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FY 2017 Highlights

- Continued profitable growth in a challenging market and FX environment
- Lab Products & Services develops dynamically driven by both strong organic growth and acquisitions
- Bioprocess Solutions Division impacted by some temporary effects; strong order intake in H2 2017
 - Positive outlook for 2018





Continued profitable growth despite unfavorable FX trend

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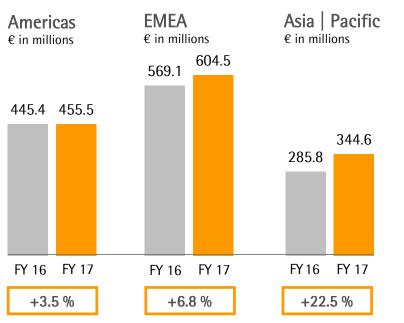
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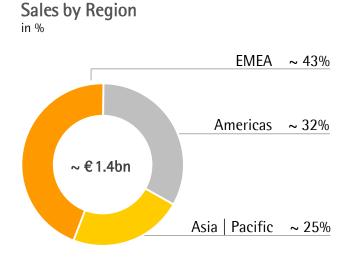
	FY 2016	FY 2017		\triangle in % cc ¹
Sales revenue	1,300.3	1,404.6	+8.0	+9.3
Order intake	1,334.7	1,501.4	+12.5	+13.7
Underlying EBITDA ²	325.4	353.2	+8.5	
Underlying EBITDA ² margin in %	25.0	25.1	+0.1pp	
Underlying EPS³ (ord.) in €	1.93	2.10	+8.6	
Underlying EPS³ (pref.) in €	1.94	2.11	+8.6	
Capex ratio in %	11.7	14.9	+3.2pp	

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Growth strong in Asia, temporarily dampened in the Americas



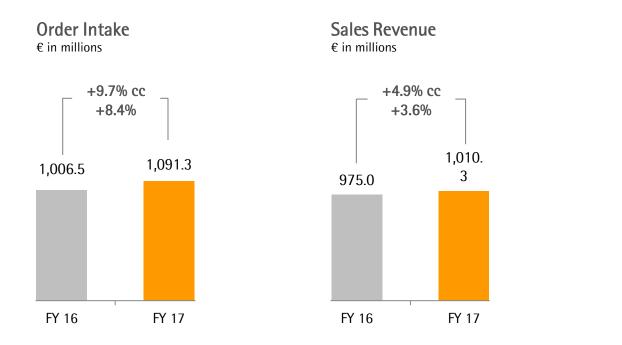


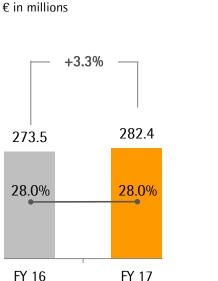
Acc. to customers' location; growth in constant currencies

- Americas: high prior-year base; influenced by a few temporarily dampening effects in BPS
- EMEA: strong organic growth and acquisitions drive LPS; BPS affected by destocking by some customers
- Asia | Pacific: dynamic growth fueled by both divisions; some larger equipment projects in BPS



BPS: Order intake gaining momentum in H2



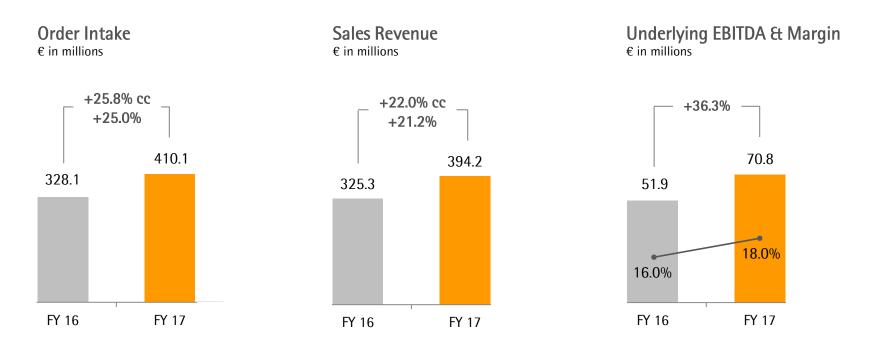


Underlying EBITDA & Margin

- Destocking by a few customers, transient manufacturing (Puerto Rico) and supply bottlenecks (cell culture media) weigh on growth
- Acquisitions of kSep and Umetrics contribute approx. 1pp to growth
- EBITDA margin on previous year's level despite significant FX headwind
- Strong order intake in H2 2017 supports confidence for current year



LPS: Dynamic development in line with expectations



- All regions and all product categories drive strong organic growth of around 8%
- Recent acquisitions in the field of Bioanalytics contributed approx. 14 pp to sales growth
- Substantial increase in earnings due to scale effects and acquisitions; currencies dilutive



Cash flow influenced by recent acquisitions

Sartorius Group

€ in millions

	FY 2016	FY 2017	∆ in %
Underlying EBITDA	325.4	353.2	+8.5
Extraordinary items	-30.7	-35.5	-15.5
Financial result	-16.4	-20.8	-27.0
Underlying net profit ^{1,2}	132.6	144.0	+8.6
Reported net profit ²	102.9	114.7	+11.5
Net operating cash flow	170.4	206.5	+21.2
Net investing cash flow ³	-268.2	-555.1	-106.9

- Change in financial result due to debt-rel. interest expenses
- Increase in EBITDA and lower tax payments drive net operating cash flow
- Net investing cash flow primarily reflects the acquisitions of Essen and Umetrics; capex increased as planned

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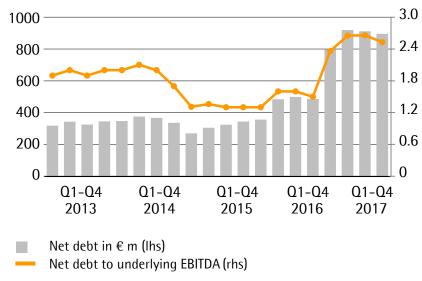


Key financial indicators remain at robust levels

Key Financial Indicators

Sartorius Group	Dec. 31, 2016	Dec. 31, 2017
Equity ratio in %	42.0	35.1
Net debt in millions of €	485.9	895.5
Net debt underlying EBITDA	1.5	2.5

Net Debt to Underlying EBITDA





Implications of US tax reform for Sartorius

- In fiscal 2017, Sartorius realizes a non-cash-effective, one-time benefit from revaluation of deferred tax assets and liabilities of around € 16mn; therefore tax rate at 20% (prev. year: 29%)
- From 2018 onwards, Group's tax rate is expected to decrease by 2pp to around 27%



Outlook for 2018

	FY 2017		
	Sales Revenue Growth ¹	Underlying EBITDA Margin	
Sartorius Group	9.3%	25.1%	
Bioprocess Solutions	4.9%	28.0%	
Lab Products & Services	22.0%	18.0%	

FY 2018 Guidance ¹		
Sales Revenue Underlying Growth EBITDA Margin		
~ 9% - 12%	~ +0.5pp	
~ 8% - 11%	~ +0.5pp	
~ 12% - 15%	~ +1.0pp	

- Growth guidance includes non-organic contribution by recent acquisitions of ~ 0.5pp in BPS and
 ~ 2.5pp in LPS, i.e. ~ 1.0pp for the Group
- Capex ratio ~ 15% (FY 2017: 14.9%)

¹ In constant currencies



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EBITDA influenced by FX headwinds; Strong order intake momentum

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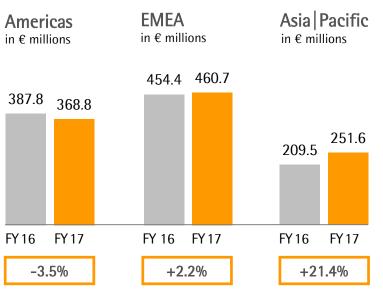
	FY 2016	FY 2017		\triangle in % cc ¹
Sales revenue	1,051.6	1,081.0	+2.8	+4.1
Order intake	1,080.8	1,162.3	+7.5	+8.8
Underlying EBITDA ²	288.7	294.9	+2.2	
Underlying EBITDA ² margin in %	27.5	27.3	-0.2pp	
Underlying EPS³ per share in €	1.92	1.96	+2.2	
Capex ratio in %	7.6	12.6	+5pp	

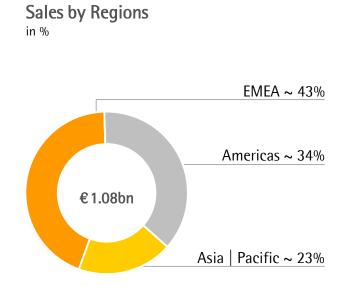
- High base after extraordinarily strong 2015 and 2016; Temporary destocking by some customers as well as manufacturing (Puerto Rico) and supply bottlenecks (cell culture media) dampened growth
- Acquisitions of kSep and Umetrics contributed ~1pp to growth
- Strong order intake growth in H2 supports positive 2018 outlook
- US tax reform without significant impact on net earnings in 2017

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Different development in the regions





Acc. to customers' location; growth in constant currencies

- Particularly the Americas & EMEA compare with a very high prior-year base; softer demand in the Americas and parts of Europe, additionally destocking by a few customers especially in Q3 2017
- Moreover, the Americas also influenced by transient manufacturing (Puerto Rico) and supply bottlenecks (cell culture media)
- Dynamic growth in Asia | Pacific supported by some large equipment projects



Healthy cash flow performance; influenced by acquisitions

Sartorius Stedim Biotech Group

€ in millions

F	FY 2017 △ in %
g EBITDA	294.9 +2.2
nary items	-22.6 -24.8
result	-1.1 +91.6
g net profit ^{1,2}	180.4 +2.2
net profit ²	161.1 +4.8
ting cash flow	174.8 +11.6
ring cash flow ³ -	-194.9 -89.7

- Change in financial result mainly due to valuation effects of derivatives | fx loans
- Net operating cash flow developed as expected
- Net investing cash flow primarily reflects the acquisition of Umetrics and capex for capacity expansion

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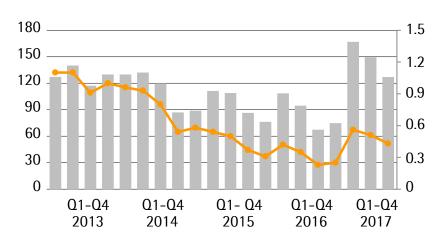


Financial position remains very strong

Key Financial Indicators

Sartorius Stedim Biotech	Dec. 31, 2016	Dec. 31, 2017
Equity ratio in %	63.9	62.6
Net debt in millions of €	67.6	127.1
Net debt underlying EBITDA	0.2	0.4

Net Debt to Underlying EBITDA



Net debt in € m (lhs)Net debt to underlying EBITDA (rhs)



Outlook for 2018

	FY 2017	FY 2018 Guidance
Sales revenue growth ¹	4.1%	~ 7% - 10%
Underlying EBITDA margin	27.3%	~ +0.5pp ¹
Capex ratio	12.6%	~ 15%

¹ In constant currencies

- Growth guidance includes non-organic contribution by recent acquisition of ~ 0.5pp
- As a result from the US tax reform, SSB's tax rate is expected to decrease from 2018 onwards by 2pp to around 26%





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