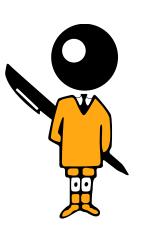
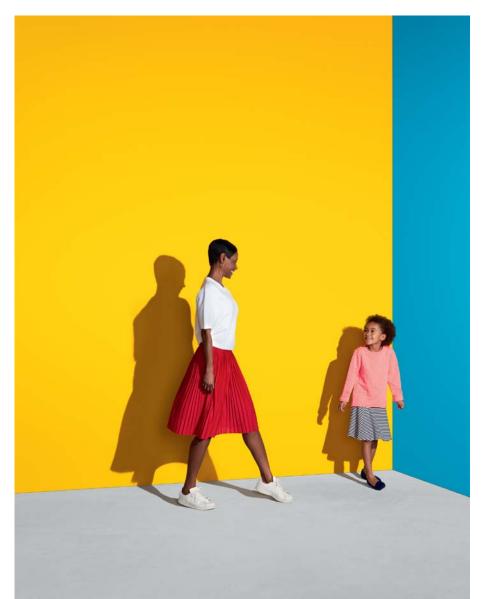


# Annual Shareholders' meeting

10 May 2017







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People are
the cornerstone of
our philosophy. »





# BIC in 2016



#### **KEY MESSAGES**





Strong performance across geographies



Increase in R&D and Brand Support investments



Strong cash generation



Strategic review of BIC Graphic partially achieved

#### **BIC IN 2016**





NET SALES\*

+4.9%



NORMALIZED
IFO MARGIN\*

20.2%



EPS GROUP SHARE

5.32 €

NORMALIZED

6.24 €



NET CASH POSITION

222.2 M€

<sup>\*</sup> As published – IFRS 5 standards / growth on a constant currency basis

#### **USE OF CASH**



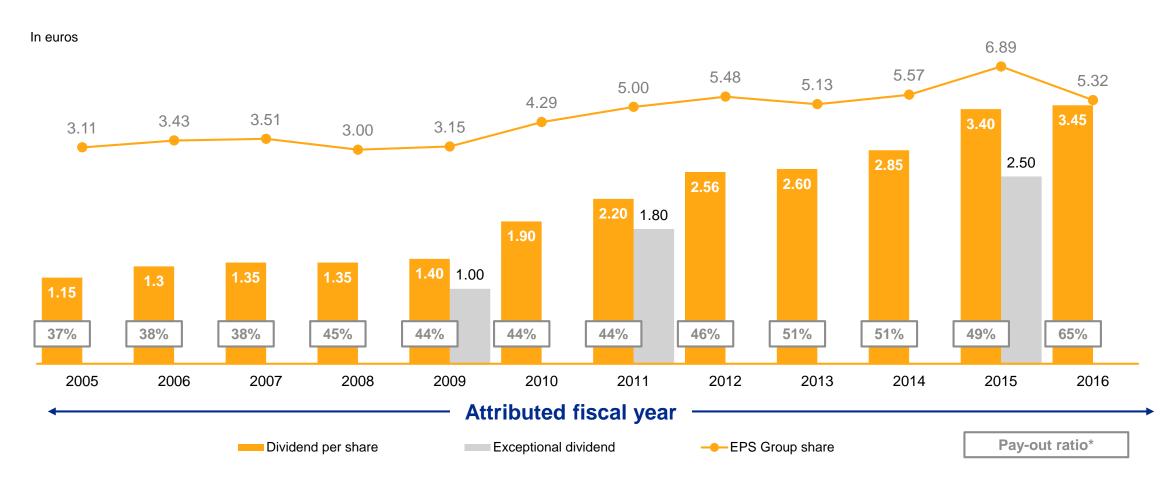
- 1) Invest to prepare the future
  - CAPEX
  - Bolt-on strategic acquisitions

- 2 Ensure a regular growth of the ordinary dividend
- 3 Share buy-back
- 4 Exceptional dividend

#### **BIC IN 2016**



#### Proposal of 3.45 euros ordinary dividend per share



• Based on ordinary dividend. The dividend will be paid starting from 24 May, 2017 subject to the approval of the AGM.

#### **BIC GRAPHIC STRATEGIC REVIEW**





#### **BIC GRAPHIC EUROPE**

- Will report to the European BIC Consumer Product business
- Focus on implementing a plan to develop a sustainable business model while developing innovative services and maintaining BIC Graphic's imprinting and decorating expertise
   Plan under negociation



# BIC GRAPHIC NORTH AMERICA AND ASIA SOURCING

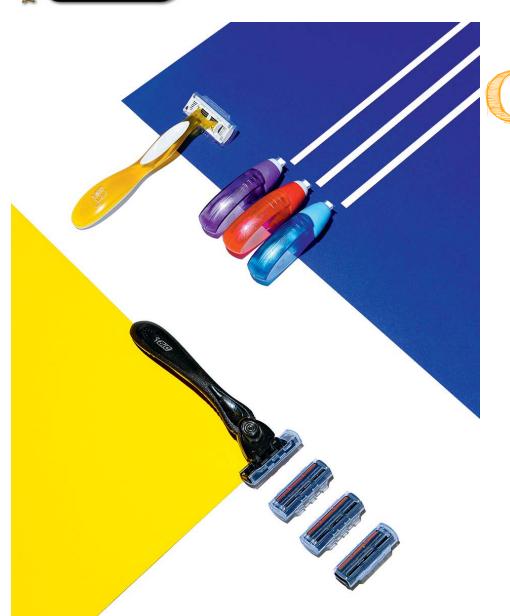
 Strategic alternative discussions still on-going



#### DEVELOPING MARKETS

 Operations that have a sustainable business model has been merged to the local consumer business





# Consolidated results Full Year 2016



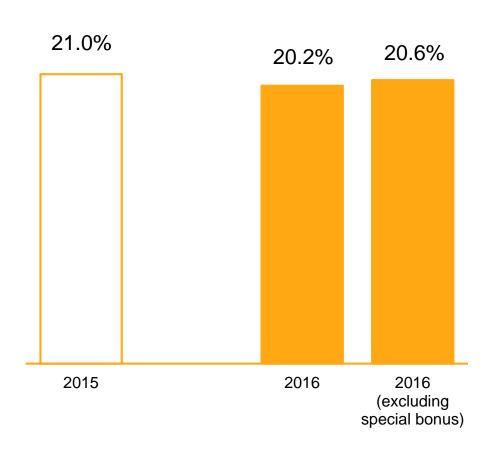
#### FROM NET SALES TO EPS



BIC Group In million euros	2015	2016	Change	Change on a constant currency basis
Net sales	1,993.4	2,025.8	+1.6%	+4.9%
Gross profit	1,030.8	1,065.3	+3.4%	
Normalized IFO	419.4	409.1	-2.4%	
Income from operations	424.4	403.4	-4.9%	
Effective tax rate	30.0%	29.5%		
Net Income Group share	325.1	249.7	-23.2%	
EPS Group share	6.89	5.32	-22.8%	

#### **NORMALIZED IFO MARGIN**

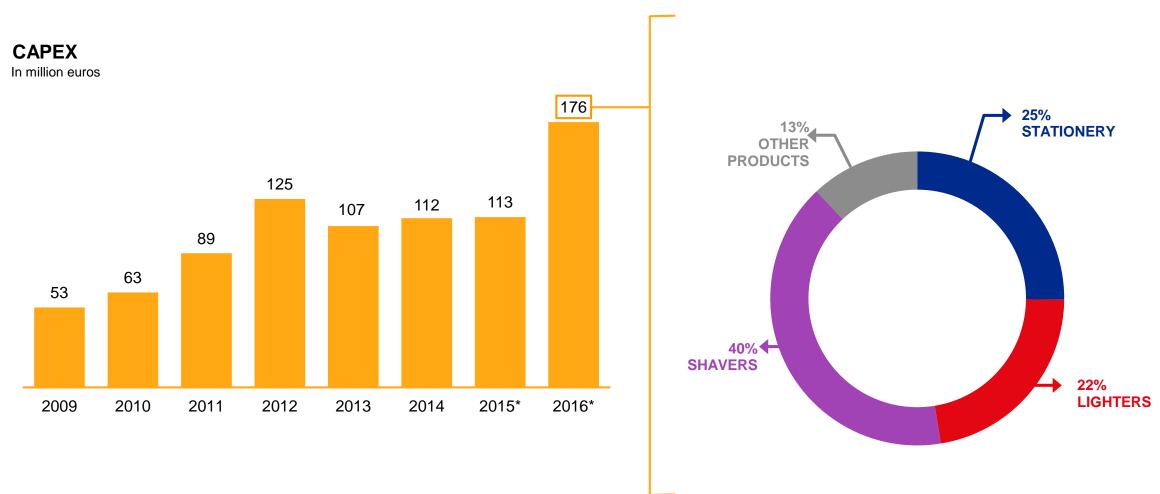




- R&D investment increase
- Higher brand support investments
- Higher operating expenses

# **CAPEX**

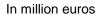


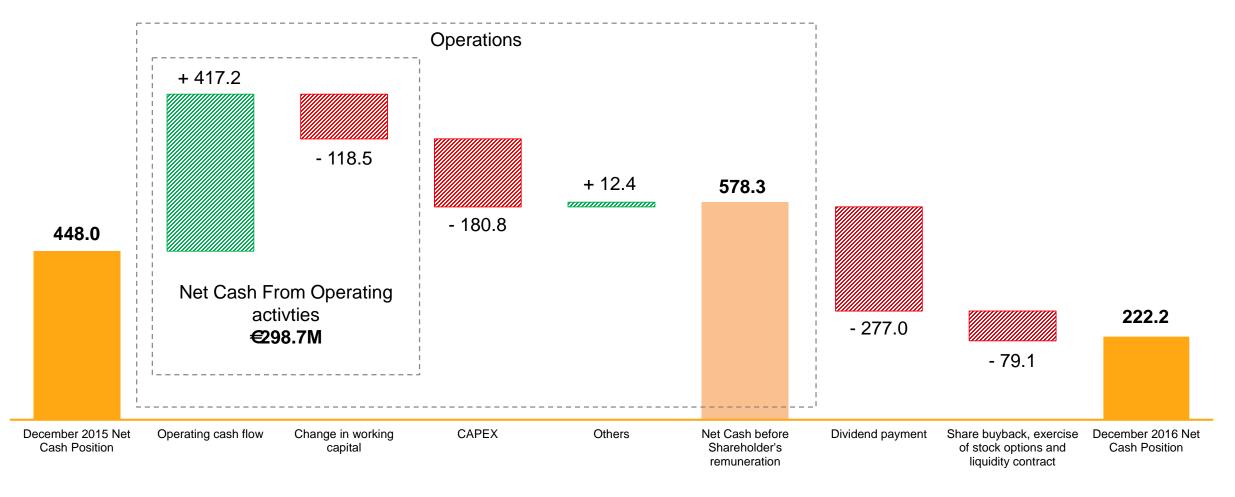


<sup>\*</sup> Excluding BIC Graphic North America and sourcing Asia

#### **NET CASH POSITION**



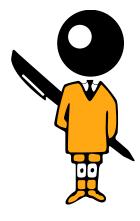








# Operating performances



#### **STATIONERY IN 2016**



**NET SALES** 

780.3 M€

+4.9%\*

NORMALIZED INCOME FROM OPERATIONS

70.1 M€

9.0%

**CAPEX** 

44.6 M€

+34.3%



#### **Europe**

- Market share gains in most countries
- Enhanced brand support



#### **North America**

Success of "Champion Brand" products such as Cristal<sup>®</sup>, Atlantis<sup>®</sup> and Xtra-Fun pen



#### **Developing markets**

- Latin America: continued successful expansion and reinforced position in Brazil
- Middle-East and Africa: outstanding performance in South Africa
- India: domestic net sales flat



#### **STATIONERY IN 2016**



# Successful new product introductions

#### Cristal'UP



#### 4 colors



#### **Atlantis**



# Enhanced marketing initiatives

#### Classic

TV Campaign in Europe



#### Digital

BIC Kids DrawyBook in Europe



#### **Social Media**

Evolution Graphite Pencil Viral Digital Ad in Latin America



## **STATIONERY**2017 STRATEGIC PRIORITIES



#### Continue to build on our Champion Brands

#### **BIC Gel-ocity Quick Dry**



#### BIC 4 Color 3+1HB

Extend the 4 Color range with

1 Mechanical Pencil + 3 ball pen cartridges

#### **BIC Atlantis X-Smooth**



#### **BIC Gel-ocity Illusion**

Erasable gel to meet growing consumer demand

#### **BIC Velocity Max**

The thickest eraser and clear body with an ultra comfortable grip

#### **BIC Intensity Fine**

Enter Fine Writing Felt Pen with an attractive offer

#### **LIGHTERS IN 2016**



**NET SALES** 

696.4 M€

+5.6%\*

NORMALIZED INCOME FROM OPERATIONS

277.3 M€

39.8%

**CAPEX** 

38.9 M€

+27.1%



#### **Europe**

- Good performance in Western Europe
- Distribution gains in Eastern Europe



#### **North America**

Success of added value decorated lighters



#### **Developing markets**

- Latin America: distribution gains in Mexico
- Middle-East and Africa: good performance in North Africa (very good instore visibility and distribution gains)

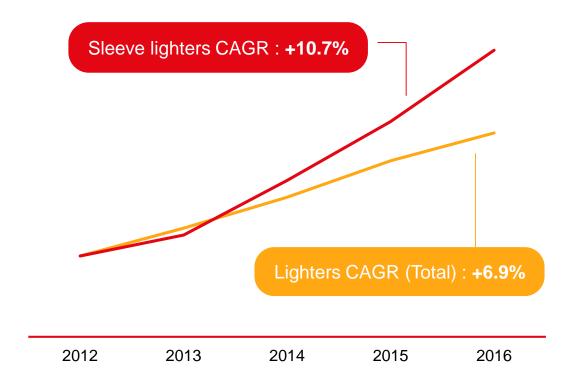


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#### **LIGHTERS IN 2016**

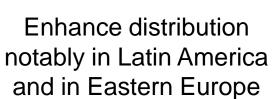


#### Added value products



#### Increased distribution





# **LIGHTERS**2017 STRATEGIC PRIORITIES



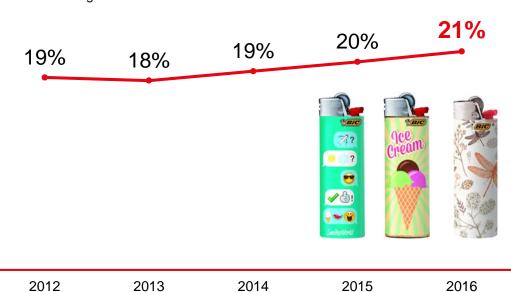
#### **DEVELOPED MARKETS**

New added value sleeve ligthers



#### **Share of decorated lighters**

in % of total lighters net sales



#### **DEVELOPING MARKETS**

Safety and Quality for everyone



Increase

#### awareness

of the BIC® brand



Enhance distribution

#### **SHAVERS IN 2016**



**NET SALES** 

467.0 M€

+7.0%\*

NORMALIZED INCOME FROM OPERATIONS

69.6 M€

14.9%

CAPEX

71.1 M€

+113.5%



#### Europe

Solid performances in Eastern regions (distribution gains and successful new products launches)



#### **North America**

- Market share gains
- Best value/quality positioning
- Very strong new product pipeline



#### **Developing markets**

- Latin America: success of all product ranges supported by distribution gains and brand support investment
- Middle-East and Africa: good performance across all regions and in all product ranges



<sup>\*</sup> On a constant currency basis

#### **SHAVERS IN 2016**



#### Quality and high performance at a fair price Market share gains

# USA +1.4 point market shares 28%





Source : USA → IRI MULO - December 2016 // Russia & Brazil → Nielsen data - December 2016

## **SHAVERS**2017 STRATEGIC PRIORITIES



# An ever increasing performance, at a fair price Continue the trade up strategy

# **USA** Bring back consumers into retail with BIC Flex 5 Hybrid





#### FIRST QUARTER 2017 – KEY FIGURES

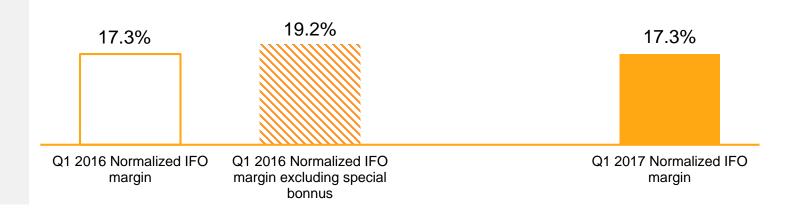






NORMALIZED INCOME FROM OPERATIONS

81.3 M€



#### **FIRST QUARTER 2017 – KEY EVENTS**





#### NET SALES

- Weakness of U.S. stationery and shavers markets impacting quarterly net sales
- Solid back-to-school in Brazil
- Good performance in Eastern Europe in Lighters
- Enhanced N°1 position in the 5 blades on-piece shavers segment



## NORMALIZED INCOME FROM OPERATIONS

Decline of Normalized Income from Operations

- Continued investment in R&D and brand support
- Higher operating expenses

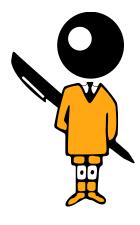


Strong cash generation





# Full Year 2017 Outlook



#### **FULL YEAR 2017 OUTLOOK**





2017 Organic Net Sales should grow mid-single digit\*



- Distribution gains in developing markets and Eastern Europe
- Stationery: launch of « Gel-ocity quick dry » gel pen and the mechanical pencil named "Velocity Max" in the U.S.
- Shavers: continued solid performance in Eastern Europe and Latin America



### NORMALIZED INCOME FROM OPERATIONS MARGIN

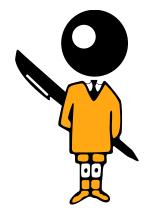
To enhance long-term growth, we plan another year of selected investments in R&D, CAPEX and Brand Support. The total impact of these investments on Normalized Income From Operations margin will be approximately -100 basis points compared to 2016, excluding major currency fluctuations.

<sup>\*</sup> between +4% and +6%





# Our distribution networks A BIC seen is a BIC sold



#### **OUR DISTRIBUTION NETWORKS**



30 MILLION PRODUCTS SOLD EACH DAY











#### **MASS RETAIL**





















#### THE RIGHT PRODUCTS





FAIR PRICE

## MASS RETAIL STATIONERY IN THE U.S.





# RICHT PRODUCIS

# Product mix Classic











#### **Packaging**













# MASS RETAIL STATIONERY IN THE U.S.















# MASS RETAIL STATIONERY IN THE US















#### **CONVENIENCE STORES**







#### WHOLESALERS & DISTRIBUTORS

- Motivation
- Support
- Retention



#### CONSUMERS

Visibility

#### **CONVENIENCE STORES**

#### LIGHTERS IN EGYPT





- Increase brand awareness
- Federate and retain wholesalers and distributors
- Showcase and reward customers who reach their sale objectives





**Posters** 







Gifts

#### **CONVENIENCE STORES**

#### **LIGHTERS**





Visibility









n Lebanon

Jordania

#### **E-COMMERCE**





PURE PLAYER

















CLASSIC DISTRIBUTION





























DIRECT-TO-CONSUMER



## E-COMMERCE BIC SHAVE CLUB





- A new refillable BIC® shaver
- A subscription without committment
- Blades sent at home at the desired frequency
- A new website to subscribe: bicshaveclub.com



#### The following months

#### THE REFILL KIT

- 9 €a month or every 2 months for a 5-blade shaver
- 5 €a month or every 2 months for a 3-blade shaver



## E-COMMERCE BIC SHAVE CLUB

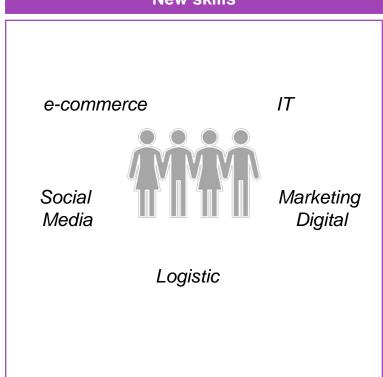


#### **New Business Model**

PlateformelT Acquisition RelationClientèleuret PacturationDirecte Que PaiementsComptesClients Livraison

RetentionState Pacturation Plateforme PaiementsComptesClients Livraison

#### New skills



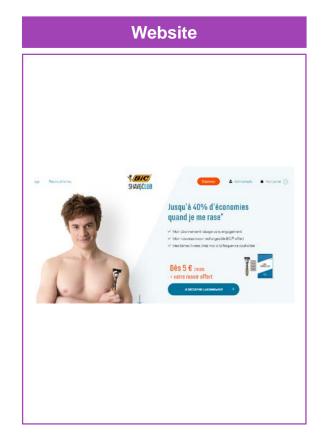
#### **New distribution way**



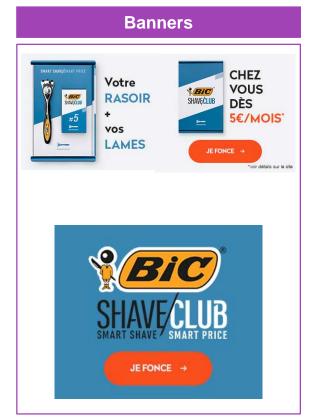
## E-COMMERCE BIC SHAVE CLUB



#### New Codes and new way to communicate





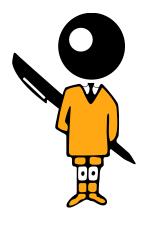








# Social, societal and environmental responsability



#### A STRATEGIC, FORMAL AND MEASURED ENGAGEMENT



**Performance** 



**Innovation** 

Innovate to reduce the environmental footprint of products and packaging

**Engagement** 

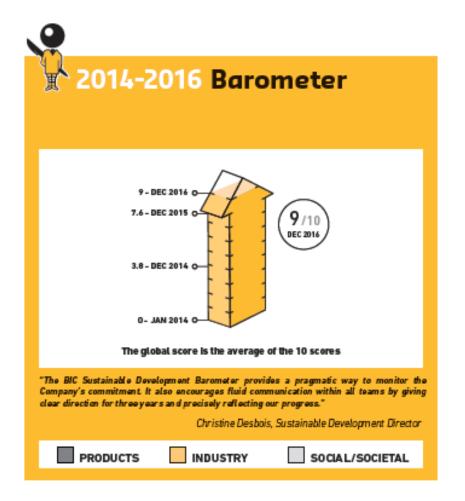


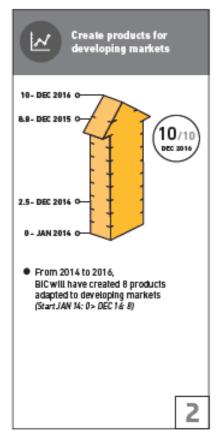
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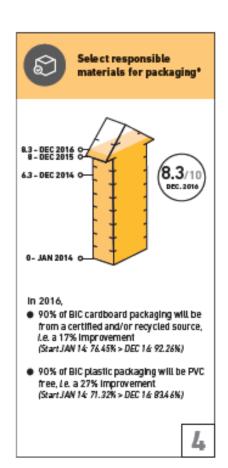


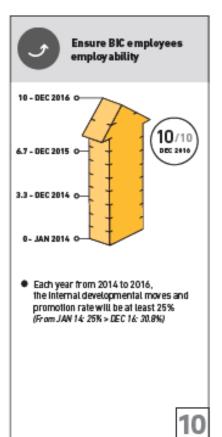
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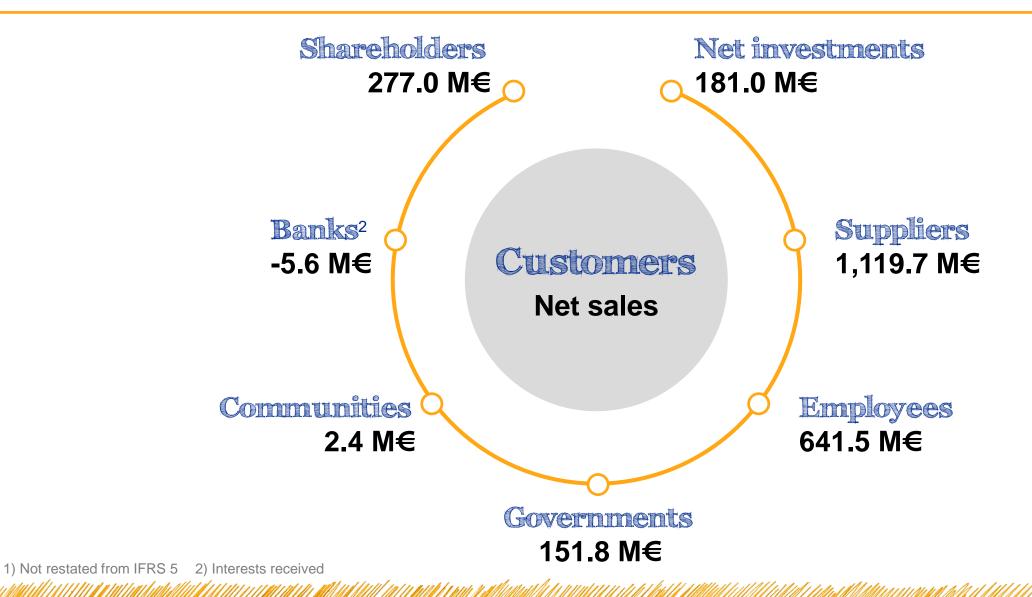






#### DISTRIBUTION TO STAKEHOLDERS IN 20161





#### A STRONG COMMITTMENT TO EDUCATION



1.5 MC

product donations and financial aid worldwide for education in 2016 (2.4 millions in total)

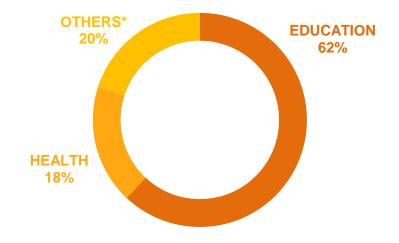
### 112 operations

Volunteering, product donations and financial aid for education in 2016 (228 in total)

#### Corporate Foundation

Reduce the school dropout rate

- Equal access to education for boys and girls
- Environmental education



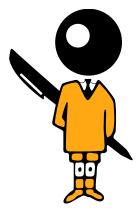


<sup>\*</sup> Environment, sport, humanity aid...





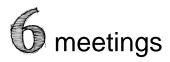
## Governance



#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS FUNCTIONING IN 2016**



















#### **Accounts and Budget**

- Settlement of full year and half year financial statements
- Review of quarterly results and 2017 budget

#### Corporate governance

- Compensation of Corporate Officers and Directors
- Succession plan for the Corporate Officers
- Looking for a new Director
- Allocation of free shares

#### Strategy

- Strategy related to growth acceleration on all of our markets
- Analysis of the strategy for the Stationery, Lighters and Shavers activities and for BIC Graphic
- Analysis of the Group's strategy in India
- Group's Sustainable Development Program
- Share buy-back program

<sup>\*</sup> This number will be at 4 subject to the approval of this meeting, related to the appointment of Mrs. Candace Matthewse.

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMPOSITION POST SHAREHOLDERS' MEETING





Bruno BICH
Chairman and Chief Executive Officer



Pierre VAREILLE
Vice Chairman - Lead Director



Mario GUEVARA



François BICH



Elizabeth BASTONI



Marie-Pauline CHANDON-MOËT



John GLEN



Marie-Henriette POINSOT



Candace MATTHEWS



SOCIÉTÉ M.B.D.
Represented by Edouard BICH

Subject to AGM approval and Board of Directors decisions

- Mandate to be appointed / renewed
- Independent directors

#### APPOINTMENT OF A NEW DIRECTOR

#### MRS CANDACE MATTHEWS





- Since November 2014, Candace Matthews, age 58, has been Region President, Americas, Amway.
- She was recruited by Alticor, the parent company of Amway, in December of 2007, as Chief Marketing Officer.
- Prior to joining Amway, she was Executive President from 2001 to 2007 of Soft Sheen-Carson (L'Oréal Group).
- Before that, she held different positions in Marketing at General Mills, Procter & Gamble, Bausch & Lomb and in Management at Novartis and The Coca-Cola Company, in the United States.

#### COMPENSATION OF THE CORPORATE OFFICERS



#### Principles



3 members incl. 2 independent Directors



Reviews Comparable companies Directors' compensation evolution

Reviews individual performances and the performances of the company

Reflects **Group's priorities** in variable remuneration both **short and long-term** 

Reviews total reward including all benefits (including pension)

## COMPENSATION OF THE CHAIRMAN - CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER



Chairman - Chief Executive Officer
Bruno BICH
200,000 Euros

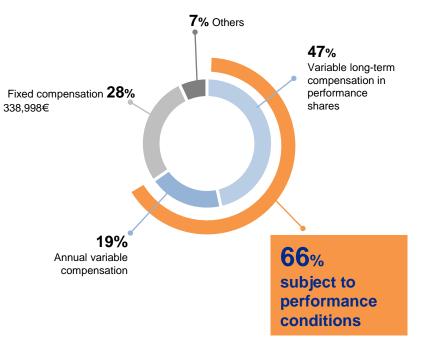


- Bruno Bich took the role of CEO upon the retirement of Mario Guevara.
- This expanded his role from Chairman to Chairman and CEO during a managing transition period that will end at the latest in October 2018, when Bruno Bich will attain 72 years old.

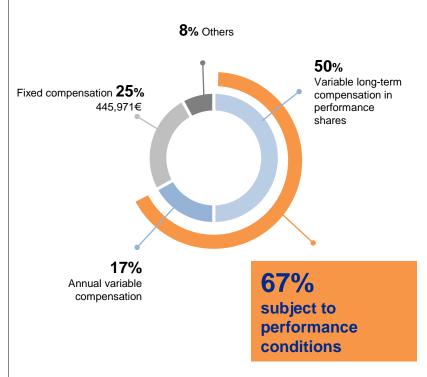
#### **COMPENSATION OF EXECUTIVE VICE-PRESIDENTS**



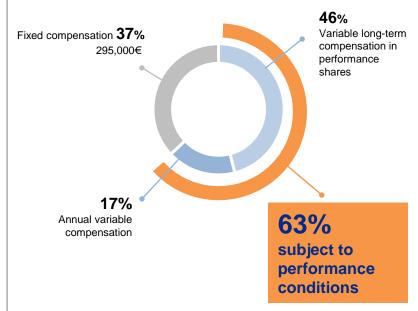
#### Gonzalve BICH



#### Jim DiPIETRO



#### Marie-Aimée BICH-DUFOUR



#### **COMPENSATION POLICY**



#### GENERAL PRINCIPLES GOVERNING COMPENSATION AND METHOD OF DETERMINING THE PAY ELEMENTS

**Principles** 

Method of determining

Internal equity

Pay for performance

Competitiveness

Communication

International benchmark

Analyze of the performance of individuals

Ensure the Group's policies and priorities are reflected

analyses the total reward (including pension)

#### PARTICULAR PRINCIPLES GOVERNING COMPENSATION (CHAIRMAN, CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER AND EXECUTIVE VICE - PRESIDENTS)

Annual fixed compensation

Annual variable compensation

Long-term Incentive (performance shares)

Exceptional compensation

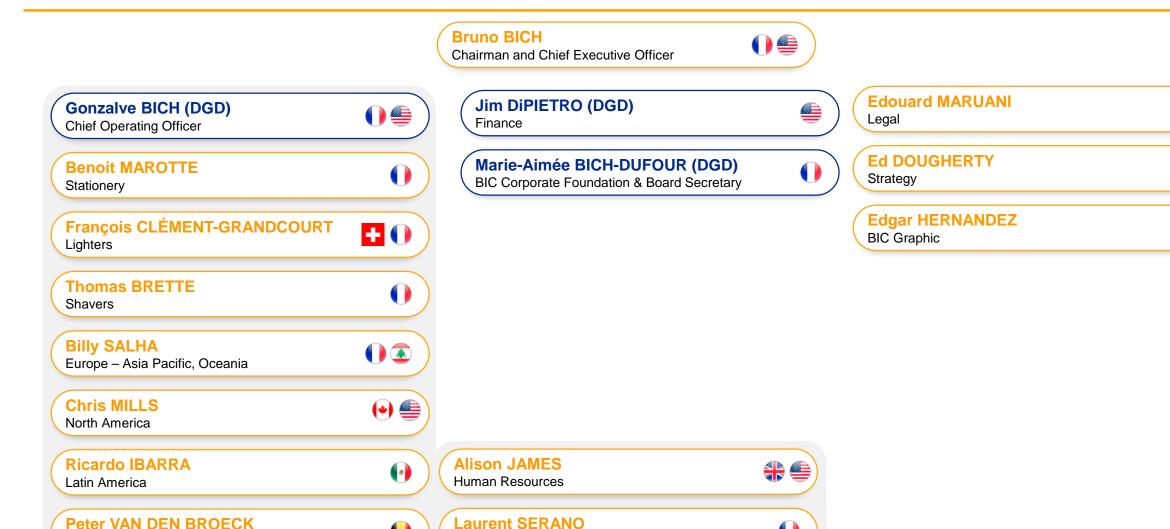
Supplementary pension plans

Benefits in kind

#### **LEADERSHIP TEAM**

Africa, Middle-East - India





Information Technology



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