

BURCKHARDT COMPRESSION HOLDING AG RESULTS FIRST-HALF OF FY18

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ABOUT BURCKHARDT COMPRESSION



About Burckhardt Compression

- Burckhardt Compression is
 - the worldwide market leader in the field of reciprocating compressor systems
 - the only manufacturer and service provider that covers a full range of reciprocating compressor technologies and services
- Optimized solutions for our customers reciprocating compressor systems
- Customized compressor systems for
 - Upstream Oil & Gas
 - Gas Transport & Storage
 - Refinery
 - Petrochemical, Chemical Industry
 - Industrial Gas sectors





About Burckhardt Compression

Founded

Division of Sulzer Corporation

Management buyout

Shareholders

- FTEs 1HY FY18
- Sales 1HY FY18

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1969 – 2002

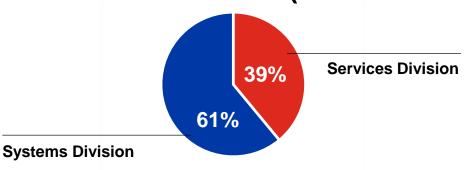
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Public listed company SIX (BCHN) since IPO in 2006

- > 4'000 Shareholders
- Market cap CHF 1.2 bn (28.9.2018)

2'306 (1HY FY17: 2'192)

CHF 258 mn (1HY FY17: 287 mn)





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Market Segments





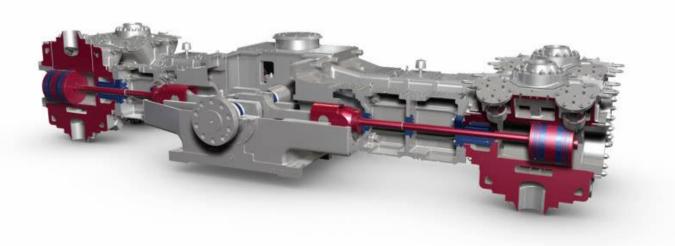








Reciprocating Compressor (Crosshead Design)







CORPORATE OVERVIEW



Financial Summary

	Systems	Division	Services	Services Division		Others ¹⁾		Total	
in CHF mn	1HY FY18	1HY FY17	1HY FY18	1HY FY17	1HY FY18	1HY FY17	1HY FY18	1HY FY17	
Sales	158.5	192.8	99.6	94.2			258.1	287.0	
Cost of goods sold	-152.9	-181.4	-56.0	-50.7			-208.9	-232.1	
Gross profit	5.6	11.4	43.5	43.5			49.2	54.9	
Gross profit as % sales	3.6%	5.9%	43.7%	46.2%			19.0%	19.1%	
Operating income	-13.6	-7.4	20.6	22.3	-1.4	-2.2	5.6	12.8	
Operating income as % sales	-8.6%	-3.8%	20.7%	23.7%			2.2%	4.5%	

¹⁾ Includes corporate center and real estate company



Highlights

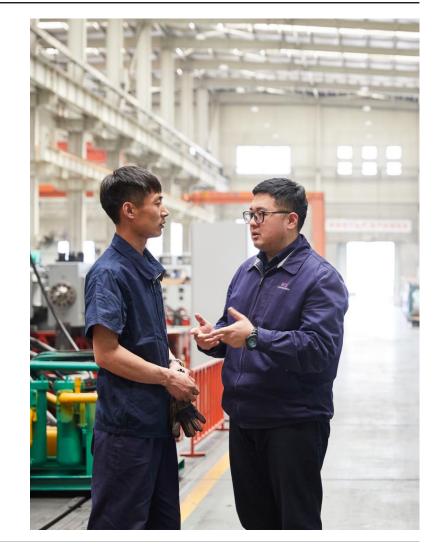
- Significantly higher order intake in both divisions
- Maintained leading market position in China and positive market development in India and in the US
- Signed agreement with Exxon Mobile for distribution and marketing of lubrication oils for LDPE applications
- Signed new service agreements with LNGM ship owners
- Conducted successfully an LDPE symposium for our global customers in Xi'an, China





Set Backs

- Under-proportional financial performance in first half-year due to cyclicality of the business
- Profitability in the Systems Division still under pressure due to:
 - Additional costs in the LNGM business
 - Completion of projects that had been affected by sharp rise in material procurement cost in China over the past year
 - Underutilized production capacity mainly in Switzerland (Q1 FY 2018) and to a smaller extend also in the US and China (SYCC foundry)





REVIEW SYSTEMS DIVISION

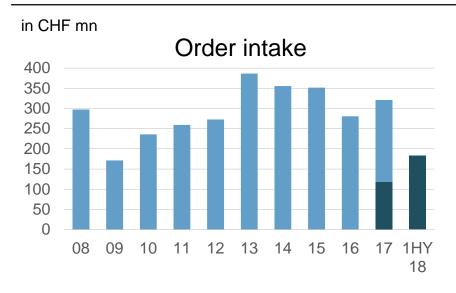


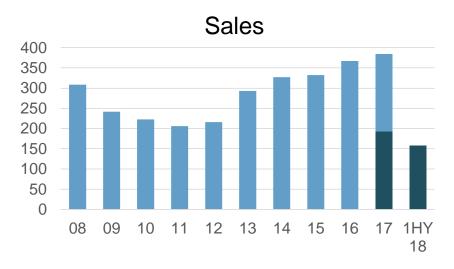
Systems Division Financials

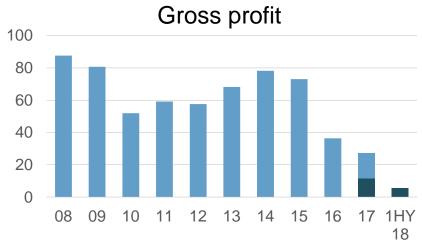
in CHF mn	1HY FY18	1HY FY17	Change 1HY FY17 / FY18
Order intake	183.0	117.7	+55.5%
Sales	158.5	192.8	-17.8%
Gross profit	5.6	11.4	-50.9%
In % of sales	3.6%	5.9%	
EBIT	-13.6	-7.4	
In % of sales	-8.6%	-3.8%	

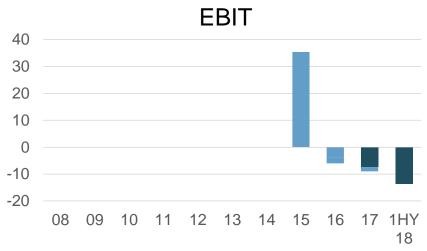


Systems Division Key Figures









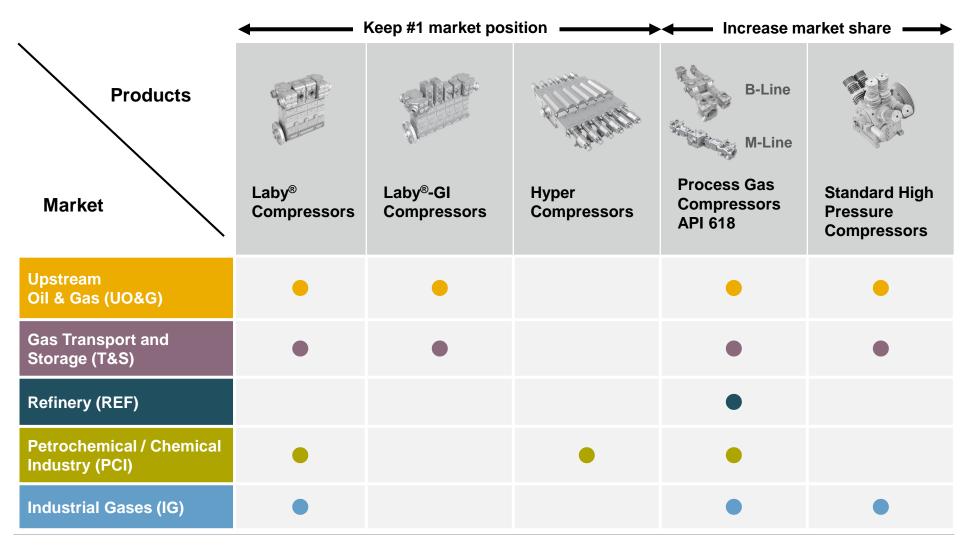


Systems Division Profitability Improvement Initiatives

- Profitability improvement initiatives are on track
- Highlights in 1HY FY18:
 - Further expansion of Global Support Center in Pune, India
 - 70 FTEs to support engineering, contracting and IT worldwide
 - Expanded value engineering and global procurement from stand-alone compressors to entire systems
 - Many suppliers have been involved
 - Conducted successfully a global suppliers day in Winterthur
 - Increased order intake gross margins, especially in Refinery business



Systems Division Products and Market Strategy





Systems Division Upstream Oil & Gas

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Market drivers	US political support for domestic gas production
& trends	 Productivity improvements in Enhanced Oil Recovery
	 Changing energy mix leads to a globally increasing demand for gas
	Oil price development
	 Growth of middle-class in emerging countries driving the need for natural gas-based products
Highlights 1HY FY18	 Received one order for a seal gas compressor from Kuwait
Expected market development	 Further development of the onshore business since production costs have been significantly reduced
	 Once production costs will be further reduced:
	 Development of not easy reachable oil and gas fields
	Growing enhanced oil recovery



Systems Division Gas Transport and Storage

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Market drivers	Changing global energy mix towards gas
& trends	 Importance of natural gas as a clean and inexpensive source of energy
	 Feedstock for the Petrochemical industry changing to low-cost LPG/LEG (e.g. in the US)
	 Gas is found in areas where it is not used
Highlights 1HY FY 18	 Received several orders for LPG (delivery 2019 – 2021) and LNGM fuel gas
	 Received orders for different boil-off gas (BOG) applications including LNG receiving terminals
Expected market	Ongoing recovery for LNGM in 2018
development	 LPGM business continues on a lower level → recovery not before 2019
	 Positive development for LNG receiving terminals



Systems Division Refinery

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Market drivers & trends	 Older/less efficient technologies trigger new equipment or replacement of existing
	 Growing demand for clean fuels due to environmental regulations (Euro V & VI)
	 Flexibility to process different crude oil qualities
	 Strategic importance of refining capacity for independent supply
	 Oil producing countries capturing a greater share of value creation across the process chain
Highlights 1HY FY18	Received orders from China, India and Russia
Expected market	Continuation of current high market level worldwide
development	 Growing demand for refined products in Emerging Countries
	 Investments to process different crude oil qualities



Systems Division Petrochemical / Chemical Industry

Market drivers & trends	•	Annual ~2% demand growth for plastics based on increased world population & middle class growth in India and China
	•	Shift of production to countries with low feed stock price (e.g. US)
	•	Older technologies/less efficient plants will be replaced by state-of-the-art facilities which are more profitable
Highlights 1HY FY18	•	Received several orders for polypropylene, polyethylene and other applications: China, India, South Korea, Thailand and USA
Expected market development	•	New LDPE projects (high pressure) under discussion (in China, Middle East and USA)
	•	Continuous growing polyolefin demand in Emerging Countries



Systems Division
Industrial Gases

Market drivers & trends	 World population growth leads to increasing demand for industrial gases (e.g. medical, food & beverage, fertilizers (CO₂), inert gas)
	 Hydrogen to be used as fuel (busses, cars, trains, fuel cell power plants)
	 Pressure to reduce CO₂ leads to commercial applications for CO₂
Highlights 1HY FY18	 Received various orders from China, Czech Republic and India
Expected market development	 Increasing market activities in all areas in line with GDP growth
	 Further potential for O₂, H₂, CO, CO₂ and high pressure O₂ and Air
	 Further potential for hydrogen in mobility applications



REVIEW SERVICES DIVISION

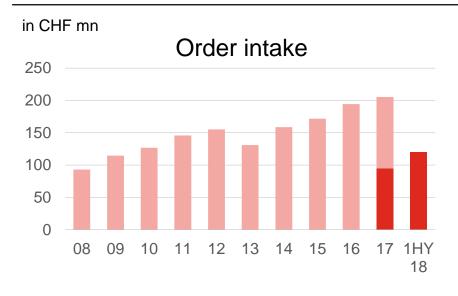


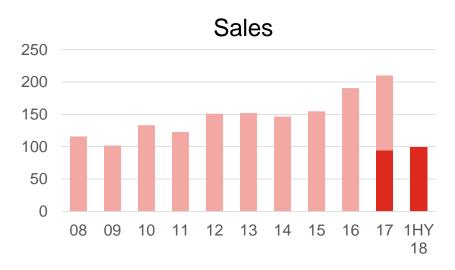
Services Division Financials

in CHF mn	1HY FY18	1HY FY17	Change 1HY FY17 / FY18
Order intake	120.3	94.9	+26.7%
Sales	99.6	94.2	+5.7%
Gross profit	43.5	43.5	0.0%
In % of sales	43.7%	46.2%	
EBIT	20.6	22.3	-7.6%
In % of sales	20.7%	23.7%	

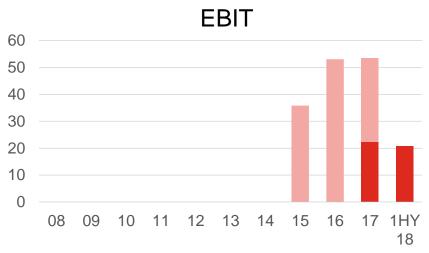


Services Division Key Figures











Services Division Business Overview

Market drivers & trends	 High worldwide population of reciprocating compressors (~72'000 units with a market size of about CHF 2.7 bn)
	 Increasing BC & SYCC compressor population
	 Increasing mean time between overhaul (MTBO) and reduction of operating costs
	 Age of some production plants → safety aspects
Highlights	High activities in engineering
1HY FY18	 Signed new service agreements with LNGM ship owners
	 First large spare parts orders for LNGM ships
Expected market development	 Growing demand for high quality services and components to increase MTBO
	 Safety issues in aging plants call for new investments

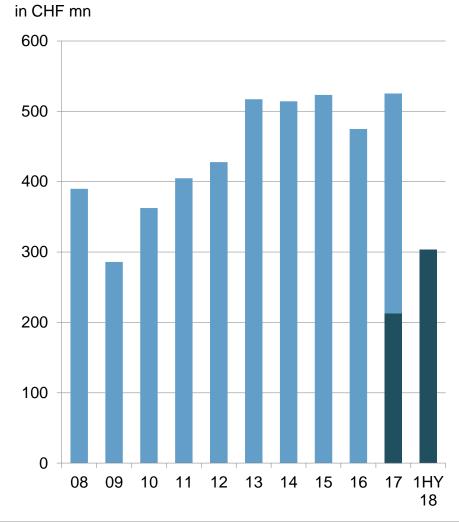


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Order Intake

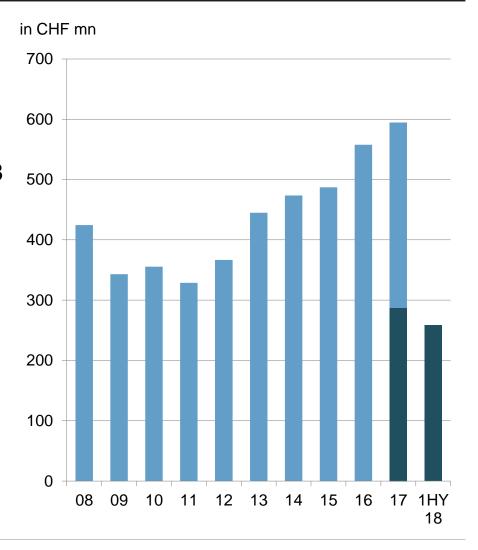
- Significant increase of order intake by 42.6% to CHF 303.3 mn
- Systems Division
 - +55.5% to CHF 183.0 mn
 - Orders from Gas Transport and Storage, Refinery, Petrochemical and Industrial Gas
- Services Division
 - +26.7% to CHF 120.3 mn
 - Orders for engineering
 - Increase in spare parts orders
 - More than 20% OBC business





Sales

- Total sales decrease by -10.1% to CHF 258.1 mn
- Systems Division
 - -17.8% to CHF 158.5 mn
 - Under-proportional sales in H1 FY18 due to cyclicality of business
- Services Division
 - +5.7% to CHF 99.6 mn
 - Growth in all areas including Monitoring and Diagnostics





Sales and Gross Margin by Division

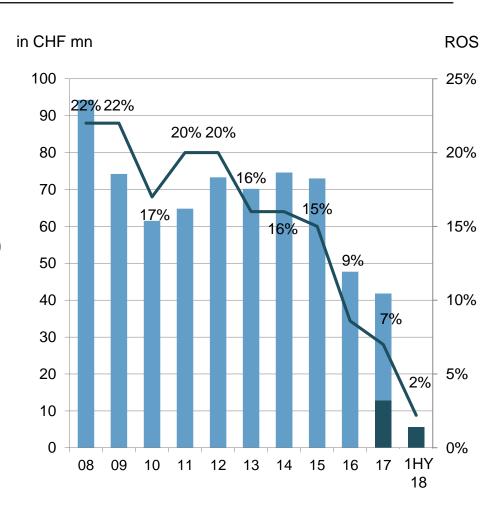
In CHF mn		FY	′16	FY	17	1HY	FY17	1 HY	FY18
Systems Division	GSP GP	367.2 36.5	9.9%	384.4 27.2	7.1%	192.8 11.4	5.9%	158.5 5.6	3.6%
Services Division	GSP GP	190.5 94.0	49.4%	210.2 97.9	46.6%	94.2 43.5	46.2%	99.6 43.5	43.7%
Total	GSP GP	557.7 130.5	23.4%	594.8 125.1	21.0%	287.0 54.9	19.1%	258.1 49.2	19.0%

- Lower gross margin in Services Division due to different product mix including some Field Service jobs with gross margin below average
- Gross margin in Systems Division significantly below prior year period
 - Additional costs in the LNGM business
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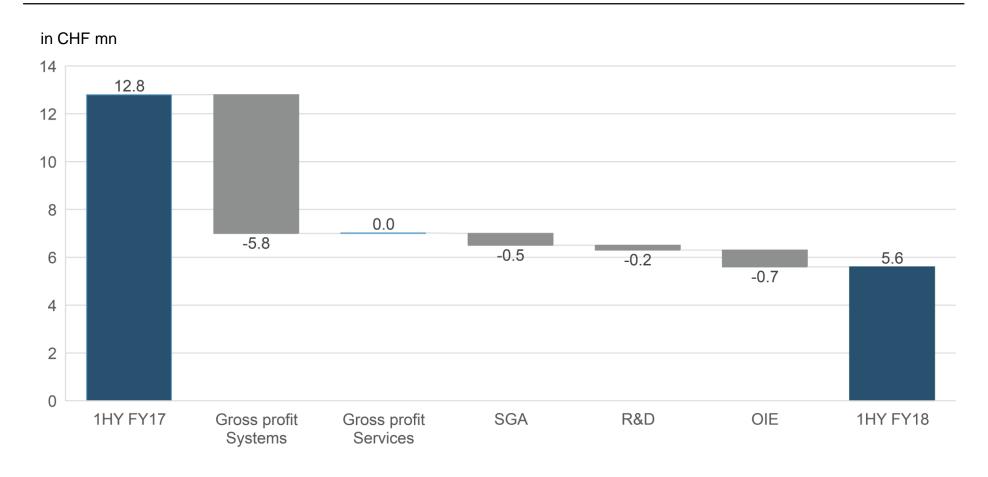
SGA and **EBIT**

- SGA amounting to 16.0% of sales (prior year period: 14.2%)
 - Total SGA CHF 41.3 mn (prior year period: CHF 40.8 mn)
- EBIT CHF 5.6 mn or -56.0% below prior year period
 - ROS of 2.2% (prior year period: 4.5%)
 - CHF 5.8 mn less gross profit from Systems Division





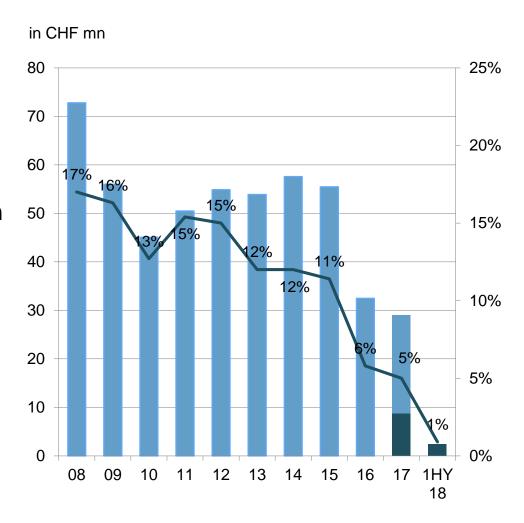
EBIT Development 1HY FY17 to 1HY FY18





Net Income

- Net income CHF 2.4 mn or 72.6% below prior year period
 - Share of result of Arkos Field Services CHF -0.4 mn (prior year period CHF -0.4 mn), 40% ownership
 - Financial expenses CHF -2.2 mn (prior year period CHF -0.8 mn), including currency effects
- Tax rate of 23.3% (prior year period 24.7%)





Balance Sheet Positions

- Balance sheet total declined by CHF -1.6 mn or -0.2% compared to prior year period
 - Reduction of accounts receivables resulting from collection of overdue receivables
- Unchanged equity ratio of 41%
- Balance adv. payments from customers to WIP and adv. payments to suppliers improved to CHF -17.4 mn (prior year period CHF -43.3 mn)

In CHF mn	2017	1HY FY17	1HY FY18
Property, Plant & Equipment	193.2	198.2	179.4
Inventories - Thereof WIP - Thereof Adv. Payments to Suppliers	210.7 133.8 29.3	216.8 141.0 30.0	217.7 137.6 26.8
Trade Receivables	227.7	196.4	190.5
Trade Payables	65.3	53.0	62.3
Adv. Payments from Customers	120.6	127.7	147.0
Shareholders Equity in % of Total Balance Sheet (equity ratio)	42%	41%	41%



Cash Flow and Net Financial Position

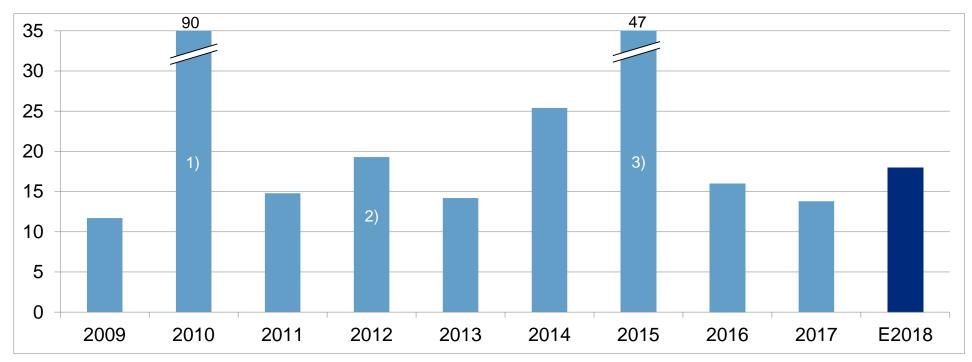
- Improved net financial position
 - Higher cash flow from operating activities
 - Dividend payment of CHF 6.00/ share for FY17 (total CHF -20.4 mn)
 - Cash flow from financing activities included the repayment of borrowings

In CHF mn	2017	1HY FY17	1HY FY18
Cash Initial Balance	74.9	74.9	75.1
Cash Flow from Operating Activities	44.4	26.0	44.3
Cash Flow from Investing Activities	-17.2	-10.8	2.1
Cash Flow from Financing Activities	-28.2	-28.7	-54.0
Currency Translation Differencies	1.2	0.1	-2.1
Cash Position	75.1	61.5	65.4
Borrowings	-137.2	-137.0	-102.8
Net Financial Position	-62.1	-75.5	-37.4



Capital Investments (Additions to fixed Assets)

in CHF mn



- 1) Including purchase of real estate in the amount of CHF 77.0 mn
- 2) Including CHF 5.8 mn investments in real estate (construction of a new building of Prognost in Germany and several modifications to the factory in Winterthur)
- 3) Including assembly sites USA, South Korea and building expansion in Winterthur as well as early replacement of machining tools in Winterthur and globalization of IT infrastructure



GUIDANCE & GROWTH AREAS



Guidance Financial Targets

	Guidance FY 2018
Order Intake	Systems Division: FY 2018 = FY 2017 Services Division: continues to grow
Sales	At prior year level
Gross Margin	Systems Division: FY 2018 ≥ FY 2017 Services Division: FY 2018 = FY 2017
EBIT Margin	FY 2018 slightly above FY 2017 2 nd semester FY 2018 significantly higher than 1 st semester FY 2018
Dividend Policy	Payout ratio between 50 – 70% of net profit



Growth Areas

Organic growth

Systems Division:

- Capitalize on recent geographical expansions and acquisitions
- Refinery business

Services Division:

- Grow in all business areas
- Further selective geographical expansion

Acquisitions

Services Division:

Add-on acquisitions (focus OBC business)





Mid-Range Plan 2018-2022 → Targets 2022

Confirmed as presented on January 9, 2018

BC Group

- Sales CHF 700 mn
- Keep leading market position in Systems Division
- Become a leading Services provider
- Strengthen global capabilities
- Live Values & Behaviors
- Improve overall profitability
- EBIT Margin of 10 15%
- Sustainable value increase

Systems Division

- Sales CHF 340 mn
- Keep leading market position in all segments
- Use strong global presence and Shenyang Yuanda Compressor
- Focus on operational excellence
- EBIT Margin of 0 5%

Services Division

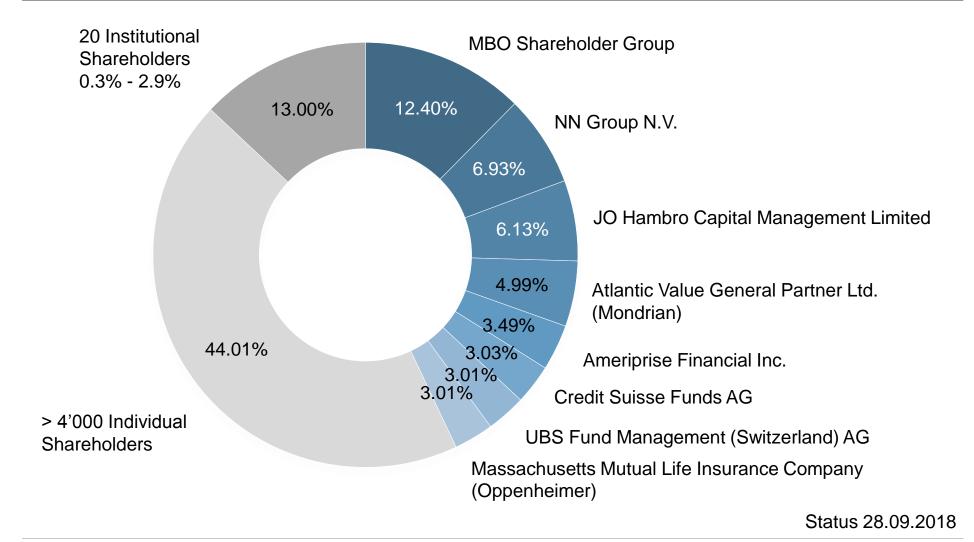
- Sales CHF 360 mn
- Grow 6 8% per year
- Organic growth on BC and OBC business
- Further growth through acquisitions (OBC)
- EBIT Margin of 20 25%



SHAREHOLDERS



Burckhardt Compression Shareholder Structure





Performance of BCHN Share Compared to the SPI Index





Seven Good Reasons to Invest in Burckhardt Compression

Divisional setup:

- Economic stability in cyclical market conditions
 - Agility on the respective markets

Global presence and closeness to the customer

One strong brand



Attractive markets with predictable long-term growth potential

Broad experience in any gas compression challenge

Sustainable and predictable dividend policy

Management, Board and IPO team own 12.6% of the company



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