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First half of the fiscal year at a glance



Revenue Employees Incoming orders 28,273 2,773M 2,839M +9% (+13%*) +8% +3% (+8%*) EBIT Consolidated profit/loss EVA 380M 254M 205M -4m (+37M*) -2M+7M

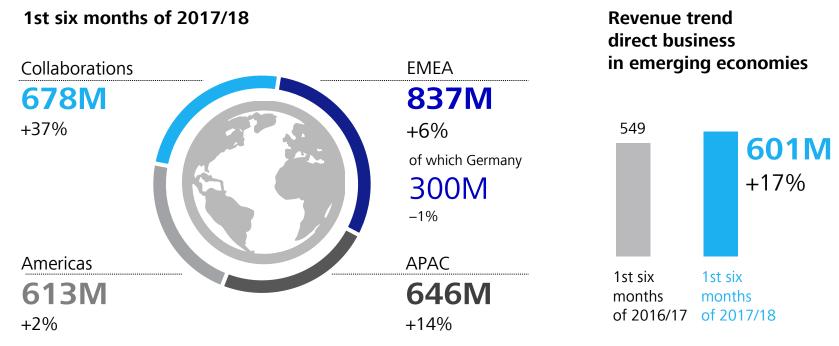
All figures in euros.

*Like-for-like.

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ZEISS Group Global revenue distribution



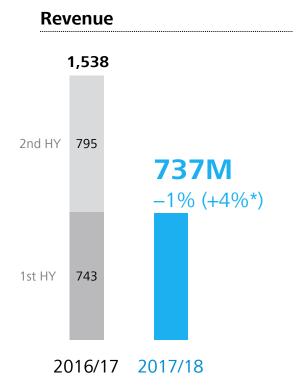


Around 90 percent of revenue generated outside Germany

All percentages calculated on a like-for-like basis.

Research & Quality Technology





1st six months of 2017/18

High demand from the automobile industry, pioneer of high-tech Smart Production solutions

Microscopy business under pressure

Outlook

Expansion of Software and Digital portfolios – including acquistions

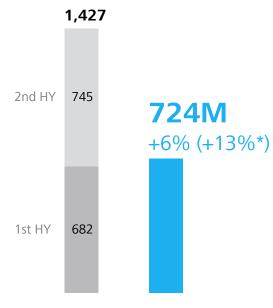
Microscopy with innovation offensive while maintaining cost discipline



Medical Technology



Revenue



2016/17 2017/18

*Like-for-like. Not identical to Carl Zeiss Meditec AG.

1st six months of 2017/18

In the harsh competitive arena, our innovative products have helped us gain market share

Asia in particular delivered strong growth

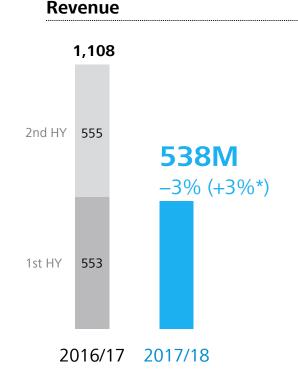
Outlook

Continued positive development despite negative currency effects



Vision Care/Consumer Products





1st six months of 2017/18

Profitable growth of opthalmology with market-shaping innovations Camera lens business under pressure

Outlook

Ophthalmology will see increased revenue and earnings in spite of exchange rate weakness

Strategic and operational realignment of the consumer business is being pursued further

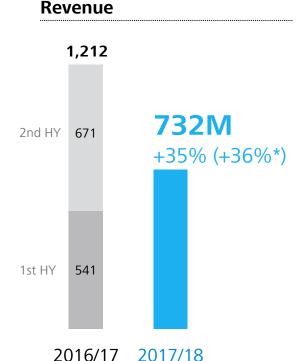




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Semiconductor Manufacturing Technology





1st six months of 2017/18

- Capacity expansions at semiconductor fabs – high demand for Deep Ultra Violet (DUV) lithography systems
- Order volume for future-oriented Extreme Ultra Violet (EUV) lithography rose

Outlook

High number of incoming orders leads us to expect stable business in the second half of the year



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Summary of first half of fiscal year



Forecast met

Balanced Portfolio

Stabile to positive across all key performance indicators

Currency scenario puts strain on profits

Semiconductor Manufacturing Technology, Industrial Metrology and Medical Technology contribute to growth Good Position

Incoming orders intake at record high

Successful in new growth markets

Portfolio makes ZEISS strong and robust

Employee growth provides greater innovative power

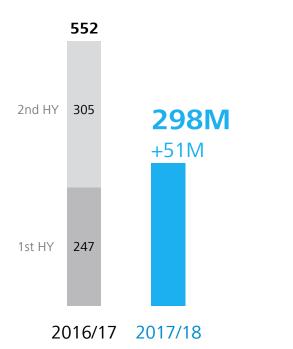
Growth thanks to high technologies

Aspiration to become a technological leader in the field of optics and optoelectronics

ZEISS Agenda 2020 as a compass



R&D expenditure



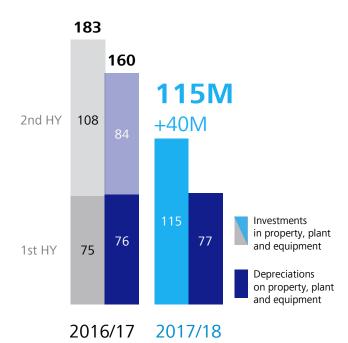
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R&D expenditure increased to 11 percent of revenue





Investments in property, plant and equipment

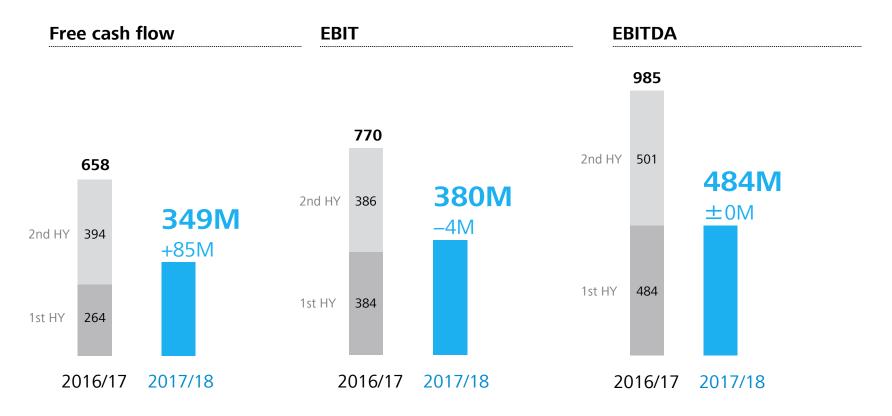


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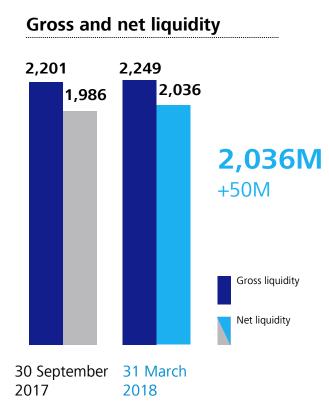
Investments considerably increased











1st six months of 2017/18

Positive free cash flow leads to increased net liquidity despite acquisitions and dividends

Outlook

Financial freedom for future development



Equity 3,549 3,429 3,549M +3% 30 September 31 March 2017 2018

1st six months of 2017/18

Equity ratio at 47 percent

Outlook

Targeted investments, expansions and acquisitions

Outlook for second half of fiscal year



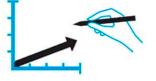




Measures



Opportunities



Economy

Positive, moderate growth on the whole

Growth impetus from emerging economies

Economic uncertainty due to protectionism and global punitive damages

Optimize strategies, processes and organizational structures in order to further digitalization

Increase in profitability

Greater customer focus with the ZEISS Agenda 2020 Cater to the great need for digital and networked solutions

Focus on innovation, investments and expansion

Forecast

Continued profitable growth

Comparatively high organic increase in revenue and a similar EBIT margin adjusted for special effects



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