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2012 Macro update

- Global economy
 - Weak Western Europe
 - US showed some growth
 - China still good growth
- Tissue
 - Strong growth in emerging markets
 - Some growth in Western Europe and North America
- Personal Care
 - Good demand for incontinence products in Europe
 - Stable demand for baby diapers and feminine care in Western Europe
 - Strong growth in emerging markets
- Forest Products
 - European demand for publication papers decreased
 - Continued weak demand for solid-wood products
 - Improved market balance for kraftliner







- Divestment of the Packaging business, excluding the two kraftliner mills
- Acquisition of Georgia-Pacific's European tissue operations
- Strengthened positions in emerging markets
 - Acquisition of Everbeauty in Asia
 - Increased shareholding in Vinda
 - Acquisition of PISA in Chile
- Joint venture in Australia/New Zealand
- Divestment of Aylesford Newsprint and Laakirchen publication paper mills
- Efficiency programs
- New hygiene organization



SCA Group's Priorities





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Efficiency

2012 Cost and productivity program

- Annual cost saving: EUR 300m
- Full effect in 2015
- Georgia-Pacific synergies
 - Annual cost saving: EUR 125m
 - Full effect in 2016
- Efficiency program in Forest Products
 - Annual earnings improvement: SEK 1,300m
 - Full effect in 2015

Innovation drives Profitable growth

Strengthens market positions and profitability







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Growth

- Sales growth of 11%*
- High growth in emerging markets
- Acquisition of Georgia-Pacific's European tissue operations
- Acquisition of Everbeauty, an Asian personal care company
- Acquisition of PISA, a Chilean tissue company

* 2012 compared with 2011, excluding exchange rate movements and divestments



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Summary Full year 2012 vs full year 2011

- Sales growth 11%*
 - Hygiene business, 15%*
 - Higher volumes
 - Improved product mix
 - Acquisitions
 - Strong growth in emerging markets
 - Forest Products, -8%*
 - Lower prices, currency impact
- EBIT increased 17%**
 - Higher volumes
 - Lower raw material costs
 - Positive price/mix in Hygiene business, negative in Forest Products
 - Cost savings
 - Acquisition
- Operating cash flow increased 30%



^{*} Excluding exchange rate movements and divestments

^{**} Excluding items affecting comparability, exchange rate movements and divestments

Full year 2012 results



SEK millions			Change,	Change,
unless otherwise stated	2012	2011	%	% **
Net sales	85,408	81,337	5	11
EBIT*	8,646	7,738	12	17
EBIT margin* (%)	10.1	9.5		
Profit before tax*	7,382	6,413	15	21
Earnings per share (SEK)	7.06	0.78		
Operating cash flow	9,644	7,418	30	a
Debt/Equity ratio	0.55	0.60		3-7

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Summary Q4 2012 vs Q4 2011

- Sales growth 21%*
 - Hygiene business, 25%*
 - Higher volumes
 - Acquisitions
 - Strong growth in emerging markets
 - Forest Products, -9%*
 - Lower prices, currency impact
 - Lower publication paper volumes
- EBIT increased 16%**
 - Higher volumes
 - Lower raw material costs
 - Acquisition
 - Cost savings
- Operating cash flow increased 17%

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Q4 2012 results

SEK millions	Q4	Q4	Change,	Change,
unless otherwise stated	2012	2011	Q4/Q4,%	Q4/Q4,%**
Net sales	23,445	20,935	12	21
EBIT*	2,422	2,139	13	16
EBIT margin* (%)	10.3%	10.2%		
Profit before tax*	2,129	1,772	20	24
Earnings per share (SEK)	2.97	-4.88		
Operating Cash flow	2,446	2,092	17	we replant 3



* Excluding items affecting comparability

** Adjusted for exchange rate movements and excluding divestments

Q4 2012 vs. Q3 2012

Summary

Group

- Sales growth 6%
- EBIT increased 6%*

Business areas

- Personal Care, EBIT increased 4%*
 - Higher volumes
 - Lower raw material costs
 - Improved price/mix
- Tissue, EBIT increased 11%*
 - Lower raw material costs
 - Higher volumes
 - Improved price/mix
- Forest Products, EBIT increased 13%*
 - Lower raw material costs

* Excluding exchange rate movements and items affecting comparability

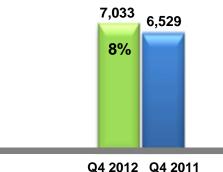




Personal Care

Q4 2012 vs Q4 2011







- Excluding exchange rate movements and divestments
- Excluding items affecting comparability **
- Excluding items affecting comparability, exchange rate movements and divestments ***

Sales growth 8% (15%*)

- Incontinence care increased 9%*
- Baby diapers increased 17%*
- Feminine care increased 11%*
- Emerging markets increased 21%*

EBIT increased 12%** (16%***)

- Higher volumes
- Lower raw material costs
- Cost savings







Tissue Q4 2012 vs Q4 2011





1,419 **36%****1,046 **EBIT** SEKm** Q4 2012 Q4 2011 **EBIT margin**** 11.4 % 10.2%

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Sales growth 21% (32%*)

- Consumer tissue increased 38%*
- AFH tissue increased 28%*
- Emerging markets increased 23%*

EBIT increased by 36%** (41%***)

- Higher volumes
- Lower raw material costs
- Cost savings





Forest Products

Q4 2012 vs Q4 2011





479 318 -34%** EBIT* SEKm Q4 2012 Q4 2011 EBIT margin* 7.7% 10.0%

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Sales decreased 14% (9%*)

- Publication papers, decreased sales
 - Lower prices and volumes
- Solid-wood products, decreased sales
 - Higher volumes
 - Lower prices
- Kraftliner, flat sales
- Pulp, flat sales

EBIT decreased 34%**

- Lower prices
- Negative currency impact
- Lower publication paper volumes





Dividend

Proposed 7.1% increase of the dividend to SEK 4.50 (4.20) per share



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Summary

- Transformation of SCA
- Substantial efficiency programs launched
- New hygiene organization
- Good sales and earnings growth in the hygiene business
- Lower profitability in Forest Products
- Strong cash flow generation
- Dividend increase







Q&A



