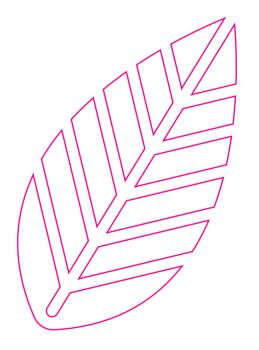
# CREATING LONG-TERM VALUE

How RDM Group is developing a sustainable business model

Highlights 2017





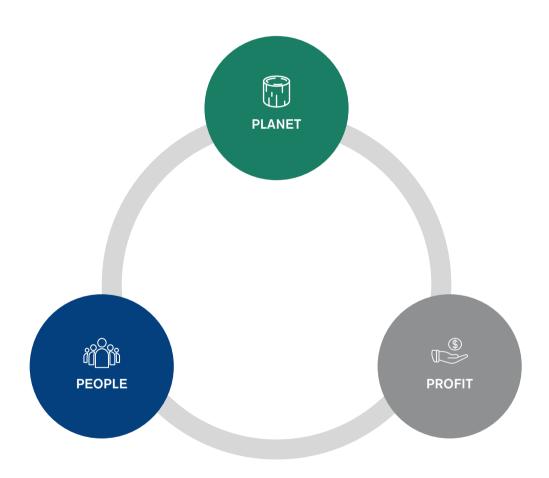
Circular economy is the challenge of the future. For RDM Group it is already the present.

Further information is available at http://rdmgroup.com/sustainability/reporting/



# **CORPORATE HIGHLIGHT**

In RDM Group we are committed to developing a business model which combines the well-being of the people working with us and of the communities we are a part of, together with protecting natural resources and increasing the economic profitability.



# **PEOPLE**



1,567 RDM Group employees and collaborators

**97%** Employees with permanent contracts

42% in Italy 35% in France

22% in Germany 1% in the rest of EU

### **PLANET**



58% Recycled input materials over the total raw materials

87% Renewable materials over the total raw materials

71% Wood and its derivatives FSC  $^{\circ}$  or PEFC  $^{\!\scriptscriptstyle{\text{\tiny M}}}$  certified

# **PROFIT**



**569.1** mio € Revenue from sales

**45.8** mio € EBITDA

8.1% EBITDA's margin

**14.6** mio € Net results





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# **PRODUCTS**

Our product portfolio, made from both recycled and virgin fibres, allows us to cover a wide range of different sectors and features.

PRODUCTS	FEATURES	SECTORS
WLC	Price	Textile/Shoes
	Environmental awareness	Detergents
WHITE LINED CHIPBOARD		Paper goods
(COATED CARTONBOARD		• Dry food
MADE OF RECYCLED FIBRES)		Beverages
		Sports/Toys
FBB	Bulk	Software/Hardware
	Stiffness	Bakery/Pastry
FOLDING BOX BOARD	Printability	Wet/frozen food
(CARTONBOARD FOR FOLDING	(Bleached) Chemi-thermo	Music sleeves
BOXES MADE OF VIRGIN	mechanical pulping (B)CTMP	Beauty & Health care
FIBRES)	with odour and taint sensitive	<ul> <li>Global brand cigarettes</li> </ul>
	products	Pharmaceuticals
OG-UD-UT	Printability and surface quality	High-quality cosmetics
04 02 0.	Whiteness/brightness	Premium cigarettes
LAMINATED BOARD	Purity	• Fremium eigarettes
(CARDBOARD WELL SUITED	- i diity	
FOR SPECIALTIES AND LUXURY		
PACKAGING)		

100%

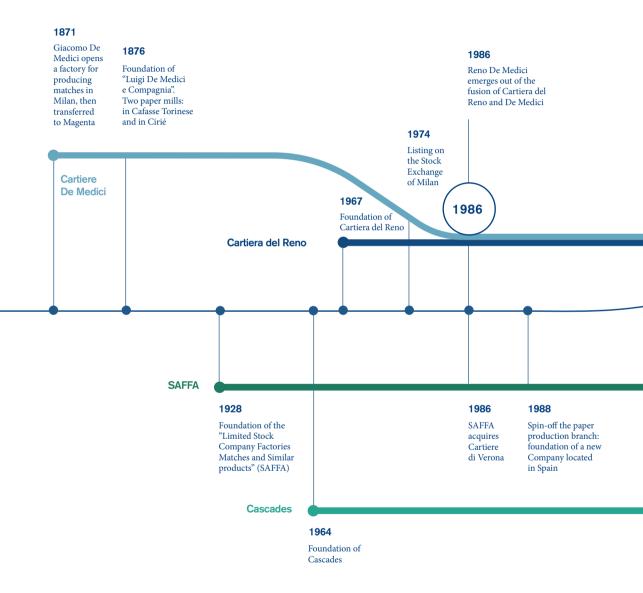
of production units with a certified quality management system in compliance with the  ${\rm ISO:}9001$ 

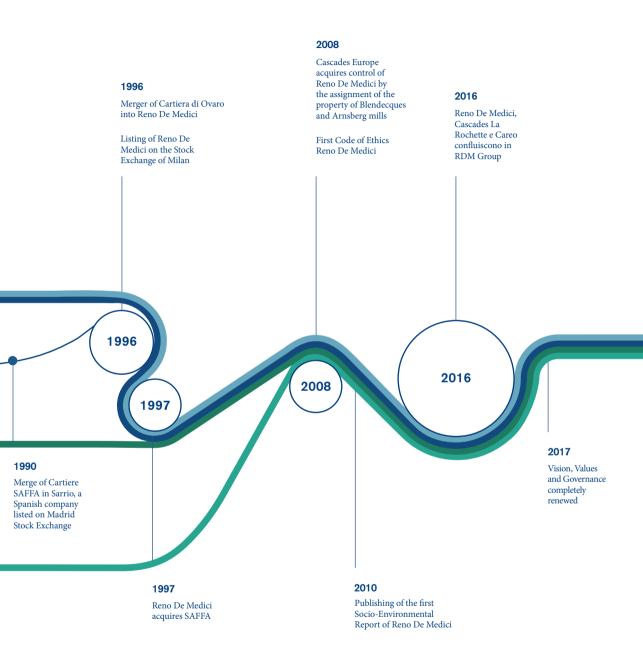
# **CERTIFICATIONS**

# **ACTIVE CERTIFICATIONS WITH THE YEAR OF FIRST APPROVAL**

<u> </u>	OHSAS 18001	ISO 9001	ISO 14001	EMAS	BLAUE ENGEL	ISO 50001	FSC®	PEFC
PAPER MIL	LS							
Arnsberg	-	1992	1997	1997	-	-	2010	-
Blendecques	-	1995	-	-	-	2014	2008	-
La Rochette	-	1996	-	-	-	-	2014	2006
Ovaro	2014	1996	2004	-	2015	2015	2009	2017
S. Giustina	2013	1996	2001	-	-	2015	2010	2016
Villa S. Lucia	2016	1996	2005	-	-	2015	2010	-
<b>H</b>	OHSAS 18001	ISO 9001	ISO 14001	EMAS	BLAUE ENGEL	ISO 50001	FSC <sup>®</sup>	PEFC
CUTTING CENTRES								
Magenta	-	1996	-	-	-	-	2010	-
PAC Service	-	1997	-	-	-	-	2010	2009

# **HISTORY**

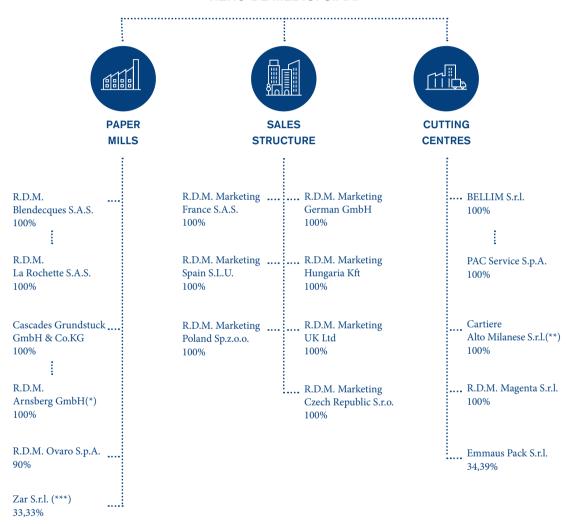




# **STRUCTURE**



# **RENO DE MEDICI S.P.A.**



<sup>(\*)</sup> Company owned 94% by Reno De Medici S.p.A. and 6% by Cascades Grundstück GmbH & Co.KG

<sup>(\*\*)</sup> Company in liquidation

<sup>(\*\*\*)</sup> Company owned 60% by Reno De Medici S.p.A. and 40% by BELLIM S.r.l.

# **COLLABORATIONS**

#### AT INTERNATIONAL LEVEL



**CEPI** 



**CEPI CARTONBOARD** 



**EUROPEAN CARTON MAKERS ASSOCIATIONS** 



**PRO CARTON** 

# AT LOCAL LEVEL

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#### COPACEL

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**MEDEF** 



CLUB M.C.A.S.



Assolombarda, Unione Degli Industriali E Delle Imprese Di Roma Frosinone Latina Rieti E Viterbo, Confindustria Belluno



Comieco - Consorzio Nazionale Recupero E Riciclo Degli Imballaggi A Base Cellulosica



GIFCO

GIFCO - Assografici



Aticelca



Gipse



Gas Intensive Società Consortile A.R.L.

# **VISION**

To become **Partner of Choice** by...



# OFFERING SUPERB PRODUCTS AND SERVICES



# **OPTIMIZING COSTS**



MAXIMIZING STAKEHOLDERS' SATISFACTION

# **VALUES**



# **GROUP-WIDE VISION**



# RESPONSIBLE DECISION-MAKING



# **EMPATHY**



# **TOGETHERNESS**



# WE SHAPE THE FUTURE

The 2030 Agenda of the United Nations summarized the most urgent challenges to be addressed in a detailed program of "Sustainable Development Goals" (SDG's); among these, we identified the Goals we can contribute to in a tangible way.



PROTECTING THE HEALTH AND WELLBEING OF PEOPLE AT THE WORKPLACE

How we contribute: "Zero Accidents" Strategy



PROMOTING LIFELONG LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES AND SKILLS DEVELOPMENT

**How we contribute:** investing in training activities and strengthening knowledge-sharing and informal learning tools



ENSURING THE AVAILABILITY OF WATER RESOURCES AND PROTECTING WATER-RELATED ECOSYSTEMS

**How we contribute:** programs to reduce water consumption and monitor waste water quality



IMPROVING ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND PROMOTING THE DISSEMINATION OF TECHNOLOGIES FOR CLEAN ENERGY PRODUCTION

**How we contribute:** gradual reduction of energy consumption per ton of produced cartonboard



ENSURING FULL EMPLOYMENT, PROVIDING OPPORTUNITIES FOR DECENT WORK

**How we contribute:** employment opportunity for over 1,500 people, maintaining a level of employment practically unvaried in the last three-year period



MODERNISING INDUSTRIAL PROCESSES BY ENCOURAGING THE DISSEMINATION OF THE BEST AVAILABLE TECHNOLOGIES

**How we contribute:** investments of over 179 million Euros over the past 10 years in unit and technological modernisation



REDUCING WASTE PRODUCTION THROUGH PREVENTION, REDUCTION, RECYCLING AND REUSING

**How we contribute:** development of a production system based on a circular economic model, in which about 60% of the materials used comes from recycling



TAKING URGENT ACTION TO COMBAT CLIMATE CHANGE AND ITS CONSEQUENCES

How we contribute: reducing emissions of greenhouse gases, and of other pollutants through energy efficiency programs, reassessment of our energy mix, and interventions to make emissions more environmentally compatible



PROMOTING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF SUSTAINABLE FOREST MANAGEMENT, HALTING DEFORESTATION AND PROMOTING REFORESTATION

**How we contribute:** purchase of certified forest based virgin materials coming from controlled and sustainable supply chains

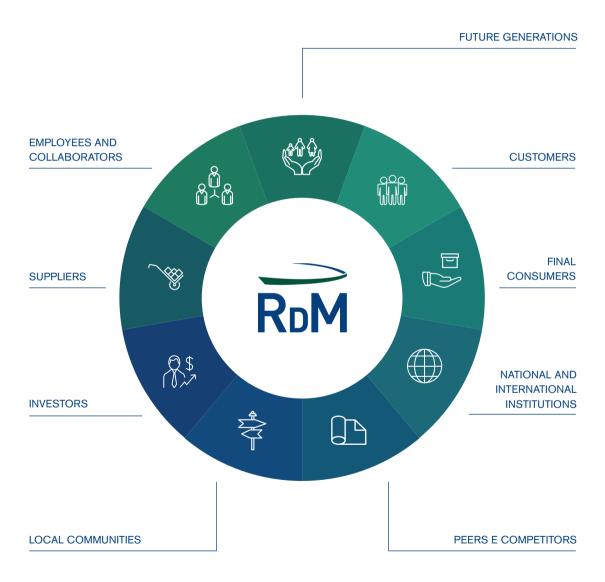


STRENGTHENING THE MEANS FOR IMPLEMENTING AND RENEWING THE GLOBAL PARTNERSHIP FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

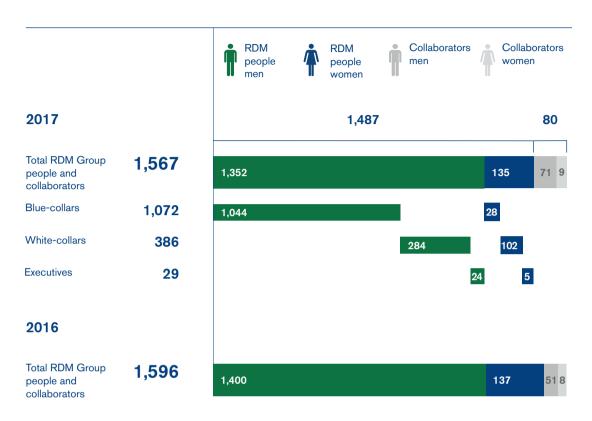
**How we contribute:** joining various working groups, both locally and internationally, that support industry development in cellulose-based packaging and recycling

# **STAKEHOLDERS**

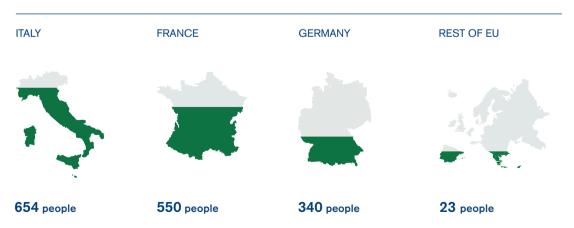
By listening carefully to our stakeholders, we can assess the extent to which we meet their interests and legitimate expectations, and we can identify our strengths and the areas in which the commitment needs to be strengthened.



# **RDM GROUP PEOPLE**



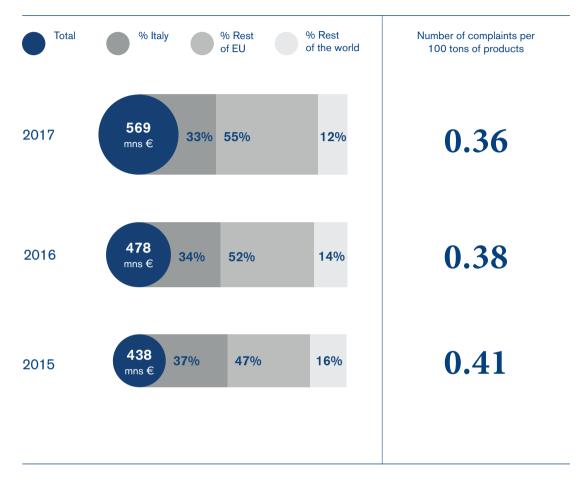
# **GEOGRAPHICAL DISTRIBUTION**



# **CUSTOMERS AND FINAL CONSUMERS**

# SALES BY GEOGRAPHICAL AREA

#### **COMPLAINTS AND REPORTS**



**100%** 

PRODUCTION UNITS WITH QUALITY MANAGEMENT SYSTEM **CERTIFIED ISO:9001** 



**76%** 

**CUSTOMERS EXPRESS** A POSITIVE OPINION OF RDM GROUP

Results of customer satisfaction survey. 1,584 respondents, Response rate of 47%



WITHDRAWALS OR RECALLS FROM THE MARKET DUE TO FOOD SAFETY RISKS OR OTHER REASONS

# **CIRCULAR ECONOMY**

# Materials used for our products:

# FIBRES





Virgin fibres

Recycled fibres

# OTHER MATERIALS FOR THE CARTONBOARD AND ITS COATING











Wood Starch Ch

Chemical substances

Lattice

Paper for laminated multilayer board

# MATERIALS FOR PACKAGING







Cartonboard core spacer for reels

Polythene

Wooden pallets

# MATERIALS FOR MAINTENANCE OF EQUIPMENT





Chemicals

Oil and grease

58%

recycled input material over the total raw materials

80%

of fibres are recycled

87%

renewable materials over the total raw materials 6 7 15

# **ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**

ENERGY CLIMATE CHANGE

2017



0.517 t CO<sub>2</sub> eq./t production



- Monitoring consumption
- Improvement of energy efficiency
- Co-generation plants
- ISO:50001 certification
- Monitoring emissions
- Reviewing energy supply mix
- Emission trading system (EU ETS)
- Monitoring water withdrawal and quality of waste water
- Reusing process water in more than one processing cycle
- ISO:14001 certification

WATER

2016	2.61	0.522	22.1
2015	2.60	0.519	22.6



71%

of virgin fibres used for manufacturing of the products and as biomass originates from **supply chains certified** to FSC<sup>®</sup>, PEFC<sup>™</sup> or FSC Controlled Wood<sup>®</sup>.

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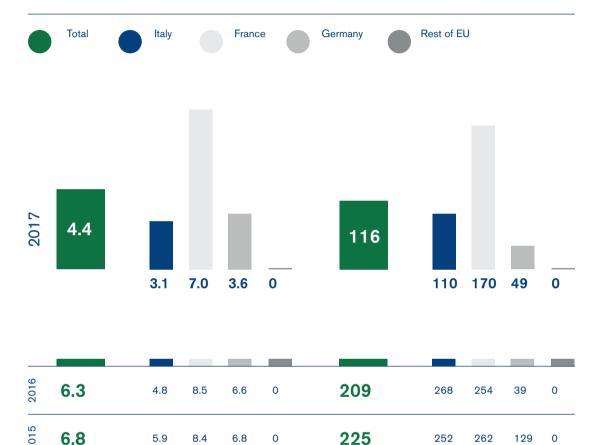
# **QUALITY OF WORK**

# **FREQUENCY INDEX**

Ratio between number of accidents and hours worked, multiplied by 200,000

#### **SEVERITY INDEX**

Ratio between number of lost days due to accidents and hours worked, multiplied by 200,000



- 35%

**COMPARED TO 2015** 

5.9

8.4

6.8

0

**COMPARED TO 2015** 

252

262

129

0

# INTELLECTUAL CAPITAL

Thanks to low personnel turnover and the high seniority in role of the personnel (on average 16 years of seniority) we can count on a strategic heritage of skills, one of the Group's main intangible assets.

#### **OVER THE LAST THREE YEARS:**



over 50,000 hours of training supplied



2 mio Euros invested in training activities

# IN 2017:



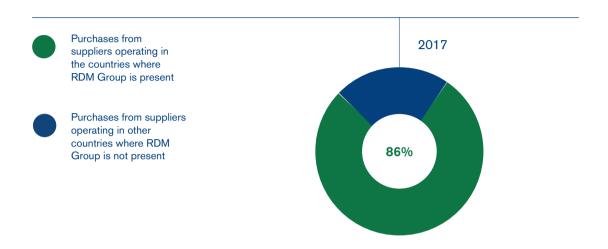
1,015 people involved in training courses, equal to 68% of the Company employees



over 12 hours of training per capita, with a 39% increase compared to 2015

# SUPPLY CHAIN RELATIONSHIPS

Over 4,000 suppliers, mainly local companies. We are a major driver of economic growth in the neighbouring territories.



We invest in a supply chain which shares our commitment in developing a sustainable business model. The respect of our Code of Ethics is an integral part of purchase agreements with RDM Group.



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