

# **Quarterly Report First 3 Months 2016/17**

Analyst Conference Call February 13, 2017

#### Aurubis fulfills expectations in Q1 of fiscal year 2016/17





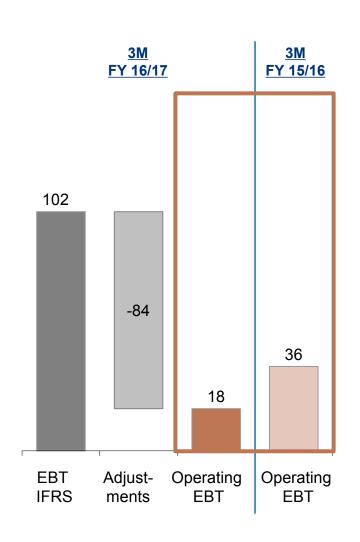
	3M FY 2016/17	3M FY 2015/16
Operating EBT (€ million)	18	36
Net cash flow (€ million)	-42	-23
Operating ROCE (%) (based on operating EBIT for the last 12 months)	9.5	17.5

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#### Q1: Good result burdened by measurement effects



#### EBT 3M 2016/17 (in € million, rounded)



#### Main factors influencing the result

- Lower concentrate throughput and sulfuric acid output due to the legally mandated maintenance shutdown in Hamburg (€ -15 million)
- » Measurement effects in connection with inventory build-up at higher metal prices (€ -26 million) – expected to neutralize during the course of the fiscal year
- Weaker sulfuric acid revenues due to a surplus on the global markets
- » Improved revenues from copper scrap input resulting from higher throughputs with lower refining charges
- » A higher metal gain with increased metal prices
- » Lower cathode premium
- Weaker product markets due to seasonal factors

» Strong US dollar

#### **Aurubis Group KPIs**



(operating, based on IFRS)

		ЗМ	3M	Cha	nge
		2016/17	2015/16	Absolute	Relative
Revenues	€m	2,462	2,398	64	3 %
Gross profit	€m	230	241	-11	-5 %
EBITDA	€m	54	71	-17	-24 %
EBIT	€m	22	41	-19	-46 %
EBT	€m	18	36	-18	-50 %
Consolidated net income	€m	14	26	-12	-46 %
Net cash flow	€m	-42	-23	-19	-88 %
Return on capital employed (ROCE)	%	9.5	17.5	_	-

## Reconciliation of statement of financial position/income statement from IFRS (average cost method) to IFRS (operating)



In € million	IFRS (average cost method)	IFRS (operating)	Adjustments
Statement of financial position 12/3	1/2016		-
Total assets	4,255	3,953	-302
<u>Assets</u>			
Fixed assets	1,504	1,458	-46
Deferred tax assets	11	43	32
Inventories	1,921	1,633	-288
Equity and liabilities			
Equity	2,100	1,874	-226
Deferred tax liabilities	176	100	-76
Income statement 10/1/2016 – 12/31/2016			
Change in inventories	64	44	-20
Cost of materials	-2,228	-2,293	-65
Gross profit	315	230	-85
Earnings before taxes	102	18	-84
Income taxes	-24	-4	20
Consolidated net income	78	14	-64

#### **Stable Aurubis Group KPIs**



(operating, based on IFRS)

	12/31/2016 operating	12/31/2015 operating	Target
Profitability ROCE*	9.5 %	17.5 %	15 %
Capital structure  - Equity ratio (equity / total assets)  - Fixed asset cover (equity / fixed assets)  - Intensity of investment (fixed assets / total assets)	47.4 % 128.5 % 36.9 %	49.0 % 128.2 % 38.2 %	> 40 % > 120 % < 40 %
Debt and interest coverage  - Net debt / EBITDA  - EBITDA / net interest expense  Liquidity  Ouisk ratio (current assets, inventories +	0.4 14.2 119.3 %	0.2 18.8 153.6 %	< 3 > 5
<ul> <li>Quick ratio (current assets - inventories + finished products + credit lines / current liabilities)</li> </ul>	119.5-70	155.0 /0	> 100 %

<sup>\*</sup> rolling EBIT for the last 4 quarters

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### **BU Primary Copper: Good results despite shutdown and measurement effects**



Operating results for BU Copper Products (first 3 months 2016/17)

BU Primary Copper	Q1	Q1
Coppei	16/17	15/16
EBIT (in €m)	36	30
EBT (in €m)	34	28
ROCE (%)	17.0	29.6
(Quantities in 1,000 t)		
Concentrates	544	601
Copper scrap/ blister copper	27	29
Cathodes	152	150
Sulfuric acid	529	576
Gold (t)	10	10
Silver (t)	258	218















- Scheduled maintenance shutdown in Hamburg with negative effect on earnings of € 15 million
- » Temporary negative measurement effects of € 3 million in connection with inventory build-up at increased copper prices
- Good treatment charge level for copper concentrates
- » Higher metal gain with higher metal prices
- » Weaker sulfuric acid revenues resulting from surplus on the global markets
- » Good copper scrap supply
- Increased silver output due to higher level of precious metals in input mix

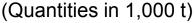
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### **BU Copper Products: Recovery on the copper scrap** markets



Operating results for BU Copper Products (first 3 months 2016/17)

BU Copper	Q1	Q1	
Products	16/17	15/16	
EBIT (in €m)	-7	17	
EBT (in €m)	-9	17	
ROCE (%)	6.6	12.8	



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Copper scrap/ blister copper	91	67
KRS throughput	65	70
Cathodes	129	130
Rod	163	178
Shapes	43	38
Flat rolled products and wire	53	50















- » Temporary negative measurement effects of € 23 million in connection with inventory build-up at increased copper prices
- Weak demand in product sector due to seasonal factors
- » Very good copper scrap supply leads to higher throughputs
- » Low demand on cathode markets due to seasonal factors
- » Availability of other recycling materials sufficient, with increasingly intense competition

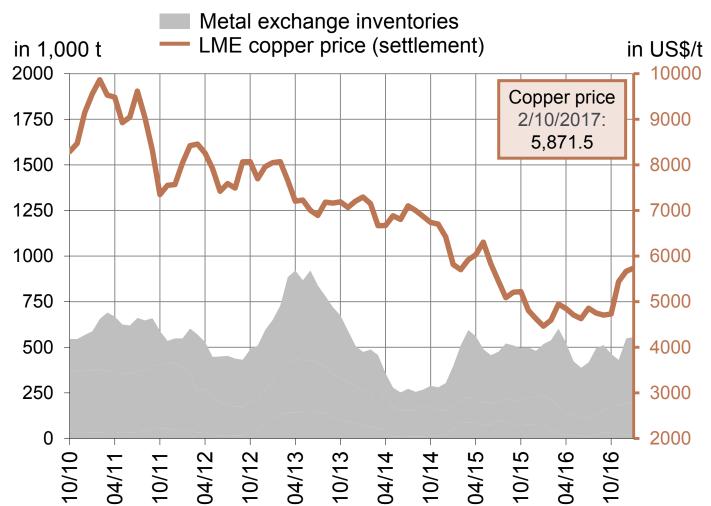
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#### **Copper price: Trending upward**



#### Copper price and metal exchange inventories





#### Aurubis confirms earnings forecast for 2016/17



- The January 2017 Reuters poll on the average copper price is at US\$ 5,364/t for 2017 and US\$ 5,437/t for 2018
- » Satisfactory treatment and refining charges for copper concentrates
- » High capacity utilization expected at our primary copper smelters
- » No recovery of sulfuric acid prices
- Cathode premiums reduced from US\$ 92/t to US\$ 86/t starting in our Q2 2016/17
- » Continued recovery on copper scrap markets with rising refining charges due to higher copper prices
- » Stable demand at prior-year level expected in copper product business
- Started initiatives will influence the earnings trend in the current year, with significant positive contributions to earnings expected in future fiscal years
- » Strong US\$ supports the result

We continue to expect significantly higher operating EBT and slightly higher operating ROCE for the Aurubis Group in fiscal year 2016/17

#### **Aurubis forecast for FY 2016/17**



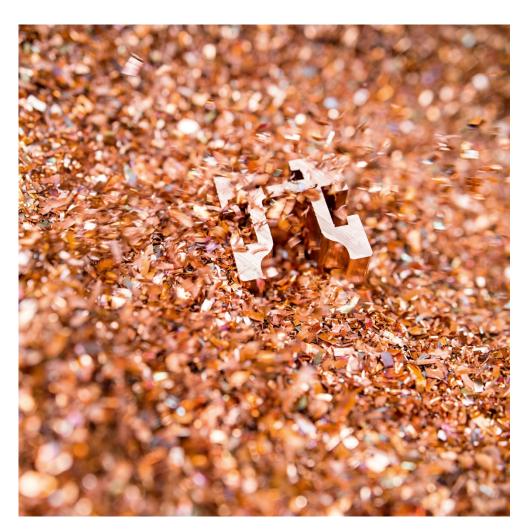
Overall, we expect significantly higher operating EBT and slightly higher operating ROCE for the Group.

### **Qualified comparative forecast according to Aurubis' definition**

Change in operating EBT		
± 2 %	At prior-year level	
± 3 to10 %	Slight	
> ±10 %	Significant	

Operating ROCE delta as a percentage		
± 1.0	At prior-year level	
± 1-5	Slight	
> ± 5	Significant	





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- » Annual General Meeting 2017
- Interim Report First 6 Months 2016/17
- » Quarterly Report First 9 Months 2016/17
- » Annual Report 2016/17

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Dec. 13, 2017



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