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1H 2019 Results and outlook

Appendix: company overview

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Roundings and adjustments

Numbers may differ slightly from the published income statements due to rounding differences. All financial information in this presentation ended 30 June is unaudited and is prepared under the same recognition and measurement principles applied for the audited annual financial statements.

In 2018, the classification of revenues as «Management fees on AuM» and «Banking income from commissions and trading activities» was adjusted. For better comparability, the previous year's figures have been adjusted accordingly.

For reasons of comparability, some H1 2018 ratios were pro-forma adjusted to IFRS 16. These 2018 values are unaudited and unreported in 2018.

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Summary 1H 2019



Business development

- Unchanged inflow of new clients seeking consulting expertise
- Growth temporarily restricted, due to negative financial markets at the end of 2018
- 16.1% of all WM clients use 3+ platforms (long-term target 33%)
- New initiatives
 - Successful releases of new «VZ Finanzportal» features, including mobile app
 - New branch offices in Burgdorf and Brig
 - UK: project organisation on site
- Front-end consulting FTEs +8.1% to 160 FTE (avg. 2019)
- Annualized NNM inflow per consulting FTE below target at CHF 16.3 million in 1H19 (target range 17–20 million)

Financials

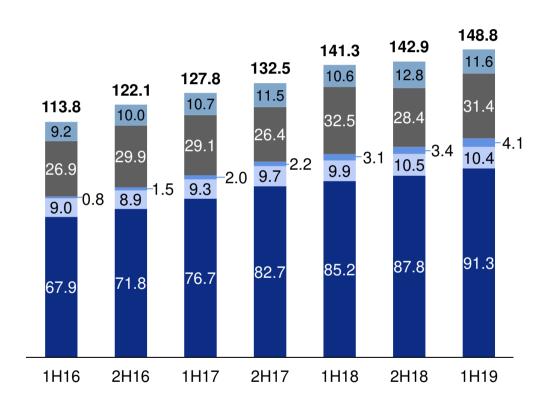
- Top line +5.3% to CHF 148.8 million
- Operating expenses +1.3% to CHF 79.5 million
 - Personnel expenses +6.1% yoy
 - Other operating expenses –15.6% yoy (including IFRS 16 impact)
- EBITDA margin: 46.6% (1H 2018: 44.4%, adj. 46.3%¹)
 EBIT margin: 40.6% (1H 2018: 40.9%)
- Bottom line unchanged at CHF 48.7 million, due to temporarily increased income tax
- Solid balance sheet
 - Equity ratio: 14.7%
 - BIS CET 1: 25.8%
- NNM: CHF 1'305 million (1H 2018: CHF 1'303 million)
- Assets under management: CHF 25.6 billion (30.06.2018: CHF 22.7 billion)

¹ Adj.: for reasons of comparability, H1 2018 ratios are pro-forma IFRS 16 adjusted proportionally



Revenues: +5.3% yoy

in CHF million



Total revenues +5.3% yoy

- Consulting revenues¹ +9.4% yoy
- Banking income from commissions and trading activities² –3.4% yoy
- Net earned premiums +32.3% yoy
- Other Management fees +5.1% yoy
- Management fees on AuM +7.2% yoy

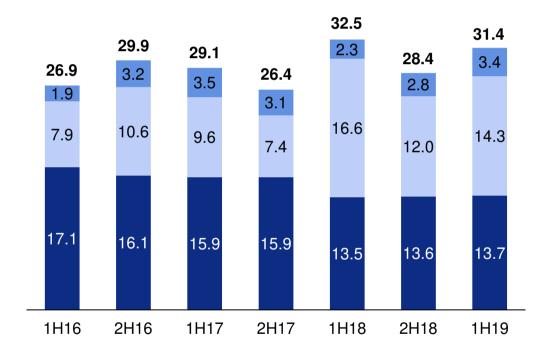
¹ Incl. other revenues

² Incl. banking income from interest operations



Banking income: random & structurally under pressure

in CHF million

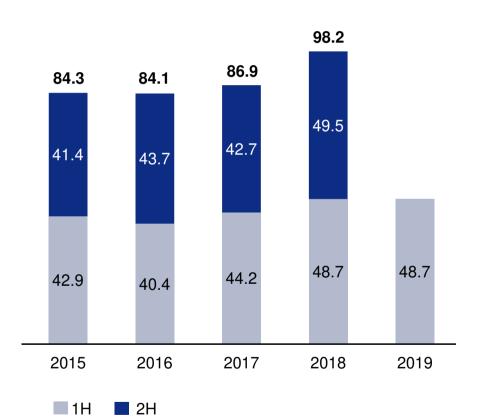


- Interest business:
 increased impact of negative interest rates and short duration of financial assets
- Trading result:
 random development, mainly driven by market volatility
- Transaction fees:
 ongoing decline due to strong demand for all-in fee models





in CHF million



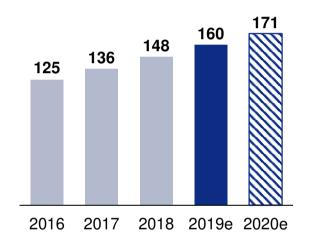
- Operating margin (EBITDA) at 46.6% (revised long-term target: 47%)
 - Revenues +5.3%
 - Operating expenses +1.3%
- Net profit margin at 32.7% vs. 34.5% yoy (long-term target: 35%)
- Depreciation from capex in digitalisation, VZ Finanzportal and general infrastructure increased (+21.3% without IFRS 16, +78.0% after IFRS 16 impact)
- Higher income tax of CHF 1.7 million due to uncertainties in relation with intercantonal allocation of taxes



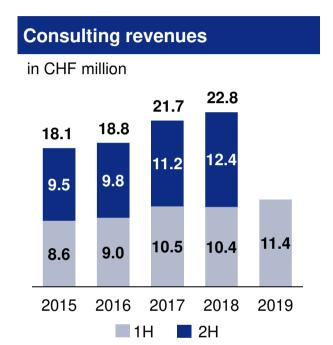
Financial Consulting: NNM below target corridor

Capacity growth

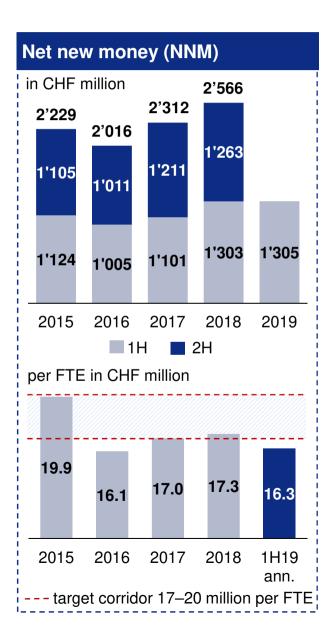
in FTE (average per calendar year)



- Full-time equivalents (FTE) with client and budget responsibility
- PCC-profile equals 50% FC-profile
- Wealth managers not included
- Further capacity increase planned



 Consulting projects enable introduction to wealth management services





Wealth Management: AuM +13.1%

in CHF million

	30.06.17	31.12.17	30.06.18	31.12.18	30.06.19	yoy
AuM total	19'982	21'775	22'653	23'056	25'623	+13.1%
PM mandates Share of total AuM	12'118 60.6%	13'136 60.3%	13'715 60.5%	13'641 59.2%	15'444 60.3%	+12.6%
• Others ¹ Share of total AuM	7'864 39.4%	8'639 <i>39.7%</i>	8'938 <i>39.5%</i>	9'415 40.8%	10'179 <i>39.7%</i>	+13.9%
NNM total (6 month)	1'101	1'211	1'303	1'263	1'305	+0.2%
# WM clients	31'225	33'276	35'235	37'803	39'880	+13.2%
Δ WM clients (6 month)	1'749	2'051	1'959	2'568	2'077	+6.0%

¹ Incl. mortgages under management and portfolios under client management

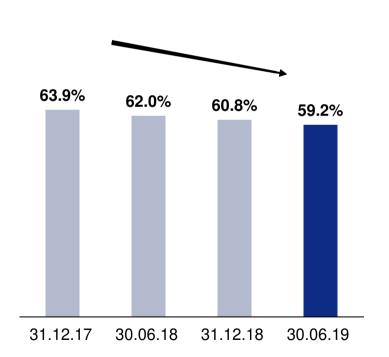




CH clients only

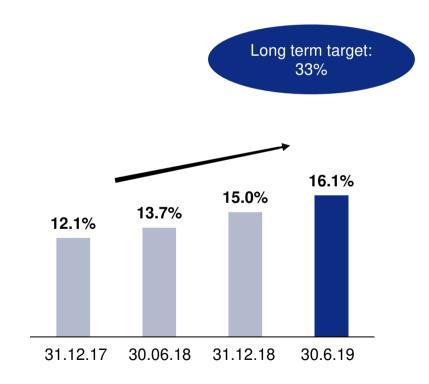
1 platform per client

Share of WM clients who use 1 platform only, in % of total WM clients



3+ platforms per client

Share of WM clients who use 3+ platforms, in % of total WM clients







Switzerland



- branch office
- o satellite
- ★ new branch office in 2019

Germany



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Income statement (1)

in CHF million

	1H 17	2H 17	1H 18	2H 18	1H 19	yoy
Consulting fees	10.5	11.2	10.4	12.4	11.4	+9.6%
Management fees: on AuM	76.7	82.7	85.2	87.8	91.3	+7.2%
others	9.3	9.7	9.9	10.5	10.4	+5.1%
Banking income	29.1	26.4	32.5	28.4	31.4	-3.4%
Net earned insurance premiums	2.0	2.2	3.1	3.4	4.1	+32.3%
Other operating revenues ¹	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.2	n.m.
Total operating revenues	127.8	132.5	141.3	142.9	148.8	+5.3%
Personnel expenses	51.1	52.9	56.1	57.0	i i 59.5	+6.1%
Other operating expenses	18.7	23.7 ²	20.5	19.6	17.3 ³	-15.6%
Expenses of insurance contracts	1.3	1.5	1.9	1.9	2.7	+42.1%
Total operating expenses	71.1	78.1	78.5	78.5	79.5	+1.3%
EBITDA	56.7	54.4	62.8	64.4	69.3	+10.4%

¹ Incl. net impairment losses/recoveries on financial assets

² Incl. CHF 5.2 million provisions for tax claims

³ IFRS 16 impact on other operating expenses: CHF 2.9 million





in CHF million

EBITDA
Depreciation and amortisation
EBIT
Net finance income
Profit before income tax
Income tax
Net profit

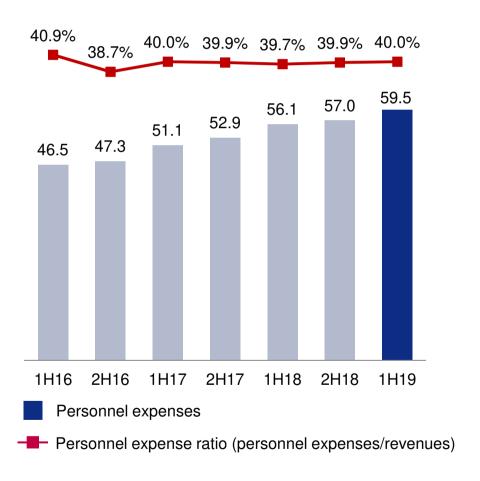
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1H 17	2H 17	1H 18	2H 18	1H 19	yoy
56.7	54.4	62.8	64.4	69.3	+10.4%
4.1	4.4	5.0	5.4	8.9 ¹	+78.0%
52.6	50.0	57.8	59.0	60.4	+4.5%
0.0	0.0	-0.1	0.0	-0.2	n.m.
52.6	50.0	57.7	59.0	60.2	+4.3%
8.4	7.3	9.0	9.5	11.5	+27.8%
44.2	42.7	48.7	49.5	48.7	+0.0%

¹ IFRS 16 impact on depreciation and amortisation: CHF 2.9 million

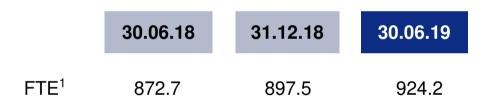
Personnel expenses



in CHF million



- +6.1% yoy
- Personnel development



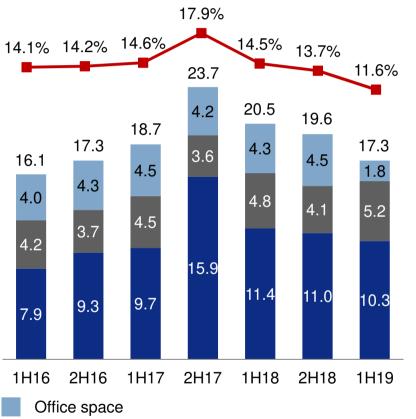
- 2H 2018: +24.8 FTE
 1H 2019: +26.7 FTE
- Long-term personnel expense ratio: 40%

¹ FTE: Full-time equivalent

Other operating expenses



in CHF million



- · Long-term other operating expenses ratio expected between 11% and 13% going forward (revised down from 13% to 15%, due to IFRS 16)
- Other operating expenses –15.6% yoy
 - Office space –58.1% yoy (adj. for IFRS 16: +12.0%)
 - Marketing expenses +8.3% yoy
 - General and administrative expenses –9.6% yoy

Marketing expenses

General and administrative expenses

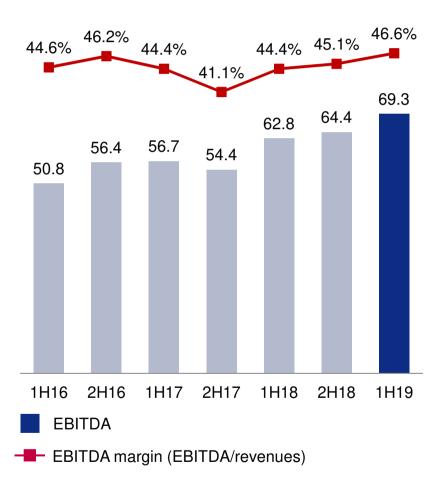
Other operating expense ratio (other operating expenses/revenues)





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in CHF million



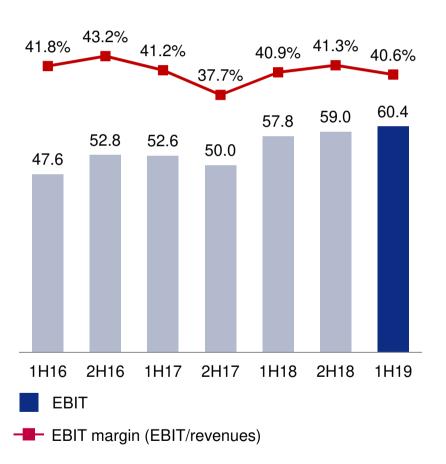
- EBITDA +10.4% yoy (adj. +6.0%¹)
- EBITDA margin target: 47% (revised up from 45% due to IFRS 16)
- No significant leverage expected going forward
- Adoption of IFRS 16 reclassifies CHF 2.9 million long-term costs from office space to depreciation

¹ Adj.: for reasons of comparability, H1 2018 ratios are pro-forma IFRS 16 adjusted proportionally

EBIT and margin



in CHF million



- EBIT +4.5% yoy
- EBIT margin target: 43% (unchanged)
- No significant leverage expected going forward



Balance sheet

in CHF million

	30.06.18	31.12.18	30.06.19
Cash & cash equivalents	776.4	724.3	844.1
Short-term investments	270.4	276.5	301.1
Swiss prime residential mortgages	1'357.8	1'508.6	1'657.9
CHF bonds, marketable securities	388.2	416.3	423.5
Subtotal financial investments	2'792.8	2'925.7	3'226.6
Property, equipment and intangibles	84.3	85.3	138.0
Other assets	92.8	76.9	105.4
Total assets	2'969.9	3'087.9	3'470.0
Customer deposits	2'252.5	2'261.5	2'524.8
Long-term debts	159.3	224.4	336.8
Other liabilities	90.6	89.7	97.4
Total liabilities	2'502.4	2'575.6	2'959.0
Total equity	467.5	512.3	511.0

- Balance sheet total on the reporting date is coincidental; it does not reflect the underlying business development
- Customer deposits and cash equivalents can fluctuate significantly due to shifts in asset allocation of managed portfolios
- Financial investments:
 - Low risk profile
 - Average time to maturity 30.06.2019: 1.8 years (30.06.2018: 1.3 years)
 - Increase of maturity via interest instruments implemented in 2019



Equity and payout ratios

Payout ratios	2016	2017	2018	Equity ratios	30.06.18	31.12.18	30.06.19
in CHF million							
Net profit	84.1	86.8	98.2	Total equity	467.5	512.3	511.0
Retained earnings	50.6	52.3	59.4	in CHF million			
Dividend total	33.5	34.5	38.8	Equity ratio ¹	15.7%	16.6%	14.7%
Dividend per share	4.20	4.35	4.90	BIS CET 1	27.5%	30.1%	25.8%
Payout ratios	40%	40%	40%	BIS CET1&AT1	27.5%	30.1%	25.8%

Treasury shares	30.06.18	31.12.18	30.06.19
Number (in '000)	69	85	103
Book value in CHF million	20.6	24.6	28.4

¹ Equity compared to balance sheets' total (leverage ratio)

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Outlook



Business development

- Focus on new client inflow, consulting capacity, client conversion and platform usage
- Further develop VZ Finanzportal with additional functionalities, including professional e-trading features
- Germany: increase marketing efforts to communicate broadened offerings in combination with new banking platform
- UK: determine entry strategy on the spot

Financials

- Overall: slightly higher revenues and moderate operating cost increase in 2H19, provided stable development of financial markets and considering volatile banking revenues
- Consulting and AuM related revenues expected to improve
- Banking revenues: further decline in TX income, lower trading result, unchanged weak interest rate business
- Amortisation cost: flat over the next 12–18 months; long-term tax ratio estimated to stabilise around 14% in 2020 (1H 2019: 19%)

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What does VZ do?



Target clients...



- Homeowners
- Employees on management level
- Entrepreneurs

... seek expert advice...

- Retirement planning (employees)/ succession planning (entrepreneurs)
- Estate planning
- Investment advice
- · Real estate financing and development
- Tax planning
- Insurance optimisation

... and solid implementation

- ① Portfolio management
 - Discretionary mandates
 - Advisory mandates
- ② Banking services
- Custody, TX/FX
- Payment services online / offline
- ③ Mortgages
- Pension fund solutions and servicing, individualised tax deferred provision schemes
- ⑤ Insurance coverage
- Digital cockpit VZ Finanzportal

VZ advantage

profound expertise, no conflicts of interest

competitively priced, transparent, comprehensive

VZ Finanzportal









Brand associated with expertise, quality and independence



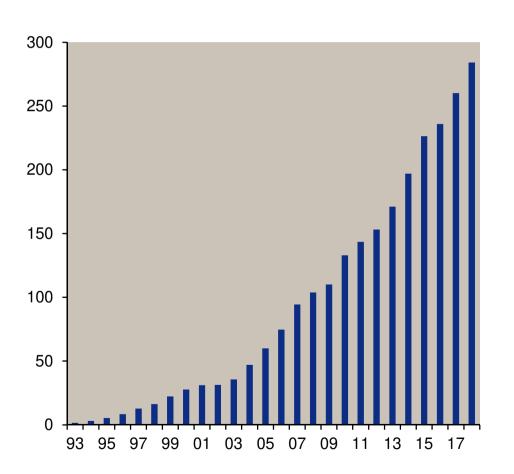


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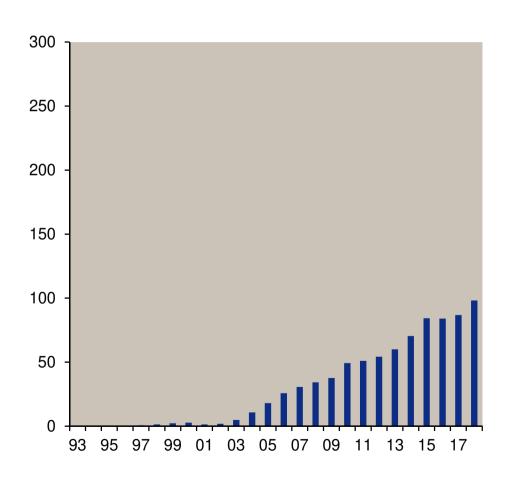
Long track record of organic growth and profitability

in CHF million

Operating revenues¹



Net profit¹



^{1 1993–2003} according to SWISS GAAP; starting 2004 according to IFRS