

# **Quarterly Report First 3 Months 2018/19**

Analyst Conference Call on February 13, 2019

# Operating earnings before taxes down on the very good previous year due to shutdowns





	3M 2018/19	3M 2017/18
Operating EBT (€ million)	40	79
Net cash flow (€ million)	-308	-246
Operating ROCE (%) (operating EBIT last 4 quarters)	11.1	15.4

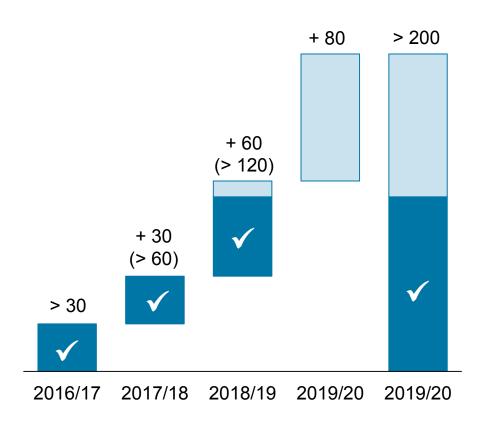
### Efficiency improvement program: Fully on track



Target: Project success > € 200 million (base year: 2014/15)



(in € million)



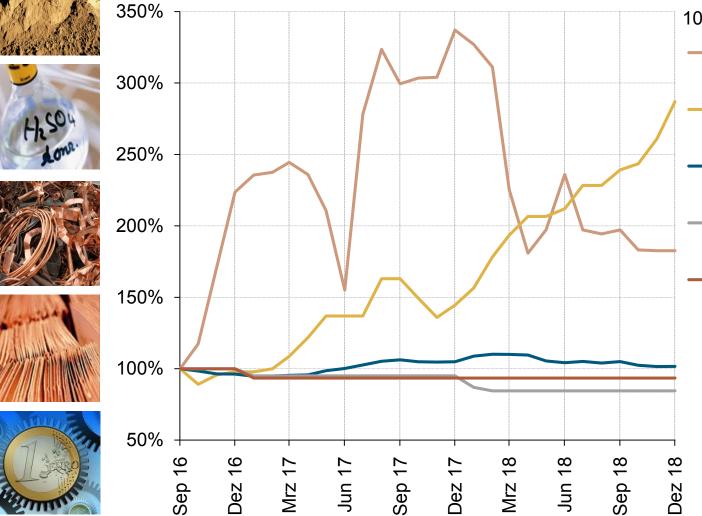
- » Measures for 2018/19 have been identified and are being implemented
- We are currently ahead of schedule, but we maintain our goal of € 200 million project success
- » All of the company's divisions are contributing to project success, including both production and the corporate functions
- » Possible deteriorating market conditions, as compared to reference year 2014/15, could have a counter-effect

### **Generally positive market environment**





### Trend in significant market prices and refining charges



100 % = Sept. 2016

- European refining charges for copper scrap
- Sulfuric acid price (spot CFR Brazil)
- •Exchange rate (US\$/€)
- -TC/RCs for copper concentrates (contract)
- Copper premium

## **Operating EBT below previous year**



		3M	3M	Change	
(operating IFRS)		2018/19	2017/18	Absolute	Relative
Revenues	€m	2,614	2,872	-258	-9 %
Gross profit	€m	264	291	-27	-9 %
EBITDA	€m	76	114	-38	-33 %
EBIT	€m	42	82	-40	-49 %
EBT	€m	40	79	-69	-49 %
Consolidated net income	€m	30	60	-30	-50 %

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### Solid balance sheet figures provide room for future growth



		3M 18/19	3M 17/18	Target
ROCE*	%	11.1	15.4	15.0
Equity ratio (equity / total liabilities)	%	56.6	51.4	> 40.0
Debt and interest coverage**		0.4	0.1	< 3.0

Additional KPIs		3M 18/19	3M 17/18
Capital expenditure (including finance leases)	€m	46	44
Capital employed (balance sheet date)	€m	2,629	2,390
Net cash flow	€m	-308	-246

<sup>\*</sup> Rolling EBIT last 4 quarters

<sup>\*\*</sup> Net financial liabilities / rolling EBITDA last 4 quarters

# Segment MRP: Unscheduled shutdowns negatively impact operating results



### Operating results for Segment Metal Refining & Processing (MRP) (first 3 months FY 2018/19)





















Segment MRP	3M 18/19	3M 17/18
EBIT (in €m)	59	95
EBT (in €m)	58	93
ROCE* (%)	14.6	20.4

(Quantities in 1,000 t)

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592	654			
108	99			
274	296			
540	633			
178	181			
45	44			
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- » Unscheduled shutdowns in Hamburg, Pirdop, and Lünen led to negative effect of approx. € 25 million
- » Accordingly, substantially lower concentrate throughput with lower TC/RCs
- Significantly lower refining charges for copper scrap with a stable supply
- Sood metal gain with lower metal prices
- » Higher sulfuric acid revenues due to price factors
- » Robust sales at a high level for Rod & Shapes
- » Positive contributions from our efficiency improvement program

<sup>\*</sup> Rolling EBIT last 4 quarters February 2019

# Segment FRP: Efficiency improvement program positively influences operating EBT



Operating results for Segment Flat Rolled Products (FRP) (first 3 months 2018/19)











Segment FRP	3M 18/19	3M 17/18
EBIT (in €m)	-1	-5
EBT (in €m)	-2	-7
ROCE* (%)	6.3	1.5

» Operating EBT significantly up on previous year due to positive effects from the ongoing efficiency improvement program

(Quantities in 1,000 t)

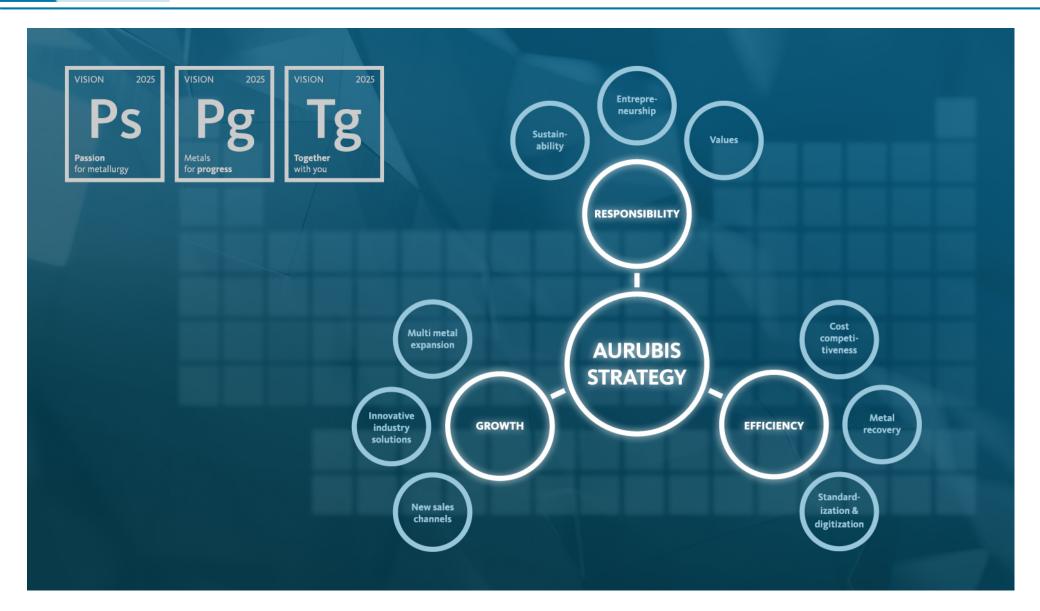
Flat rolled products and 53 55 specialty wire

» Sales volumes slightly below previous year due to demand

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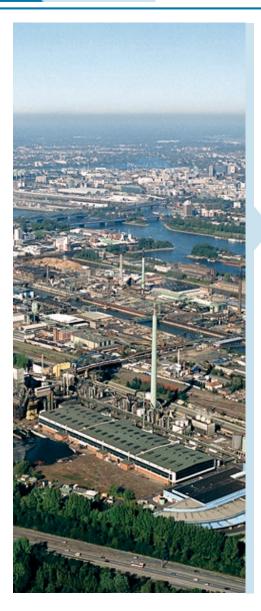
### Our strategic triad guides our future activities





### **Growth: Project Future Complex Metallurgy (FCM)**





# New facilities in Hamburg and Olen:

- » Bath smelting furnace, as well as leaching and electro-winning plant
- » Capex: around € 320 million (PFS)

### Additional use of input materials:

» 270,000 t of concentrates, recycling raw materials, and smelter intermediates

### **EBITDA** improvement:

» As of FY 2022/23: € 80 million (PFS)



Financials as per pre-feasibility study

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### Overall forecast confirmed for fiscal year 2018/19



- » Copper price: average 2019 copper price forecast at US\$ 6,307/t (Reuters poll 01/2019)
- » Copper concentrates: good supply with satisfactory TC/RCs expected
- » Plant availability at our primary copper smelters expected to be slightly below previous year
- Scheduled and unscheduled shutdowns (Q1) will impact our operating result
- Sulfuric acid markets signal high demand with stable prices
- » Copper scrap: satisfactory supply volume and refining charges at a good level
- » Aurubis Copper Premium: US\$ 96/t (2018: US\$ 86/t) established for European customers for 2019
- » Rod & Shapes: robust demand situation at a high level
- » Flat rolled products: satisfactory demand situation
- » Efficiency improvement target of additional € 60 million project result, based on conditions of 2014/15, is expected to be reached
- » US dollar effect at prior-year level

For FY 2018/19, we expect moderately lower operating EBT and a slightly lower operating ROCE for the Aurubis Group compared to the 2017/18 reporting year.

## Aurubis definition for a qualified comparative forecast

#### Change in operating EBT

± 0 to 5 % At prior-year level ± 5.1 to 15 % Moderate

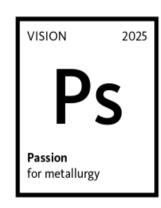
> ±15 % Significant

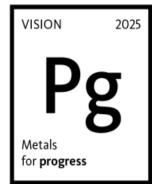
#### Operating ROCE delta as a percentage

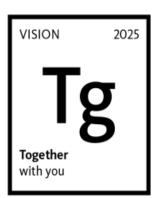
± 0 to 1 At prior-year level ± 1.1 to 4 Slight

> ± 4 Significant









Thank you for your attention



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#### **Financial Calendar**



- » Annual General Meeting
- Interim Report First 6 Months 2018/19
- » Quarterly Report First 9 Months 2018/19
- » Annual Report 2018/19

2/28/2019 5/15/2019 8/8/2019 12/11/2019

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