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#### **HIGHLIGHTS 9M 2016 RESULTS**



# **Highlights**

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23% fall in the net finance expense in 9M 2016 vs 9M 2015

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#### **RESULTS 9M 2016**



# EBITDA grew by 10.2% compared with the first 9 months of 2015

3Q 2016	3Q 2015	% diff.
263.6	274.1	-3.8%
197.8	203.8	-2.9%
30.6	30.1	+1.7%
29.6	30.1	-1.7%
15.0%	14.8%	+0.2pp
18.1	18.1	0%
14.9	13.5	+10.4%
11.1	9.0	+23.3%
0.12	0.10	+18.5%*

€m		
Aggregate Revenue		
Consolidated Revenue		
Recurring EBITDA		
Consolidated EBITDA		
Consolidated EBITDA Margin		
Consolidated EBIT		
EBT		
Net Profit		
EPS		

9M 2016	9M 2015	% diff.
799.2	814.9	-1.9%
603.6	603.9	-0.05%
93.1	85.5	+8.9%
89.9	81.5	+10.2%
14.9%	13.5%	+1.4pp
53.9	45.5	+18.5%
43.5	31.7	+37.2%
32.0	20.9	+53.1%
0.34	0.23	+47.2%*

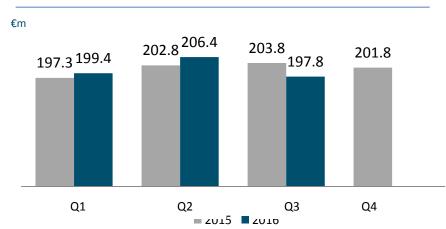
<sup>\*</sup>The growth in EPS is lower than the growth in net profit due to the bonus issue in November 2015

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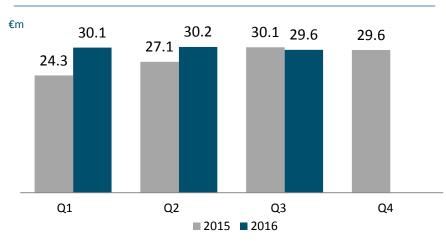


# The quarterly results show that we are on track for achieving the targets of the 2018 plan

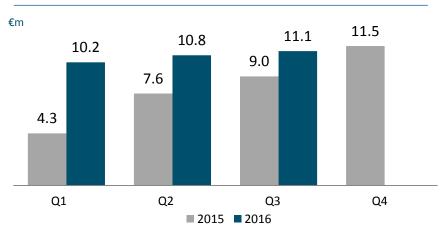




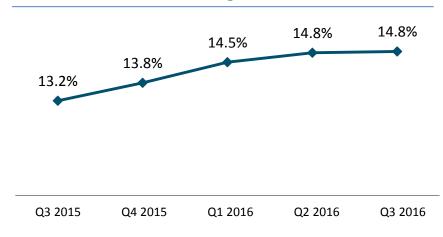
#### **QoQ EBITDA Performance**



#### **QoQ Net Profit Performance**



#### **YoY EBITDA Margin Performance**





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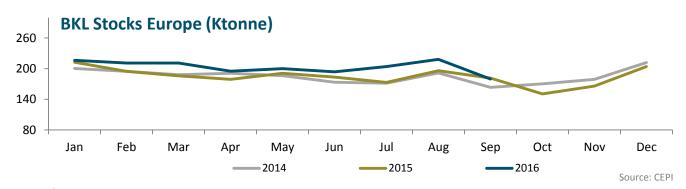
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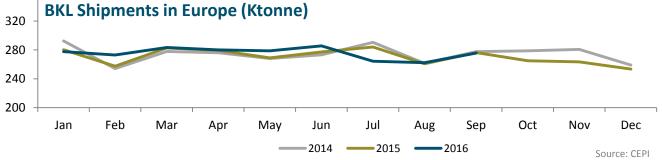


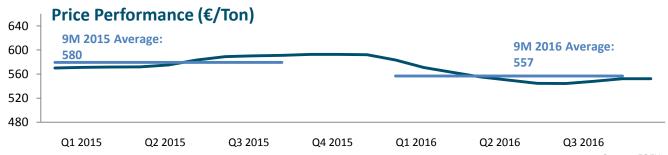
# Kraft paper market

- been higher than last year in this quarter, mainly due to a lower number of working days in July. In the last few weeks, they have been restored to normal levels with the purpose of continuing with their usual seasonality characteristics
- ➤ The demand for Kraft paper in Europe remains strong

There is upward price tension: the circumstances are favourable for an additional rise in Europe. In the US, a 50 USD/ton price rise was announced in September.





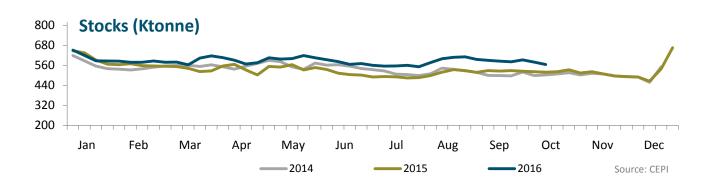


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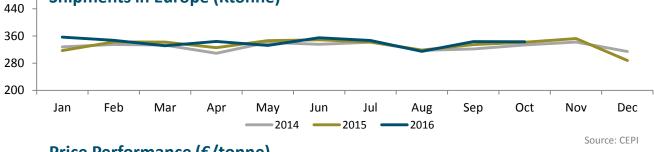


# **Recycled paper market**

Stocks remain at controlled levels although higher than the levels recorded last year

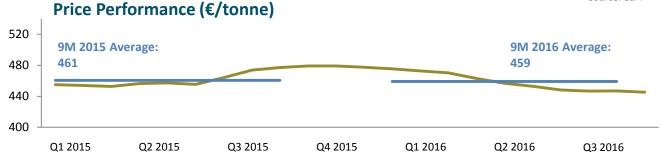


Demand remains solid with shipments similar to those recorded in previous years



**Shipments in Europe (Ktonne)** 

Average prices similar over the 9 months to last year

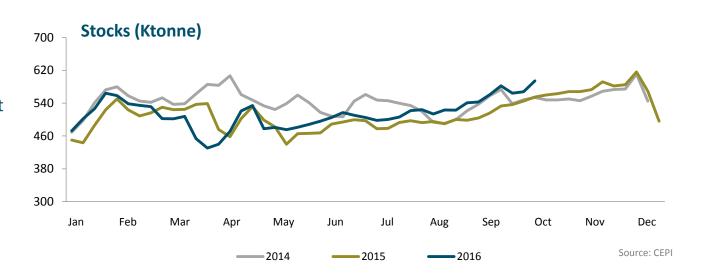


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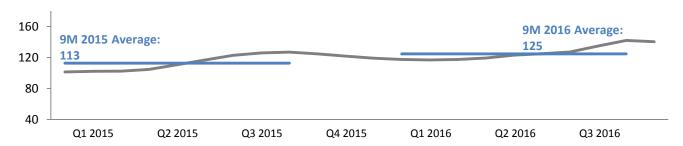
# **Recovered paper market**

The stocks of recovered paper have increased from minimum levels, registering higher levels than previous years as of August



- We have suffered a price rise in raw material over the quarter, but we have seen a fall of 5 euros in September and another fall in October of 10 euros in Spain, France and Portugal
- Raw material prices with downward pressure

#### **Price Performance (€/Kton)**



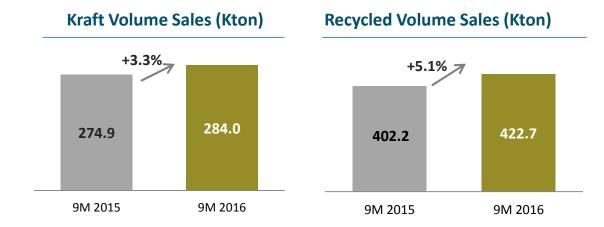
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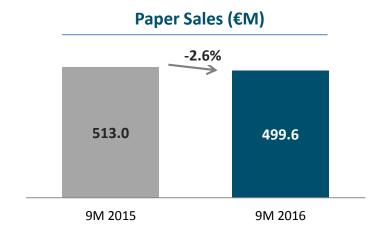


# **Paper Revenue**

- Rise in Kraft and recycled volumes vs 9M15 due to the improvement in productivity
- Increase in levels of efficiency achieved by paper machines

- **Paper sales** fell by 2.6% as a result of the performance of prices, which were partially offset by the increase in volumes.
- If we exclude the falls in energy prices, paper sales rose by 2.5%.



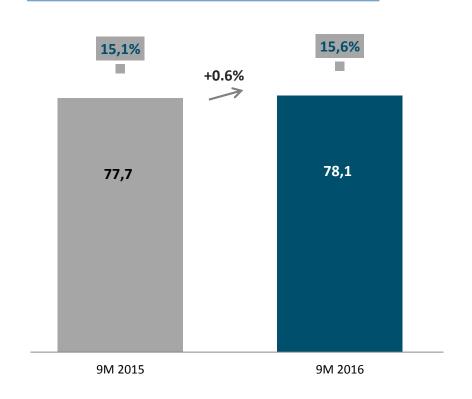




# **Paper EBITDA**

- The increase in volumes and improvements in management have led to growth in EBITDA of 0.6%, in a context of price and raw materials pressure.
- The management projects under EOS (Europac Operations System) and ESS (Europac Sales System) continue to have a positive impact on operational efficiency and margins, offsetting the effect of prices
- Reduction in unit costs as a result of the improvement in operations and lower energy costs

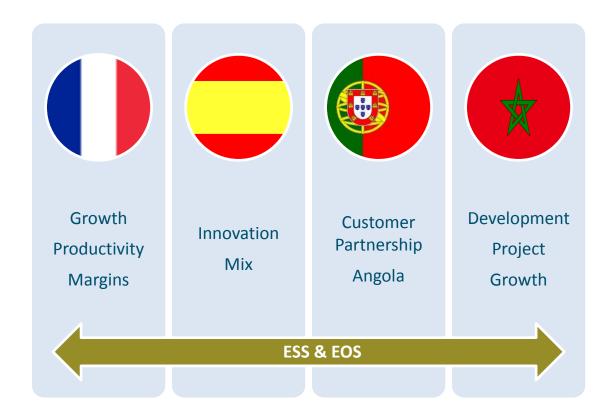
#### Paper EBITDA (€m) and Margins (%)





# **Packaging Revenue**

# Packaging Sales (€m) 301 300 9M 2015 9M 2016

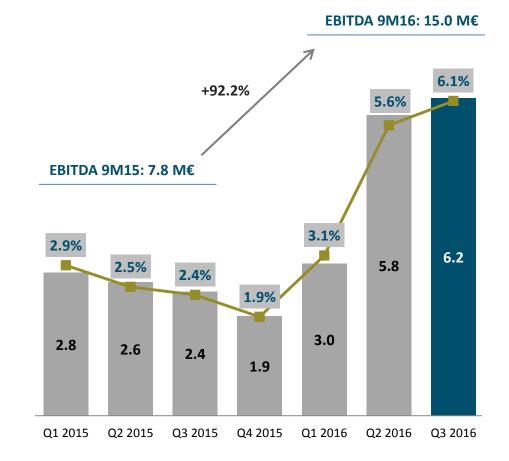


# **Packaging EBITDA**



#### Packaging EBITDA (€M) and Margin (%) Performance

- Growth in EBITDA of 92.2% vs 9M 2015
- Margin rises to 6.1% in 3Q 2016
- Improvement in management using the ESS and EOS programmes, focused on commercial and operating efficiency
- Strategy of changing customer mix
- Priority in executing added value projects to improve the margin, such as high-quality printing, logistics solutions and specialised structural design





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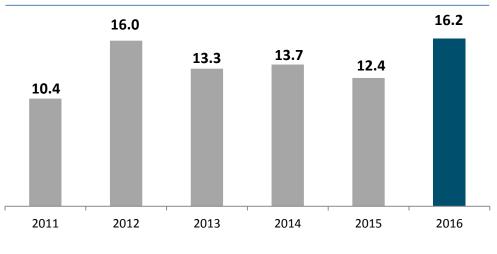
#### **DIVIDENDS**



### **Bonus** issue

- Board approval of the 1x25 bonus issue in November 2016
- **Dividend per share paid in 2016: €0.18**
- **Dividend: €16.2m** 
  - Interim dividend paid on 26 February: €4.8m
  - Dividend paid on 12 July: €11.4m

#### **Dividend Performance (€m)**



#### Pay-Out%



<sup>\*</sup>Dividend yield calculated at 30 June 2016



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