

# 2016 HALF-YEAR RESULTS

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# Consolidated group sales at the end of June 2016

(in million euros)



Growth at constant exchange rates	+4.5%
Of which:	
– like-for-like growth	+4.2%
<ul> <li>external growth impact</li> </ul>	+0.3%
Exchange rate impact	-3.9%
Reported growth	+0.6%



	Weight in consolidated sales at June 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2016	Average rate January – June 2015	Average rate January – June 2016	Change H1 2016 - H1 2015
Euro	26.0%	_	_	—
US Dollar	26.9%	1.115	1.115	+0.0%
Chinese Yuan	8.6%	0.144	0.137	-5.0%
Sterling Pound	6.1%	1.366	1.285	-5.9%
Canadian Dollar	2.7%	0.726	0.674	-7.2%
Brazilian Real	2.5%	0.303	0.242	-19.9%
Russian Ruble	2.1%	0.016	0.013	-18.2%
Japanese Yen (1000)	1.7%	7.457	8.039	+7.8%
Mexican Peso	1.5%	0.059	0.050	-16.2%





			% change			
	<b>2015</b> (€ million)	<b>2016</b> (€ million)	Like-for-like	At constant exchange rates	Reported	
Professional Products	1 740	1 724	+2.2%	+2.2%	-0.9%	
Consumer Products	6 161	6 155	+4.3%	+4.7%	-0.1%	
L'Oréal Luxe	3 487	3 595	+5.6%	+5.6%	+3.1%	
Active Cosmetics	1 019	1 021	+5.0%	+4.8%	+0.3%	
Divisions Total	12 407	12 496	+4.4%	+4.6%	+0.7%	
The Body Shop	412	399	-0.6%	+0.8%	-3.2%	
Consolidated Total	12 819	12 895	+4.2%	+4.5%	+0.6%	



		% change		
	In € million	Like-for-like	Reported	
Western Europe	4 184.4	+1.7%	+0.6%	
North America	3 460.0	+4.6%	+4.0%	
New Markets	4 851.6	+6.8%	-1.4%	
of which:				
- Asia, Pacific	2 815.8	+4.6%	+1.0%	
- Latin America	863.3	+10.8%	-9.1%	
- Eastern Europe	773.7	+8.9%	-3.7%	
- Africa, Middle-East	398.8	+9.7%	+5.3%	
Divisions Total	12 496.0	+4.4%	+0.7%	



	€ million	Weight	Like-for-like % change
Skincare	3 759	30.1%	+0.6%
Make-up	3 157	25.3%	+12.4%
Hair Care	2 450	19.6%	+3.4%
Hair Colour	1 533	12.3%	+2.9%
Perfumes	1 046	8.4%	+3.6%



### Consolidated profit and loss account: from sales to operating profit

(in million euros)	H1-2015	As a % of sales	2015	As a % of sales	H1-2016	As a % of sales	Change H1-2016 vs. H1-2015
Sales	12 818.9	100.0%	25 257.4	100.0%	12 894.6	100.0%	+0.6%
Cost of sales	-3 630.3	28.3%	-7 277.4	28.8%	-3 561.2	27.6%	
Gross profit	9 188.6	71.7%	17 980.0	71.2%	9 333.4	72.4%	+70bp
Research and development expenses	-379.7	3.0%	-794.1	3.1%	-414.2	3.2%	
Advertising and promotion expenses	-3 753.3	29.3%	-7 359.6	29.1%	-3 790.9	29.4%	
Selling, general and administrative expenses	-2 732.6	21.3%	-5 438.6	21.5%	-2 764.7	21.4%	
Operating profit	2 323.0	18.1%	4 387.7	17.4%	2 363.6	18.3%	+20bp



# Operating profit margin by division

(as a % of sales)	H1-2015	Full year 2015	H1-2016
Professional Products	19.1%	20.0%	19.6%
Consumer Products	21.3%	20.1%	21.2%
L'Oréal Luxe	20.5%	20.7%	21.3%
Active Cosmetics	27.5%	22.8%	27.7%
Total divisions before non-allocated expenses	21.3%	20.5%	21.6%
Non-allocated expenses*	-2.5%	-2.6%	-2.5%
Total divisions after non-allocated expenses	18.8%	17.8%	19.1%
The Body Shop	-1.8%	5.7%	-5.6%
Group	18.1%	17.4%	18.3%

\* Central group expenses, fundamental research expenses, stock-option & free grant of shares expenses and miscellaneous items as a % of total cosmetics divisions sales



# Consolidated profit and loss account: from operating profit to net profit excluding non-recurring items

(in million euros)	H1-2015	2015	H1-2016	Change H1-16 vs. H1-15
Operating profit	2 323.0	4 387.7	2 363.6	+1.7%
Financial revenues-expenses before dividends received	-9.8	-13.8	+1.8	
Sanofi dividends	336.9	336.9	346.5	
Profit before tax and associates, before non-recurring items	2 650.1	4 710.8	2 711.9	+2.3%
Income tax excluding non-recurring items	-692.1	-1 219.7	-684.1	
Share of profit of associates, excluding non-recurring items	_	-	-0.1	
Non-controlling interests	-0.6	-1.3	-2.4	
Net profit excluding non-recurring items, after non-controlling interests	1 957.3	3 489.8	2 025.4	
Earnings per share* (in euros)	3.47	6.18	3.59	+3.4%
Diluted average number of shares	564 094 688	564 891 388	564 258 226	

\* Diluted earnings per share based on net profit excluding non-recurring items, after non-controlling interests

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# Consolidated profit and loss account: from net profit excluding non-recurring items to net profit

(in million euros)	H1-2015	2015	H1-2016	Change H1-16 vs. H1-15
Net profit excluding non-recurring items, after non-controlling interests	1 957.3	3 489.8	2 025.4	+3.5%
Non-recurring items	-74.7	-192.5	-545.9	
- of which:				
- other income and expenses	-46.0	-189.3	-522.3	
- taxes on non-recurring items	-28.7	-3.2	-23.6	
Net profit after non-controlling interests	1 882.6	3 297.4	1 479.5	



### Cash flow statement

(in million euros)	H1-2015	2015	H1-2016	Change H1-16 vs. H1-15
Net profit	1 883.2	3 298.5	1 481.8	
Depreciation, amortisation and provisions	410.2	933.8	888.2	
Capital gains and losses on disposals of assets, changes in deferred taxes and others	+79.3	+171.2	+97.7	
Share of profit of associates, net of dividends received	-2.7	-4.0		
Cash flow	2 370.0	4 399.5	2 467.7	+4.1%
Changes in working capital	-815.9	-196.4	-545.6	
Investments	-512.0	-1 172.1	-596.7	
Operating net cash	1 042.1	3 031.0	1 325.4	+27.2%
Dividends paid	-1 535.0	-1 534.8	-1 796.6	
Acquisitions	-412.8	-435.3	-20.7	
Acquisitions of treasury stock	_	—	-499.1	
Capital increase	+180.2	+338.6	+89.4	
Others*	+24.1	-19.5	-21.9	
Residual cash flow after acquisitions	-701.4	+1 380.0	-923.5	

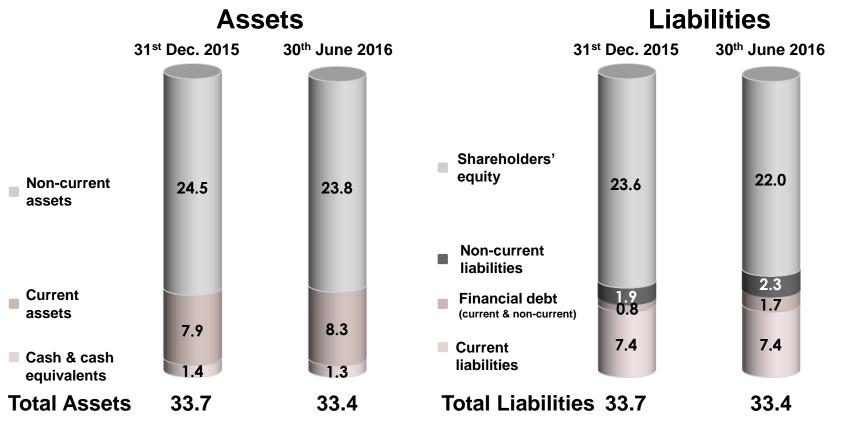
\* Others include disposal of treasury stock and purchase of non-controlling interests



Balance sheet (in billion euros)

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## Net cash/net debt and gearing

in million euros	30 <sup>th</sup> June 2015	30 <sup>th</sup> June 2016	in million euros	31 <sup>st</sup> Dec. 2015
Net debt	1 394	344	Net cash	618
Gearing*	6.1%	1.6%	Gearing*	N.A.

\*Net debt / equity attributable to owners of the company



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