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What Is Our Industry About?



Cost

Gbit/s * Mile

Capex

Network complexity Opex Service differentiation

Revenue & Margins

Service velocity

Speed-to-Market

Increase

Satisfying the bandwidth demand of the digital society



Our History

Foundation of the company



Going public

• FSE: ADV



Going global

- Expansion in North America
- Revenue >USD 250 million



Scaling the business

- >1500 employees
- Revenue >USD 500 million
- Award winning supply chain



1994 1999 2000 2006 2010 2013 2016 2020



First product

 Metro-WDM for enterprise DCI



Adding Ethernet

First fiber-based
 Ethernet services



Portfolio expansion

- Optical+Ethernet
- Network automation



Strategic acquisitions

- Synchronisation
- Software and virtualization

Open connectivity solutions for a connected world



ADVA Optical Networking Today

Our NUMBERS

€566.7 million revenue¹ 1,764 employees²

Our CUSTOMERS

Hundreds of carriers Thousands of enterprises

Our LEADERSHIP

#1 DCI³ enterprise

#1 DCI3 metro ICP/CNP*

#2 Network synchronization4



^{*} Internet Content Provider and Carrier Neutral Provider

Network innovator – Speed for customers – Trusted partner



Our Broad Customer Base









Global success with open connectivity solutions



The Nature of Connectivity Has Changed

Cloud

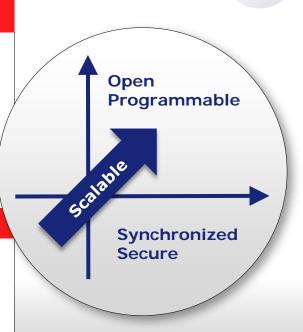
Data centers (DCs) define networking demand

- Distributed DC architectures emerge → Hyper-scale, macro and micro DCs
- Demand becomes unpredictable → Networks must be more agile
- Over-the-Top (OTT) services challenge existing network services
- New operational models → Closer integration with compute & storage (SDN)
- Faster service creation and delivery → Programmable services (NFV)

Mobility

Cloud service adoption drives mobile broadband demand

- Better spectrum utilization → Radio head densification (small cells, C-RAN)
- RAN virtualization → Edge DC with low-latency optical connectivity + NFV
- LTE-A and 5G → Network-based frequency and phase synchronization



Cloud and mobility are transforming the network, driving new business models



Our Strategy



Award-winning factory in Meiningen, Germany

Open connectivity solutions

- Differentiated technology
- Network-level applications
- Market-leading scalability and efficiency

Operational excellence

- High quality
- Short lead times
- Award-winning sustainability focus

Ease of doing business

- Technology and VAR ecosystems
- Broad and deep solution expertise
- Financial stability, solid balance sheet

Enabling our customers to deliver differentiated cloud-based services



Networking Growth Drivers





Web-Scale Network Builds

... reshape optical networks around the data center paradigm



... promises incremental revenue for communication service providers



RAN Extension

Centralizing RAN architectures (4G+/5G) will drive more ON bandwidth, incl. fronthaul



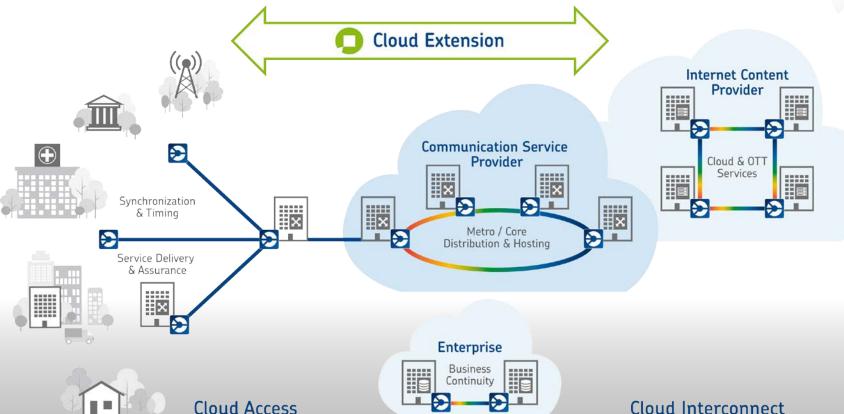
AWS and Microsoft Commercial Cloud are now exceeding an annualized \$20bn run rate

The optical networking (ON) market is on track to reach \$18bn by 2020*



^{*} Ovum Market Share Report 3Q16, published Jan 2017

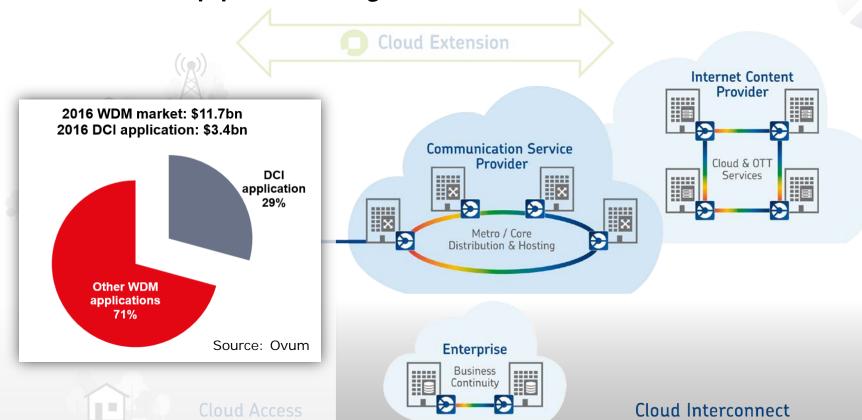
Our Hardware, Software and Services



Cloud Interconnect



Market Opportunity: WDM





Internet Content Providers (ICPs)

ICP - DCI

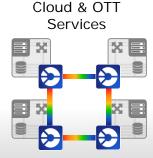
USD 1.2 billion¹ 19%

Creation, storage and dissemination of digital information



Approx. revenue contribution, rolling last four quarters

- Fastest growing supplier in **metro** space, leading with >20% market share²
- Best ICP-tailored product, leading in cost, space, power and spectral efficiency
- New operational models, favoring smaller, innovative and specialized suppliers





FSP 3000 CloudConnect™



Public cloud: content and X-as-a-service for the digital age



TAM

CAGR

ADVA

success

factors

¹⁾ Estimated 2016 market size and 5yr CAGR; Source: Ovum, 2016-21 Global Data Center Interconnect Forecast, published January 2017

^{2) 3}Q 2016 market share (4Q rolling); Source: Ovum Market Share Report DCI published Dec 2016

Private Enterprise Networks

Enterprise DCI

TAM USD 0.25 billion¹ 3%

Large-scale needs for data storage, replication and backup



Approx. revenue contribution, rolling last four quarters

- >20 years experience
- Highly differentiated feature set
- Excellent partner landscape
- Encryption creates additional differentiation and stickiness
- Market leader² (global >25%)







FSP 3000

Private cloud infrastructure – security for mission critical data and applications



ADVA

success

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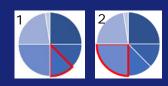
Communication Service Providers (CSP)

DCI¹ and Infrastructure²

USD 1.5¹ bn

8.7 bn² experience special experience special experience special experience special experience experience special experience special experience experien

Own fiber plant; experience in design, building and operation of optical networks;



Approx. revenue contribution, rolling last four quarters

- Trusted metro supplier for many Tier 1, 2, 3 operators
- Compelling and proven metro core offering
- Preferred choice for many end users





FSP 3000

Investment cycle coming to the metro core



TAM

CAGR

ADVA

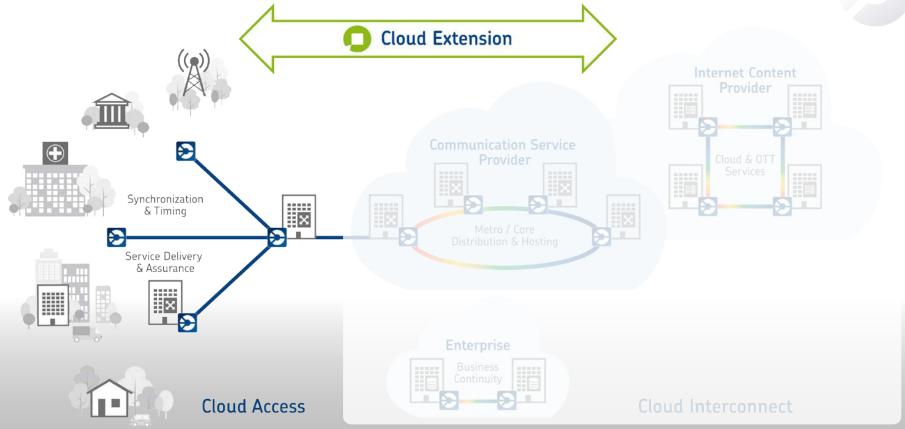
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²⁾ Estimated 2016 market size and 5yr CAGR; Source: Ovum, 2016-21 Optical Networks Forecast, published January 2017

Access, Virtualization and Synchronization





CSP Access



Communication Service Providers – (Ethernet) Access

TAM CAGR

ADVA success factors USD ~ 0.9 billion¹ 11%

Business Ethernet, wholesale and mobile backhaul services



Approx. revenue contribution, rolling last four quarters

- Most comprehensive portfolio in the market
- Security suite
- Future-proof (NFV-optimized)
- 15 years experience





FSP 150

Upgrade cycle at the network edge to simplify and future-proof cloud access

1) Estimated 2016 market size and 5yr CAGR for access switching & routing; Source: Ovum, Service Provider Switching & Routing Forecast, published January 2017



CSP – Network Function Virtualization



Communication Service Providers - NFV

Delivering differentiated services

ADVA success factors

- Shift towards software-driven service creation and delivery (VNF)¹
- Tapping into layer 3 access and edge routing market
- Most comprehensive NFV architecture providing choice of hardware, software and location
- New strategic division with experience and market credibility
 - 1) virtual network function
 - 2) virtual customer premise equipment

"Service providers globally will spend over \$1.5B in 2020 to deploy vCPE² use case services"

NFV Report, IHS Markit, 2016



Turning enterprise IT-spend into service provider revenue



What Is Ensemble Virtualization?

Ensemble enables users to realize the benefits of the cloud by **replacing closed appliances** with their **choice of software** that can be **hosted anywhere** in the network on their **choice of open hardware**.



Appliances (IT-spend)







CSP managed services

More than 20 active customer engagements with carriers around the globe



Network Synchronization



Synchronization

USD 0.3 billion¹



Approx. revenue contribution, rolling last four quarters



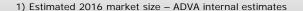
- Focus and higher speed of innovation gives us a more comprehensive and competitive portfolio
- Strategically important technology and expertise could allow further expansion into mobile infrastructure



OSA 5405









Precise timing for 4G+ and 5G mobile networks



Our Innovation Overview

One Network Edge

Streamline high-value service delivery



Network Virtualization Simplified

Deploy, operationalize

and monetize NFV at scale

Delivering Assured Precision Timing

Accurate and scalable time and frequency synchronization



Connecting the Cloud

Open and secure Terascale connectivity





Scaling the Cloud

Flexible metro core infrastructure

Connecting, extending and assuring the cloud



Our Partners



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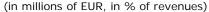
Financial Performance







Annual IFRS Revenues and Pro Forma Profitability





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Quarterly IFRS Revenues and Pro Forma Profitability



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IFRS Profitability

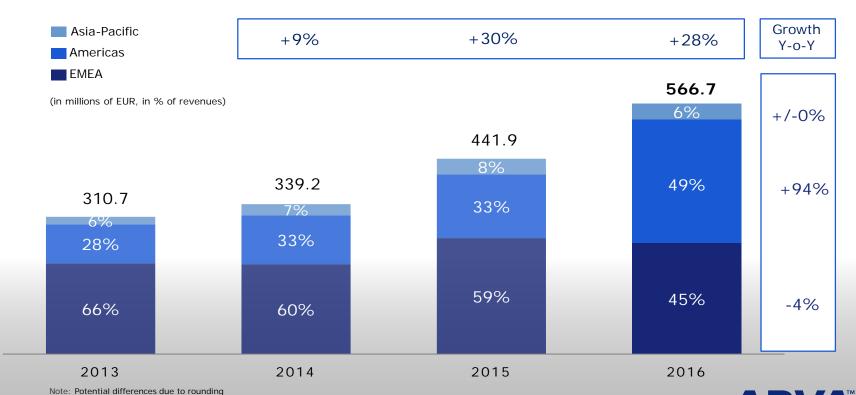
	2015	2016			
EUR Million	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Pro Forma Operating Income	9.0	2.0	4.2	8.3	9.0
	(8.1%)	(1.6%)	(2.7%)	(5.2%)	(7.0%)
Operating Income	7.5	1.0	3.1	7.2	8.1
	(6.7%)	(0.8%)	(2.0%)	(4.5%)	(6.3%)
Net Income	8.9	-5.2	9.8	3.3	13.6
	(7.9%)	(-4.2%)	(6.2%)	(2.0%)	(10.6%)
Diluted EPS in EUR	0.18	-0.10	0.20	0.07	0.27

Margins, in % of Revenues



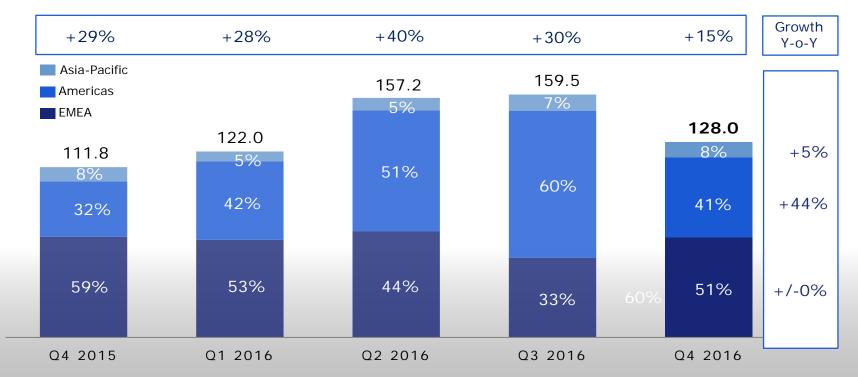
Annual Revenues Per Region

(in millions of EUR, in % of revenues)



Quarterly Revenues Per Region

(in millions of EUR, in % of revenues)

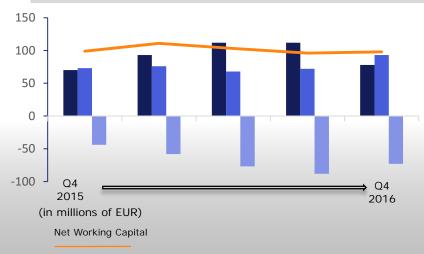


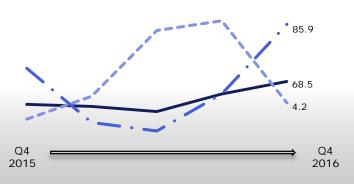
Note: Potential differences due to rounding



IFRS Balance Sheet

Assets	Sep. 30 2016	Dec. 31 2016	Equity & liabilities	Sep. 30 2016	Dec. 31 2016
Cash & cash equivalents	81.2	84.9	Accounts payable	87.7	73.3
Accounts receivable	112.1	78.5	Financial liabilities	60.9	59.4
Inventories	72.2	92.8	Other liabilities	96.6	96.3
Other assets	200.3	211.7	Equity	220.6	238.9
Total	465.8	467.9	Total	465.8	467.9
Net Liquidity	20.3	25.5			





Days Sales Outstanding (DSOs)

Days Payable Outstanding (DPOs)

Inventory Turns



IFRS Consolidated Cash Flow Statement

	2015	2016			
EUR million	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Net cash provided by operating activities	10.7	2.0	22.4	15.7	21.2
Net cash used for investing activities		-42.9	-11.4	-15.5	-16.6
Net cash provided by (used for) financing activities		21.0	-1.9	-1.7	-1.7
Net effect of foreign currency translation		-0.6	0	0.2	0.7
Net change in cash and cash equivalents		-20.5	9.1	-1.3	3.6
Cash and cash equivalents					
at beginning of period	79.3	93.9	73.4	82.5	81.2
at end of period	93.9	73.4	82.5	81.2	84.9
Free cash flow*		-0.6	19.0	11.8	16.4

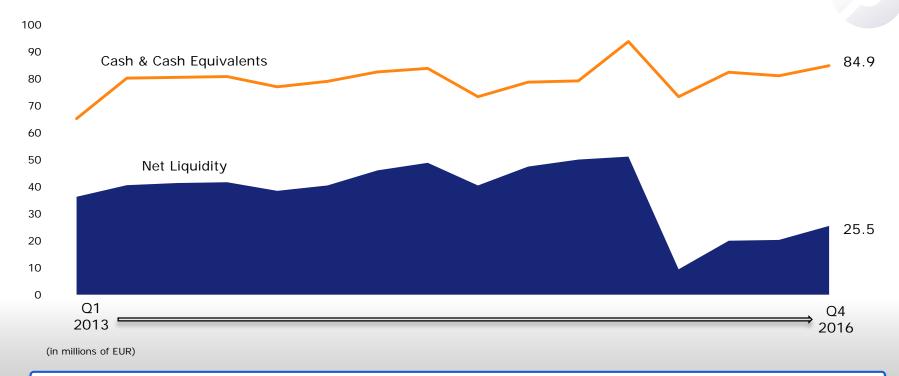
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^{*} Free cash flow = Net cash provided by operating activities

./. capital expenditures for property, plant and equipment, finance leases and intangible assets not related to development activities.

Cash and Net Liquidity



Steady increase of net liquidity after Q1 reduction due to the Overture acquisition



Investor Relations Overview (I/II)

Recent Investor Activities

Conferences: Needham Conference New York in

November

Roadshows: Paris and Boston in November

Stockholder Structure

Status: January 31, 2017: 49,498,934 shares outstanding



^{*}Sources: Insight Nasdaq; Hauck&Aufhäuser; ADVA

Planned Investor Activities

Investor Meetings: MWC, Barcelona in February

OFC, Los Angeles in March

Roadshows: Helsinki and Copenhagen in March

London and Zurich in March

Financial Analyst Coverage

As of Feb 22, 2017 Institution	Recommendation/ price target	Last update	Last change
Oddo Seydler Bank	Buy (€12.50)	Feb 7, 17	(€12.50)
Hauck & Aufhäuser	Buy (€10.50)	Feb 22, 17	(€10.50)
LBBW	Buy (€ 9.75)	Nov 29, 16	(€10.75)
Northland Capital Marke	ts Buy (€13.00)	Oct 28, 16	(€15.00)
Deutsche Bank	Hold (€ 7.60)	Nov 07, 16	(€10.00)
Ø	€ 10.67		

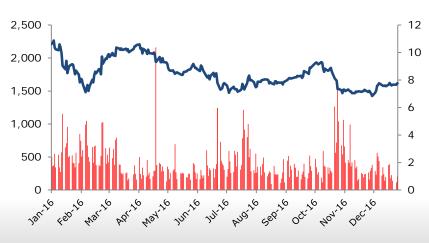


Investor Relations Overview (II/II)

Share Price and Trading Volume

Financial Analyst IFRS Estimates

As of Feb 22, 2017



10.87

6.84

Only includes estimates since Oct 27, 2016

	FY 2016	FY 2017	Q1 2016	Q4 2016	Q1 2017	Q1 2017
EUR m	Actual	Analyst consensus	Actual	Actual	Analyst consensus	
Revenues	572.8	640.1	122.0	128.0	138.3	135-145
Growth YoY	+30%	+11.8%	+28%	+15%	+13.4%	
Pro forma operating income	25.7	43.7	2.0	9.0	4.4	
% of revenues	4.5%	6.8%	1.6%	7.0%	3.2%	3%-5%
Net Income	21.6	36.6	-5.2	13.6	3.2	
% of revenues	3.8%	5.7%	-4.2%	10.6%	2.3%	

Share price in EUR

52 week high52 week low

DEUTSCHE BÖRSE

PRIME STANDARD





Guidance Q1 2017

- Revenues between EUR 135 million and EUR 145 million
- Pro forma operating margin between 3% and 5% of revenues*
- ADVA Optical Networking will continue to perform detailed quarterly reviews of the expected business development in respect of all intangible assets, including capitalized research and development expenses; in case of highly adverse business prospects, these reviews may result in noncash impairment charges.



Excluding any potential impairment charges.



Thank You

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