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CEO since 2000 **Javier Molina CEO**



CFO since 2014 **Wolf Lehmann CFO**; including responsibilities for **Operational Excellence and IT**



Since 2008 Rafael Pérez **Director of**

Leading the company since 1994

- 20+ years in finance and operational leadership roles
- 50/50 General Electric / **Private Equity**

 Director of Investor Relations and Strategy of Befesa since 2008

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Befesa Overview

(Investment Highlights)

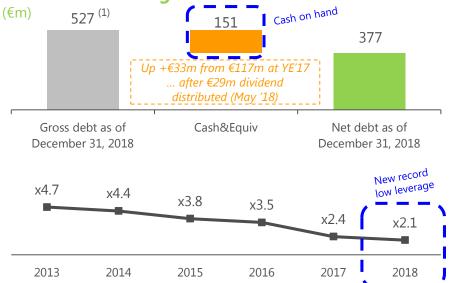
- Record volumes in both core segments:

 Steel dust throughput at 718kt (+8.6% YoY); Salt slags & SPL at 517kt (+1.4% YoY)
- Delivered earnings at upper end of latest guidance range: EBITDA +2.1% YoY to €176.0m; EBIT +2.1% YoY to €147.0m
- Strongly improved net profit to €90.2m, up €40.9m or 83.1% YoY; Targeting 50% dividend distribution equal to €1.32 per share
- Cash generation: Up €33m YoY to €151m cash at YE 2018; Leverage reduced to x2.1 vs. x2.4 YE 2017 ... Triggering next interest reduction of 25bps to E+225bps
- Befesa's rating upgraded by Moody's (from Ba3 to Ba2, outlook stable) and S&P (from BB- to BB, outlook stable)
 - Execution of organic growth projects on track;
 China: Developing 1st steel dust recycling plant; Operations start expected for H2'20



Leverage further reduced to x2.1 at YE'18 (x2.4 at YE'17) triggering additional 25 bps interest rate reduction to E +225 bps; Cash up €33m YoY to €151m

Net debt & leverage rate evolution



Credit ratings for Befesa S.A.

Oct 2017 (Pre-IPO)		Dec 2017	Dec 2018	
Moody's	В2	Ba3 (Outlook positive)	Ba2 (Outlook stable)	
S&P	В	BB- (Outlook stable)	BB (Outlook stable) /	

2018 EBITDA to total cash flow – main drivers

Total Cash Flow	€33	→ Record €151 cash & x2.1 leverage
Dividends	€-29	Turkey plant upgrade (65kt → 110kt) Paid in May 2018
CapEx & other investing activities	€-40	Regular annual maintenance spend; Growth: Alu furnace upgrades Spain &
Interest & other(2)	€-15	Reduced ~60% YoY; Improving further
Taxes	€-25	Nominal 25% vs. Cash tax rate <20%
WC change & other	€-33	€15 less factoring & confirming YoY; €9 less Accounts Payables (hedging accrual from €10 to €1); €6 IPO/Dual track related 1-time costs accrued at YE'17; paid out at 2018
EBITDA	€176	+€3.6 / +2.1% YoY
(€m)		



(€m)



⁽¹⁾ Gross debt at YE'18 includes approx. €7m under current financial indebtedness (mainly accrued bi-annual interests of term loan B paid in Jan'19)

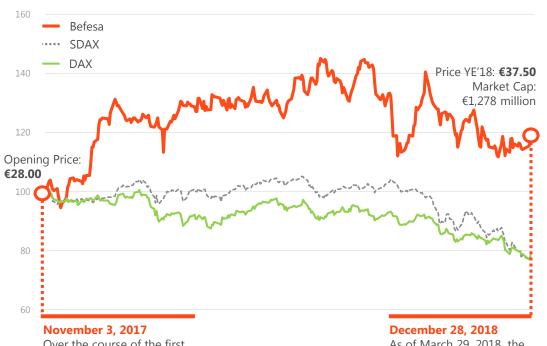
⁽²⁾ At YE'18, €13.8m of interests (approximately €7m accrued for bi-annual interest payment in Jan'19) and €0.9m of debt repayment & FX rate cash effects



Share Performance / Ownership Overview

Befesa's share price has developed positively since the IPO outperforming DAX / SDAX indices; Free-float increased to 68.1%

Performance of Befesa Share vs. Market⁽¹⁾



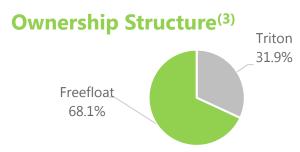
Over the course of the first

day of trading, the share price rose more than 13%, closing at €31.77

As of March 29, 2018, the share price amounted to €37.50. This is an increase of 33.9% since November 3. 2017, compared to the issue price

Key Highlights

- Befesa share developed positively, closing 2018 at €37.50, up by 34% (vs. the issue price) backed by strong operational performance
- Befesa shares outperformed the benchmark stock market indices DAX as well as SDAX since IPO
- Strong broker consensus with 6 brokers giving a **buy recommendation**; **1 neutral**⁽²⁾
- In 2019, Befesa targets to distribute dividends at 50% of net reported profit for FY 2018 of **€90.2m** ... dividend distribution would amount to €45.1m or €1.32 / share → at 2018 closing price of €37.50 / share, would represent a dividend yield of 3.5%







Hedging up to July '21 improves earnings & cash flows visibility for next 3 years







- Hedges in place until & incl. July 2021
- Majority of hedges Euro based
- Befesa providing no collateral



Expecting to continue record high utilization levels in both core segments; Steel Dust >90% and Salt Slags >95%. Volume overall stable YoY



Targeting continued EBITDA growth; Primarily driven by improved hedged zinc prices YoY, limited by higher treatment charges in the zinc industry expected in 2019



Funding top 5 growth projects and 1st plant in China with ~€75m expansion CapEx in 2019; Maintenance / Productivity / IT / Other CapEx ~ similar to 2018



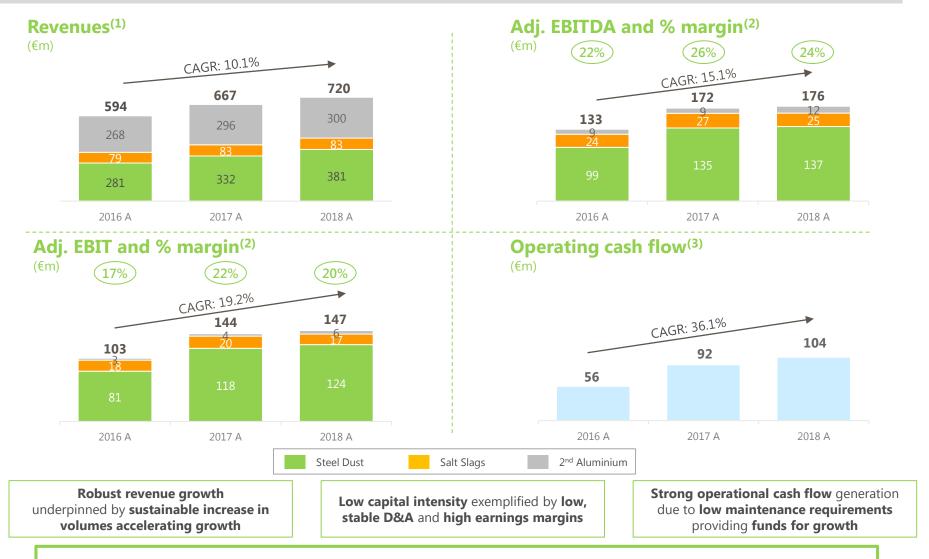
Maintaining dividend policy of distributing 40 to 50% of net profit



Planning for stable leverage at approx. current levels

Financial Trend





Continue profitable growth trend ... strong operational cash flow funds growth initiatives

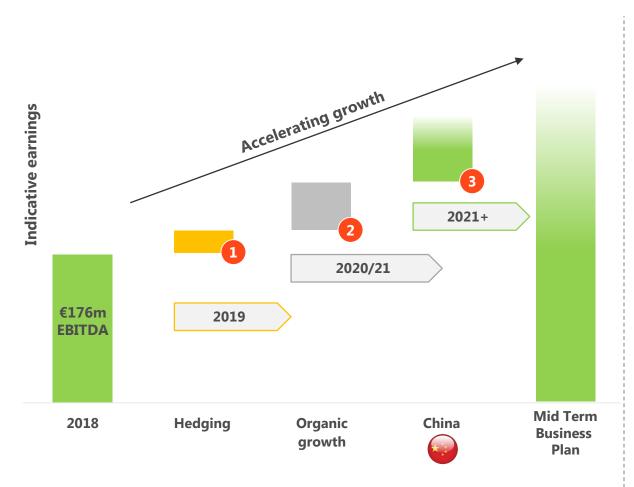
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3 China

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Signed agreement with Jiangsu Changzhou Economic Development Zone and purchasing land use right; Developing 1st steel dust recycling plant ...



- ✓ Chinese government continues to strengthen environmental regulations
- ✓ Steel dust has been classified as hazardous waste
- ➤ Steel production from Electric Arc Furnaces growing and estimated to reach ~200 million tons by 2030

... Befesa investing in proven state-of-the-art 110,000 tons facility; Expecting to complete ramp up of operations in H2 2020

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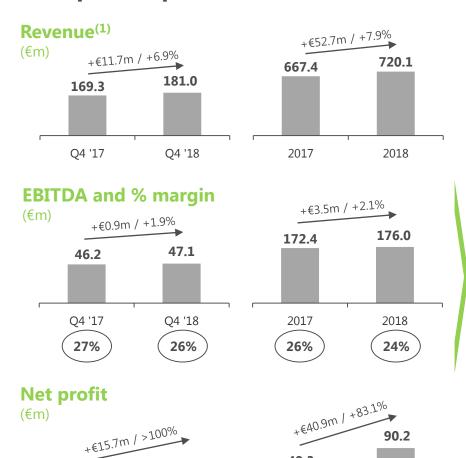
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Befesa Overview

(Investment Highlights)



EBITDA +2%, in line with latest guidance, to €176m EBITDA; Net profit up 83% to €90m YoY ... Record volumes in both core businesses



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11.6

04 '17

Highlights

- 2018 revenue up 8% YoY on a comparable basis to €720.1m primarily due to:
 - **Record volumes** in **core** businesses: **EAFD throughput** at 718kt (+8.6%); **Salt slags & SPL** at 517kt (+1.4%)
 - **Flat blended zinc prices**: €2,168/t ´18 vs €2,160 ´17 (+0.4%)
 - Revenue increase partially offset by:

 (i) lower volumes in 2nd Aluminium sub-segment (-8% YoY); due to downtimes in connection with furnace upgrades (Bilbao & Barcelona), which will contribute to future earnings growth;
 - (ii) **lower aluminium alloys** average **market prices**: from €1,766/t to €1,715/t (-3%)
- Earnings in line with latest guidance and at new record levels: EBITDA at €176.0m (+2.1%) / 24% EBITDA margin; EBIT at €147.0m (+2.1%) / 20% EBIT margin; Note: Stainless €-4m YoY from downtimes to upgrade operations to latest technical requirements.
- Strong and significant improved net profit of €90.2m (+€40.9m / +83.1% YoY); corresponding improved EPS;
 Targeting 50% dividend distribution equal to €1.32 / share

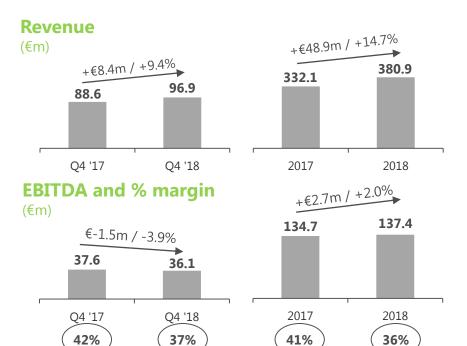
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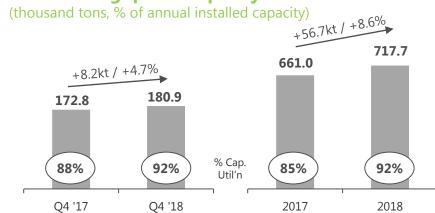
2018 EBITDA growth +2% YoY driven by record throughput volumes, partially offset by Stainless



Highlights

- FY / Q4 revenue up 15% / 9% respectively driven by 11% / 17% higher WOX sold to new annual record of 240.9kt (2017: 217.8kt)
- FY / Q4 EBITDA impacted by Stainless earnings loss (FY: €-4m; Q4 €-1.5m YoY) from downtimes to implement improvements
- Strong growth in Korea impacts EBITDA Mix due to WOX currently sold "Unwashed" and Higher SEA Transport Cost

EAFD throughput & capacity utilization



- >70% EAFD throughput increase YoY driven by Korea
- Turkey fully utilized with capacity upgrade started end of Jan 2019 (65kt to 110kt)
- Europe stable and growing ~with GDP

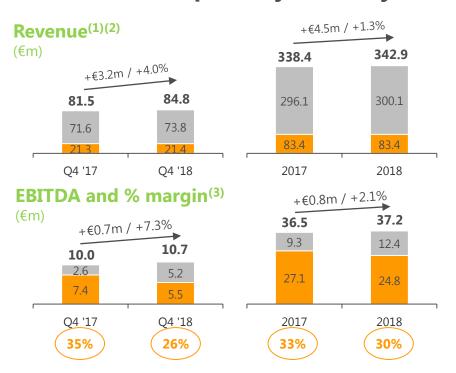
Prices (€ per ton)	Q4 2017	Q4 2018	% Var.	2017	2018	% Var.
Befesa blended(*) zinc price (€/t)	2,210	2,191	-0.9%	2,160	2,168	+0.4%
LME avg. price (€/t)	2,749	2,305	-16%	2,572	2,468	-4%

^(*) Blended rate between hedged prices and average spot prices, weighted by the respective hedged and non-hedged volumes, reflecting the effective price to Befesa



Aluminium Salt Slags Recycling Services

Solid EBITDA at €37.2m (+2.1%) driven by improved metal margin in 2nd Aluminium partially offset by lower aluminium alloy volumes & prices

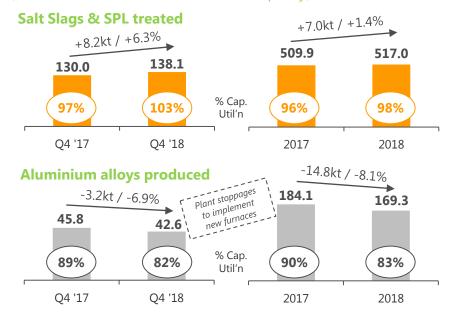


Highlights

- 2nd Alu: FY/Q4 revenue up 1%/3% YoY mainly driven by higher revenue from tech. & equip. services partially offset by: (i) vol. decrease (-8%/-7%) due to stoppages to implement new furnaces; (ii) lower alu prices (-3%/-14%); FY/Q4 EBITDA up €3m driven by improving metal margins
- **Salt Slags & SPL**: FY/Q4 revenue flat; FY/Q4 EBITDA down €2m YoY mainly due to decreased aluminium prices

Volumes & capacity utilization

(thousand tons, % of annual installed capacity)



Prices (€ per ton)	Q4 2017	Q4 2018	% Var.	2017	2018	% Var.
Aluminium alloy avg. price (*) (€/t)	1,753	1,508	-14%	1,766	1,715	-3%

(*) Aluminium Scrap and Foundry Ingots Aluminium pressure diecasting ingot DIN226/A380 European Metal Bulletin Free Market Duty paid delivered works

Salt Slags sub-segment
Secondary Aluminium sub-segment

⁽¹⁾ Total revenue after inter-segment eliminations (2) Reported revenues in Q4 2017: €79.2m; full year 2017: €353.5m; Figures shown on charts are comparable figures after amendment IFRS 15 (3) Adjusted EBIT(DA) margins refer to the Salt Slags sub-segment

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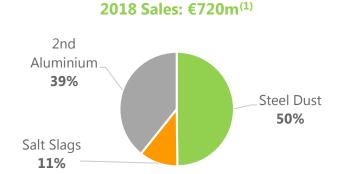
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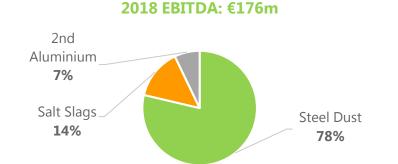
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Befesa – European market leader in providing mission critical hazardous waste recycling services to the steel and aluminium industry

BEFESA





+90% EBITDA generated from two core >30% EBITDA margin operations with low capital intensity





Source: Company information, International Consulting Firm based on i.a. World Steel Association's Steel Statistical Yearbooks, WBMS, industry research, expert Interviews.

⁽¹⁾ Excluding internal sales; sales split is calculated on revenues including internal revenues. (2) Including stainless steel.



Befesa has grown successfully through organic initiatives and acquisitions

Founded in Germany

1987

Metallgesellschaft, German industrial conglomerate, creates Berzelius Umwelt Service (B.U.S)

1993

B.U.S AB, together with two other companies, group their environmental assets in Spain creating Berzelius Felguera (Befesa)

1998

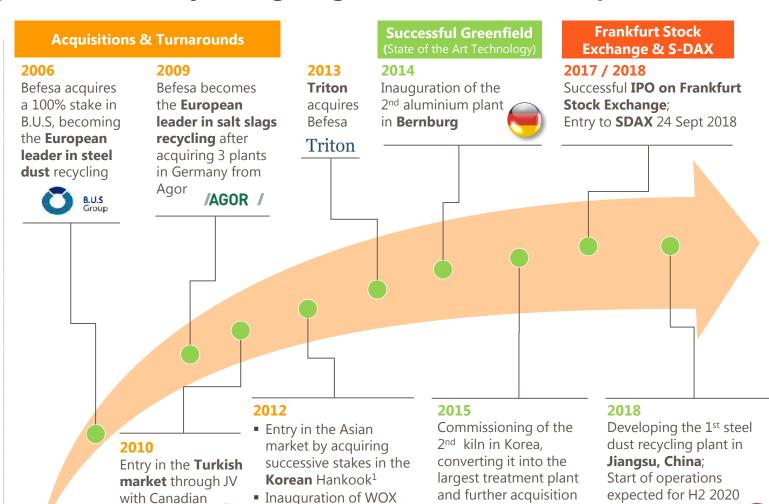
Befesa IPO at the Madrid and Bilbao Stock Exchanges

2000

Abengoa acquires a 51% stake in Befesa from B.U.S to develop its nvironmental services business (stake increased over time)

2011

Delisting from the Madrid and Bilbao Stock Exchanges



washing plant at

Gravelines

Entered 2 New Markets Through a JV &

Acquisition with a Subsequent Turnaround

Silvermet

of stakes

Successful

Expansion in Korea

Source: Company information. (1) Befesa subsequently acquired 100%.

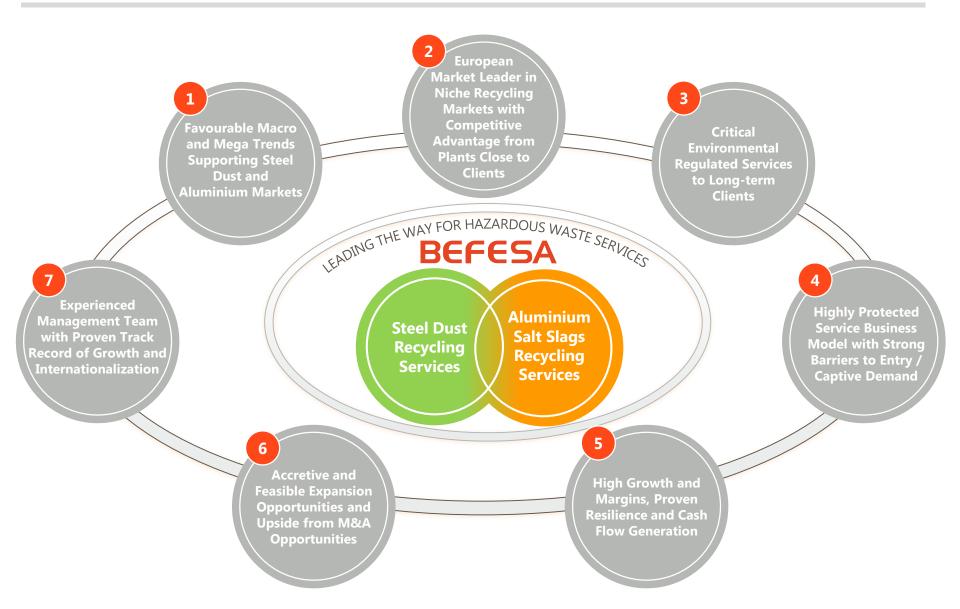
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Expanding into China

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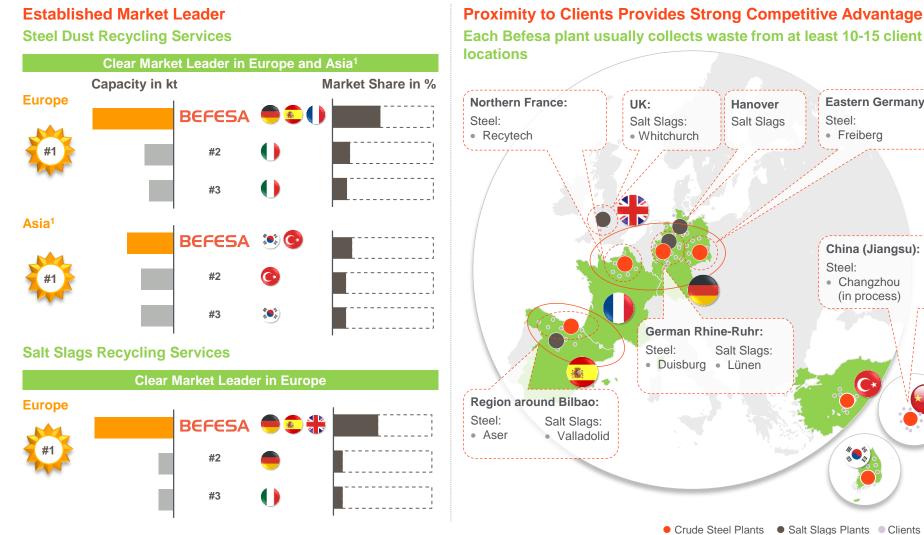


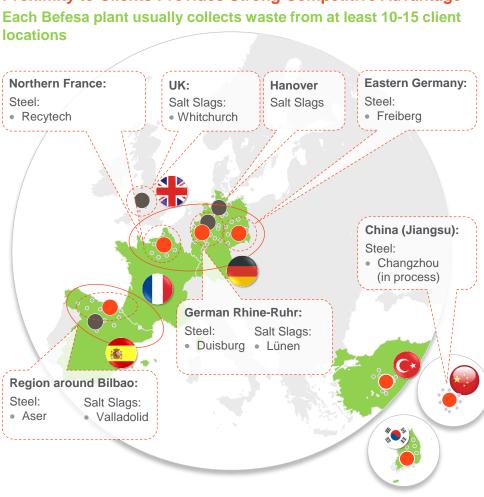




2 Market Leader and Close Proximity to Clients

Befesa is the market leader in steel dust and salt slags recycling services with a competitive advantage due to its close proximity to key clients

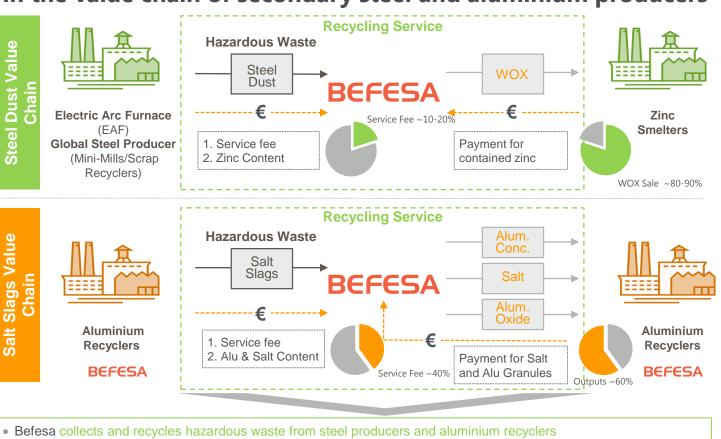








Befesa offers a crucial service taking care of highly regulated hazardous waste in the value chain of secondary steel and aluminium producers



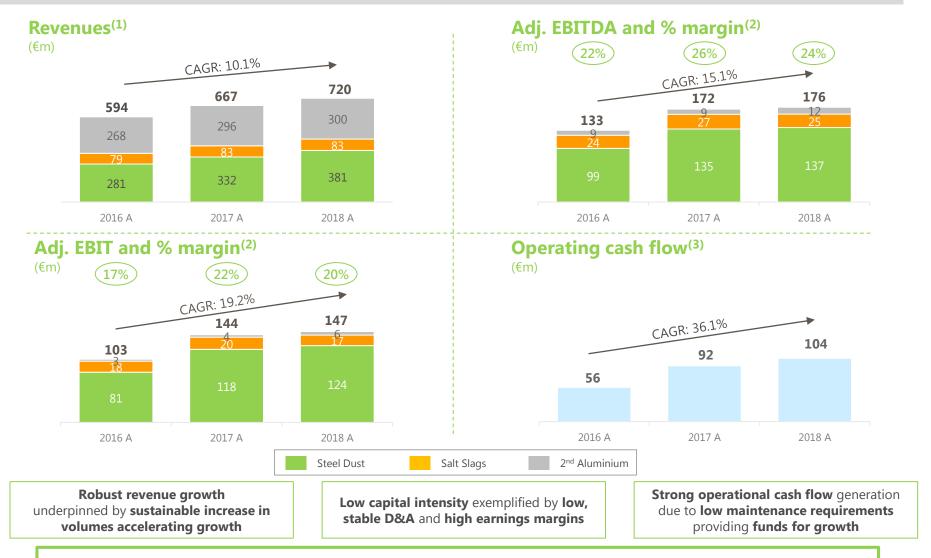
- Recycling is mandatory for Befesa's clients due to environmental regulations
- Befesa takes off and effectively takes care of environmental liability for their clients
- Without timely and regulatory compliant offtake of hazardous waste clients face risk of complete shut-down of production as well as severe penalty payments
- Befesa therefore offers a critical element of its clients value chain

Consequences of **Non-Compliance**

- Major European steel producer struggles with large plant (producing 8% of European steel) due to breaching environmental regulations (contamination of environment)
- Court ordered to partly shut down the plant
- Owner prompted to invest \$3.8bn to bring the plant back to required standards
- In 2002 the owners of a metal foundry in Italy faced prison time for illegal transport and landfilling of hazardous waste
- In 2004 a big aluminium refinery in Italy abandoned 450kt of hazardous waste in the open air over half an hectare
- More than 10 years later the local administration is still collecting funds to proceed to the removal and cleaning of the area
- In 2011 a big producer of aluminium alloys in Spain was involved in the transport without authorisation and illegal landfilling of 1.5kt of salt slags on a vacant lot
- Befesa was ultimately contracted to treat the waste properly







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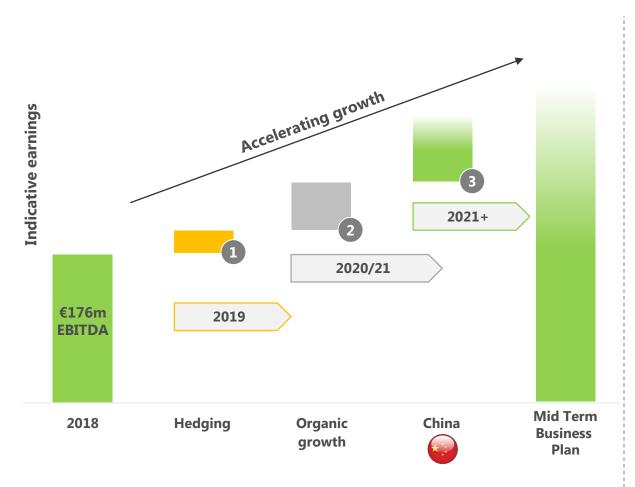
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Experienced Management Team

Senior management team delivering results through long standing industry expertise, entrepreneurial spirit and focus on operational excellence as well as governance and compliance processes



Javier Molina CEO

Wolf Lehmann CFO: including responsibilities for Operational **Excellence and IT**

Federico Barredo

Recycling Services

Aluminium Salt Slags

Vice President

Key Achievements/Track Record



Extensive experience in steel and aluminium recycling business



Strong performance results through focus on operational excellence



Building strong business foundation of ESG, compliance and health & safety processes



Successful international expansion



Track record of successful acquisitions and turnarounds (BUS, Agor, Alcasa, Hankook, Silvermet etc.)



Experience in developing greenfield projects (South Korea, Gravelines, Bernburg)

CEO since 2000

Has run Befesa for >15 Years **Became President of Abengoa's Environmental Services Division** in 1994



Asier Zarraonandia Vice President Steel Dust **Recycling Services**



Has run the Steel Dust Recycling **Services Business for > 10 Years**



CFO since 2014

20+ years in finance and

operational leadership roles

50/50 General Electric / Private Equity

25 years with Befesa

Has run the Aluminium Salt Slags Recycling Service Business for >15 Years





Financial Calendar

✓ Tuesday, February 26, 2019: Preliminary Earnings Release 2018 & Analyst Call

✓ Thursday, March 21, 2019: Annual Report 2018

Wednesday, May 8, 2019: Q1 2019 Statement & Analyst Call

Wednesday, June 19, 2019:
Annual General Meeting in Luxembourg

Friday, July 26, 2019: H1 2019 Interim Report & Analyst Call

Thursday, October 31, 2019: Q3 2019 Statement & Analyst Call

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Copenhagen, Corporate Conference Copenhagen

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Paris, Annual Small & Midcap Conference

May 21-23, 2019 – Berenberg New York, US Conference 2019

June 5-7, 2019 – Deutsche Bank Berlin, dbAccess Conference

June 11-13, 2019 – Stifel
Boston, 2019 Cross Sector Insight Conference

August 27-29, 2019 – Commerzbank Frankfurt, Sector Conference 2019

September 10-12, 2019 – J.P. Morgan London, Pan European Small & Mid-Caps

September 19-20, 2019 – Citi London, SMID/Growth Conference 2019

September 23-25, 2019 – Goldman Sachs & Berenberg Munich, 8th German Corporate Conference

November 13-14, 2019 – Goldman Sachs London, 8th Global Natural Resources Conference

December 2-5, 2019 – Berenberg London/Pennyhill Ascot, European Conference 2019