

# **PRESENTATION OF 2011 ANNUAL RESULTS**

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# Presentation of 2011 annual results – M6 Group

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# 1.INTRODUCTION

# 2011 highlights







Difficult business environment

Slowdown in advertising over HY2

Slowdown in consumer spending

Appropriate strategy

Programming strengthened



Advertising market share gains

- Diversification portfolio streamlined
- Continued development of digital operations

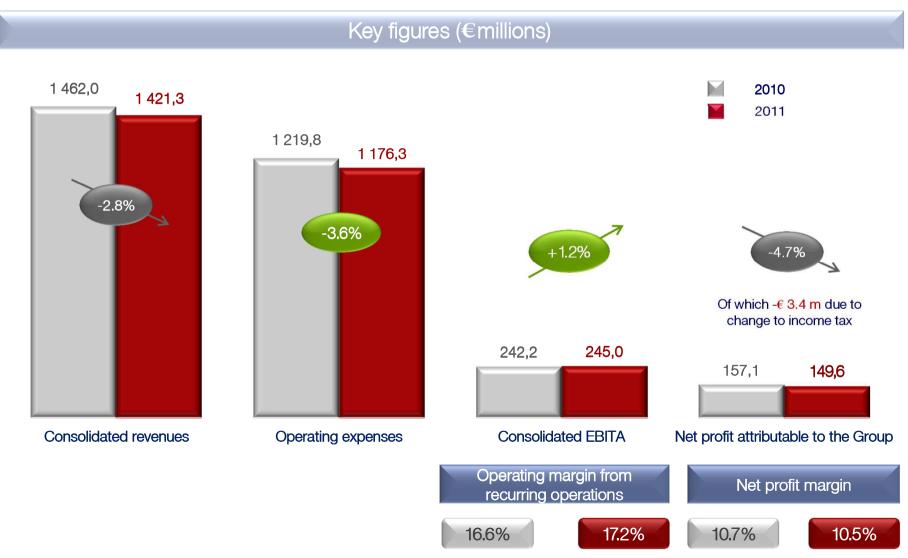
Record EBITA: €245.0 m Increase in profitability up 1.4 pps

Increase in profitability up 1.6 pps

# **Introduction – 2011 highlights**

# M6 Group confirmed the efficiency of its strategic model



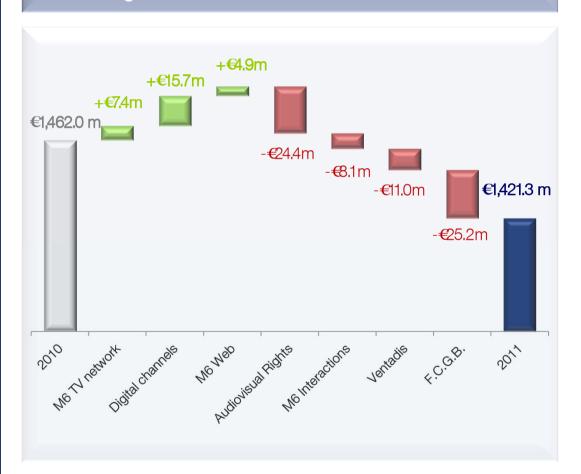


# **Introduction – 2011 highlights**

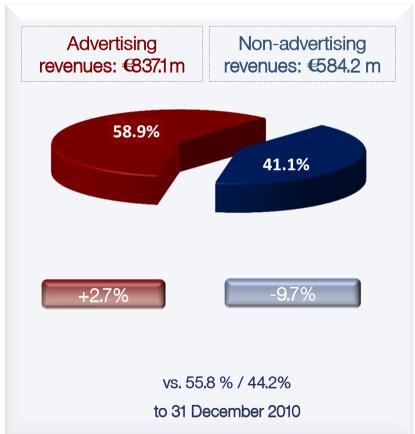


# Consolidated revenue amounting to € 1,421.3 m, a modest 1.1% decline excl. F.C.G.B.

Change in contribution to consolidated revenue



Breakdown of advertising and nonadvertising revenues

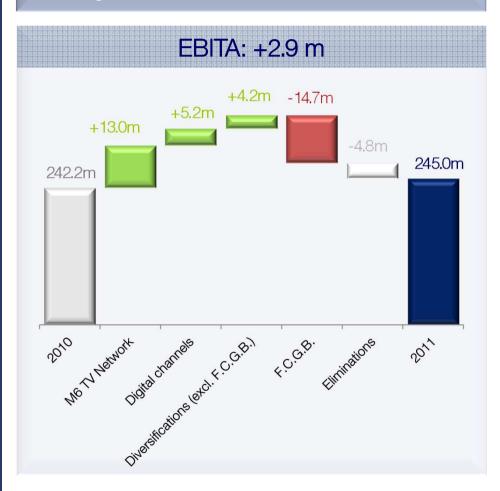


# Introduction – 2011 highlights

### 1.2% increase in EBITA to €245.0 m



# Change in contribution to consolidated EBITA



# Consolidated profit margin improved



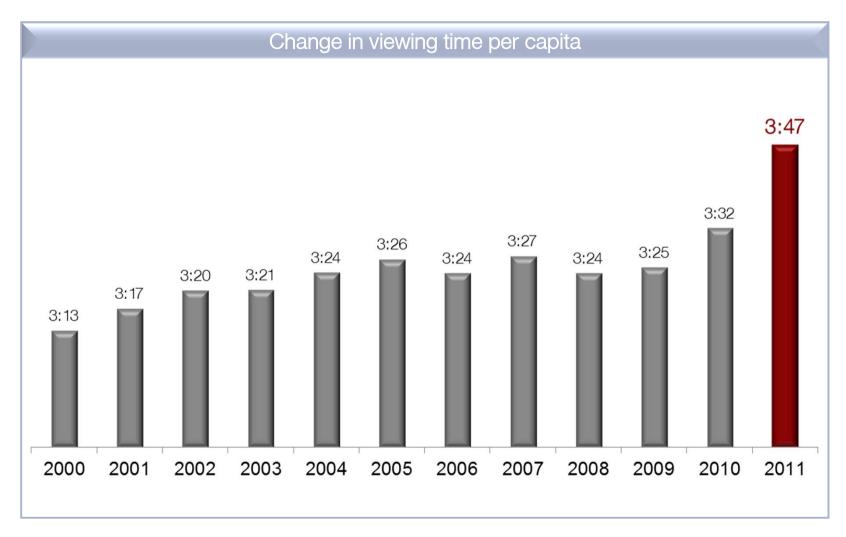


# 2.TELEVISION

Audience ratings

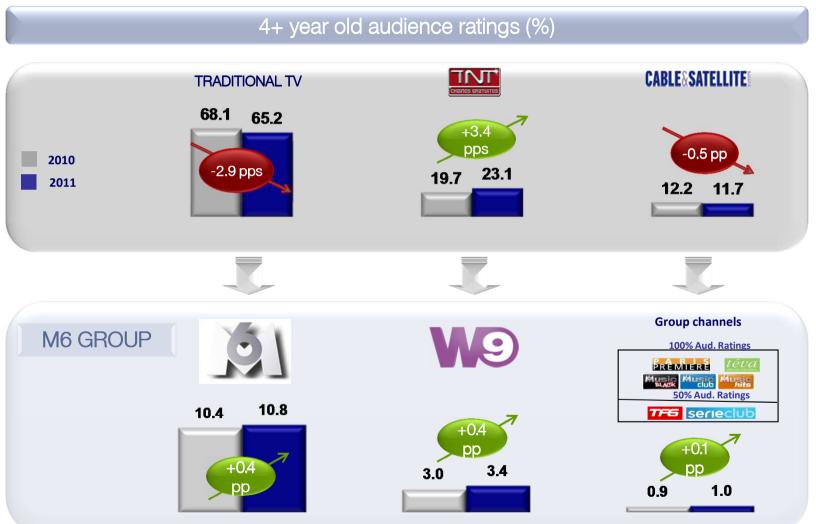
# Consumption of the TV medium keeps increasing: viewing times reached an all-time high in 2011





# **2011**: In an increasingly fragmented landscape, the Group's channels made headway in all TV environments

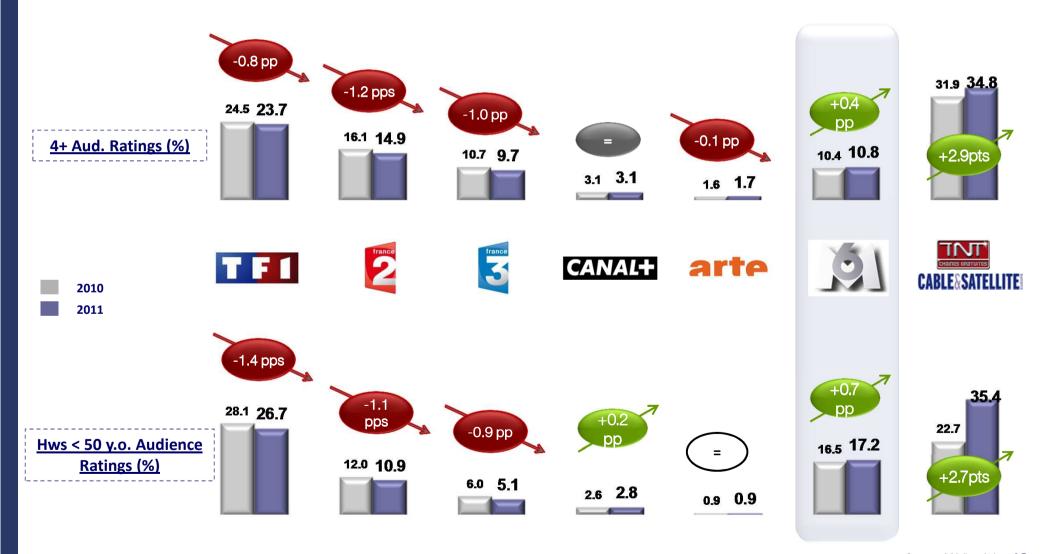






# **2011**: M6 was the only traditional TV channel to report growth



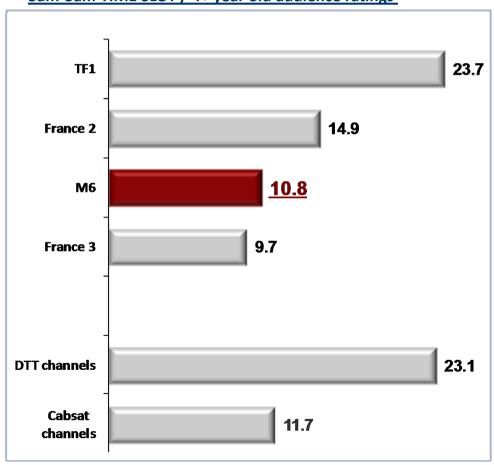


# In **2011**, M6 became:

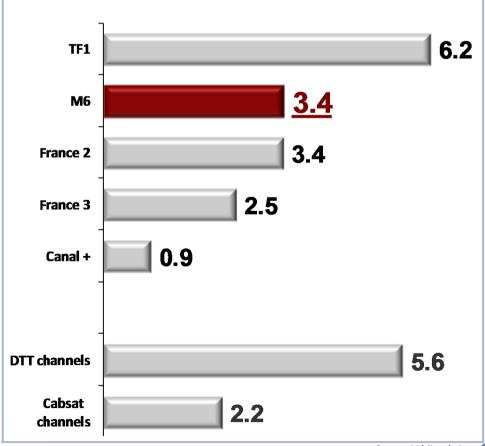
- > 3<sup>rd</sup> nationwide TV channel for all audiences
- > 2<sup>nd</sup> most powerful prime time channel



3am-3am TIME SLOT / 4+ year old audience ratings

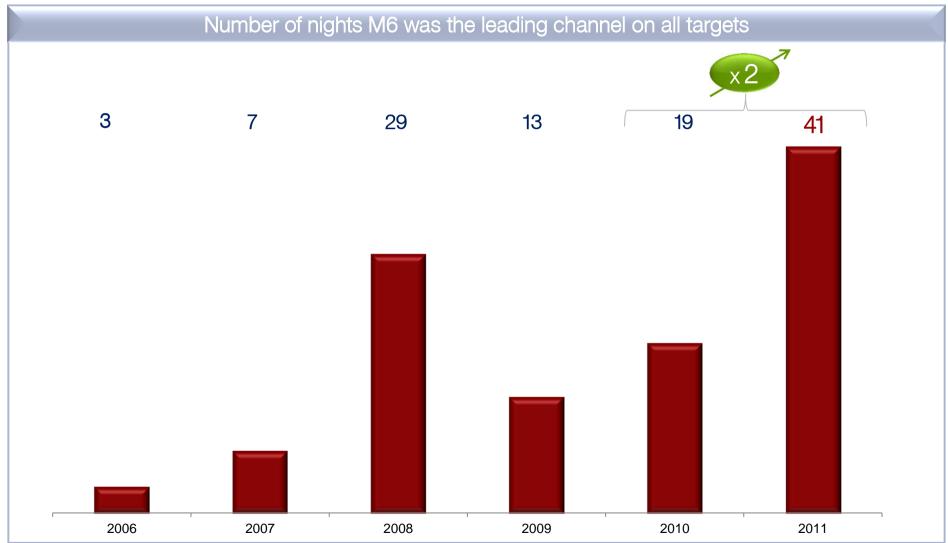


8.45pm-10.30pm / millions of viewers



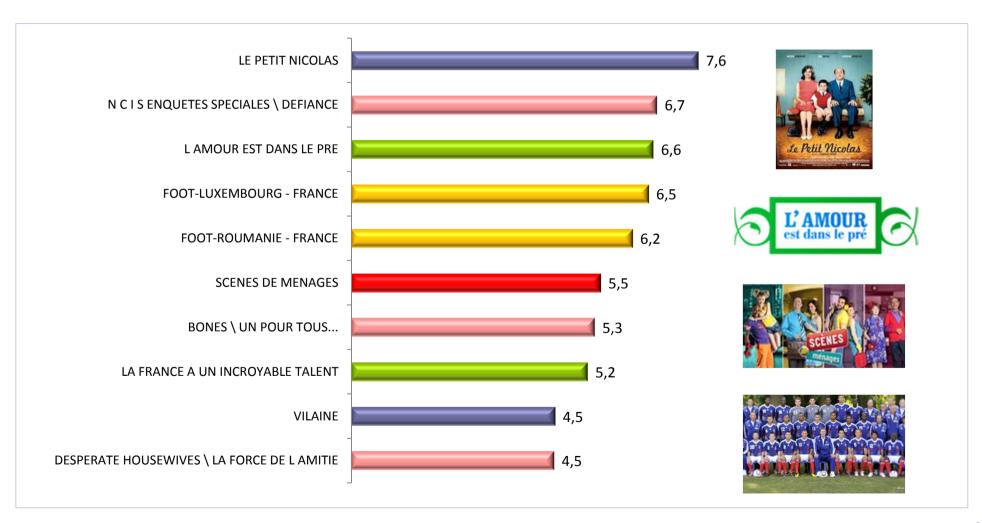
# In 2011, M6 was the leader for all audiences on 41 nights





# M6's top 10 audience ratings in 2011: success for all types of programmes





### Family-oriented and popular programmes are at the heart of M6's success



### New series



NCIS season 8: average of 5.9M



BONES season 6: average 4.8M
Highest ratings since the series was launched



DESPERATE HOUSEWIVES season 7: 4.1 M This series' highest ratings since 2007

# Cinema



LE PETIT NICOLAS: 7.6M°

All-time record audience for a movie on M6





### Events



L'AMOUR EST DANS LE PRE: 6.1 M° Record ratings for a season of this format



LA FRANCE A UN INCROYABLE TALENT: 4.3M°
Record ratings for a season of this format





3.4M° viewers

Magazines



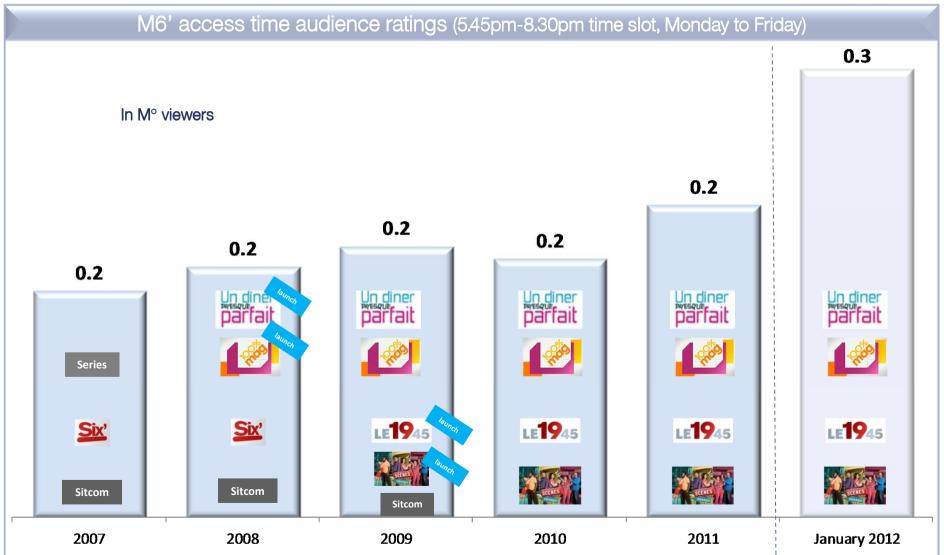
3.1M° viewers



2.7M° viewers

# Access time driving M6's growth

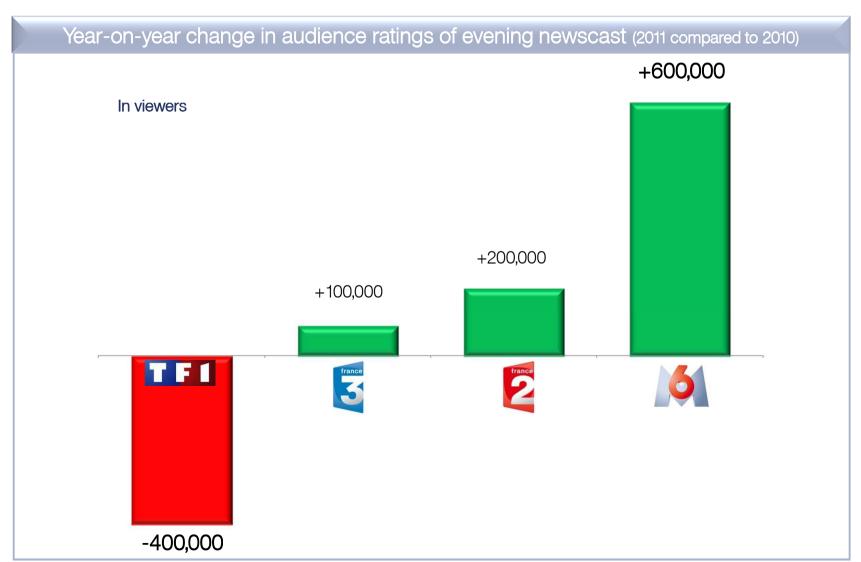




LE 19 45 was the newscast that made the most headway year-on-year

LE 19 45 has become the 2<sup>nd</sup> most powerful newscast for people under 50 years old



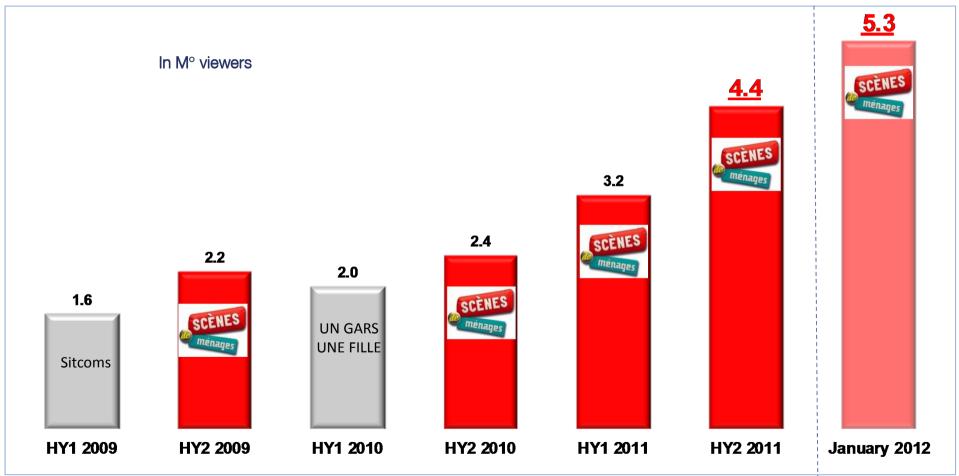


# Scènes de Ménages holds the all-time audience record in the 8pm slot: 5.5 M° viewers



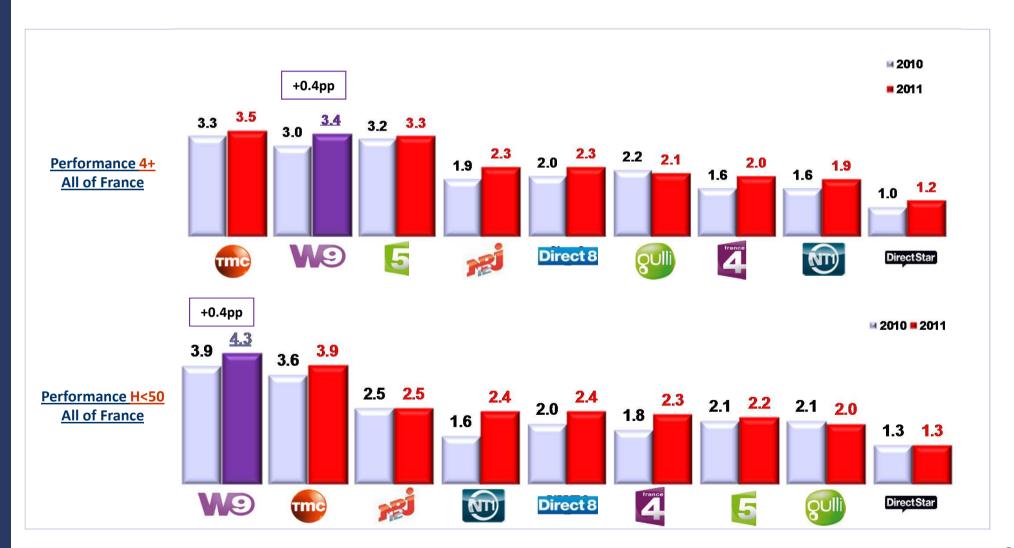
\*Record broken in 2012: 5.9 M° viewers

Change in average audience ratings for the 8pm slot per half-year period (Monday to Friday)





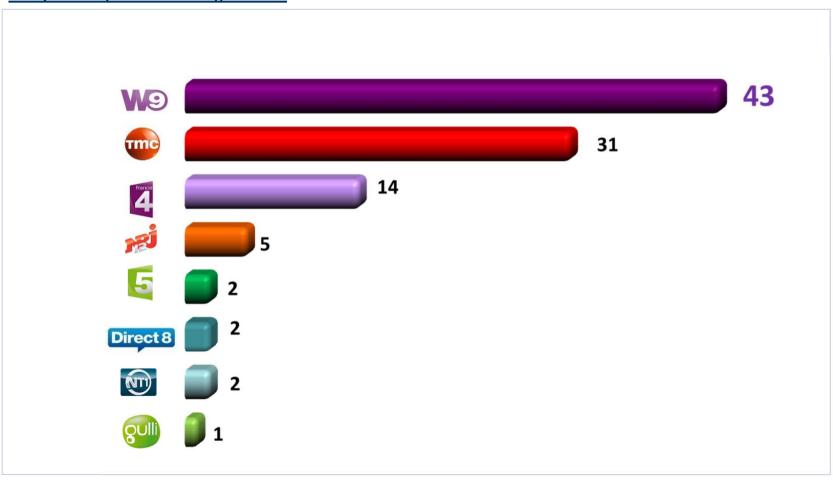
In 2011, W9 posted the strongest increase of all DTT channels among all audiences (excluding all-news channels) and confirmed its leadership with under 50 year-old housewives



# W9 posted 43 of DTT's top 100 ratings in 2011



### Analysis of top 100 DTT ratings in 2011





# W9 prime time DTT leader due to powerful and diversified programming

### Cinema and new series





Most powerful movies on DTT





The two most powerful new series in prime time and night time

### Entertainment



Best ratings for a talent quest show on DTT



Best performance for a reality TV show on DTT for all audiences

### Magazines



W9 DTT leader for all audiences



W9 DTT leader for the under 50 year olds

### **Sporting events**



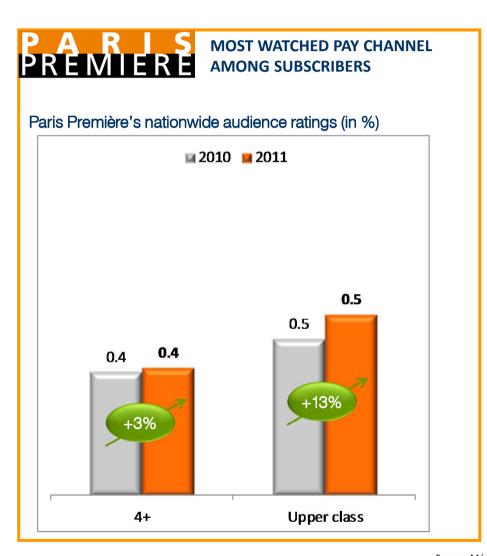
TENNIS ATP WORLD TOUR final.
Record audience for a sporting event on W9: 2.0M° for the TSONGA / FEDERER match

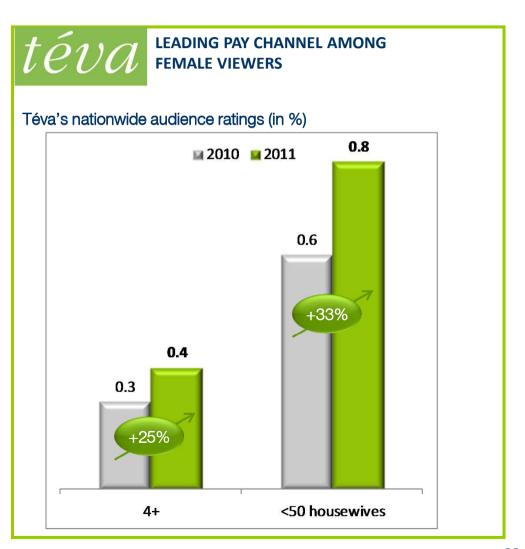


EUROPA LEAGUE: SALZBURG / PARIS SG Record audience for a football match on W9: 1.9 M°

# Téva and Paris Première continued to enjoy excellent audience levels









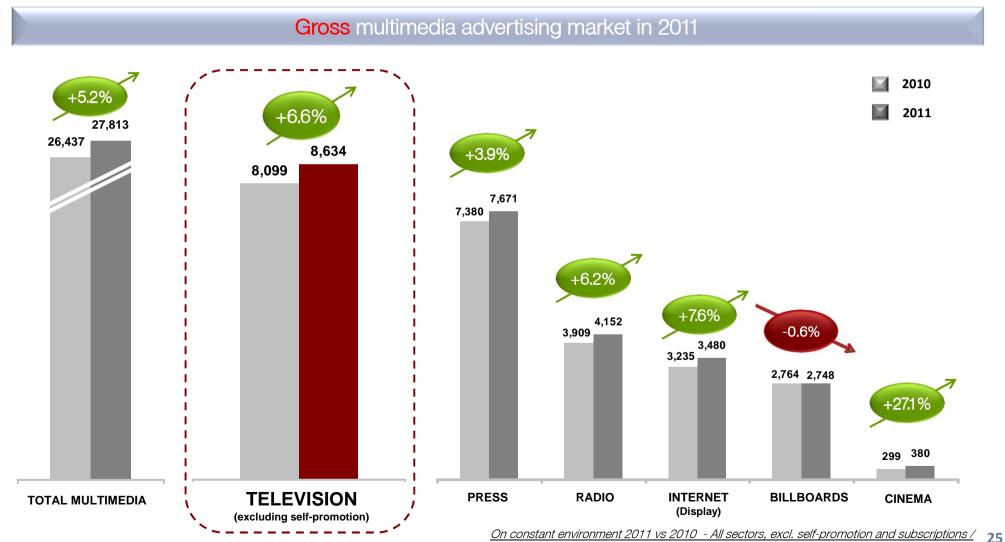
# **TELEVISION**

Advertising market

# **Multimedia - Advertising market**

# Television confirmed its rank as the leading advertising medium in 2011, with growth of 6.6% vs 2010



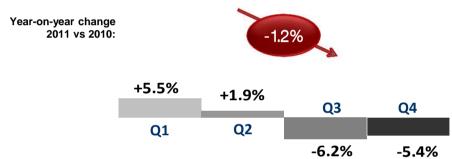


# 2011 featured a thriving $\mathbf{1}^{\text{st}}$ half, followed by slower growth at the end of the year

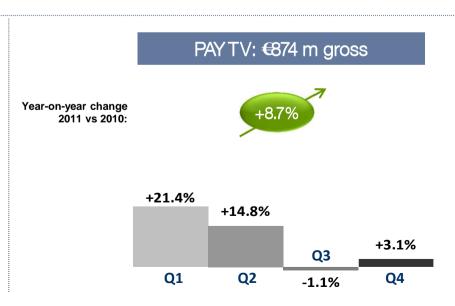


# Quarterly change in each TV environment 2011 vs 2010 : % change





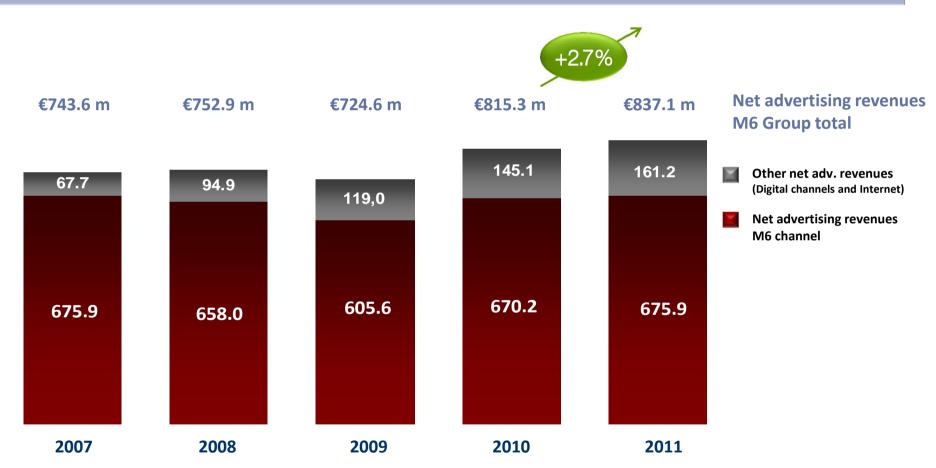
# Year-on-year change 2011 vs 2010: +36.8% +36.0% +26.9% +18.6% Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4



# In 2011, the M6 Group posted an all-time record for advertising revenues, with M6 equalling its 2007 high

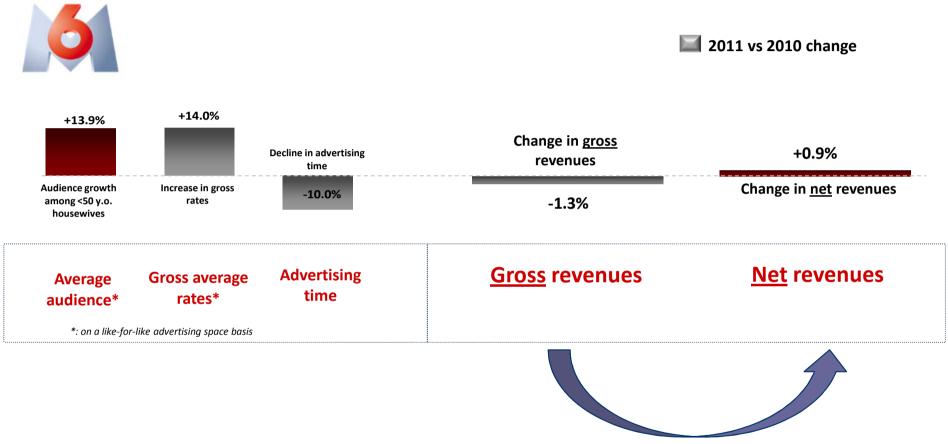






# Due to strong audience levels, M6 was in a position to increase its rates and consolidate net revenues in 2011



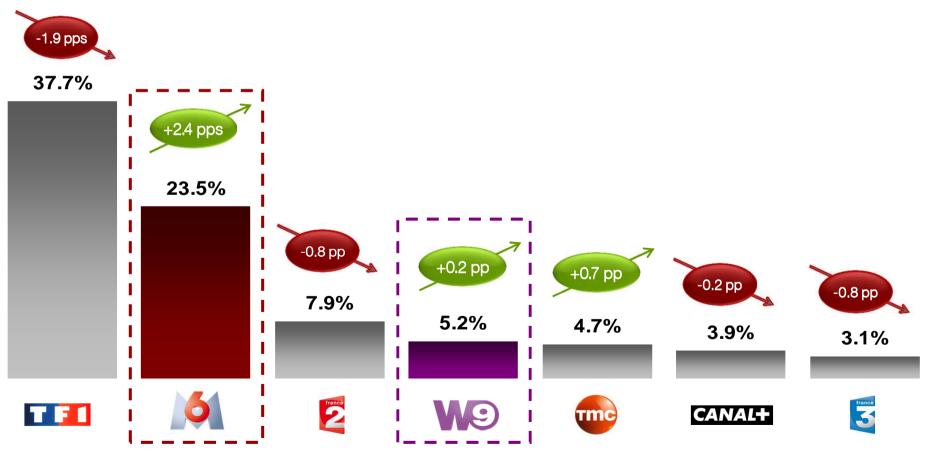


- ➤ Impact of guaranteed GRP cost with <u>in-house</u> scheduling of campaigns
  - > Optimised management of our advertising space

# In 2011, M6 and W9 strengthened their respective positions in the free-to-air advertising space



Analysis of TV audience 2011
Share of <50 housewives GRP capacity and change vs 2010



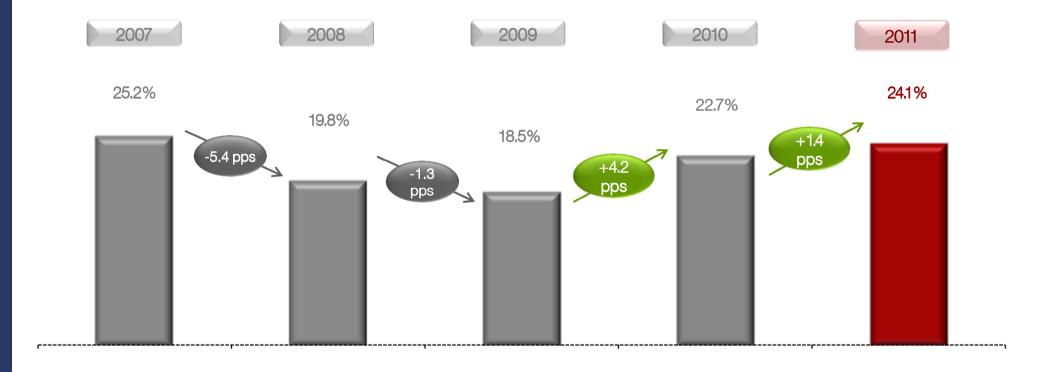
# **Television – Key figures**

# Overall, the TV division returned to the profitability levels it enjoyed in 2007



Operating margin from recurring operations of 24.1%, an increase of 1.4 pps

### TV division (All channels)





# 3.DIVERSIFICATION AND AUDIOVISUAL RIGHTS

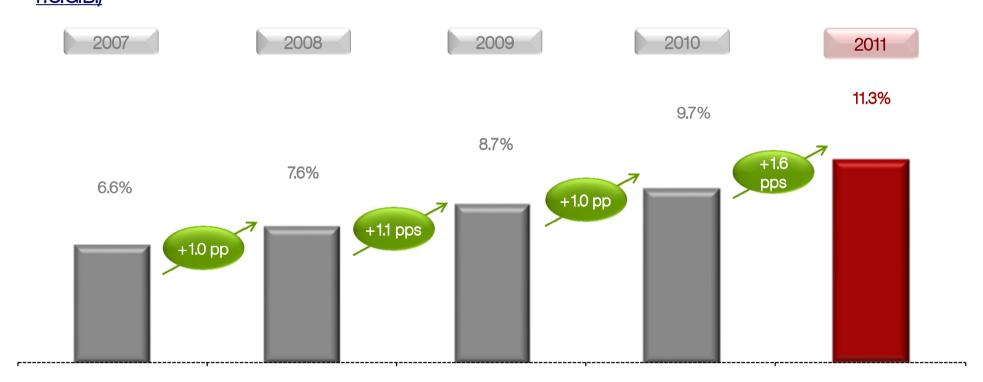
# **Diversification and Audiovisual Rights (excl. F.C.G.B.)**

# Operating margin from recurring operations of 11.3%, an increase of 1.6 pps



# Growth in operating margin from recurring operations (excl. F.C.G.B.)

<u>Diversification and Audiovisual Rights (excl. F.C.G.B.)</u>



# **Audiovisual Rights: Tighter line-up but increasing margins**

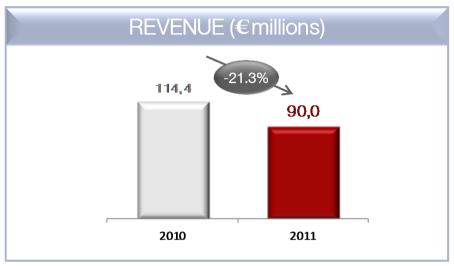


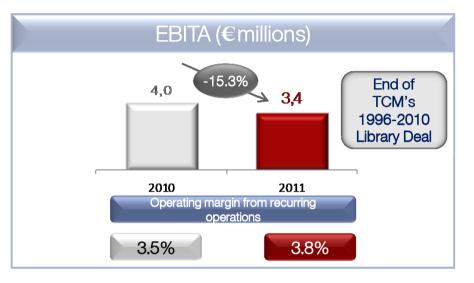


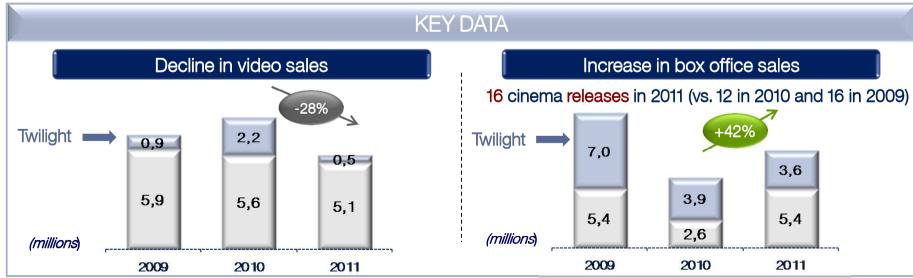








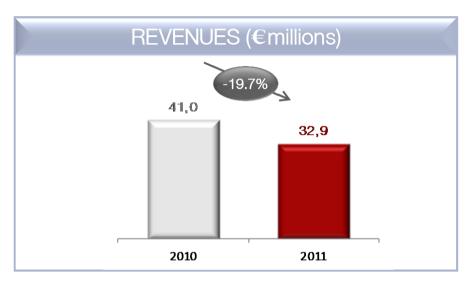






# Streamlining of operations and refocus on licences







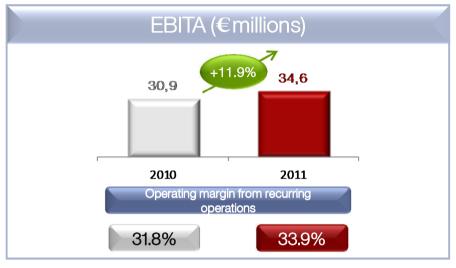




# **Continued development of Internet and mobile activities**



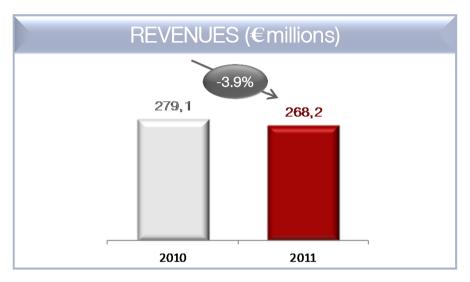






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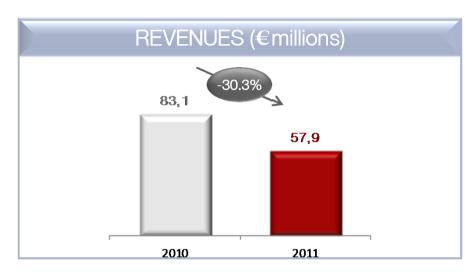


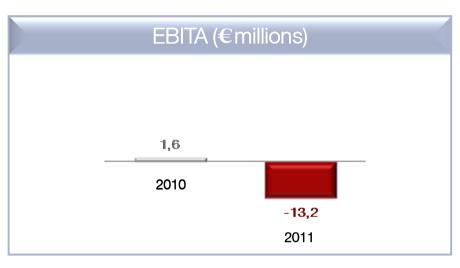
#### **Diversification and Audiovisual Rights**



#### Disappointing on-field performance









# ... but long-term assets Cautious assessment of transfer value (intangible assets) High-performance training centre New stadium in April 2015



# 4.OUTLOOK



CSA DTT channel call for tenders

Uncertainties for advertising market & consumer spending

Continued implementation of TV strategy:

Stronger programming



Advertising market share gains

Profitability and growth of **Diversification activities** 



## 5.FINANCIAL STATEMENTS



## Condensed consolidated statement of comprehensive income for the year to 31 December 2011

(€ millions)

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME	31/12/2010	31/12/2011
Revenue Other revenues from recurring operations	1,462.0 17.4	1,421.3 16.4
Total revenues from recurring operations	1,479.4	1,437.7
Materials and other operating expenses Personnel costs (including profit-sharing plan contributions) Taxes and duties Net depreciation/amortisation charges	(816.9) (252.7) (62.5) (105.1)	(793.5) (249.4) (61.7) (88.1)
Profit from recurring operations [EBITA]	242.2	245.0
Capital gains on disposals of non-current assets Operating income and expenses related to business combinations	1.5 (1.3)	(3.4)
Operating profit [EBIT]	242.4	241.6
Net financial income	2.8	3.0
Share of profit from associates	0.6	(0.1)
Profit before tax	245.7	244.6
Income tax	(88.7)	(94.9)
Net profit from continuing operations	157.0	149.7
Net profit for the year	157.0	149.7

#### **Condensed balance sheet at 31 December 2011**



(€ millions)	31 December 2010	31 December 2011	Change 2011/ 2010 (€ millions)
Goodwill	76.2	74.8	(1.4)
Non-current assets	288.5	304.6	16.1
Current assets	619.7	667.2	47.5
Cash and cash equivalents	376.9	328.6	(48.3)
TOTAL ASSETS	1,361.3	1,375.2	13.9
Equity - Group share	681.8	693.7	11.9
Non-controlling interests	-	0.1	0.1
Non-current liabilities	16.8	18.8	2.0
Current liabilities	662.7	662.6	(0.1)
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	1,361.3	1,375.2	13.9

#### Consolidated cash flow statement for the year to 31 December 2011



	31 december 2010	31 december 2011	Change (€ millions)
Self-financing capacity from operations WCR movements Taxes	357.7 52.6 (90.7)	335.7 (32.9) (114.7)	(22.0) (85.5) (24.0)
Cash flow from operating activities	319.5	188.1	(131.4)
Cash flow used in investing activities	(109.0)	(73.9)	35.1
Cash flow used in financing activities	(303.4)	(162.6)	140.8
Gain from disposal of Canal + France	384.2	-	(384.2)
Effect of translation adjustment on cash and cash equivalents	-	0.1	0.1
Net change in cash and cash equivalents	291.3	(48.3)	
Cash and cash equivalents - opening balance	85.6	376.9	291.3
Cash and cash equivalents - closing balance	376.9	328.6	(48.3)
Net cash and cash equivalents - closing balance	377.5	329.4	(48.1)

## Financial ratios at 31 December 2011



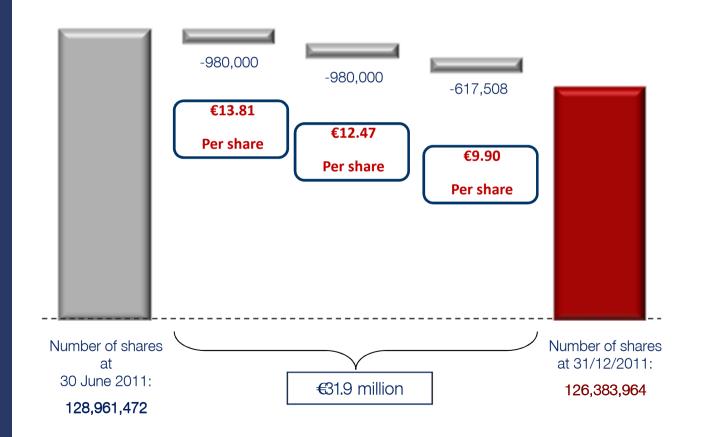
(€ millions except data in %)	2009	2010	2011
Profitability / Cash-Flows			
FCF Excluding growth investments	219.7	306.1	236.6
Operating margin (EBITA / revenues)	13.8%	16.6%	17.2%
Adjusted Cash Conversion Ratio	115.5%	126.4%	96.6%
Net margin (Net profit / revenues)  Net margin excluding restatement of C+ France securities	10.1% 8.6%	10.7% 10.7%	10.5% 10.5%
Balance sheet			
Capital employed	351.4	304.2	365.3
C+ France	384.2	-	-
Net cash and cash equivalents	85.2	377.5	329.4
Equity — Group share	820.8	681.8	693.7

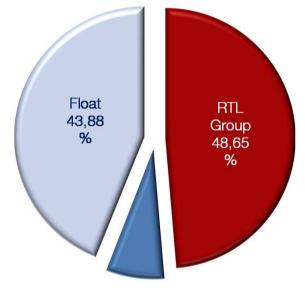
#### **Share buyback programme**





Shareholding structure at 31/12/2011





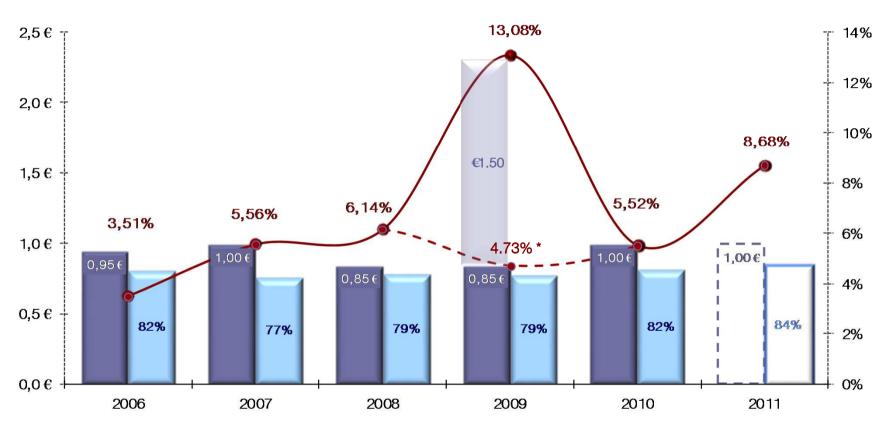
Treasury shares
0.12%

M6 Company
savings plan
0.11%

Compagnie Nationale à Portefeuille Group 7.24%

## Maintenance of a distribution ratio of approximately 80% of consolidated net profit





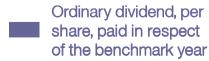
<sup>\*</sup> Distribution ratio excluding exceptional dividend

Yield (calculated based on the year-end closing price)

Distribution ratio (as % of net profit from continuing activities attributable to the Group)



Exceptional dividend, per share, paid in respect of the benchmark year





## 6.APPENDICES

## **Analytical consolidated income statement**



<i>(</i> € millions)	31/12/2011	31/12/2010	2011 / 2010 (€ millions)	change %
M6 TV Network				
Advertising revenues	675.9	670.2	5.8	0.9%
Other revenues	9.4	7.7	1.7	21.8%
Profit from recurring operations (EBITA)	175.7	162.7	13.0	8.0%
Digital channels				,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
Revenue	184.6	168.9	15.7	9.3%
Profit from recurring operations (EBITA)	34.3	29.2	5.2	17.8%
Diversification & Audiovisual Rights				
Revenue	551.1	614.9	(63.8)	-10.4%
Profit from recurring operations (EBITA)	42.4	52.9	(10.6)	-19.9%
Other revenues	0.3	0.3	(0.0)	-10.4%
Eliminations and unallocated items	(7.4)	(2.6)	(4.8)	185.6%
Revenue of continuing operations	1 421.3	1 462.0	(40.7)	-2.8%
EBITA from continuing operations	245.0	242.2	2.9	1.2%
Operating income and expenses related to business combinations	(3.4)	(1.3)	(2.1)	
Capital gains on the disposal of subsidairies and equity investments	0.0	1.5	(1.5)	
Operating profit (EBIT) from continuing operations	241.6	242.4	(0.7)	-0.3%
Net financial income	3.0	2.8	0.3	
Change in fair value of the Canal+ France asset	-	-	-	
Share of associates' net profit	(0.1)	0.6	(0.6)	
Profit before tax (EBT)	244.6	245.7	(1.1)	-0.5%
Income tax on continuing operations	(94.9)	(88.7)	(6.1)	
Net profit from continuing operations	149.7	157.0	(7.3)	-4.6%
Net profit from discontinued operations	-	-	- (7.6)	4.007
Net profit	149.7	157.0	(7.3)	-4.6%
Minority interests	(0.1)	0.1	(0.2)	
Net profit - Group share	149.6	157.1	(7.4)	

### Segment contribution analysis – M6 TV network



	31/12/2011			;	31/12/2010			2011/2010 change		
<i>(</i> € <i>millions)</i>	Business segment total revenue	External revenue	EBITA	Business segment total revenue	External revenue	EBITA	Business segment total revenue	External revenue	EBITA	
M6 channel*	765.6	679.6	173.3	754.3	671.7	160.4	11.4	7.9	12.9	
Audiovisual and film production subsidiaries	101.0	5.7	2.3	106.8	6.2	2.2	(5.8)	(0.5)	0.1	
Intra-group eliminations	(142.2)	-	-	(147.1)	-	-	4.9	-	-	
Total M6 TV network	724.4	685.3	175.7	714.0	677.9	162.7	10.4	7.4	13.0	

<sup>\*</sup> including M6 Publicité (advertising agency)

#### Analytical presentation of segment contributions – M6 TV network



<i>(</i> € <i>millions</i> )	31/12/2011	31/12/2010	31/12/2009	2011/2010 change	
	31/12/2011	31/12/2010	31/12/2009	(€ millions)	%
Advertising revenues	686.3	678.4	614.9	7.9	1.2%
Advertising agency cost - M6's share, taxes and copyright, broadcasting costs	(121.3)	(129.9)	(130.1)	10.0	-7.7%
Free-to-Air net revenues	565.0	548.5	484.8	17.8	3.2%
Programming costs	(333.9)	(319.8)	(303.5)	(14.1)	4.4%
Gross margin on programming	231.1	228.7	181.3	3.7	1.6%
as % of revenue	40.9%	41.7%	37.4%		
Net other operating expenses	(69.6)	(79.0)	(69.2)	9.4	-11.9%
Ex-segment commissions net of advertising agency costs not allocated to M6	11.9	10.8	9.4	1.1	10.3%
M6 TV network other subsidiaries' EBITA	2.3	2.2	(3.6)	0.1	4.9%
M6 TV network EBITA	175.7	162.7	117.9	13.0	8.0%

Free-to-Air net revenues are calculated as follows:

Billed revenue – taxes – broadcasting costs – share of advertising agency cost

# Segment contribution analysis – Digital Channels, Diversification and Audiovisual Rights



		31/12/2011		31/12/2010			2011/2010 change		
<i>(</i> € <i>millions)</i>	Business segment total revenue	External revenue	EBITA	Business segment total revenue	External revenue	EBITA	Business segment total revenue	External revenue	EBITA
Total Digital Channels	187.7	184.6	34.3	171.5	168.9	29.2	16.1	15.7	5.2
	31/12/2011 Business		31/12/2010 Business			2011/2010 change Business			
<i>(</i> € <i>millions)</i>	segment total revenue	External revenue	EBITA	segment total revenue	External revenue	EBITA	segment total revenue	External revenue	EBITA
Audiovisual Rights Interactions Ventadis M6 Web FCGB Intra-Group eliminations	120.4 37.4 276.0 105.1 58.3 (16.8)	90.0 32.9 268.2 102.1 57.9	3.4 5.8 11.8 34.6 (13.2)	135.4 46.5 287.4 103.3 83.7 (17.5)	114.4 41.0 279.1 97.2 83.1	4.0 5.4 11.1 30.9 1.6	(15.0) (9.1) (11.3) 1.9 (25.3) 0.7	(24.4) (8.1) (11.0) 4.9 (25.2)	(0.6) 0.4 0.7 3.7 (14.7)
Total Diversifications & Audiovisual Rights	580.4	551.1	42.4	638.7	614.9	52.9	(58.2)	(63.8)	(10.6)



**QUESTIONS & ANSWERS**