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Business highlights – Preliminary 9M 2019



Sales

Markets slowed down in Q3; group sales in 9M up +1.9% to €568m

JOST's sales in **Europe** were down by **-2.3%** to **€343m** in 9M, despite strong decline of trailer markets

North America continued with strong momentum +20.9% to €129m in 9M

Sales in APA down -3.1% to €107m affected by very weak Indian market. JOST could increase prior year's sales in the other countries of the region despite overall declining markets

Earnings

Adjusted **EBIT +0.4%** to **€66m** in 9M

Adjusted EBIT margin in 9M nearly stable at 11.3%

Finance

Operating cash flow doubled to €56m due to significant improvements in Working Capital

Net Working Capital as % of sales down by 2.5pp to 19.5%

Outlook

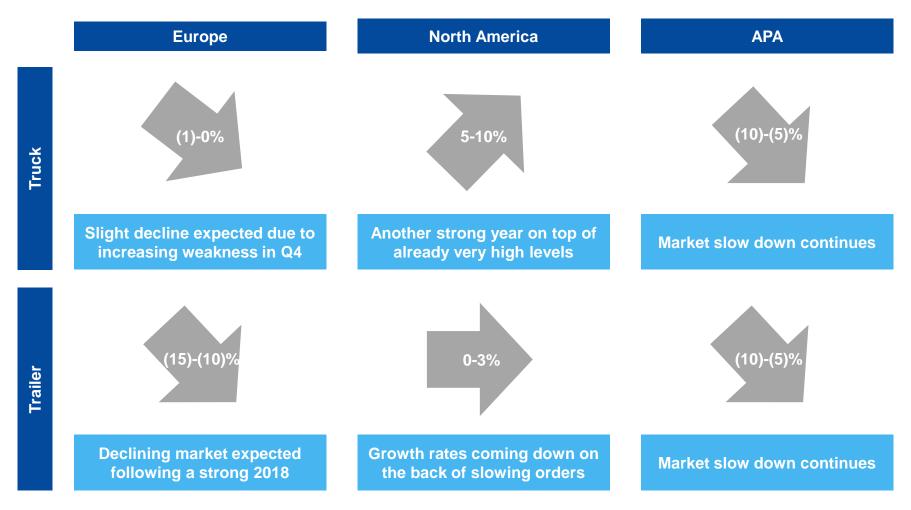
JOST expects sales and earnings in 2019 to decline in a low-single-digit percentage range compared to 2018



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Truck and trailer market outlook for 2019





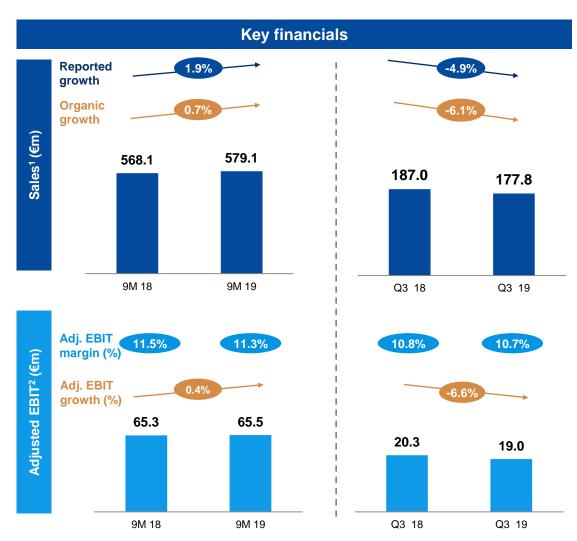
Note: Market estimates for heavy truck based on LMC, Clear Consulting and FTR (as of October 2019)



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Group – Seasonal weakness in Q3 stronger than in prior year





Key highlights

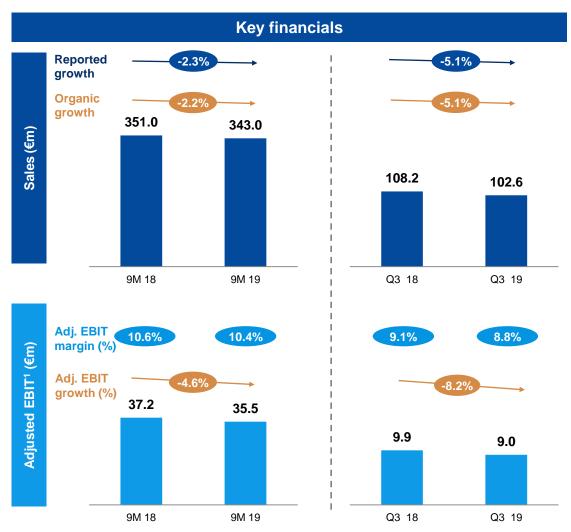
- Continued high activity level in North America partially offset weakness of markets in Europe and India during Q3
- In 9M 2019 group sales up by +1.9%
- Adj. EBIT developed mostly in line with sales, with Q3 adj. EBIT down by 6.6% and margin stable at 10.7%
- In 9M adj. EBIT grew by 0.4% with margin reaching 11.3%
- Good operating performance in North America partially offset cost pressure from increasing wages in other regions

¹ Reported sales figures do not include sales of Brazil JV

² Operating profit adjusted for PPA effects and exceptionals

Europe – Decline of standard trailer markets burdens Europe





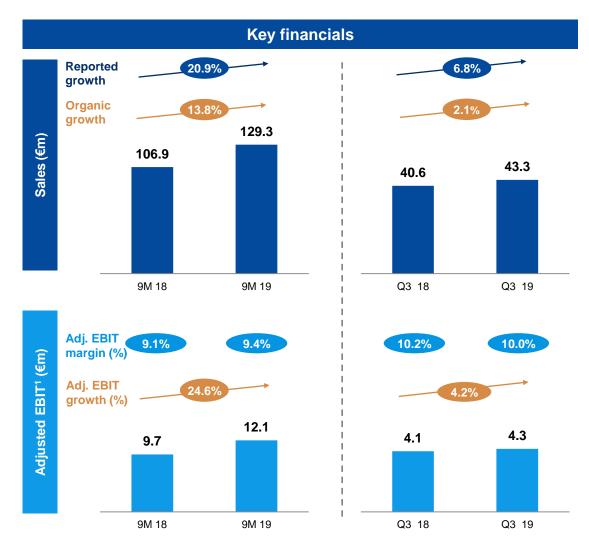
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- Typical Q3 seasonality in Europe was stronger than in prior years, but sales remained on a high level with Q3 19 being the second strongest JOST's Q3 in the region.
- Market impact: Trailer production in Europe declined further and truck production was weaker compared to strong prior year. Sales to specialty trailers remained stable
- Adj. EBIT and adj. EBIT margin below prior year mostly due to:
 - lower sales volume
 - rising personnel costs
- Focus for the remainder of 2019 and the following year are:
 - further increase of efficiency across all processes
 - increasing automation in the production area

North America – Ongoing strong topline and earnings growth





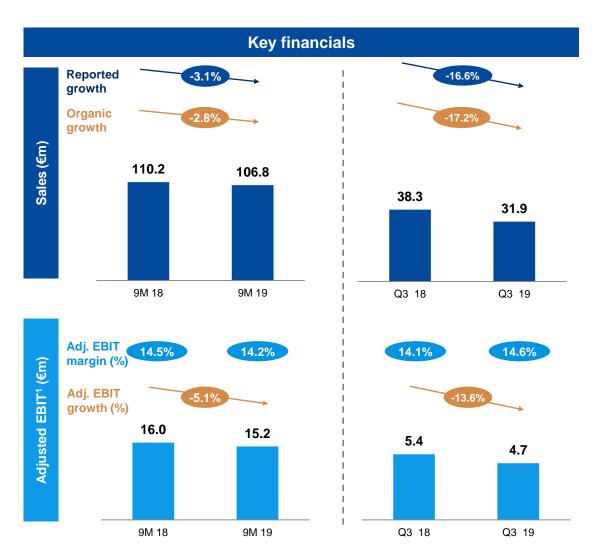
- JOST continued its growth in North America, with sales up by +20.9% in 9M and +6.8% in Q3
- Reported sales grew stronger than organic sales due to FX-tailwinds of 4.3% in Q3 and 7.1% in 9M
- Market impact: JOST continued to profit from strong demand, strengthening its market position
- Adj. EBIT up by +24.6% in 9M with adj. EBIT margin increasing to 9.4%
- Adj. EBIT margin in Q3 reached the double-digit range at 10.0% for the 2nd consecutive quarter.
- Margin improvement supported by strong sales growth and good operating performance

Key highlights

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APA – Ongoing weakness in India affects APA results





- Sales in APA were down by 17% in Q3, mostly due to strong decline of truck and trailer demand in India
- In 9M sales only down by 3.1% due to good performance of JOST in China and other APA countries
- Market impact: In Q3 JOST was able to keep sales on prior year's level in most APA countries, but this was not enough to compensate the strong decline in India.
- Adj. EBIT down mostly in line with sales development with margins reaching 14.2% in 9M.
- Margins in Q3 improved to 14.6% despite declining sales. JOST was able to use its flexibility to scale down production levels in India and cut costs quickly, reducing negative impact for the region

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Development of JOST's sales and adjusted EBIT by quarter







Outlook for FY 2019 adjusted



| | FY 2018 | Outlook 2019 (old) ¹ | Outlook 2019 (new) |
|-------------------------------------|----------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Sales | 755 | Low-single-digit % growth | Low-single-digit % decline |
| Adjusted EBITDA | 100 | Low-single-digit % growth | Low-single-digit % decline |
| Adjusted EBIT | 81 | Low-single-digit % growth | Low-single-digit % decline |
| Adjusted EBIT margin | 10.7% | Stable | ~ Stable |
| Capex ² (in % of sales) | 20 (2.6%) | ~2.5% of sales | ~2.5% of sales |
| Net working capital (in % of sales) | 140 (18.5%) | <20% | <18.5% |
| Leverage ³ | 0.85x | <0.85x | ~0.5x |

¹ The previous outlook was based on the assumption of a stable macroeconomic and political environment in 2019

² Capex calculated as payments to acquire property, plant and equipment as well as intangible assets, excluding potential acquisitions

³ Excluding potential acquisitions



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Further information



| Financial Calendar 2019 | | | | |
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| Nov. 21 | Publication of Final 9M 2019 Results | | | |
| Nov. 22 | Road Show London, UK | | | |

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