## Welcome to the presentation of the FY2014 results



Global precision engineering champion with Swiss heritage
Focused in technology - diversified in end markets

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## Highlights in the 2014 financial year (1/2)

| Encouraging sales growth <br> in core business | CHF 1,383.0m | $+5.1 \%$ |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Proportionately faster EBITA growth | CHF 195.4m | $+10.3 \%$ |
| Important CAPEX for future growth | CHF 97.6m | $+27.4 \%$ |
| Strong R\&D activities | CHF 34.3m | $+59.5 \%$ |
| Solid equity financing and balance sheet | CHF 1,805.0m | $+35.1 \%$ |
| Back to a net cash position | CHF 87.7m | n/a |
| Increased dividend in line with policy | CHF 1.50/share | $+50 \%$ |

## Highlights in the 2014 financial year (2/2)

$\Rightarrow$ Listing on SIX Swiss Exchange on 7 May 2014
Primary Placement CHF 324m Secondary Placement CHF 380m Total Placement CHF 704m
$\Rightarrow$ Increase of free float to $42.6 \%$ due to expiration of lock-ups
$\Rightarrow$ Substantial new customer and project wins which will contribute to future growth namely in the Automotive and Electronics divisions
$\Rightarrow$ Increased stake in Indo Schöttle from $45 \%$ to $89 \%$, a well positioned supplier to the Indian and international automotive industry
$\Rightarrow$ Improved international manufacturing footprint (China / USA)

## Financial Overview

| CHF million | $\mathbf{2 0 1 4}$ | 2013 adj ${ }^{1}$ | Growth y-0-y |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Gross Sales | 1383.0 | 1330.6 | $+3.9 \%$ |
| EBITDA | 271.4 | 251.6 | $+7.9 \%$ |
| as a \% of Operating revenue | 19.5 | 19.0 |  |
| EBITA | 195.4 | 177.1 | $+10.3 \%$ |
| as a \% of Operating revenue | 14.1 | 13.3 |  |
| EBIT | 141.5 | 124.0 | $+14.1 \%$ |
| as a \% of Operating revenue | 10.2 | 9.3 |  |
| Net Income | 110.2 | 86.5 | $+27.4 \%$ |
| as a \% of Operating revenue | 7.9 | 6.5 |  |
|  | 154.6 | 128.2 | $+20.6 \%$ |
| Cash net income ${ }^{2)}$ | 11.1 | 9.7 |  |

1) adjusted for book gains on the disposal of non core assets in the amount of CHF 18.3 Millions
2) net income before amortization on intangibel assets net of deferred taxes

## Sales breakdown by regions and end markets

## Share of sales by region



Share of sales by end market

${ }^{1}$ such as capital goods, reseller, aircraft and medical 2015-03-06 Presentation FY2014 results / page 6

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## Sales bridge 2013 to 2014 financial year


$\Rightarrow$ Sales growth in core business with $5.1 \%$ y-o-y
$\Rightarrow$ Growth in all three segments

- $7.1 \%$ in EC
- $3.4 \%$ in FS
- $1.6 \%$ in D\&L
$\Rightarrow$ Reported sales up by 3.9\%
- change in scope of consolidation (CHFm) Locher - 13 Indo Schöttle +13
- negative foreign exchange (FX) effects -0.9\%
- sales contribution of noncore trading activity stable


## Strong contribution margin

\% of operating revenue

$\Rightarrow$ CM with $63.2 \% 100$ bps up y-o-y

- $6.3 \%$ CM growth
- above-average growth with profitable products
- change in scope of consolidation
$\Rightarrow$ Opex with $53 \%$ slightly higher
- $5.0 \%$ opex growth
- strong innovation and ramp up activities

[^0]
## Improved operating profitability

in \% of operating revenue

$\Rightarrow$ Operating cash flow (EBITDA margin) close to 20\%
$\Rightarrow$ Operating profit (EBITA) increased by 10.3\% y-o-y
$\Rightarrow$ EBITA margin improved to $14.1 \%$ due to

- growth
- product mix improvement
- productivity gains
$\Rightarrow$ Operating leverage $1.6 x$
- $6.3 \%$ growth CM
- $10.3 \%$ growth EBITA
* EBITA adjusted for book gains on the disposal of non-core assets and real estate (2012: CHF 4.6m, 2013: CHF 18.3m) 2015-03-06 Presentation FY2014 results / page 10


## Increased CAPEX to secure future growth



## Transitory increase of net working capital

NWC in \% of operating revenue

$\Rightarrow$ Peak in net working capital at year end 2014

- increased activity in Q4 in Engineered Components
- higher A/R outstanding
- more work in progess and raw material
- NWC denominated in \$ $+11 \%$ y-o-y due to higher FX rate $\mathrm{CHF} / \$ 0.989$ vs. 0.891

[^1]
## Attractive free cash flow conversion

Free cash flow in \% of EBITDA

$\Rightarrow$ Freee cash flow CHF 102m

- down by $26.7 \%$ y-o-y
- due to higher NWC and strong capex
$\Rightarrow$ Cash flow conversion 37.7\%
- below Ø of $42 \%$
- Free cash flow = cash generated from operations after capex


## Stable return on net operating assets



- EBITA adjusted for book gains on disposal of non-core assets and real estate (2012: CHF 4.6m, 2013: CHF 18.3m)
- EBITA has been has been annualized by adding full period effect of Unisteel (Jan - Aug 2012) and Indo Schöttle (Jan - Aug 2014


## Solid balance sheet structure

Equity in \% of assets
CHF million

$\Rightarrow$ Capital increase strengthened the balance sheet ratios

- Net proceeds from IPO CHF 311.3m
- Equity ratio up to $80.4 \%$
- Back to a net cash position with CHF 87.7m


## Increased dividend in line with policy

Payout ratio in \%
Divdend per share in CHF

$\Rightarrow$ Payout ratio on net income

- CHF $1.50 \rightarrow 51 \%$
$\Rightarrow$ Payout ratio on cash net income
- CHF $1.50 \rightarrow 36.4 \%$


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## Headlines Engineered Components

## Key figures Engineered Components

CHF million

|  | $\mathbf{2 0 1 4}$ | $\pm$ | 2013 | 2012 |
| :--- | ---: | :---: | ---: | ---: |
| Third party sales | 727.2 | $8.1 \%$ | 672.9 | 524.2 |
| Sales growth comparable |  | $7.8 \%$ |  |  |
| Operating revenue | 749.9 | $9.0 \%$ | 687.8 | 537.5 |
| EBITDA | 190.7 | $9.0 \%$ | 175.0 | 131.1 |
| As a \% of operating revenue | 25.4 |  | 25.4 | 24.4 |
| EBITA | 143.0 | $10.0 \%$ | 129.9 | 92.9 |
| As a \% of operating revenue | 19.1 |  | 18.9 | 17.3 |
| Net operating assets | $1,326.1$ | $12.2 \%$ | $1,182.0$ | $1,259.4$ |
| Employees (FTE) | 6,038 | $34.5 \%$ | 4,488 | 4,498 |

$\Rightarrow$ Strong sales growth of $8.1 \%$ $\mathrm{y}-\mathrm{o}-\mathrm{y}$ in core business
$\Rightarrow$ Dynamic development due to launch of numerous projects
$\Rightarrow$ Additional innovation projects in ramp-up phase that will fuel growth over coming years
$\Rightarrow$ EBITA margin lifted slightly higher to good level of 19.1\%
$\Rightarrow$ pleasing achievement as additional costs incurred to realize innovative projects

## Market growth and increased SFS content

Global light vehicle production summary by region (000s)

| Year | $\mathbf{2 0 1 2}$ | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Europe | 19,285 | 19,502 | 20,118 | 20,021 | 20,465 | 21,319 | 22,104 | 22,318 | 22,379 |
| Americas | 19,731 | 20,711 | 20,807 | 21,268 | 21,897 | 22,463 | 22,943 | 23,560 | 23,767 |
| Asia | 42,484 | 44,534 | 46,445 | 48,121 | 50,393 | 52,309 | 54,132 | 55,632 | 57,330 |
| Total | 81,500 | 84,747 | 87,370 | 89,410 | 92,755 | 96,091 | 99,179 | 101,510 | 103,476 |
| Growth y-0-y | $\mathbf{6 . 1 \%}$ | $\mathbf{4 . 0 \%}$ | $\mathbf{3 . 1 \%}$ | $\mathbf{2 . 3} \%$ | $\mathbf{3 . 7 \%}$ | $\mathbf{3 . 6 \%}$ | $\mathbf{3 . 2 \%}$ | $\mathbf{2 . 4 \%}$ | $\mathbf{1 . 9 \%}$ |

Source: IHS

Development SFS content per car

|  | Europe | Americas | Asia |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CAGR 2008-2014 | $2.9 \%$ | $11.4 \%$ | $16.8 \%$ |



## Highlights 2014 Automotive division

## Market success and technology projects



## Growth driver Airbus

## Production schedule Airbus

Product lines \begin{tabular}{c|c|c|c|c|c|c|}

\hline | Current |
| :---: |
| production |
| per month | \& 2014 \& 2015 \& 2016 \& 2017 \& | Expected peak production |
| :---: |
| per month | <br>

\hline A320 family. \& 42 \& 493 \& 502 \& 527 \& 532 \& 46 (April 2016) <br>
\hline A330 \& 10 \& 109 \& 98 \& 98 \& 99 \& 9 (April 2015) <br>
A380 \& 2.7 \& 29 \& 29 \& 30 \& 30 \& 2.7 (April 2014) <br>
\hline A350XWB \& 2.2 \& 14 \& 32 \& 69 \& 104 \& 13 (2018) <br>
\hline A400M \& 1.3 \& 13 \& 26 \& 24 \& 24 \& 2.3 (ab August 2015) <br>
\hline Total \& \& 658 \& 687 \& 748 \& 789 \& <br>
\hline CAGR \& \multicolumn{6}{|c|}{$4.6 \%$} <br>
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\end{tabular}

Source: Airbus


## First success with Chinese smartphone OEMs



## Headlines Fastening Systems

## Key figures Fastening Systems

CHF million

|  | $\mathbf{2 0 1 4}$ | $\pm$ | 2013 | 2012 |
| :--- | ---: | :---: | ---: | ---: |
| Third party sales | 336.7 | $2.0 \%$ | 330.0 | 328.5 |
| Sales growth comparable |  | $3.4 \%$ |  |  |
| Operating revenue | 353.7 | $3.6 \%$ | 341.4 | 340.7 |
| EBITDA | 43.4 | $3.2 \%$ | 42.1 | 32.6 |
| As a \% of operating revenue | 12.3 |  | 12.3 | 9.6 |
| EBITA | 26.9 | $4.7 \%$ | 25.7 | 18.2 |
| As a \% of operating revenue | 7.6 |  | 7.5 | 5.4 |
| Net operating assets | 317.6 | $2.1 \%$ | 311.0 | 316.3 |
| Employees (FTE) | 1,733 | $7.8 \%$ | 1,608 | 1,552 |

$\Rightarrow$ Sales of CHF 336.7 million; 3.4\% growth y-o-y (comparable basis)
$\Rightarrow$ Good momentum from industrial applications
$\Rightarrow$ Intensive efforts to upgrade product range offered under SFS intec and GESIPA brands
$\Rightarrow$ Rapid progress on numerous programs to improve operating efficiency; intended benefits began to emerge
$\Rightarrow$ EBITA margin rose to $7.6 \%$ (py: 7.5\%)

## Highlights 2014 Construction division

## Market success and technology projects


isoweld ${ }^{\circledR}$ project
Fondation Jérôme Seydoux-Pathé in Paris (FRA)


Timber construction:
Le Musée de Vin et du Négoce in Bordeaux (FRA)

## Highlights 2014 Riveting division

## GESIPA® - the experts in blind riveting



Worldwide roll out of a demonstration and technology center concept


PowerBird ${ }^{\circledR}$ Pro Gold


TAURUS ${ }^{\circledR}$ Speed Rivet
$\Rightarrow$ PowerBird ${ }^{\circledR}$ Pro Gold Edition Extremely strong and durable riveting battery tool generation
$\Rightarrow$ TAURUS ${ }^{\circledR}$ 1Speed Rivet, outstanding magazine riveting tool
$\Rightarrow$ FireRex
Development of a pick and place robot for hexagonal blind rivet nuts

## Headlines Distribution \& Logistics

## Key figures Distribution \& Logistics

CHF million

|  | $\mathbf{2 0 1 4}$ | $\mathbf{\pm}$ | 2013 | 2012 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Third party sales | 319.1 | $-2.6 \%$ | 327.7 | 340.6 |
| Sales growth comparable |  | $1.6 \%$ |  |  |
| Operating revenue | 326.0 | $-2.3 \%$ | 333.6 | 346.9 |
| EBITDA | 33.7 | $-10.4 \%$ | 37.6 | 33.4 |
| As a \% of operating revenue | 10.3 |  | 11.3 | 9.6 |
| EBITA | 26.0 | $-11.0 \%$ | 29.2 | 24.2 |
| As a \% of operating revenue | 8.0 |  | 8.8 | 7.0 |
| Net operating assets | 146.6 | $0.6 \%$ | 145.7 | 169.1 |
| Employees (FTE) | 626 | $3.0 \%$ | 608 | 635 |

$\Rightarrow$ Distribution \& Logistics increased its sales on comparable basis by $1.6 \%$ to CHF 319.1 million
$\Rightarrow$ EBITA margin excluding nonrecurring items was held at $8.0 \%$.
$\Rightarrow$ Margin equates with a high return on capital given the relatively low capital employed in this business
$\Rightarrow$ Acquisition of major new customers while expanding scope with existing customers.
$\Rightarrow$ These developments created future growth potential.

## Highlights 2014 Distribution \& Logistics

## New customer and project wins with logistic solutions



Case 'Swiss premium industrial'

Customer benefit
$\Rightarrow$ Standardized solution ready for roll-out at customer's sites
$\Rightarrow$ Increased product range through integration of third party suppliers
$\Rightarrow$ Flexible platform allowing the adaption new technology trends technology
$\Rightarrow$ Customer 1:
$\Rightarrow$ Customer 2:
$\Rightarrow$ Customer 3:
$\Rightarrow$ Customer 4:

CHF 2.0 m
CHF 1.6 m
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## Impact of appreciation of Swiss franc on SFS

$\Rightarrow$ The appreciation of the Swiss franc has a significant impact on the profitability of our Swiss engineering and manufacturing operations (SFS intec AG) at an exchange rate of 1.05 EUR/CHF EBITA Margin will drop significantly
$\Rightarrow$ The Swiss Distribution \& Logistics segment has to share the cost advantages in the procurement of products from EUR zone or USD zone with its customers in the form of price concessions
$\Rightarrow$ Markets outside Switzerland are not affected by the appreciation of the Swiss franc
$\Rightarrow$ In the translation of sales revenues and operating results generated in foreign currencies the lower value of these currencies leads to translation "losses"

## Measures to cope with the stronger Swiss franc

In Swiss entities:
$\Rightarrow$ Hiring freeze $\rightarrow$ reduction of head count by attrition
$\Rightarrow$ Increase of weekly working hours from 42 h to 44 h
$\Rightarrow$ Reduction of fixed management compensation by 10\% (variable compensation will also decline depending on results)
$\Rightarrow$ Reduction of holidays for everybody from 6 weeks to 5 weeks p.a.
$\Rightarrow$ Selective price increases on exported products manufactured in Switzerland
$\Rightarrow$ Stringent cost management throughout the group

> But: we will maintain innovation efforts and focus on highly demanding, know-how and capital intensive development and manufacturing activities

## Illustrative impact on EBITA 2015 vs 2014



## Outlook for 2015

$\Rightarrow$ Good progress achieved in 2014 and good business momentum:

- significant new project wins contribute to future growth
- technology leadership confirmed
- market leadership in targeted niche markets strengthened
$\Rightarrow$ Sales growth in core business at constant exchange rates 5-7\% (unchanged to prior guidance)
$\Rightarrow$ Anticipated decline of reported sales in 2015 financial year at current exchange rates by $2-4 \%$ (assuming an average exchange rate of 1.05 EUR/CHF and 0.91 USD/CHF)
$\Rightarrow$ Anticipated decline of EBITA margin from $14.1 \%$ in 2014 financial year by $60-120$ basis points


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## More than 8,000 employees - one target



## Creating value with

- In Depth Technological Competence
- International Presence
- Application and Industry Expertise
- Long-term Relationships


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