

## Verkkokauppa.com Q3 2020 Finland's most popular webstore

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## Income Statement Q3

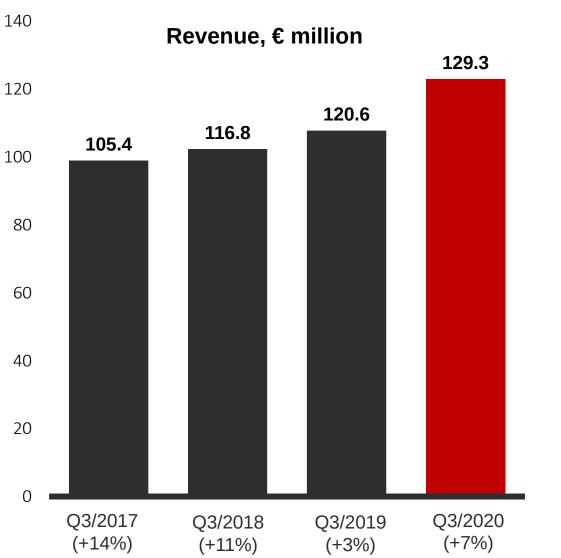
EUR million	Q3/2020	Q3/2019	Change, %
Revenue	129.3	120.1	7.3%
Gross profit	20.9	18.9	10.4%
Gross margin, % of revenue	16.2%	15.7%	3.0%
Personnel expenses	-8.1	-7.6	6.4%
Other operating expenses	-6.1	-5.9	4.3%
Operating profit	5.6	4.3	29.4%
Operating margin, % of revenue	4.3%	3.6%	20.6%
Comparable operating profit	5.6	4.3	29.4%
Comparable operating margin, % of revenue	4.3%	3.6%	20.6%
Net profit	4.2	3.2	31.7%

- 28<sup>th</sup> consecutive growth quarter
- All time high operating profit, increase of +1.3meur
- Quarterly dividend 0.055 eur /share



## Sales Development in Q3

- Sales channel development driven by strong consumer web sales
- Number of new online users during Q3 grew by +20%
- Fast delivery options under high demand (+267%) → accelerating transition towards online
- Strong performance in several evolving categories
  - BBQ & Cooking +50%, MDA +40%, Sports +30%, Office & Supplies +30%, Home & Lighting +30%
- The headwind in Export continuing due to COVID-19 impact on travel restrictions



## Profitability Development in Q3

- Sales mix having a positive impact on margin, strong consumer sales while Export is declining
- Strong sales increase in higher margin categories
- Enriched data to improve stock turnover and decrease obsolide stock
- Investments in new tools and processes to improve marketing performance
- Scalable cost structure

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## Balance Sheet & Cash Flow 30.9.2020

- Inventory 65.7 (60.1) million euros on
- Cash flow from operating activities 1-9/2020
  +6.5 (-2.0) million euros
- Investments 1-9/2020 were 0.9 (0.9) million euros
- Cash **36.5** (34.4) million euros
- Equity ratio **25.9%** (25.6%)
- Undrawn revolving credit facilities **20** million euros



## 2020 Guidance (updated on 24th of September)



### Comparable Operating profit €17m - €21m (2019 €11 m)

Previous guidance: Revenue €520m-€545m and Comparable Operating profit €13m-€18m

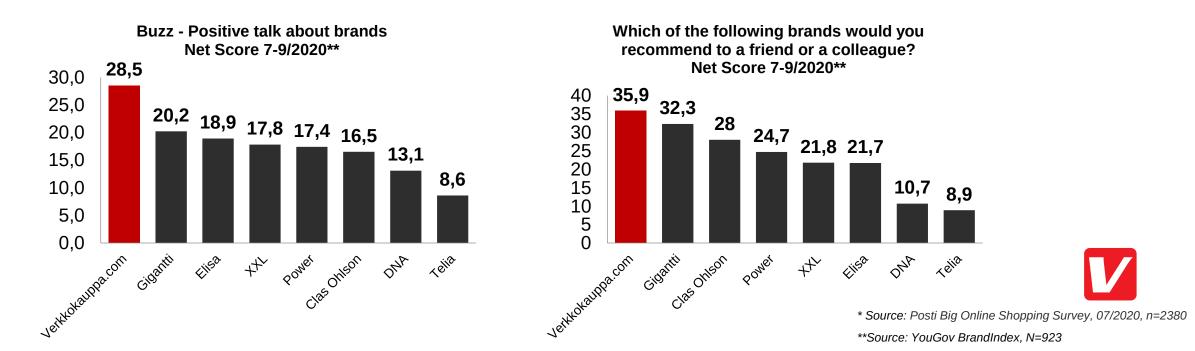
Verkkokauppa.com's vision is to be a Nordic leader in retail through cost-efficiency, brand image, own ecosystem and scalable business model

## Strong Market Position in Changing Retail Landscape

- Best positioned brand in e-commerce in Finland, most visited website
  - 20 million visits during Q3, 57 million during Q1-Q3

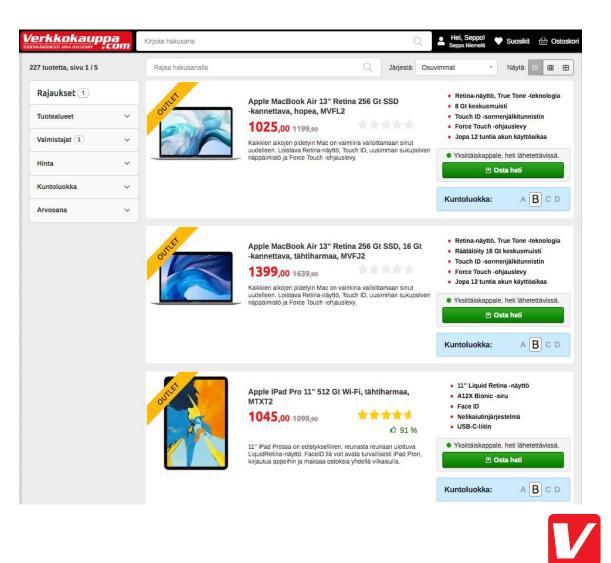
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- Consecutive consumer's choice winner as the best online retailer in Finland 2020\*
- Local hero ready for the Amazon opportunity leading into retail going online at a faster pace (price comparison, fast deliveries, local presence)



## Fast and Seamless Customer Experience

- Search engine optimization through multiple updated category descriptions and content
- Al pilot started/ongoing to improve and automate chat responses in customer care
- Online Outlet feature completed / to be launched near weeks
- Electronic shelf label pilot in Jätkäsaari store scheduled for Q4



## Wide Assortment and Best Availability

- New site Verkkokauppa.fi launched to support local suppliers and to strengthen leadership as most desired generalist
- MDA market moving online at a faster pace, supported by good availability and appealing assortment
- Largest MDA assortment in Finland, additional brands introduced during Q4
- Facemasks and desinfection products with fair prices
- Lots of new smaller categories and new brands added to the assortment
  - Tom Dixon's design lamps, Xiaomi TVs, Ulefone mobile phones, Nanlite imaging equipment, lighting category with several new

<sup>11</sup> brands









## Fastest Deliveries in Finland

- Same day & Express deliveries
  - Same day delivery as an option in great Helsinki area and in Tampere region with lowered price 14,99€ since September
  - 3h Express deliveries available already since 2014
  - → +267% growth in same day & Express deliveries during Q3
- Strong growth in demand of different delivery options during Q3
  - Home deliveries +45%
  - Home delivery with install and/or recycling service +31%
  - Deliveries to parcel lockers +22%



## Key Focus Areas for Q4

- Monitoring development regarding COVID-19 situation closely to quickly take needed measures
- Last load testing to **secure online operations** and experience during expected record peaks
- Stronger focus on upcoming campaigns as consumption likely in favor of Retail (Singles Day & Cyber Monday)
- Availability and Delivery experience key success factors
- Continuing brand marketing to increase awareness and top-of-mind to secure future growth and maximize opportunities







#### Verkkokauppa.com vs Amazon.se (& other pure players)

Verkkokauppa.com is strong positioned against international pure players and local competitors due to it's competitive advantages

- Price
  - Continuous price matching against Amazon already in practise
  - Competitive price environment in Finland for several years ongoing
  - "Propably always cheaper" as a customer promise
- Convenience
  - Local warehouses giving significant advantage
  - Best possible availability with unmatched fast deliveries
- Assortment
  - Wide, broad and relevant product offerings in chosen categories
  - Already large offering in local products
- Experience & Service
  - Personalized content for every consumer online
  - 4 Megastores as destination to support the best omnichannel experience
  - Wide variety of services through Verkkokauppa.com stores (financing, returns, installment)



## New market growth not consistent

						Other Top 5 amazon
Market shares top 5 online retailers, X years after Amazon entry Share of Retail value RSP, Internet retailing only	62% 53% 51% 16% 23% 23%	30% 28% 58% 41% 48%	78% 72% 58% 58% 8% 11% 16% 17%	12% 14% <mark>17%</mark> 15%	88% 82% 68% 66% 88% 14% 15%	4%4%
	Y10 Y15 Y22	Y10 Y15 Y22	Y8 Y10 Y15 Y20	Y1 Y3 Y5 Y10		Y1 <sup>(1)</sup> Y2
Market share trend	$\rightarrow$		$\rightarrow$		Y1 Y3 Y5 Y9	
Voor of optru-V1	1998	1998	2000	2010	2011	2017
Year of entry=Y1	1990	1990	2000	2010	2011	2017
Online compe-tition at entry	Low	Low	Low	Med	Med	Strong
Online penetration year of entry	<1%	<1%	<1%	1%	2%	9%

Amazon possess a strong position across markets, however the market share development have stagnated or started to decrease in all but the German market

• Success in the markets can be attributed partially to the external factors at entry (e.g. online penetration and online competition from incumbents)

- Amazon's early entry into the German and UK market (<1% online penetration) allowed Amazon to expand with online development of the markets

- In Australia the maturity of the market (~9% online penetration) and already established incumbents has tampered Amazon's ability to quickly expand

1 Financial data lacking for Coles for this year

Source: Euromonitor, expert interviews



# Local heros can succeed and grow alongside Amazon



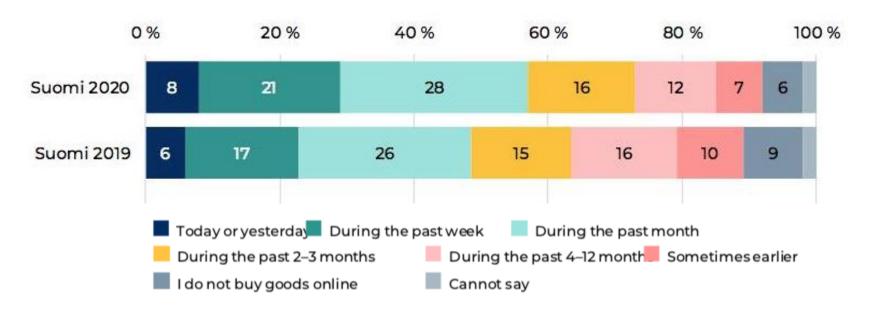
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## Market Outlook



## Market Development

### When did you last buy goods from an online store?\*

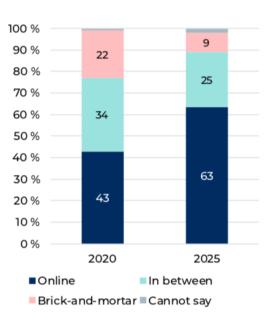




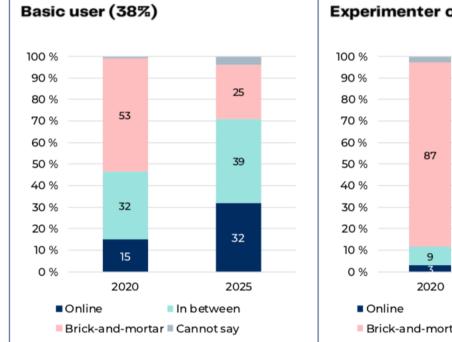
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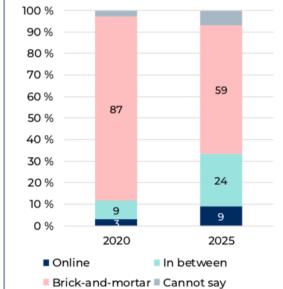
## Forerunners and basic users estimate that online shopping will increase significantly in the future



Forerunner or active (20%)



#### Experimenter or doubter (41%)



On a scale of 1 to 10, describe your attitude towards shopping between brick-and-mortar stores and online stores? (Present 2020, in 2025)



## Key Takeaways

- Strong performance across all operation continuing
- Three consecutive record quarters in profit (Q3 all time high)
- COVID-19 impacting consumer demand in several categories and shifting sales towards online → this change likely to be permanent
- Successful category- and campaign management for better product margins

- Guidance updated for 2020 due to strong Q3 and full year outlook
- Strong brand position supporting traffic and perception
- Uncertainties regarding Q4 due to market and COVID-19 development remains
- Strong financial position ensuring growing dividend and opens up opportunities for investments



## Don't forget the Christmas presents





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