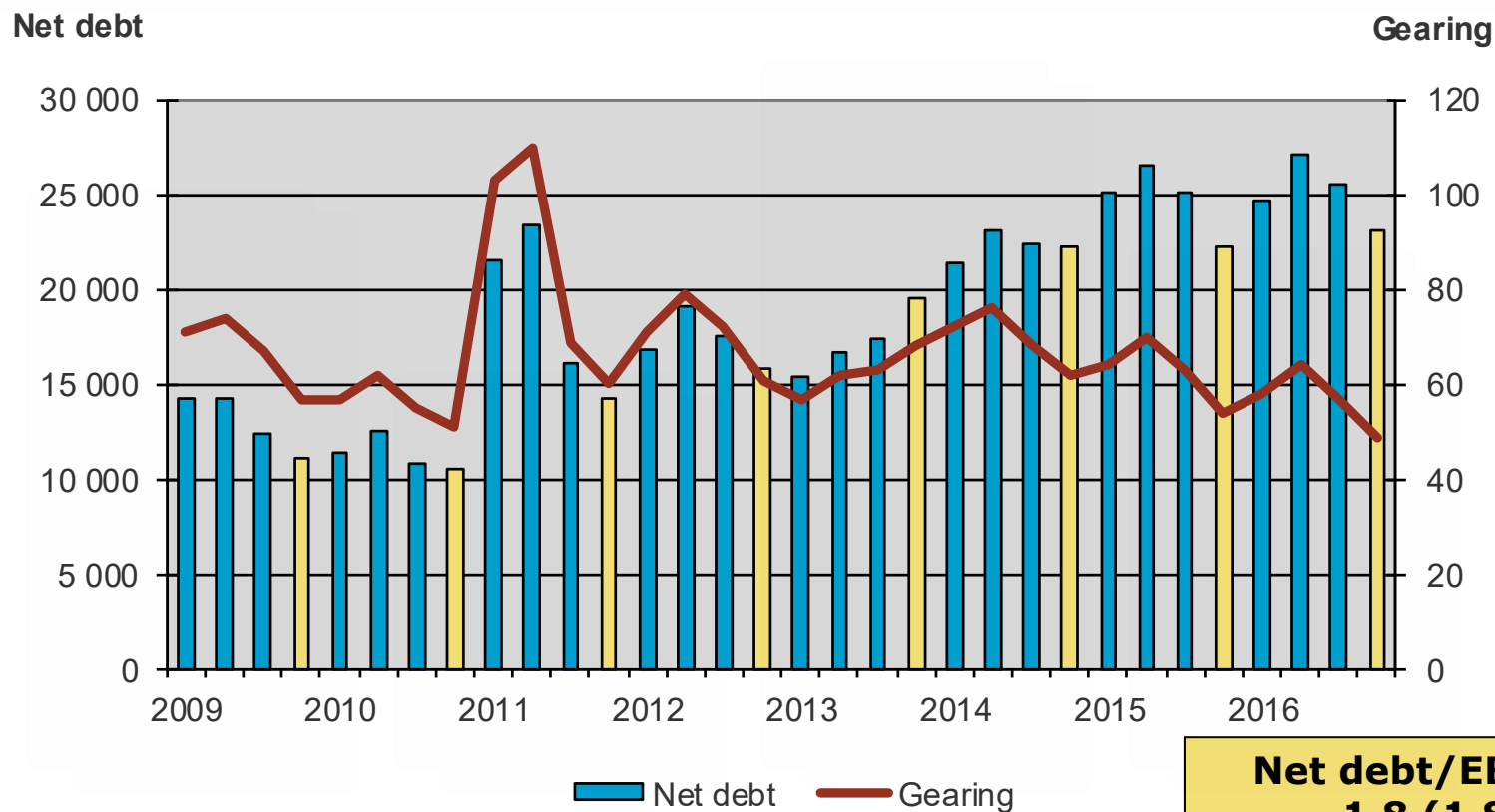
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Operating cash flow, SEK M



Gearing % and net debt, SEK M

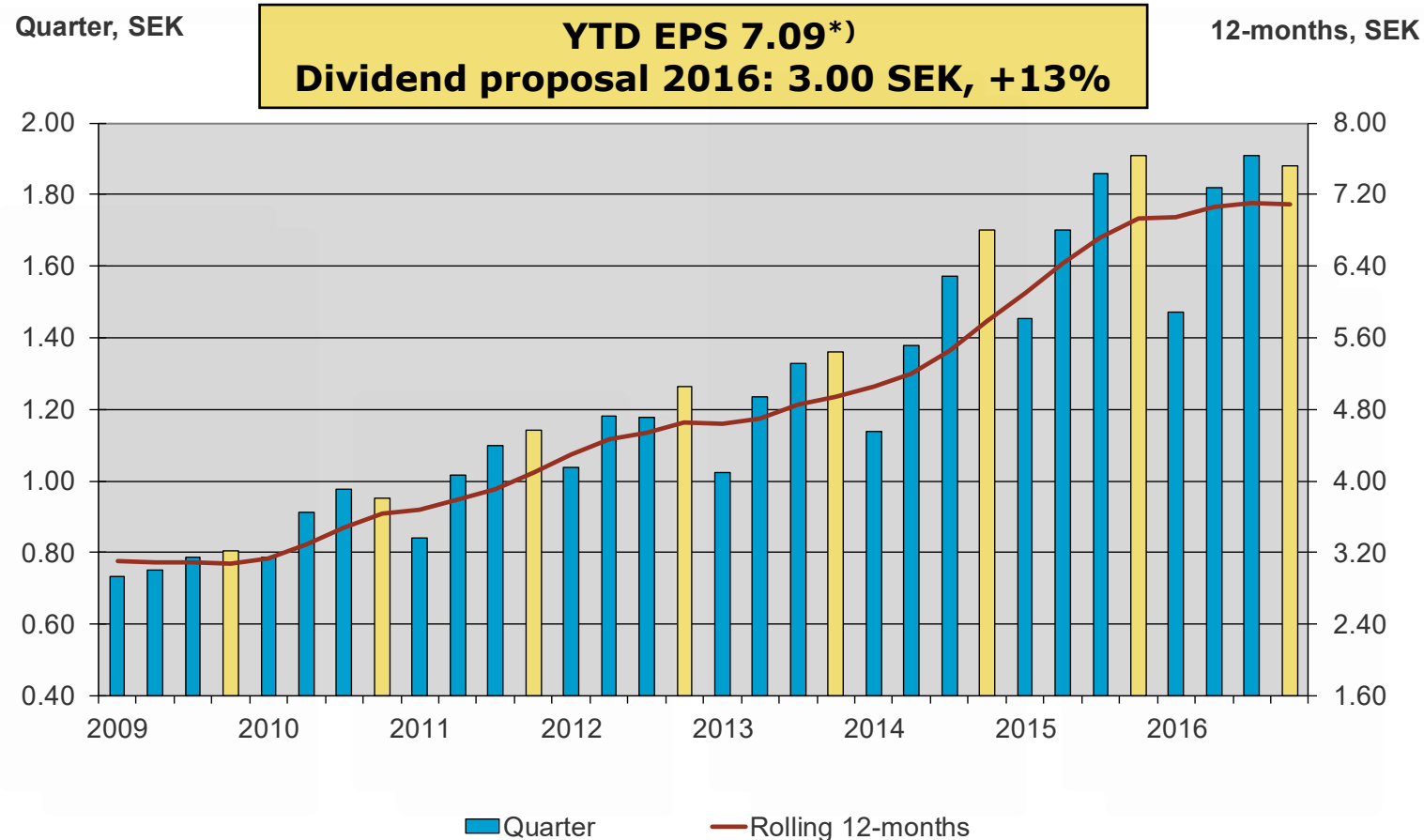
Debt/Equity 49% (54)



**Net debt/EBITDA
1.8 (1.8)**

2009-2011 – not restated for changed pension accounting principles

Earnings per share, SEK



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Chart is restated for Stock split 3:1 2015 and excludes cost for restructuring programs in 2009, 2011, 2013 and 2016.

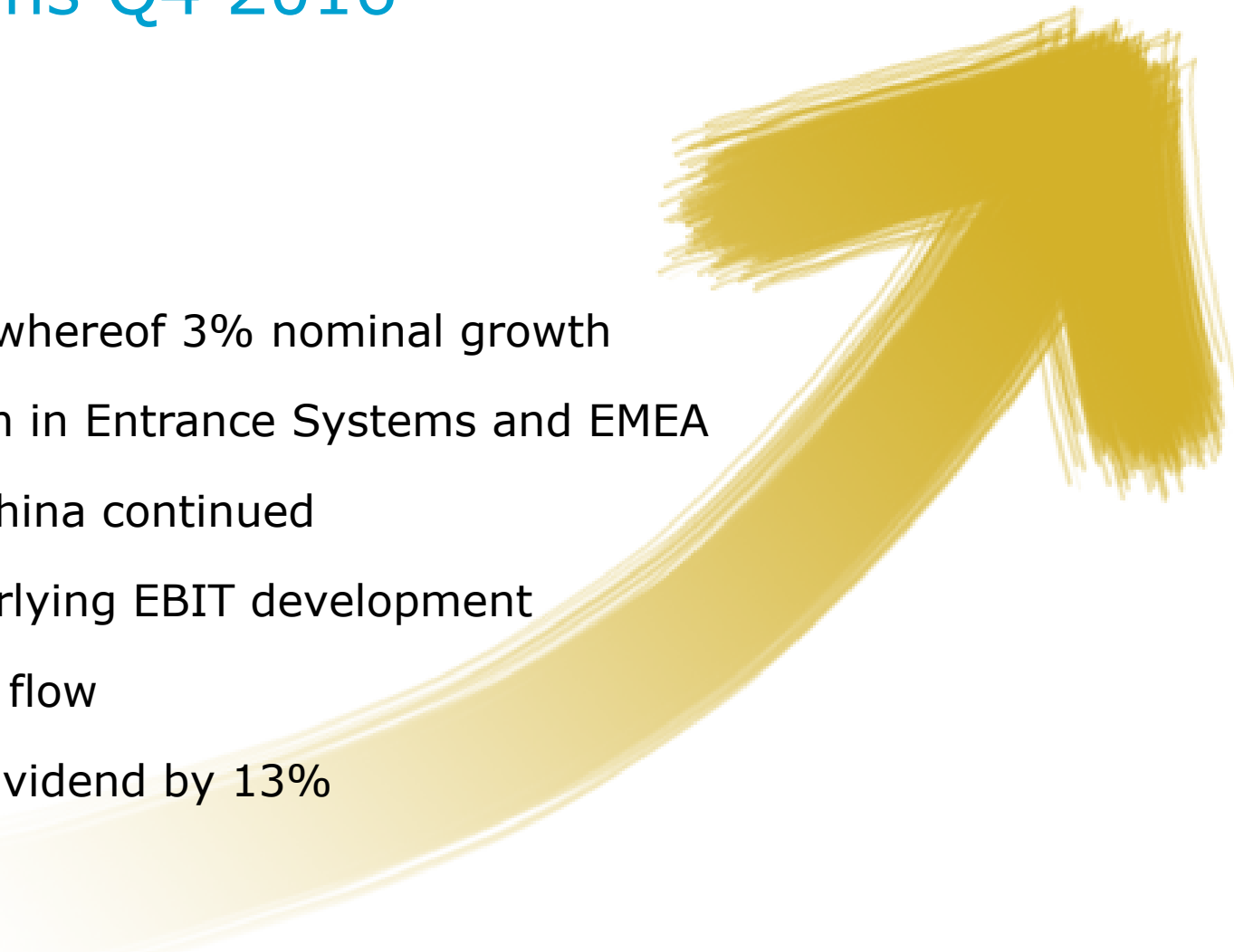
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Conclusions Q4 2016

- 6% growth whereof 3% nominal growth
 - Good growth in Entrance Systems and EMEA
 - Decline in China continued
 - Stable underlying EBIT development
 - Strong cash flow
 - Increased dividend by 13%
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A wide-angle photograph of a modern office interior. The space is characterized by large, floor-to-ceiling windows that offer a view of a city skyline. The floor is highly reflective, mirroring the light from the windows and the silhouettes of people. Several figures are captured in motion, their forms blurred to convey a sense of activity and movement. The overall color palette is dominated by cool blues and greys, creating a professional and contemporary atmosphere.

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