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1st HALF 2018/19 ECONOMIC ENVIRONMENT

USA: domestic demand at stable high

Europe: slightly weakening momentum

China/Asia: growth recently slowed

Brazil: slowly recovering

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* Each compared to 1st half 2017/18

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- » Record revenue: EUR 6.7 billion (+5.9% over previous year)
- » EBITDA: EUR 860 million (-11.2%*)
- » EBIT: EUR 480 million (-17.9%*)
- » Employees: ~ 52,000 (FTE)



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- » First negative effects from global trade dispute (China)
- » New emissions test (WLTP) leads to distortions in the EU automotive industry
- » Major overhaul of the blast furnace in Linz complete
- » International expansion on track—some increase in run-up costs (North America)
- » HBI plant in Texas impacted by flooding
- » Construction of new steel plant in Kapfenberg on schedule



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REALIGNMENT OF RAILWAY SYSTEMS: MARKET LEADER IN COMPLETE DIGITAL SYSTEMS



- » Premium and long rails; high-tech turnouts; fastenings; and digital monitoring systems combined into an overarching approach for the first time
- » 70 production and sales sites worldwide
- » 7,000 employees (FTE)
- » EUR 1.4 billion revenue (BY 2017/18)
- » Annual growth: ~3%



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ASIA – MARKET OF THE FUTURE EXPANDING RAPIDLY



Figures for the business year 2017/18; *incl. Hong Kong

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» 80 sites

- » 5,000 employees (China: 3,000)
- » Revenue > EUR 1 billion (China: EUR 570 million*)
- » 2nd Chinese automotive plant in Tianjin, China
- » 2nd joint venture for turnout production (focus on suburban traffic) in China
- » Expansion of services and additive manufacturing (Taiwan, Singapore)



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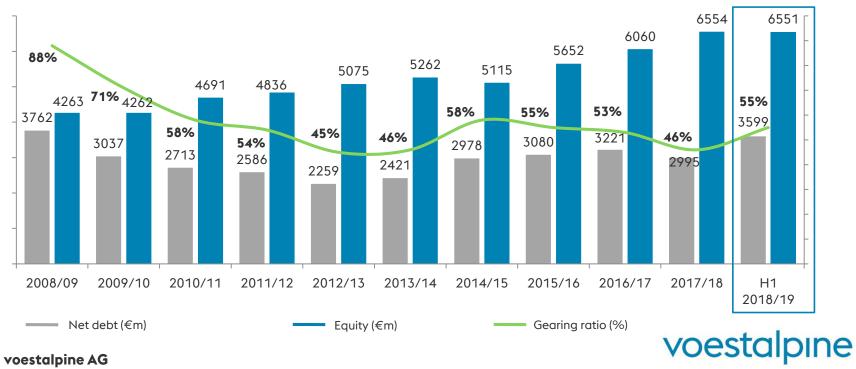
In millions of euros	H1 2017/18	H1 2018/19	Change (in %)
Revenue	6,302	6,674	5.9
Operating result (EBITDA) EBITDA margin (%)	969 15.4	860 12.9	-11.2
Profit from operations (EBIT) EBIT margin (%)	584 9.3	480 7.2	-17.9
Profit before tax (EBT) Profit after tax	514 389	422 316	-17.9 -18.7
Employees (full-time equivalent)	50,638	51,931	2.6
Investments	338	475	40.5

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BUSINESS YEAR 2018/19 OUTLOOK



- » Adjustment of the earnings forecast for the current business year due to
 - » Negative effects of distortions in international trade flows
 - » Cooling of the European automotive sector (WLTP)
 - » Repairs of Blast Furnace A, Linz
 - » Higher costs from run-up phases in North America and downtimes at the HBI plant
 - » Low water levels in Europe (logistics)

Outlook: EBITDA of almost EUR 1.8 billion EBIT slightly below EUR 1 billion



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