# CAREL INDUSTRIES S.p.A. FY Results 2018

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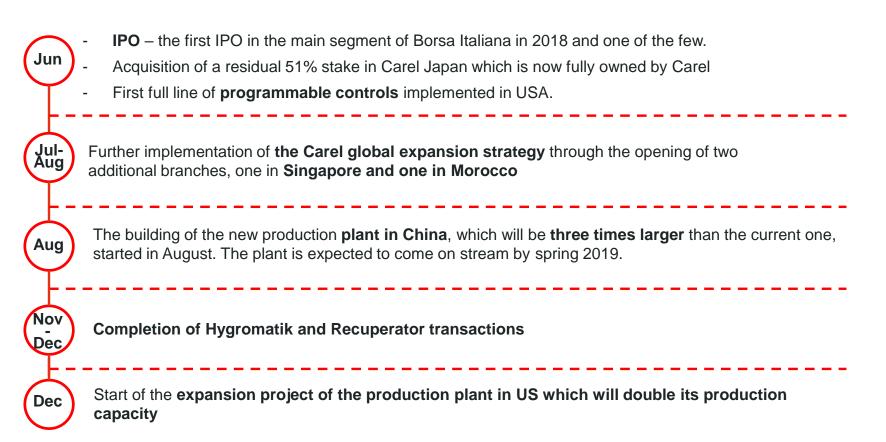
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#### 2018 - Main achievements



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### 2018 – Implementation of the strategic guide-lines

2018 results highlights: +9.7% in Revenue; 19.7% EBITDA Margin adj.; +18.9% Net profit adj. Thanks to the implementation of CAREL's strategic guidelines.



CAREL reported a significant growth in revenues (+8.9%) net of Hygromatik/Recuperator contribution thanks to its ability to:

- take advantage from **cross-selling and up-selling** activity, offering the most advanced solutions in its niches.
- leverage its direct and skilled sales-force in order to increase its market share.



Completion of two important transactions, 100% share capital of Hygromatik and Recuperator:

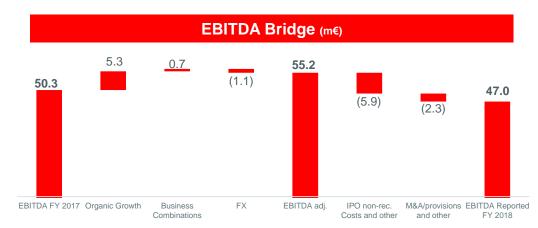
- Hygromatik will help to increase the Group's market share in humidification sector in German-speaking countries
- Recuperator will enable the Group to improve its positioning in AHUs sector



The Company is **extremely focused** on the **development of digital services** linked to CAREL's hardware and expertise in thermodynamics. A number of pilot projects have already been launched and **their "Go-to-market" phase is expected to be implemented in 2019**.

### FY 2018 – Growth expectations confirmed

KPIs						
m€	FY 2017	FY 2018	∆%			
Revenue	255.4	280.2	9.7%			
Revenue FX Adj. <sup>(1) (3)</sup>	255.4	284.6	11.4%			
EBITDA	50.3	47.0	-6.7%			
EBITDA Adj. <sup>(2)</sup>	50.9	55.2	8.5%			
EBITDA adj./Revenue	19.9%	19.7%				
Net Profit	31.2	30.8	-1.3%			
Net Profit Adj. <sup>(2)</sup>	31.5	37.5	18.9%			
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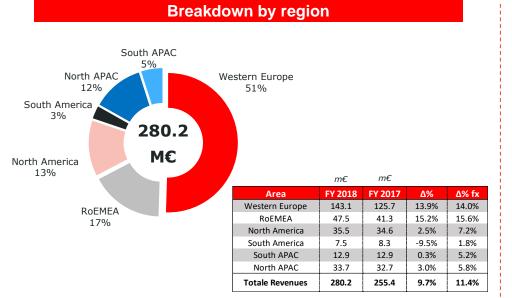
- Revenue +9.7% (+11.4% Adj): The steady growth in revenue thoughout 2018 (which would have been +11.4% net of FX impact) is linked to the deployment of CAREL's strategy and includes 2.1m€ from Recuperator/Hygromatik consolidation.
- EBITDA adj. +8.5%: the growth achieved in the first half of the year is also substantially confirmed in the second halfyear with a profitability in line with 2017 in spite of higher recurring costs (IPO; production footprint expansion, FX, etc).
- Net Profit adj. +18.9%: The bottom line is positively impacted by the operating results together with a lower tax-rate compared to 2017, the latter benefitting from a number of non-recurring elements (patent-box contribution for ~2.1m€)
- Capex >80%: International footprint expansion plan on track, resulting in a Capex growth higher than 80%
- Dividend: Dividend proposal equal to 0.1€ per share, with a pay-out ratio of approx. 30%

(1)Net of FX impact

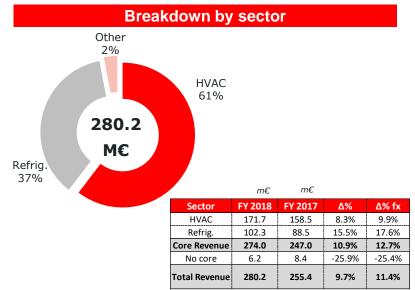
<sup>(2)</sup>Net of IPO/M&A and other non-recurring costs <sup>(3)</sup>Including 2.1m€ contribution from Hygromatik/Recuperator and 3.0m€ from Alfaco

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#### FY 2018 – Revenue breakdowns



- Net of FX impact, **revenue grew in all the geographical areas** with a double-digit growth in Europe thanks also to high-efficiency components, which drove the cross-selling and up-selling activities.
- In the second part of the year, recovery in the sales trend in US, South America and South APAC



- Net of the expected sales reduction in the lowprofitability no-core sector, the growth would have been 10.9% (+12.7% excl. FX impact).
- Significant growth in the refrigeration sector both in absolute (+13.8m€) and in percentage terms (+17.6%)\*

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(\*)Net of FX impact

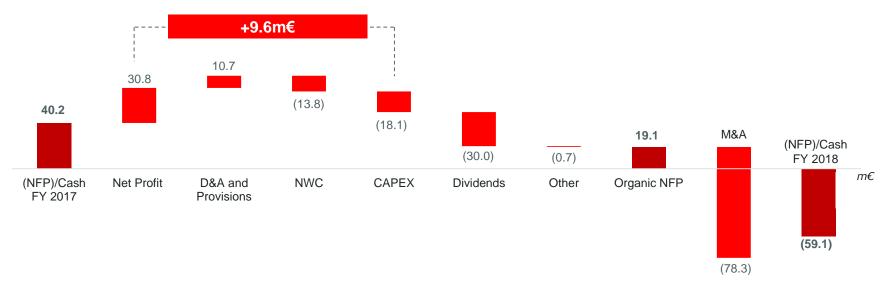
#### From EBITDA to Net Profit

K€	FY '17	FY '18	Δ%
EBITDA	50,337	46,986	-6.7%
D&A	-8,076	-9,119	
Impairment			
EBIT	42,261	37,867	-10.4%
Financial (charges)/income	451	-136	
FX gains/losses	-814	-352	
Companies cons with e.m.	-20	15	
EBT	41,878	37,394	-10.7%
Taxes	-10,714	-6,643	
Minorities	-47	-74	
Group net profit	31,117	30,678	-1.4%

- Higher D&A mainly linked to the Carel's footprint expansion project (Croatia, Italy, US)
- Financial charges/income affected by:
- the **disinvestment in life insurance** for approximately **46m€**.
- Higher interests expenses due to M&A transactions

 Lower tax-rate (approx. 18% against 26% in FY 2017) due to the effects of the "patent-box" mechanism.

#### FY 2018 – (NFP)/Cash Bridge



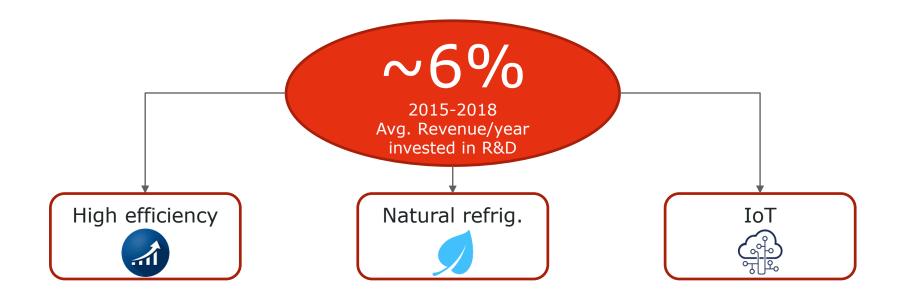
- Positive FCF generation (+9.6m€): FFO equal to ~41.5m€ thanks to very positive operating results.
- NWC +13.8m€ due to higher inventory level, caused by global electronic shortage/lead time extension. An improvement (approx. 2m€, net of M&A effects) compared to 9M 2018 already in place and further normalization is expected in 2019.

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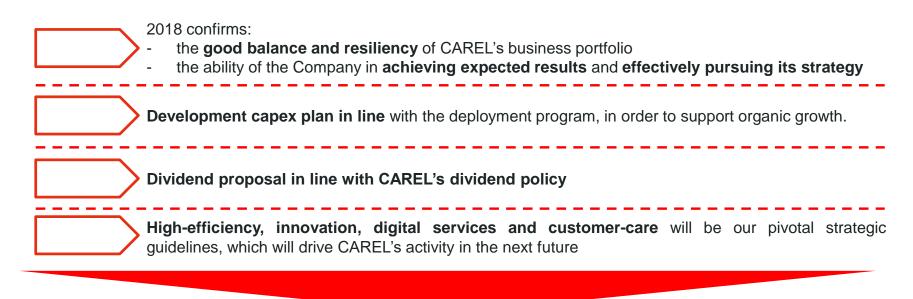
- Strong increase in Capex (>80%) compared to last year, devoted to footprint expansion project.
- 30m€ extraordinary dividend.
- Net of M&A activity (-78.3m€) the company would have been net-cash positive (+19.1m€)

#### Sustainability as a strategic pillar

Sustainability has always been an essential element driving CAREL strategy



#### **Closing Remarks**

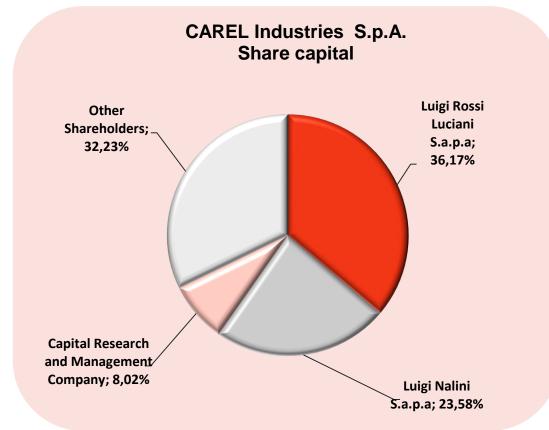


## As of today we don't see any signs of trend inversion, in our niches, compared to what with we experienced in last years.

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# Annexes

#### Shareholding structure



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#### **Income statement and Balance Sheet**

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K€	FY 2017	FY 2018	Var. %
Revenues	255,449	280,220	9,7%
Other revenues	2,131	3,147	47,7%
Operative costs	(207,242)	(236,381)	14,1%
Operative costs adj	(206,721)	(228,158)	10,4%
EBITDA	50,337	46,986	-6,7%
EBITDA ADJ	50,858	55,209	8,6%
Depreciation and impairments	(8,076)	(9,119)	12,9%
EBIT (Risultato Operativo)	42,261	37,867	-10,4%
EBT (earn before taxes)	41,878	37,394	-10,7%
Taxes	(10,714)	(6,643)	-38,0%
Net result of the period	31,164	30,752	-1.3%
Non controlling interest	-47	-74	56,8%
Group net result	31,117	30,678	-1,4%

#### **Balance sheet**

K€	FY 2017	FY 2018	var %
FIXED ASSETS	37,411	131,364	251.1%
WORKING CAPITAL	46,353	53,383	15.2%
EMPL. DEF. BENEFIT PLAN	(5,687)	(7,333)	28.9%
NET CAPITAL INVESTED	78,077	177,414	127.2%
EQUITY	118,316	118,288	0.0%
NET FINANCIAL POSITION	(40,239)	59,125	-246.9%
TOTAL	78,077	177,414	127.2%