



**Transcom**  
Relationships Revenue Results

## Q3 2011 Presentation

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19 October 2011

# Q311 highlights and significant events

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## Q3 financial results

### As reported

Revenue	€132.7m
EBITA	€-5.1m

### Underlying performance

(excluding €8.6m restructuring costs)

Revenue.	€132.7m
EBITA	€3.6m

## Q3 highlights

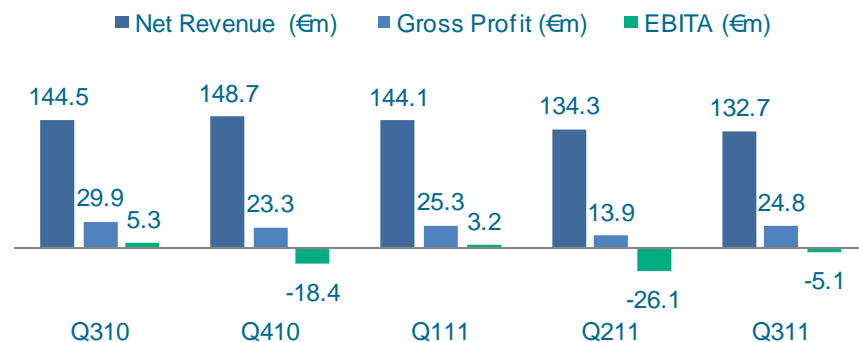
- Revenue.
  - €1.6m sequential erosion
  - France divestment €2.1m
  - Growth: NAA 11.7%, WC 3.6%
- Restructuring
  - €8.6m impact on Q3 results
  - Savings from restructuring: €1.9m
- Operational efficiency improvement: €3.6m in NAA and North regions
- Tax provision of €14.1m

### Strengthening long term financing

- Rights issue of ~€50m
- New credit facility €125m

## Q311 Group financial results

### Group\*



(€millions)	Q311	Q211	Change Q-o-Q	Q310	Change Y-o-Y	FY2010
Revenue	132.7	134.3	-1.2%	144.5	-8.2%	589.1
Gross profit	24.8	13.9	78.4%	29.9	-17.1%	118
Gross margin	18.7%	10.3%		20.7%		19.0%
EBITA	-5.1	-26.1	-80.5%	5.3	-	-3.7
EBITA margin	-3.8%	-19.4%		3.7%		-0.60%
EPS (€)	-0.31	-0.38	-	0.04	-	-0.11
Net Debt	73.4	96.2	-23.7%	85.7	-14.4%	77.5

\* Q311 includes €8.6m restructuring and other non-recurring costs and a €14.1m one-off tax provision  
Q211 includes €24.2m restructuring and other non-recurring costs

- **Revenue: €132.7m**, down by 1.2% compared to Q211 and down by 8.2% compared to Q310
- **Gross margin: 18.7%** compared to 10.3% in Q211 and 20.7% in Q310
- **EBITA: €5.1m**, up from €-26.1m in Q211 and down from €5.3m in Q310
- **EBITA margin: -3.8%**, up from -19.4% in Q211 and down from 3.7% in Q310.
- **Net currency impact:**  
Q-o-Q Revenue €-0.5m, EBIT €0.0m  
Y-o-Y Revenue €-2.5m, EBIT €-0.5m
- **EPS at €-0.31**, compared to €-0.38 in Q211 and €0.04 in Q310.
- **Net Debt decreased by €15.7m to €73.4m**; Current Net Debt / EBITDA ratio at **4.2** (4.2 in Q211)
- **Net cash flow from operations up to €18.9m in Q311** compared to €-3.3m in Q211

## Second phase of restructuring & rightsizing plan

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- Reported operating profit in Q3 2011 includes €8.6m in restructuring costs and other non-recurring costs related to the restructuring
  - Restructuring costs of €7.4m
  - Other non-recurring items of €1.2 million
  - Cash impact €11.0m in H2 2011 (€0.7m in Q211)

### Breakdown of restructuring and other non-recurring charges in Q2 2011

(€millions)	North	West & Central	South	Iberia	TOTAL
Restructuring costs	1.6	0.0	5.2	0.6	7.4
Other non-recurring costs	0.6	0.6	0.0	0.0	1.2
<b>Total</b>	2.2	0.6	5.2	0.6	8.6

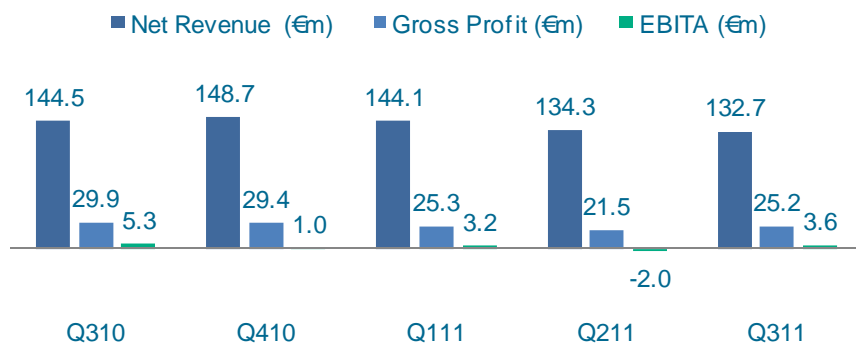
## Tax provision increased by €14.1 million

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- FY2003 through to FY2006 tax reassessment of €27.3 million (including penalties and accrued late payment interest).
- Court of Appeal issued an adverse ruling regarding a FY2003 tax dispute. Transcom will lodge an appeal in front of the Supreme Court.
- Company tax position is robust. The Withholding tax amounts (€11.7 million) claimed is legally not justified. Transcom increased the existing tax provision by **€14.1 million** in Q311. Total exposure €15.6m fully provided.
- Short term cash exposure: **€8.8 million**. Transcom is requesting to pay in installments over 72 months, which would reduce the cash outlay to **€0.4 million per quarter**.
- Should Transcom ultimately succeed in its Appeals, these amounts would be paid back.

## Q311 underlying performance

### Group\*



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Revenue	132.7	134.3	-1.2%	144.5	-8.2%	589.1
Gross profit	25.2	21.5	17.2%	29.9	-15.7%	118.0
Gross margin	19.0%	16.0%		20.7%		20.0%
EBITA	3.6	-1.9	-	5.3	-32.1%	15.7
EBITA margin	2.7%	-1.4%		3.7%		2.7%
EPS (€)	0.00	-0.05	-	0.04	-	0.15
Net Debt	73.4	96.2	-23.7%	85.7	-14.4%	77.5

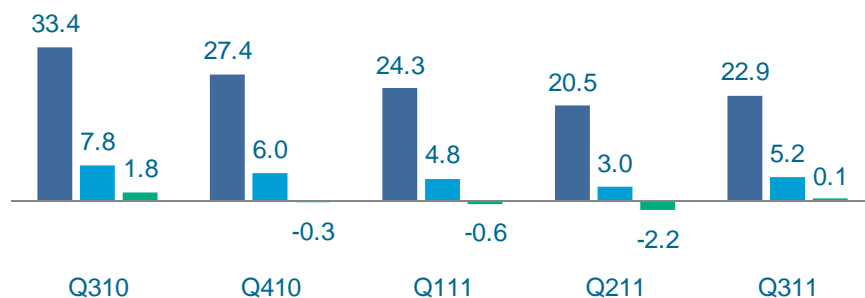
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- **Gross margin: 19.0%** compared to 16.0% in Q211 and 20.7% in Q310.
- **EBITA: €3.6m**, up from €-1.9m in Q211 and down from €5.3m in Q310.
- **EBITA margin: 2.7%**, up from -1.4% in Q211 and down from 3.7% in Q310.
- **Net currency impact:**  
Q-o-Q Revenue €0.2, EBIT €0.1m  
Y-o-Y Revenue €-2.3m, EBIT €-0.5m
- **EPS at €0.00**, up from €-0.05 in Q211 and down from €0.04 in Q310.
- Net Debt decreased by €15.7m to **€73.4m**; Current Net Debt / EBITDA ratio at **4.2** (4.2 in Q211)
- **Net cash flow from operations** up to €18.9m in Q311 compared to €-3.3m in Q211

# North America & Asia Pacific Region

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■ Net Revenue (€m) ■ Gross Profit (€m) ■ EBITA (€m)



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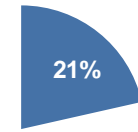
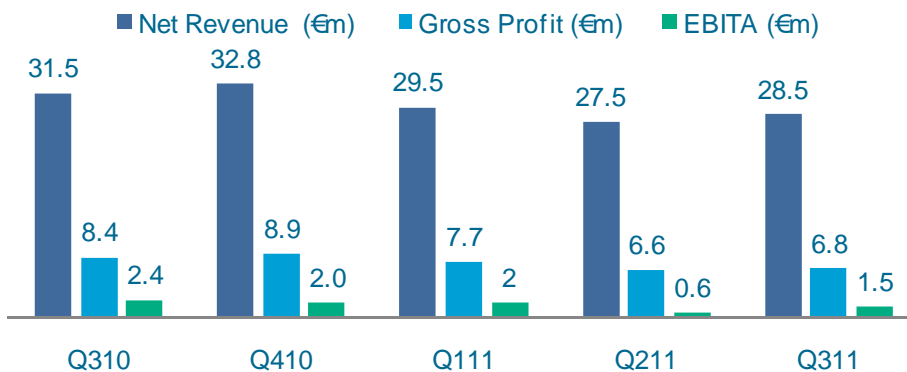
Percentage of Total Revenues

(€ millions)	Q311	Q211	Growth Q-o-Q	Q310	Growth Q-o-Q	FY2010
Revenue	22.9	20.5	11.7%	33.4	-31.4%	131.8
Gross profit	5.2	3.0	73.3%	7.8	-33.3%	27.1
Gross margin	22.7%	14.8%	-	23.4%	-	20.6%
EBITA	0.1	-2.2	-	1.8	-94.40%	2.2
EBITA margin	0.4%	-10.7%	-	5.4%	-	1.7%

- **Revenue Q311 (Q211): €22.9 (€20.5m)**
  - 11.7% growth driven by installed base volume ramp-up in Asia
- **Gross margin Q311 (Q211): 22.7% (14.8%)**
  - Offshore volumes
  - Efficiency improvement measures
- **EBITA Q311 (Q211): €0.1m (€-2.2m)**
- **Key priorities**
  - Complete execution of restructuring plan
  - IB volume ramp-up
  - Sales: funnel build-up and deal closure.
  - Scale volumes and sustain quality levels

# West & Central Region

## West & Central



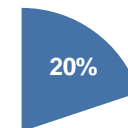
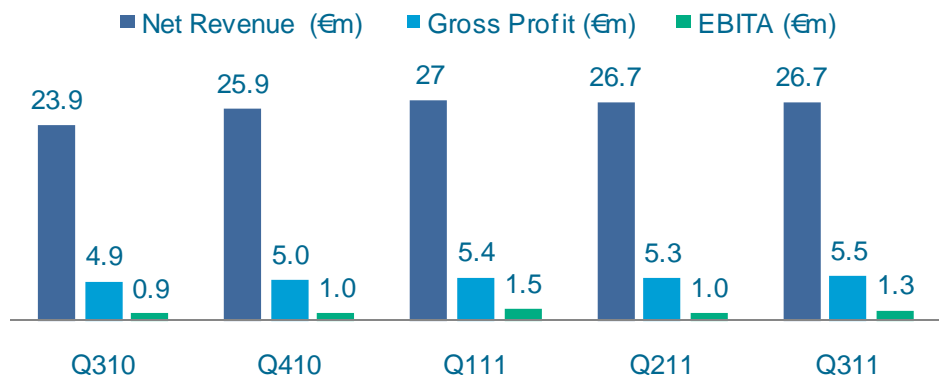
Percentage of Total Revenues

(€ millions)	Q311	Q211	Growth Q-o-Q	Q310	Growth Q-o-Q	FY2010
Revenue	28.5	27.5	3.6%	31.5	-9.5%	128.2
Gross profit	6.8	6.6	3.0%	8.4	-19.0%	35.1
Gross margin	23.9%	24.0%	-	26.7%	-	27.4%
EBITA	1.5	0.6	141.9%	2.4	-37.5%	10.0
EBITA margin	5.3%	2.2%	-	7.6%	-	7.8%

- **Revenue Q311 (Q211): €28.5m (€27.5m)**
  - Higher intake of collection cases
  - Inbound contact center volumes seasonally lower
- **Gross margin Q311 (Q211): 23.9% (24.0%)**
- **EBITA Q311 (Q211): €1.5m (€0.6m)**
  - EBITA in Q211 impacted by €0.7 million in one-off charges
- **EBITA margin: 5.3%**, up from 2.2% in Q211 and down from 7.6% in Q310.
- **Key priorities**
  - Complete execution of restructuring plan
  - Sales: funnel build-up and deal closure.
  - Continue optimizing performance of collection business

# Iberia Region

## Iberia



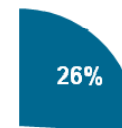
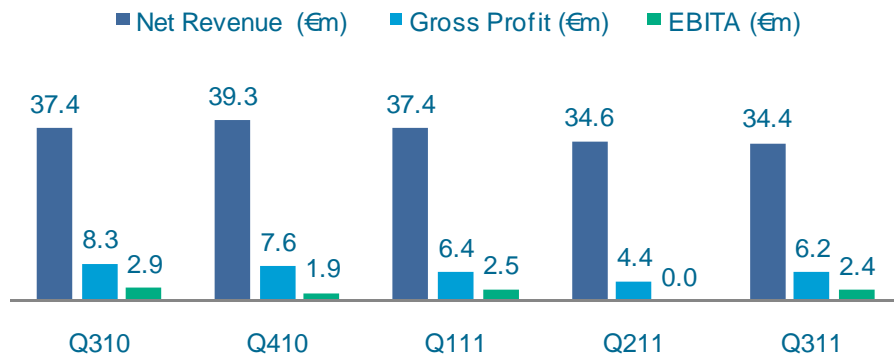
Percentage of Total Revenues

(€ millions)	Q311	Q211	Growth Q-o-Q	Q310	Growth Q-o-Q	FY2010
Revenue	26.7	26.7	0.0%	23.9	11.7%	103.4
Gross profit	5.5	5.3	5.8%	4.9	12.2%	19.9
Gross margin	20.6%	19.9%	-	20.5%	-	19.2%
EBITA	1.3	1.0	25.0%	0.9	44.4%	4.1
EBITA margin	4.9%	3.7%	-	3.8%	-	4.0%

- Revenue Q311 (Q211): €26.7m (€26.7m)**
  - Continued ramp-up of new volumes offshore
  - Seasonally lower volumes onshore
- Gross margin Q311 (Q211): 20.6% (19.9%)**
  - New volumes offshore
  - Cost savings from the restructuring program
- EBITA Q311 (Q211): €1.3m (€1.0m)**
- EBITA margin: 4.9%**, up from 3.7% in Q211 and up from 3.8% in Q310.
- Key priorities**
  - Sales: funnel build-up and deal closure.
  - Stabilize revenue ramp up
  - Continue improving operational efficiency

# North Region

## North



Percentage of Total Revenues

(€ millions)	Q311	Q211	Growth Q-o-Q	Q310	Growth Q-o-Q	FY2010
Revenue	34.4	34.6	-0.6%	37.4	-8.0%	144.8
Gross profit	6.2	4.4	40.1%	8.3	-25.3%	29.2
Gross margin	18.0%	12.7%	-	22.2%	-	20.2%
EBITA	2.4	0.0	-	3.9	-38.5%	10.8
EBITA margin	7.0%	0.0%	-	10.4%	-	7.5%

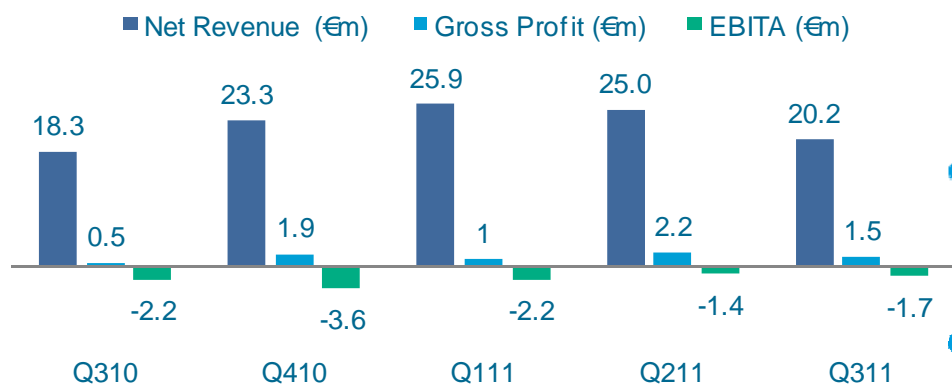
- **Revenue Q311 (Q211): €34.4m (€34.6m)**
  - Seasonally lower volumes
- **Gross margin Q311 (Q211): 18.0% (12.7%)**
  - Delivery model stabilized following Q2 challenges.
- **EBITA Q311 (Q211): €2.4m (€0.0m)**
- **EBITA margin: 7.0%**, up from 0.0% in Q211 and down from 10.4% in Q310
- **Key priorities**
  - Complete execution of restructuring plan
  - Sales: funnel build-up and deal closure.
  - Continue driving operational efficiency

# South Region

## South

15%

Percentage of Total Revenues



- **Revenue Q311 (Q211): €20.2m (€25.0m)**
  - Disposals of two sites in France €-2.1m
  - Seasonally lower volumes,
- **Gross margin Q311 (Q211): 7.4% (8.8%)**
  - Mainly driven by lower volumes
- **EBITA Q311 (Q211): €-1.7m (€-1.4m)**
- **EBITA margin: -8.4%**, down from -5.6% in Q211 and up from to -20.2% in Q310
- **Key priorities**
  - Finalise second phase of restructuring plan in France
  - Sales: funnel build-up and deal closure.
  - Continue driving operational efficiency

(€ millions)	Q311	Q211	Growth Q-o-Q	Q310	Growth Q-o-Q	FY2010
Revenue	20.2	25.0	-19.2%	18.3	10.4%	80.9
Gross profit	1.5	2.2	-31.8%	0.5	200.0%	6.6
Gross margin	7.4%	8.8%	-	2.7%	-	8.2%
EBITA	-1.7	-1.4	21.4%	-3.7	-54.1%	-11.4
EBITA margin	-8.4%	-5.6%	-	-20.2%	-	-14.1%

# Financial Tables

## Consolidated Financial Summary

€million	Q3 2011	Q2 2011	Q3 2010	FY2010
Net Sales	132.7	134.3	144.5	589.1
Gross Profit	24.8	13.9	29.9	118.0
SG&A	-21.6	-22.0	-24.6	-102.3
Restructuring and other non-recurring costs	-8.3	-18.0	-	-19.4
EBITA	-5.1	-26.1	5.3	-3.7
Amortization	-0.7	-0.7	-0.7	-2.8
Operating Income	-5.8	-26.8	4.6	-6.5
Net financial items	-1.8	0.0	-0.4	0.9
Pre-tax Profit	-7.6	-26.8	4.1	-5.6
Net Income After Tax	-22.9	-27.9	3.3	-8.0
Basic Earnings Per Share (€)	-0.31	-0.38	0.05	-0.11
Total weighted average outstanding number of shares before dilution	73,366,893	73,366,893	73,366,893	73,333,230

- Net revenue **€132.7m** in Q311, down 1.2% compared to Q211
- Sequential gross margin increase of 8.4pp to 18.7% compared to 10.3% in Q211.
- SG&A: €29.9m. Excluding restructuring and other non-recurring costs, SG&A is €21.6m, slightly lower than the Q211 level.
- Net financial items: €-1.8. Interest expense (€-1.1m), FX loss (€-0.6m)

# Financial Tables

## Balance Sheet

€million	30 Sep 2011	30 June 2011	31 Dec 2010
<b>Fixed assets</b>	<b>189.8</b>	<b>187.9</b>	<b>199.5</b>
Goodwill	152.1	149.4	152.3
Intangible Assets	17.5	18.1	22.5
Other fixed assets	20.2	20.4	24.7
<b>Current assets</b>	<b>185.1</b>	<b>171.9</b>	<b>174.0</b>
Short-term receivables	147.3	134.2	133.0
Cash and cash equivalents	37.8	37.7	41.0
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>374.9</b>	<b>359.8</b>	<b>373.5</b>
<b>Shareholders' equity</b>	<b>124.1</b>	<b>143.9</b>	<b>175.0</b>
<b>Long-term liabilities</b>	<b>33.9</b>	<b>18.9</b>	<b>134.0</b>
<b>Short-term liabilities</b>	<b>216.9</b>	<b>197.0</b>	<b>64.5</b>
Short-term bank loan	111.2	126.8	-
Non-interest bearing liabilities	105.7	70.2	64.5
<b>Total shareholders' equity and liabilities</b>	<b>374.9</b>	<b>359.8</b>	<b>373.5</b>

- Net debt **€73.4m** as at Sept 30 2011, compared to **€89.1m** as at June 30, 2011
- Net Debt/EBITDA ratio in Q311 was **4.2**, compared to 4.2 in Q211.

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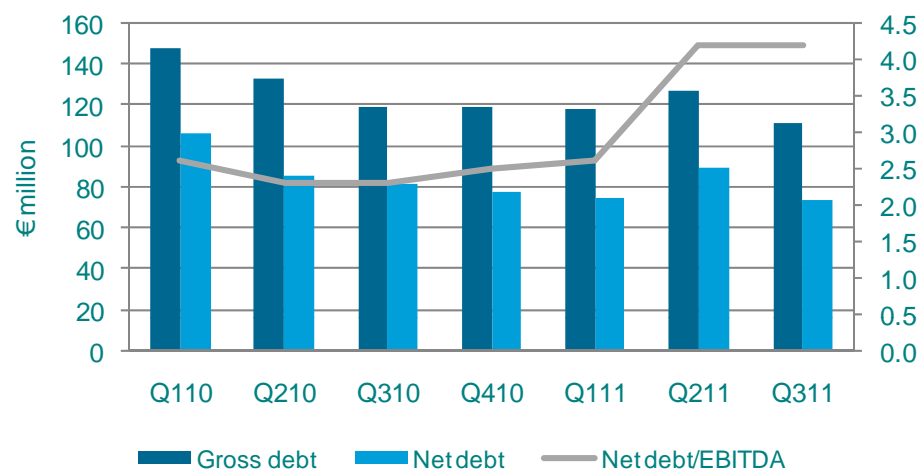
## Cash Flow

€million	Q3 2011	Q2 2011	2010 Jan - Dec
Cash flow from operations	2.7	-7.1	17.2
Changes in working capital	16.2	3.8	11.9
Net cash flow provided by operations	18.9	-3.3	29.1
Capital expenditure	-0.9	-1.7	-4.8
Purchase of business	-	-8.7	-1.1
Dividend paid	-	-0.1	-0.2
Financing activities	-17.9	8.4	-18.8
Net cash flow	0.1	-5.4	4.2
Opening liquid funds	37.7	43.1	36.8
Closing liquid funds	37.8	37.7	41.0

- Net cash flow provided by operations was **€18.9m**, compared to €-3.3m in Q211
- Working capital decreased by **€16.2m** sequentially, as a result of an action plan started in Q211 aimed at improving collections of receivables
- Capex in Q311 was €0.9m
- Repayment of credit facility **€17.9m**

# Debt & Leveraging

## Leveraging



- Gross debt decreased by **€15.6m** vs. Q211 and decreased by **€7.2m** compared to Q310
- Net Debt decreased by **€15.7m** in the quarter and by **€8.4m** compared to the Q310 level
- Net Debt/EBITDA ratio: **4.2**, compared to 4.2 in Q211, within renegotiated covenant thresholds
- Interest charge **€1.1m**

(€millions)	Q311	Q211	Q111	Q410	Q310	Q210	Q110	Q409
Gross debt	111.2	126.8	117.8	118.5	118.4	133.1	147.9	132.9
Net Debt	73.4	89.1	74.7	77.5	81.8	85.7	105.6	96.1
Net debt / EBITDA	4.2	4.2	2.6	2.5	2.3	2.3	2.6	2.2
Interest charge	-1.1	-0.9	-0.6	-0.6	-0.4	-0.5	-0.5	-0.5

# New credit facility agreed

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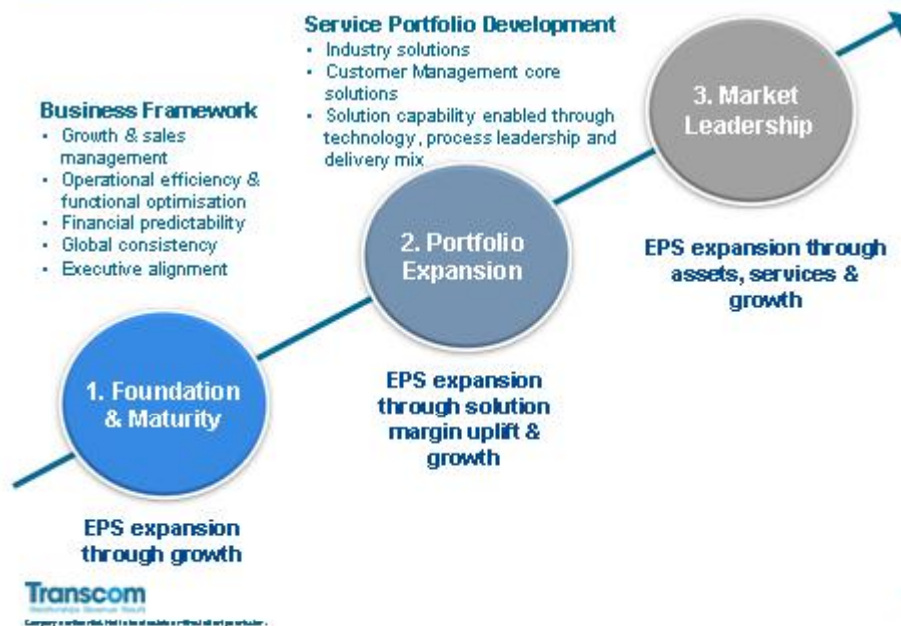
- New credit facility agreed with current Bank pool **€125m, 3 year maturity.**
  - €50m term loan amortized starting Q113
  - €75m revolving credit facility
- New facility contingent upon completion of rights issue
- Terms & conditions similar to current facility
- Covenants:
  - Leverage: Net Debt / EBITDA
  - Interest coverage
  - Tight cash management discipline
- Cost of debt similar to current (Euribor + margin dependent on leverage)

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# CEO UPDATE

# Next Steps in our Journey

## A Journey



## Q3 achievements

- Stabilized revenue base and set up the foundation for Q4 growth
- Execution of restructuring plan delivered €1.9M savings
- Addressed operational inefficiencies
  - N America 11.7% growth
  - North 7% ebita margin
- EBITA of €3.6M, including €3.6M q-on-q operational improvement, ahead of plan
- Secured long term financial stability
  - Right Issue
  - Facility renewal

## Q4 priorities

- Restructuring plan execution, operational efficiencies and growth remain as key priorities.
- Transformation plan