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# The growth levelled off

- The growth in the global AC drive market levelled off in the third quarter of 2011 in all market areas compared to the extremely strong first half of the year.
- Demand for AC drives was evenly divided among all industrial sectors, except for renewable energy and in particular wind power.
- The slow down in the growth in order intake in the third quarter was due to poor demand for products for renewable energy generation.
- Demand for Vacon's products for controlling electric motors in the third quarter has been similar to what it was in the first half of the year.





# Q3/2011: Profitability on 2010 level

- Q3 revenues totalled EUR 91.1 (89.3) million. Revenues in the January-September period increased 24.9 % to EUR 293.2 (234.8) million.
- Profitability in the Q3 was similar to that in the previous year, but weakened a little compared to the first half of the year.
- The operating profit in Q3 was EUR 8.2 million, or 9.1 % of revenues (EUR 8.3 million and 9.3 %). The January-September operating profit was MEUR 28.6 or 9.8 % of revenues, an increase of 46.6 % (MEUR 19.5 and 8.3 %).





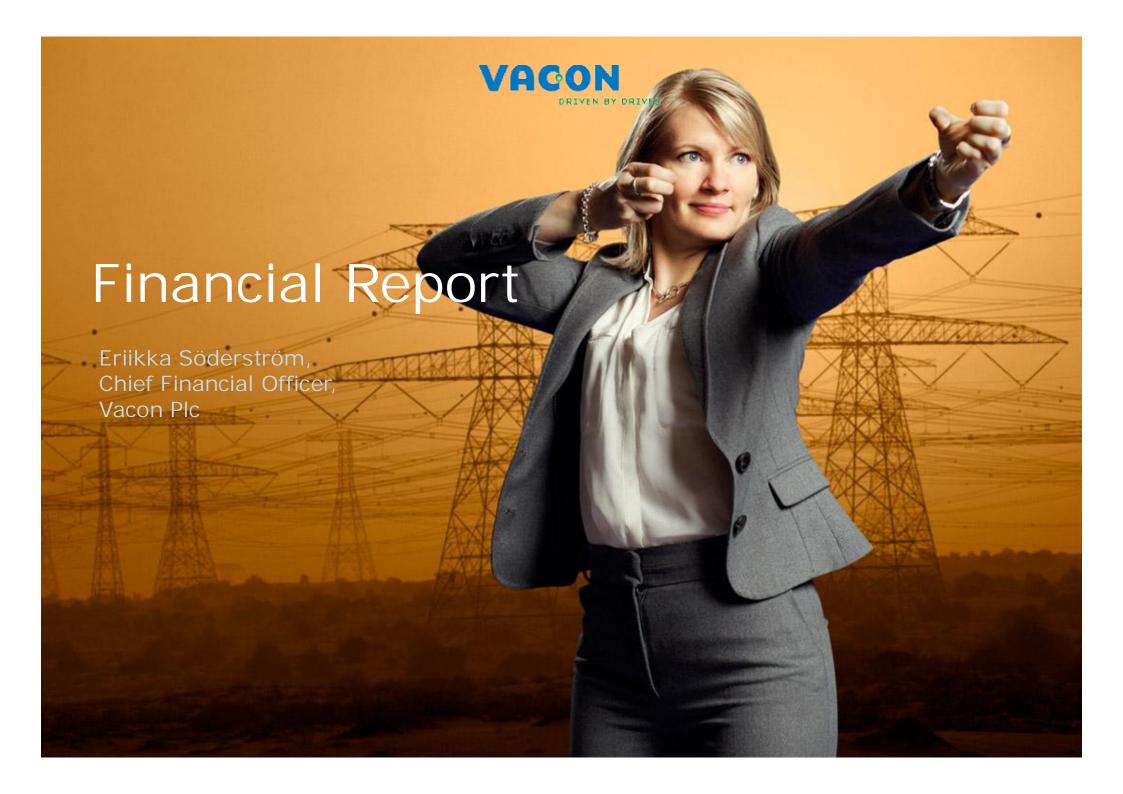
# Highlights Q3/2011

MEUR	Q3/2011	Q3/2010	Change
Order intake	83.9	110.9	-24%
Revenues	91.1	89.3	+2%
Operating profit	8.2	8.3	-1%
Operating profit -%	9.1	9.3	
Net cash flow from operating activities	19.8	6.6	
EPS, eur	0.36	0.31	+14%



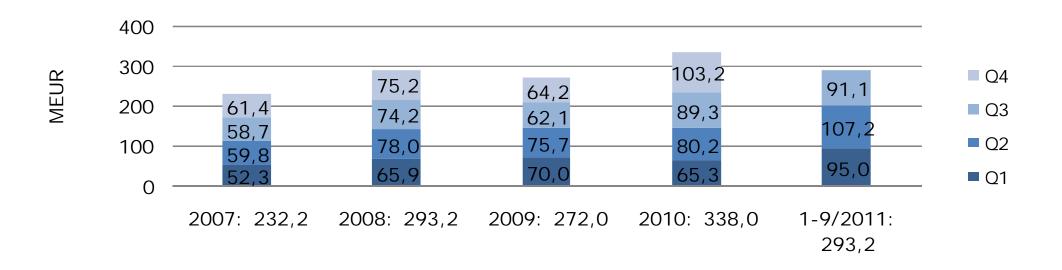
# Highlights 1-9/2011

MEUR	1-9/2011	1-9/2010	Change
Order intake	288.4	275.7	+5%
Revenues	293.2	234.8	+25%
Operating profit	28.6	19.5	+47%
Operating profit -%	9.8	8.3	
Net cash flow from operating activities	20.6	14.3	
EPS, eur	1.29	0.76	+70%



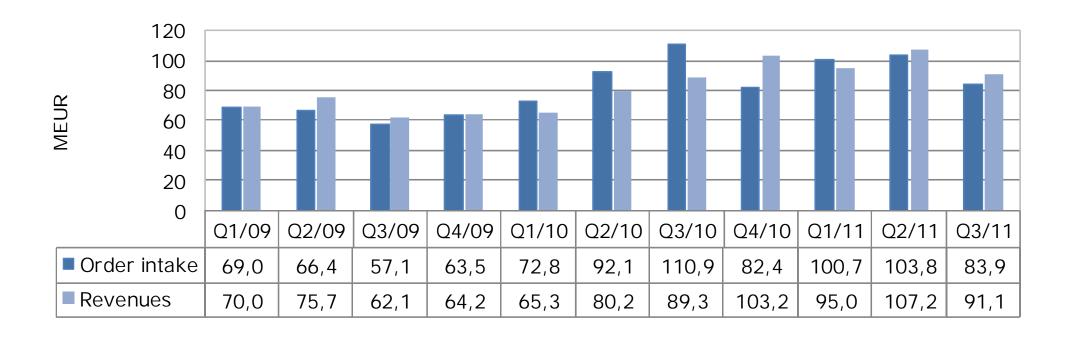


### Revenues



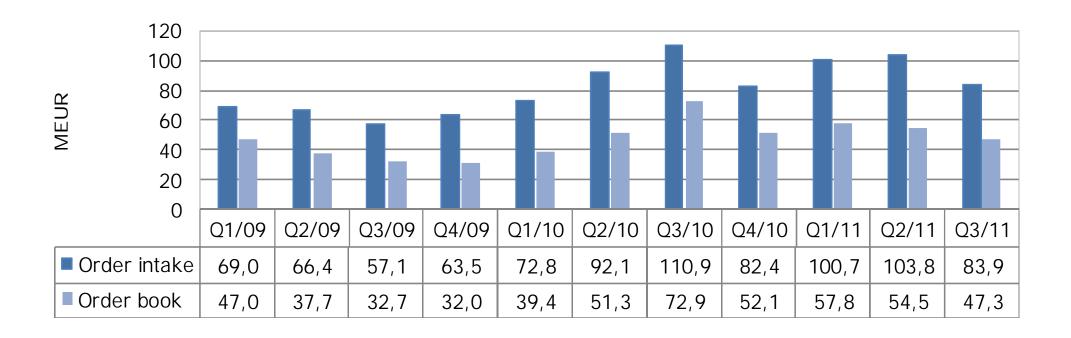


## Order intake and revenues 2009-Q3/2011



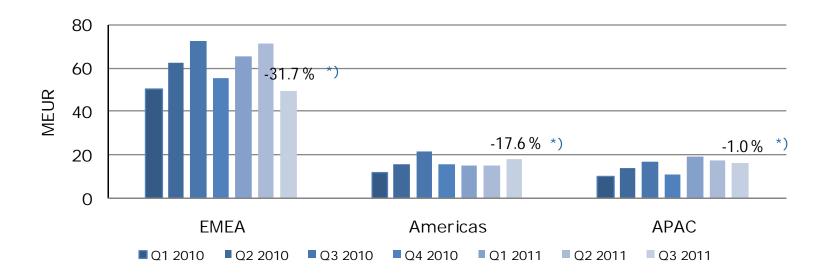


## Order intake and order book 2009-Q3/2011





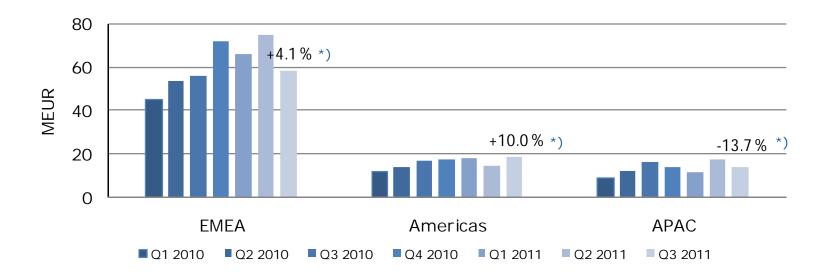
# Order intake by region 2010-Q3 2011



\*) Given percentage is actual quarter compared to the corresponding period in previous year



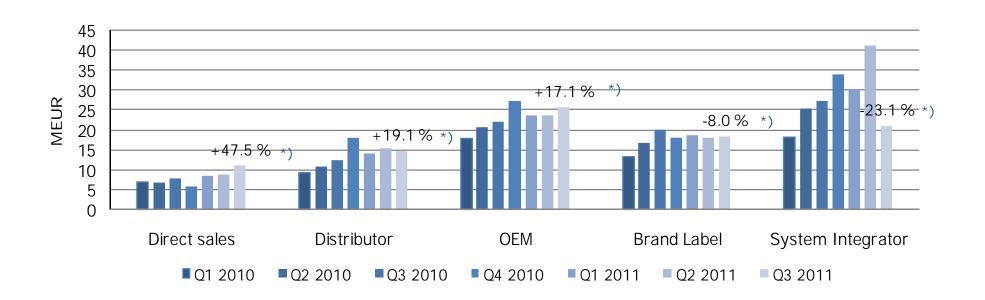
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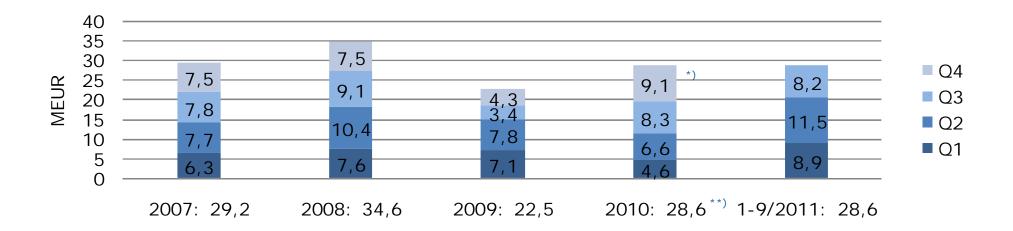
# Revenues by sales channel 2010-Q3 2011



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## **EBIT**

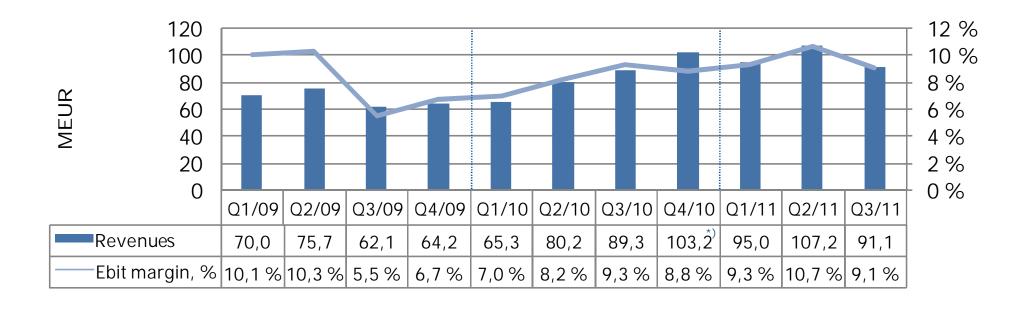


2010: Excl. China customs case

\*) 12,6 MEUR \*\*) 32,4 MEUR



## Revenues and EBIT-%



\*) Q4/2010: Excl. China customs case 12,2%

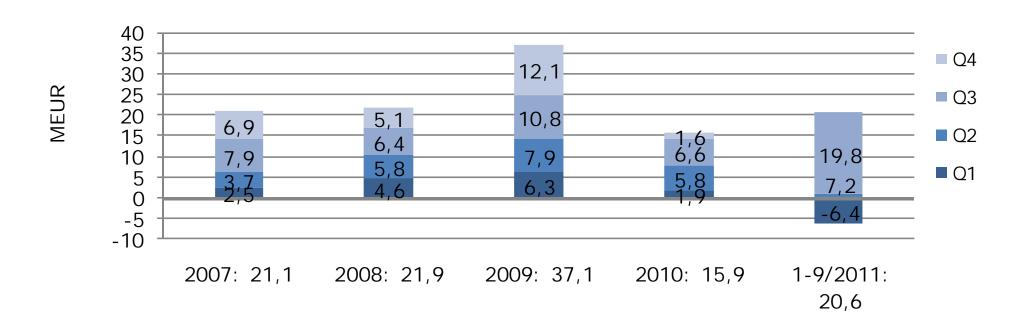


## Research and development costs



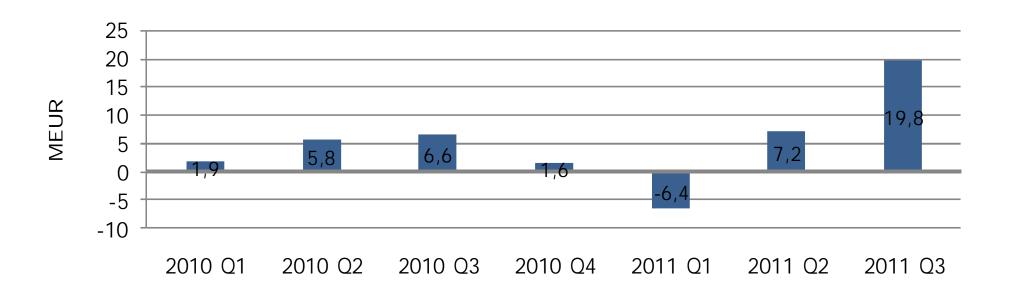


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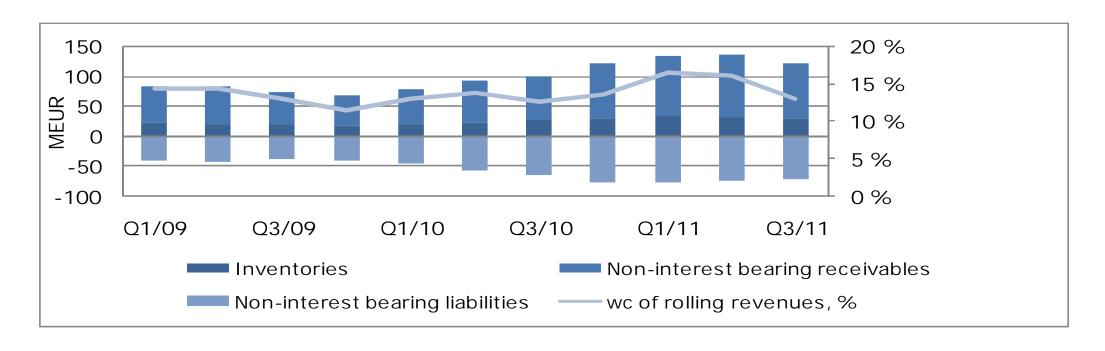


# Working capital

MEUR	30.9.2011	31.12.2010	31.12.2009
Inventories	30.8	31.9	19.3
Non-interest bearing receivables	91.6	90.8	51.3
Non-interest bearing liabilities	71.0	76.7	39.3
Working capital	51.4	45.9	31.2
Working capital of rolling revenues, %	13.0	13.6	11.5

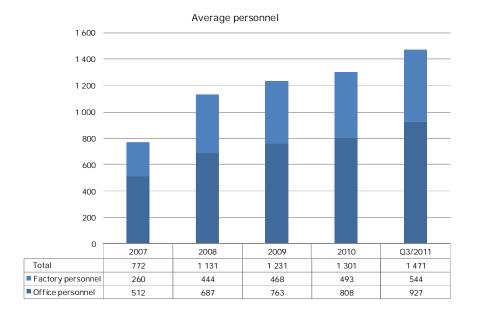


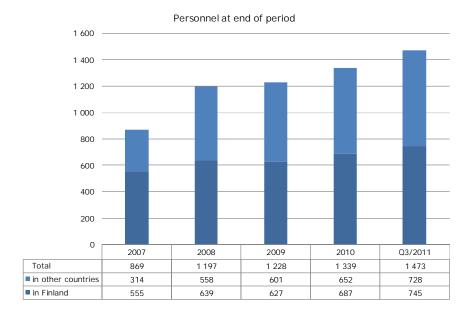
# Working capital development





## Personnel



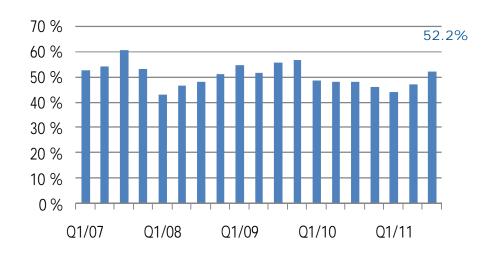


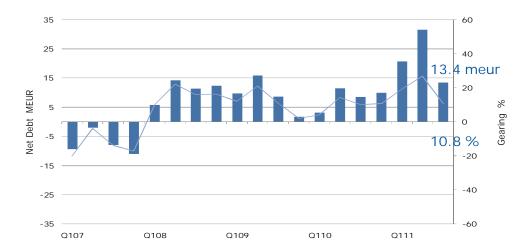


# Key balance sheet ratios

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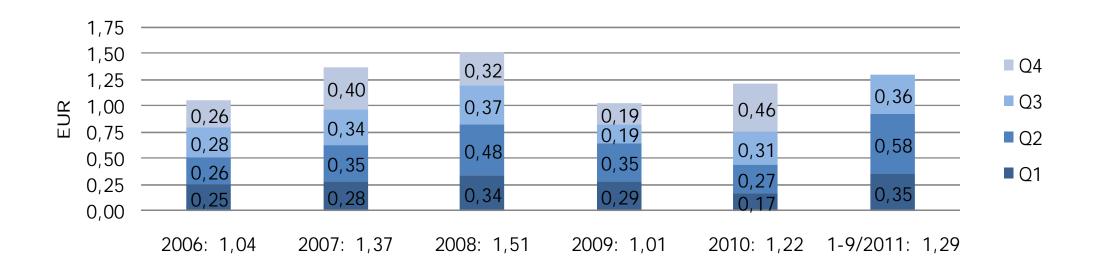
Net Debt and Gearing,%







# Earnings per share







# Strategy



AC drives

know-how

Common product platform design & product portfolio management

Customer relationship management

Mass customization, demand flow technology and global sourcing

Global ICT infrastructure and applications



#### Market outlook

- Vacon still estimates that the AC drive market will grow 6-10 % in 2011.
- Vacon does not expect demand to grow significantly in the final quarter of 2011 compared to the strong first half of the year.
- The risks to overall economic growth prospects in Europe and North America came to a head in the third quarter of 2011. Vacon considers that overall economic growth prospects are exposed to risks.



## Vacon launches new products

- Vacon is launching several new products towards the end of 2011 and in the first half of 2012, which creates good potential for the company to increase its business even in a challenging market environment.
- During the third quarter 2011 Vacon's solar energy inverter, the Vacon 8000 Solar, obtained extensive grid code approvals that comply with the requirements of national grid operators. This places the product in a strong position for competing in this rapidly growing market.





# Market guidance 2011

	ACT 2010	FC 2011
Revenues, MEUR	338.0	+10-20 %
EBIT margin, %	8.5 %	> 8.5 %
EPS, EUR	1.22	>> 1.22

 Vacon estimates that revenues in 2011 will increase 10 % – 20 % and the operating profit percentage will rise from the 2010 figures. Earnings per share are expected to improve considerably from 2010.

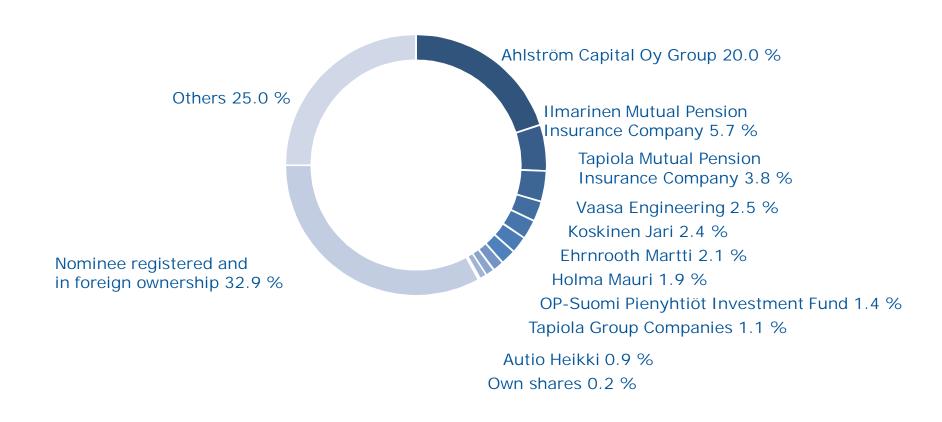


#### Risks and uncertainties in the near future

- Typical risks to which Vacon's business operations are exposed relate to uncertainty in demand and intensifying competition on price, and to losing customers, to goodwill, the availability of raw material and components, and fluctuations in the values of foreign currencies.
- Business related to renewable power generation can cause greater seasonal fluctuations in business volumes than what the company is used to. It has long delivery and payment schedules, which increases the risks relating to customer credit rating and of orders being cancelled.
- The deadline for the sales of The Switch Engineering Oy shares have been agreed to be extended.
- The Chinese prosecuting authority is demanding EUR 3.2 million from Vacon as a compensation for unpaid customs duties, and a provision for this was recorded in the result for the final quarter of 2010. The court case began in March 2011.



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