

## 2017 half-year results

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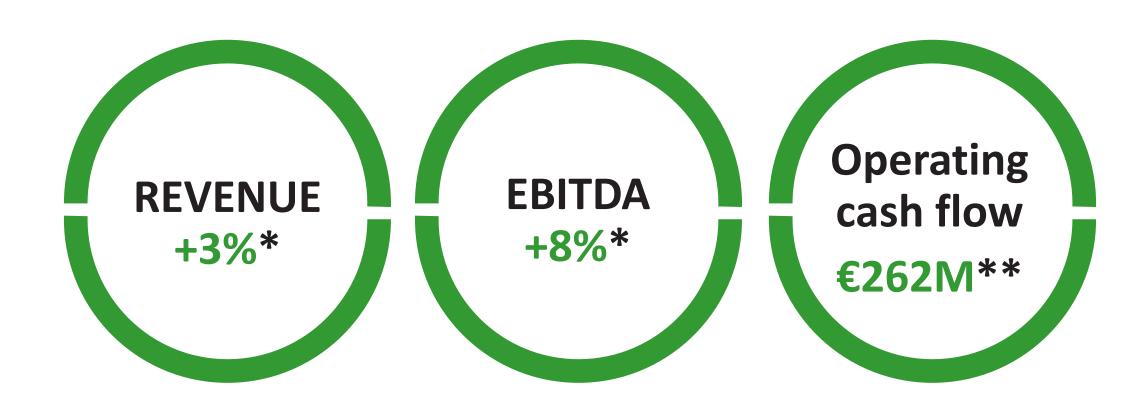








# AN OUTSANDING 1<sup>ST</sup> HALF OF THE YEAR FOR VALUE CREATION THROUGH PRICING POWER AND COST CONTROL

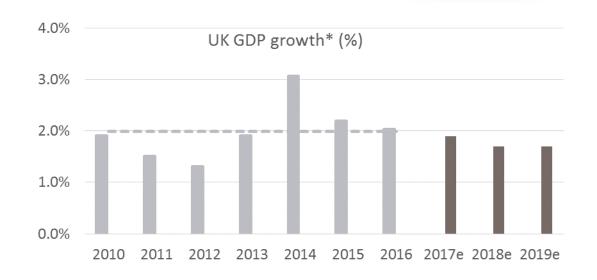




<sup>\*</sup> At H1 2017 exchange rate: £1 = €1.161 and excluding discontinued activities

<sup>\*\*</sup> At exchange rate at 30/06/2017: £1 = €1.137

### KEY MESSAGES Solid British and European economies





#### UK: good momentum for 2018 and 2019

 In May, the Bank of England upgraded its GDP growth estimates for 2018 and 2019

#### c Euro zone:

• "The economic recovery in the euro area is projected to continue, at a faster pace than previously expected" (ECB, June 2017)



#### **KEY MESSAGES**

### Brexit: accelerator of digitalisation

#### 25% of trade in goods between the UK and the Continent passes through the Tunnel

- Premium Trade: added-value flows, (just-in-time, fresh products, express)
- Industry needs speed and frequency (frictionless border)

#### Anticipate possible changes in border controls in the next 5 years+

- Accelerate the digital developments in progress Registered Driver Scheme
- Work closely with industrial stakeholders (logistics, industries) as well as with the States (Governments, customs, police,...)
- Create the Virtual Border
- Maintain competitive advantages

### Eurotunnel, a strategic land border

- Numerous visits for senior officials from the British and French governments and the European Commission
- Conferences and tours for officials and industry representatives
- Understand, anticipate, prepare, create opportunities



## KEY MESSAGES Strong liquidity position with €550M\*

Net refinancing impact €265M

Debt service: savings of c.€60M p.a.

Free Cash Flow €111M



<sup>&#</sup>x27; At 30 June 2017 exchange rate: £1 = €1.137



**KEY FIGURES IN H1 2017** 



## FIXED LINK IN H1 2017 A strong performance

Strong competitive position

Yield increase much higher than inflation

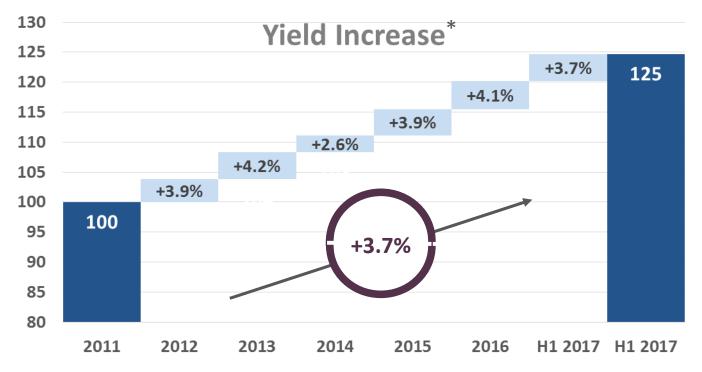
Increase in EBITDA margin





### FIXED LINK

### Consistent success in increasing average yields



## Strong increase in average yields since 2011

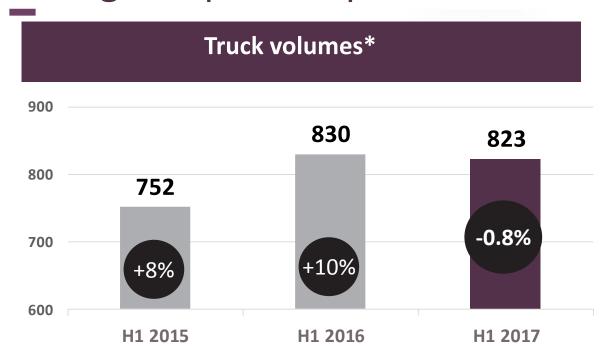
- Above inflation
- Passenger vehicles: dynamic yield management and Flexiplus
- Trucks: pricing power and peak days

### 2017 and beyond

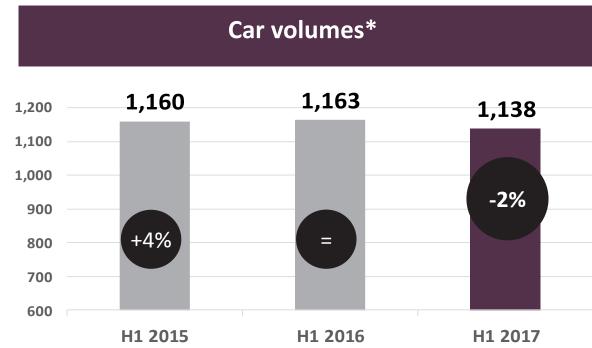
- Extra peak days
- Rationalised ferry market with two operators
- No risk of new entrant



## FIXED LINK – TRUCK AND PASSENGER SHUTTLES IN H1 2017 Strong competitive position maintained



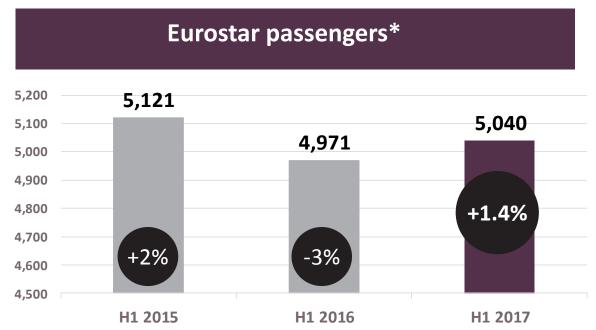
- Traffic stable, despite the temporary decline in Q1 due to the exceptionally severe weather conditions in Southern Europe
- Short Straits market: +0.5%
- Eurotunnel market share at 39.2% (+50pb in Q2)



- Traffic slightly down, impacted by the unfavourable calendar effect (late Easter) and some one-off events (Euro football and Classic Le Mans in 2016 and elections in the UK and FR in 2017)
- Short Straits market down: -3%
- Eurotunnel market share up by 70bp to 58%

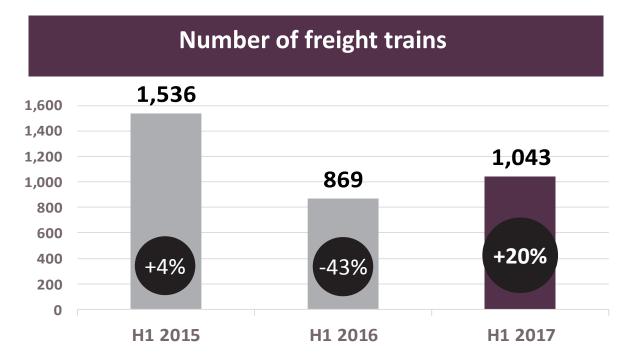


## FIXED LINK – RAILWAY NETWORK (high-speed passenger trains and rail freight trains) Eurostar growth in volumes despite adverse effects





- New higher capacity e320 train in service between London and Brussels in May
- Growth in Business market



- Steady increase in traffic since Eurotunnel secured the SNCF site in Calais-Frethun
- +17% increase in tonnes of goods



## FIXED LINK CONCESSION Growth in prices and cost control

In €M	H1 2017	Change	H1 2016*	
Revenue	438	+3%	425	
Shuttle Services	285 +3%		277	
Railway Network	146	+4%	141	
Other	7	+13%	7	
Operating costs	-198	-1%	-199	
Operating margin (EBITDA)	240	+6%	226	

- 3% growth in Shuttle Services revenue, due to a c.4% average yield effect
- Costs under control
- o Increase in margin (ratio EBITDA/revenue by 160bp to 55%)



<sup>\*</sup> Recalculated at the H1 2017 exchange rate: £1 = €1.161 and restated for IFRS 5

#### FIXED LINK

## Continued investments in quality of service and security

#### Investments in security

- New Security Control Centre in Coquelles (January)
- Scanner for freight trains in the Fréthun yard (in progress)
- Heartbeat detection check buildings (in progress)
- Track siding before the entrance to the Tunnel (in progress)

#### Development of operational capacity

- 3 new Truck Shuttles: the 1<sup>st</sup> in commercial service since February 2017, the 2<sup>nd</sup> in Q3 and the 3<sup>rd</sup> in Q4
- New allocation area for trucks prior to loading (in progress)

### 2020 multi-year digital programme (maintenance and operations)

- Drivers Info App for truck drivers (May) and tests of biometric controls for Truck Shuttle service (in progress)
- Tunnel and rolling stock maintenance planning (in progress)
- Connected equipment /objects: air conditioners on Passenger Shuttles, sensors on tracks,
   Tunnel maintenance wagon, toilets on Shuttles, bins, etc

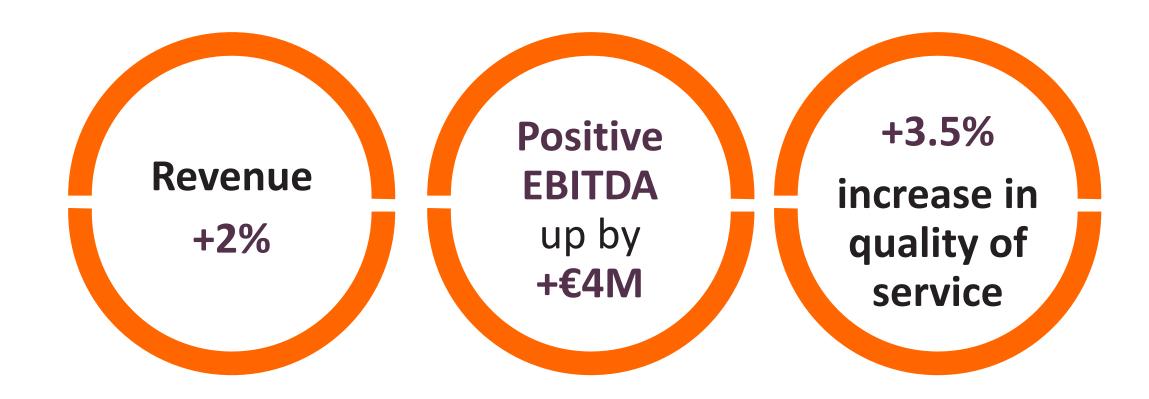
#### Flexiplus: the premium product







## EUROPORTE IN H1 2017 A proven business model for freight





## EUROPORTE Strong growth in profitability

In €M	H1 2017	Change	H1 2016*
Revenue	59	+2%	58
Operating costs	-56	-5%	-59
Operating margin (EBITDA)	3	+€4M	-1

#### Operating activity

- New Vynova traffic between Belgium and France
- New Lafarge traffic and repairs of railway infrastructure
- Renewal of ISO 9001 and MASE certifications

#### Commercial activity

- Renewal of Gefco and Exxon contracts
- New contracts signed with Soufflet and Lhoist Rogessa
- Partnership to supply locomotives for the Grand Paris worksites

#### Performance

- Transport plans and train schedules optimised
- Enhanced management of locomotives
- Cost control
- Positive industrial relations



<sup>\*</sup> Restated to exclude GB Railfreight

## ELECLINK New infrastructure creating value



An economic model proven over more than 20 years

Recurring revenues expected from 2020

25-year exemption for the sale of capacity

**1,000MW** electricity capacity, equivalent to the consumption of c.**2 million households** 



## ELECLINK Start of the construction phase

- 23 February 2017: foundation stone laid for the electrical interconnector
- February 2017: construction work on the two converter stations in Folkestone and Coquelles
- May 2017: start of the installation of the monorail and cable supports in some areas of the Tunnel
- □ June 2017: c.€220M invested to date
- From September 2017: installation of the monorail system throughout the length of the North Tunnel
- From April 2018: pulling of the electric cable
- From early 2020: start of operations







H1 2017 FINANCIAL RESULTS

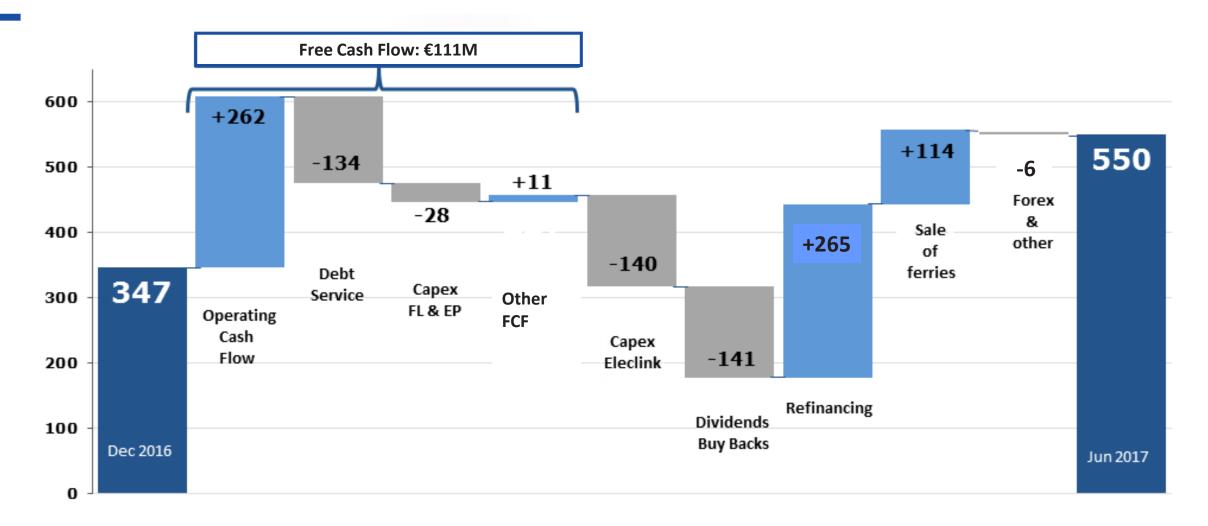


### H1 2017 INCOME STATEMENT

€M	H1 2017	H1 2016*	$\Delta$ %
Revenue	497	483	+3%
Operating costs	-255	-258	-1%
EBITDA	242	225	+8%
Trading profit	166	153	+9%
EBIT	160	148	+8%
Net finance costs and other	-124	-116	+7%
Pre-tax profit from continuing activities	36	32	+14%
Net profit from continuing activities	30	25	+23%
Net profit from discontinued operations	5	27	
Net consolidated profit	35	52	-32%



### **CASH IN H1 2017**





### FINANCIAL DEBT A debt below 4%

### Refinancing of the Group's floating rate debt

- Refinancing over-subscribed 2.5 times
- Debt raised: €1,957M (refinancing of the entire Tranche C)
  - Average cash interest rates reduced from 6 to 4% on the whole debt of the Group
  - Savings on interest payments of c.€60M per year pro forma for at least the next 5 years
  - €265M increase in cash position



### GROUPE EUROTUNNEL SE Strong H1 2017 performance supports the full-year objectives

- Financial objectives of EBITDA for 2017 and 2018
   based on an exchange rate of £1 = €1.175 and current scope of consolidation
  - 2017 EBITDA: €530M
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- Objectives of growth in dividend for 2017 and 2018
  - 2017 dividend: €0.30 per share
  - 2018 dividend: €0.35 per share, +35% vs 2016



