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Facts and figures 9M 2017

Schaeffler Group at a glance

	1	st nine months		
Income statement (in € millions)	2017	2016		Change
Revenue	10,480	9,977	5.0	%
• at constant currency			5.0	%
EBIT	1,209	1,276	-5.3	%
• in % of revenue	11.5	12.8	-1.3	%-pts.
EBIT before special items 1)	1,196	1,276	-6.3	%
• in % of revenue	11.4	12.8	-1.4	%-pts.
Net income ²⁾	791	672	17.7	%
Earnings per common non-voting share (basic/diluted, in €)	1.19	1.02	16.7	%
Statement of financial position (in € millions)	09/30/2017	12/31/2016		Change
Totalassets	11,536	11,564	-0.2	%
Shareholders' equity 3)	2,401	1,997	404	€ millions
• in % of total assets	20.8	17.3	3.5	%-pts.
Net financial debt	2,620	2,636	-0.6	%
Net financial debt to EBITDA ratio before special items 1) 4)	1.1	1.1		
• Gearing Ratio (Net financial debt to shareholders' equity, in %)	109.1	132.0	-22.9	%-pts.
	1	st nine months		
Statement of cash flows (in € millions)	2017	2016		Change
EBITDA	1,780	1,817	-2.0	%
• in % of revenue	17.0	18.2	-1.2	%-pts.
EBITDA before special items 1)	1,767	1,817	-2.8	%
• in % of revenue	16.9	18.2	-1.3	%-pts.
Cash flows from operating activities	1,116	1,305	-189	€ millions
Capital expenditures (capex) 5)	873	829	44	€millions
• in % of revenue (capex ratio)	8.3	8.3	0.0	%-pts.
Free cash flow	244	479	-235	€ millions
	1	st nine months		
Value Added	2017	2016		Change
ROCE before special items (in %) ^{1) 4)}	20.5	22.6	-2.1	%-pts.
Schaeffler Value Added before special items (in € millions) 1) 4)	829	944	-12.2	%
Employees	09/30/2017	12/31/2016		Change
Headcount	89,359	86,662	3.1	%

 $^{^{1)}}$ Please refer to pp. 18 et seq. of the interim financial report 9M for the definition of special items. $^{2)}$ Attributable to shareholders of the parent company.

³⁾ Including non-controlling interests.
4) EBIT/EBITDA based on the last twelve months.
5) Capital expenditures on intangible assets and property, plant and equipment.

	1st	1 st nine months				
Automotive (in € millions)	2017	2016		Change		
Revenue	8,098	7,707	5.1	%		
• at constant currency			5.1	%		
EBIT	1,002	1,097	-8.7	%		
• in % of revenue	12.4	14.2	-1.8	%-pts.		
EBIT before special items 1)	989	1,097	-9.8	%		
• in % of revenue	12.2	14.2	-2.0	%-pts.		
	1 st	1 st nine months				
Industrial (in € millions)	2017	2016		Change		
Revenue	2,382	2,270	4.9	%		
• at constant currency			4.6	%		
EBIT	207	179	15.6	%		
• in % of revenue	8.7	7.9	0.8	%-pts.		
EBIT before special items 1)	207	179	15.6	%		
• in % of revenue	8.7	7.9	0.8	%-pts.		

Prior year information presented based on 2017 segment structure. $^{1)} P lease \ refer to \ pp. \ 18 \ et seq. \ of the interim financial report 9M for the definition of special items.$

Highlights 9M 2017

Growth accelerated significantly in the 3rd quarter

Revenue at **EUR 10.5** bn (up 5.0 % at constant currency)

EBIT margin stabilized in the 3rd quarter

EBIT margin before special items at **11.4** % (prior year: 12.8 %)

Free cash flow clearly positive in the 3rd quarter

Free cash flow at EUR 244 m (prior year: EUR 479 m)

Net income up significantly from prior year

Net income at **EUR 791** m (prior year: EUR 672 m)

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Schaeffler Group

Revenue **EUR 10,480** m



EBIT margin before special items 11.4 %

Positive revenue trend continued – revenue growth at 5.0 % at constant currency; revenue increase in Q3 2017 plus 7.4 % at constant currency // Temporary adverse earnings impacts in Q2 2017 were partially recovered in Q3 2017 // Business growth in the Automotive division in Q3 2017 // Positive revenue and earnings development in the Industrial division continued – encouraging Q3 2017 // Double-digit growth in the Greater China region // R&D activities expanded considerably // Earnings per common non-voting share increased to EUR 1.19 (prior year: EUR 1.02).

Schaeffler Group earnings

	1 st n	ine months			3 rd quarter	
			Change			Change
<u>in</u> € millions	2017	2016	in %	2017	2016	in %
Revenue	10,480	9,977	5.0	3,434	3,265	5.2
• at constant currency			5.0			7.4
Revenue by division						
Automotive	8,098	7,707	5.1	2,643	2,525	4.7
• at constant currency			5.1			6.9
Industrial	2,382	2,270	4.9	791	740	6.9
• at constant currency			4.6			9.2
Revenue by region 1)						
Europe	5,424	5,402	0.4	1,760	1,723	2.1
• at constant currency			0.2			2.5
Americas	2,225	2,120	5.0	702	702	0.0
• at constant currency			3.8			3.4
GreaterChina	1,735	1,430	21.3	610	491	24.2
• at constant currency			24.7			30.3
Asia/Pacific	1,096	1,025	6.9	362	349	3.7
• at constant currency			6.2			8.7
Cost of sales	-7,563	-7,125	6.1	-2,470	-2,333	5.9
Gross profit	2,917	2,852	2.3	964	932	3.4
• in % of revenue	27.8	28.6		28.1	28.5	-
Research and development expenses	-637	-566	12.5	-209	-188	11.2
Selling and administrative expenses	-1,052	-999	5.3	-337	-331	1.8
Earnings before financial result and income taxes (EBIT)	1,209	1,276	-5.3	416	417	-0.2
• in % of revenue	11.5	12.8	-	12.1	12.8	-
Special items ²⁾	-13	0	-	0	0	0.0
EBIT before special items	1,196	1,276	-6.3	416	417	-0.2
• in % of revenue	11.4	12.8	-	12.1	12.8	-
Financial result	-104	-320	-67.5	-1	-167	-99.4
Incometaxes	-301	-275	9.5	-105	-69	52.2
Net income 3)	791	672	17.7	306	178	71.9
Earnings per common non-voting share (basic/diluted, in €)	1.19	1.02	16.7	0.46	0.27	70.4

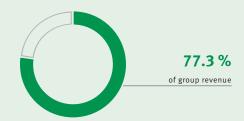
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Automotive division

Revenue EUR 8,098 m



EBIT margin before special items 12.2 %

Revenue up 5.1 % at constant currency // Strong Q3 2017:
Revenue at constant currency up 6.9 % over prior year //
Growth once again exceeds global automobile production //
China business maintains highly dynamic growth // Earnings
quality increasing in Q3 – adverse earnings impacts in Q2
were partially offset in the third quarter // Expansion of R&D
activities aimed at optimizing the drive train based on an
internal combustion engine and in the field of E-mobility

Automotive division earnings

	15	1 st nine months		3 rd quarter		
in € millions	2017	2016	Change in %	2017	2016	Change in %
Revenue	8,098	7,707	5.1	2,643	2,525	4.7
at constant currency			5.1		<u> </u>	6.9
Revenue by business division						
BD Engine Systems	2,069	1,960	5.6	670	636	5.3
• at constant currency			5.9			8.3
BD Transmission Systems	3,428	3,216	6.6	1,095	1,037	5.6
• at constant currency			6.9			8.1
BD Chassis Systems	1,173	1,143	2.6	375	368	1.9
• at constant currency			2.5			4.2
BD Automotive Aftermarket	1,428	1,388	2.9	503	484	3.9
at constant currency			2.2			4.8
Revenue by region 1)						
Europe	4,056	4,050	0.1	1,313	1,287	2.0
• at constant currency			0.0			2.3
Americas	1,785	1,698	5.1	563	563	0.0
• at constant currency			4.1			3.3
Greater China Greater China	1,385	1,151	20.3	480	398	20.6
• at constant currency			23.8			26.3
Asia/Pacific	872	808	7.9	287	277	3.6
• at constant currency			7.4			8.5
Cost of sales	-5,874	-5,509	6.6	-1,904	-1,808	5.3
Gross profit	2,224	2,198	1.2	739	717	3.1
• in % of revenue	27.5	28.5		28.0	28.4	
Research and development expenses	-537	-462	16.2	-177	-151	17.2
Selling and administrative expenses	-677	-616	9.9	-216	-203	6.4
EBIT	1,002	1,097	-8.7	345	362	-4.7
• in % of revenue	12.4	14.2		13.1	14.3	-
Special items ²⁾	-13	0		0	0	
EBIT before special items	989	1,097	-9.8	345	362	-4.7
• in % of revenue	12.2	14.2	-	13.1	14.3	-

Prior year information presented based on 2017 segment structure.

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Industrial division

Revenue EUR 2,382 m



EBIT margin before special items 8.7 %

Revenue increases by 4.6 % at constant currency // Growth continued and strengthened in Q3 2017 // Largely driven by higher volumes in the power transmission, industrial automation, and offroad sectors // Significant additional revenue in the Greater China region // Margins stabilized further – gross and EBIT margins increased over prior year // Cost and efficiency measures are consistently executed and proving effective

Industrial division earnings

	1 st nine months			3 rd quarter			
in € millions	2017	2016	Change in %	2017	2016	Change in %	
Revenue	2,382	2,270	4.9	791	740	6.9	
• at constant currency			4.6			9.2	
Revenue by region 1)							
Europe	1,368	1,352	1.2	447	436	2.5	
• at constant currency			0.8			3.1	
Americas	440	422	4.3	139	139	0.0	
• at constant currency			2.9			3.4	
GreaterChina	350	279	25.4	130	93	39.8	
• at constant currency			28.3			47.5	
Asia/Pacific	224	217	3.2	75	72	4.2	
• at constant currency			1.9			9.3	
Cost of sales	-1,689	-1,616	4.5	-566	-525	7.8	
Gross profit	693	654	6.0	225	215	4.7	
• in % of revenue	29.1	28.8	-	28.4	29.1	-	
Research and development expenses	-100	-104	-3.8	-32	-37	-13.5	
Selling and administrative expenses	-375	-383	-2.1	-121	-128	-5.5	
EBIT	207	179	15.6	71	55	29.1	
• in % of revenue	8.7	7.9	-	9.0	7.4	-	
Special items ²⁾	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	
EBIT before special items	207	179	15.6	71	55	29.1	
• in % of revenue	8.7	7.9	-	9.0	7.4	-	

Prior year information presented based on 2017 segment structure. $^{1)}\,\textsc{Based}$ on market (customer location).

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Consolidated income statement

	1 st 1	nine months			3 rd quarter	
in € millions	2017	2016	Change in %	2017	2016	Change in %
Revenue	10,480	9,977	5.0	3,434	3,265	5.2
Cost of sales	-7,563	-7,125	6.1	-2,470	-2,333	5.9
Gross profit	2,917	2,852	2.3	964	932	3.4
Research and development expenses	-637	-566	12.5	-209	-188	11.2
Selling expenses	-719	-677	6.2	-234	-227	3.1
Administrative expenses	-333	-322	3.4	-103	-104	-1.0
Otherincome	47	20	>100	5	5	0.0
Other expenses	-66	-31	>100	-7	-1	>100
Earnings before financial result and income taxes (EBIT)	1,209	1,276	-5.3	416	417	-0.2
Financial income	125	230	-45.7	38	118	-67.8
Financial expenses	-229	-550	-58.4	-39	-285	-86.3
Financial result	-104	-320	-67.5	-1	-167	-99.4
Earnings before income taxes	1,105	956	15.6	415	250	66.0
Income taxes	-301	-275	9.5	-105	-69	52.2
Net income	804	681	18.1	310	181	71.3
Attributable to shareholders of the parent company	791	672	17.7	306	178	71.9
Attributable to non-controlling interests	13	9	44.4	4	3	33.3
Earnings per common share (basic/diluted, in €)	1.18	1.01	16.8	0.46	0.27	70.4
Earnings per common non-voting share (basic/diluted, in €)	1.19	1.02	16.7	0.46	0.27	70.4

Consolidated statement of financial position

in € millions	09/30/2017	12/31/2016	09/30/2016	Change in %
ASSETS				
	629	632	584	-0.5
Property, plant and equipment	4,625	4,507	4,319	2.6
Other financial assets	165	217	169	-24.0
Other assets	66	51	29	29.4
Incometaxreceivables	0	0		0.0
Deferred tax assets	492	572	610	-14.0
Total non-current assets	5,977	5,979	5,711	0.0
Inventories	2,061	1,905	1,958	8.2
Trade receivables	2,323	2,218	2,250	4.7
Otherfinancialassets	96	55	97	74.5
Otherassets	254	218	203	16.5
Incometax receivables	106	93	78	14.0
Cash and cash equivalents	719	1,071	2,565	-32.9
Assets held for sale	0	25		-100
Total current assets	5,559	5,585	7,151	-0.5
Totalassets	11,536	11,564	12,862	-0.2
SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY AND LIABILITIES				
Share capital	666	666	666	0.0
Capital reserves	2,348	2,348	2,348	0.0
Otherreserves	60	-404	-591	-
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	-775	-713	-962	8.7
Equity attributable to shareholders of the parent company	2,299	1,897	1,461	21.2
Non-controlling interests	102	100	93	2.0
Total shareholders' equity	2,401	1,997	1,554	20.2
Provisions for pensions and similar obligations	2,083	2,182	2,471	-4.5
Provisions	88	96	114	-8.3
Financial debt	2,985	3,704	3,636	-19.4
Incometax payables	145	163	224	-11.0
Other financial liabilities	33	86	11	-61.6
Otherliabilities	5	6	5	-16.7
Deferred tax liabilities	164	124	108	32.3
Total non-current liabilities	5,503	6,361	6,569	-13.5
Provisions	281	354	421	-20.6
Financial debt	354	3	1,805	>100
Trade payables	1,651	1,625	1,406	1.6
Incometax payables	210	176	127	19.3
Other financial liabilities	720	696	607	3.4
Otherliabilities	416	344	373	20.9
Liabilities held for sale	0	8	0	-100
Total current liabilities	3,632	3,206	4,739	13.3
Total shareholders' equity and liabilities	11,536	11,564	12,862	-0.2

Consolidated statement of cash flows

	1 st n	ine months			3 rd quarter	
			Change			Change
<u>in</u> € millions	2017	2016	in %	2017	2016	in %
Operating activities						
EBIT	1,209	1,276	-5.3	416	417	-0.2
Interest paid	-106	-181	-41.4	-29	-74	-60.8
Interest received	7	94	-92.6	3	21	-85.7
Income taxes paid	-247	-234	5.6	-66	-73	-9.6
Depreciation, amortization and impairments	571	541	5.5	189	183	3.3
(Gains) losses on disposal of assets	1	2	-50.0	0	1	-100
Changes in:						
• Inventories	-242	-161	50.3	-81	-49	65.3
• Trade receivables	-203	-256	-20.7	-29	8	-
• Trade payables	105	114	-7.9	67	25	>100
• Provisions for pensions and similar obligations	37	-37	-	11	-18	-
Other assets, liabilities and provisions	-16	147	-	129	87	48.3
Cash flows from operating activities	1,116	1,305	-14.5	610	528	15.5
Investing activities						
Proceeds from disposals of property, plant and equipment	4	4	0.0	1	3	-66.7
Capital expenditures on intangible assets	-19	-16	18.8	-5	-6	-16.7
Capital expenditures on property, plant and equipment	-854	-813	5.0	-274	-262	4.6
Aquisition of subsidiaries	-23	0	-	0	0	0.0
Proceeds from disposal of subsidiaries	20	0	-	0	0	0.0
Other investing activities	0	-1	-100	1	0	-
Cash used in investing activities	-872	-826	5.6	-277	-265	4.5
Financing activities -						
Dividends paid to shareholders and non-controlling interests	-330	-329	0.3	0	0	0.0
Receipts from loans	351	1,001	-64.9	1	1,000	-99.9
Repayments of loans 1)	-588	-1,153	-49.0	0	-945	-100
Other financing activities	0	1,772	-100	0	1,674	-100
Cash used in financing activities	-567	1,291	-	1	1,729	-99.9
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	-323	1,770	-	334	1,992	-83.2
Effects of foreign exchange rate changes on						
cash and cash equivalents	-29	-4	>100	-14	1	
Cash and cash equivalents as at beginning of period	1,071	799	34.0	399	572	-30.2
Cash and cash equivalents	1,0/1					
as at September 30	719	2,565	-72.0	719	2,565	-72.0

Summary – 1st quarter 2016 to 3rd quarter 2017

				2016			2017
<pre>Income statement (in € millions)</pre>	1 st quarter	2 nd quarter	3 rd quarter	4 th quarter	1 st quarter	2 nd quarter	3 rd quarter
Revenue	3,343	3,369	3,265	3,361	3,574	3,472	3,434
EBIT	421	438	417	280	435	358	416
• in % of revenue	12.6	13.0	12.8	8.3	12.2	10.3	12.1
EBIT before special items 1)	421	438	417	424	435	345	416
• in % of revenue	12.6	13.0	12.8	12.6	12.2	9.9	12.1
Net income ²⁾	253	241	178	187	279	206	306
Earnings per common non-voting share (basic/diluted, in €)	0.38	0.37	0.27	0.28	0.42	0.31	0.46
Statement of financial position (in € millions)							
Total assets	12,607	12,554	12,862	11,564	11,941	11,120	11,536
Shareholders' equity 3)	1,609	1,425	1,554	1,997	2,400	2,168	2,401
• in % oftotal assets	12.8	11.4	12.1	17.3	20.1	19.5	20.8
Net financial debt	4,909	4,874	2,876	2,636	2,742	2,956	2,620
Net financial debt to EBITDA ratio before special items ^{1) (4)}	2.1	2.0	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.1
 Gearing Ratio (Net financial debt to shareholders' equity, in %) 	305.1	342.0	185.1	132.0	114.3	136.3	109.1
Statement of cash flows (in € millions)							
EBITDA	598	619	600	476	624	551	605
• in % of revenue	17.9	18.4	18.4	14.2	17.5	15.9	17.6
EBITDA before special items 1)	598	619	600	620	624	538	605
• in % of revenue	17.9	18.4	18.4	18.4	17.5	15.5	17.6
Cash flows from operating activities	206	571	528	571	186	320	610
Capital expenditures (capex) 5)	318	243	268	317	299	295	279
• in % of revenue (capex ratio)	9.5	7.2	8.2	9.4	8.4	8.5	8.1
Free cash flow	-112	328	263	256	-130	41	333
Value Added							
ROCE before special items (in %) 1) 4)	22.8	23.2	22.6	22.3	22.1	20.7	20.5
Schaeffler Value Added before special items (in € millions) 1) 4)	928	973	944	939	938	837	829
Employees							
Headcount (at end of reporting period)	85,016	85,225	86,029	86,662	87,341	87,937	89,359

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⁵⁾ Capital expenditures on intangible assets and property, plant and equipment.

		2016				2017			
Automotive (in € millions)	1 st quarter	2 nd quarter	3 rd quarter	4 th quarter	1 st quarter	2 nd quarter	3 rd quarter		
Revenue	2,578	2,604	2,525	2,631	2,791	2,664	2,643		
EBIT	367	368	362	276	367	290	345		
• in % of revenue	14.2	14.1	14.3	10.5	13.1	10.9	13.1		
EBIT before special items 1)	367	368	362	384	367	277	345		
• in % of revenue	14.2	14.1	14.3	14.6	13.1	10.4	13.1		
Industrial (in € millions)									
Revenue	765	765	740	730	783	808	791		
EBIT	54	70	55	4	68	68	71		
• in % of revenue	7.1	9.2	7.4	0.5	8.7	8.4	9.0		
EBIT before special items 1)	54	70	55	40	68	68	71		
• in % of revenue	7.1	9.2	7.4	5.5	8.7	8.4	9.0		

³⁾ Including non-controlling interests.
4) EBIT/EBITDA based on the last twelve months.

Prior year information presented based on 2017 segment structure. $^{1)}$ Please refer to pp. 18 et seq. of the interim financial report 9M for the definition of special items.

Financial calendar

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