

Q3 2015 results – 10 November 2015

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Q3 highlights

Strong sales growth and improved operating profit

- Net sales for the quarter increased by 12.0 per cent to SEK 1,459m (1,303), including a positive impact from foreign exchange rates of 1.2 per cent.
- Operating profit increased to SEK 212m (178).
- Cash flow from operating activities increased by SEK 99m to SEK 174m (75).
- Net debt/EBITDA was 3.39x (4.30).
- On 17 July 2015 Cloetta acquired Locawo B.V. (Lonka) a Dutch company that produces and sells fudge, nougat and chocolate.
 Lonka had net sales of approximately SEK 300m in 2014.





Overall market and sales development

Sales growth of 12 per cent

- Positive total market developments, except in the Netherlands and Italy
- Organic growth 4.2 per cent for the quarter
- Sales grew in all markets except Finland, Norway and Italy.
- Positive sales trend in Sweden driven by Pick & Mix and in Denmark by pastilles. Positive trend in the Netherlands and Germany in candy bags.
- In Norway, sales of pastilles declined and in Finland sales of candy bags declined.

Cotta

• Contract negotiations with one large customer that affected sales have now been finalized.





Net sales and EBIT

SEKm	Jul-Sep 2015	Margin %	Change %	Jul-Sep 2014	Margin %
Net sales	1,459		12.0 ¹⁾	1,303	
Adjusted operating profit ²⁾	194	13.3	0.5	193	14.8
Operating profit (EBIT)	212	14.5	19.1	178	13.7
Profit for the period	130		49.4	87	

1) Organic growth at constant exchange rates and comparable units 4.2% for the quarter and 3.0% for the first three quarters of the year.

2) Operating profit, adjusted for one-off items.

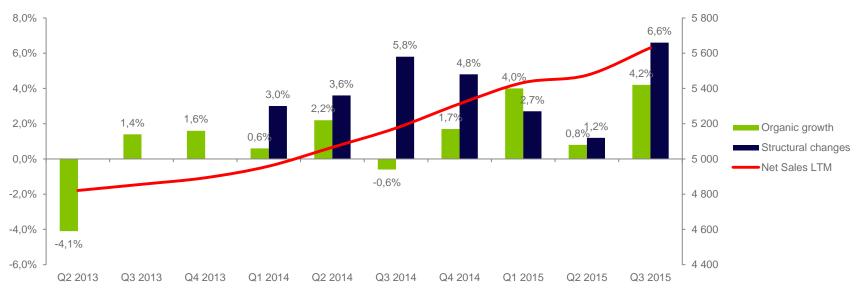




Changes in net sales

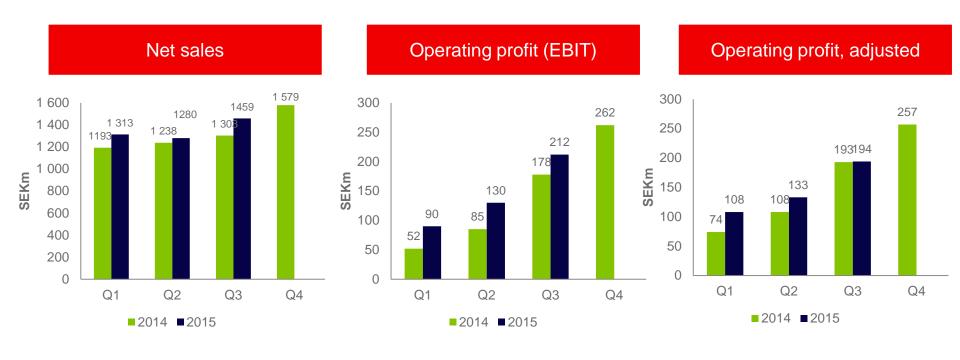
Changes in net sales, %	Jul-Sep 2015	Jan-Sep 2015
Organic growth	4.2	3.0
Structural changes	6.6	3.6
Changes in exchange rates	1.2	1.9
Total	12.0	8.5







Net sales, Operating profit (EBIT) and Operating profit, adjusted

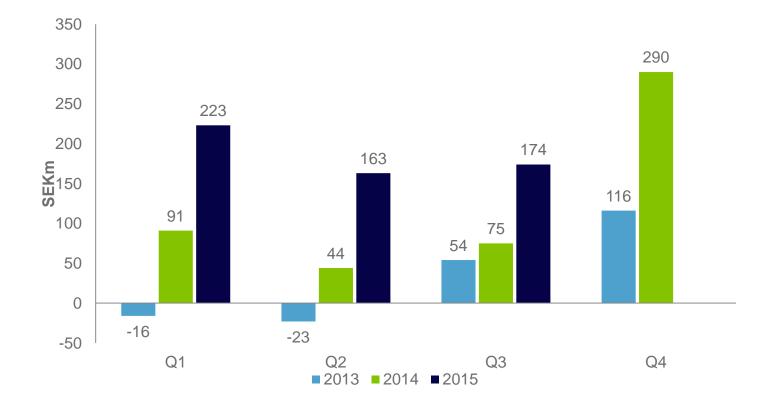








Cash flow from operating activities







Cash Flow

SEKm	Jul-Sep 2015	Jul-Sep 2014
Cash flow from operating activities before changes in working capital	236	152
Cash flow from changes in working capital	-62	-77
Cash flow from operating activities	174	75
Cash flows from investments in property, plant and equipment and intangible assets	-30	-38
Cash flow from other investing activities	-206	-13
Cash flow from investing activities	-236	-51
Cash flow from operating and investing activities	-62	24
Cash flow from financing activities	-28	-51
Cash flow for the period	-90	-27



Financial leverage

Net debt/EBITDA, x







Integration of Lonka according to plan

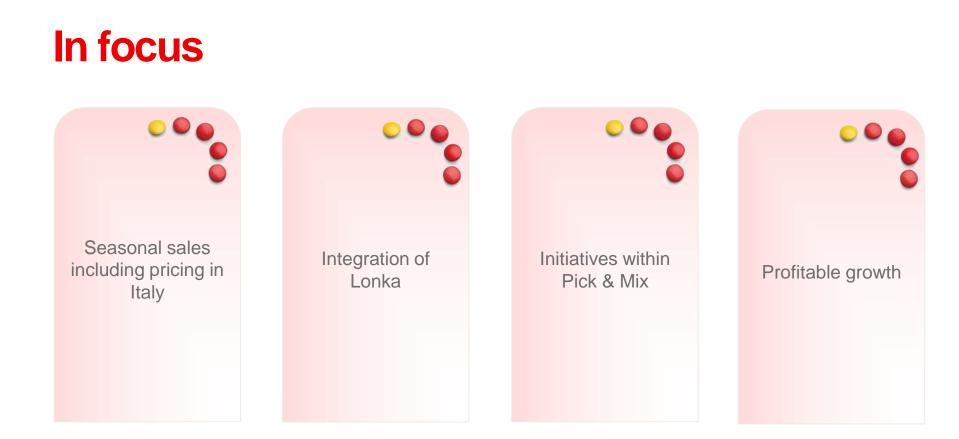
Will over time support Cloetta's margin target of 14% operating profit, adjusted

- Sales development and profitability according to plan in the quarter
- Joint sales and marketing organisation created in the Netherlands
- Plans for how to handle and launch Lonka in other markets under preparation
- Efforts to coordinate and integrate factories and working methods started











Q3 selection of product launches

The Netherlands

Lonka Vlinders Lonka Hartjes **Red Band Zure Bliksems** Red Band Winegum Vissen Red Band Dropfruit Smiles



Norway Malaco Sild x 3



Italy

Sperlari chocolate Almonds Sperlari dark chocolate Orange Sperlari Almonds/Blackcurrant







ONDENTE

Denmark Lagerman Lakridskonfekt Blå Knap and Choko Sandwich



Sweden and Norway

Gott&blandat Supersalt

Sweden

Läkerol YUP Cola Sour Polly Puffar Sea Salt Ahlgrens raggarbilar limited edition Cloetta Crispy Bite x 2 Nutisal Dry Roasted Peanuts x 3



Sweden, Norway

CENTER

and Denmark

Center Mint







Rest of the World Läkerol Pink Guava Läkerol Green Apple





Finland Mini-bags x 8 Tupla+Protein Tupla+Energy Cloetta Sprinkle Latte Crunchiatto

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