

## FUCHS PETROLUB / Q1 2013 **Conference Call**

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# FUCHS increases EBIT to €73.4 million and confirms outlook for the financial year

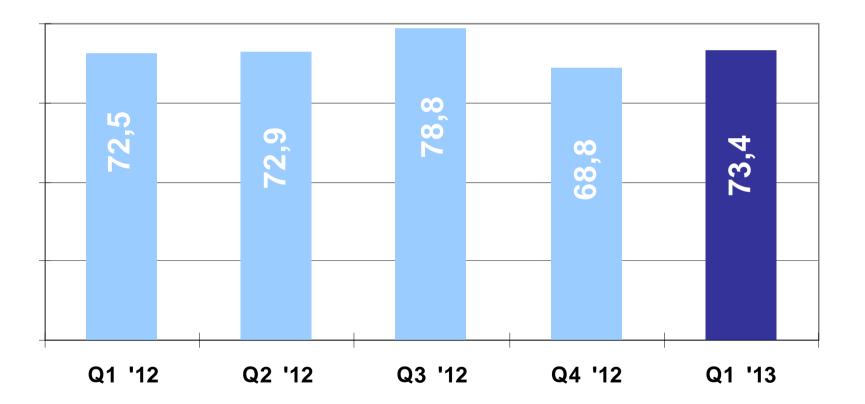


- Sales revenues just below the previous year's level due to currency effects
- Moderate increase in earnings before interest and tax (EBIT)
- Outlook for the financial year confirmed

## Q1 2013 EBIT is the second highest ever

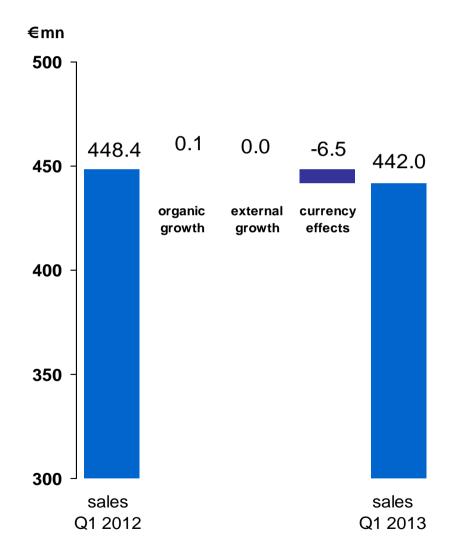


EBIT (€mn) – quarterly development



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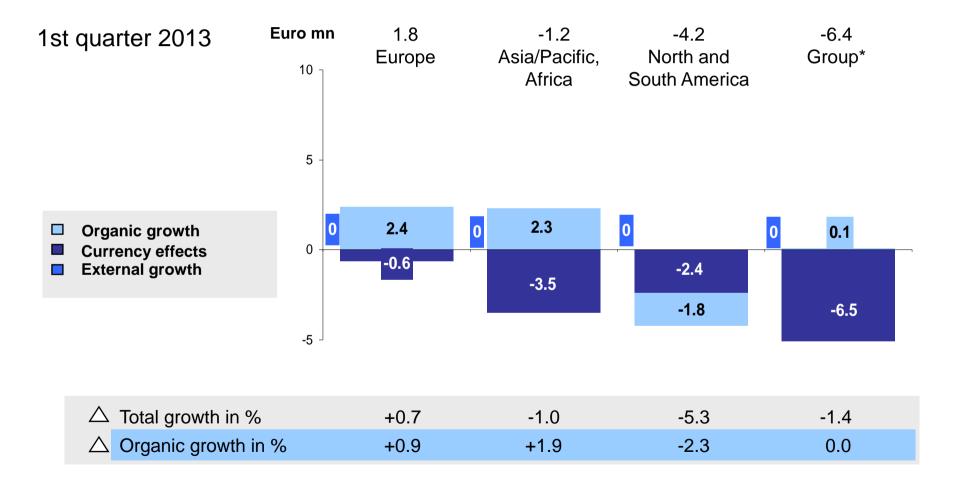


Decrease in sales of 1.4% or €6.4 mn to €442.0 mn

- Organic growth €0.1 mn
- No external growth (€0.0 mn)
- Currency effects of -1.4% or €-6.5 mn

# Organic growth in Asia-Pacific, Africa and Europe offset by decline in North America





\* incl. consolidation effects of -€2.8 mn

## Slight increase in EBIT and stable earnings after tax



€mn	Q 1 2013	Q 1 2012	Vari	ance
Sales revenues	442.0	448.4	-6.4	-1.4%
Gross profit	165.6	161.9	3.7	2.3%
Gross profit margin	37.5%	36.1%		
Sales, admin., R&D and other net expenses	95.4	93.5	1.9	2.0%
Expenses as a percentage of sales	21.6%	20.9%		
EBIT before income from at equity	70.2	68.4	1.8	2.6%
EBIT margin before income from at equity	15.9%	15.3%		
Income from at equity	3.2	4.1	-0.9	-22.0%
EBIT	73.4	72.5	0.9	1.2%
Earnings after tax	51.6	51.4	0.2	0.4%
Net profit margin	11.7%	11.5%		
Earnings per share Ordinary Preference	0.72 0.73	0.72 0.73	0.0 0.0	

# Gross margin and EBIT margin before income from companies consolidated at equity improved

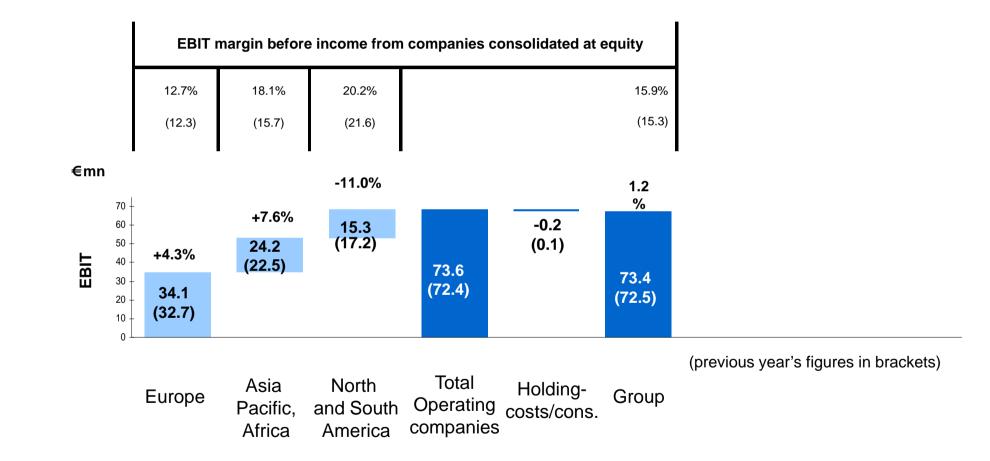


€mn	Q1 12*	Q2 12*	Q3 12*	Q4 12*	Q1 13	Variance Q1 13 vs Q1 12
Sales revenues	448.4	461.6	469.2	439.9	442.0	-1.4%
Gross profit	161.9 <i>(36.1%)</i>	168.2 (36.4%)	172.9 <i>(36.8%)</i>	163.0 (37.1%)	165.6 (37.5%)	2.3%
Sales, admin. and R&D expenses	92.2 (20.6%)	96.7 (20.9%)	95.6 (20.4%)	91.6 (20.8%)	94.2 (21.3%)	2.2%
EBIT before income from at equity	68.4 (15.3%)	69.5 (15.1%)	75.6 (16.1%)	65.3 (14.8%)	70.2 (15.9%)	2.6%
EBIT	72.5	72.9	78.8	68.8	73.4	1.2%
Earnings after tax	51.4	50.4	54.9	50.4	51.6	0.4%
Net profit margin	11.5%	10.9%	11.7%	11.5%	11.7%	

\* comparable



### Mixed regional results 1st quarter 2013



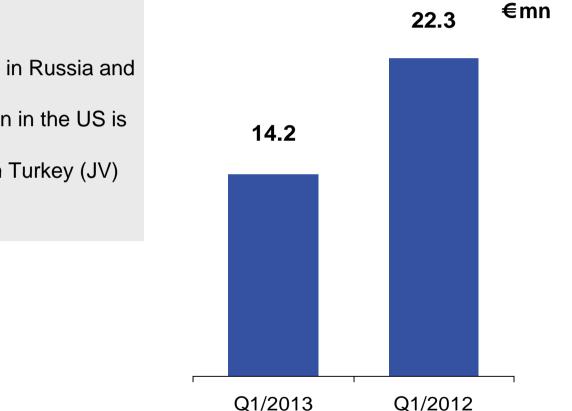
## High free cash flow



€mn	Q1 2013	Q1 2012
Earnings after tax	51.6	51.4
Changes in net operating working capital	-10.8	-22.0
Other changes	2.4	11.0
Operating cash flow	43.2	40.6
Сарех	-14.2	-22.3
Other changes	1.5	0.0
Cash flow from investing activities	-12.7	-22.3
Free cash flow	30.5	18.3

### Plant investments according to plan





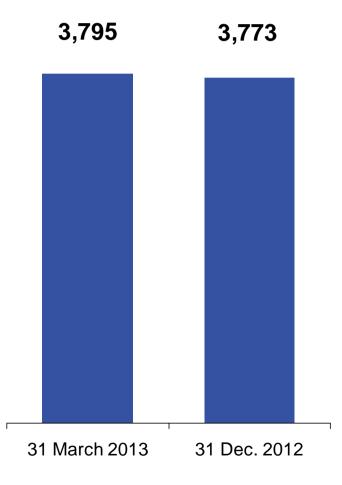
#### Key investments

- Construction of new plants in Russia and China is progressing
- Modernization of production in the US is continuing
- In 2012, capital increase in Turkey (JV) due to acquisitions.

### Number of employees up with increased focus on sales and technical



The number of employees has grown by 22 people since the beginning of the year.



### Outlook for the FUCHS Group



#### Outlook for the year 2013

- FUCHS confirms its planning for organic growth in 2013 in the low single-digit percent range. To what extent sales revenues will be influenced by changes in currency exchange rates remains to be seen.
- FUCHS anticipates a further increase in earnings before interest and tax (EBIT), profit after tax, and earnings per share in 2013.
- FUCHS is planning a high cash flow notwithstanding significant capital expenditure at a similar level as 2012.

Outlook is based on a stable economic environment in the next quarters, which is not negatively effected by the various political and financial risks around the globe.

## Thank you for your attention!



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