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FY 2016 - Highlights



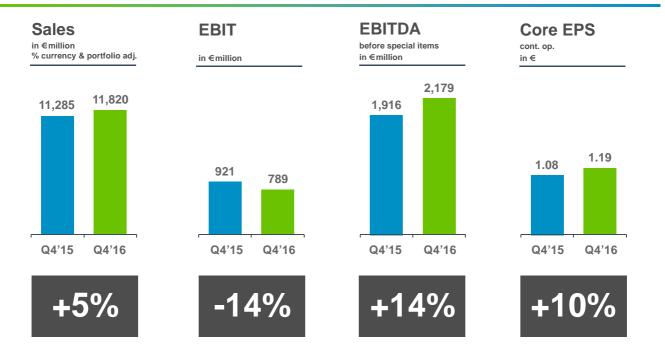
- Another record year for Bayer: Sales +3% (cpa), adj. EBITDA +10%, core EPS +7%
- Substantial sales and earnings increases at Pharmaceuticals
- Consumer Health grows with competition
- Crop Science successful in a difficult market environment
- Good progress with the acquisition of Monsanto
- Major innovation milestones achieved ≥€6bn combined peak sales potential of key pharma pipeline products
- Combined peak sales potential of key pharma growth products raised to >€10bn
- Mid-term aspirations emphasize attractive growth and margin potential of Life Science businesses
- Dividend proposal for 2016: €2.70 per share (+8%)
- Outlook for 2017 projects further growth in sales and earnings

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cpa: currency and portfolio adjusted adj. EBITDA: EBITDA before special items

Q4 2016 – Further Growth in Sales and Underlying Earnings







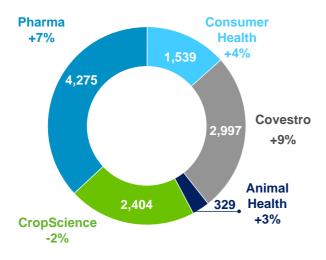
Q4 2016 - Breakdown by Segment

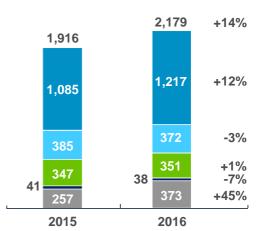
Sales

in €million; Δ% yoy, Fx & portfolio adj.

EBITDA

before special items, in €million; ∆% yoy





Group €11,820m; +5%

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2015 figures restated

Q4 2016 – Cash Flow And Net Financial Debt Development



Cash Flow

in €million, Δ % yoy Fx adj., continuing operations

	EBITDA Operating Cash Flow		CapEx
	1,914	2,678	970
Δ y-o-y	+2%	+39%	+6%

Net Financial Debt

in €billion



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FY 2016 – Earnings Targets More Than Achieved



Sales $\Delta\%$ yoy, Fx & portfolio adj., EBITDA before special items, continuing operations

	2015 Actual	2016 Guidance (original)	2016 Actual	Δ 2016 vs. 2015
Sales	€46.1bn	low-single-digit % increase to >€47bn	€46.8bn	+3%
adj. EBITDA	€10.3bn	mid-single-digit % increase	€11.3bn	+10% 🗸 🗸
core EPS	€6.82	mid-single-digit % increase	€7.32	+7% 🗸 🗸
core EPS (excl. MCN)	€6.82	mid-single-digit % increase	€7.37	+8% 🗸 🗸

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MCN: Mandatory convertible notes issued in November 2016 2015 figures restated

FY 2016 – Pharmaceuticals Delivers Substantial Increases in Sales and Earnings



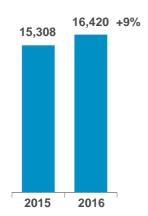
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Key Growth Products

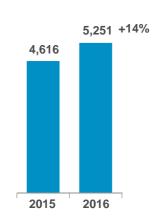
2016 sales in €million, Δ% yoy, Fx adj.

EBITDA

before special items, in €million; Δ% yoy







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FY 2016 – Consumer Health Grows with Competition



Sales

in €million; Δ% yoy, Fx & portfolio adj.

Top Products

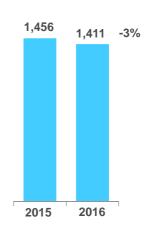
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EBITDA

before special items, in €million; ∆% yoy



[⊕] ASPIRIN	1,001*	+5%
Claritin Altergy Products	605	-3%
ALEVE.	416	+2%
Bepanthen'	362	+9%
Sum	2,384	+3%



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*incl. Aspirin Cardio 2015 figures restated

FY 2016 – Crop Science Successful in a Difficult Market Environment



Sales

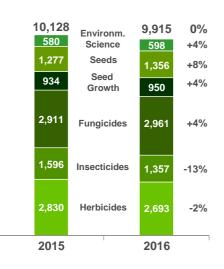
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Regions

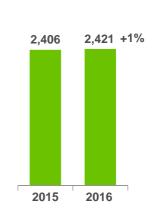
2016 sales in €million, Δ% yoy, Fx adj.

EBITDA

before special items, in €million; Δ% yoy



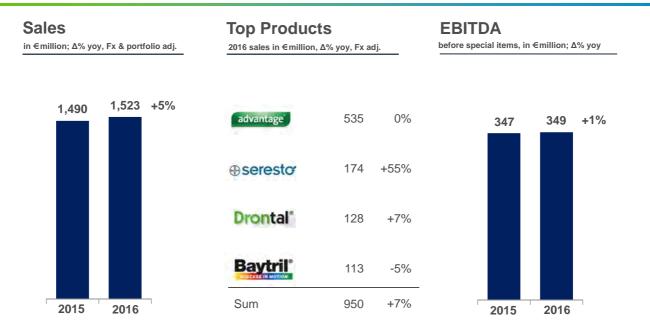
Europe / Middle East / Africa	3,290	+2%
North America	2,616	+4%
Asia / Pacific	1,548	+3%
Latin America	2,461	-7%



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FY 2016 – Animal Health With Strong Performance of Seresto





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FY 2017 Forecast Projects Further Growth in Sales and Earnings



Sales $\Delta\,\%$ yoy Fx and portfolio adj., EBITDA before special items Continuing operations

		2016	Forecast 2017
Sales	Group	€46.8bn	Low- to mid-single-digit % increase to >€49bn
	Life Sciences	€34.9bn	Mid-single-digit % increase to ~€37bn
adj. EBITDA	Group	€11.3bn	Mid-single-digit % increase
	Life Sciences	€9.3bn	Mid- to high-single-digit % increase
core EPS	Group	€7.32	Mid-single-digit % increase



FY 2017 - Guidance by Life Science Segment

	Sales *	Adj. EBITDA *
Pharma	Mid-single-digit % increase to >€17bn Key growth products >€6bn	High-sinlge-digit % increase Margin improvement
Consumer Health	Low- to mid-single-digit % increase to >€6bn, in line with expected market growth	Low- to mid-single-digit % increase
Crop Science	Low-single-digit % increase to >€10bn	At prior year level
Animal Health	Low- to mid-single-digit % increase	High-single-digit % increase

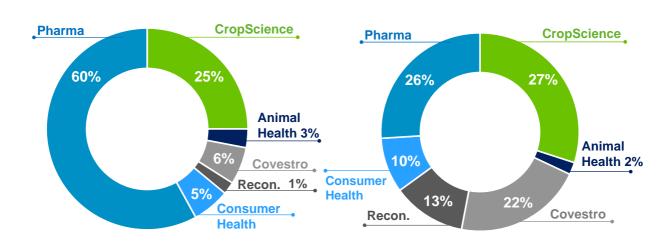
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*Assuming end Q4 2016 Fx rates (USD 1.05) Sales Δ Fx & portf. adjusted, EBITDA before special items, continuing operations Outlook depends on specific planning assumptions outlined in the Annual Report

FY 2017 - R&D and CapEx Budgets



R&D 2017e: €4.8bn CapEx (PPE) 2017e: €2.5bn



Agreed Monsanto Acquisition – Status



Regulatory

- Good progress in obtaining antitrust approvals
- Filings in roughly 2/3 of approx. 30 jurisdictions submitted
- Regulatory filing in the European Union planned for Q2 2017

Financing

- Successful placement of €4 billion mandatory convertible notes
- Further take-out financing with debt (incl. hybrid) and equity planned
- Should we identify options to further optimize financing structures, instruments and also the timing of financing steps in the context of this transaction, we will consider these

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