

ICA Group's net sales 2011

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The ICA Group's net sales for the fourth quarter 2011 amounted to SEK 24,921 million (24,493) which is an increase of 1.7 percent compared to the fourth quarter 2010. At constant exchange rates, net sales increased by 1.4 percent.

The ICA Group's net sales for the full year of 2011 amounted to SEK 95,179 million (93,860) which is an increase of 1.4 percent compared to 2010. At constant exchange rates, net sales increased by 2.6 percent.

More information on the ICA Group's fourth quarter and the full year 2011 will be presented in ICA's year-end report on February 15.

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