

Frankfurt – European Midcap Event

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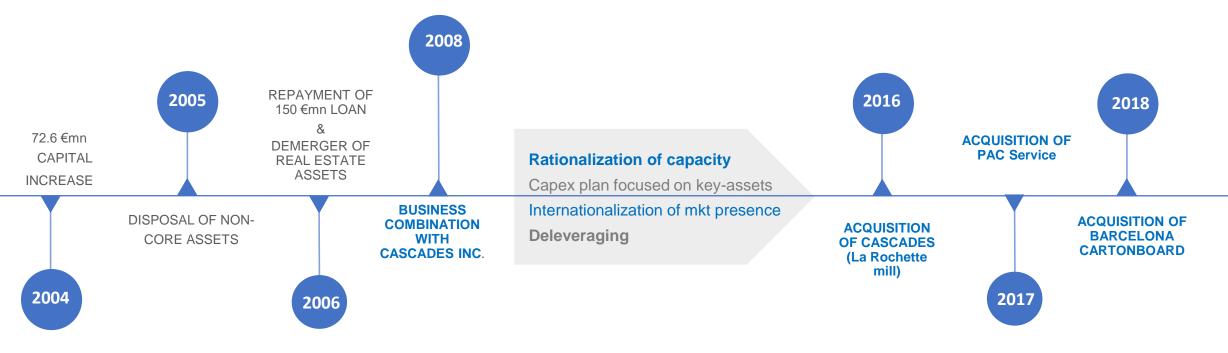
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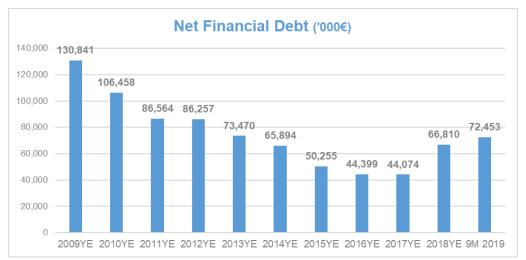


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WHERE WE COME FROM



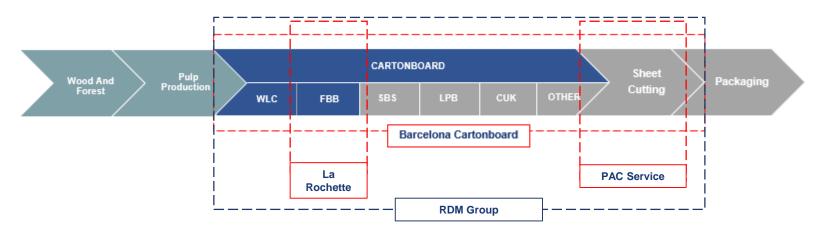




LATEST M&A DEALS



Value Chain Positioning of acquired companies:





Based in Spain (Barcelona), the company is involved in the production of Cartonboard from both recycled (WLC) and virgin fibers (FBB), serving the packaging industry in Spain and abroad.

The acquisition is effective from 1 Nov. 2018.



Based in Italy, the company operates in the sheet cutting business. RDM has long been a strategic supplier of PAC Service.

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Based in the South of France, the company (La Rochette mill) is involved in the production of Cartonboard from virgin fibers (FBB).

The acquisition is effective as of 30 June 2016.

STRENGHTS



RDM leverages on **clear strengths** to deliver its strategy:

PORTFOLIO

Cartonboard portfolio based on recycled, virgin fibres and specialties, meeting the full range of customer needs

INTANGIBLE ASSETS

One-Company approach unlocking potential and allowing for best-in-class performance

ASSETS BASE

PanEuropean asset base and sales network

CLIENTS

Strong position in European markets.
No.1 producer of Recycled grades in Italy,
France, Spain; second in Europe. Making
RDM the partner of choice for key brands
and multinational corporations

STRONG CASH GENERATION

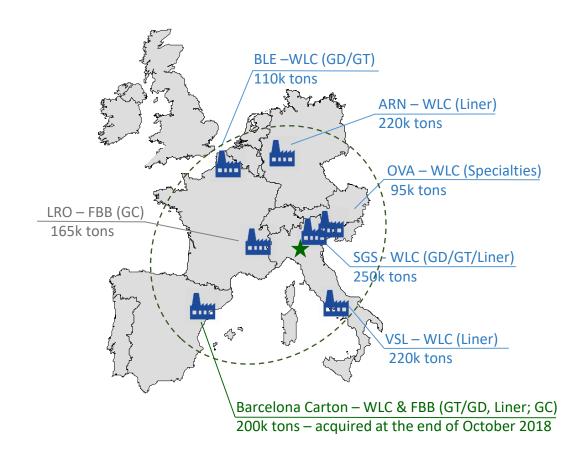
Presence in the packaging business, sector in which healthy organic growth generates high return on investments

A PANEUROPEAN ASSET BASE



Total production capacity 1.26 mn tons/p.a.

Four assets with capacity over 200k tons/p.a.





Santa Giustina's plant

WLC

White Lined Chipboard Based on **recycled fibers**

No. of mills: 6

Production capacity: **1.1 mn** tons/p.a. equal to **87%**

FBB

Folding Boxboard
Based on virgin fibers

No. of mills: 1

Production capacity: **0.165 mn** tons/p.a. equal to **13%**



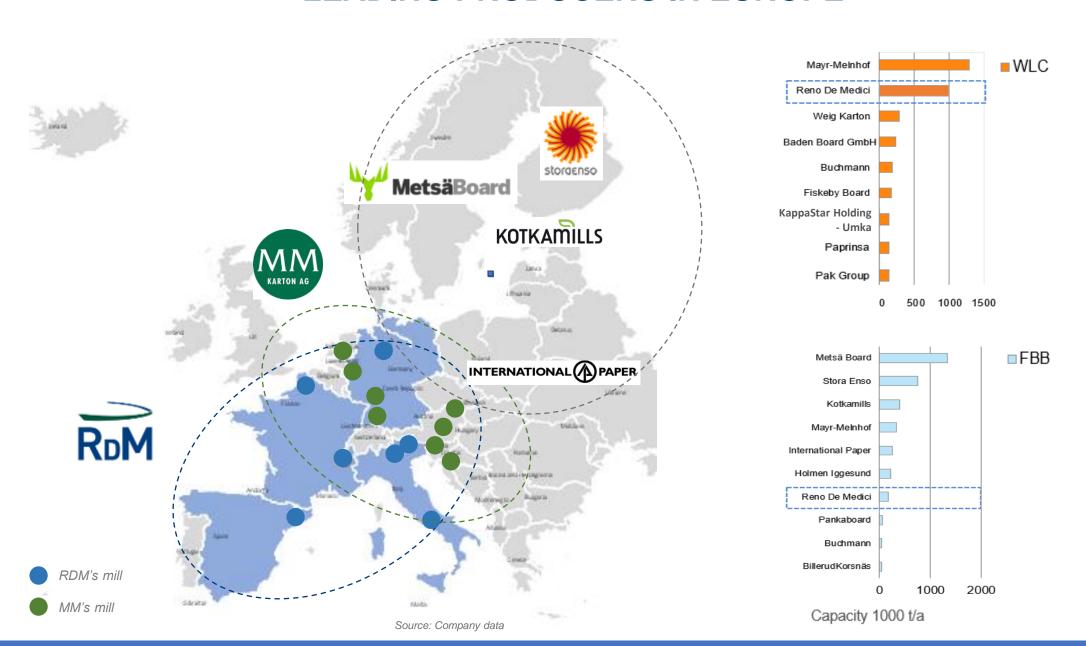
Headquarters in Milan



Mill

LEADING PRODUCERS IN EUROPE





INNOVATING THE WAY WE OPERATE



RDM production volume is based on **client orders**. We **innovate** the way we operate through:

IBP (Integrated Business Planning)

Integrate and align the supply and demand planning

Service improvements

Reduce delivery lead times Offer bespoke production runs Asset optimization

Optimize plant production mix Customize capex plan

Transformation

Launch a portfolio of valueadded initiatives to support the strategic goals as a One Company

PORTFOLIO



WLC (recycled fibers)

Price Eco friendly image FBB (virgin fibers)

Printability
Bulk & Stiffness

RECYCLED BOARD (GD)

LINER

SPECIALTIES (GT)

VIRGIN BOARD (GC)

Sport/toys Food Detergents Beverage Hardware Software Display Microflute laminate

Textile / shoes Paper Goods Pharmaceuticals
Beauty & Health care
Food
Retail
Bakery

Overall economic trend along with specific drivers:

Brand recognition
E-commerce
Plastic substitution
Care for planet
Changes in lifestyles

Brand recognition
Microcorrugated
Growing market (+11% from 2015
to 2018)

Luxury package

Overall economic trend

Brand recognition Changes in lifestyles











CLIENT LOYALTY



Our clients come in two types: converters and distributors.

Our clients look for **security of supply.**Which **we guarantee** as we are the 2nd
largest WLC producer in Europe.
Our **key assurances** are:

CUSTOMER SERVICES

RESPONSIVENESS

QUALITY

DIVERSIFIED PORTFOLIO

DELIVERIES / LEAD TIMES

4th Customers survey (September 2019)

43 markets surveyed (EMEA).1206 customer contacts of which 25 are Key accounts.

Good and slightly increased response rate (54% compared to previous round 51%).

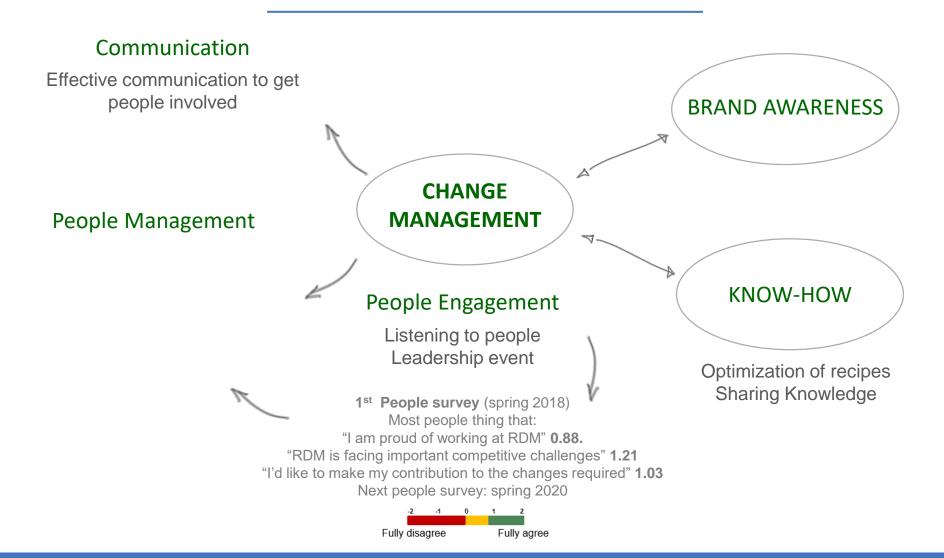
76% added feedback.

Customer Contact Rating of 7.57 (7.55 in March 2019).

SHAPING INTANGIBLE ASSETS



RDM assures the transformation through **result delivery approach**.



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9M AT A GLANCE



10.5%

Double-digit EBITDA margin driven by efficiencies



Mixed-bag scenario. More favorable demand in certain European countries and favorable fiber costs



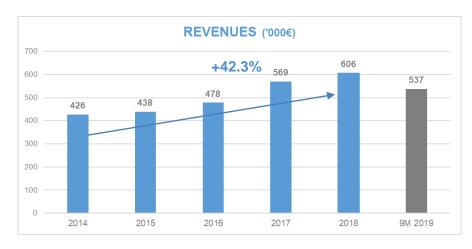
Additional sales and EBITDA from **Barcelona Cartonboard** consolidation, synergies to be extracted in coming quarters

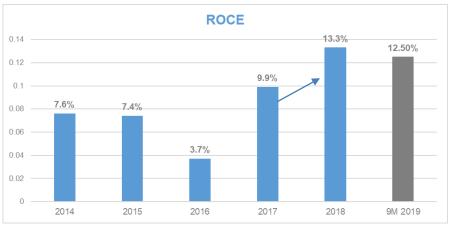


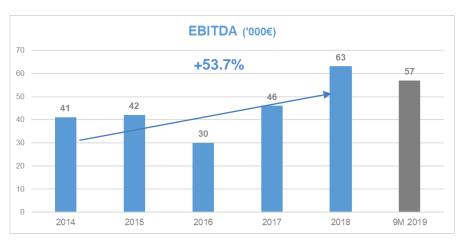
Continued **cash flow generation** funding capex and shareholder remuneration

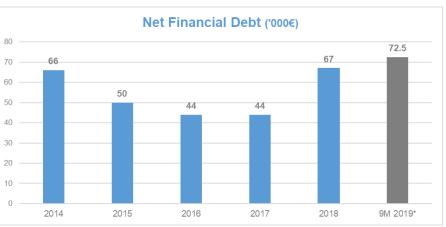
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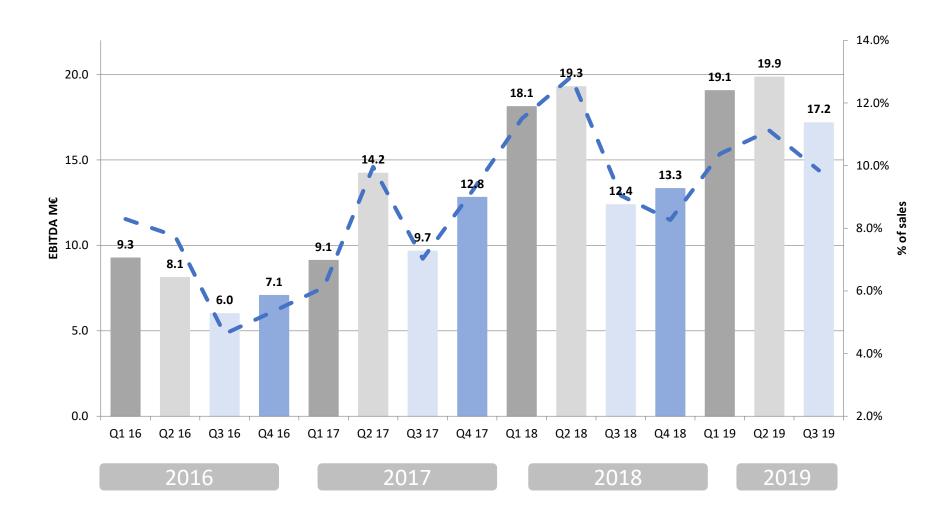


2018 Net Debt reflects the costs of three acquisitions over the 2016-2018 period.

*Net Debt as at 30 September 2019 includes 13 € mn liabilities due to the adoption of the new IFRS 16 "Leases".

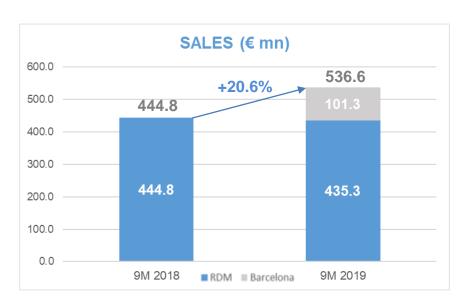


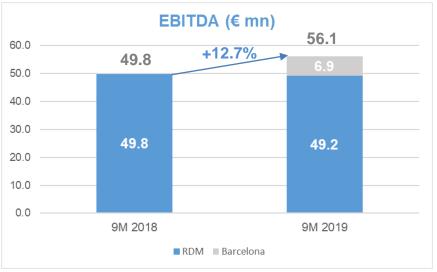




SALES AND EBITDA







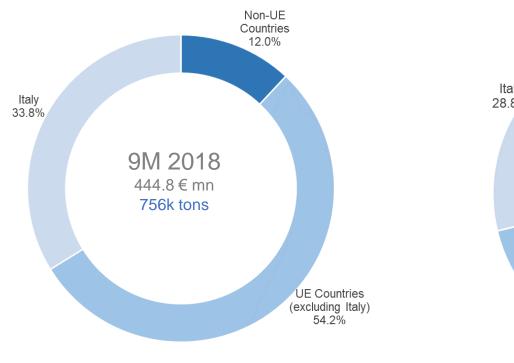
- The **EBITDA** change (+12.7%) reflects the following drivers:
- + Sales increase (+20.6%) led by the Barcelona Cartonboard acquisition;
- + WLC more favorable demand (+0.3%) in overseas and European markets;
- + Selling prices increase in FBB and slight decrease in those of WLC products;
- Higher cost of energy;
- + Lower prices for both virgin and recycled fibers.

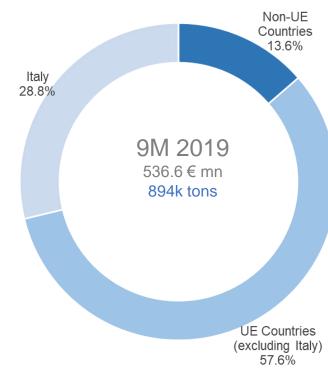
Increase in 9M 2019 EBITDA leverages on:

- Recent M&A driving the top line growth
- RDM following its transformation plan to achieve operating efficiencies, in the use of energy and raw materials to safeguard operating profitability.

SALES BY GEOGRAPHY





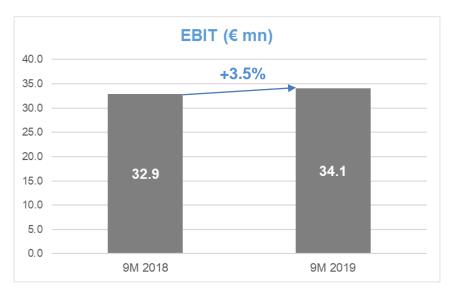


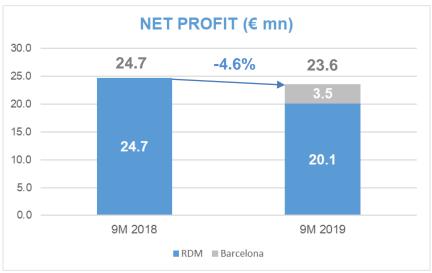
Sales growth of **20.6%** reflecting the larger scope of consolidation (Barcelona Cartonboard).

The lower weight of Italian market reflects the recent M&A deal in Spain.

EBIT AND NET PROFIT







EBIT increase (+3.5%) reflects higher EBITDA, partially offset by **higher D&A costs** (€ 22 mn in 9M 2018 vs. 16.9 € mn in 9M 2019).

Net Profit slightly decrease (-1.1 € mn vs. 9M 2018) mainly due to lower income from equity investments (-3.1 € mn vs. 9M 2018) and higher interest costs (+1.5 € mn).

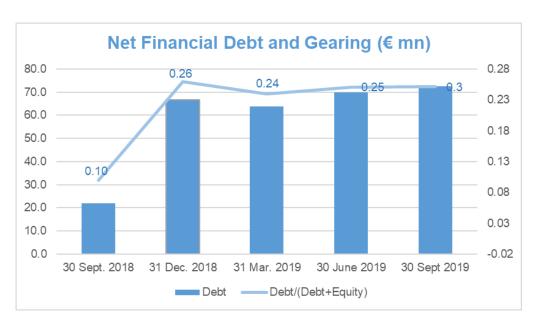
In Q1 2018, the acquisition of 100% of PAC Service, previously consolidated with the equity method, led to an income from equity investments of 3 mn€.

Interest costs were higher due to Barcelona debt and new IFRS 16.

Net Profit decline was partially offset by a **lower taxes** (-2.2 € mn vs. 9M 2018), as a result of lower taxable profit.

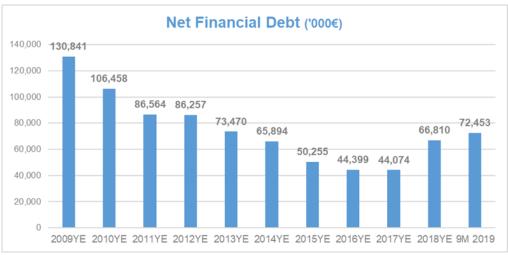
LOW GEARING RATIO





Operational net cash-flow positive by 23.3 € mn, funding capex (18.6 € mn) and dividends (2.6 € mn).

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CHINA FACTOR



China is the world's biggest consumer and is dependent on US (45.5%) and EU (29.4%) flows



Sept. 2017: Announcement of **new Chinese regulation** about imports of unsorted waste paper (mostly mixed paper)

Drop of Paper For Recycling (PFR) import until March 2018

Continuous increase in virgin pulp prices

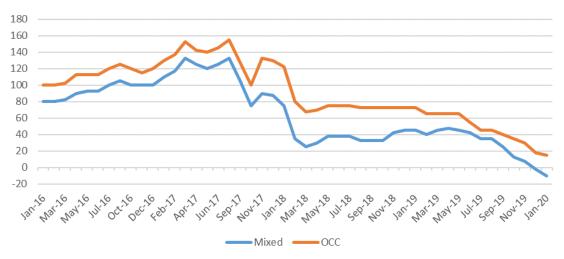
Reaction to the new standard

Finished products **export** opportunities

FIBERS - MARKET PRICES



Brown Recycled Fibers in the Italian market (£ perton)



Bleached Softwood Pulp (€ per ton)



White Recycled Fibers in the Italian market (E per ton)

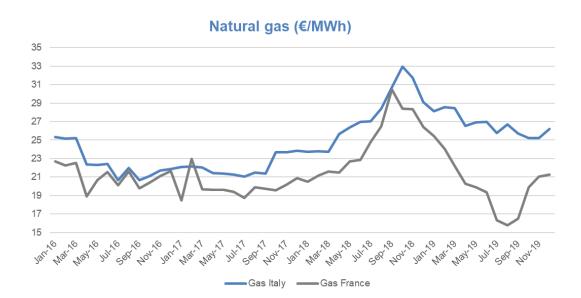


Prices for PFR* continued decreasing in Q4 2019.

Pulp prices reached top values in October 2018.

ENERGY





RDM smooths the volatility of gas prices through a portfolio of contracts with different maturities.

Lower consumption thanks to the efficiency gains in WLC facilities.

New steam turbine installed at Santa Giustina in Dec. 2017 paved the way to a reduction of 9.4% in 2018 Gas consumptions.

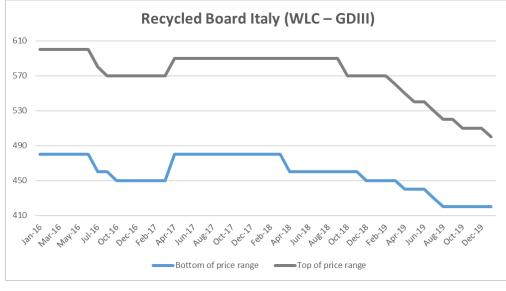
Coal price in Germany (€/ton)



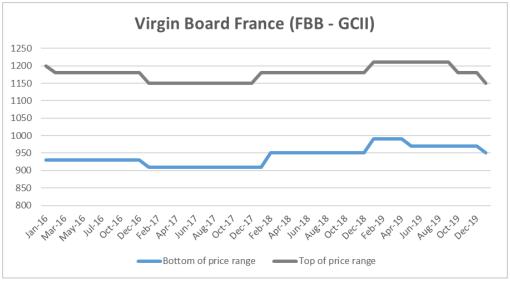
MARKET SELLING PRICES











2019 CAPEX OVERVIEW



2019 capital expenditure: 26-28 € mn

Of which maintenance + H&S investments are 10 € mn

CAPACITY

4€ mn

Magenta (Apr.)
Sheeter
S. Giustina (Aug.)
Board Machine Speed Up
Barcelona (Dec.)
Winder Machine

ENERGY EFFICIENCY

5€ mn

Barcelona (May.)
Overhaul Hot Section
Cogeneration Plant
Others Mills (Aug.)
Power Plants extraordinary
maintenance

COST SAVINGS

5€ mn

Italian Mills (Aug./Oct.)
Fiber Recovery System
La Rochette (Aug.)
New Headbox

DIGITALIZATION

3€ mn

All New ERP System

BARCELONA CARTON INTEGRATION



Strengthening our leadership position through two pillars:

MAXIMIZING
THE PROFITABILITY
OF BC INTEGRATED
IN RDM

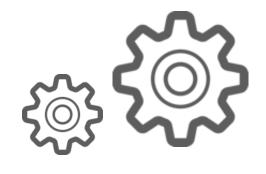
Optimization of recipes

Share of companies' know-how

Maximize the 2016 & 2017 executed strategic investments

Review the next years investment plan

Targeting double digits EBITDA margin as of 2021



EXTRACTING SYNERGIES

Enhance product portfolio optimization, leveraging on the multi-mill concept

Reallocation of customers' portfolio

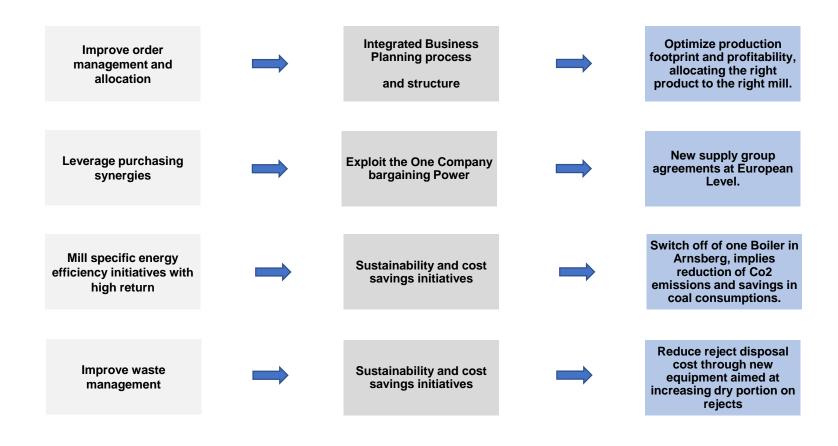
Benefit from an enhanced economy of scale

Synergies to be fully achieved as of 2021





In 2019-20 RDM will continue to pursue the transformation project in order to make the profitability levels achieved in 2018 structurally stable over the economic business cycle.



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RDM AND THE STOCK EXCHANGE



Share Capital: 140,000,000.00 €

Outstanding shares: 377,800,994, o/w

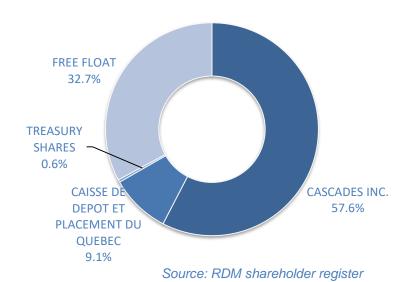
377,546,217 ordinary shares

254,777 convertible savings shares

Conversion period: in February and

September, each year

Main shareholders



Listing markets Milan Stock Eyeh

Milan Stock Exchange – MTA (STAR segment) Madrid Stock Exchange

Codes

Bloomberg: RM IM; Reuters: RDM.MI

ISIN: IT0001178299

Mkt cap: 298.1 € mn

Free float mkt cap: 97.5 € mn (@0.789 € p.s. as of 4 February 2020)

FY2018 dividend

ORDINARY SHARE: Dividend of 0.7 € cents

(FY2017 dividend was 0.31 € cents)

Payment date: 15 May 2019

Dividend yield: 1.1% (@YE2018 price of 0.62 €)

SHARE PERFORMANCE

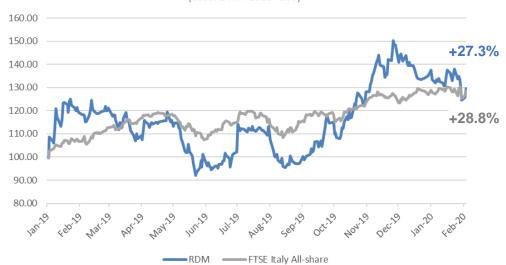




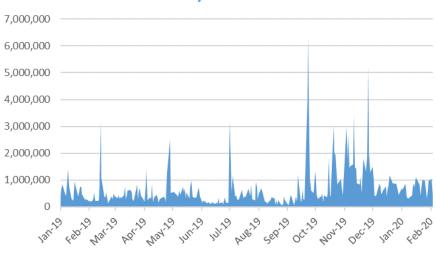


RDM vs. FTSE Italy All-Share Index

(base: 2 Jan. 2019=100)



RDM daily traded volumes



Average daily traded volumes

Q1 2019: 518,846

Q2 2019: 426,394

Q3 2019: 620,838

Q4 2019: 1,149,087

1 Jan. 2020 - 4 Feb. 2020: 673,201

ANALYST COVERAGE



BROKER	CITY	ANALYST	TARGET PRICE (€)	RECOMMENDATION	DATE
Intermonte	Milan - IT	Carlo Maritano	1.15	OUTPERFORM	7 Nov. 2019
MidCap Partners	Paris - FR	Pierre Buon	0.93	BUY	5 Nov. 2019

BOARD OF DIRECTORS



Board appointed on 28 April 2017. Term of office: 3 financial years. The CEO is the only executive member of the Board.



Eric Laflamme, Chairman
Entrepreneur (packaging business)
since 2013. COO of Cascades
Group in Montreal (2002-2008).
Previously at Cascades SA Europe.



Michele Bianchi, CEO
Chemical engineer, with more than 19 years of experience in the European packaging industry.



Independent Director
Chartered accountant
and business
consultant. Bocconi
University professor.

Laura Guazzoni.



Lawyer at the Jones
Day Milan office.
Expert in M&A and
corporate compliance

Sara Rizzon,

Director



Giulio Antonello,

Independent Director

Gloria F. Marino, Independent Director Chartered accountant and statutory auditor.



DirectorCFO of Cascades Group since 2010 – Bachelor's Business Administration in Accounting.

Allan Hogg,



In the past, investment banker and CEO of a listed Company. Presently, strategic advisor in the asset management field.

FINAL REMARKS



RDM outlook for 2019:

Modest recovery in demand
Pressure on WLC selling price
Stabilization of FBB selling price
Lower fiber costs
Decrease in energy costs

Addressing external drivers

Stronger leadership

Higher operating efficiency

Better customer service

Steady-state double-digit
EBITDA margin
from 2021 onwards

BC integration

Optimization of asset base and product portfolio

TRANSFORMATION PLAN IN PLACE









Thank you!