

Interim Report

First half year 2014

About Tecan

For more than 30 years, Tecan has been investing its expertise in developing and improving automated workflow solutions for laboratories in the life sciences sector.

Adding value for the customer is the driving force behind everything we do at Tecan every day in research and development, production, distribution and service.

Whether in Europe, Asia, America or elsewhere in the world, our goal is always the same: to contribute to the quality of life of humankind by enabling our customers to make our community a healthier and safer place.

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Dear Shareholders,

The first half of 2014 has again been a busy period with an important product launch and negotiation of our first acquisition. From a financial results point of view we have seen mixed results and the performance of our two business segments differed considerably.

We have seen a strong recovery in our Life Sciences Business with a good start into the year in the established markets in Europe and North America – markets that suffered from austerity measures and budget cuts in 2013. Our sales in Partnering Business were disappointing in the first half of the year, mostly due to delays in order placement from two large customer accounts for unrelated reasons. Overall we finished the first half with the highest level in order backlog in at least the last five years.

We achieved important progress in our development programs. A particular highlight was the launch of Fluent, the next generation of liquid handling platforms in our Life Sciences Business. After close of the reporting period, we were able to successfully complete the acquisition of IBL International. As part of our strategy, this acquisition marks an important step towards offering fully integrated solutions, including reagents, and thereby adding a new source of recurring revenues.

Financial results first half of 2014

Order entry increased by 6.8% in local currencies to CHF 196.6 million (H1 2013: CHF 189.2 million) in the first six months of the year, corresponding to growth of 3.9% in Swiss francs. Growth in order entry was driven by a double-digit increase in the Life Sciences Business. As a result, order backlog at the end of the reporting period recorded a double-digit increase for the Group. Sales reached CHF 172.0 million (H1 2013: CHF 181.8 million) and were therefore 2.7% below the prior-year level in local currency terms and 5.4% lower in Swiss francs. The performance of the two business segments again differed considerably. While sales in the Life Sciences Business recovered strongly and increased by 7.2% in local currencies, those in the Partnering Business were 13.9% below the prior-year level due to the timing of orders from two large corporate customers and a slowdown in Components sales versus a tough comparison from the first half of 2013.

Operating profit (EBIT) reached CHF 22.3 million in the first half of 2013 (H1 2013: CHF 23.1 million). The operating profit margin improved by 30 basis points to 13.0% of sales (H1 2013: 12.7%), helped by lower research and development expenses as projects near market launch. Exchange rate movements in major currencies versus the Swiss franc had a negative impact on the operating result. Assuming exchange rates in line with the prior-year period, the operating profit would have reached CHF 24.1 million while the operating profit margin would have stood at 13.6% of sales. Net profit increased by 12.8% and amounted to CHF 18.6 million (H1 2013: CHF 16.5 million) in the first six months of the year. The net profit margin improved by 170 basis points to 10.8% of sales (H1 2013: 9.1%). Earnings per share increased to CHF 1.68 (H1 2013: CHF 1.51). Cash flow from operating activities rose to CHF 16.2 million (H1 2013: CHF 5.5 million). Excluding an OEM development project that Tecan is pre-financing, cash flow from operating activities amounted to CHF 28.9 million (H1 2013: CHF 28.4 million).

Information by business segments

Life Sciences Business (end-customer business)

Sales in the Life Sciences Business segment increased by 7.2% in local currencies to CHF 100.9 million (H1 2013: CHF 97.6 million), while, sales were 3.4% higher than in the prior-year period in Swiss francs. The business segment benefitted from a general improvement of the economic and funding environment in Europe and North America. Sales of liquid handling platforms, which suffered the most from austerity measures and budget cuts in 2013, recovered strongly and recorded double-digit growth. Overall, order entry in the Life Sciences Business exceeded sales considerably, resulting in a significant increase in order backlog.

The segment's operating profit in the first half of 2014 increased markedly to CHF 14.8 million (H1 2013: CHF 1.1 million). The increase is primarily the result of the higher sales volumes and lower research and development spending. The profit margin grew to 14.0% of sales (H1 2013: 1.0%).

Partnering Business (OEM business)

The Partnering Business segment generated sales of CHF 71.1 million during the reporting period (H1 2013: CHF 84.2 million), which corresponds to a decrease of 13.9% in local currencies and 15.6% in Swiss francs. This decline was due to fewer instrument shipments to two corporate customers and lower sales in the Components business, which had recorded significant growth in the prior-year period. Sales of instruments declined, as one partner saw a change in ownership at the end of Tecan's reporting period. As a result, order placements were delayed in the first six months of the year and sales booked only at a significantly reduced level. Another corporate customer was impacted by the timing of tenders in emerging markets, with a publically stated expectation of an improvement in the second half of the year.

Order entry in the Partnering Business increased slightly in the first half of the year, leading to a significantly higher order backlog at the end of the reporting period.

The segment's operating profit in the first half of 2014 was CHF 11.3 million (H1 2013: CHF 25.0 million). The decline is principally the result of lower sales. The profit margin reached 15.5% of sales (H1 2013: 29.2%).

Additional information

Regional development

In Europe, sales in the Life Sciences Business recovered strongly and were growing with a double-digit rate. Despite a ramp up of sales from instrument deliveries to Dako, sales in the Partnering Business declined as they were impacted by the delay in orders from two large corporate customers. Overall, sales in Europe were 2.4% below the prior-year period in local currencies and decreased by 2.8% in Swiss francs.

In North America, the Life Sciences Business was benefitting from an improved funding environment and recorded good sales growth. In the Partnering Business, sales declined for instruments and the components business. Total sales in North America were down by 4.4% in local currencies. Sales in Swiss francs were negatively impacted by the exchange rate development of the US dollar versus the Swiss franc and were 8.2% below the prior-year period.

China has seen delays in government tenders and in academic spending as widely noted in the industry, which also provided a drag to Tecan's Life Sciences Business sales in Asia. A normalization of spending patterns is expected for the second half of the year. By contrast, sales in the Partnering Business were growing strongly in China and Asia overall. Total sales in Asia grew by 0.5% in local currencies and including a negative exchange rate impact were 6.7% below the prior-year period in Swiss francs.

Recurring sales of services and consumables

Sales of consumables increased by 9.2% in local currencies and by 6.3% in Swiss francs to a share of 12.6% of total sales (H1 2013: 11.2%). Service revenues experienced a slowdown due to lower spare part revenues mainly linked to the mentioned delays noted in Partnering Business and were down by 1.4% in local currencies and by 4.2% in Swiss francs.

Overall, recurring sales of services and consumables increased by 2.0% in local currency terms in the first half of 2014 and were 0.8% below the prior-year period in Swiss francs. They accounted for 36.8% of total sales (H1 2013: 35.1%).

Research and development

In the first half of 2014, research and development spending was at 10.0% of sales (H1 2013: 11.7%) or CHF 17.2 million (H1 2013: CHF 21.3 million). All told, research and development activities amounted to CHF 47.6 million gross (H1 2013: CHF 54.0 million), out of which CHF 18.5 million are development costs for OEM instrument customers in Partnering Business. This total figure also includes the development costs capitalized in the balance sheet of CHF 12.7 million gross, an increase of CHF 8.5 million over the first half of 2013 as development projects progressed and are nearing product launch.

In June, Tecan announced the launch of the Fluent™ laboratory automation family as the latest addition to its extensive liquid handling portfolio. This next generation of liquid handling platforms has been a major development program for Tecan. Fluent is a unique automation concept built around the application-specific needs of laboratories, delivering more capacity and increased speed. The first Fluent solutions are designed to meet the needs of the strongly growing cell biology market. Fluent has been well received by end users in the market and product shipments are expected within the coming weeks.

In the Partnering Business Tecan continues to develop ORTHO Vision™ Max, the second instrument variant of a next generation diagnostics instrument used for blood typing and to determine other important blood parameters. In the meantime, the first instrument variant ORTHO Vision™ continues in validation and in recent weeks, the first series instruments have been delivered to the customer.

Strong balance sheet – high equity ratio

Tecan's equity ratio reached 70.9% as of June 30, 2013 (December 31, 2013: 72.0%). Net liquidity (cash and cash equivalents less bank liabilities and loans) amounted to CHF 130.0 million (December 31, 2013: CHF 143.4 million). The Company's share capital remained unchanged at CHF 1,144,458 at the reporting date (June 30, 2014), consisting of 11,444,576 registered shares with a nominal value of CHF 0.10 each.

At the Tecan Group Annual General Meeting on April 14, 2014, shareholders approved an unchanged dividend versus the previous year of CHF 1.50 per registered share. The payout of dividends of CHF 16.7 million in total took place on April 23, 2014.

Acquisition of IBL International to offer integrated solution for specialty diagnostics

On July 30, 2014, Tecan has announced the acquisition of IBL International as an important strategic step to support Tecan's evolution into a solutions business with a higher share of recurring revenues. IBL International is a leading company in the field of microtiter plate based immunoassays with one of the widest ranges of tests for specialty diagnostics to be used in research and clinical laboratories. IBL International will become

a part of Tecan's Life Sciences Business, leveraging Tecan's global presence and long tradition serving the clinical market with instruments optimized for immunoassay processing.

The purchase consideration of EUR 29.0 million (CHF 35.2 million) was fully paid in cash and represents a valuation of 1.8 times fiscal year 2013 sales of IBL International. The transaction is expected to be accretive to earnings per share (EPS) before transaction-related amortization in the second full year after closing. The transaction was successfully completed on July 31, 2014 and from August 1, 2014, IBL International will be included in the consolidated financial statements of the Tecan Group.

Outlook for full-year 2014 confirmed

For financial year 2014, Tecan continues to expect Group sales in local currencies to grow at least in the mid single-digit percentage range and for the operating profit margin a further increase of around 50 basis points compared to 2013.

The expectation regarding operating profit margin is based on an average exchange rate forecast for full-year 2014 of one euro equaling CHF 1.21 and one US dollar equaling CHF 0.92.

This financial year 2014 outlook does not include contributions from the acquisition of IBL International. Currently, Tecan expects a mid single-digit million Swiss franc sales contribution for the remaining five months that IBL International will be included in the consolidated financial statements 2014 of the Tecan Group. The negative impact on the absolute operating profit in Swiss francs is expected to be up to CHF 2 million, due to purchase price amortization and initial integration costs.

Männedorf, August 11, 2014



Rolf A. Classon
Chairman of the Board



Dr. David Martyr
Chief Executive Officer

Interim consolidated statement of profit or loss

January to June, CHF 1,000	Notes	2013	2014
Sales	4	181,810	172,002
Cost of sales		(93,173)	(84,670)
Gross profit		88,637	87,332
Sales and marketing		(28,001)	(29,561)
Research and development		(21,342)	(17,220)
General and administration		(16,500)	(18,474)
Other operating income		328	243
Operating profit	4	23,122	22,320
Financial income		51	11
Finance cost		(278)	(233)
Foreign exchange (losses)/gains, net		(2,479)	317
Financial result		(2,706)	95
Profit before taxes		20,416	22,415
Income taxes		(3,936)	(3,833)
Profit for the period, attributable to owners of the parent		16,480	18,582
<i>Earnings per share</i>			
Basic earnings per share (CHF/share)		1.51	1.68
Diluted earnings per share (CHF/share)		1.49	1.65

Interim consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income

January to June, CHF 1,000	2013	2014
Profit for the period	16,480	18,582
Other comprehensive income		
Remeasurement of defined benefit obligation	4,200	(4,978)
Related income taxes	(708)	802
Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss, net of income taxes	3,492	(4,176)
Translation differences	1,340	(498)
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss, net of income taxes	1,340	(498)
Other comprehensive income/(loss), net of income taxes	4,832	(4,674)
Total comprehensive income for the period, attributable to owners of the parent	21,312	13,908

There were no income taxes and no reclassification adjustments relating to translation differences for the periods presented.

Interim consolidated balance sheet

Assets

CHF 1,000	Notes	31.12.2013	30.06.2014
Cash and cash equivalents		150,377	136,913
Current loans and derivatives		2,599	2,614
Trade accounts receivable		74,652	62,267
Other accounts receivable		10,591	14,393
Inventories	6	145,693	165,700
Income tax receivables		1,393	2,922
Prepaid expenses		2,266	3,315
Current assets		387,571	388,124
Non-current financial assets		1,489	751
Property, plant and equipment		19,855	17,862
Intangible assets		48,571	60,409
Deferred tax assets		9,163	9,430
Non-current assets		79,078	88,452
Assets		466,649	476,576

Liabilities and equity

CHF 1,000	Notes	31.12.2013	30.06.2014
Current bank liabilities and derivatives		5,588	5,079
Trade accounts payable		10,292	10,145
Other accounts payable		15,101	19,796
Deferred revenue		18,739	24,181
Income tax payables		8,221	8,956
Accrued expenses		32,967	27,567
Current provisions		14,404	11,736
Current liabilities		105,312	107,460
Non-current bank liabilities and derivatives		2,013	2,048
Liability for post-employment benefits		16,773	22,692
Non-current provisions		2,480	2,284
Deferred tax liabilities		3,869	3,968
Non-current liabilities		25,135	30,992
Total liabilities		130,447	138,452
Share capital		1,144	1,144
Capital reserve		9,301	9,334
Treasury shares		(13,151)	(11,295)
Retained earnings		369,977	370,508
Translation differences		(31,069)	(31,567)
Shareholders' equity	7	336,202	338,124
Liabilities and equity		466,649	476,576

Interim consolidated statement of cash flows

January to June, CHF 1,000	Notes	2013	2014
Profit for the period		16,480	18,582
<i>Adjustments for</i>			
Depreciation and amortization		5,160	4,517
Change in provisions and liability for post-employment benefits		1,522	(1,882)
Interest income		(51)	(11)
Interest expenses		64	62
Income taxes		3,936	3,833
Equity-settled share-based payment transactions		933	2,776
Other non-cash items		728	(163)
<i>Change in working capital</i>			
Trade accounts receivable		18,702	12,086
Inventories	6	(23,189)	(19,893)
Trade accounts payable		(1,148)	(121)
Other changes in working capital (net)		(8,665)	414
Income taxes paid		(8,984)	(4,022)
Cash inflows from operating activities		5,488	16,178
Interest received		50	11
Acquisition of Tecan Australia Pty Ltd., earn-out paid		(145)	(119)
Purchase of property, plant and equipment		(2,059)	(1,520)
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment		40	179
Investment in intangible assets		(4,806)	(13,307)
Cash outflows from investing activities		(6,920)	(14,756)
Dividends paid		(16,488)	(16,651)
Proceeds from sale of treasury shares		6,825	1,889
Change in current bank liabilities		3,977	47
Increase in bank loans		234	-
Interest paid		(64)	(63)
Cash outflows from financing activities		(5,516)	(14,778)
Effect of exchange rate fluctuations on cash held		147	(108)
Decrease in cash and cash equivalents		(6,801)	(13,464)
Cash and cash equivalents at January 1		144,520	150,337
Cash and cash equivalents at June 30		137,719	136,913
<i>Cash and cash equivalents as per cash flow statement comprise</i>			
Cash and cash equivalents as per balance sheet		137,719	136,913
./. Bank overdrafts under bank pooling arrangements		-	-
= Cash and cash equivalents as per cash flow statement		137,719	136,913

Interim consolidated statement of changes in equity

January to June, CHF 1,000	Notes	Share capital	Capital reserve	Treasury shares	Retained earnings	Translation differences	Total share-holders' equity
Balance at January 1, 2013		1,144	9,359	(23,527)	336,438	(29,801)	293,613
Profit for the period,		-	-	-	16,480	-	16,480
Other comprehensive income, net of income taxes		-	-	-	3,492	1,340	4,832
Total comprehensive income for the period		-	-	-	19,972	1,340	21,312
Dividends paid		-	-	-	(16,488)	-	(16,488)
Share-based payments		-	-	-	933	-	933
Treasury shares issued based on employee participation plans		-	(1,329)	5,868	-	-	4,539
Other sale of treasury shares		-	488	1,798	-	-	2,286
Total contributions by and distributions to owners	7	-	(841)	7,666	(15,555)	-	(8,730)
Balance at June 30, 2013		1,144	8,518	(15,861)	340,855	(28,461)	306,195
Balance at January 1, 2014		1,144	9,301	(13,151)	369,977	(31,069)	336,202
Profit for the period		-	-	-	18,582	-	18,582
Other comprehensive loss, net of income taxes		-	-	-	(4,176)	(498)	(4,674)
Total comprehensive income for the period		-	-	-	14,406	(498)	13,908
Dividends paid		-	-	-	(16,651)	-	(16,651)
Share-based payments		-	-	-	2,776	-	2,776
Treasury shares issued based on employee participation plans		-	26	1,849	-	-	1,875
Other sale of treasury shares		-	7	7	-	-	14
Total contributions by and distributions to owners	7	-	33	1,856	(13,875)	-	(11,986)
Balance at June 30, 2014		1,144	9,334	(11,295)	370,508	(31,567)	338,124

Notes to the interim condensed consolidated financial statements

1 Reporting entity

The Tecan Group is a global provider of laboratory instruments and solutions in biopharmaceuticals, forensics and clinical diagnostics. The Group specializes in the development, production and distribution of automation solutions for laboratories in the life sciences sector. Its clients include pharmaceutical and biotechnology companies, university research departments, forensic and diagnostic laboratories. As an original equipment manufacturer, the Group also develops and manufactures OEM instruments and components that are then distributed by partner companies. Founded in Switzerland in 1980, the Group has manufacturing, research and development sites in both Europe and North America and maintains a sales and service network in 52 countries.

The ultimate parent company is Tecan Group Ltd., a limited liability company incorporated in Switzerland, whose shares are publicly traded. Tecan Group Ltd.'s registered office is located at Seestrasse 103, 8708 Männedorf, Switzerland.

2 Basis of preparation and significant accounting policies

2.1 Basis of preparation

These unaudited financial statements are the interim condensed consolidated financial statements of Tecan Group Ltd. and its subsidiaries (together referred to as the "Group") for the six-month period ending June 30, 2014. The financial statements are prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standard (IAS) 34 "Interim Financial Reporting" and should be read in conjunction with the Group's annual financial statements as they provide an update of previously reported information. The interim condensed consolidated financial statements were authorized for issue on August 11, 2014.

The preparation of these interim condensed consolidated financial statements requires management to make assumptions and estimates that affect the reported amounts of revenues, expenses, assets, liabilities and disclosure of contingent liabilities at the date of these interim financial statements. If in the future such assumptions and estimates deviate from the actual circumstances, the original assumptions and estimates will be modified as appropriate in the period in which the circumstances change.

The Group operates in industries where significant seasonal or cyclical variations in total sales are not experienced during the financial year.

Income tax expense is recognized based on the best estimate of the weighted average annual income tax rate expected for the full financial year.

2.2 Introduction of new and revised/amended accounting standards and interpretations

The accounting policies used in the preparation of the interim condensed consolidated financial statements are consistent with those followed in the preparation of the Group's annual financial statements for the year ending December 31, 2013, except for the adoption of the following new or revised/amended standards and interpretations, effective as from January 1, 2014:

Standard/interpretation ¹
Investment Entities (Amendments to IFRS 10, IFRS 12 and IAS 27)
IAS 32 amended 'Financial Instruments: Presentation' – Offsetting Financial Assets and Liabilities
IAS 39 amended 'Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement' – Novation of Derivatives and Continuation of Hedge Accounting
IFRIC 21 'Levies'

¹ IAS = International Accounting Standards, IFRS = International Financial Reporting Standards, IFRIC = Interpretations as by the IFRS Interpretations Committee (formerly International Financial Reporting Interpretations Committee)

The adoption of these new or revised/amended standards and interpretations did not result in substantial changes to the Group's accounting policies.

2.3 New standards and interpretations not yet applied

The following new and revised/amended standards and interpretations have been issued, but are not yet effective and are not applied early in these interim condensed consolidated financial statements:

Standard/interpretation ¹	Effective date for the Group
IAS 19 amended 'Employee Benefits' – Defined Benefit Plans: Employee Contributions	Reporting year 2015
Annual Improvements to IFRSs 2010 - 2012 Cycle	Reporting year 2015
Annual improvements to IFRSs 2011 - 2013 Cycle	Reporting year 2015
IFRS 11 amended 'Joint Arrangements' – Accounting for Acquisitions of Interests in Joint Operations	Reporting year 2016
IAS 16 amended 'Property, Plant and Equipment' and IAS 38 amended 'Intangible Assets' – Clarification of Acceptable Methods of Depreciation and Amortization	Reporting year 2016
IFRS 15 'Revenue from Contracts with Customers'	Reporting year 2017
IFRS 9 'Financial Instruments'	Not yet determined

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These changes are not expected to have a significant impact on the consolidated financial statements except for IFRS 15 'Revenue from Contracts with Customers'. However, a comprehensive and profound analysis is yet to be performed.

3 Change in scope of consolidation

There has been no change in the scope of the consolidation since December 31, 2013.

4 Interim segment information

4.1 Segment information by business segments

January to June, CHF 1,000	Life Sciences Business		Partnering Business		Corporate /consolidation		Group	
	2013	2014	2013	2014	2013	2014	2013	2014
Sales third	97,605	100,920	84,205	71,082	-	-	181,810	172,002
Intersegment sales ¹	6,382	4,948	1,426	1,584	(7,808)	(6,532)	-	-
Total sales	103,987	105,868	85,631	72,666	(7,808)	(6,532)	181,810	172,002
Operating profit	1,083	14,825	25,017	11,277	(2,978)	(3,782)	23,122	22,320
Depreciation and amortization ²	(3,325)	(2,804)	(1,835)	(1,713)	-	-	(5,160)	(4,517)
Impairment losses	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Intersegment transactions are conducted at arm's length.

² No significant non-cash items other than depreciation of property, plant and equipment and amortization of intangible assets were incurred.

January to June, CHF 1,000	2013	2014
<i>Reconciliation of reportable segment sales</i>		
Total sales for reportable segments	189,618	178,534
Elimination of intersegment sales	(7,808)	(6,532)
Total consolidated sales	181,810	172,002
<i>Reconciliation of reportable segment profit</i>		
Total operating profit for reportable segments	26,100	26,102
Unallocated costs (business development, investor relations and other corporate costs) and consolidation entries	(2,978)	(3,782)
Financial result	(2,706)	95
Total consolidated profit before taxes	20,416	22,415

4.2 Entity-wide disclosures

Products and services

January to June, CHF 1,000	2013	2014
Products	118,041	108,774
Services	63,769	63,228
Total sales third	181,810	172,002

Sales by regions (by location of customers)

January to June, CHF 1,000	2013	2014
Switzerland	4,178	4,530
Other Europe	73,983	71,443
North America	76,006	69,752
Asia	22,776	21,257
Others	4,867	5,020
Total sales third	181,810	172,002

Non-current assets by regions (by location of assets)

CHF 1,000	Property, plant and equipment		Intangible assets	
	31.12.2013	30.06.2014	31.12.2013	30.06.2014
Switzerland	10,721	9,323	46,720	58,596
Other Europe	4,884	4,527	1,419	1,404
United States	3,814	3,588	–	–
Asia	436	424	432	409
Total	19,855	17,862	48,571	60,409

Information about major customers

There are no sales to individual customers in the first half of 2013 and 2014 that accumulated exceeded 10% of total sales.

5 Operating expenses by nature

January to June, CHF 1,000	2013	2014
Material costs	55,115	48,209
Personnel costs	70,262	72,147
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	3,162	3,042
Amortization of intangible assets	1,998	1,475
Other operating costs (net)	55,264	50,313
Total operating cost incurred (gross)	185,801	175,186
Capitalization of development costs in position inventories (see note 6)	(22,897)	(12,762)
Capitalization of development costs in position intangible assets	(4,216)	(12,742)
Total operating expenses, according to statement of profit or loss	158,688	149,682

6 Inventories

In 2010, the Group entered into an OEM agreement with a global diagnostics company. The agreement comprises the development and supply of a dedicated diagnostic instrument. The related customer-specific development costs are currently capitalized in the position inventories as part of the production costs and amounted to CHF 123.0 million at the end of June 2014 (December 31, 2013: CHF 110.4 million). Once the instru-

ment is launched and the customer calls the units with individual purchase orders, the corresponding development costs will be recognized in cost of sales.

Further information regarding this critical accounting estimate and judgment can be found in note 2.2.4 of the consolidated financial statements 2013.

7 Shareholders' equity and employee participation plans**7.1 Dividends paid**

	2013	2014
Number of shares eligible for dividend and payout	10,991,802	11,098,831
Dividends paid (CHF/share)	0.50	1.50
Payout from statutory capital contribution reserve (CHF/share)	1.00	–

7.2 Movements in shares outstanding

Number (each share has a nominal value of CHF0.10)	Shares issued	Treasury shares	Shares outstanding
Balance at January 1, 2013	11,444,576	(546,590)	10,897,986
Treasury shares issued based on employee participation plans	-	90,874	90,874
Sale of treasury shares	-	26,025	26,025
Balance at June 30, 2013	11,444,576	(429,691)	11,014,885
Balance at January 1, 2014	11,444,576	(362,840)	11,081,736
Treasury shares issued based on employee participation plans	-	51,408	51,408
Sale of treasury shares	-	125	125
Balance at June 30, 2014	11,444,576	(311,307)	11,133,269

7.3 Employee share option plans

(See note 10.4.1 of the consolidated financial statements 2013 for the terms and principal conditions)

Movements in employee share options

Employee share options	2013	2014
Balance at January 1	264,769	148,704
Exercised	(70,615)	(23,505)
Forfeited and expired	(5,400)	(5,638)
Balance at June 30	188,754	119,561
Thereof vested at period-end	99,045	46,242

7.4 Employee share plans (Performance Share Matching Plans [PSMP] and other share plans)

(See note 10.4.2 of the consolidated financial statements 2013 for the terms and principal conditions)

Movements in employee shares

Employee shares (excluding voluntary investments)	2013	2014
Balance at January 1	222,660	223,527
Share plan - Board of Directors – shares granted	-	3,151
PSMP – extended Management Board – initial shares granted	17,742	17,394
PSMP – extended Management Board – maximum of matching shares granted	50,648	52,870
PSMP – other Management – initial shares granted	-	2,902
PSMP – other Management – maximum of matching shares granted	-	7,255
Matching shares forfeited	(64,710)	(40,772)
Shares deblocked and available to the participants	(353)	(7,085)
Balance at June 30	225,987	259,242
Thereof vested, but blocked until the end of the performance period	41,919	43,514

8 Principal exchange rates

		Closing exchange rates		Average exchange rates January to June	
		31.12.2013	30.06.2014	2013	2014
CHF					
EUR	1	1.23	1.21	1.23	1.22
USD	1	0.89	0.89	0.95	0.89

9 Fair value measurement and disclosures

(See note 25 of the consolidated financial statements 2013 for definitions and the valuation techniques used)

9.1 Assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis after initial recognition

CHF1,000 Position	Fair value hierarchy	Net carrying amount in balance sheet measured at fair value	
		31.12.2013	30.06.2014
Currency forwards	Level 2	2,739	2,529
Currency options	Level 2	(70)	-

There have been no transfers between the levels in 2013 and 2014.

9.2 Fair value disclosures of assets and liabilities measured at amortized cost

CHF1,000 Position	Fair value hierarchy	Net carrying amount in balance sheet measured at amortized cost		Fair value disclosure	
		31.12.2013	30.06.2014	31.12.2013	30.06.2014
Receivables	n/a	75,798	62,300	75,798	62,300
Payables	n/a	10,301	10,155	10,301	10,155
Bank loans	Level 2	4,824	4,772	4,741	4,742

10 Contingencies and commitments

There have been no significant changes for contingencies and commitments.

11 Events after the reporting period

Acquisition of IBL International Group

The Tecan Group acquired 100% of the voting rights of IBL International Group as of July 31, 2014 (closing date) consisting of the following companies:

Company	Domicile	Participation in %	Activities
IBL International Holding B.V.	Deventer (NL)	100%	S
• IBL International GmbH	Hamburg (DE)	100%	R/P/D
• IBL International B.V.	Nijkerk (NL)	100%	D
• IBL International Corp.	Toronto (CA)	100%	D

S = services, holding functions, R = research and development, P = production, D = distribution

The IBL International Group develops, manufactures and offers a comprehensive portfolio of immunoassays for the life science research and routine clinical diagnostics. The acquired Group will become part of Tecan's Life Sciences Business, leveraging Tecan's global presence and strong position in immunoassay instruments.

Established over 30 years ago, the IBL International Group employs staff of over 80 and has its main operations located in Hamburg, Germany. Further, the Group has dedicated sales teams in Germany, North America and the Benelux as well as an extensive distributor network. In 2013, the IBL International

Group generated total sales of approximately EUR 16 million (CHF 20 million) with an EBITDA margin at a similar level to the Tecan Group.

The provisional consideration was EUR 29.0 million (CHF 35.2 million) on a cash- and debt-free basis. The initial purchase price was paid in cash and is subject to final adjustments based on completion statements that are prepared within the next weeks after the closing. Financial statements of the acquired Group in accordance with IFRS are currently not available and the purchase price allocation is yet to be performed.

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