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Progress in challenging markets ABB 2016 Q1 Results



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Q1 2016 – Progress in challenging markets Next Level Strategy delivers

| Profitable Growth | Base orders steady ¹ , total orders -7% reflect challenging Q1-15 comparison Order backlog +4%; book-to-bill 1.17x, all divisions >1.0x PIE ² showing positive results mitigating market headwinds Strategic portfolio review of Power Grids on track |
|-------------------------------|--|
| Relentless Execution | Operational EBITA margin up 0.9pts to 12.0%; Op. earnings per share +3% ³ White Collar productivity and cost-out measures yielding results Power Grids division in target margin corridor Cash flow from operating activities up ~\$200 mn due to improved working capital mgmt. |
| Business-led Collaboration | New market focused organization in place driving a culture of collaboration Collaborative sales platform, salesforce.com, operational in 86 countries Proven leadership appointed for leading operating model implementation |

¹Changes in orders, revenues and order backlog are on a comparable basis; ²PIE: Penetration, Innovation, Expansion; ³ Comparable operational EPS growth is in constant currency (2014 exchange rates)



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Q1 2016 Key figures

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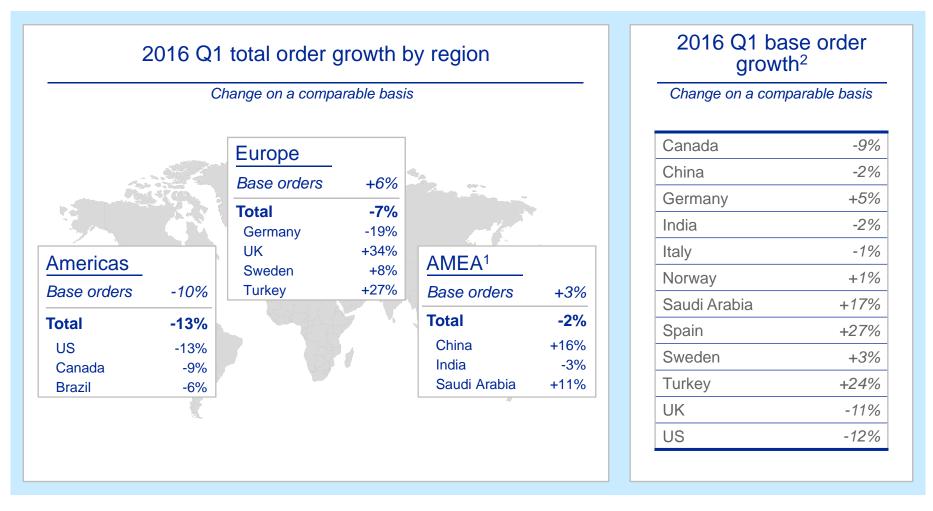
| Orders | Base orders Reve | | |
|------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| \$9.3 bn | \$7.6 bn | \$7.9 bn | |
| -7% ¹ | steady ¹ | -2% ¹ | |
| Op. EBITA margin | Operational EPS | Cash flow from operating activities | |
| 12.0% | \$0.28 | \$252 mn | |
| +0.9 pts. | +3% ² | +199 mn | |
| | | | |

¹ On a comparable basis;

| Slide 4 ² Operational EPS growth is in constant currency (2014 foreign exchange rates)

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Steady base order development Total order growth impacted by high large orders in Q1 2015



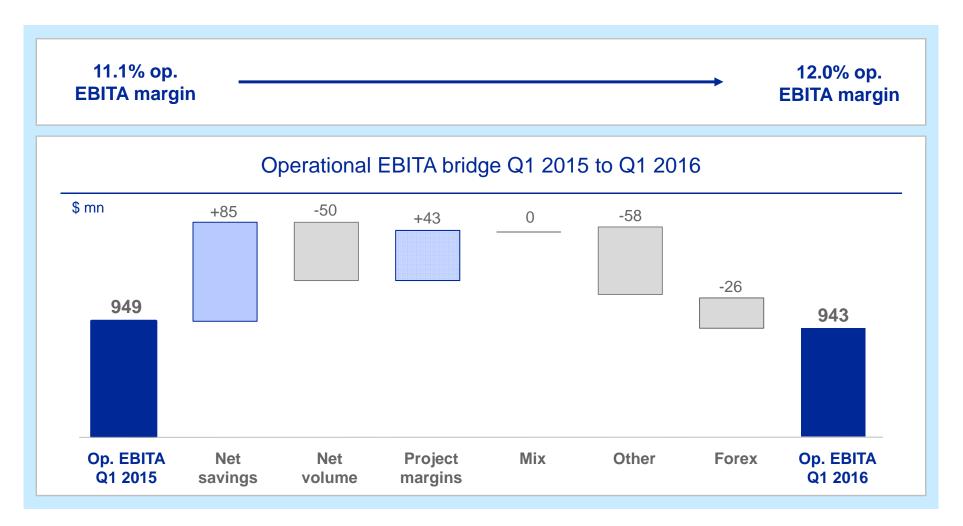
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Q1 2016 performance by division Key figures

| \$ bn unless otherwise stated | ABB Group | Electrification Products | Discrete Automation and Motion | Process Automation | Power Grids |
|----------------------------------|-----------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------|
| Orders | 9.3 | 2.3 | 2.3 | 1.8 | 3.3 |
| \triangle Comparable | -7% | -4% | -6% | -17% | -8% |
| Revenues | 7.9 | 2.1 | 2.1 | 1.6 | 2.5 |
| △ Comparable | -2% | 0% | -5% | -3% | -2% |
| Op. EBITA % | 12.0% | 15.0% | 13.2% | 12.0% | 8.0% |
| Δ | +0.9 pts. | -0.2 pts. | -1.0 pts. | -0.3 pts. | +2.1 pts. |

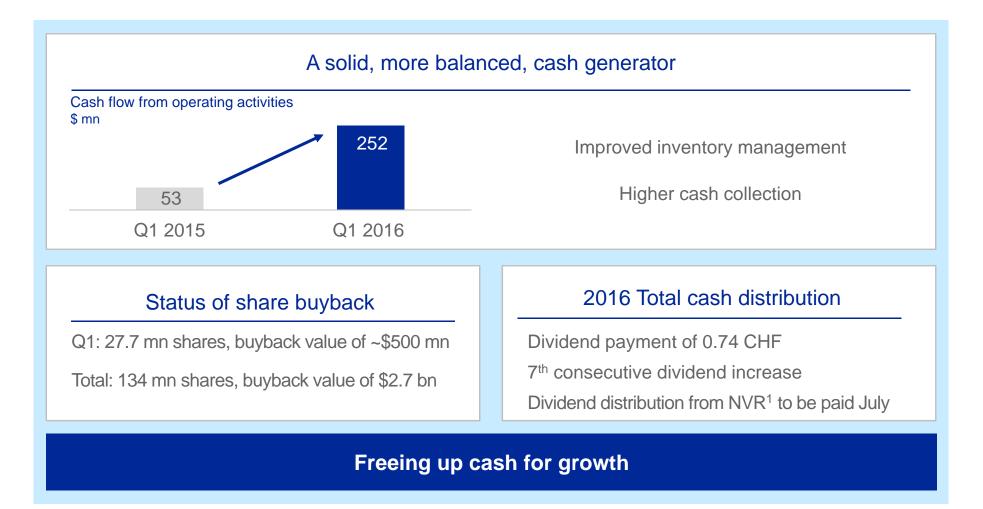


Op. EBITA margin increased to 12.0% Driving Relentless Execution





Improved capital management



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ABB – Next Level Stage 2 Accelerating transformation

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| Profitable Growth | | Shifting the Center of Gravity Divisional realignment along markets Accelerating organic growth Ready for inorganic moves Value from partnerships |
|-------------------------------------|---------|--|
| Relentless Execution | Stade 2 | |
| Business- led Collabo- ration | | Further simplifying our organization Driving collaboration in regions and countries Continuing leadership development |



Q1 2016: Profitable Growth

Shifting the Center of Gravity – strengthening competitiveness

Examples

| Profitable Growth | loT Digitali | - |
|--|---|---|
| | Power & Automation "for the grid" First digital substation in the UK for SP Energy Networks | Power & Automation "for the site" Container terminal automation for APM Terminals Maasvlakte 2 Terminal |
| Relentless Execution | Customer value: Integration of renewables, improved control, safety, reduced maintenance cost | Customer value: Safer, greener and more productive container terminal operations |
| Business- led Collabo- ration | | |



Q1 2016: Profitable Growth Shifting the Center of Gravity – driving organic growth

| | | | PIE | |
|--|-------------|--------------------------------|--|--|
| Profitable Growth | Penetration | Europe | 6% base order growth Large orders wins Organizational realignment yielding results | |
| Relentless Execution | Innovation | Smart devices | Smart sensing solutions at Hannover Fair Enable remote monitoring of motors Increased uptime and energy efficiency | |
| Business- led Collabo- ration | Expansion | Electrical power systems | Dynamic AC concept for cruise ships Reduce annual fuel consumption up to 6% | |



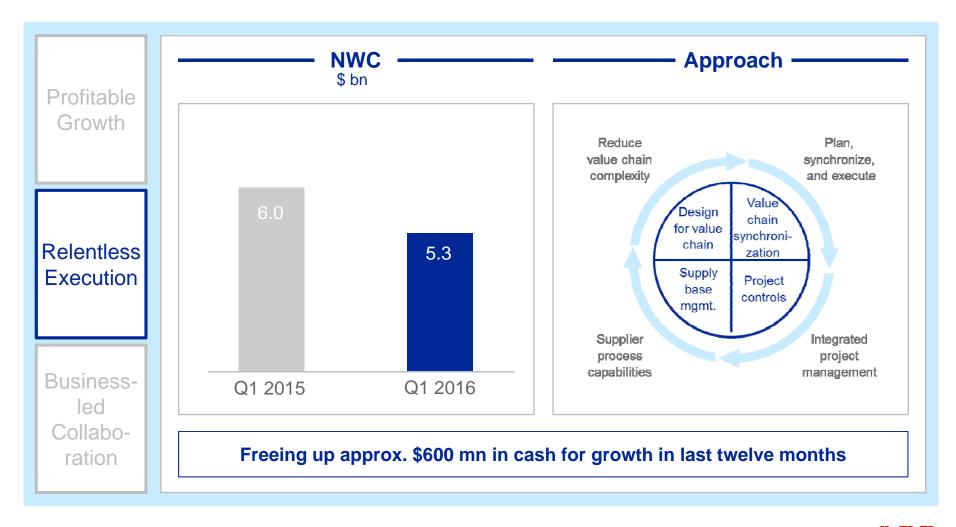
Examples

Q1 2016: Relentless Execution White Collar Productivity



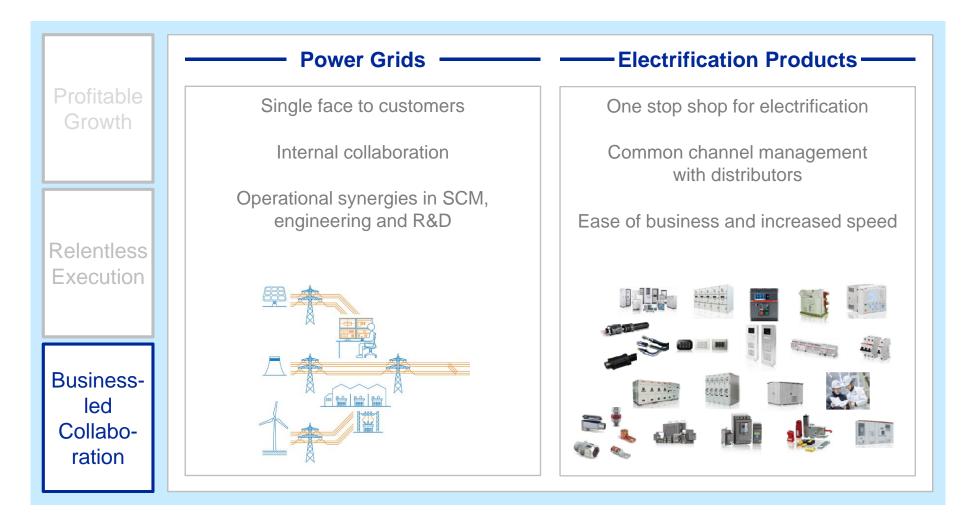


Q1 2016: Relentless Execution Working Capital improvements drove improved cash flow



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Q1 2016: Business-led Collaboration Divisional realignment seeing initial results





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Q1 2016 summary and outlook

Q1 results

Profitability and cash flow up through execution of Next Level Strategy

Base orders steady; total orders reflect challenging Q1 comparison; book to bill 1.17x

Revenues -2% on short cycle volumes and timing of order backlog

Op. EBITA margin up 0.9 pts. to 12.0%

Power Grids margin in target corridor, strategic portfolio review on track

Op. earnings per share +3%¹

Cash flow from operating activities up ~\$200 mn

Outlook

Mixed short-term picture, uncertainty remains

Modest growth in Europe, slower growth in China; Continued market growth in US

Oil price effects to continue

Long-term demand outlook remains positive – growth drivers in place for utility, industry, transportation & infrastructure

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ABB Next Level

Pioneering technology leader with strong positions in attractive markets

Clear transformation agenda driving EPS and CROI

Strong balance sheet; committed to attractive returns to shareholders

Next Level Strategy: accelerating sustainable value creation



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Key figures Q1 2016

| | Q1 16 | Q1 15 | | Change | |
|---|--------|--------|------------------|----------------|------------|
| <i>\$ mn unless otherwise indicated</i> | | | \$ | Local currency | Comparable |
| Orders | 9,253 | 10,404 | -11% | -7% | -7% |
| Order backlog (end March) | 25,978 | 25,491 | +2% | +2% | +4% |
| Revenues | 7,903 | 8,555 | -8% | -3% | -2% |
| Operational EBITA | 943 | 949 | -1% | +2% | +2% |
| as % of operational revenues | 12.0% | 11.1% | +0.9 pts | | |
| Income from operations | 784 | 859 | -9% | | |
| as % of revenues | 10.0% | 10.0% | 0 pts | | |
| Net income | 500 | 564 | -11% | | |
| Basic earnings per share (\$) | 0.23 | 0.25 | -9% ¹ | | |
| Cash flow from operating activities | 252 | 53 | +199 | | |



Order backlog by division

| | Q1 2016 | Q1 2015 | Cha | nge % |
|--|---------|---------|-----|------------|
| Order backlog (end March) \$ mn | | | \$ | Comparable |
| Electrification Products | 3,168 | 3,027 | +5% | +7% |
| Discrete Automation and Motion | 4,619 | 4,596 | +1% | +1% |
| Process Automation | 6,392 | 6,643 | -4% | -4% |
| Power Grids | 13,787 | 13,076 | +5% | +10% |
| Corporate and Other (incl. Inter-division eliminations) | (1,988) | (1,851) | | |
| Total Group | 25,978 | 25,491 | +2% | +4% |



Third party base orders by division

| | Q1 2016 | Q1 2015 | Change% |
|----------------------------------|---------|---------|------------|
| Third-party base orders \$ mn | | | Comparable |
| Electrification Products | 2,181 | 2,347 | -2% |
| Discrete Automation and Motion | 2,021 | 2,204 | -5% |
| Process Automation | 1,403 | 1,508 | -2% |
| Power Grids | 2,024 | 1,957 | +9% |
| Corporate and other | 13 | 19 | |
| Total Group | 7,642 | 8,035 | +0% |



Cash flow from operating activities by division

| | Q1 2016 | Q1 2015 | Change % |
|--|---------|---------|----------|
| Cash flow from operating activities \$ mn | | | \$ |
| Electrification Products | 33 | 56 | -41% |
| Discrete Automation and Motion | 114 | 182 | -37% |
| Process Automation | 48 | 21 | +129% |
| Power Grids | 83 | (122) | n.a. |
| Corporate and other | (26) | (84) | |
| Total Group | 252 | 53 | \$199 |



Operational EPS analysis

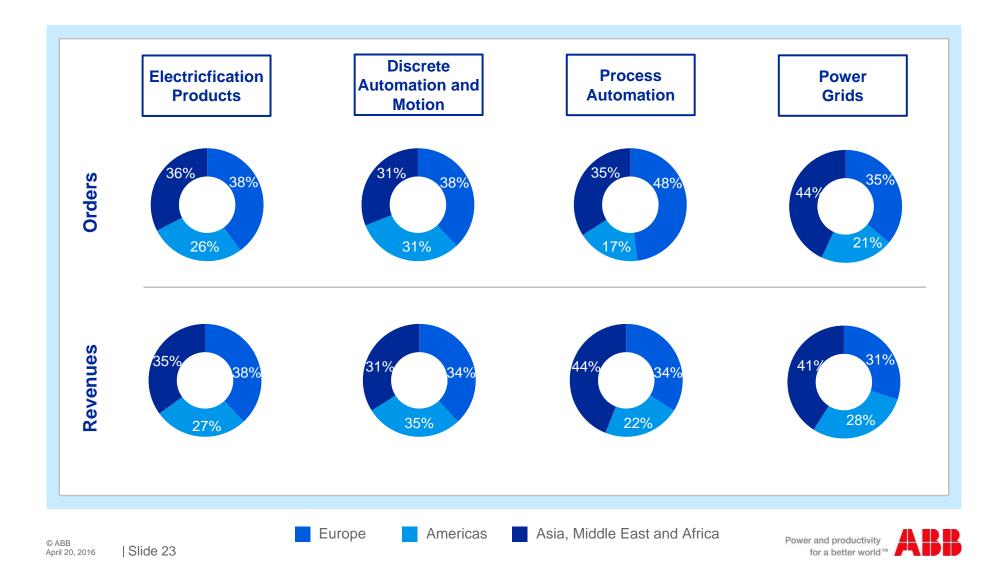
| | Q1 2 | 2016 | Q1 | 2015 | |
|---|------|------------------|------|------------------|-------------------------|
| mn \$, except per share data in \$ | | EPS ¹ | | EPS ¹ | extstyle 2 |
| Net income (attributable to ABB) | 500 | 0.23 | 564 | 0.25 | -9% |
| Restructuring and restructuring- related expenses ³ (including WCP implementation costs) | 51 | 0.02 | 19 | 0.01 | |
| Gains and losses on sale of businesses, acquisition- related expenses and certain non-operational items ⁴ | 2 | 0.00 | 8 | 0.00 | |
| FX/commodity timing differences in income from operations ³ | 11 | 0.01 | (21) | (0.01) | |
| Acquisition–related amortization ³ | 51 | 0.02 | 59 | 0.03 | |
| Operational net income / Operational EPS | 615 | 0.28 | 629 | 0.28 | +3% ⁵ |

¹EPS amounts are computed individually, therefore the sum of the per share amounts may not equal to the total; ²Calculated on earnings per share before rounding; ³Net of tax at the Adjusted Group effective tax rate; ⁴Net of tax at th



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Regional share of total orders and revenues by division Q1 2016

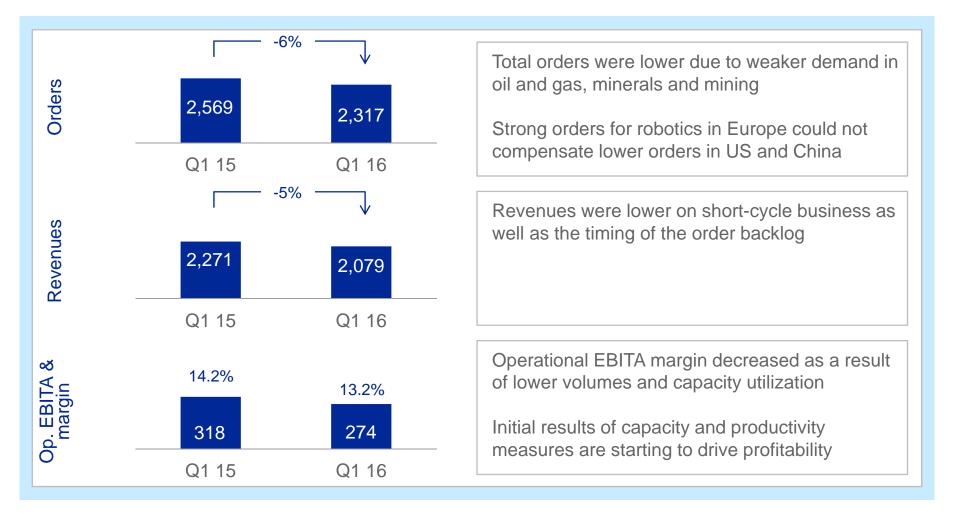


Electrification Products Q1 2016



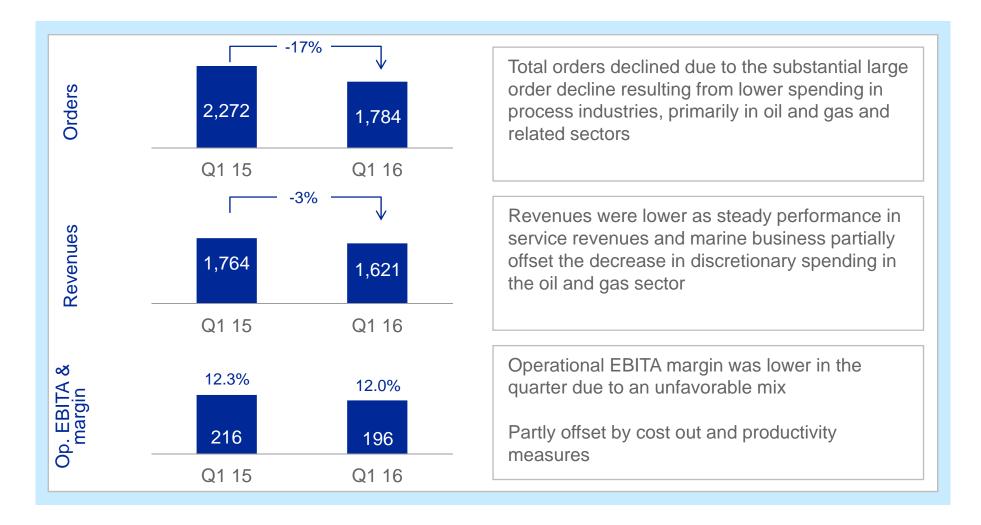
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Discrete Automation & Motion Q1 2016



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Process Automation Q1 2016



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Power Grids Q1 2016





2015-2020 targets Group targets and divisional Operational EBITA margin targets effective January 2016

| Group | | | Divisions | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|------------|--------------------------------|--------|
| Revenue growth ¹ | 3-6% | | Electrification Products | 15-19% |
| | 44.400/ | | Discrete Automation and Motion | 14-19% |
| Operational EBITA % ² | 11-16% | ` . | Process Automation | 11-15% |
| Operational EPS CAGR ³ | 10-15% | | Power Grids | 8-12% |
| FCF conversion to net income | >90% | - `` | | |
| CROI % ⁴ | Mid-teens | | | |

¹Average annual revenue growth on a like-for-like basis over 6 years, base year 2012 ²Target is on a full-year basis; ³CAGR = Compound annual growth rate, base year is 2014 and assuming constant exchange rates; ⁴Temporary reduction possible in the event of larger acquisitions

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