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# GF Corporation Investor Presentation

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### GF Corporation Performance further increased

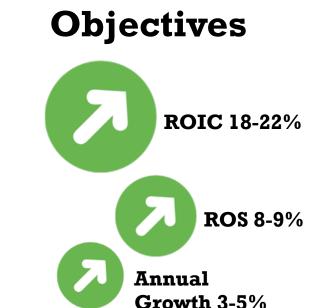


- Sales up 3% at CHF 3'744 million (up 2% organically)
- Operating result increased 5% to CHF 311 million for a 8.3% EBIT margin (8.1% in 2015)
- Earnings per share up 15% to CHF 53
- Free cash flow (before acquisitions/divestments) up 22% to CHF 231 million
- Dividend increase to CHF 20 per share proposed

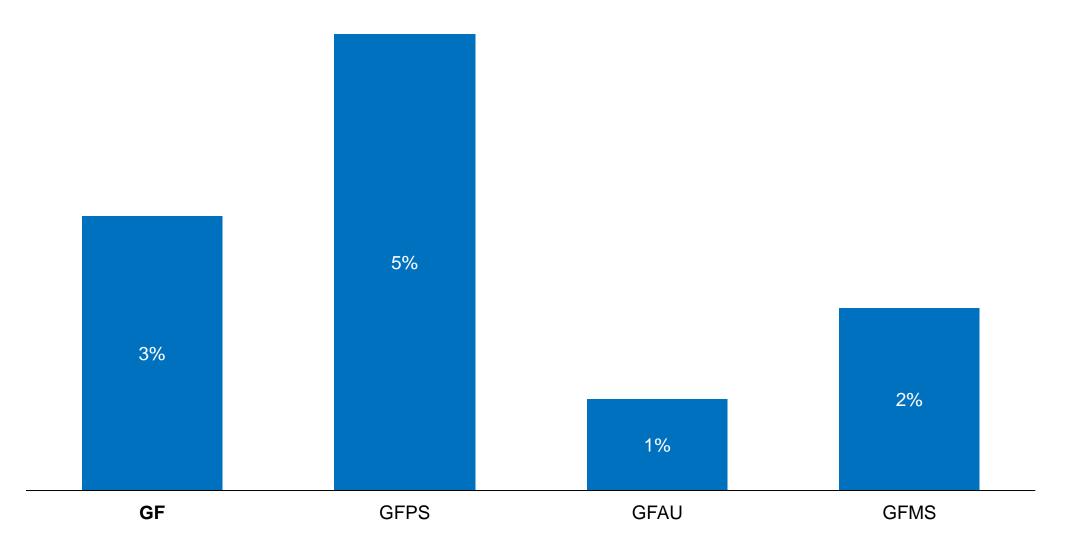
### GF Corporation Strategy 2020 – Profitable expansion

- Widen presence in growth markets, optimize productivity in Europe
- Shift divisions' portfolio to higher margin businesses
- Drive sales proficiency and innovation excellence

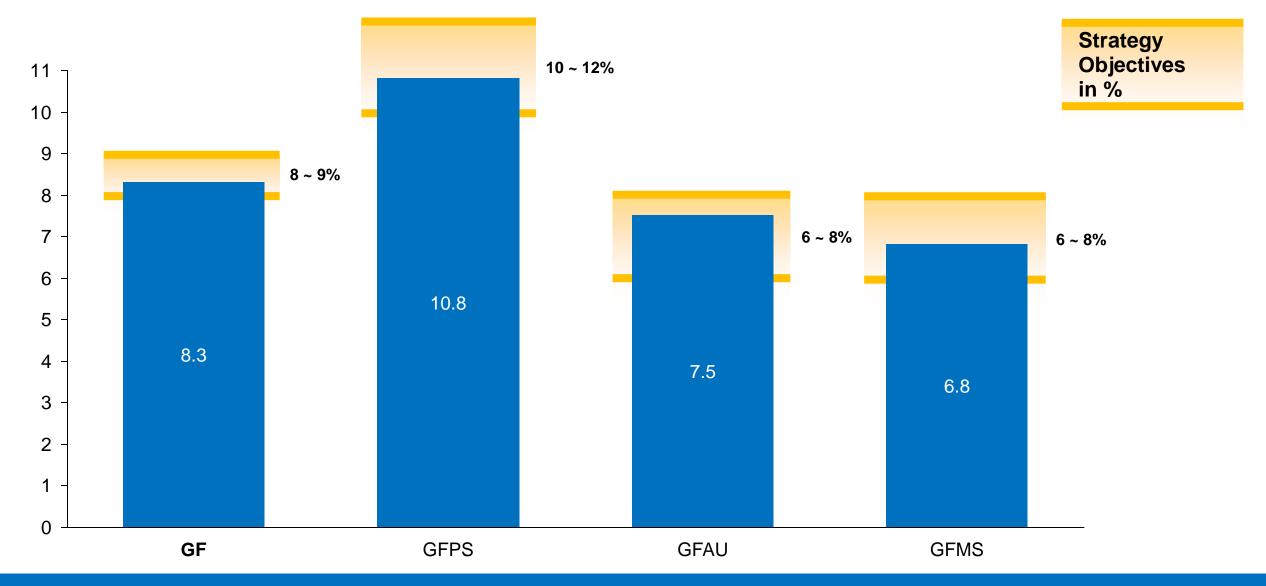




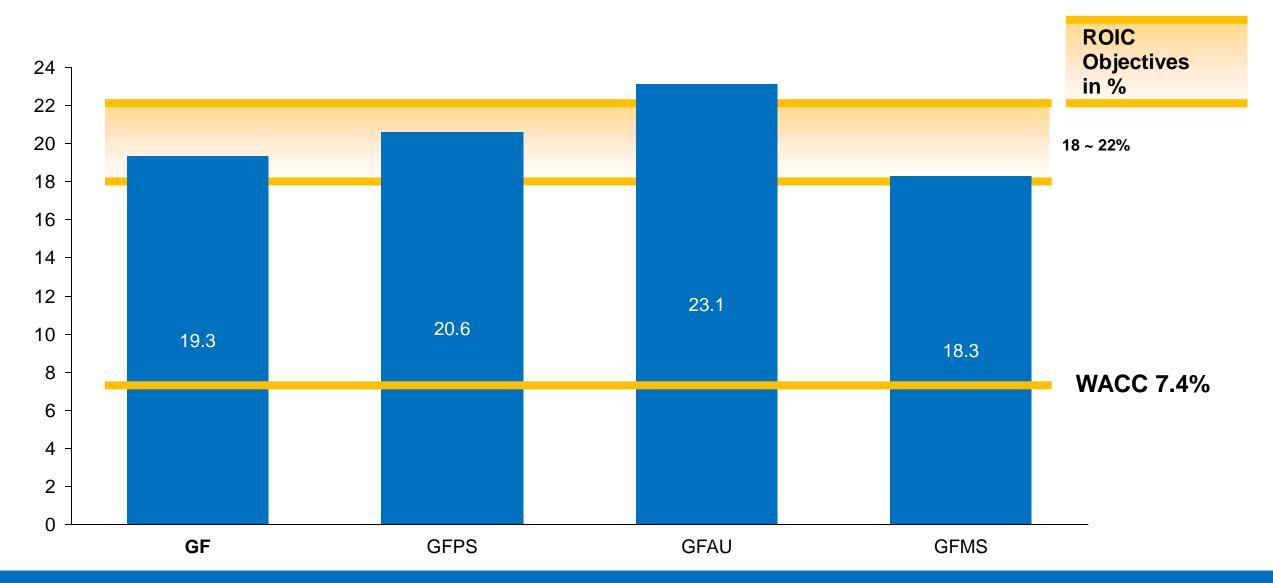
#### GF Corporation Sales growth in line with 2016-2020 objectives



#### **GF** Corporation **EBIT** margin on track at all three divisions



#### GF Corporation All divisions generate substantial value





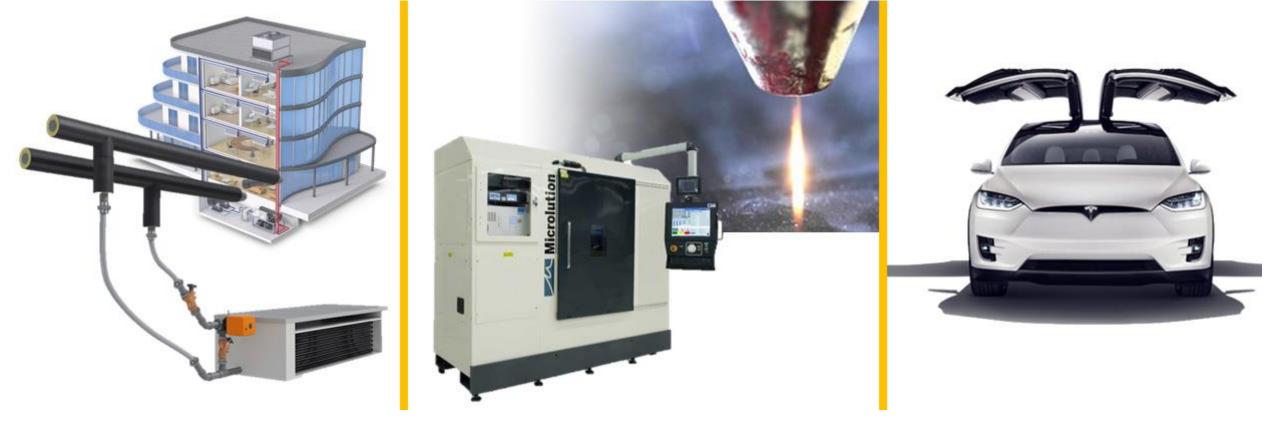
#### GF Corporation Optimize productivity in Europe/ Expand in growth markets



Automatize foundries in Europe

Acquisitions in Asia (PT Eurapipe, Indonesia)

#### GF Corporation Shift divisions portfolio to higher margin business



**Air-conditioning** 

Laser applications

**E-Mobility** 

#### GF Corporation Drive sales proficiency and innovation excellence



### GF Piping Systems **A strong performance across the board**

- Sales increased by 5% to CHF 1'494 million
- Strong demand for industrial applications worldwide
- Steady growth in Building Technology
- Utility sector sales stable despite oil/gas slump
- Three acquisitions support growth in key asian markets
- EBIT up 13% to CHF 162 million for a 10.8% ROS





World's tallest residential building (Mumbai, India)

#### GF Piping Systems Trend to sustainability spurs growth



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Potable water plant, City of Akron, Ohio, USA

#### GF Automotive Profitability up on lightweight focus

- Sales up 1% to CHF 1'335 million
- Orders for light metal components on the increase
- Iron casting business subdued in Europe, growing in China
- EBIT up 12% to CHF 100 million for a 7.5% ROS





Shock tower supply worldwide

#### GF Automotive Electric car business on the rise





Battery housing



**Renault Captur** 

#### GF Machining Solutions Resilient amid uneven markets



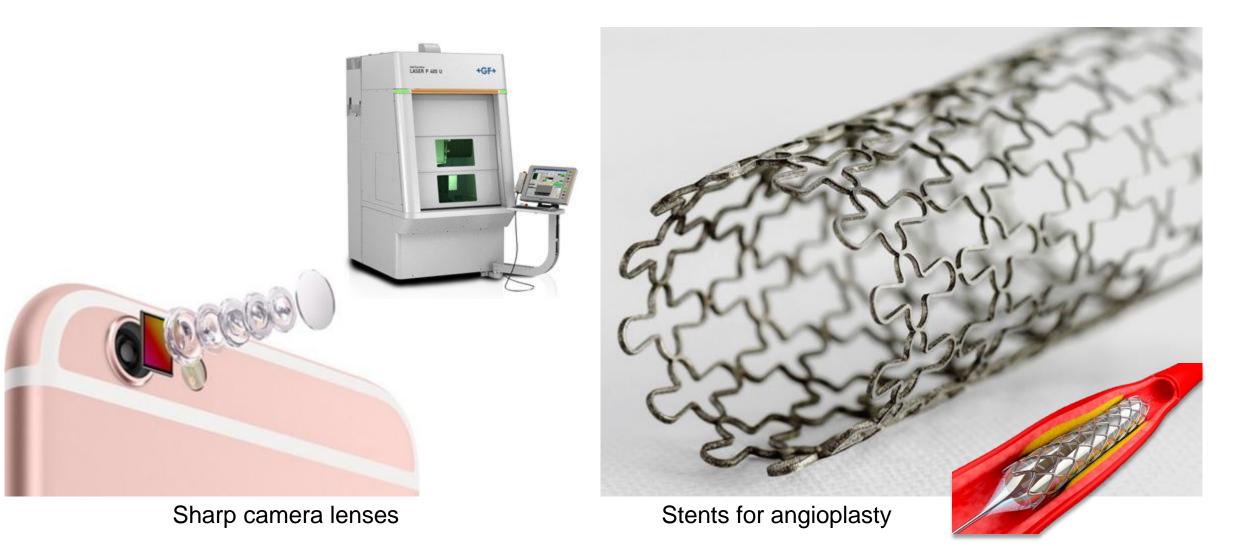
- Sales up 2% to CHF 916 million
- Healthy demand in aerospace and medical sectors
- Electronics sector softened in 2nd half-year
- Promising acquisition of US micro-laser specialist
- EBIT of CHF 62 million at previous year's level\* for a 6.8% ROS



Aerospace components

\*Adjusted for one-off effects

#### GF Machining Solutions Advanced technologies open new markets





### **Consolidated financial statements**

### GF Corporation Sales by division

CHF million

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	2016	2015	growth	organic growth <sup>1)</sup>
GF Piping Systems	1'494	1'417	5.4 %	5.0 %
GF Automotive	1'335	1'321	1.1 %	-0.3 %
GF Machining Solutions	916	902	1.6 %	-0.3 %
Corporation	3'744	3'640	2.9 %	1.8 %
Sales 1st Semester	1'863	1'802	3.4 %	1.5 %
Sales 2nd Semester	1'881	1'838	2.3 %	2.0 %

1) Adjusted for changes in scope of consolidation and stated at previous year's foreign exchange rates.

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GF Automotive adjusted for metal price effects	3.3 %
Corporation adjusted for metal price effects	3.0 %

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#### GF Corporation EBIT and margin by division



CHF million	EBIT margin %			rgin %
	2016	2015	2016	2015
GF Piping Systems	162	143	10.8 %	10.1 %
GF Automotive	100	89	7.5 %	6.7 %
GF Machining Solutions	62	78	6.8 %	8.6 %
Corporation	311	296	8.3 %	8.1 %

EBIT 1st Semester	153	128	8.2 %	7.1 %
EBIT 2nd Semester	158	168	8.4 %	9.1 %

#### GF Corporation Currency impact on Sales/EBIT



CHF million

2016	Sales	EBIT
EUR	39	-
USD	17	3
CNY	-23	-3
Others	-14	-4
Total currency impact	19	-4

### GF Corporation **Income statement**



CHF million	2016	2015	$\Delta$
Sales	3'744	3'640	3 %
Gross value added	1'421	1'347	5 %
Personnel expenses	-978	-925	6 %
EBITDA	443	422	5 %
Depreciation, amortization	-132	-126	5 %
EBIT	311	296	5 %
Financial result	-31	-48	-35 %
Ordinary result	280	248	13 %
Non-operating result	1	3	-67 %
Profit before taxes	281	251	12 %
Income taxes	-56	-53	6 %
Net profit	225	198	14 %
thereof own interests	216	188	15 %
thereof non-controlling interests	9	10	-10 %

### GF Corporation Balance Sheet: Assets



CHF million

	2016	%	2015	%
Cash, cash equivalents and marketable securities	579		559	
Trade accounts receivable	666		640	
Inventories	673		640	
Other current assets	106		95	
Current assets	2'024	63	1'934	63
Property, plant, and equipment	1'063		1'027	
Intangible assets	25		26	
Deferred tax assets	80		83	
Other financial assets	10		13	
Non-current assets	1'178	37	1'149	37
Assets	3'202	100	3'083	100

#### **GF Corporation Balance Sheet: Liabilities and equity**

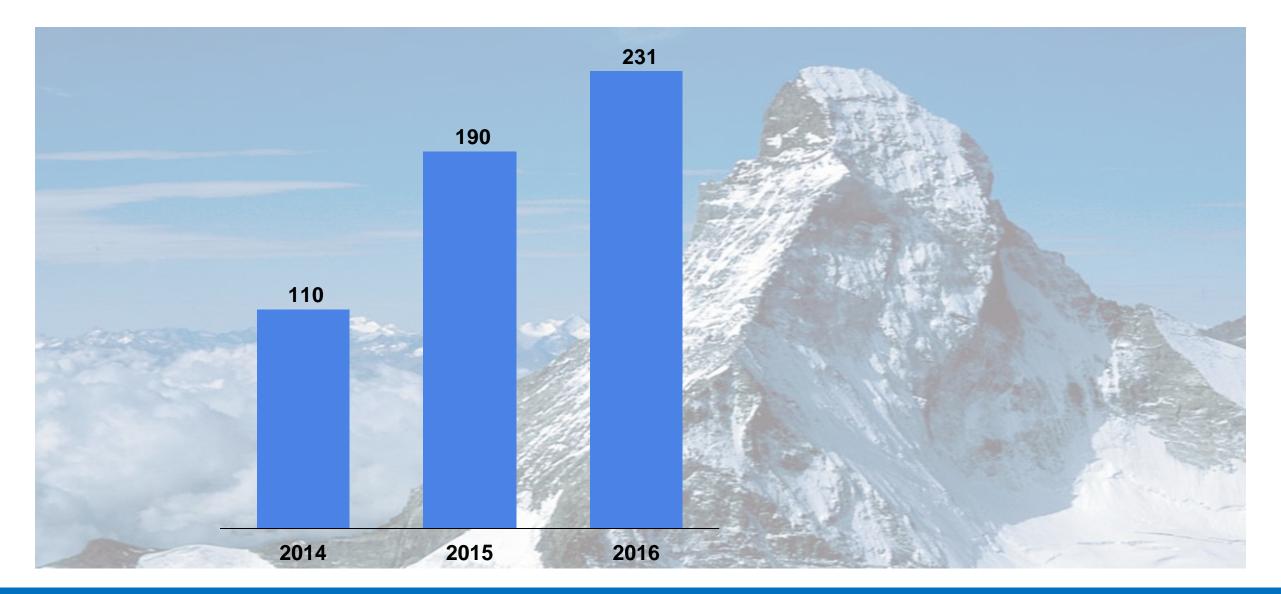


CHF million

	2016	%	2015	%
Current liabilities	1'067		1'221	
Non-current liabilities	935		732	
Liabilities	2'002	63	1'953	63
Share capital	4		4	
Capital reserves	24		24	
Treasury shares	-10		-6	
Retained earnings	1'138		1'059	
Non-controlling interests	44		49	
Equity	1'200	37	1'130	37
Liabilities and equity	3'202	100	3'083	100

#### GF Corporation Free cash flow before acq./div. up by 22%





### GF Corporation **Free cash flow**



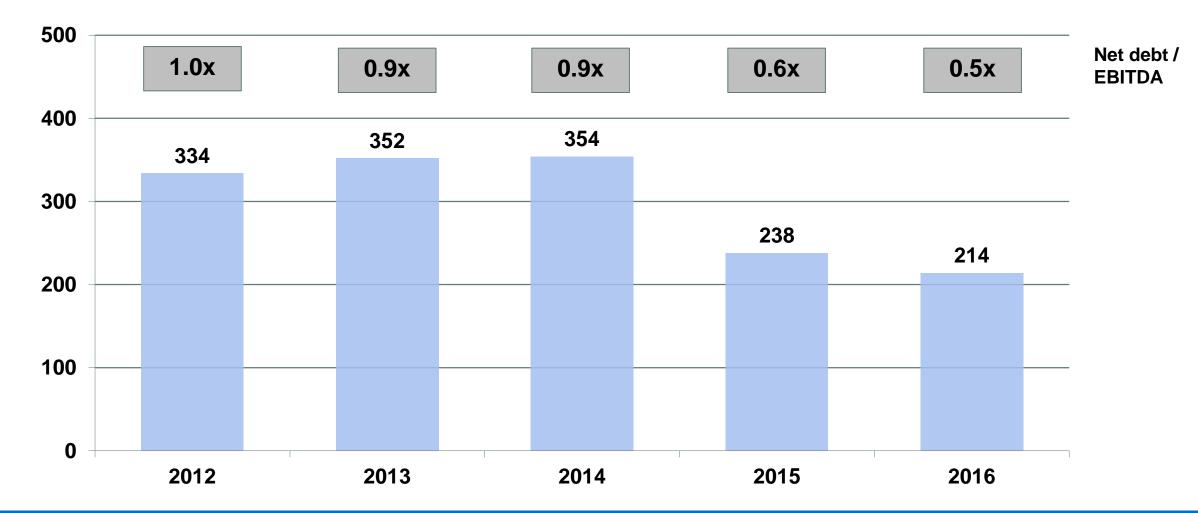
CHF million

	2016	2015
EBITDA	443	422
Changes in net working capital	-24	-21
Income taxes/interest paid	-72	-77
Other changes	53	4
Cash flow from operating activities	400	328
Additions to property, plant, and equipment	-174	-167
Cash flow from acquisitions/divestitures	-96	-2
Other additions/disposals, net	5	29
Cash flow from investing activities	-265	-140
Free cash flow	135	188
Free cash flow before acquisitions/divestitures	231	190

### GF Corporation Net debt

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#### CHF million



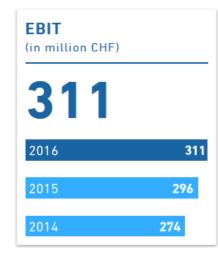
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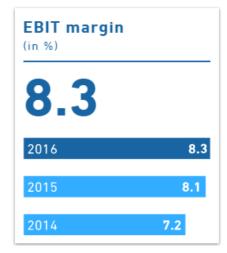


	2016	2015
ROIC in %	19.3	18.9
Return on Equity in %	19.3	17.7
Earnings per share in CHF	53	46
Dividend (proposed) per share in CHF	20	18
Number of employees (incl. trainees)	14'808	14'424

#### GF Corporation Our new "online" report highlights performance increase













### Outlook 2017

### GF Corporation Outlook 2017



- New businesses and recent acquisitions to support growth at GF Piping Systems
- A promising order book at GF Automotive and GF Machining Solutions core segments
- Implementation of strategic thrusts to start bearing fruits

Further performance increase expected in line with our 2020 strategic goals



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