First three quarters and Q3 results 2019

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Peter Nilsson, Kitron's CEO comments

- Strong revenue growth increasing 31 % in Q3 and 28% year to date with particularly strong growth within Defence/Aerospace and Offshore/Marine market sectors.
- EBIT margin at 5.4% with margin improvements in Norway and Sweden
- Strong order backlog, with strong contribution from the Defence/Aerospace and Offshore/Marine sectors
- Working capital stabilized and the improvement in component availability is expected to affect the working capital positively
- US flooding production has been removed to a temporary site after flooding in July
- Increased capacity with new Kitron facility in Grudziądz, Poland. Production will ramp in Q4



Financial highlights Q3:

Strong revenue growth and order backlog

- Revenue
 - Continued strong growth 31.0 %
 - Organic growth 21%
- Operating Margin/EBIT
 - Operating margin at 5.4% (5.3%)
- **EPS** 0.14 (0.12) NOK
- **Cash flow** 19 (-41) MNOK
- Order Backlog
 - Organic growth 27%

NOK Million	Q3	2019 vs Q3 2018
Revenue 737,5		31,0 %
EBIT 39,6		31,9 %
Order Backlog 1 572,4	0	40,1 %
Operating cash flow 19,2		146,8 %
Net working capital 886,7		46,6 %



Financial highlights First three quarter:

Continued strong growth and profitability

- Revenue
 - Continued strong growth 28 %
 - Organic growth 20%
- Operating Margin/EBIT
 - Operating margin at 6.1% (6.0%)
- **EPS** 0.55 (0.47) NOK
- **Cash flow** 98 (-18) MNOK
- Order Backlog growth
 - Organic growth 27%

NOK Million		2019 vs 2018
Revenue 2 410,6		28,2 %
EBIT 147,3		29,4 %
Order Backlog 1 572,4	0	40,1 %
Operating cash flow 98,0		653,7 %
Net working capital 886,7		46,6 %



Flooding in the US

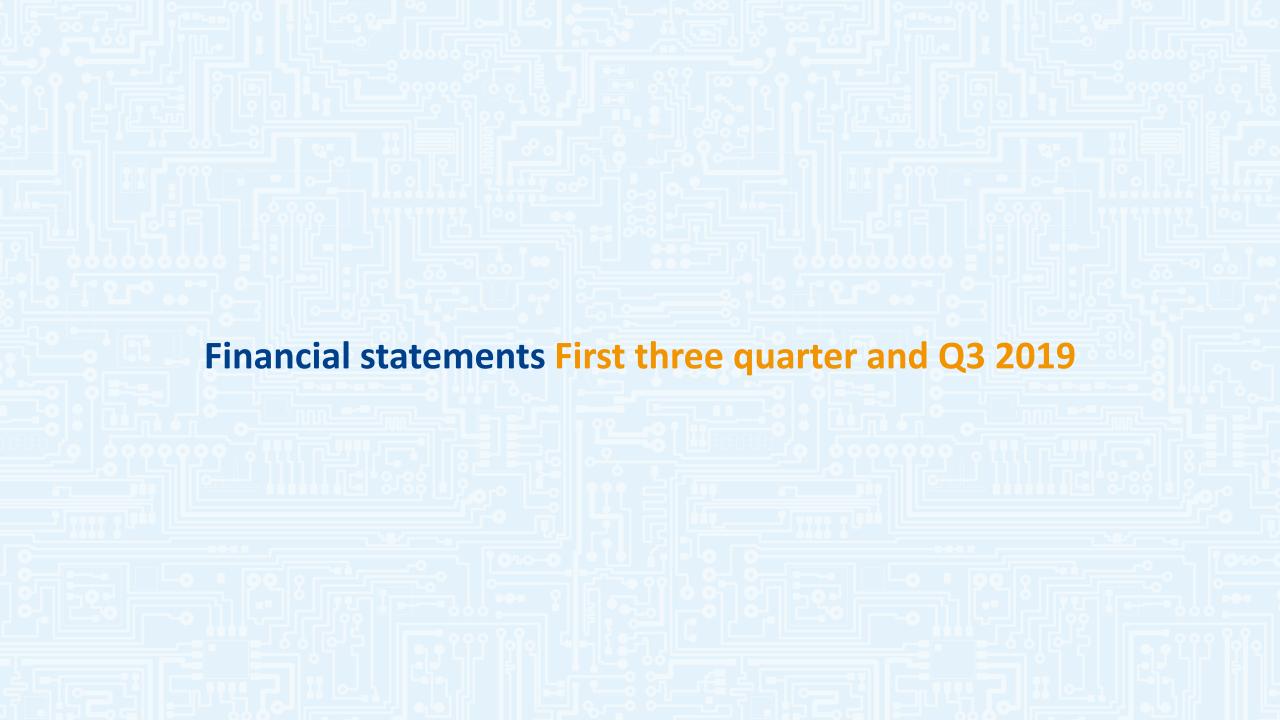
- The facility of Kitron Technologies in Windber, Pennsylvania, was damaged by flooding in July
- Production has been moved to a temporary site.
- This has led to some inefficiencies in production and increase in net working capital
- Minor effects on customers
- No significant financial impact is expected



New factory in Poland

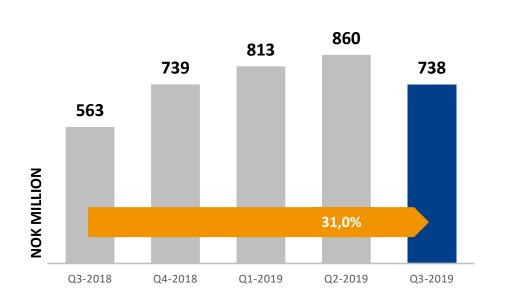
- Finalized construction of Kitron's new factory in Grudziądz, Poland
- 8,000 square meter facility
- Production is ramping up in the fourth quarter
- Contributes to growth in the number of employees during the quarter







Strong revenue growth in Defence/Aerospace and Offshore/marine

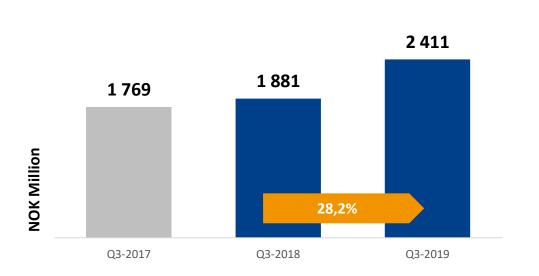


	Q3 2019 vs Q3 2018		Share of total revenue	
Industry	12,3 %		36,7 %	
Defence/Aerospace	96,4 %		23,0 %	
Medical devices	4,8 %	0	18,9 %	
Energy/Telecoms	25,0 %	0	15,5 %	
Offshore/Marine	306,6 %	0	5,9 %	



Revenue First three quarters:

Strong revenue growth in all sectors

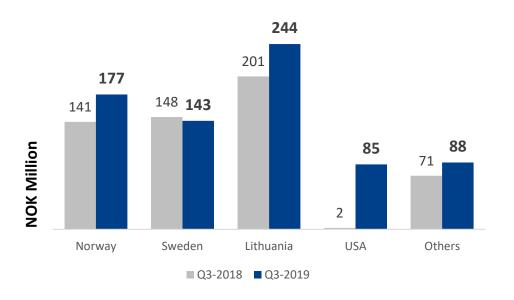


	2019 vs 2018	Share of total revenue	
Industry	13,8 %	39,5 %	
Defence/Aerospace	47,4 %	20,3 %	
Medical devices	10,0 %	17,3 %	
Energy/Telecoms	28,2 %	16,2 %	
Offshore/Marine	447,3 %	6,7 %	



Continued strong growth from several regions

	Q3 2019 vs Q3 2018	Share of total revenue	
Norway	25,4 %	24,0 %	
Sweden	-3,3 %	19,4 %	
Lithuania	21,1 %	33,1 %	
USA	4394,7 %	11,6 %	
Others	24,8 %	11,9 %	

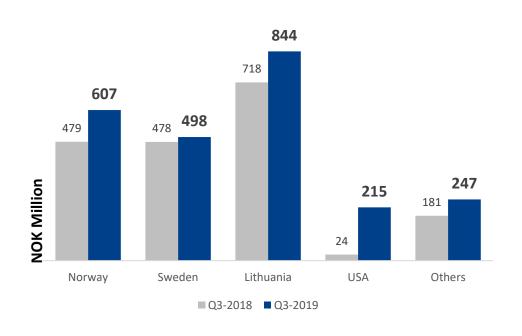


Before group entities and eliminations



Continued strong growth from several regions

	2019 vs 2018	Share of total revenue
Norway	26,8 %	25,2 %
Sweden	4,1 %	20,7 %
Lithuania	17,5 %	35,0 %
USA	779,9 %	8,9 %
Others	36,4 %	10,2 %



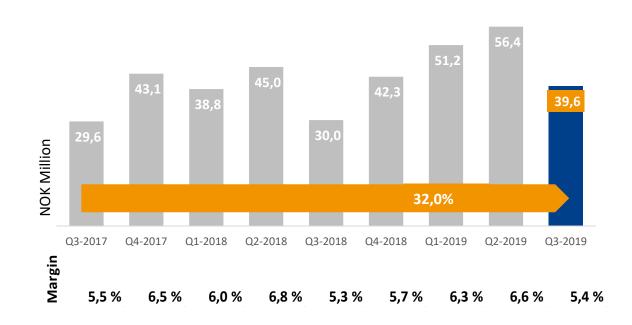
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Quarterly EBIT:

Improved profits

- Strong EBIT at 39,6 million, an increase of 32 per cent compared to last year
- Q3 is affected by seasonality
- EBIT margin was 5.4% (5.3%)
- Ramp-ups of new customer programs due to strong growth temporarily result in lower efficiencies in existing facilities
- Start-up of Polish facility affects margins negatively short-term

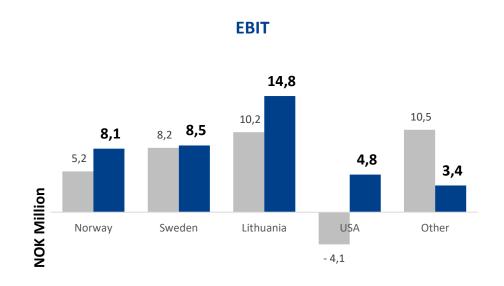




EBIT by Country Q3:

Margin improvements in Norway, Sweden, Lithuania

- Another quarter with continued profitability improvements in Norway, Sweden, Lithuania
- US margins turn positive this quarter
 - Kitron Technologies profit at expected margins in spite of flooding.
- Other
 - China is performing well
 - Poland startup costs included



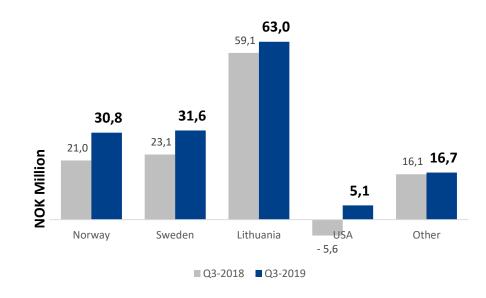
Norway	Sweden	Lithuania	USA	Other
4,6 %	6,0 %	6,1 %	5,6 %	3,9 %
3,7 %	5,6 %	5,1 %	-215,8 %	14,9 %

■ Q3-2018 ■ Q3-2019



Margin improvement in Norway and Sweden

- Continued profitability improvements in Norway,
 Sweden
- Lithuania, lower margins due to ramp-up affects
- US margins turn positive
 - Kitron Technologies profit at expected target
- Other
 - China is performing well
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Norway	Sweden	Lithuania	USA	Other
5,1 %	6,3 %	7,5 %	2,4 %	6,8 %
4,4 %	4,8 %	8,2 %	-23,0 %	8,9 %



Balance sheet:

Working capital

Cash flow

- Q3 Cash flow from operations 19,2 (-41,0)
- YTD Cash flow from operations 98,0 (-17,7)

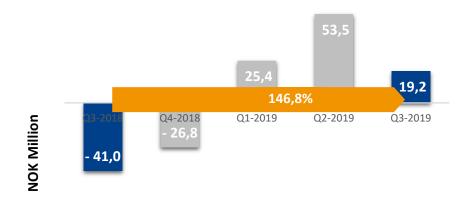
Financial gearing

- NIBD / EBITDA 3.0 (1.5)
 - exclusive IFRS16 NIBD/EBITDA 2.6

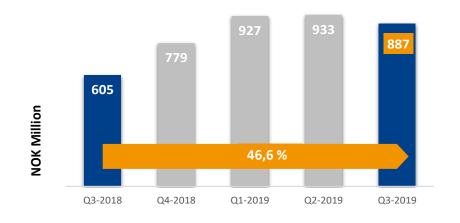
Working capital

- NOWC* 29.4% (25,1%)
- Cash conversion cycle* 116 (94)
- ROOC* 12.2% (14.4%)
 - exclusive IFRS16 ROOC% 13.1%

Operating cash flow

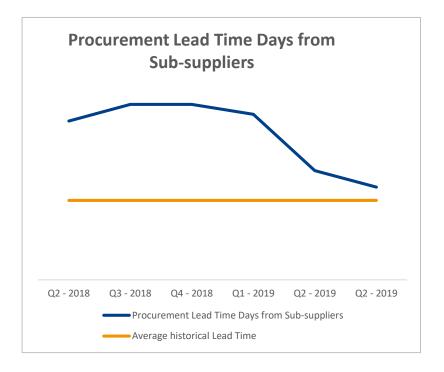


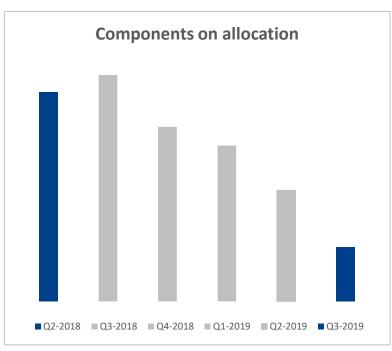
Net working capital

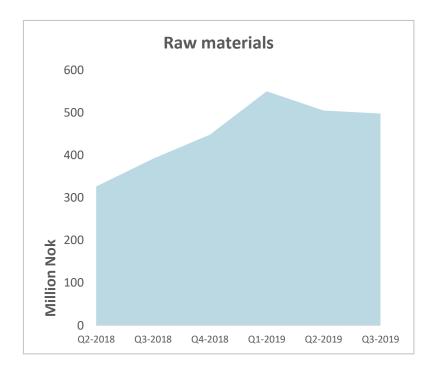




Working capital – improvements expected







- Supplier shortage/constraints has started to ease and lead times have come down
- Allocation of components are substantially reduced compared to peak in Q3-2018
- Raw materials in inventory have peaked in value, further reductions are expected





Market development:

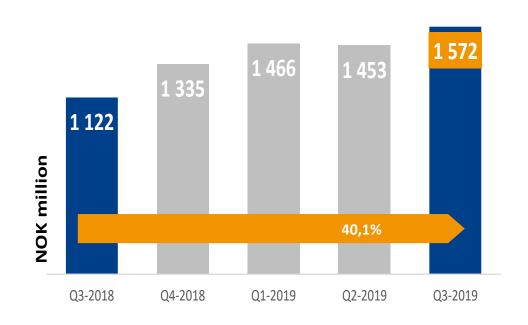
Strong order backlog

Particularly strong order growth in the Defence/Aerospace and Offshore/Marine sectors

Comparable:

- MNOK 1 572 (1 122) +40,1%
 - Defence: 657,6 +72,1%
 - Medical: 207,1 +35,7%
 - Industry: 399,6 +1,2%
 - Energy/Telecom: 174,7 +14,0%
 - Offshore: 133,4 +242,1%
- Organic growth 27%

Order Backlog







Outlook

- For 2019, Kitron expects revenue to grow between NOK 3 200 and NOK 3 400 million.
- Earnings in value are above previous outlook, however EBIT margin is expected to be between 5.9 and 6.3 per cent. Ramp-ups of new customer programs due to strong growth temporarily result in lower efficiencies in existing facilities. Start-up of Polish facility also expected to affect margins. We expect the margin challenges to be resolved as we move into 2020.
- Growth is primarily driven by the acquisition of the EMS division of API Technologies Corp. and growth for customers in the Defence/Aerospace, Industry and Offshore/ Marine sectors.



