



Rothschild & Co

2016/2017 Half year results

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Highlights of half year 2016/2017

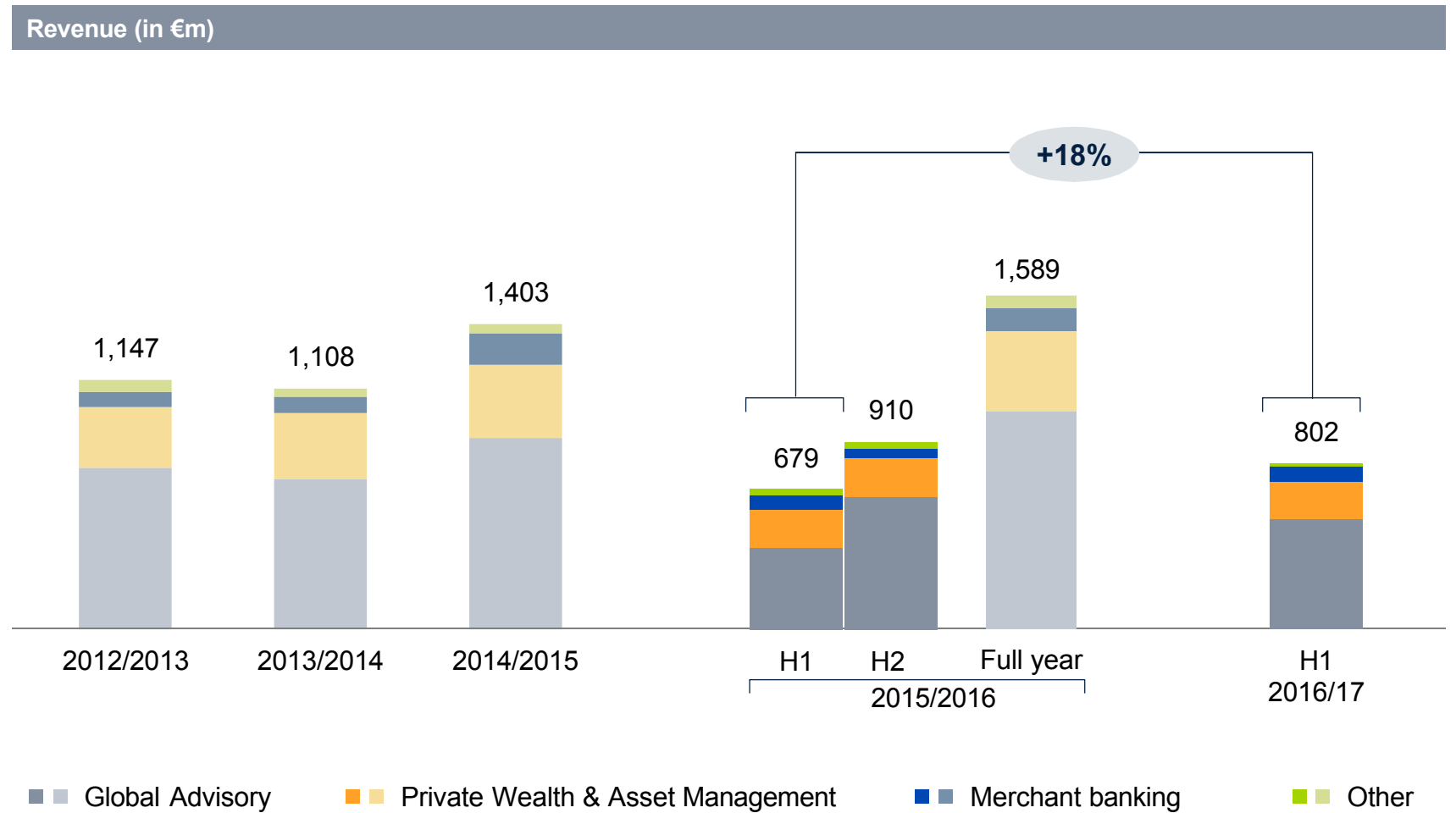
Results

- Group revenue: +18% - strong revenue performance at €802m across the Group compared to €679m for H1 2015/2016
 - **Global Advisory:** +35% revenue and +51% profit before tax - strong result for any half year driven by both M&A and Financing advisory
 - **Private Wealth and Asset Management:** -4% revenue - slight decrease driven mainly by a decline in transaction commissions
 - **Merchant Banking:** +7% revenue and +20% versus average last three years first half revenue
- Operating income: +53% - significant improvement at €182m
- Net income - Group share: +72% at €67m
- Earnings per share of €0.97 and excl. exceptional of €1.15
- Significant FX translation effect on revenue (-€36m) but limited on Net income – Group share (-€2m)

Other item

- Retirement of two banking licences (one in the UK and one of two in Guernsey)

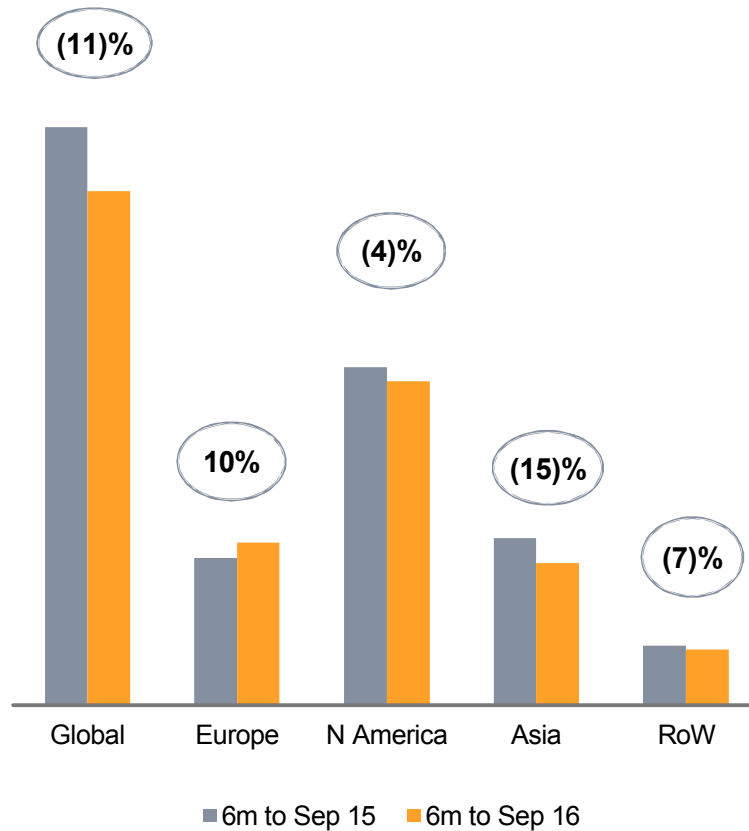
Significant increase in Group revenue



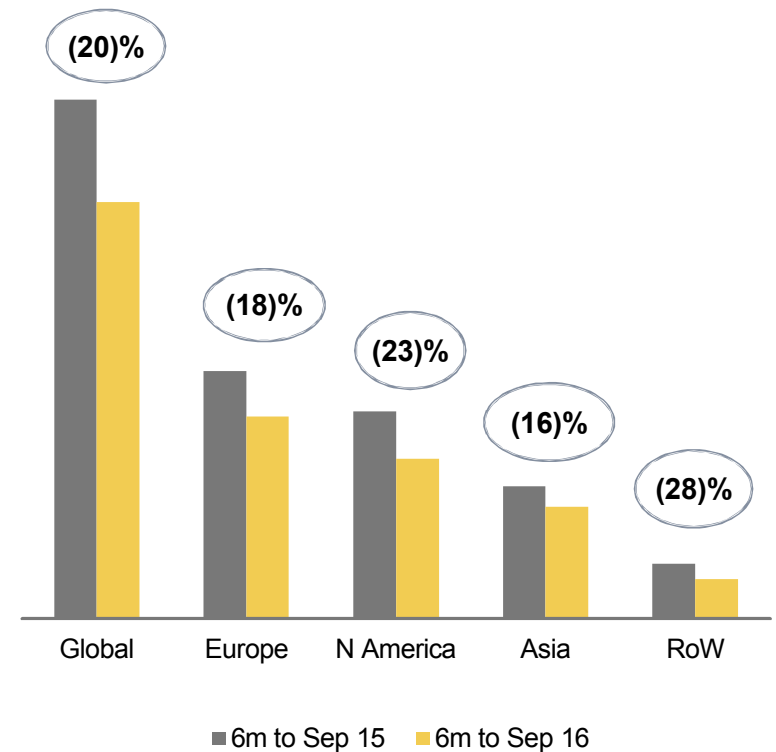
Rothschild Global Advisory

Slower first six months in M&A market

M&A market: completed deal values (in \$bn)



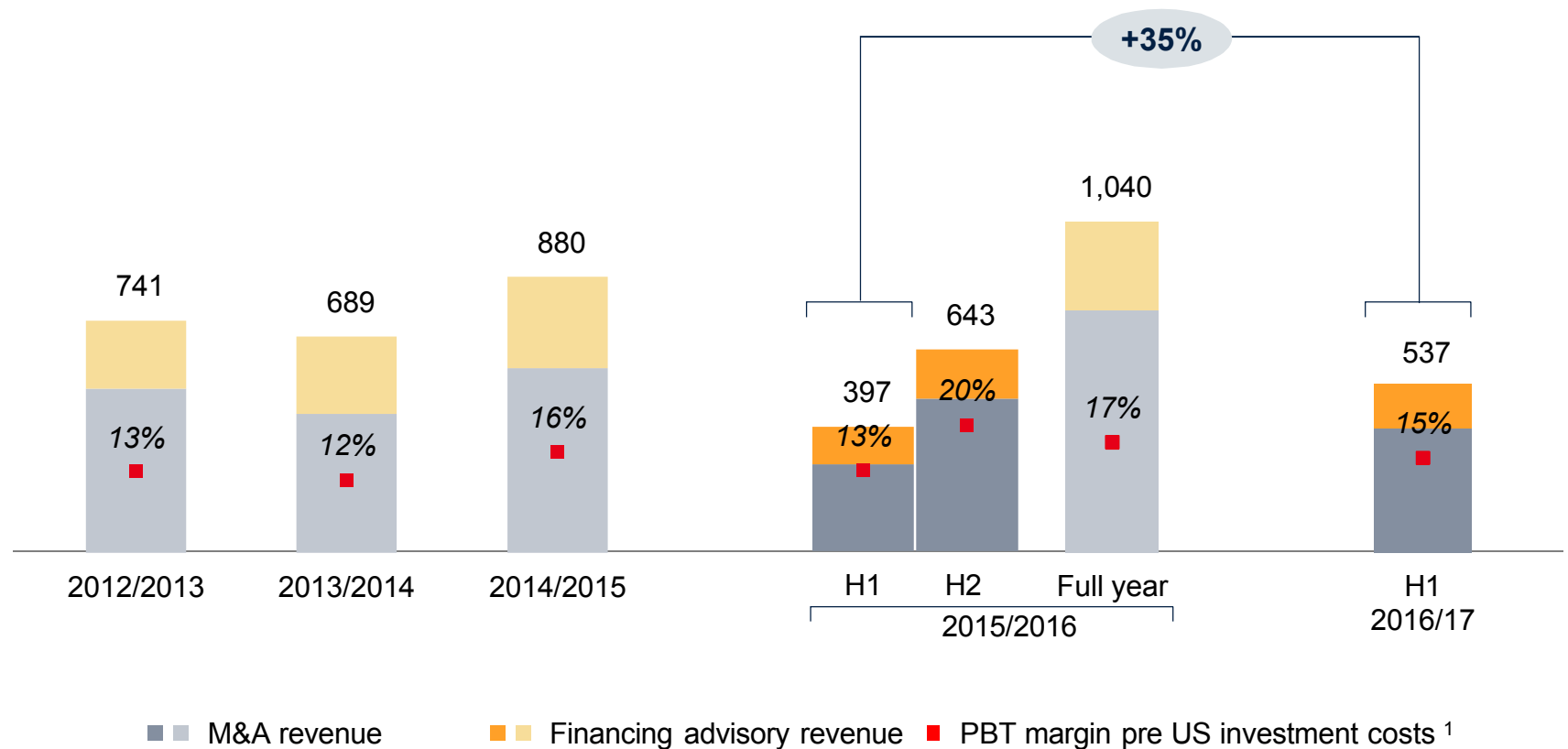
M&A market: completed deal number



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Strong 1st half year for both revenue and earnings

Revenue and PBT margin pre US investment costs

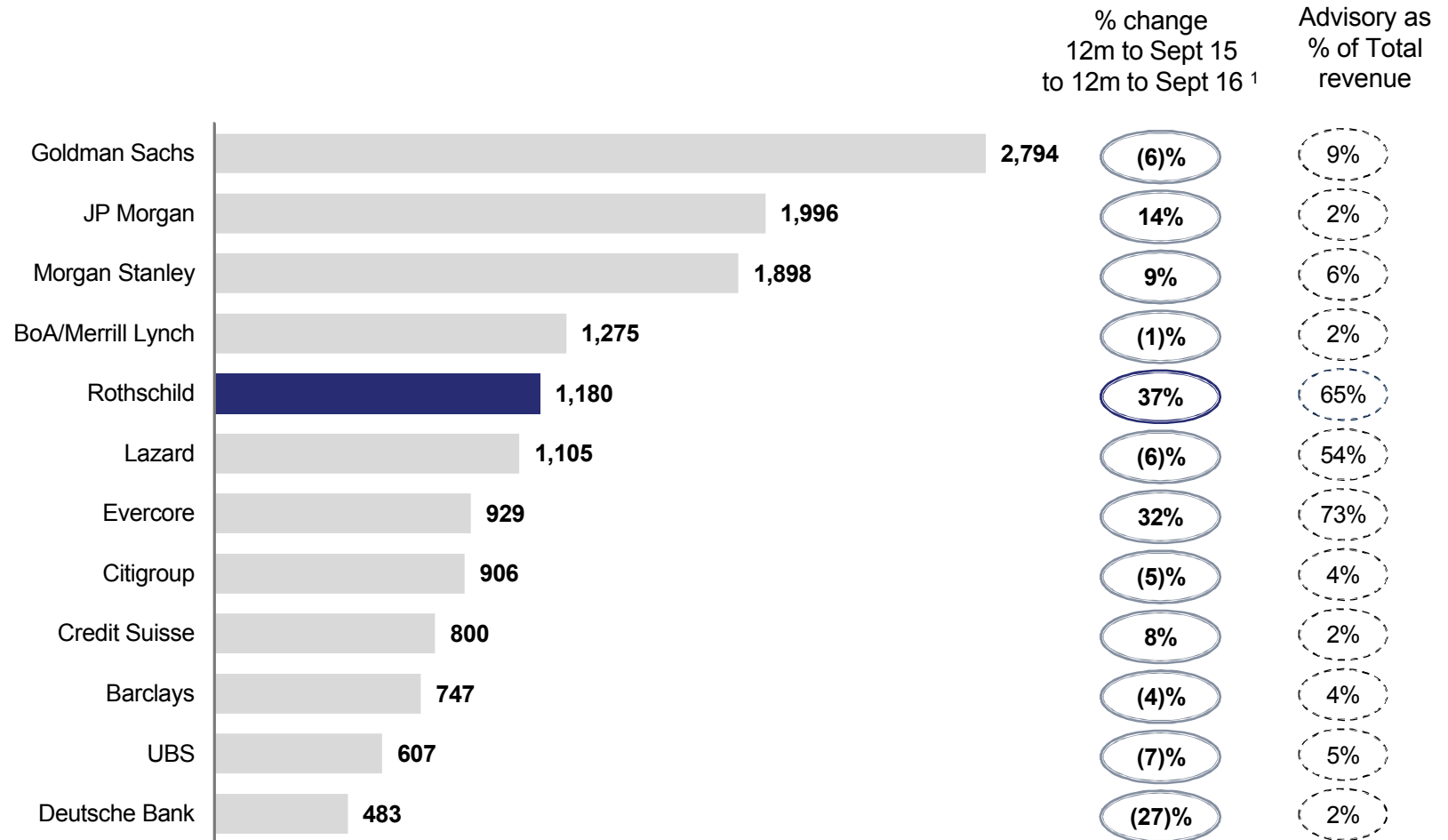


¹ PBT margin would be 13% if US investment included - 2015/2016: 16. - H1 2015/2016: 12%. Our US investment costs are expected to be around €20m for the full year 2016/2017, which represents approximately 2% of the Global Advisory revenue.

Rothschild Global Advisory

Global ranking position improved to #5

Ranking by advisory revenue (in €m)



Source: Company's filings

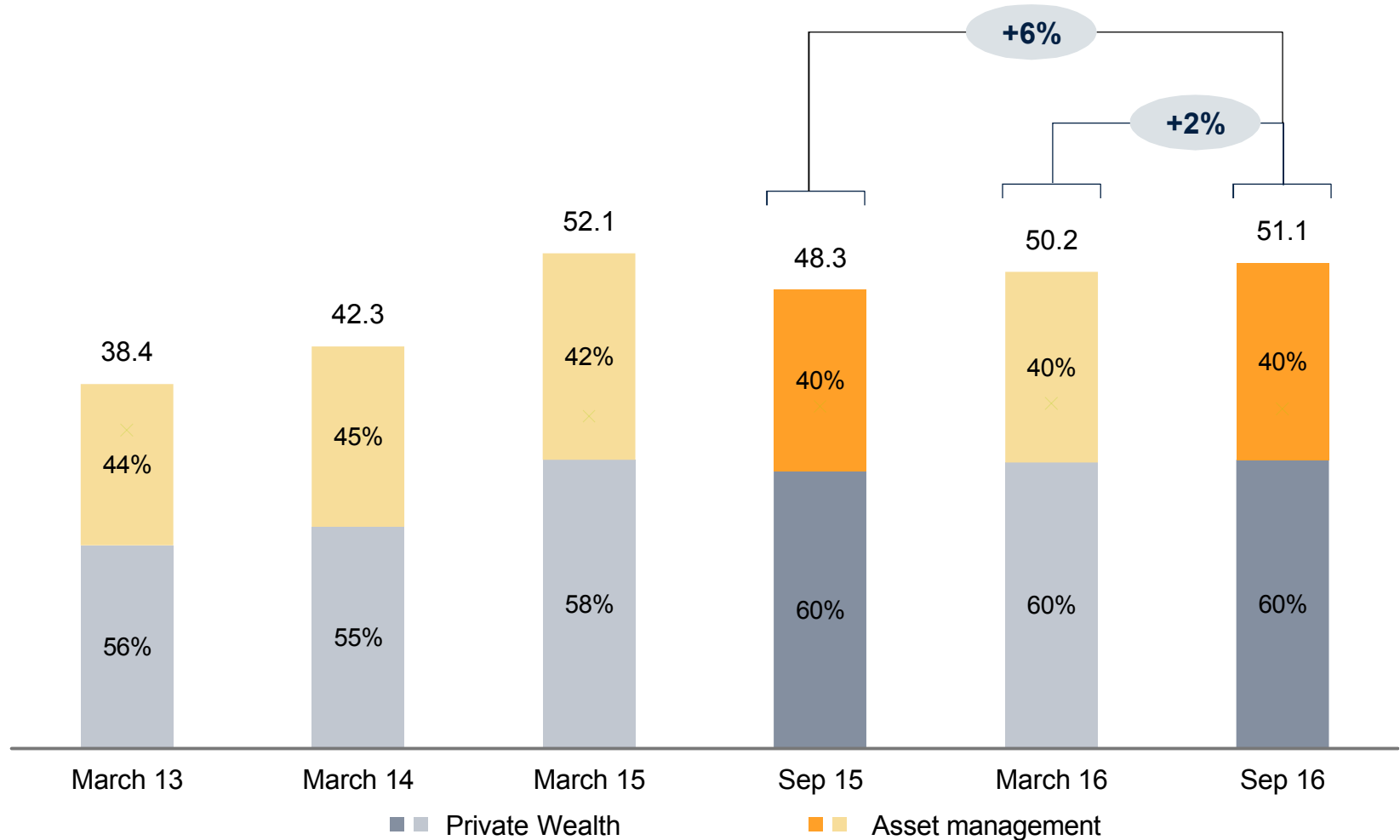
¹ % change is calculated in reporting local currency

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one position improvement from March 2016

Rothschild Private Wealth & Asset Management

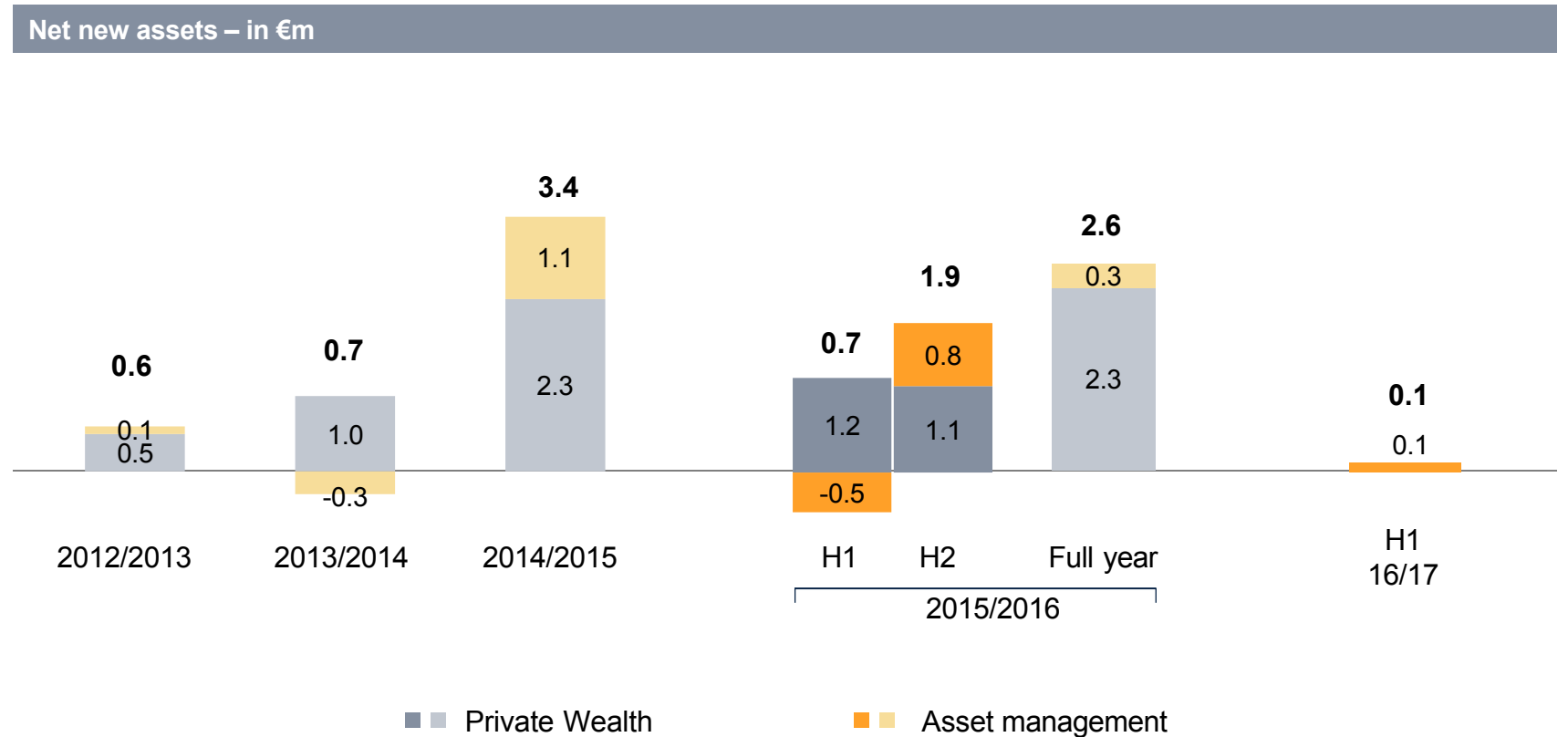
Progression of AuM in difficult market conditions

Asset under Management (in €bn)



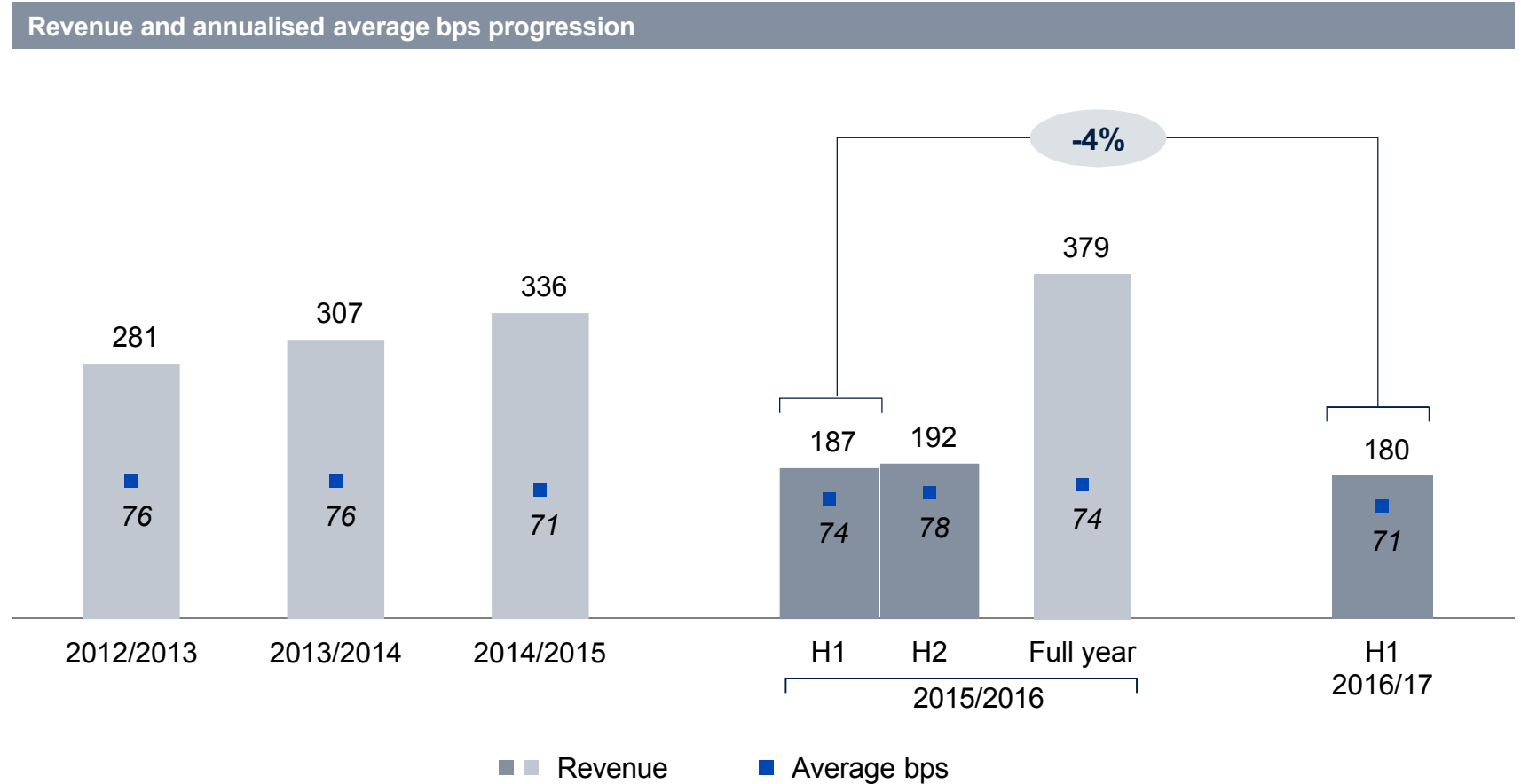
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Positive net new assets ...



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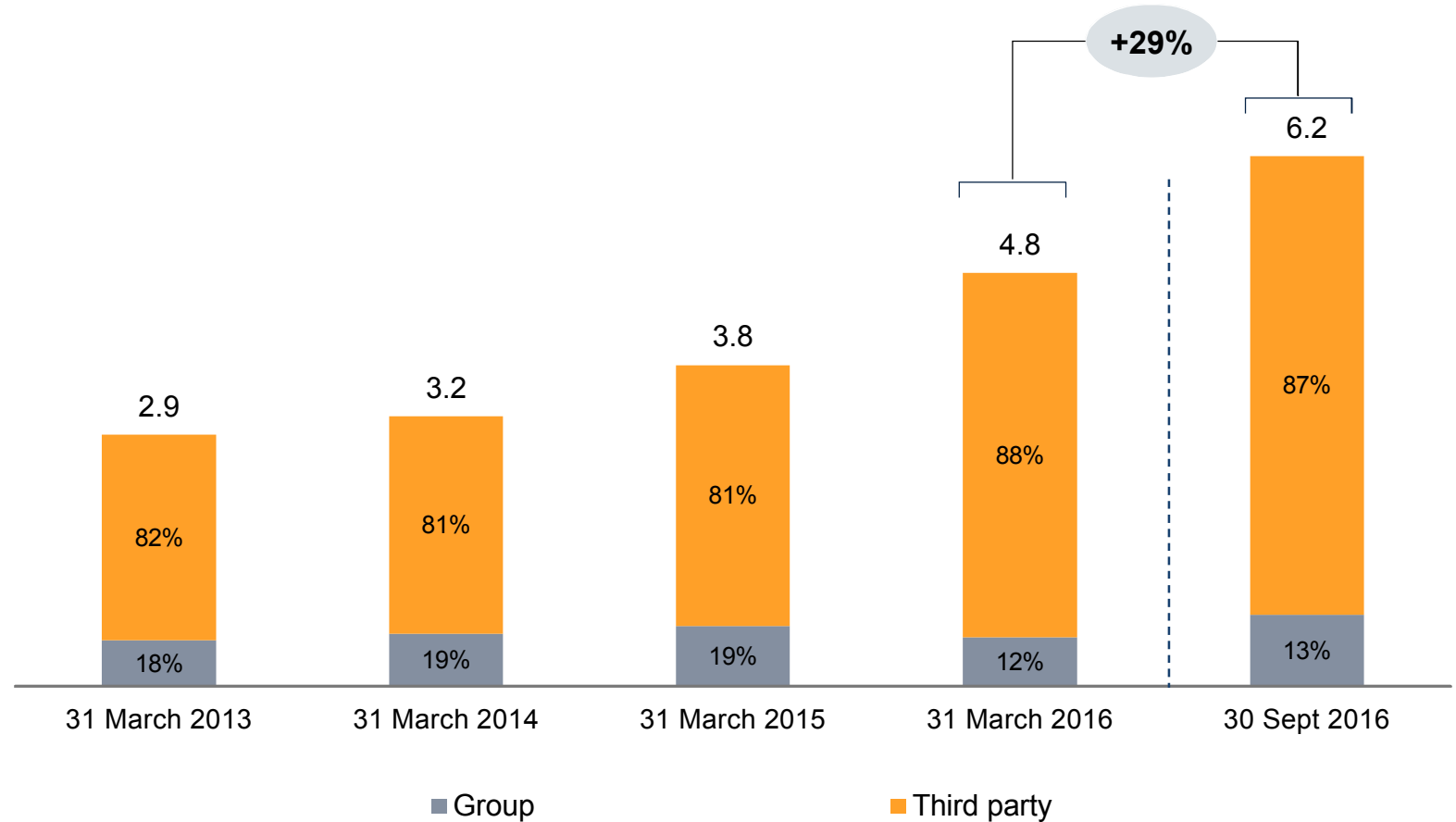
... but small decline in revenue



Rothschild Merchant Banking

Continuing progression of AuM in line with new funds

Assets under Management (in €bn)



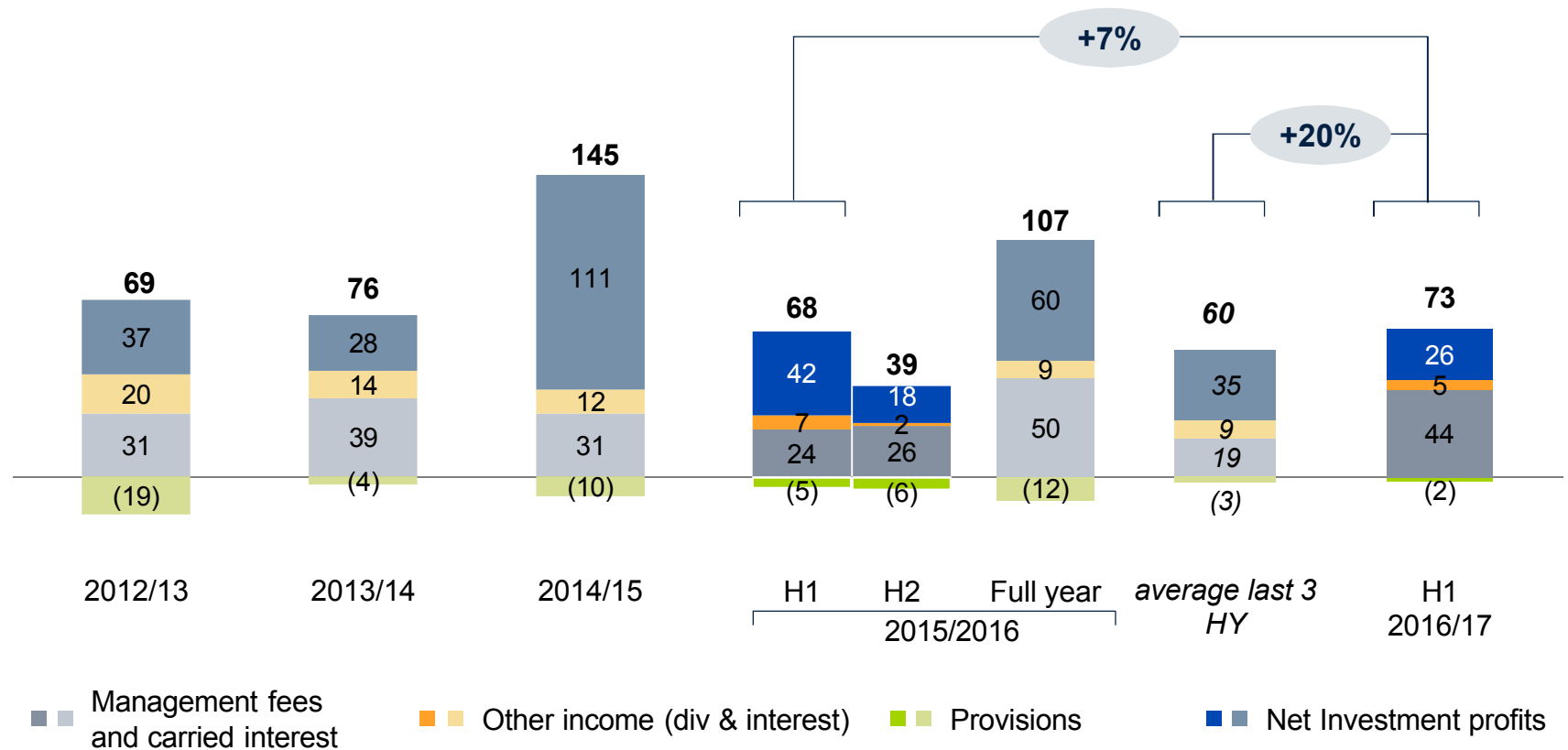
Note

Assets under management comprise committed capital where a managed fund is still in its investment period, and includes net asset value after the investment period has expired.

Rothschild Merchant Banking

Revenue increase thanks to carried interest

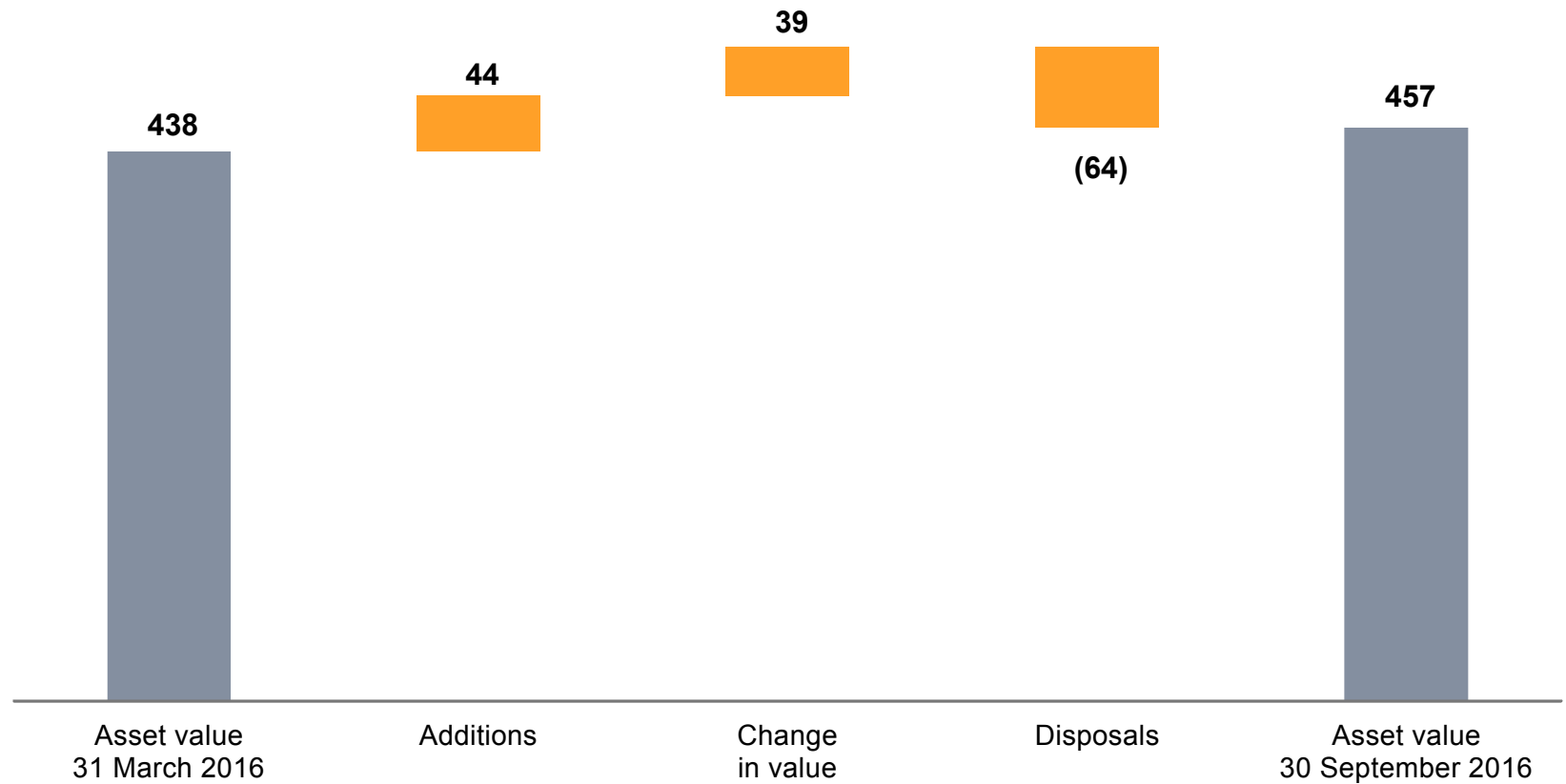
Breakdown of revenue (in €m)



Rothschild Merchant Banking

Strong value creation for Rothschild & Co shareholders

Change in the Net asset value (in €m)



Summary statutory consolidated P&L

<i>(in €m)</i>	6 months 2016/17	6 months 2015/16	Var	Var %	FX effects
Revenue	802	679¹	123	18%	(36)
Staff costs	(473)	(417)	56	13%	27
Administrative expenses	(129)	(122)	7	6%	4
Depreciation and amortisation	(17)	(20)	(3)	(15)%	1
Impairments	(1)	(1)	0	-	0
Operating Income	182	119	63	53%	(4)
Profit before tax	187	125	62	50%	(4)
Income tax	(27)	(29)	(2)	(7)%	1
Consolidated net income	160	96	64	67%	(3)
Non-controlling interests	(93)	(57)	36	63%	(1)
Net income - Group share	67	39	28	72%	(2)
Exceptionals	13	8	5	63%	0
Net income - Group share excl. exceptionals	80	47	33	70%	(2)
<i>Earnings per share</i>	<i>0.97 €</i>	<i>0.56 €</i>	<i>0.41 €</i>	<i>72%</i>	<i>(0.03) €</i>
<i>EPS excl. exceptionals</i>	<i>1.15 €</i>	<i>0.69 €</i>	<i>0.46 €</i>	<i>67%</i>	<i>(0.03) €</i>

1 Five Arrows Leasing Group (sold 3 November 2015) contributed revenue of €20m and PBT €7m for the 6 months to September 2015

Financial targets

	Medium-term objectives	6m 2016/2017	6m 2015/2016	2015/2016
Compensation ratio ¹	Low 60% through the cycle	66.6%	65.5%	62.8%
Return on tangible equity	Between 10% to 15% through the cycle	13.1% ²	8.4%	11.4%
RGA: Profit before tax margin ³	Low to mid-teens through the cycle	15.1%	12.8%	17.3%

1 As adjusted – see slide 17

2 ROTE based on Net income – Group share excl. exceptional items. Would be 11% if exceptionals included (2015/2016: 37.1% ; H1 2015/2016: 6.9%)

3 RGA PBT margin excluding US investment. Would be 13.2% if US investment included (2015/2016: 16.1% ; H1 2015/2016: 11.8%)

“Exceptionals” reconciliation

(in €m)	6m to Sept 2016			6m to Sept 2015		
	PBT	PATMI	EPS	PBT	PATMI	EPS
As reported	187	67	0.97 €	125	39	0.56 €
- RGA US investment costs ¹	(10)	(10)	(0.14) €	(4)	(2)	(0.03) €
- CFMM Merger	(4)	(3)	(0.04) €	-	-	-
- Swap settlement cost	-	-	-	(8)	(6)	(0.10) €
Total Exceptional (Costs) / Gains	(14)	(13)	(0.18) €	(12)	(8)	(0.13) €
Excluding "Exceptionals"	201	80	1.15 €	137	47	0.69 €

- US investment costs expected to be c. 2% of Global Advisory full year revenue
- Direct costs relating to merger with CFMM are expected to be €15-18m, the majority being in the year to March 2017 ²

1 RGA US investment costs are defined as compensation earned in respect of the first financial reporting period of employment plus any make-wholes payable in the reporting period

2 These amounts are pre-tax and exclude those costs which can be charged directly to “Equity”

Operating income by business

**6 months
2016/2017**

(in €m)	Global Advisory	Private Wealth & Asset Management and Merchant Banking	Other ¹	IFRS Reconciliation ²	6 months to Sept 2016
Revenues	537	252	16	(3)	802
Operating expenses	(466)	(205)	(30)	82	(619)
Impairments	-	-	1	(2)	(1)
Operating income	71	47	(13)	77	182
Exceptional charges / (profits)	10	4	-	-	14
Operating income without exceptional items	81	51	(13)	77	196

**6 months
2015/2016**

(in €m)	Global Advisory	Private Wealth & Asset Management and Merchant Banking	Other ¹	IFRS Reconciliation ²	6 months to Sept 2015
Revenues	397	255	38	(11)	679
Operating expenses	(350)	(194)	(59)	44	(559)
Impairments	-	-	2	(3)	(1)
Operating income	47	61	(19)	30	119
Exceptional charges / (profits)	4	-	8	-	12
Operating income without exceptional items	51	61	(11)	30	131

¹ Other comprises central costs, Legacy businesses, including Banking and other

² This analysis is prepared from non IFRS data used internally for assessing business performance then adjusted to conform to the Group's statutory financial accounting policies. IFRS reconciliation mainly includes items that relate to the treatment of profit share paid to French partners as non-controlling interests; accounting for deferred bonuses over the period that they are earned; the application of IAS 19 (R) for defined benefit pension schemes; and reallocation of impairments and certain operating expenses.

Compensation ratio

<i>(in €m)</i>	6 months 2016/17	6 months 2015/16	12 months to March 2016
Revenue	802	679	1,589
Total staff costs ¹	(546)	(454)	(1,031)
Compensation ratio	68.0%	66.8%	64.9%
<i>variation due to FX</i>	0.2%	-	(0.6)%
<i>variation due to RGA US investment costs</i> ²	(1.3)%	(0.6)%	(0.5)%
<i>variation due to joiner cost</i>	(0.4)%	(0.7)%	(1.0)%
Adjusted Compensation ratio	66.6%	65.5%	62.8%
<i>average ratio - last three 1st half years</i>	65.9%		

- Half year compensation ratio is based on estimated full year bonus pool
- Increase of compensation ratio linked to joiner costs mainly for our US advisory franchise
- US investment costs are expected to be around €20m for FY 2016/2017, representing around 2% of RGA revenue
- Adjusted compensation ratio increased by 1.1%

1 Total staff costs include profit share paid to French Partners and effects of accounting for deferred bonuses over the period in which they are earned and exclude redundancy costs and revaluation of share-based employee liability

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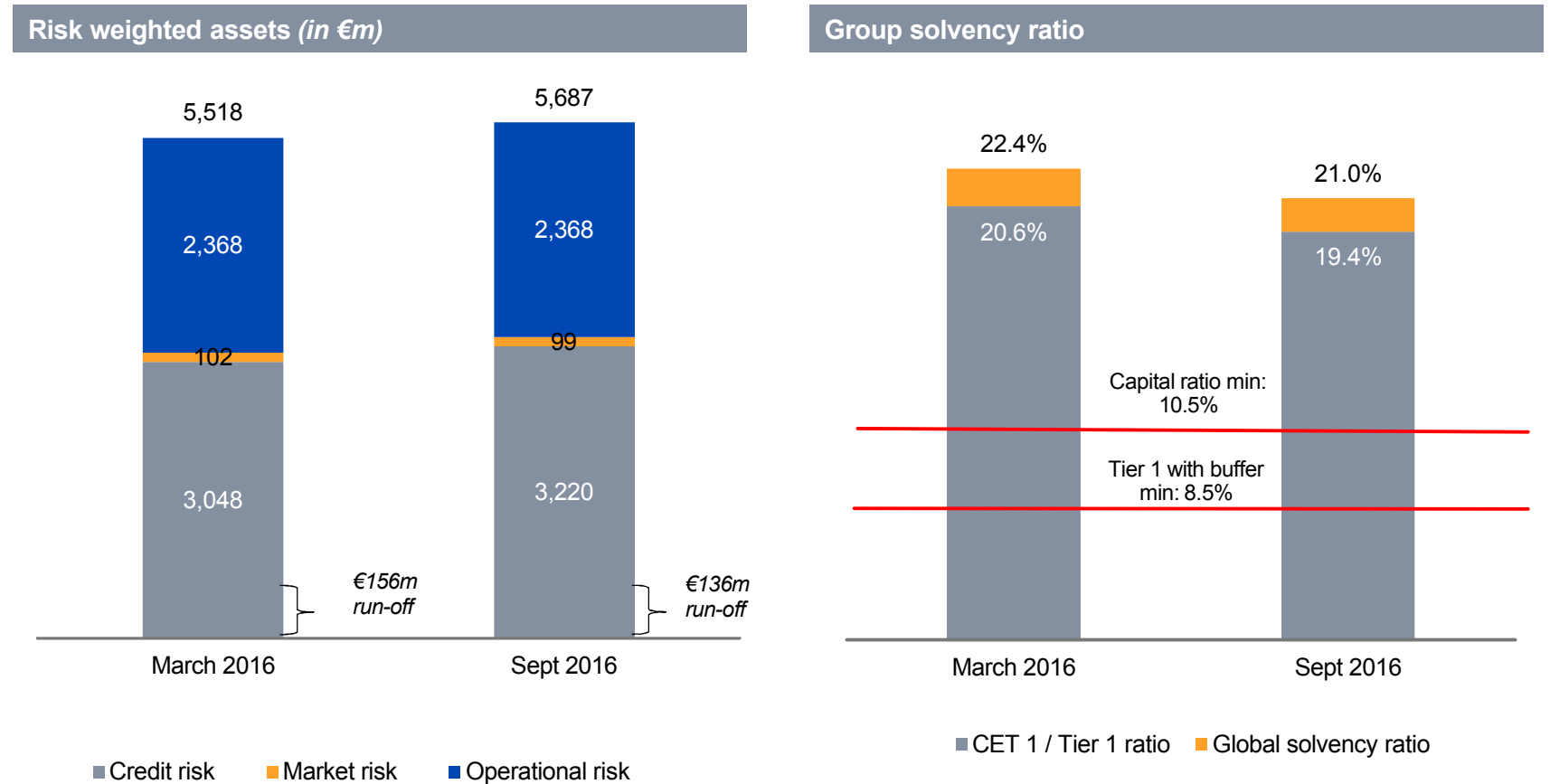
Summary Balance sheet

<i>(in €bn)</i>	30/09/2016	31/03/2016	Var
Cash and amounts due from central banks	2.8	3.5	(0.7)
Cash placed with banks	1.4	1.2	0.2
Loans and advances to customers	1.6	1.5	0.1
<i>of which Private client lending</i>	1.4	1.3	0.1
<i>of which Legacy lending book</i>	0.2	0.2	-
Debt and equity securities	1.5	1.5	-
Other assets	1.2	1.3	(0.1)
Total assets	8.5	9.0	(0.5)
Due to customers	5.0	5.5	(0.5)
Other liabilities	1.4	1.5	(0.1)
Shareholders' equity - Group share	1.5	1.5	-
Non-controlling interests	0.6	0.5	0.1
Total capital and liabilities	8.5	9.0	(0.5)

- Decrease in “Due to customers” reflects the repayment of depositors in the UK following the sale of FALG in advance of the retirement of UK banking licence
- FX impact decreased the balance sheet size by approximately €0.1bn

Solvency ratios comfortably above minimum requirements

Risk weighted assets and ratios under full application of Basel 3 rules



- Slight increase in RWA due to new funds raised in Merchant Banking and increase of the private client lending book
- Decline of Group solvency ratios largely due to FX and pension liability increase following the Brexit vote

Brexit consequences for the Group

Consequences of Brexit should be limited for the Group

- We expect limited impact on our business from a structural perspective given our strong positions around Europe
- The impact of Brexit on economic growth and financial markets might have a more material effect
 - although at the current time it is impossible to predict this since the form that Brexit will take is unknown at the current time

Outlook

- Strong first half year 2016/2017 with exceptional performance in Global Advisory

Global Advisory

- Strong second half in 2015/2016 followed by a robust first half 2016/2017
- Our pipeline remains strong but expect revenue for the full year to be similar to last year
- M&A market is likely to be more challenging given recent geo-political changes

Private Wealth and Asset Management

- Merger with Martin Maurel will dominate the next 12 months in our French activity
- Confident that other geographies will continue to grow their business thanks to a good pipeline of new clients

Merchant Banking

- Carried interest recognised shows the development of this relatively new business
- “Carry” profits will not be repeated at the same level for the rest of the financial year
- Continue to grow AuM due to the successful launch of funds and the ability of our teams to develop new opportunities

Appendices

Major FX rates

Balance sheet (spot)

Rates	30/9/2016	31/3/2016	Var
€ / GBP	0.8610	0.7916	9%
€ / CHF	1.0876	1.0931	(1)%
€ / USD	1.1161	1.1385	(2)%

P&L (average)

Rates	6 months 2016/2017	6 months 2015/2016	Var
€ / GBP	0.8180	0.7200	14%
€ / CHF	1.0925	1.0567	9%
€ / USD	1.1230	1.1092	1%

Zoom on Q2 revenue (July to September 2016)

Key figures

<i>In €m</i>	3 months - July to September			6 months - April to September		
	2016/2017	2015/2016	% Var	2016/2017	2015/2016	% Var
Global Advisory	296.3	189.0	57%	536.6	397.3	35%
Asset Management	107.1	132.7	-19%	252.3	254.5	-1%
<i>o/w Private Wealth & Asset Management</i>	90.3	92.5	-2%	179.7	186.9	-4%
<i>o/w Merchant Banking</i>	16.8	40.2	-58%	72.6	67.6	7%
Other ¹	8.2	18.9	-57%	16.7	38.5	-57%
IFRS Reconciliation	0.7	(1.8)	<i>n/a</i>	(3.1)	(11.1)	<i>n/a</i>
Total Group revenues	412.3	338.8	22%	802.5	679.2	18%

¹ Other comprises Legacy businesses, including Banking and other

Income taxes

<i>(in €m)</i>	6m to Sept 2016	6m to Sept 2015
Statutory Profit before tax - as reported (A)	187	125
Impairment of long-standing shareholding	-	-
Profit before tax - as restated (B)	187	125
Income taxes - as reported (C)	27	29
Deferred tax credit on impairment of long-standing shareholding	-	-
Income taxes - as restated	27	29
<u>Adjustment</u>		
Prior year effects	1	(1)
<i>Income taxes - as restated & after adjustments (D)</i>	28	28
<i>Effective tax rate (D)/(B)</i>	14.8%	22.6%
<i>Reported tax rate (C)/(A)</i>	14.3%	23.3%

Non-controlling interests

P&L		
<i>(in €m)</i>	6m 2016/2017	6m 2015/2016
Interest on perpetual subordinated debt	7	7
Preferred shares ¹	83	46
Other Non-controlling interests	3	4
TOTAL	93	57

Balance sheet			
<i>(in €m)</i>	30/09/2016	30/09/2015	31/03/2016
Perpetual subordinated debt	301	339	320
Preferred shares ¹	111	72	31
Other Non-controlling interests	161	168	165
TOTAL	573	579	516

¹ Mainly relates to the profit share distributed to French partners

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