

# Apollo Tyres AG Baden

Financial Statements for the Year ended March 31, 2018 and Report of the Statutory Auditor on the Limited Statutory Examination





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#### Report of the Statutory Auditor on the Limited Statutory Examination

To the General Meeting of the shareholders of **Apollo Tyres AG, Baden** 

As statutory auditor, we have examined the financial statements (balance sheet, income statement and notes) of Apollo Tyres AG for the year ended March 31, 2018.

These financial statements are the responsibility of the board of directors. Our responsibility is to perform a limited statutory examination on these financial statements. We confirm that we meet the licensing and independence requirements as stipulated by Swiss law.

We conducted our examination in accordance with the Swiss Standard on the Limited Statutory Examination. This standard requires that we plan and perform a limited statutory examination to identify material misstatements in the financial statements. A limited statutory examination consists primarily of inquiries of company personnel and analytical procedures as well as detailed tests of company documents as considered necessary in the circumstances. However, the testing of operational processes and the internal control system, as well as inquiries and further testing procedures to detect fraud or other legal violations, are not within the scope of this examination.

Based on our limited statutory examination, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the financial statements do not comply with Swiss law and the company's articles of incorporation.

We draw attention to the fact that half of the share capital and legal reserves is no longer covered (article 725 para. 1 CO).

Zurich, April 19, 2018 Grant Thornton AG

Erich Bucher Audit expert Auditor in charge Stefan Widmer Audit expert

#### Enclosures:

Financial statements (balance sheet, income statement and notes)

#### BALANCE SHEETS AS AT MARCH 31, 2018 AND 2017

		SWISS FRANCS	
	<u>NOTES</u>	<u>31.03.2018</u>	<u>31.03.2017</u>
<u>ASSETS</u>			
CURRENT ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents Trade accounts receivable - group companies Other short-term receivables		735'581 563'803 1'927	859'965 535'530 2'280
Prepaid expenses Total current assets		398'179 1'699'490	395'085 1'792'860
TOTAL ASSETS		1'699'490	1'792'860
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY			
SHORT-TERM LIABILITIES			
Trade accounts payable		19'115	26'022
Trade accounts payable - group companies Short-term provisions		136'532 10'000	36'460 10'000
Total short-term liabilities	•	165'648	72'482
SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY Share capital		3'748'652	3'748'652
Legal capital reserves  Reserves from capital contribution  Accumulated deficit		948'400 (3'163'211)	948'400 (2'976'674)
Total shareholders' equity	•	1'533'841	1'720'378
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY		1'699'490	1'792'860

# INCOME STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2018 AND 2017

		SWISS FRANCS	
	<u>NOTES</u>	2018/2017	2017/2016
INCOME			
Royalty		2'253'437	2'102'899
Total operating income		2'253'437	2'102'899
OPERATING EXPENSES			
Directors' fees		(8'000)	(8'000)
Legal and professional expenses		(673'839)	(486'388)
Duty & taxes Audit fee		(9'969)	(398) (9'956)
Intercompany administration expenses		(31'500)	(23'310)
Advertisement and publicity expenses		(1'589'622)	(1'779'505)
Miscellaneous expenses		(111'002)	(106'476)
Amortisation		-	` (10)
Total operating expenses		(2'423'932)	(2'414'043)
OTHER EXPENSES			
Financial expenses		(1'547)	(1'290)
Non operating expenses		(13'650)	(3'993)
Total other expenses		(15'197)	(5'283)
Loss for the year before taxes		(185'692)	(316'427)
Direct Taxes	•	(845)	(845)
Loss for the year		(186'537)	(317'272)
Accumulated losses, begining of the year	•	(2'976'674)	(2'659'402)
Accumulated losses, end of the year	:	(3'163'211)	(2'976'674)

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED 31 MARCH, 2018 AND 2017

#### A) COMPANY INFORMATION

Apollo Tyres AG is registered under number CHE-170.3.030.960-9/a in the Canton of Aargau. Legal domicile is at Mellingerstrasse 2a, 5400 Baden, Switzerland.

#### **B) SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

#### 1. Basis of accounting

These financial statements were prepared according to the principles of the Swiss Law on Accounting and Financial Reporting (32<sup>nd</sup> title of the Swiss Code of Obligations). Where not prescribed by law, the significant accounting and valuation principles applied are described below. It should be noted that the company's financial statements may be influenced by the creation and release of hidden reserves.

#### 2. Foreign currency translation

#### (i) Functional and presentation currency

Items included in the financial statements of the Company are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which the entity operates ("the functional currency"). The financial statements are presented in Swiss Francs ("CHF"), which is the Company's functional and presentation currency.

#### (ii) Transactions and balances

Non-Swiss Franc denominated assets and liabilities of the company are translated into Swiss Francs at year-end rates of exchange. Income and expense items are translated at monthly average rates of exchange or the rate ruling at the date of the transaction. Foreign currency transaction gains and losses, are included in the income statement. Loans granted in foreign currencies are translated at the rate of the balance sheet date, whereby unrealized losses are recorded but unrealized profits are not recognized.

#### 3. Provisions

Provisions are recognised when the Company has a present legal or constructive obligation as a result of past events, it is probable that an outflow of resources will be required to settle the obligation, and a reliable estimate of the amount can be made.

#### 4. Operating income

Operating income comprises of royalties from group companies. It is based on contractual agreements and recognized on an accrual basis.

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## C) NOTES ON ACCOUNTS:

# 1. Shareholder:

Particulars	2018/17	2017/16	
Holding Company	Apollo Tyres Co. Operatief U.A., Amsterdam, Netherlands	Apollo Tyres Co. Operatief U.A., Amsterdam, Netherlands	

# 2. Transactions with Related Parties (Royalties)

Details	Currency	2018/17	2017/16
Invoiced royalty charges as per trademark	CHF	201,893	185,417
agreement			
Apollo Tyres Ltd, Gurgaon, India			
Invoiced royalty charges as per trademark	CHF	950,700	853,860
agreement			
Apollo Vredestein B.V., Enschede, The			
Netherlands			
Invoiced royalty charges as per trademark	CHF	431,661	441,259
agreement			
Apollo Tyres (Middle East) FZE, Dubai, U.A.E			
Invoiced royalty charges as per trademark	CHF	18,104	10,660
agreement			
Apollo Tyres Africa (Pty) Ltd., Durban, South			
Africa			
Invoiced royalty charges as per trademark	CHF	504,101	525,279
agreement			
Apollo Tyres Thailand Ltd, Bangkok, Thailand			
Invoiced royalty charges as per trademark	CHF	146,978	86,424
agreement			
Apollo Tyres (Malaysia) Sdn Bhd., Petaling Jaya,			
Malaysia			

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# 3. Transactions with Related Parties (operating expenses)

Details	Currency	2018/17	2017/16
Received invoices for administration expenses	CHF	31,500	23,310
Apollo Vredestein Schweiz AG, Switzerland			
Received invoices for services IBSF/MU	CHF	534,640	379,570
Apollo Tyres (UK) PVT LTD, London, UK			
Received invoices for Sponsoring agreement	CHF	1,592,716	1,580,340
Apollo Tyres Ltd, Gurgaon, India			

# 4. Payment for Directorship Fee

Details	Currency	2018/17	2017/16
Payment for Director Ship Fee (Mr. Peter Ackermann)	CHF	8,000	8,000

# 5. Annual average number of full-time equivalents for the reporting years

The company had no employees for the financial years 2018/17 and 2017/16.