

RECTICEL First Half-Year 2018 Results

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Key highlights 1H2018 – Recticel delivers further sales and profit growth





Converting technical Foams plants have started up in China and Morocco

As announced in the press release of 26 April 2018, Recticel Technical Foams teams are finalising their expansion projects in China and Morocco.



Chinese operation, located in Wuxi (Shanghai area)





Moroccan operation, located in Zone Franche of Tangers



The Insulation division expansion plan in Scandinavia is on time

As announced in the press release of 21 June 2017, Recticel is investing EUR 26 million in a greenfield production site in Finland to meet growing demand for high-performance thermal insulation materials in the Nordic region (Finland, Norway, Sweden, Denmark and the Baltic countries).

As confirmed in the press release of 26 April 2018, the production start-up is expected for the fourth quarter of 2018





Comfort markets still under pressure, PIR insulation market improving Oil price increased to \$70.9 in 1H2018, and Isocyanates prices are receeding Currencies remain unfavourable versus 1H2017

• Currencies & Oil

- The YTD average evolution of the main currencies versus EUR :
 - GBP
 -2.2% versus average 1H2017

 CNY
 -3.5%

 USD
 -11.8%

 PLN
 +1.1%
- Oil price levels
 70.9\$/bl 1H2018 versus 52.9\$/bl 1H2017
 → +33.9%
- Chemical raw materials

• Countries/regions

- United Kingdom
- Spain
- France
- Benelux, Germany & Central EU
- Scandinavia
- International

• Market Segments

- Automotive
- Bedding/Furniture
- Construction
- Industry

→ weak & uncertain: automotive market down, construction subdued, SMCG hesitant

 \rightarrow +14.5%

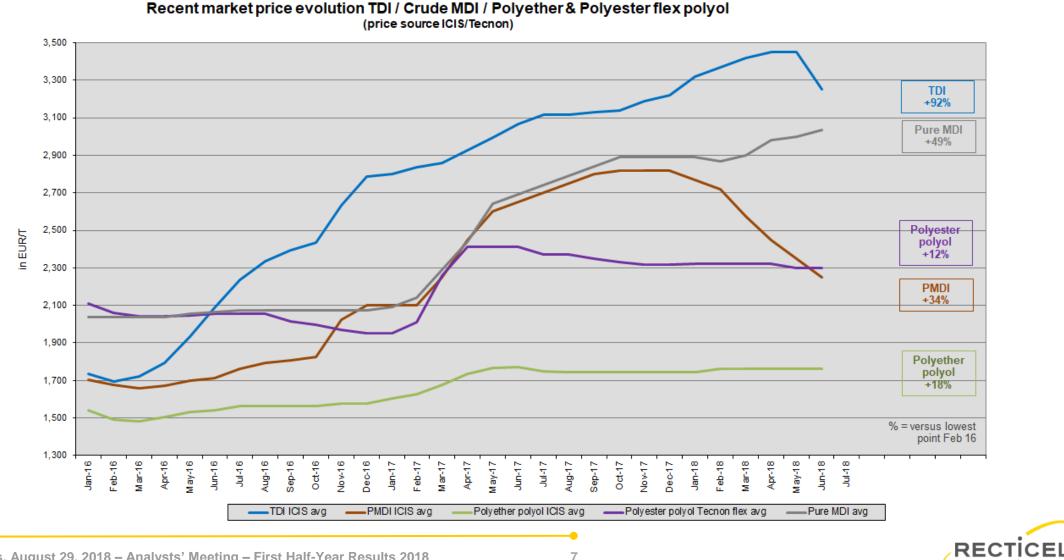
- \rightarrow strong
- → stronger
- → relatively strong
- \rightarrow stable
- \rightarrow strong
- → stabilizing in USA, still growing in EU and China

average formulation cost 1H2018 versus 1H2017

- \rightarrow weak markets due to overall low traffic in the shops
- \rightarrow strong in most countries
- → strong



MDI & TDI prices started to decrease in February & June respectively. Polyol prices have remained stable.



The passion for comfort

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Sales growth of +4.0% leads to increase REBITDA +12.1% & EBIT +39.4% Overall inflation (incl. raw materials) and currency effects were overcompensated Lower non-recurring costs offset higher financial and tax charges

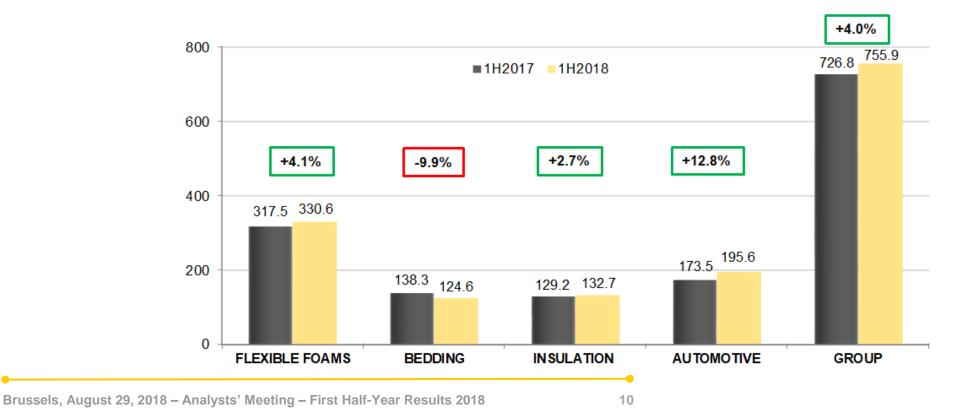
Combined figures - in m€	1H2017	1H2018	∆ 18/17
Net Sales	726.8	755.9	4.0%
REBITDA	50.1	<mark>56.2</mark>	12.1%
Non-recurring result	(9.1)	(4.6)	
EBITDA	41.0	<mark>51.6</mark>	25.7%
Depreciation	(18.8)	(20.0)	
Impairments	0.0	(0.6)	
REBIT	31.3	<u>36.2</u>	15.5%
EBIT	22.2	31.0	39.4%
Interest Income & Expenses	(4.1)	(2.6)	
Other Financial Income & Expenses	1.8	(2.7)	
Pre Tax Result (EBT)	19.9	25.6	28.6%
Current Tax	(2.8)	(3.8)	
Deferred Tax	(2.8)	(3.1)	
After Tax Result (EAT)	14.3	18.7	30.7%
Non-controlling interests	0.0	0.0	
Net Result (Group share)	14.3	18.7	30.7%
Net Result (Group share) per share (in €)	0.27	0.34	25.9%



1H2018 sales increased by +4.0%, including a currency impact of -1.2% Positive sales evolution in 1Q2018 (+4.6%) extended in 2Q2018 (+3.4%)

• Higher net sales reported in all segments, except Bedding

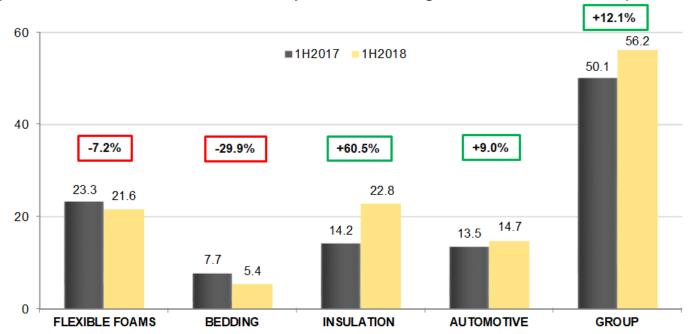
- Insulation (+2.7%) : Sales growth driven by higher selling prices. Currency effects -0.8% (Pound Sterling)
- Automotive (+12.8%) : Positive market dynamics in both divisions and new programs start-ups in Interiors. Currency effects -1.2%
- Flexible Foams (+4.1%) : Good volumes in Technical Foams. Pricing adjustments in Comfort compensated by slightly lower volumes in overall softer markets. Currency effect -1.0%
- Bedding (-9.9%): Branded Products as well as Non-Brands/Private Label suffered from low traffic in shops. Currency effect -0.9%.





REBITDA increases by 12.1% and REBITDA margin improves from 6.9% to 7.4%.

• Despite headwinds from raw material price increases in 1Q2018, adverse currencies and soft demand in Comfort Foams and Bedding, overall REBITDA increased by 12.1% on higher efficiencies and price increases.



- Flexible Foams continued to implement its operational efficiency and mix improvement plan. REBITDA slightly down due to raw material price increases in the first 5 months of 2018, combined with soft volumes in Comfort foam segment.
- **Bedding** volumes down due to low traffic in the shops, especially in Germany, which could not be fully compensated by significant efficiency & mix improvements.
- **Insulation** improved thanks to excellent operational efficiency, positive mix and pricing.
- Automotive benefited from higher volumes, both in Interiors and Seating, induced by strong market demand and the addition of new programs in Interiors.



Non-recurring elements of -5.2m€ versus -9.1m€ in 1H2017

in million EUR	1H2017	1H2018
Net impact fire incident Automotive Interiors Restructuring charges and provisions Other	(4,9) 0,4 (4,5)	(0,8) (0,2) (3,7)
Total impact on EBITDA	(9,1)	(4,6)
Impairments	0,0	(0,6)
Total impact on EBIT	(9,1)	(5,2)

- Impact non-recurring elements on EBITDA :-4.6m€ (1H2017: -9.1m€)
- Impact non-recurring elements on EBIT :-5.2m€ (1H2017: -9.1m€)
- Non-recurring elements relate mainly to:
 - provisions for litigations and legal fees
 - the residual impact of the fire incident in the Automotive Interiors plant in Most (Czech Republic in 1Q2017).



EBIT margin increases from 3.1% to 4.1%

• EBITDA: from 41.0m€ to 51.6m€ (+25.7%) EBITDA margin increased from 5.6% to 6.8%

in million EUR	1H2017	1H2018	Δ
Flexible Foams	18.7	18.8	0.9%
Bedding	7.6	5.5	-27.3%
Insulation	14.2	22.8	60.6%
Automotive	9.1	13.2	45.1%
Corporate	(8.6)	(8.9)	3.1%
TOTAL COMBINED EBITDA	41.0	51.6	25.7%
Adjustment for joint ventures by application of IFRS 11	(5.6)	(6.1)	10.5%
TOTAL CONSOLIDATED EBITDA	35.4	45.4	28.1%

• EBIT: from 22.2m€ to 31.0m€ (+39.4%) EBIT margin increased from 3.1% to 4.1%.

in million EUR	1H2017	1H2018	Δ
Flexible Foams	12.5	11.6	-6.9%
Bedding	5.3	3.7	-29.3%
Insulation	11.0	19.6	79.0%
Automotive	2.6	5.2	99.4%
Corporate	(9.1)	(9.2)	1.2%
TOTAL COMBINED EBIT	22.2	31.0	39.4%
Adjustment for joint ventures by application of IFRS 11	(1.6)	(1.8)	12.2%
TOTAL CONSOLIDATED EBIT	20.6	29.1	41.5%



Lower interest charges offset by negative currency effect Slightly higher current & deferred tax charges due to much higher EBT (+28.6%) Net profit increases by 30.7%

<u>Combined</u> financial result: from -2.3m€ to -5.3m€

- <u>Net interest charges</u> decreased by 1.5m€ (from -4.1m€ to -2.6m€) as a result of a lower average debt combined to a reduced cost of debt (new commercial paper program and reimbursement of the 5% convertible bonds in July 2017).
- 'Other net financial income and expenses' from +1.8m€ to -2.7m€; comprise mainly interest capitalisation costs under provisions for pension liabilities (-0.5m€ versus -0.6m€) and exchange rate differences (-2.2m€ versus +2.4m€).
- <u>Combined</u> income taxes and deferred taxes : from -5.6m€ to -6.9m€
 - Current income tax charges: -3.8m€ (1H2017: -2.8m€)
 - Deferred tax charges: -3.1m€ (1H2017: -2.8m€).
- Result of the period (share of the Group): from +14.3m€ to +18.7m€ (+30.7%)



Recticel share price evolution since beginning 2015 (capital increase 22/04/2015)





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Gearing & leverage substantially improve versus 1H2017 on lower debt & higher EBITDA. Equity slightly down due to IFRS 15.

Combined Group capital structure (m€)	2015	2016	2017	1H2017	1H2018
Equity	249	251	262	257	255
Net Financial Debt (on + off balance sheet)	183	178	178	222	201
Factoring + forfeiting	60	52	55	71	62
Net Financial Debt (on balance sheet)	123	126	123	151	139
Gearing (on + off balance sheet)	74%	71%	68%	86%	79%
Gearing (on balance sheet)	49%	50%	47%	59%	55%
Leverage (on + off balance sheet)	2.7	2.1	1.9	2.8	1.9
Leverage (on balance sheet)	1.8	1.5	1.3	1.9	1.3



COMBINED LEGAL CASH FLOW	30.06.2017	30.06.2018
Group Recticel in k€	Combined	Combined
EBIT	22,228	30,982
Depreciations and Amortizations	18,767	19,998
Impairment losses on Assets	0	570
Write-offs on Assets	1,457	-302
Changes in provisions	-2,760	-6,508
Gains / Losses on disposals of Assets	3,231	-43
Income from Associates	-988	-667
GROSS OPERATING CASH FLOW	41,935	44,031
Changes in working capital	-29,840	-13,946
Trade & Other Long term debts	-12	-534
CASH GENERATED by OPERATIONS	12,083	29,552
Income taxes paid	-4,090	-4,743
NET CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES (a)	7,993	24,809
Interest received	85	47
Dividend received	249	397
Investments and subscription capital increase	0	-125
(Increase) Decrease of Loans and Receivables	34	-735
Investments in intangible Assets	-1,817	-2,446
Investments in property, plant and equipment	-22,670	-24,496
Disposals of Intangible Assets	0	91
Disposals of Property, plant and equipment	62	150
NET CASH FLOW FROM INVESTMENT ACTIVITIES (b)	-24,058	-27,117
Interest paid (1)	-3,851	-3,830
Dividends paid (2)	-9,684	-12,029
Increase (Decrease) of capital (3)	2,814	1,568
Increase (Decrease) of Financial debt (4)	33,490	4,129
CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES (c) = (1)+(2)+(3)+(4)	22,769	-10,162
Effect of Exchange rate Changes (d)	960	-303
CHANGES IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS (a)+(b)+(c)+(d)	7,664	-12,775
Net cash position opening balance	51,663	73,206
Net cash position closing balance	59,327	60,430
NET VARIATION CASH & CASH EQUIVALENT	7,664	-12,776
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NET FREE CASH FLOW (a)+(b)+(1)	-19,915	-6,138

Combined Net Cash Flow

(1)	Change	s in provisions	-6.5
	Net addi	tions	2.5
	<u>> P</u>	ension provisions	2.5
	Net utilis	ations	-9.0
	<u>> P</u>	ension provisions	-4.7
		Restructuring	-0.4
		nvironmental	-0.2
		Other	-3.7
(2)	Change	s in Working Capital	-13.9
	> lr	ventories	-0.4
		rade receivables	
		ther receivables	8.7
	> T	rade payables	-13.5
		Other payables	. 12.4
(3)	Capex p	baid	-26.9
	> F	lexible foams	-7.3
	> lr	nsulation	-8.6
		Bedding	-1.4
	> S	Seating	-1.4
		nteriors	-1.4

For the investment and disposal activities, only the cash payment and cash receipts have been reported as stipulated under IAS7.



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For the full-year 2018 the Group expects continued growth of its combined sales and REBITDA

thanks to a combination of volume growth, improved mix and efficiency gains.



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Price increases, operational efficiency and reduced non-recurring costs lead to stable EBITDA, offsetting inflation and softer volumes



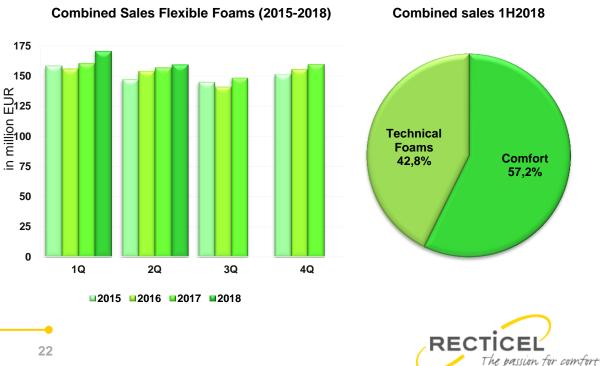
Key financials				
in million EUR	1H2017	1H2018	Δ	
Sales	317,5	330,6	4,1%	
REBITDA	23,3	21,6	-7,2%	
as % of sales	7,3%	6,5%		
EBITDA	18,7	18,8	0,9%	
as % of sales	5,9%	5,7%		
REBIT	17,1	15,4	-9,9%	
as % of sales	5,4%	4,7%		
EBIT	12,5	11,6	-6,9%	
as % of sales	3,9%	3,5%		

1H2018 key topics

- Sales 1H2018: 330.6m€ (+4.1%), with external sales 0 increasing by +3.5%. Exchange rate differences: -1.3%
 - Comfort: +2.5% due to pricing adjustments for higher raw material costs. Lower volumes due to softer markets.
 - Technical Foams: +6.3% driven by good industrial demand and dynamic automotive markets
- Profit margins slightly decreased as a result of the very limited time lag required to pass through the substantial 1Q2018 raw material price increases in the selling prices.
- Non-recurring elements: -3.8m€ (1H2017: -4.6m€)

Recent developments

- High and volatile chemical raw material prices (TDI)
- Improved product/market-mix (i.e. Technical Foams)
- Structural progress in operational efficiency
- Expansion with start-up of new converting sites in Wuxi (China) and Tanger (Morocco)
- Production in Buren (The Netherlands) will be closed by year-end.



Mix, efficiency and fixed costs improvements could not offset the lower volumes linked to a very soft 2nd Quarter.



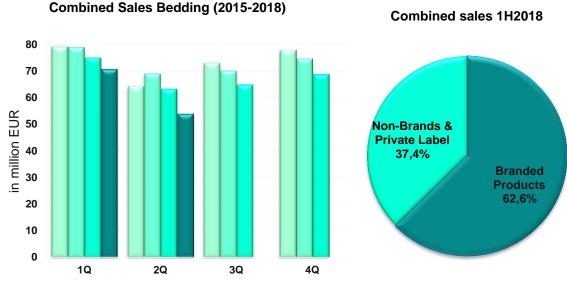
Key financials					
in million EUR	1H2017	1H2018	Δ		
Sales	138,3	124,6	-9,9%		
REBITDA	7,7	5,4	-29,9%		
as % of sales	5,6%	4,3%			
EBITDA	7,6	5,5	-27,3%		
as % of sales	5,5%	4,4%			
REBIT	5,4	3,2	-40,9%		
as % of sales	3,9%	2,6%			
EBIT	5,3	3,7	-29,3%		
as % of sales	3,8%	3,0%			

1H2018 key topics

- Sales 1H2018: 124.6m€ (-9.9%), with external sales decreasing by -9.3%. Currency impact: -0.9%
 - Branded Products: -7.6%
 - Non-Branded/Private Label: -12.0%
- Difficult market conditions with low shop traffic.
- Improved mix and operational efficiency were insufficient to compensate for negative impact of lower volumes

Recent developments

• The introduction of the new innovative Geltex 2.0 and boxsprings product lines is taking place in order to be ready for the high season starting in 4Q2018.



■2015 ■2016 ■2017 ■2018



EBITDA increases thanks to operational efficiency, positive mix, and pricing overcompensating the raw material costs, negative currency impact, slightly lower volumes and budgeted increased fixed costs (Finland)



Key financials				
in million EUR	1H2017	1H2018	Δ	
Sales	129,2	132,7	2,7%	
REBITDA	14,2	22,8	60,5%	
as % of sales	11,0%	17,2%		
EBITDA	14,2	22,8	60,6%	
as % of sales	11,0%	17,2%		
REBIT	11,0	19,6	79,0%	
as % of sales	8,5%	14,8%		
EBIT	11,0	19,6	79,0%	
as % of sales	8,5%	14,8%		

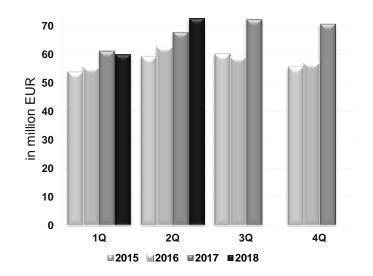
1H2018 key topics

- Sales 1H2018: 132.7m€ (+2.7%), including exchange rate differences of -0.8% (i.e. GBP)
- Lower volumes and the negative impact of the GBP have been offset by operational efficiency, positive mix in combination with price adjustments - to reflect higher chemical raw material prices.

Recent developments

 Construction of the new plant in Finland, dedicated to the supply of the Scandinavian and Baltics markets, is on schedule to start up in 4Q2018.

Combined sales Insulation (2015-2018)





Sales grew on strong Automotive markets and new program start-up. EBITDA +45.1% mainly linked to reduced non-recurring costs

Key financials				
in million EUR	1H2017	1H2018 ¹	Δ	
Sales	173,5	195,6	12,8%	
REBITDA	13,5	14,7	9,0%	
as % of sales	7,8%	7,5%		
EBITDA	9,1	13,2	45,1%	
as % of sales	5,3%	6,8%		
REBIT	7,0	6,7	-4,2%	
as % of sales	4,0%	3,4%		
EBIT	2,6	5,2	99,4%	
as % of sales	1,5%	2,7%		

1H2018 key topics

- Sales 1H2018: 195.6m€ (+12.8%), including a currency exchange differences for -1.2%
 - Interiors: 104.7m€ (+13.4%), growth coming from strong demand and impact of new programs.
 - Seating: 90.8m€ (+12.0%)
 - Overall supportive automotive markets with strong volumes in both divisions.

¹ The financial figures of 1H2018 include the impact of IFRS 15.

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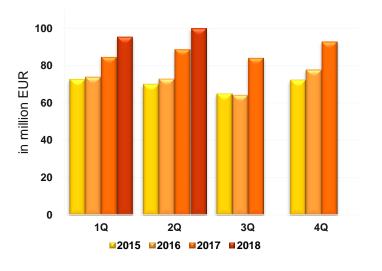
- Interiors' plant in Most (CZ), is again fully operational
- Processes engaged during 1Q2018 regarding the decision to divest from Automotive divisions are ongoing and so far progressing according to plan

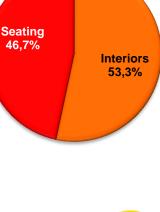
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Consolidated key figures 1H2018 *

* All comparisons are made with the comparable period of 2017, unless mentioned otherwise.

- Sales: from 566.0m€ to 579.7m€ (+2.4%), including currency effects (-1.3%)
- EBITDA: from 35.4m€ to 45.4m€ (+28.1%)
- EBIT: from 20.6m€ to 29.1m€ (+41.5%)
- Result of the period (share of the Group): from 14.3m€ to 18.7m€ (+30.7%)
- Net financial debt¹: from 87.1m€ (31-Dec-17) to 104.3m€ (30-Jun-18)
- Gearing ratio (Net financial debt¹/Total equity): from 33.3% (31-Dec-17) to 41.0%

¹ Excluding the drawn amounts under non-recourse factoring/forfeiting programs: 62.3m€ per 30 June 2018 versus 70.8m€ per 30 June 2017 and 54.7m€ per 31 December 2017.



Consolidated Income Statement

in million EUR	1H2017	1H2018 ¹	Δ
	(a)	(b)	(b)/(a)-1
Sales	566.0	579.7	2.4%
Distribution costs	(31.7)	(29.4)	-7.3%
Cost of sales	(453.2)	(448.2)	-1.1%
Gross profit	81.1	102.2	26.0%
General and administrative expenses	(33.1)	(35.3)	6.8%
Sales and marketing expenses	(33.9)	(34.4)	1.3%
Research and development expenses	(7.0)	<mark>(6.9)</mark>	-1.8%
Impairments	0.0	(0.6)	n.m.
Other operating revenues (1)	25.2	<u>5.0</u>	-80.1%
Other operating expenses (2)	<u>(13.1)</u>	<u>(8.3)</u>	<u>-36.9%</u>
Other operating result (1)+(2)	12.0	(3.3)	-127.3%
Income from joint ventures & associates	1.5	<mark>7.5</mark>	395.9%
Income from investments	0.0	0.0	n.m.
EBIT	20.6	29.1	41.5%
Interest income	0.4	0.3	-30.3%
Interest expenses	(4.0)	(2.3)	-41.0%
Other financial income	8.7	<mark>3.3</mark>	-62.6%
Other financial expenses	(7.2)	(5.6)	-23.0%
Financial result	(2.1)	<mark>(4.4)</mark>	109.7%
Result of the period before taxes	18.5	<mark>24.8</mark>	33.8%
Income taxes	(4.2)	<u>(6.1)</u>	44.7%
Result of the period after taxes	14.3	<u>18.7</u>	30.7%
of which attributable to the owners of the parent	14.3	18.7	30.7%
of which attributable to non-controlling interests	0.0	0.0	n.m.



Consolidated Comprehensive Income

in million EUR	1H2017	1H2018 ¹
Result for the period after taxes	14.3	18.7
Other comprehensive income		
Items that will not subsequently be recycled to profit and loss		
Actuarial gains (losses) on employee benefits recognized in equity	0.4	4.5
Deferred taxes on actuarial gains (losses) on employee benefits	(0.1)	(0.6)
Currency translation differences	0.2	(0.0)
Joint ventures & associates	(0.0)	0.5
Total	0.4	4.4
Items that subsequently may be recycled to profit and loss		
Hedging reserves	1.1	0.6
Currency translation differences	(3.8)	0.5
Deferred taxes on hedging interest reserves	(0.4)	(0.1)
Joint ventures & associates	0.9	(1.4)
Total	(2.1)	(0.4)
Other comprehensive income net of tax	(1.7)	4.0
	10.0	
Total comprehensive income for the period	12.6	22.6
Total comprehensive income for the period	12.6	22.6
of which attributable to the owners of the parent	12.6	22.6
of which attributable to non-controlling interests	0.0	0.0



Consolidated Balance Sheet

in million EUR	31 DEC 17	30 JUN 18 ¹	Δ
Intangible assets	12.3	12.2	-1.3%
Goodwill	24.2	23.3	-3.6%
Property, plant & equipment	226.8	234.6	3.4%
Investment property	3.3	3.3	0.0%
Interest in joint ventures & associates	76.2	76.9	0.8%
Other financial investments and available for sale investments	0.7	0.8	18.6%
Non-current receivables	14.8	14.6	-1.2%
Non-current contract assets	0.0	19.2	n.m.
Deferred tax	26.2	23.3	-11.3%
Non-current assets	384.6	408.1	6.1%
Inventories and contracts in progress	99.4	107.2	7.9%
Trade receivables	110.9	142.6	28.5%
Current contract assets	0.0	14.2	n.m.
Other receivables	73.4	57.3	-21.9%
Income tax receivables	1.4	2.1	57.6%
Other investments	0.1	0.1	0.0%
Cash and cash equivalents	57.8	41.2	-28.7%
Disposal group held for sale	2.6	2.6	0.0%
Current assets	345.6	367.4	6.3%
TOTAL ASSETS	730.2	775.5	6.2%
Equity (share of the Group)	261.8	254.7	-2.7%
Non-controlling interests	0.0	0.0	n.m.
Total equity	261.8	254.7	-2.7%
Pensions and other provisions	68.6	60.7	-11.4%
Deferred tax	9.1	9.2	0.9%
Interest-bearing borrowings	96.1	19.5	-79.7%
Other amounts payable	0.2	0.2	2.6%
Non-current contract liabilities	0.0	30.2	n.m.
Non-current liabilities	174.0	119.9	-31.1%
Pensions and other provisions	5.1	4.0	-21.3%
Interest-bearing borrowings	49.0	126.9	158.9%
Trade payables	126.6	108.9	-14.0%
Current contract liabilities	0.0	45.8	n.m.
Income tax payables	2.4	1.4	-41.4%
Other amounts payable	111.3	114.0	2.4%
Current liabilities	294.4	401.0	36.2%
TOTAL LIABILITIES	730.2	775.5	6.2%



Consolidated Statement of Cash Flow

in million EUR	1H2017	1H2018	Δ
	(a)	(b)	(b)/(a) -1
EBIT	20.6	29.1	41.5%
Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses on assets	14.8	16.3	9.8%
Write-offs (-back) on assets	1.4	(0.3)	nr
Changes in provisions	(2.9)	(4.8)	67.0%
Income from associates and joint ventures	(1.5)	(7.5)	395.9%
Other non-cash elements	3.2	(0.0)	nr
Gross operating cash flow	35.7	32.8	-8.2%
Changes in working capital	(24.1)	(14.7)	-38.9%
Gross operating cash flow after changes in working capital	11.6	18.0	55.8%
Income taxes paid	(2.8)	(4.0)	45.0%
Net cash flow from operating activities (a)	8.8	14.0	59.2%
Net cash flow from investment activities (b)	(8.9)	(18.1)	102.1%
Paid interest charges (1)	(3.4)	(3.3)	-2.0%
Paid dividends (2)	(9.7)	(12.0)	24.2%
Increase (Decrease) of capital (3)	2.8	1.6	-44.3%
Increase (Decrease) of financial liabilities (4)	21.4	1.3	-94.1%
Other (5)	0.0	0.0	-
Net cash flow from financing activities (c)= (1)+(2)+(3)+(4)+(5)	11.1	(12.6)	nr
Effect of exchange rate changes (d)	0.3	(0.0)	nr
Effect of change in scope of consolidation (e)	0.0	0.0	-
Changes in cash and cash equivalents (a)+(b)+(c)+(d)+(e)	11.3	(16.6)	nr
FREE CASH FLOW (a)+(b)+(1)	(3.5)	(7.4)	108.5%



Statement of changes in equity

in million EUR	Capital	Share premium	Treasury shares	Other reserves	Retained earnings	Translation differences reserves	Hedging reserves	Total shareholders' equity	Non- controlling interests	Total equity, non- controlling interests included
At the end of the period (31 December 2017)	136.9	128.0	(1.5)	(22.6)	40.9	(16.4)	(3.5)	261.8	0.0	261.8
IFRS 9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
IFRS 15	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	(19.5)	0.0	0.0	(19.5)	0.0	(19.5)
Changes in accounting policies	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	(19.5)	0.0	0.0	(19.5)	0.0	(19.5)
Dividends	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	(12.0)	0.0	0.0	(12.0)	0.0	(12.0)
Stock options (IFRS 2)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.2
Capital movements	0.6	1.0	0.0	(0.3)	0.3	0.0	0.0	1.6	0.0	1.6
Income tax related to components of shareholder mouvements	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Shareholders' movements	0.6	1.0	0.0	(0.1)	(11.8)	0.0	0.0	(10.3)	0.0	(10.3)
Profit or loss of the period	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	18.7	0.0	0.0	18.7	0.0	18.7
Other comprehensive income'	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.4	0.0	(0.9)	0.5	4.0	0.0	4.0
At the end of the period (30 June 2018)	137.5	129.0	(1.5)	(18.3)	28.3	(17.3)	(3.0)	254.7	0.0	254.7



Data per share

in million EUR	1H2017	1H2018 ¹	Δ
	(a)	(b)	(b)/(a)-1
Number of shares outstanding (including treasury shares)	54 542 382	54 998 850	0.8%
Weighted average number of shares outstanding (before dilution effect)	53 918 269	54 527 800	1.1%
Weighted average number of shares outstanding (after _dilution effect)	60 351 199	55 139 945	-8.6%
EBITDA	0.66	0.83	26.7%
EBIT	0.38	0.53	40.0%
Result for the period before taxes	0.34	0.45	32.3%
Result for the period after taxes	0.27	0.34	29.2%
Result for the period (share of the Group) - basic	0.265	0.343	29.2%
Result for the period (share of the Group) - diluted	0.248	0.339	36.6%
Net book value	4.71	4.63	-1.7%



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