

## Agenda





- Central and North Europe market review
  - New equipment market
  - Maintenance market
  - Modernization market
- KONE's response to market trends
- Creating solid business progress also in tougher times
  - Key actions
- Conclusions





Central and North Europe market review

## Central and North European markets





# New equipment market is challenging but there are signs of improvement



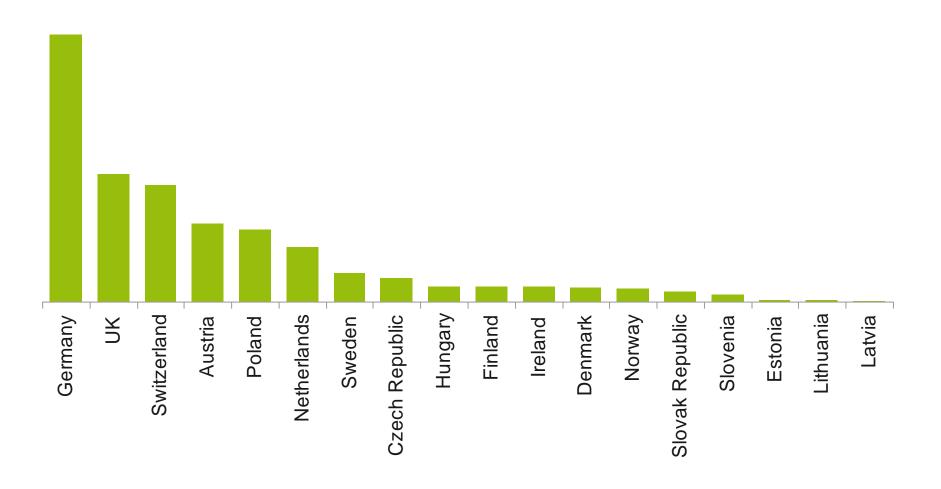


- Residential segment in the UK, Germany,
  Poland and the Nordic countries starting to look more favorable
- Market has remained weak in Ireland and parts of Eastern Europe
- Office segment still under pressure but some major developments in London being reactivated
- KONE's market share stable to slightly positive with strong position in major projects, residential segment and recovering markets

## Markets in Central and North Europe



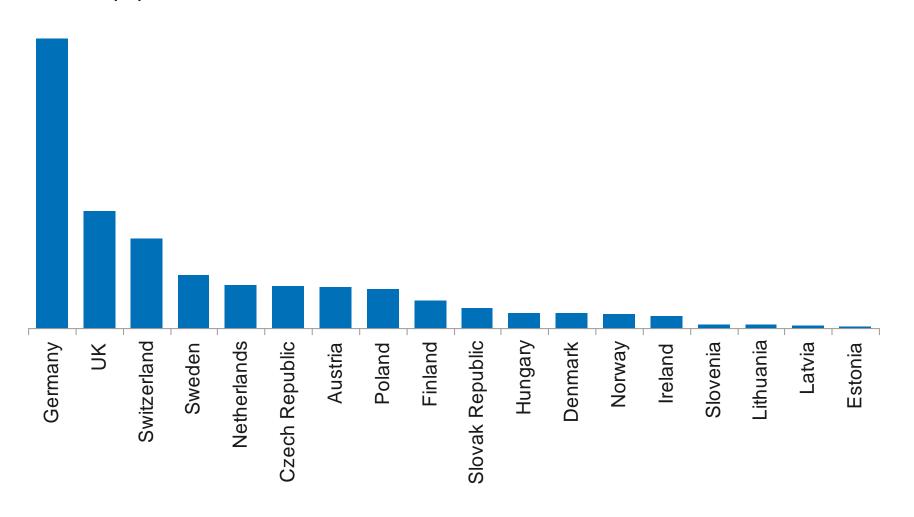
Total new equipment market size in units in 2009



## Markets in Central and North Europe



Total equipment in service market size in units in 2009



## Maintenance market growing steadily





- Central and North European market grows by low single digits per year
- KONE's good performance in the new equipment market provides excellent longterm potential in maintenance
- KONE's position on the maintenance market
  - High conversion and retention rates
  - Increasing competence in 3rd party maintenance

## Modernization market provides growth potential

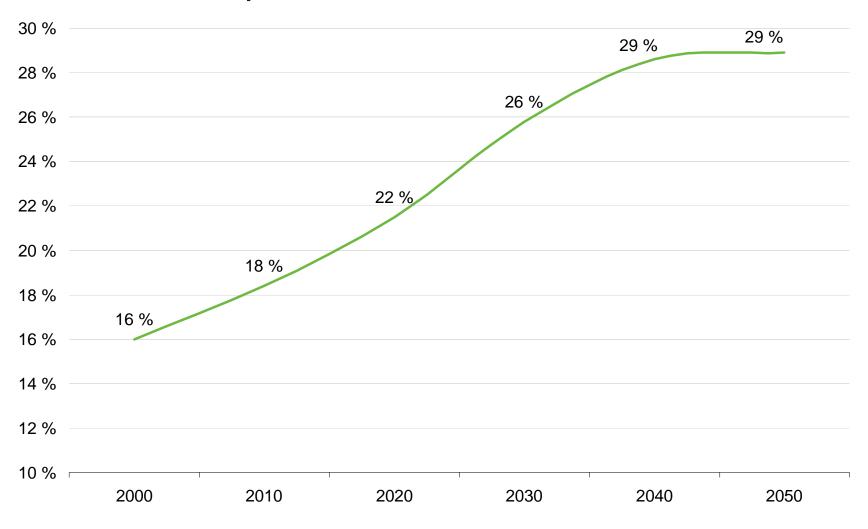




- Aging population and buildings
- Legislation development for the safety of existing lifts (SNEL)
- KONE has a solid market share in almost all Central and North Europe countries
- Consultative sales processes lay as foundation for continued customer focus

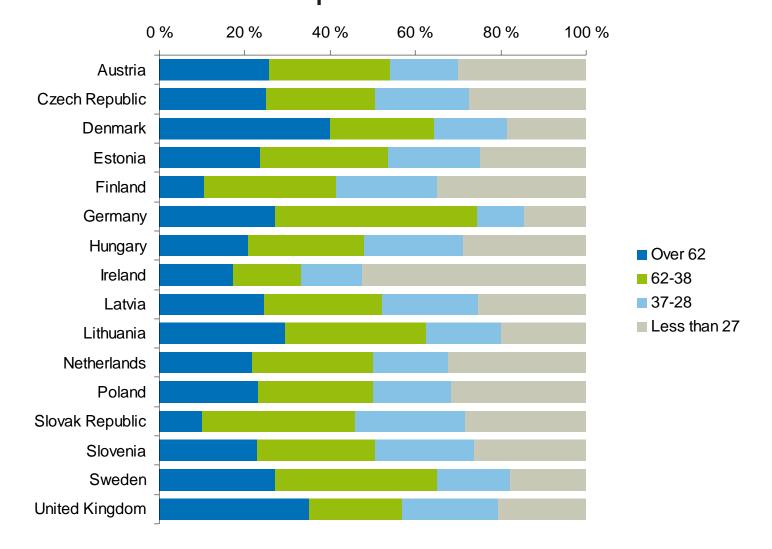
# Percentage of population aged 65 or older in Western Europe





# Age distribution of the construction base in Central and North Europe





## SNEL - Overview of national legislations in **EU+EFTA**





#### Legend

- National laws have been introduced
- National laws in preparation
- Preparation for national laws to be started

Source: European Lift Association





KONE's response to market trends

## KONE's response to market trends



### Market trend

### **KONE** response

Customers demanding green



KONE has the first and only "A" rated elevators in Europe (Germany)

Uncertain markets and economies



KONE improves further internal efficiencies (quality, installation, maintenance) to increase competitiveness

**Competitive environment** 



KONE's commercial processes ensure close link to the customer buying processes





Creating solid business progress also in tougher times

## Key sales actions





- Extensive training ensures that sales force is able to consult customer on best solution
- Tools and market info support our people to know when to act in every phase of the welldefined sales process
- Increasing conversion rate ensures continued market share growth in maintenance
- Close follow-up of contract performance leads to customer satisfaction and contract renewals
- KONE Care for Life™ process ensures an appropriate solution for every customer

## Key maintenance actions





- Modular based maintenance continues to improve efficiency through clearly defined process for engineers' work
- Reduction of call-outs has further improved customer satisfaction and productivity in Central and North Europe through focused corrective actions
- Preventive replacements in service will further improve efficiency
- Improving customer loyalty

## Key operational actions





- Installation productivity supports needed competitiveness
- Supply chain improvements reduce working capital, further improving cash flow
- Quality feedback leads to corrective actions and cost reductions
- JumpLift creates value for our customers already during installation

## Benefits of Agile KONE





- Market penetration deeper through regionalization
- Better benchmarking through comparability
- Faster best practice copying
- "One KONE" closer to the customer

## Example: Germany





- New regional organization structure introduced in 2007
- Customer Focus
  - Getting closer to our customers
  - Strong regional leadership close to customer
  - Customer ratings improving strongly
- Covering the "white spots" in the market
- Suitable sales processes and tools leading to good results

### Conclusions





- The Central and North European new equipment markets showing positive signs in certain countries
- Increasing maintenance conversion rates and decreasing call-out rates
- Long-term modernization growth potential accelerated through consultative selling and appropriate offering
- Continuously increasing customer focus leading to higher customer ratings and market share
- Operational improvements gaining speed through process development, organizational adjustments and leadership involvement

