

# Analyst and investor conference

Repower's market environment and positioning

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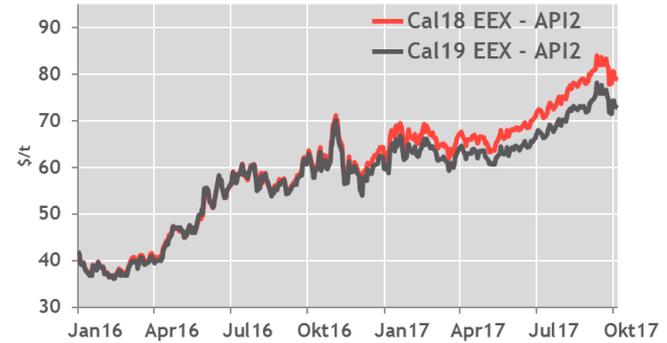
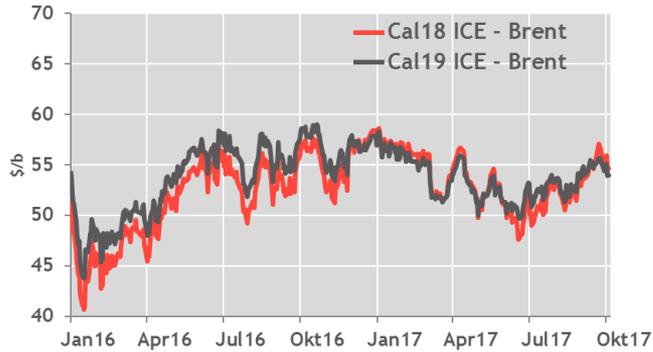
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The future of energy:  
where's the journey headed?

## The new world of energy is digital, connected and customer-centred



## From 2016 development of commodity prices has been volatile

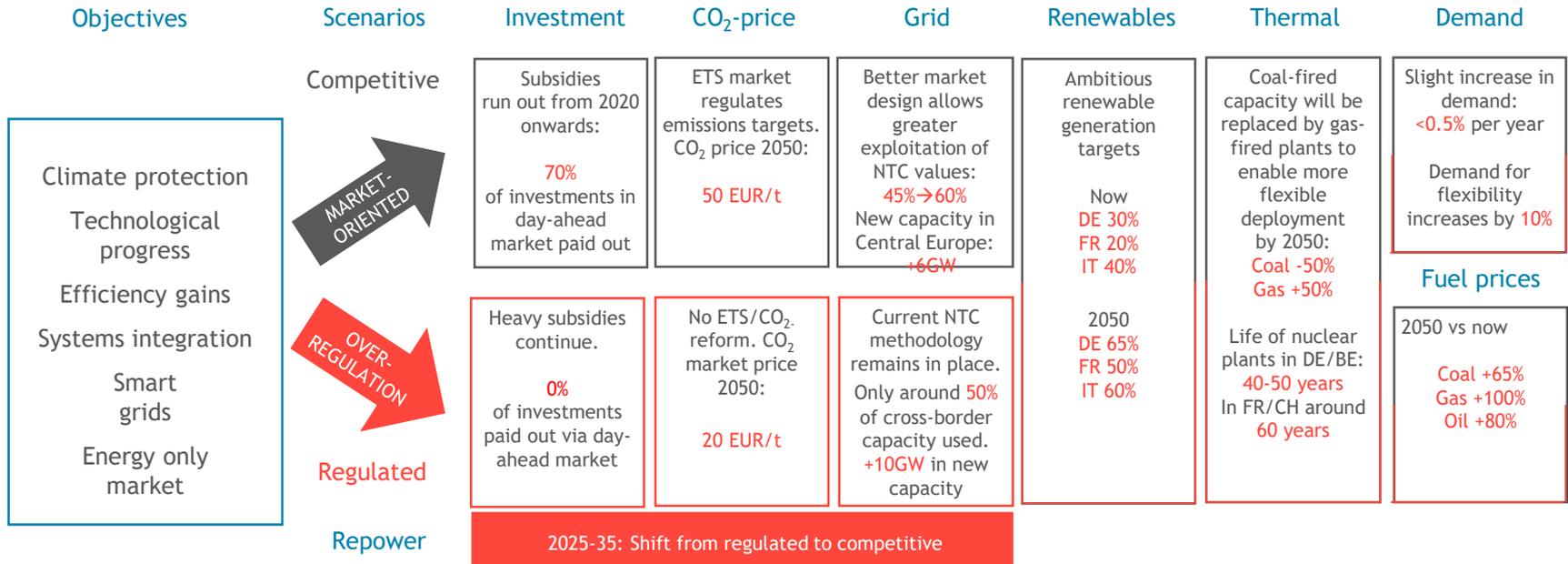


## 2019 and 2020 price increases levelling off again



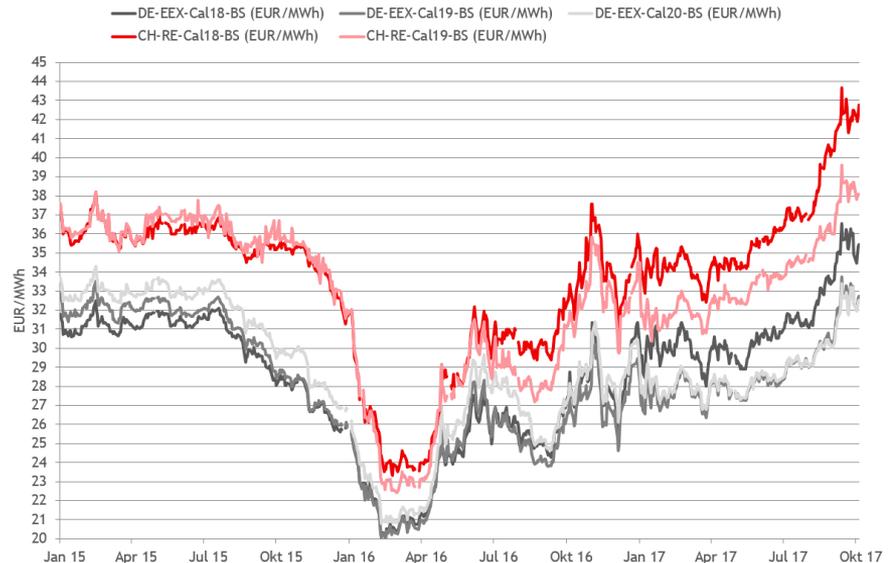
- High expectations at the long end
- 80% increase in Cal-18 price in 18 months: +16 EUR/MWh
- Market expectations for Cal-19 and Cal-20 more muted: increase of 12 EUR/MWh since February 16; spread of 3 EUR/MWh with front calendar

# The environment will be more market-oriented in the future



## Prices can go up as well as down

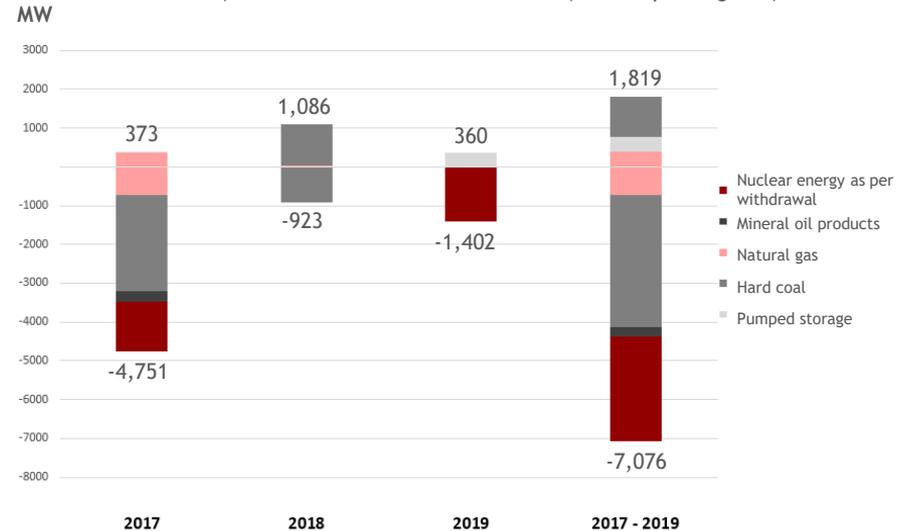
- Two winters where prices increased
- From March 16 sharp upward correction, followed by stabilising forward prices: Cal-18 CH from 23.5 EUR/MWh to around 42 EUR/MWh (+78%)
- Spot market prices for physical delivery CH end-16 at 38 EUR/MWh; expectation end-2017 at 46 EUR/MWh
- Many large producers have already largely hedged 2018/19: there will be a lack of sellers



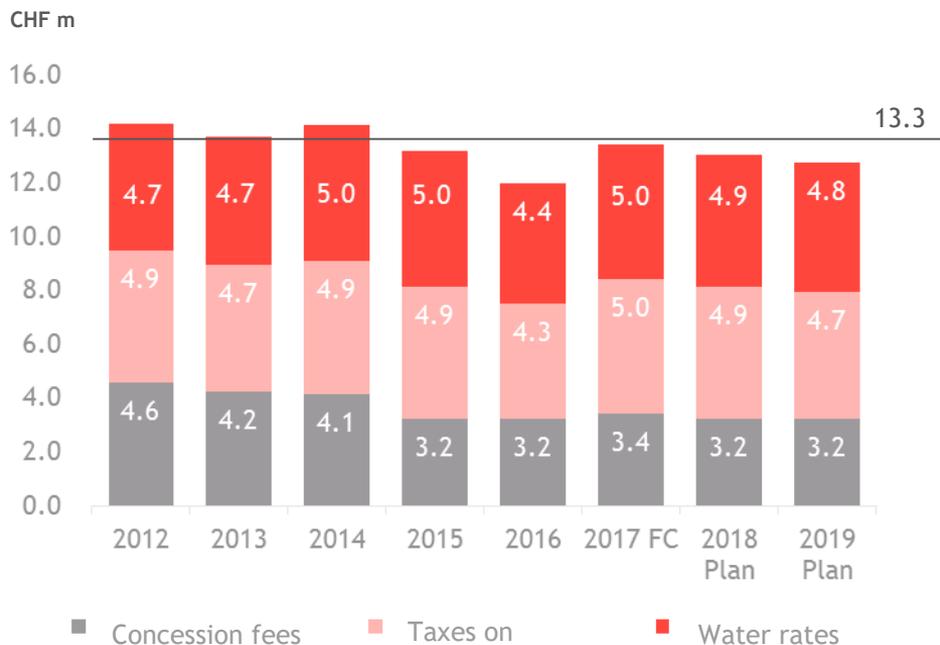
## Increasingly volatile prices in prospect

- Europe's portfolio of thermal assets is getting older and older:
  - Outages on the increase; harder to predict maintenance time
  - Price volatility increasing
- Relevant "base load" generation plants taken off the grid;
  - Germany around -5 GW 2017-19
- Next CO<sub>2</sub> phase and political signals from Germany having a bullish influence on CO<sub>2</sub> prices

Power generation plants in Germany: New installations (currently in trial operation or construction) and announced definitive shutdowns (2017-19 planning data)



## Constant payments flowing into public coffers



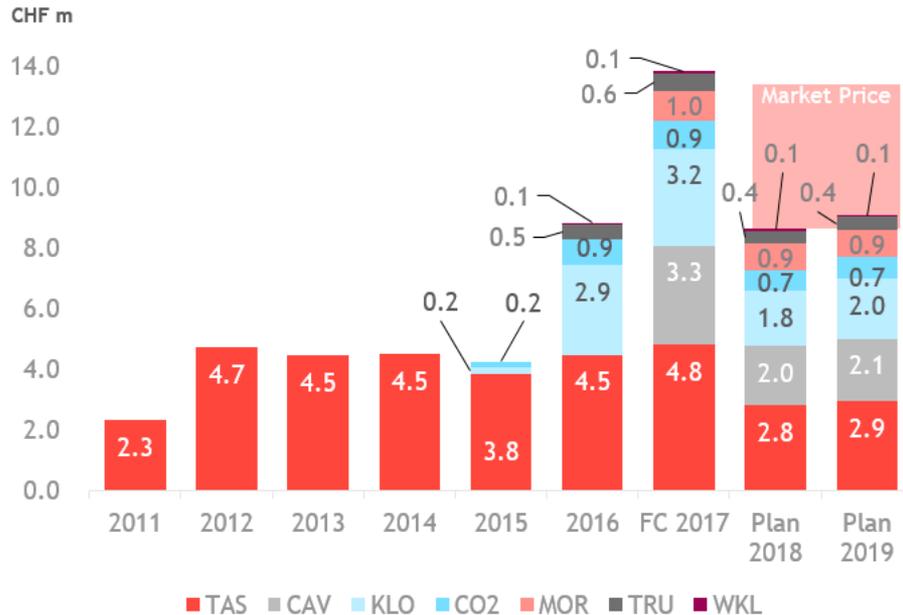
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- Concession charges dependent on production and plant availability
- Charges for water rates and taxes on water works:

1990-97	54 CHF/kW*
1997-2010	80 CHF/kW
2011-14	100 CHF/kW
2015-19	110 CHF/kW

\*Gross payments

## Successful implementation of “KEV-isation” (from 2018 EVS)



- From 2018/19 new regime with lower rates
- Revenues from marketing of energy; difference will be covered by subsidies
- Total proceeds comparable to those in 2017 forecast



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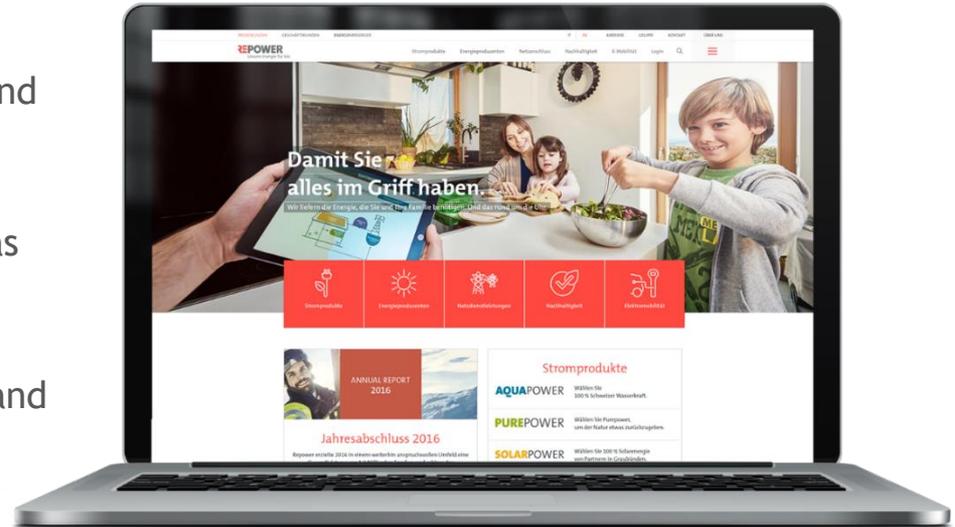
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## Repower's vision maps a clear course

Repower will become the leading provider of energy and services in Switzerland and Italy

- We know the needs of customers and take them seriously
- We show flexibility to satisfy the needs of customers promptly and as effectively as possible
- Our energy and services offerings stand out in terms of high quality and customer utility



## Six strategic areas of focus to our goal

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**Switzerland:** Expand energy business and enter gas market

**Schwitzerland:** Digitise processes and develop new products

**Switzerland:** Expand supply services as full-service provider

**Italy:** Grow in SME segment by means of try-and-buy strategy



**Italy:** Enter small retail market and build digital distribution channel

**Switzerland:** Actively market work for third parties

## Our recipe for success (1/2)

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### Key markets

We concentrate on our key markets, Switzerland and Italy (including the origination business in Germany).



### Digitalisation

We develop innovative, intelligent and efficient solutions for our customers.



### Partnerships

We continue to develop our business model within strategic partnerships, and aim to be our customers' partner of choice.

## Our recipe for success (2/2)

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### Service provider

We will build on our core competencies in generation, grid and trading to become the leading service provider.



### Sales

Our business is systematically geared to our sales targets.



### Sustainability

In the future 100% of the electricity we generate will come from renewable resources, and we will deploy our assets in line with our goals as a leading energy and service provider.

## Our potential: broad know-how in the service of our target customers

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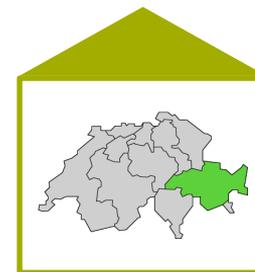
Energy utilities



Infrastructure operators



Market customers and basic supply





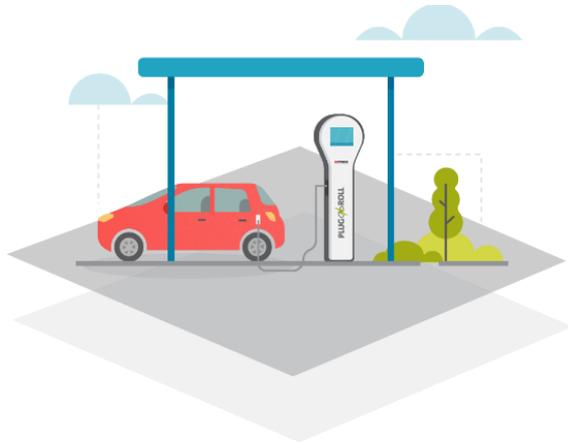
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## Plug'n Roll: the all-in-one package for electric vehicle pioneers

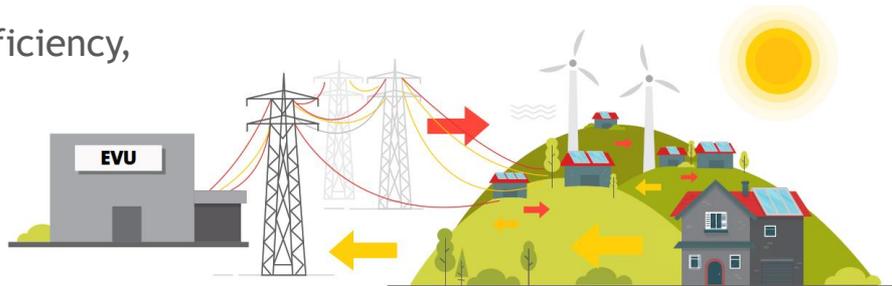
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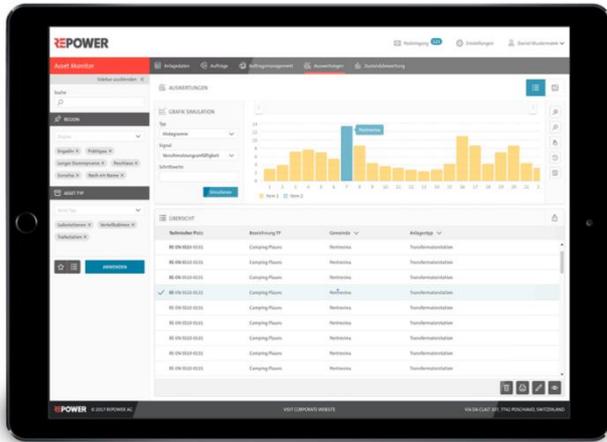
- Around 80 charging stations (CH)
- 36 locations (CH)
- Around 2,700 registered customers (CH)
- Around 10,000 app downloads
- Around 175 charging stations in Italy

## Smartpower: tomorrow's smart metering and energy management

- New grid-related challenges: distributed rather than centralised; digital rather than analogue; flexible rather than planned
- Comprehensive modular solutions for energy utilities
- Output-based price models
- Incentives for end users
- Grid optimisation for energy utilities
- Comprehensive transparency
- ES 2050: smart metering, energy efficiency, promotion of renewables

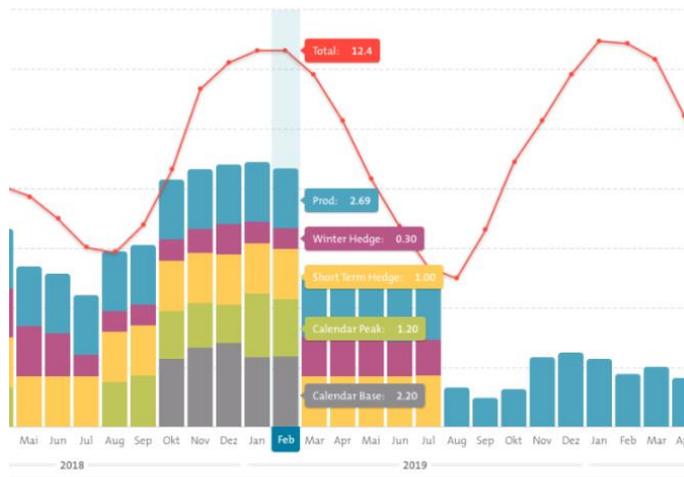


## Asset Monitor: the future of asset management



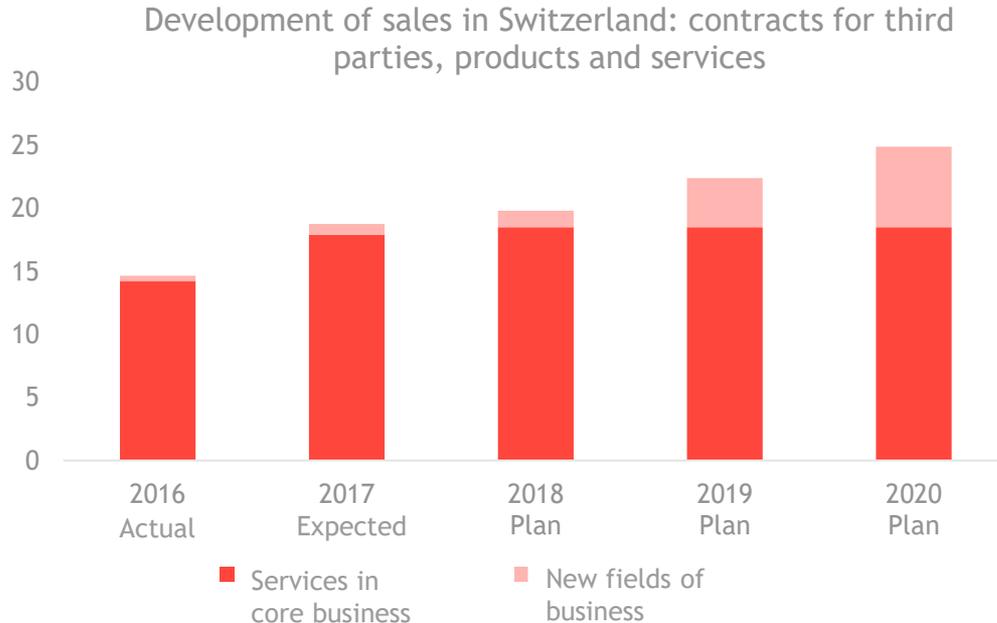
- Efficient management of assets
- End-to-end overview and control
- Optimum timing for service and maintenance

## Energy Space: the new dimension in portfolio management



- Web-based platform for energy utilities for managing energy portfolio
- Concrete support for portfolio managers
- Comprehensive market access
- Simulation of transactions and hedging strategies
- Short-term optimisation
- Balance group management
- Highly transparent
- Permanent risk assessment

## New fields of business are already impacting earnings



- Significant growth in new fields of business with products such as
  - Electric vehicles
  - Asset Monitor
  - Services
  - Smartpower
- Revenues from services in core business relatively stable

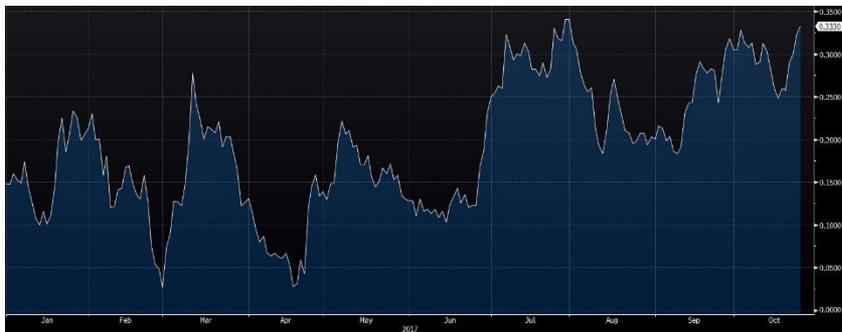


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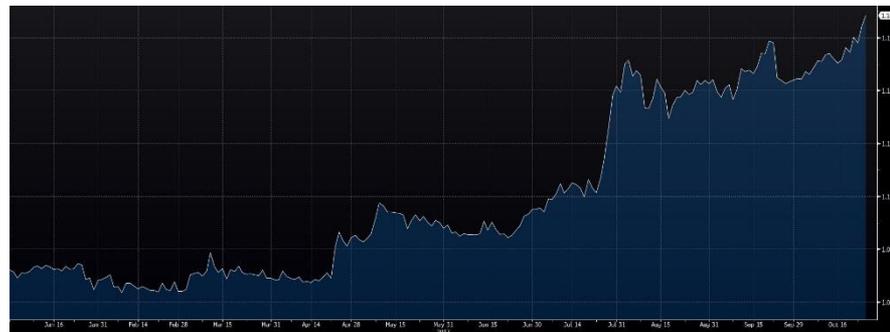
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## Substantial devaluation of the franc, and slight long-term recovery in interest rates



10-year CHF SWAP (Source: Bloomberg)

EUR/CHF exchange rate (Source: Bloomberg)



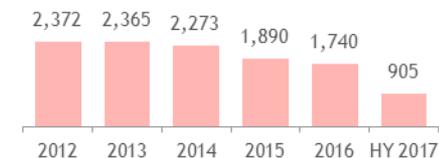
## Figures for 2012 to 2017

		1H2017	2016	2015*	2014	2013	2012*
Total operating revenue	CHFm	905	1,740	1,890	2,273	2,365	2,372
EBITDA	CHFm	43	52	41	77	74	148
EBIT	CHFm	20	22	-69	26	-150	83
Group profit	CHFm	1	-13	-136	-33	-152	31
Balance sheet total	CHFm	1,681	1,705	1,828	2,126	2,043	2,302
Equity ratio	%	47%	45%	33%	36%	39%	42%
Energy gross margin	CHFm	109	195	178	240	255	351
Economic value added	CHFm	-8	-33	-112	-57	-188	-29
Cash flow	CHFm	19	69	17	98	69	54
Net debt	CHFm	-11	41	270	234	328	365
Net debt to EBITDA		-0.1	0.5	4.5	2.6	2.6	2.5
FFO/net debt	%	-313%	55%	4.1%	26.8%	25.4%	24.4%
CAPEX**	CHFm	11	24	24	28	53	114
Number of employees	FTE	569	563	632	666	707	746

\* Restated \*\* Investment in tangible assets, intangible assets and associates, and investment-type loans

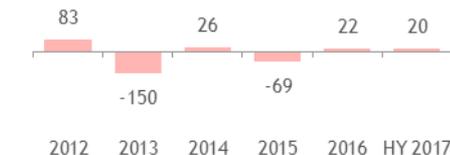
### Development of sales

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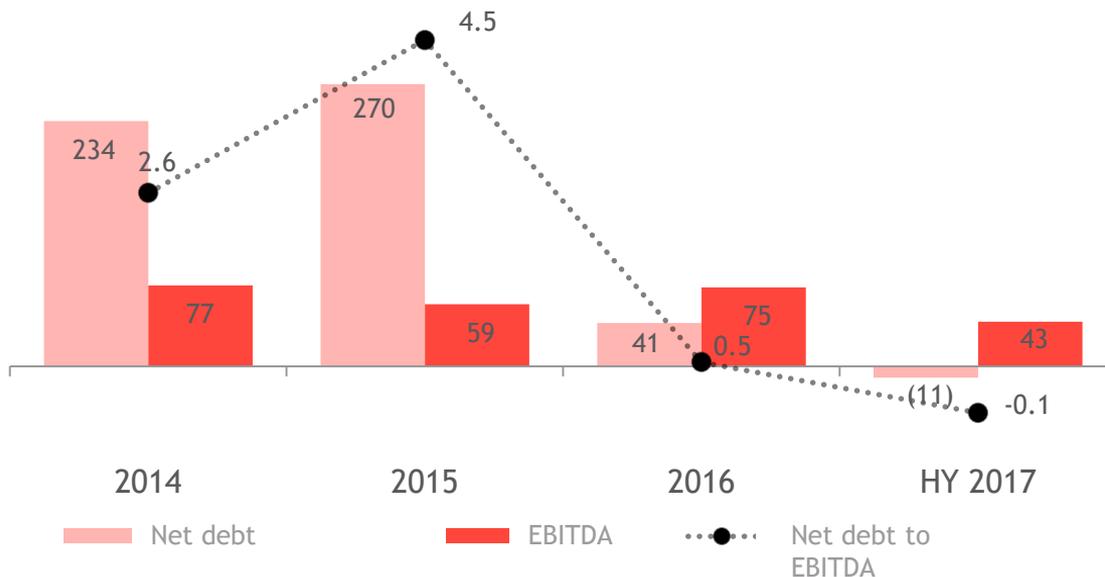


### Development of EBIT

CHF m



## Development of net debt to EBITDA



- The result is positive net liquidity for Repower
- All interest-bearing financial liabilities can be covered by assets
- Net debt to EBITDA is running at close to zero

## Three central pillars

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### Healthy balance sheet structure

- Net debt to EBITDA not greater than 3 over several years
- Operating cash flow covers investment over a period of several years

### Good supply of liquidity

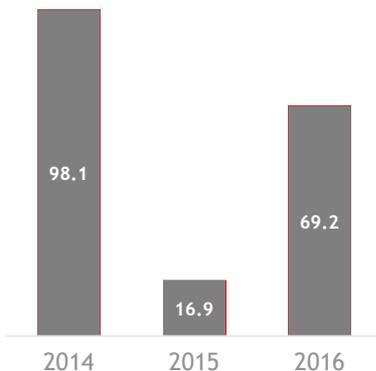
- Dynamic approach to minimum liquidity
- Adequate cover thanks to unused but assured lines of credit at various banks
- Forward-looking management of liquidity and maturities of financing

### Adequate financing policy

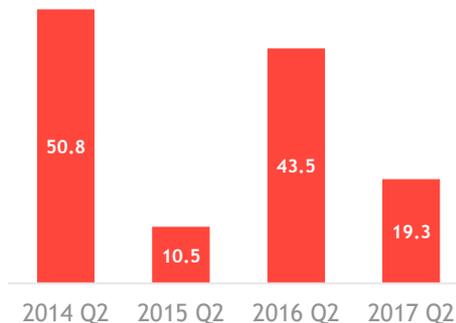
- Access to capital markets assured at all times
- Financing instruments with fairly long maturities and fixed interest rates matching business profile
- Forward-looking financial planning taking account of interest and exchange rate developments

## Development of cash flow from operating activities (CHF m)

Cash flow from operating activities, CFO (FY)



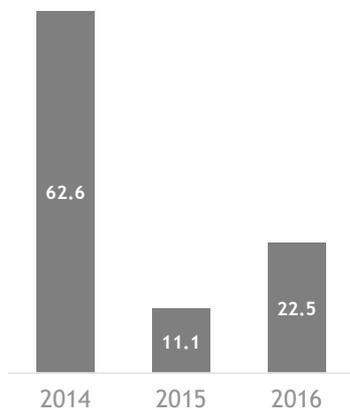
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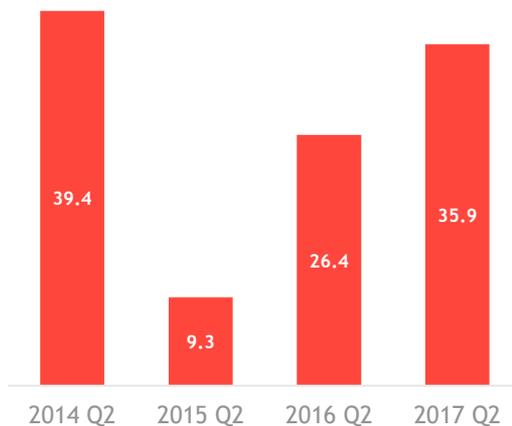
- Material effects, 1H17
- CHF 20 m in depreciation on tangible assets
- CHF 16.6 m change in net working capital
- Reduction in liabilities in Italy
- Reduction in overdue receivables in Italy

## Development of funds from operations (CHF m)

Funds from operations,  
FFO (FY)



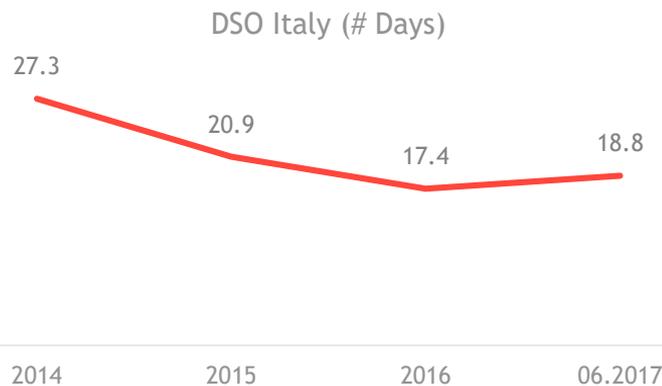
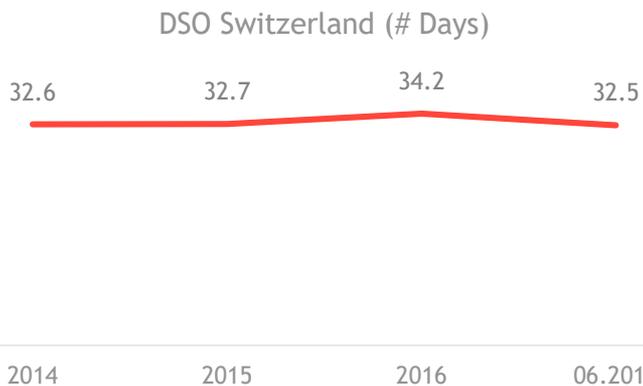
Funds from operations, FFO (HY)



- Much better operating result in 1H17 than prior year

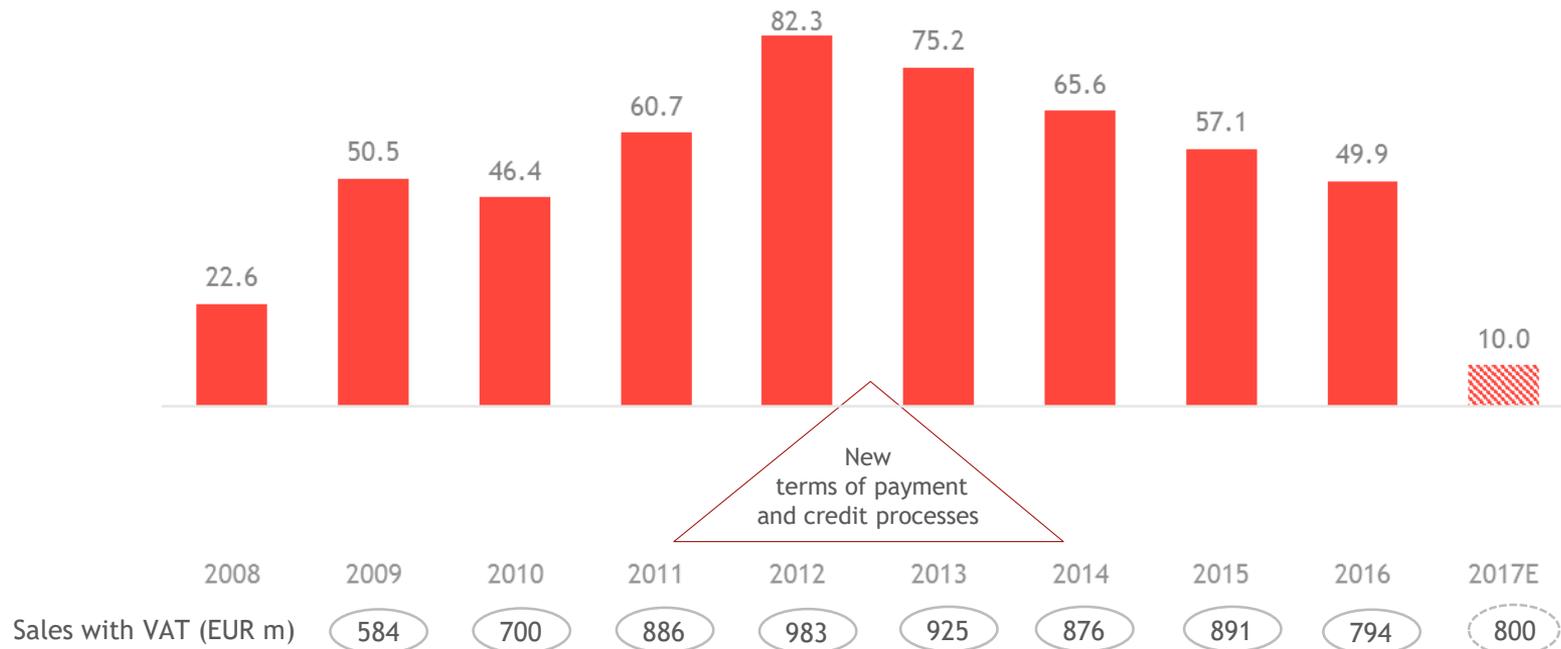


## Payment times optimised and under control



- DSO CH at constant level; frequency of bills to end consumers increased
- DSO Italy substantially reduced, thanks among other things to optimised payment terms and prompt accounts receivable management

## Reduction in overdue payments following modifications to processes

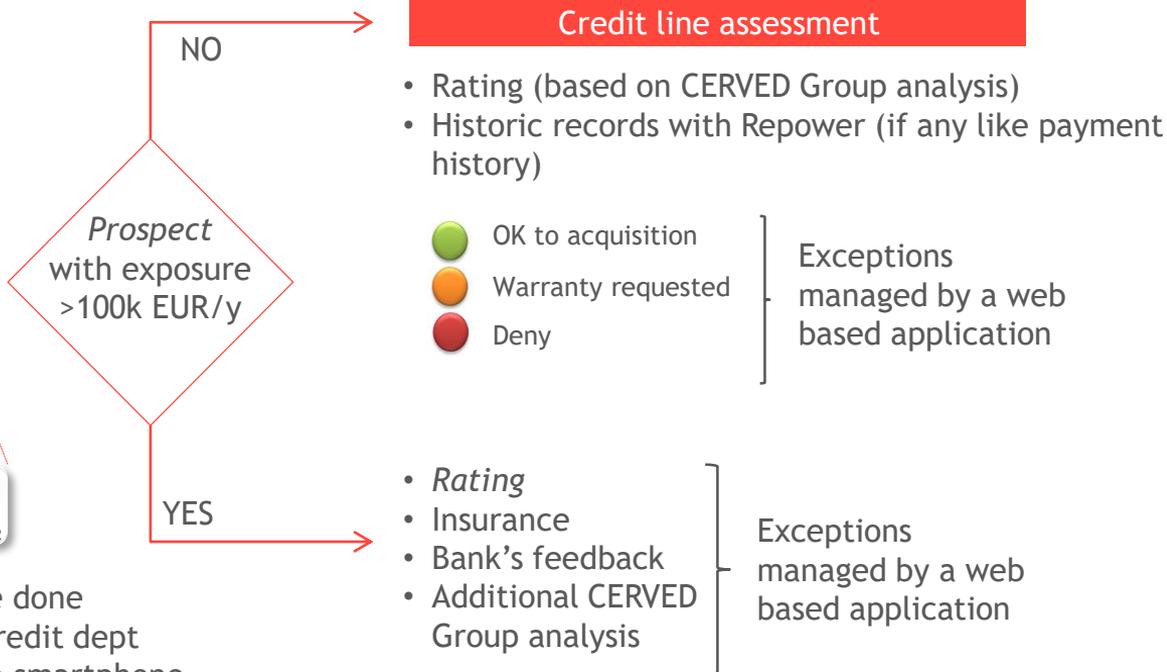


## Process «Credit-Check» state of the art



Query may be done

- Directly to credit dept
- Indirectly via smartphone (dedicated app)



## Disposal of non-operational assets

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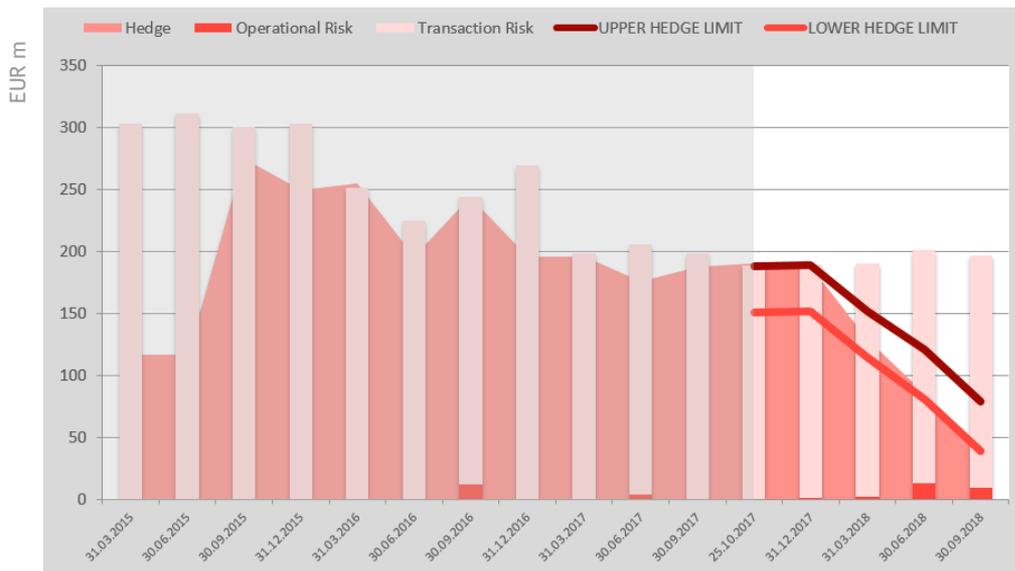
Profits from the disposal of non-current assets



- Project to dispose of many non-operational properties delivered
- Sale of remaining properties still being pursued, but with less urgency

## Foreign currency hedging strategy: rolling hedge

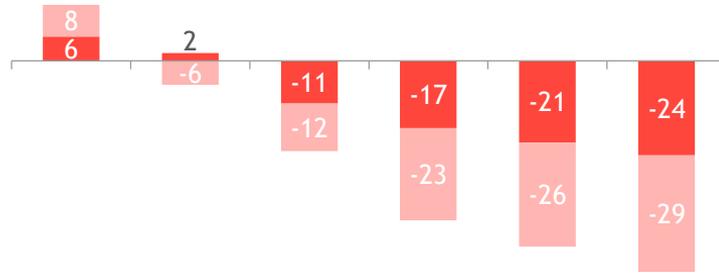
Historical and current risk exposure



- 80%-100% hedge in first quarter
- Risk position calculated on a monthly basis
- Counterparty risk

## Substantial reduction in operating expense since 2012

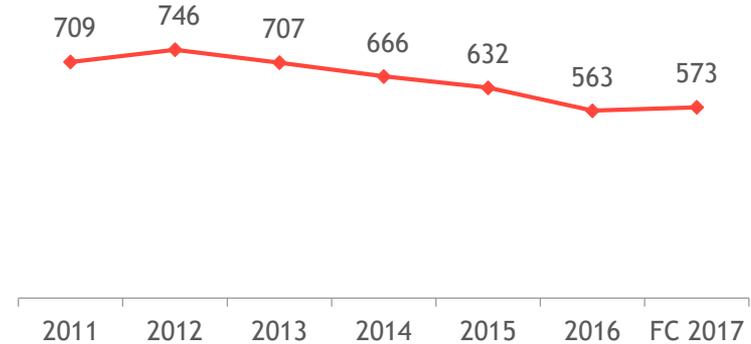
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2012 vs. 2011    2013 vs. 2012    2014 vs. 2012    2015 vs. 2012    2016 vs. 2012    FC 2017 vs. 2012

■ Delta personnel expense    ■ Delta OPEX

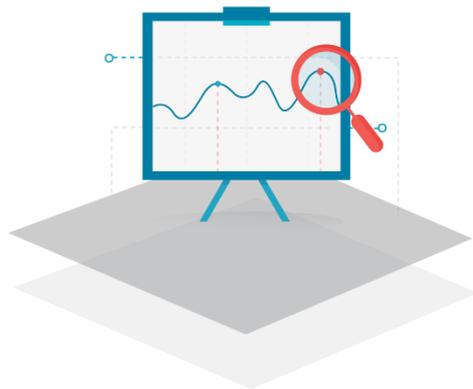
FTE's on closing date



- Number of FTEs, personnel expense and other operating expense have all been significantly reduced since 2012 thanks to structural changes and efficiency measures

## Switch from IFRS to Swiss GAAP FER

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- Reasons for the change:
  - Growing complexity
  - Imbalance between outlay and benefits
  - Additional costs
- Swiss GAAP FER also allows true and fair view
- Switch retroactive to beginning of 2017
- Transparent financial reporting and comparability guaranteed



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## Comprehensive information on the Repower website



Group website

<https://www.repower.com/en-us/>

- ① = Cornerstones of strategy
- ② = Media contacts, media releases, publications, images/logos, interviews/positions
- ③ = Results, annual reports, corporate governance, shares, debt, AGM, agenda, contact for investors
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## Great challenges remain

### Prices



Recovery proceeding slowly

### Market design



More market expected gradually from 2020

### Politics



Justified concerns have a hard time

### Strategy



Implementation of new products continues

### Results



2017 on course in operating terms  
Half-year results

Many thanks for your interest!



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