

Applus+ Group FY 2019 Results Presentation

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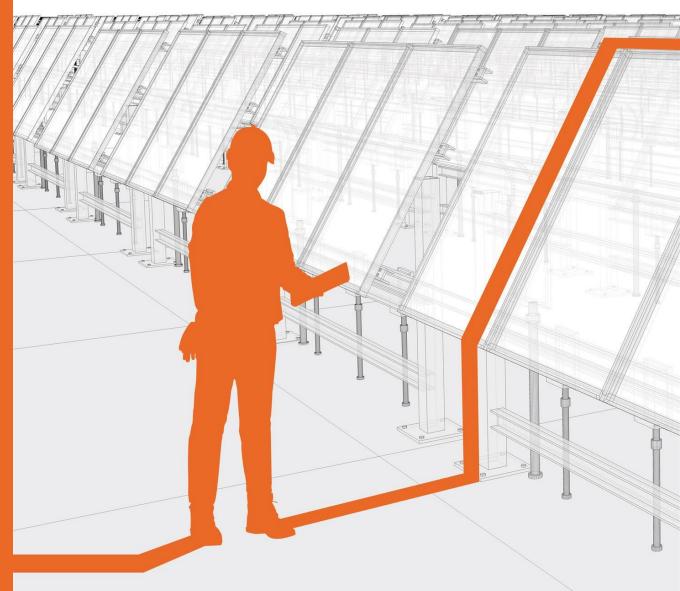


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Fernando Basabe Chief Executive Officer





- Mid single digit organic revenue growth contributed by all divisions
- Good margin increase leading to double digit growth in Operating Profit and EPS
- Three acquisitions with €13 million revenue p.a. and strongly margin accretive
- Auto Irish contract renewed for another 10 years
- FY Results:
 - **Revenue** of €1,777.9 million up 6.1% (organic¹ +5.0%)
 - Operating **profit**² of \in 197.1 million up 10.3% (organic¹ +7.9%)
 - Operating profit² margin of 11.1%, up 42 bps (organic¹ +29 bps)
 - Adjusted² free cash flow of €187.4 million up 16.6%
 - **Earnings per Share**² of €0.76, up 11.5%
- Board proposes a dividend of €0.22 per share, 47% increase over previous year

⁽¹⁾ Organic is at constant exchange rates and based on prior year proforma figures including IFRS16

⁽²⁾ Adjusted for Other Results, amortisation of acquisition intangibles and the increases based on prior year proforma figures including IFRS16



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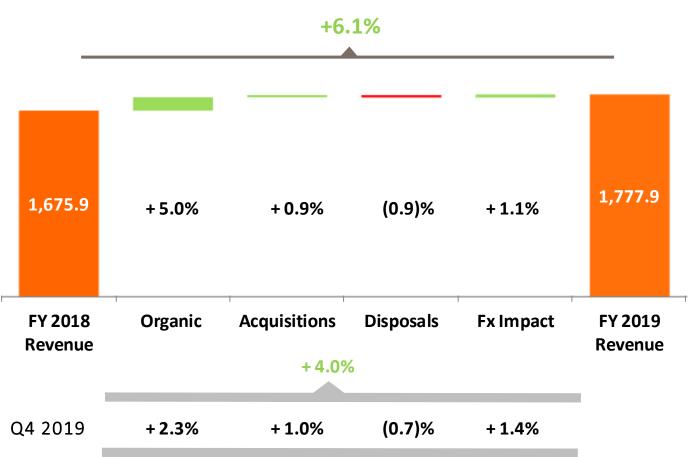
Joan Amigó Chief Financial Officer



FY 2019. Revenue Bridge

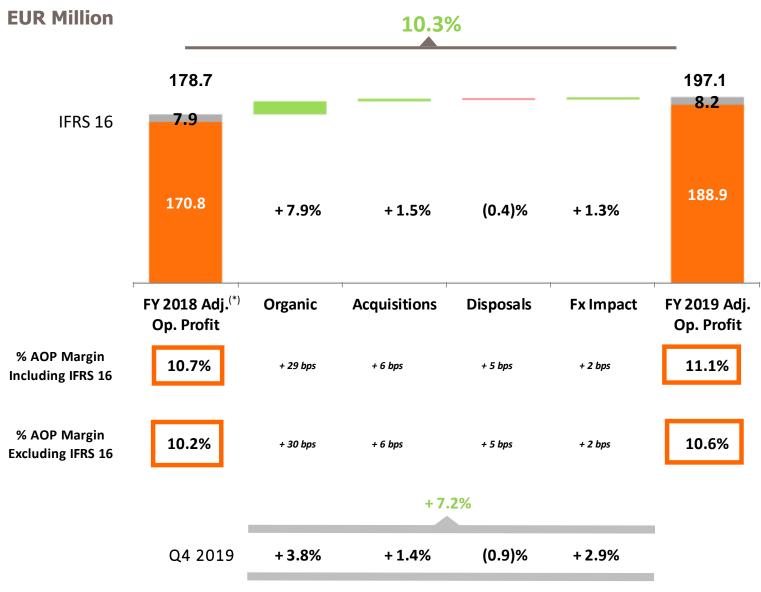






Mid single digit organic revenue growth

FY 2019. Adjusted Operating Profit Bridge



Double digit growth with 42 bps margin improvement



FY 2019. Summary Income Statement



Excluding IFRS 16

Including IFRS 16

		FY		IFR	S 16		FY	
	2019	2018	Change	2019	2018	2019	2018 ^(*) Proforma	Change
Revenue	1,777.9	1,675.9	6.1%			1,777.9	1,675.9	6.1%
Adj. Operating Profit ⁽¹⁾	188.9	170.8	10.6%	8.2	7.9	197.1	178.7	10.3%
Adj.Op.Profit margin	10.6%	1 0.2%	+ 43 bps			11.1%	10.7%	+ 42 bps
PPA Amortisation	(59.1)	(59.2)				(59.1)	(59.2)	
Other results	(7.2)	(6.9)				(7.2)	(6.9)	
Operating profit	122.6	104.8	17.0%	8.2	7.9	130.8	112.7	16.1%
Finance result	(16.2)	(17.3)		(7.7)	(7.5)	(23.9)	(24.8)	
Refinancing Costs	0.0	(3.9)				0.0	(3.9)	
Profit before tax	106.4	83.5	27.4%	0.5	0.4	106.9	83.9	27.4%
Income taxes	(30.2)	(23.4)		(0.2)	(0.2)	(30.4)	(23.6)	
Net Profit	76.2	60.2	26.7%	0.3	0.2	76.6	60.4	26.8%
Minorities	(20.9)	(19.0)				(20.9)	(19.0)	
Net Profit Group	55.4	41.2	34.4%	0.3	0.2	55.7	41.4	34.5%
Adjusted Net Profit Group	108.3	97.2	11.4%	0.3	0.2	108.6	97.4	11.5%
EPS in €	0.39	0.29	34.4%			0.39	0.29	34.5%
Adjusted EPS in € ⁽²⁾	0.76	0.68	11.4%			0.76	0.68	11.5%

(1) Adjusted Op. Profit is stated before amortisation of acquisition intangibles, restructuring and transaction & integration costs

(2) EPS is adjusted for Other Results and amortisation of acquisition intangibles with the related tax impact

(*) FY 2018 Figures are Proforma including IFRS 16



FY 2019. Cash Flow

Acplus Together beyond standards

EUR Million

EUR Million	Excludin	g IFRS	5 16 Includ			ding IFF	ding IFRS 16		
-	F	Y	IFRS	5 16		FY			
	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018 _(*) Proforma	Change		
Adjusted EBITDA (1)	240.9	218.0	55.6	52.4	296.5	270.4	9.7%		
Increase in working capital	0.1	(27.7)			0.1	(27.7)			
Сарех	(57.6)	(50.4)			(57.6)	(50.4)			
Adjusted Operating Cash Flow	183.4	139.9	55.6	52.4	239.0	192.3	24.3%		
Cash Conversion rate	76.1%	64.2%			80.6%	71.1%			
Taxes Paid	(41.3)	(24.0)			(41.3)	(24.0)			
Interest Paid	(10.2)	(7.5)			(10.2)	(7.5)			
Adjusted Free Cash Flow	131.8	108.4	55.6	52.4	187.4	160.8	16.6%		
Extraordinaries & Others	(4.9)	(8.0)			(4.9)	(8.0)			
Applus+ Dividend	(21.5)	(18.6)			(21.5)	(18.6)			
Dividends to Minorities	(23.8)	(14.3)			(23.8)	(14.3)			
Operating Cash Generated	81.6	67.5	55.6	52.4	137.2	119.9	14.4%		
Acquisitions	(35.7)	(43.8)			(35.7)	(43.8)			
Cash b/Changes in Financing & F>	45.9	23.7	55.6	52.4	101.5	76.1			
Changes in financing	(31.2)	(14.8)	(55.6)	(52.4)	(86.8)	(67.2)			
Treasury Shares	(3.0)	(3.6)			(3.0)	(3.6)			
Currency translations	1.1	(2.3)			1.1	(2.3)			
Cash increase	12.8	3.1	-	-	12.8	3.1			

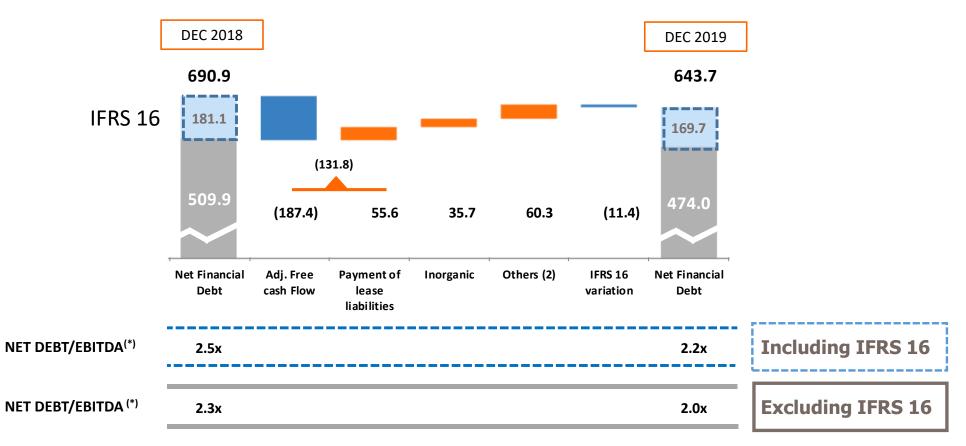
(1) Adjusted EBITDA is stated as Operating Profit before depreciation, amortisation and Other results

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FY 2019. Net Debt – as defined by bank covenant₁



EUR Million



Net debt reduced by 47.2M€

Covenant is at 4.0x defined at Frozen GAAP (excluding IFRS 16)

(*) LTM EBITDA includes proforma annual results from acquisitions

(1) Stated at annual average rates

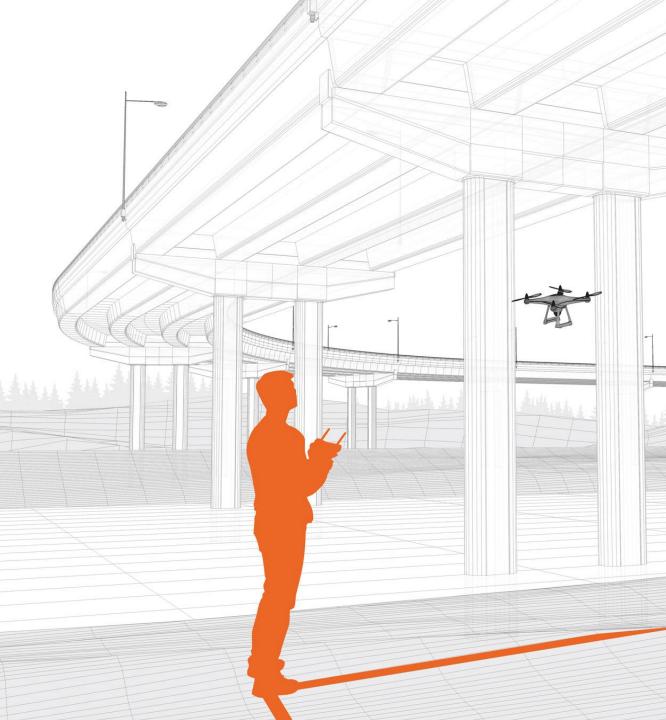
(2) Others includes Extraordinaries, Dividends paid to minorities, Applus Dividend and other items



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FY 2019. Splits by Division, End Market and Geography



Spain 23%

Rest of

O&G Opex 25%

O&G Capex

9%*11%

Statutory Vehicle Inspection 22%^{*22%}

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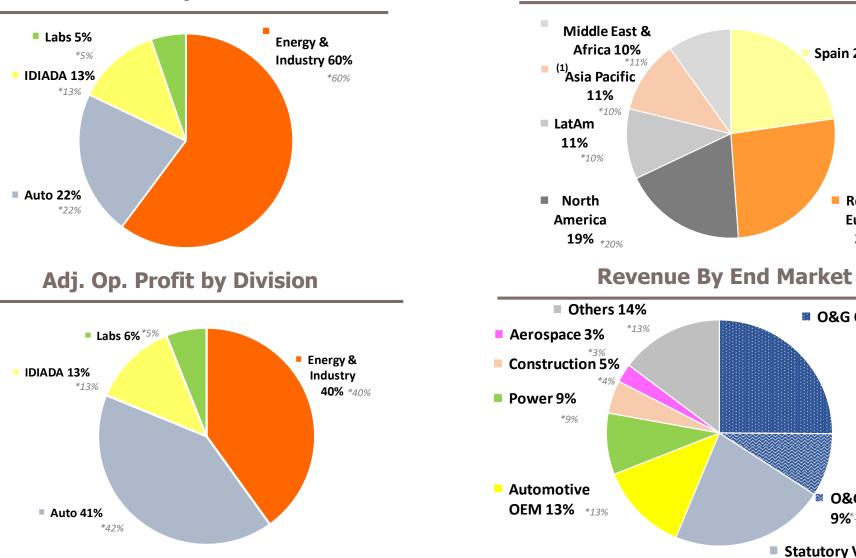
Europe

26% *27%

*25%

*22%

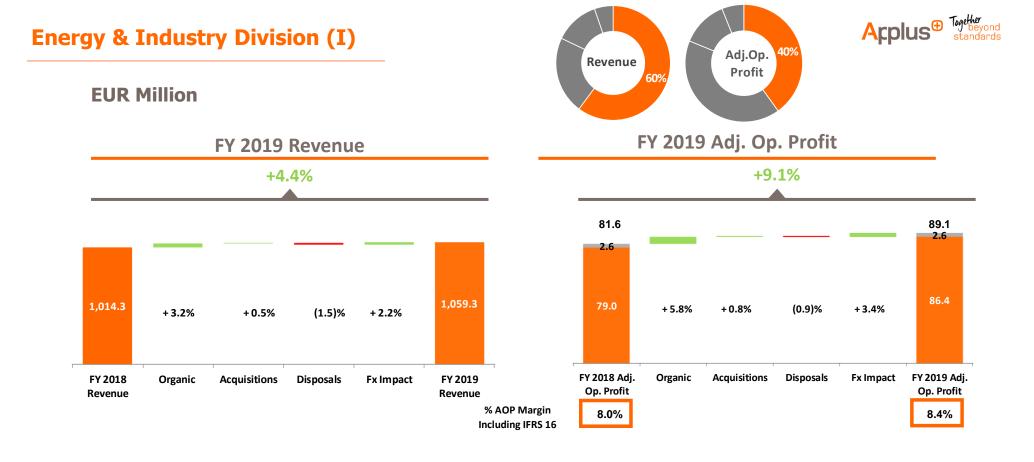
Revenue By Geography



Revenue by Division

* FY 2018

(1) Revenue from China 1.2%

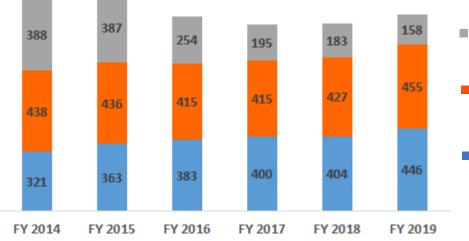


- Good revenue growth despite a low Q4 due to tough comp (+11.5% Q4 2018)
- Margin improvement due to cost control, stable pricing and operational leverage
- Strong growth in Mediterranean (18% of division revenue), Asia Pac (14%) and LatAm (11%). Northern Europe (17%) back to growth this year, but Africa-Middle East (15%) was down due to continued reduction in a large Angola contract
- North America (25%) was down due to the decrease in O&G Capex services demand, despite a good performance in O&G Opex services and Aerospace

Applus Together standards

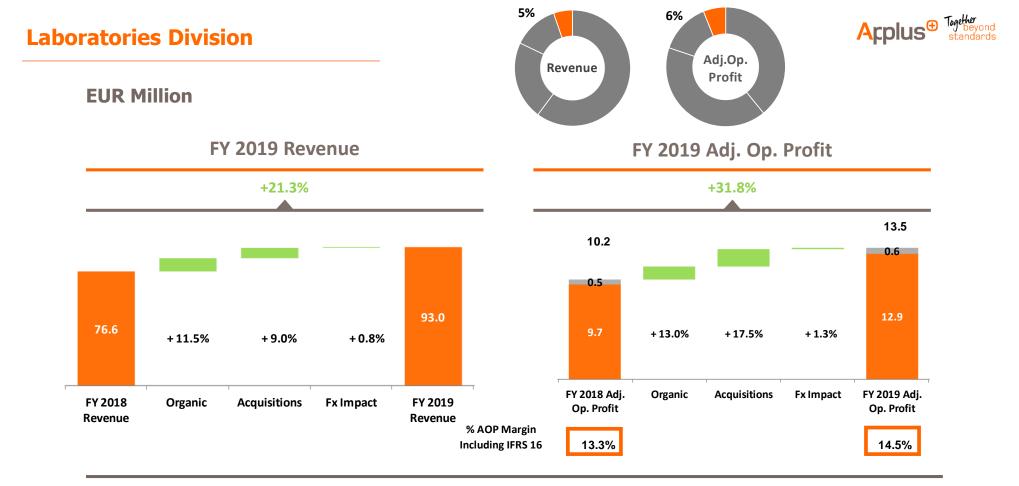
Energy & Industry Division (II)

REVENUE (M€)

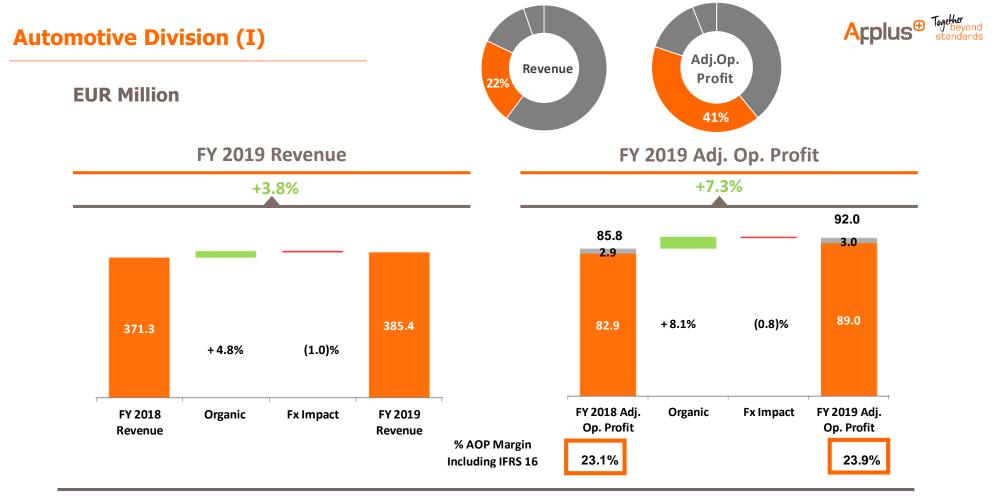


- Power, Construction, Aerospace, Mining, Telecom (42% of division revenue) high single digit organic growth in the year benefiting from geographic expansion of these services
- Oil & Gas Opex (43%) performed well in 2019
- Oil & Gas Capex (15%) was down in 2019 but positioned to benefit from any market recovery

O&G Capex							
O&G Opex							
Power, Con Aerospace,	struction, Mining & Telecom						
<u>CAGR 14-19</u>	<u>Focus</u>						
+7%	Develop & Expand						
+1%	Low growth						
-17%	Opportunistic						



- Double-digit organic revenue and profit growth with margin up significantly across all business lines
- Seven acquisitions made over the last 3 years with €19m revenue, all acquired at single digit EBITDA multiples and accretive margins. Acquisition momentum and scale expected to accelerate
- Organic build-out and further acquisitions to create regional networks of laboratories giving customers enhanced service and supporting growth

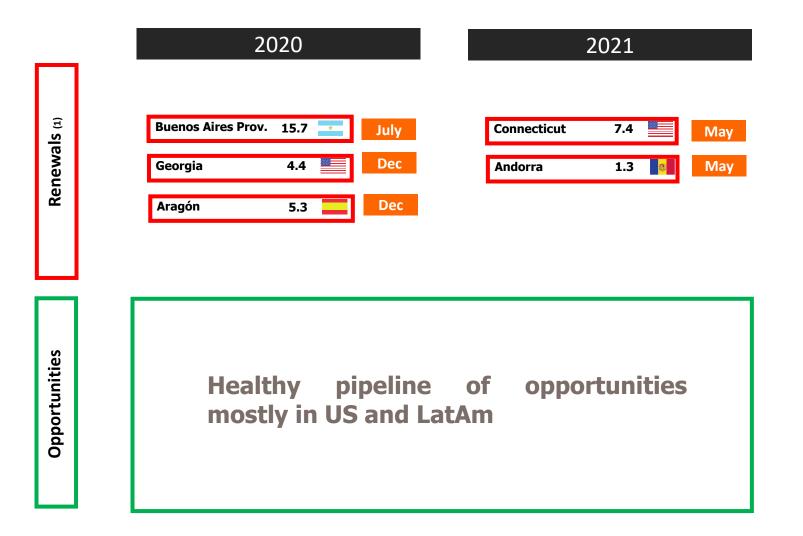


- Good underlying growth and excellent margin improvement
- New contracts ramped-up in Uruguay, Argentina, Ecuador and Chile
- Irish contract renewed (no re-tenders lost in last 10 years), to start in July under new conditions
- Acquisition of ITV Canary Islands with €4m revenue expected to close in March
- Washington with €7.7m revenue in 2019 terminated



- Low single digit revenue growth in Spain. Most of the regions growing with Canary Islands, Galicia and Madrid leading contributors
- Northern Europe flat. Growth in Ireland offsetting the decrease in the Nordics
- USA low single digit growth with good performance in all contracts
- LatAm strong performance in Costa Rica, Uruguay, Argentina and Chile. Slow ramp up of some Ecuador contracts

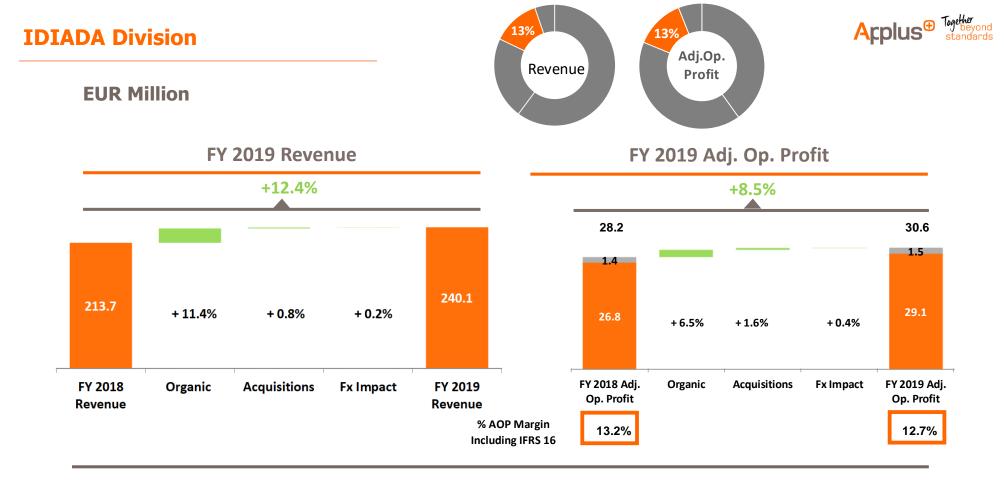
Auto – Renewals and Opportunities expected 2020-2021



Strong track record in new and renewed programmes

Together

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- Double digit organic revenue growth led by electric and autonomous vehicles, ADAS (advance driver assistance systems), WLTP (EU emission standard) and outsourcing
- Investments in new tracks in Spain and China, driving simulators and a passive safety testing lab in Frankfurt will add capacity to sustain growth
- Margin decrease mainly due to faster depreciation of assets as the current contract term ends in 2024



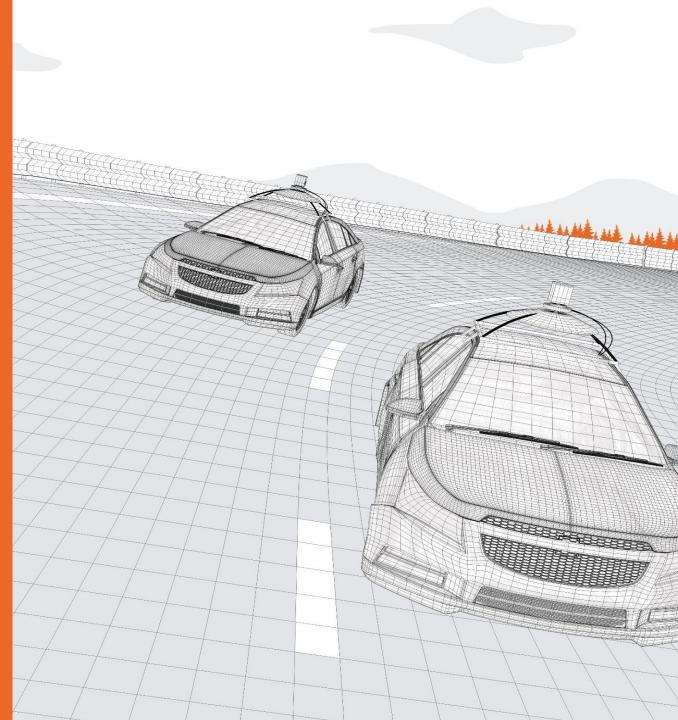
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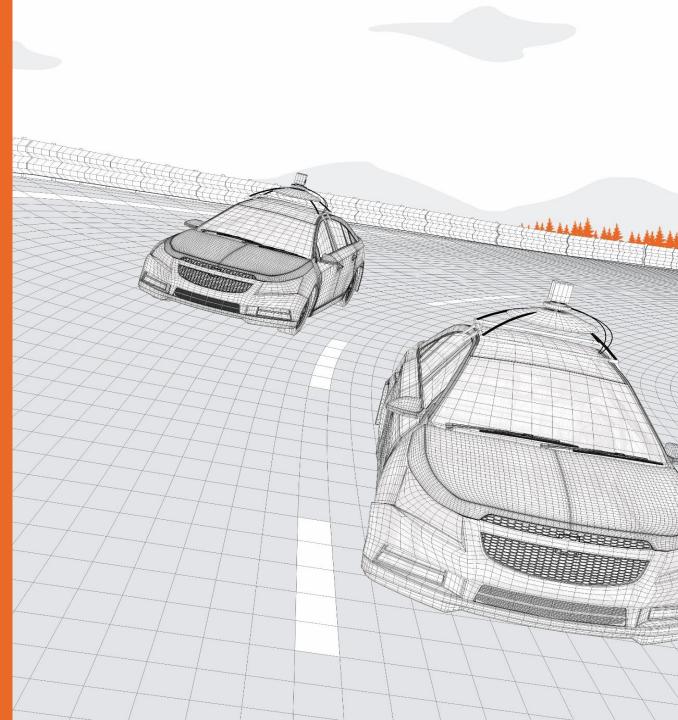
- A successful year second consecutive year of meeting/exceeding the 2018 Strategic Plan targets with all divisions contributing
- Strong cash generation
- Double digit EPS growth and significant increase in the proposed dividend
- Well positioned for continued organic revenue growth, improving margin, strong cash flow and acceleration in acquisition spending



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Update on Strategic Plan targets



Division	Target (2018	3-2020)	Actual 2018-2019	(1)
Energy	Organic Revenue	Average Annual Mid Single Digit growth	3.7%	\checkmark
& Industry	Adjusted Op. Profit	Recover 100 bps in the period 2018-2020	Up 37 bps	\checkmark
	Organic Revenue	Annual organic revenue growth of Mid Single Digit	10.9%	$\checkmark\checkmark$
Labs	Adjusted Op. Profit	Margin to increase by 20-30 bps per annum	Up 340 bps	\checkmark
	M&A	Acquisitions to expand footprint and service portfolio	4 acquisitions made in last 2 years with €14m revenue at a margin of 30%	\checkmark
	Organic Revenue	Organic revenue from existing contracts to increase at low single digit	4.7%	$\checkmark\checkmark$
Αυτο	Adjusted Op. Profit	Margin to increase > 200 bps in 2018, then maintain	Up 420 bps	$\checkmark\checkmark$
	Tenders	Continue strong renewal track record and new programmes	Ireland renewed and 3 contracts awarded	\checkmark
Teliada	Organic Revenue	Annual organic growth of high single digits	9.2%	\checkmark
Idiada	Adjusted Op. Profit	Margin to remain in 12% range	12.1%	\checkmark
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(1) Revenue is average annual growth over 2 years and margins exclude IFRS 16 impact

Update on Strategic Plan targets



Organic Revenue Adjusted operating Profit Operating Cash Flow	Annual growth of mid single digit Margin improvement of 70-100 bps in 2018 and 20- 30 in 2019 and 2020 Cash conversion rate above 70%	5% Up 160 bps 70%	✓ ✓ √
operating Profit Operating Cash Flow	30 in 2019 and 2020		√ √ √
Cash Flow	Cash conversion rate above 70%	70%	\checkmark
Leverage	Below 3x	2.0x	√ √
Dividends	Maintain dividend at 20% of Adjusted Net profit	29% (2)	√ √
M&A	Acquisition capacity in the range of €150 million per annum	80M€	\checkmark
Outlook for 2020	Margin to improve 10-30 bps		
	M&A Outlook for 2020	M&A Acquisition capacity in the range of €150 million per annum Outlook • Mid single digit organic revenue growth Outlook • Margin to improve 10-30 bps • Additional growth through acquisit	M&A Acquisition capacity in the range of €150 million per annum 80M€ Outlook for 2020 • Mid single digit organic revenue growth at constant FX • Margin to improve 10-30 bps • Additional growth through acquisitions

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(2) Dividend to be proposed to shareholders



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First CSR Report in 2015 following the Global Reporting Initiative (GRI)

UN Global Compact Member since 2017 and Advanced Level from 2018. Follow the 10 Principles

UN Sustainable Development Goals Adopted 9 since 2017 as a framework for CSR goals

Environmental

CDP (B score) and FTSE4Good IBEX in 2019

€200 million revenue (11% Group) from services to reduce environmental impact

Social

Development and inclusion programmes in place

Low voluntary turnover rate (12%)

10% fall in accident rate

Governance

High adherence to CNMV recommendations (89%)

Strong culture of compliance

Annual Corp. Governance road show by Non Executive Director





United Nations Global Compact





FY 2019. Adjustments to Statutory results

		FY 2019			FY 2018			+/- % Adj.
EUR Million	Adj. Results	Other results	Statutory results	Adj. Results	Other results	Statutory results	Proforma FY 2018	Results PROF
Revenue	1,777.9	0.0	1,777.9	1,675.9	0.0	1,675.9	1,675.9	6.1%
Ebitda	296.5	0.0	296.5	218.0	0.0	218.0	270.4	9.7%
Operating Profit	197.1	(66.3)	130.8	170.8	(66.0)	104.8	178.7	10.3%
Net financial expenses	(23.9)	0.0	(23.9)	(17.3)	(3.9)	(21.2)	(24.8)	
Profit Before Taxes	173.2	(66.3)	106.9	153.5	(70.0)	83.5	153.9	12.5%
Income tax	(43.7)	13.4	(30.4)	(37.3)	14.0	(23.4)	(37.5)	
Non controlling interests	(20.9)	0.0	(20.9)	(19.0)	0.0	(19.0)	(19.0)	
Net Profit	108.6	(52.9)	55.7	97.2	(56.0)	41.2	97.4	11.5%
Number of Shares	143,018,430		143,018,430	143,018,430		143,018,430	143,018,430	
EPS, in Euros	0.76		0.39	0.68		0.29	0.68	11.5%
Income Tax/PBT	(25.2)%		(28.4)%	(24.3)%		(28.0)%	(24.4)%	

REVENUE	Actual 2019	Organic	Acquisitions	Disposals	FX	Total	Actual 2018
Energy & Industry	1,059.3	3.2%	0.5%	(1.5)%	2.2%	4.4%	1,014.3
Laboratories	93.0	11.5%	9.0%	0.0%	0.8%	21.3%	76.6
Auto	385.4	4.8%	0.0%	0.0%	(1.0)%	3.8%	371.3
Idiada	240.1	11.4%	0.8%	0.0%	0.2%	12.4%	213.7
Total Revenue	1,777.9	5.0%	0.9%	(0.9)%	1.1%	6.1%	1,675.9

Adj. Op. Profit	Actual 2019			Growth			Proforma
Auj. Op. Piolit	Actual 2019	Organic	Acquisitions	Disposals	FX	Total	2018
Energy & Industry	89.1	5.8%	0.8%	(0.9)%	3.4%	9.1%	81.6
Laboratories	13.5	13.0%	17.5%	0.0%	1.3%	31.8%	10.2
Auto	92.0	8.1%	0.0%	0.0%	(0.8)%	7.3%	85.8
Idiada	30.6	6.5%	1.6%	0.0%	0.4%	8.5%	28.2
Holding	(28.1)						(27.1)
Total Adj. OP. Profit	197.1	7.9%	1.5%	(0.4)%	1.3%	10.3%	178.7

Revenue	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	FY
Energy & Industry	6.0%	5.1%	3.5%	(1.2)%	3.2%
Laboratories	16.6%	11.9%	9.5%	9.3%	11.5%
Auto	9.1%	0.7%	3.2%	6.8%	4.8%
IDIADA	9.6%	13.8%	12.7%	9.7%	11.4%
Total Organic @ Constant rates	7.6%	5.5%	4.8%	2.3%	5.0%
Inorganic	0.2%	(0.2)%	(0.4)%	0.3%	0.0%
Total Applus @ constant rates	7.8%	5.3%	4.4%	2.6%	5.0%
FX	1.2%	1.4%	0.6%	1.4%	1.1%
Total Applus	9.0%	6.7%	5.0%	4.0%	6.1%

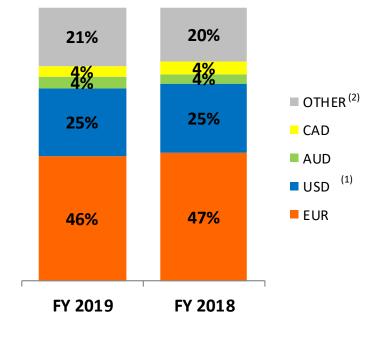
		Growth						
REVENUE	Actual 2019	Organic	Acquisitions	Disposals	FX	Total	Actual 2018	
Energy & Industry	269.8	(1.2)%	1.0%	(1.1)%	1.5%	0.2%	269.3	
Laboratories	26.0	9.3%	6.5%	0.0%	1.0%	16.8%	22.2	
Auto	89.8	6.8%	0.0%	0.0%	2.1%	8.9%	82.4	
Idiada	62.5	9.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%	10.0%	56.8	
Total Revenue	448.1	2.3%	1.0%	(0.7)%	1.4%	4.0%	430.8	
Adj. Op. Profit w IFRS 16	48.6	3.8%	1.4%	(0.9)%	2.9%	7.2%	45.4	
Adj. Op. Profit wo IFRS 16	46.5	3.7%	1.4%	(0.9)%	3.0%	7.2%	43.4	

Q4 & FY 2019. Summary Income Statement

		Q4			FY	
	2019	2018 Proforma	Change	2019	2018 Proforma	Change
Revenue	448.1	430.8	4.0%	1,777.9	1,675.9	6.1%
Adj. Operating Profit	48.6	45.4	7.2%	197.1	178.7	10.3%
<i>Adj.Op.Profit margin</i> PPA Amortisation Other results	10.9% (14.8) (4.4)	10.5% (14.8) (5.4)	+ 32 bps	<i>11.1%</i> (59.1) (7.2)	10.7% (59.2) (6.9)	+ 42 bps
Operating profit	(^{4,4}) 29.4	25.2	16.9%	130.8	(0.5) 112.7	16.1%
Finance result	(7.1)	(6.2)		(23.9)	(24.8)	
Refinancing Costs	0.0	0.0		0.0	(3.9)	
Profit before tax	22.3	19.0	17.6%	106.9	83.9	27.4%
Income taxes				(30.4)	(23.6)	
Net Profit				76.6	60.4	26.8%
Minorities				(20.9)	(19.0)	
Net Profit Group				55.7	41.4	34.5%
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EPS in €				0.39	0.29	34.5%
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% Revenue by Actual Currency



	Average FX Exchange rates vs Euro								
	JAN - DEC	JAN - DEC JAN - DEC 2019 2018							
USD	1.120	1.182	5.6%						
AUD	1.610	1.579	(2.0)%						
CAD	1.486	1.529	2.9%						

(1) Includes currencies pegged to USD

(2) None above 4%

FY 2019. Statutory Cash Flow

	F	FY	
	2019	2018	
Profit Before taxes	106.9	83.5	
Non cash items	179.7	127.8	
Increase in working capital	4.0	(28.3)	
Taxes Paid	(42.3)	(24.0)	
Operating Cash Flow	248.3	159.1	56.0%
Сарех	(57.6)	(50.4)	
Business combination	2.0	3.8	
Acquisitions/Disposals of subsidiaries	(35.7)	(43.8)	
Cash Flow from Investing activities	(91.3)	(90.3)	
Dividends to Minorities	(23.8)	(14.3)	
Applus+ Dividend	(21.5)	(18.6)	
Interest paid	(10.2)	(7.5)	
Changes in financing	(89.8)	(22.9)	
Capital increase	0.0	0.0	
Cash Flow from Financing activities	(145.3)	(63.4)	
Currency translations	1.1	(2.3)	
Cash Increase / (Decrease)	12.8	3.1	

FY 2019. Balance Sheet

	FY 2019	FY 2018		FY 2019	FY 2018
Goodwill	609.3	591.3	Equity	824.5	810.9
Other intangible assets	474.3	518.9	Long Term Provisions	26.9	23.4
PPA	406.3	465.2	Bank borrowings	545.9	606.5
Other intangible assets	68.0	53.8	Leasing Liabilities	124.5	0.0
Rights of use	152.9	0.0	Other financial liabilities	26.0	24.5
Tangible assets	226.7	220.6	Deferred Tax Liabilities PPA	100.0	113.2
Investments accounted for using the equity method	0.7	0.7	Deferred Tax Liabilities Others	37.4	37.8
Non current Financial Assets	30.0	27.5	Deferred Tax Liabilities	137.4	151.0
Deferred Tax Assets	65.5	66.7	Other non current liabilities	29.5	37.1
Total Non-Current Assets	1,559.4	1,425.7	Total Non-Current Liabilities	890.2	842.5
			Short term provisions	2.5	1.8
Inventories	8.5	8.1	Bank borrowings	59.2	10.0
Trade & Other receivables	424.1	402.6	Leasing Liabilities	45.7	0.0
Corporate Income Tax assets	23.4	19.0	Trade & Other payables	330.0	307.9
Current financial assets	11.9	9.7	Income Tax Liabilities	13.8	14.8
Cash & Cash equivalents	145.2	132.3	Other current liabilities	6.6	9.5
Total Current Assets	613.1	571.7	Total Current Liabilities	457.8	344.0
Total Assets	2,172.5	1,997.4	Total Equity & Liabilities	2,172.5	1,997.4

Applus' financial disclosures contain magnitudes and metrics drafted in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) and others based on the Group's disclosure model referred to as Alternative Performance Metrics

- **EBITDA,** measure of earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortisation
- **Operating Profit,** measure of earnings before interest and taxes
- **Adjusted** measures are stated before other results
- Other results are those impacts corrected from the relevant measures to provide a better understanding of the underlying results of the Group, for example: amortisation of acquisition intangibles, restructuring and transaction & integration costs
- PPA correspond to the Purchase Price Allocation referred to acquisitions, allocated to intangible assets and amortised
- **Capex,** realized investments in property, plant & equipment or intangible assets
- **Proforma** figures for 2018 include IFRS 16 estimated impact
- Operating Cash Flow, operating cash generated after capex investment and working capital variation

- Free Cash Flow, operating cash generated after capex investment, working capital variation and tax & interest payments
- Net Debt, current and non current financial debt, other institutional debt less cash. As per bank covenant definition, calculated at annual average exchange rates
- Leverage, calculated as Net Debt/LTM Ebitda as per bank covenant definition
- **EPS**, Earnings per share
- NDT, Non destructive testing
- **P.A.**, per annum
- FX, Foreign exchange
- LTM, Last twelve months