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4th May 2016

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Indices			
Dow Jones	17750.91	-0.78%	+1.87%
S&P 500	2063.37	-0.87%	+0.95%
Nasdaq	4763.22	-1.13%	-4.88%
Nikkei	closed	-	-15.16%
Stoxx 600	335.559	-1.66%	-8.27%
CAC 40	4371.98	-1.59%	-5.72%
Oil /Gold			
Crude WTI	43.79	-2.25%	+17.72%
Gold (once)	1285.5	-0.68%	+21.00%
Currencies/Rates			
EUR/USD	1.15175	+0.03%	+6.03%
EUR/CHF	1.09745	-0.22%	+0.92%
German 10 years	0.197	-28.83%	-68.95%
French 10 years	0.559	-10.49%	-43.00%
Euribor	-	+-%	+-%

Economic releases:

Date

4th-May

FR - Merchandise Trade FR - PMI composite (50.5E) DE-PMI composite (53.8E)

EUZ - Retail Sales Mar. (2.6% E y/y) US- ADP Emploment change Apr. (195K E) US - ISM non manuf./Servives Composite Apr.

Upcoming BG events

Date

Groupe SEB (BG Luxembourg Lunch with IR) 4th-May

GENMAB (BG Paris roadshow) 15th-Jun IMERYS (BG Luxembourg with CFO) 27th-Jun

Recent reports:

4th-Apr

Date	
3rd-May	Rémy cointreau The glass is filling up
2nd-May	Moncler Good protection from chilly conditions
11th-Apr	ALTICE NUMERICABLE SFR : The time of Marketing?
8th-Apr	Nicox A visible decrease in pressure (CORPORATE, FV EUR14)
6th Anr	FDP Panavavais : Panawahlas what alsa?

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BG's Wake Up Call

AB INBEV

NEUTRAL, Fair Value EUR109 (+1%)

Q1 2016 disappoints

ADIDAS GROUP

BUY, Fair Value EUR122 (+8%)

(Impressive) Q1 16 numbers in line with pre-announced publication

DIALOG SEMICONDUCTOR

BUY, Fair Value EUR39 (+30%)

Dialog slashes FY16 guidance and announces a share buyback programme

EDP RENOVAVEIS

NEUTRAL, Fair Value EUR7.5 (+12%)

Q1-16 earnings supported by commissioning and assets management

FRESENIUS SE

BUY-Top Picks, Fair Value EUR73 vs. EUR70 (+13%)

We see room to outstrip FY2016 guidance

HEIDELBERGCEMENT

BUY-Top Picks, Fair Value EUR86 (+11%)

Q1 EBITDA slightly better than expectations

HUGO BOSS

NEUTRAL, Fair Value EUR77 vs. EUR80 (+34%)

FY16 outlook requires a clear improvement in persistently challenging market conditions

INFINEON

BUY, Fair Value EUR15 (+18%)

Current share price weakness is a Buy opportunity

VEOLIA ENVIRONNEMENT

NEUTRAL, Fair Value EUR22 (+5%)

Q1 first take: Poor sales performance and solid LfL EBITDA growth as expected

VINCI

BUY, Fair Value EUR72 (+11%)

Vinci London Roadshow reinforces our positive stance on the stock

In brief...

ALTICE, FCC signs off on Altice's Cablevision Buy

AXA, Satisfactory Q1 numbers

BEIERSDORF, Q1 sales up 2.4% organically, below expectations mainly due to Tesa

CASINO GUICHARD, Exercise of call option on Monoprix Mandatory Bonds

ORPEA, Q1 2016 revenue (contact): higher than expected reported figures with strong Ifl growth

PERNOD RICARD, Pernod Ricard ready to sell Paddy Irish Whiskey

SAINT GOBAIN, Wendel to sell 5.3% of SGO shares

Food & Beverages

AB InBev Price EUR108.15

Bloombera

Reuters

FV/FBIT

12-month High / Li Market Cap (EURm Ev (BG Estimates) Avg. 6m daily volu 3y EPS CAGR	n) (EURm)			3 / 91.3 173,931 240,343 1,704 3.6%
	1 M	3 M	6 M 31	/12/15
Absolute perf.	-0.9%	-3.7%	-0.4%	-5.5%
Food & Bev.	-0.7%	-3.4%	-5.7%	-5.0%
DJ Stoxx 600	0.7%	1.9%	-11.3%	-8.3%
YEnd Dec. (USDm)	2014	2015e	2016e	2017e
Sales	47,063	44,386	42,865	59,594
% change		-5.7%	-3.4%	39.0%
EBITDA	18,663	17,838	17,236	24,671
EBIT	15,308	14,508	13,837	20,444
% change		-5.2%	-4.6%	47.7%
Net income	8,865	8,375	8,027	11,721
% change		-5.5%	-4.2%	46.0%
	2014	2015e	2016e	2017e
Operating margin	32.5	32.7	32.3	34.3
Net margin	18.8	18.9	18.7	19.7
ROE	17.7	16.0	14.6	12.3
ROCE	11.1	10.3	9.5	10.0
Gearing	83.5	80.7	75.6	85.0
(USD)	2014	2015e	2016e	2017e
EPS	5.32	5.06	4.85	5.91
% change	-	-5.1%	-4.2%	22.0%
P/E	23.4x	24.6x	25.7x	21.1x
FCF yield (%)	4.5%	4.8%	4.1%	5.8%
Dividends (USD)	2.64	2.65	2.54	3.10
Div yield (%)	2.1%	2.1%	2.0%	2.5%
EV/Sales	6.1x	6.2x	6.4x	5.3x
EV/EBITDA	15.4x	15.5x	16.0x	12.8x



18.8x

19.1x

Q1 2016 disappoints

Fair Value EUR109 (+1%)

NEUTRAL

AB InBev has reported disappointing first quarter results with revenues down 10% and EBITDA down 13%. Figures fell short of consensus expectations by 4% and 5% respectively.

InBev reported Q1 2016 results this morning

ANALYSIS

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- Reported figures were down double digit: Revenue down 10.1%, EBITDA down 12.7% and EBIT down 16.2%. The figures were well below the consensus, which was looking for a decline in revenue of 6% and EBITDA by 8%. So a big miss.
- The weak performance was partly explained by weak emerging market currencies. Organic revenue growth was still a decent 3.1% and EBITDA organic growth is 2.5%. But of course these more positive figures were helped by the high level of inflation stemming from the currency declines. As such, its probably best to look for organic volume growth as a measure of performance, especially for emerging markets business. For the company as a whole, volumes were down organically by 1.7%, which is pretty poor compared to the 7% organic volume growth that Heineken reported last month (20/4).
- The weakest regions were Latin-America North (mainly Brazil) and Latin-America South (mainly Argentina) with reported revenues down 26% and 18% respectively and volumes down 7.3% and 5.3% in organic terms, respectively. Clearly the weak performance was due to beer consumption finally reflecting the challenging macroeconomic environment and Brazil beer volumes fell 10%. However in China volumes also fell 1.1% for AB InBev in a market down 4%. Although this was still a decent relative performance, price/mix seemed only to have increased by 2% which is a far cry from the 9.4% that the company delivered in 2015. Maybe this indicates that the strong outperformance that AB InBev enjoyed in the past thanks to premium Budweiser is slowing down.
- The good news was that Mexico is benefiting from an improved macro in the US. A favourable consumer environment and an early Easter drove volumes 13% higher and organic revenue growth was 16.3%, although reported growth was still down 4% (because of currency weakness). However with more marketing costs this year going into Q1, organic EBITDA was up only 10.3% and down 11% in reported terms.
- News from the US business was still mixed. The company continued to underperform the
 market (ABI sales to retailers down 0.3% in a market up 0.7%) but the decline in market share
 of 45bps was better than it was in 2015 (-65bps). The core Bud Light and Budweiser brands are
 still the ones causing the damage, with Bud Light down "just over 1%" and Budweiser down
 "low single digits".

VALUATION

15.5x

19.9x

- Our DCF based Fair Value of USD109 is based on a risk free rate of 1.7%, a risk premium of 7% and a terminal growth rate of 3.7%.
- Valued at 25.7x 2016 earnings including expectations that the SABMiller deal will be strongly earnings enhancing.

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· Conference call at 3pm (Paris time) this afternoon

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Q1 results by region				
	Q1 15	Q1 16	Reported	Organic
Revenues				
North America	3601	3532	-2%	0.3%
Mexico	893	854	-4%	16.3%
Latam North	2489	1845	-26%	-1.9%
Latam South	918	749	-18%	17.2%
Europe	775	740	-5%	4.6%
Apac	1294	1258	-3%	1.9%
GEMC	483	422	-13%	-0.5%
Group	10453	9400	-10%	3.1%
EBITDA				
North America	1381	1384	0%	2.1%
Mexico	417	371	-11%	10.3%
Latam North	1267	916	-28%	-3.4%
Latam South	417	364	-13%	24.2%
Europe	154	134	-13%	-4.7%
Apac	340	338	-1%	3.3%
GEMC	-10	-46	360%	na
Group	3966	3461	-13%	2.5%

Source: AB InBev

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conference call today at 3:00pm (CET).

Luxury & Consumer Goods

adidas Group Price EUR113.45

Bloomberg				ADS GY
Reuters				ADSG.F
12-month High / L	ow (EUR)			114.1 / 63.7
Market Cap (EURr	n)			23,736
Ev (BG Estimates)	(EURm)			24,724
Avg. 6m daily volu	ıme (000)			1 071
3y EPS CAGR				20.3%
	1 M	3 M	6 M	31/12/15

3y EPS CAGR				20.3%
	1 M	3 M	6 M 3	1/12/15
Absolute perf.	10.7%	23.3%	39.7%	26.2%
Consumer Gds	-0.6%	-0.8%	-7.4%	-5.6%
DJ Stoxx 600	0.7%	1.9%	-11.3%	-8.3%
YEnd Dec. (EURm)	2015	2016e	2017e	2018e
Sales	16,915	18,924	20,219	21,750
% change		11.9%	6.8%	7.6%
EBITDA	1,442	1,712	1,996	2,234
EBIT	1,059	1,276	1,511	1,712
% change		20.5%	18.4%	13.3%
Net income	630.0	842.9	1,019	1,166
% change		33.8%	20.9%	14.5%
	2015	2016e	2017e	2018e
Operating margin	2015 6.3	2016 e 6.7	2017 e 7.5	
Operating margin Net margin				7.9
	6.3	6.7	7.5	7.9 5.4
Net margin	6.3 3.7	6.7 4.5	7.5 5.0	7.9 5.4 17.0
Net margin ROE	6.3 3.7 11.1	6.7 4.5 15.2	7.5 5.0 16.5	7.9 5.4 17.0 15.1
Net margin ROE ROCE	6.3 3.7 11.1 10.0	6.7 4.5 15.2 11.9	7.5 5.0 16.5 13.9	7.9 5.4 17.0 15.1
Net margin ROE ROCE Gearing	6.3 3.7 11.1 10.0 8.1	6.7 4.5 15.2 11.9 17.9	7.5 5.0 16.5 13.9 10.4	7.9 5.4 17.0 15.1 3.5 2018e
Net margin ROE ROCE Gearing	6.3 3.7 11.1 10.0 8.1	6.7 4.5 15.2 11.9 17.9	7.5 5.0 16.5 13.9 10.4 2017e	7.9 5.4 17.0 15.1 3.5 2018e 5.79
Net margin ROE ROCE Gearing (EUR) EPS	6.3 3.7 11.1 10.0 8.1	6.7 4.5 15.2 11.9 17.9 2016e 4.18	7.5 5.0 16.5 13.9 10.4 2017 e 5.05	7.9 5.4 17.0 15.1 3.5 2018e 5.79 14.5%
Net margin ROE ROCE Gearing (EUR) EPS % change	6.3 3.7 11.1 10.0 8.1 2015 3.32	6.7 4.5 15.2 11.9 17.9 2016e 4.18 <i>26.0%</i>	7.5 5.0 16.5 13.9 10.4 2017e 5.05 <i>20.9%</i>	7.9 5.4 17.0 15.1 3.5 2018e 5.79 14.5% 19.6x
Net margin ROE ROCE Gearing (EUR) EPS % change P/E	6.3 3.7 11.1 10.0 8.1 2015 3.32 - 34.2x	6.7 4.5 15.2 11.9 17.9 2016e 4.18 <i>26.0%</i> 27.1x	7.5 5.0 16.5 13.9 10.4 2017e 5.05 20.9% 22.4x	7.9 5.4 17.0 15.1 3.5 2018e 5.79 14.5% 19.6x 3.6%



1.3x

14.4x

19.4x

1.4x

16.8x

22.8x

1.1x

10.7x

14.0x

1.2x

12.2x

16.1x

EV/Sales

EV/EBIT

EV/EBITDA

(Impressive) Q1 16 numbers in line with pre-announced publication Fair Value EUR122 (+8%)

The Q1 16 results reported this morning are naturally in line with the P&L items pre-announced last week (on 27th May), sales came in at EUR4,769m and grew at an impressive rate of 22% FX-n. The other good surprise was that operating profit reached EUR490m (+35%), 24% above CS expectations. Following this Q1 publication, ADS has increased all its targets. The group has also announced its intention to divest three brands (TaylorMade, Adams Golf and Ashworth) while keeping adidas-Golf positioned within the golf apparel & footwear category. ADS is hosting a

BUY

ANALYSIS

- A robust start to the year (+22% FX-n). By brand, adidas grew by 26% FX-n (Q4: +14% FX-n) boosted by the key categories such as, Training, Running, Football (ahead of the Copa America and EURO Championships) and of course Lifestyle (Originals and NEO). Reebok registered +6% FX-n growth (Q4: +5%) with double-digit growth in Western Europe, LatAm and China, while the streamlining of the US outlet store network is still underway. Trends at TMaG have improved sequentially but remain in negative territory (-1% vs. -15% in Q4).
- By region, sales in Western Europe increased 25% FX-n thanks to a solid performance in all key markets (France, UK, Germany, etc.) Momentum in North America clearly accelerated in Q1 with +22% FX-n (vs. +8% in Q4) while it remained buoyant in Greater China (+30% FX-n after +16% in Q4). There were no signs of a slowdown in Latin America (+19% FX-n) with even a double-digit growth in Brazil (acceleration vs. Q4). It is worth noting the surprising 44% FX-n increase in Japan and Russia/CIS which returned to growth (+2% vs. -16% in Q4).
- Q1 adj. operating margin expanded 140bp to 10.3% (CS: 8.8%). The GM increased 30bp to 49.4% as the combination of drivers (price-mix, geographical, channel) has more than offset unfavourable hedging rates and the drag from TMaG. At the opex cost level, the very dynamic top line development enabled a significant operating leverage, even on marketing expenses that "only" grew by 8%. Adj. net income from continuing operations increased 38% to EUR350m.

Q1 16 Adjusted results (excl. GW impairment):

EURm	Q1 15	Q1 16	% change
Sales	4,083	4,769	17
Gross profit	2,008	2,358	17
% of sales	49.2	49.4	+30pb
Operating profit	363	490	35
% of sales	8.9	10.3	+140bp
Net income from continuing operations	255	350	38

Source: Company Data

FY16 targets are increased. In light of this strong Q1 publication and given a promising backlog, the group has raised all its targets for the year. Two of them were already announced last week (i.e sales to increase around 15% FX-n vs. +10-12% initially and net income from continuing operations to rise 15-18% vs. 10-12% previously) and this morning the group has also raised its GM and operating margin objectives.

Table 3: 2016 targets:

	2016 Initial Guidance	2016 New Guidance
FX-n net sales growth	+10-12%	"around +15%"
Gross margin (%)	47.3-47.8	47.8-48.3
Adjusted operating margin (%)	"at least stable vs. 2015"	"Between 6.6-7%"
Net income from continuing operations (% change)	+10-12%	+15-18%

Source: Company Data

VALUATION

These definitive results naturally confirm adidas' strong momentum in almost all regions. We
believe the market should welcome positively the outcome of the strategic review of its golf
business which sustained operating losses of ~EUR100m last year. Buy recommendation and FV
of EUR122 confirmed. (Continued on next page)

Table 1: adidas Group quarterly FX-neutral growth:

% change	Q1 15	Q2 15	Q3 15	Q4 15	Q1 16
Western Europe	11	12	18	30	25
North America	7	0	3	8	22
Greater China	21	19	15	16	30
Russia/CIS	-3	-14	-7	-16	2
Latin America	6	9	20	12	19
Japan	6	-6	6	-4	44
MEAA	10	16	13	17	17
Total	9	5	13	12	22

Source: Company Data

Table 2: quarterly FX-neutral growth for the adidas Group's three main brands:

% change	Q1 15	Q2 15	Q3 15	Q4 15	Q1 16
adidas	11	10	14	16	26
Reebok	9	6	3	5	6
Other businesses	-1	-14	10	-3	6
o/w TaylorMade-adidas Golf	-9	-26	7	-15	-1

Source: Company Data

NEXT CATALYSTS

Conference call today at 3:00pm (CET) // AGM on 12th May // H1 16 Results on 4th August.

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Dialog Semiconductor

Price EUR30.02

Bloomberg DLG GR Reuters DLGS.DE						
12-month High / L	ow (FLIR)		51	3.3 / 24.4		
Market Cap (EURn			0.	2,337		
Ev (BG Estimates)	•			1,698		
Avg. 6m daily volu	me (000)			11.10		
3y EPS CAGR			10.4%			
	1 M	3 M	6 M 3	1/12/15		
Absolute perf.	-15.4%	10.5%	-16.5%	-3.8%		
Semiconductors	-6.9%	-1.2%	-8.8%	-8.4%		
DJ Stoxx 600	0.7%	1.9%	-11.3%	-8.3%		
YEnd Dec. (USDm)	2015	2016e	2017e	2018e		
Sales	1,355	1,381	1,619	1,754		
% change		1.9%	17.2%	8.3%		
EBITDA	360	359	438	477		
EBIT	317.7	291.3	365.6	404.9		
% change		-8.3%	25.5%	10.7%		
Net income	238.4	214.8	282.0	312.3		
% change		-9.9%	31.3%	10.7%		
	2015	2016e	2017e	2018e		
Operating margin	23.4	21.1	22.6	23.1		
Net margin	17.6	15.6	17.4	17.8		
ROE	17.3	14.9	16.3	16.0		
ROCE	46.9	46.4	59.2	64.7		
Gearing	-54.0	-61.1	-66.6	-71.4		
(USD)	2015	2016e	2017 e	2018e		
EPS	3.02	2.80	3.67			
% change	-	-7.3%	31.3%	10.7%		
P/E	11.4x	12.4x	9.4x	8.5x		
FCF yield (%)	9.0%	6.9%	8.4%	10.0%		
Dividends (USD)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
Div yield (%)	NM	NM	NM			
EV/Sales	1.6x	1.4x	1.1x			
EV/EBITDA	5.9x	5.4x	4.0x			
EV/EBIT	6.7x	6.7x	4.8x	3.6x		



Dialog slashes FY16 guidance and announces a share buyback programme Fair Value EUR39 (+30%)

BUY

This morning, Dialog Semiconductor announced a significant downward adjustment to its FY16 guidance. The group now expects to see a high single digit sales decline vs. the slight growth expected previously (vs. current consensus expectation of 0.7% sales growth). In addition, the group has reported Q1 results below consensus estimates. Q1 sales fell 39% sequentially to USD241m (down 23% yoy). Q1 underlying EBIT came out at USD30m and EPS came out at USD0.28, i.e. 10% below consensus expectations for EPS at USD0.31. For Q2, the company sees revenue in the range of USD240m to USD260m, which at the mid-point is 5% below the current street expectation of USD264m and 2% below our estimate at USD254m. We are waiting for the conference call to be held today at 10:30am.

ANALYSIS

- Today, Dialog has slashed its FY16 guidance from "slight growth in sales" to "a high single digit decline". The group explained that the current environment in the smartphone market remains very weak and that while revenue should be strongly weighted towards H2, the recovery is unlikely to be as strong as it expected before. As a result, FY16 gross margin is expected to be slightly below the level achieved in 2015 of 46.1%. At very first take, applying this new sales and gross margin guidance (FY16 sales down -9%) to our model while keeping operating expenses at the current level in FY16, points to a significant cut in FY16 EPS of about 30% and a c. 10% impact on our 3y EPS sequence (excl. share buyback impacts described below). We highlight that this scenario implies that the group does not benefit from any flexibility at the operating level in FY16 while the group expects the lower anticipated revenue for FY16 to be partially offset by strict control of opex in the period.
- Dialog also reported Q1 results 10% below expectations. The group reported sales of USD241m, down 39% sequentially. Gross margin of 45.4% and underlying EBIT of USD30m were broadly in line with the street's expectations at USD30m (BG ests. USD25m). However, underlying diluted EPS of USD0.28 was 10.0% below the street's estimates at USD0.31 (BG ests. USD0.26).
- Q2 revenue quidance 5% below consensus expectations at mid-point. For Q2, the company sees revenues in the range of USD240m to USD260m, which, at the mid-point (USD250m) points to a 4% sequential increase in sales but comes out 5% below the street's expectation of USD264m and 2% below our estimate at USD254m. Gross margin guidance for a similar level to that delivered in Q1 is broadly in line with consensus expectations. Note that the second quarter is usually flat (5y historical pattern).
- Finally, the group announced the launch of its share buyback programme for a total amount comprised in the range of EUR37.5m to EUR50m. At EUR30 per share, the share buyback programme would enable the company to acquire between 1.25m and 1.67m shares or between 1.7% and 2.3% of current number of shares (non diluted).

VALUATION

- We have applied no changes to our model so far, pending further details from the conference call to be held later today (at 10:30am).
- Dialog's shares trade at a 2016e EV/Sales ratio of 1.4x and a 2016e P/E ratio of 12.4x.

NEXT CATALYSTS

July 28th 2016, Q2 results

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[USDm]	BG ests. Q1-16e	Consensus Q1-16e	Q1-16 Actual	Actual vs. cons.
Net revenue	242	241	241	0.2%
% change (seq.)	-39.0%	-39.4%	-39.2%	13bp
% change (yoy)	-22.1%	-22.6%	-22.4%	16bp
Gross Margin	45.2%	45.4%	45.5%	10bp
Adj. EBIT	25	30	30	-1.6%
% of revenue	10.5%	12.6%	12.4%	-23bp
Dil. Adj. EPS (in USD)	0.26	0.31	0.28	-9.7%

Sources: Thomson Reuters I.B.E.S.; Bryan Garnier & Co. ests.

Q2-16: Guidance vs. consensus' estimates

[USDm]	BG ests. Q2-16e	Consensus Q2-16e	Q2-16e Guidance	Guid. vs. cons.
Net revenue (mid- pt)	254	264	250	-5.3%
% change (seq.)	5.0%	9.6%	3.6%	-603bp
% change (yoy)	-19.6%	-16.6%	-21.0%	-442bp
Gross margin	45.5%	46.5%	45.5%	-100bp
Dil. Adj. EPS (in USD)	0.47	0.43	-	-

Sources: Thomson Reuters I.B.E.S; Bryan, Garnier & Co ests.

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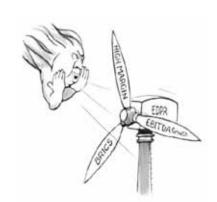
Utilities

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Price EUR6.70

Bloomberg		EDPR LI
Reuters		EDPR.LS
12-month High / Low (EUR)		7.3 / 5.7
Market Cap (EURm)		5,844
Ev (BG Estimates) (EURm)		11,087
Avg. 6m daily volume (000)		416.4
3y EPS CAGR		8.2%

3y EPS CAGR				8.2%
	1 M	3 M	6 M	31/12/15
Absolute perf.	1.3%	-4.1%	1.9%	-7.6%
Utilities	2.9%	0.4%	-7.1%	-3.8%
DJ Stoxx 600	0.7%	1.9%	-11.3%	-8.3%
YEnd Dec. (EURm)	2015	2016e	2017 e	2018e
Sales	1,549	1,750	1,92	7 2,128
% change		13.0%	10.1	% 10.4%
EBITDA	1,142	1,198	1,30	6 1,432
EBIT	577.8	606.3	667.	5 722.2
% change		4.9%	10.1	% 8.2%
Net income	166.6	145.2	174.	1 211.2
% change		-12.9%	19.9	% 21.3%
	2015	2016e	2017 e	2018e
Operating margin	37.3	34.7	34.	6 33.9
Net margin	10.8	8.3	9.	0 9.9
ROE	2.4	2.1	2.	5 3.0
ROCE	4.4	4.5	4.	9 5.2
Gearing	72.4	69.9	67.	5 65.4
(EUR)	2015	2016e	2017e	2018e
EPS	0.19	0.17	0.2	0 0.24
% change	-	-12.9%	20.09	% 21.3%
P/E	35.1x	40.3x	33.6	x 27.7x
FCF yield (%)	NM	NM	3.89	% 3.5%
Dividends (EUR)	0.04	0.06	0.0	7 0.08
Div yield (%)	0.6%	0.9%	1.09	% 1.3%
EV/Sales	7.3x	6.3x	5.7	x 5.1x
EV/EBITDA	9.9x	9.3x	8.4	x 7.5x
EV/EBIT	19.5x	18.3x	16.4	x 14.9x



Q1-16 earnings supported by commissioning and assets management Fair Value EUR7.5 (+12%)

NEUTRAL

The Portuguese renewable energy producer group unveiled Q1 2016 results slightly above expectations with this morning, mainly supported by the commissioning of new power plants in US and Brazil and the assets management performance leading to high load factor. Power prices are to monitor in the US and Europe yet.

ANALYSIS

- Main Q1-16 metrics: 1/ Mitigated sales conditions: Revenues came out slightly below consensus estimates at EUR508m vs EUR513 consensus, i.e. +22%, supported by the commissioning of 672MW power plants (mainly o/w 623MW in Portugal, 398 in US and 120MW in Brazil) and the consolidation of 533MW ENEOP power plants. EDPR now operates 9,707GW of installed capacity. Regarding load factor, it improved by 4% to reach 38%, mainly supported by higher load factors in US and Brazil, resulting in an output increased by 30% at 7,535GWh. However, electricity price fell from EUR65.5/MWh to EUR60.8/MWh, impacted by power price pressures in US and Europe. As of March 2016, 90% of installed capacity are not exposed to spot market prices through PPA and other incentives, knowing that the 10% remaining are mainly gathered in the US and Spain. 2/ Good metrics: EBITDA generated EUR379m (vs EUR365m Bryan Garnier estimates), i.e. +29%, following well operating costs control. EBIT was enhanced by 35% at EUR232m, following EBITDA trend and also thanks to higher depreciation and amortization. Net profit rose by 32% at EUR75m (vs EUR68m Bryan Garnier estimates). EDPR's asset rotation program was the main contributor to the generation of operating cash flow which improved by 28% at EUR281m. Net debt decreased by 8% at EUR3.4bn.
- Conclusion: Despite harsh pricing conditions and revenues below expectations, EDPR's operating metrics demonstrated a good performance through EBITDA and net profit above our estimates thanks to its high load factors proving the group's know-how in wind power generation. Commissioning bring EDPR's installed capacity at 9.7GW worldwide. None information concerning FY-16 guidance was released for now. We see this Q1-16 release positively, power prices are to monitor and especially in the US and Europe. We confirm our Neutral rating and hope to get more details on group's strategic plan tomorrow during the investor day.

VALUATION

- At current share price the stock is trading at 9.3x its 2016e EBITDA and offers a 0.9% yield
- Neutral FV @ EUR7.5

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Reuters 12-month High / L Market Cap (EURn Ev (BG Estimates) Avg. 6m daily volu 3y EPS CAGR	n) (EURm)		69	FREG.DE 9.8 / 53.1 35,198 50,496 1 296 9.0%
	1 M	3 M	6 M 3	1/12/15
Absolute perf.	2.5%	10.8%	-3.8%	-2.3%
Healthcare	2.6%	-1.5%	-11.6%	-11.1%
DJ Stoxx 600	0.7%	1.9%	-11.3%	-8.3%
YEnd Dec. (EURm)	2015	2016 e	2017 e	2018e
Sales	27,626	29,070	30,963	33,250
% change		5.2%	6.5%	7.4%
EBITDA	4,990	5,432	5,799	6,287
EBIT	3,875	4,269	4,561	4,957
% change		10.2%	6.8%	8.7%
Net income	1,358	1,576	1,681	1,843
% change		16.1%	6.6%	9.6%
	2015	2016e	2017e	2018e
Operating margin	14.0	14.7	14.7	14.9
Net margin	4.9	5.4	5.4	5.5
ROE	7.2	7.6	7.5	7.6
ROCE	3.8	4.2	4.3	4.6
Gearing	118.4	107.5	99.2	90.1
(EUR)	2015	2016e	2017e	2018e
EPS	2.62	2.90	3.09	3.39
% change	-	10.8%	6.6%	9.6%
P/E	24.6x	22.2x	20.9x	19.0x
FCF yield (%)	2.1%	4.4%	4.4%	4.6%
Dividends (EUR)	1.69	1.87	2.00	2.19
Div yield (%)	2.6%	2.9%	3.1%	3.4%
EV/Sales	1.8x	1.7x	1.6x	1.5x
EV/EBITDA	9.8x	9.3x	8.7x	8.1x



12.6x

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We see room to outstrip FY2016 guidance Fair Value EUR73 vs. EUR70 (+13%)

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BUY-Top Picks

A strong start to the year, which was slightly ahead of FRE's internal expectations and reinforced management's confidence in delivering its FY2016 guidance (6-8% organic and 8-12% net income growth), but not to the point of upgrading it. The main reason for this is caution on profitability levels at KABI. We acknowledge that the division will face tough comps starting in Q2, however, we do not see tailwinds fading rapidly. Although our updated numbers are within the company's topline growth guidance range (BGe 7.4%) they are slightly ahead in terms of net income growth (BGe 12.3%). We will monitor closely any changes that could impact KABI's profitability levels. However, there is room for the company to outstrip guidance at this stage.

- The main point of interest during yesterday's call on Q1 results was KABI growth prospects for the remainder of the year and the division's ability to deliver/maintain current profitability levels. As a reminder, while organic growth was in line with expectations at EUR1,470m (7% cc and reported) for the first quarter, the good trend in profitability stemmed from multiple sources, which we do not see fading entirely towards the end of the year. Management was pleased by growth, which came from all KABI's businesses and was slightly ahead of internal projections.
- This strong start to the year occurred despite pricing pressure on Neostigmine. Indeed, Hikma's entrance on the market earlier in 2016 led to a 33% price cut for the product. Note also that Fresenius KABI's competitor now holds a 20% market share in the country. Three Gx IV launches in Q1 bodes well with strategy to reach high end of 6-10 product launches guidance in 2016. Our model points to 11 launches this year. In the longer run, it is important in our view to also consider the newly acquired BD plant, which might well help to sustain profitability levels with additional launches of high margin prefilled syringes. Note that at the time of the first launch of a prefilled syringe from this plant in 2013, BD's management mentioned that the division could reach USD100-200m towards 2018. While the previous owner struggled in leveraging its hospital channel to grow this business before deprioritizing it, we believe that Fresenius KABI is in better place to create synergies out of it, once necessary investments would have been made. Hence, we do not rule out that sales of prefilled Gx produced in this plant might well go above the above mentioned numbers (not included in our valuation yet). Finally, a 10 year supply agreement with BD should help to enhance synergies by bringing KABI's legacy products to the US (management di not mentioned if BD was a client before this agreement was inked, which if not might be a free upside).
- We acknowledge that Fresenius KABI will face tough comps starting in Q2 (12.5% organic growth and EBIT margin of 20.4% in Q2 2015). However, we and the consensus have already integrated this, leaving us with a positive risk-reward profile at this stage. While easing the shortage situation needs to be monitored closely, we would highlight that on a sequential basis (Q1 2016 vs Q4 2015), management has been able to at least maintain profitability in the US.
- Turning to Helios which reported 3% organic growth for the quarter (in line with company's guidance of 3-5% organic growth), note that Q1 was impacted by Easter weekend during which physicians are reluctant to take in new patients. From a profitability standpoint, a good performance from former RHK hospitals and Helios led to a 50bp increase in EBIT margin, and our numbers for the year is within the company's range (EUR670-700, BGe EUR690m).

VALUATION

- We have adjusted our tax rate to 28.5% for the year (vs. 29%) as well as our net interest for the year, which are now anticipated at EUR592m vs. BGe EUR633m previously.
- While we were previously in the middle range of the company's net income growth guidance (8-12%) guidance, these small adjustments put our net income growth slightly ahead of it EUR2.94 (+12.3%) vs EUR2.89 (+10.4%) previously.

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Reuters				HEIG.F	
12-month High /	Low (EUR)			79.9 / 60.1	
Market Cap (EUR	2)			14,545	
Ev (BG Estimates)) (EUR)			25,651	
Avg. 6m daily vol	ume (000)		652.2		
3y EPS CAGR				26.1%	
	1 M	3 M	6 M	31/12/15	
Absolute perf.	3.3%	19.0%	13.8%	2.4%	
Cons & Mat	-0.1%	6.3%	-1.6%	-1.4%	

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DJ Stoxx 600	0.7%	1.9%	-11.3%	-8.3%
YEnd Dec. (EURm)	2015	2016e	2017e	2018 e
Sales	13,465	17,720	19,129	20,282
% change		31.6%	8.0%	6.0%
EBITDA	2,412	3,388	3,918	4,371
EBIT	1,645	2,221	2,751	3,204
% change		35.0%	23.8%	16.5%
Net income	800.2	974.8	1,369	1,695
% change		21.8%	40.5%	23.8%
	2015	2016e	2017e	2018e
Operating margin	12.2	12.5	14.4	15.8
Net margin	7.3	7.1	8.7	10.2
ROE	5.4	6.0	8.0	9.4
ROCE	5.6	5.9	6.8	7.9
Gearing	33.1	49.2	40.8	34.8
(EUR)	2015	2016e	2017e	2018e
EPS	4.27	4.92	6.92	8.56
% change	-	15.4%	40.5%	23.8%
P/E	18.1x	15.7x	11.2x	9.0x
FCF yield (%)	4.8%	7.8%	9.5%	10.4%
Dividends (EUR)	1.30	1.50	2.80	3.90
Div yield (%)	1.7%	1.9%	3.6%	5.0%



1.6x

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EV/Sales

EV/EBIT

EV/EBITDA

Q1 EBITDA slightly better than expectations

Fair Value EUR86 (+11%)

BUY-Top Picks

HeidelbergCement has published Q1 2016 revenues of EU2.832bn (similar to the EUR2.845bn expected by the consensus) up 1% y/y I-f-I. EBITDA stood at EUR321m (5% above consensus expectations of EUR307m) up 7% (+13% I-f-I) with the margin at 11.3%, up 70bps y/y. Promising outlook: HeidelbergCement expects a moderate increase in revenues and a high single-to double-digit increase in operating income (vs c7% expected by the consensus). Italcementi deal on track.

Key figures in Q1 2016

Quarterly trends	Q1 2015	Q2 2015	Q3 2015	Q4 2015	Q1 2016
Cement volumes y/y change %	-1.0	1.0	-3.0	-0.3	5.0
Like-for-like revenues growth %	4.0	0.0	-2.0	-2.0	1.0
EBITDA y/y change %	29.0	6.0	3.0	10.0	13.0
EBITDA margin %	10.5	20.7	24.0	20.6	11.3
EBITDA margin change bps	242	81	98	168	70

Source: Company Data; Bryan Garnier & Co. ests.

ANALYSIS

- Positive comments were made for severel key geographical zones, with volumes rising in most
 of the regions, except Africa. North America was apparently buoyant, with a double-digit
 volume increase, while HeidelbergCement mentioned a "trend reversal in Asia, particularly in
 Indonesia"
- Profitability is improving, with a 70bp improvement in EBITDA margin, thanks to efforts in costs, prices increase and lower fuel costs
- The outlook is promising, as management mentioned a high single to double-digit increase in operating income, versus "the goal of moderately increasing" operating income.
- The Italcementi deal is on track. On the anti-trust side, HEI formally contacted the European Commission at the start of April, while discussions with the American authorities have started. Decisions on anti-trust issues are expected in late May/early June.

VALUATION

EUR86 derived from the application of historical EV/EBITDA multiples (7.5x) to our 2018 estimates, discounted back. We have rolled oved from 2017 to 2018.

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Luxury & Consumer Goods

Hugo Boss Price EUR57.65

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Reuters		BOSG_p.DE
12-month High / Low (EUR)		113.8 / 51.3
Market Cap (EURm)		4,059
Ev (BG Estimates) (EURm)		4,141
Avg. 6m daily volume (000)		418.7
3y EPS CAGR		-5.0%
4.14	0.84	/ B/ 24/42/4E

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	1 M	3 M	6 M	31/12/15
Absolute perf.	2.9%	-18.2%	-38.4%	-24.7%
Pers & H/H Gds	-0.1%	-0.3%	-6.6%	-2.2%
DJ Stoxx 600	0.7%	1.9%	-11.3%	-8.3%
YEnd Dec. (EURm)	2014	2015	2016e	2017e
Sales	2,572	2,809	2,80	3 2,956
% change		9.2%	-0.2	% 5.5%
Reported EBITDA	571	590	49	5 544
Reported EBIT	448.7	447.7	349.	8 393.3
% change		-0.2%	-21.9	% 12.5%
Net income	333.3	319.3	257.	5 295.4
% change		-4.2%	-19.4	% 14.7%
	2014	2015	2016 e	2017e
Operating margin	17.4	15.9	12.	5 13.3
Net margin	13.0	11.4	9.	2 10.0
ROE	39.5	34.0	25.	4 25.4
ROCE	33.2	29.1	22.	3 23.9
Gearing	5.1	8.8	4.	2 -4.2
(EUR)	2014	2015	2016e	2017e
EPS	5.04	4.67	3.8	2 4.32
% change	-	-7.3%	-18.39	% 13.2%
P/E	11.4x	12.3x	15.1	x 13.3x
FCF yield (%)	7.0%	7.2%	7.69	% 8.2%
Dividends (EUR)	3.62	3.62	3.2	0 3.65
Div yield (%)	6.3%	6.3%	5.69	6.3%
EV/Sales	1.6x	1.5x	1.5	x 1.4x
EV/EBITDA	7.2x	7.0x	8.3	x 7.4x
EV/EBIT	9.1x	9.2x	11.7	x 10.2x



FY16 outlook requires a clear improvement in persistently challenging market conditions
Fair Value EUR77 vs. EUR80 (+34%)

NEUTRAL

During the conference call yesterday, CFO Mark Langer updated us on the two main initiatives that are underway (i.e. category migration in the US and price adjustments in China) and which should pay off mainly in H2. This is why the groups expects more beneficial sales and earnings momentum over the second half of the year, especially since the group has identified additional cost savings of EUR50m. We remain a bit more cautious than the group's targets after some minor adjustments (mostly FX). Neutral recommendation and FV nudged down to EUR77 vs. EUR80.

ANALYSIS

- US: negative underlying trends are not helping. The sales decline in the US (-16% FX-n) was broadly similar between Retail and Wholesale (59%-41% of 2015 US sales respectively), confirming that the US premium apparel market is clearly affected by a number of headwinds (deflationary trends, declines in footfall, lack of tourists). In the meantime the group continues to upgrade its distribution in both channels: improving execution and focusing on achieving healthy inventory levels (almost completed) in its own stores and continuing the category migration and some takeovers to better control distribution. However the positive results from these initiatives are slower to appear given the sluggish market conditions.
- Mainland China: price adjustments were welcomed by consumers. Indeed the 10% rebound in volumes in Q1 encompassed the 2015 F/W collection and the 2016 S/S collection on which prices were adjusted by 20%. Consequently, the increase in volumes for this Spring collection was even higher, revealing a relatively high price elasticity as well as Chinese consumers' prompt reactivity, also backed by a successful digital marketing campaign. Management is confident in a gradual recovery over the rest of the year, but the negative trends in HK-Macau (double-digit decline) have not stabilised yet.
- Hugo Boss is aggressive on cost savings... The group has identified additional cost savings of around EUR50m over 2016 thanks to: (i) the first renegotiations of rental contracts, mostly in China, while the group is currently reviewing its rents with landlords concerning larger stores, (ii) more selective and targeted marketing expenses (=> difference between the initial marketing spend budget and the current budget = cost savings) and (iii) fewer store openings (~15 DOS) than the initial MT target of 20-25 openings. Last but not least, Mark Langer also declared that he was analysing the 15-20 least profitable stores, which could lead to some store closures.
- ... and is comfortable with FY16 guidance. In light of this difficult start to the year, FY16 targets are becoming more challenging but management remains confident in achieving them: (i) GM should remain stable (Q1: -140bp) as the headwinds (inventory write-downs, price adjustments, discounts) should gradually diminish and the channel-mix will remain favourable, (ii) adj. EBITDA is expected to decrease in low double-digits (Q1: -29%) thanks to a less harmful operating deleverage (company guides on a flat SSSG over 2016 vs. -6% in Q1) combined with tight opex control (o/w cost-savings).
- We have nudged down our FY16 estimates by 3%. These adjustments are a consequence of the Q1 publication (below our expectations) and reflect a more negative FX impact at the top line level. Like the consensus estimates, we remain more cautious than the group's targets: we expect 1% FX-n growth (vs. +2% previously) and a 15% decline in adj. EBITDA, close to the CS expectations prior to yesterday's publication.

VALUATION

• The group has clearly implemented a proactive and ambitious reset plan but the FY outlook requires a significant improvement over H2 and the group noticed no signs of a recovery in April. Since visibility remains low, we maintain our Neutral recommendation pending the first positive impact of these initiatives on the group's operating performance. Our FV is slightly reduced to EUR77 vs. EUR80 following our estimates adjustments.

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Infineon Price EUR12.75

Reuters 12-month High / L Market Cap (EURn Ev (BG Estimates) Avg. 6m daily volu 3y EPS CAGR			IFX GY FXGn.DE 4.0 / 8.7 14,422 13,822 6,162 15.5%	
	1 M	3 M	6 M 31	/12/15
Absolute perf.	1.4%	8.7%	11.4%	-5.6%
Semiconductors	-3.9%	1.1%	-5.4%	-5.5%
DJ Stoxx 600	2.4%	2.0%	-9.4%	-6.7%
YEnd Sept. (EURm)	09/15	09 /16e	09/17e	09 /18e
Sales	5,795	6,494	6,853	7,147
% change		12.1%	5.5%	4.3%
EBITDA	1,658	1,876	2,044	2,206
EBIT	898.0	1,031	1,153	1,277
% change		14.9%	11.8%	10.8%
Net income	680.0	842.6	946.9	1,051
% change		23.9%	12.4%	11.0%
	09 /15	09/16e	09/17e	09 /18e
Operating margin	15.5	15.9	16.8	17.9
Net margin	11.7	13.0	13.8	14.7
ROE	13.3	13.1	13.3	13.7
ROCE	18.5	14.9	16.6	18.3
Gearing	-4.7	-11.7	-19.3	-27.1
(EUR)	09 /15	09 /16e	09 /17e	09 /18e
EPS	0.60	0.75	0.84	0.93
% change	-	23.4%	12.4%	11.0%
P/E	21.1x	17.1x	15.2x	13.7x
FCF yield (%)	0.6%	4.1%	5.0%	5.8%
Dividends (EUR)	0.18	0.20	0.20	0.20
Div yield (%)	1.4%	1.6%	1.6%	1.6%
EV/Sales	2.5x	2.1x	1.9x	1.8x
EV/EBITDA	8.6x	7.4x	6.5x	5.8x



15.8x

13.4x

FV/FBIT

Current share price weakness is a Buy opportunity Fair Value EUR15 (+18%)

Following the conference call held yesterday by Infineon, we are maintaining our strong positive view on the case. In addition to our first take on FQ2-16 results yesterday, note that management's tone was reassuring. We had confirmation that FY guidance adjustments are only due to FX effects and that business fundamentals remain solid. We see current share price weakness as a Buy opportunity given 1/ low valuation ratios, 2/ a leading position in buoyant markets, and 3/ operational leverage still to be activated (300mm fab, phase out of Newport fab, deeper synergies with International Rectifier).

RIIV

ANALYSIS

- Confirmation that lower guidance is only due to FX effects. As we commented in our "first take", management now uses a EUR/USD exchange rate of 1.15 (compared to 1.10 in FQ1), meaning that both sales and operating margin have been slightly impacted negatively. This led management to adjust guidance for sales growth to +12% (+/-2ppts) vs. +13% previously and Segment result margin in the range of 15-16%. Note that these FX impacts were included in our estimates, as a result the new guidance is in line with our expectations. For Q2 16, the group is guiding for growth of 2%, whereas this would have stood at 5% adjusted for FX, i.e. in line with seasonal.
- Positive comments about Automotive market in China. During yesterday's conference call, management shared positive comments from multiple players in the Auto supply chain in China. We believe this is mainly due to government incentives which started by late 2015. Overall, Automotive business (c. 41% of sales) is seen to grow at about 12% over FY16. The main catalysts for Infineon remain ADAS (autonomous driving) and xEV (electric cars). In xEV, China is said to remain a key area and Infineon could benefit from its strong positions there. For ATV and IPC division, we uses a 12% growth rate over FY16.
- The smartphone market is weak but IFX's comparison base should play positively. Given the small penetration of Infineon in the Smartphone market, the group sees opportunities (PMM division) thanks to higher contents per phone and market share gains. We remind that the PMM division represent about 30% of group's sales and is the division the most exposed to consumer market which is the most volatile. For PMM, our model uses a 14% growth (H1-16 is up by 35% yoy, but down 4% sequentially).
- Payment is no more a tailwind, catalysts are to come from other applications. As expected, payment is expected to reach a plateau anytime soon but we continue to expect growth for CCS division (c. 11% of sales) thanks to a good momentum in Government ID business over H2-16 and growing opportunities in Security for IoT while Infineon remains a major player in this field (#2 worldwide with 24% market share, NXP being #1 with 31% market share). We forecast an 8% increase of CCS revenue over FY16 given that the division shows a 12% yoy performance in H1-16.
- Technology portfolio maintains a competitive edge. We understand that an announcement should be made soon regarding Silicon Carbide (SiC), probably about a product targeting drive train in Automotive. Regarding production technology, we believe that 300mm fab should continue to weight on margin until the end of 2017 before to add operational leverage at margin level.
- Finally on M&A, the group continues to scan the market but we believe that it remains selective and that valuable targets at a good price remain rare in 2016.

VALUATION

10.0x

11.6x

- We apply only minor changes to our model. We have updated our model to include Fiscal Q2 data and applied slight changes with minor impacts on our EPS sequence (+1% on average over the next 3y).
- In our view, the current share price weakness should be seen as a Buy opportunity. The group's profile remains intact and IFX continues to outperform the market thanks to leading positions in buoyant markets (Auto, Industry and Security). Valuation remains attractive in our view with a 2016e P/E ratio of 16.7x, compared to 17.8x on average for Logic and Analog IDMs (players owning and operating fabs). We remind that our FV of EUR15 points to a potential upside of +21%.

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· 2nd August 2016: Fiscal third quarter results.

Detailed P&L

[EURm]	1Q16	2Q16	3Q16e	4Q16e	FY16e	FY17e	FY18e
Total Group	1556	1611	1645	1683	6494	6853	7174
Seq. growth	-2.6%	+3.5%	+2.1%	+2.3%	+12.1%	+5.5%	+4.7%
Y/Y growth	+15.4%	+8.6%	+3.7%	+5.3%	+12.1%	+5.5%	+4.7%
Cost of goods sold	-998	-1045	-1064	-1017	-4124	-4208	-4362
Gross margin	35.9%	35.1%	35.3%	39.6%	36.5%	38.6%	39.2%
SG&A	-200	-195	-197	-206	-799	-864	-875
R&D	-198	-195	-197	-202	-792	-843	-861
Other operating income	60	52	77	53	242	209	195
Adj. EBIT	220	228	263	310	1021	1148	1272
adj. operating margin	14.1%	14.2%	16.0%	18.4%	15.7%	16.7%	17.7%
EBIT	166	174	189	261	790	922	1059
operating margin	10.7%	10.8%	11.5%	15.5%	12.2%	13.5%	14.8%
Net financial result	-12	-18	-17	-20	-67	-57	-52
Income tax	-2	21	-26	-36	-43	-130	-151
tax rate	-1.3%	13.5%	-15.0%	-15.0%	-5.9%	-15.0%	-15.0%
Net income (loss)	153	180	146	201	680	736	856
Adj. Net income (loss)	194	207	209	288	898	927	1036
Adj. Dil. EPS (in EUR)	0.17	0.18	0.18	0.25	0.79	0.82	0.92

Source: Bryan Garnier & Co. ests.

P&L changes highlights

[EURm]		Old			New		Old vs. New
	2016e	2017e	2018e	2016e	2017e	2018e	avg. Δ%
Net revenue	6494	6853	7147	6494	6853	7174	0%
% change	12.1%	5.5%	4.3%	12.1%	5.5%	4.7%	
Adj. EBIT	1031	1153	1277	1021	1148	1272	-1%
Adj. operating margin	15.9%	16.8%	17.9%	15.7%	16.7%	17.7%	
Adj. Dil. EPS (in EUR)	0.75	0.84	0.93	0.79	0.82	0.92	1%

Source: Bryan Garnier & Co. ests.

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Utilities

FV/FBITDA

FV/FBIT

Veolia Environnement

Price EUR20.89

Bioomberg				VIETP
Reuters				VIE.PA
12-month High	/ Low (EUR)			22.9 / 17.8
Market Cap (EU	Rm)			11,766
Ev (BG Estimate	s) (EURm)			19,210
Avg. 6m daily volume (000) 1 9				
3y EPS CAGR				28.1%
	1 M	3 M	6 M	31/12/15

	1 M	3 M	6 M	31/12/15
Absolute perf.	0.8%	-5.4%	-1.6%	-4.5%
Utilities	2.9%	0.4%	-7.1%	-3.8%
DJ Stoxx 600	0.7%	1.9%	-11.3%	-8.3%
YEnd Dec. (EURm)	2015	2016e	2017 e	2018e
Sales	24,965	25,324	25,87	0 26,474
% change		1.4%	2.29	% 2.3%
EBITDA	2,997	3,148	3,31	0 3,471
EBIT	1,060	1,375	1,52	0 1,630
% change		29.8%	10.59	% 7.2%
Net income	380.2	517.0	708.	2 798.9
% change		36.0%	37.09	% 12.8%
	2015	2016e	2017e	2018e
Operating margin	4.5	5.4	5.	9 6.2
Net margin	1.8	2.3	3.	0 3.3
ROE	4.0	5.2	7.	0 7.8
ROCE	6.4	7.9	8.	3 8.7
Gearing	82.6	80.8	77.	8 74.9
(EUR)	2015	2016e	2017e	2018e
EPS	0.68	0.92	1.20	5 1.42
% change	-	36.0%	37.09	% 12.8%
P/E	30.9x	22.7x	16.6	x 14.7x
FCF yield (%)	9.0%	0.5%	6.39	6 7.2%
Dividends (EUR)	0.73	0.72	0.90	0.96
Div yield (%)	3.5%	3.4%	4.39	4.6%
EV/Sales	0.7x	0.8x	0.7	x 0.7x



5.9x

16.6x

6.1x

14.0x

5.8x

12.6x

5.5x

11.7x

Q1 first take: Poor sales performance and solid LfL EBITDA growth as expected Fair Value EUR22 (+5%)

Veolia posted a poor Q1 sales performance and solid LfL EBITDA growth as expected. As for Suez, earnings growth was only generated by the cost reduction programme, and not by a rebound in activities. We were positively surprised by stable activities in France while Suez posted a LfL decline in the region last week but were not surprised by the good contribution from cost cutting. Despite this, we are sticking to our Neutral recommendation as we think only positive macro surprises from Europe or North America could drive up consensus. FV unchanged at EUR22/share.

NEUTRAL

ANALYSIS

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- Main Q1 metrics: As expected, Veolia posted a poor Q1 sales performance, with total sales down 3.4% YoY to EUR6.09bn below our forecast for a 1.8% YoY sales decline. Most of the drop stemmed from a slowdown in construction and more importantly, from adrop in energy prices. On a LfL basis sales were down 1.7%. This should be compared with +1.5% for Suez. French activities were relatively flat, which is positive in our view, in both the water and waste segments while sales outside France (Europe and RoW) were affected by the decline in landfill volumes in the UK and by lower energy prices, mild weather and challenging industrial services in the US. The group was able generate positive LfL sales growth in waste (+1.2%) while Suez posted one week ago a -1.8% LfL sales performance (European waste segment only). Volumes treated were positive at +1.6%. As for EBITDA, Veolia was able to post EUR840m in line with our expectation (EUR843m), reflecting as expected 3% YoY growth and 5% LfL growth (Suez posted respectively -3.9% and -1.6%). Costs reduction program was the main earnings growth driver. Current EBIT came out at EUR413m (BG at EUR410m) reflecting a 4.2% YoY rise and a +7.5% LfL surge. Current net income came out slightly below our forecast at EUR173m (BG at EUR190m) with a lower contribution from capital gains compared with last year. Net debt remained almost stable at around EUR8.26bn. All 2016 targets were reiterated.
- What to retain from this publication? 1/Q1 sales performance was poor, as anticipated, as the group suffered from an unfavourable weather effect in the US (higher temperatures, lower energy prices) and from a fall in commodity prices. Despite this drop we are positively surprised by the good performance of the group in France on its two segments while Suez posted more negative metrics. Waste segment in France at Veolia declined only by 1% LfL vs. -5.4% posted by Suez in Q1-16 while on water segment, Veolia posted stable revenue vs. -1% posted by Suez. We expect more details during conference call. 2/EBITDA performance was in line with expectations and clearly confirms group's restructuring program is the main growth driver (Veolia EBITDA would have decline by 3.3% YoY assuming no costs reduction) as for Suez (Suez EBITDA would have fall by 10%). 3/2016 targets to generate sales and EBITDA LfL growth, to generate EUR650m of FCF and to posted current net income of at least EUR600m were confirmed.
- Conclusion: Earnings growth generated by Veolia was more impressive than earnings growth
 generated by Suez during Q1 and the 2016-18 consensus seems less at risk for Veolia given that
 it is not based on M&A. Yet when looking at valuation and implicit yield we see Veolia is today
 offering a less attractive yield than Suez even after integrating a dividend rise. The implicit risk
 reward on Suez appears to us more attractive than at Veolia. Neutral rating confirmed with FV
 unchanged at EUR22.

VALUATION

- At the current share price the stock is trading at 6.1x its 2016e EBITDA and offers a 3.4% yield
- Neutral with FV @ EUR22

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Construction & Building Materials

VINCI Price EUR64.94

Avg. 6m daily volume (000)

Bloomberg	DG FP
Reuters	SGEF.PA
12-month High / Low (EUR)	66.3 / 51.0
Market Cap (EURm)	38,295
Ev (BG Estimates) (EURm)	49,074

3y EPS CAGR				7.1%
	1 M	3 M	6 M 3	1/12/15
Absolute perf.	-0.5%	3.3%	5.6%	9.8%
Cons & Mat	1.3%	5.8%	-0.1%	-0.1%
DJ Stoxx 600	2.4%	2.0%	-9.4%	-6.7%
YEnd Dec. (EURm)	2015	2016e	2017e	2018e
Sales	38,518	38,272	39,607	40,984
% change		-0.6%	3.5%	3.5%
EBITDA	5,664	5,772	6,074	6,281
EBIT	3,758	3,972	4,273	4,494
% change		5.7%	7.6%	5.2%
Net income	2,109	2,258	2,469	2,597
% change		7.1%	9.3%	5.2%
	2015	2016e	2017e	2018e
Operating margin	9.8	10.4	10.8	11.0
Net margin	5.4	6.0	6.3	6.4
ROE	13.9	14.2	14.7	14.5
ROCE	7.4	7.8	8.4	8.8
Gearing	81.5	72.4	59.8	47.9
(EUR)	2015	2016e	2017e	2018e
EPS	3.58	3.83	4.19	4.41
% change	-	6.9%	9.3%	5.2%
P/E	18.1x	17.0x	15.5x	14.7x
FCF yield (%)	7.8%	7.3%	7.6%	8.2%
Dividends (EUR)	1.84	2.03	2.22	2.34
Div yield (%)	2.8%	3.1%	3.4%	3.6%
EV/Sales	1.3x	1.3x	1.2x	1.1x
EV/EBITDA	8.8x	8.5x	7.9x	7.4x
EV/EBIT	13.3x	12.4x	11.2x	10.3x



Vinci London Roadshow reinforces our positive stance on the stock Fair Value EUR72 (+11%)

We organised a roadshow with Vinci in London. Several topics were raised, notably the still difficult construction environment in France. This was nevertheless offset by a 12% increase in order intake at end-March on a 12-month basis, while construction margins should gradually recover. We confirm our positive stance on the stock. Its defensive qualities, with 69% of EBITDA generated by concessions, offer some visibility in this complicated environment. We organised a one day roadshow with Vinci in London. Several topics were raised.

BUY

ANALYSIS

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- First, Vinci confirmed that the construction environment remains tough in France. Eurovia and Vinci Construction sales fell sharply in Q1 although part of the decline in roadworks was due to lower prices, because of asphalt deflation (note that this is mostly a pass-through to customers). Anyhow, sentiment is that the cycle trough is not far ahead. Actually order intake is pretty strong, up double digit at 12% in Q1 and this should be reflected in stronger sales in coming years, although the order book will now be executed over a longer period of time compared with a year ago. Of course, no growth can be expected for contracting revenues in 2016. 2017 and 2018 are likely to be better however.
- Secondly, the challenge remains of how to improve operating margins in the construction business. While the UK should be close to breakeven this year, with a lower burden from the Nottingham tramway contract, France should benefit from further reorganisation with, in particular, a new manager transferred internally to the head of Vinci Construction France. The aim is to gradually increase the margin in order to offset, at least, the 40bp Ebit margin decline in 2015. In 2016, this could add as much as 50 to 60bp to last year's 2.1% EBIT margin in construction. Vinci Energies' profitability should remain solid at 5.6%, while the 3% margin in roadwork, a pretty decent level considering the environment, is expected to be flat too.
- Finally, regarding concessions, the very good performance in Q1 toll roads (7.2% apparent, around 4% excluding calendar effects) might have been driven by various factors, especially for cars: oil prices, consumer confidence, private consumption, development of car-sharing, new bus offers (the "Macron" busses), while the terrorist attacks in Paris and Brussels may have favoured roads rather than public transport systems like aeroplanes or trains. For trucks, the Spanish industrial production recovery might have underpinned volumes, as Spain usually accounts for roughly 30% of Vinci Autoroutes traffic growth. In any case, note that Vinci is maintaining its full year traffic growth guidance for 1.7-1.8%, despite this pointing to just 0.4% traffic growth for the rest of the year... We have 2% in our model and this seems conservative. But Vinci will not update its guidance before having a better view on summer traffic anyway.

VALUATION

EUR72 FV derived from a SOTP

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• H1 2016 results in 29th July, before market

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TMT

P/E

Div yield (%)

AlticePrice EUR13.15

Bloomberg			ATC NA	
Reuters				ATCA.AS
12-month High		3:	2.2 / 10.0	
Market Cap (EUI	Rm)			14,384
Avg. 6m daily vo	lume (000)			2 402
	1 M	3 M	6 M	31/12/15
	I IVI	3 IVI	O IVI	31/12/13
Absolute perf.	-14.3%	-2.0%	-22.9%	-0.8%
Telecom	-1.4%	-3.4%	-12.5%	-9.0%
DJ Stoxx 600	0.7%	1.9%	-11.3%	-8.3%
	2014	2015e	2016e	2017e

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17.7x

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FCC signs off on Altice's Cablevision Buy Fair Value EUR16,3 (+24%)

BUY

ANALYSIS

- On Tuesday, the US Federal Communications Commission consented to Altice's proposal to buy Cablevision. In a public memorandum, the FCC said that "the likely public interest benefits outweigh any potential public interest harms" and that "the transaction on balance, serves the public interest". Altice confirmed closing should happen before the end of H1 2016.
- As a reminder, in its discussions with the FCC, Altice committed to upgrade the Cablevision network so that all existing customer locations are able to receive broadband service of up to 300 Mbps, and also agreed to introduce a low income broadband package, subject to eligibility requirements.
- This decision from the FCC is positive, as we believe US expansion is key for Altice. As stated in our initiation report, the US is allowing Altice to diversify in a less competitive market, with great synergy expectations. We expect Altice to deliver synergies of around USD550m at Cablevision in our model.

VALUATION

• We stick to our Fair Value of EUR16.3, with a BUY recommendation.

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Altice Q1 results on 10th May.

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Insurance

AXAPrice EUR22.05

Bloomberg Reuters 12-month High / Market Cap (EUI	₹)		2!	CS FP AXAF.PA 5.8 / 18.9 53,532 7,194
Avg. 6m daily vo	, ,			·
	1 M	3 M	6 M	31/12/15
Absolute perf.	8.4%	5.6%	-10.1%	-12.6%
Insurance	1.0%	0.8%	-14.4%	-14.2%
DJ Stoxx 600	0.7%	1.9%	-11.3%	-8.3%
	2015	2016e	2017e	2018e
P/E	8.9x	8.9x	8.6x	
Div yield (%)	5.0%	5.3%	5.7%	1

Satisfactory Q1 numbers Fair Value EUR29 (+32%)

BUY-Top Picks

ANALYSIS

- Reported Q1 2016 revenues came in at EUR31.75bn, up 1% yoy (also up 1% on a comparable basis), slightly above consensus (EUR31.735bn).
- P&C premiums rose 3% on a comparable basis to EUR11.7bn (consensus EUR11.6bn). Personal line premiums were 4% (including pricing up 4%). Commercial lines premiums rose 2% (including pricing up 3%).
- In Life/Protection, the NBV margin was 29% (consensus 33%) vs. 35% in Q1 2015, mainly driven by a temporary change in product-mix (higher corporate pension scheme sales in the UK). Excluding the UK, the NBV margin would have been 36.0% vs. 37.6% in Q1 2016. Note that the NBV margin widened by (54% vs. 51%) in Protection/Health, which represents 51% of the division's operating profit. Net new money stood at EUR3.0bn, o/w EUR3.1bn in Protection/Health.
- In Asset Management, net new money totalled EUR10bn, o/w EUR2bn at AllianceBernstein and EUR8bn at AXA IM. Revenues fell 9% driven by lower average AuM and by a change in productmix (higher share of lower margin fixed income products).
- Solvency II margin at end-March was 200% (vs. 205% at end-2015), with the impact of adverse financial market conditions partially offset by the operating return contribution and the issuance of EUR1.5bn in dated subordinated notes. Remember the optimal range is 170-230%.

VALUATION

• Based on our current estimates, our SOTP valuation is EUR29.

NEXT CATALYSTS

Investors' Day on 21st June. H1 2016 numbers on 3rd August.

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Luxury & Consumer Goods

Beiersdorf Price <u>EUR79.56</u>

Bloomberg		BEI GY		
Reuters		BEIG.DE		
12-month High / l	ow (EUR)		90.	0 / 71.1
Market Cap (EUR)				18,044
Avg. 6m daily volu	ıme (000)			0.80
	1 M	3 M	6 M 3	1/12/15
Absolute perf.	2.0%	-6.1%	-6.8%	-6.1%
Pers & H/H Gds	-0.1%	-0.3%	-6.6%	-2.2%
DJ Stoxx 600	0.7%	1.9%	-11.3%	-8.3%
	2014	2015e	2016e	2017e
P/E	34.3x	27.4x	26.6x	24.6x
Div yield (%)	0.9%	0.9%	0.9%	0.9%

Q1 sales up 2.4% organically, below expectations mainly due to Tesa Fair Value EUR80 (+1%)

NEUTRAL

ANALYSIS

- The German group has reported Q1 sales of EUR1.67bn (consensus: EUR1.70bn), down 1.9% and up 2.4% organically (consensus: +3.1%). BDF does not disclose quarterly results any more but only sales. Q1 revenues slowed down versus the Q4 performance (+3%) mainly due to Tesa. Nevertheless, Consumer sales were up 3.6% organically in Q1 following +4.7% in Q4 and +3.6% over 2015. In Q1, Nivea brand sales increased 4.3%. Tesa sales declined 3.2%.
- By main geographical area and for the consumer activity, Q1 sales grew 3.2% in Europe (50% of sales), following +2% in Q4. In Western Europe alone, Q1 revenues grew 2% (on undemanding comps) with a strong performance in Germany and in the UK, while momentum was also very positive in Eastern Europe (+8.5%). In Americas (20% of sales), activity remained disappointing with a 1.2% decline, including -4.3% in North America while sales in LATAM were more subdued (+1.3%). Lastly, sales in Asia (30% of sales) were robust in Q1 (+7.3%) but on an undemanding comparison basis (-2.5% in Q 15).
- Management has reiterated its FY 2016 guidance, implying sales up 3-4% (both for the Group and the consumer division) with "slight" EBIT margin improvement (again both for the consumer division and the group). For the moment, we expect sales to grow 3.5% and EBIT margin to gain 40bp to 14.8%.

VALUATION

 The BDF share price is down 6% YTD (our HPC sample is stable). Neutral recommendation and EUR80 FV unchanged.

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• H1 results should be reported on 4th August.

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Food retailing

Casino Guichard Price EUR50.00

Bloomberg	Bloomberg			CO FP		
Reuters	Reuters			CASP.PA		
12-month High /	Low (EUR)		79	.8 / 35.2		
Market Cap (EUR	m)			5,660		
Avg. 6m daily volu	ume (000)			810.3		
	1 M	3 M	6M 3	1/12/15		
	I IVI	3 IVI	O IVI 3	1/12/13		
Absolute perf.	1.1%	28.2%	-7.6%	17.9%		
Food Retailing	-2.6%	-0.2%	-7.8%	-1.3%		
DJ Stoxx 600	0.7%	1.9%	-11.3%	-8.3%		
	2015	2016e	2017e	2018e		
P/E	17.9x	21.5x	17.9x	15.0x		
Div yield (%)	6.2%	6.2%	6.2%	6.2%		

Exercise of call option on Monoprix Mandatory Bonds Fair Value EUR57 (+14%)

BUY

ANALYSIS

- As a reminder, following the disposal of both Thailand (EUR3.1bn proceed+EUR0.2bn linked to the deconsolidation of Big C's net debt) and Vietnam (EUR920m proceed), Casino's asset disposal programme reached EUR4.2bn. And we believe that there is room for further disposals.
- Initially, Casino made it clear that EUR3.5bn out of the initial EUR4bn deleveraging plan would be allocated to Holdco's net debt reduction. Given that there is currently no discount on Casino's debt, the redemption of this debt is constrained. Hence, besides the 2016 (already redeemed) and 2017 maturities, the exercise of the Monoprix call option was an obvious alternative.
- Yet, according to a press release, Casino effectively exercised its call option on all of the EUR500m mandatory convertible bonds issued by Monoprix in December 2013 (ORA). In our view, this is a relief since the conversion of this bond would have strongly diluted Casino's share in Monoprix (~20%) which remains the most profitable asset of the group.
- Beyond this news, the group's growth profile over the long term is somewhat penalised by the disposal of Asia. Thenceforward, we continue to believe that Casino may do what is generally expected from a wise asset manager: sell high at 1.7x sales (i.e. Asia) and buy low at 0.3x sales (i.e. LatAm).

VALUATION

The sacrosanct spot SOTP currently stands at EUR53 per share

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Sell high at 1.7x sales (i.e. Asia) and buy low at 0.3x sales (i.e. LatAm)

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Healthcare

Orpea Price EUR72.80

Bloomberg		ORP FP		
Reuters				ORP.PA
12-month High / I	Low (EUR)		76	.7 / 59.0
Market Cap (EUR	m)			4,373
Avg. 6m daily volu	ıme (000)			114.4
	1 M	3 M	6 M 3	1/12/15
Absolute perf.	-0.5%	-1.6%	0.6%	-1.3%
Healthcare	3.3%	-3.3%	-10.9%	-10.5%
DJ Stoxx 600	2.4%	2.0%	-9.4%	-6.7%
	2015	2016e	2017e	2018e
P/E	30.1x	25.2x	22.4x	20.0x
Div yield (%)	1.2%	1.4%	1.6%	1.8%

Q1 2016 revenue (contact): higher than expected reported figures with strong IfI growth Fair Value EUR79 (+9%)

BUY

ANALYSIS

- Strong revenue growth driven by acquisitions made in 2015....: Total revenue reached EUR680.5m, up 26.5% on a reported basis and higher than our forecast and the consensus figure (EUR666m and EUR669m respectively). This took into account the consolidation of companies acquired during 2015 adding EUR110m in consolidated revenue in Q1 (Senevita in Austria consolidated since Q2 2015, Celenius + RGB and Vitalis in Germany since Q3 2015, 1st September 2015 and 1st January 2016 respectively, and Medi-System in Poland).
- ...and sustained organic growth: Lfl revenue growth was robust at 5.9% benefiting notably from the positive impact of the leap year in 2016 (additional revenue of over EUR6m). Excluding this extra day, lfl revenue growth would have been 4.7% (sustained demand with a positive ramp-up at recently opened facilities and despite price decrease in clinics in France). By geography, France turned in a strong performance, up 4.1% excluding calendar effects and taking into account a price decrease of 2.5% in clinics. International business was up 6.2%, notably with Germany up 9.4%, Switzerland up 12.7%, Belgium up 1.2%, Spain +2.9% and Italy broadly flat.
- FY guidance confirmed: Following Q1 revenue, management confidently confirmed its FY 2016 guidance of EUR2,720m, up 13.7% in reported terms excluding new additional developments. We are confirming our forecast for consolidated revenue of EUR2,772m, up 5.3% on a lfl basis.

VALUATION

 At the current share price, the stock is trading on 2016e and 2017e EV/EBITDA multiples of 15.5x and 14.1x respectively, compared with the historical average 12m FWD of 13.1x and an EBITDA CAGR over 2015-2018 of 11.4%

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H1 2016 revenue on 20th July

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Food & Beverages

Pernod Ricard

Price EUR93.75

Bloomberg		RLFP		
Reuters		PERP.PA		
12-month High / Lo	12-month High / Low (EUR)			
Market Cap (EURm	n)			24,883
Avg. 6m daily volu			513.2	
	1 M	3 M	6 M 3	31/12/15
Absolute perf.	-2.4%	-11.5%	-12.3%	-10.9%
Food & Bev.	-0.7%	-3.4%	-5.7%	-5.0%
DJ Stoxx 600	0.7%	1.9%	-11.3%	-8.3%
	06/1 5	06/16e	06/17e	06/18e
P/E	18.8x	18.6x	18.3x	17.3x
Div yield (%)	1.9%	2.0%	2.0%	2.1%

Pernod Ricard ready to sell Paddy Irish Whiskey Fair Value EUR107 (+14%)

ANALYSIS

- The group has entered into exclusive negotiations to sell Paddy Irish Whiskey to Sazerac, a privately held company based in New Orleans. Paddy is priced below Pernod Ricard's key Irish whiskey brand Jameson and is playing in the flavoured arena (which Jameson is not). The terms of the transaction have not been disclosed. The deal could be signed and completed in coming weeks and would involve Pernod Ricard continuing to produce Paddy at its Midleton Distillery.
- We think that Pernod Ricard could have received an interesting price that might have prompted
 it to sell off a non-core brand. It will be able to increase resources behind other Irish whiskey
 brands such as Jameson or Powers. This sale is in line with the group's strategy to refocus its
 investments behind key priorities.

VALUATION

• At yesterday' share price, the stock is trading at EV/EBIT multiples of 14.9 for 2015/16e and 14.7 for 2016/17e, 19% and 13% below the peer average.

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The group will hold a conference call on Asia on 31st May.

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BUY

Construction & Building Materials

Saint Gobain Price EUR39.50

Bloomberg Reuters 12-month High / Market Cap (EUR Avg. 6m daily vol		_	SGO FP GOB.PA .5 / 32.1 22,154 1,920	
	1 M	3 M	6 M 3	1/12/15
Absolute perf.	2.9%	10.8%	0.9%	-0.9%
Cons & Mat	-0.1%	6.3%	-1.6%	-1.4%
DJ Stoxx 600	0.7%	1.9%	-11.3%	-8.3%
	2015	2016e	2017e	2018e
P/E	19.2x	18.5x	14.5x	12.0x
Div yield (%)	3.1%	3.3%	3.3%	3.3%

Wendel to sell 5.3% of SGO shares Fair Value EUR46 (+16%)

BUY

ANALYSIS

- Yesterday Wendel announced its intention to sell 30 million SGO shares, representing roughly 5.3% of the capital of Saint-Gobain. Wendel's stake will fall from 11.7% to 6.4% after the placement. Additionally, Wendel is issuing a EUR500m zero coupon bond exchangeable into SGO shares (1 for 1 ratio). Maturity date is 31st of July, 2019; with a 35% to 40% exchange premium.
- Wendel has agreed for a 12-month lock-up period for the remaining shares.
- It worth saying the placement of 30 million shares of Saint-Gobain corresponds to a EUR220m of accounting loss for Wendel.
- On its side, Saint-Gobain has announced its commitment to buy 10 million shares (c1.8% of the capital) out of the total 30 million. These shares will be cancelled and should help Saint-Gobain close the gap between the current number of shares of 561 million and the midterm objective of 531 million.
- This is of course not a positive news for SGO share price. Considering the good resilience YTD (-1% vs -5.7% for the CAC40), it is likely to come under some pressure in the short term.

VALUATION

 EUR46 derived from the application of historical EV/EBIT of 10x to our 2018 estimates, then discounted back.

NEXT CATALYSTS

• AGM on 2nd June. Interim results on 28th July.

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BG's Wake Up Call

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