Key figures

Group

CHF million			c	change in			
	2018	2017	%	% ¹⁾	% ²⁾		
Order intake	3 205.9	2 870.7	11.7	10.1	9.3		
Net sales	3 064.5	2 647.4	15.8	14.2	13.4		
Order book	1136.8	960.3	18.4	15.9	14.2		
Operating profit before depreciation		•••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••	••••••	•			
and amortisation (EBITDA)	372.7	318.0	17.2				
as % of net sales	12.2%	12.0%	••••••				
Operating profit (EBIT)	277.5	226.4	22.6	•			
as % of net sales	9.1%	8.6%	•				
Net financial result	-0.6	-1.1	45.5				
Income tax expense	-61.6	-57.6	-6.9				
as % of profit before tax	22.2%	25.6%	•				
Profit/(loss) for the year	215.3	167.7	28.4				
as % of net sales	7.0%	6.3%	•				
Earnings per share in CHF	20.77	16.81	23.6	•			
Capital expenditure	102.7	76.2	34.8	•			
Operating free cash flow	100.7	148.2	-32.1				
Research and development costs	-118.5	-110.0	-7.7				
Net cash/debt	159.3	214.2	- 25.6	•••••			
Total assets	2773.5	2719.8	2.0	••••••			
Equity	1489.6	1432.1	4.0	•••••			
Equity ratio	53.7%	52.7%	•	•			
Return on equity (ROE)	14.7%	12.6%	•	•			
Net operating assets (NOA) average	1372.9	1 273.9	7.8	•			
Return on net operating assets (RONOA) after tax	15.7%	13.2%	•	•			
Number of employees at 31 December	13 054	12 108	7.8	•	4.6		
Average number of employees during year	12 636	11707	7.9	•	6.8		
Net sales per employee CHF 1 000	243	226	7.5	5.8	6.2		

Divisions

CHF million	Order ii	Order intake		Net sales		Order book		Operating profit (EBIT)		Number of employees at 31 December	
	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	
Kuhn Group	1 209.6	1137.5	1204.4	1075.6	460.6	439.9	98.0	93.0	5 352	5 2 3 5	
Bucher Municipal	555.8	486.1	539.1	425.7	183.2	164.7	48.5	26.1	2 2 1 5	2014	
Bucher Hydraulics	700.2	581.0	626.6	545.9	200.9	117.8	82.1	74.7	2 835	2 3 1 9	
Bucher Emhart Glass	498.9	448.9	446.5	381.2	235.9	177.3	45.0	25.2	1 696	1630	
Bucher Specials	300.5	274.6	308.8	271.6	74.1	79.5	24.0	22.1	888	849	
Other/consolidation	-59.1	-57.4	-60.9	-52.6	-17.9	-18.9	-20.1	-14.7	68	61	
Group	3 205.9	2870.7	3 064.5	2 647.4	1136.8	960.3	277.5	226.4	13 054	12 108	

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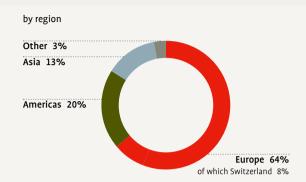
¹⁾ Adjusted for currency effects ²⁾ Adjusted for currency and acquisition effects

Key figures

Net sales

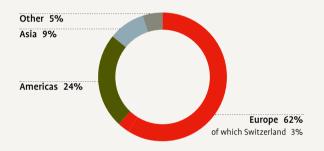
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Number of employees

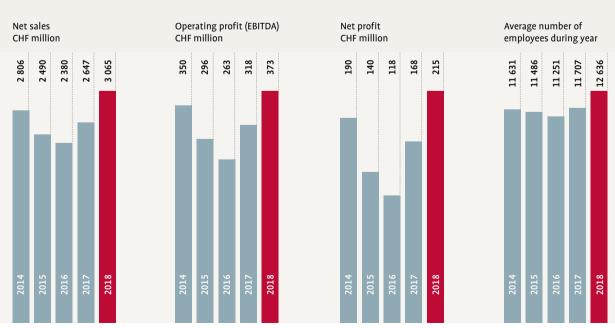


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