Key figures



Historical data

| for the fiscal years in EUR millions (except share and per share information) | 2015 | 2014 | 2013 | 2012 | 2011 |
|---|-------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Statement of operations data | | | | | |
| Revenues | 22,010 | 20,000 | 19,503 | 20,536 | 20,545 |
| Gross profit | 4,179 | 3,703 | 3,560 | 3,674 | 3,566 |
| EBITA excluding one-offs 2,3 | 1,147 | 965 | 854 | 813 | 834 |
| EBITA | 1,081 | 928 | 821 | 725 | 814 |
| Net income attributable to Adecco shareholders | 8 | 638 | 557 | 377 | 519 |
| Other financial indicators | | | | | |
| Cash flow from operating activities | 799 | 785 | 520 | 579 | 524 |
| Free Cash Flow ⁴ | 702 | 705 | 439 | 491 | 415 |
| Net debt 5,6 | 1,039 | 971 | 1,091 | 967 | 889 |
| Key ratios (as % of revenues) | | | | | |
| Gross margin | 19.0% | 18.5% | 18.3% | 17.9% | 17.4% |
| SG&A ratio ⁷ | 14.1% | 13.9% | 14.0% | 14.4% | 13.4% |
| EBITA margin excluding one-offs | 5.2% | 4.8% | 4.4% | 4.0% | 4.1% |
| EBITA margin | 4.9% | 4.6% | 4.2% | 3.5% | 4.0% |
| Per share figures | | | | | |
| Basic EPS in EUR | 0.05 | 3.62 | 3.09 | 2.00 | 2.72 |
| Diluted EPS in EUR | 0.05 | 3.61 | 3.08 | 2.00 | 2.72 |
| Cash dividend in CHF | 2.40 ⁸ | 2.10 | 2.00 | 1.80 | 1.80 |
| Number of shares | | | | | |
| Basic weighted-average shares | 172,526,685 | 176,267,821 | 180,511,706 | 188,393,511 | 190,671,723 |
| Diluted weighted-average shares | 172,712,214 | 176,589,179 | 180,781,433 | 188,555,377 | 190,805,080 |
| Outstanding (year end) | 170,314,225 | 173,448,569 | 178,138,000 | 184,609,768 | 170,448,401 |
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¹ Organic growth is a non-US GAAP measure and excludes the impact of currency, acquisitions, and divestitures.

² EBITA is a non-US GAAP measure and is defined as operating income before amortisation and impairment of goodwill and intangible assets.

³ Excluding restructuring and integration costs: EUR 11 million in 2015, EUR 37 million in 2014, EUR 33 million in 2013, EUR 88 million in 2012, and EUR 20 million in 2011. In 2015, in addition, excluding contractual obligations related to changes in the Executive Committee of EUR 10 million and the write-down of capitalised software of EUR 45 million.

⁴ Free Cash Flow is a non-US GAAP measure and is defined as cash flow from operating activities minus capital expenditures.

⁵ Net debt is a non-US GAAP measure and comprises short-term and long-term debt, less cash and cash equivalents and short-term investments.

⁶ Due to the adoption of ASU 2015-03 – Presentation of debt issuance costs, in 2015, the December 31, 2014, 2013, 2012, and 2011 figures were restated. Debt issuance costs previously shown in 'Other assets' are now shown net with their related debt in 'Long-term debt, less current maturities'.

⁷ Excluding amortisation and impairment of goodwill and intangible assets.

⁸ Proposed by the Board of Directors.