Despite the financial and economic crisis in Europe, despite general uncertainty and contrary to the prevailing pessimistic mood, 2012 was yet again a good year for the intralogistics industry. S/R machines without operator shows the highest peak since the statistic started. Miniload Machines increased by 14% from 2011 to 2012.

2012 was a solid year for the materials handling branch. Compared to 2011 the incoming orders in 2012 have increased by about 19%.