# IAG results presentation

**Quarter Three 2018** 

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# Highlights

Willie Walsh, Chief Executive Officer



## Good underlying financial performance and cash returns to shareholders

## 3Q 2018 financial highlights

- Another good quarter performance with an operating profit of €1,460m (20.4% margin, -1.6 pts) vs. €1,450m last year
  - Strong result despite significant FX and fuel cost headwinds and operational challenges due to European air traffic control
  - Better results at BA and Iberia, relatively flat at Aer Lingus and Vueling, start-up costs at LEVEL Paris and Vienna
- 9 month pre-exceptional net income growth of over 9% compared to a year ago
- Continuing strong RoIC performance (last 4 quarters) at 16.1%, above target of 15%
- Generous cash returns to shareholders
  - Second €500m share buyback programme completed on October 24 (65.96m ordinary shares representing 3.2% of share capital)
  - Interim dividend of 14.5 € cents per share approved by the Board
- 2018 full year guidance refined:
  - "At current fuel prices and exchange rates, IAG expects its operating profit before exceptional items for 2018 to show an increase year-on-year of around €200m from a 2017 base of €2,950 million. Both passenger unit revenue and non-fuel unit costs are expected to improve at constant currency for the full year."



# Financial results

**Enrique Dupuy, Chief Financial Officer** 



## Increase in operating profit, despite FX and fuel headwinds

3Q 2018 financial summary

#### **OPERATING PROFIT**

€1,460m

(reported before exceptional)

+€121m

(constant currency change)

+€10m

(reported change)

#### TRAFFIC/CAPACITY

ASKs: +6.6% (reported)

RPKs: +7.0%

### **TOTAL UNIT REVENUE**

+2.7%

(constant currency)

+1.7%

(reported)
(€32m translation benefit)
(€103m transaction headwind)

### **TOTAL UNIT COST**

+3.1%

(constant currency)

+3.8%

(reported) (€25m translation drag) (€15m transaction headwind)

#### PAX UNIT REVENUE

+2.4%

(constant currency)

+1.3% (reported)

#### **NON-FUEL UNIT COST**

-0.7%

(constant currency)

-2.3%

(constant FX, net of other revenue gain)

+0.5%

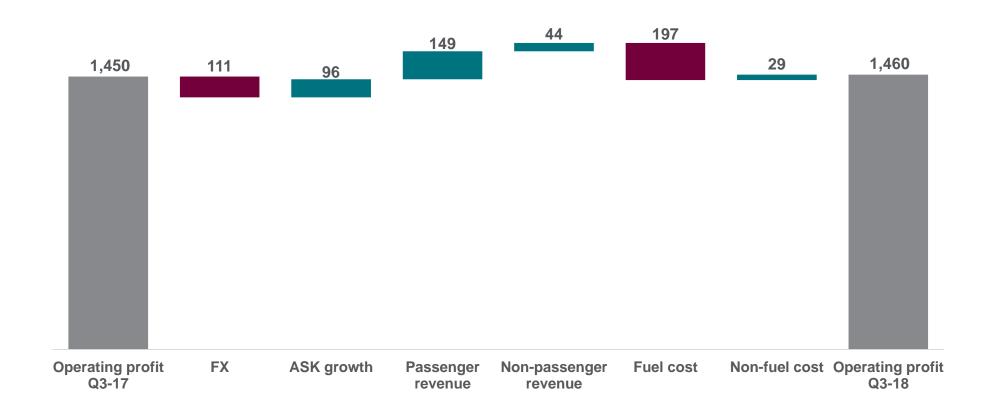
(reported)

'Translation' = drag/benefit from translation of British Airways and Avios financial results from GBP into EUR; 'Transaction' = FX headwind/tailwind at company level 2017 figures have been restated for IFRS 15



## Further positive revenue and non-fuel cost performance

3Q 2018 operating profit contribution drivers

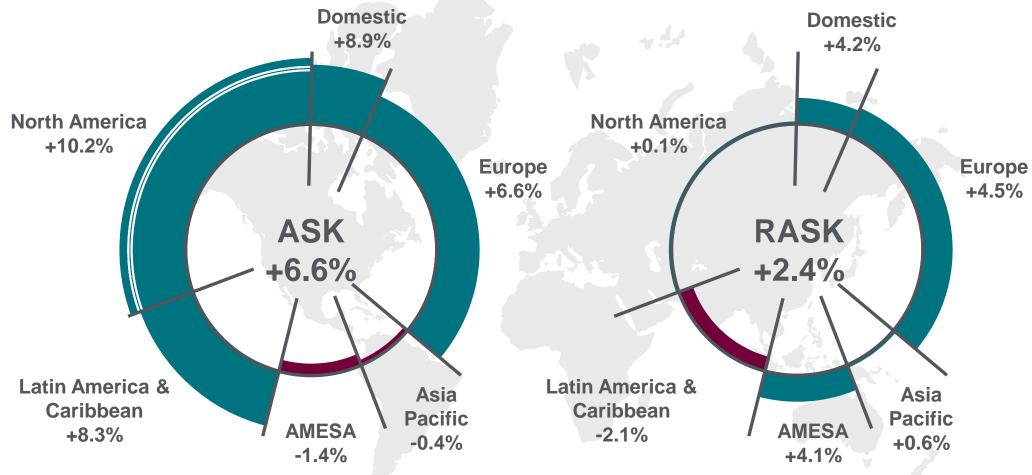


Passenger revenue contribution includes price and mix effects. Fuel cost contribution includes price and efficiency. Non-fuel contribution includes inflation and efficiency. 2017 figures have been restated for IFRS 15



## Strong revenue performance in short haul and North America





Data in the chart represents flown passenger revenue in unit terms at constant currency before transfer payments, Avios redemption and ancillaries 2017 figures have been restated for IFRS 15



# Non-fuel unit costs driven by employee cost reduction

3Q 2018 non-fuel unit cost performance

	3Q 2017 reported unit costs (€ cents)	3Q 2018 reported unit costs (€ cents)	% vly reported	% vly constant currency
Fuel	1.46	1.67	14.3%	15.0%
Employee	1.42	1.35	-4.3%	-4.7%
Supplier	2.61	2.69	3.0%	1.0%
Ownership	0.61	0.61	0.9%	1.1%
Non-fuel	4.64	4.66	0.5%	-0.7%
TOTAL	6.10	6.33	3.8%	3.1%

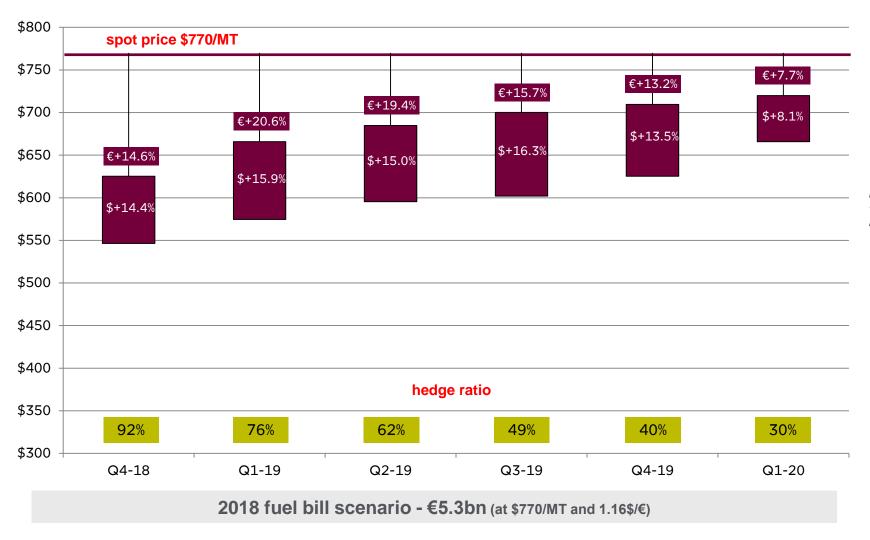




## **Fuel headwind continues**

Fuel scenario: detailed modelling in appendix

Jet fuel price (\$/MT)



#### Key:

Effective blended price post fuel and FX hedging current year

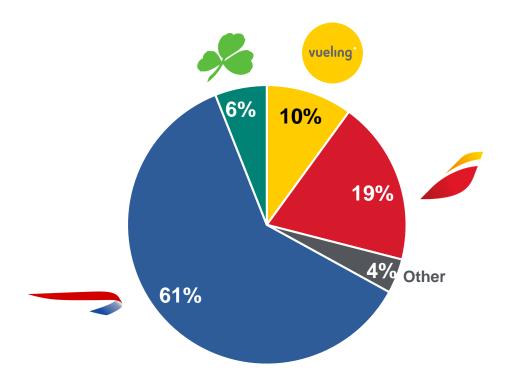


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FX sensitivity in 2018 fuel bill: EURUSD ±10% = ±0% fuel cost at current hedging

# Higher RolC at Aer Lingus, Iberia and Vueling; slightly lower at BA

Financial target tracker: profitability trend by airline



IAG capital allocation 3Q 2018

Op. margin: 3Q 2018 21.6%

Op. margin trend vly -1.6pts

Nml. margin: last 4Qs 14.0%

RolC: last 4Qs 16.1%

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Op. margin: 3Q 2018	28.0%
Op. margin trend vly	-2.2pts
Nml. margin: last 4Qs	17.2%
RoIC: last 4Qs	27.9%

### **IBERIA**

Op. margin: 3Q 2018	18.8%
Op. margin trend vly	+0.1pts
Nml. margin: last 4Qs	9.7%
RoIC: last 4Qs	12.3%

Note: Iberia excludes LEVEL

### **BRITISH AIRWAYS**

Op. margin: 3Q 2018	20.1%
Op. margin trend vly	-1.3pts
Nml. margin: last 4Qs	14.6%
RoIC: last 4Qs	16.7%

## vueling

Op. margin: 3Q 2018	25.9%
Op. margin trend vly	-2.4pts
Nml. margin: last 4Qs	12.2%
RoIC: last 4Qs	13.4%

2017 figures have been restated for IFRS 15



Op margin: Reported margin, lease adjusted
Nml. Margin: As above, adjusted for inflation, for comparability with Invested Capital
Invested Capital: Tangible fixed assets NBV, fleet inflation and lease adjusted

# Leverage unchanged

## Leverage

€m	September 2017	September 2018
Gross debt	7,578	7,342
Cash, cash equivalents & interest-bearing deposits	7,523	6,923
On balance sheet net debt / (cash)	55	419
Aircraft lease capitalisation (x8)	7,128	7,056
Adjusted net debt	7,183	7,475
Adjusted net debt / EBITDAR	1.4x	1.4x





# Outlook

Willie Walsh, Chief Executive Officer



# Accretive growth justified by high returns

### 2018 capacity growth and contributions

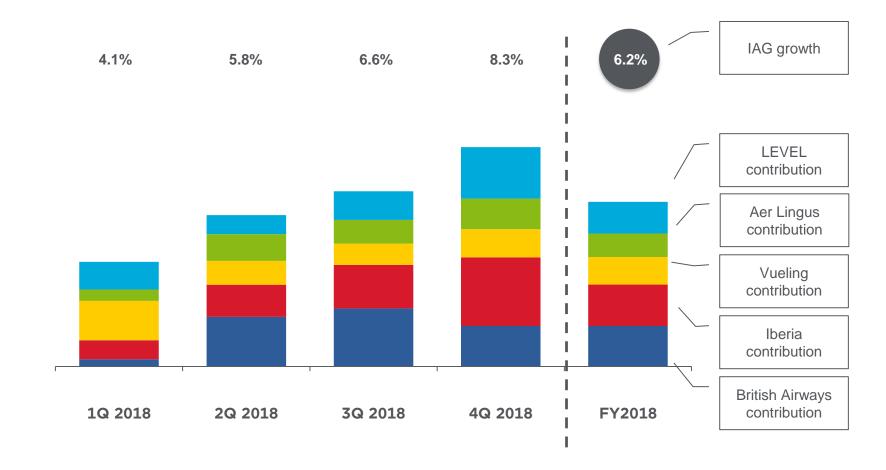
Aer Lingus: 4Q 2018 and FY2018 capacity planned to be +13.8% and +10.1% respectively

**British Airways:** 4Q 2018 and FY2018 capacity planned to be +2.6% and +2.5% respectively

**Iberia:** 4Q 2018 and FY2018 capacity planned to be +12.5% and +7.4% respectively

**LEVEL:** 5 A330; 3 aircraft in BCN, 2 in ORY, and 4 A321 in VIE

**Vueling:** 4Q 2018 and FY2018 capacity planned to be +10.0% and +9.1% respectively



Note: Iberia figures do not include LEVEL in 2017 or 2018



## 2018 full year guidance refined

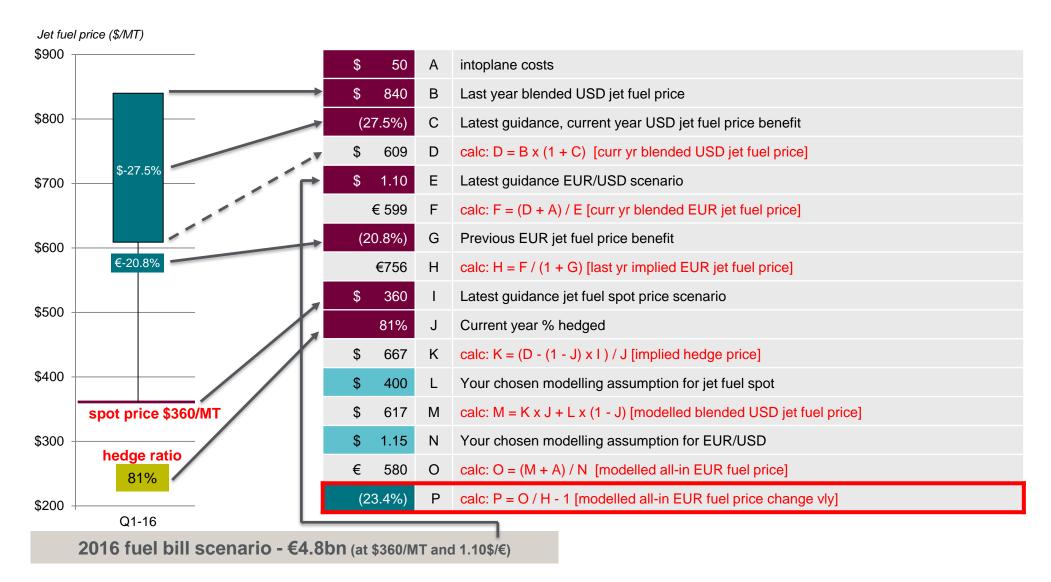
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# Appendices



## Fuel modelling





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