(CDAX, Software/IT)



| D                |             | Value Indicators:        | EUR      | Share data:         |              | Description:                 |        |
|------------------|-------------|--------------------------|----------|---------------------|--------------|------------------------------|--------|
| Buy              |             | DCF:                     | 53.75    | Bloomberg:          | GKS GR       | Leading software company for | nr.    |
| - 4 00           |             | FCF-Value Potential:     | 53.54    | Reuters: GKS0       |              | stationary retailers         | )1     |
| EUR <b>54.00</b> | (EUR 45.00) |                          |          | ISIN:               | DE0007571424 | •                            |        |
|                  |             | Market Snapshot:         | EUR m    | Shareholders:       |              | Risk Profile (WRe):          | 2013e  |
|                  |             | Market cap:              | 79.2     | Freefloat           | 42.5 %       | Beta:                        | 1.2    |
| Price            | EUR 41.90   | No. of shares (m):       | 1.9      | GK Software Holding | 52.3 %       | Price / Book:                | 2.3 x  |
| Upside           | 28.9 %      | EV:                      | 66.4     | Rainer Gläß         | 3.0 %        | Equity Ratio:                | 68 %   |
|                  |             | Freefloat MC:            | 33.6     | Stephan Kronmüller  | 2.2 %        | Net Fin. Debt / EBITDA:      | -2.1 x |
|                  |             | Ø Trad. Vol. (30d; EUR): | 14.49 th |                     |              | Net Debt / EBITDA:           | -1.8 x |

# SAP receives right of first refusal

On Tuesday, December 17, GK Software announced the successful allocation of a cash capital increase to SAP (see Comment dated 13.12.13). More important however is the phrase, "in combination with the purchase of the new shares (...) SAP has been granted a right of first refusal to the shares held directly and indirectly by the two founders Rainer Gläß and Stephan Kronmüller, until 31.12. 2020". This currently represents a good 52% of the share capital (after the capital increase).

- This allows for **speculation** of a **takeover** of **GK** by **SAP** in the medium term. Here, the question arises as to whether a complete takeover by SAP would not have made sense at this point in time. This would seem not to have been possible as the majority shareholders would not have been sufficiently willing to sell at the current level. The right of first refusal now enables SAP to control the important share transactions in GK and, as soon as the existing shareholders regard a critical valuation threshold as reached and the operative development is satisfactory, an offer can be made to the minority shareholders together with the takeover of the majority stakes.
- An order from the **Swiss retailer Migros** was also announced today. The announcment by way of a press release rather than an ad-hoc announcement allows the conclusion to be drawn that this order is rather small to medium sized. No details were given on the volume of the order. As orders of this size were already included in the forecasts, the estimates will not be adjusted. Decisive here is also that this order is **a joint project by SAP and GK**.
- The sale of the shares and the right of first refusal again underlines the importance of the cooperation between the companies.

The GK Software share continues to be rated at Buy. The price target has been increased again (reduction risk premium) to EUR 54.



| Rel. Performance vs CDAX: |         |
|---------------------------|---------|
| 1 month:                  | 41.2 %  |
| 6 months:                 | 35.0 %  |
| Year to date:             | -6.5 %  |
| Trailing 12 months:       | -3.1 %  |
| Company events:           |         |
| 20 N/ 1/                  | EV 2013 |

| FY End: 31.12.<br>in EUR m | CAGR<br>(12-15e) | 2009   | 2010   | 2011    | 2012    | 2013e  | 2014e  | 2015e  |
|----------------------------|------------------|--------|--------|---------|---------|--------|--------|--------|
| Sales                      | 16.1 %           | 23.3   | 27.7   | 31.8    | 28.4    | 38.8   | 40.5   | 44.5   |
| Change Sales yoy           |                  | 54.9 % | 19.0 % | 14.7 %  | -10.5 % | 36.5 % | 4.3 %  | 10.0 % |
| Gross profit margin        |                  | 98.4 % | 96.8 % | 102.8 % | 99.8 %  | 97.4 % | 97.4 % | 97.4 % |
| EBITDA                     | 56.2 %           | 6.2    | 8.0    | 8.6     | 2.9     | 6.9    | 9.9    | 10.9   |
| Margin                     |                  | 26.5 % | 28.8 % | 27.1 %  | 10.1 %  | 17.8 % | 24.4 % | 24.4 % |
| EBIT                       | 116.6 %          | 4.9    | 6.4    | 6.7     | 8.0     | 4.4    | 7.3    | 8.0    |
| Margin                     |                  | 21.0 % | 23.2 % | 21.0 %  | 2.8 %   | 11.3 % | 17.9 % | 17.9 % |
| Net income                 | 103.1 %          | 3.5    | 4.5    | 4.6     | 0.7     | 3.1    | 5.1    | 5.7    |
| EPS                        | 99.1 %           | 2.11   | 2.68   | 2.55    | 0.38    | 1.65   | 2.72   | 3.00   |
| EPS adj.                   | 99.1 %           | 2.11   | 2.68   | 2.55    | 0.38    | 1.65   | 2.72   | 3.00   |
| DPS                        | 0.0 %            | 1.00   | 0.50   | 0.50    | 0.50    | 0.50   | 0.50   | 0.50   |
| Dividend Yield             |                  | 5.3 %  | 1.0 %  | 1.1 %   | 1.3 %   | 1.2 %  | 1.2 %  | 1.2 %  |
| FCFPS                      |                  | 1.96   | -0.79  | 1.29    | 0.57    | 2.53   | 3.07   | 3.11   |
| EV / Sales                 |                  | 1.2 x  | 2.7 x  | 2.2 x   | 2.2 x   | 1.7 x  | 1.5 x  | 1.3 x  |
| EV / EBITDA                |                  | 4.5 x  | 9.4 x  | 8.1 x   | 22.4 x  | 9.6 x  | 6.2 x  | 5.2 x  |
| EV / EBIT                  |                  | 5.7 x  | 11.7 x | 10.5 x  | 81.4 x  | 15.2 x | 8.5 x  | 7.1 x  |
| P/E                        |                  | 9.0 x  | 18.4 x | 17.1 x  | 101.4 x | 25.4 x | 15.4 x | 14.0 x |
| P / E adj.                 |                  | 9.0 x  | 18.4 x | 17.1 x  | 101.4 x | 25.4 x | 15.4 x | 14.0 x |
| FCF Yield Potential        |                  | 16.8 % | 8.2 %  | 9.5 %   | 4.2 %   | 8.5 %  | 12.7 % | 15.1 % |
| Net Debt                   |                  | -3.9   | -7.1   | -8.4    | -5.1    | -12.8  | -17.6  | -22.6  |
| ROE                        |                  | 26.0 % | 22.6 % | 17.4 %  | 2.4 %   | 10.0 % | 14.2 % | 13.9 % |
| ROCE (NOPAT)               |                  | 43.6 % | 31.9 % | 25.0 %  | 3.0 %   | 14.0 % | 24.4 % | 27.3 % |
| Guidance:                  | n.a.             |        |        |         |         |        |        |        |

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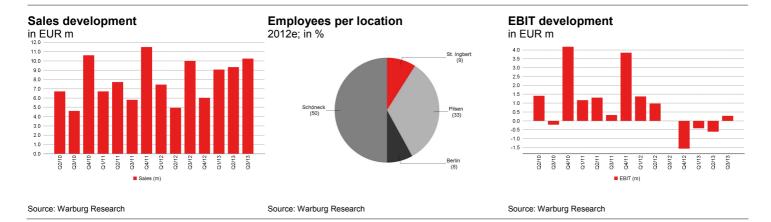
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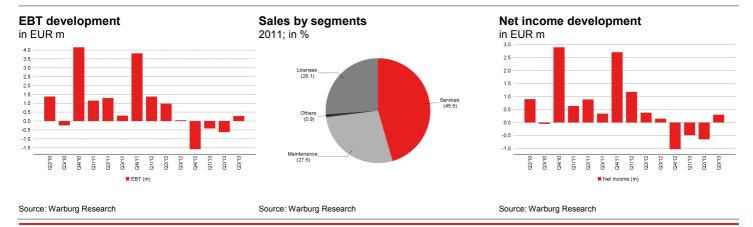


### **Company Background**

- GK Software is the leading software supplier for retailers. The number of GK installations exceeds 55,000 in 22 countries.
- As well as standard processes, GK Software solutions facilitate special requirements such as bonus programmes, the recording of fiscal details and the seamless integration in back-end solutions.
- The business activities of GK Software divides into two segments the sale of product licences and the corresponding services.

# **Competitive Quality**

- The structural advantages of GK Software are compelling:
- GK Software's leading solution is completely Java-based, which makes it lean, platform independent and means it can be operated on the exisiting customer infrastructure.
- For many retail projects, GK competitors tend to undercalculate their bids and as a consequence are unable to complete the project on time and within budget.
- GK has outstanding reference clients (Hornbach, Kaufhof, Doublas, Netto, Tchibo, T-Punkt, Thalia, JYSK Nordic...)
- At the same time, GK Software's personnel costs are, depending on the location, often about 20% below those of a similar project team of a large system integrator.





| DCF model                           |         |           |          |        |        |        |        |                   |           |        |        |        |        |             |
|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------|----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------------------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------------|
|                                     | Detaile | d forecas | t period |        |        |        | 7      | ransition [       | al period |        |        |        |        | Term. Value |
| Figures in EUR m                    | 2013e   | 2014e     | 2015e    | 2016e  | 2017e  | 2018e  | 2019e  | 2020e             | 2021e     | 2022e  | 2023e  | 2024e  | 2025e  |             |
| Sales                               | 38.8    | 40.5      | 44.5     | 47.6   | 50.0   | 52.5   | 55.2   | 57.9              | 60.8      | 63.8   | 67.0   | 68.7   | 70.4   |             |
| Sales change                        | 36.5 %  | 4.3 %     | 10.0 %   | 7.0 %  | 5.0 %  | 5.0 %  | 5.0 %  | 5.0 %             | 5.0 %     | 5.0 %  | 5.0 %  | 2.5 %  | 2.5 %  | 2.5 %       |
| EBIT                                | 4.4     | 7.3       | 8.0      | 8.6    | 9.0    | 9.5    | 9.9    | 10.4              | 10.9      | 11.5   | 12.1   | 12.4   | 12.7   |             |
| EBIT-margin                         | 11.3 %  | 17.9 %    | 17.9 %   | 18.0 % | 18.0 % | 18.0 % | 18.0 % | 18.0 %            | 18.0 %    | 18.0 % | 18.0 % | 18.0 % | 18.0 % |             |
| Tax rate (EBT)                      | 29.0 %  | 29.0 %    | 29.0 %   | 29.0 % | 29.0 % | 29.0 % | 29.0 % | 29.0 %            | 29.0 %    | 29.0 % | 29.0 % | 29.0 % | 29.0 % |             |
| NOPAT                               | 3.1     | 5.1       | 5.7      | 6.1    | 6.4    | 6.7    | 7.0    | 7.4               | 7.8       | 8.2    | 8.6    | 8.8    | 9.0    |             |
| Depreciation                        | 2.5     | 2.6       | 2.9      | 2.4    | 2.5    | 2.6    | 2.2    | 1.7               | 1.8       | 0.6    | 0.7    | 0.7    | 0.7    |             |
| in % of Sales                       | 6.5 %   | 6.5 %     | 6.5 %    | 5.0 %  | 5.0 %  | 5.0 %  | 4.0 %  | 3.0 %             | 3.0 %     | 1.0 %  | 1.0 %  | 1.0 %  | 1.0 %  |             |
| Changes in provisions               | 0.0     | 0.0       | 0.0      | -1.5   | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0               | 0.0       | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0    |             |
| Change in Liquidity from            |         |           |          |        |        |        |        |                   |           |        |        |        |        |             |
| <ul> <li>Working Capital</li> </ul> | -0.5    | 0.5       | 1.2      | 1.4    | -0.3   | -0.4   | -0.5   | 0.6               | 0.6       | 0.7    | 0.7    | 0.4    | 0.4    |             |
| - Capex                             | 1.4     | 1.5       | 1.5      | 1.4    | 1.5    | 1.6    | 1.7    | 1.7               | 1.2       | 0.6    | 0.7    | 0.7    | 0.7    |             |
| Capex in % of Sales                 | 3.5 %   | 3.7 %     | 3.4 %    | 3.0 %  | 3.0 %  | 3.0 %  | 3.0 %  | 3.0 %             | 2.0 %     | 1.0 %  | 1.0 %  | 1.0 %  | 1.0 %  |             |
| Other                               | 0.0     | 0.0       | 0.0      | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0               | 0.0       | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0    |             |
| Free Cash Flow (WACC Model)         | 4.8     | 5.8       | 5.9      | 4.1    | 7.7    | 8.2    | 8.1    | 6.8               | 7.8       | 7.5    | 7.9    | 8.4    | 8.6    | 9           |
| PV of FCF                           | 4.8     | 5.3       | 4.9      | 3.2    | 5.4    | 5.3    | 4.8    | 3.7               | 3.8       | 3.4    | 3.3    | 3.2    | 3.0    | 44          |
| share of PVs                        |         | 15.48 %   |          |        |        |        |        | 39.9 <sup>-</sup> | 1 %       |        |        |        |        | 44.61 %     |

| Model parameter    |          |                     |      | Valuation (m)              |     |                       |       |
|--------------------|----------|---------------------|------|----------------------------|-----|-----------------------|-------|
| Derivation of WACC | <b>:</b> | Derivation of Beta: |      | Present values 2025e       | 54  |                       |       |
|                    |          |                     |      | Terminal Value             | 44  |                       |       |
| Debt ratio         | 0.00 %   | Financial Strength  | 1.00 | Financial liabilities      | 3   |                       |       |
| Cost of debt       | 4.2 %    | Liquidity           | 1.30 | Pension liabilities        | 2   |                       |       |
| Market return      | 8.00 %   | Cyclicality         | 1.20 | Hybrid capital             | 0   |                       |       |
| Risk free rate     | 2.50 %   | Transparency        | 1.40 | Minority interest          | 0   |                       |       |
|                    |          | Others              | 1.30 | Market val. of investments | 0   |                       |       |
|                    |          |                     |      | Liquidity                  | 9   | No. of shares (m)     | 1.9   |
| WACC               | 9.32 %   | Beta                | 1.24 | Equity Value               | 102 | Value per share (EUR) | 53.75 |

| Sensitivity | Value pe | r Share | (EUR) |
|-------------|----------|---------|-------|

|      |        | Terminal ( | Growth |        |        |        |        |        |      |        | Delta EBIT | -margin |         |         |         |         |         |
|------|--------|------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|------|--------|------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Beta | WACC   | 1.75 %     | 2.00 % | 2.25 % | 2.50 % | 2.75 % | 3.00 % | 3.25 % | Beta | WACC   | -1.5 pp    | -1.0 pp | -0.5 pp | +0.0 pp | +0.5 pp | +1.0 pp | +1.5 pp |
| 1.42 | 10.3 % | 45.83      | 46.32  | 46.85  | 47.41  | 48.00  | 48.64  | 49.32  | 1.42 | 10.3 % | 43.54      | 44.83   | 46.12   | 47.41   | 48.69   | 49.98   | 51.27   |
| 1.33 | 9.8 %  | 48.48      | 49.06  | 49.69  | 50.36  | 51.08  | 51.85  | 52.68  | 1.33 | 9.8 %  | 46.24      | 47.61   | 48.99   | 50.36   | 51.74   | 53.11   | 54.49   |
| 1.29 | 9.6 %  | 49.93      | 50.57  | 51.26  | 52.00  | 52.79  | 53.64  | 54.56  | 1.29 | 9.6 %  | 47.73      | 49.15   | 50.58   | 52.00   | 53.42   | 54.85   | 56.27   |
| 1.24 | 9.3 %  | 51.47      | 52.18  | 52.94  | 53.75  | 54.63  | 55.58  | 56.60  | 1.24 | 9.3 %  | 49.33      | 50.80   | 52.28   | 53.75   | 55.23   | 56.71   | 58.18   |
| 1.19 | 9.1 %  | 53.13      | 53.91  | 54.74  | 55.64  | 56.62  | 57.67  | 58.81  | 1.19 | 9.1 %  | 51.05      | 52.58   | 54.11   | 55.64   | 57.18   | 58.71   | 60.24   |
| 1.15 | 8.8 %  | 54.90      | 55.76  | 56.68  | 57.68  | 58.76  | 59.94  | 61.22  | 1.15 | 8.8 %  | 52.91      | 54.50   | 56.09   | 57.68   | 59.27   | 60.87   | 62.46   |
| 1.06 | 8.3 %  | 58.85      | 59.91  | 61.05  | 62.29  | 63.64  | 65.12  | 66.74  | 1.06 | 8.3 %  | 57.10      | 58.83   | 60.56   | 62.29   | 64.01   | 65.74   | 67.47   |

- At 20% GK Software has in 2011 already achieved a high EBIT margin for a software company
- A lower margin is expected in 2012/13 because of delayed projects
- In 2014 a margin improvement is estimated while bigger project-contracts are assumed.
- The medium-term margin assumption remains 20%.

# **GK Software**



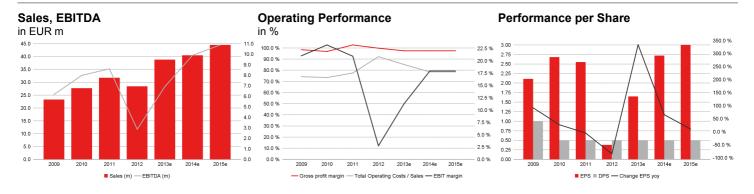
| Valuation                           |        |        |        |         |        |        |        |
|-------------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|--------|
|                                     | 2009   | 2010   | 2011   | 2012    | 2013e  | 2014e  | 2015e  |
| Price / Book                        | 2.1 x  | 3.4 x  | 2.8 x  | 2.4 x   | 2.3 x  | 2.1 x  | 1.8 x  |
| Book value per share ex intangibles | 3.58   | 9.12   | 10.44  | 9.67    | 13.04  | 15.95  | 19.26  |
| EV / Sales                          | 1.2 x  | 2.7 x  | 2.2 x  | 2.2 x   | 1.7 x  | 1.5 x  | 1.3 x  |
| EV / EBITDA                         | 4.5 x  | 9.4 x  | 8.1 x  | 22.4 x  | 9.6 x  | 6.2 x  | 5.2 x  |
| EV / EBIT                           | 5.7 x  | 11.7 x | 10.5 x | 81.4 x  | 15.2 x | 8.5 x  | 7.1 x  |
| EV / EBIT adj.*                     | 5.7 x  | 11.7 x | 10.5 x | 81.4 x  | 15.2 x | 8.5 x  | 7.1 x  |
| P / FCF                             | 9.7 x  | n.a.   | 34.0 x | 68.2 x  | 16.6 x | 13.7 x | 13.5 x |
| P/E                                 | 9.0 x  | 18.4 x | 17.1 x | 101.4 x | 25.4 x | 15.4 x | 14.0 x |
| P / E adj.*                         | 9.0 x  | 18.4 x | 17.1 x | 101.4 x | 25.4 x | 15.4 x | 14.0 x |
| Dividend Yield                      | 5.3 %  | 1.0 %  | 1.1 %  | 1.3 %   | 1.2 %  | 1.2 %  | 1.2 %  |
| Free Cash Flow Yield Potential      | 16.8 % | 8.2 %  | 9.5 %  | 4.2 %   | 8.5 %  | 12.7 % | 15.1 % |
| *Adjustments made for: -            |        |        |        |         |        |        |        |



| Consolidated profit & loss                       |        |        |         |         |        |        |        |
|--|--------|--------|---------|---------|--------|--------|--------|
| In EUR m   | 2009   | 2010   | 2011    | 2012    | 2013e  | 2014e  | 2015   |
| Sales  | 23.3   | 27.7   | 31.8    | 28.4    | 38.8   | 40.5   | 44.5   |
| Change Sales yoy                                 | 54.9 % | 19.0 % | 14.7 %  | -10.5 % | 36.5 % | 4.3 %  | 10.0 % |
| Increase / decrease in inventory                 | -0.9   | 0.0    | 0.0     | -0.1    | -0.8   | -0.8   | -0.9   |
| Own work capitalised                             | 1.1    | 0.6    | 1.5     | 0.7     | 1.9    | 2.0    | 2.2    |
| Total Sales                                      | 23.5   | 28.3   | 33.2    | 29.0    | 40.0   | 41.7   | 45.9   |
| Material Expenses                                | 0.6    | 1.5    | 0.6     | 0.7     | 2.2    | 2.3    | 2.5    |
| Gross profit                                     | 22.9   | 26.8   | 32.6    | 28.4    | 37.8   | 39.4   | 43.4   |
| Gross profit margin                              | 98.4 % | 96.8 % | 102.8 % | 99.8 %  | 97.4 % | 97.4 % | 97.4 % |
| Personnel expenses                               | 12.1   | 14.8   | 18.6    | 19.8    | 26.6   | 25.1   | 27.6   |
| Other operating income                           | 8.0    | 1.4    | 0.7     | 1.7     | 1.9    | 2.0    | 2.2    |
| Other operating expenses                         | 5.4    | 5.3    | 6.2     | 7.4     | 6.2    | 6.5    | 7.1    |
| Unfrequent items                                 | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0     | 0.0     | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| EBITDA   | 6.2    | 8.0    | 8.6     | 2.9     | 6.9    | 9.9    | 10.9   |
| Margin   | 26.5 % | 28.8 % | 27.1 %  | 10.1 %  | 17.8 % | 24.4 % | 24.4 % |
| Depreciation of fixed assets                     | 0.4    | 0.4    | 0.6     | 0.6     | 1.0    | 1.0    | 1.1    |
| EBITA  | 5.8    | 7.5    | 8.0     | 2.2     | 5.9    | 8.9    | 9.8    |
| Amortisation of intangible assets                | 0.9    | 1.1    | 1.3     | 1.4     | 1.6    | 1.6    | 1.8    |
| Goodwill amortization                            | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0     | 0.0     | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| EBIT   | 4.9    | 6.4    | 6.7     | 0.8     | 4.4    | 7.3    | 8.0    |
| Margin   | 21.0 % | 23.2 % | 21.0 %  | 2.8 %   | 11.3 % | 17.9 % | 17.9 % |
| EBIT adj.  | 4.9    | 6.4    | 6.7     | 8.0     | 4.4    | 7.3    | 8.0    |
| Interest income                                  | 0.3    | 0.2    | 0.2     | 0.2     | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| Interest expenses                                | 0.1    | 0.3    | 0.3     | 0.2     | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| Other financial income (loss)                    | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0     | 0.0     | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| EBT  | 5.0    | 6.3    | 6.6     | 0.8     | 4.4    | 7.3    | 8.0    |
| Margin   | 21.6 % | 22.8 % | 20.7 %  | 2.9 %   | 11.3 % | 17.9 % | 17.9 % |
| Total taxes                                      | 1.5    | 1.8    | 2.0     | 0.1     | 1.3    | 2.1    | 2.3    |
| Net income from continuing operations            | 3.5    | 4.5    | 4.6     | 0.7     | 3.1    | 5.1    | 5.7    |
| Income from discontinued operations (net of tax) | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0     | 0.0     | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| Net income before minorities                     | 3.5    | 4.5    | 4.6     | 0.7     | 3.1    | 5.1    | 5.7    |
| Minority interest                                | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0     | 0.0     | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| Net income                                       | 3.5    | 4.5    | 4.6     | 0.7     | 3.1    | 5.1    | 5.7    |
| Margin   | 15.1 % | 16.1 % | 14.4 %  | 2.4 %   | 8.0 %  | 12.7 % | 12.7 % |
| Number of shares, average                        | 1.7    | 1.7    | 1.8     | 1.8     | 1.9    | 1.9    | 1.9    |
| EPS  | 2.11   | 2.68   | 2.55    | 0.38    | 1.65   | 2.72   | 3.00   |
| EPS adj.   | 2.11   | 2.68   | 2.55    | 0.38    | 1.65   | 2.72   | 3.00   |
| *Adjustments made for:                           |        |        |         |         |        |        |        |

Guidance: n.a.

| Financial Ratios              |        |        |        |         |        |        |         |
|-------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|---------|
|                               | 2009   | 2010   | 2011   | 2012    | 2013e  | 2014e  | 2015e   |
| Total Operating Costs / Sales | 74.3 % | 73.5 % | 77.6 % | 92.1 %  | 85.2 % | 78.6 % | 78.6 %  |
| Operating Leverage            | 2.2 x  | 1.7 x  | 0.2 x  | 8.4 x   | 12.5 x | 15.2 x | 1.0 x   |
| EBITDA / Interest expenses    | 53.2 x | 26.1 x | 31.2 x | 14.9 x  | n.a.   | n.a.   | n.a.    |
| Tax rate (EBT)                | 30.1 % | 29.1 % | 30.5 % | 17.6 %  | 29.0 % | 29.0 % | 29.0 %  |
| Dividend Payout Ratio         | 47.3 % | 18.7 % | 19.6 % | 132.4 % | 30.4 % | 18.3 % | 16.7 %  |
| Sales per Employee            | 86,211 | 85,460 | 79,781 | 70,022  | 93,702 | 95,842 | 103,359 |

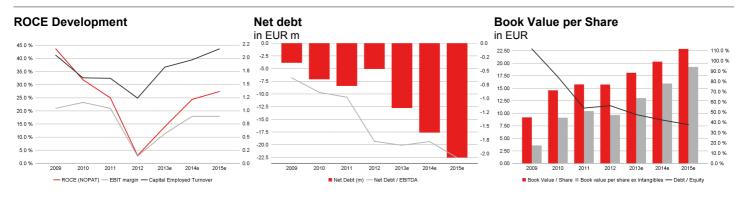


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| Consolidated balance sheet                              |      |      |      |      |       |       |      |
|---|------|------|------|------|-------|-------|------|
| In EUR m  | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013e | 2014e | 2015 |
| Assets  |      |      |      |      |       |       |      |
| Goodwill and other intangible assets                    | 9.3  | 9.1  | 9.5  | 10.9 | 9.5   | 8.3   | 6.8  |
| thereof other intangible assets                         | 2.9  | 2.7  | 3.1  | 4.5  | 3.1   | 1.8   | 0.4  |
| thereof Goodwill  | 6.4  | 6.4  | 6.4  | 6.4  | 6.4   | 6.4   | 6.4  |
| Property, plant and equipment                           | 3.4  | 4.0  | 4.1  | 4.9  | 5.1   | 5.2   | 5.2  |
| Financial assets  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0  |
| Other long-term assets                                  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0  |
| Fixed assets  | 12.7 | 13.2 | 13.7 | 15.8 | 14.6  | 13.5  | 12.0 |
| Inventories   | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 1.0  | 4.3   | 4.5   | 4.9  |
| Accounts receivable                                     | 5.8  | 14.1 | 11.9 | 11.6 | 8.2   | 8.5   | 9.4  |
| Liquid assets   | 10.6 | 13.4 | 13.9 | 10.3 | 18.0  | 22.8  | 27.7 |
| Other short-term assets                                 | 3.1  | 4.1  | 4.0  | 5.4  | 5.4   | 5.4   | 5.4  |
| Current assets  | 19.6 | 31.6 | 29.8 | 28.3 | 35.8  | 41.2  | 47.4 |
| Total Assets  | 32.4 | 44.8 | 43.5 | 44.1 | 50.4  | 54.6  | 59.5 |
| Liabilities and shareholders' equity                    |      |      |      |      |       |       |      |
| Subscribed capital                                      | 1.7  | 1.8  | 1.8  | 1.8  | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9  |
| Capital reserve   | 7.8  | 13.9 | 14.2 | 14.4 | 18.0  | 18.0  | 18.0 |
| Retained earnings                                       | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 2.2   | 6.5   | 11.2 |
| Other equity components                                 | 5.8  | 8.6  | 12.2 | 12.0 | 12.0  | 12.0  | 12.1 |
| Shareholder's equity                                    | 15.3 | 24.3 | 28.2 | 28.2 | 34.2  | 38.4  | 43.2 |
| Minority interest                                       | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0  |
| Total equity  | 15.3 | 24.3 | 28.2 | 28.2 | 34.2  | 38.4  | 43.2 |
| Provisions  | 2.1  | 1.4  | 1.8  | 4.6  | 4.6   | 4.6   | 4.6  |
| thereof provisions for pensions and similar obligations | 0.0  | 0.3  | 0.2  | 1.7  | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7  |
| Financial liabilites (total)                            | 6.7  | 6.0  | 5.2  | 3.5  | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.5  |
| thereof short-term financial liabilities                | 0.7  | 0.7  | 8.0  | 2.2  | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2  |
| Accounts payable  | 8.0  | 0.5  | 0.3  | 0.8  | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.3  |
| Other liabilities                                       | 7.5  | 12.6 | 7.9  | 6.9  | 6.9   | 6.9   | 6.9  |
| Liabilities   | 17.1 | 20.5 | 15.2 | 15.9 | 16.2  | 16.2  | 16.3 |
| Total liabilities and shareholders' equity              | 32.4 | 44.8 | 43.5 | 44.1 | 50.4  | 54.6  | 59.5 |

| Financial Ratios                    |         |         |          |          |          |          |          |
|-------------------------------------|---------|---------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
|                                     | 2009    | 2010    | 2011     | 2012     | 2013e    | 2014e    | 2015e    |
| Efficiency of Capital Employment    |         |         |          |          |          |          |          |
| Operating Assets Turnover           | 3.7 x   | 2.5 x   | 2.1 x    | 1.8 x    | 2.5 x    | 2.5 x    | 2.6 x    |
| Capital Employed Turnover           | 2.0 x   | 1.6 x   | 1.6 x    | 1.2 x    | 1.8 x    | 1.9 x    | 2.2 x    |
| ROA                                 | 27.6 %  | 34.0 %  | 33.4 %   | 4.3 %    | 21.3 %   | 38.3 %   | 47.0 %   |
| Return on Capital                   |         |         |          |          |          |          |          |
| ROCE (NOPAT)                        | 43.6 %  | 31.9 %  | 25.0 %   | 3.0 %    | 14.0 %   | 24.4 %   | 27.3 %   |
| ROE                                 | 26.0 %  | 22.6 %  | 17.4 %   | 2.4 %    | 10.0 %   | 14.2 %   | 13.9 %   |
| Adj. ROE                            | 26.0 %  | 22.6 %  | 17.4 %   | 2.4 %    | 10.0 %   | 14.2 %   | 13.9 %   |
| Balance sheet quality               |         |         |          |          |          |          |          |
| Net Debt                            | -3.9    | -7.1    | -8.4     | -5.1     | -12.8    | -17.6    | -22.6    |
| Net Financial Debt                  | -3.9    | -7.5    | -8.6     | -6.8     | -14.5    | -19.3    | -24.3    |
| Net Gearing                         | -25.3 % | -29.3 % | -29.8 %  | -18.0 %  | -37.4 %  | -45.9 %  | -52.2 %  |
| Net Fin. Debt / EBITDA              | -63.4 % | -93.4 % | -100.2 % | -237.5 % | -209.5 % | -195.4 % | -222.9 % |
| Book Value / Share                  | 9.2     | 14.6    | 15.8     | 15.7     | 18.1     | 20.3     | 22.9     |
| Book value per share ex intangibles | 3.6     | 9.1     | 10.4     | 9.7      | 13.0     | 15.9     | 19.3     |

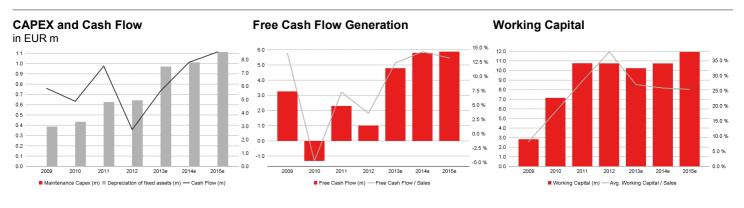


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| Consolidated cash flow statement                       |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |
|--|------|------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|
| In EUR m   | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013e | 2014e | 2015e |
| Net income   | 3.5  | 4.5  | 4.6  | 0.7  | 3.1   | 5.1   | 5.7   |
| Depreciation of fixed assets                           | 0.4  | 0.4  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.1   |
| Amortisation of goodwill                               | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0   |
| Amortisation of intangible assets                      | 0.9  | 1.1  | 1.3  | 1.4  | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.8   |
| Increase/decrease in long-term provisions              | 0.0  | -0.1 | 0.2  | 1.6  | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0   |
| Other non-cash income and expenses                     | 1.0  | -1.0 | 0.8  | -1.6 | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0   |
| Cash Flow  | 5.8  | 4.9  | 7.5  | 2.8  | 5.6   | 7.8   | 8.6   |
| Increase / decrease in inventory                       | 0.7  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.1  | -3.3  | -0.2  | -0.4  |
| Increase / decrease in accounts receivable             | -2.8 | -8.5 | 2.0  | 2.4  | 3.4   | -0.3  | -0.9  |
| Increase / decrease in accounts payable                | 1.9  | 5.3  | -4.8 | -2.2 | 0.4   | 0.0   | 0.1   |
| Increase / decrease in other working capital positions | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0   |
| Increase / decrease in working capital (total)         | -0.2 | -3.2 | -2.8 | 0.3  | 0.5   | -0.5  | -1.2  |
| Net cash provided by operating activities              | 5.7  | 1.7  | 4.7  | 3.1  | 6.1   | 7.3   | 7.4   |
| Investments in intangible assets                       | -1.2 | -1.9 | -1.7 | -0.9 | -0.2  | -0.3  | -0.3  |
| Investments in property, plant and equipment           | -1.2 | -1.1 | -0.7 | -1.1 | -1.1  | -1.1  | -1.1  |
| Payments for acquisitions                              | -6.4 | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0   |
| Financial investments                                  | -0.6 | -0.1 | -0.3 | -0.4 | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0   |
| Income from asset disposals                            | 0.0  | 0.4  | 0.0  | -1.6 | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0   |
| Net cash provided by investing activities              | -9.4 | -2.7 | -2.7 | -4.0 | -1.4  | -1.5  | -1.5  |
| Change in financial liabilities                        | 5.5  | -0.7 | -0.7 | -1.8 | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0   |
| Dividends paid   | 0.0  | -1.7 | -0.9 | -0.9 | -0.9  | -0.9  | -0.9  |
| Purchase of own shares                                 | 0.0  | 6.3  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0   |
| Capital measures                                       | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 3.8   | 0.0   | 0.0   |
| Other  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0   |
| Net cash provided by financing activities              | 5.5  | 3.8  | -1.6 | -2.7 | 2.9   | -0.9  | -0.9  |
| Change in liquid funds                                 | 1.8  | 2.8  | 0.4  | -3.6 | 7.7   | 4.9   | 4.9   |
| Effects of exchange-rate changes on cash               | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0   |
| Cash and cash equivalent at end of period              | 10.6 | 13.4 | 13.9 | 10.3 | 18.0  | 22.8  | 27.7  |

| Financial Ratios                     |         |          |          |          |         |         |         |
|--------------------------------------|---------|----------|----------|----------|---------|---------|---------|
|                                      | 2009    | 2010     | 2011     | 2012     | 2013e   | 2014e   | 2015e   |
| Cash Flow                            |         |          |          |          |         |         |         |
| Free Cash Flow                       | 3.3     | -1.3     | 2.3      | 1.0      | 4.8     | 5.8     | 5.9     |
| Free Cash Flow / Sales               | 14.0 %  | -4.7 %   | 7.2 %    | 3.6 %    | 12.3 %  | 14.3 %  | 13.2 %  |
| Free Cash Flow Potential             | 4.7     | 6.1      | 6.6      | 2.7      | 5.6     | 7.8     | 8.6     |
| Free Cash Flow / Sales               | 14.0 %  | -4.7 %   | 7.2 %    | 3.6 %    | 12.3 %  | 14.3 %  | 13.2 %  |
| Free Cash Flow / Net Profit          | 92.7 %  | -29.4 %  | 50.4 %   | 149.7 %  | 153.9 % | 112.5 % | 103.7 % |
| Interest Received / Avg. Cash        | 2.7 %   | 1.5 %    | 1.4 %    | 1.9 %    | 0.0 %   | 0.0 %   | 0.0 %   |
| Interest Paid / Avg. Debt            | 2.9 %   | 4.8 %    | 4.9 %    | 4.4 %    | 0.0 %   | 0.0 %   | 0.0 %   |
| Management of Funds                  |         |          |          |          |         |         |         |
| Investment ratio                     | 10.3 %  | 10.8 %   | 7.7 %    | 7.2 %    | 3.5 %   | 3.7 %   | 3.4 %   |
| Maint. Capex / Sales                 | 0.0 %   | 0.0 %    | 0.0 %    | 0.0 %    | 0.0 %   | 0.0 %   | 0.0 %   |
| Capex / Dep                          | 187.6 % | 192.6 %  | 125.7 %  | 99.2 %   | 53.7 %  | 56.6 %  | 51.5 %  |
| Avg. Working Capital / Sales         | 8.2 %   | 18.0 %   | 28.2 %   | 37.8 %   | 27.1 %  | 25.9 %  | 25.5 %  |
| Trade Debtors / Trade Creditors      | 755.3 % | 2964.1 % | 3630.7 % | 1379.5 % | 683.3 % | 708.3 % | 723.1 % |
| Inventory Turnover                   | n.a.    | n.a.     | n.a.     | 0.7 x    | 0.5 x   | 0.5 x   | 0.5 x   |
| Receivables collection period (days) | 92      | 186      | 137      | 149      | 77      | 77      | 77      |
| Payables payment period (days)       | 504     | 113      | 197      | 457      | 203     | 195     | 192     |
| Cash conversion cycle (Days)         | n.a.    | n.a.     | n.a.     | -252     | 499     | 517     | 527     |



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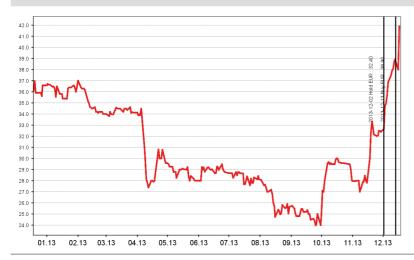
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