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# Shareholder Letter Q3 FY 2020

**Siemens Investor Relations** 





**Roland Busch** 



Joe Kaeser

Ralf P. Thomas

#### Share Performance May 9 – Aug 6, 2020



Siemens +29% | DAX +16%

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GE +2% | ABB +33% | Schneider +27% | ROK +15%
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Link to the Siemens stock chart

#### **Selected Key Figures**

Orders	Revenue
€14.4bn / -7%¹	€13.5bn / -5%¹
Adj. EBITA margin Industrial Businesses	Earnings per share
14.3%	€0.67

1 On a comparable basis, adjusted for currency translation and portfolio effects

Ladies and gentlemen, dear shareholders,

Last Thursday, CEO Joe Kaeser together with Deputy CEO Roland Busch and CFO Ralf P. Thomas presented the Q3 results of fiscal 2020 during press and analyst conference calls.

"Despite the severe global crisis, we delivered strong operating performance and rigorously drove our realignment forward. Our strategy concept Vision 2020+ is gaining traction, and Healthineers is testimony that shows the program's strategic and transformational power. Our employees and our partners have my deep gratitude and respect. Together, they've set an impressive benchmark for dedication and performance," said CEO Joe Kaeser.

As expected, Covid-19 caused a deep slump in demand with very different prospects of recovery. In Q3 of fiscal 2020, book-to-bill ratio was at 1.07 with **Orders** only 7% down. **Revenue** declined moderately by 5% on the back of lower demand on the product side in Digital Industries and Smart Infrastructure. Also, limited customer site access in service and project businesses negatively impacted the revenue result.

A bright spot was the operating **profitability of our Industrial Businesses** (IB), up 8% to  $\in$ 1.8bn, leading to an excellent margin performance of 14.3%. Key drivers were a strong software business and swift execution of contingency measures. Moreover, the impressive all in **free cash flow** of more than  $\in$ 2.5bn is evidence that the intensified cash focus yields results. **Overall**, Siemens delivered a convincing performance and confirms its **outlook for fiscal year 2020** (page 3).

On top, the strategy concept Vision 2020+ to transform and shape Siemens is clearly gaining traction. The **spin-off** of Siemens Energy was approved by a large majority of Siemens shareholders at an **Extraordinary Shareholders' Meeting** on July 9, 2020 (page 2).

Another great example for strategic progress is our subsidiary Siemens Healthineers (SHS), separately listed on the stock exchange since March 2018. With the planned **acquisition of Varian**, a U.S. company active in the area of cancer research and therapy, for \$16.4bn, SHS is a testimony for unleashing entrepreneurial power. With this transaction Siemens' stake in SHS is expected to decline to about 72% from 85%.

Last but not least, Siemens announced the reorganization of its new **Managing Board** effective October 1, 2020 (page 3).

On the day of the results release, the **Siemens share** closed at €113.88 (+1.6%) clearly outperforming DAX (-0.5%) on a beat across all metrics. Analysts welcomed Digital Industries' impressive performance and the market acknowledged that our strategy concept Vision 2020+ is clearly gaining traction.

Dear shareholders, I want to thank you for your trust and interest in Siemens and wish you a nice summer break.

Best regards

Sabine Reichel, Head of Investor Relations, Siemens AG

### **Our Industrial Businesses in Q3 2020**



Note: At the end of the second quarter of fiscal 2020, Gas and Power and Siemens Gamesa Renewable Energy (SGRE) were classified as held for disposal and discontinued operations



Siemens shareholders voted on the spin-off of Siemens AG's energy business at an Extraordinary Shareholders' Meeting on July 9, 2020. This step paves the way for the establishment of an independent company rigorously focused on the energy sector. Due to the restrictions imposed on public events by the coronavirus crisis, the shareholders' meeting was held in a virtual-only format. The spin-off of Siemens Energy was approved by a large majority of Siemens shareholders.

Siemens will now drive the further preparations for the listing. The **Capital Market Day for Siemens Energy** is scheduled for **September 1, 2020**. The **securities prospectus** is to be **published around two weeks prior to the listing**. The **listing itself** is **planned for September 28, 2020**. (more information)

- First ever virtual Shareholders' Meeting in the history of Siemens
- Substantial representation of the capital stock of Siemens AG entitled to vote (62%)
- Close to 4,000 participants following online
- Significant interest with over 200 questions submitted prior to the Extraordinary Shareholders' Meeting
- Duration of the event almost 6 hours
- Spin-off approved by 99.36% of capital stock represented



"Siemens shareholders' broad approval of the spin-off of Siemens Energy confirms the Managing Board's strategic course for securing the long-term future. The spin-off enables us to build two focused companies, both of which will be strong players in their respective sectors. The substantial increase in the share price of Siemens Healthineers since its initial public offering is a gratifying example of how focus adds value. I'm looking forward to the successful future of the Siemens companies," said Joe Kaeser, President and CEO of Siemens AG.

### Info Corner: Siemens completes Managing Board team as of October 1, 2020 (Link)

The spin-off of Siemens Energy opens a new chapter for Siemens. Digital Industries, Smart Infrastructure and Siemens Mobility form the "new" Siemens AG.



Digital Industries will be led by Cedrik Neike, succeeding Klaus Helmrich who is retiring as planed by the end of March 2021.



Matthias Rebellius will be appointed to the Managing Board to lead Smart Infrastructure, building on his long-standing experience in this business.



Judith Wiese will join Siemens from DSM as a new member of the Managing Board to take over responsibility for Human Resources and Global Business Services. She brings more than two decades of internat. HR experience to her new role.

"These decisions complete another step in the structured succession planning to set up the Managing Board of Siemens AG for the future. With these assignments and Judith Wiese's previously announced appointment to Siemens' Managing Board as Chief Human Resources Officer, we have successfully concluded the realignment of Siemens AG, including the succession process for the Managing Board, and have paved the way for the company's continued successful development", said Jim Hagemann Snabe, Chairman of the Supervisory Board of Siemens AG.

# **Financial Calendar**



Nov. 12, 2020	4th quarter FY20 financial results
Feb. 3, 2021	1st quarter FY21 financial results and AGM

For further information, please click here

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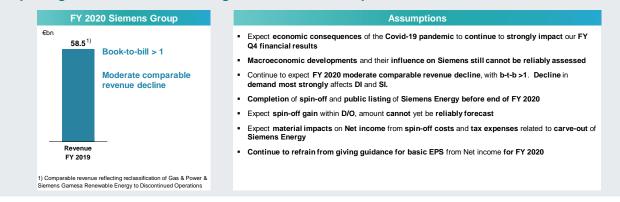


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## What does Siemens expect for fiscal 2020?

#### Top line guidance confirmed, EPS guidance remains suspended



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