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# **Overview of results**

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SEKm	Q4 2014	Q4 2013	Δ	FY 2014	<b>FY 2013</b> △
Net sales	10,600	10,638	0%	39,950	39,533 1%
EBITDA	520	621	-16%	2,198	2,310 -5%
Adjusted EBIT 1)	440	344	28%	861	826 4%
EBIT	-70	180		351	662 -47%
Income before tax	-86	121		245	454 -46%
Net income	-80	31		176	306 -42%
Cash flow from operating activities	1,290	1,645	-22%	670	1,657 -60%
Net debt	3,672	1,624		3,672	1,624

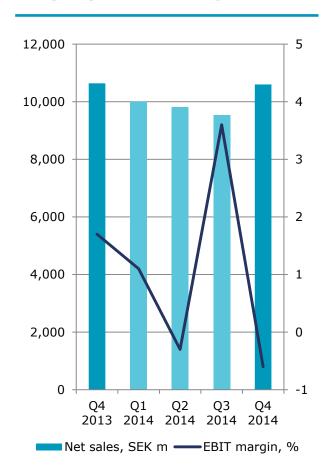
Figures for 2013 have been restated to reflect corrected reporting from a subsidiary.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Adjusted for items affecting comparability, primarily restructuring costs and a capital gain. For further information, see year-end report.

- Trends in the market unchanged:
  - Christmas e-commerce trade set new records, parcel volumes rising
  - Continued declining mail volumes
  - Tough competition in logistics market
- Cost-saving program within administration
  - Annual savings of around SEK 500m
  - Provisions of SEK 696m charged to earnings
  - Just under 800 employees in administration affected
- Within the scope of the capital efficiency program, properties were divested:
  - Capital gain of SEK 366m (0)
  - Positive impact on cash flow
- Evaluation of possible divestment of Strålfors

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# Continued restructuring work needed to strengthen earnings



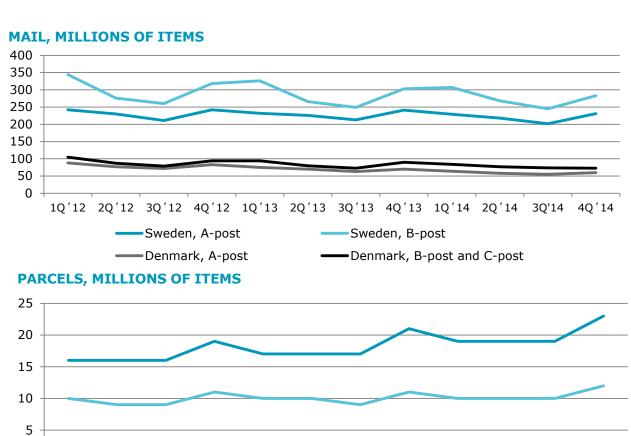
- Net sales of SEK 10,600m (10,638)
  - Net sales fell by 2%, excluding exchange rate effects
  - Declining mail volumes and continued tough competition in the logistics industry
- Adjusted EBIT of SEK 440m (344), 4.1% (3.2), excl. items affecting comparability
  - Costs lower thanks to cost-saving program increased parcel volumes added related variable costs
  - Further restructuring will be required as mail volumes decline
- Reported EBIT of SEK -70m (180), -0.6% (1.7)

# **Market development**

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- Year-on-year, mail volumes declined by 8% in Q4
  - 17% in Denmark
  - 6% in Sweden

- Year-on-year, Parcel volumes increased by 12% in Q4
  - Christmas e-commerce trade set new records
  - E-commerce-related
     B2C parcels increased by 17%



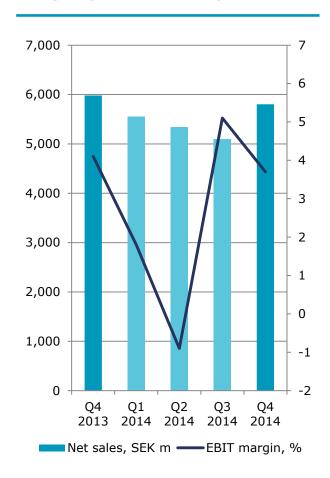
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——Sweden ——Denmark

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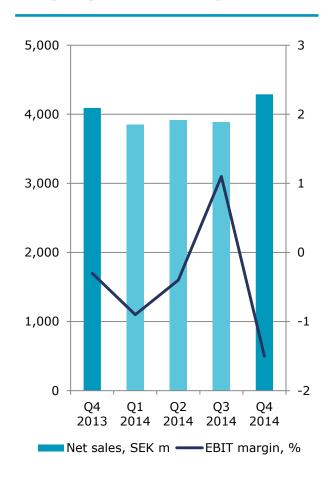
# **Mail & Communication:**

## Continuous restructuring will be needed as mail volumes decline



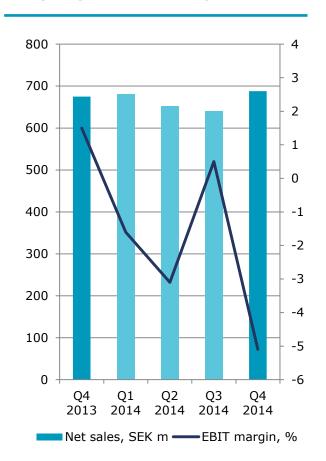
- Net sales fell by 5%, excluding exchange rate effects.
  - Mail volumes declined overall by 8%
- Adjusted EBIT of SEK 382m (276), 5.8% (4.1)
  - Positive impact from personnel streamlining measures
  - Continuous restructuring required as mail volumes decline
- Reported EBIT of SEK 246m (276), 3.7% (4.1)

# Focus on increased sales and cost efficiency



- Net sales rose by 4%, excluding exchange rate effects and acquisitions
  - Parcel volumes increased overall by 12%
  - Combination of new customer agreements and increased volumes
  - Market characterized by continued tough competition
- Adjusted EBIT SEK -2m (-15), 0.0% (-0.3)
  - Costs lower thanks to cost-saving program
  - Increased parcel volumes added related variable costs
  - Positive net impact on costs
- Adjusted EBIT SEK -66m (-15), -1.5% (-0.3)

# **Evaluation of possible divestment of Strålfors operations**

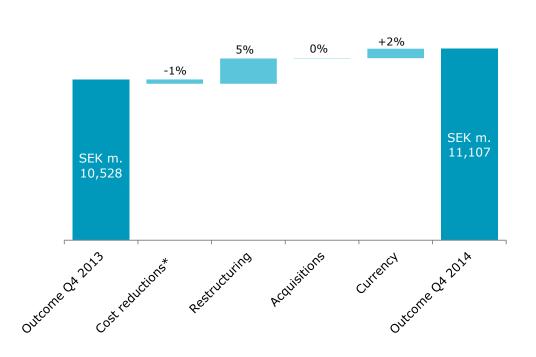


- Excluding acquisitions and exchange rate effects, net sales unchanged
  - Higher sales for new standardized printing solutions
  - Lower sales in the areas most exposed to digital competition
- Adjusted EBIT of SEK 29m (10), 4.1% (1.5)
  - Positive impact of cost-saving program
  - Adjusted for allocations of Group-wide costs
- Reported EBIT of SEK -35m (10), -5.1% (1.5)

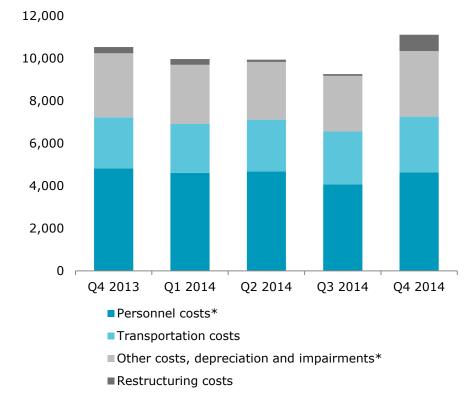
# **Cost development**

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#### **GROUP COST DEVELOPMENT**



#### **GROUP'S OPERATING COSTS, SEKm**



<sup>\*</sup>Including cost inflation

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# **Cash flow development**

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- Cash flow for the period SEK 1,155m
- Positive change in working capital
  - Lower current receivables
  - Higher current liabilities
- Sale of properties
- New loan of SEK 200m from Svensk Exportkredit
- Repayment of SEK 400m in commercial paper program

## Cash flow during Q4 2014, SEKm 1,400 +35 -170 1,200 1,000 +825 800 600 400 +465 200 0 **FFO** Changes in Investments Financing working capital

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- Net debt decreased by SEK 525m in Q4, to SEK 3,672m
  - Positive cash flow from operating activities
  - Sale of properties
  - Negative impact from revaluation of pension liability based on a lower discount rate
- Financial preparedness SEK 3,843m, of which cash and cash equivalents SEK 1,843m

#### **NET DEBT**

SEKm	Dec. 31, 2014	Sept. 30, 2014
Interest-bearing liabilities Pensions* <b>Total</b>	-5,384 -1,223 <b>-6,607</b>	-701
Financial receivables Cash and cash equivalents	1,092 1,843	1,341 684
Net debt	-3,672	-4,197
Net debt/EBITDA, mult.	1.7	1.8
Net debt ratio, %	46	48
Financial preparedness	3,843	2,684

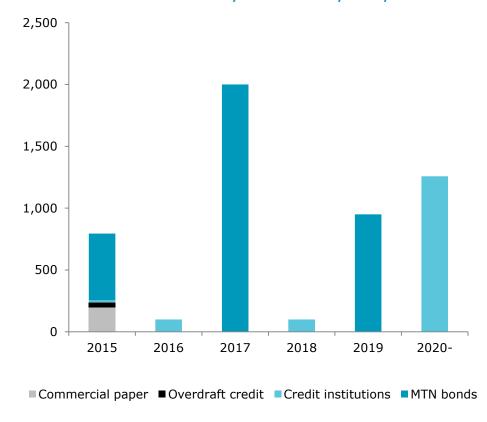
<sup>\*</sup>Including assets under management

# **Credit profile**

#### **OVERVIEW OF CREDIT FACILITIES, DECEMBER 31, 2014**

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Credit	Total amount SEKbn	Amount drawn SEKbn
Revolving credit facility, maturing in 2017, SEK	2.0	0
Commercial paper, SEK	3.0	0.2
Credit institutions	1.5	1.5
MTN program, SEK	6.0	3.5
Total drawn, Dec. 31, 2014		5.2
Lines of credit with short term to maturity		0.8

#### **DEBT MATURITY PROFILE, December 31, 2014, SEKm**



An unutilized rolling credit facility (RCF) of SEK 2.0bn is in place, maturing in 2017

- The targets are long-term and are to be evaluated over a period of 3-5 years
- Our updated financial targets were approved at the 2014 AGM

Area	Key ratio	FY 2014	Target
Profitability	Return on capital employed (ROCE)	3.1%	10.5%
Capital structure	Net debt ratio	46%	10-50%
Dividend Policy	Dividend	2014: Proposal of no dividend 2013: SEK 129m (40%) was paid in April 2014	40-60 % of net income (guide value 50%)

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