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### ABB Q4 and full-year 2011 results Joe Hogan, CEO Michel Demaré, CFO



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# ABB reports robust performance in a challenging year

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### 2011: A year of successful execution against our strategic targets Managing for both cost and growth



### Full-year 2011: Record orders and revenues Strong cash flow performance, re-deployed in acquisitions and dividends

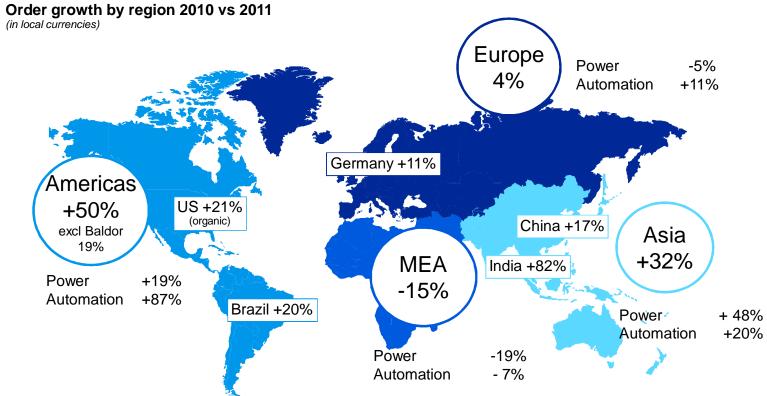
YTD Performance US\$ millions unless otherwise stated	change vs 2010	
Orders	40,210	+18% <sup>1</sup> (organic. +11%)
Revenues	37,990	+15% <sup>1</sup> (organic +9%)
Operational EBITDA	6,014	+25%
Operational EBITDA %	15.8%	+0.5 percentage points
Net Income	3,168	+ 24%
EPS (basic)	1.38	+23%
Dividend per share (CHF, proposed)	0.65	+8%
Cash from operations	3,612	-14%
Cash return on invested capital	14%	-7 percentage points

- \$40 bn orders for 1st time ever, record revenues
- Solid delivery against growth, profitability and EPS targets
- Much improved project execution
- Cost savings >\$1 bn offset price pressure, funded additional selling and R&D, lifted margins
- Acquired companies with strong revenue, earnings and cash generation contributions
- Net income up \$600 mill., EPS \$1.38 per share
- Strong Q4 cash flow performance close to last year's record
- 8% increase in dividend proposed to CHF 0.65
- CROI at 14%, initial impact of Baldor acquisition



### Our regional breadth helped us weather the economic turbulence in 2011 Orders up in most of our largest countries





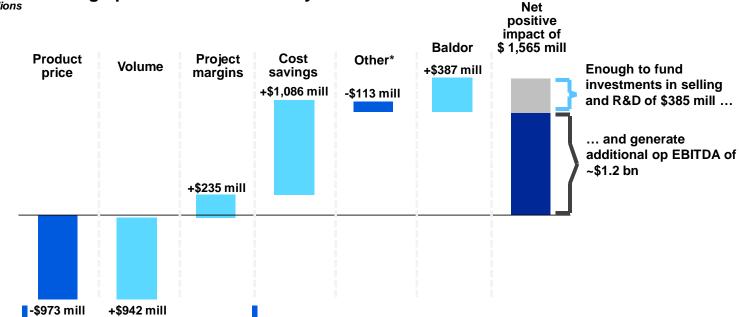




### Successful cost management to secure both growth and profitability Product price erosion more than offset by cost savings



Market forces (+\$204 mill)



\*Includes business mix, inventory, forex, acquisition costs and commodity impacts

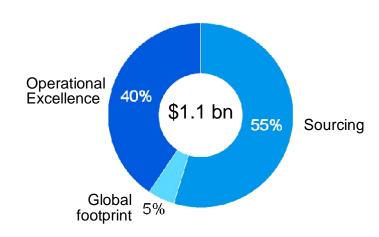
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Plan to take out ~\$1 billion of costs in 2012



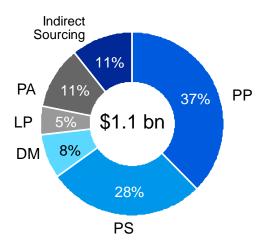
### Exceeded 2011 cost savings target Savings continued to outpace negative market impacts

#### **Approx.** share of savings by category 2011 *Percent*



- \$1.1 bn savings 2011 offset >\$970 mill of price pressure
- Operational excellence measures continue to gain traction

#### **Approx. share of savings by division 2011 Percent**



 Focus in power pays off with sectorleading profitability despite challenging price environment



#### \$5 billion invested in strategic acquisitions in 2011 ABB continued to fill strategic white spots

#### **Disciplined approach**

- All transactions in line with stated acquisition strategy
- Balancing integration challenges across divisions and geography

#### Financial criteria

- Cash returns at or above WACC within 3 years
- NPV positive (DCF at WACC + internal hurdles)
- Conservative net debt/EBITDA and gearing ratios maintain single A credit rating

Critical gap	Baldor	Mincom	Epyon	Lorentzen & Wettre	Trasfor	Envitech	Powercorp	Newave*	T&B*
Geographic	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>		<b>✓</b>				✓	$\checkmark$
Product/ service/ solution	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	✓	✓	✓	<b>√</b>	✓	✓	✓
Industry/ market	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	✓	<b>√</b>	✓	<b>√</b>	✓	✓	✓

\* Transactions expected to be closed in 2012



## Launched a new strategic plan for 2011-15 Five elements that drive management decisions

1	Drive competitiveness
2	Capitalize on mega trends
3	Aggressively expand core business
4	Disciplined M&A
5	Exploit disruptive opportunities

Group targets								
Organic <sup>1</sup> Revenue growth (CAGR <sup>2</sup> )	7 – 10%							
Operational EBITDA margin corridor	13 – 19%							
Organic <sup>1</sup> EPS growth (CAGR <sup>2</sup> )	10 – 15%							
Free cash flow conversion	Annual avg. >90%							
Cash flow return on invested capital	>20% by 2015							

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> CAGR: Compound annual growth rate, base year is 2010



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Organic incl acquisitions closed as of end –Oct 2011:

### Q4 results Solid top and bottom line growth along with strong cash flow generation

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#### Q4: Solid top and bottom line in a challenging market Strong cash flow generation through reduction in net working capital

Q4 Performance US\$ millions unless otherwise s	change vs 2010	
Orders	10,160	+17% <sup>1</sup> (organic 10%)
Revenues	10,571	+16% <sup>1</sup> (organic 10%)
Operational EBITDA	1,568	+18%
Operational EBITDA %	14.8%	+0.4 percentage points
Net Income	830	+19%
Cash from operations	1,674	- 5%

- Good order growth in N America and emerging markets, S Europe weaker on market uncertainty
- Orders up in all divisions
- Revenues up on execution of strong order backlog, all divisions positive
- Service orders & revenues up faster than Group (organic)
- Operational EBITDA up ~\$250 mill., divisional margins impacted by business mix and price pressure
- Cost savings remain key to maintaining margins
- Strong cash generation near last year's record—NWC reduced by \$1 bn vs Q3 2011 (-2.6% of 2011 revenues)

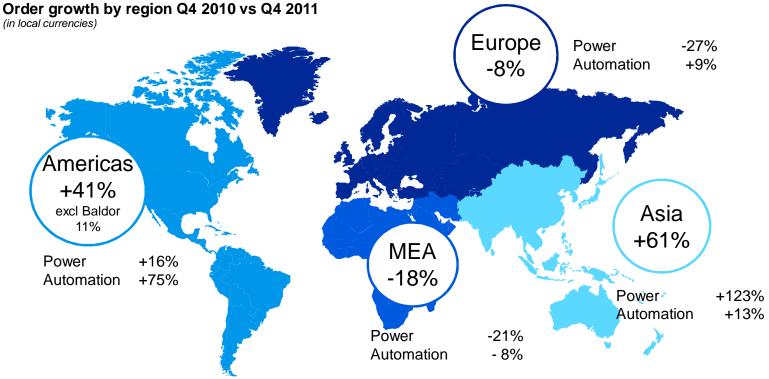


<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In local currencies

#### Solid growth in North America and Asia in both power and automation





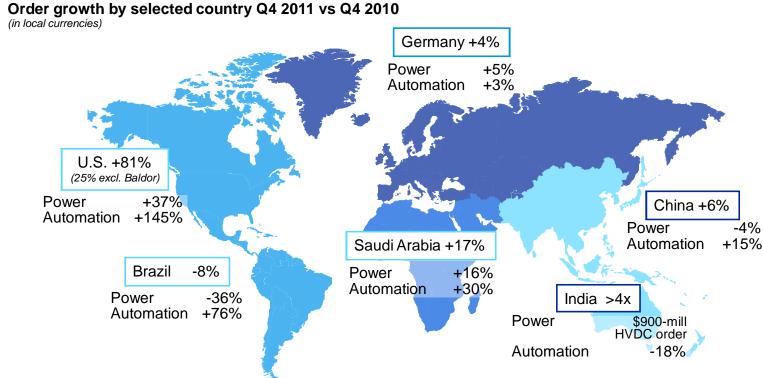




#### Most large markets performed well Geographic scope continues to pay off









### ABB wins major ultra high voltage direct current link order in India \$900-million order is a technology first



- Transmitting remote hydro power from multiple stations more than 1,700 km
- Capable of supplying enough electricity to serve 90 million people
- Highest-ever converter capacity at 8,000 MW
- World's 1st UHVDC link with three converter stations
  - Two "sending" stations convert from AC to DC for transmission
  - One "receiving" station in Agra converts back into AC for distribution to end users

#### Competitive financing

- Combined Swedish export credit funding, European commercial and local Indian banks
- Successful customer financing without putting ABB balance sheet at risk



#### Continued growth across all divisions Improved PS results compensate mix & price pressures in other divisions

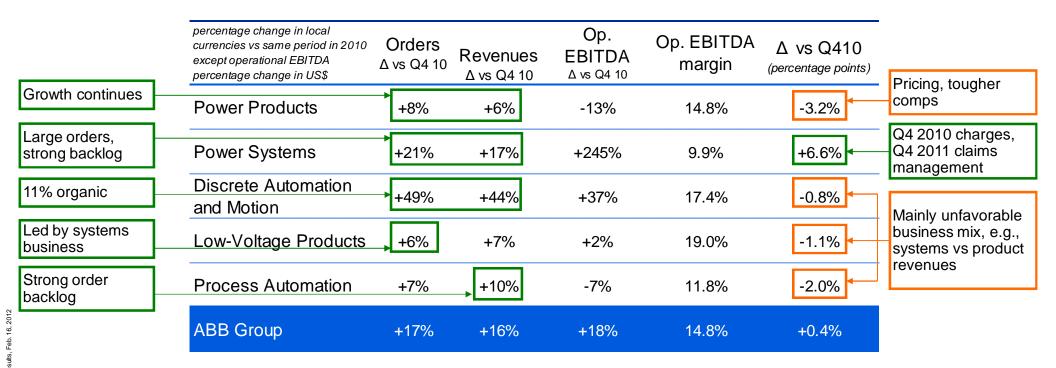


Chart 16



### Baldor update: Solid execution, synergies on track ~\$100 million contribution to operational EBITDA in Q4



- Q4 2011 stand-alone vs year-earlier period:
  - 22% revenue growth
  - Operational EBITDA up 48%<sup>1</sup>
  - Operational EBITDA margin at ~18%, up from 2010<sup>2</sup>
- Synergy update:
  - Cost synergies year one hit target
  - Good progress in cross-selling NEMA/IEC motors and drives
  - Sales channels in NAM (motors) and US (drives) merged
- Cash return ~8% after 11 months
- Integration on track, good balance of integration and daily business
- Management retention successful
- No major acquisition-related charges in Q4
- Annual amortization expected at ~\$110 million until 2017

<sup>1</sup> Indicative; <sup>2</sup> Operating profit margin based on Baldor historical definition at 15.7% in Q4 2011 vs 12.2% in Q4 2010

Chart 17





# Financial review Strong balance sheet supports successful business execution

Michel Demaré



#### First-year performance against our targets

Group targets			
	2011 performance <sup>1</sup>	2011-15 Targets <sup>1</sup>	
Revenue growth (CAGR <sup>2</sup> )	15%	7 – 10%	Starting well above the range
Operational EBITDA margin corridor	15.8%	13 – 19%	Still a good buffer thanks to cost programs
EPS growth (CAGR <sup>2</sup> )	23%	10 – 15%	A strong first year
Free cash flow conversion	82%	Annual avg. >90%	High capital spending; to normalize over time
Cash return on invested capital	14%	>20% by 2015	1 <sup>st</sup> year shows impact of Baldor acquisition

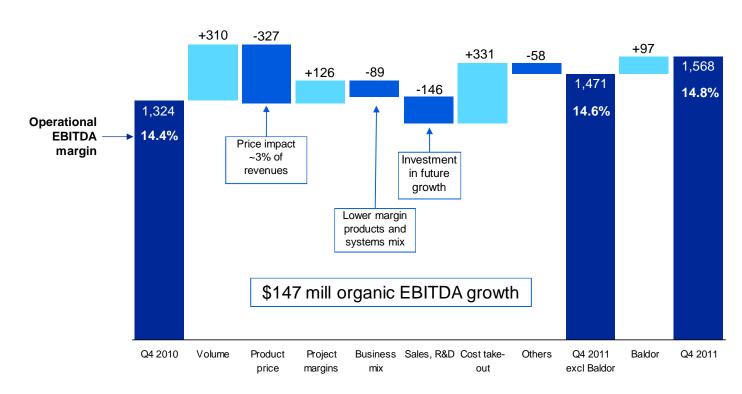
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Includes acquisitions closed as of end-Oct. 2011



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> CAGR = Compound annual growth rate, base year 2010

#### Q4: Cost savings keep pace against price pressure Cost savings and project execution fund growth investments and margins

#### Local currency analysis of change in operational EBITDA



\* Others includes forex effects, charges in G&A expenses and commodity price impacts

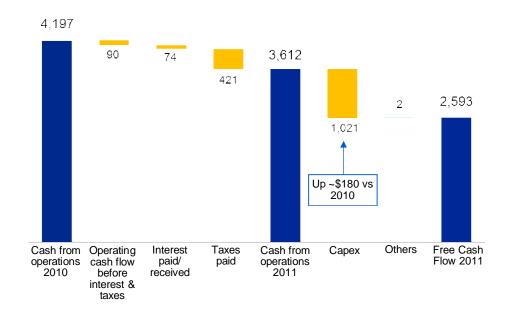


#### Net income and cash generation

#### Reconciliation op. EBITDA to net income Q4 2011 US\$ millions

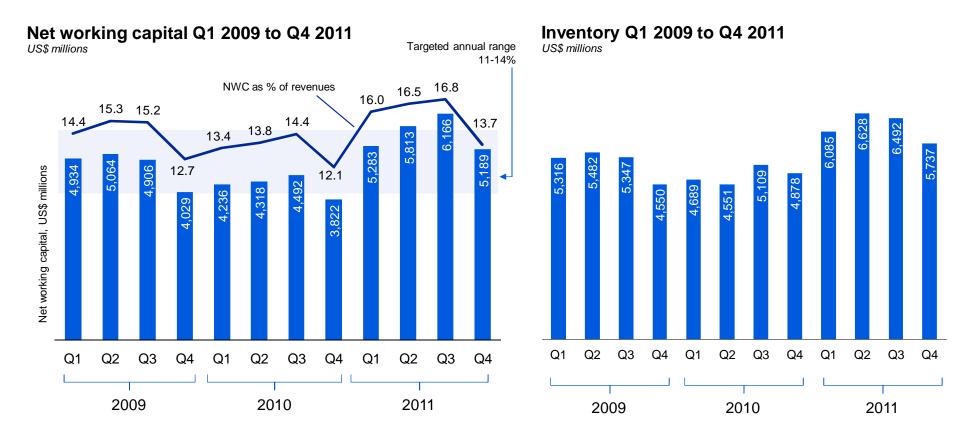
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#### Changes in cash flows 2010-2011 US\$ millions





### Net working capital reduced by \$1 billion in Q4 Strong focus on inventory reduction and collections

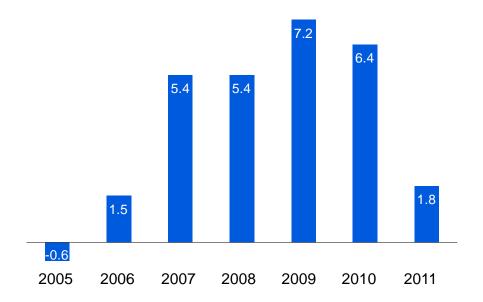




#### ABB's balance sheet retains its strong investment grade

#### Net cash position 2005-2011

US\$ billions



- \$1,250 mill in US bonds (5 and 10 year) issued in June 2011
- CHF 850 mill dual tranche (5 and 10 year) bond issue –
   Swiss bond of the year
- €650 mill bond repaid in November
- Another CHF 350 mill 2018 bond issue in January 2012
- Average debt duration now >5 years
- Pension underfunding at ~\$1 bn on declining discount rates, adjusted mortality tables and low—but positive—asset return
- Gearing down from 22% end-Q3 to 20% end-Q4
- Moody's and S&P reaffirmed A/A2 rating with stable outlook after T&B announcement



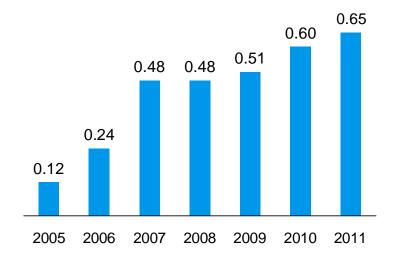
### Increased dividend for 2011: CHF 0.65 per share vs 0.60 in 2010 Equivalent to 47% payout ratio, 3% yield

#### **Dividend policy**

A steadily rising, sustainable annual dividend throughout the business cycle

#### Dividend payout 2005-2011

CHF per share



- 8% dividend increase vs 2010
- Shareholders to benefit from higher earnings
- Payment from capital contribution reserve retains
   Swiss tax benefits
- CHF 5.3 bn available for 2011 and future tax-free dividends
- Needs AGM approval, dividend payment early May



# Summary and outlook In a good position for profitable growth in uncertain times

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### Summary of 2011 In a strong position for improved growth and profitability



- Revenue and earnings demonstrated strong execution & portfolio strength
- Strong order backlog \$27.5 billion to support 2012 revenues
- Profitability well within target corridor
- Strong execution on cost savings
- Excellent cash generation through the cycle
- Return to M&A with targeted bolt-ons and strong integration focus
- M&A with strong contributions to 2011 results
- Higher dividend shows confidence in the business going forward



### Organic growth initiatives boost top line growth Continued cost-out focus for 2012 at 3-5% of cost of sales

#### **Organic growth initiatives**

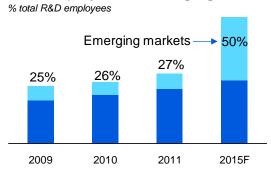
- Accelerate execution on software and service
- Focus on key growth areas e.g. smart grid, rail, data centers, mobility
- Lead in grid expansion through HVDC, FACTS
- Disruptive technologies to open new markets, e.g. direct current applications
- Leverage core technologies for new products, e.g., inverters & drives, power DCS





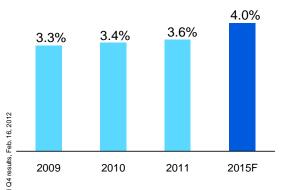
#### Technology to remain a key focus in 2012 Localized R&D to cut time-to-market; new products for new markets

#### R&D employees in emerging markets



 R&D where the customers are: Faster to market, better match to customer needs

#### Annual R&D spend as % of sales



 Target R&D spend 4% of revenues by 2015—key to sustained competitiveness

#### **Examples of new products launched in 2011**



#### **Door entry systems**

- Residential/commercial, indoor/outdoor
- Modular design for network configuration



#### **Symphony DCS**

- New generation DCS upgrade for installed base
- Widely used in power and water applications



- Space saver for highvoltage substations
- Highly modular, easy to customize



#### **EV** fast-charger

- Operating in Europe & Asia
- Full charge <30 mins.
- Software connectivity to grid



#### Outlook for 2012 Mixed view short term, ample profitable growth opportunities for FY 2012



#### Long-term market outlook remains positive

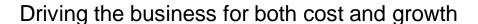
Continued investments in grid efficiency and industrial productivity

#### Short-term market view mixed

• Uncertainty in Europe, but signs of recovery in NAM, China focus on growth

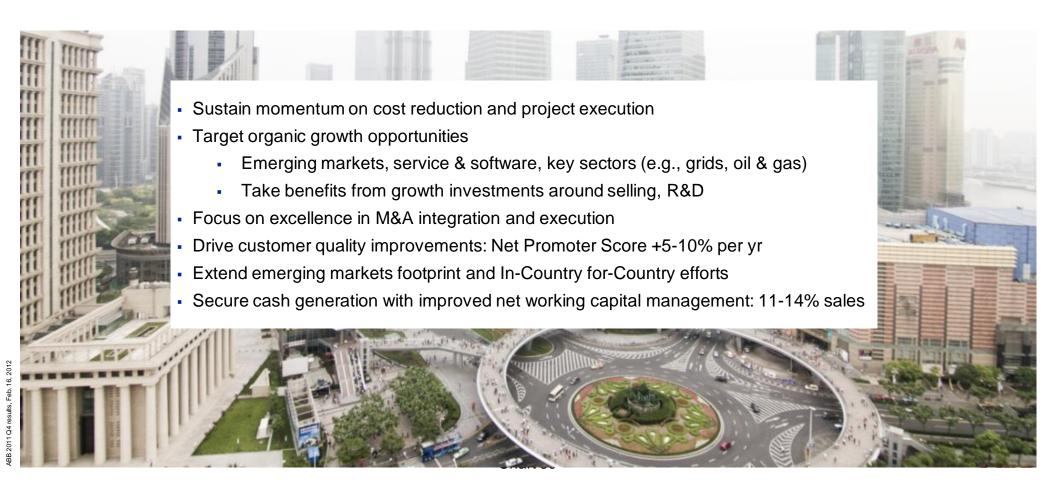
#### Management expectations on results

- Early-cycle growth at low single digits
- Price pressure expected to continue in parts of power (as previously guided)
- Business mix expected to weigh on Q1 margins
- Management focus on driving cost and productivity improvements to continue
- Backlog, power distribution, oil & gas, emerging markets support profitable growth in 2012





#### Management priorities for 2012 Managing for both cost and growth



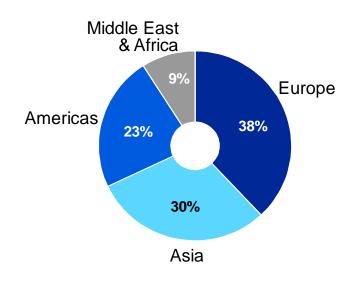


#### Balanced business and geographic portfolio

#### Orders by division % of total orders 2011 (non-consolidated)

#### **Process** Power Automation **Products** 20% 25% Low Voltage Products 12% 21% 22% Power **Systems Discrete Automation** and Motion

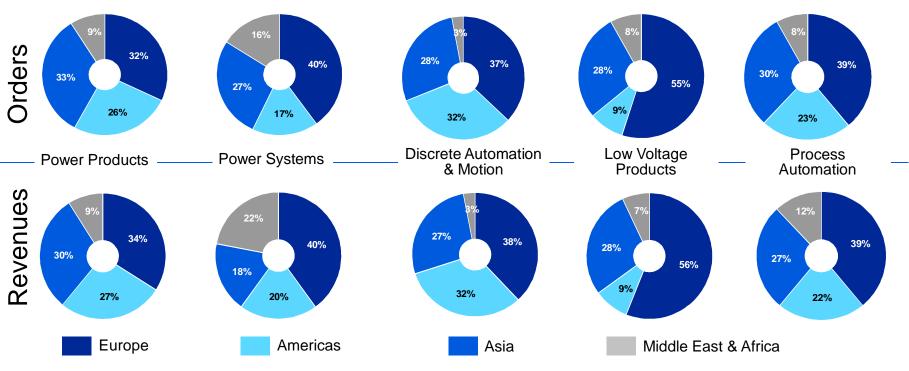
#### Orders by region % of total orders 2011





#### ABB's businesses by division and region

#### Percentage of total orders and revenues 2011 by region (US\$)





#### A balanced portfolio of power and automation businesses

#### **2011 revenues by division**Share of total revenues in %, unconsolidated 2011 Operational EBITDA by division Share of total Operational EBITDA in %, unconsolidated **Process Process Automation** Automation Power **Products** Power 16% 20% 28% 26% **Products** Low Voltage Low Voltage 17% **Products Products** 13% 12% 20% 27% 21% Power Power Discrete Automation



**Systems** 

**Discrete Automation** 

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#### Power Products Q4 and full-year 2011 summary

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US\$ millions unless otherwise stated	Q4 2011	Q4 2010	US\$	Local	FY 2011	FY 2010	US\$	Local
Orders received	2,738	2,533	8%	8%	11,068	9,778	13%	8%
Order backlog (end Dec.)	8,029	7,930	1%	4%				
Revenues	3,083	2,913	6%	6%	10,869	10,199	7%	2%
EBIT	353	454	-22%		1'476	1'636	-10%	
as % of revenues	11.4%	15.6%			13.6%	16.0%		
Operational EBITDA	460	527	-13%		1'782	1'861	-4%	
as % of op. revenues	14.8%	18.0%			16.3%	18.2%		
Cash from operations	548	658	-17%		1'095	1'756	-38%	

- Orders up across all businesses driven primarily by demand from the power distribution and industrial sectors
- Revenue growth across all business units with service revenues growing faster than total revenues
- Lower operational EBITDA and EBITDA margin mainly due to execution of lower margin order backlog; reflects weaker pricing environment in 2010 and 2011 and less favorable product mix
- Partly compensated by savings from ongoing sourcing, operational improvements, footprint initiatives



#### Power Systems Q4 and full-year 2011 summary

US\$ millions unless otherwise stated		_	Change					
US\$ millions unless otherwise stated	Q4 2011	Q4 2010	US\$	Local	FY 2011	FY 2010	US\$	Local
Orders received	3,130	2,626	19%	21%	9,278	7,896	18%	12%
Order backlog (end Dec.)	11,570	10,929	6%	11%				
Revenues	2,412	2,088	16%	17%	8,101	6,786	19%	14%
EBIT	145	3	n.a		548	114	381%	
as % of revenues	6.0%	0.1%			6.8%	1.7%		
Operational EBITDA	238	69	245%		743	304	144%	
as % of op. revenues	9.9%	3.3%			9.1%	4.5%		
Cash from operations	306	512	-40%		288	443	-35%	

- Strong order growth driven by large orders, incl. Ultra High Voltage Direct Current (UHVDC) transmission system in India, cable system order in Sweden combined value more than \$1 bn
- Revenues up on execution of a strong order backlog—reached a record at end-2011
- Most of operational EBITDA increase in Q4 2011 reflects favorable comparison vs Q4 2010 when significant project-related charges were incurred in cables business
- Successful claims management in Q4 2011 also contributed to improved earnings



### Discrete Automation and Motion Q4 and full-year 2011 summary

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US\$ millions unless otherwise stated	Q4 2011	Q4 2010	US\$	Local	FY 2011	FY 2010	US\$	Local
Orders received	2,230	1,505	48%	49%	9,566	5,862	63%	57%
Order backlog (end Dec.)	4,120	3,350	23%	26%				
Revenues	2,365	1,657	43%	44%	8,806	5,617	57%	51%
EBIT	338	280	21%		1'294	911	42%	
as % of revenues	14.3%	16.9%			14.7%	16.2%		
Operational EBITDA	411	301	37%		1'664	1'026	62%	
as % of op. revenues	17.4%	18.2%			18.9%	18.3%		
Cash from operations	410	204	101%		1'086	573	90%	

- Orders continued to grow for all businesses, but slower than in the previous three quarters
- Organic order growth amounted to 11 percent in local currencies
- Revenue growth reflects execution of the strong order backlog
- Operational EBITDA increased on higher revenues and the contribution from Baldor
- Operational EBITDA margin declined compared to Q4 2010 on unfavorable product/business mix, higher investments in business development, sales and R&D



#### Low-Voltage Products Q4 and full-year 2011 summary

US\$ millions unless otherwise stated		Change						
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Orders received	1,204	1,142	5%	6%	5,364	4,686	14%	9%
Order backlog (end Dec.)	887	838	6%	9%				
Revenues	1,348	1,254	7%	7%	5,304	4,554	16%	11%
EBIT	209	200	5%		904	788	15%	
as % of revenues	15.5%	15.9%			17.0%	17.3%		
Operational EBITDA	256	252	2%		1'059	926	14%	
as % of op. revenues	19.0%	20.1%			19.9%	20.3%		
Cash from operations	312	280	11%		548	717	-11%	

- Orders growth rate reflects generally weaker early-cycle demand in most markets
- Revenue growth outpaced orders on execution of strong order backlog in low voltage systems
- Higher revenues drove the increase in operational EBITDA, supported by price increases earlier in the year to offset rising raw material costs
- Higher share of systems revenues during the quarter resulted in a decline in operational EBITDA margin



#### Process Automation Q4 and full-year 2011 summary

US\$ millions unless otherwise stated		Change						
US\$ millions unless otherwise stated	Q4 2011	Q4 2010	US\$	Local	FY 2011	FY 2010	US\$	Local
Orders received	1,881	1,764	7%	7%	8,726	7,383	18%	12%
Order backlog (end Dec.)	5,771	5,530	4%	8%				
Revenues	2,317	2,101	10%	10%	8,300	7,432	12%	6%
EBIT	243	198	23%		963	759	27%	
as % of revenues	10.5%	9.4%			11.6%	10.2%		
Operational EBITDA	272	293	-7%		1'028	925	11%	
as % of op. revenues	11.8%	13.8%			12.4%	12.5%		
Cash from operations	416	222	87%		904	738	22%	

- Orders driven mainly by oil & gas; base order growth led by measurement products, large orders flat
- Revenues driven by execution of strong order backlog
- Operational EBITDA and EBITDA margin reflects higher share of system orders executed out of backlog, higher R&D and impact of strong Swiss Franc on turbocharging



#### Below the EBIT line

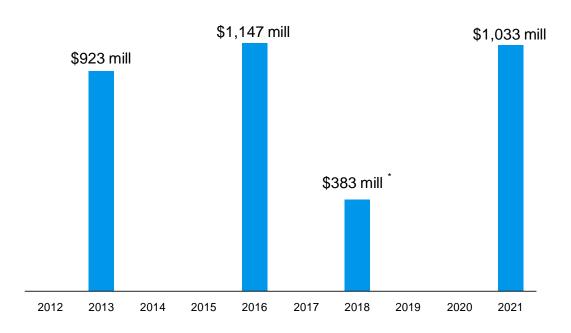
	Q4 2011	Q4 2010
EBIT	1,123	978
Finance net	(10)	(10)
Provision for taxes	(247)	(228)
Income from continuing operations	866	740
Discontinued operations	8	13
Non-controlling interests	(44)	(53)
Net income	830	700

• Tax rate in Q4 at 22 percent vs. at 24 percent in Q4 2010



### Maturity profile of debt securities Total debt securities of approx. \$3.5 billion as of January 31, 2012

#### Principal outstanding at January 31, 2012



Based on January 31, 2012 FX rates

\*CHF 350 million issued in January 2012



#### Summary of operational EBIT and EBITDA by division Q4 2011 vs Q4 2010

Operational EBIT and Operational EBITDA Q4 2011 vs Q4 2010

	AE	BB	Po Proc	wer lucts		wer tems	Discrete A & Ma			oltage lucts	Process A	automation
	Q4 11	Q4 10	Q4 11	Q4 10	Q4 11	Q4 10	Q4 11	Q4 10	Q4 11	Q4 10	Q4 11	Q4 10
Revenues (as per Financial Statements)	10,571	9,179	3,083	2,913	2,412	2,088	2,365	1,657	1,348	1,254	2,317	2,101
FX/commodity timing differences in Revenues	(2)	32	19	10	(12)	5	1	(6)	2	(1)	(9)	24
Operational revenues	10,569	9,211	3,102	2,923	2,400	2,093	2,366	1,651	1,350	1,253	2,308	2,125
EBIT (as per Financial Statements)	1,123	978	353	454	145	3	338	280	209	200	243	198
FX/commodity timing differences in EBIT	53	35	10	0	15	15	8	(11)	(1)	(4)	2	46
Restructuring-related costs	107	116	44	23	33	23	1	10	19	29	7	29
Acquisition-related expenses and certain non-recurring items	20	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
Operational EBIT	1,303	1,129	407	477	193	41	350	279	227	225	252	273
Operational EBIT margin	12.3%	12.3%	13.1%	16.3%	8.0%	2.0%	14.8%	16.9%	16.8%	18.0%	10.9%	12.8%
Depreciation (reversal of)	174	145	43	43	21	12	32	19	27	26	15	15
Amortization (reversal of)	91	50	10	7	24	16	29	3	2	1	5	5
Operational EBITDA	1,568	1,324	460	527	238	69	411	301	256	252	272	293
Operational EBITDA margin	14.8%	14.4%	14.8%	18.0%	9.9%	3.3%	17.4%	18.2%	19.0%	20.1%	11.8%	13.8%



#### Reconciliation of non-GAAP measures (\$ in millions)

EBIT Margin	Three months en	ded Dec. 31,	Year ended Dec. 31,		
(= EBIT as % of revenues)	2011	2010	2011	2010	
Earnings before interest and taxes (EBIT)	1,123	978	4,667	3,818	
Revenues	10,571	9,179	37,990	31,589	
EBIT Margin	10.6%	10.7%	12.3%	12.1%	
EBIT as per financial statements reversal of:	1,123	978	4,667	3,818	
Unrealized gains and losses on derivatives (FX, commodities, embedded derivatives)	44	26	158	3	
Realized gains and losses on derivatives where the underlying hedged transaction has not yet been realized	21	(2)	32	9	
Unrealized foreign exchange movements on receivables/payables (and related assets/liabilities)	(12)	11	(109)	79	
Restructuring and restructuring-related expenses	107	116	164	213	
Acquisition-related expenses and certain non-recurring items	20	-	122 (1)	-	
Operational EBIT	1,303	1,129	5,034	4,122	
reversal of:					
Depreciation	174	145	660	545	
Amortization	91	50	335	157	
Backlog amortization related to significant acquisitions			(15)		
Operational EBITDA	1,568	1,324	6,014	4,824	
Revenues as per financial statements reversal of:	10,571	9,179	37,990	31,589	
Unrealized gains and losses on derivatives	(34)	17	188	(80)	
Realized gains and losses on derivatives where the underlying hedged transaction has not yet been realized	28	(21)	33	(28)	
Unrealized foreign exchange movements on receivables (and related assets)	4	36	(123)	100	
Operational Revenues	10,569	9,211	38,088	31,581	
Operational EBITDA Margin (= Operational EBITDA as % of Operational Revenues)	14.8%	14.4%	15.8%	15.3%	
includes \$15 million backlog amortization related to Baldor					

Net Cash	Year ended Dec. 31,		
(= Cash and equivalents plus marketable securities and short-term investments, less total debt)	2011	2010	
Cash and equivalents	4,819	5,897	
Marketable securities and short-term investments	948	2,713	
Cash and marketable securities	5,767	8,610	
Short-term debt and current maturities of long-term debt	765	1,043	
Long-term debt	3,231	1,139	
Total debt	3,996	2,182	
Net Cash	1,771	6,428	

Free Cash Flow	Year ended	Dec. 31,
(= Net cash provided by operating activities adjusted for i) changes in financing receivables and ii) purchases of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets and iii) proceeds from sales of property, plant and equipment)	2011	2010
Net cash provided by operating activites	3,612	4,197
adjusted for the effects of:		
Changes in financing receivables	(55)	(7)
Purchases of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets	(1,021)	(840)
Proceeds from sales of property, plant and equipment	57	47
Free Cash Flow	2,593	3,397
Net Income attributable to ABB	3,168	2,561
Free Cash Flow as % of Net Income	82%	133%



#### Reconciliation of non-GAAP measures (\$ in millions)

Cash Return on Capital Invested (CROI)	Year ended Dec. 31,		
CROI = (Net cash provided by operating activities + Interest Paid ) / Capital Invested	2011	2010	
Net cash provided by operating activities	3,612	4,197	
Interest paid	165	94	
Adjustment to annualize Baldor's net cash provided by operating activities	27	-	
Adjusted Cash Return	3,804	4,291	
Capital Invested			
Capital Invested = Fixed Assets + Net Working Capital + Accumulated Depreciation and Amortization			
Property, plant and equipment, net	4,922	4,356	
Goodwill	7,269	4,085	
Other intangible assets, net	2,253	701	
Investments in equity-accounted companies	156	19	
Total Fixed Assets	14,600	9,161	
Receivables, net	10,773	9,970	
Inventories, net	5,737	4,878	
Prepaid expenses	227	193	
Accounts payable, trade	(4,789)	(4,555)	
Billings in excess of sales	(1,819)	(1,730)	
Employee and other payables	(1,361)	(1,526)	
Advances from customers	(1,757)	(1,764)	
Accrued expenses	(1,822)	(1,644)	
Net Working Capital	5,189	3,822	
Accumulated depreciation of property plant and equipment	6,121	5,902	
Accumulated amortization of intangible assets including goodwill <sup>(1)</sup>	1,900	1,689	
Accumulated Depreciation and Amortization	8,021	7,591	
Capital Invested	27,810	20,574	
CROI	14%	21%	
<sup>(1)</sup> Includes accumulated goodwill amortization up to Dec. 31, 2001. Thereafter goodwill is not amortized (under U.S. GAAP) but subject to annual testing for impairment.			



#### Overview of 2011-2015 divisional targets

#### Target revenue growth vs market growth and operational EBITDA margin corridor 2011-15 CAGR = Compound annual growth rate (% change in local currencies), base year 2010

Division	Revenue growth (CAGR)	Operational EBITDA margin corridor
PP	5-7%	14-20%
PS	10-14% (Excl. Ventyx & Mincom 9-13%)	7-11%
DM	<b>12-15%</b> (Excl. Baldor 7-10%)	16-21%
LP	8-11%	16-22%
PA	6-9%	11-15%



#### **Appendix: Definitions**

- CROI: Cash return on capital invested, calculated as i) cash provided by operating activities plus interest paid, divided by ii) capital employed plus accumulated amortization and depreciation
- Capital employed: the sum of fixed assets and net working capital
- Cash conversion: Free cash flow as a percentage of net income
- Fixed assets: the sum of property, plant and equipment (net), goodwill, other intangible assets (net) and investments in equity method companies
- Free cash flow (FCF): Net cash provided by operating activities adjusted for i) changes in financing and other non-current receivables; ii) purchases of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets; and iii) proceeds from sales of property, plant and equipment
- Gross gearing: Total debt divided by total debt plus total stockholders' equity (including noncontrolling interests)
- Net cash: Cash and equivalents plus marketable securities and short-term investments, less total debt
- Net working capital (NWC): the sum of i) receivables, net, ii) inventories, net, and iii) prepaid expenses; less iv) accounts payable, trade, v) billings in excess of sales, vi) employee and other payables, vii) advances from customers, and viii) accrued expenses
- Operational EBIT: Earnings before interest and taxes (EBIT) adjusted for i) unrealized gains and losses on derivatives (FX, commodities, embedded derivatives), ii) realized gains and losses on derivatives where the underlying hedged transaction has not yet been realized, iii) unrealized foreign exchange movements on receivables/payables (and related assets/liabilities), iv) restructuring and restructuring-related expenses, and v) acquisition-related expenses and certain non-recurring items.
- Operational EBITDA: Operational EBIT adjusted for depreciation and amortization
- Operational EBITDA margin: Operational EBITDA as a percentage of operational revenues
- Operational revenues: Revenues adjusted for i) unrealized gains and losses on derivatives, ii) realized gains and losses on derivatives where the underlying hedged transaction has not yet been realized, and iii) unrealized foreign exchange movements on receivables (and related assets).
- Total debt: the sum of short-term debt (including current maturities of long-term debt) and long-term debt



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