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Satisfactory result

- Net sales decreased by 26.6% to SEK 51,868 million (70,657). The decrease is mainly attributable to Vattenfall's sale of its German transmission business in May 2010
- Operating profit rose 17.1% to SEK 11,842 million (10,115). Excluding items affecting comparability¹, operating profit decreased by 27.5% to SEK 11,153 million (15,376)
- Profit for the period (after tax) rose 90.2% to SEK 7,203 million (3,787). Excluding items affecting comparability, profit for the period (after tax) decreased by 25.8% to SEK 6,714 million (9,045)

1) Items affecting comparability amounted to SEK 689 million, net (2010: -5,261). The figure for 2010 pertains mainly to an impairment charge of SEK -5,322 million attributable to the sale of 50Hertz Transmission GmbH, Vattenfall's German transmission business.

First quarter 2011 – net sales, profit, cash flow and debt Consolidated net sales decreased by SEK 18,789 million, or 26.6%, to SEK 51,868 million (70,657), of which approximately SEK 13 billion is attributable to the divestment of the German transmission business, 50Hertz Transmission GmbH, in May 2010. Currency movements had a negative effect on net sales by SEK 4.4 billion as a result of the stronger Swedish krona.

Operating profit increased by SEK 1,727 million, or 17.1%, to SEK 11,842 million (10,115). However, excluding items affecting comparability, operating profit decreased by SEK 4,223 million, or 27.5%, to SEK 11,153 million (15,376). Items affecting comparability for the first guarter of 2011 amounted to SEK 689 million, net, compared with SEK -5,261 million, net, for the first quarter of 2010, of which SEK -5.322 million pertained to impairment in connection with the sale of 50Hertz Transmission GmbH. Vattenfall's transmission business in Germany. Compared with the first guarter of 2010, Vattenfall received lower electricity prices on average, which affected operating profit negatively by approximately SEK 2.5 billion. In addition, operating profit was charged with higher generation taxes and fees as well as fair valuation of energy derivatives, which according to IAS 39 may not be reported using hedge accounting. However, higher electricity volumes, and lower operating and maintenance costs had a positive effect on operating profit. Currency movements had a negative effect on operating profit by SEK 0.9 billion as a result of the stronger Swedish krona.

Starting with this quarter, Vattenfall reports its operations broken down into three operating segments: Generation,

Distribution and Sales, and Renewables.

Following is a breakdown of operating profit for these operating segments during the first quarter of 2011:

- Operating profit for Generation decreased by SEK 4,514 million to SEK 7,510 million.
- Operating profit for Distribution and Sales increased by SEK 1,011 million to SEK 4,791 million.
- Operating profit for Renewables improved by SEK 312 million to SEK 180 million.

Operating profit for "Other" improved by SEK 4,918 million to SEK -639 million. This is mainly attributable to the fact that earnings in 2010 for "Other" were charged with the abovementioned impairment pertaining to 50Hertz Transmission GmbH.

For further information about the Group's operating segments, see pages 11–17.

Profit for the period (after tax) increased by SEK 3,416 million, or 90.2%, to SEK 7,203 million (3,787). The sharp increase is mainly due to the fact that the first quarter of 2010 was charged with the above-mentioned impairment of SEK 5.3 billion in connection with the sale of Vattenfall's German transmission business, 50Hertz Transmission GmbH.

Return on equity was 12.6%, and the return on net assets was 9.9%. Vattenfall's long-term required rate of return on equity is 15% over a business cycle (5–7 years). The target return on net assets is 11%. The cash flow interest coverage ratio after maintenance investments increased to 6.1 (3.0), compared with the target interval of 3.5-4.5.

Compared with 31 December 2010, net debt decreased



"The first quarter of the year was overshadowed by the earthquake and tsunami disaster in Japan and the ensuing accident at the Fukushima nuclear power plant. The disaster in Japan and the unrest in the Arab countries have affected prices of commodities and electricity, but it is still too early to comment on the long-term consequences. We can note that the German government has ordered the closure of seven older nuclear reactors and issued a moratorium on the extension of the operating permits for all German reactors. Excluding items affecting comparability, Vattenfall reports a lower operating profit than the corresponding quarter a year ago, which is mainly due to lower average prices received. This underscores the importance that we continue to increase the efficiency of our operations."

Øystein Løseth President and CEO by SEK 5,827 million to SEK 138,282 million, mainly owing to improved cash flow, margin calls¹ received and the stronger Swedish krona.

The net debt/equity ratio was 98.1% at 31 March 2011 (31 December 2010: 107.8%). For detailed information about net debt, see page 23.

Funds from operations (FFO) increased by SEK 5,233 million to SEK 15,053 million, which is partly attributable to a higher pre-tax profit and lower paid tax.

The Group's total investments amounted to SEK 6,199 million (8,935). For more information about investment activities, see page 7.

Electricity generation, sales of heat and gas in Q1 2011

Vattenfall's electricity generation increased by 4.6% during the first quarter of 2011, to 49.8 TWh (47.6). Hydro power generation decreased by 14.7% to 8.7 TWh (10.2); nuclear power generation increased by 37.7% to 14.6 TWh (10.6); fossil-based power decreased by 3.1% to 25.1 TWh (25.9); wind power generation more than doubled to 0.9 TWh (0.4). Electricity generation based on biomass and waste was unchanged at 0.4 TWh. Sales of heat decreased by 6.1% to 16.9 TWh (18.0). Sales of gas were unchanged at 24.0 TWh. For more information, see page 8.

Electricity price trend

A recovery of demand from industry contributed to a rise in spot prices in most markets. However, average spot prices for the Swedish price area were 8.7% lower during the first quarter of 2011 than in the first quarter of 2010. In the futures market, prices rose during the quarter. For more detailed information about the trend in electricity prices, see page 8.

Important events during the first quarter of 2011 Nuclear power

Immediately following the Japanese earthquake and tsunami disaster on 11 March, which caused very extensive damage to the Fukushima nuclear power plant, the EU

1) A margin call is marginal security that the holder of a derivative position must pledge to cover the credit risk of its counterparty.

called for stress tests of all European nuclear power plants, and the German government ordered a temporary shutdown of seven older nuclear power plants in Germany, i.e., plants commissioned in 1980 or earlier. These seven plants account for approximately 7,200 MW, or approximately 35%, of Germany's total nuclear power capacity. For Vattenfall's part, only the Brunsbüttel nuclear power plant has been affected by the closure decision, but since Brunsbüttel has not been operating since summer 2007, this has not had any immediate effect on Vattenfall. Like Brunsbüttel, Vattenfall's half-owned Krümmel nuclear power plant has been off line since summer 2007. The German government has also implemented a three-month moratorium on the decision it made last autumn to extend the useful life of all German nuclear reactors.

In Sweden, following many years of research and development, on 16 March Svensk Kärnbränslehantering AB (SKB), which is 56%-owned by Vattenfall, filed a formal application for a permit to build a facility for final storage of spent nuclear fuel and a facility in which the fuel will be encapsulated before being moved to the final storage facility. SKB's application will now be reviewed by the Swedish Radiation Safety Authority and Environmental Court. The application will thereafter be taken up for political decisions by the affected municipalities and the Swedish government.

Vattenfall signed new five-year credit facility

On 20 January 2011 Vattenfall signed an agreement for a new five-year revolving credit facility for EUR 2.55 billion (approximately SEK 23 billion). The facility is intended to serve as a liquidity back-up.

Divestments

As part of Vattenfall's new strategic direction, which entails among other things a focus on assets in core businesses, a number of divestments have been made:

On 1 February 2011 Vattenfall sold its 25% stake in the Rostock coal-fired power plant in Germany to RheinEnergie AG. The plant has installed capacity of 553 MW. The sales price has not been disclosed by the parties.

After the end of the reporting period, on 13 April, Vatten-

fall agreed to sell its 21.3% shareholding in the German energy company Energieversorgung Sachsen Ost AG (ENSO) to EnergieVerbund Dresden GmbH (EVD). Consideration for the sale amounts to EUR 147 million. The deal is contingent upon approval by the Dresden city council.

In addition, on 13 April Vattenfall agreed to sell parts of its Swedish engineering consultancy to Pöyry PLC. The divested units include approximately 360 employees at 22 offices located in Sweden, Norway and the UK, with a particularly strong local presence in Sweden. The sales price has not been disclosed by the parties.

Work continues on evaluating opportunities to divest noncore assets, but no further decisions have been made.

Changes in the Board of Directors and Executive Group Management

After consultation with the Ministry of Finance, on 18 March 2011 Lars Westerberg decided to resign as Chairman of the Board of Vattenfall AB. Björn Savén was appointed as acting Chairman as well as Deputy Chairman of Vattenfall AB until the Annual General Meeting on 27 April 2011. On 18 March 2011 Lars Gejrot left his position as Senior Vice President, Staff Function Human Resources and as a member of the Executive Group Management.

Important events after the end of the reporting period

At Vattenfall's Annual General Meeting on 27 April, Björn Savén was elected as Chairman of the Board of Vattenfall AB until an Extraordinary General Meeting, which is intended to be held before the end of June 2011. Ingrid Bonde and Håkan Erixon were elected as new directors on the Vattenfall board.

Earnings, cash flow and balance sheet in summary

Amounts in SEK million unless otherwise stated	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	Change, %	Full year 2010	Last 12 months
Net sales	51,868	70,657	-26.6	213,572	194,783
Operating profit before depreciation and amortisation (EBITDA)	16,932	20,799	-18.6	60,706	56,839
Operating profit (EBIT)	11,842	10,115	17.1	29,853	31,580
Operating profit excl. items affecting comparability	11,153	15,376	-27.5	39,952	35,729
Financial items, net	-1,893	-2,899	34.7	-8,430	-7,424
Profit before tax	9,949	7,216	37.9	21,423	24,156
Profit for the period	7,203	3,787	90.2	13,185	16,601
– of which, attributable to owners of the Parent Company	7,117	3,746	90.0	12,997	16,368
 of which, attributable to non-controlling interests (minority interests) 	86	41	109.8	188	233
Return on equity, %	12.6 ¹	6.6 ¹	—	10.0	12.6
Return on net assets, %	9.9 ¹	8.11	_	9.1	9.9
Funds from operations (FFO)	15,053	9,820	53.3	40,108	45,341
Cash flow before financing activities	2,656	-6,497	—	6,448	15,601
Free cash flow	5,063	-1,057	_	23,846	29,966
Cash and cash equivalents plus short-term investments	39,556	30,190	31.0	43,873	
Balance sheet total	537,748	569,095	-5.5	541,432	
Equity incl. non-controlling interests (minority interests)	140,948	139,461	1.1	133,621	
Capital Securities	8,869	9,646	-8.1	8,929	
Other interest-bearing liabilities	169,461	187,942	-9.8	179,348	
Net debt	138,282	165,581	-16.5	144,109	
Net debt/Operating profit before depreciation and amortisation (EBITDA), times	2.4 ¹	3.0 ¹	-	2.4	

1) Last 12-month values.

See pages 32–33 for definitions and calculations of key ratios.

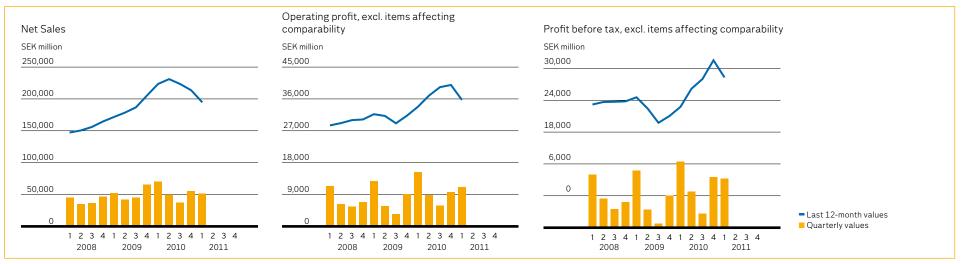
Sales, profit and cash flow

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Cost of products sold 36,808 50,872 -27.6 - lower costs for operations and maintenance, and for sales and administration (SEK 366 million)							on)
Comment: The decrease is mainly attributable to the divestm 50Hertz Transmission GmbH, in May 2010, as well as to lowe mainly in the Distribution and Sales segment, and to slightly l	r operating and m	aintenance exp	oenses,	 fair valuation of energy derivatives, which according to IAS accounting (SEK –1,707 million) higher generation taxes and fees (SEK –520 million) 	ŗ		0

the absence of operating profit from 50Hertz Transmission GmbH (SEK –613 million), since the business was divested in May 2010
 other items for a net total of SEK –155 million.

Excluding items affecting comparability, operating profit decreased by SEK 4,223 million. Items affecting comparability consisted mainly of a SEK 5,322 million impairment charge in 2010 pertaining to 50Hertz Transmission GmbH and a capital gain of SEK 690 million in 2011 from the sale of Vattenfall's sharehold-ing in the Rostock coal-fired power plant in Germany.

Currency effects from the stronger Swedish krona reduced operating profit by approximately SEK 900 million.

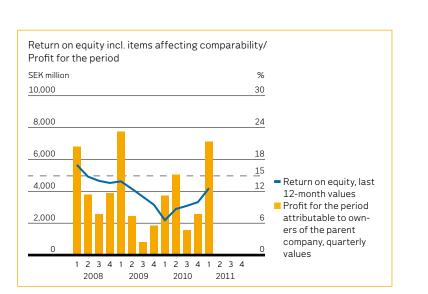


Amounts in SEK million	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	Change, %
Funds from operations (FFO)	15,053	9,820	53.3
Cash flow from changes in operating assets and operating			
liabilities (working capital)	-7,446	-7,561	-1.5
Cash flow from operating activities	7,607	2,259	236.7

Comment: Funds from operations (FFO) increased by SEK 5.2 billion compared with the first quarter of 2010 as a result of realised financial items totalling SEK 3.7 billion and SEK 2.9 billion in lower paid tax. Lower paid tax is mainly attributable to the previous year's payment of SEK 3.5 billion in German withholding tax in connection with a dividend from Vattenfall Europe AG in Germany. This withholding tax was repaid to Vattenfall at the end of 2010. Operating profit adjusted for non-cash items such as depreciation, amortisation and impairment, and fair valuation of energy derivatives that may not be reported using hedge accounting in accordance with IAS 39, as well as capital gains/losses, had a negative effect on FFO of SEK 1.4 billion.

Changes in working capital had a negative effect on cash flow from operating activities in the amount of SEK 7.4 billion. The change is mainly attributable to lower operating liabilities and higher operating receivables, totalling SEK 9.0 billion. Margin calls¹ received had a positive effect of SEK 1.3 billion on working capital.

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6	Amounts in SEK million	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	Change, %
3	Net financial items	-1,893	-2,899	34.7
	Interest income from financial investments	234	226	3.5
5	Interest expenses from loans	-1,605	-1,595	-0.6
7	Interest received	193	225	-14.2
	Interest paid	-1,504	-893	-68.4
	Average monthly net interest expense	-457	-456	

Comment: The improvement in financial items is mainly attributable to a positive change in value of derivatives.

Financial position

Amounts in SEK million	31 March 2011	31 March 2010	Change, %
Cash and cash equivalents, and short-term investments	39,556	30,190	31.0
Committed credit facilities (unutilised)	31,830	9,839	223.5
Other credit facilities (unutilised)	6,811	8,616	-20.9

Comment: Committed credit facilities consist of a EUR 2.55 billion Revolving Credit Facility that expires on 20 January 2016, a EUR 1 billion Revolving Credit Facility that expires on 23 February 2013, and a SEK 100 million bank overdraft facility that expires in December 2011. Vattenfall's target is to have no less than 10% of the Group's net sales, but at least the equivalent of the next 90 days' maturities, in the form of liquid assets or committed credit facilities.

Amounts in SEK million	31 March 2011	31 March 2010	Change, %
Net debt	138,282	165,581	-16.5
Interest-bearing liabilities	178,330	197,588	-9.7
Average interest rate, %1	3.6	3.5	2.9
Duration, years ¹	4.1	4.3	-4.7
Average time to maturity, years ¹	6.2	7.1	-12.7

1) Excluding Capital Securities and loans from owners with non-controlling interests (minority owners) and associated companies. Including SEK 8,869 million in Capital Securities, the average interest rate is 3.7%, the duration is 4.1 years, and the average remaining time to maturity is 6.1 years. These values pertain to 31 March 2011.

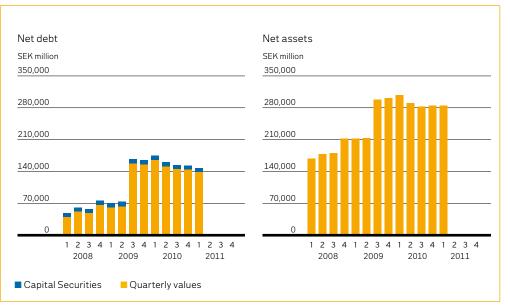
Comment: Compared with 31 March 2010, net debt decreased by SEK 27.3 billion and total interest-bearing liabilities decreased by SEK 19.3 billion. Exchange rate differences accounted for SEK 13.3 billion of the decrease in total interest-bearing liabilities. Currency movements have no impact on profit, since the largest share is reported as translation differences in equity under the heading "Hedging of net investments in foreign operations", and the rest is swapped to SEK.

Amounts in SEK million	31 March 2011	31 March 2010	Change, %
Equity attributable to			
Owners of the Parent Company	133,754	132,889	0.7
Non-controlling interests (minority interests)	7,194	6,572	9.5
Total	140,948	139,461	1.1

Comment: For a specification of changes in equity, see page 25.

Credit ratings

The current ratings for Vattenfall's long-term borrowing are A (Standard & Poor's) and A2 (Moody's). Vattenfall's rating outlook is "negative" from Standard & Poor's and "stable" from Moody's.



Investments

Divestments

Amounts in SEK million	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	Change, %
Maintenance investments	2,544	3,316	-23.3
Growth investments	3,655	5,619	-35.0
— of which, shares	-12	90	-
Total investments	6,199	8,935	-30.6

%	Amounts in SEK million	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	Change, %
3	Divestments	1,248	179	597.2
0	— of which, shares	1	29	-96.6

Comment: Divestments during the first quarter of 2011 pertain mainly to Vattenfall's sale of its 25% stake in the Rostock coal-fired power plant to RheinEnergie AG.

Specification of investments

Amounts in SEK million	Q1 2011	Q1 2010
Electricity generation		
Hydro power	155	47
Nuclear power	715	694
Fossil-based power	2,670	1,480
Wind power	522	1,832
Biomass, waste	17	955
Other	748	971
Total Electricity generation	4,827	5,979
Heat		
Fossil-based power	657	167
Biomass, waste	12	110
Other	156	146
Total Heat	825	422
Electricity networks		
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Acquisitions of shares	-12	90
Other, excl. shares	-67	1,457
Total	6,199	8,935

Comment: Growth investments continue to be made in the coal-based Boxberg and Moorburg power plants in Germany, and in three gas-fired power plants in the Netherlands. The lower level of investment in wind power compared with the first quarter of 2010 is due to the completion of the Thanet offshore wind farm in the UK and the Stor–Rotliden land-based wind farm in Sweden, while work on the Dan Tysk offshore wind farm in Germany has only just begun. Work on the Ormonde offshore wind farm in the UK is in progress.

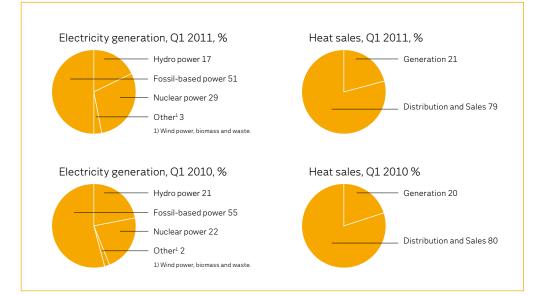
Employees

Number of employees, full-time equivalents	31 March 2011	31 March 2010	Change, %
Generation	17,327	16,621	4.2
Distribution and Sales	14,810	15,895	-6.8
Renewables	316	269	17.5
Other	5,315	6,141	-13.5
Total	37,768	38,926	-3.0

Comment: The decrease is mainly attributable to the sale of Vattenfall's German transmission business, 50Hertz Transmission GmbH, in May 2010.

Electricity generation, sales of heat and gas

	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	Change, %	Full year 2010
Electricity generation, TWh				
Hydro power	8.7	10.2	-14.7	35.4
Nuclear power	14.6	10.6	37.7	43.6
Fossil-based power	25.1	25.9	-3.1	89.7
Wind power	0.9	0.4	125.0	2.2
Biomass, waste	0.5	0.5	-	1.5
Total	49.8	47.6	4.6	172.4
Sales of heat, TWh				
Generation	3.6	3.6	-	9.4
Distribution and Sales	13.3	14.4	-7.6	35.2
Total	16.9	18.0	-6.1	44.6
Sales of gas, TWh				
Distribution and Sales	22.8	22.7	0.4	58.3
Other	1.2	1.3	-7.7	4.9
Total	24.0	24.0	-	63.2



Electricity generation

Vattenfall's total electricity generation increased by 4.6% compared with the first quarter of 2010, to 49.8 TWh (47.6).

Swedish nuclear power generation increased by 37.7%. Generation by the Forsmark and Ringhals nuclear power plants increased by 26% and 50%, respectively. Both plants had very high availability – nearly 100%. The Brunsbüttel nuclear power plant in Germany is still off line, which was also the case in 2010. The outage at the half-owned Krümmel nuclear power plant in Germany did not affect consolidated volumes, since the plant is not consolidated in Vattenfall's accounts. Hydro power generation decreased by 14.7%. During the first quarter of 2010, hydro power was used maximally to compensate for the low availability of the nuclear power plants. Fossil-based electricity generation decreased by 3.1%. Wind power generation more than doubled to 0.9 TWh (0.4), while electricity generation based on biomass and waste was unchanged.

Sales of heat

Sales of heat decreased by 6.1% to 16.9 TWh (18.0). The decrease is attributable to warmer weather. The weather during the first quarter of 2010 was extremely cold.

Sales of gas

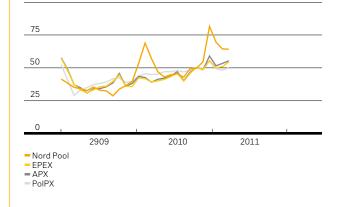
Sales of gas were unchanged at 24.0 TWh. Essentially all gas sales are in the Netherlands.

Wholesale price trend

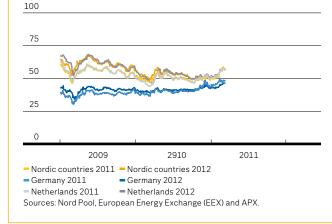
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EUR/MWh

Electricity spot prices in the Nordic countries, Germany, Poland and the Netherlands, 2009–2011, monthly averages EUR/MWh



Electricity futures prices in the Nordic countries, Germany and the Netherlands



Spot prices in the Nordic countries fell slightly in early 2011 after having been at a high level in December 2010 as a result of cold and dry weather and a weak hydrological balance. The average spot price in the Nordic countries (system price) during the first quarter of 2011 was 11% higher than in the same quarter in 2010 – EUR 66.10/MWh compared with EUR 59.77/MWh. The hydrological balance in the Nordic countries improved during the quarter from a very low level of -43 TWh at the start of the year to -24 TWh. Average Swedish area prices for the first quarter were 8.7% lower than the same period a year ago: EUR 65.9/ MWh compared with EUR 72.2/MWh.

The average spot price in Germany was EUR 51.82/MWh (EUR 41.04/ MWh), which was 26% higher than in the first quarter of 2010. The German government's decision to introduce a moratorium and to take seven German nuclear power plants off line for a three-month period did not have any major impact on the German spot market, since electricity generation from wind power and solar energy, as well as imports of electricity ity from neighbouring countries, were able to make up for demand. The average spot price in the Netherlands was 28% higher than in the

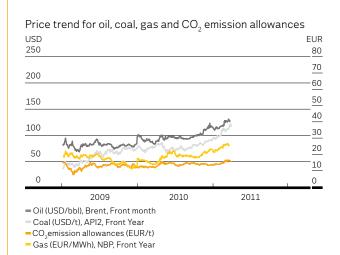
same period in 2010, at EUR 53.43/MWH (41.73/MWh).

The average spot price in Poland was 10% higher than in the same period in 2010, at EUR 49.15/MWh (44.67/MWh).

Following a weak start to the year, electricity futures prices rose in Vattenfall's markets during the first quarter of 2011. The greatest increase took place in connection with the earthquake disaster in Japan in March, as many players in the market tried to hedge their future electricity supply.

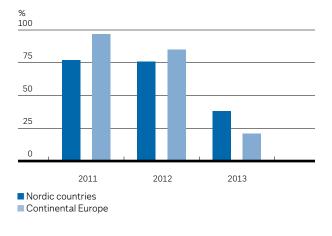
The Nordic futures contract for 2012 traded at a level that was 9% higher, while the futures contract for 2013 traded at a level that was 5% higher than in the preceding quarter. German electricity futures prices for 2012 rose 7% (EUR 54.39/MWh compared with EUR 50.94/MWh), and Dutch futures contracts rose 8%. Both the German and Dutch futures contracts for 2013 rose 4% compared with the preceding quarter.

Wholesale price trend



Prices in all commodity markets rose during the first quarter of 2011 as a result of political tensions in the Middle East and North Africa at the start of the year and the earthquake disaster in Japan, with the subsequent reconsideration of nuclear power policies in several countries. Compared with the first quarter of 2010, gas prices were 51% higher, oil prices were 36% higher, and coal prices were 29% higher. For the first time since 2008, in March 2011 the price of CO_2 emission allowances rose to more than EUR 17/tonne. Overall, the price of CO_2 emission allowances was 17% higher than in the corresponding period in 2010.

Vattenfall's degree of price hedging in various markets per 31 March 2011



Vattenfall's degree of price hedging

The chart shows Vattenfall's price hedging of planned electricity generation in the Nordic countries and Continental Europe. Vattenfall continuously hedges its electricity generation through sales in the futures and forward markets.

Average price hedges as per 31 March 2010

EUR/MWh	2011	2012	2013
Nordic countries	45	44	44
Continental Europe	55	54	59

Vattenfall's operating segments

Vattenfall's operating segments

Effective 1 January 2011 Vattenfall has moved from a geographical to a business-led organisational structure that is based on the value chain and which comprises the following three operating segments:

- Generation
- Distribution and Sales
- Renewables

The Generation segment is Vattenfall's interface towards the wholesale market and includes development and building of production assets, generation of electricity and heat, and sales of electricity to the wholesale energy markets.

The Distribution and Sales segment is Vattenfall's interface towards the end-customer market and includes the unbundled and regulated electricity distribution business.

The Renewables segment is responsible for asset development and operation and maintenance of Vattenfall's renewable energy operations, except for hydro power, which is managed within the Generation segment.

The operating segments are organised into Business Divisions. The Generation segment consists of three Business Divisions: Asset Development, Production and Asset Optimisation, and Trading. The Distribution and Sales segment consists of the Distribution and Sales Business Division, and the Renewables segment consists of the Renewables Business Division. See the illustration below.

Three operating segments:



Five Business Divisions:



Responsibilities of the Business Divisions:

- Business Division Asset Development is responsible for project development and execution of new build generation projects in electricity, large modification projects in thermal power and heat, and infrastructure, nuclear power and hydro power. Business Division Asset Development is also responsible for the Group's R&D activities and Engineering consultancy business.
- Business Division Production operates Vattenfall's lignite mining and power generation assets (including hydro power but excluding other renewable generation assets) as cost-effectively as possible to ensure optimal levels of generation capacity and availability. The Division also operates Vattenfall's combined heat and power (CHP) plants in Germany, Denmark and the Netherlands.
- Business Division Asset Optimisation and Trading is responsible for optimising the dispatch of all of Vattenfall's generation assets (i.e., it manages when and how the plants generate electricity) and hedges the production output of those assets for maximum profitability within a given risk mandate. This Business Division also conducts proprietary trading business under defined risk mandates
- Business Division Distribution and Sales is responsible for Vattenfall's electricity sales and heat businesses, the regulated electricity distribution business and other downstream businesses. This Business Division is responsible for relationships with all of Vattenfall's end customers.
- Business Division Renewables is responsible for asset development, and operation and maintenance of Vattenfall's renewable energy operations, primarily wind power and upstream biomass.

Depending on the type of business, a number of key performance indicators (KPIs) have been developed. For Business Division Production in the Generation segment, for Business Unit Heat within Distribution and Sales, and for Business Division Renewables, the main KPIs are operating expenses and plant availability. For Business Division Asset Optimisation and Trading, the main KPIs pertain to the value added from asset optimisation as well as to hedging performance above a certain benchmark. Apart from its Engineering consultancy business, Business Division Asset Development is managed as a cost centre and focuses on delivery of projects within budget and on time.

Staff Functions and Shared Service Centres

A number of Group-wide Staff Functions support Vattenfall's business as well as the decision-making process by the Executive Group Management (EGM) and CEO. The Staff Functions also govern relevant business processes in Vattenfall as a whole. The Staff Functions are managed and co-ordinated centrally with employees located at both the corporate level and closer to the business. Staff Functions are financially managed as cost centres.

Shared Service Centres (SSC) are an important and integral element of Vattenfall's business operations and focus on transaction-related processes. Shared Services are led with a focus on process efficiency and utilisation of economies of scale. Shared Services provide such services and specialist functions which, from a cost perspective, are advantageous to handle and perform on a shared basis. Staff Functions and Shared Service Centres are reported under the heading "Other".

Note:

The three operating segments that are described above and which Vattenfall is reporting as from this interim report, differ from the previous descriptions provided in the 2010 Year-end Report (page 30) and 2010 Annual Report (page 98). In these publications it was stated that starting in 2011, Vattenfall will report according to five operating segments that are identical to the five Business Divisions.

The Group's operating segments

Generation

Amounts in SEK million	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	Change, %	Full year 2010	Last 12 months
Net sales	35,246	38,323	-8.0	127,177	124,100
External net sales ¹	17,410	21,724	-19.9	71,567	67,253
Operating profit	7,510	12,024	-37.5	30,388	26,237
Operating profit excl. items affecting					
comparability	6,841	12,030	-43.1	34,202	29,376
Operating profit excl. IAS 39 transactions ²	8,856	11,663	-24.1	29,410	26,603
Sales of heat, TWh	3.6	3.6	0.0	9.4	9.4
Electricity generation ³ , TWh	43.5	41.5	4.8	153.9	155.9
– of which, hydro power	8.7	10.2	-14.7	35.4	33.9
– of which nuclear power	14.6	10.6	37.7	43.6	47.6
– of which, fossil-based power	20.1	20.6	-2.4	74.7	74.2
– of which, biomass, waste	0.1	0.1	—	0.2	0.2

1) Excluding intra-Group transactions.

2) IAS 39 transactions pertain to unrealised changes in the fair value of energy derivatives, which according to IAS 39 may not be reported using hedge accounting.

3) Of electricity generation in 2010, Vattenfall disposed over 39.5 TWh (37.6 TWh), while the rest went to the minority part-owners or was deducted as replacement power.

The Generation operating segment comprises three Business Divisions:

- Asset Development
- Production
- Asset Optimisation and Trading

Each Business Division is further divided into several Business Units. For details, see the organisational chart on page 31.

Asset Development is responsible for project development and execution of new build initiatives and large modification projects in thermal power and heat, infrastructure, nuclear power and hydro power. Project development in wind power and biomass rests with Business Division Renewables. Asset Development is also responsible for the Group's R&D activities and Engineering consultancy business.

Production is responsible for Vattenfall's lignite mining activities and electricity generation based on nuclear, coal, gas and hydro power. Operations are conducted in Sweden, Denmark, Finland, Germany and the Netherlands. Business Division Production also runs Vattenfall's combined heat and power (CHP) plants in Germany, Denmark and the Netherlands. Asset Optimisation and Trading is responsible for the optimisation (dispatch) and price hedging of all electricity generated by Vattenfall's power plants to maximise profitability within a given risk mandate. The Division also conducts trading business in its own right, i.e., proprietary trading of approved products and energy commodities under defined mandates, as well as thirdparty origination. Operations are conducted in Sweden, Denmark, Germanv. the Netherlands and Poland.

These three Business Divisions – Asset Development, Production, and Asset Optimisation and Trading – are seen as a single segment and represent Vattenfall's interface towards the wholesale energy market. The three Business Divisions interact in many ways and there are significant inter-dependencies. In order to gain a clear and full view of their performance from a reporting perspective, the three Business Divisions need to be regarded as one segment.

The Generation segment includes a total of 17,327 employees (full-time equivalents), of whom 1,730 are in Asset Development, 15,050 are in Production, and 547 are in Asset Optimisation and Trading.

Generation

Operating profit Q1

Operating profit fell by SEK 4,514 million. Of the decrease, SEK 1,707 million is attributable to unrealised changes in the fair value of energy derivatives, which according to IAS 39 may not be reported using hedge accounting. Operating profit was also charged with lower average prices achieved and higher generation taxes and fees for nuclear and hydro power. The decrease is also due to the fact that operating profit for the first quarter of 2010 was favourably affected by a realised gain from contracts that were previously entered into in the trading operations. However, higher generation volumes for nuclear power had a positive impact on operating profit.

Electricity generation and sales of heat, Q1

Swedish nuclear power generation increased by 37.7% to 14.6 TWh (10.6). Generation by the Forsmark and Ringhals nuclear power plants increased by 26% and 50%, respectively. Both plants had very high availability – nearly 100% for both Forsmark and Ringhals. The Brunsbüttel and Krümmel nuclear power plants in Germany are still off line, which was also the case in 2010. Vattenfall's ownership in these plants amounts to 66.7% and 50%, respectively. Only Brunsbüttel is consolidated in Vattenfall's accounts. The Brokdorf nuclear power plant in Germany, in which Vattenfall has a 20% ownership interest, was in full production and had availability of 99%.

Hydro power generation decreased by 14.7% to 8.7 TWh (10.2). During the first quarter of 2010, hydro power was used maximally to compensate for the low availability of the Swedish nuclear power plants.

Changes in fossil-based generation were relatively small. Electricity generation based on lignite in Germany decreased by 1.4% to 14.2 TWh (14.4). In the Netherlands, fossil-based generation increased by 2.5% to 4.1 TWh (4.0), while fossil-based generation in Denmark decreased by 14% to 1.8 TWh (2.1).

Sales of heat in Denmark rose 7.7% to 2.8 TWh (2.6), while sales of heat in Germany decreased to 0.8 TWh (1.0).

Important events Q1

Expansion of Magnum plant postponed

 In early April Vattenfall announced its decision to postpone its plans for an expansion of the Magnum gas-fired power plant in the Netherlands to enable gasification of coal and biomass. In connection with this, the nature conservation and environmental organisations withdrew their legal objections to the Magnum gas-fired power station, which is currently under construction.

Boxberg/Moorburg

 The two new build projects Boxberg and Moorburg are delayed due to certain quality issues regarding the steam generators.
 Vattenfall is currently investigating the options and the consequenses for the respective timetable.

Vattenfall sells parts of Engineering consultancy

On 13 April, Vattenfall agreed to sell parts of its Swedish Engineering consultancy to Pöyry PLC. The divested units include approximately 360 employees at 22 offices located in Sweden, Norway and the UK, with a particularly strong local presence in Sweden.

Co-operation on electrical interconnector between UK and Norway

 Vattenfall signed a co-operation agreement with four northern European energy companies to plan and build an electrical interconnector between the UK and Norway. Vattenfall and its partners – Agder Energi, E-CO, Lyse, and Scottish and Southern Energy – have agreed to establish NorthConnect, a jointly owned interconnector development company.

Trading begun on N2EX exchange in UK

 Against the background of the numerous wind power projects that Vattenfall is currently conducting in the UK and to prepare for the optimisation of an even larger wind power portfolio, the Trading business unit has begun trading UK power contracts on the N2EX exchange. N2EX is a marketplace launched in 2010 for wholesale power in the UK that offers a liquid market for trading hourly products.

Vattenfall supplier of electricity for BritNed

 In February and March 2011, Vattenfall Energy Trading (VET) was the exclusive supplier of the electricity required for the endto-end power flow during the commissioning tests on the new BritNed interconnector. The 260 kilometre land and marine cable link between the Isle of Grain in southern England and Maasvlakte in the Netherlands successfully went live on 1 April.

The Group's operating segments

Distribution and Sales

Amounts in SEK million	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	Change, %	Full year 2010	Last 12 months
Net sales	47,157	51,462	-8.4	165,529	161,224
External net sales ¹	43,427	47,077	-7.8	151,850	148,200
– of which, Distribution	5,077	4,950	2.6	17,968	18,095
– of which, Heat	6,105	6,837	-10.7	19,626	18,894
Operating profit	4,791	3,780	26.7	8,340	9,351
 of which, Distribution 	2,019	1,931	4.6	5,906	5,994
– of which, Heat	2,465	2,447	0.7	4,388	4,406
Operating profit excl. items affecting comparability	4,790	3,711	29.1	8,426	9,505
 of which, Distribution 	2,023	1,930	4.8	5,704	5,797
– of which, Heat	2,461	2,444	0.7	4,695	4,712
Sales of gas, TWh	22.8	22.7	0.4	58.3	58.4
Sales of heat, TWh	13.3	14.4	-7.6	35.2	34.1
Electricity generation, TWh	5.4	5.7	-5.3	16.3	16.0
– of which, fossil-based power	5.0	5.3	-5.7	15.0	14.7
– of which, biomass, waste	0.4	0.4	—	1.3	1.3

1) Excluding intra-Group transactions.

Distribution and Sales is responsible for Vattenfall's electricity sales and heat businesses, electricity distribution and other downstream businesses. The Division is responsible for all relationships with Vattenfall's end customers.

Distribution and Sales comprises five Business Units (BUs): • BU Sales B2C (Business to Consumers)

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 BU Heat
- BU Heat
- BU Distribution
- BU Energy Related Services

Operations are conducted in Sweden, Denmark, Finland, Norway, Germany, France, the Netherlands, Belgium and Poland.

The Distribution and Sales segment includes a total of 14,810 employees (full-time equivalents).

Distribution and Sales

Operating profit Q1

Operating profit improved by SEK 1,011 million. The improvement can be credited primarily to improved profitability in the Sales B2C business unit in the Nordic countries and Germany. Business Unit Distribution improved its operating profit mainly through higher tariffs and lower costs. Operating profit for the first quarter in 2010 was burdened by high costs for storms, among other things. Operating profit for Business Unit Heat improved marginally compared with a year ago. The improvement is mainly attributable to Germany. Other countries showed a decline in the heat operations due to lower heat volumes, mainly as a result of warmer weather in 2010. Currency effects from the stronger Swedish krona on operating profit for the Distribution and Sales segment were negative in the amount of approximately SEK 250 million.

Sales of gas and heat, and electricity generation, $\ensuremath{\text{Q1}}$

Sales of gas to end customers increased slightly to 22.8 TWh (22.7). Essentially all gas sales are in the Netherlands. Sales of heat fell by 7.6% to 13.3 TWh (14.4). The decrease is due to the fact that the corresponding period in 2010 was extremely cold, especially in Germany and Poland.

Electricity generation decreased by 5.3% to 5.4 TWh (5.7), attributable to Germany and Poland.

Important events Q1

Vattenfall signed several new deals with major business customers.

 In Sweden, a contract with Höganäs was extended to cover the period 2013–2015, with annual volume of 240 GWh. In Finland, Vattenfall signed a 180 GWh contract with reseller Valkeakosken Energia through 31 December 2014. In the Netherlands, Vattenfall landed the largest contract of its type with Gebroeders Diepstraten BV, a greenhouse farm operation in Etten-Leur and Breda. In Germany, Vattenfall signed its first business gas contract – entailing a two-year undertaking with the fashion company Vestino, for the company's 100 fashion stores. Vattenfall has previously supplied electricity to Vestino and with this new gas contract has become a dual supplier of both electricity and gas.

Application filed with Energy Markets Inspectorate ahead of new ex-ante regulatory model

 Ahead of the new Swedish ex-ante regulatory model, which takes effect in 2012, Vattenfall Eldistribution AB submitted its revenue framework application for the four-year period 2012–2015 to be approved by the Swedish regulator, the Energy Markets Inspectorate (Energimarknadsinspektionen). The framework application entails increased investments to improve the Group's networks against storms and to be able to connect small- and large-scale wind power as well as other forms of renewable energy.

Volvo V60 plug-in hybrid unveiled at Geneva Auto Salon

 The Volvo V60 plug-in hybrid car, which is the result of close collaboration between Volvo Car Corporation and Vattenfall, was unveiled at the Geneva Auto Salon on 1 March. The car will be launched on the market in 2012, and Vattenfall has prepared a customised agreement that will be offered to future users of plug-in hybrid cars. It guarantees customers 100% renewable electricity from one of Vattenfall's wind farms.

The Group's operating segments

Renewables

Amounts in SEK million	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	Change, %	Full year 2010	Last 12 months
Net sales	795	398	99.7	2,078	2,475
External net sales ¹	394	180	118.9	1,040	1,254
Operating profit	180	-132	_	-1,620	-1,308
Operating profit excl. items affecting comparability	166	-132	_	-601	-303
Electricity generation, TWh	0.9	0.4	125.0	2.2	2.7
– of which, wind power	0.9	0.4	125.0	2.2	2.7

1) Excluding intra-Group transactions.

Renewables is responsible for capacity development, and operation and maintenance of Vattenfall's renewable energy operations – primarily in wind power and upstream biomass. Renewables comprises four Business Units (BUs):

- BU Onshore Wind Projects
- BU Offshore Wind Projects
- BU Generation Wind
- BU Biomass

Operations are conducted in Sweden, Denmark, Germany, the Netherlands, Belgium, Poland, the UK and Liberia.

The Renewables segment includes a total of 316 employees (full-time equivalents).

Operating profit Q1

Operating profit improved by SEK 312 million. The improvement is mainly attributable to higher wind power generation from the Group's new wind farms – Thanet in the UK and Stor–Rotliden in Sweden, which were commissioned at the end of 2010.

Electricity generation Q1

Wind power generation more than doubled to 0.9 TWh (0.4). This is mainly attributable to the commissioning of the Thanet offshore wind farm in the UK and the Stor–Rotliden land-based wind farm in Sweden.

Important events Q1

Vattenfall engages record-large vessel for offshore installation

 Vattenfall has signed a contract for a vessel for the transportation and installation of 80 wind turbines for the DanTysk offshore wind farm project in Germany. The vessel, the Pacific Orca, is being built in South Korea with scheduled delivery in 2012. DanTysk is a joint project between Vattenfall and Stadtwerke München, in which Vattenfall has a 51% stake and is responsible for construction of the wind farm.

First turbine installed at Ormonde offshore wind farm

 On 22 March Vattenfall successfully installed the first turbine at the Ormonde offshore wind farm in the UK. The 153 metre tall
 5 MW REpower wind turbine, weighing 661 tonnes, is the first of 30 to be installed in the coming months at the Ormonde wind farm.

Agreement with the State of Berlin on sustainability criteria for biomass

On 15 April Vattenfall and the State of Berlin signed an agreement regarding sustainability criteria in the procurement of woodchips for use in Berlin. The agreement emphasises the increased use of biomass with specific, verifiable criteria, which was previously formulated in Vattenfall's climate protection agreement with the State of Berlin. The agreement entails that Vattenfall will be able to use biomass from its partly owned company in Liberia, Buchanan Renewables Fuels, in its generation plants in Berlin.

Other

Amounts in SEK million	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	Change, %	Full year 2010	Last 12 months
Net sales	1,867	16,784	-88.9	31,482	16,565
External net sales ¹	400	13,366	-97.0	21,464	8,498
Operating profit	-639	-5,557	88.5	-7,255	-2,337
Operating profit excl. items affecting comparability	-644	-233	-176.4	-2,075	-2,486

1) Excluding intra-Group transactions.

"Other" comprises all Staff Functions including Treasury activities, Shared Service Centres and the Gas Exploration & Production business. The German transmission business, which was divested in May 2010, is reported under "Other".

"Other" includes a total of 5,315 employees (full-time equivalents).

Operating profit Q1

Operating profit increased by SEK 4,918 million. The increase is mainly attributable to impairment of SEK 5.3 billion that was charged against profit for the first quarter of 2010 in connection with the sale of the German transmission business, 50Hertz Transmission GmbH. The impairment charge was recognised as an item affecting comparability and is reported under "Other". Excluding items affecting comparability, operating profit decreased by SEK 412 million.

Consolidated income statement

Amounts in SEK million	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	Full year 2010 La	ast 12 months
Net sales	51,868	70,657	213,572	194,783
Cost of products sold ¹	-36,808	-50,872	-159,098	-145,034
Gross profit	15,060	19,785	54,474	49,749
Selling expenses, administrative expenses and				
research and development costs ²	-4,427	-4,680	-20,094	-19,841
Other operating income and expenses, net	964	-5,092	-5,151	905
Participations in the results of associated compa-				
nies	245	102	624	767
Operating profit (EBIT) ³	11,842	10,115	29,853	31,580
Financial income ⁴	792	566	2,514	2,740
Financial expenses ⁵	-2,685	-3,465	-10,944	-10,164
Profit before tax ⁶	9,949	7,216	21,423	24,156
Income tax expense	-2,746	-3,429	-8,238	-7,555
Profit for the period ⁷	7,203	3,787	13,185	16,601
Profit for the period attributable to:				
Owners of the Parent Company	7,117	3,746	12,997	16,368
Non-controlling interests (minority interests)	86	41	188	233
Total	7,203	3,787	13,185	16,601
Earnings per share				
Number of shares in Vattenfall AB, thousands	131,700	131.700	131.700	131.700
Earnings per share, basic and diluted (SEK)	54.04	28.44	98.69	124.28
Earnings per share, basic and diluted (SER)	54.04	20.44	50.05	124.20

Amounts in SEK million	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	Full year 2010 La	ast 12 months
Supplementary information				
Operating profit before depreciation and amortisa- tion (EBITDA) Financial items, net excl. discounting effects attrib-	16,932	20,799	60,706	56,839
utable to provisions and return from the Swedish	1 420	0 007	C 170	F 202
Nuclear Waste Fund	-1,430	-2,327	-6,179	-5,282
1) Of which, depreciation, amortisation and impairment				
losses related to non-recurring assets	-4,952	-10,557	-30,342	-24,737
2) Of which, depreciation, amortisation and impairment				
losses related to non-recurring assets	-138	-127	-511	-522
Including items affecting comparability attributable to:				
Capital gains/losses, net	690	66	-250	374
Impairment losses and impairment losses reversed, net	-1	-5,327	-9,849	-4,523
4) Including return from the Swedish Nuclear Waste Fund	233	247	1,011	997
5) Including interest components related to pension costs	-250	-296	-1,138	-1,092
5) Including discounting effects attributable to provisions	-696	-819	-3,262	-3,139
6) Including items affecting comparability attributable to:				
Capital gains/losses, net	690	67	-247	376
Impairment losses and impairment losses reversed, net	-1	-5,327	-9,849	-4,523
7) Including items affecting comparability stated above				
adjusted for tax	489	-5,258	-10,009	-4,262

Consolidated statement of comprehensive income

Amounts in SEK million	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	Full year 2010	Last 12 months
Profit for the period	7,203	3,787	13,185	16,601
Other comprehensive income:				
Cash flow hedges:				
Changes in fair value	2,202	-202	-1,189	1,215
Dissolved against the income statement	319	-369	-684	4
Transferred to cost of hedged item	-66	-102	246	282
Tax attributable to cash flow hedges	-577	151	494	-234
Total cash flow hedges	1,878	-522	-1,133	1,267
Hedging of net investments in foreign operations	935	9,252	19,831	11,514
Tax attributable to hedging of net investments in foreign operations	-246	-2,433	-5,215	-3,028
Total hedging of net investments in foreign operations	689	6,819	14,616	8,486
Revaluation of available-for-sale financial assets	-706	_	_	-706
Translation differences	-1,949	-13,005	-30,727	-19,671
Total other comprehensive income, net after tax	-88	-6,708	-17,244	-10,624
Total comprehensive income for the period	7,115	-2,921	-4,059	5,977
Total comprehensive income for the period attributable to:				
Owners of the Parent Company	7,050	-2,731	-3,717	6,064
Non-controlling interests (minority interests)	65	-190	-342	-87
Total	7,115	-2,921	-4,059	5,977

Operating segments, Vattenfall Group

	E>	External net sales			Internal net sales			Total net sales		
Amounts in SEK million	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	Full year 2010	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	Full year 2010	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	Full year 2010	
Generation	17,410	21,724	71,567	17,836	16,599	55,610	35,246	38,323	127,177	
Distribution and Sales	43,427	47,077	151,850	3,730	4,385	13,679	47,157	51,462	165,529	
Renewables	394	180	1,040	401	218	1,038	795	398	2,078	
Other ¹	400	13,366	21,464	1,467	3,418	10,018	1,867	16,784	31,482	
Eliminations ²	-9,763	-11,690	-32,349	-23,434	-24,620	-80,345	-33,197	-36,310	-112,694	
Total	51,868	70,657	213,572	_	—	_	51,868	70,657	213,572	

		Profit		Profit excl. items affecting comparability			
Amounts in SEK million	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	Full year 2010	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	Full year 2010	
Generation	7,510	12,024	30,388	6,841	12,030	34,202	
Distribution and Sales	4,791	3,780	8,340	4,790	3,711	8,426	
Renewables	180	-132	-1,620	166	-132	-601	
Other ¹	-639	-5,557	-7,255	-644	-233	-2,075	
Operating profit (EBIT)	11,842	10,115	29,853	11,153	15,376	39,952	
Financial income and expenses	-1,893	-2,899	-8,430				
Profit before tax	9,949	7,216	21,423				

1) Chiefly includes Treasury Activities and Other Staff functions.

2) For external net sales, the elimination pertains to sales to the Nordic electricity exchange, Nord Pool.

Vattenfall Group, information about geographical areas

	External net sales			h	Internal net sales			Total net sales		
Amounts in SEK million	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	Full year 2010	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	Full year 2010	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	Full year 2010	
Nordic countries	17,433	18,583	59,829	-2,327	-3,653	-4,368	15,106	14,930	55,461	
Germany and Poland	20,245	33,804	95,974	9,989	11,720	40,402	30,234	45,524	136,376	
Netherlands and Belgium	12,624	14,366	41,990	2,568	2,008	7,338	15,192	16,374	49,328	
Other ¹	1,566	3,904	15,779	19,534	18,928	70,999	21,100	22,832	86,778	
Eliminations	_	_	_	-29,764	-29,003	-114,371	-29,764	-29,003	-114,371	
Total	51,868	70,657	213,572	—	—	_	51,868	70,657	213,572	

	Ope	erating profit (EBIT)		Operating profit (EBIT) excl. items affecting comparability			
Amounts in SEK million	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	Full year 2010	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	Full year 2010		
Nordic countries	7,267	7,875	21,196	7,264	7,874	21,344		
Germany and Poland	5,164	-139	9,908	4,478	5,189	13,897		
Netherlands and Belgium	543	110	-5,570	543	44	-417		
Other	-1,132	2,269	4,319	-1,132	2,269	5,128		
Total	11,842	10,115	29,853	11,153	15,376	39,952		

1) Chiefly concerns Trading, Treasury activities and Other Staff functions. Also includes operations in the UK.

Consolidated balance sheet

Amounts in SEK million	31 March 2011	31 March 2010	31 Dec. 2010	Amounts in SEK million	31 March 2011	31 March 2010	31 Dec. 2010
Assets				Equity and liabilities			
Non-current assets				Equity			
Intangible assets: non-current	49,075	60,013	49,787	Attributable to owners of the Parent Company	133,754	132,889	126,704
Property, plant and equipment	286,076	280,112	285,631	Attributable to non-controlling interests (minority interests)	7,194	6,572	6,917
Investment property	612	668	626	Total equity	140,948	139,461	133,621
Biological assets	4	_	4				
Participations in associated companies and joint ventures	13,042	13,809	12,949	Non-current liabilities			
Other shares and participations	4,265	4,956	4,954	Capital Securities	8,869	9,646	8,929
Share in the Swedish Nuclear Waste Fund	26,951	26,207	26,791	Other interest-bearing liabilities	141,110	175,152	144,599
Current tax asstes, non-current	1,190	1,130	1,184	Pension provisions	18,053	19,390	18,137
Prepaid expenses	167	160	171	Other interest-bearing provisions	62,460	63,053	62,494
Deferred tax assets	1,730	1,631	1,397	Deferred tax liabilities	36,526	32,721	36,125
Other non-current receivables	4,879	4,234	4,769	Other noninterest-bearing liabilities	8,365	6,346	8,409
Total non-current assets	387,991	392,920	388,263	Total non-current liabilities	275,383	306,308	278,693
Current assets				Current liabilities			
Inventories	16,902	14,213	16,825	Trade payables and other liabilities	29,449	24,171	33,184
Intangible assets: current	7,752	11,476	8,330	Advance payments from customers	2,066	1,538	1,912
Trade receivables and other receivables	36,355	35,231	36,380	Derivatives with negative fair value	28,273	36,968	25,216
Advance payments to suppliers	2,765	10,330	3,904	Accrued expenses and deferred income	24,903	28,086	24,804
Derivatives with positive fair value	31,872	40,068	29,338	Current tax liabilities	1,089	5,263	2,062
Prepaid expenses and accrued income	12,293	11,826	10,597	Interest-bearing liabilities	28,351	12,790	34,749
Current tax assets	1,123	5,337	2,311	Interest-bearing provisions	7,286	4,735	7,191
Short-term investments	28,647	22,952	31,278	Liabilities associated with assets held for sale		9,775	_
Cash and cash equivalents	10,909	7,238	12,595	Total current liabilities	121,417	123,326	129,118
Assets held for sale	1,139	17,504	1,611	Total equity and liabilities	537,748	569,095	541,432
Total current assets	149,757	176,175	153,169			,	
Total assets	537,748	569,095	541,432	Pledged assets		700	634
		-		Contingent liabilities	3,470	5,546	4,542

Consolidated balance sheet (cont.)

Amounts in SEK million	31 March 2011	31 March 2010	31 Dec. 2010	Amounts in SEK million	31 March 2011	31 March 2010	31 Dec. 2010
Supplementary information				Adjusted gross debt and net debt			
				Total interest-bearing liabilities	-178,330	-197,588	-188,277
Net assets				50% of Capital Securities	4,435	4,823	4,464
Net assets, weighted average value	288,502	267,998	293,298	Present value of pension obligations	-20,086	-20,071	-19,992
				Provisions for mining, gas and wind operations and other			
Net debt				environment-related provisions	-12,800	-13,643	-12,760
Capital Securities	-8,869	-9,646	-8,929	Provisions for nuclear power (net)	-13,081	-6,272	-12,794
Bond issues, commercial papers and liabilities to credit				Currency derivatives for hedging of debt in foreign currency	1,679	1,266	2,668
institutions	-101,617	-112,602	-110,038	Margin calls received	3,869	2,881	5,149
Present value of liabilities pertaining to acquisitions of				Liabilities to owners of non-controlling interests			
subsidiaries	-43,298	-47,052	-43,438	(minority owners) due to consortium agreements	9,145	7,746	8,923
Liabilities to associated companies	-10,206	-16,119	-10,493	Adjusted gross debt	-205,169	-220,858	-212,619
Liabilities to owners of non-controlling interests				Reported cash and cash equivalents and short-term			
(minority owners)	-9,567	-8,133	-9,327	investments	39,556	30,190	43,873
Other liabilities	-4,773	-4,036	-6,052	Unavailable liquidity	-4,069	-10,639	-4,663
Total interest-bearing liabilities	-178,330	-197,588	-188,277	Adjusted cash and cash equivalents and short-term			
Cash and cash equivalents	10,909	7,238	12,595	investments	35,487	19,551	39,210
Short-term investments	28,647	22,952	31,278	Adjusted net debt	-169,682	-201,307	-173,409
Loans to owners of non-controlling interests (minority owners)							
of foreign subsidiaries	492	1,817	295				
Net debt	-138,282	-165,581	-144,109				

Consolidated statement of cash flows

			Full year	Last 12				Full year	Last 12
Amounts in SEK million	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	2010	months	Amounts in SEK million	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	2010	months
Operating activities					Cash and cash equivalents				
Profit before tax	9,949	7,216	21,423	24,156	Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period	12,595	10,555	10,555	7,238
Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses	5,090	10,684	30,853	25,259	Cash and cash equivalents included in assets held for sale				
Tax paid	-3,326	-6,198	-8,901	-6,029	at 31 December 2009		_	653	653
Other adjustment items	3,340	-1,882	-3,267	1,955	Cash flow for the period	-1,672	-2,864	1,301	2,493
Funds from operations (FFO)	15,053	9,820	40,108	45,341	Translation differences	-14	-453	86	525
• • • •			-		Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period	10,909	7,238	12,595	10,909
Changes in inventories	74	760	-2,407	-3,093					
Changes in operating receivables	-2,122	-2,592	-12,612	-12,142	Supplementary information				
Changes in operating liabilities	-6,865	-9,459	5,681	8,275					
Other changes	1,467	3,730	10,461	8,198	Cash flow before financing activities	2,656	-6,497	6,448	15,601
Cash flow from changes in operating assets and operating					C C				
liabilities	-7,446	-7,561	1,123	1,238	Financing activities				
Cash flow from operating activities	7,607	2,259	41,231	46,579	Dividends paid to owners	-16	-17	-5,311	-5,310
					Contribution from owners of non-controlling interests				
Investing activities					(minority interests)	229	_	12	241
Acquisitions in Group companies	-1	-6	-577	-572	Cash flow after dividend	2,869	-6,514	1,149	10,532
Investments in associated companies and other shares									
and participations	13	-84	-508	-411	Analysis of change in net debt				
Other investments in non-current assets	-6,211	-8,845	-40,709	-38,075	Net debt at beginning of the period	-144,109	-154,987	-154,987	-165,581
Total investments	-6,199	-8,935	-41,794	-39,058	Changed calculation of net debt		-11,252	-11,252	_
Divestments	1,248	179	7,197	8,266	Cash flow after dividend	2,869	-6,514	1,149	10,532
Cash and cash equivalents in acquired companies	—	_	111	111	Changes as a result of valuation at fair value	915	-1,571	-1,743	743
Cash and cash equivalents in divested companies	—	_	-297	-297	Changes in interest-bearing liabilities for leasing	19	32	111	98
Cash flow from investing activities	-4,951	-8,756	-34,783	-30,978	Interest-bearing liabilities/short-term investments				
-					acquired/divested	-	—	4,002	4,002
Cash flow before financing activities	2,656	-6,497	6,448	15,601	Changes in liabilities pertaining to acquisitions				
-					of subsidiaries	-169	-365	-749	-553
Financing activities					Cash and cash equivalents included in assets held for				
Changes in short-term investments	2,811	8,478	-1,919	-7,586	sale at 31 December 2009		—	653	653
Changes in loans to owners of non-controlling interests					Translation differences on net debt	2,193	9,076	18,707	11,824
(minority owners) in foreign subsidiaries	-200	-352	1,135	1,287	Net debt at the end of the period	-138,282	-165,581	-144,109	-138,282
Loans raised ¹	618	1,044	13,325	12,899					
Amortisation of debt	-7,770	-5,520	-12,389	-14,639	Free cash flow	5,063	-1,057	23,846	29,966
Dividends paid to owners	-16	-17	-5,311	-5,310	1) Short-term borrowings in which the duration is three months or s	hortor aro ron	ortod not		
Contribution from owners of non-controlling interests					T Shore-term our owings in which the duration is three months of S	norter are rep	onteu net.		
(minority interests)	229	_	12	241					
Cash flow from financing activities	-4,328	3,633	-5,147	-13,108					
Cash flow for the period	-1,672	-2,864	1,301	2,493					

Consolidated statement of changes in equity

			31 March 2011			31 March 2010			31 Dec. 2010
Amounts in SEK million	Attributable to owners of the Parent Company	Attributable to non-controlling interests (minor- ity interests)	Total equity	Attributable to owners of the Parent Company	Attributable to non-controlling interests (minor- ity interests)	Total equity	Attributable to owners of the Parent Company	Attributable to non-controlling interests (minor- ity interests)	Total equity
Balance brought forward	126,704	6,917	133,621	135,620	6,784	142,404	135,620	6,784	142,404
Dividends paid to owners Group contributions from(+)/to(-) owners of non-con-	_	-16	-16	_	-17	-17	-5,240	-71	-5,311
trolling interests (minority interests), net after tax	_	_	_	_	-5	-5	_	402	402
Changes in ownership	—	228	228	_	_	—	41	144	185
Cash flow hedges:									
Changes in fair value	2,201	1	2,202	-154	-48	-202	-1,086	-103	-1,189
Dissolved against income statement	319	_	319	-369	_	-369	-684	_	-684
Transferred to cost of hedged item	-66	_	-66	-101	-1	-102	247	-1	246
Tax attributable to cash flow hedges	-577	_	-577	138	13	151	467	27	494
Total cash flow hedges	1,877	1	1,878	-486	-36	-522	-1,056	-77	-1,133
Hedging of net investments in foreign operations	935	_	935	9,252	_	9,252	19,831	_	19,831
Tax attributable to net investments in foreign opera-									
tions	-246	—	-246	-2,433	—	-2,433	-5,215	_	-5,215
Total hedging of net investments in foreign operations	689	_	689	6,819	_	6,819	14,616	_	14,616
Revaluation of available-for-sale financial assets	-706	_	-706	_	_	_	_	_	_
Translation differences	-1,927	-22	-1,949	-12,810	-195	-13,005	-30,274	-453	-30,727
Profit for the period	7,117	86	7,203	3,746	41	3,787	12,997	188	13,185
Total comprehensive income for the period	7,050	65	7,115	-2,731	-190	-2,921	-3,717	-342	-4,059
Balance carried forward	133.754 ¹	7.194	140,948	132.889 1	6.572	139,461	126.704 ¹	6.917	133.621
1) Of which, Reserve for cash flow hedges	562	7,±04	1-0,040	-745	0,072	100,401	-1,315	0,017	100,021

Key ratios, Vattenfall Group (definitions and calculations of key ratios on pages 32–33)

In % unless otherwise stated. (x) means times	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	Full year 2010	Last 12 months
Operating margin	22.8	14.3	14.0	16.2
Operating margin ¹	21.5	21.8	18.7	18.3
Pre-tax profit margin	19.2	10.2	10.0	12.4
Pre-tax profit margin ¹	17.9	17.7	14.8	14.5
Return on equity	12.6 ²	6.6 ²	10.0	12.6
Return on equity ¹	15.9 ²	12.5 ²	17.7	15.9
Return on net assets	9.9 ²	8.1 ²	9.1	9.9
Return on net assets ¹	11.3 ²	11.4 ²	12.5	11.3
EBIT interest cover, (x)	4.7 ²	2.6 ²	4.1	4.7
EBIT interest cover, (x) ¹	5.3 ²	3.4 ²	5.4	5.3
FFO interest cover, (x)	7.5 ²	3.7 ²	6.2	7.5
FFO interest cover, net, (x)	9.6 ²	4.2 ²	7.5	9.6
Cash flow interest cover after maintenance investments, (x)	6.1 ²	3.0 ²	4.6	6.1
FFO/gross debt	25.4 ²	14.0 ²	21.3	25.4
FFO/net debt	32.8 ²	16.8 ²	27.8	32.8
EBITDA/net financial items, (x)	11.8	8.9	9.8	10.8
EBITDA/net financial items, (x)1	11.4	11.2	11.5	11.5
Equity/total assets	26.2	24.5	24.7	26.2
Gross debt/equity	126.5	141.7	140.9	126.5
Net debt/equity	98.1	118.7	107.8	98.1
Gross debt/gross debt plus equity	55.9	58.6	58.5	55.9
Net debt/net debt plus equity	49.5	54.3	51.9	49.5
Net debt/EBITDA, (x)	2.4 ²	3.0 ²	2.4	2.4

1) Excl. items affecting comparability.
 2) Last 12-month values.

Quarterly information, Vattenfall Group

Amounts in SEK million	Q1 2011	Q4 2010	Q3 2010	Q2 2010	Q1 2010
Income statement					
Net sales	51,868	55.537	37.665	49.713	70,657
Cost of products sold	-36,808	-44,612	-27,271	-36,343	-50,872
Other operating income and expenses, net	-3,463	-6.292	-4,748	-4,433	-9.772
Participations in the results of associated companies	245	313	183	26	102
Operating profit before depreciation and amortisation (EBITDA)	16,932	15,355	10,685	13,867	20,799
Operating profit (EBIT)	11,842	4,946	5,829	8,963	10,115
Financial items, net	-1,893	-138	-3,261	-2,132	-2,899
Financial items, net ¹	-1,403	308	-2,858	-1,302	-2,327
Profit before tax	9,949	4,808	2,568	6,831	7,216
Profit for the period	7,203	2,464	1,749	5,185	3,787
– of which, attributable to owners of the Parent Company	7,117	2,577	1,597	5,077	3,746
- of which, attributable to non-controlling interests (minority interests)	86	-113	152	108	41
Balance sheet					
Non-current assets	387,991	388,263	386,867	391,153	392,920
Short-term investments	28,647	31,278	26,841	24,365	22,952
Cash and cash equivalents	10,909	12,595	16,014	21,279	7,238
Other current assets	110,201	109,296	99,012	107,110	145,985
Total assets	537,748	541,432	528,734	543,907	569,095
Equity	140,948	133,621	135,605	140,215	139,461
 of which, attributable to owners of the Parent Company 	133,754	126,704	128,953	133,572	132,889
 of which, attributable to non-controlling interests (minority interests) 	7,194	6,917	6,652	6,643	6,572
Capital Securities	8,869	8,929	9,081	9,414	9,646
Other interest-bearing liabilities	169,461	179,348	179,263	189,123	187,942
Pension provisions	18,053	18,137	18,393	18,994	19,390
Other interest-bearing provisions	69,746	69,685	67,584	66,963	67,788
Deferred tax liabilities	36,526	36,125	31,974	34,266	32,721
Other noninterest-bearing liabilities	94,145	95,587	86,834	84,932	112,147
Total equity and liabilities	537,748	541,432	528,734	543,907	569,095
Net assets	285,169	285,153	282,413	289,874	307,966
Net debt	-138,282	-144,109	-145,155	-151,071	-165,581

1) Excl. discounting effects attributable to provisions and return from the Swedish Nuclear Waste Fund.

Quarterly information, Vattenfall Group (cont.)

Amounts in SEK million	Q1 2011	Q4 2010	Q3 2010	Q2 2010	Q1 2010
Cash flow					
Funds from operations (FFO)	15,053	11,670	6,939	11,679	9,820
Cash flow from changes in operating assets and operating liabilities	-7,446	-1,776	4,832	5,628	-7,561
Cash flow from operating activities	7,607	9,894	11,771	17,307	2,259
Cash flow from investing activities	-4,951	-11,531	-11,017	-3,479	-8,756
Cash flow before financing activities	2,656	-1,637	754	13,828	-6,497
Changes in short-term investments	2,811	-4,997	-3,390	-2,010	8,478
Loans raised/Amortisation of debt, net, etc.	-7,123	3,209	-3,238	6,940	-4,828
Dividends paid to owners	-16	-4	-13	-5,277	-17
Cash flow from financing activities	-4,328	-1,792	-6,641	-347	3,633
Cash flow for the period	-1,672	-3,429	-5,887	13,481	-2,864
Free cash flow	5,063	3,355	7,260	14,288	-1,057
Key ratios (definitions and calculations of key ratios on pages 32–33)					
In % unless otherwise stated. (x) means times					
Return on equity ¹	12.6	10.0	9.3	8.7	6.6
Return on equity ^{1,2}	15.9	17.7	15.4	14.6	12.5
Return on net assets ¹	9.9	9.1	9.2	8.6	8.1
Return on net assets ^{1,2}	11.3	12.5	12.1	11.6	11.4
EBIT interest cover, (x) ¹	4.7	4.1	3.1	3.0	2.6
EBIT interest cover, (x) ^{1,2}	5.3	5.4	3.9	3.9	3.4
FFO/gross debt ¹	25.4	21.3	21.1	18.6	14.0
FFO/net debt ¹	32.8	27.8	27.4	24.4	16.8
Equity/assets ratio	26.2	24.7	25.6	25.8	24.5
Gross debt/equity	126.5	140.9	138.9	141.6	141.7
Net debt/equity	98.1	107.8	107.0	107.7	118.7
Net debt/net debt plus equity	49.5	51.9	51.7	51.9	54.3
Net debt/EBITDA, (x) ¹	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.6	3.0

Last 12-month values.
 Excl. items affecting comparability.

Exchange rates

Key exchange rates applied in the accounts of the Vattenfall Group:

	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	Full year 2010		31 March 2011	31 March 2010	31 Dec. 2010
Average rate				Balance sheet date rate			
EUR	8.9140	10.0163	9.5694	EUR	8.9380	9.7385	9.0020
DKK	1.1955	1.3456	1.2850	DKK	1.1985	1.3080	1.2075
GBP	10.3544	11.3050	11.1573	GBP	10.1775	10.9350	10.5475
NOK	1.1358	1.2284	1.1920	NOK	1.1340	1.2130	1.1520
PLN	2.2450	2.4950	2.3831	PLN	2.2300	2.5200	2.2700
USD	6.5114	7.2450	7.2152	USD	6.3025	7.2575	6.8025

Parent Company income statement Parent Company balance sheet

Amounts in SEK million	Q1 2011	Q1 2010	Full year 2010
Net sales	9,501	11,620	36,538
Cost of products sold	-5,197	-5,666	-19,190
Gross profit	4,304	5,954	17,348
Selling expenses, administrative expenses and research			
and development costs	-734	-685	-3,111
Other operating income and expenses, net	-2,656	48	303
Operating profit (EBIT)	914	5,317	14,540
Result from participations in Group companies	1,323	10,112	15,456
Result from participations in associated companies	—	—	2
Result from other shares and participations	—	_	73
Other financial income	1,471	8,701	10,765
Other financial expenses	-1,666	-1,031	-7,061
Profit before appropriations and tax	2,042	23,099	33,775
Appropriations	4,734	26	-3,602
Profit before tax	6,776	23,125	30,173
			-
Income tax expense	-1,407	-3,494	-4,244
Profit for the period	5,369	19,631	25,929

Amounts in SEK million	31 March 2011	31 March 2010	31 Dec. 2010
Assets			
Non-current assets			
Intangible assets: non-current	151	131	166
Property, plant and equipment	3,993	21,255	22,138
Shares and participations	194,118	198,691	194,064
Deferred tax assets	359	257	417
Other non-current assets	56,635	9,942	55,899
Total non-current assets	255,256	230,276	272,684
Current assets			
Inventories	205	243	268
Intangible assets: current	894	1,033	660
Current receivables	44,414	64,752	33,888
Current tax assets	24,016	_	26,874
Cash and cash equivalents	8,109	295	7,348
Total current assets	77,638	66,323	69,038
Total assets	332,894	296,599	341,722
Equity and liabilities			
Equity			
Restricted equity			
Share capital	6,585	6,585	6,585
Statutory reserve	1,286	1,286	1,286
Non-restricted equity			
Retained earnings	68,832	51,078	43,360
Profit for the period	5,369	19,631	25,929
Total equity	82,072	78,580	77,160
Untaxed reserves	8,874	10,191	13,819
Provisions	192	177	195
Non-current liabilities			
Capital Securities	8,869	_	8,929
Other interest-bearing liabilities	133,869	174,904	131,234
Other noninterest-bearing liabilities	4,335	3,128	4,341
Total non-current liabilities	147,073	178,032	144,504
Current liabilities			
Interest-bearing liabilities	56,973	_	79,641
Current tax liabilities	497	3,536	1,394
Other noninterest-bearing liabilities	37,213	26,083	25,009
Total current liabilities	94,683	29,619	106,044
Total equity and liabilities	332,894	296,599	341,722

Accounting policies, risks and uncertainties, and the Parent Company's interim report

Group

Accounting policies

The consolidated accounts for the first quarter of 2011 have, as in the year-end accounts for 2010, been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) as endorsed by the European Commission for application within the EU, and the Swedish Annual Accounts Act.

This interim report for the Group has been prepared in accordance with IAS 34 – *Interim Financial Reporting*, and the Swedish Annual Accounts Act.

The accounting policies applied in this interim report are the same as those described in Vattenfall's 2010 Annual Report (Note 3 to the consolidated accounts), with exception for the amended IFRSs endorsed by the EU and described below, which are effective as of the 2011 financial year.

"Improvements to IFRSs" (issued in May 2010) aim to streamline and clarify the accounting standards concerning presentation, recognition and measurement, including changes in terminology or amendments of an editorial nature. These amendments have had no or minimal impact on Vattenfall's financial statements.

Reporting of operating segments

To enable Vattenfall to carry out its new strategic direction (see Vattenfall's 2010 Annual Report, pages 5–15), a new business-led organisational structure was adopted on 1 January 2011. The previous region-based structure has been replaced by five new Business Divisions: Asset Development, Production, Asset Optimisation and Trading, Distribution and Sales, and Renewables. The first three mentioned Business Divisions together form the Generation operating segment, while the Distribution and Sales, and Renewables Business Divisions, respectively, are reported as separate operating segments. In the segment reporting, in addition to the above, the Treasury activities, Other Staff Functions and Shared Services are reported under the heading Other.

Comparison figures for 2010 have, as far as possible, been recalculated to reflect the new segment structure.

Risks and uncertainties

For a description of risks, uncertainties and risk management, please refer to Vattenfall's 2010 Annual Report, pages 77–83. No other material changes, other than what is stated in this interim report, have taken place since publication of the 2010 Annual Report.

Other

Significant related-party transactions are described in Note 54 to the consolidated accounts in Vattenfall's 2010 Annual Report. No material changes have taken place in relations or transactions with related parties compared with the description in the 2010 Annual Report.

Parent Company Vattenfall AB Accounting policies

The Parent Company Vattenfall AB's accounts are prepared in accordance with the Swedish Annual Accounts Act and recommendation RFR 2 – *Accounting for Legal Entities*, issued by the Swedish Financial Reporting Board.

The accounting policies used in this report are the same as those described in Vattenfall's 2010 Annual Report (Note 2 to the Parent Company accounts).

First quarter 2011

A condensed income statement and balance sheet for the Parent Company are presented on page 29 of this report. Sales amounted to SEK 9,501 million (11,620).

Profit before appropriations and tax was SEK 2,042 million (23,099). The lower earnings compared with the preceding year are attributable to lower dividends from subsidiaries and to the fact that Vattenfall AB, as of 1 July 2010, applies hedge accounting for assets in a foreign currency effectively hedged by loans in a foreign currency according to the Swedish standard BFN R7.

In addition, Vattenfall AB recognised a capital loss of approximately SEK 3,000 million in connection with the sale of all hydro power operations on 1 January 2010 to wholly owned, recently formed subsidiaries. The sales were made at tax residual values. In connection with the sales, Vattenfall AB dissolved untaxed reserves (accelerated depreciation) in an amount of approximately SEK 4,300 million.

The balance sheet total was SEK 332,894 million (31 December 2010: 341,722).

Investments for the period amounted to SEK 177 million (571).

Cash and cash equivalents and short-term investments amounted to SEK 32,125 million (31 December 2010: 34,222).

Risks and uncertainties

For a description of risks, uncertainties and risk management, please refer to Vattenfall's 2010 Annual Report, pages 77–83. No material changes, other than what is stated in this report, have taken place since publication of the 2010 Annual Report.

Other

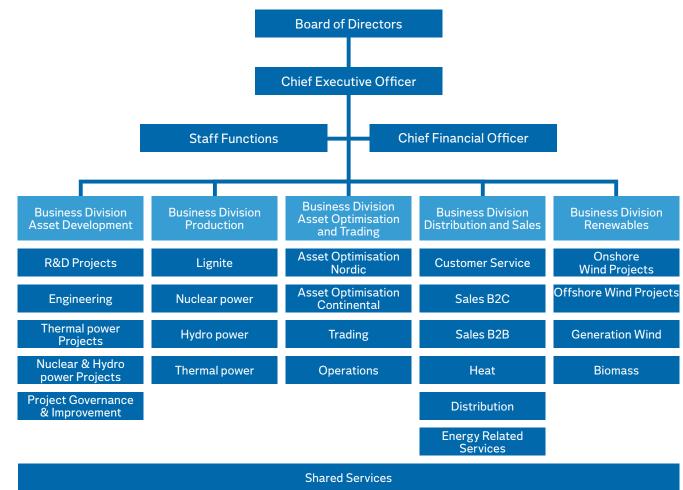
Significant related-party transactions are described in Note 41 to the Parent Company accounts in Vattenfall's 2010 Annual Report. No material changes have taken place in relations or transactions with related parties compared with the description in the 2010 Annual Report.

Stockholm, 5 May 2011

Øystein Løseth President and CEO

This interim report has not been reviewed by the company's auditors.

The information provided in this interim report is such that Vattenfall is required to disclose pursuant to the Swedish Securities Market Act.



Vattenfall's organisational structure 2011

Definitions and calculations of key ratios

Figures for the Group in 2011. Amounts in SEK million unless otherwise stated.

EBIT =	Earnings Before Interest and Tax.		
EBITDA =	Earnings Before Interest, Tax, Depreciation and Amortisation.		
FFO =	Funds From Operations.		
Items affecting comparability =	Capital gains and capital losses from shares and other non-current assets, impairment losses and impairment losses reversed pertaining to non-connon-recurring items.	ourrent assets	, and other
Free cash flow =	Cash flow from operating activities less maintenance investments.		
Capital Securities =	Perpetual subordinated securities, junior to all Vattenfall's unsubordinated debt instruments. Reported as interest-bearing non-current liabilities.		
Net assets =	Balance sheet total less noninterest-bearing liabilities, provisions, interest-bearing receivables, funds in the Swedish Nuclear Waste Fund, cash a short-term investments.	nd cash equiva	alents,
Net debt =	Interest-bearing liabilities less loans to owners of non-controlling interests (minority owners) in foreign subsidiaries, cash and cash equivalents, sh	hort-term inve	stments.
	The key ratios are presented as precentages (%) or times (x). Key ratios based on last 12-month values (April 2010 - March 2011):		
Operating margin, % = 100 x	Operating profit (EBIT) Net sales	<u>31,580</u> 194,783 =	16.2
Operating margin excl. items affecting comparability, % = 100 ×	Operating profit (EBIT) excl. items affecting comparability Net sales	35,729 194,783 =	18.3
Pre-tax profit margin, % = 100 x	Profit before tax Net sales	24,156 194,783 =	12.4
Pre-tax profit margin excl. items affecting comparability, % = 100 x	Profit before tax excl. items affecting comparability Net sales	28,303 194,783 =	14.5
Return on equity, % = 100 x	Profit for the period attributable to owners of the Parent Company Average equity for the period attributable to owners of the Parent Company excl. the Reserve for cash flow hedges	<u> 16,368</u> 129,640 =	12.6
Return on equity excl. items affect- ing comparability, $\% = 100 \times$	Profit for the period attributable to owners of the Parent Company excl. items affecting comparability Average equity for the period attributable to owners of the Parent Company excl. the Reserve for cash flow hedges	<u>20,630</u> =	15.9
Return on net assets, % = 100 x	Operating profit (EBIT) + discounting effects attributable to provisions Weighted average of net assets for the period	<u>28,441</u> 288,502 =	9.9
Return on net assets excl. items affecting comparability, %	Operating profit (EBIT) excl. items affecting comparability + discounting effects attributable to provisions Weighted average of net assets for the period	<u>32,590</u> =	11.3
EBIT interest cover, (x) =	Operating profit (EBIT) + financial income excl. discounting effects attributable to provisions and return from the Swedish Nuclear Waste Fund Financial expenses excl. discounting effects attributable to provisions	<u>33,323</u> 7,025 =	4.7

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