

Accelerating growth at the right time



Acquisition of Italcementi Group
Heidelberg, 28 July 2015

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HeidelbergCement and Italcementi – a natural fit

Unique opportunity to accelerate growth and achievement of mid-term goals

Acquiring high quality assets with excellent geographical fit

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Right time for transaction to capitalise on recovery in key markets

Significant value creation potential through synergies and operational efficiency

Fully aligned with announced strategy of accelerated growth and increased shareholder returns

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Italcementi overview

Major global building materials group

- 150 years old family owned company
- More than €bn 4 revenue generation
- 71m tons cement capacity
- Operations in 22 countries

Strong market positions

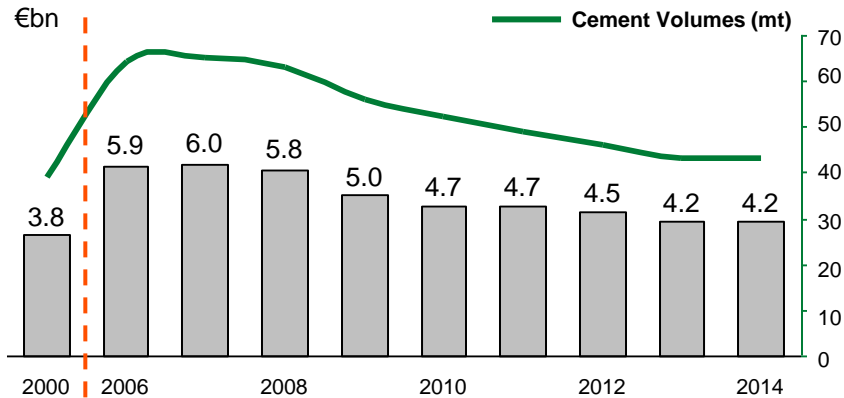
- **Mature markets:** France, Italy, USA, Canada, Spain
- **Emerging markets:** India, Egypt, Morocco, Thailand, Kazakhstan
- **Urban centres:** Paris, Milan, Chennai, Cairo, Bangkok

High quality assets, brands & know-how

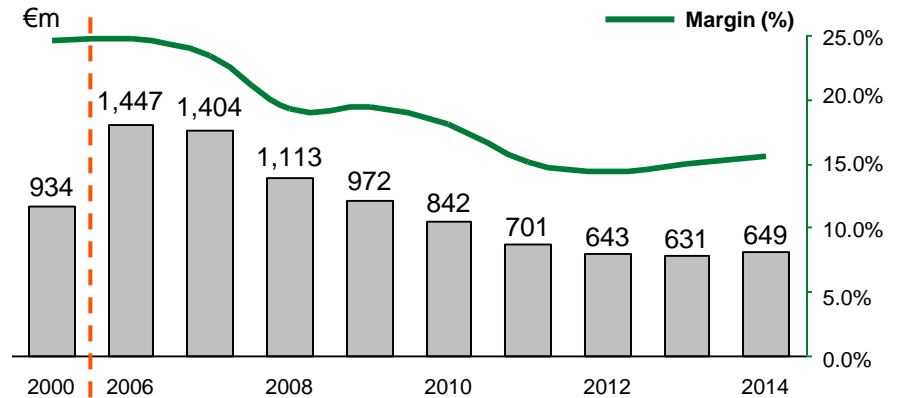
- No CapEx backlog
- Well established local brands
- Fully deployed central IT platform
- Leading R&D capabilities

Italcementi financial overview

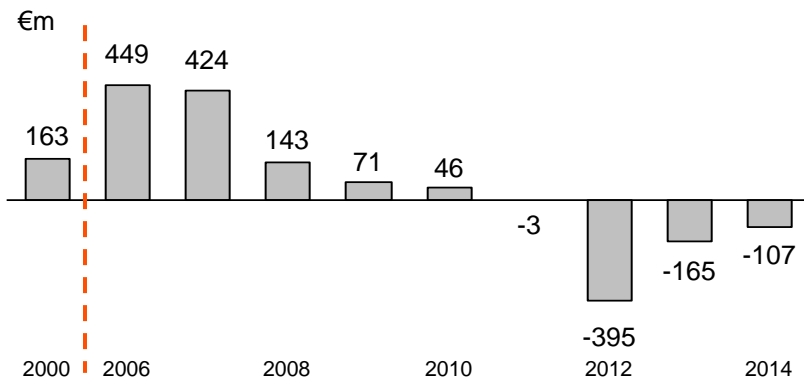
Revenues



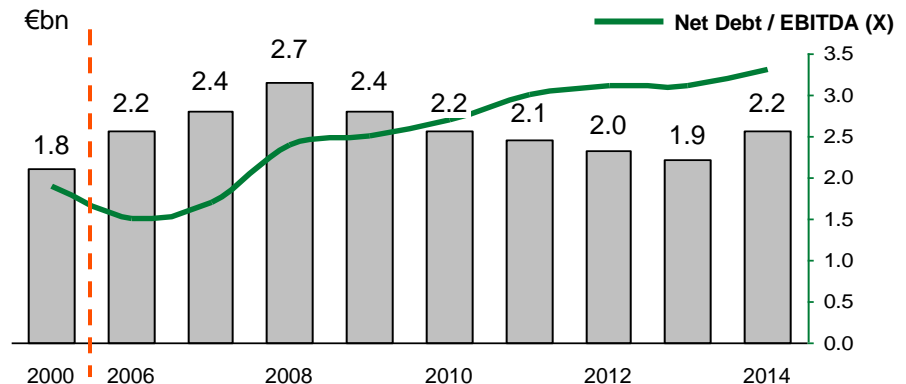
Recurring EBITDA



Net Result

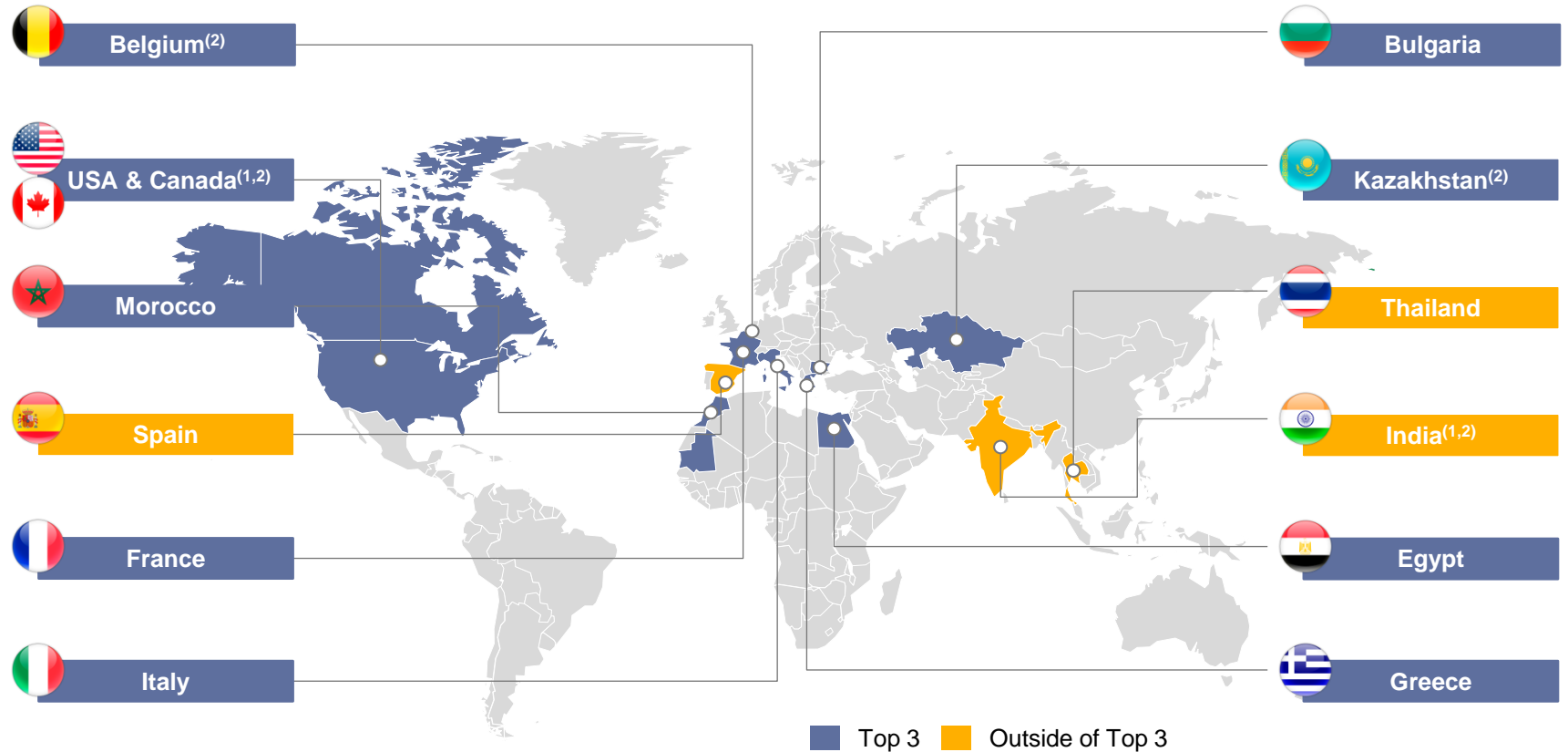


Net Financial Debt



Significant recovery potential ahead

Strong market positions in emerging markets and recovering countries



Strategic portfolio of leading market positions in recovering and emerging countries

1) Refer to regional market shares
2) Combined position

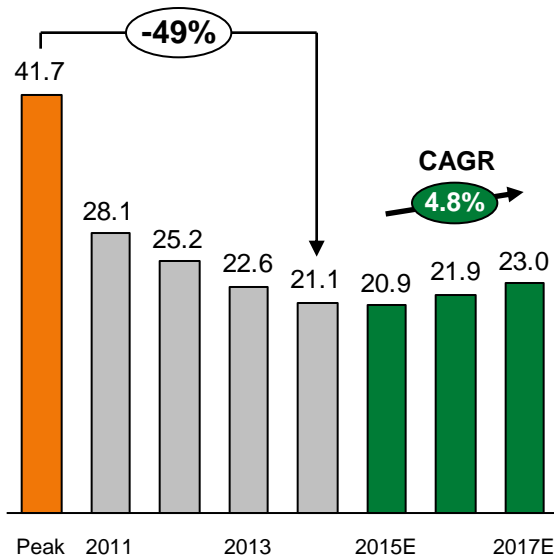
Southern European markets now positioned for growth

Acquisition at the trough of the cycle

Italy



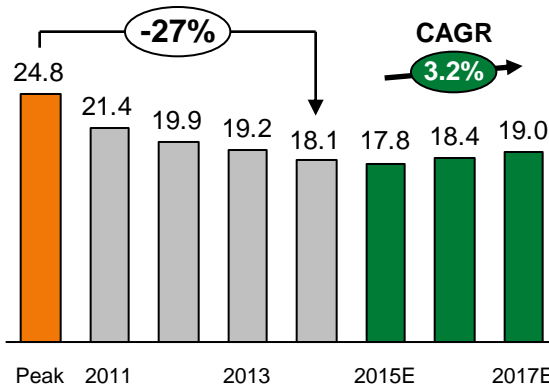
Consumption of cement (mt)



France



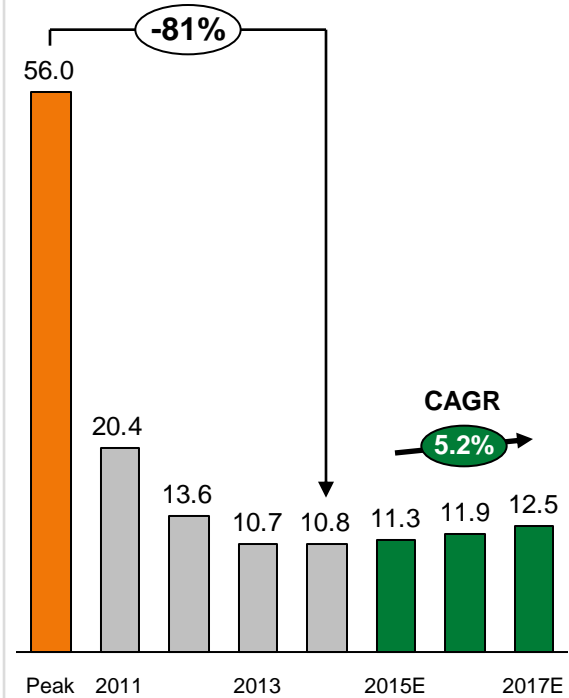
Consumption of cement (mt)



Spain



Consumption of cement (mt)



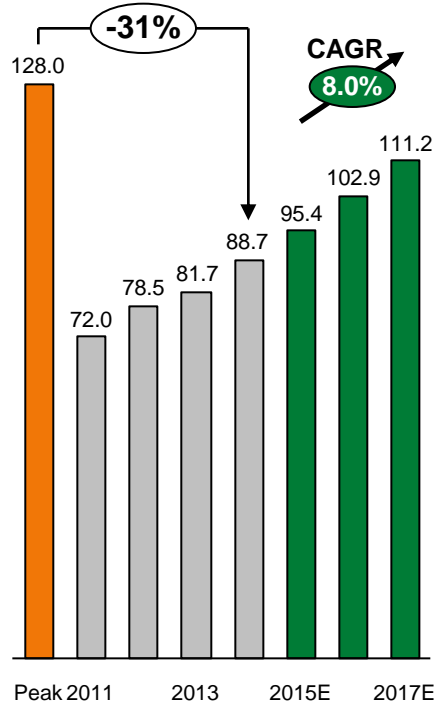
Early yet encouraging signs of recovery

Growth potential from US recovery and emerging markets

USA



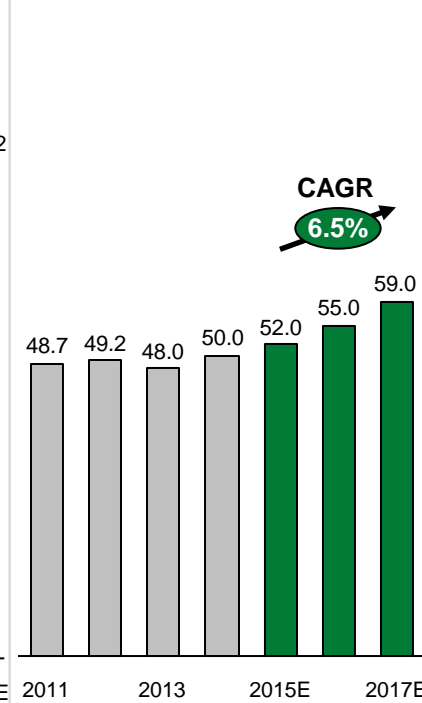
Consumption of cement (mt)



Egypt



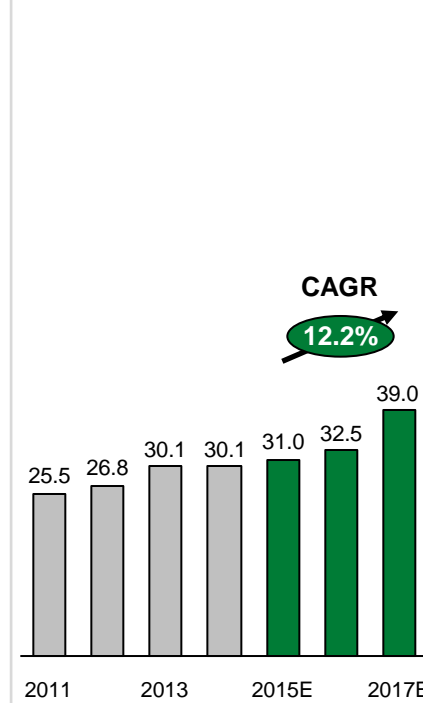
Consumption of cement (mt)



Thailand



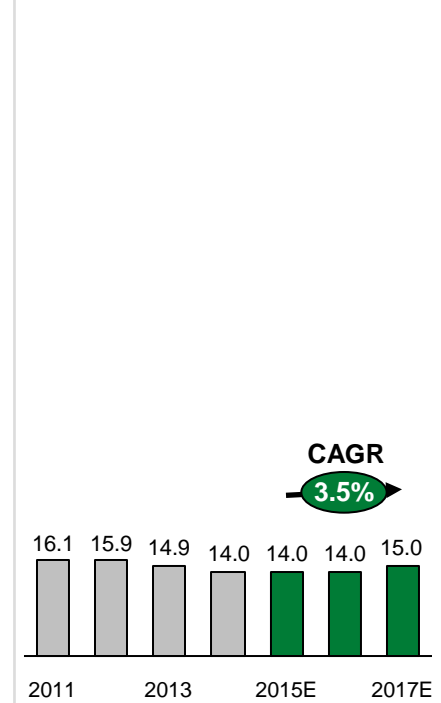
Consumption of cement (mt)



Morocco



Consumption of cement (mt)



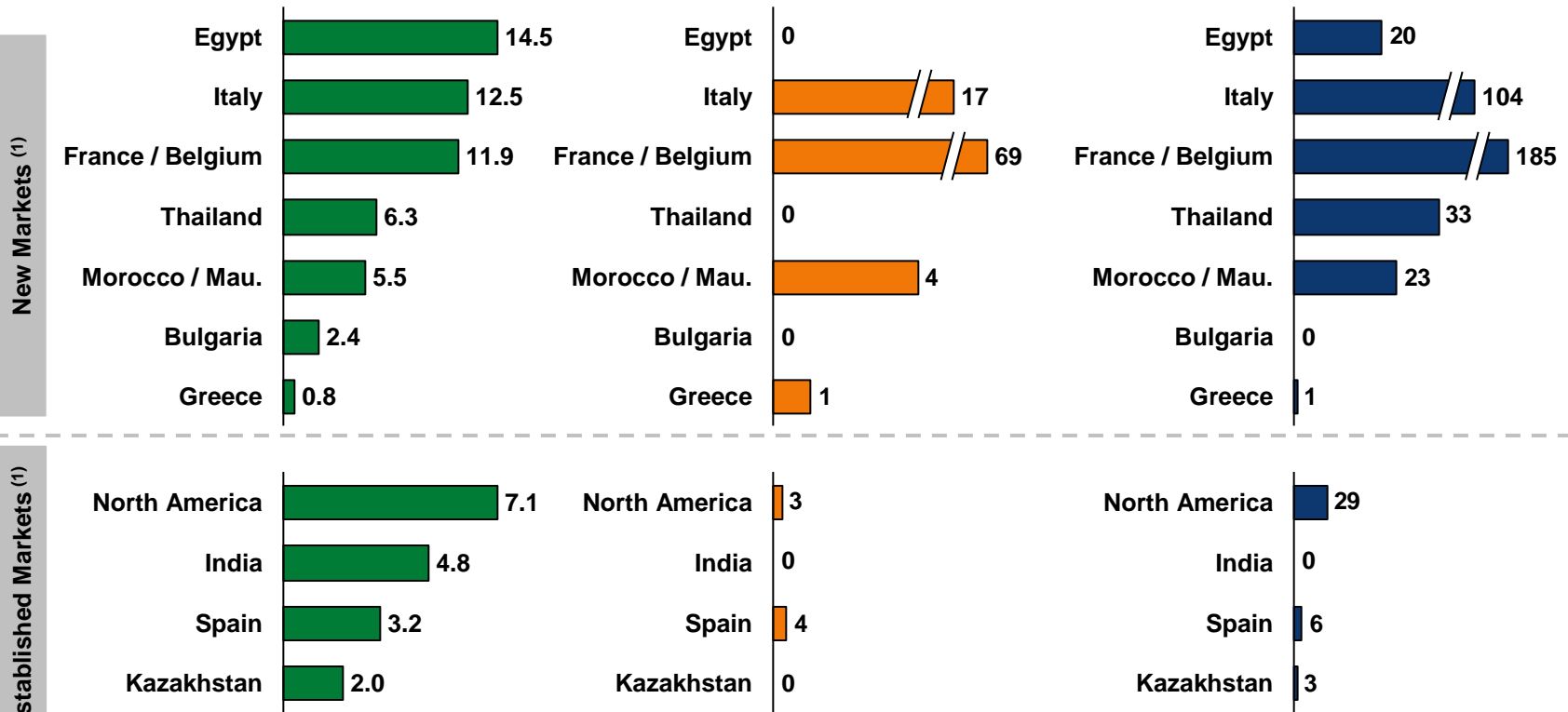
North America and emerging markets – robust and sustainable growth ahead

Global portfolio of world class assets

Cement capacity (mt) / Total: 71

Aggregates quarries / Total: 98

RMX plants / Total: 417



Unique opportunity to add a global portfolio of world-class assets and strengthen each of HC's geographic clusters

Note: All figures are 2014 and excluding trading operations

1) For HC

High quality, strategically located operations with nearly €bn 3.5 CapEx invested in recent years

Rezzato – Italy

- 1.3 mt cement capacity
- One of the most efficient cement plants in Europe
- 75% emissions, 30% variable cost reduction



Aït Baha – Morocco

- 2.2 mt capacity plant
- Equipped with Concentrated Solar Power (“CSP”)
- Operating since 2011

Devnya – Bulgaria

- 1.5 mt cement capacity
- More than 30% reduction in fixed and variable costs
- Significant emissions reduction

Solapur plant – India

- 1 mt/year grinding plant
- Located in Maharashtra
- Expected to be operational in H2 2015

Shymkentcement – Kazakhstan

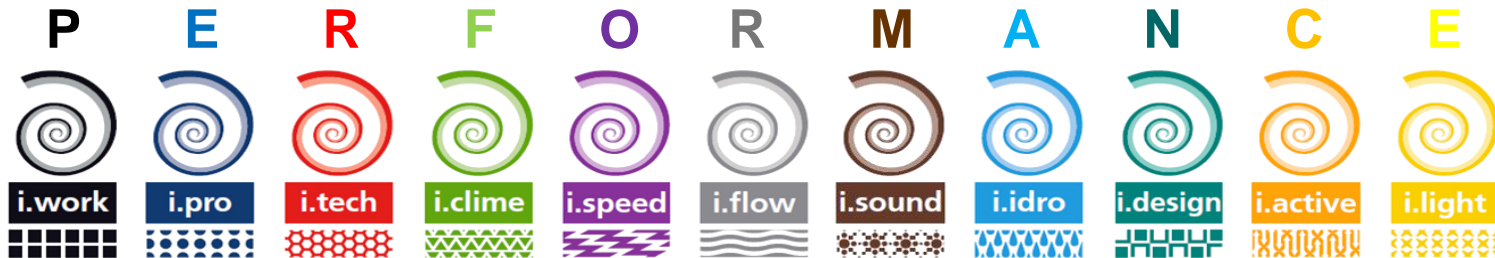
- 1.2 mt cement capacity
- Replace the current four wet-process lines with a new “state of the art” dry-process line
- Significant improvement in efficiency

Strong capabilities in research and innovation

More efficient production processes

High-performance and technologically advanced materials

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Palazzo Italia, the Italian Pavilion at Expo 2015.

Constructed by using Biodynamic cement,
an innovative solution developed by
Italcementi Group

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Well-established local brands in key markets



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Italy:



Calcestruzzi
Italcementi Group

France:



Ciments Français
Italcementi Group

USA & Canada:



Essroc
Italcementi Group

Thailand:



บริษัท ปูนซีเมนต์เอเชีย จำกัด (มหาชน)
Asia Cement
Public Company Limited



บริษัท ชลประทานซีเมนต์ จำกัด (มหาชน)
Jalaprathan Cement
Public Company Limited

India:



Zuari Cement
Italcementi Group

Morocco:



إسمنت المغرب
Ciments du Maroc
Italcementi Group

Egypt:



السويس للأسمنت
Suez Cement
Italcementi Group

Kazakhstan:



Шымкентцемент
Shymkentcement
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Key transaction terms

Two-step transaction: Acquisition of 45% stake followed by mandatory tender offer to free float shareholders

- Contractual agreement to acquire 45% stake owned by Italmobiliare S.p.A.
- €10.6 per share; combination of cash and HeidelbergCement shares
- Maximum of 10.5 million HeidelbergCement shares to be issued at the higher of floor price of €72.5 and price at closing⁽¹⁾
- Customary representations and warranties
- Mandatory tender offer to acquire remaining shares at an offer of ~€10.6 per share in cash on completion of 45% stake acquisition

Implied Equity Value of €bn 3.7

Enterprise Value of €bn 6.7⁽²⁾

**Implied EV/EBITDA multiple
7.9x⁽³⁾**

**Valuation of cement capacity
~85 US\$/t**

**€bn 1.0 cash generation from
asset disposals**

1) The new shares shall be issued at €72.50 or an average price of a 30 days period prior to closing, if the latter is higher.

2) Based on Italcementi net debt of €bn 2.2, and the net balance of associates, minorities and pension obligations of €bn 0.8 as of 31 December 2014

3) Based on current EBITDA consensus of €m 675 for 2015 and full run-rate synergies.

Disposals contribute significantly to transaction financing

Disposal of non-core assets

Disposal of non-core IT, energy business and one building to Italmobiliare already agreed

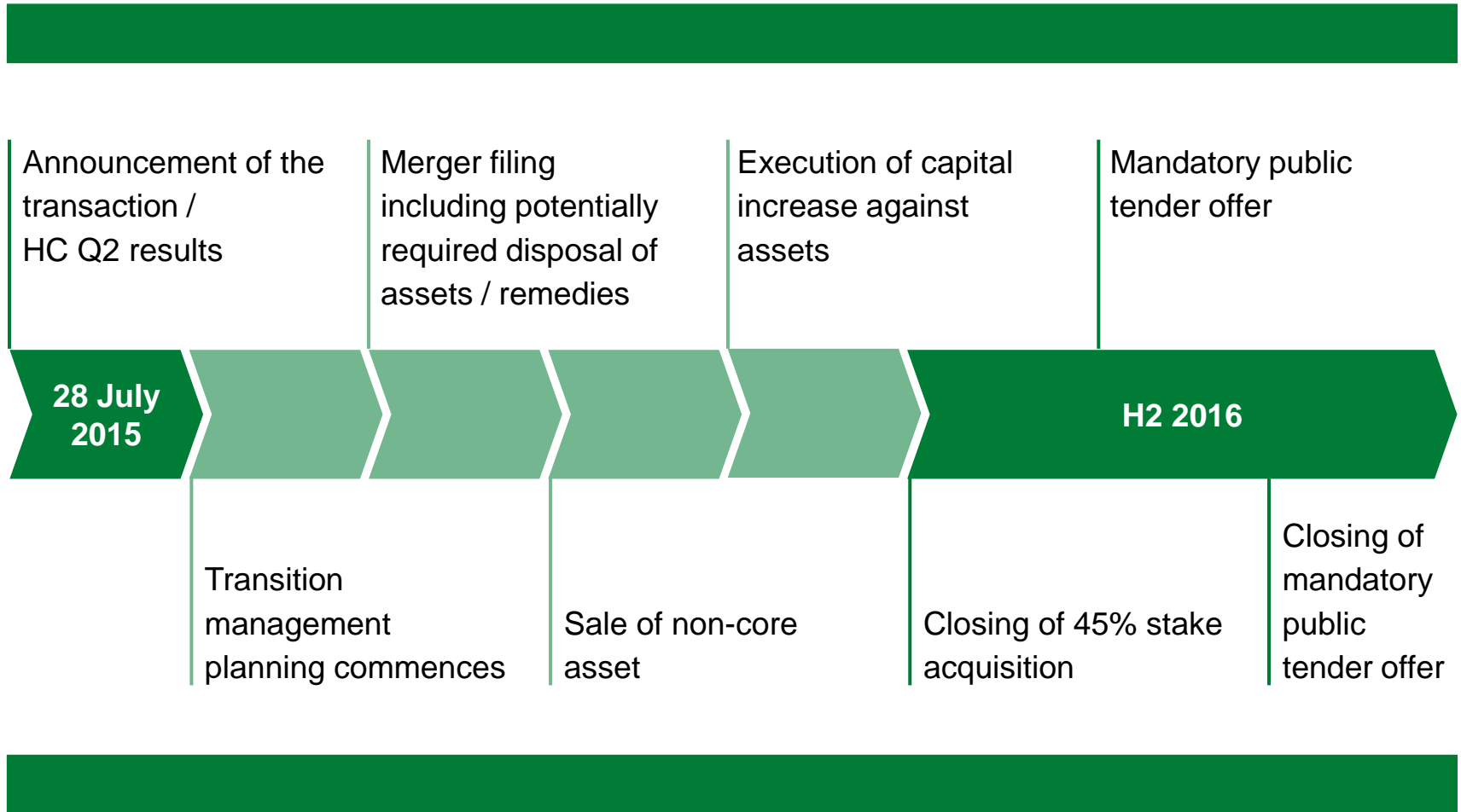
Disposals of single assets

Focus on overlapping geographies

Confident to achieve €bn 1 from disposals

Timeline and transaction structure at a glance

Current timeline envisaged closing of the transaction in H2 2016



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The combination and its merits

Excellent geographical fit

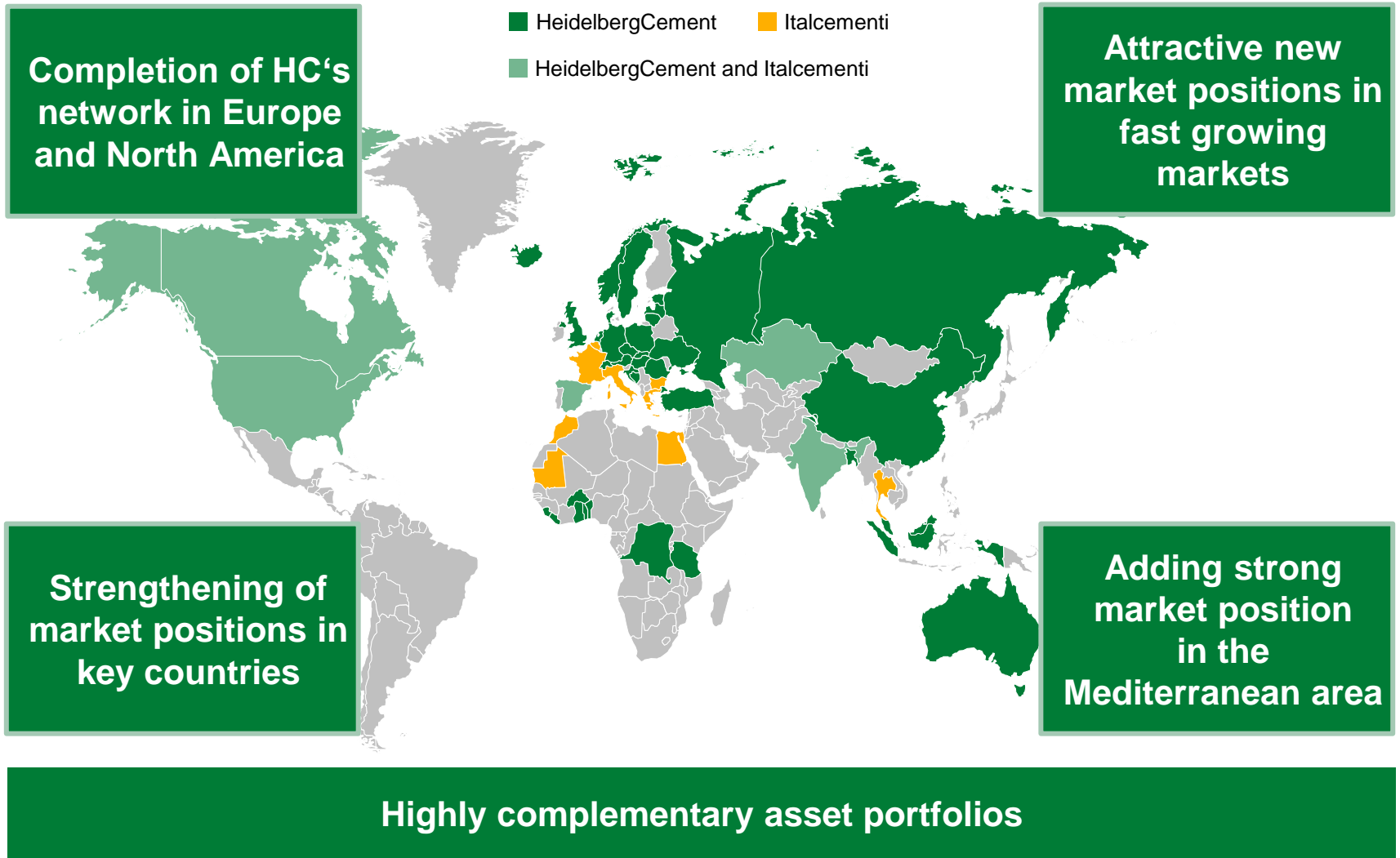
Significant synergy potential

Enlarged platform to roll out HC's industry leading efficiency management concepts

Strengthening R&D through combination of HC's and Italcementi's state of the art capabilities

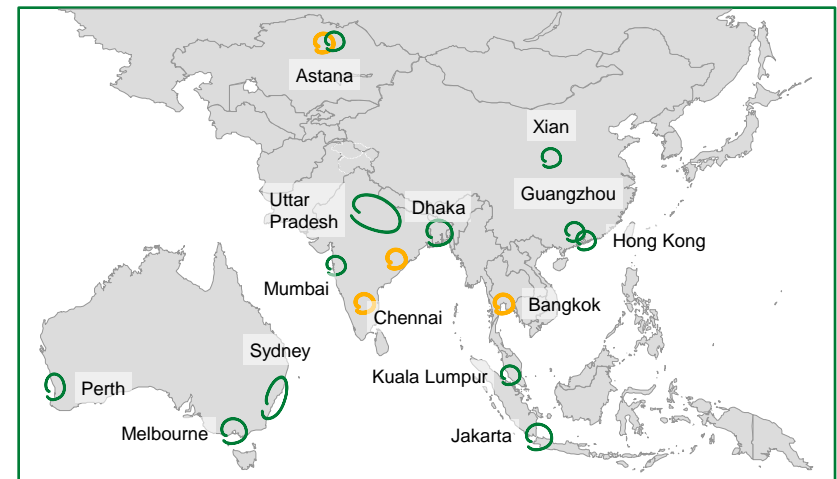
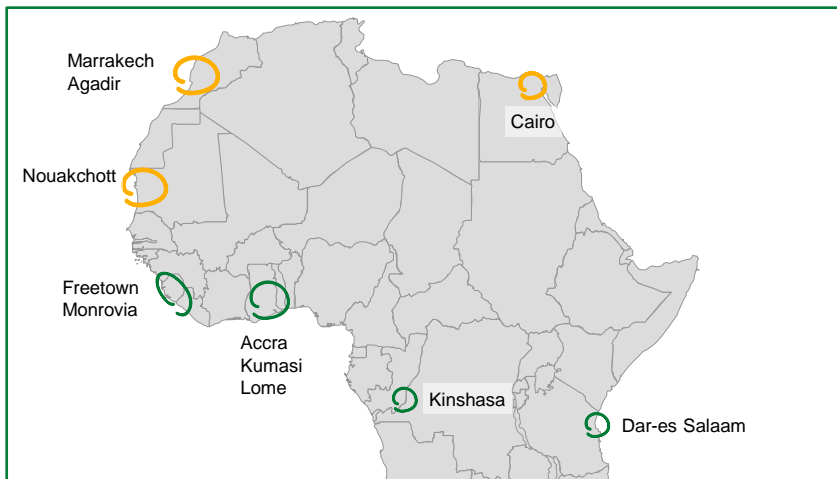
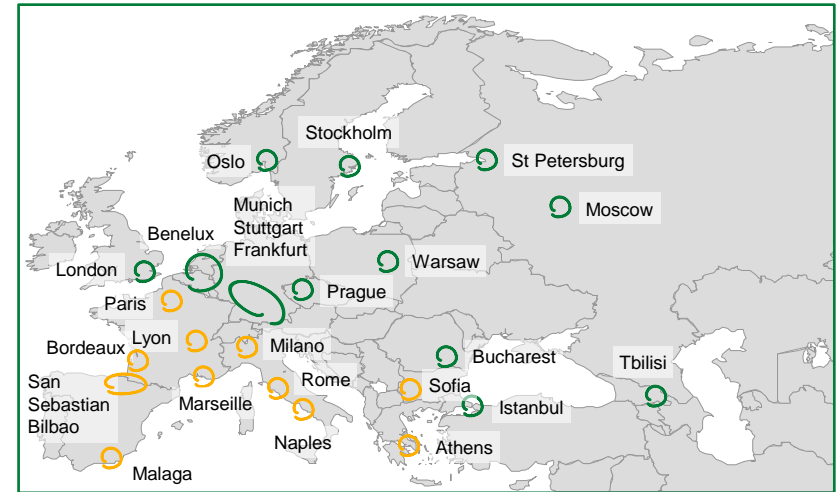
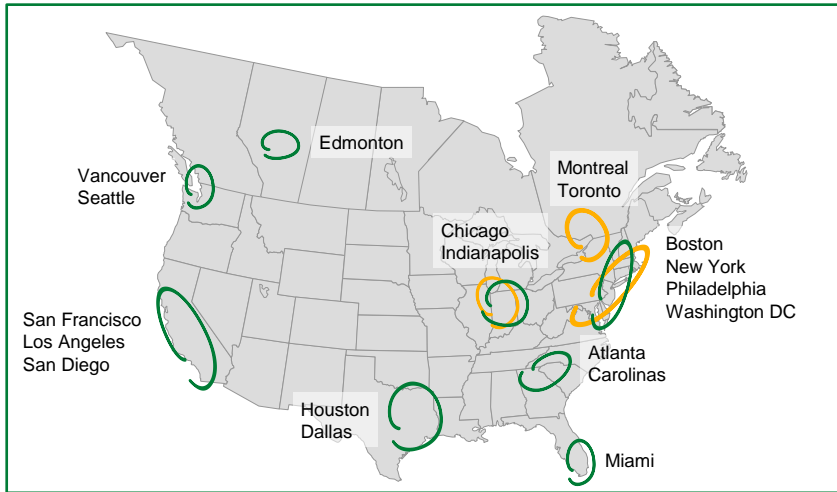
Unlocking value and increasing earnings and cash flow potential

Excellent geographical fit



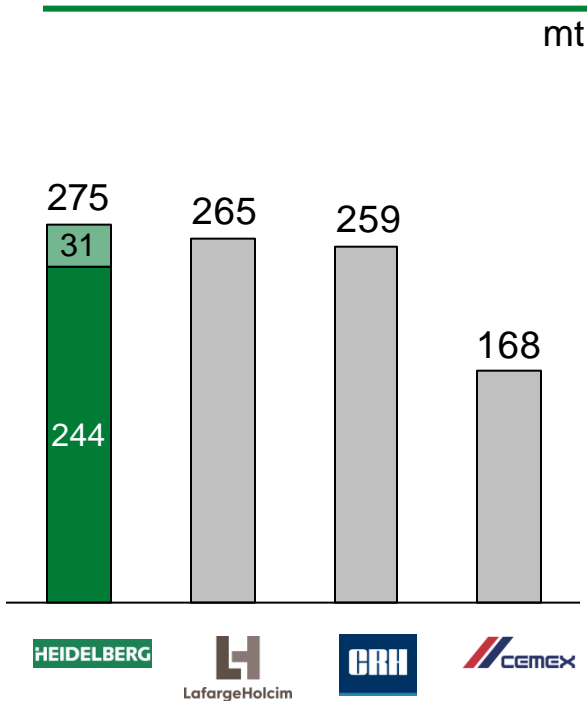
Strong position in urban centres

Capitalising on increasing urbanisation

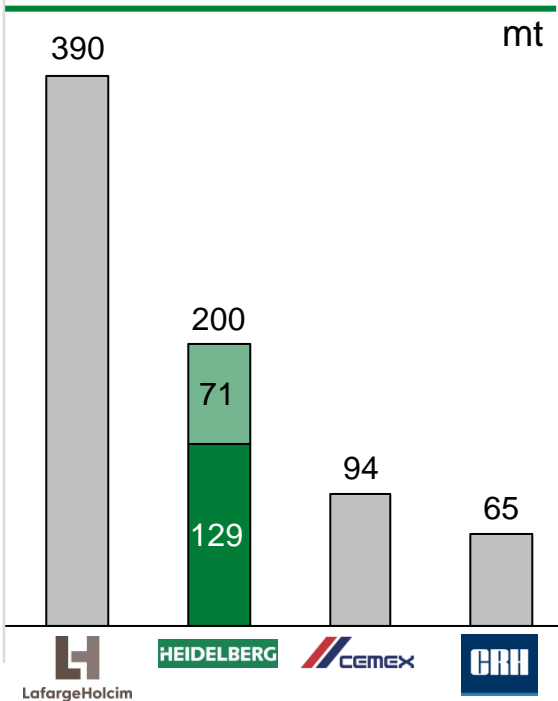


Reinforce strong global market positions

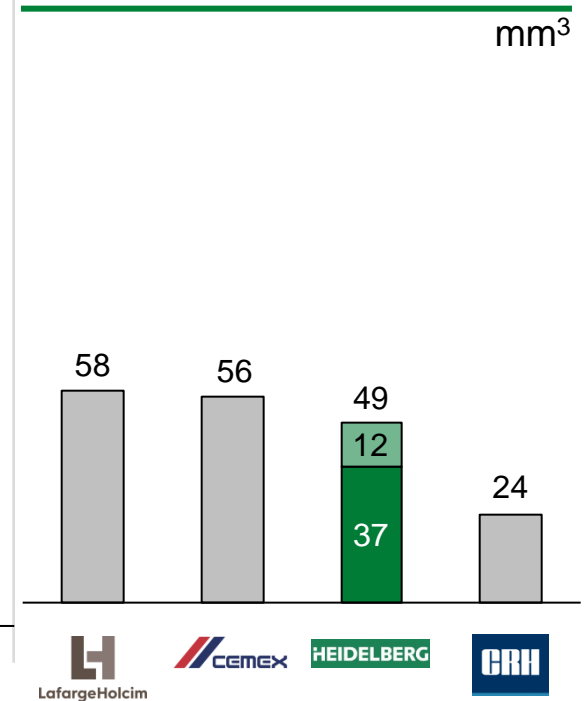
Aggregates sales volume - 2014



Cement capacity ⁽¹⁾



Ready-mix sales volume - 2014



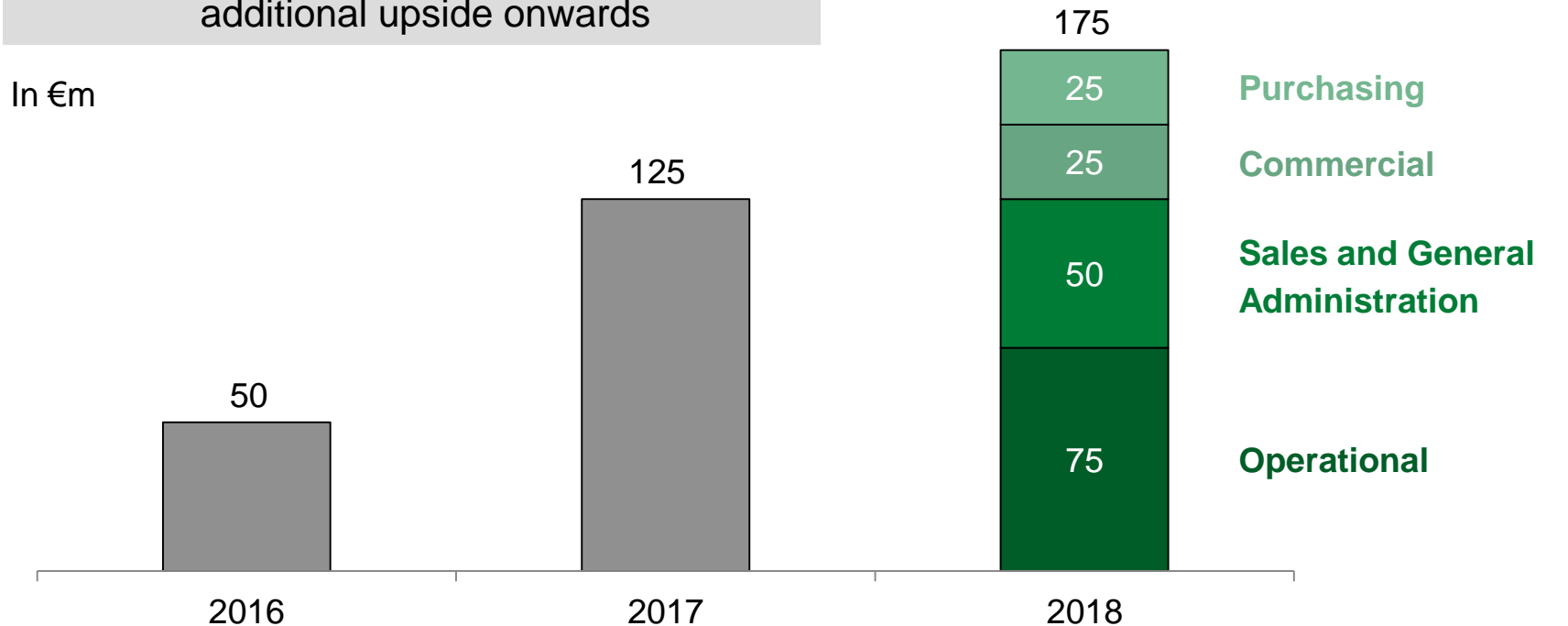
**Combination set to create a global #1 in aggregates,
#2 in cement and #3 in ready-mix**

1) All figures are as of end of 2014, except CRH capacities which are as of latest disclosure, including minorities

Significant synergy potential

Run-rate synergies

Minimum run-rate synergies of €m 175 to be achieved by 2018 with potential for additional upside onwards



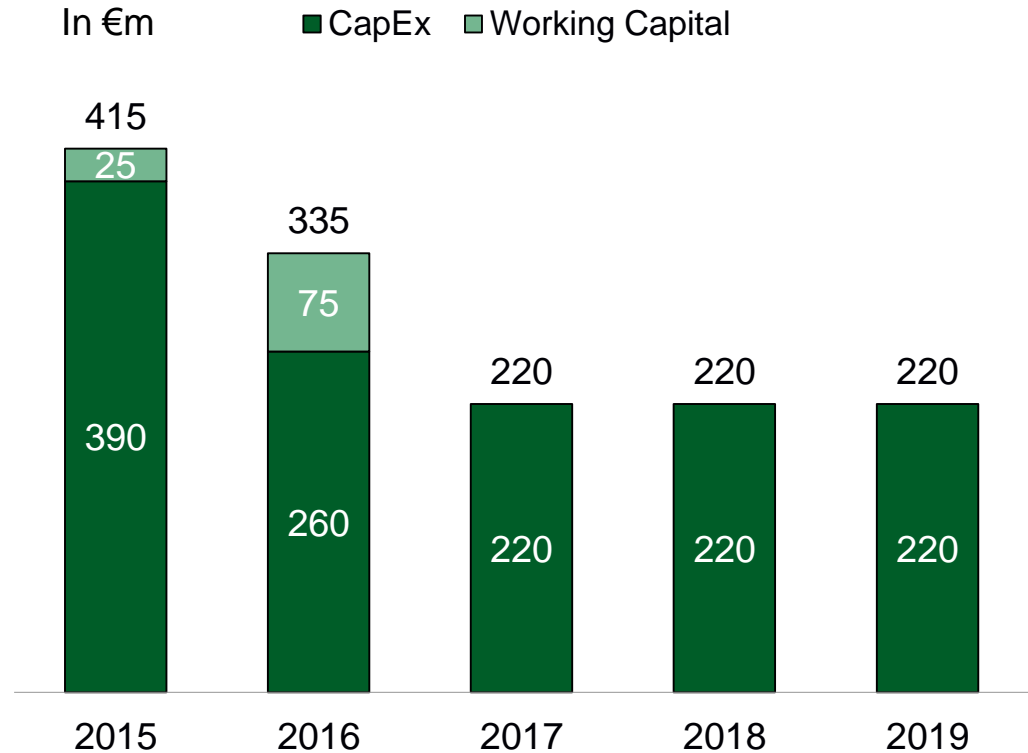
Almost 30% of total target synergy run-rate to be delivered already in 2016

Meaningful savings support financial rationale

€m 750 cash savings until the end of 2016

Total €bn 1.3 CapEx savings in 5 years

Efficient working capital management to achieve €m 100 savings until 2016



**Significant savings from capital and CapEx efficiencies
in addition to cost synergies**

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Experienced management team with strong focus on operational excellence

Management Board



Dr Bernd Scheifele

CEO

- Strategy and Development
- Group HR
- Comm. & IR
- Legal
- Compliance
- Internal Audit

Since 2005 with HC



Dr Lorenz Näger

CFO

- Finance, Acc., Controlling, Taxes
- Insurance & CRM
- IT
- Shared Service Center
- Logistics

Since 2004 with HC



Dr Dominik von Achten

**North America,
(Deputy Chairman)**

- Purchasing
- Competence Center Materials (AGG und RMC)

Since 2007 with HC



Daniel Gauthier

**NW Europe, Africa
Mediterranean**

- Environmental Sustainability
- Group Services (CO₂, Fuels, Trading)

Since 1982 with HC



Andreas Kern

**Central Europe
Central Asia**

- Sales and Marketing
- Secondary cementitious materials

Since 1983 with HC



Dr Albert Scheuer

**Asia
Oceania**

- Heidelberg Technology Center Cement

Since 1992 with HC

Extensive integration experience



Management Board with unique track record of delivering on financial and operational integration

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Leverage HC's proven value creation track record

Integration excellence

Successful Hanson integration and unique organisational structure

Operational excellence

Timely implemented and executed programs leading to visible margin improvements

Commercial excellence

Sales excellence and improved top line result across all business lines

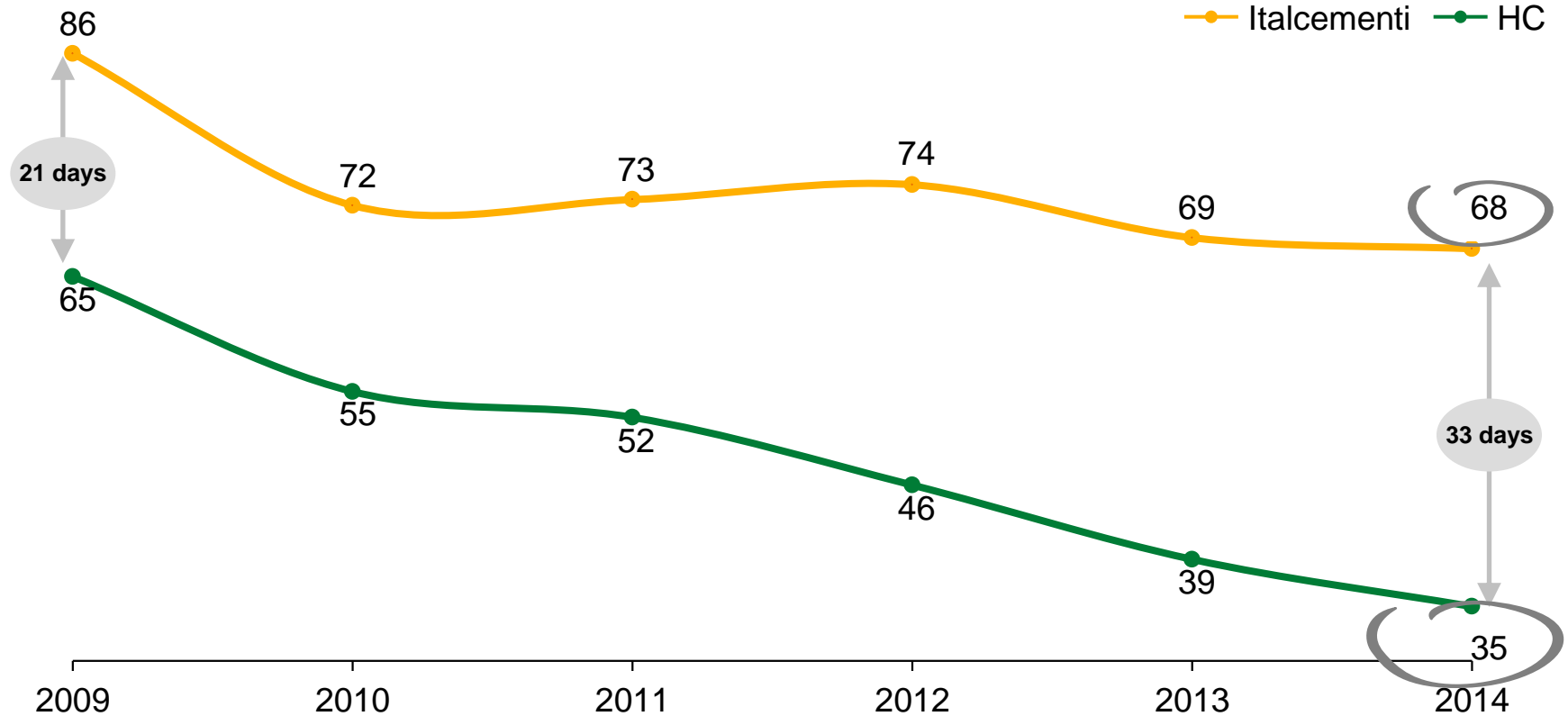
Financial excellence

Clear success in working capital management and financial discipline

Significant potential for improved results and enhanced value from Italcementi's assets

Significant potential to reduce working capital days

Working Capital (days)



Considering HC's past performance, further working capital savings expected

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Benefit from state of the art R&D capabilities

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Easycrète®
Powercrète®
Chronocrète®
CemFlow



i.design
i.active
i.drain
i.light
i.clime



Optimisation of production processes

New products with innovative functionalities

Customer oriented solutions

Innovative binder concepts

Research capabilities will be consolidated after performance review

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Financial rationale

Fair multiple on earnings potential

Implied multiple assumptions

Purchase of 45% in cash and share deal	€bn 1.7
Tender offer for free float	€bn 2.0
Total equity value	€bn 3.7
Net debt	€bn 2.2
Net balance of minorities, pensions & associates	€bn 0.8
Enterprise value	€bn 6.7
2015E EBITDA + full run rate synergies	ca. €m 850

= 7.9x EV/EBITDA transaction multiple

Further value drivers not reflected in the transaction multiple

Additional value creation from disciplined management of the modern asset base

Local brands with strong customer base, especially in emerging markets

Fully deployed IT platform and innovation / technical solutions centre

Financial rationale

High quality assets in attractive markets at a fair price

Illustrative analysis

	Replacement cost (in €bn)		Implied Italcementi valuation (in €bn)	
Cement	11.4	Cement	5.4	
<i>US\$/t of cement capacity</i>	<i>~US\$178/t</i>	<i>US\$/t of cement capacity</i>	<i>~US\$85/t</i>	53% discount
Ready-mix	0.7	Ready-mix	0.7	
Aggregates	0.6	Aggregates	0.6	
Enterprise value	12.7	Enterprise value	6.7	
Implied equity value	9.7	Offer equity value	3.7	62% discount

Attractive purchase price paid based on replacement cost analysis

Financial rationale

Transaction financing secured – clearly defined refinancing plan

Transaction initially financed through cash and fully underwritten debt guaranteed for up to 36 months

€bn 0.8 cash savings until Dec 2016, driven by CapEx and working capital savings

€bn 1.0 from the sale of non-core assets and possibly assets in overlapping geographies

Issuance of up to 10.5 million new shares to Italmobiliare

Bond issuances to cover the remaining debt

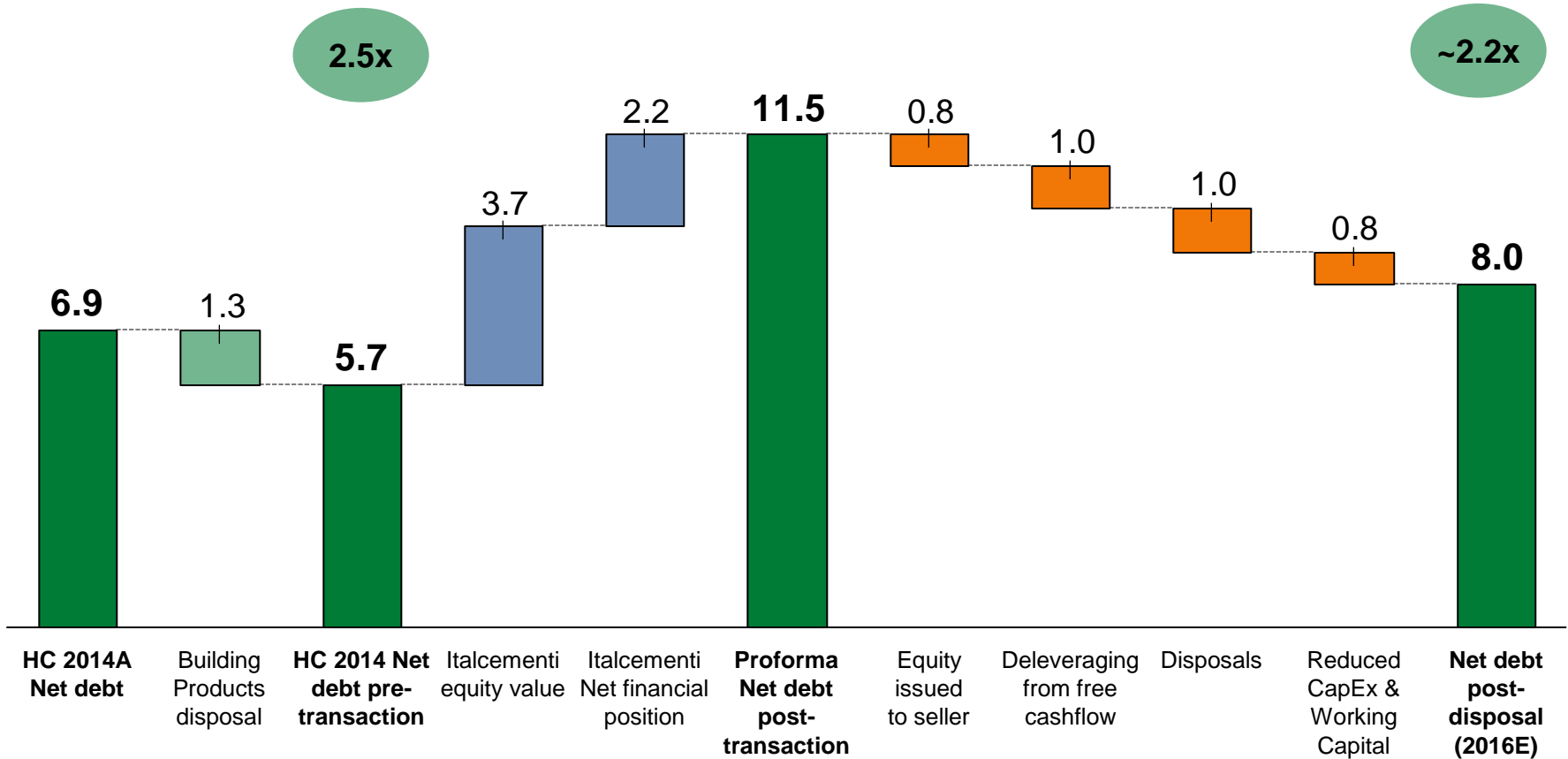
Proforma leverage of < 2.5x by end of 2016

Announced dividend target and strategy remain unchanged

Effect on Net Debt

Proforma ratios post closing consistent with current credit metrics

In €bn

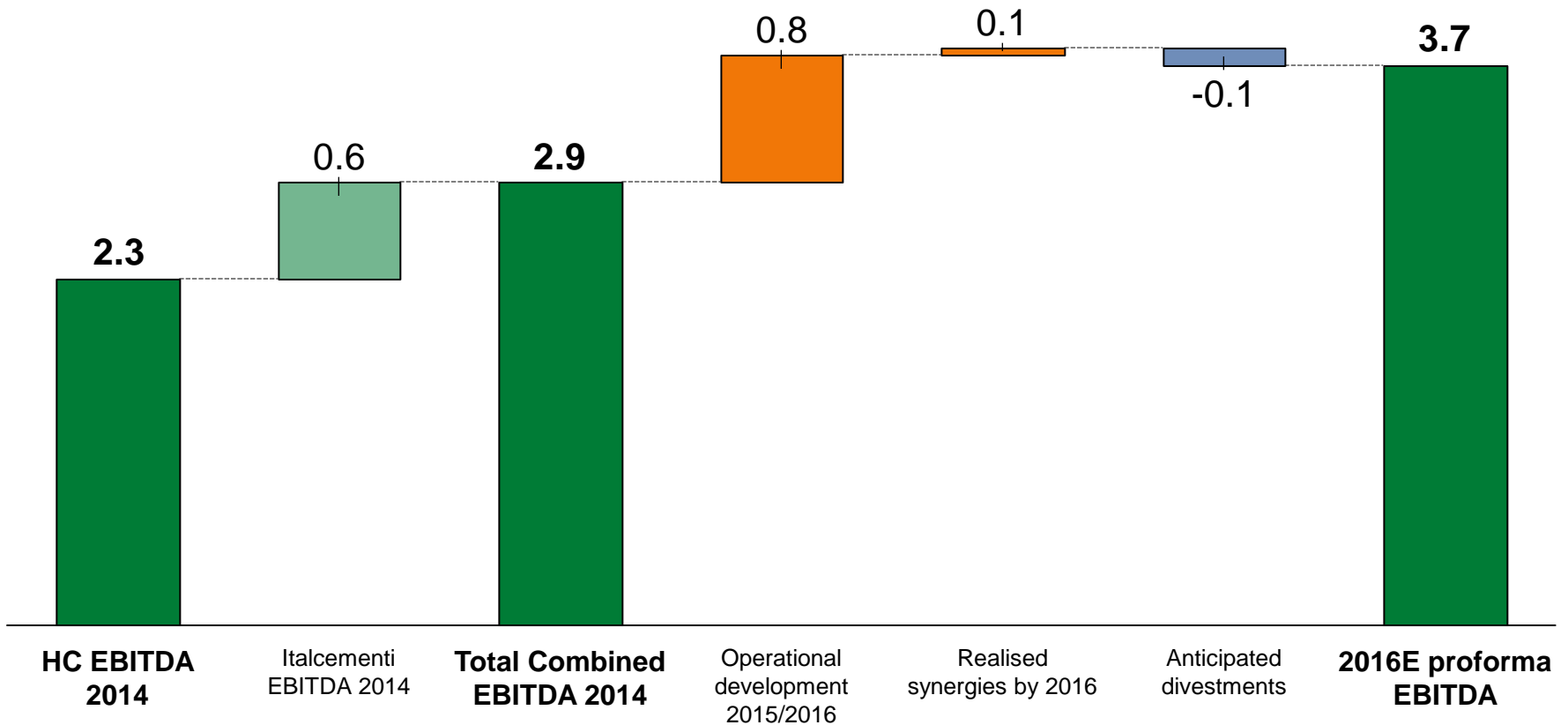


Net debt/ EBITDA

Notes: Possible mandatory public offers for minorities are not reflected in the figures as the process will continue until the end of the transaction. Numbers may not add up due to rounding differences

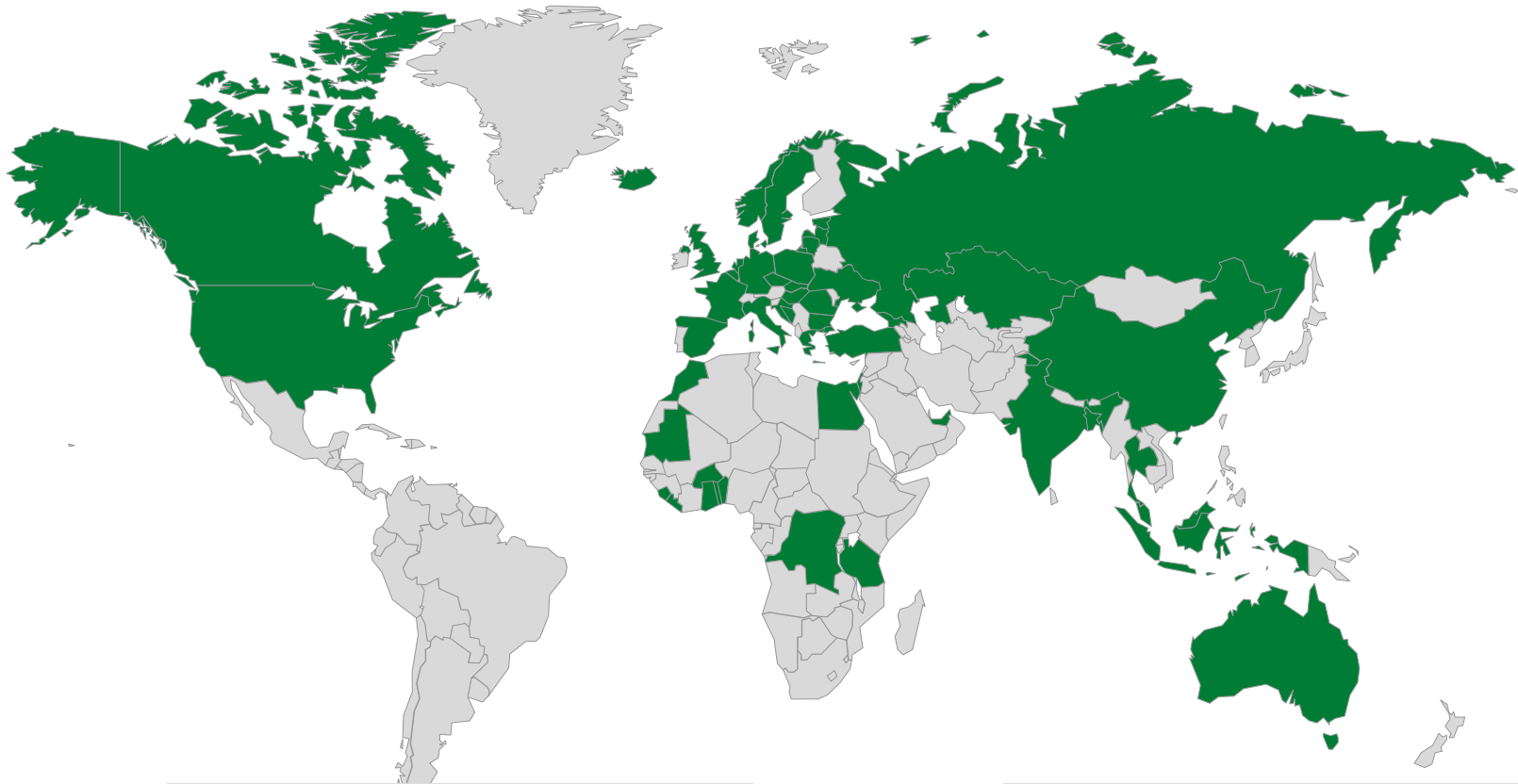
Proforma combined Group EBITDA

In €bn



Further potential for portfolio management

Footprint of > 60 countries allows for a more active portfolio management

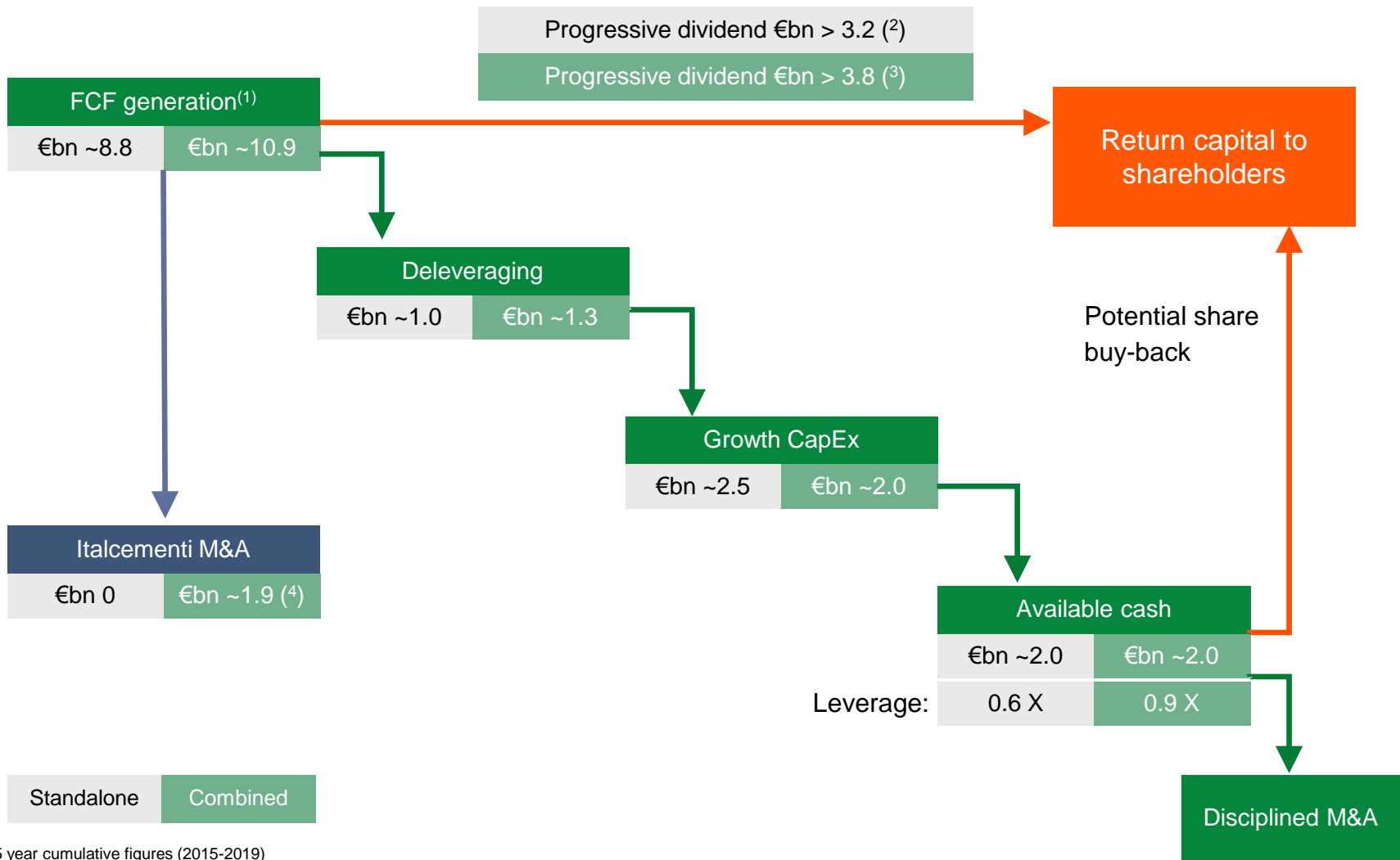


Increase presence in markets with growth and/or value creation potential



Divest market positions with diminishing potential to generate ROIC

Balancing growth and shareholder return



Note: 5 year cumulative figures (2015-2019)

1) Excluding proceeds from BP disposal but includes proceeds from envisaged disposal as a results of the transaction

2) Includes minority dividends of €bn 1.2

3) Includes minority dividends of €bn 1.6

4) Based on equity consideration of €bn 3.7 less proceeds from disposal and the capital increase

Slide 36 – Acquisition of Italcementi – 28 July 2015

Focus on maximising returns

ROIC exceeding WACC by end of 2016

Reaching 40% – 45% pay-out ratio by 2019

Expected to be **EPS accretive** in first full fiscal year after closing

Deleveraging to achieve Investment Grade ratings

Accelerating achievement of HC's mid-term targets

Delivering attractive returns to shareholders

Maintaining long-term dividend payout target

	Standalone 2019	Combined 2019
Revenues	€bn > 17	€bn > 20
EBITDA	€bn > 4	€bn > 5
ROIC	> 10%	> 10%
Leverage	1.5x – 2.5x	1.5x – 2.5x
EPS	€ ~10	€ ~11
Payout Ratio	40% – 45%	40% – 45%

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