

#### **Eltel in brief**



Northern European market leader

Operations throughout the Nordics, Poland and Germany

Industry with long-term structural growth

Solid customer base and recurring revenues

Net sales EUR 1.3 billion, 7,500 employees

Listed on Nasdaq Stockholm since 2015



# Focus on segments

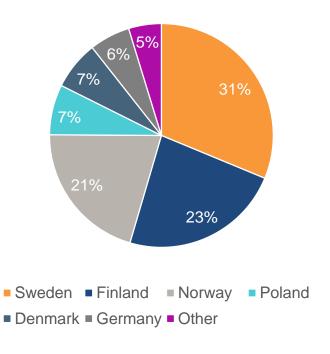


Power and Communication

The Nordics, Poland and Germany

Grow in line with market, capitalize on trends, improve operational processes, make selective acquisitions, increase efficiency

#### Net Sales 2017





#### Eltel's business

- driven by stable customers with long term investment needs

# **Segments**Power Communication

#### **Drivers**

- Regulatory demands
- Outsourcing
- Ageing infrastructure
- Increasing end-customer demands
- Technical shift



### Casimir Lindholm, President and CEO



- Joined Eltel on September 1, 2018
- Know Eltel inside and out
- Experience from turn around
- Hands on and operational focused
- Building excellence

#### **CEO** first observations



#### Financial situation

# Negative performance were impacted by:

- Growth strategy in Rail and High voltage
- Contracts taken in 2014–16 are the main reasons for deviations
- Small companies were acquired but not integrated
- Loss of focus due to wrong organisation

# Cash generation not on right level and impacting our business

- Sweden process & leadership
- High Voltage terms and conditions in old contracts in Poland

# Reporting structure is on a good level

 P&L per individual team and up

It will take 36 months from starting point Q3 2016 to reach turn-around mode

#### **CEO** first observations



#### Organisational situation

#### **Opportunities**

- Country organisation a positive change for everyone
- Finland, Sweden, Norway & Denmark have done/planning structural changes (e.g., regions instead of districts, taking out one layer of managers)
- Smart metering strong in Nordics

#### **Challenges**

- Too many internal initiatives and projects ongoing simultaneously
- High Voltage in a challenging situation outside Poland
- Communication units Germany and Poland are small
- Fragmented and underinvested IT



#### **CEO** first observations

#### Customer & Suppliers

- Eltel is in general perceived as a reliable partner, good track record and the number one player in the Nordics and Poland
- Eltel delivers quality, but we have lost momentum in the old organisational structure
- Our financial performance has impacted our ability to tender and develop the business
- Growth via smart metering, outsourcing and consolidation







# Transformation plan almost completed



- Decision to focus on Eltel's Core business in the Nordics, Poland and Germany
- Decision to divest or discontinue noncore businesses to decrease risk level
- Merger of Fixed and Mobile Communication
- Merger of part of Aviation and Security with Segment Communication
- Merger of Power Distribution and Power Transmission
- Revised financial targets
- Rights issue of EUR 150 million
- Divestment of part of communication business in Poland

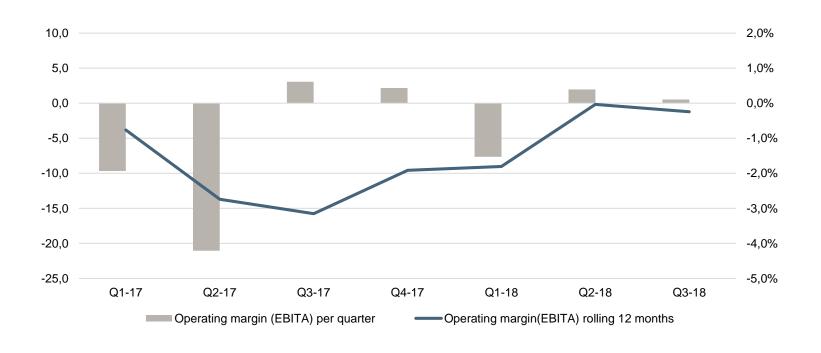
- Agreement to divest operations in Latvia
- Agreement to divest operations in Estonia
- Letter of intent to divest Power Transmission International
- Agreement to divest rail operations in Finland
- Agreement to divest rail operations in Denmark

- Decision on countrybased organization for segments Power and Communication
- Swedish Aviation and Security merged into Communication business unit Sweden
- Divestment of rail operations in Sweden
- Letter of intent to divest Power Transmission International expired.
   Eltel proceeds with the discontinuation

- Agreement to divest Norwegian rail operations
- Amended loan facilities agreement to reflect ongoing transition and improving conditions for transformation and growth



# **Group: EBITA margin development**





# Second phase of transformation initiated

- Focus on operational improvements in the business
  - Reduce costs
  - Increase capacity utilisation
  - Increase efficiency
  - Improve processes and systems
  - Recruitment and training

Long-term strategy to ensure sustainable growth, profitability and shareholder value

# Our purpose





# Our plan to win





2017-18 "House in order"

Reorganisation to strengthen

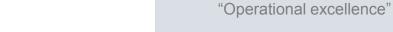
focus on local markets

operational KPIs to foster continuous improvements and sharing of best practices

Initiatives to control project

Increased focus on

business risk



 Prioritise core operational excellence)

>2022 "Investing in sustainable profitable growth"



 Continued focus on operational excellence

situation improves

improvements (operational

2019-2021

Innovation and new market development

Pursue structural M&A's in Nordics when financial

# **Summary of Operational Excellence strategy**



- Customer satisfaction and SLA precision
- Deliver on our customer promise everyday i.e., improve our performance, train our people to solve root causes, to create a strong differentiator and be our customers most trusted partner

- Utilization
- Right way, right job, right tools i.e., maximize share of time spent solving projects and tickets. Training of personnel (e.g., project management, cross-skilling etc.) and increased use of automation.

- Performance management
- High performance teams i.e., minimize time needed for each ticket and project completion. Create transparency, enhance training and coaching for low performers.
- Cost reduction and quality improvement
- Front-line oriented supporting functions i.e., invest in productivity and use information technology for better efficiency and control

# **Financial targets**



#### Medium to long – term target

Growth

Annual growth of 2-4%, including selective acquisitions

EBITA-margin

EBITA-margin of at least 5%

Cash conversion

Cash conversion of 95-100% of EBITA

Capital structure

Leverage of 1.5-2.5x net debt/EBITDA











Q&A

