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## EUROPE'S

 LEADING ONLINE FASHION DESTINATIONQ1 2017
EARNINGS CALL


## RESULTS HIGHLIGHTS AND BUSINESS UPDATE

## SUCCESSFUL START INTO 2017: <br> GROWTH AND PROFITABILITY ON TRACK

REVENUE GROWTH IN LINE WITH GUIDED CORRIDOR

In $€ m$


PROFITABILITY STABLE
DESPITE PLANNED INVESTMENTS
EBIT margin ${ }^{1}$ in percent


INVESTMENTS IN LOGISTIC INFRASTRUCTURE LOWER FCF

In $€ m$

CAPEX


## FURTHER EXPANDED OUR CONVENIENCEOFFERINGACROSS EUROPE,...




## ...AND INVESTED INTO OUR CORPORATE BRAND FOR THE FIRST TIME BY HOSTING THE VIZIONS PLATFORM CONFERENCE


5.6 million Twitter impressions, 100+ Journalists from the EU, 50+ Interviews that day


90+ Speakers from USA, China, Europe and Israel

24 hrs of content on 3 stages with 50 content streams


FINANCIAL UPDATE Q1 2017

## GROWTH STORY ON TRACK



## INCREASING CUSTOMER BASE, ORDER FREQUENCY AND SHARE OF WALLET

ACTIVE CUSTOMERS
In \#m


AVERAGE ORDERS PER ACTIVE CUSTOMER
LTM in \#


AVERAGE BASKET SIZE AFTER RETURNS ${ }^{1}$


## GROUP PROFITABILITY STABLE DESPITE PLANNED INVESTMENTS



EBIT margin ${ }^{1}$

DACH EBIT
EBIT margin


## FULFILLMENT COST INVESTMENTS IMPACT MARGIN, While marketing Leverage continues

COSTS AND MARGINS
excl. SBC ${ }^{1}$ in percent of revenue


## STRONG WORKING CAPITAL AND GROWTH INVESTMENTS IN LOGISTICS INFRASTRUCTURE

NET WORKING CAPITAL (END OF Q1)
in percent of annualized Q1 revenue


## CAPITAL EXPENDITURE ${ }^{1}$

in $€ m$
Intangibles PP\&E


## LIQUIDITY REMAINS STRONG

## CASH FLOW DEVELOPMENT (Q1)

In $€ \mathrm{~m}$


Free cash flow: ( $€ 95 m$ ) Q1/17

## OUTLOOK



Revenue growth of 20-25\%

Adj. EBIT ${ }^{1}$ margin: 5.0-6.0\%

Slightly negative working capital at year-end and $\sim \notin 200 \mathrm{~m}$ capex ${ }^{2}$


## ISSUED SHARE CAPITAL

## SHARE INFORMATION

As of 31-Mar-2017

Type of Shares
Stock Exchange
Market Segment
Index Listings
Total Number of Shares Outstanding
Issued Share Capital

## SHARE STOCK OPTION PROGRAMS

As of 31-Mar-2017

| Program | \# Options outstanding | Strike <br> price |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Various | 76,670 | 1.00 |
| SOP 2011 | $2,543,200$ | 5.65 |
| SOP 2013 | $9,817,500$ | 15.63 |
| SOP 2014 - Tranche pre IPO | $4,946,863$ | 17.72 |
| SOP2014 - Tranche Mar 2015 | 607,489 | 22.79 |
| SOP 2014 - Tranche May 2015 | 222,230 | 25.03 |
| SOP 2014 - Tranche Aug 2015 | 190,812 | 29.92 |
| SOP 2014 - Tranche Nov 2015 | 58,900 | 30.48 |
| SOP 2014 - Tranche Mar 2016 | 326,216 | 31.60 |
| Total | $\mathbf{1 8 , 7 8 9 , 8 8 0}$ |  |

Ordinary bearer shares with no-par value (Stückaktien)
Frankfurt Stock Exchange
Regulated Market (Prime Standard)
MDAX (2.3\% share ${ }^{1}$ )
247,268,958
€ 247,268,958

## EMPLOYEE INCENTIVE PLAN ${ }^{2}$

As of 31-Mar-2017

| Program | \# Options <br> outstanding | Strike <br> price |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| EIP 2016 - Summer Tranche 2016 | 109,863 | 1.00 |
| EIP 2016 - Summer Tranche 2016 | 555,437 | 27.10 |
| EIP 2016 - Summer Tranche 2016 | 171,304 | 32.52 |
| EIP 2016 - Winter Tranche 2016 | 17,494 | 1.00 |
| EIP 2016 - Winter Tranche 2016 | 69,104 | 36.83 |
| EIP 2016 - Winter Tranche 2016 | 36,368 | 44.20 |
| Total | $\mathbf{9 5 9 , 5 7 0}$ |  |
|  |  |  |

## INCOME STATEMENT

| €m | FY/14 | FY/15 | FY/16 | Q1/16 | Q1/17 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenue | 2,214.0 | 2,958.2 | 3,639.0 | 796.1 | 980.2 |
| \% growth | 25.7\% | 33.6\% | 23.0\% | 23.7\% | 23.1\% |
| Cost of Sales | $(1,255.3)$ | $(1,624.0)$ | (2,029.6) | (462.7) | (574.8) |
| Gross Profit | 958.7 | 1,334.1 | 1,609.4 | 333.4 | 405.4 |
| \% margin | 43.3\% | 45.1\% | 44.2\% | 41.9\% | 41.4\% |
| Selling and Distribution Costs | (793.8) | $(1,118.9)$ | $(1,223.7)$ | (277.2) | (339.2) |
| Administrative Expenses | (109.1) | (129.0) | (191.3) | (40.6) | (52.8) |
| Other Operating Income | 12.2 | 10.2 | 16.7 | 1.5 | 2.7 |
| Other Operating Expenses | (5.8) | (7.0) | (4.1) | (0.7) | (1.1) |
| EBIT | 62.1 | 89.6 | 207.0 | 16.4 | 14.9 |
| \% margin | 2.8\% | 3.0\% | 5.7\% | 2.1\% | 1.5\% |
| Net Financial Result | (4.5) | (3.0) | (14.1) | (6.2) | (3.6) |
| EBT | 57.7 | 86.6 | 192.9 | 10.3 | 11.3 |
| \% margin | 2.6\% | 2.9\% | 5.3\% | 1.3\% | 1.2\% |
| Income and Other Tax | (10.5) | 34.9 | (72.5) | (5.7) | (6.2) |
| Net Income | 47.2 | 121.5 | 120.5 | 4.6 | 5.1 |
| \% margin | 2.1\% | 4.1\% | 3.3\% | 0.6\% | 0.5\% |
| Depreciation \& Amortization | 25.8 | 34.2 | 48.2 | 9.1 | 12.6 |
| EBITDA | 88.0 | 123.8 | 255.2 | 25.5 | 27.5 |
| \% margin | 4.0\% | 4.2\% | 7.0\% | 3.2\% | 2.8\% |
| Share Based Compensation (SBC) | 19.8 | 17.9 | 19.9 | 3.8 | 5.4 |
| Adj. EBIT (adj. for SBC) | 82.0 | 107.5 | 216.3 | 20.2 | 20.3 |
| \% margin | 3.7\% | 3.6\% | 5.9\% | 2.5\% | 2.1\% |
| Adj. EBITDA (adj. for SBC) | 107.8 | 141.7 | 264.5 | 29.3 | 32.8 |
| \% margin | 4.9\% | 4.8\% | 7.3\% | 3.7\% | 3.4\% |

## SHARE BASED COMPENSATION

| €m | FY/14 | FY/15 | FY/16 | Q1/16 | Q1/17 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Per Income Statement Line Item |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cost of Sales | 4.4 | 4.5 | 5.0 | 0.9 | 1.3 |
| Selling and Distribution Costs | 9.6 | 9.0 | 9.9 | 1.9 | 2.7 |
| Administrative Expenses | 5.8 | 4.5 | 5.0 | 0.9 | 1.3 |
| Share Based Compensation | 19.8 | 17.9 | 19.9 | 3.8 | 5.4 |
| As \% of revenue | FY/14 | FY/15 | FY/16 | Q1/16 | Q1/16 |
| Per Income Statement Line Item |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cost of Sales | 0.2\% | 0.2\% | 0.1\% | 0.1\% | 0.1\% |
| Selling and Distribution Costs | 0.4\% | 0.3\% | 0.3\% | 0.2\% | 0.3\% |
| Administrative Expenses | 0.3\% | 0.2\% | 0.1\% | 0.1\% | 0.1\% |
| Share Based Compensation | 0.9\% | 0.6\% | 0.5\% | 0.5\% | 0.6\% |

## SEGMENTS

| €m | FY/14 | FY/15 | FY/16 | Q1/16 | Q1/17 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenue | 2,214.0 | 2,958.2 | 3,639.0 | 796.1 | 980.2 |
| DACH | 1,234.0 | 1,580.1 | 1,813.8 | 405.8 | 475.0 |
| Rest of Europe | 862.6 | 1,211.6 | 1,570.2 | 334.5 | 428.3 |
| Other | 117.4 | 166.5 | 255.1 | 55.8 | 76.9 |
| As \% of total | 100.0\% | 100.0\% | 100.0\% | 100.0\% | 100.0\% |
| DACH | 55.7\% | 53.4\% | 49.8\% | 51.0\% | 48.5\% |
| Rest of Europe | 39.0\% | 41.0\% | 43.1\% | 42.0\% | 43.7\% |
| Other | 5.3\% | 5.6\% | 7.0\% | 7.0\% | 7.8\% |
| EBIT | 62.1 | 89.6 | 207.0 | 16.4 | 14.9 |
| DACH | 72.3 | 92.2 | 221.4 | 37.4 | 32.8 |
| Rest of Europe | (18.6) | (10.2) | (6.2) | (18.5) | (21.4) |
| Other | 8.4 | 7.5 | (8.1) | (2.4) | 3.4 |
| \% margin | 2.8\% | 3.0\% | 5.7\% | 2.1\% | 1.5\% |
| DACH | 5.9\% | 5.8\% | 12.2\% | 9.2\% | 6.9\% |
| Rest of Europe | (2.2\%) | (0.8\%) | (0.4\%) | (5.5\%) | (5.0\%) |
| Other | 7.2\% | 4.5\% | (3.2\%) | (4.4\%) | 4.4\% |
| Adjusted EBIT | 82.0 | 107.5 | 216.3 | 20.2 | 20.3 |
| DACH | 83.0 | 101.9 | 226.3 | 39.3 | 35.5 |
| Rest of Europe | (11.6) | (3.3) | (3.3) | (17.0) | (19.1) |
| Other | 10.5 | 8.9 | (6.7) | (2.1) | 3.9 |
| \% adjusted margin | 3.7\% | 3.6\% | 5.9\% | 2.5\% | 2.1\% |
| DACH | 6.7\% | 6.4\% | 12.5\% | 9.7\% | 7.5\% |
| Rest of Europe | (1.3\%) | (0.3\%) | (0.2\%) | (5.1\%) | (4.5\%) |
| Other | 9.0\% | 5.3\% | (2.6\%) | (3.7\%) | 5.1\% |

## BALANCE SHEET

| €m | Q1/16 | Q1/16 <br> (\% of total assets) | Q1/17 | Q1/17 <br> (\% of total assets) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Non-Current Assets | 264.8 | 12.1\% | 456.6 | 17.0\% |
| Thereof: Property, Plant and Equipment | 136.6 | 6.2\% | 300.3 | 11.2\% |
| Other Financial Assets | 24.1 | 1.1\% | 43.8 | 1.6\% |
| Non-Financial Assets | 3.3 | 0.2\% | 2.8 | 0.1\% |
| Other Non-Current Assets | 100.8 | 4.6\% | 109.7 | 4.1\% |
| Total Current Assets | 1,931.6 | 87.9\% | 2,230.5 | 83.0\% |
| Thereof: Inventories | 590.4 | 26.9\% | 718.7 | 26.7\% |
| Trade and Other Receivables | 162.8 | 7.4\% | 231.4 | 8.6\% |
| Other Assets ${ }^{1}$ | 237.2 | 10.8\% | 330.5 | 12.3\% |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents ${ }^{1}$ | 941.2 | 42.9\% | 949.9 | 35.3\% |
| Total Assets | 2,196.4 | 100.0\% | 2,687.0 | 100.0\% |
| Total Equity | 1,278.3 | 58.2\% | 1,415.1 | 52.7\% |
| Thereof: Issued Capital | 247.0 | 11.2\% | 247.2 | 9.2\% |
| Capital Reserves | 1,144.7 | 52.1\% | 1,166.4 | 43.4\% |
| Retained earnings | (0.1) | (0.0\%) | (5.3) | (0.2\%) |
| Accumulated Gains (Loss) | (113.4) | (5.2\%) | 6.8 | 0.3\% |
| Total Non-Current Liabilities | 29.6 | 1.3\% | 29.5 | 1.1\% |
| Thereof: Financial Liabilities | 13.6 | 0.6\% | 10.5 | 0.4\% |
| Other Non-Current Liabilities | 16.0 | 0.7\% | 19.0 | 0.7\% |
| Total Current Liabilities | 888.4 | 40.4\% | 1,242.5 | 46.2\% |
| Thereof: Trade Payables and Similar Obligations | 737.7 | 33.6\% | 1,047.9 | 39.0\% |
| Other Current Liabilities | 150.8 | 6.9\% | 194.6 | 7.2\% |
| Total Equity \& Liabilities | 2,196.4 | 100.0\% | 2,687.0 | 100.0\% |
| Net Working Capital | 15.5 | 0.7\% | (97.7) | (3.6\%) |

## CASH FLOW STATEMENT

| €m | FY2014 | FY2015 | FY/16 | Q1/16 | Q1/17 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net Income | 47.2 | 121.5 | 120.5 | 4.6 | 5.1 |
| Non-Cash Expenses from Share-Based Payments | 19.8 | 17.9 | 19.9 | 3.8 | 5.4 |
| Cash Settlement of Claims from Share-Based Payments | 0.0 | (2.3) | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Depreciation | 25.8 | 34.2 | 48.2 | 9.1 | 12.6 |
| Income Taxes | 10.5 | (34.9) | 72.5 | 5.7 | 6.2 |
| Income Taxes Paid, Less Refunds | 0.0 | (0.0) | (33.8) | (20.1) | (3.9) |
| Change in Provisions | 1.0 | (0.5) | 0.1 | 3.6 | (0.1) |
| Other Non-Cash Income | (0.2) | (1.0) | 1.2 | (0.0) | 0.7 |
| Change in Inventories and Receivables | (68.7) | (154.2) | (147.4) | (108.3) | (157.2) |
| Change in Trade Liabilities | 94.9 | 154.9 | 264.3 | 89.6 | 126.5 |
| Change in Other Assets/Other Liabilities | 44.6 | (16.2) | (69.7) | 2.8 | (11.9) |
| Cash Flow from Operating Activities | 174.9 | 119.4 | 275.8 | (9.2) | (16.7) |
| Payments for Investments in Fixed and Intangible Assets | (51.1) | (60.0) | (181.7) | (23.7) | (77.8) |
| Payments for Acquisitions | 0.0 | (16.8) | (30.4) | (0.9) | 0.0 |
| Cash Paid for Investments in Term Deposits | 0.0 | (155.0) | (65.0) | 0.0 | 70.0 |
| Change in Restricted Cash | (0.8) | 35.3 | 0.0 | (0.0) | 0.4 |
| Cash Flow from Investing Activities | (51.9) | (196.5) | (277.1) | (24.6) | (7.4) |
| Payments Received from Capital Increases | 510.1 | 6.4 | 1.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Cash Received from Loans | 3.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Repurchase of treasury shares | 0.0 | (1.7) | (0.7) | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Cash Repayments of Loans | (3.2) | (3.2) | (3.2) | (0.8) | (0.8) |
| Cash Flow from Financing Activities | 510.8 | 1.5 | (2.9) | (0.8) | (0.8) |
| Change in Cash \& Cash Equivalents | 633.8 | (75.7) | (4.1) | (34.7) | (25.0) |
| Effects of Exchange Rate on Cash \& Cash Equivalents | 0.0 | 0.9 | 0.5 | (0.4) | 2.2 |

## KPI DEVELOPMENT

|  | 2015 | Q1/16 | Q2/16 | Q3/16 | Q4/16 | 2016 | Q1/17 |
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| Site Visits (m) ${ }^{1}$ | 1,656.4 | 479.5 | 480.2 | 468.6 | 563.2 | 1,991.6 | 617.6 |
| Mobile Visit Share (in \% of Site Visits) ${ }^{2}$ | 57.1\% | 62.3\% | 64.7\% | 67.0\% | 68.1\% | 65.6\% | 68.8\% |
| Active Customers (m) ${ }^{3}$ | 17.9 | 18.4 | 18.8 | 19.2 | 19.9 | 19.9 | 20.4 |
| Number of Orders (m) ${ }^{4}$ | 55.3 | 15.6 | 17.5 | 16.4 | 19.6 | 69.2 | 19.9 |
| Average Order per Active Customer | 3.08 x | $3.20 x$ | 3.32x | 3.39x | 3.48 x | 3.48 x | 3.60x |
| Average Basket Size (in €) ${ }^{5}$ | 67.8 | 66.5 | 66.2 | 62.8 | 70.2 | 66.6 | 63.0 |
| Fulfillment Cost Ratio (in \% of revenue) ${ }^{6}$ | 26\% | 24\% | 23\% | 24\% | 22\% | 23\% | 25\% |
| Marketing Cost Ratio (in \% of revenue) ${ }^{7}$ | 12\% | 10\% | 10\% | 10\% | 10\% | 10\% | 9\% |

(1) Site Visits defined as the number of series of page requests from the same uniquely identified client at Zalando, including website, m.site and apps in the measurement period. A visit is considered ended when no requests have been recorded in more than 30 minutes.
(3) Active is defined as tablets, mobile site and apps.
(4) Number of Orders defined as the number of customer orders placed in the measurement period irrespective of cancellations or returns. An order is counted on the day dine the customer places Number of Orders defined as the number of customer orders placed in the measurement period irrespective of cancellations or returns. An order is coun
(5) Average Basket Size defined as the transactional revenue (incl. VAT and transactional volume of Partner Program) after cancellations or returns divided by the number of orders.
(6) Fulfillment Cost Ratio defined as fulfillment cost as a proportion of revenue in the measurement period. Fulfillment costs mainly include logistics, content creation, service and payment expenses, as well as allocated overhead. costs. Fulfillment costs therefore comprises all selling and distribution costs, except for marketing costs. All numbers shown excluding equity settled SBC costs.

FINANCIAL CALENDAR 2017

| May 2017 |  |  |  |  |
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| June 2017 |  |  |  |  |
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Action

| Date | Action |
| :--- | :--- |
| Tuesday, 16-May | NDR, Edinburgh |
| Wednesday, 17-May | Citi's European Internet and Digital Conference, London |
| Wednesday, 31-May | Annual General Meeting 2017 |
| Monday + Tuesday, 19-20 June | Capital Markets Day 2017 |
| Thursday, 22-June | dbAccess - German, Swiss \& Austrian Conference, Berlin |
| Tuesday, 27-June | Erste Securities Polska Conference, Warsaw |
| Friday, 30-June | Kepler Cheuvreux One-Stop-Shop, Amsterdam |
| Thursday, 10-Aug | Q2/2017 Results |
| Tuesday, 7-Nov | Q3/2017 Results |

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