QSC AG

Company Presentation Results Q3 2008

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1. Operational Update

2. Financial Results / Outlook

HIGHLIGHTS Q3 2008: BACK TO PROFITABILITY

- QSC returns to profitability with € 2.1 million net income
- Ongoing strong and profitable revenue growth despite increasing economic challenges
 - New business driven by
 - QSC's contribution to higher efficiency of customers
 - Increasing number of ULLs
 - No material loss of existing business / customers
 - No noticeable change in payment defaults
- Implementation of synergies following the Broadnet merger
- Increased focus on cost discipline
- => QSC well positioned for economic downturn



ENCOURAGING FINANCIAL DEVELOPMENT IN Q3 2008

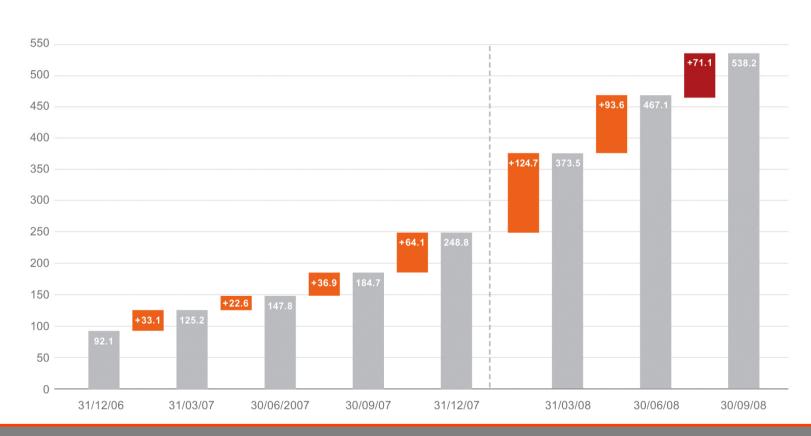
- Revenues up by 25% to € 103.6 million
- EBITDA up by 147% to € 18.3 million
- EBITDA-margin doubles to 18%
- Net profit of € 2.1 million (Q3 2007: € -4.7 million)
- Significant reduction of CAPEX to € 21.1 million (Q3 2007: € 34.5 million)
- Well financed for anticipated growth
 - € 49.4 million liquidity as of September 30, 2008
 - € 36.7 million undrawn revolving credit facility available
- 4 Note: All results based on IFRS



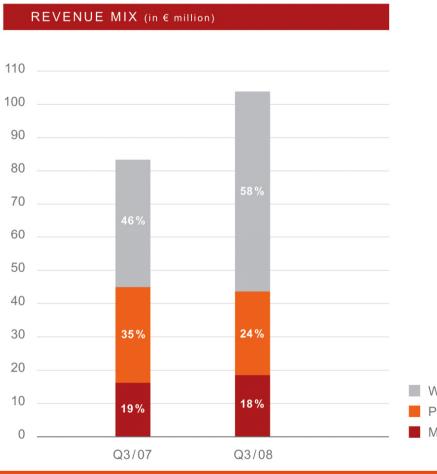
PROFITABILITY THRESHOLD OF ~ 550,000 ULLs REACHED IN OCTOBER

UNBUNDLED LOCAL LOOPS (ULL) - ONLINE (in thousand)

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ADSL2+ WHOLESALE MAIN REVENUE DRIVER IN 2008



Revenue drivers

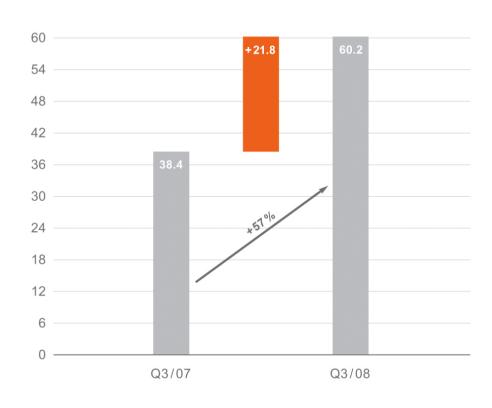
- Continuing growth in ADSL2+ wholesale leads to higher revenue share
- Decline of traditional, minute-based telephony revenues reflected in Products

Wholesale / ResellerProductsManaged Services

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SUSTAINED GROWTH OF WHOLESALE BUSINESS

WHOLESALE/RESELLER YEAR-ON-YEAR (in € million)



Break-up of revenues

- 50% of segment revenues from ADSL2+
- 11% from legacy voice

German Market 2008

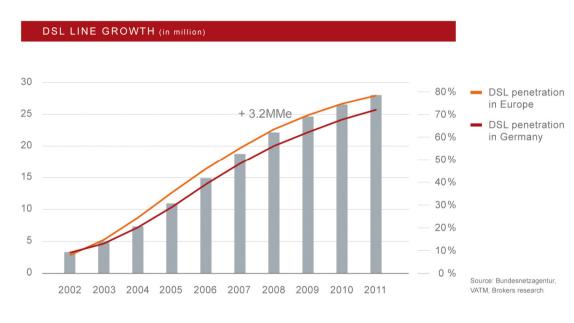
- 3.2 million new DSL customers expected
- Growing demand for unbundled lines
- Substitution of T-DSL Resale by ULLs (2.9 million on September 30, 2008)

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- All major wholesale partners under contract
- Profitable business with resellers i.e. international carriers
 - BT
 - Colt Telecom
 - Orange
 - Verizon



GERMANY REMAINS A DSL COUNTRY Prospective market development in the coming years



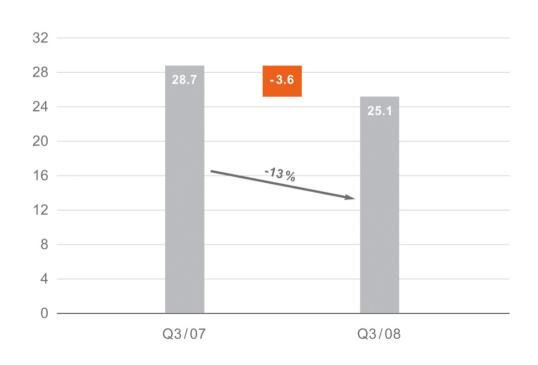
Main drivers for ADSL2+

- + Still growth in demand for DSL
- + Retail ISPs need access to "complete" ULL vs. "bundled" T-DSL wholesale lines
- Cable growth benefits from "catch up" effect following modernisation of local / regional networks



SLOW DOWN OF REVENUE DECLINE COUNTERED BY INCREASE OF VOIP/DIRECT ACCESS

PRODUCTS YEAR-ON-YEAR (in € million)



Break-up of revenues

• 45% legacy voice (H1 2008: 50%)

Market 2008

- Slow down of price competition
- Rapid gain of market share of VoIP

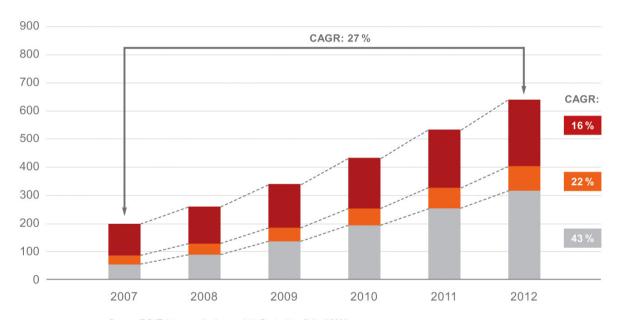
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- Growing demand for direct access to QSC's network and VoIP products
- Positive development of DSL and combined voice/data products for corporates and SOHOs
- New product S.HDSL bis: up to 20 Mbit/s symmetric



VOIP WILL BE A GROWTH DRIVER IN THE COMING YEARS

GERMAN MARKET SPENDINGS ON BUSINESS VOIP (in € million)



Main drivers

- Enterprises replace separate data and voice networks by integrated IP networks
- Customers combine VoIP with further IPbased services
- Efficiency gains through migration from legacy telephony to VoIP based applications



Source: IDC "Telekommunikationsmarkt in Deutschland", April 2008



QSC SELLS EFFICIENCY AND PRODUCTIVITY GAINS TO ENTERPRISE CUSTOMERS

MANAGED SERVICES YEAR-ON-YEAR (in € million)



Market 2008

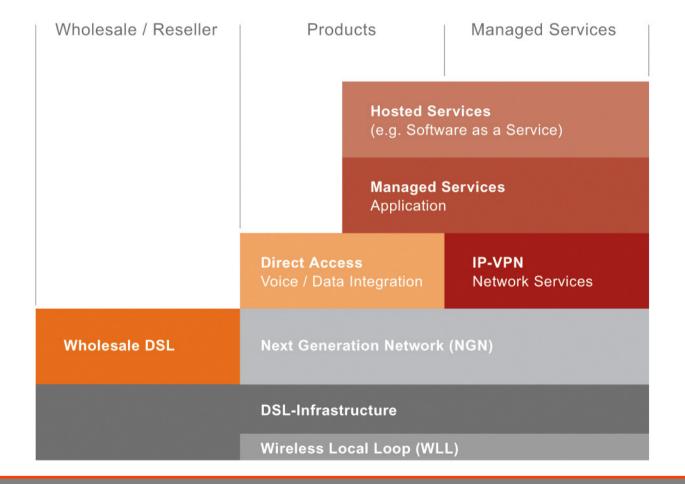
- Integration of VoIP in IP-VPN solutions
- Still growth opportunities in IP-VPN, especially in the SME-Segment
- High interest in new services like Communication-as-a-Service targeting call centers (Application Call Distribution)

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- NGN 'ready' for the new services
- Growing demand of Managed and Hosted Services like VirtuOS ACD
- QSC sells efficiency and productivity gains



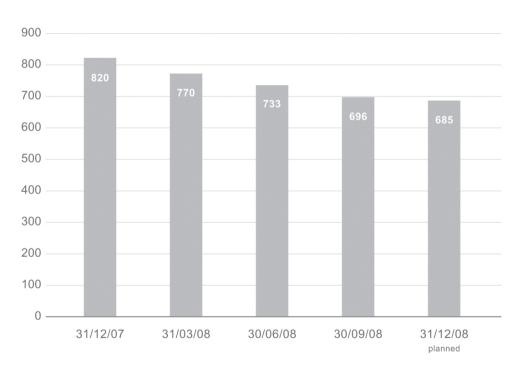
QSC's BUSINESS MODEL: MOVING UP THE VALUE CHAIN





SWIFT INTEGRATION OF BROADNET ACQUISITION

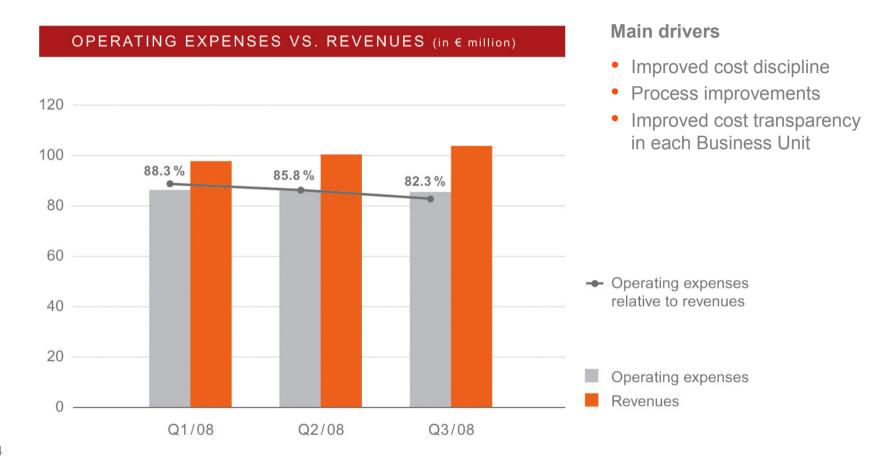
EMPLOYEES OF QSC (FTE)



- Network
 - Overlap is eliminated
 - QSC takes full advantage of Broadnet's WLL network
- Sales and marketing
 - All sales offices in Germany are merged
 - Consolidated product range
- Administration
 - Headquarter functions are consolidated in QSC's headquarter in Cologne



IMPROVED COST DISCIPLINE



QSC WELL POSITIONED FOR 2009 AND BEYOND

- QSC sells efficiency and productivity gains to enterprise customers
- QSC is well financed and under leveraged
- Growth in Wholesale / Reseller business
- Growing demand for new managed services in niche markets
- QSC The NGN-Carrier => perfect starting position for the VoIP age
- Growth opportunities plus cost discipline will allow further profitability gains



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REVENUE GROWTH AND COST DISCIPLINE LEAD RETURN TO PROFITABILITY

In € million	Q3 2007	Q3 2008	\triangle
• Revenues	83.2	103.6	+24.5%
 Network expenses (1) 	57.9	70.3	+21.4%
Gross profit	+25.3	+33.3	+31.6%
Other operating expenses (1)	17.9	15.0	-16.2%
EBITDA profit	+7.4	+18.3	+147.3%
Depreciation	12.7	15.7	+23.6%
EBIT profit / loss	-5.3	+2.6	nm
Financial results	-0.6	-0.4	-33.3%
Income taxes	_	-0.1	nm
Net profit / loss	-4.7	+2.1	nm

(1) Excluding depreciation and non-cash share-based payments

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STRONG PROFITABILITY GROWTH Q-o-Q

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In € million • Revenues	100.2	103.6	+3.4%
 Network expenses (1) 	69.3	70.3	+1.4%
Gross profit	+30.9	+33.3	+7.8%
Other operating expenses (1)	16.7	15.0	-10.2%
EBITDA profit	+14.2	+18.3	+28.9%
Depreciation	15.0	15.7	+4.7%
EBIT profit / loss	-0.8	+2.6	nm
Financial results	-0.6	-0.4	-33.3%
Income taxes	-0.1	-0.1	-
Net profit / loss	-1.5	+2.1	nm

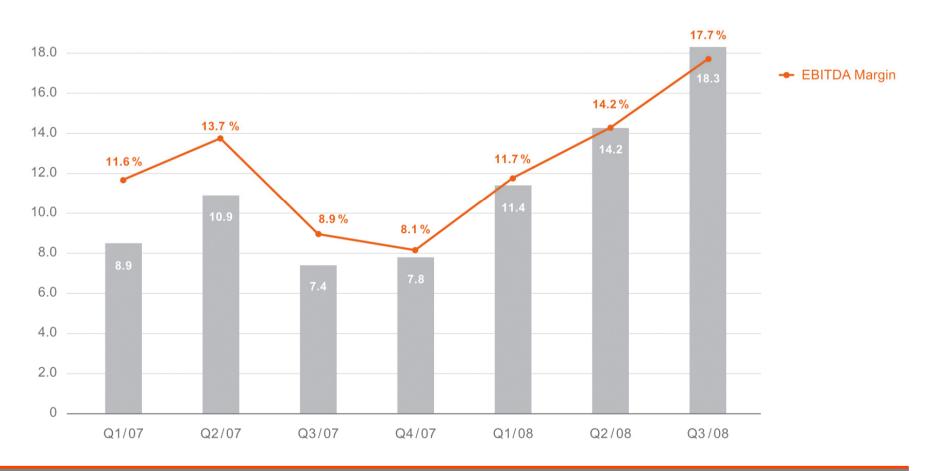
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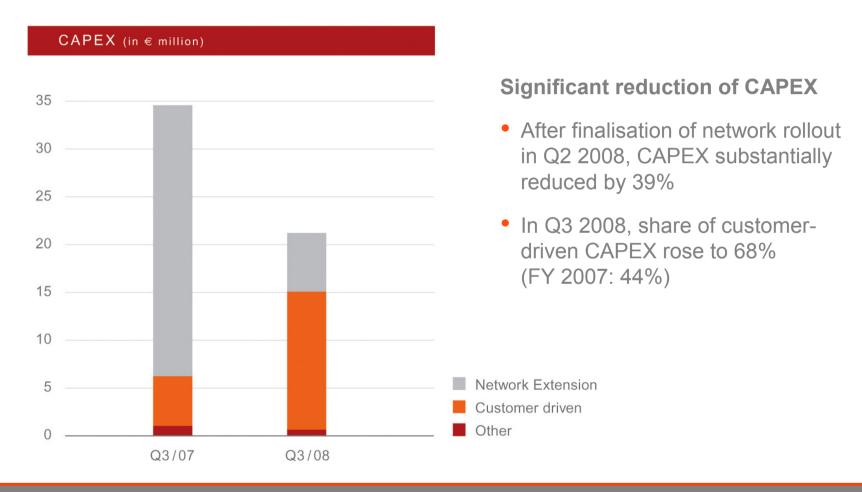


EBITDA MARGIN REACHES 18 PERCENT

EBITDA QUARTER-ON-QUARTER (in € million)



CUSTOMER GROWTH DRIVES CAPEX IN Q3 2008



90% OF CUSTOMER-DRIVEN CAPEX IS INVOICED TO CUSTOMERS

CUSTOMER RELATED CAPEX (in € million) 15 - ~10% paid by QSC 12 9 - ~90% paid by customers 6 3

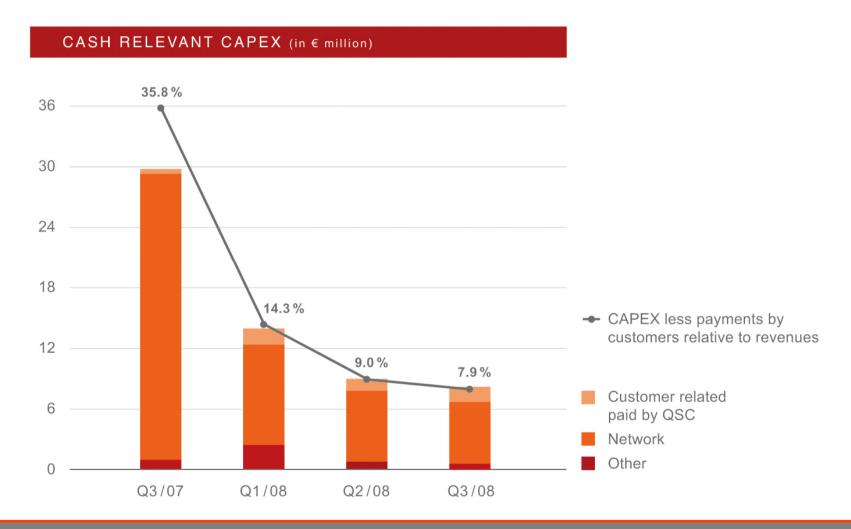
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Customer related CAPEX asprepayment for future revenues

- In 2008, ~90% of customer-driven CAPEX is invoiced to customers
- Average term of cash payment:~60 days
- Revenue recognition for upfront customer payment is spread over 24 months / same period for depreciation of CAPEX



STRONG IMPROVEMENT OF CASH / REVENUES RATIO





SIGNIFICANT REDUCTION OF INTEREST-BEARING LIABILITIES / IMPROVED WORKING CAPITAL

In € million	Q2 2008	Q3 2008	\triangle
+ Cash and short-term deposits	+49.2	+47.7	-1.5
+ Available-for-sale financial assets	+13.8	+1.7	-12.1
+ Liquidity	+63.0	+49.4	-13.6
- Finance lease obligations	-46.5	-42.2	-4.3
- Short- and long-term liabilities	-12.4	-10.6	-1.8
- Liabilities due to banks	-3.0	-	-3.0
- Financial debt	-61.9	-52.8	-9.1
= Net liquidity (net debt)	+1.1	-3.4	-4.5
+ Trade receivables	+58.1	+60.5	+2.4
- Trade payables	-71.4	-62.9	+8.5
= Working capital	-13.3	-2.4	+10.9



SOLID FINANCING OF QSC: € 36.7 million undrawn revolving credit facility

Amount: € 50 million revolving credit facility

Banks: Commerzbank (40%)

Sparkasse KölnBonn (30%)

DZ Bank (30%)

Term: December 31, 2011

Interest rate: EURIBOR +1.0-1.85% p.a. depending on EBITDA margin

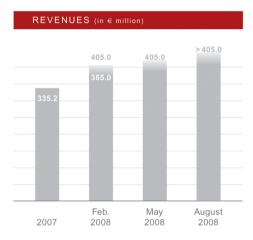
Covenants: Equity / Total assets (adjusted)

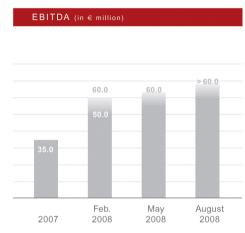
Net debt / EBITDA EBITDA margin in %

As of 30/09/2008: € 36.7 million undrawn revolving credit facility available QSC has drawn down € 0 in liquidity and € 13.3 million in guarantees



OUTLOOK 2008 QSC expressly reiterates its guidance





NET INCOME (in € million)
~0
-10.4
2007 2008

- QSC expects revenues of more than € 405 million
- QSC expects EBITDA of more than € 60 million
- Net income ~ € 0 million



FINANCIAL CALENDER 2008

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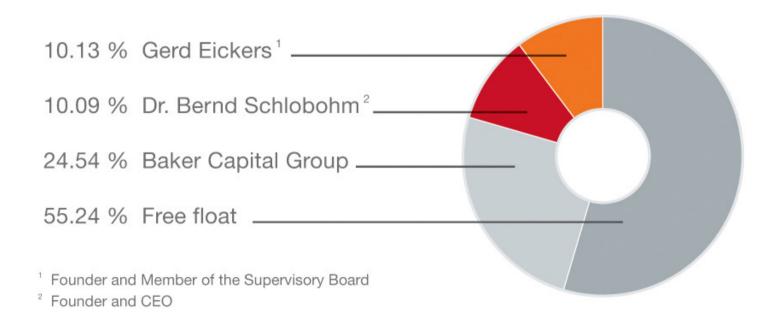


APPENDIX



STABLE SHAREHOLDER STRUCTURE SINCE IPO

SHAREHOLDER STRUCTURE



Status quo: 31/10/2008



NETWORK ROLL-OUT IS COMPLETED



- 1,900 central offices under network coverage
- Next Generation Network (NGN) up and running
 - More than 90% of the traffic is IP-traffic
 - Significant cost-advantages
- Nationwide voice network (474 POIs)
- Separate Wireless Local Loop (WLL) network
 - in 42 regions
 - up to 400 Mbps
- Network breakeven achieved
 - QSC cross the threshold at some 550,000 ULLs (10/2008)



ALL SEGMENTS WITH ATTRACTIVE MARGINS

SEGMENT CONTRIBUTION MARGIN (in percent)

