

EVN conference call Annual results 2017/18

13 December 2018

- Group net result above normal level for second year in succession due to non-recurring effects
 - Positive non-cash effect from higher valuation of hedges as of 30 September 2018
- Increase of renewable electricity generation by 5.7%
- Volume and price effects weigh on natural gas distribution business in Lower Austria
- Significantly milder temperatures especially in South Eastern Europe
- 73% EBITDA from regulated and stable activities
 - 56% in Austria, 17% in South Eastern Europe
- Dividend proposal to 90th Annual General Meeting
 - EUR 0.44 plus bonus dividend of EUR 0.03 per share

Key financials 2017/18

	FY 2017/18	+/-
	EURm	%
Revenue	2,072.6	-6.5
EBITDA	671.8	-6.9
Depreciation and amortisation	-258.3	1.5
Effects from impairment tests	-20.6	81.7
EBIT	392.9	13.3
Financial results	-37.2	-73.9
Group net result	254.6	1.4
Net cash flow from operating activities	603.5	18.6
Investments ¹⁾	356.4	17.3
Net debt	963.7	-20.6
	%	
Equity ratio ²⁾	52.3	3.5

→ Decline in revenue

- Thermal electricity generation below high prior year level and reduced natural gas trading activities
- Temperature-related drop in revenue in South Eastern Europe
- Decline from international project business

→ Lower EBITDA

- Decreased operating expenses
- Increase in results from equity accounted investees due to valuation effects of hedges at EVN KG

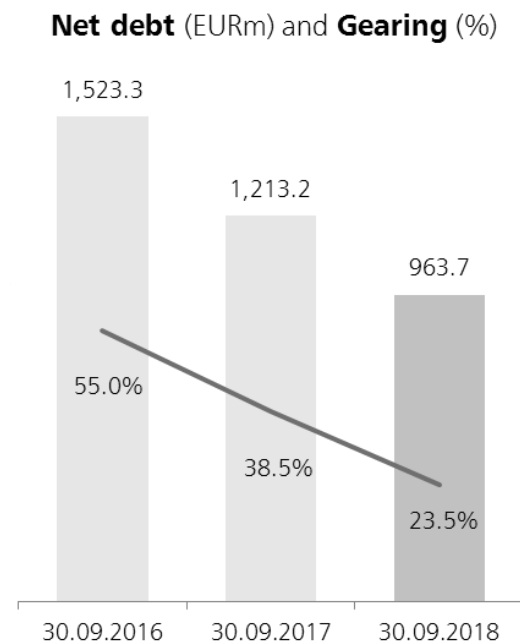
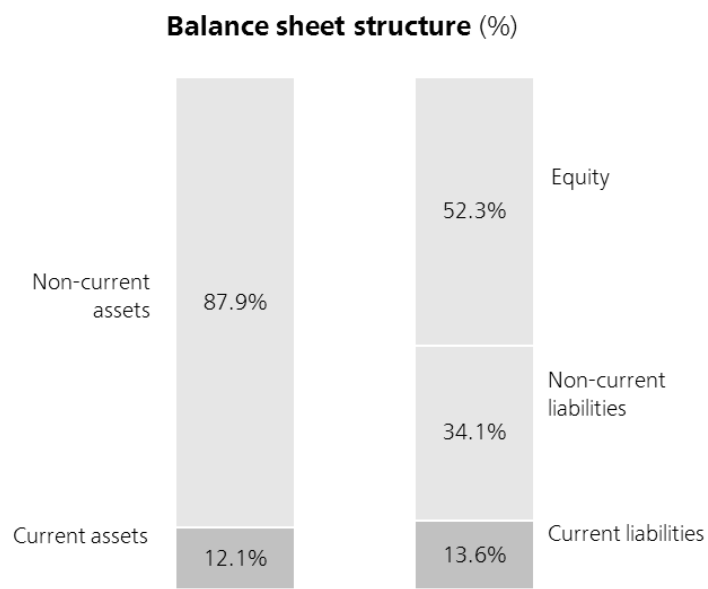
→ Improvement in EBIT and Group net result

- Prior year influenced by impairment losses

¹⁾ In intangible assets and property, plant and equipment

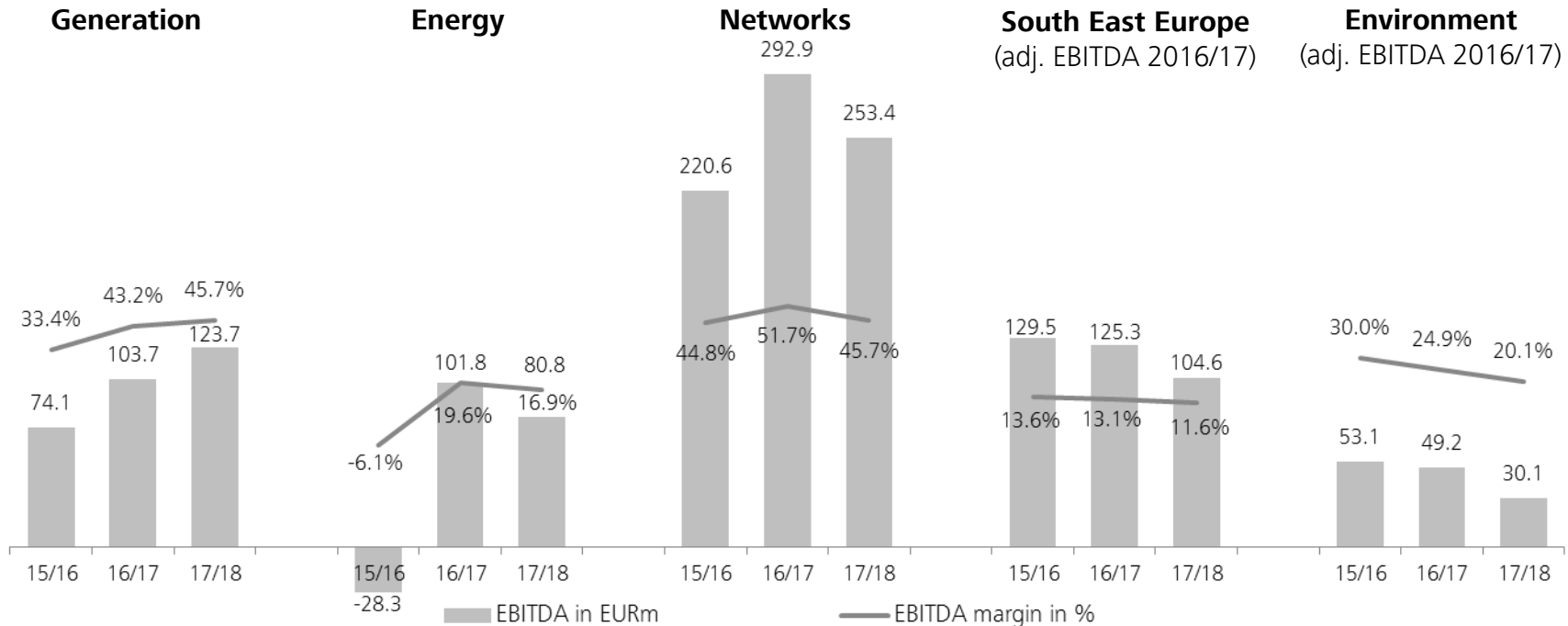
²⁾ Changes reported in percentage points

Solid balance sheet structure, reduced net debt



- Reduction of net debt to EUR 963.7m (30 September 2017: EUR 1,213.2m)
- Gearing decreased from 38.5% to 23.5%

EBITDA development by segments



- Higher renewable generation
- Contractual reserve capacity

- Positive non-cash effect from valuation of hedges
- Temperature-related decline in natural gas and heat sales volumes
- Provision for onerous contracts related to marketing of own electricity production

- Negative volume and price effects in natural gas distribution
- Higher operating expenses

- Temperature-related decline in network distribution and sales volumes
- EBITDA 2016/17 adjusted by EUR 42.0m positive effect from settlement with Bulgarian NEK

- Decline in international project business
- EBITDA 2016/17 adjusted by EUR 45.5m valuation allowance to inventories

	FY 2017/18	+/-
	GWh	%
Electricity generation volumes		
Total	4,794	-9.2
Renewable energy sources	1,771	4.5
Thermal energy sources	3,023	-15.7

	FY 2017/18	+/-
	EURm	%
Financial performance		
Revenue	270.6	12.8
EBITDA	123.7	19.2
EBIT	78.4	-

The Generation Segment includes the thermal waste utilisation plant in Zwentendorf/Dürnrohr since Q. 4 2017/18

→ Increased renewable generation

- Good water flows and continuous expansion of windpower capacities

→ Decline in thermal production

→ Increased revenue

- Higher renewable generation
- Positive effects from contractual reserve capacities for network stability

→ Improvements in EBITDA and EBIT

- Lower expenses for primary energy carriers
- Prior year influenced from impairment losses

Sales volumes to end customers	FY 2017/18 GWh	+/- %
Electricity	7,080	9.0
Natural gas	5,083	-10.2
Heat	2,011	-2.5

Financial performance	FY 2017/18 EURm	+/- %
Revenue	478.6	-8.0
EBITDA	80.8	-20.6
EBIT	57.4	-22.3

→ Different development of energy sales volumes

- Higher electricity sales volumes
- Weather-related decline in natural gas and heat sales volumes

→ Revenue dropped y-o-y

- Decrease in marketing of own thermal generation
- Reduced natural gas trading activities

→ EBITDA and EBIT below previous year

- Provision for onerous contracts related to marketing of own electricity production
- Positive contrary effect from valuation gains on hedges at EVN KG

Network distribution volumes	FY 2017/18 GWh	+/- %
Electricity	8,565	1.3
Natural gas ¹⁾	16,927	-9.2

Financial performance	FY 2017/18 EURm	+/- %
Revenue	554.4	-2.2
EBITDA	253.4	-13.5
EBIT	142.6	-19.7

1) Including network sales to EVN's power stations

- **Different development of network distribution volumes**
 - Increase in electricity supported by sound economy
 - Decline in natural gas due to the reduced use of thermal power plants in Lower Austria
- **Revenue below previous year**
 - Negative volume and price effects
 - New regulatory period for natural gas distribution networks as of 1 January 2018
- **EBITDA and EBIT declined y-o-y**
 - Increased operating expenses (higher upstream costs and costs for third party services)

Key energy business indicators	FY 2017/18 GWh	+/- %
Electricity generation volumes	385	-11.6
Network distribution volumes	13,955	-1.5
Electricity sales volumes	11,333	-6.0
Heat sales volumes	208	-10.2

Financial performance	FY 2017/18 EURm	+/- %
Revenue	902.8	-5.8
EBITDA	104.6	-37.5
EBIT	40.2	-50.4

→ **Business development suffers from milder winter**

- Temperature-related decline in network distribution and energy sales volumes
- Revenue dropped y-o-y

→ **Decline in EBITDA and EBIT**

- Prior year positively influenced by non-recurring effect from settlement with Bulgarian NEK

	FY 2017/18	+/-
Financial performance	EURm	%
Revenue	150.0	-24.0
EBITDA	30.1	-
EBIT	9.3	-
Financial results	-10.4	-
Result before income tax	-1.1	95.2

→ Decline in revenue

- Less dynamic development of international project business

→ EBITDA and EBIT above prior year

- Previous year affected by negative non-recurring effect (valuation allowance on inventories)

	FY 2017/18	+/-
	EURm	in %
Gross cash flow	560.3	-2.1
Net cash flow from operating activities	603.5	18.6
Net cash flow from investing activities	-457.1	-
Net cash flow from financing activities	-153.5	65.1
Net change in cash and cash equivalents	-7.1	-

→ Increase in CF from operating activities

- Strong operating performance
- Prior year negatively affected by the arbitration decision for Walsum, however corresponding positive effect was contained in CF from investing activities

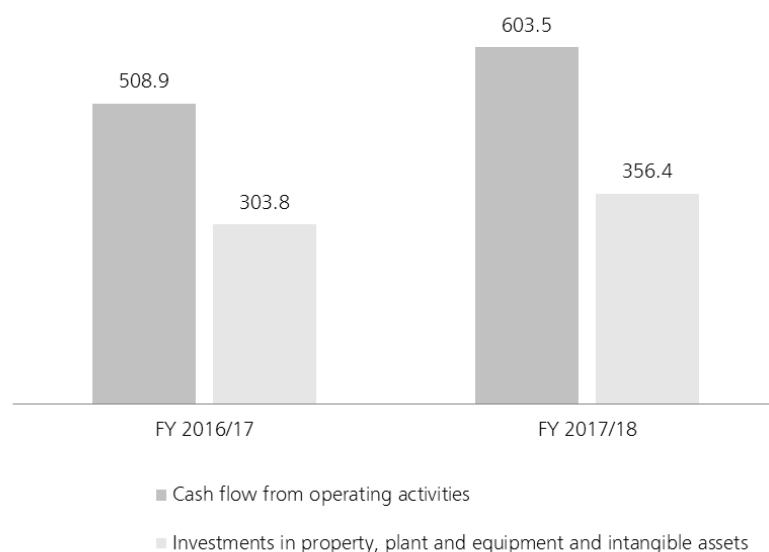
→ CF from investing activities

- Higher investments and a rise in short-term securities

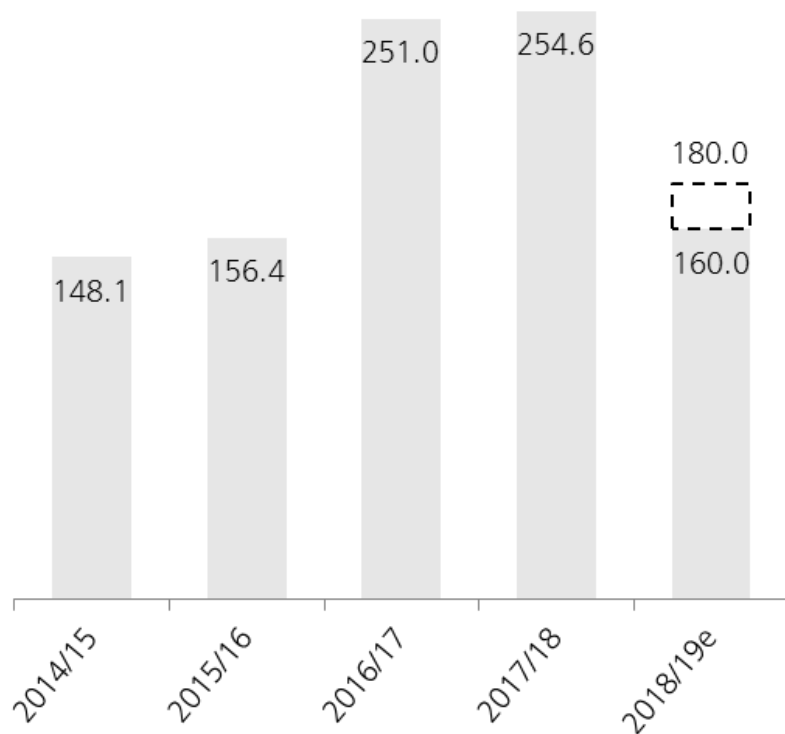
→ CF from financing activities

- Dividend payments
- Scheduled repayments of loans

Cash flow from operating activities and investments (EURm)



→ Development of Group net result



- Group net result for 2017/18 positively influenced by valuation of hedges
- Expected Group net result for 2018/19 in the range of EUR 160m to EUR 180m
- Factors that could influence the Group net result include
 - Regulatory background
 - Proceedings currently in progress in Bulgaria
 - Remaining proceeding over the Walsum 10 power plant project
 - Progress on activities in Moscow

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