# **KION GROUP AG**Conference Call



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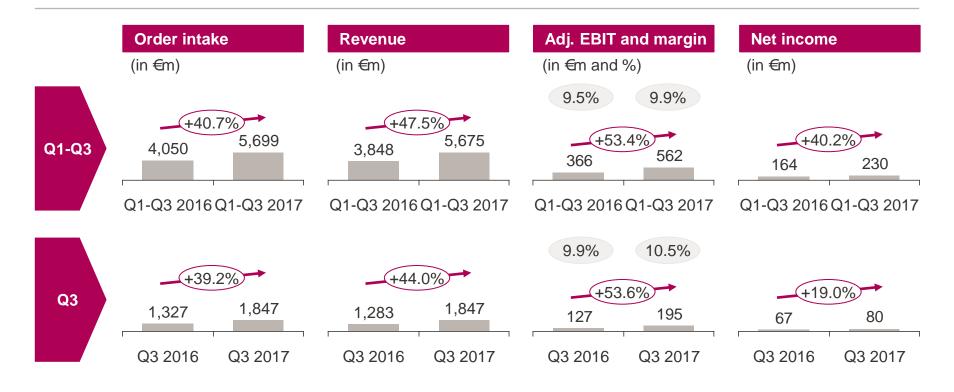
## KION Group publishes preliminary results for Q1-Q3 2017 and slightly adjusts outlook



- Order intake and revenue is €5.7bn in Q1-Q3 2017
- Group achieves adjusted EBIT of €562m; adjusted EBIT margin is 9.9%
- Outlook for Group slightly lowered
- Reasons are customers` hesitation to invest and delays in project decisions by customers in the Supply Chain Solutions segment

## Q1-Q3 Preliminaries – Group Key Financials Continued profitable growth despite headwinds

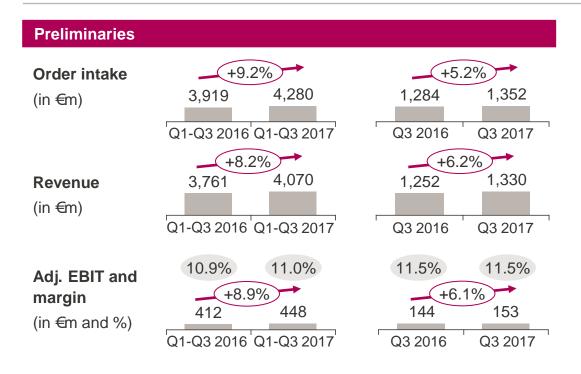




### **Industrial Trucks & Services**

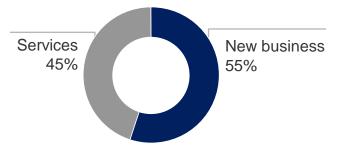
### Normalised growth and stable margin in Q3 2017





### Revenue by category

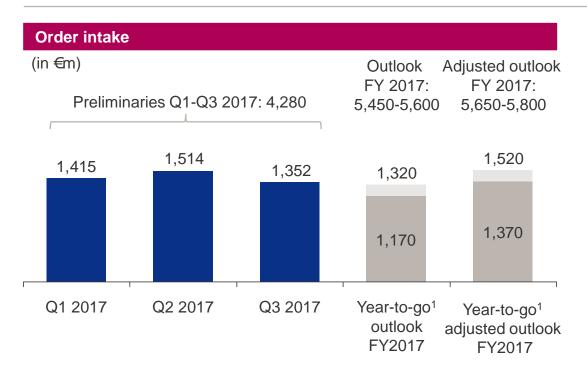
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#### **Industrial Trucks & Services**

## Outlook increased to reflect continued strong momentum





### **Explanations**

- Order intake in Q3 2017 shows continued growth but at a more normalised level
- Performance year-to-date is higher than anticipated, driven by continued momentum across regions
- Outlook is therefore increased for order intake and revenue
- Outlook for adjusted EBIT remains unchanged due to material cost headwinds and FX transaction effects

<sup>1.</sup> Year-to-go calculated as upper and lower ends of outlook ranges for order intake less Q1-Q3 2017 preliminary order intake

### **Supply Chain Solutions**

## Topline lower than anticipated but strong margin step-up

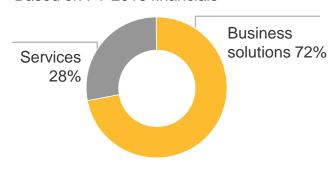


#### **Preliminaries** Order intake 1,406 493 (in €m) 118 38 Q1-Q3 2016 Q1-Q3 2017 Q3 2017 Q3 2016 Revenue 1.593 514 (in €m) 75 27 Q1-Q3 2016 Q1-Q3 2017 Q3 2016 Q3 2017 Adj. EBIT and margin 9.7% 11.4% -4.4% -2.9% (in €m and %) 154 59

Q1-Q3 2016 Q1-Q3 2017

#### Revenue by category

Based on FY 2016 financials



### **Segment composition**

Q3 2017

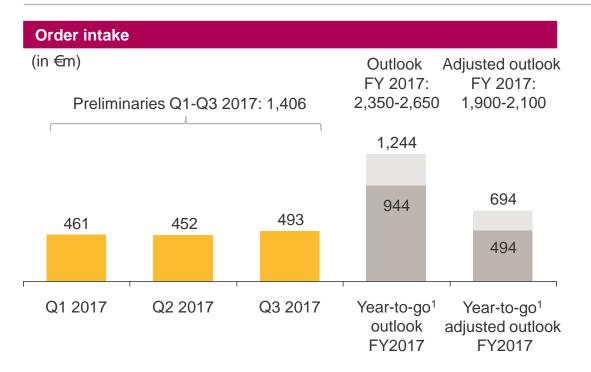
Q3 2016

- Egemin: consolidated as of Aug 2015
- Retrotech: consolidated as of Mar 2016
- Dematic: consolidated as of Nov 2016

## **Supply Chain Solutions**

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## Outlook adjusted downwards to reflect lower than anticipated run-rate



#### **Explanations**

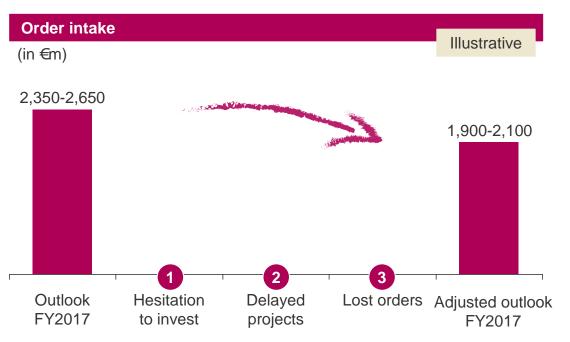
- Order intake in Q3 2017 was above level of first and second quarter, but lower than anticipated
- Topline impacted by customers' hesitation to invest, delayed project decisions and lost orders
- Adjusted outlook is based on detailed review of project pipeline and customer discussions
- Outlook is lowered for order intake, revenue and adjusted EBIT
- Long-term growth driver e-commerce and megatrends automation and digitalisation remain fully intact

<sup>1.</sup> Year-to-go calculated as upper and lower ends of outlook ranges for order intake less Q1-Q3 2017 preliminary order intake

### **Supply Chain Solutions**

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### Pipeline review has identified key reasons for outlook adjustment



#### **Explanations**

- 1 Hesitation to invest despite growth in US retail, esp. General Merchandise and Apparel
- Delayed projects: Longer than expected negotiations as customers push out signing of orders to next quarter/year
- 3 Lost orders including, among others, repercussions due to late deliveries from Monterrey in 2015/16 (pre-acquisition)

### FY 2017 Outlook

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## Guidance adjusted slightly based on Q1-Q3 preliminaries

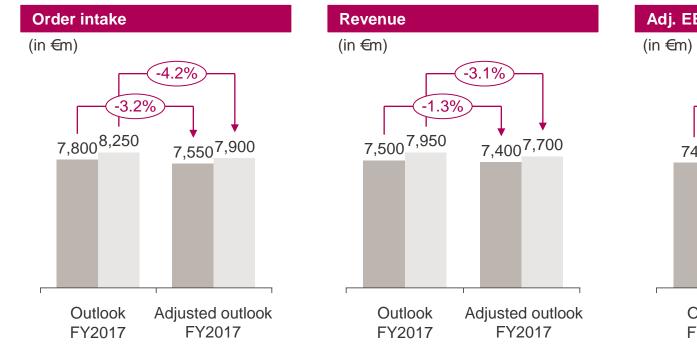
	KION Group		Industrial Trucks & Services		Supply Chain Solutions	
(in €m)	Outlook	Adjusted outlook	Outlook	Adjusted outlook	Outlook	Adjusted outlook
Order intake	7,800 – 8,250	7,550 – 7,900	5,450 - 5,600	5,650 - 5,800	2,350 – 2,650	1,900 – 2,100
Revenue	7,500 – 7,950	7,400 – 7,700	5,300 - 5,450	5,450 - 5,600	2,200 – 2,500	1,950 – 2,100
Adj. EBIT	740 – 800	715–765	605 – 630	605 – 630	195 – 230	170 – 195
FCF	370 – 430	320 – 380				
ROCE	9.5% – 10.5%	9.0% - 10.0%				

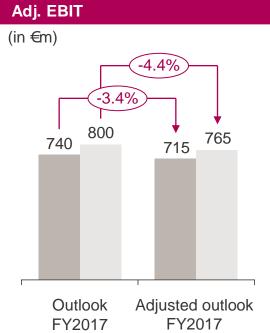
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### FY 2017 Outlook



### Group outlook for order intake, revenue and adj. EBIT lowered by 1%-4%





### **Financial Calendar**



Date	Event	
26 October 2017	Quarterly statement for the period ended 30 Sep 2017 (Q3 2017) and analyst call	
1 March 2018	Financial statements press conference and analyst call Publication of 2017 annual report (FY 2017)	
26 April 2018	oril 2018 Quarterly statement for the period ended 31 Mar 2018 (Q1 2018) and analyst call	
9 May 2018	Annual General Meeting	

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