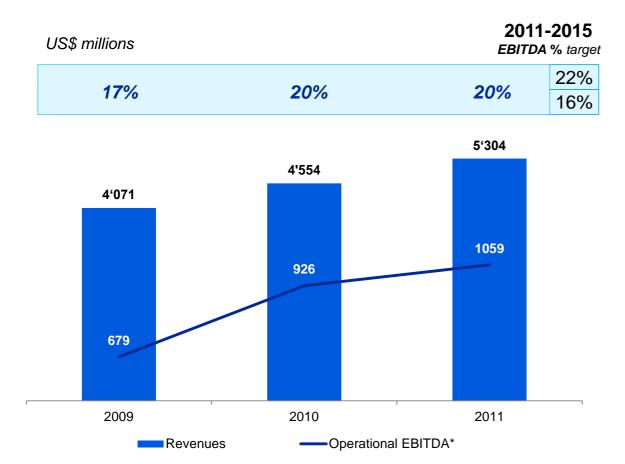


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## Low Voltage Products Foundations for growth

### Low Voltage Products Key financials 2009 – 2011



- Higher revenues drove the increase in operational EBITDA
- 2011 commodity price impact ~\$75mln
- 2011 investments in sales and R&D
   ~\$100mln, majority in emerging markets



<sup>\*</sup> estimated for 2009





### LP technology for homes and buildings New product launches in 2011









Door entry systems

Busch-iceLight and Busch-iDock

Energy efficiency product range



### Low Voltage Products Strategy

	Today	<b>—</b>	2015			
Market access	Europe centric	<b>→</b>	Balanced		US: inorganic SAM, SAS, IMA: Channels, coverage and inorganic	
Product scope	Electrica	I	Share in distri channel		Scope increase (s conduits, plastic / Lifestyle/comfort Service	witches, plugs & sockets, metal boxes)
Application focus	Product	<b>-</b>	Solutions	:	Building (Automati Renewables DC datacenters	on & Savings)
People:     Talent mobility     Competence clost to market	ser	interrup  Control	ng and current	Processes: Logistic Opex NPS		Product management and marketing: Channel management Pricing Branding



# Rationale for Thomas & Betts acquisition A great move for both companies

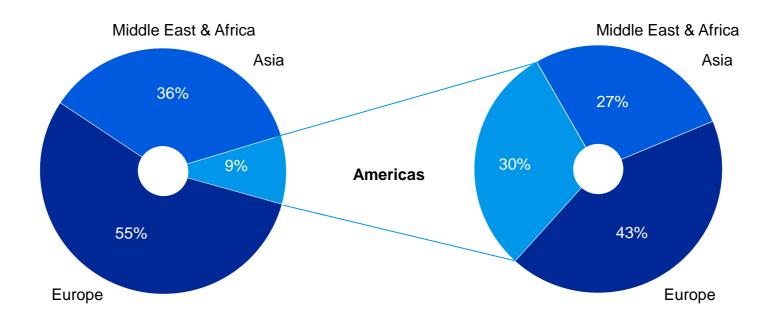
#### Unlocks the world's largest low-voltage products market for ABB **Great strategic** Accelerates global market access for Thomas & Betts move for both Completes the low-voltage product portfolio for both companies Creates the broadest product scope in the industry **Strong growth** potential Selling to the same customers through the same channels ABB shareholders: Attractive cash returns Thomas & Betts shareholders: Full & fair price in cash Solid value creation Customers: Great product selection, best-in-class distribution • **Employees:** Solid growth opportunities for both companies Ease of integration: Complementary businesses

The Thomas & Betts acquisition was announced on 30th January 2012. Completion of the transaction is dependent upon Thomas and Betts shareholder and regulatory approvals.



### Rebalancing LP's geographic scope Better reflects global importance of NAM market

#### Share of LP revenues by region



**Today** (based on 9 months 2011)

Post transaction



## Power and productivity

