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FINANSTIDNINGEN REMAINS THE FASTEST GROWING BUSINESS NEWSPAPER IN SWEDEN

FinansTidningen, the Swedish national daily newspaper, is the fastest growing business newspaper in Sweden according to the first 2001 readership survey by SIFO/Orvesto. The survey reported a 14% increase in FinansTidningen's daily readership in the period since the beginning of 2001, which now totals 192,000.

Michael Porseryd, President of FinansTidningen and Head of Modern Times Group MTG AB's Publishing business area, commented: "We are delighted with these figures, which support our continuing investment in FinansTidningen. The results of the latest analysis show clearly that more and more people are choosing FinansTidningen as their daily business paper."

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