



**HANZA**

**Q3 - 2024**

**Structured execution. Strategy HANZA 2025 on-track**

- Closing the activity program
- New MIG™ orders
- Reaffirms 2025 margin target of 8%

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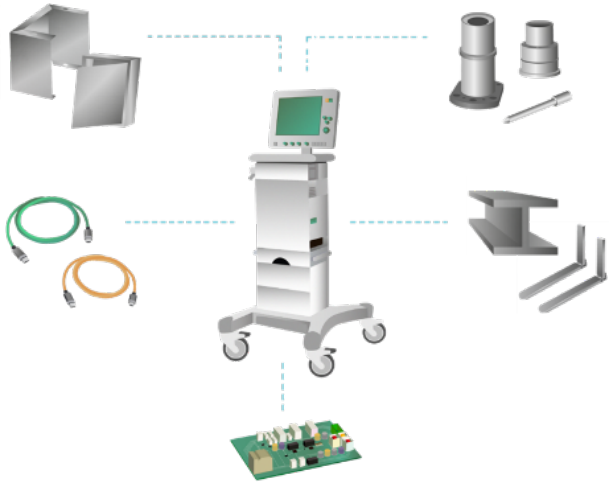


# AGENDA

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# Manufacturing made easy



Part production and part assembly

## Business model



**Manufacturing clusters**  
A group of factories offering both part production and part assembly.



**Advisory services (MIG™)**  
Analysis, advice and support on how to streamline the supply-chain.



**Product development**  
"HANZA Tech Solutions" to support our customers' R&D departments.



From the customer base



# Market development

## General

- Market optimism in early 2024, expected recovery in demand in the latter part of the year, which did not materialize.
- Instead, the market proved to be relatively stable in 2024, with a demand lower than in 2023.
- HANZA followed the strategy communicated at the beginning of 2024: Adapt business to the current level of demand, as the length of the recession is uncertain.

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- Difficult to predict development of specific segments. Hence, important to develop a solid customer base.
- HANZA had an organic decline of 4% in Q3, however satisfactory compared to the development of our industry.
- In a downturn, customers focus on costs, why HANZA's offer to optimize the supply chain is attractive.
- Two MIG™ contracts in Q3. Estimated annual sales volumes of these at full volume is above 15 MEUR, corresponding to an organic growth above 3%, based on current sales level.





# Operations development

## Challenging start of 2024

- Largest acquisition to date to be integrated, Orbit One
- Orbit One's margin was about 2 percentage points below HANZA's. HANZA set a target that the group, including Orbit One, should regain a margin of 8% by 2025.
- In addition, several efficiency- and capacity-enhancing activities are included in Strategy HANZA 2025, such as opening new production units in Estonia and Sweden.
- Downturn hit in Q1/2024. Double-digit organic growth is replaced by organic decline.

## Comprehensive activity plan Q1-Q3

- Q1: Integration and synergy program
- Q2: Factory consolidations program
- Q3: HANZA 2025 Group program

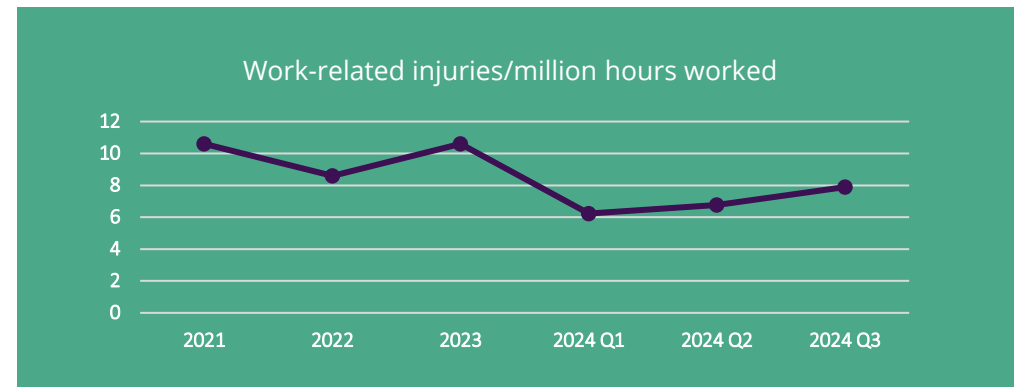
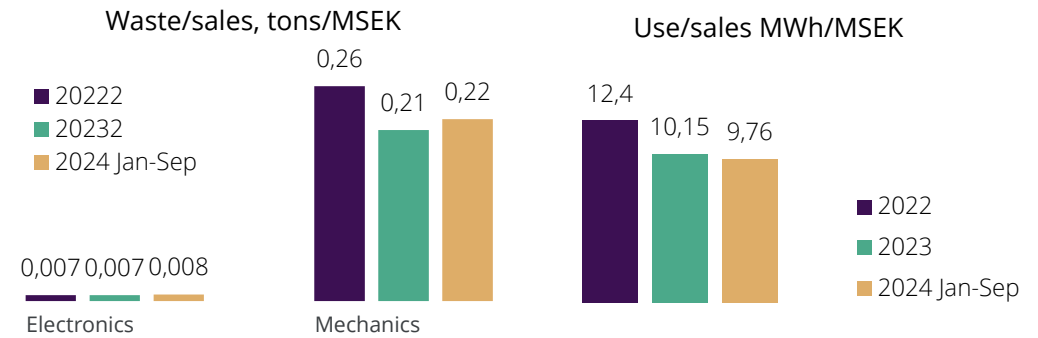
## HANZA 2025 back on track

Necessary actions have been taken based on the acquisition, HANZA 2025 and the current economic situation. Desired results visible already in Q3.



# Sustainability main activities in Q3

- HANZA’s annual Employee Engagement Survey has been completed with strong results. Key areas such as leadership, efficiency, corporate culture and work environment shows a very good trend. Follow-up activities are planned, including a leadership program for managers that started in Q4/24.
- The collaboration with the Finnish consulting firm Gaia consulting continues. We are investigating how to set climate targets according to Science Based Targets. Work on GHG emissions calculation (scope 1,2&3) for 2024 has also begun.
- Our double materiality analysis has been completed and we are continuously working on preparations for sustainability reporting according to CSRD.



# Q3 Financials

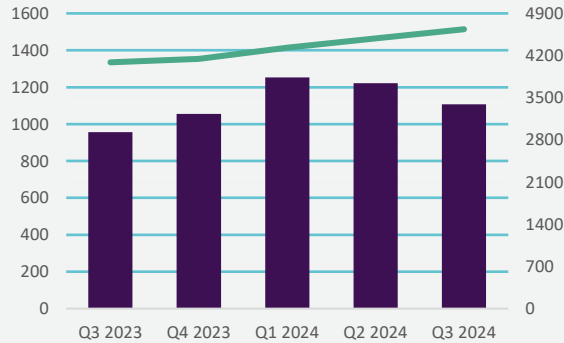
## Sales

- Net sales grew by 16% to 1,107 MSEK (955).
- Sales adjusted for acquisitions and currency was down 4% compared to Q3 -23.
- 12 months sales amounted to 4.6 bn SEK (4.1).

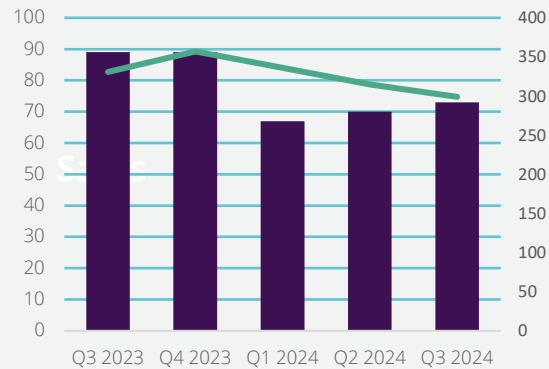
## Earnings

- HANZA completed the action program with a group review linked to HANZA 2025, which resulted in a one-time cost from cost level rightsizing and revaluations of balance sheet items, mainly connected to the strategy of China in HANZA 2025, totaling to 33 MSEK.
- Revaluation of the estimated remaining purchase price for Orbit One had a positive effect of 33 MSEK.
- Excluding OTC, the operating margin amounted to 6.7% (9.3).  
The margin has seen a sequential increase in 2024; from 5.3% in Q1 and 5.7% in Q2.
- Adjusted for OTC and acquisitions, the operating margin for comparable units were 7.1% (9.3).
- The programs initiated in Q1 and Q2 starts to have a positive impact on earnings.  
Full effect on the programs will be reached early 2025.
- Finance net amounted to -27 MSEK (-27).
- Earnings per share amounts to SEK 0.88 (1.21).

Sales (MSEK)



Operating profit (MSEK)



### Sales and Earnings trend

Sales and operating profit per quarter (bars, top scale) and rolling 12 months (line, bottom scale).

# Q3 Financials

## Segment Main markets

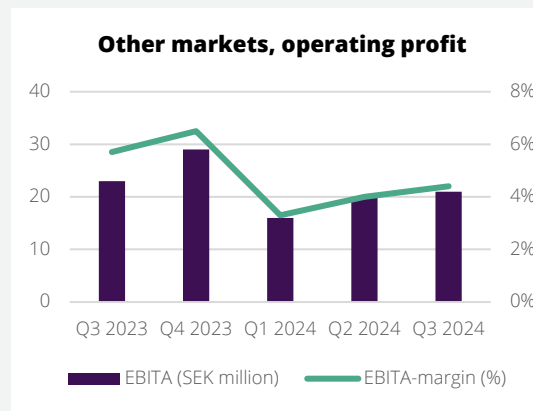
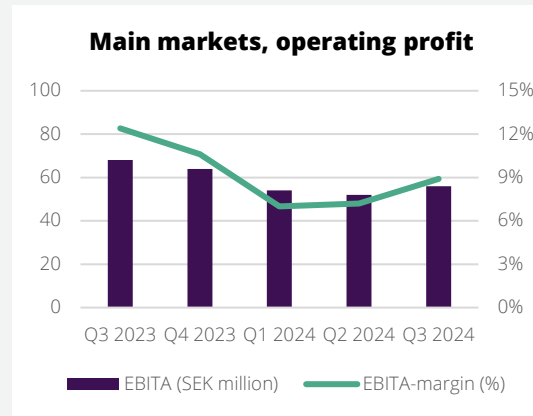
- Net sales up 14% to 626 MSEK (547)  
Sales down 8% adjusted for acquisitions and currency.
- Operating profit, excluding OTC, totaled 56 MSEK (68), corresponding to an operating margin of 8.9% (12.4). The Q2-24 margin amounted to 7.2%.
- Adjusted for OTC and acquisitions, the operating margin for comparable units were 9.8% (12.4).

## Segment Other markets

- Net sales up 18% to 478 MSEK (405).  
Sales up 3% adjusted for acquisitions and currency.
- Operating profit, excluding OTC, amounted to 21 MSEK (23), corresponding to an operating margin of 4.4 % (5.7 %). The Q2-24 margin amounted to 4.0%.
- Adjusted for OTC and acquisitions the operating margin for comparable units were 4.6 % (5.7).
- Margin is negatively affected by an ongoing larger efficiency program in Poland, in connection with our new entity in Prabuty and the MIG™ project.



 = Main Markets  = Other Markets





# Q3 Financials

## Cashflow

- Strong cashflow from operations, 114 MSEK (5).  
Mainly due to a decrease in working capital, despite new projects.

## Capex

- Reduced to 73 MSEK (77), of which 23 MSEK (10) is investments in buildings. The capex is expected to be on a lower level in 2025.

## Net debt

- Interest bearing net debt increased to 909 MSEK (642), a decrease from Q2 2024 of 69 MSEK.
- Net deb / EBITDA R12 including Orbit One amounts to 2.2 times, down from 2.4 in Q2. Adjusted for items affecting comparability and Orbit One's EBITDA R12, the net debt/equity ratio amounts to 2.1.

## Financial position

- Equity increased to 1,432 MSEK (1 078), corresponding to a net debt/Equity ratio of 0,6 (0,6) and Equity/Asset ratio of 39% (39).
- Reduced working capital and net debt / EBITDA is important for further acquisitions and MIG™ projects.

(SEK million)	Q3 2024	Q3 2023
Equity	1,432	1,078
Equity/Asset ratio	39%	39%
Cash-flow operations (3 m.)	114	5
Cash	206	97
Net debt	909	642
EBITDA (3 m.)	123	119



## Ownership structure as of 30.09.2024 %

Färna Invest AB	22.86
Clearstream Bankings S.A	9.09
Francesco Franzé	5.48
Håkan Halén	5.40
SHB Luxembourg cl acct Sweden	4.01
Första AP-fonden	3.55
Nordnet Pensionsförsäkring AB	3.50
ODIN Fonder	3.17
Tredje AP-fonden	2.21
BNP Paribas SA Luxembourg, W8IMY	1.96
10 largest shareholders	61.23

## Some shareholding updates

- Main owner Färna invest increased the owning from 21.5% in Q2 to 22.9% in Q3.
- The First and Third AP Funds have increased their ownership and together now own 5.76%.
- The CEO increased his ownership by 8,000 shares in the third quarter to 630,000 shares or 1.4%.



# Outlook

## **HANZA 2025**

HANZA's 2025 strategy is on track. HANZA reiterates that the group's operating margin will return to 8% for the full year 2025.

The sales growth is linked to expanding selected manufacturing clusters, which can be done organically, through MIG™ solutions or acquisitions.

## **Acquisitions**

HANZA maintains a cautious acquisition strategy. Acquisitions must – like Orbit One – provide strong operational synergies and contribute to our financial targets.

There are however target companies that fulfil these criteria.

## **Long-term**

The long-term strategy remains unchanged:

First, achieve the goals of Strategy HANZA 2025.

Then, expand with the next manufacturing cluster, according to an updated strategy for the coming years, with new operational and financial targets.



# Q & A



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