

# Fortum

---

## **Interim Report 1 January - 30 September 2002 Teleconference**

October 24, 2002

# Rigorous implementation of set agenda

---

## Agenda for the year 2002

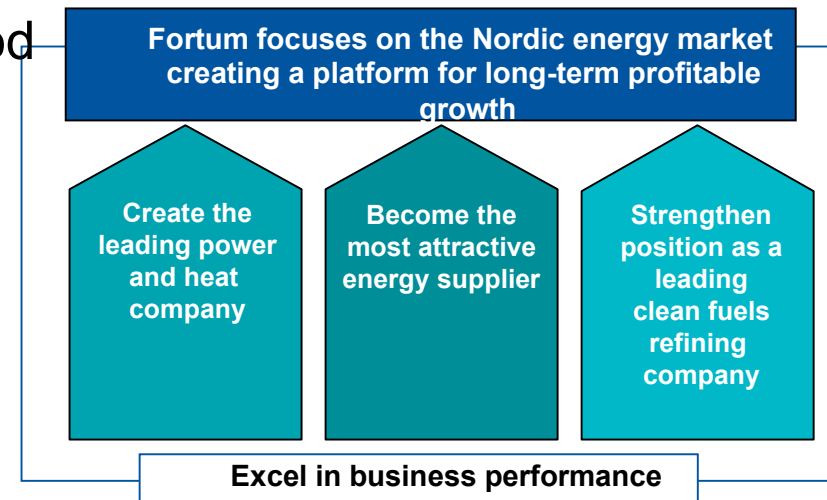
- ✓ • Closing of the deal and successful integration of Birka Energi
- ✓ • Reduction of debt
- ✓ • Further focusing on core businesses
- ✓ • Development of bio fuel businesses
- ✓ • Continuous performance improvement

14 February 2002



# Powerful strategic steps

- Birka Energi transaction completed, good progress in transformation process
- Strengthened market position in Finland
  - Purchase of a Finnish electricity distributor and sales company
- Major divestments
  - Interests in oil fields in Oman
  - Stake in Espoon Sähkö
  - Power and heat business in Germany
  - Power plant in the UK
- Review of strategic alternatives regarding Norwegian E & P business



# Weak market conditions

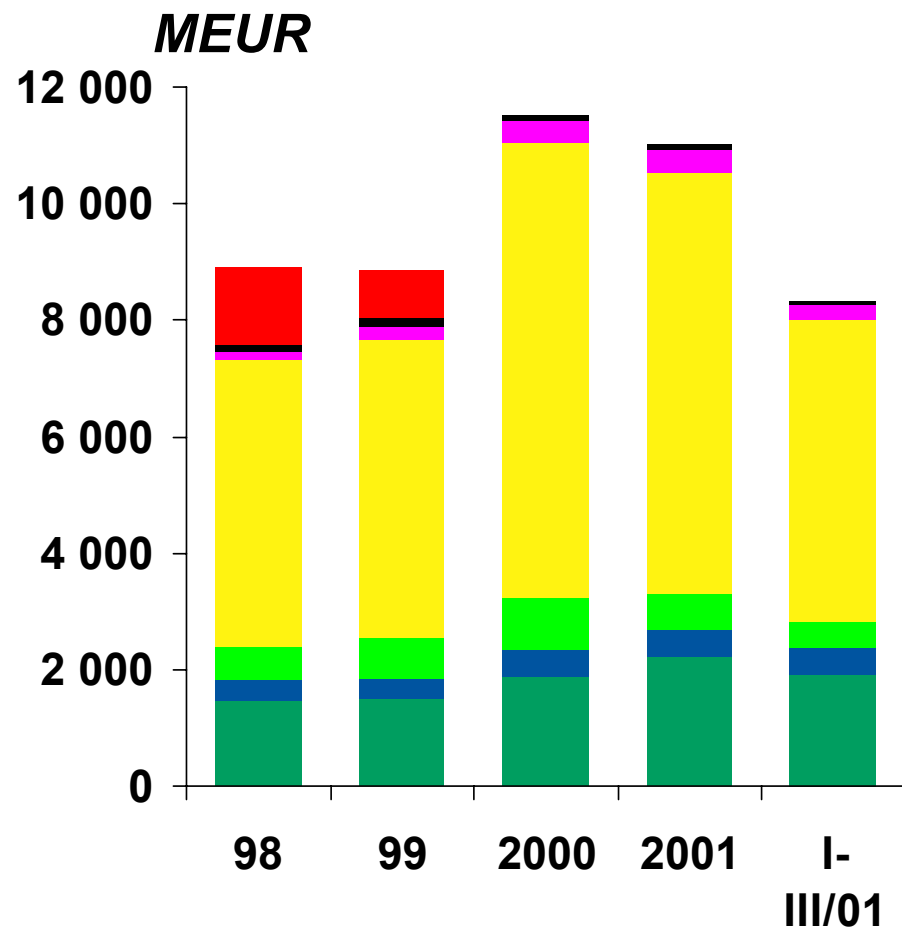
- improvement towards the end of the period

- Warmer than normal weather and bigger than normal hydro reservoirs during the first half of the year.
- The price of electricity on the Nordic electricity exchange was about 19% lower than the corresponding figure in 2001, averaging EUR **19.2** (23.7) per megawatt-hour. The third quarter price was EUR **20.1** (21.6) per MWh.
- The average price of North Sea light Brent crude oil was about 7% lower than the corresponding figure in 2001, averaging **24.4** (26.2) USD/bbl, August and September prices were 25-30 USD/bbl.
- The international refining margin in January-September averaged **0.7** (2.2) USD/bbl, in the third quarter **1.3** (1.1) USD/bbl.

# Improved results

- Operating profit up by 21%: EUR **898** (743) million
- Earnings per share up by 16%: EUR **0.57** (0.49)
- Strong net cash from operating activities: EUR **977** (889) million
- Net debt decreased during Q2 and Q3 by EUR 929 million and EUR 150 million respectively. At the end of September the net debt stood at EUR **6,033** million (EUR 3,674 million at the end of 2001)
- Gearing **84%** (54% at the end of 2001)
- ROCE **9.6%** (9.4%), ROE **8.7%** (8.8%)

# Net sales



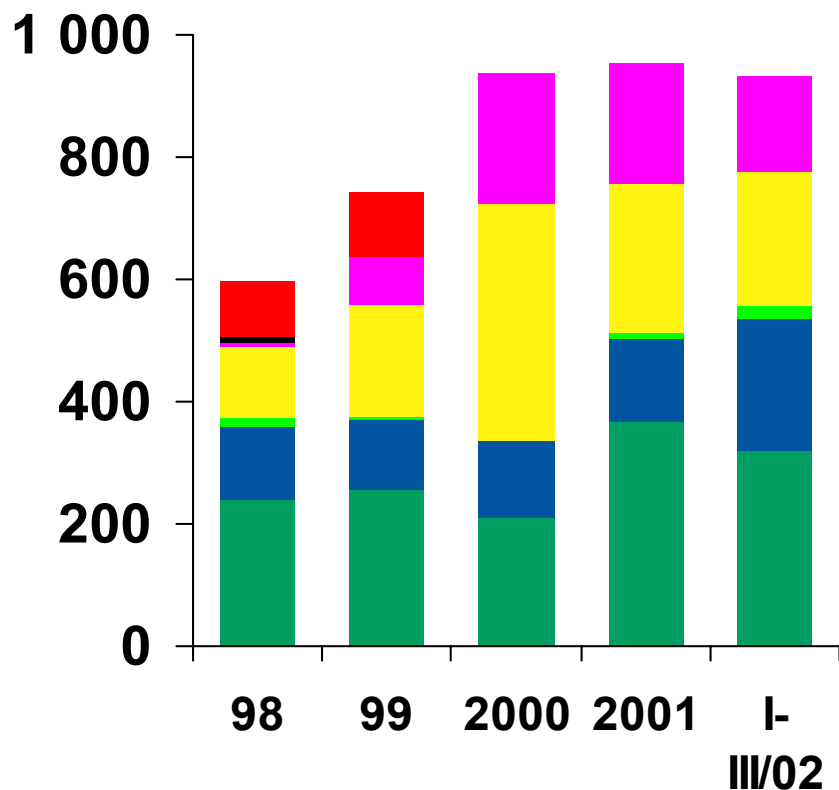
**MEUR**

Power, Heat and Gas  
 Electricity Distribution  
 Energy Solutions  
 Refining & Marketing  
 Oil & Gas Upstream  
 Other Operations  
 Eliminations  
 Group

	I-III/02	I-III/01	2001
Power, Heat and Gas	1 919	1 582	2 227
Electricity Distribution	455	338	473
Energy Solutions	450	516	603
Refining & Marketing	5 193	5 587	7 223
Oil & Gas Upstream	264	327	408
Other Operations	45	73	95
Eliminations	-468	-549	-619
<b>Group</b>	<b>7 858</b>	<b>7 874</b>	<b>10 410</b>

# Operating profit

**MEUR**



**MEUR**

Power, Heat and Gas  
Electricity Distribution  
Energy Solutions  
Refining & Marketing  
Oil & Gas Upstream  
Other Operations  
Eliminations  
Group

	I-III/02	I-III/01	2001
Power, Heat and Gas	319	253	367
Electricity Distribution	219	105	135
Energy Solutions	18	8	13
Refining & Marketing	221	227	242
Oil & Gas Upstream	157	163	196
Other Operations	-37	-16	-40
Eliminations	1	3	1
<b>Group</b>	<b>898</b>	<b>743</b>	<b>914</b>



# Power, Heat and Gas

January-September 2002

- Good progress in the Birka transformation process
- Own Nordic power generation: **44%** (42%) hydropower-based, **48%** (50%) nuclear power-based
- Fortum's electricity sales **42.1** (39.5) TWh, heat sales **13.4** (12.1) TWh
- Fortum's average price of electricity in the Nordic countries was somewhat up on the corresponding period
- Sale of power business in Germany and a power plant in the UK

Key figures	I-III/02	I-III/01
Net sales, MEUR	<b>1,919</b>	1,582
Operating profit, MEUR	<b>319</b>	253
Net assets, MEUR	<b>8,634</b>	5,544
Employees, average	<b>3,105</b>	2,824
RONA, %	<b>5.3</b>	5.8



# Electricity Distribution

January-September 2002

- The distribution of electricity **14.4** (11.2) TWh in distribution networks
- **14.3** (11.7) TWh electricity transmission via the regional distribution network to customers outside the Group
- Sale of stake in Espoon Sähkö and German distribution business
- Acquisition of the remaining 50% share in the Elnova Group

Key figures	I-III/02	I-III/01
Net sales, MEUR	<b>455</b>	338
Operating profit, MEUR	<b>219</b>	105
Net assets, MEUR	<b>3,117</b>	2,104
Employees, average	<b>1,019</b>	976
RONA, %	<b>9.9</b>	6.4

# Fortum Energy Solutions

- Maintenance services for power plants and industry in Finland and Sweden
- Combined heat and power technology
- Operation services for power plants outside the Group
- Power plant engineering and contracting

Key figures	I-III/02	I-III/01
Net sales, MEUR	<b>450</b>	516
Operating profit, MEUR	<b>18</b>	8
Net assets, MEUR	<b>159</b>	225
Employees, average	<b>4,961</b>	5,867
RONA, %	<b>11.4</b>	4.5

# Oil Refining and Marketing

January-September 2002

- The average North-West European refining margin **0.7** (2.2) USD/bbl, Fortum's premium refining margin about 2 USD/bbl
- Use of crude oil and other feedstocks **9.9** (8.6) million tonnes
- Sales of petroleum products: **5.7** (5.3) million tonnes to Finland, exports **3.8** (3.3) million tonnes
- Low freight rates
- Conversion of the MTBE plant in Canada to iso-octane completed
- Start of production of ethanol-based 98-octane gasoline

Key figures	I-III/02	I-III/01
Net sales, MEUR	<b>5,193</b>	5,587
Operating profit, MEUR	<b>221</b>	227
Net assets, MEUR	<b>1,581</b>	1,736
Employees, average	<b>4,397</b>	4,607
RONA, %	<b>18.3</b>	17.9

# Oil and Gas Upstream

January-September 2002

- Production at an average of **37,300** (42,700) boe/d, i.e. about **1.8** (2.1) million t/a
- Average price of oil sold by Fortum **24.6** (25.6) USD/bbl, the price of natural gas **16.8** (19.5) USD/boe
- Finalised sale of the oil field interest in Oman, acquisition of share in the Mikkel gas and condensate field
- A review of strategic alternatives regarding Norwegian E&P business
- Preparations for starting oil production in Russia in late 2003

Key figures	I-III/02	I-III/01
Net sales, MEUR	<b>264</b>	327
Operating profit, MEUR	<b>157</b>	163
Net assets, MEUR	<b>1,004</b>	1,228
Employees, average	<b>60</b>	61
RONA, %	<b>18.3</b>	17.1

# Income statement

<i>MEUR</i>	<u>I-III/02</u>	<u>I-III/01</u>	<u>2001</u>
Net sales	7 858	7 874	10 410
Expenses	-6 960	-7 131	-9 496
Operating profit	898	743	914
Financial expenses, net	-208	-160	-212
Profit before extraordinary items	690	583	702
Extraordinary items	-	-	-
Profit before taxes	690	583	702
Income taxes total	-158	-127	-160
Minority interests	-50	-63	-83
Net profit for the period	482	393	459
EPS (EUR)	0.57	0.49	0.57

# Balance sheet

<b>MEUR</b>	<b>Sep 30 2002</b>	<b>Sep 30 2001</b>	<b>Dec 31 2001</b>
<b>Fixed assets and other long-term investments</b>	<b>14 819</b>	<b>10 932</b>	<b>11 328</b>
<b>Current assets</b>	<b>2 450</b>	<b>2 887</b>	<b>2 966</b>
<b>Assets</b>	<b>17 269</b>	<b>13 819</b>	<b>14 294</b>
<b>Shareholders' equity</b>	<b>5 729</b>	<b>5 173</b>	<b>5 485</b>
<b>Minority interests</b>	<b>1 447</b>	<b>1 270</b>	<b>1 270</b>
<b>Interest-bearing liabilities</b>	<b>6 292</b>	<b>4 132</b>	<b>4 276</b>
<b>Interest-free liabilities</b>	<b>3 801</b>	<b>3 244</b>	<b>3 263</b>
<b>Equity and liabilities</b>	<b>17 269</b>	<b>13 819</b>	<b>14 294</b>
<b>Gearing (%)</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>54</b>
<b>Equity-to-assets ratio (%)</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>48</b>
<b>Equity per share (EUR)</b>	<b>6.77</b>	<b>6.52</b>	<b>6.49</b>



# Key ratios

	I-III/02	I-III/01	2001
Capital employed (at the end of the period) MEUR	13 488	10 580	11 032
Interest-bearing net debt (at the end of the period) MEUR	6 033	3 755	3 674
Investments, MEUR	4 121	483	713
Net cash from operating activities, MEUR	977	889	1 145
Cash flow before financing activities, MEUR	-204	806	844
Return on capital employed, %	9.6	9.4	8.7
Return on shareholders' equity, %	8.7	8.8	8.3
Gearing, %	84	58	54
Adjusted gearing, % 1)	121	94	88
Average number of employees	14 333	15 237	14 803

1) Minority interest of Fortum Capital Ltd included in liabilities

# Short-term outlook

- Positive trend in the most important market drivers.
- In the first part of October, the international refining margin averaged 2.1 USD/bbl. Fortum's premium margin is expected to remain on previous years' level.
- Transformation process will continue, the target for annual synergy benefits of EUR 100 million will be exceeded.
- Decision on the strategic review regarding Norwegian E & P business will be announced shortly.
- Good near future prospects.

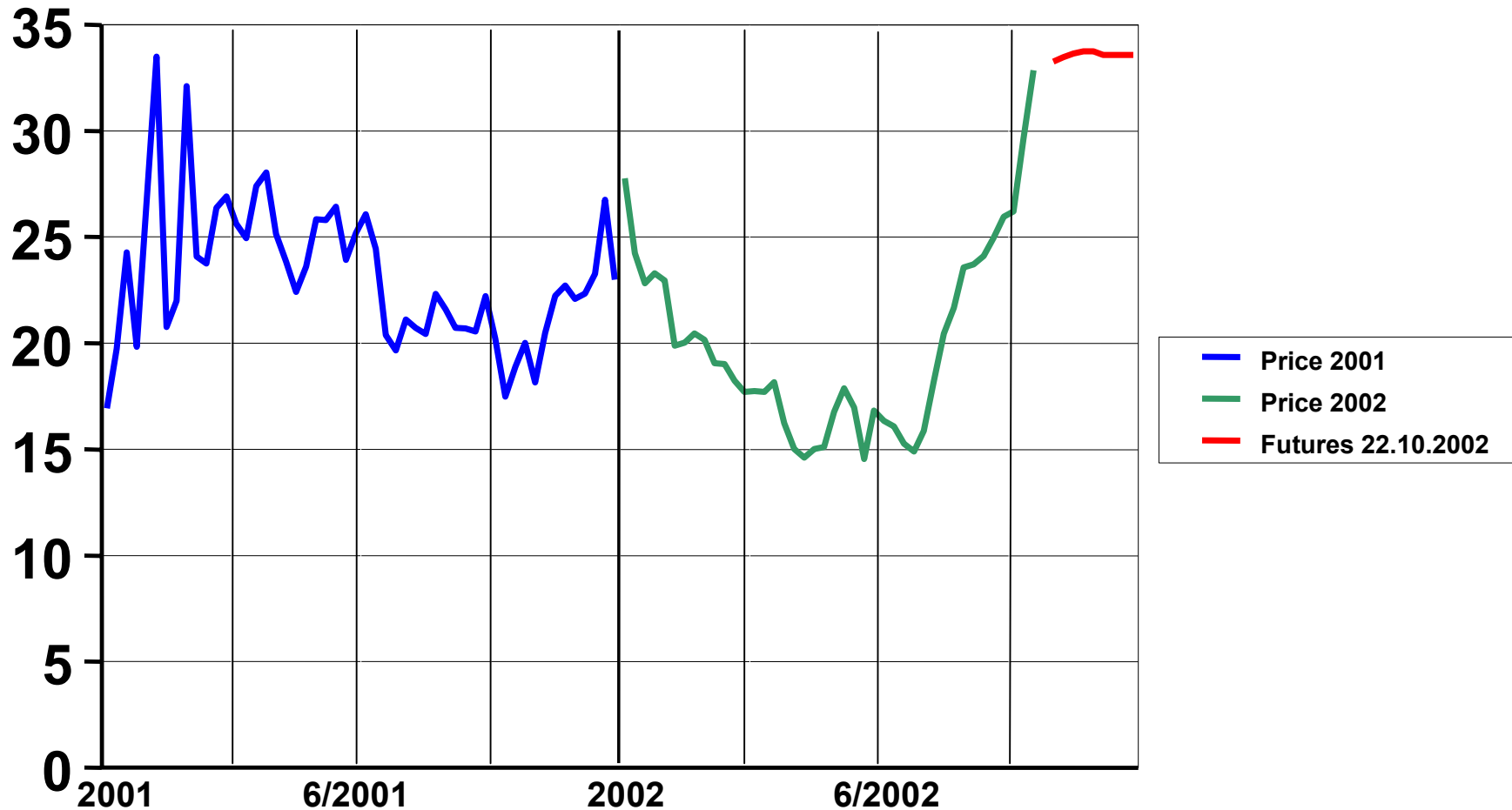


# Short-term outlook

Nord Pool electricity system price and futures

Weekly average

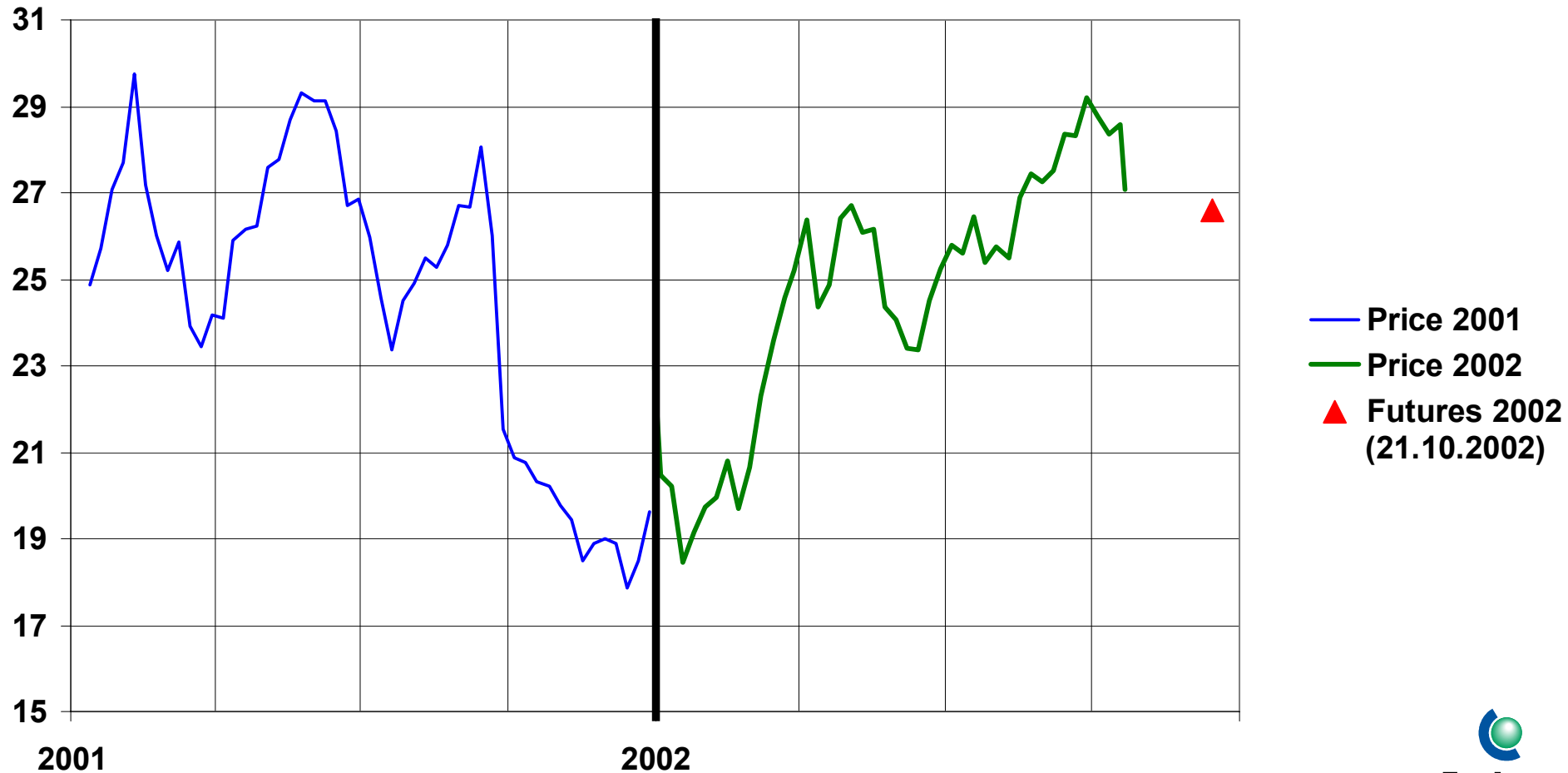
EUR/MWh



# Short-term outlook

## Crude oil price development

Brent, weekly averages 2001 - 2002, USD/bbl



# Refining margin, Brent complex

## weekly averages 2001 - 2002

