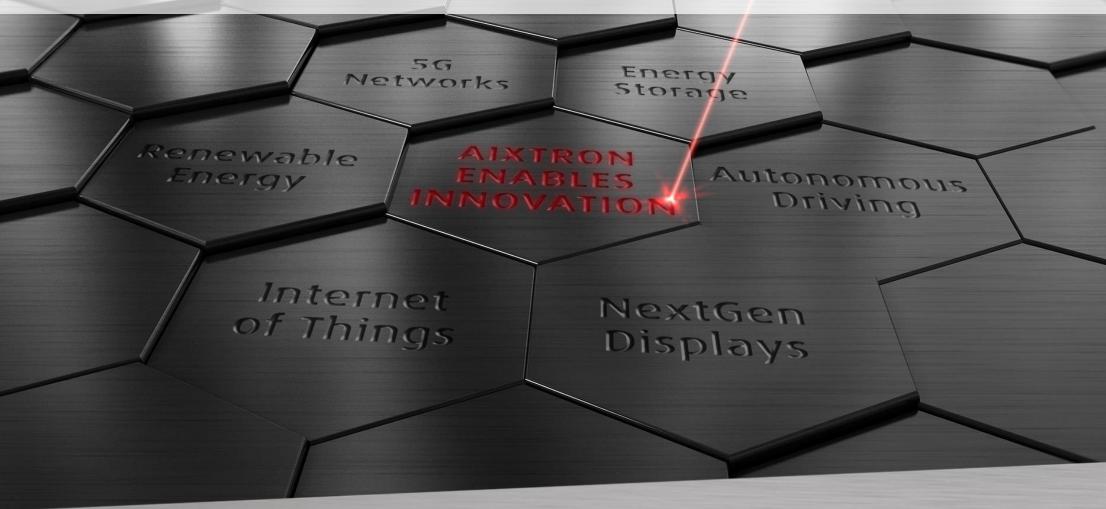
# **AIXTRON** Investor Presentation



First Quarter 2018 Results (April 26, 2018)



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# AIXTRON – Q1/2018 Highlights

#### ✓ Strong Orders and Revenues

- Up quarter-on-quarter and year-on-year
- Driven by Laser demand for 3D-Sensing and Optical Datacom Applications
- Low Proportion of US Dollar based Sales reduces Currency Effects

## ✓ High Gross Margins Drive Improved Profitability

#### ✓ 2018 Guidance Confirmed

- Revenues: 230-260 million; Gross Margin: 35-40%, EBIT Margin: 5-10%
- Positive Operating Cash Flow

## ✓ Revenues and EBIT Expected Close to Upper End of Guidance Range



# **Key Financials Q1/2018\***

(€ million)	Q1/18	Q1/17	+/- %	Q1/18	Q4/17	+/- %
Order intake	78.6	61.9	27	78.6	65.7	20
Order backlog (equipment only)	114.9	87.6	31	114.9	108.6	6
Revenues	62.4	53.6	16	62.4	54.1	15
Gross profit	26.8	13.6	97	26.8	21.0	28
%	43	<i>25</i>	<i>18pp</i>	43	39	<i>4pp</i>
EBIT	7.9	-12.7	n.m.	7.9	24.4	-68
%	13	-24	<i>37pp</i>	13	45	<i>-32pp</i>
Net result	12.3	-13.5	n.m.	12.3	<b>27.2</b>	-55
%	20	-25	45pp	20	50	<i>-30pp</i>
Net result per share (EUR)	0.11	-0.12	n.m.	9.11	0.24	-54
Operating Cash Flow	-21.1	34.6	n.m.	-21.1	13.6	n.m.

- Include profit on disposal of ALD/CVD of EUR 23.8m
- See Note 5 of the Annual Report for further Information



# **Consolidated Income Statement\***

(€ million)	Q1/18	Q1/17	+/- %	Q1/18	Q4/17**	+/- %
Revenues	62.4	53.6	16	62.4	54.1	15
Cost of sales	35.6	40.0	-11	35.6	33.1	8
Gross profit	26.8	13.6	97	26.8	21.0	28
%	43	25	18рр	43	39	<i>4pp</i>
Selling expenses	2.3	2.6	-13	2.3	2.2	2
General & admin expenses	4.3	4.3	0	4.3	2.6	68
R&D	13.7	19.7	-30	13.7	16.5	-17
Net other operating income	-1.4	-0.2	n.m.	-1.4	24.7	95
EBIT	7.9	-12.7	n.m.	7.9	24.4	-68
%	13	-24	<i>37pp</i>	13	45	<i>-32pp</i>
Net result	12.3	-13.5	n.m.	12.3	27.2	-55
%	20	-25	<i>45pp</i>	20	50	<i>-30pp</i>

<sup>\*\*</sup> Q4/2017 Other operating income, EBIT and net profit were significantly influenced by the positive effects from the sale of the ALD/CVD product line.



# **Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows\***

(€ million)	Q1/18	Q1/17	Q1/18	Q4/17**
Net Result	12.3	-13.5	12.3	27.2
Adjust for				
Non Cash Items	-3.0	7.3	-3.0	-24.6
Changes in Working Capital	-30.4	40.8	-30.4	11.0
Cash Flow from Operating Activities	-21.1	34.6	-21.1	13.6
Capital Expenditures	-1.6	-1.3	-1.6	1.1
Fixed Asset disposals/FX/Other	-0.5	0.3	-0.5	30.1
Total Cash Flow	-23.2	33.6	-23.2	42.6
Cash & Deposits	223.2	193.6	223.2	246.5

<sup>\*\*</sup> Q4/2017 Net Result, Fixed Asset disposals/FX/Other and Total Cash Flow were significantly influenced by the positive effects from the sale of the ALD/CVD product line.



# **Balance Sheet\***

(€ million)	31/03/18	31/12/17	31/03/17
Property, plant & equipment	63.8	64.3	68.9
Goodwill	71.1	71.2	74.5
Other intangible assets	1.6	1.8	5.2
Others	9.1	4.0	2.1
Non-current assets	145.7	141.3	150.6
Inventories	46.2	43.0	49.9
Trade receivables	30.0	19.3	29.6
Others	7.5	5.0	5.6
Cash & Cash Deposits	223.2	246.5	193.6
Current Assets	306.9	313.8	278.6
Shareholders' equity	380.7	368.9	356.7
Non-current liabilities	1.5	2.0	4.2
Trade payables	14.3	14.3	15.2
Advance payments from customers	28.5	30.3	30.5
Others	27.5	39.7	22.6
Current liabilities	70.3	84.2	68.3
Balance Sheet total	452.6	455.1	429.2

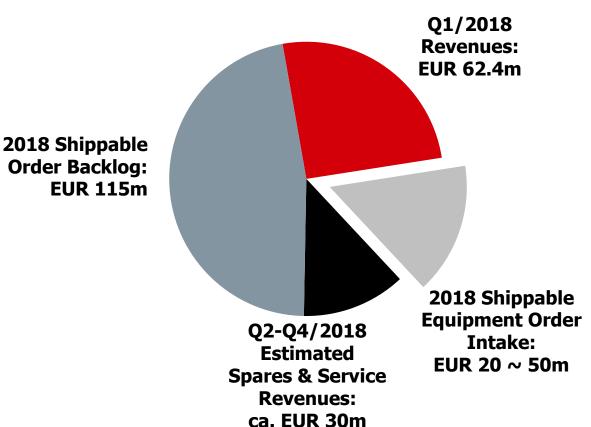


## **AIXTRON – 2018 Guidance: Confirmed\***

Assuming current structure and based on current order situation, Management expects for 2018:

- Revenues and Total Order Intake between EUR 230 ~ 260 million
- Gross Margin of 35% to 40%
- EBIT in Range of 5% to 10% of Revenues
- Positive Cash Flow from Operations
- Revenues and EBIT expected close to upper end of guidance range





 Based on 1.20 USD/EUR Budget Rate; please refer to "Expected Results of Operations and Financial Position" in the AIXTRON 2017 Annual Report for further information



## **Financial Calendar & Contact Data**

•	May 16, 2018	2018 Annual General Meeting, Aachen, Germany
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- July 26, 2018 H1/2018 Results, Conference Call
- October 30, 2018 Q3/2018 Results, Conference Call
- February 2019 FY/2018 Results, Conference Call
- April 2019 Q1/2019 Results, Conference Call

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