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Key figures

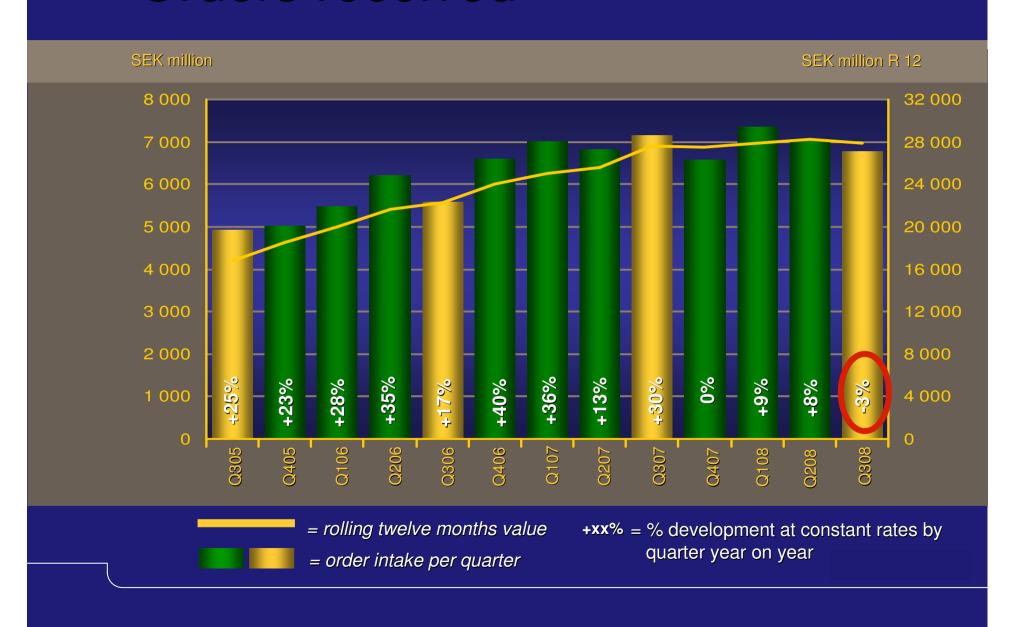
July – September 2008

- Orders received decreased 3.4% to SEK 6,784 million.
- Net sales rose 4.9% to SEK 6,632 million.
- Adjusted EBITA up 7.8% at SEK 1,444 million.
 - Negative currency effect SEK 94 million.

January – September 2008

- Orders received up 4.3% at SEK 21,283 million.
- Net sales up 14.5% at SEK 19,754 million.
- Adjusted EBITA up 34% at SEK 4,439 million.
 - Negative currency effect SEK 226 million.

Orders received



Order analysis

	July – September 2008
2007 (SEK millions)	7,150
Structural change, %	+ 2.8
Currency effects,%	- 1.7
Organic development, %	- 6.2
Total, %	- 5.1
2008 (SEK million)	6,784

Adjusted EBITA / margin *





^{*} Adjusted EBITA – "Earnings before interests, taxes, amortization of goodwill and step up values and comparison distortion items."



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Order value SEK 50 million. Delivery during 2009.

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- * Power order in Russia.
- * Thermal evaporation systems order in India.

Order value SEK 150 million. Delivery during 2009.

Acquisitions

German company Pressko AG.

Specialist company providing fully welded heat exchangers.

Estimated sales of about SEK 50 million in 2008.

Acquisitions

- German company Pressko AG.
- U.S. company Hutchison Hayes Separation.

Provider of separation equipment, parts and services mainly to the U.S. energy-related industries. Sales of about SEK 150 million in 2007.

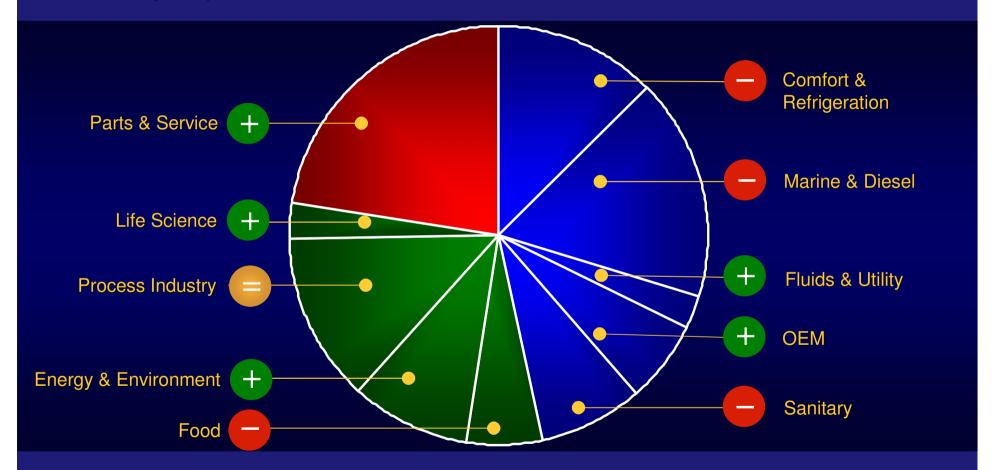


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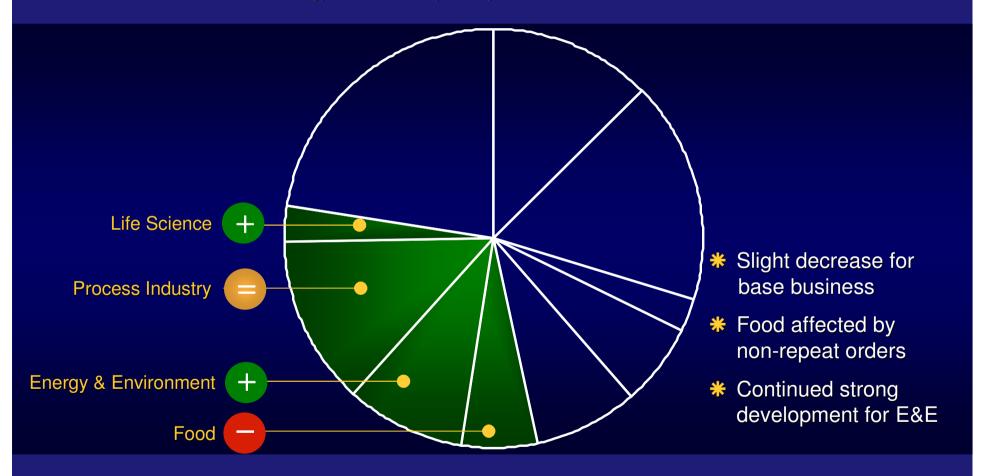
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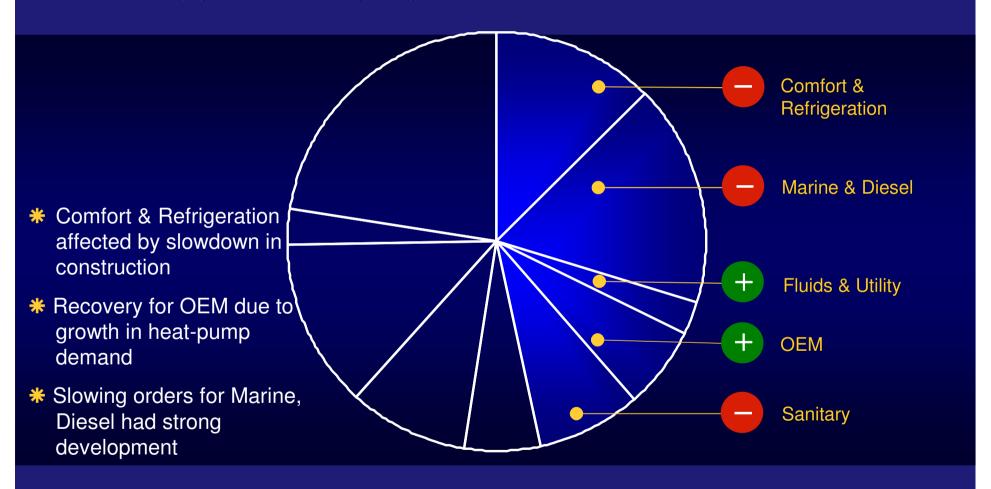
July - September 2008, at constant rates



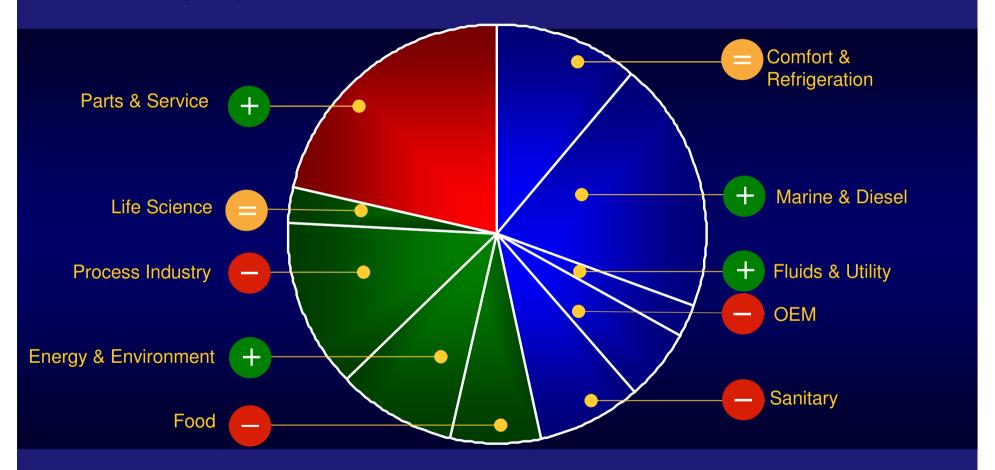
The Process Technology Division, July – September 2008, at constant rates



The Equipment Division, July – September 2008, at constant rates



January – September 2008, at constant rates





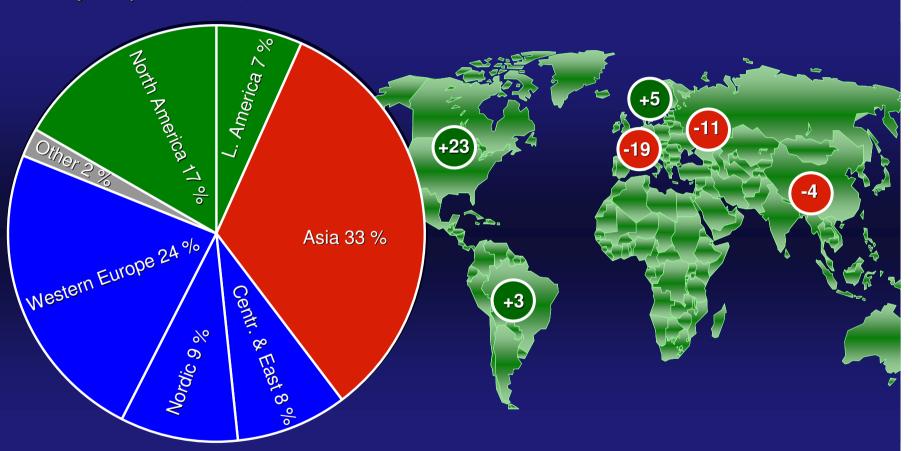
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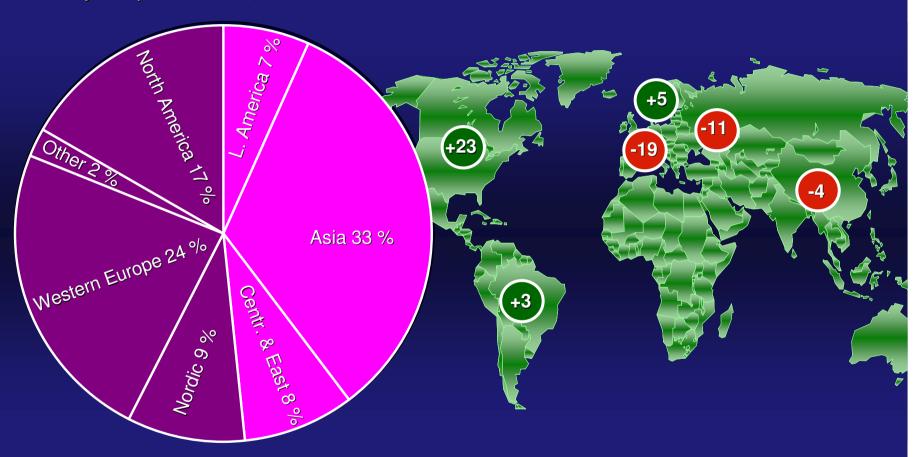
Orders received by Region

July – September 2008, at constant rates



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Highlights Americas

July-September 2008, at constant rates

North America

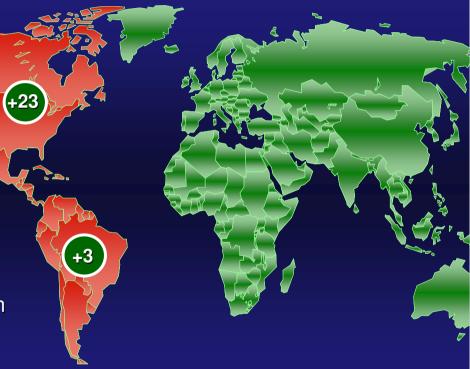
* Base orders up from last year

* Growth in majority of segments

Best performance in Energy & Environment and Parts & Service

Latin America

- Brazil boosted by growth in the ethanol industry as well as food industry investments
- Mexico benefitted from investments in oil and gas industry



Highlights Europe

July – September 2008, at constant rates



Western Europe incl. Nordic

- Process Technology dropped due to fewer large orders
- * Equipment division was stable
- * Base business was slightly lower

Central and Eastern Europe

- Process Technology dropped due to fewer large orders
- * Base business had a continued positive development



Highlights Asia

July – September 2008, at constant rates



Asia

* Decline due to slowing Marine market

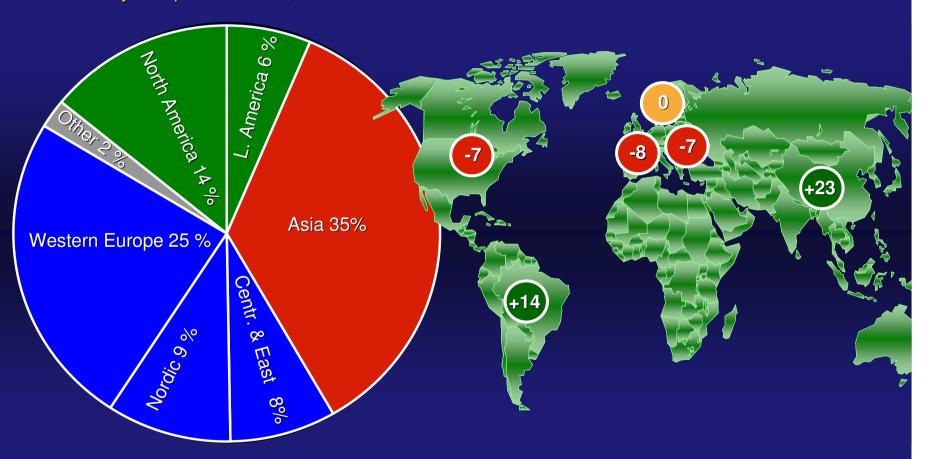
Strong development for Process Industry and Food Technology

* Best performance seen in Korea, the Middle East and South East Asia



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Highlights

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Order intake	6,784
Net sales	6,632

Gross profit margin



Highlights

SEK millions	July - September 2008
Order intake	6 70A
Net sales	6,784 6 632
Adjusted EBITA	6,63 <u>2</u>
	1,444
Adjusted EBITA-margin	21.8%
Profit before tax	1,418

Earnings per share

	July - Sept		Jan - Sept		
	2008	2007	2008	2007	
Earnings	2.32	2.08	6.79	4.72	
Earnings, excluding step-up	2.43	2.21	7.11	5.10	

Group Funding

- Summary of credit facilities as per September 30, 2008

	Committed	Utilised	Maturity
	SEKm	SEKm	Year
Senior Facility			
- "Revolver" USD 348 million	4,981	1,775	2012
- "Revolver" EUR 168 million			
- "Bullet" EUR 100 million			
US Private Placement USD 110 million	748	748	2016
SHB bi-lateral loan EUR 25	244	244	2014
Sub total:	5,973	2,767	
Local facilities	-	559	
Total:	5,973	3,326	
Cash and deposits	-	+ 1,156	

In addition, uncommitted facilities are available to an amount of approx. SEK 1.2 Bn

Share repurchases

	Sept 30
Mandate from AGM 2007	
Number of repurchased shares Jan 1 - March 31*	1 452 400
Percentage of outstanding shares	0.3
Mandate from AGM 2008	
Number of repurchased shares April 1 – Sept 30	2 658 900
Percentage of outstanding shares	0.6

Total amount spent on shares held, SEK 364 million

^{*} Remaining after cancellation.

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Adjusted EBITA	1,444
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Cash flow from operating activities	1,256
ROCE	58.2%
ROE	48.8%

Cash-flow statement

SEK millions	Jan – Sept 2008	Jan - Sept 2007
Cash flows from		
- operating activities	3,185	2,014
- investing activities	- 1,174	- 947
Financial net paid	- 192	-166
Total	1,819	901
Pro Forma Free-cash-flow*	2,539	1,607

^{*}Incl. operating activities, capital expenditure (excl. product rights), provisions and financial net paid.

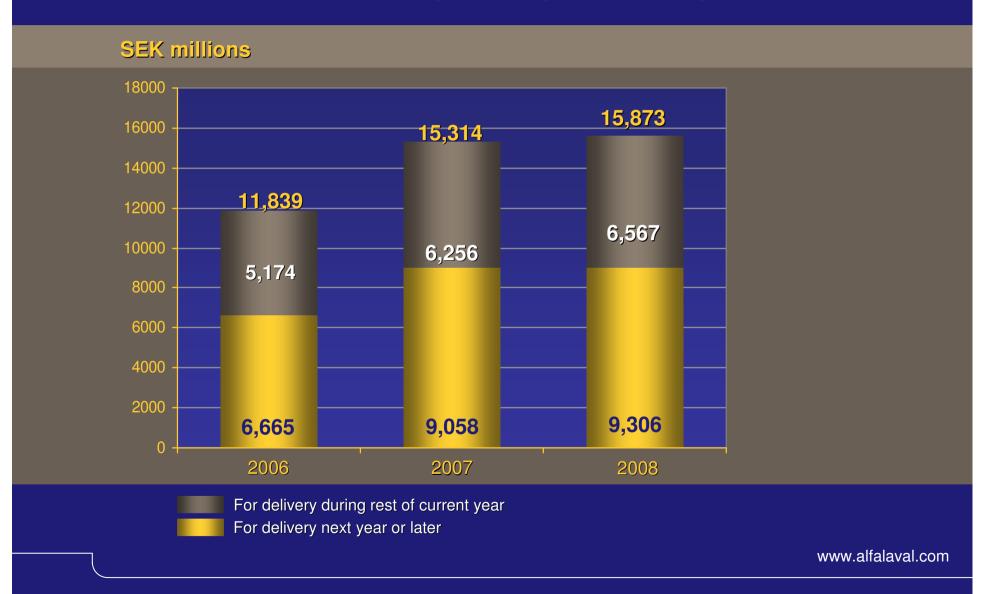
Foreign exchange

Estimated impact on adjusted EBITA from Fx. fluctuations

SEK million	Q3 08	9M 08	WY 08*	WY 09*
Translation effect	- 29	- 109	- 120	-
Transaction effect	- 65	- 117	- 180	- 100
Total	- 94	- 226	- 300	- 100

*Based on EUR/USD 1.40 and EUR/SEK 9.50

Order backlog as per Sept 30



Capital Markets Day, Nov. 18

- # Hilton Hotel Copenhagen Airport, Denmark
- * 10:30 a.m. 4:30 p.m. CET
- ***** Business update
- ***** Structural growth presentations



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Outlook for the fourth quarter

"We expect demand during the fourth quarter to be in line with, or somewhat lower, compared to the same period 2007"

