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## Schneider Electric's globale årsregnskab 2012

**Information er kun tilgængelig på engelsk:**

**Record high earnings and cash generation in mixed markets**

**Adjusted EBITA up 10% at €3.5 billion, or 14.7% of sales**

**EPS grew 11%, at €3.73 on adjusted basis(1)**

**Record free cash flow of €2.1 billion and dividend of €1.87**

**Connect delivered solid results in line with 2014 ambition**

Jean-Pascal Tricoire, President and CEO, said:

*“In 2012, we delivered 7% growth in sales, double-digit increase in earnings per share and record free cash flow in mixed markets. This illustrates once again the strength of our business model, the solid execution of the Connect company program, and the disciplined integration of our acquisitions. This strong performance allows us to propose a 10% increase in dividend to €1.87 per share this year.*”

*Our effort to improve the solutions performance is paying off and we continue to grow our strong new economies platform. Together with what we have achieved in product and software innovation, tailored supply chain and organization efficiency, we have laid a solid base for our long term growth and profit.*

*For 2013, in an economic environment that remains mixed, we target a low-single digit organic growth in sales and a stable to slightly up adjusted EBITA margin.”*

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*Som global specialist i energioptimering i over 100 lande tilbyder Schneider Electric integrerede løsninger, der gør strømmen sikker, effektiv, pålidelig og grøn.*

*Schneider Electric er bl.a. førende inden for energi og infrastruktur, industri og produktion, bygningsautomation, datacentre og netværk samt i løsninger til privatboligen. Schneider Electric Danmark A/S rummer bl.a. det kendte brand Lauritz Knudsen, der er Danmarks førende inden for el-materiel, intelligente systemer og løsninger til data og kommunikation. I 2012 opnåede de over 140.000 medarbejdere en omsætning på 24 mia. euro ved at fokusere på at hjælpe omverdenen med at få mest muligt ud af deres energi.*

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