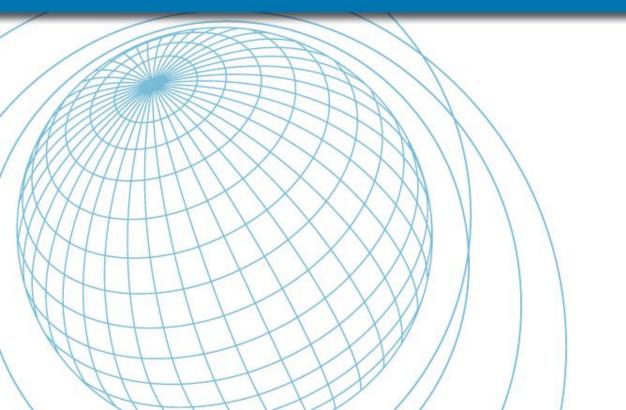


# **Piaggio Group** First Nine Months of 2011 Financial Results



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### Nine Month results confirmed Piaggio strategy is consistent with global market dynamics

- Emerging Markets continuing to grow at a double digit rate
  - Vietnam scooter market +33% vs prior year
  - India 3/4 wheeler market at +14% and 2 wheeler at around +20%
- Western Markets stable or decreasing, especially Italy and Spain

## Piaggio position in the market is very strong...

### **Resilient performance in Western Countries**

- Market share increase in Europe, both in scooters (up to 27.5%) and bikes (6.6%), confirming Piaggio leading position
- Growth in Net Sales of Bikes (+20%) for the third consecutive quarter
- Revenues in America growing again (+60%)
- Discipline on pricing and credit policies

### Good performance in India

- Net Sales increased by 6.4%
- Strong growth in 3W Cargo segment and stable performance in Passenger; launch of new Apé City in August 2012
- Growth in 4W Sub 0.5 Ton segment; opportunity to play a stronger role in the Sub 1 Ton segment to be pursued
- Industrial and development investments to launch Vespa in April 2012 on track

### Strong growth in Asia Pacific

- Acceleration of growth in Vietnam coupled with market share increase (up to 18%, +4 pp)
- Well on track with expansion in new markets Indonesia launched in July 2011 (6K units already sold)
- Very high Gross Margin despite enlargement of product range and geographical presence and negative currency effect



### ...leading to an increase in Net Sales

- Net Sales up 2% in real terms and around 4.5% excluding negative Forex effect
- Growth underpinned by Emerging Markets (+31% in Asia Pacific, +47% net of Forex; +6.5% in India, +12% net of Forex)
- Contribution of Emerging Markets on total sales increased by 3 pp

# Significant cost efficiencies offset one-off restructuring costs, negative Forex effect and higher depreciation charges

- EBITDA and Net Income in line with prior year despite:
  - High restructuring costs around 16 €m (5 €m in 2010) to align European structures to reduced volumes
  - Negative Forex effect accounting for around 9 €m
  - Higher depreciation charges related to increased investments to foster growth in Emerging Countries

# Tight control on Balance Sheet financed further CapEx to grow in Emerging Countries and generated an improvement of Net Financial Position

- Healthy cash flow generation from operations (also including restructuring and severance payments)
- Strict control on Working Capital (noteworthy on Receivables and Inventories in the current weak Western Markets)
- Strong increase in strategic CapEx to launch new products and enlarge production capacity in Emerging Markets
- ... Overall effect of 20 €m Net Financial Position improvement vs. December 2010 and 13 €m compared to September 2010



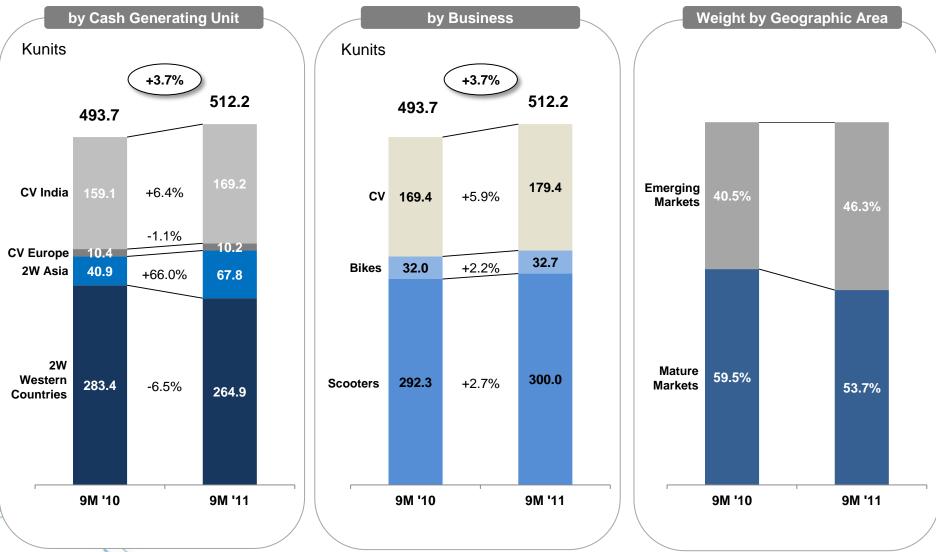
Net Income in line with PY despite significant one-off restructuring costs; NFP improved even with a strong increase of growth CapEx

	P&L						
€m		9M 2010	9M 2011	Change 2011 vs. 2010			
				Absolute	%	% excl. FX	
	Net Sales	1,176.3	1,200.2	+23.9	+2.0%	+4.5%	
	Gross Margin	380.3	367.6	(12.7)	-3.3%	-0.1%	
	% on Net Sales	32.3%	30.6%	-1.7%			
	EBITDA	172.3	170.4	(1.9)	-1.1%	+4.0%	
	% on Net Sales	14.7%	14.2%	-0.5%			
	Depreciation	(64.2)	(67.8)	(3.6)	+5.5%		
	EBIT	108.1	102.7	(5.5)	-5.1%	+3.7%	
	% on Net Sales	9.2%	8.6%	-0.6%			
	Financial Expenses	(19.5)	(16.7)	+2.8	-14.2%		
	Income before Tax	88.7	85.9	(2.7)	-3.1%		
	Тах	(41.9)	(39.6)	+2.3	-5.5%		
	Net Income	46.7	46.3	(0.4)	-0.9%		
	% on Net Sales	4.0%	3.9%	-0.1%			
	NFP						
€m		2010	9M 2011	Change 20			
				Absolute	%		
	Net Financial Position	(349.9)	(330.1)	+19.8	-5.7%		

Further improvement of financial performance excluding negative Forex effect

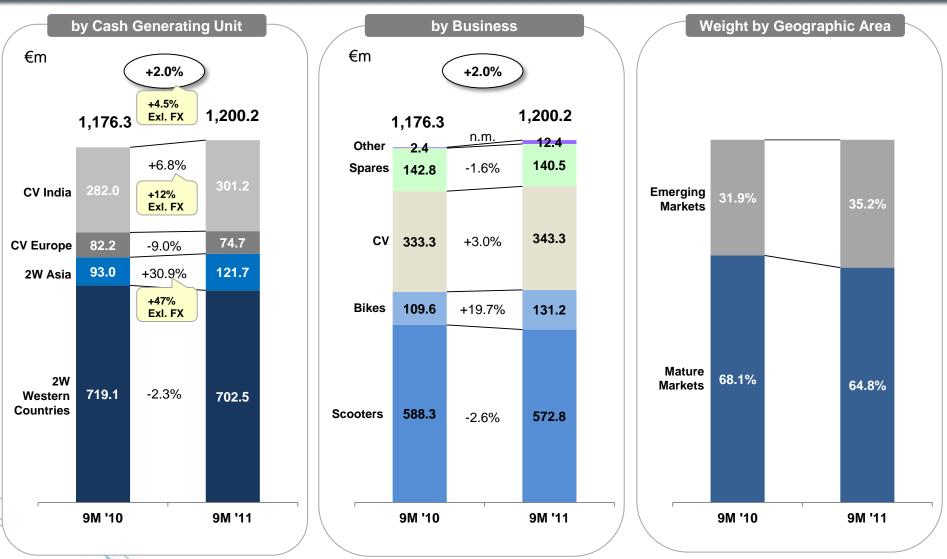


Increase of Volumes came from Emerging Markets with 2W Asia growing at double digit rate; Western Countries decreased less than the market



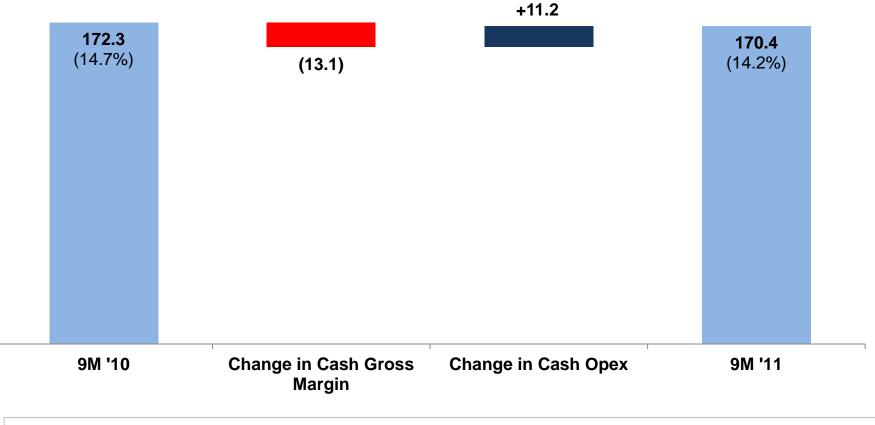


Strong sales in Emerging Countries more than offset weak Western Markets leading to an overall 2% growth; ongoing good performance of Bikes

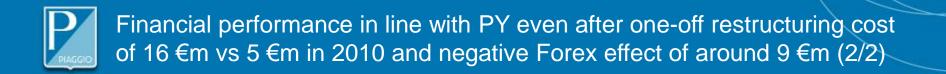


Financial performance in line with PY even after one-off restructuring cost of 16 €m vs 5 €m in 2010 and negative Forex effect of around 9 €m (1/2)

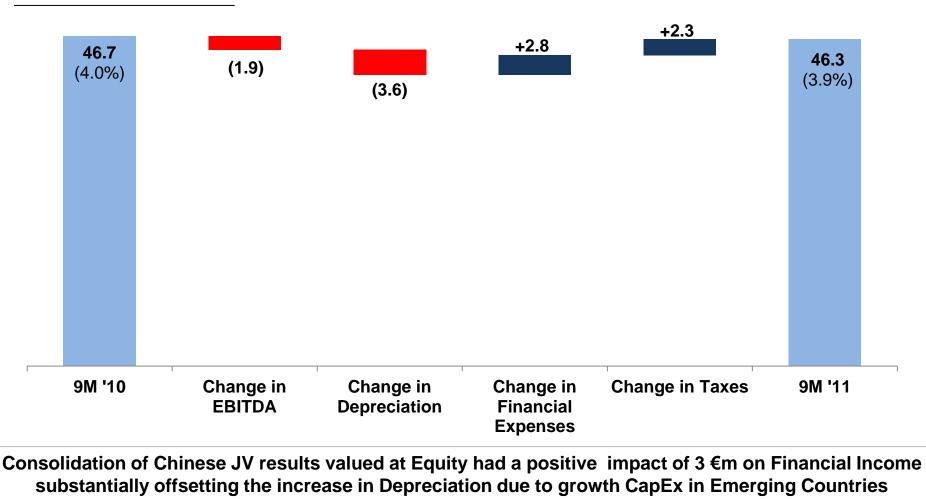
### **EBITDA evolution** (€m)



Group profitability will benefit in the future from lower fixed costs in European Markets



#### Net Income evolution (€m)

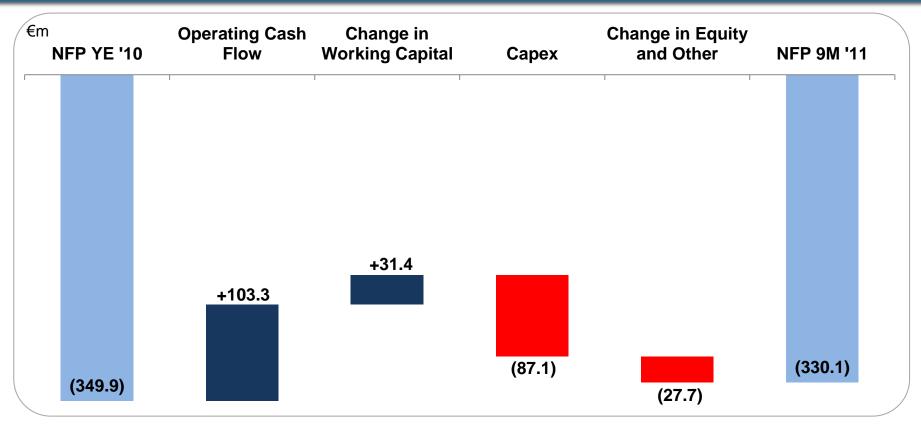


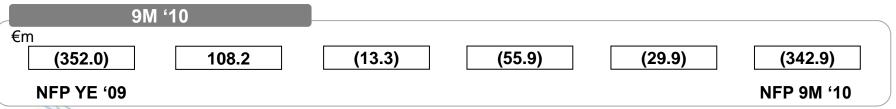


Tight control on Working Capital allowed improvement on NFP while financing the increase of CapEx for international expansion (1/2)

€m	2009	9M 2010	Chg. '10 vs '09	2010	9M 2011	Chg. '11 vs '10
Trade Receivable	99.0	130.4	+31.4	78.0	123.6	+45.6
Inventories	252.5	267.5	+15.0	240.1	256.9	+16.9
Commercial Payable	(341.8)	(374.1)	(32.3)	(340.3)	(402.7)	(62.4)
Other assets/liabilities	7.5	6.7	(0.8)	31.1	(0.4)	(31.4)
Working Capital	17.2	30.6	+13.3	8.8	(22.5)	(31.4)
Tangible Fixed Assets	250.4	244.2	(6.2)	256.8	267.4	+10.7
Intangible Fixed Assets	641.3	644.4	+3.1	652.6	648.5	(4.1)
Financial Investments	0.6	0.5	(0.1)	0.5	3.7	+3.2
Provisions	(133.7)	(131.0)	+2.7	(125.9)	(115.1)	+10.8
Net Invested Capital	775.8	788.6	+12.9	792.8	782.1	(10.8)
Net Financial Position	352.0	342.9	(9.0)	349.9	330.1	(19.8)
Equity	423.8	445.7	+21.9	442.9	451.9	+9.0
Total Sources	775.8	788.6	+12.9	792.8	782.1	(10.8)
NFP/Equity	0.83	0.77		0.79	0.73	









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