



# „Living the Change“

**3-Months Reporting 2010**

*Investor Conference Call*

*5<sup>th</sup> May 2010*

## AUGUSTA is coming strongly out of the crisis 1/2

- **AUGUSTA Q1 performance confirms strategic repositioning. Sale of Logistic Automation (DLoG) enables further focus on Sensors and **Vision!****
- **First strong quarter of AUGUSTA group after a crisis year in 2009**
  - **Group revenues up by 13% YoY**
  - **Order entry +102% YoY. Book-to-bill at 1.24. Order book + 28% YoY**
  - **EBIT growth by 46% YoY. Q1 EBIT margin at pre-crisis level of 14.0%**
  - **Positive operating cash flow despite increased working capital**
  - **High cash position at €32.7 million increase financial strength for strategic acquisitions**
- **Improved customer mix and international reach**
- **Share price increase by 8% in Q1. Outperformed DAX and TecDAX**
- **Increase of revenue and profit guidance for 2010 based on performance and outlook**

## AUGUSTA is coming strongly out of the crisis 2/2

### Sensors

#### Sensors & Microsystems Technology (SMST)

- Market growth of 5 percent expected in 2010
- SMST YoY Sales up by 7%. Strong order entry
- Recovery across all sensor markets with the exception of Machine Building and Engineering
- Higher demand for application specific sensor and electronics/engineering and manufacturing services (E<sup>2</sup>MS). Good RFP and project pipeline. Recovery of frame contracts

#### Mobile Measuring Systems (MM)

- Weak Q1 2010 in Germany and EU. Recovery slower than oversea's business
- Large projects Q1 2009 (US and China) missing for start in 2010
- However, volume business China and US intact and doing well

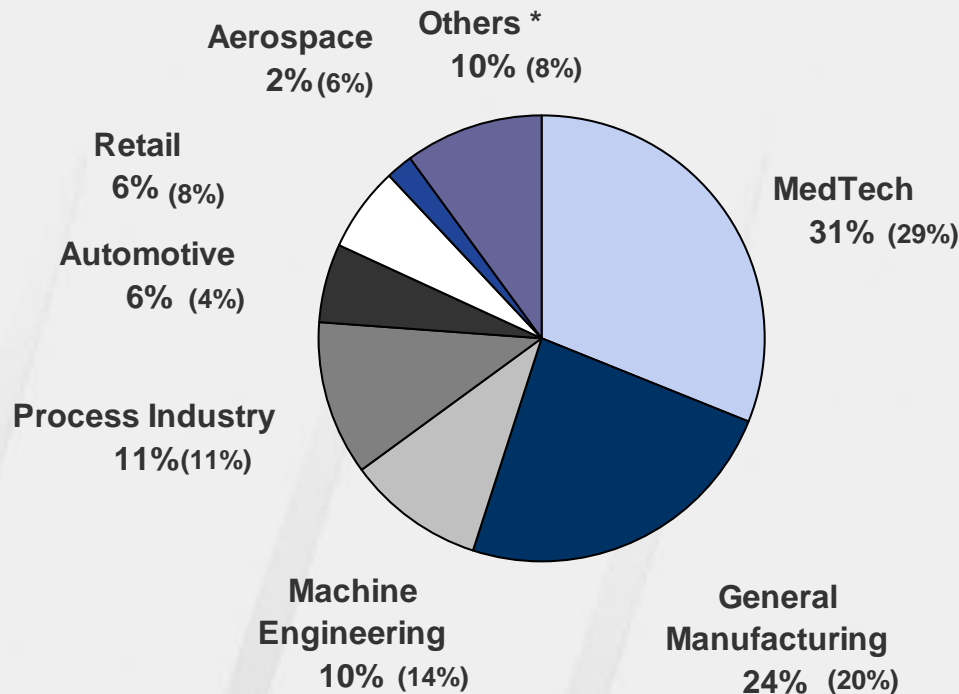
### Vision

#### Vision Technology (VT)

- Moderate market recovery with 5% growth expected for Machine Vision in 2010
- Sales up by 40% YoY outgrowing competition
  - Right product mix (FW and GigE)
  - Sales ramp up of 2009 product launches
- High Q1 2010 profitability (EBITDA of 33%)
  - New product designs (increased margins)
  - Cost containment in OPEX
- **FireWire:** increasing demand in traditional industrial machine vision and MedTech
- **GigE:** continued two digit growth also in Q1 2010 based on new applications, e.g. outdoor imaging and traffic automation
- **Asia:** new sales office Singapore opened. Intensified support for promising Asian markets

# Improved customer mix with emphasis on long term growth opportunities

Revenue by Vertical Q1 2010



- **Positive shift in customer structure**

- MedTech and new non-industrial revenue streams increased
- Crisis related decline of machine builders and engineering
- Improvement of general manufacturing
- Retail declined based on DLoG sale

- **Focus on long term customer needs**

- Efficiency improvement/automation
- Quality increase
- Health & Safety

- **Well balanced customer base**

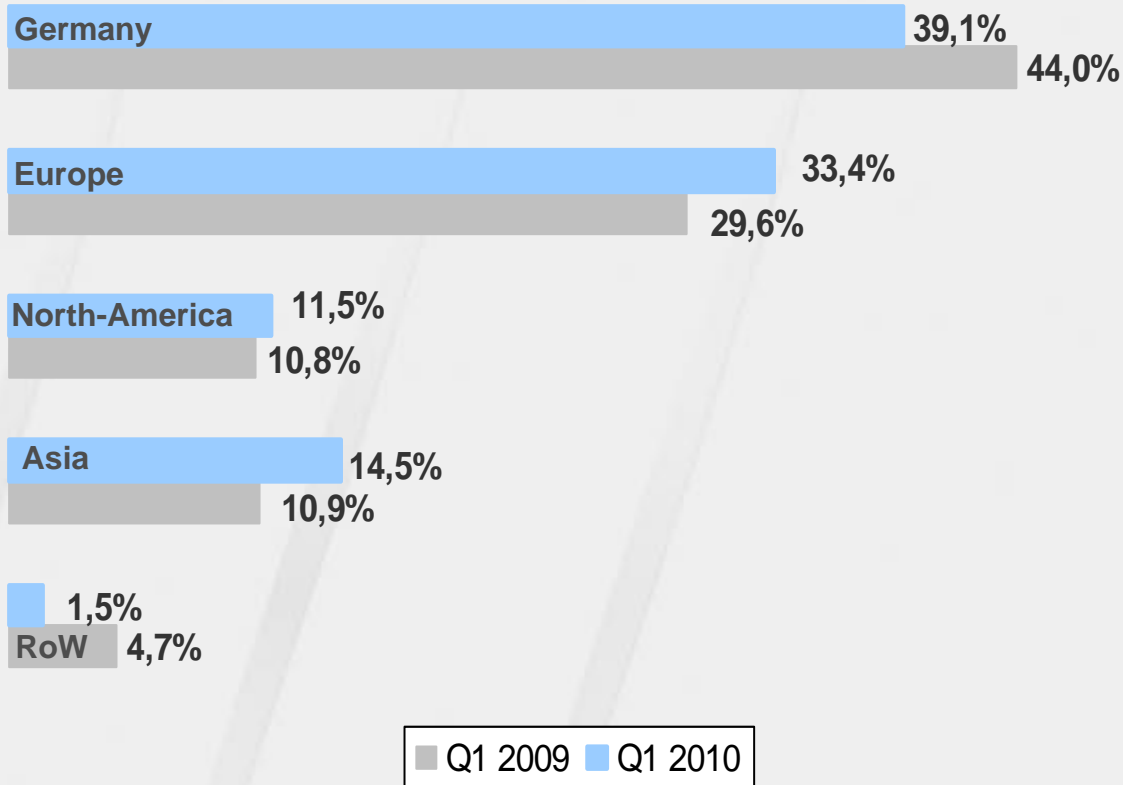
- Customer mix (industrial vs. non industrial)
- No customer > 3% of revenue

FY 2009 Figures in ( )

\* Energy, Technology, Traffic, Transportation, Logistics

## Internationalization of AUGUSTA business continues

### Regional revenue split (%)



- **Global business expanded**

- Q1 2009: 23.9 m€
- Q1 2010: 26.9 m€ (+12.7%)

- **Germany**

- YoY revenues almost on the same level

- **Europe +30 % YoY**

- Stronger position in key markets

- **North-America +6% YoY**

- Market still not fully recovered
- Growth in Vision Tech, but decline in Mobile Measuring solutions

- **Asia + 32 % YoY**

- Successfully addressing promising market opportunity with both segments
- Singapore:
  - Vision Tech with new sales office
  - Sensor production to be ramped up in second half 2010

## Strong Group performance in Q1 2010

| in €million         | Q1 2009      | Q1 2010      | △            |  |
|---------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--|
| <b>Revenues</b>     | <b>23.9</b>  | <b>26.9</b>  | <b>+13%</b>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Improved position at customers pays off</li> <li>Camera business is key driver</li> </ul>                   |
| <b>Order Income</b> | <b>16.6</b>  | <b>33.5</b>  | <b>+102%</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Very strong order entry in Q1 2010</li> <li>Book-to-bill of ~ 1.24 indicates further growth</li> </ul>      |
| <b>Gross Margin</b> | <b>41.7%</b> | <b>43.8%</b> | <b>-</b>     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Gross margin improved significantly</li> <li>Improved product mix and cost structure</li> </ul>             |
| <b>OPEX</b>         | <b>7.4</b>   | <b>8.0</b>   | <b>+9%</b>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Moderate increase and hiring of key position</li> <li>Singapore structure and M&amp;A activities</li> </ul> |
| <b>EBITDA</b>       | <b>3.3</b>   | <b>4.5</b>   | <b>+38%</b>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>EBITDA margin of 16.7%</li> <li>Lower cost base in all subsidiaries</li> </ul>                              |
| <b>EBIT</b>         | <b>2.6</b>   | <b>3.8</b>   | <b>+46%</b>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>EBIT margin of 14.0% again in the long-term target range</li> </ul>   |

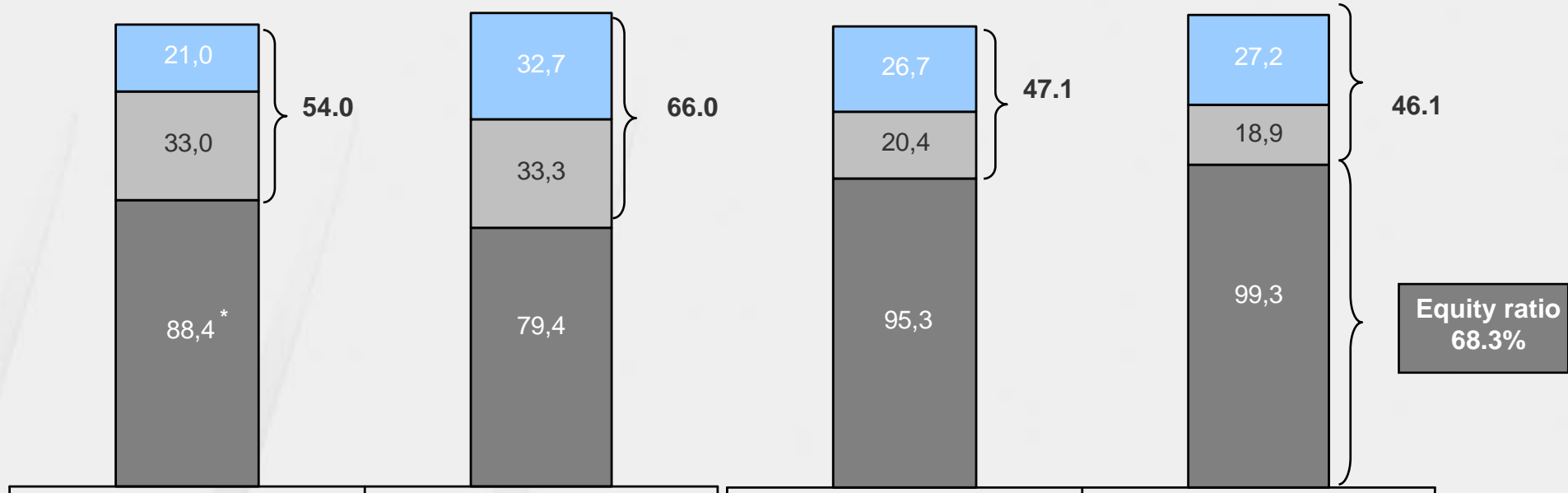
# Strong Balance Sheet with high equity ratio

in € million

Total assets

Cash position increased;  
dividend payment of €2.28m(e)

Total equity and liabilities



FY 2009

Q1 2010

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Q1 2010

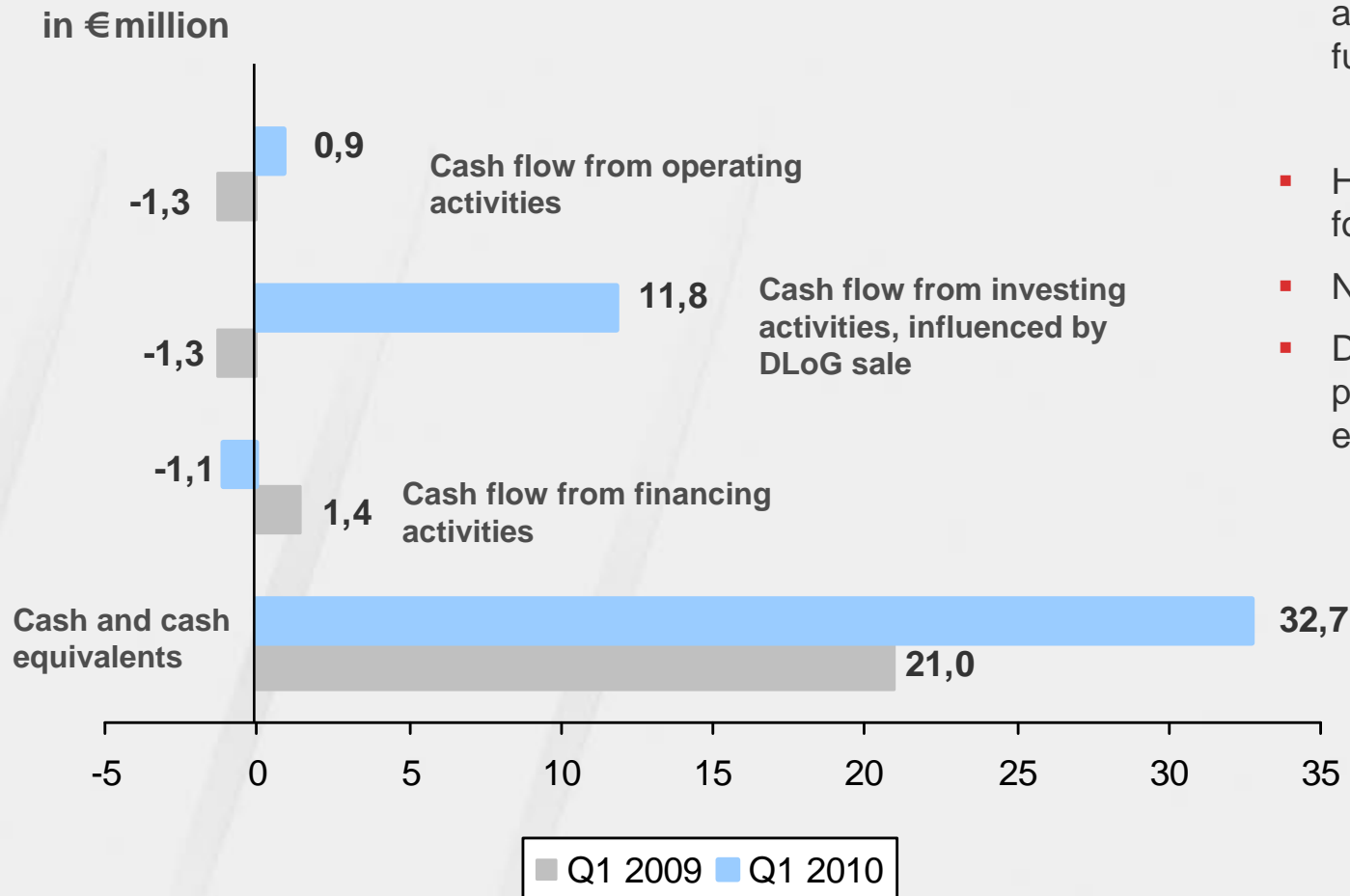
- Cash and cash equivalents
- Current assets (excl. cash)
- Noncurrent assets

- Current liabilities
- Noncurrent liabilities
- Shareholders equity

Equity ratio  
68.3%

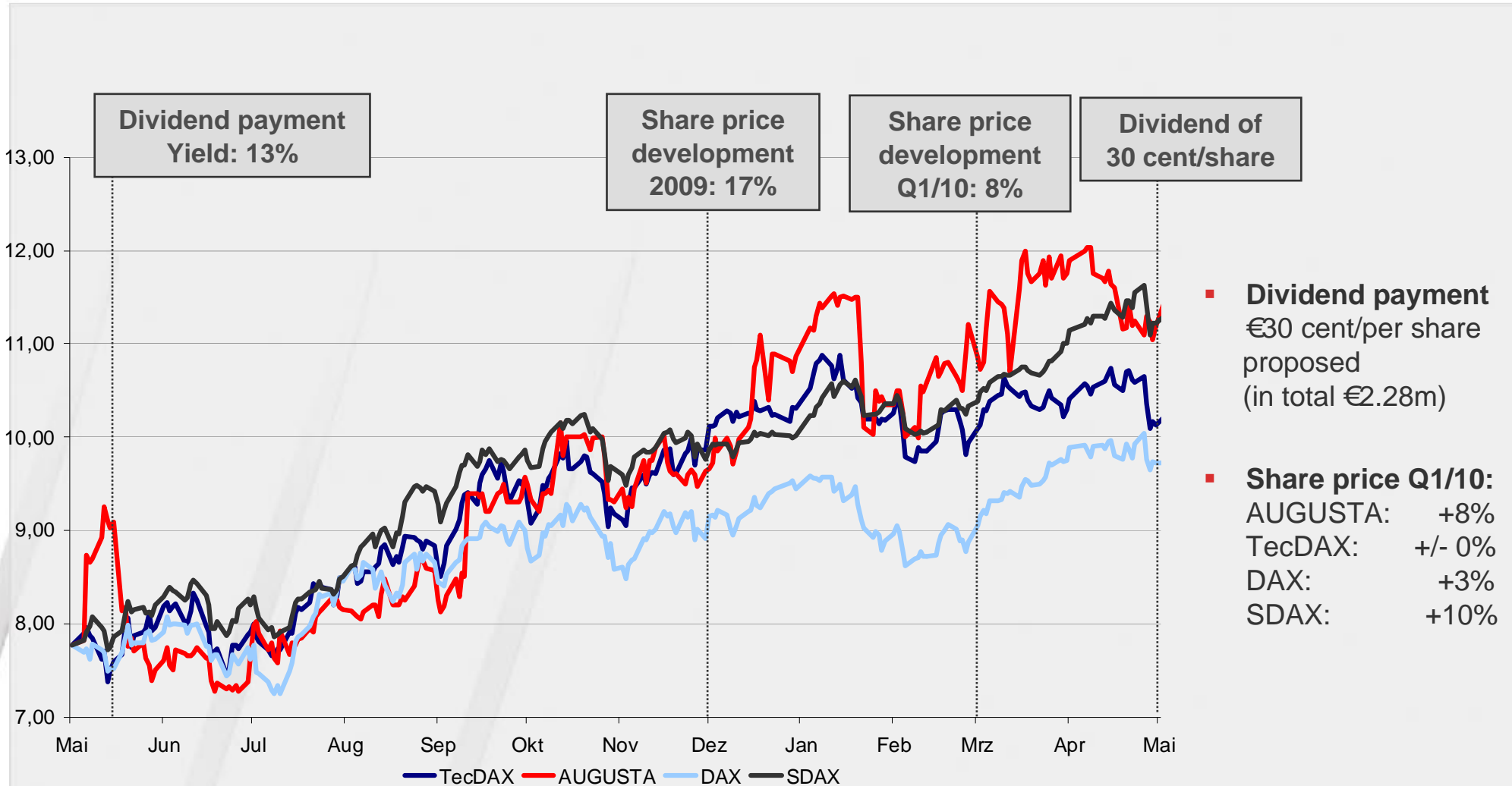
\* thereof Goodwill of €56.0 millions after DLoG sale

## Positive operating cash flow situation despite WC increase



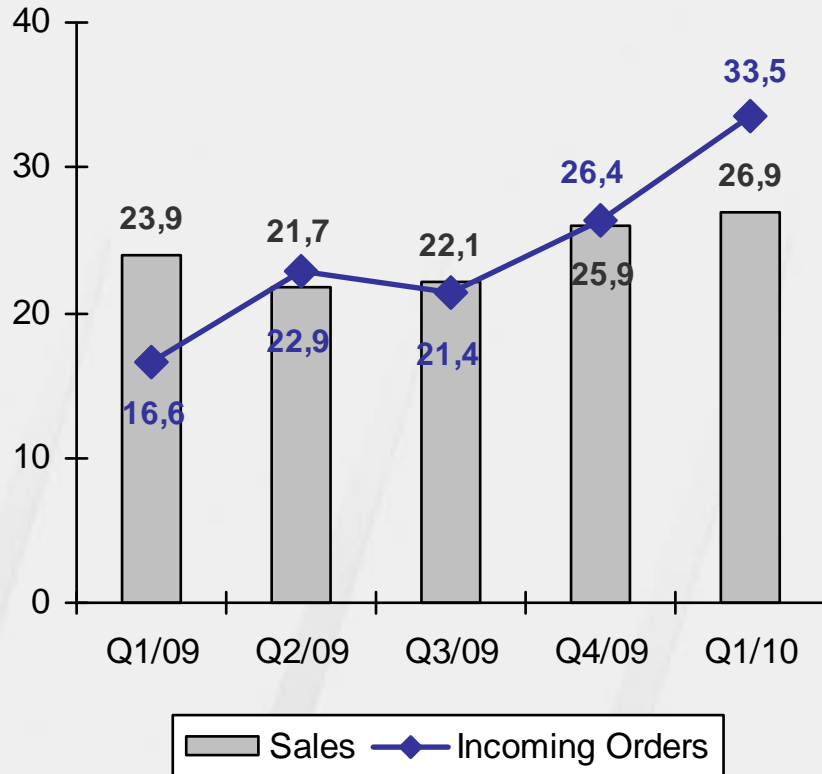
- €3.0m increase in Working Capital because of higher sales volume and buffer stock; prepared for further sales growth in Q2, Q3
- High cash position creates scope for acquisitions
- Net liquidity situation at €8.0m
- Dividend payment of 30 cent/ per share (in total €2.28m expected)

# AUGUSTA stock outperformed Indexes YoY, paid out a dividend and is still perceived as „undervalued“



# Book-to-bill has been > 1 since Q4. Indication for continuous growth in 2010

FY 2009 in €millions



### Order book

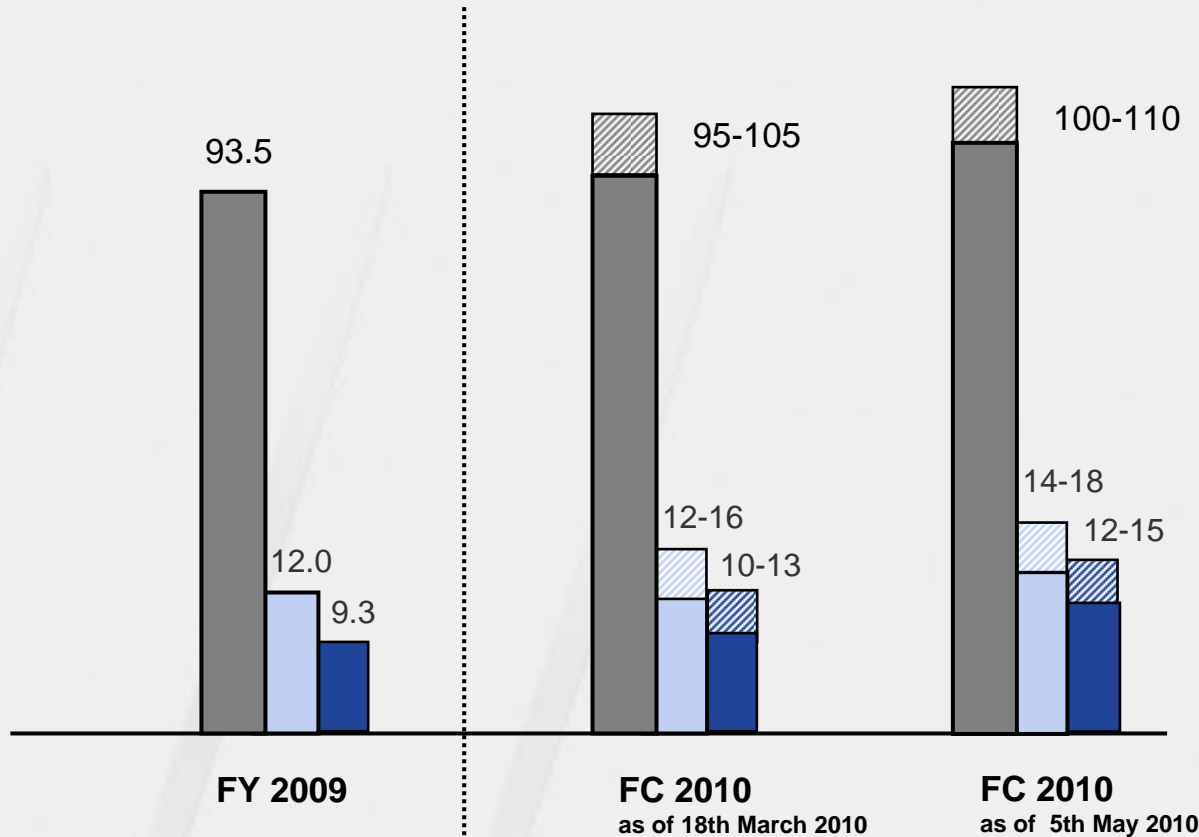
- Year Q1 end 2009: €35.5m
- Year Q1 end 2010: €45.3m (+28%)

### Development

- Highest revenues in Q1 2010 since the crisis started
- Q4 2009 for the first time with a book-to-bill >1
- Positive order entry in Q1 2010 continued
- Q1 2010 book-to-bill at 1.24
- Incoming orders underline recovery in all segments

# AUGUSTA increases the revenue and profitability guidance for 2010

AUGUSTA Core Business in €million



- Strong orderbook indicates solid revenues in Q2, Q3 2010
- Profitability Q1 indicates improving profitability 2010 compared to 2009 (product mix, structural changes 2009)

Revenue EBITDA EBIT

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