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# Business highlights Q1

- Overall stable market demand during the main part of Q1, but gradual covid-19 impact from latter part of March
- Efficiency program delivering on savings target
- Significant EBITA margin uplift back to targeted level in the quarter
- Positive momentum in division Civil Engineering & Infrastructure





### Efficiency program on target

- Efficiency measures taken in 2019 delivering on annual cost reduction target run rate of SEK 70 million in 2020 compared to 2019
- Total employees entering 2020 after efficiency program: 1 104 (1 211)
- Increased utilisation rate 76.2% (75.1)
- Increased average hourly rates



#### New contracts

- Three-year agreement with Region Stockholm to provide interior design and project planning for 1,400 workplaces
- Design of the frame of the 35-storey landmark Draken building, which will be Gothenburg's highest hotel, for property company Balder
- HVAC and sanitation project design for refurbishment and extension of the USÖ Campus in Örebro. Premises covering 7,000 m2 for medical training



### Group financial summary Q1

- EBITA increased to 28.9 SEK (13.6) million
- EBITA margin 8.5 (3.7) %
- Net revenue decreased 8 % to SEK 341 (370) million due to staff reductions in underperforming units

#### Group summary

| SEK million                                     | 3 mor           | 12 months       |                 |                    |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------|
|   | Jan-Mar<br>2020 | Jan-Mar<br>2019 | Jan-Dec<br>2019 | Rolling<br>12 mths |
| Net revenue                                     | 341.1           | 370.4           | 1,348.4         | 1,319.0            |
| EBITA (adjusted earnings)                       | 28.9            | 13.6            | 9.2             | 24.5               |
| EBITA margin, % (adjusted earnings)             | 8.5             | 3.7             | 0.7             | 1.9                |
| Operating profit/loss, EBIT (adjusted earnings) | 26.1            | 13.4            | 0.5             | 13.2               |
| Operating margin, % (adjusted earnings)         | 7.7             | 3.6             | 0.0             | 1.0                |
| Net receivables (-)/debt 1                      | 365.8           | 395.7           | 400.2           | 365.8              |







### Architecture & Management

- 1.8 (3.6) % EBITA margin
- -12 % revenue growth
  - Organic -14 %
  - Acquired 2 %
- Lower revenue due to staff reductions within the business unit Management in 2019
- Stable demand but with regional variations during the quarter. Market uncertainty and project delays at end of quarter
- Cost and sales initiatives launched

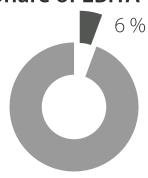
#### Division summary

| SEK million               | 3 months        |                 | 12 months       |                    |
|---------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------|
|                           | Jan-Mar<br>2020 | Jan-Mar<br>2019 | Jan–Dec<br>2019 | Rolling<br>12 mths |
| Net revenue               | 90.7            | 103.2           | 369.3           | 356.8              |
| Total growth, %           | -12.1           | 7.9             | -5.0            | 0.0                |
| EBITA (adjusted earnings) | 1.7             | 3.7             | -8.6            | -10.6              |
| - EBITA margin, %         | 1.8             | 3.6             | -2.3            | -3.0               |

Share of revenue\*



**Share of EBITA\*** 





### Civil Engineering & Infrastructure

- 10.9 (7.3) % EBITA margin
- 6 % revenue growth
  - Organic 6 %
  - Acquired 0 %
- Successful sales efforts and integration of acquisitions
- Organic growth and improved profitability in infrastruture
- Solid order backlog

#### Division summary

| SEK million               | 3 months        |                 | 12 months       |                    |
|---------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------|
|                           | Jan-Mar<br>2020 | Jan-Mar<br>2019 | Jan-Dec<br>2019 | Rolling<br>12 mths |
| Net revenue               | 123.2           | 116.1           | 427.1           | 434,2              |
| Total growth, %           | 6.1             | 75.8            | 70.7            | 0.0                |
| EBITA (adjusted earnings) | 13.4            | 8.5             | 8.6             | 13.5               |
| - EBITA margin, %         | 10.9            | 7.3             | 2.0             | 3.1                |

#### Share of revenue\*



#### **Share of EBITA\***





# Systems\*

- 9.7 (5.9) % EBITA margin
- -12 % revenue growth
  - Organic -11 %
  - Acquired 0 %
- Lower revenue due to staff reductions within Industry & Energy in 2019
- Stable revenue and earnings contribution from Systems business areas

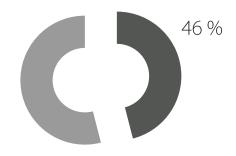
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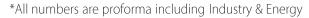
| SEK million               | 3 months        |                 | 12 months       |                    |
|---------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------|
|                           | Jan-Mar<br>2020 | Jan-Mar<br>2019 | Jan-Dec<br>2019 | Rolling<br>12 mths |
| Net revenue               | 136.5           | 153.4           | 553.1           | 536.2              |
| Total growth,%            | -11.0           | 1.4             | -8.5            | 0.0                |
| EBITA (adjusted earnings) | 13.2            | 9.2             | 15.5            | 19.5               |
| - EBITA margin, %         | 9.7             | 5.9             | 2.8             | 3.6                |

#### Share of revenue\*\*



#### **Share of EBITA\*\***

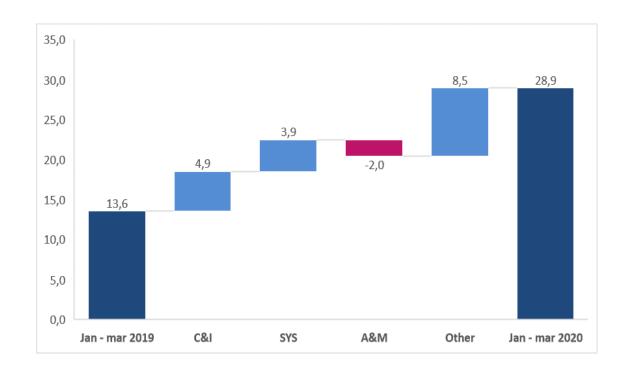






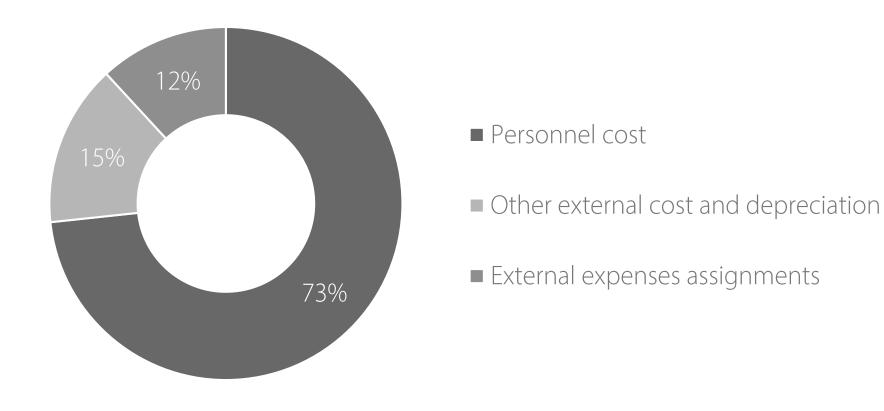
### EBITA-bridge Q1

- Solid improvements in Civil Engineering
  & Infrastructure and System
- Cost reductions from effiency measures in 2019 (Other)





### Cost structure





#### Cash flow and Net debt

- Cash flow from operations generated SEKm 40.5 (-14.4) in Q1
- Cash conversion 93 % (excl. △ NWC)
- Renegotiated existing credit agreement with SEB and reduced the unused credit facility (announced in Q4)
- Net debt SEKm 365.8 (395.7)

|   | 3 mor           | 12 months       |                 |  |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--|
| SEK million                                 | Jan-Mar<br>2020 | Jan-Mar<br>2019 | Jan-Dec<br>2019 |  |
| Operating activities                        |                 |                 |                 |  |
| Profit/loss after financial items           | 22.9            | 10.4            | -36.9           |  |
| Adjustments for non-cash items              | 21.1            | 22.8            | 113.5           |  |
| Tax paid                                    | -5.7            | -0.5            | -6.2            |  |
| Cash flow before changes in working capital | 38.2            | 32.6            | 70.4            |  |
| Cash flow from operating activities         | 40.5            | -14.4           | 77.6            |  |
| Cash flow from investing activities         | -3.4            | -19.5           | -35.6           |  |
| Cash flow from financing activities         | -59.7           | -4.0            | -122.1          |  |
| Cash flow for the period                    | -22.7           | -37.8           | -80.2           |  |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period  | 6.1             | 71.2            | 28.8            |  |



### Covid-19 impact and measures

- Gradually changed market conditions from the latter part of March with increased uncertainty and lower market activity
- Variations regarding impact on our business areas and with regional differences
- Remote work, increased digitalisation, and online collaboration
- Implementation of short-time work (in April it corresponded to approx 40 FTE)
- Additional cost savings
- Postponed investments



# Summary and outlook

- Strong first quarter with EBITA margin of 8.5 %, now at targeted margin level
  - Driven by solid performance in the divisions Civil Engineering & Infrastructure and Systems
- Efficiency program delivering targeted savings in Q1 at annual run-rate of SEK 70 million in 2020 vs. 2019 cost base
- Positive start of the second quarter with higher EBITA margin in April versus Q1
- The financial impact as a result of covid-19 is currently not foreseeable. Preparations in place for different scenarios
- Prepared to launch further mitigating initiatives if and when needed



# Q & A

