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# Capital Markets Day

## Joe Hogan, CEO



# Commitments made at 2009 CMD

## We have executed well

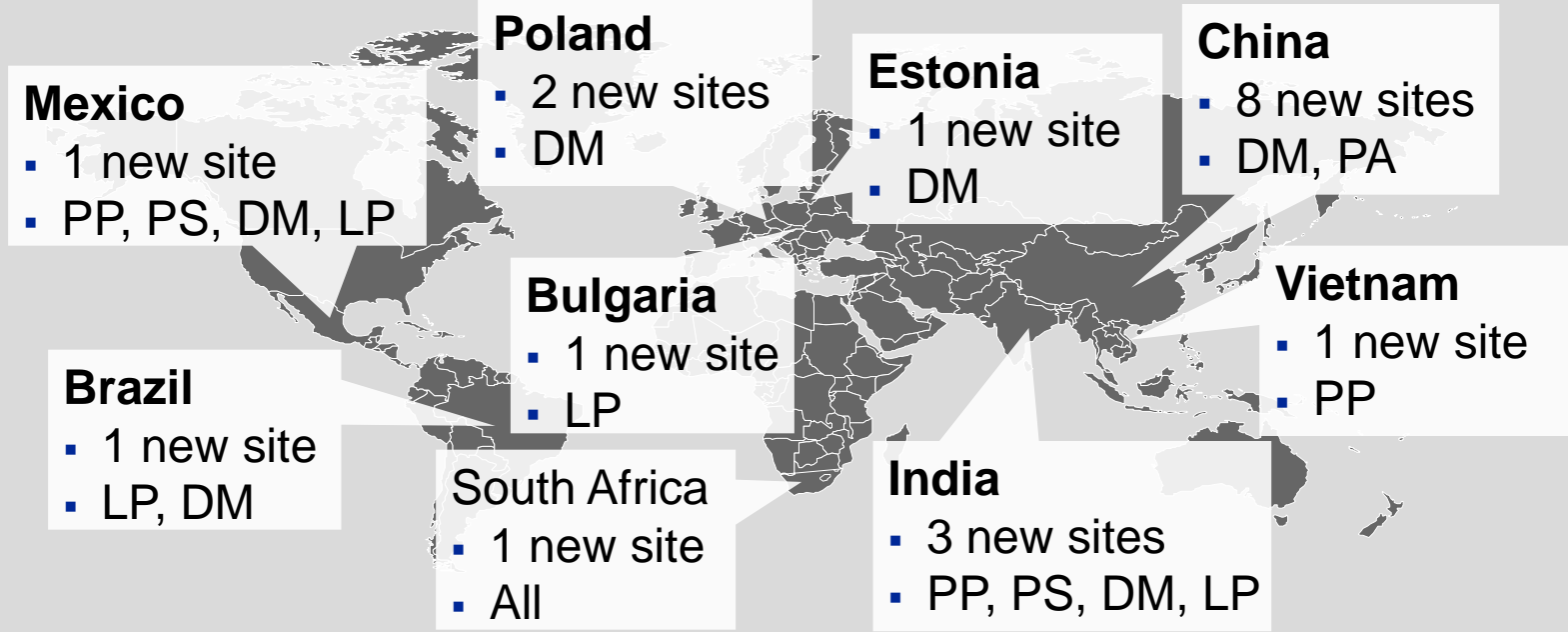
### Operational cost out focus through the cycle

Results of cost take-out program [in \$bn]:



### Continued expansion in emerging markets

19 new factories / engineering centers in EM<sup>(1)</sup>:



### Technology leadership with focus on renewables, energy efficiency & smart grids

Annual R&D spend:



### Leading high tech infrastructure company

Example: 400MW transmission line in Germany



### Commitment to a strong cash flow generation

Cash flow from operations [in \$bn]:

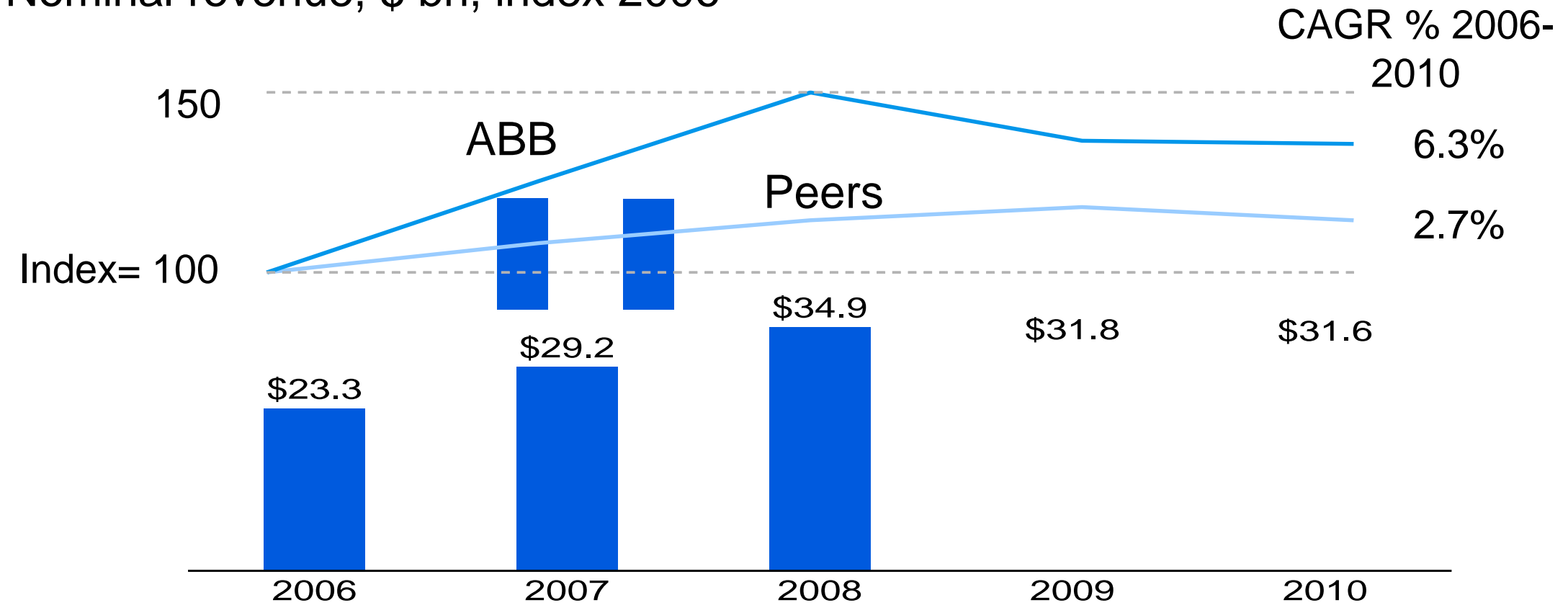


(1) PP = Power Products, PS = Power Systems, DM = Discrete Automation and Motion, LP = Low Voltage Products, PA = Process Automation

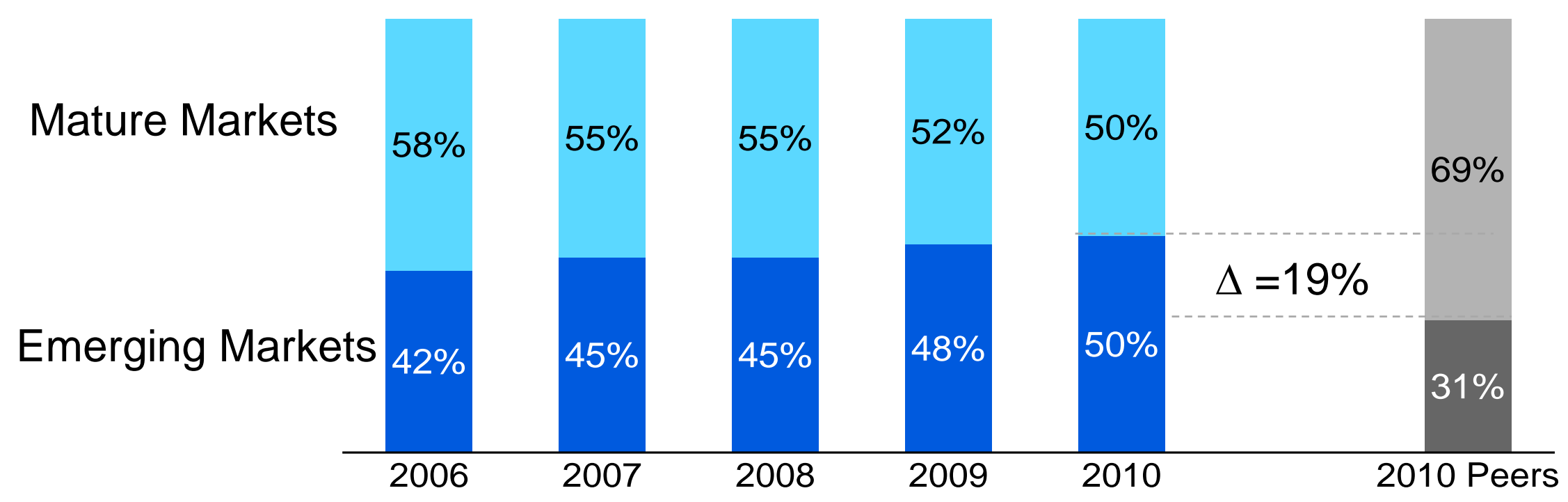
# ABB has performed and is well positioned for the economic environment

## Revenue ABB vs. peer group

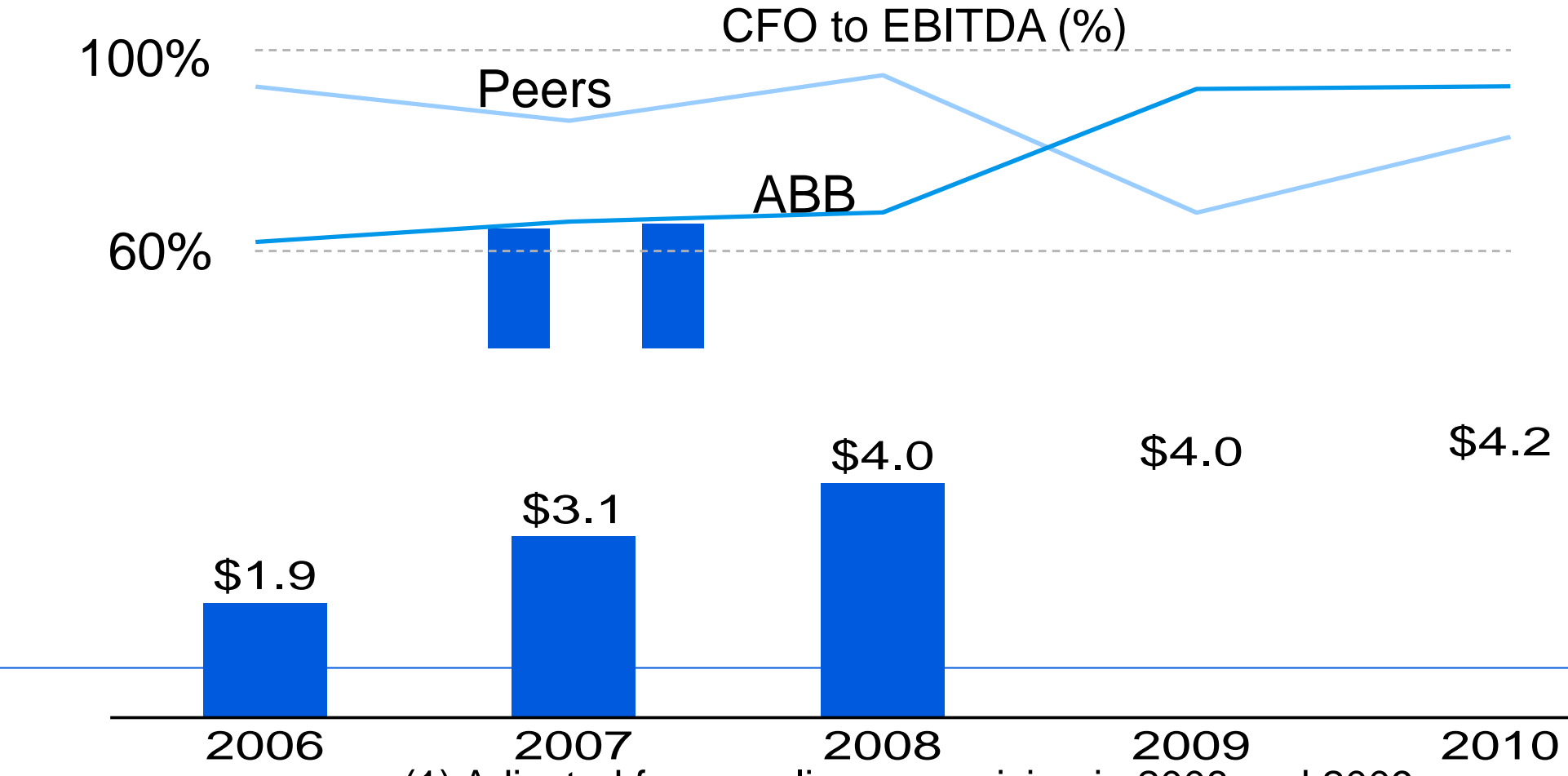
Nominal revenue, \$ bn, index 2006



## Geographic revenue mix between 2006 - 2010

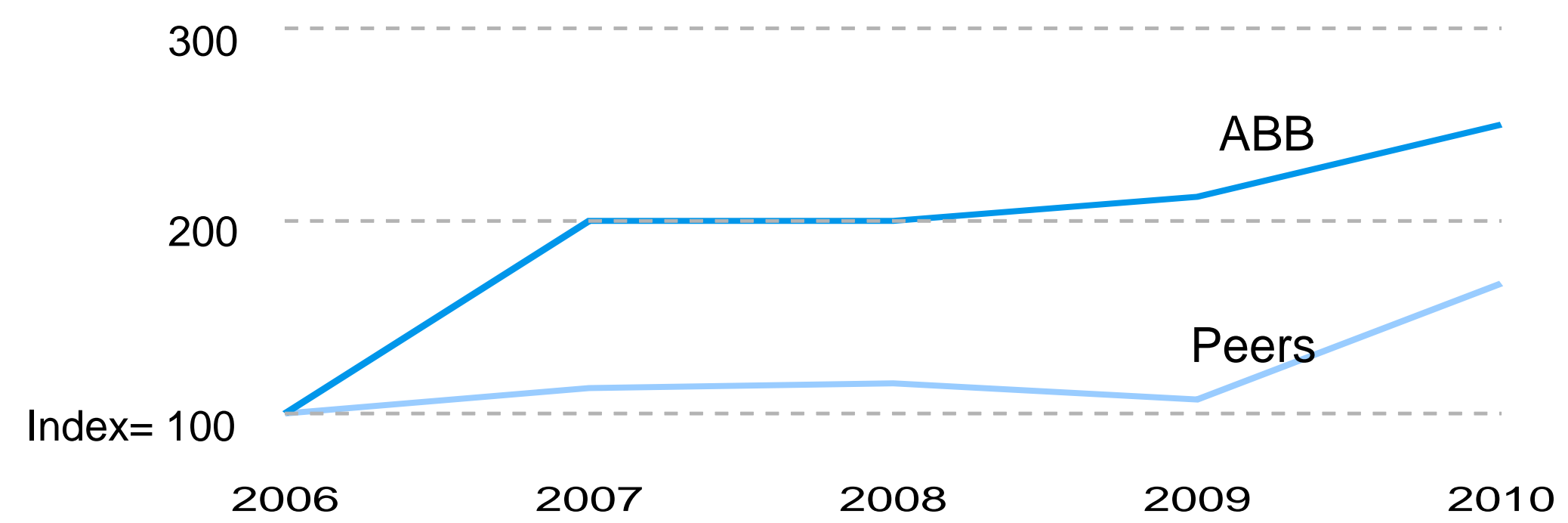


## Cash Flow from Operations (CFO) and CFO to EBITDA<sup>(1)</sup>



## Dividend development ABB vs. peer group

Index DPS 2006: ABB = CHF0.24, Peers = \$1.79



Source: Thomson Reuters

(1) Adjusted for compliance provision in 2008 and 2009

Peer Group: Cooper, Eaton Electric, Emerson, Rockwell, Schneider Electric, Siemens

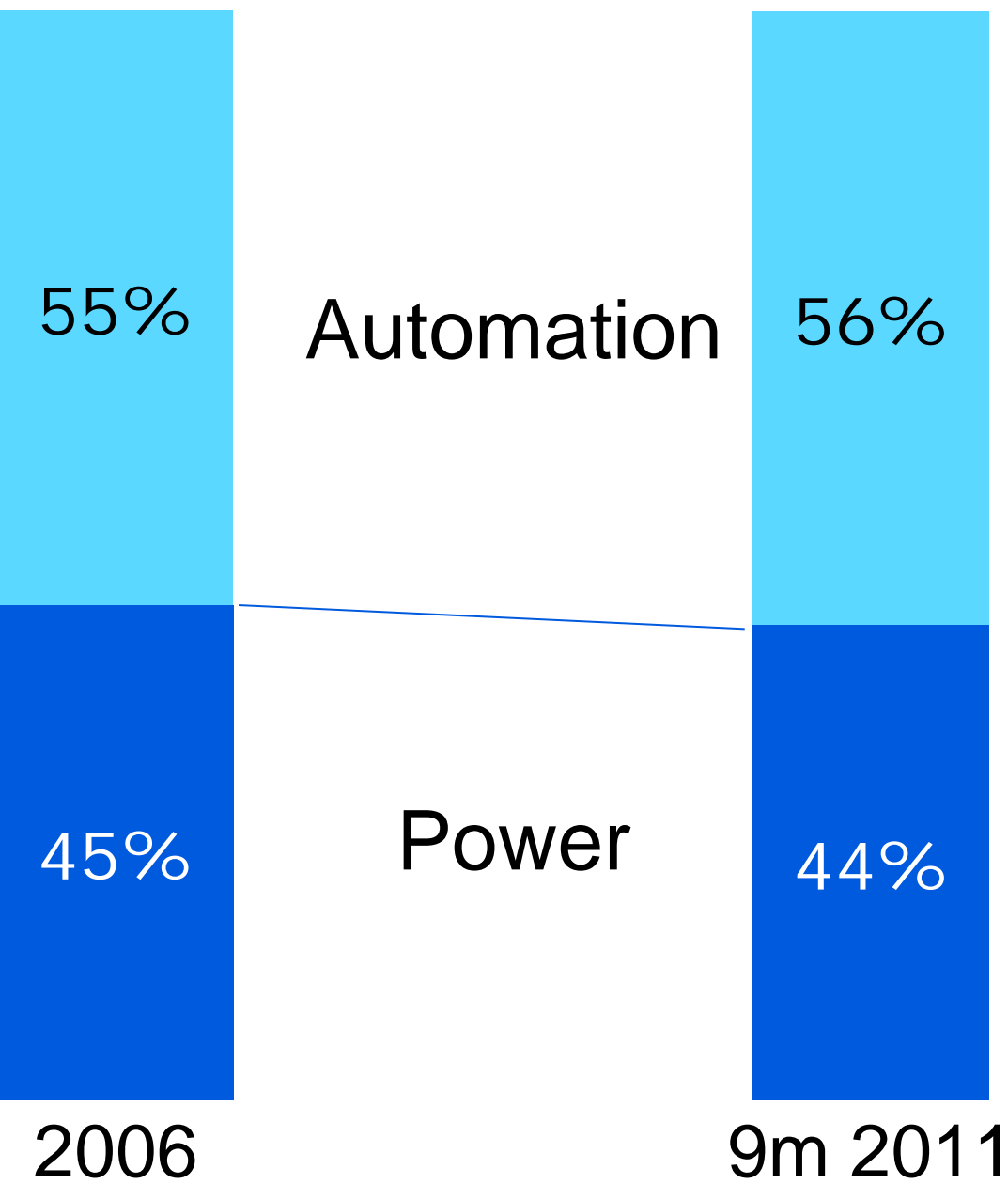


# A stable portfolio over the past five years – share of revenues

## Increased exposure to emerging markets

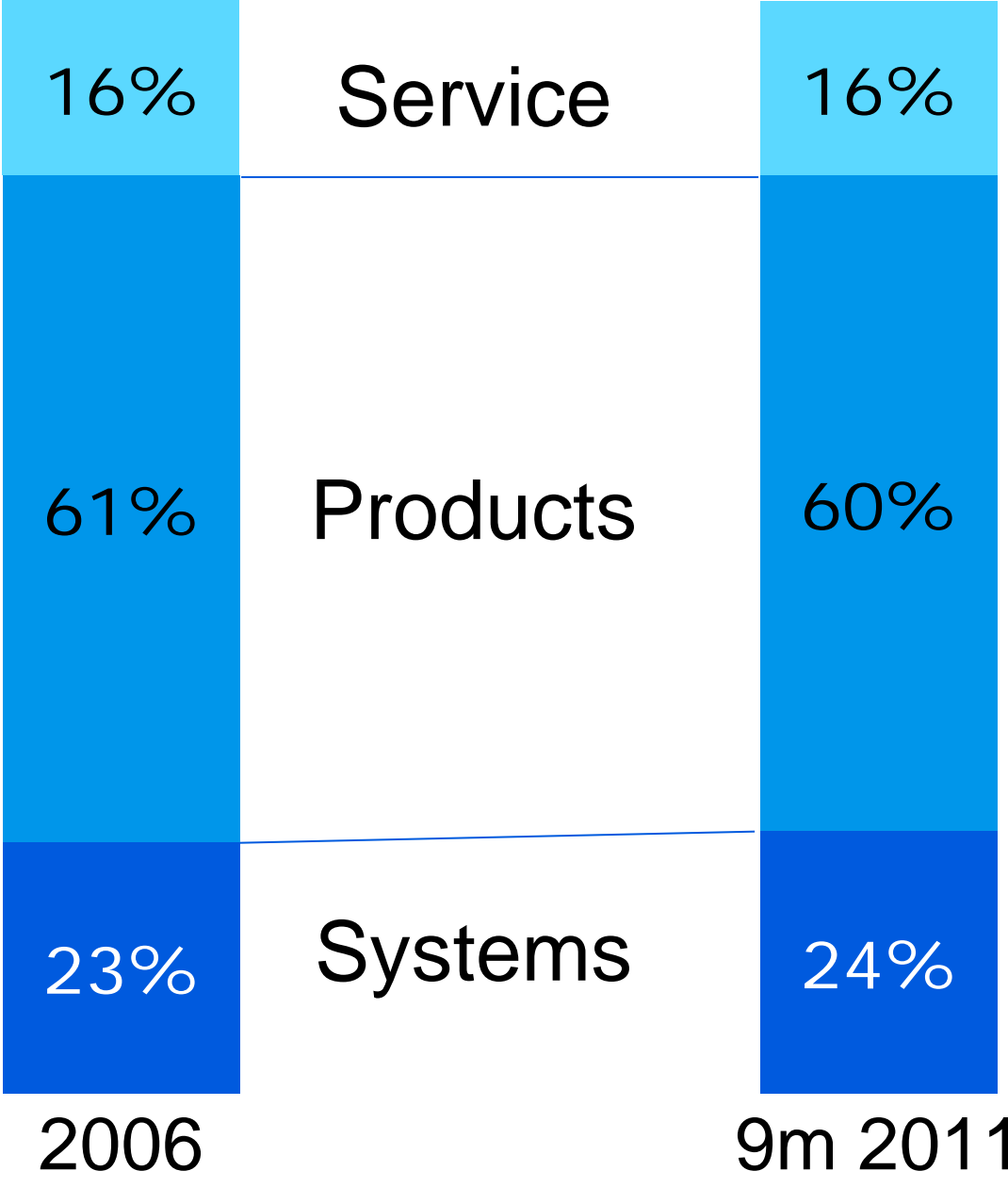
### Power & Automation

Share of Revenue in local currency



### Business mix

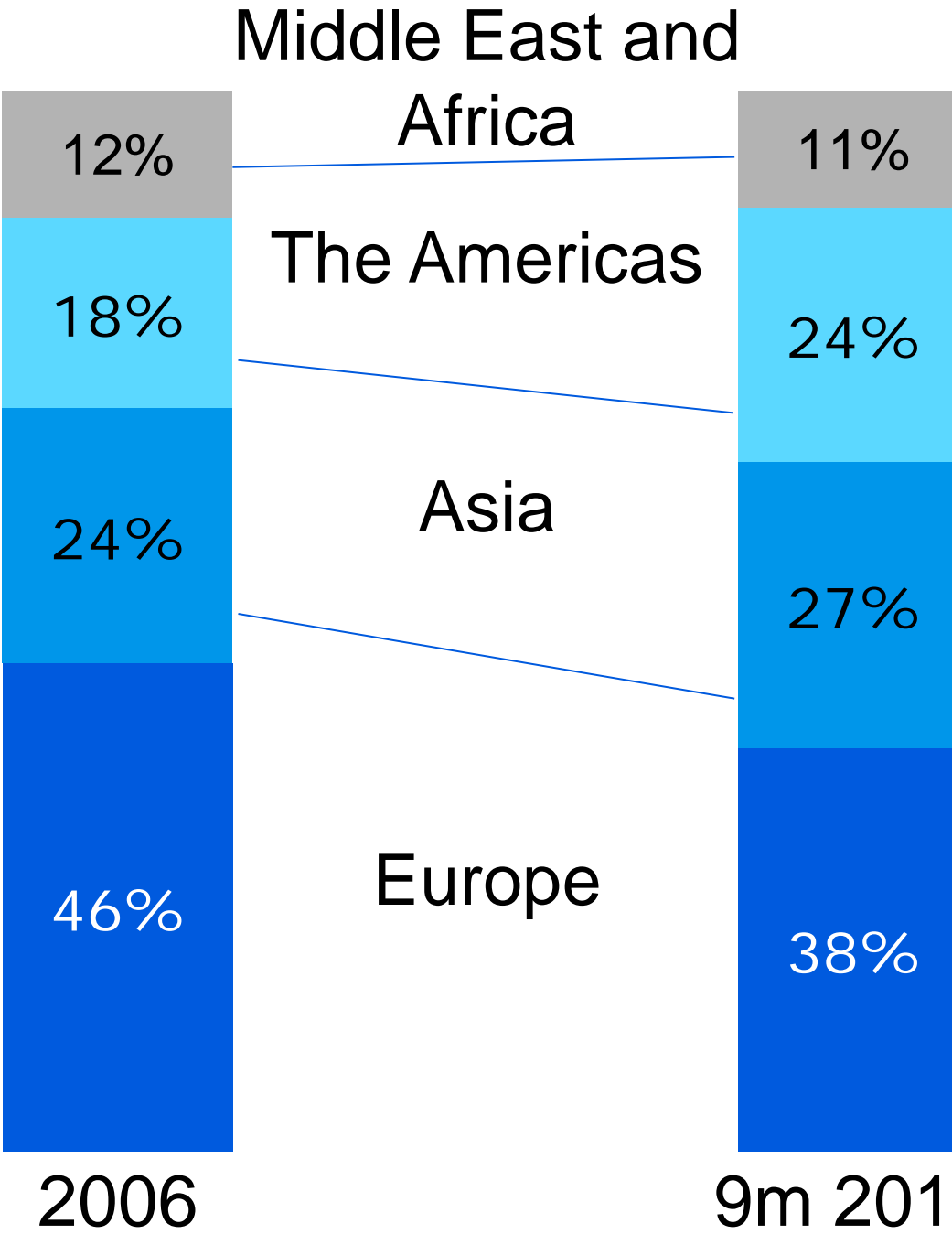
Share of Revenue in local currency



### Geographic mix

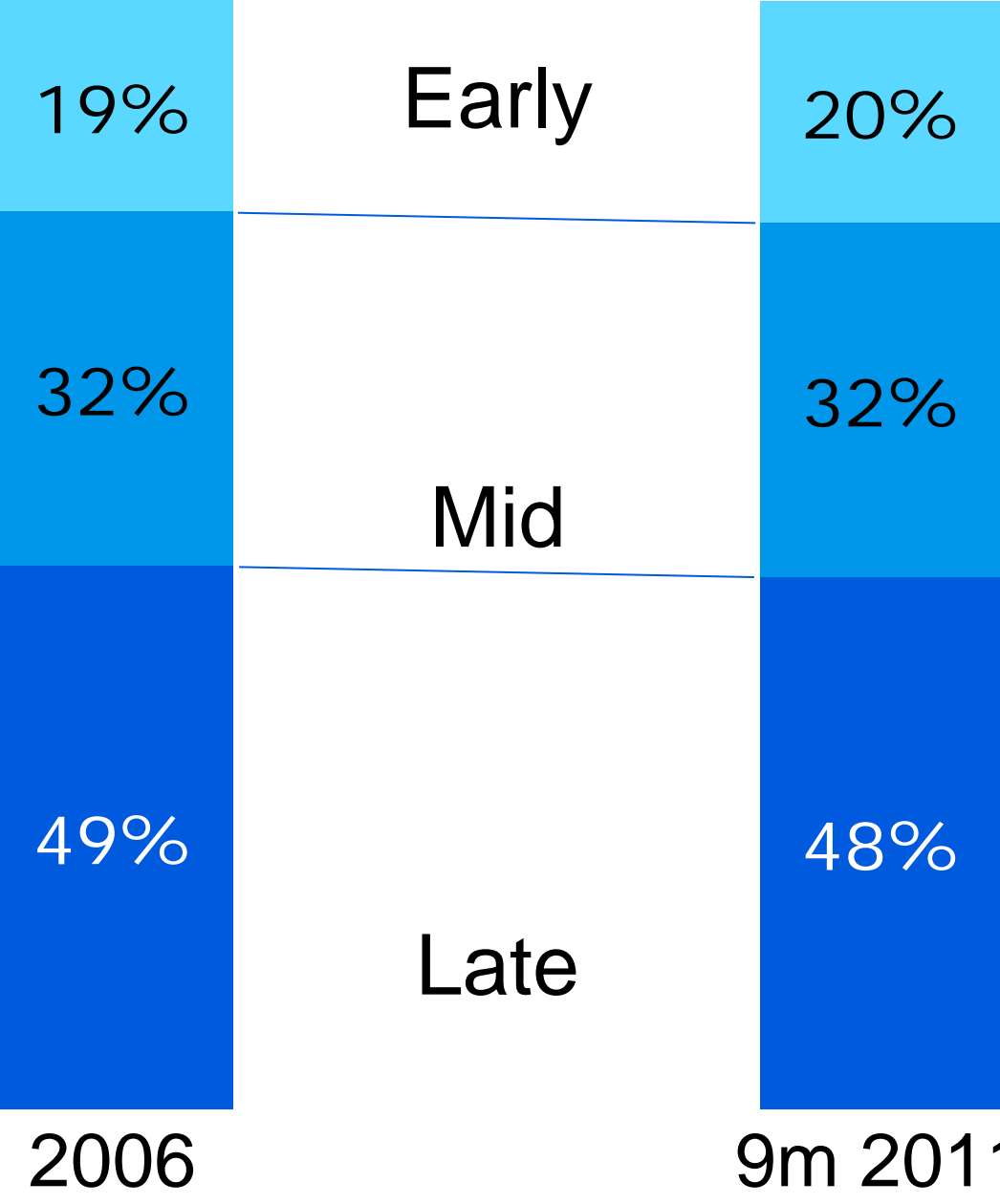
Share of Revenue in local currency

**EM sales**  
42% ~50%



### Cyclical

Share of Revenue in local currency



(1) 9m 2011 including Baldor

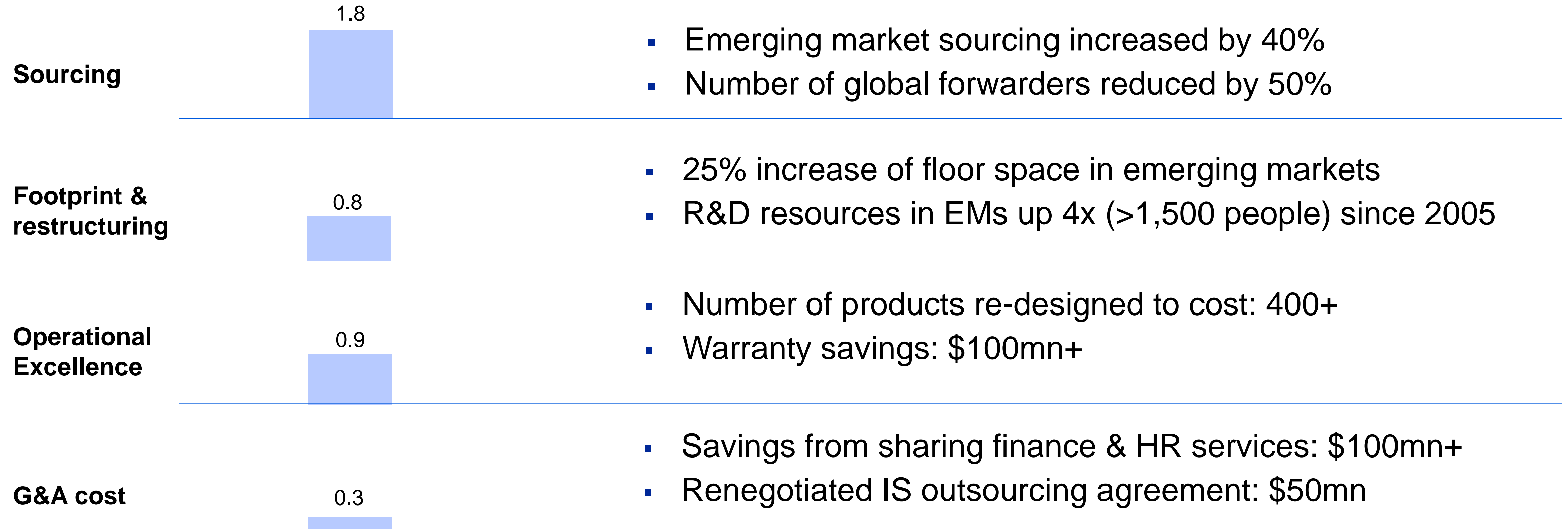


# Enhancing competitiveness through cost reduction

## >\$3.5bn savings starting in 2009

Annual impact vs. 2008 [\$ bn]

Examples of achievements since we started:





# Realignment of automation products businesses

**Peak Year - 2008**

<u>Revenues</u>	<u>EBITDA</u>
\$11bn	\$2.1bn

- Automation Products**
  - Breakers & Switches
  - Enclosures & Din-rail
  - Wiring Accessories
  - Control Products
  - LV Systems
  - LV Drives
  - PES and MV Drives
  - Motors & Generators
- Robotics**
  - Robotics



**Trailing 12 months to Sep 11**

<u>Revenues</u>	<u>EBITDA</u>
\$12bn	\$2.4bn

- LV Products**
  - Breakers & Switches
  - Enclosures & Din-rail
  - Wiring Accessories
  - Control Products
  - LV Systems
- Discrete Automation and Motion**
  - LV Drives
  - PES and MV Drives
  - Motors and Generators
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(1) Third party in local currency  
(2) Third party in local currency adjusted for Instrumentation and excluding Baldor





# Marketing & Customer Solutions created in 2009

## Strengthening a culture that is externally focused

### Marketing & Customer Solutions

#### ABB Technology Ventures

- Investing in early stage technologies of strategic interest to ABB
- 7 companies and 2VC fund investments since 2009

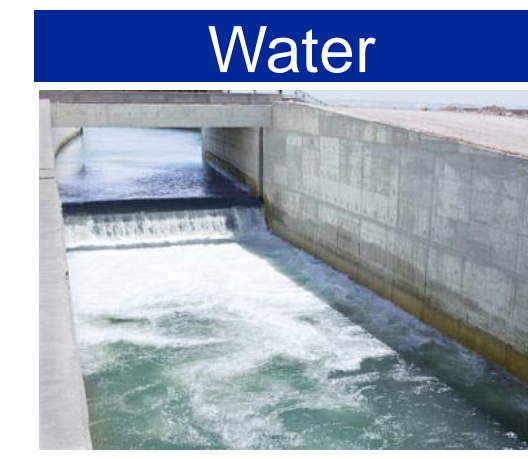
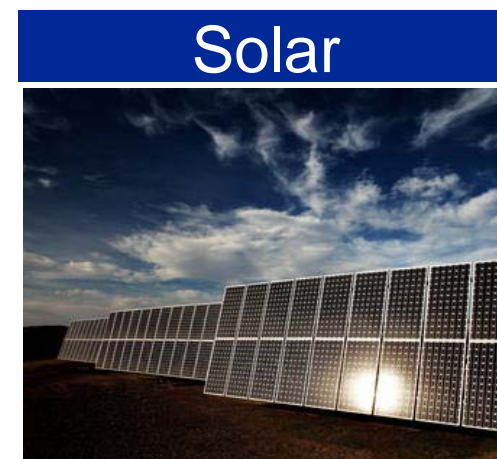


#### Group Account Management

- Drive sustainable growth for our customers and ABB
- Unified and responsive face to its customer



#### Industry Segment Initiatives



# Our acquisitions have performed well

## Baldor growing strongly, synergies starting to kick in



### Baldor's stand-alone performance 9m 2011<sup>1</sup> vs. last year

- 20% revenue growth, higher prices and volume
- Operational EBITDA up by >40%<sup>2</sup>
- Operational EBITDA margin at 20%<sup>3</sup>

### Synergy update

- Good progress in cross-selling NEMA/IEC motors and drives
- Upside from mechanical power transmission orders outside U.S.
- Sourcing and other cost savings in line with plan



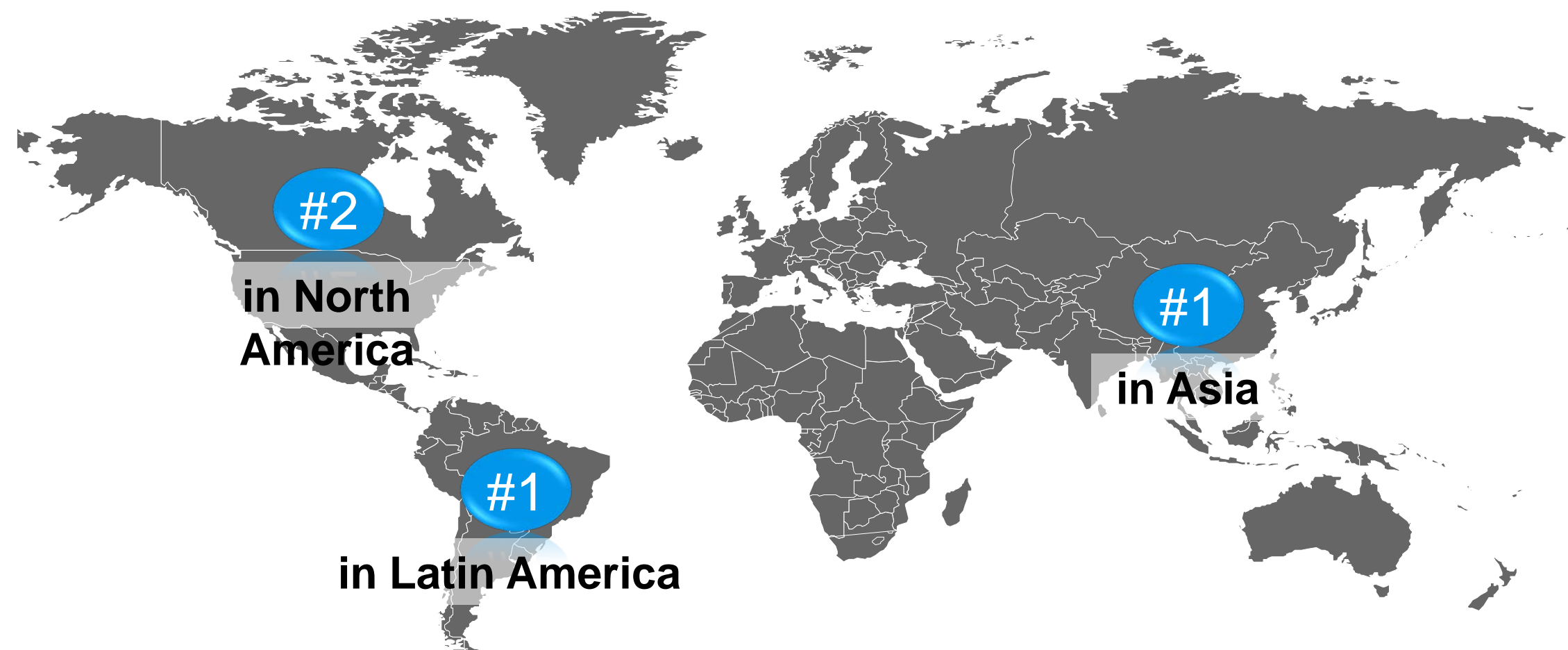
<sup>1</sup> Febr-Sept 2011 vs 2010. <sup>2</sup> Indicative; <sup>3</sup> Operating profit margin based on Baldor historical definition at 17.1% in YTD 2011 vs 14.2% in YTD 2010



# Ventyx and Mincom acquisitions create a new force

## The world's leading enterprise asset management platform

Market leader in major regions...



... and industries



#1 Mining & Metals



#1 Electric Power T&D



#1 Electric Power Generation

Enterprise Asset Management software is a \$1.9bn industry growing at 6% p.a.

Latin America: Mexico, Central America, South America









Asia: Japan, China Taiwan, South East Asia, Korea, Australia

North America: US and Canada

Source: ARC Advisory, EAM Solutions Worldwide Outlook 2011



# ABB accelerated bolt-on acquisitions in 2011

	Target	Key Products	What capability did this acquisition bring?
	<div>(1)</div> 	DC power infrastructure for data centers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Completes the ABB DC data center portfolio</li> <li>▪ Channels to market for the US data centers</li> <li>▪ Global product applications</li> </ul>
		Electric vehicle charging infrastructure solutions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ DC charger control platform and software</li> <li>▪ Software suite for charger infrastructure management</li> <li>▪ Robust maintenance service business model</li> </ul>
		Automated fiber and pulp analysis devices	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Increases pulp and paper expertise</li> <li>▪ Increases application process knowledge</li> <li>▪ Pull through of hardware and systems</li> </ul>
		Dry-type transformers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Extends ABB's portfolio in dry transformers</li> <li>▪ Widens end market exposure</li> <li>▪ Strengthens higher voltage dry technology</li> </ul>

(1) Controlling interest investment through ABB Technology Ventures



# Summary of Progress to Plan

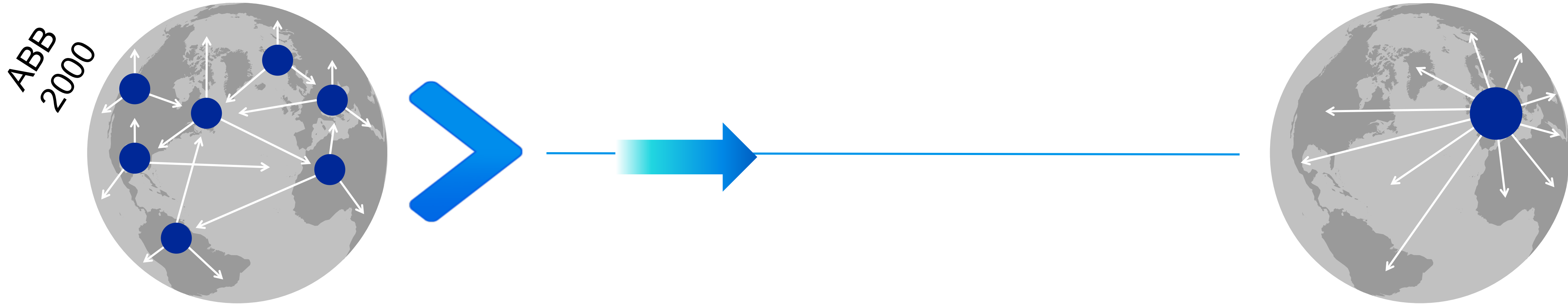
## We created a better balanced, increasingly market focused organization



- Outperformed peer set on most measures
- Implemented operational cost out actions resulting in significant savings
- Generated superior cash flow in the period
- Aligned organization for better growth and transparency
- Aggressive emerging markets growth resulting in better global balance
- Drove organic and inorganic growth

# ABB has evolved over the past decade

## From holding company to locally relevant globally optimized organization



### Highly decentralized conglomerate

#### Cons

- 1000s of P&Ls
- Little scale
- Poor coordination
- Little best practice sharing

#### Pros

- 1000s of P&Ls
- Local autonomy
- Speed to market
- Market segmentation

### Highly centralized organization

#### Pros

- One size fits all
- Leverage scale
- Process optimization
- Best practice sharing

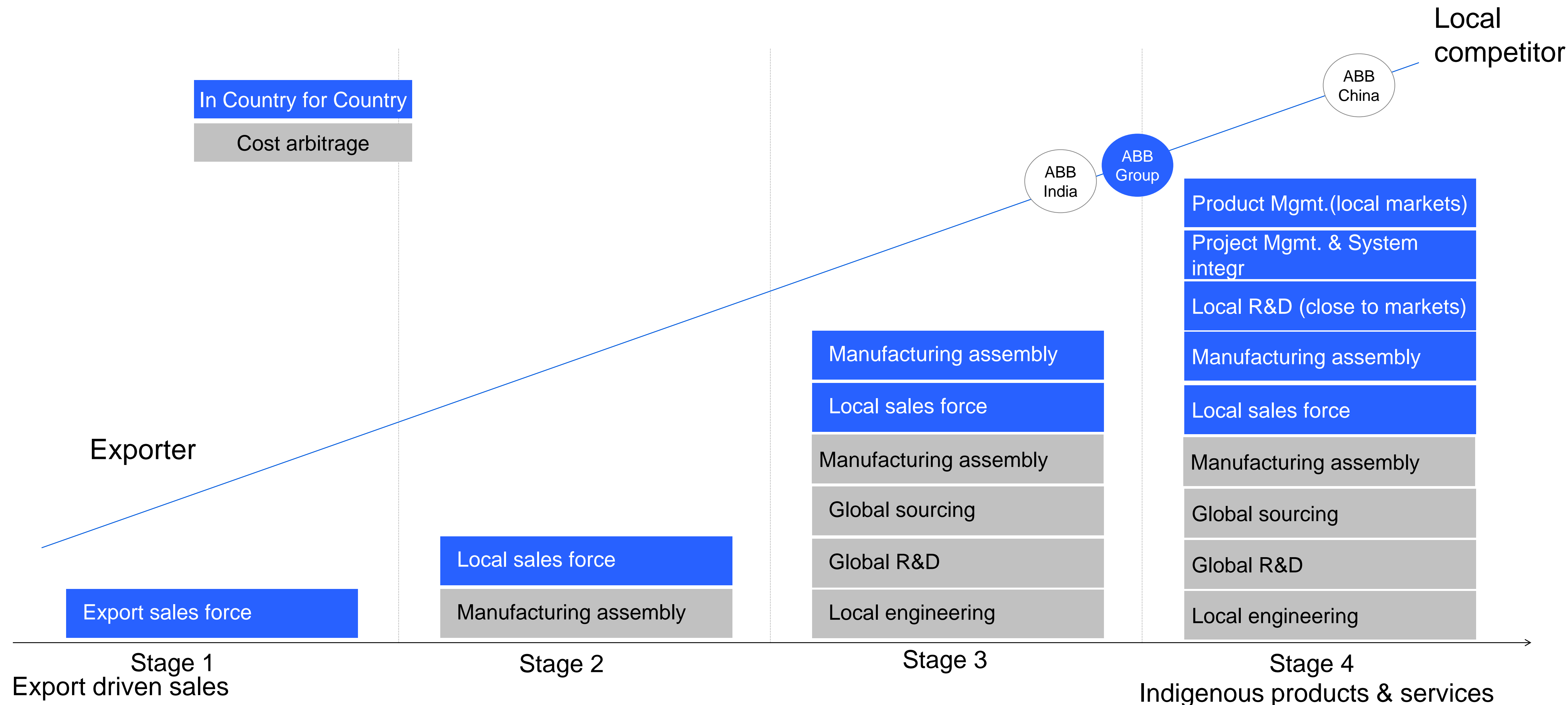
#### Cons

- Operational flexibility
- Corporate down view
- Slow to market
- Local market effectiveness



# The nature of global business is changing

## In Country for Country becoming a competitive advantage for ABB



# Five components of ABB strategic direction

## Strong execution and focus across these key strategic areas

**1**

**Drive competitiveness** and stay relevant in our current markets

**2**

**Capitalize on mega trends:** anticipate, participate and lead in key mega trends

**3**

**Aggressively expand core business** to secure next level of growth

**4**

**Disciplined M&A** across products, markets and geographies

**5**

Find and **exploit disruptive opportunities** in relevant markets



# 1

## Drive competitiveness Focus on a range of Group-wide programs

### Ambition

“To develop, produce, source and sell optimally to match market needs, profitably growing the business while increasing levels of productivity and quality”

### Focus areas

In country for country

Global footprint

Operational excellence

Supply chain management

Customer satisfaction

# 1

## Technology development Driving competitiveness begins with product development

### In country for country

Product competitiveness based on:

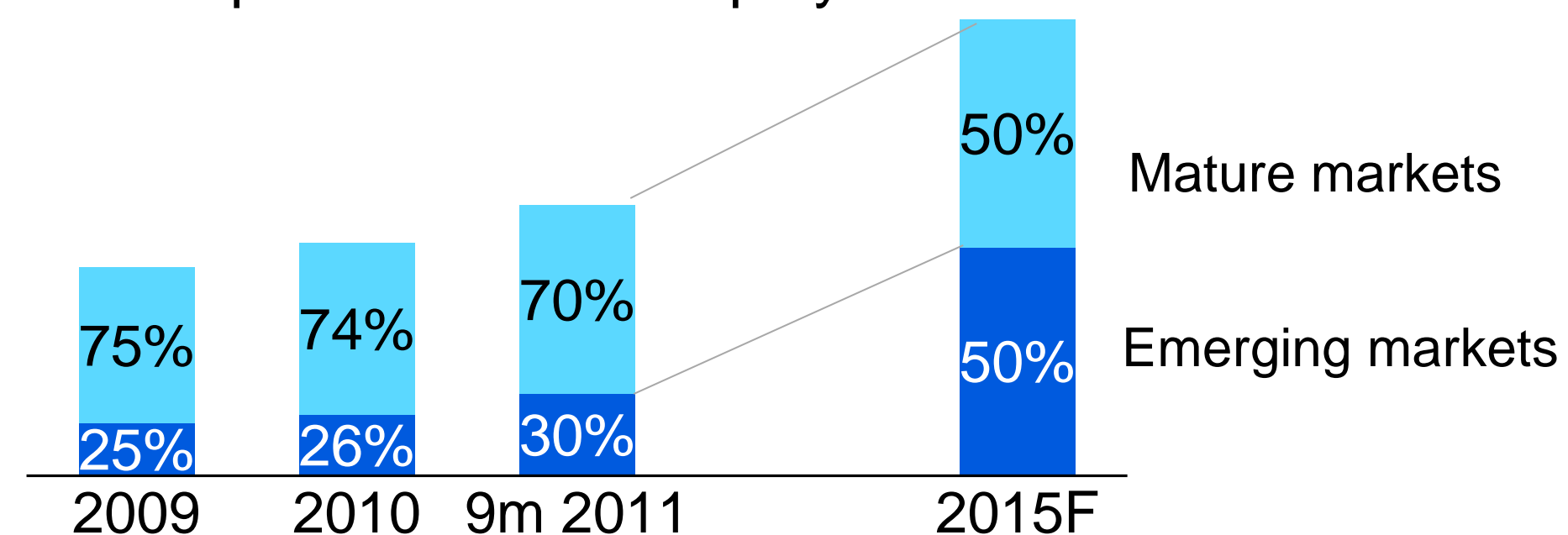
Local product requirements

Local competitiveness: cost and performance

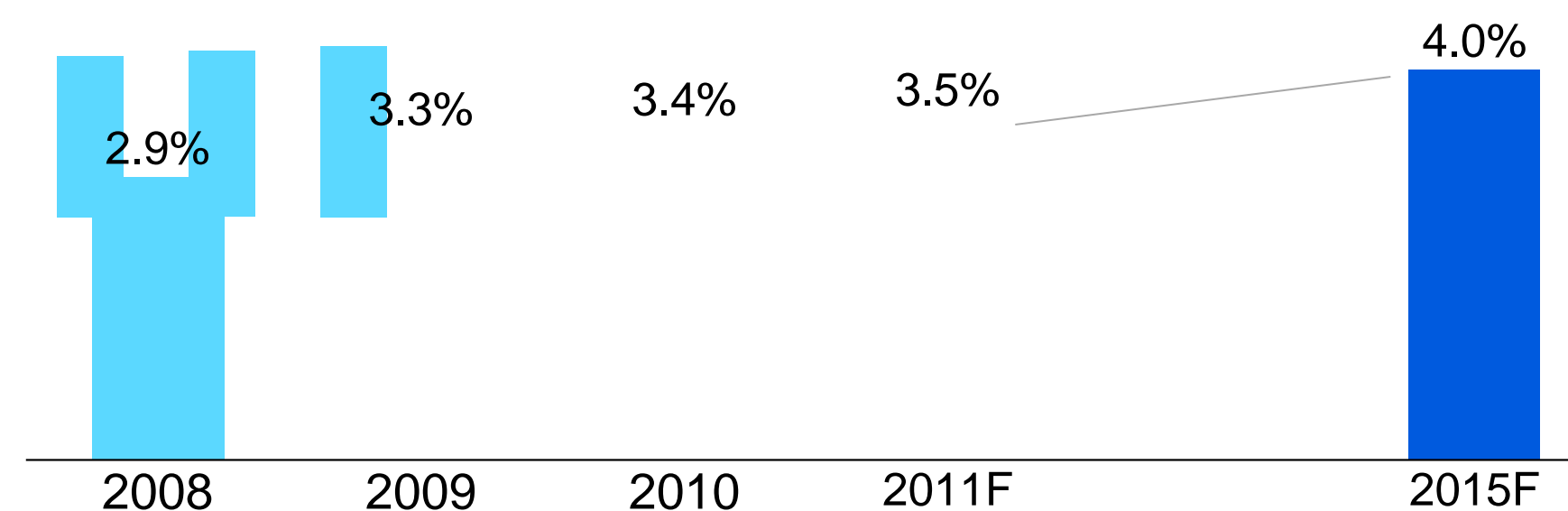
Innovation

Speed to market

Development of R&D employees



Annual R&D spend as % of sales



Moving closer to customers and markets allows ABB to move at local speeds and develop products for local markets



# 1

## Balancing global footprint Three trading zones perspective

### Americas

- Strengthen local footprint
- Capture cost advantages
- Deeper market penetration
- Indigenous engineering

### Europe

- Focus on growth industries
- Capture cost advantages
- Deeper market penetration

### Asia and MEA

- Expand local manufacturing
- Indigenous engineering
- Increase self-sufficiency within zone
- Deeper market penetration

# 1

## Drive the next level of supply chain excellence Reducing costs while improving quality

### Strategy:

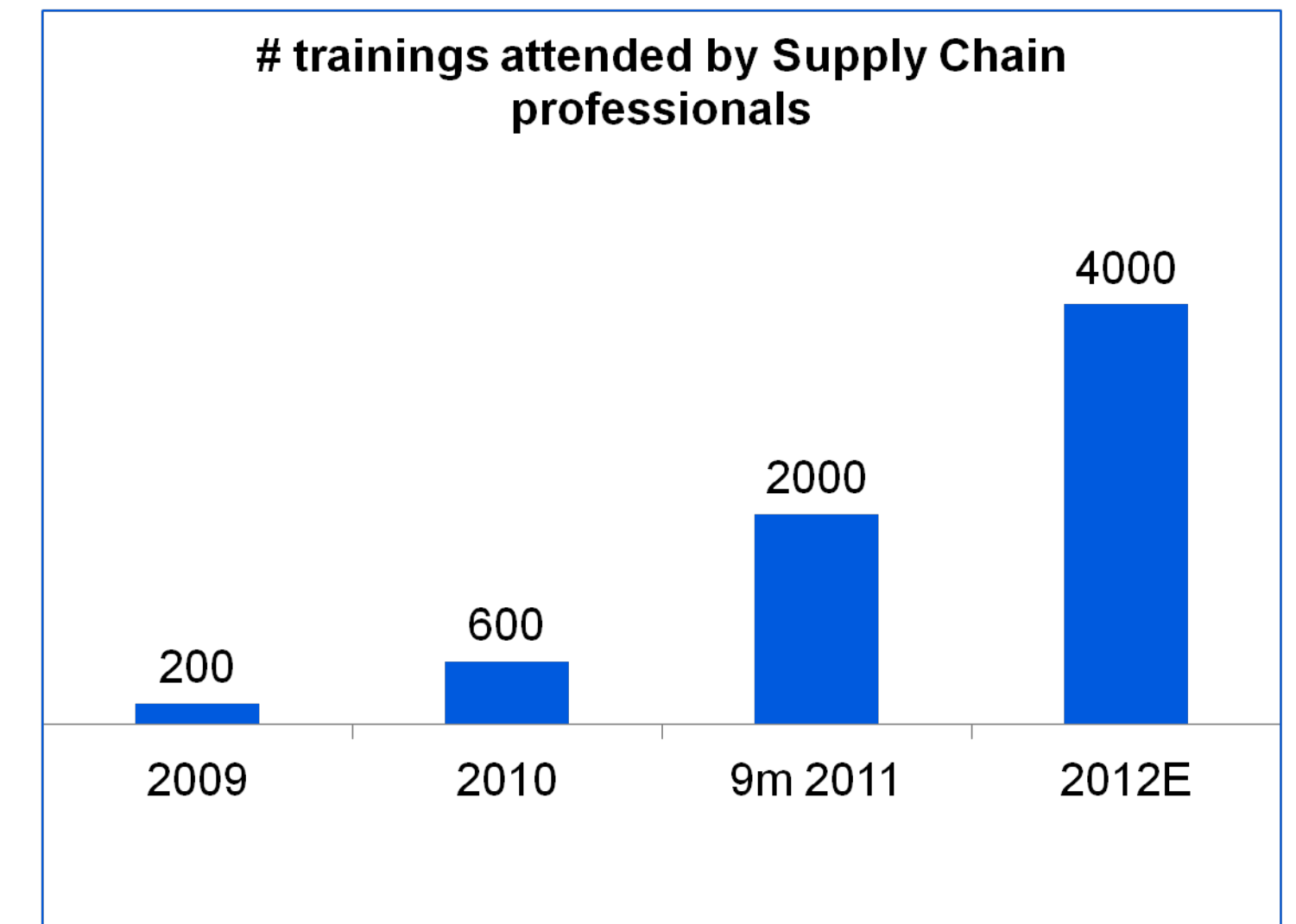
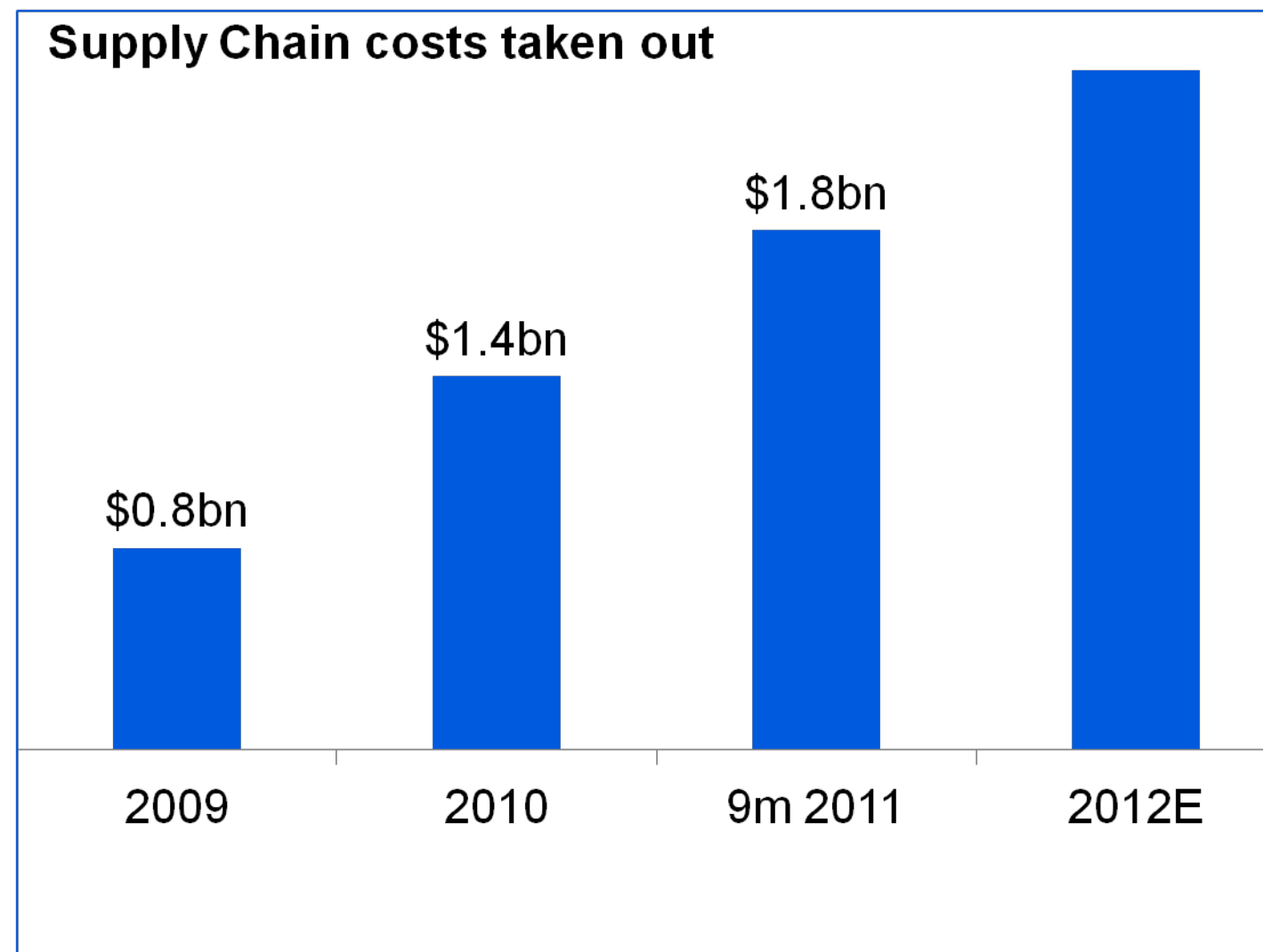
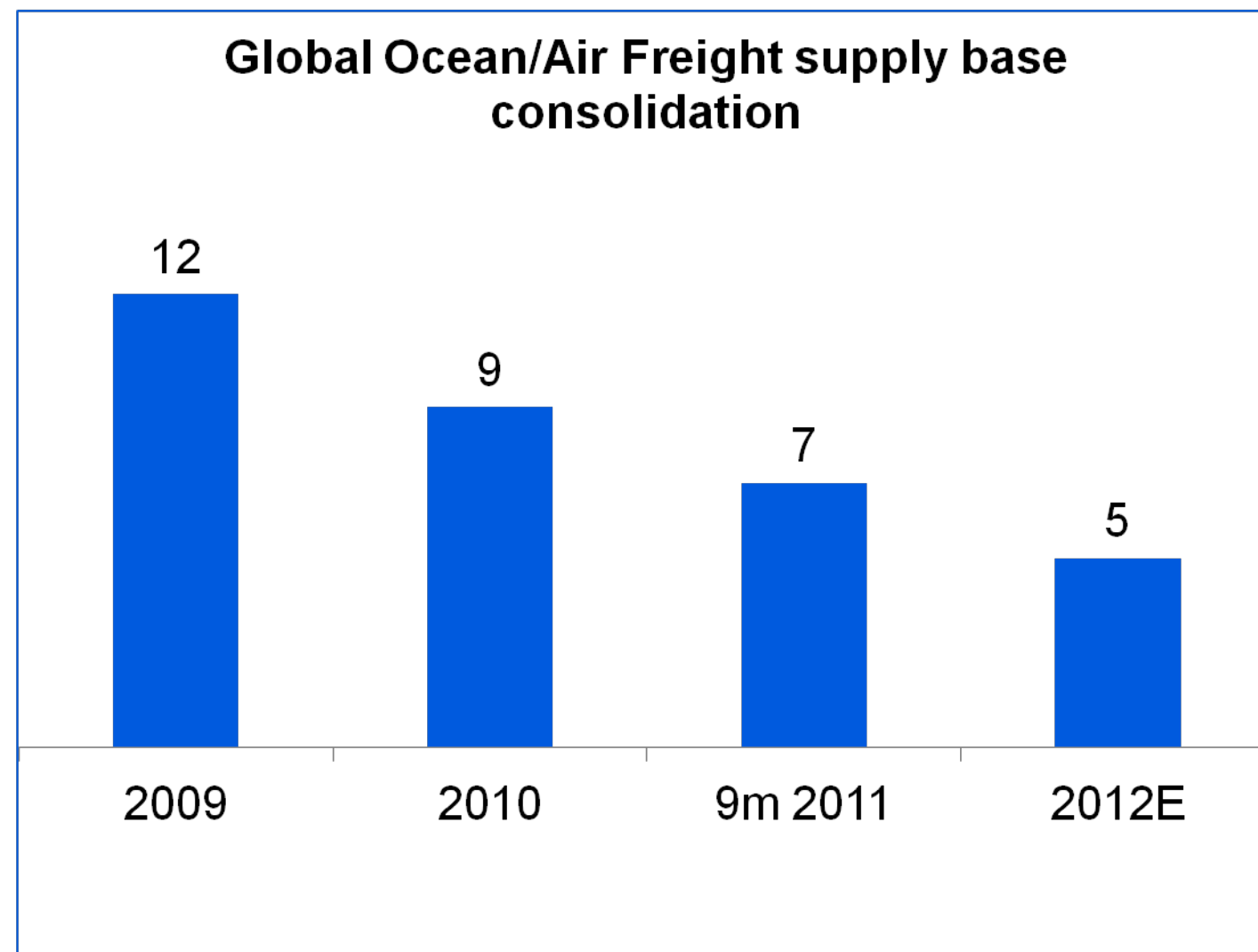
- “Glocalized” strategic commodity management
- Maximum efficiency in logistics

### Processes & systems:

- Proactive risk management
- Improved quality and sustainability processes
- Standard IS for performance management

### People:

- Training & certification of professionals
- Organizational structure to support objectives
- Emphasize strategic vs transactional approach
- Supply base collaboration

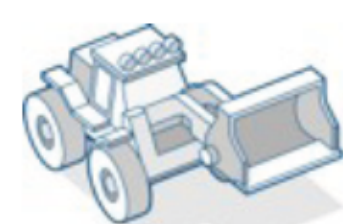




# 2

## Capitalizing on mega trends Global megatrends will override short-term volatility

### Mega-trends relevant for ABB long term growth



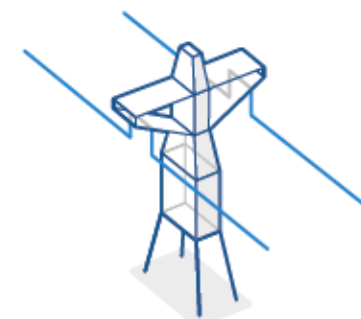
Resource Economics



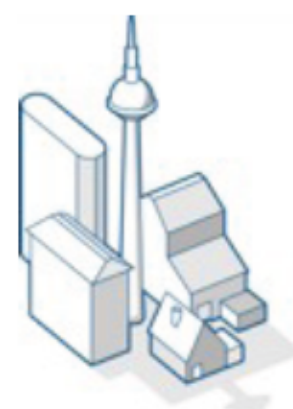
Transportation mobility  
(people, goods)



Green



Electrification



Urbanization



Digital information



Emerging economies  
and power shift

### How will we capitalize on these trends?

**Deep understanding of markets**

**Penetration of key geographic areas**

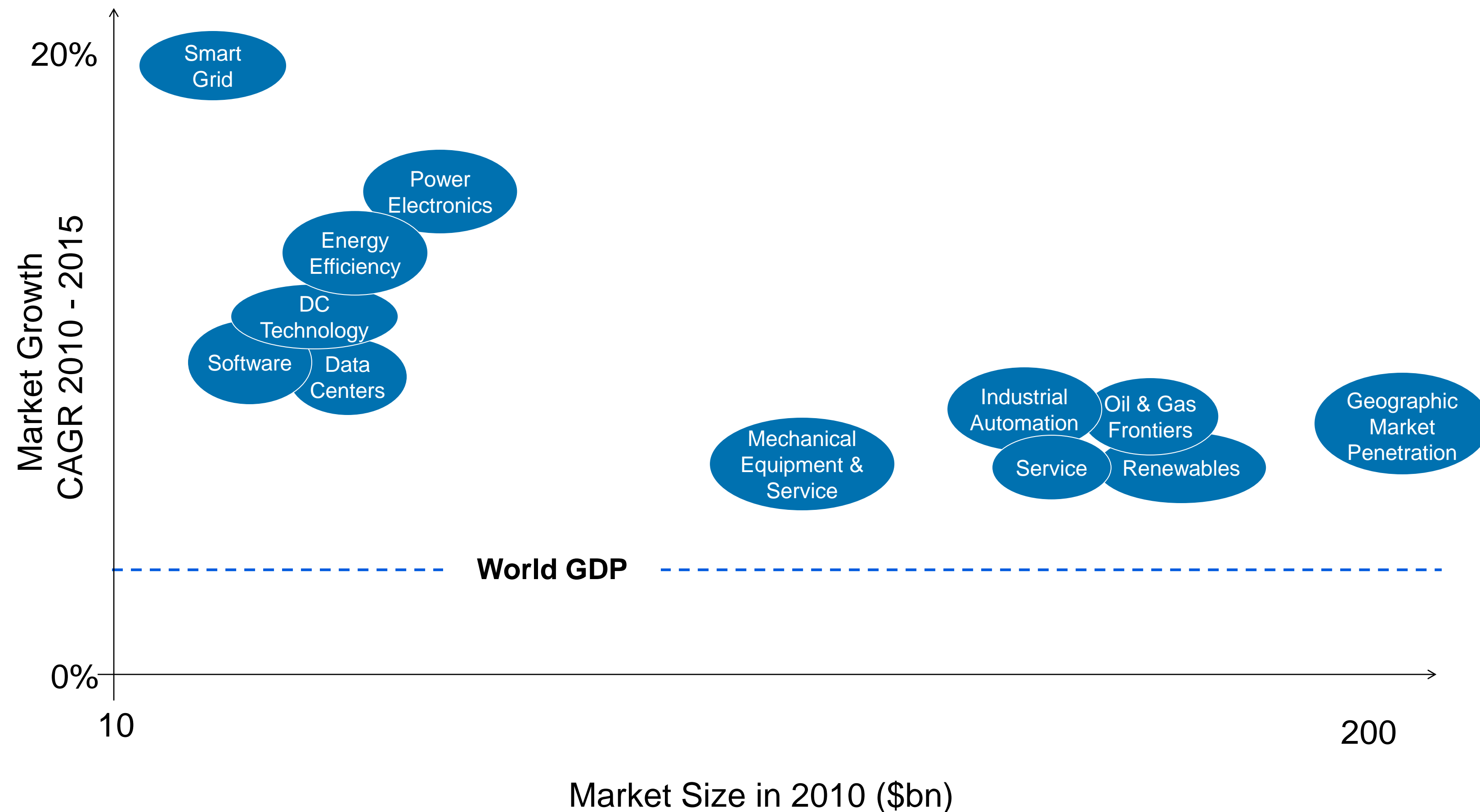
**Execution around markets and trends**

**Continued investment in R&D**

**Strong sales / distribution**

# Building on ABB strength in strategic growth areas

## Focus on industries growing faster than world GDP



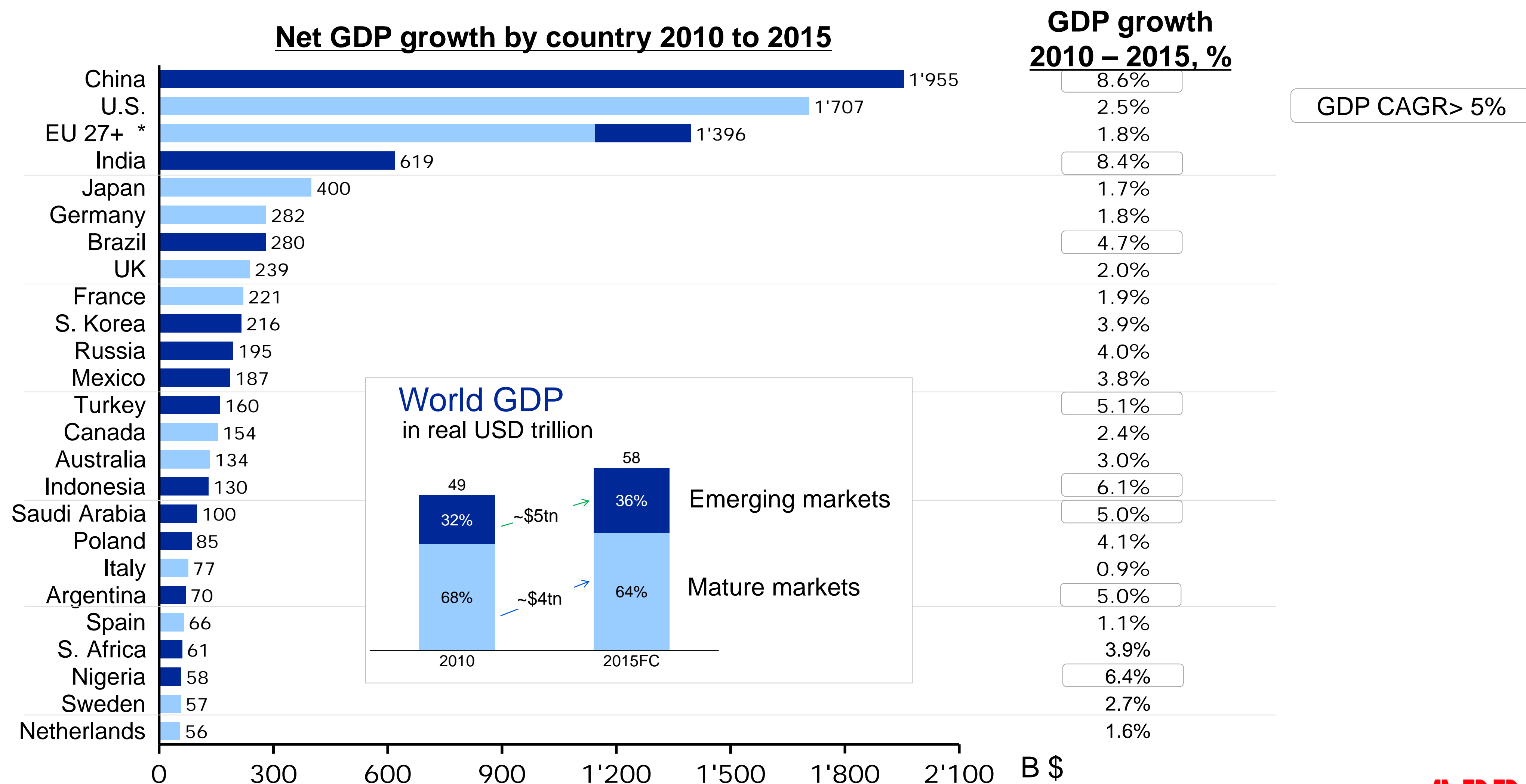
### 12 priority growth areas

- Geographic Market Penetration
- Renewables
- Smart Grid
- Oil & Gas Frontiers
- Data Centers
- Service
- Energy efficiency
- Software
- Leader in industrial automation
- Mechanical equipment & service
- Power electronics
- DC technology and applications



# Focus on emerging and mature markets with high growth

## Traditional mature markets still with significant opportunity



## Aggressively expand core business to secure next level of growth

- Grow service and software contribution from 16% to ~ 25% of revenues
- Lead in grid expansion through HVDC and FACTS
- Exploit energy savings opportunities in services, systems and products
- Aggressively pursue vertical markets & services opportunities
- Cultivate product opportunities: solar inverters, DCS for power generation, general purpose MV drives, discrete automation...

Leverage existing market position, technology and relationships for growth



# 3

## Modernizing our software business model Transitioning from OT to IT

### Ventyx and Mincom

#### Information technology

Plan-Construct-Service-Maintain

#### Plant operations

Plant / system  
maintenance

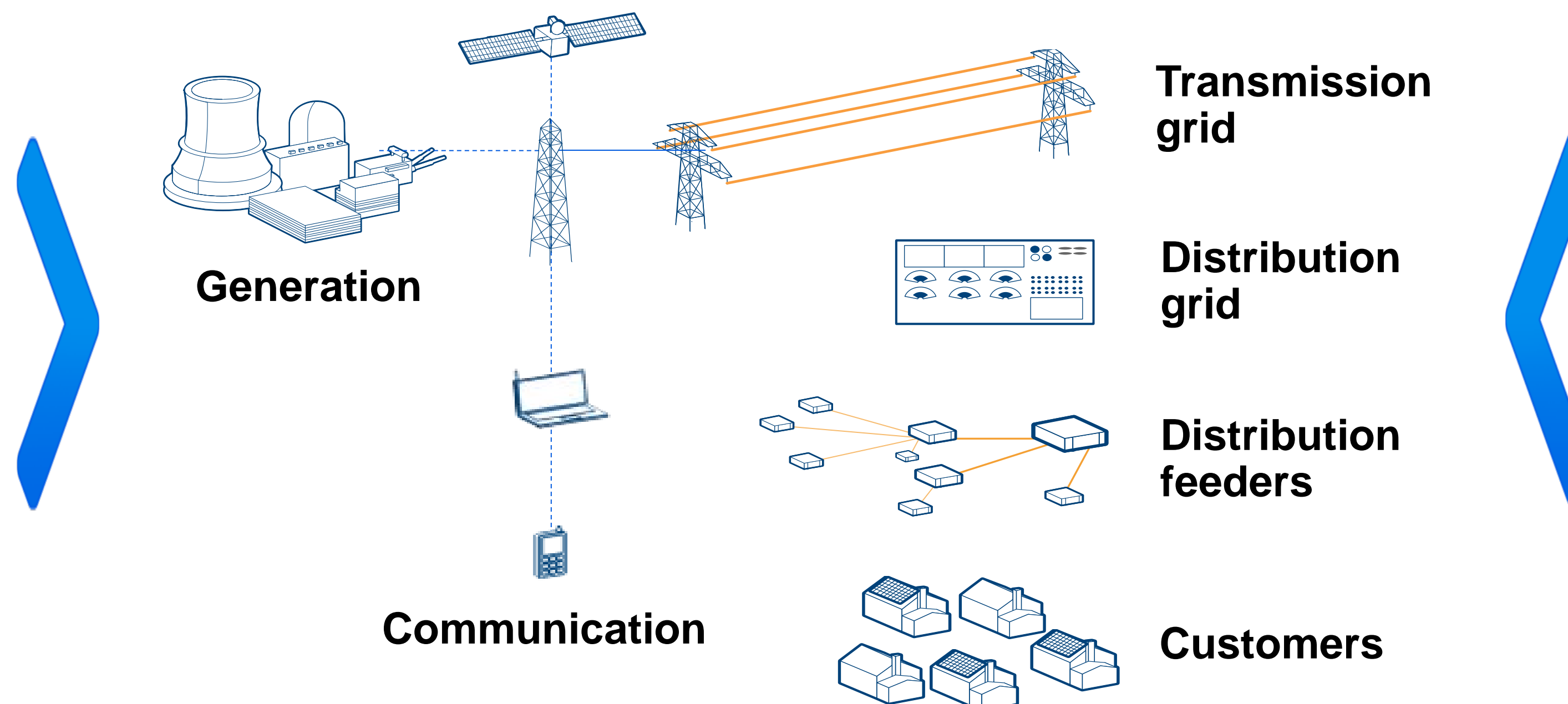
Design  
engineering

Mobile workforce

Customer  
service

### Energy management infrastructure

Generation – Transmission - Distribution



### Historical ABB

#### Operations technology

Operate assets-real-time-event driven

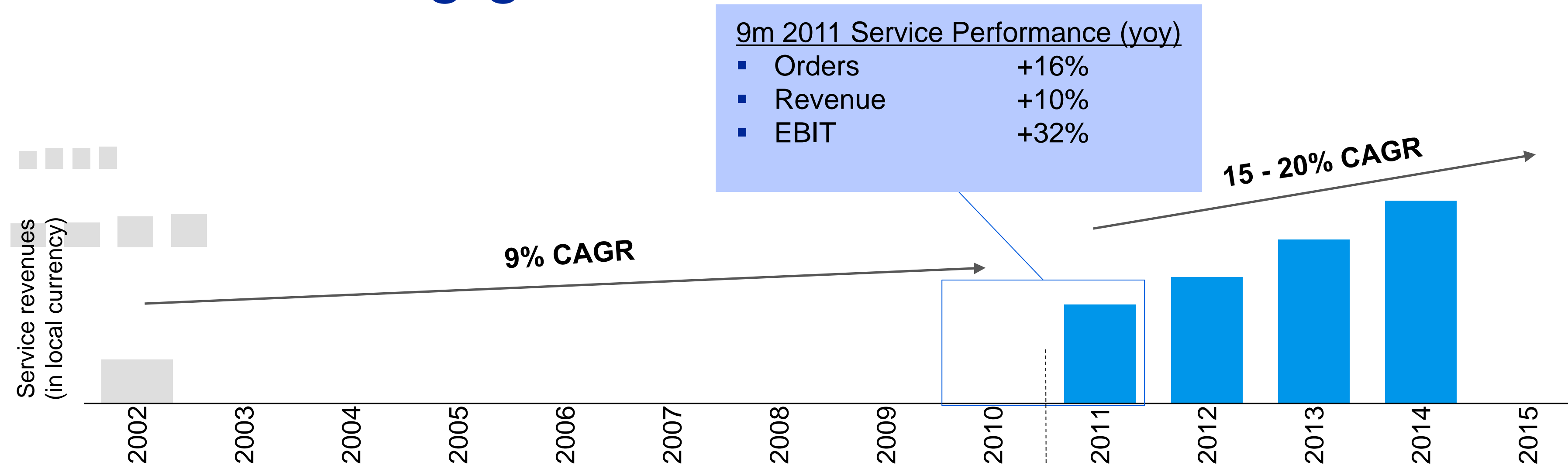
Transmission  
grid operations

Distribution grid  
operations /  
Outage management

Generation  
operations

- ABB mix is changing towards more IT/OT
- Business model for OT is evolving towards IT
- OT installed base becomes a highly valuable driver for profit

# Accelerating growth in services



## Historical service performance

- Strong ABB installed base to build on
- Several best practices across ABB (e.g. Turbo, LVD)
- Above average profitability
- Key driver to improve customer satisfaction
- Inconsistent “Go to market approach”
- Fragmented service offering portfolio

## Focus going forward

- Fully capitalize installed base potential
- Industrialized service offering portfolio
- Aligned One ABB `Go-to-market` approach
- Leverage M&A to accelerate growth
- Clear accountability and ownership
- Investment in people

**ABB to grow service revenues to 20-25% by 2015**



# Disciplined M&A to help close gap areas

## Acquisitions to act as accelerator in priority gap areas

### Geography

- NEMA motors in US
- India, USA low voltage
- US ANSI, NEMA Markets
- South East Asia Penetration
- China, relays, MV drives

### Product and Services

- PLC's, solar Inverters
- Industrial software
- High service products
- Electro mechanicals
- Flow valves, measurements

### Markets

- Oil & gas, e.g. subsea
- Smart grids
- Renewables, e-mobility
- Data centers
- Wind, water and rail
- Smart building controls



# We systematically look for technology and business model disruptions to position ABB for market leadership

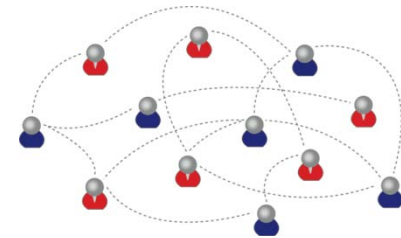


## Top technologies of the decade

#1 Smart Phone



#2 Social Networking



#3 Voice Over IP



#4 LED lighting



## # 9 ABB's Pioneer Technology - FACTS



An enabler for a “smarter grid”

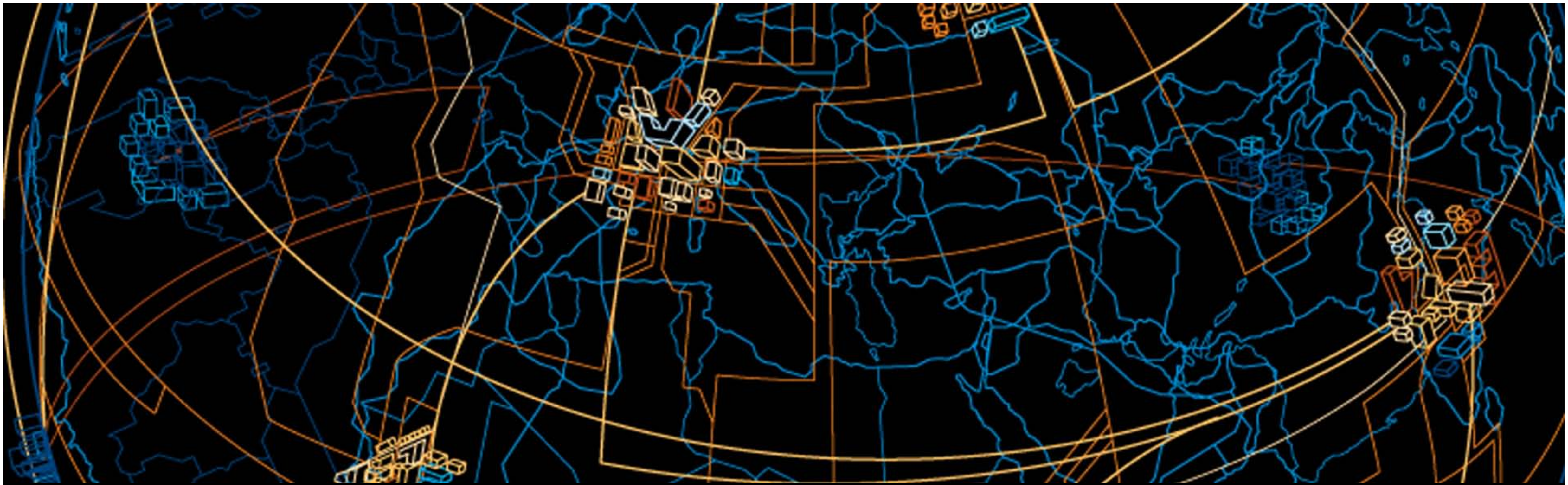
- Increase transmission capacity – up to 50%
- Improve system stability/reliability
- Improve power quality



ABB Position:

- Pioneer and technology leader
- World's leading supplier
- Delivered >50% of world total installations





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## Michel Demaré, CFO



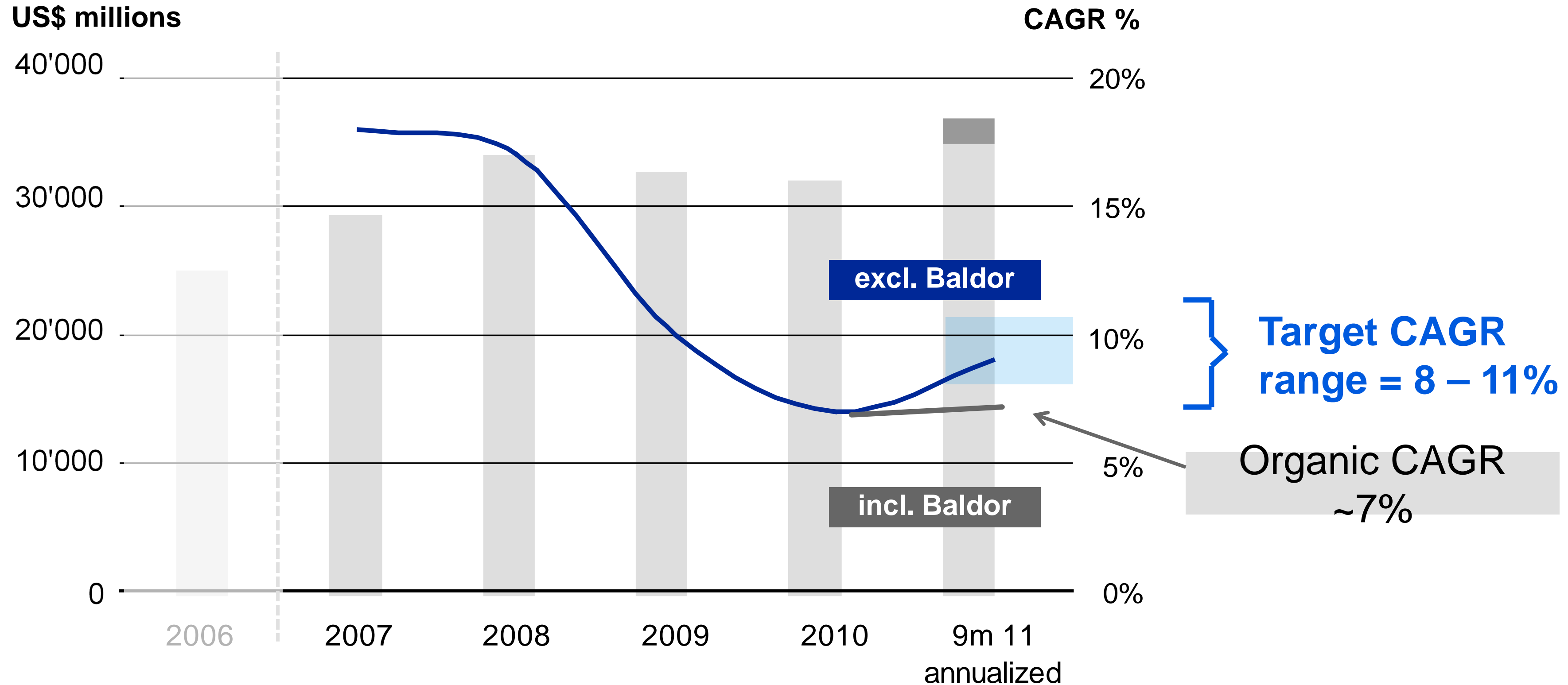
# Performance against our 2007 – 2011 targets

## Revenues: Close despite historic downturn

### Revenues and revenue CAGR 2007 – 2011<sup>1</sup>

% change year-on-year in local currencies excl. Baldor

Revenues  
US\$ millions

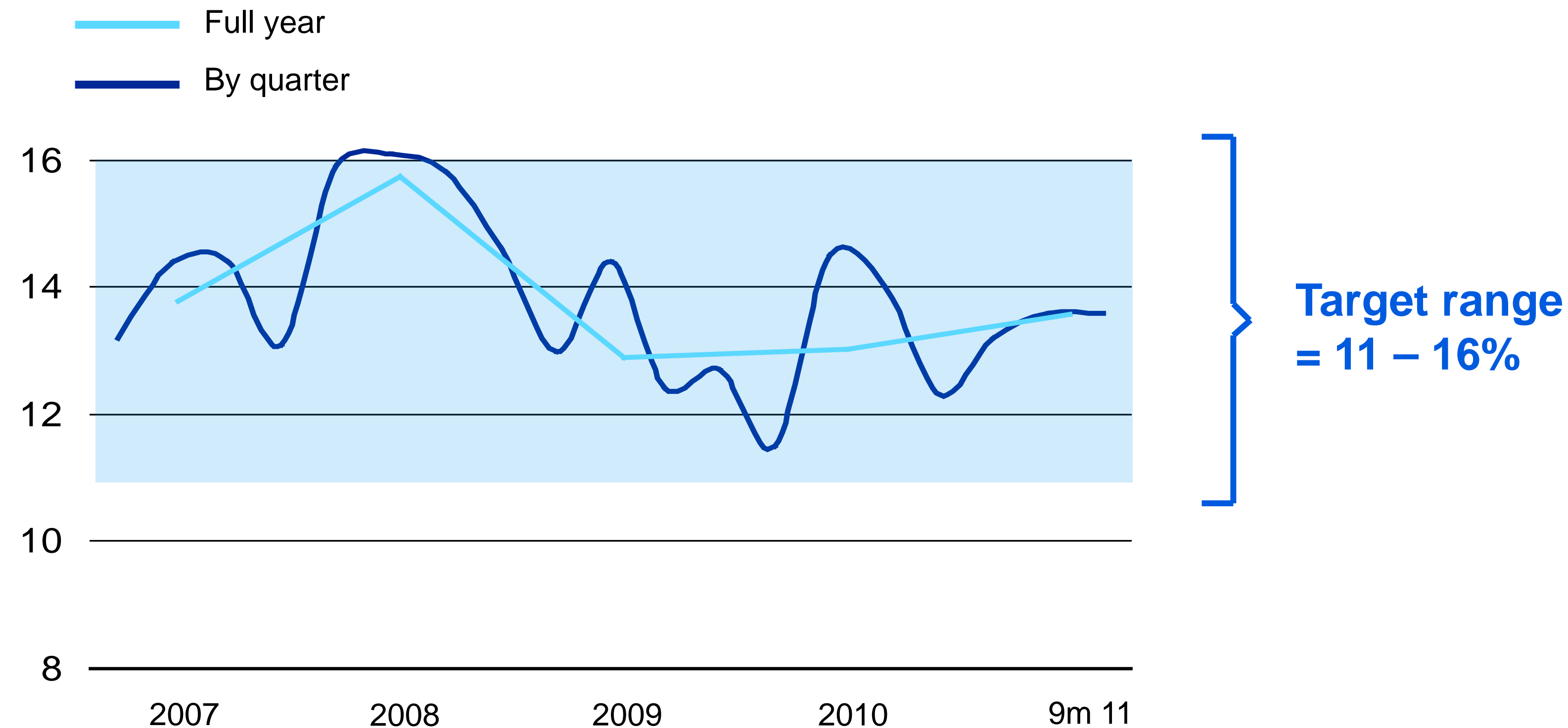


<sup>1</sup> 2011 annualized using 9-months to Sept 2011

# Performance against our 2007 – 2011 targets

## EBIT margin: Within or above the range every quarter over the cycle

**EBIT margin<sup>1</sup> full year and by quarter 2007 – 9 months 2011**  
% revenues



- Reliable earnings delivery
- High-margin business units maintained solid performance
- Fast and effective cost take-out
- Successful crisis management

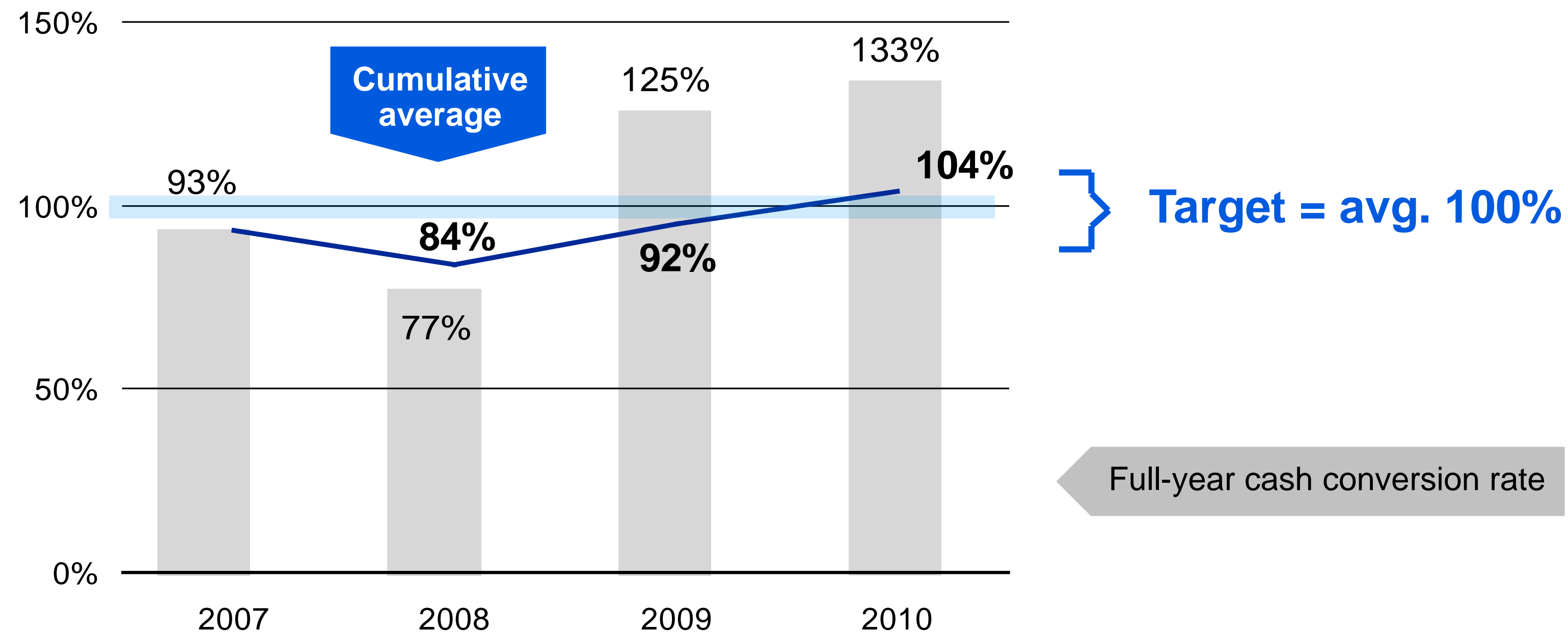
<sup>1</sup> 2007-08 EBIT adj. for transformer restructuring; 2008-10 adj. for cost take-out restructuring program; 2008-09 adjusted for compliance and other provisions; 2009-11 = operational EBIT -- See Appendix for definitions of non-GAAP measures



# Performance against our 2007 – 2011 targets

## Cash flow conversion: Excellent quality of earnings

**Cash conversion and cumulative average 2007 – 2010**  
FCF as % net income<sup>1</sup>

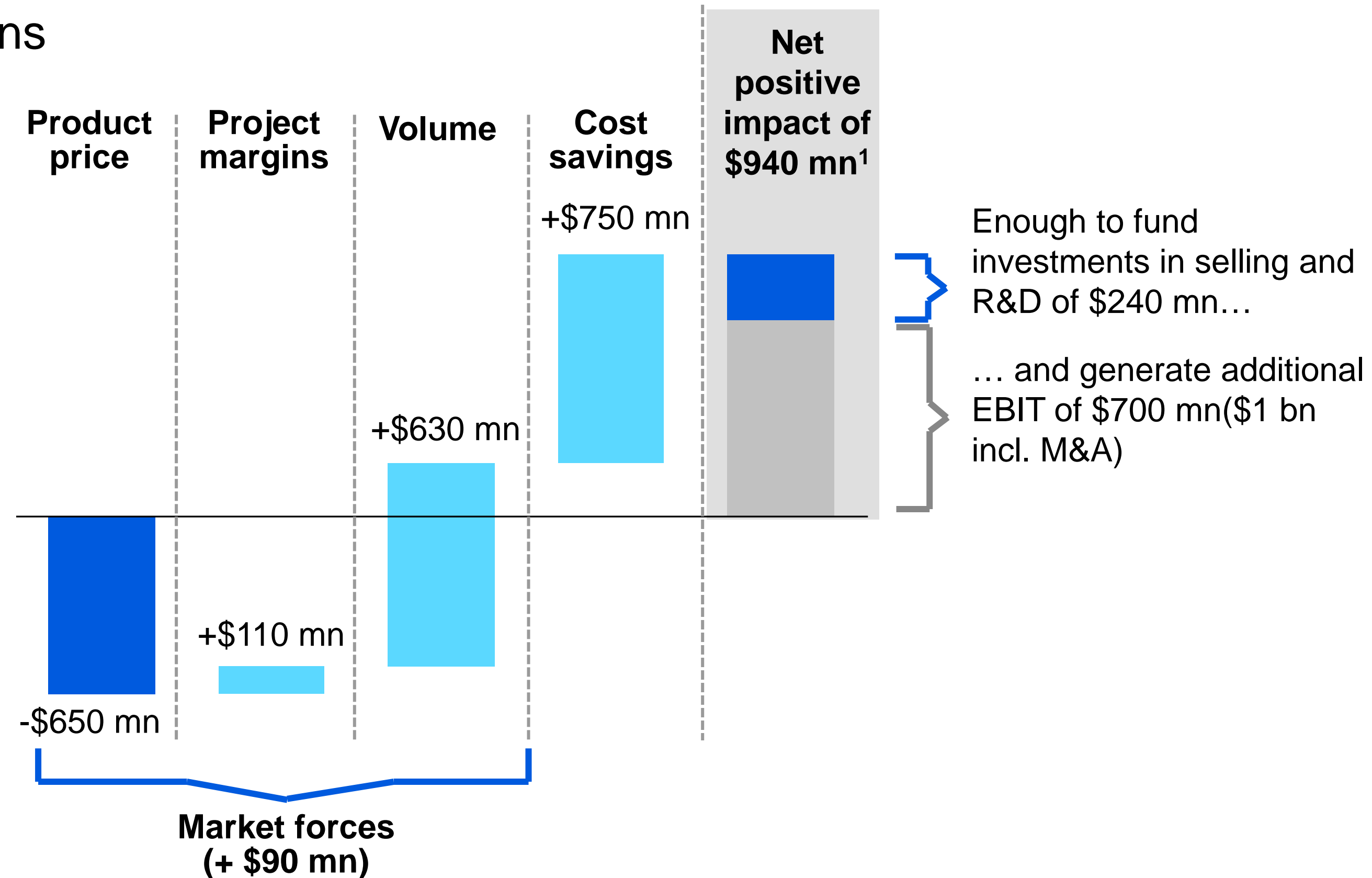


1 2007 excl. gain on sale of ABB Lummus and on valuation allowance on DTA on net income; 2008 and 2009 excl. impact of compliance provisions on net income

# Current environment: We are prepared Growth AND cost is now part of ABB's DNA

## EBITDA impacts 9-months 2011

US\$ millions



1 Incl. forex, mix and commodity impacts

~\$1 bn cost savings expected in 2012

# Overview of new targets 2011 – 2015

## Group targets – Organic<sup>1</sup>

		Potential M&A impact
Revenue growth (CAGR <sup>2</sup> )	7 – 10%	+3 – 4 percentage points
Operational EBITDA margin corridor	13 – 19%	In line with corridor
EPS growth (CAGR)	10 – 15%	+3 percentage points
Free cash flow conversion	Annual average >90%	Same conversion rate
Cash flow return on invested capital	>20% by 2015	Depends on acquisition timing, steady over the long term

<sup>1</sup> incl acquisitions closed as of end-Oct. 2011; <sup>2</sup> Compound annual growth rate, base year 2010



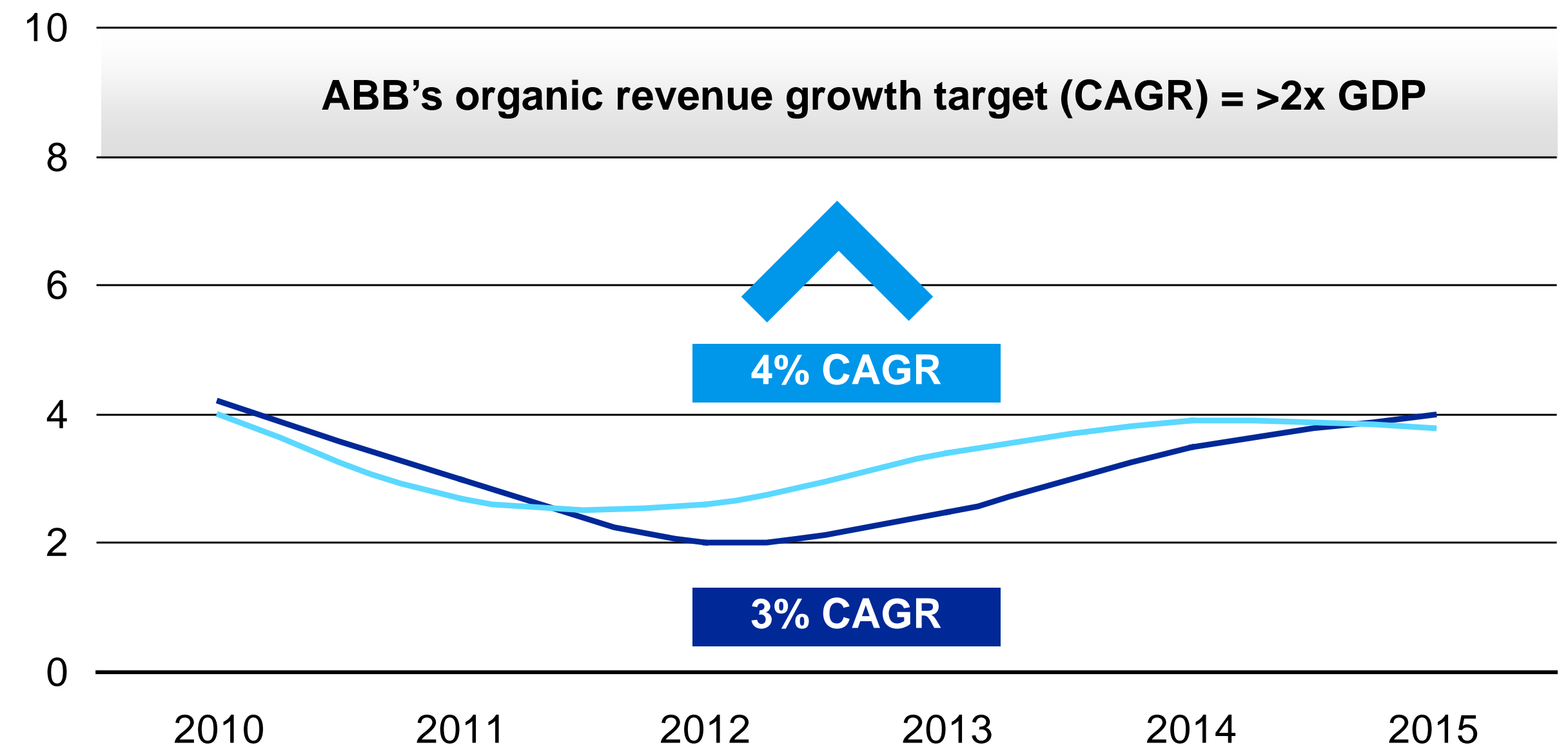
# 2011 – 2015 plan assumptions

## We expect to outgrow global GDP by more than 2x

- Assumptions based on a slowdown in next 18 months, not a deep recession
- World GDP to grow 3 – 4%<sup>1</sup> p.a., emerging market (EM) growth >2x developed markets
- Global industrial capex to grow 5 – 6% p.a., EM capex share growing to 65% from <60%
- ABB's markets assumed to grow 6% CAGR over the period

### World GDP growth assumptions<sup>2</sup>

Real GDP growth %



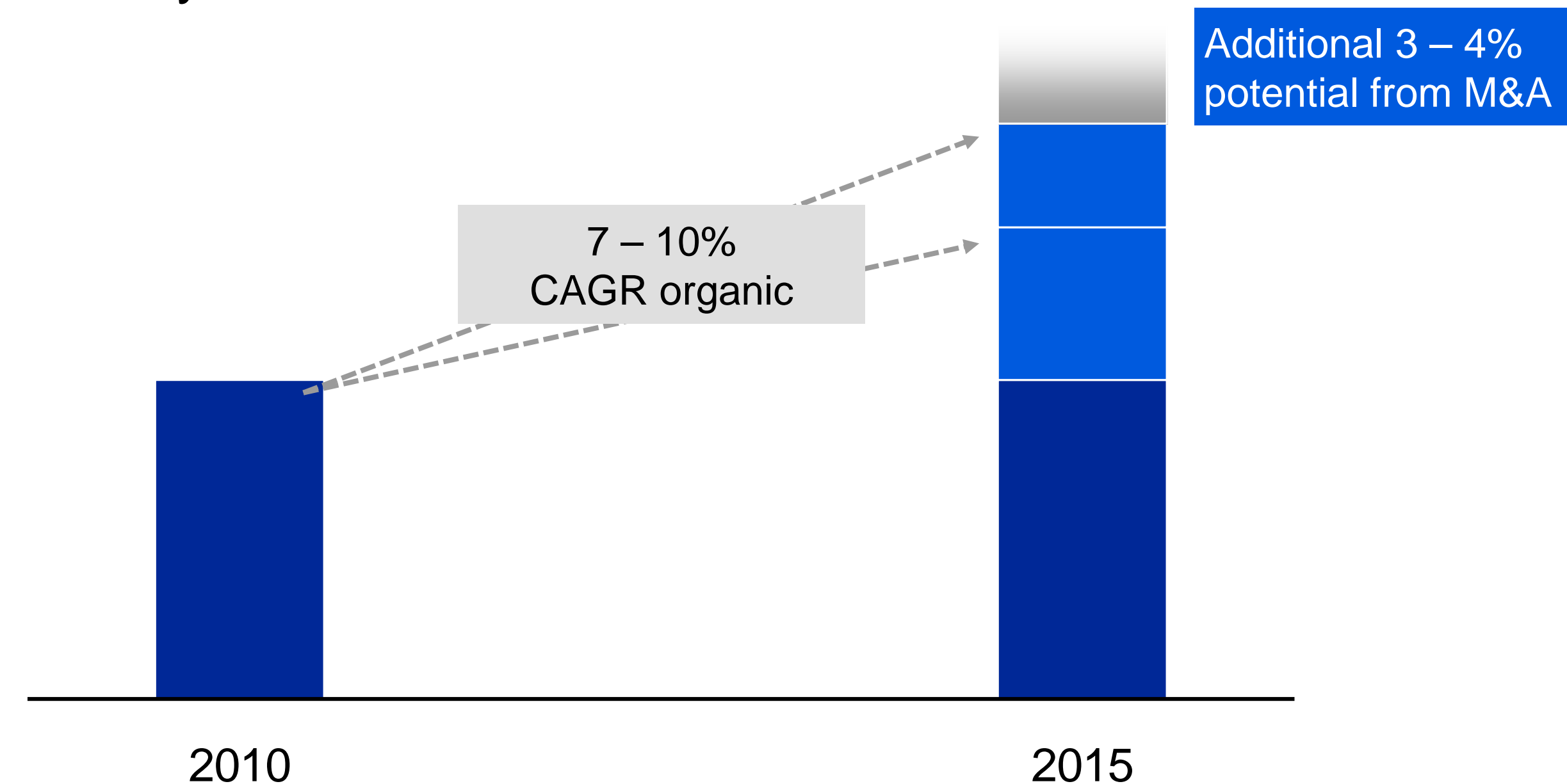
<sup>1</sup> Compound annual growth rate, base year 2010; <sup>2</sup> Source: Global Insight

# Group Target

## Organic revenue growth 7% to 10% a year CAGR

### Revenue growth CAGR<sup>1</sup> 2011 – 2015

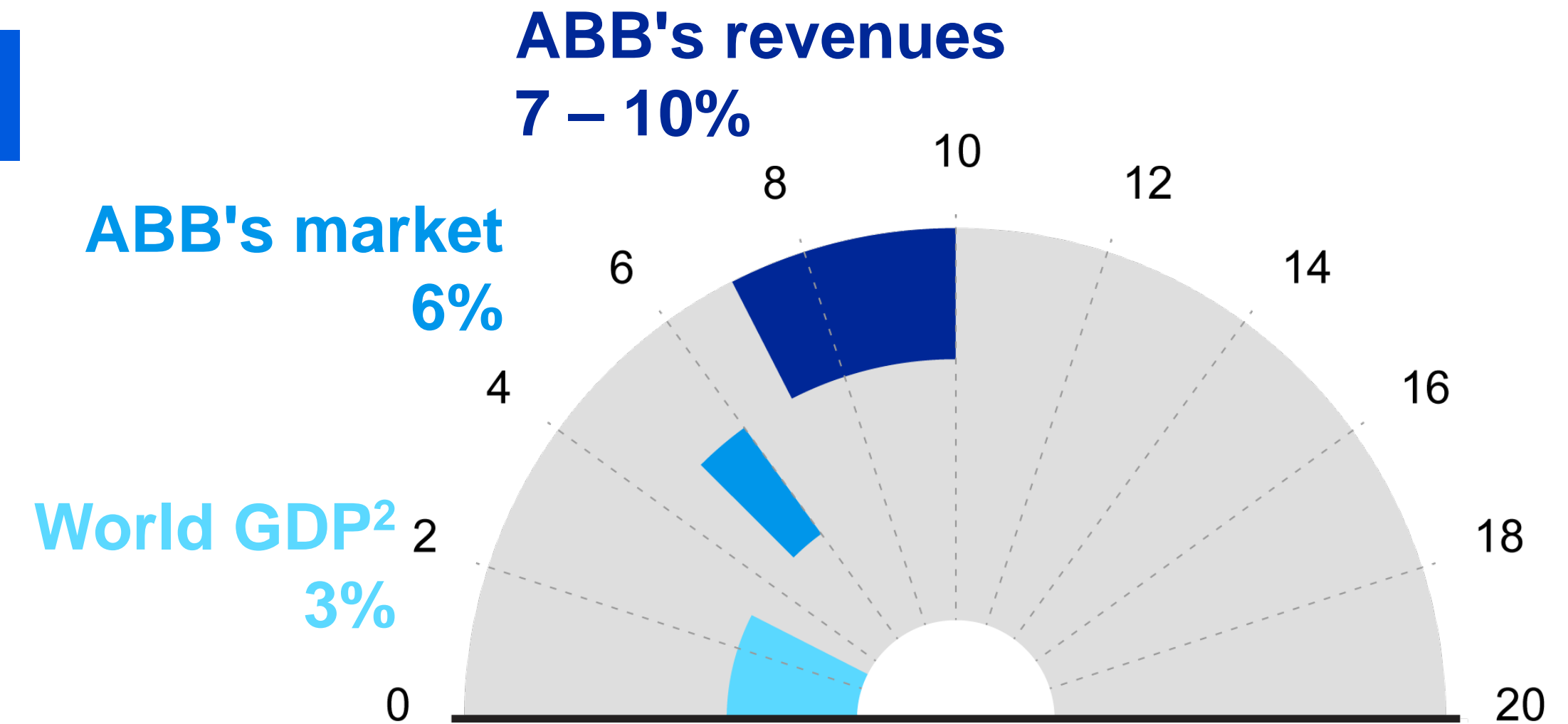
Base year = 2010



- Baldor, Ventyx and Mincom account for ~1.5% of 7 – 10% organic growth – they’re in the portfolio today
- “Pure” organic growth is 5.5% to 8.5% CAGR

<sup>1</sup> Compound annual growth rate, base year 2010

### Base scenario



- Emerging market strategy: “In country, for country”
- Mature economies focus: gain shares in local markets
- Further focus on energy efficiency, grids, renewables
- Service and software growth in high teens, to reach >20% total sales

<sup>2</sup> Source: Global Insight

# Group Target

## Operational EBITDA margin corridor 13% to 19%

### Drivers

### Supportive

- Growth in service and software expected to lift Group margins from current levels
- Value-based pricing, packaged solutions
- Cost savings to protect gross margins – primarily sourcing, operational excellence and footprint
- Steady G&A to absorb more volume

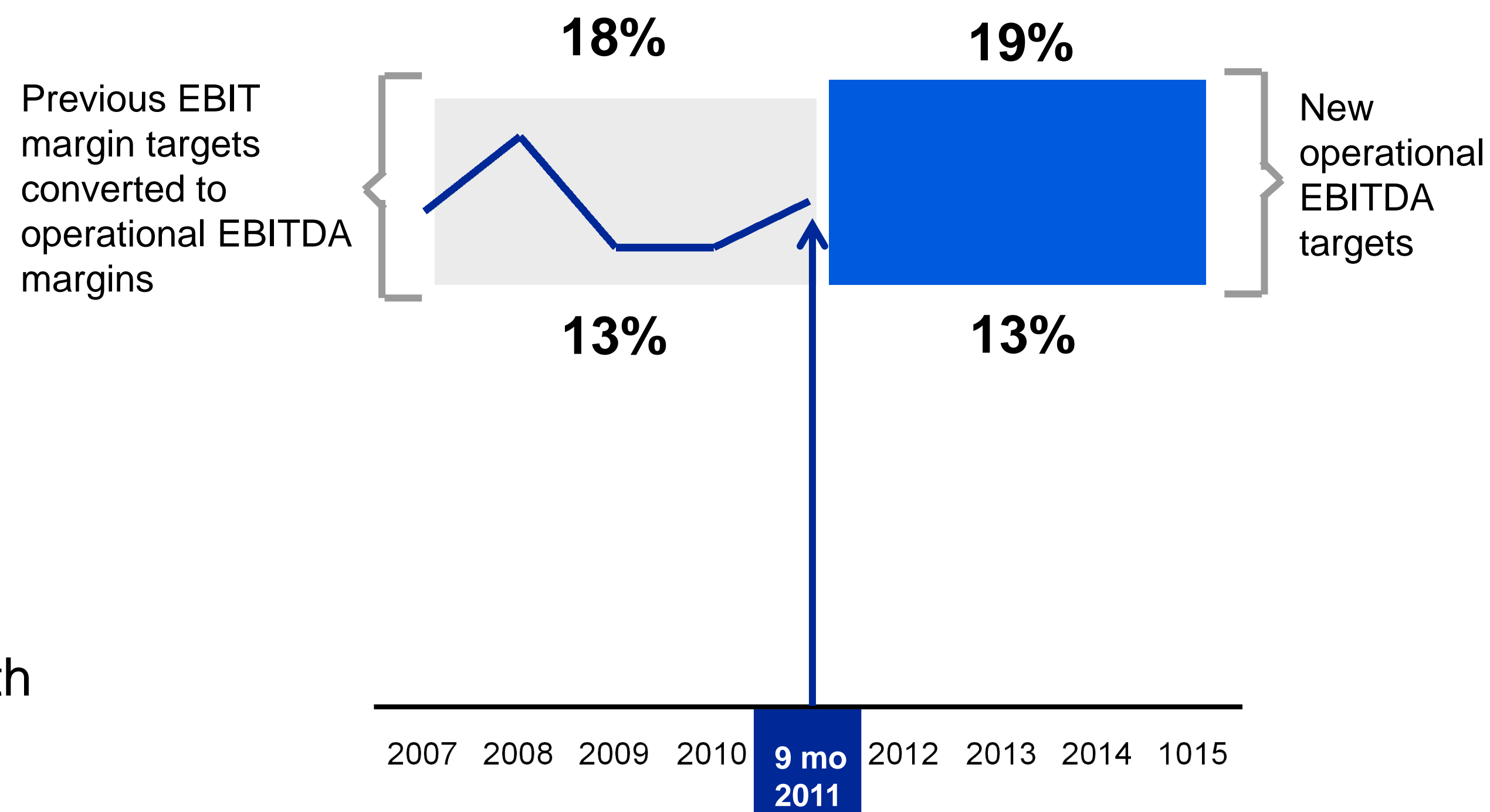
### Dilutive

- Continuous price pressure – emerging competitors, overcapacity in some segments
- Investments into R&D and selling to accelerate top line growth

**Potential M&A initiatives expected to deliver EBITDA margins within the target range**

### Operational EBITDA margins<sup>1</sup> and targets 2005 – 2015

% operational revenues



<sup>1</sup> See Appendix for reconciliation of non-GAAP measures

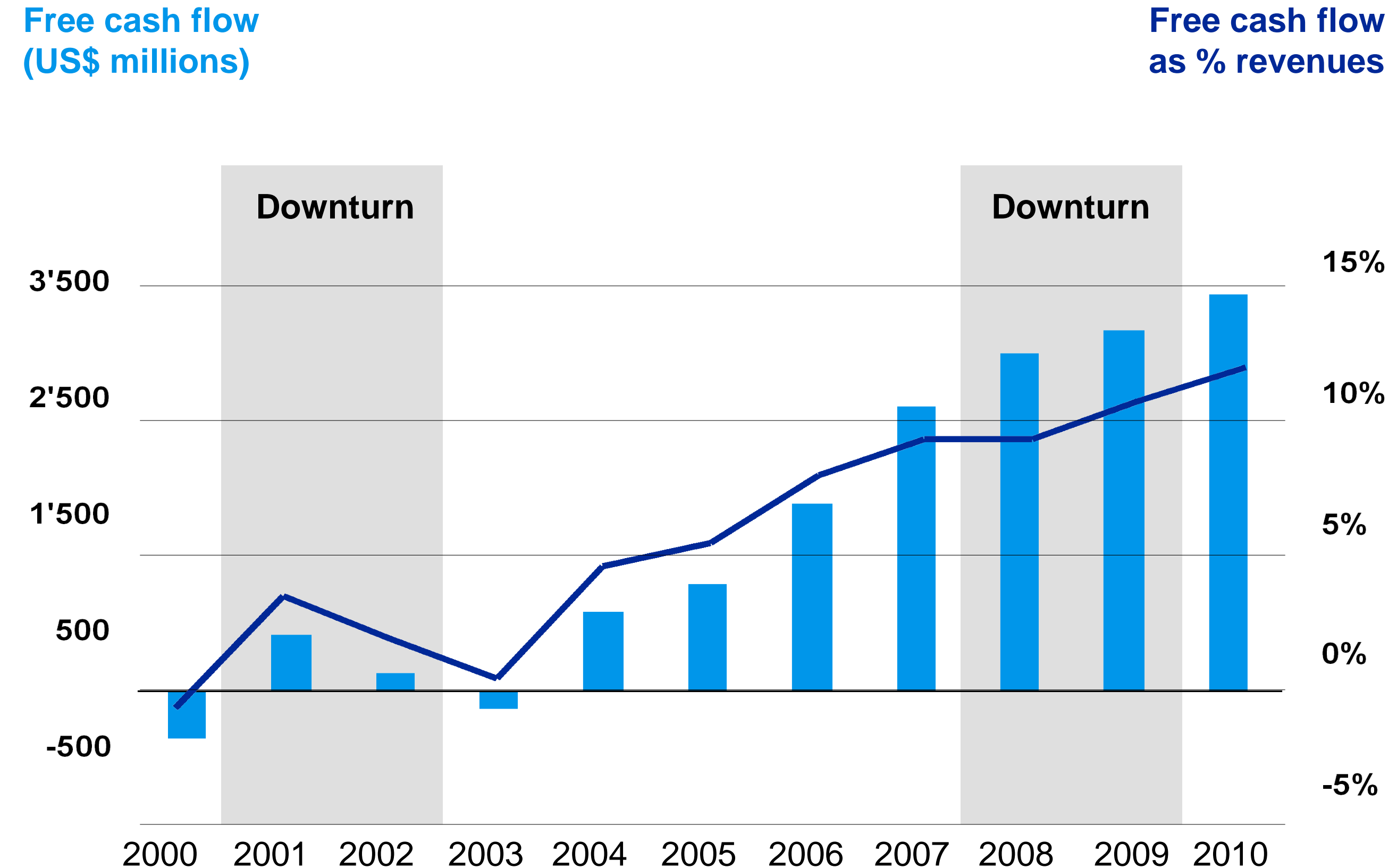


# Group target

## Average Net Income conversion to Free Cash Flow >90%

- Ambition to stay at the top of the league for cash generation
- Capital expenditure expected to continue above depreciation
- Higher capex partly offset by net working capital discipline (11 – 14% of revenues over the cycle)
- Target average conversion >90% across the plan period (also including potential M&A)

### Free cash flow and as % revenues 2000 – 2010



# Conservative financial strategy

## Solid single A rating remains our standard

- Net debt/EBITDA ratio ~1.5x, gearing <40%
- Debt maturities repaid out of free cash flow
- Customer financing without loading ABB balance sheet
- Centralized financial risk management and execution
- Strict hedging policy – forex, interest rates, commodities
- Acquisition financing always in line with balance sheet targets
- Steadily rising, sustainable annual dividend policy
- Additional distributions (special dividend, share buyback) only if/when M&A doesn't require full availability of cash

### Investment priorities

- 1 Organic growth, R&D, and capex
- 2 Value-creating acquisitions
- 3 Paying annual dividend in line with policy
- 4 Returning additional cash to shareholders

### M&A investment criteria

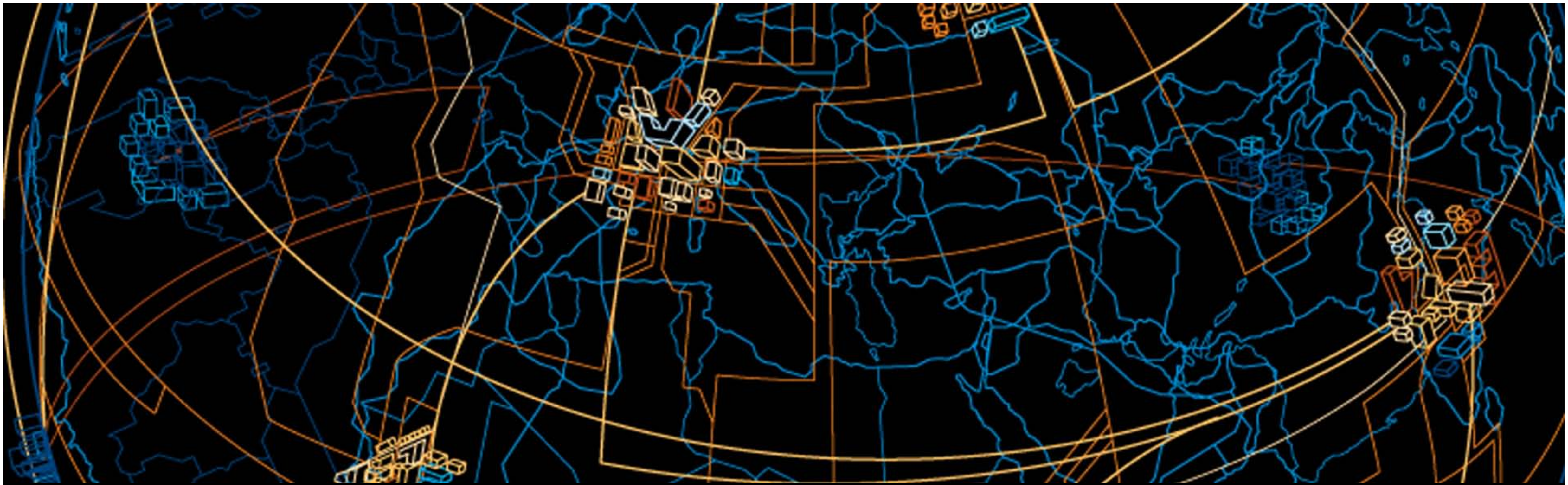
- 1 Cash return >WACC within 3 years
- 2 IRR > WACC + specific hurdles
- 3 Financing designed to retain investment grade

# Summary: Combining ambition with execution focus

- New targets combine ambition with solid execution plan
- Current uncertainty may slow near-term growth ...
- ... but we expect market to return to full potential in 2013
- Management focus is on the balance between growth AND cost
- Updated metrics: Shift focus to cash instead of accounting earnings
- Financial strategy maintains M&A discipline, conservative balance sheet
- Proven record of agility and discipline

**Ready for growth, prepared to be resilient**





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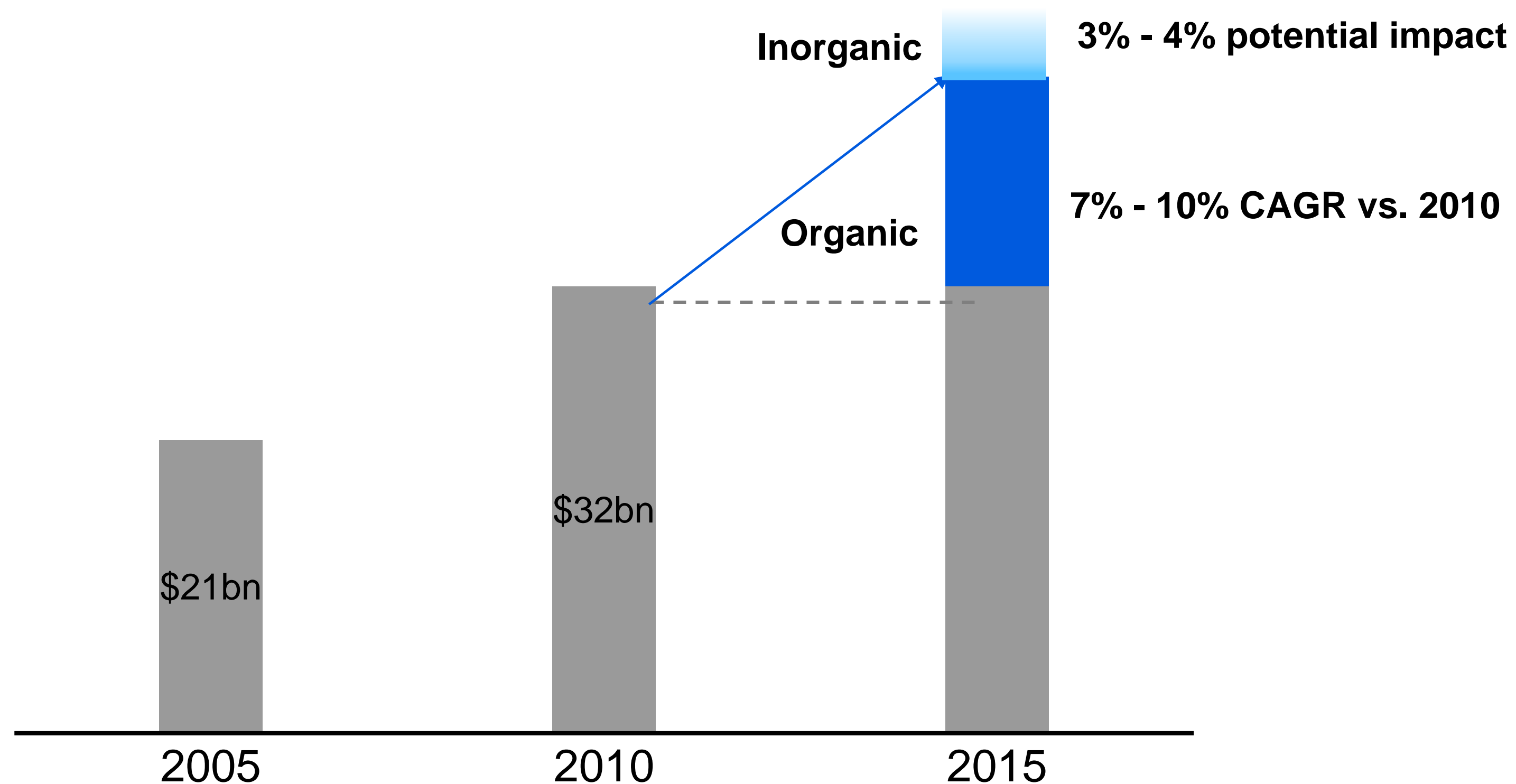
# Summary

## Joe Hogan, CEO



# ABB expects to outpace world economy

## Revenue growth at twice the pace of global GDP through 2015



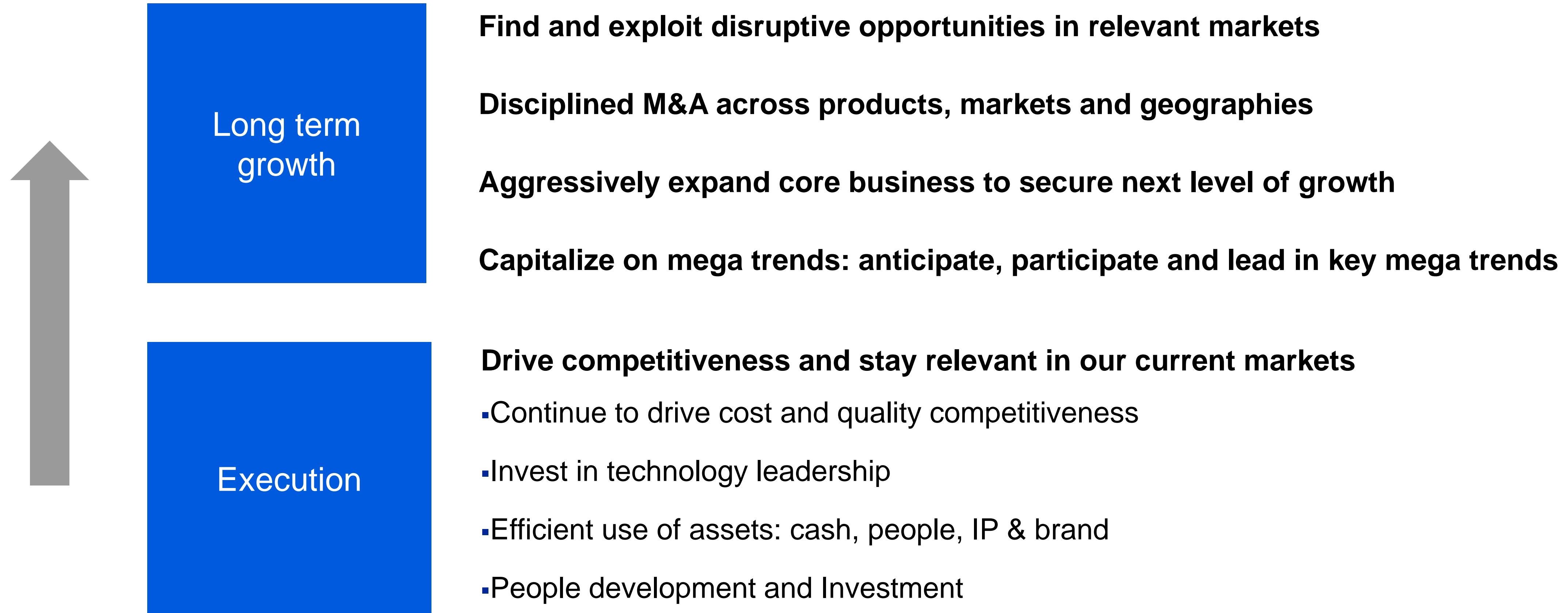
### Macro growth drivers:

- Emerging markets
- Climate change investment
- Service & software expansion
- Infrastructure spend emerging & developed

### Key growth areas

- Grid expansion and reliability
- Emerging market growth in power and automation
- Service and software growth entitlement
- DC technology market expansion
- Automation business expansion
- Energy efficiency
- Renewables

# 2015 Strategy Summary





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