



# **Group Services From integration to operational excellence**

Investors' Day 2012



## **Summary**

- > Achieved full integration of Dresdner Bank on time and within budget
- Established comprehensive shared services strategy combined with flexible sourcing capabilities
- Committed to key priorities 2013-2016 significant contribution to further strengthening Commerzbank's competitive position:
  - Strong investment commitment in core infrastructure to enable growth, efficiency as well as to meet increasingly complex regulatory demands
  - Continuous cost management to ensure full compensation of additional investments and future factor price increases
  - Build on customer focus and operational excellence

## **Group Services – Commerzbank's integrated shared services provider**

## **Group Services**

### Markets Operations

- Settlement of all tradable products
- Loan administration for corporate clients
- Fund & custody services
- More than 40m securities transactions p.a.

## Banking Operations



- Banking account services
- › Loan processing
- Payments for all market segments
- More than 3bn payments and 25 m account entries p.a.

### **Organisation**



- Corporate real estate management
- GroupProcurement
- Organisational services
- Over €800m p.a.
   real estate cost
   and over €2bn
   p.a. purchasing
   volume

#### IT



- IT project management
- Operation and Maintenance of IT-Systems and Infrastructure
- → IT-projectbudget of over €400m p.a.

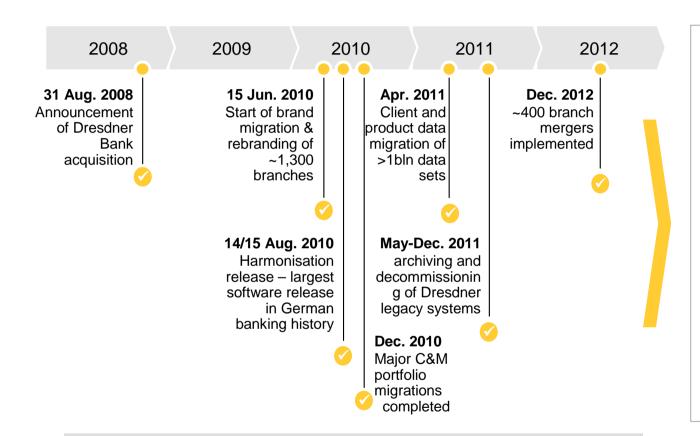
## Excellence, Security & Support



- Implementation of Excellence program
- Physical and data security
- Coordination and Steering
- Over 300
  excellence
  experts working
  company-wide
  by 2013



## Successful delivery of largest integration in German banking history



#### **Key facts**

- Full integration of all front- and back office functions in a benchmark 1,000 days
- Strategic decision to adopt
   Commerzbank's business
   model as blue print for target IT
   and operations landscape
- Re-insourcing of Dresdner's outsourced operations to achieve maximum economies of scale
- Stringent decommissioning of >1,000 legacy IT-applications

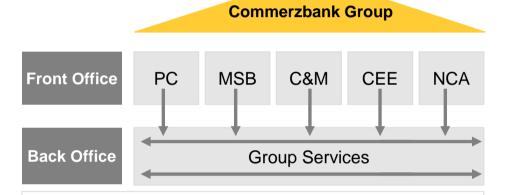


- As per Nov. 2012, €200m synergies delivered above plan
- Full synergy achievement of €2.4bn p.a. by 2015



## Comprehensive shared services strategy and flexible sourcing approach

Integrated platform provider across all divisions ...



- Centralized governance and lean management structure
- Standardisation of cross functional processes
- Capacity management across units
- Cost effectiveness through large transaction volumes
- › High degree of cost transparency



Maximise efficiencies of scale and scope

## ... benefitting from a flexible sourcing mix



High degree of process centralisation for complex or customer-critical tasks





Usage of regional advantages to reduce factor costs for customerrelevant transactions or services





Additional local competitive factor cost advantages for highly standardised processes





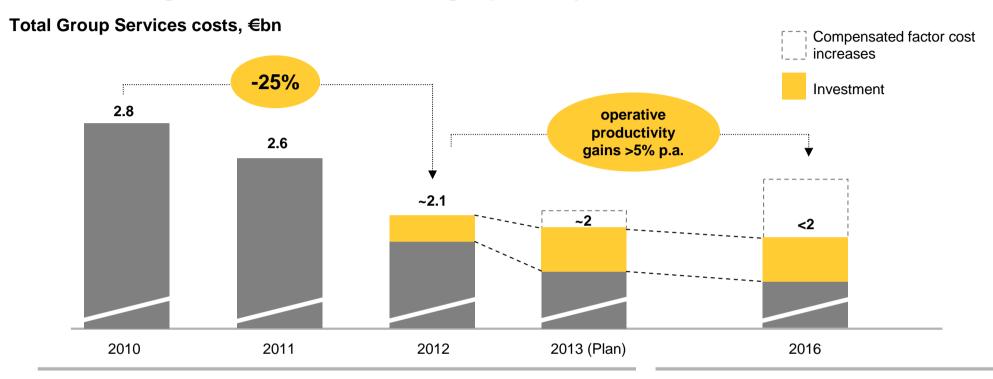
Economies of scale from partnering with third parties / outsourcing for purely commoditised services



Internal optimisation first!



## Cost management remains a high priority



#### **Achievements:**



- Real estate synergies: €200m p.a. locked-in
- > Sold major premises e.g. Silver Tower
- > Procurement synergies of ~€100m
- Virtualisation of Infrastructure
- Network, storage and desktop optimization

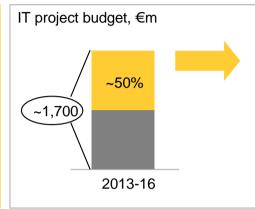
#### **Commitments:**

- Full compensation of additional investments and factor price increases
- > Ensure IT-operation effectiveness +10% p.a.
- Focused investment strategy
- Increased cost flexibility
- > Cross functional reduction of admin. costs



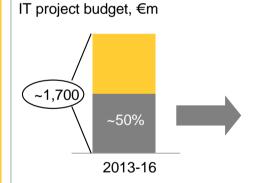
## Clear commitment to investments for growth and efficiency

Supporting market segment growth initiatives



- Cross channel platform for retail and business clients
- → "Customer Focus" retail project
- Cash management/trade finance platform
- Corporates & Markets growth initiatives
- Technological innovation / connectivity

Back-Office efficiency and regulatory compliance



- Optimization of credit processes
- › Group finance architecture
- > Infrastructure cost optimisation
- > Regulation, compliance, controls and taxation
- > Enhanced workplace concepts

Building on proven ITstrategy

- > IT target architecture providing flexibility for changing market environment
- Platform complexity reduction
- > Common data warehousing, core and settlement systems



## Building on our capabilities – the Commerzbank Excellence program

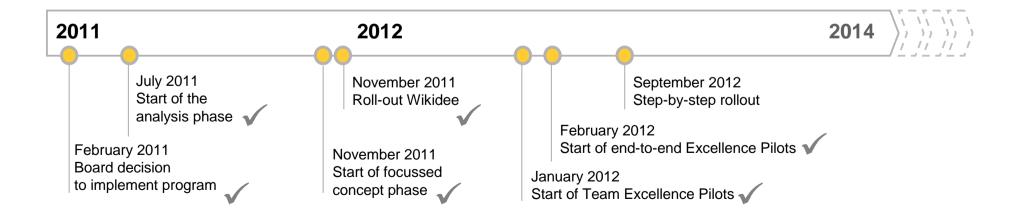
## Commerzbank Excellence – our customized Lean program focusing on our commitment to quality and customer experience

- Bank wide program
- Focus on processes and service delivery quality
- > Commerzbank-specific Lean program
- Lean tools and methods adapted to Commerzbank needs



Commerzbank Excellence - our goals:

- become more customeroriented
- > simpler and
- > continuously better.





## On track for operational excellence

#### Team-Excellence: optimisation within teams



- Team Excellence (TE) concept successfully piloted
- 1. wave TE back-office in 8 Divisions (~1,000 empl.)
- 2013 2015: Team Excellence methodology roll-out throughout the bank

### Wikldee: social media platform for idea management



- Over 3,000 ideas submitted by employees
- Over 10,000 comments/idea improvements via collaboration functionality

## End-to-End Excellence: optimisation of one key process along the value chain



- Top 5 customer processes analysed and optimised
- Significant quality and efficiency gains realised
- "End-to-End" Teams, for successive optimisation of all key processes

#### Simply Better: pragmatic "everywhere, everyday" tool

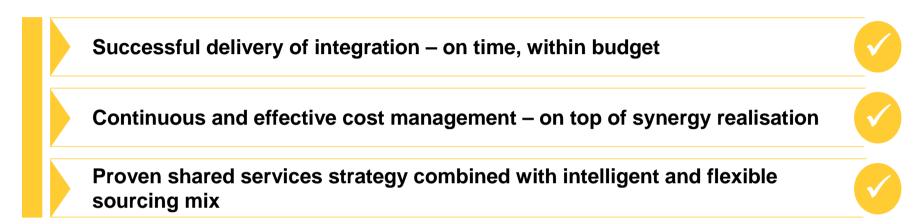


- Bank-wide roll-out successful, wide-scale employee participation
- Established as part of management processes on all levels



## **Group Services – from integration to operational excellence**

#### 2008 - 2012



#### 2013 - 2016





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