Interim Report January – September 2015

GETINGE GROUP



THIRD QUARTER IN BRIEF

- Order intake increased by 15.3% to SEK 7,398 M (6,414), and grew organically by 5.2%.
- Net sales rose by 11.2% to SEK 6,925 M (6,225). Net sales increased organically by 1.1%.
- EBITA* declined by 10.0% to SEK 828 M (920).
- Restructuring costs for the quarter amounted to SEK 213 M (62).
- Profit before tax declined by 52.9% to SEK 238 M (505), mainly due to increased restructuring costs.
- Earnings per share amounted to SEK 0.73 (1.54).
- **Continued focus on quality processes:** the remediation program is proceeding according to plan, operating profit was charged with SEK 100 M related to the Consent Decree with the US FDA.
- Comprehensive transformation program focusing on growth, efficiency and a new organization.

FINANCIAL SUMMARY

MSEK	Q3 2015	Q3 2014	Change %	Jan-Sep 2015	Jan-Sep 2014	Change %	Rolling 12M	FY 2014
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Order intake	7 398	6 414	15.3%	22 105	19 042	16.1%	29 880	26 817
Net sales	6 925	6 225	11.2%	20 818	18 184	14.5%	29 303	26 669
Gross profit	3 240	3 046	6.4%	9 713	8 907	9.0%	13 916	13 110
Gross margin	46.8%	48.9%	-2.1%	46.7%	49.0%	-2.3%	47.5%	49.2%
EBITA*	828	920	-10.0%	2 260	2 496	-9.5%	4 265	4 501
EBITA margin*	12.0%	14.8%	-2.8%	10.9%	13.7%	-2.8%	14.6%	16.9%
Operating profit	421	675	-37.6%	1 184	1 094	8.2%	2 736	2 646
Profit before tax	238	505	-52.9%	626	602	4.0%	2 011	1 987
Net profit	174	368	-52.7%	457	439	4.1%	1 466	1 448
Earnings per share, SEK	0.73	1.54	-52.6%	1.81	1.83	-1.1%	5.99	6.01
Cash flow from operations	724	742	-2.4%	1 974	2 081	-5.1%	3 366	3 473

* before restructuring, acquisition and integration cost



COMMENTS BY THE CEO

Positive order intake and continued focus on profitability and growth

During the quarter we have had focus on both the short term agenda and the long term plan. The order intake saw a positive trend during the third quarter, growing organically by 5.2%. We saw, for example, continued increased demand on the North American market during the quarter, which is gratifying since it is one of our most important markets. Both Medical Systems and Infection Control performed well, while Extended Care experienced a more challenging quarter with a declining order intake in several of the business area's largest markets. The Group's earnings performance was negative, primarily due to low organic sales growth and lower gross margin.

We are continuing our highly intense focus on the remediation program for Medical Systems' quality management system and this work is progressing according to plan. Full-scale production of the surgical meshes product group was resumed during the quarter at Atrium's production unit in Merrimack, New Hampshire in the US. It is very pleasing to see yet more evidence that the organization's focus on quality processes is yielding results.

New products and solutions were launched during the quarter, including new extended functionality for our popular FLOW-i anesthesia device, and Flowtron ACS900, which is a new system that helps enhance the circulation of blood in the legs of patients in bed. We also continued to develop our offering for emerging markets with products with simpler functionality at a lower price, for example by launching an attractively priced range of medical beds. Our investments in innovation and prod-uct development are generating results and I hope to announce more such ventures going forward.

At the Capital Markets Day on September 2, we presented a comprehensive transformation program that will lead Getinge toward improved profitability and increased growth. Both the internal and external response was very positive, and I am very confident of the work that is currently being carried out in the organization. We are working at a high rate of activity to get the new organization in place and thus conduct efficient change work going forward and delivering on the targets presented. The next level of employees in the organization, meaning personnel who report to Group management, was appointed during the quarter. We have already begun the implementation of several key functions, such as shared services and a Group-wide organization for indirect purchasing. These are important areas in which we have already made considerable progress. From 2016, these areas will be included and followed up as part of the transformation program.

During the quarter, we initiated a number of restructuring activities to adapt the operations ahead of the forthcoming changes, and we have decided to accelerate some of the restructuring activities communicated for 2016-2019 at the Capital Markets Day. We also completed the relocation of vascular implants to La Ciotat, France, and made a number of efficiency enhancements within Infection Control.

We have an important quarter ahead of us and we are maintaining our focus on delivering according to plan for the remainder of the year.

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Alex Myers, CEO & President

Outlook for 2015 (updated)

The Group expects volumes in the Western European market to remain weak, while the North American market is expected to display a cautiously positive trend. The markets outside Western Europe and North America face challenges related to the BRIC countries that will negatively impact volumes, but in other markets growth prospects are deemed positive. Overall, sales growth is expected to improve in 2015.

The total financial consequences related to the Consent Decree with the US FDA, excluding the costs for the remediation program, are now estimated to amount to approximately SEK 375 M (previously SEK 500 M) and will impact the Group's operating profit for 2015.

The net effect of exchange-rate fluctuations in 2015 is expected to have a negative impact of approximately SEK 50 M (previously SEK - 10 M) on the Group's profit before tax, of which currency-transaction effects amount to negative SEK 270 M (previously SEK - 240 M) and exchange-rate translation effects to approximately positive SEK 220 M (previously SEK 230 M), based on the prevailing exchange rate scenario.

Restructuring costs for the full-year 2015 are expected to amount to SEK 630 M, a change compared with the previously announced SEK 540 M. The increased restructuring costs primarily derive from optimization of Medical Systems' research and development department and the acceleration of ongoing restructuring efforts and a number of larger activities initiated as part of the comprehensive transformation program presented at the Capital Markets Day.



NETSALES AND EBITA MARGIN



Getinge Group – Third quarter 2015

ORDER INTAKE

The Group's order intake increased organically by 5.2% (-0.2) during the quarter. Medical Systems reported an organic increase of 5.9% (1.6) and Infection Control also noted a very strong quarter with an organic increase of 14.8% (0.8). Extended Care's organic order intake decreased by -3.2% (-4.1).

ORDER INTAKE PER MARKET

Order Intake, MSEK	Q3 2015	Q3 2014	Change %*	Jan-Sep 2015	Jan-Sep 2014	Change %*	Rolling 12M	FY 2014
Western Europe	2 469	2 3 3 2	1.3%	7 618	7 137	-0.1%	10 422	9 941
USA and Canada	2 742	2 213	4.4%	8 185	6 487	2.5%	10 805	9 107
Rest of the world	2 187	1 869	10.9%	6 302	5 418	4.8%	8 653	7 769
Group total	7 398	6 414	5.2%	22 105	19 042	2.2%	29 880	26 817

* adjusted for currency rates, acquisitions and divestments

RESULTS

The Group's net sales increased organically by 1.1% (-0.8). The Medical Systems business area's net sales rose organically by 2.0% (-1.3) and Infection Control's net sales increased organically by a healthy 6.0% (0.0). However, Extended Care's net sales fell year-on-year to -3.9% (-0.5%).

The gross margin of 46.8% (48.9) was impacted by, for example low sales volumes, lower utilization at some of the Group's capital goods plants and negative currency transaction effects of SEK 93 M, which corresponds to 1,3 percentage points.

Adjusted for exchange-rate effects, selling expenses were in line with the year-earlier period, while administrative expenses rose by 5.5%. The change was mainly due to higher expenses related to the consolidation of the Group's IT system, legal costs and investments in Group-wide functions.

Exchange-rate effects had a negative impact of SEK 13 M on EBITA, of which transaction effects accounted for SEK -93 M and translation effects for SEK 80 M.

EBITA before restructuring, acquisition and integration costs amounted to SEK 828 M (920).

The quarter was charged with restructuring costs of SEK 213 M (62) that mainly pertain to activities related to the comprehensive transformation program presented at the Capital Markets Day, a payment to the US Government as part of the Consent Decree with the FDA and optimization measures within Medical Systems' research and development function.

Consolidated cash flow from operating activities totaled SEK 724 M (742) for the quarter, corresponding to a cash conversion of 69.0% (60.7).

KEY EVENTS DURING THE QUARTER

Comprehensive transformation program focusing on growth, efficiency and a new organization

A comprehensive transformation program was presented at Getinge's Capital Markets Day on September 2 that will ensure a customer-focused organization, while positioning Getinge for improved profitability and increased growth. The transformation program comprises three building blocks aimed at reigniting growth, restoring profit margins and establishing a new functional organizational structure to implement the program. To restore profit, the Group will leverage scale to a greater extent by reorganizing the company from three independent business areas to a shared organizational structure. Five focus areas have been identified to effectively drive the cost agenda, for example direct and indirect purchasing and shared services. Overall, the program is expected to achieve an EBITA improvement of SEK 2.5-3.0 billion by 2019.

During the quarter, intense focus was directed to organizational design and establishing the functional structure. Work has been carried out in parallel at a high level of activity to continue to make efficiency enhancements, primarily in purchasing and shared services. In addition, a number of restructuring activities have been accelerated to adapt the business to future changes.

New financial targets

The Getinge Group's new financial targets were also presented at the Capital Markets Day. The targets are related to the transformation program and evolution that Getinge will undergo over the next three to four years. The financial targets apply for the 2016-2019 period and are as follows:

- annual organic sales growth of 2-4%*
- annual EBITA improvement of >10%*
- > 15%* return on shareholders' equity
- cash conversion >70%*

(* excluding acquisitions)

New dividend policy

It was also announced at the Capital Markets Day that the Board of Getinge had adopted a dividend policy based on the principle that future dividends will be adjusted in line with Getinge's profit level, financial position and future development opportunities. The aim is for the dividend to correspond to 30-50% of net income.

New organizational structure and Group management from January 1, 2016

The current organizational structure, comprising three independent business areas, will be replaced with a functional structure. This will entail better opportunities for focusing on the needs of each individual customer, the harmonization of processes, and a significantly more efficient and focused management of the Group.

The new organization will consist of a Group-wide Supply Chain function to deliver a high level of customer service and simultaneously drive cost synergies, and three Business Category Units structured to further develop world-class technologies and products that offer solutions to healthcare challenges throughout the continuum of care. The composition of the new Business Category Units - Surgical Workflows, Acute CareTherapies and Patient & Post-Acute Care – will create new, unique and more focused customer offerings. To strengthen our market positions and better reflect customer needs and requirements, three new sales regions are also established; Europe, Middle East and Africa, Asia/Pacific as well as Americas, which all will promote the total Group offering.

As a result of the new organizational structure, a new Group management team has been formed comprising the following people:

- Alex Myers, President & CEO
- Heinz Jacqui, President Acute Care Therapies
- Felix Lara, President Patient & Post-Acute Care
- Joacim Lindoff, President Surgical Workflows
- Carsten Blecker, President Europe, Middle East and Africa (EMEA)
- Paul Lyon, President Asia/Pacific (APAC)
- Raoul Quintero, President Americas
- Reinhard Mayer, President Supply Chain
- Ulf Grunander, CFO
- Lena Hagman, Executive Vice President Quality & Regulatory Compliance
- Kornelia Rasmussen, Executive Vice President Communications
- Andreas Quist, Executive Vice President HR & Sustainability

The new organization will be effective from January 1, 2016.

As a result of new organizational structure, Harald Stock, currently President & CEO ArjoHuntleigh and Executive Vice President Extended Care, decided to leave Getinge to pursue a career outside the Group. Paul Lyon, currently President International Emerging Markets at Extended Care, was appointed interim Executive Vice President Extended Care for the remainder of 2015.

Continued establishment of Shared Services

As previously announced, Getinge commenced the establishment of Shared Services with a focus on financial and administrative support functions in 2014. The establishment process continued in

the EMEA region during the quarter and encompassed a total of 23 of the Group's units in a total of 11 countries by the end of the third quarter. The expected savings are included in the profitability program presented at the Capital Markets Day on September 2 and will be followed up as a part of the program from 2016.

FINANCIAL POSITION

Operating cash flow amounted to SEK 1,974 M (2,081) for the first nine months of the year. Taxes paid for the first three quarters of the year amounted to SEK -650 M (-599). The Group's cash and cash equivalents amounted to SEK 1,544 M compared with SEK 1,482 M in December 2014. Interest-bearing net debt at the end of the period amounted to SEK 23,525 M compared with SEK 22,541 M in December 2014. Cash flow was impacted by dividends to shareholders, including minority shareholders, amounting to SEK -682 M (-989) and by net investments of SEK -720 M (-906). The equity/assets ratio amounted to 35.2%, compared with 35.4% in December 2014.





NET SALES AND EBITA MARGIN



Medical Systems business area

The Medical Systems product range includes operating room equipment, intensive care units and cath labs, instruments and implants for cardiovascular surgery, anesthesia equipment and ventilators, as well as advanced products for the minimally invasive treatment of cardiovascular diseases.

ORDER INTAKE

The order intake increased organically by 5.9% (1.6), primarily driven by the positive performance of the Cardiovascular and Surgical Workplaces divisions.

The order intake continued to improve in the important North American market, with a positive performance in the US. The trend in the Western European market was also favorable, with an organic year-on-year increase of 4.1%. Germany, the UK and France performed particularly well during the quarter, as did Turkey which continued to report a positive order intake.

In the markets outside Western Europe and North America, the order intake was strong. Japan and Australia performed well during the quarter, with the order intake in Australia largely due to a large capital goods order for the Surgical Workplaces division. In the BRIC countries, the trend was favorable in India and China, but weak in Brazil and Russia.

ORDER INTAKE PER MARKET

	Q3	Q3	Change	Jan-Sep	Jan-Sep	Change	Rolling	FY
Order Intake, MSEK	2015	2014	%*	2015	2014	%*	12M	2014
Western Europe	1 065	995	4.1%	3 198	2 971	1.2%	4 486	4 259
USA and Canada	1 461	1 167	4.3%	4 435	3 348	6.4%	5 828	4 741
Rest of the world	1 420	1 226	8.8%	3 938	3 426	3.1%	5 573	5 061
Business Area total	3 946	3 388	5.9%	11 571	9 745	3.6%	15 887	14 061

* adjusted for currency rates, acquisitions and divestments

RESULTS

Medical Systems' net sales increased organically by 2.0% (-1.3). The positive performance was mainly due to healthy sales in the Surgical Workplaces and Cardiovascular divisions, while Critical Care declined slightly compared with an unusually strong year-earlier period.

The lower gross margin of 52.6% (55.2) was primarily due to increased effects related to the remediation program to strengthen the quality management system, lower capacity utilization in the business area's capital goods plants and negative currency-transaction effects of SEK 49 M, which corresponds to 1,3 percentage points.

Adjusted for exchange-rate effects, selling expenses were in line with the year-earlier period, while administrative expenses increased. The higher administrative expenses were primarily the result of effects related to investments in the quality organization and costs related to the ongoing litigation case in the US.

Exchange-rate effects had a positive impact of SEK 31 M on EBITA, of which transaction effects accounted for SEK -49 M and translation effects for SEK 80 M.

EBITA was charged with SEK 50 M attributable to the loss of revenue and increased costs attributable to the Consent Decree with the FDA. The EBITA margin amounted to 14.9% (18.1).

The quarter was charged with restructuring costs of SEK 160 M (27), mainly attributable to a payment of SEK 50 M to the US Government as part of the Consent Decree with the FDA, the continued integration of Pulsion, optimization measures at the business area's research and development function and activities to adapt the operations ahead of the comprehensive transformation program presented at the Capital Markets Day.

	Q3 2015	Q3 2014	Change %	Jan-Sep 2015	Jan-Sep 2014	Change %	Rolling 12M	FY 2014
Net sales, MSEK	3 675	3 258	12.8%	10 887	9 376	16.1%	15 616	14 105
Adj. for x-rates, acquisi- tions and divestments			2.0%			1.2%		
Gross Profit	1 933	1 798	7.5%	5 658	5 175	9.3%	8 239	7 756
Gross margin, %	52.6%	55.2%	-2.6%	52.0%	55.2%	-3.2%	52.8%	55.0%
Operating costs, MSEK	-1 538	-1 340	14.8%	-4 637	-3 995	16.1%	-6 032	-5 390
EBITA before restructur- ing and integration costs	547	589	-7.1%	1 475	1 549	-4.8%	2 794	2 868
EBITA margin %	14.9%	18.1%	-3.2%	13.6%	16.5%	-2.9%	17.9%	20.3%
Acquisition expenses	- 2	- 5	-60.0%	- 20	- 14	42.9%	- 37	- 31
Restructuring and inte- gration costs, MSEK	- 160	- 27		- 258	- 846	-69.5%	- 455	-1 043
EBIT	233	424	-45.0%	743	320	132.2%	1 716	1 293
EBIT margin %	6.3%	13.0%	-6.7%	6.8%	3.4%	3.4%	11.0%	9.2%

ACTIVITIES

Consent Decree between Medical Systems and the FDA

As previously announced, a US federal judge approved the terms of a Consent Decree between Medical Systems and the FDA on February 3, 2015. Under the terms of the Consent Decree, certain products manufactured at Medical Systems' Atrium Medical Corporation business unit based in Hudson, New Hampshire were temporarily suspended while corrections are being made. During the quarter, full-scale production and sales of the surgical meshes product group was resumed at Atrium's new production unit in Merrimack, New Hampshire, which is where all of Atrium's production is planned to be relocated.

In line with the Consent Decree with the FDA, a third-party inspection was carried out at Medical Systems' production unit in Wayne, New Jersey. An additional inspection at the Hechingen production unit in Germany was initiated during the quarter.

The remediation program for strengthening quality management system within Medical Systems is progressing according to plan and has already led to major improvements. The total remediation program is expected to be completed by mid-2016.

FDA - 2014	SEK million
Provision, 1st quarter	799
Currency effect, 3rd quarter	21
Additional provision, 4th quarter	175
Total	995
Completed remediation activities 2014, provision utilized	-470
Closing balance, December 31st, 2014	525
FDA - 2015	SEK million
Completed remediation activities 1st quarter, provision utilized	-105
Closing balance March 31st, 2015	420
Completed remediation activities 2nd quarter, provision utilized	-101
Closing balance June 30th, 2015	319
Completed remediation activities 3rd quarter, provision utilized	-47
Closing balance September 30th, 2015	272

The total financial consequences related to the Consent Decree with the US FDA, excluding the costs for the remediation program, are now estimated to amount to approximately SEK 375 M (previously SEK 500 M) and will impact the Group's operating profit for 2015.

Of the SEK 375 M stated above, SEK 275 M was charged to the first three quarters of the year.

FDA - First quarter, 2015	SEK million
EBITA result*	-50
Restructuring charges (payment to the US Government)	-50
Operating profit	-100
FDA - Second quarter, 2015	SEK million
EBITA result*	-75
Restructuring charges	0
Operating profit	-75
FDA - Third quarter, 2015	SEK million
EBITA result*	-50
Restructuring charges (payment to the US Government)	-50
Operating profit	-100
TOTAL Operating profit, September 30th 2015	-275

* before restructuring, acquisition and integration cost

Ongoing litigation case in the US

As previously announced, Medical Systems' subsidiary Atrium Medical Corporation is involved in litigation regarding the sale and marketing of certain products. A former employee of Atrium filed a complaint in US federal court under seal. The complaint concerns alleged violations of the federal False Claims Act and similar state statutes.

A discovery phase is now ongoing. Given the nature of the complaint, an adverse outcome of the process may affect the Group's earnings and cash flow. It is, however, too early to assess whether, when and the extent to which any such effect may occur and be accounted for. The trial date is currently scheduled for November 7, 2016.

Restructuring activities

Medical Systems' total restructuring costs amounted to SEK 160 M (27) for the quarter, of which SEK 50 M was related to the payment to the US Government as part of the Consent Decree with the FDA.

Measures were undertaken to enhance the efficiency of the research and development function at Medical Systems. The business area has decided to discontinue the operations currently being conducted at the research and development unit in San Jose, California in the US. Restructuring costs for these activities amounted to approximately SEK 40 M and were charged to the quarter in their entirety. The restructuring is expected to generate annual savings of about SEK 31 M from 2016.

Efforts were undertaken related to the integration of Pulsion during the quarter. Restructuring costs for these activities amounted to approximately SEK 20 M for the quarter.

The business area also conducted a reorganization within the Cardiovascular division during the quarter to enhance competitiveness and efficiency. Restructuring costs amounted to about SEK 20 M and these activities are fully in line with the transformation program.

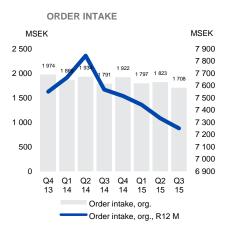
In addition, activities were commenced as part of the establishment of the new functional organizational structure that will enable the implementation of the comprehensive transformation program presented at the Capital Markets Day. The quarter was charged with restructuring costs of approximately SEK 20 M pertaining to these activities, which are expected to be included in the restructuring costs previously announced for the period 2016-2019.

As previously reported, Medical Systems implemented a restructuring program with the aim of enhancing the production of vascular implants and thus concentrating all production of textile-based vascular implants to La Ciotat in France. The completion of the program resulted in an additional restructuring cost of SEK 10 M, which was charged to the quarter.

Continued further development of FLOW-i anesthesia device

Predicted Body Weight (PBW*) was launched during the quarter as extension to the functionality for FLOW-i. PBW supports lung-protective ventilation by identifying patient needs and acting accordingly. When caregivers enters the patient's age, weight, length and gender, PBW and the suggested parameters are then proposed on screen and can be easily followed and trended. *Not for sale in the US.





NET SALES AND EBITA MARGIN



Extended Care business area

The Extended Care business area offers products and services geared toward the hospital and elderly care markets. The product range includes solutions for preventing the risk of pressure ulcers and deep-vein thrombosis. The business area also features a vast selection of ergonomically designed products to solve daily work in lifting, transferring and patient hygiene.

ORDER INTAKE

Extended Care's order intake fell organically by 3.2% (-4.1) during the quarter, with a weak performance in all geographic regions. The order intake in the North American market remained weak. This trend was mainly attributable to the weak performance in the US related to the rental operations for therapeutic mattress. The order intake was also weak in Western Europe, primarily due to a negative trend in the UK and Ireland. In the markets outside Western Europe and North America, Asia performed weakly. The BRIC countries declined, mainly driven by China and Russia, while Brazil and India reported a positive trend.

ORDER INTAKE PER MARKET

Order Intake, MSEK	Q3 2015	Q3 2014	Change %*	Jan-Sep 2015	Jan-Sep 2014	Change %*	Rolling 12M	FY 2014
Western Europe	838	816	-3.4%	2 585	2 479	-3.5%	3 497	3 391
USA and Canada	720	647	-3.0%	2 183	1 950	-6.7%	2 922	2 689
Rest of the world	291	293	-3.3%	1 010	854	5.9%	1 293	1 137
Business Area total	1 849	1 756	-3.2%	5 778	5 283	-3.1%	7 712	7 217

*adjusted for currency rates, acquisitions and divestments

RESULTS

Extended Care's net sales declined organically by 3.9% (-0.5), a trend that was largely attributable to lower sales volumes in rental operations in the US and Western Europe as well as increased price pressure in the product segment for prevention of deep-vein thrombosis, DVT.

The gross margin fell to 43.2% (46.0), mainly due to lower sales volumes and an unfavorable product mix. The increased price pressure in the so called DVT segment and lower sales volumes in the rental segment also had an adverse impact on gross margin. In addition, currency transaction effects have had a negative impact of SEK 34 M, which corresponds to 1,8 percentage points.

Cost control for the quarter was favorable and, adjusted for exchange-rate effects, selling expenses declined while administrative expenses rose slightly. The increase was mainly due to higher expenses related to the consolidation of the business area's IT system.

Exchange-rate effects had a negative impact of SEK 46 M on EBITA, of which transaction effects accounted for SEK -34 M and translation effects for SEK -12 M.

The EBITA margin amounted to 8.7% (12.9).

Restructuring costs of SEK 48 M (25) were charged to the quarter, primarily related to activities under the comprehensive transformation program presented at the Capital Markets Day, and activities to strengthen the business area's global market organization.

	Q3 2015	Q3 2014	Change %	Jan-Sep 2015	Jan-Sep 2014	Change %	Rolling 12M	FY 2014
Net sales, MSEK	1 841	1 758	4.7%	5 734	5 162	11.1%	7 736	7 164
Adj. for x-rates, acquisi- tions and divestments			-3.9%			-1.7%		
Gross Profit	796	809	-1.6%	2 584	2 415	7.0%	3 567	3 398
Gross margin, %	43.2%	46.0%	-2.8%	45.1%	46.8%	-1.7%	46.1%	47.4%
Operating costs, MSEK	- 670	- 622	7.7%	-2 183	-1 878	16.3%	-2 799	-2 494
EBITA before restructur- ing and integration costs	160	227	-29.5%	501	638	-21.5%	904	1 041
EBITA margin %	8.7%	12.9%	-4.2%	8.7%	12.4%	-3.7%	11.7%	14.5%
Acquisition expenses	0	0		- 1	0		-2	- 1
Restructuring and inte- gration costs, MSEK	- 48	- 25	92.0%	- 152	- 31		- 207	- 86
EBIT	78	162	-51.9%	248	506	-51.0%	560	817
EBIT margin %	4.2%	9.2%	-5.0%	4.3%	9.8%	-5.5%	7.2%	11.4%

ACTIVITIES

Restructuring activities

As previously announced, the weak performance of the rental market led to the business area extensively restructuring its rental operations in the US. During the first quarter of the year, the number of rental depots was reduced from 86 to 58 and the number of employees in the sales organization was reduced by about 85 individuals. The restructuring of the sales organization resulted in more efficient processes that are better adapted to the competitive market. Restructuring costs for the first quarter related to the remediation program amounted to about SEK 77 M. Activities are proceeding according to plan and no restructuring costs for activities were charged to the third quarter. The restructuring of the rental operations is expected to generate savings of about SEK 106 M for the full-year 2015 and about SEK 123 M for the full-year 2016. At the end of the third quarter, savings for 2015 totaled SEK 71 M.

Activities were conducted during the quarter to strengthen the business area's global market organization. The quarter was charged with restructuring costs of approximately SEK 13 M pertaining to these activities.

During the quarter, activities were commenced as part of the establishment of the new functional organizational structure presented at the Capital Markets Day. The activities mainly relates to organizational changes on management levels as well as within the marketing and R&D organization. The quarter was charged with restructuring costs of about SEK 40 M pertaining to these activities, which are expected to be included in the previously announced restructuring costs for the period 2016-2019.

Launch of Flowtron® ACS900 Active Compression System

During the quarter, the business area launched a new active compression system in its product portfolio for the prevention of deep-vein thrombosis, Flowtron® ACS900. The new Active Compression System delivers a simple, easy to use method of enhancing the circulation of blood in the deep veins of the legs, reducing venous stasis and helping to prevent the formation of deep-vein thrombosis (DVT). The system delivers both uniform and sequential compression therapy from a single pump, which in turn aids asset management by reducing the need for multiple pumps in the healthcare facility.

Launch of medical beds for emerging markets

During the quarter, Extended Care launched a new platform for medical beds named Essence. Essence beds have been specifically developed to meet emerging markets' needs for products with simpler functionality at a lower price.





NET SALES AND EBITA MARGIN



Infection Control business area

The Infection Control business area offers an expansive range of disinfection and sterilization equipment, designed to suit the needs of hospitals, clinics, and within the life science industry. The business area also features a full range of accessories to ensure a consistent, secure, ergonomic and economic flow and storage of sterile goods.

ORDER INTAKE

The order intake grew organically by 14.8% (0.8) during the quarter. The life science segment generally performed positively during the quarter. The business area's focus on recurring revenue also performed well and generally made a positive contribution to the quarter's order intake. The trend in the North American market remained favorable, particularly in the US, and was primarily related to the strong performance of the life science segment and in consumables. The order intake was robust in markets outside North America and Western Europe, with the hospital segment reporting a favorable trend. Japan and Australia in particular noted a strong order intake during the quarter. Of the BRIC countries, Russia and India posted a healthy order intake during the quarter, while the order intake in Brazil remained weak. Performance in China was in line with the preceding year. The order intake in Western Europe was favorable, compared with a strong year-earlier period. Germany, Switzerland, Benelux and the Nordic countries reported strong order intake, while performance was slightly weaker in markets in southern Europe, except for Italy.

ORDER INTAKE PER MARKET

	Q3	Q3	Change	Jan-Sep	Jan-Sep	Change	Rolling	FY
Order Intake, MSEK	2015	2014	%*	2015	2014	%*	12M	2014
Western Europe	566	522	3.5%	1 835	1 687	2.8%	2 439	2 291
USA and Canada	561	398	16.5%	1 567	1 189	5.9%	2 055	1 677
Rest of the world	476	350	29.9%	1 355	1 138	9.3%	1 788	1 571
Business Area total	1 603	1 270	14.8%	4 757	4 014	5.6%	6 282	5 539

*adjusted for currency rates, acquisitions and divestments

RESULTS

Net sales increased organically by 6.0% (0.0), primarily driven by the strong positive performance of Western Europe, with the Nordic countries and the UK performing particularly well. North America also had a positive sales trend during the quarter, while the markets outside Western Europe and North America performed in line with the preceding year. Sales of consumables made a positive contribution to the volume trend in all three regions during the quarter.

The gross margin of 36.3% remained unchanged year-on-year despite negative currency transaction effects of SEK 10 M which corresponds to 0,7 percentage points.

Cost control in the quarter was solid. Adjusted for exchange-rate effects, administrative expenses declined during the quarter. Selling expenses rose slightly, mainly due to previously completed acquisitions.

Exchange-rate effects had a positive impact of SEK 2 M on EBITA, of which transaction effects accounted for SEK -10 M and translation effects for SEK 12 M.

The EBITA margin remained unchanged year-on-year at 8.6% (8.6).

The quarter was charged with restructuring costs of approximately SEK 5 M (10) regarding the business area's ongoing efficiency-enhancement program.

	Q3 2015	Q3 2014	Change %	Jan-Sep 2015	Jan-Sep 2014	Change %	Rolling 12M	FY 2014
Net sales, MSEK	1 409	1 209	16.5%	4 197	3 646	15.1%	5 951	5 400
Adj. for x-rates, acquisi- tions and divestments			6.0%			2.4%		
Gross Profit	512	439	16.6%	1 472	1 317	11.8%	2 111	1 956
Gross margin, %	36.3%	36.3%	0.0%	35.1%	36.1%	-1.0%	35.5%	36.2%
Operating costs, MSEK	- 397	- 339	17.1%	-1 205	-1 019	18.2%	-1 566	-1 380
EBITA before restructur- ing and integration costs	121	104	16.3%	284	309	-8.1%	567	592
EBITA margin %	8.6%	8.6%	0.0%	6.8%	8.5%	-1.7%	9.5%	11.0%
Acquisition expenses Restructuring and inte-	0	- 1	-100.0%	- 1	- 2	-50.0%	- 5	- 6
gration costs, MSEK	- 5	- 10	-50.0%	- 73	- 27		- 80	- 34
EBIT	110	89	23.6%	193	269	-28.3%	460	536
EBIT margin %	7.8%	7.4%	0.4%	4.6%	7.4%	-2.8%	7.7%	9.9%

ACTIVITIES

Restructuring activities

Within the framework of the ongoing efficiency-enhancement program, the following activities were implemented during the third quarter.

During the quarter work continued to further strengthen the Group's expansion in emerging markets. With the three business areas merging to form one single Group-wide unit per country new growth opportunities as well as economies of scale are created. The new emerging markets structure, which was effective in the second quarter 2015, is well in line with the comprehensive transformation program announced in the quarter. The quarter was charged with restructuring costs of approximately SEK 3 M pertaining to these activities.

As previously announced, the business area decided to relocate the production conducted at the production unit in Rochester, New York, US to the production unit in Poznan, Poland. This work is ongoing and the relocation is expected to be completed in the first quarter of 2016. Restructuring costs are expected to total approximately SEK 50 M for 2015, of which SEK 33 M was charged to the first two quarters of the year. No restructuring costs related to this activity were charged to the third quarter of the year. The relocation is expected to generate annual savings of about SEK 45 M from the second quarter of 2016.

The previously announced relocation of production of flusher-disinfectors from Växjö, Sweden, to Poznan, Poland, was completed during the quarter. The quarter was not charged with any restructuring costs for this activity. SEK 7 M has already been charged to the first two quarters of the year. This activity is expected to lead to annual savings of approximately SEK 12 M from the fourth quarter of 2015.

Other information

KEY EVENTS AFTER THE END OF THE REPORTING PERIOD

There are no key events to report after the end of the reporting period

RISK MANAGEMENT

Healthcare reimbursement system

Political decisions represent the single greatest market risk to the Getinge Group. Changes to the healthcare reimbursement system can have a major impact on individual markets by reducing or deferring grants. Since Getinge is active in a large number of geographical markets, the risk for the Group as a whole is limited.

Customers

Activities conducted by Getinge's customers are generally financed directly or indirectly by public funds and ability to pay is usually very solid, although payment behavior can vary between different countries. All transactions outside the OECD area are covered by payment guarantees, unless the customer's ability to pay is well documented.

Authorities and control bodies

Parts of Getinge's product range are covered by legislation stipulating rigorous assessments, quality control and documentation. It cannot be ruled out that Getinge's operations, financial position and earnings may be negatively impacted in the future by difficulties in complying with current regulations and requirements of authorities and control bodies or changes to such regulations and requirements. To limit these risks to the greatest possible extent, Getinge conducts extensive work focused on quality and regulatory issues. Each business area has an appointed person with overall responsibility for quality and regulatory issues that coordinates and leads work on developing efficient shared processes for the Group as a whole. The majority of the Group's production facilities are certified according to the medical device quality standard ISO 13485 and/or the general quality standard ISO 9001.

Research and development

To a certain extent, Getinge's future growth depends on the company's ability to develop new and successful products. Research and development efforts are costly and it is impossible to guarantee that developed products will be commercially successful. As a means of maximizing the return on research and development efforts, the Group has a very structured selection and planning process to ensure that the company prioritizes correctly when choosing which potential projects to pursue. This process comprises thorough analysis of the market, technical development and choice of production method and subcontractors. The development work is conducted in a structured manner and each project undergoes a number of fixed control points.

Product liability and damage claims

Healthcare suppliers run a risk, like other players in the healthcare industry, of being subject to claims relating to product liability and other legal claims. Such claims can involve large amounts and significant legal expenses. Getinge cannot provide any guarantees that its operations will not be subject to compensation claims. A comprehensive insurance program is in place to cover any property or liability risks (e.g. product liability) to which the Group is exposed.

Protection of intellectual property

The Getinge Group is a market leader in the areas in which it operates and invests significant amounts in product development. To secure returns on these investments, the Group actively upholds its rights and monitors competitors' activities closely. If required, the company will protect its intellectual property rights through legal processes.

Financial risk management

Getinge is exposed to a number of financial risks in its operations. Financial risks principally pertain to risks related to currency and interest-rate risks, as well as credit risks. Risk management is regulated by the finance policy adopted by the Board. The ultimate responsibility for managing the Group's financial risks and developing methods and principles of financial risk management lies with Group management and the treasury function. The main financial risks to which the Group is exposed are currency risks, interest-rate risks and credit and counterparty risks.

SEASONAL VARIATIONS

Getinge's earnings are affected by seasonal variations. The first quarter is normally weak in relation to the remainder of the fiscal year. The third and particularly fourth quarter are usually the Group's strongest quarters.

TRANSACTIONS WITH RELATED PARTIES

Getinge had no significant transactions with related parties other than transactions with subsidiaries.

ACCOUNTING

This interim report has been prepared for the Group in accordance with IAS 34 Interim Financial Reporting and the Swedish Annual Accounts Act. For the Parent Company, the report has been prepared in accordance with the Swedish Annual Accounts and RFR 2. The accounting policies adopted are consistent with those applied for the 2014 Annual Report and should be read in conjunction with that Annual Report.

NOMINATION COMMITTEE AHEAD OF 2016 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Pursuant to a resolution by Getinge AB's 2005 General Meeting, the Nomination Committee comprises Getinge's Chairman and representatives for the five largest shareholders at 31 August 2015, as well as a representative for minority shareholders. Ahead of the 2016 Annual General Meeting, Getinge's Nomination Committee thus comprises a representative from each of the following: Carl Bennet AB, Första AP-fonden, Swedbank Robur AB, AMF, Fjärde AP-fonden and a representative for minority shareholders.

Shareholders who would like to submit proposals to Getinge's 2016 Nomination Committee, can contact the Nomination Committee by e-mail at <u>valberedningen@getinge.com</u> or by traditional mail: Getinge AB, Att: Annual General Meeting, Box 8861, SE-402 72 Gothenburg, Sweden.

2016 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Getinge AB's Annual General Meeting will be held on March 30, 2016 at 2:00 p.m. in Kongresshallen at Hotel Tylösand in Halmstad, Sweden. Shareholders wishing to have a matter addressed at the Annual General Meeting on March 30, 2016 can submit their proposal to Getinge's Chairman by e-mail: <u>arenden.bolagsstamma@getinge.com</u>, or by traditional mail to: Getinge AB, Att: Bolagsstämmoärenden, Box 8861, SE-402 72 Gothenburg, Sweden. To ensure inclusion in the notice and thus in the Annual General Meeting's agenda, proposals must be received by the company not later than February 10, 2016.

FORWARD-LOOKING INFORMATION

This report contains forward-looking information based on the current expectations of Getinge's Group management. Although management deems that the expectations presented by such forward-looking information are reasonable, no guarantee can be given that these expectations will prove correct. Accordingly, the actual future outcome could vary considerably compared with what is stated in the forward-looking information, due to such factors as changed conditions regarding finances, market and competition, changes in legal requirements and other political measures, and fluctuations in exchange rates.

ASSURANCE

The Board of Directors and CEO assure that the interim report provides a true and fair review of the Parent Company and the Group's operations, position and earnings and describes the material risks and uncertainties faced by the Parent Company and the Group.

Gothenburg, October 15, 2015

Carl Bennet Chairman Johan Bygge

Rickard Karlsson

Carola Lemne

Cecilia Daun Wennborg

Alex Myers CEO

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The information stated herein is such that Getinge AB is obligated to publish under the Securities Exchange and Clearing Operations Act and/or the Financial Instruments Trading Act.

Report of Review of Interim Financial Information

Introduction

We have reviewed this report for the period 1 of January 2015 to 30 of September 2015 for Getinge AB. The board of directors and the CEO are responsible for the preparation and presentation of this interim report in accordance with IAS 34 and the Swedish Annual Accounts Act. Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on this interim report based on our review.

Scope of Review

We conducted our review in accordance with the International Standard on Review Engagements ISRE 2410, Review of Interim Report Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity. A review consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with International Standards on Auditing, ISA, and other generally accepted auditing standards in Sweden. The procedures performed in a review do not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

Conclusion

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the interim report is not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with IAS 34 and the Swedish Annual Accounts Act, regarding the Group, and with the Swedish Annual Accounts Act, regarding the Parent Company.

Malmö, 15 October 2015

Öhrlings PricewaterhouseCoopers AB

Johan Rippe

Authorized Public Accountant Auditor in charge

Eric Salander

Authorized Public Accountant

Consolidated income statement

MSEK	Q3 2015	Q3 2014	Change %	Jan-Sep 2015	Jan-Sep 2014	Change %	Rolling 12M	F۱ 2014
Net sales	6 925	6 225	11.2%	2015	18 184	14.5%	29 303	26 669
Cost of goods sold	-3 685	-3 179	15.9%	-11 105	-9 277	19.7%	-15 387	-13 559
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Gross profit	3 240	3 046	6.4%	9 713	8 907	9.0%	13 916	13 110
Selling expenses	-1 620	-1 470	10.2%	-4 980	-4 303	15.7%	-6 449	-5 772
Administrative expenses	- 802	- 699	14.7%	-2 533	-2 084	21.5%	-3 273	-2 824
Research & development costs ¹	- 137	- 138	-0.7%	- 438	- 461	-5,0%	- 574	- 597
Acquisition expenses	- 2	- 6	-66.7%	- 23	- 16	43.8%	- 45	- 38
Restructuring and integration costs	- 213	- 62		- 483	- 903	-46.5%	- 742	-1 162
Other operating income and expenses	- 45	4		- 72	- 46	56.5%	- 97	- 7′
Operating profit ²	421	675	-37.6%	1 184	1 094	8.2%	2 736	2 646
Financial Net	- 183	- 170	7.6%	- 558	- 492	13.4%	- 725	- 659
Profit before tax	238	505	-52.9%	626	602	4.0%	2 011	1 987
Taxes	- 64	- 137	-53.3%	- 169	- 163	3.7%	- 545	- 539
Net profit	174	368	-52.7%	457	439	4.1%	1 466	1 44
	114		52.170	-01	400	4.170	1400	1 440
Attributable to:								
Parent company's shareholders	173	366		432	436		1 429	1 433
Non-controlling interest	1	2		25	3		37	15
Net profit	174	368		457	439		1 466	1 448
Earnings per share ³	0.73	1.54	-52.6%	1.81	1.83	-1.1%	5.99	6.01
Adjusted Earnings per share	1.98	2.29	-13.5%	5.21	6.13	-15.0%	10.83	11.75
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	Q3	Q3		Jan-Sep	Jan-Sep		Rolling	F١
Operative key figures %	2015	2014		2015	2014		12M	2014
Gross margin	46.8	48.9		46.7	49.0		47.5	49.2
Selling expenses in % of net sales	23.4	23.6		23.9	23.7		22.0	21.6
Administrative expenses in % of net sales	11.6	11.2		12.2	11.5		11.2	10.6
Research & development costs in % of net sales	4.4	4.8		4.6	5.1		4.4	4.8
Operating margin	6.1	10.8		5.7	6.0		9.3	9.9
	Q3	Q3		Jan-Sep	Jan-Sep		Rolling	F١
MSEK	2015	2014	Change %	2015	2014	Change %	12M	2014
1 Research & development costs	- 305	- 300	1.7%	- 952	- 935	1.8%	-1 287	-1 270
of which has been capitalised	168	162	3.7%	514	474	8.4%	713	673
	- 137	- 138	-0.7%	- 438	- 461	-5.0%	- 574	- 597

	- 625	- 548	14.1%	-1 836	-1 556	18.0%	-2 399	-2 119
on other fixed assets	- 254	- 221	14.9%	- 743	- 642	15.7%	- 973	- 872
intangibles	- 180	- 150	20.0%	- 523	- 431	21.3%	- 684	- 592
intangibles on acquired companies	- 191	- 177	7.9%	- 570	- 483	18.0%	- 742	- 655
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Comprehensive earnings statement

	Q3	Q3			Rolling	FY
MSEK	2015	2014	Jan-Sep 2015	Jan-Sep 2014	12M	2014
Net profit for the period	174	368	457	439	1 466	1 448
Items that cannot be restated in profit for the period						
Actuarial gains/losses pertaining to defined-benefit pen-						
sion plans	22	-	89	-	-577	-666
Income tax attributable to components in other compre-						
hensive income	-5		-18	-	175	193
Items that can later be restated in profit for the period						
Translation differences	-205	475	299	1 186	1 043	1 930
Cash-flow hedges	57	-455	21	-932	841	-112
Income tax attributable to components in other compre-						
hensive income	-13	123	-5	252	-227	30
Other comprehensive income/loss for the period, net						
after tax	-144	143	386	506	1 255	1 375
Total comprehensive income for the period	30	511	843	945	2 721	2 823
Comprehensive income attributable to						
Parent Company's shareholders	29	509	818	942	2 676	2 800
Non-controlling interest	1	2	25	3	45	23

Quarterly results

	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3
MSEK	2013	2014	2014	2014	2014	2015	2015	2015
Net sales	7 757	5 632	6 327	6 225	8 458	6 712	7 181	6 925
Cost of goods sold	-3 764	-2 854	-3 244	-3 179	-4 279	-3 570	-3 850	-3 685
Gross profit	3 993	2 778	3 083	3 046	4 179	3 142	3 331	3 240
Operating costs	-2 134	-3 072	-2 370	-2 371	-2 641	-2 807	-2 903	-2 819
Operating profit	1 859	- 294	713	675	1 538	335	428	421
Financial Net	- 150	- 158	- 164	- 170	- 167	- 189	- 185	- 183
Profit before tax	1 709	- 452	549	505	1 371	146	243	238
Taxes	- 468	122	- 148	- 137	- 376	- 39	- 66	- 64
Net profit	1 241	- 330	401	368	995	107	177	174

Segment overview

Net Sales, MSEK Medical Systems Extended Care Infection Control Total net sales for the group	Q3 2015 3 675 1 841 1 409 6 925	Q3 2014 3 258 1 758 1 209 6 225	Change % 12.8% 4.7% 16.5% 11.2%	Jan-Sep 2015 10 887 5 734 4 197 20 818	Jan-Sep 2014 9 376 5 162 3 646 18 184	Change % 16.1% 11.1% 15.1% 14.5%	Rolling 12M 15 616 7 736 5 951 29 303	FY 2014 14 105 7 164 5 400 26 669
Operating profit, MSEK	Q3 2015	Q3 2014	Change %	Jan-Sep 2015	Jan-Sep 2014	Change %	Rolling 12M	FY 2014
Medical Systems	233	424	-45.0%	743	320	132.2%	1 716	1 293
Extended Care	78	162	-51.9%	248	506	-51.0%	560	817
Infection Control	110	89	23.6%	193	269	-28.3%	460	536
Operating profit	421	675	-37.6%	1 184	1 094	8.2%	2 736	2 646
Financial Net	- 183	- 170	7.6%	- 558	- 492	13.4%	- 725	- 659
Profit before tax for the group	238	505	-52.9%	626	602	4.0%	2 011	1 987

Consolidated balance sheet

	2015	2014	2014
Assets, MSEK	30-Sep	30-Sep	31-Dec
Intangible assets	27 143	25 019	26 561
Capitalised Development Projects	3 689	3 352	3 503
Tangible fixed assets	4 846	4 737	4 971
Financial fixed assets	1 552	927	1 410
Stock-in-trade	6 182	5 449	5 245
Accounts receivable	5 858	5 727	7 362
Other current receivables	2 742	2 419	2 284
Cash and cash equivalents	1 544	1 064	1 482
Total assets	53 556	48 694	52 818
	2015	2014	2014
Shareholders' equity & Liabilities, MSEK	30-Sep	30-Sep	31-Dec
Shareholders' equity	18 855	16 787	18 694
Pension Provision	3 171	2 427	3 271
Other interest bearing liabilities	21 898	19 997	20 752
Other Provisions	2 402	2 547	2 578
Accounts Payable - trade	1 935	1 851	2 083
Other non interets-bearing liabilities	5 295	5 085	5 440
Total Equity & Liabilities	53 556	48 694	52 818

Consolidated net interest-bearing debt

MSEK	2015 30-Sep	2014 30-Sep	2014 31-Dec
Debt to credit institutions	21 898	19 997	20 752
Provisions for pensions, interest-bearing	3 171	2 427	3 271
Interest bearing liabilities	25 069	22 424	24 023
Less liquid funds	-1 544	-1 064	-1 482
Net interest-bearing debt	23 525	21 360	22 541

Consolidated cash-flow statement

	Q3	Q3	Jan-Sep	Jan-Sep	Rolling	FY
MSEK	2015	2014	2015	2014	12M	2014
Current activities						
EBITDA	1 046	1 223	3 019	2 650	5 134	4 765
Restructuring Cost expenses	213	62	483	903	742	1 162
Restructuring costs paid	- 235	- 196	- 682	- 604	- 829	- 751
Adjustment for items not included in cash flow	27	2	42	35	54	47
Financial items	- 184	- 170	- 558	- 492	- 725	- 659
Taxes paid	- 124	- 141	- 650	- 599	- 841	- 790
Cash flow before changes in working capital	743	780	1 654	1 893	3 535	3 774
Changes in working capital						
Stock-in-trade	- 255	- 248	- 792	- 797	- 416	- 421
Current receivables	505	299	1 432	945	445	- 42
Current operating liabilities	- 269	- 89	- 320	40	- 198	162
Cash flow from operations	724	742	1 974	2 081	3 366	3 473
Investments						
Acquisitions and divestments of business	-	- 213	297	-1 236	297	-1 236
Capitalized development costs	- 168	- 205	- 514	- 515	- 672	- 673
Rental equipment	- 83	- 59	- 215	- 169	- 267	- 221
Investments in tangible fixed assets	- 127	- 250	- 505	- 737	- 713	- 945
Cash flow from investments	- 378	- 727	- 937	-2 657	-1 355	-3 075
Financial activities						
Change in interest-bearing debt	331	945	1 046	2 957	2 172	4 083
Change in long-term receivables	21	- 131	21	- 83	25	- 79
Dividend paid	-	-	- 682	- 989	- 686	- 993
Cash flow from financial activities	352	814	385	1 885	1 511	3 011
Cash flow for the period	698	829	1 422	1 309	3 522	3 409
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period	1 392	1 064	1 482	1 148	1 064	1 148
Translation differences	- 546	- 829	-1 360	-1 393	-3 042	-3 075
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period	1 544	1 064	1 544	1 064	1 544	1 482

Changes in shareholders' equity

MSEK	Share capital	Other Capital provided	Reserves	Retained earnings	Total	Non-controlling interest	Total equity
Opening balance on 1 January 2014	119	5 960	-1 993	12 445	16 531	29	16 560
Total comprehensive earnings for the period	-	-	1 840	960	2 800	23	2 823
Arising in connection with acqusitions	-	-	-	-	-	304	304
Dividend	-	-	-	-989	-989	-4	-993
Closing balance on 31 December 2014	119	5 960	-153	12 416	18 342	352	18 694
Opening balance on 1 January 2015	119	5 960	- 153	12 416	18 342	352	18 694
Total comprehensive earnings for the period	-	-	315	503	818	25	843
Dividend	-	-	-	- 667	- 667	- 15	- 682

Key figures for the Group

	Q3 2015	Q3 2014	Change %	Jan-Sep 2015	Jan-Sep 2014	Change %	Rolling 12M	FY 2014
Order intake, MSEK	7 398	6 414	15.3%	22 105	19 042	16.1%	29 880	26 817
Adj. for x-rates, acquisitions and divestments			5.2%			2.2%		
Net sales, MSEK	6 925	6 225	11.2%	20 818	18 184	14.5%	29 303	26 669
Adj. for x-rates, acquisitions and divestments			1.1%			0.7%		
Gross margin	46.8%	48.9%	-2.1%	46.7%	49.0%	-2.3%	47.5%	49.2%
EBITA before restructuring-, integration- and								
acquisition costs	828	920	-10.0%	2 260	2 496	-9.5%	4 265	4 501
EBITA margin before restructuring-, integration-								
and acquisition costs	12.0%	14.8%	-2.8%	10.9%	13.7%	-2.8%	14.6%	16.9%
Restructuring and integration costs	- 213	- 62		- 483	- 903	-46.5%	- 742	-1 162
Acquisition costs	- 2	- 6	-66.7%	- 23	- 16	43.8%	- 45	- 38
EBITA	612	852	-28.2%	1 755	1 577	11.3%	3 479	3 301
EBITA margin	8.8%	13.7%	-4.9%	8.4%	8.7%	-0.3%	11.9%	12.4%
Earnings per share after full tax, SEK	0.73	1.54	-52.6%	1.81	1.83	-1.1%	5.99	6.01
Adjusted earnings per share, SEK	1.98	2.29	-13.5%	5.21	6.13	-15.0%	10.83	11.75
Number of shares, thousands	238 323	238 323		238 323	238 323		238 323	238 323
Interest cover, multiple				4.8	6.0	-1.2		5.7
Operating capital, MSEK				40 465	35 025	15.5%		36 529
Return on operating capital, per cent				8.7%	11.2%	-2.5%		8.2%
Return on equity, per cent				6.1%	10.1%	-4.0%		10.4%
Net debt/equity ratio, multiple				1.25	1.27	-0.02		1.21
Cash Conversion	69.0%	60.7%	8.3%	65.4%	78.5%	-13.1%	65.6%	72.9%
Equity/assets ratio, per cent				35.2%	34.5%	0.7%		35.4%
Equity per share, SEK				79.12	70.30	12.5%		78.44
Number of employees				15 779	15 655	0.8%		15 747

Five-year review

	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011
MSEK	Sep 30				
Net Sales	20 818	18 184	17 530	16 433	14 500
Net profit	457	439	1 055	1 472	1 416
Earnings per share	1.81	1.83	4.40	6.15	5.92

Income statement for the Parent Company

MSEK	Q3 2015	Q3 2014	Jan-Sep 2015	Jan-Sep 2014	FY 2014
Administrative expenses	- 55	- 34	- 179	- 120	- 164
Operating profit	- 55	- 34	- 179	- 120	- 164
Financial net	630	- 984	- 189	-1 399	679
Profit after financial items	575	-1 018	- 368	-1 519	515
Profit before tax	575	-1 018	- 368	-1 519	515
Taxes	- 2	0	- 8	- 2	- 12
Net profit	573	-1 018	- 376	-1 521	503

Receivables and liabilities in foreign currencies were measured at the closing day rate, and a loss of SEK 668 M (loss: 1,643) is included in net financial items for the period January-September.

Balance sheet for the Parent Company

Assets, MSEK	2015 30-Sep	2014 30-Sep	2014 31-Dec
Tangible fixed assets		50	45
Shares in group companies	25 082	24 830	24 869
Deferred tax assets	43	28	43
Receivable from group companies	6 312	3 471	5 716
Short-term receivables	113	111	49
Liquid funds	-	-	801
Total assets	31 627	28 490	31 523
Shareholders' equity & Liabilities, MSEK	2015 30-Sep	2014 30-Sep	2014 31-Dec
Shareholders' equity	7 541	6 565	8 582
Long-term liabilities	16 627	13 003	14 282
Liabilities to group companies	2 296	2 172	2 309
Current liabilities	5 163	6 750	6 350
Total Equity & Liabilities	31 627	28 490	31 523

Acquisitions during 2015

No acquisitions has taken place in 2015.

TELECONFERENCE

Teleconference with CEO Alex Myers and CFO Ulf Grunander on October 15, 2015 at 3.00 pm CET Sweden: +46 (0) 8 5033 6539 UK: +44 (0)20 3427 1904

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NEXT REPORT

The next report from the Getinge Group (fourth quarter of 2015) will be published on January 28, 2016.

DEFINITIONS

MEDICAL TERMS

EBIT EBITA	Operating profit Operating profit before amortization of	Biosurgical mesh	Tissue-friendly products used for surgical treatment of hernias.
LDITA	intangible assets identified in conjunc- tion with corporate acquisitions	Cardiovascular	Pertaining or belonging to both heart and blood vessels.
EBITDA	Operating profit before depreciation and amortization	Cath lab	Abbreviation of "catheter laboratory" a laboratory or small operating
Cash conversion	Cash flow from operating activities as a percentage of EBITDA.		room equipped for interventional cardiology/minimally invasive
Adjusted earnings			cardiovascular procedures
per share	Net profit for the year adjusted for acquisition, restructuring and integra-	Cardiopulmonary	Pertaining or belonging to both heart and lungs
	tion costs, and amortization of intangi- ble assets on acquired companies di- vided by number of shares (average number).	Deep-vein Thrombosis	Formation of a blood clot in a deep leg vein

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ABOUT GETINGE

Getinge is a globally leading medical technology company that operates in the areas of surgery, intensive care, infection control, care ergonomics and wound care. Getinge has nearly 16,000 employees in over 40 countries and generates sales of about SEK 27 billion (2014). The Group is divided into three business areas: Medical Systems, Extended Care and Infection Control, and operates under the brands of Maquet, ArjoHuntleigh and Getinge.