

HALF-YEAR FINANCIAL REPORT 2021

MBB SE, Berlin

MBB in figures

| Half-year (unaudited) | 2021 | 2020 | Δ 2021 / 2020 |
|---|--|---|--|
| Earnings figures (adjusted*) | €k | €k | % |
| Revenue | 326,628 | 328,854 | -0.7 |
| Operating performance | 327,770 | 327,544 | 0.1 |
| Total performance | 338,501 | 337,120 | 0.4 |
| Cost of materials | -170,832 | -179,634 | -4.9 |
| Staff costs | -103,644 | -100,507 | 3.1 |
| EBITDA | 40,535 | 28,721 | 41.1 |
| EBITDA margin | 12.4% | 8.8% | |
| EBIT | 25,111 | 14,685 | 71.0 |
| EBIT margin | 7.7% | 4.5% | |
| EBT | 22,357 | 9,142 | 144.6 |
| EBT margin | 6.8% | 2.8% | |
| Consolidated net profit or loss after non-controlling interests | 9,076 | 6,566 | 38.2 |
| eps in € | 1.53 | 1.11 | 37.8 |
| Average number of shares in circulation | 5,931 | 5,936 | |
| Earnings figures (IFRS) | €k | €k | % |
| EBITDA | 18,751 | 25,416 | -26.2 |
| Consolidated net profit or loss | -14,159 | 3,520 | -502.3 |
| eps in € | -2.39 | 0.59 | -505.1 |
| Figures from the statement of financial position (IFRS) | Jun 30 | Dec 31 | |
| | €k | €k | % |
| Non-current assets | 421,208 | 369,747 | 13.9 |
| | | 400 000 | 59.5 |
| Current assets | 690,675 | 432,920 | |
| Current assets thereof liquid funds** | 690,675 579,389 | 330,165 | 75.5 |
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^{*} For a detailed account of the adjustments, please refer to the information provided in the section on results of operations, financial position and net assets.

 $[\]ensuremath{^{\star\,\star}}$ This figure includes the value of physical gold stocks and securities.

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Welcome Note from the Executive Management



The first half of 2021 was extremely successful for MBB. In particular, the IPO of Friedrich Vorwerk has opened up new growth prospects for the MBB Group. As a leading provider of energy infrastructure solutions for gas, electricity and hydrogen applications, Friedrich Vorwerk will continue to play a key role in the European energy transition. At the same time, the IPO has also created new opportunities for the holding company MBB SE for future company acquisitions.

An operating highlight of the first half-year is without question the increased group profitability. At \leq 40.5 million, adjusted EBITDA in the first six months was up 41.1% on the previous year. The EBITDA margin rose by more than 3 percentage-points year-on-year to 12.4%. At \leq 326.6 million, revenue was roughly on par with the previous year.

The increase in profitability was due in particular to the successful development of the Service & Infrastructure segment. Friedrich Vorwerk was able to achieve an adjusted EBITDA of €27.5 million, which corresponds to an increase of 40.2%. Following a weaker start to the year amid challenging weather conditions, Friedrich Vorwerk's revenue gained significant momentum in the second quarter and reached €132.7 million after six months.

DTS, which specializes in IT-security solutions, continued its growth path as the second driving force in the Service & Infrastructure segment, increasing EBITDA by 17.0% to €6.2 million. DTS revenue grew by 13.3% to €38.4 million in the first half of the year. In particular, software products developed by DTS are currently seeing high demand.

The highest relative growth in the first half of the year was achieved by Delignit, which belongs to the Technological Applications segment and specializes in hardwood-based system solutions. Compared to the previous year, the company's EBITDA doubled to $\ensuremath{\mathfrak{E}}3.3$ million, while sales rose by 41.9% to a record $\ensuremath{\mathfrak{E}}36.4$ million. High call-off figures in the light commercial vehicles segment as well as strong growth in the caravan business were the main contributors to the increase.

The highest growth in order intake was achieved by Aumann, which also belongs to the Technological Applications segment. In the first six months, the company increased its order intake by 25.3% to €104.1 million. Sales in the first half of the year amounted to €72.8 million, resulting in a book-to-bill ratio of 1.43. In view of the current order intake momentum, particularly in the Energy Storage segment, Aumann is optimistic about the second half of the year.

In the Consumer Goods segment, sales of €36.8 million and EBITDA of €3.3 million were slightly below the previous year. Hanke Tissue in particular, as a manufacturer of napkins, continued to feel the Coronarelated restrictions in the food service industry in 2021. By contrast, mattress manufacturer CT Formpolster was able to increase sales slightly and profitability significantly compared to the previous year.

Following an eventful and game-changing first half of the year for the MBB Group, the holding company MBB SE has also embarked on a new structure since 01 July. The management of MBB SE now consists of Dr Constantin Mang as CEO, Torben Teichler as CIO and Dr Jakob Ammer as COO. Dr Christof Nesemeier is Executive Chairman since 01 July 2021 under the monistic corporate constitution. Gert-Maria Freimuth is Deputy Chairman of the Board. Gert-Maria Freimuth and Dr Christof Nesemeier founded the company 25 years ago and together hold more than 65% of the share capital. Both founders hold their shares for the long term.

Thanks in particular to the extremely positive developments in the Service & Infrastructure and Technological Applications segments, the management sees the best conditions for a dynamic growth trajectory going forward. For the current fiscal year 2021, the guidance for revenues of €720 million with a now conservative adjusted EBITDA margin of 10-12% remains fully intact. Against the backdrop of numerous acquisition opportunities, management sees the best conditions to further boost growth, also through acquisitions.

Yours,

The Executive Management of MBB

Dr Constantin Mang Chief Executive Officer Torben Teichler
Chief Investment Officer

Dr Jakob Ammer Chief Operating Officer

Interim Group management report

MBB SE is a medium-sized, family-owned company that forms the MBB Group together with its subsidiaries.

Business and economic conditions

The global economy recovered noticeably from the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic in the first half of 2021. The ongoing vaccination of the population has led to a gradual relaxation of the measures previously put in place to combat the spread of the virus, especially in Europe. This has particularly benefited the retail, catering and tourism sectors, as well as numerous service industries. Supply bottlenecks for industrial precursors caused a bumpy start in the manufacturing sector in the first half of the year, but order intake was still able to recover slightly in almost all industrial sectors, providing a positive outlook for the year as a whole. For 2021, the ifo Institute expects price-adjusted GDP growth of 3.3% (prior year: decline of 4.8%). According to the German Federal Statistical Office, the inflation rate in Germany in July 2021 was 3.8%, the highest level since December 1993, and the German Bundesbank expects that the inflation rate could rise towards 5% by the end of the year.

According to figures from the German Association of the Automotive Industry (VDA), global demand for passenger cars and light commercial vehicles has recovered noticeably, with passenger car sales growth at 25% in the EU, 29% in the USA and 27% in China. Although new passenger car registrations in Germany increased by around 15% compared with the first half of 2020, they were still below the pre-crisis level in absolute terms. The share of registered e-vehicles reached a new high of just under 24% in May 2021.

The digital association Bitkom sees the business climate in the German IT, telecommunications and consumer electronics sector at a new all-time high in June 2021. For the year as a whole, the association expects sales in the information technology sector to increase by 6.6%. The IT hardware, software and IT services segments are expected to grow particularly strongly.

The forecast for the energy industry remains positive and is significantly better than for the economy as a whole. With the COVID-19 pandemic subsiding, the fight against climate change is gaining importance on the public agenda and the renewal of Europe's energy infrastructure is progressing at full speed.

Business Development

In the first six months of 2021, the MBB Group has achieved nearly stable year-on-year revenues of €326.6 million (prior year: €328.9 million). For the same period adjusted EBITDA increased significantly by 41.1% to €40.5 million (prior year: €28.7 million). The adjusted EBITDA margin of 12.4% was just significantly higher than the 8.8% recorded in the prior year period. Adjusted earnings per share amounted to €1.53, around 38.3% above the prior year level.

The positive business development of the MBB Group is attributable in particular to the **Service & Infrastructure** segment, which comprises Friedrich Vorwerk and DTS. With stable revenue of €171.1 million (prior year: €171.9 million), the segment recorded a significant increase in adjusted EBITDA of 35.1% to €33.7 million (prior year: €24.9 million). Friedrich Vorwerk was able to increase its EBITDA by 40.0% to €27.5 million in the first half of the year, even though revenue of € 132.7 million were just below the previous year's level due to unfavorable weather conditions in the first quarter. DTS was able to increase both revenue and EBITDA at double-digit growth rates in the first half of the year.

In the **Technological Applications** segment, which in addition to the listed companies Aumann and Delignit also includes OBO, which specializes in tooling products, revenue also remained stable at $\\ef{118.7}$ million (prior year: $\\ef{118.5}$ million). Adjusted EBITDA, on the other hand, increased significantly to $\\ef{2.1}$ million (prior year: $\\ef{0.8}$ million). While Aumann's revenue and adjusted EBITDA of $\\ef{2.8}$ million and $\\ef{0.9}$ million respectively were still impacted by the after-effects of prior year's weak order intake, order intake this year increased significantly by 25.3% year-on-year to $\\ef{0.9}$ 104.1 million. This growth was mainly attributable to the E-Mobility segment, which recorded order intake of $\\ef{0.9}$ 0.0 million as of the balance sheet date, representing an increase of 79.3%. Delignit performed extremely well in the first half of the year, increasing its revenue by 41.7% to $\\ef{0.9}$ 36.3 million and more than doubling EBITDA to $\\ef{0.9}$ 3.2 million. In addition to the core business in the light commercial vehicle (LCV) segment, the motorhome category developed particularly well, in which the company will further increase its production capacity in order to meet the volume increase now ordered by a leading OEM customer.

The **Consumer Goods** segment, which combines the mattress manufacturer CT Formpolster and Hanke, which specializes in tissue products, recorded a decline in revenue of 4.3% to €36.9 million (prior year: €38.5 million) with a relatively stable EBITDA margin of around 9.1%. The restaurant closures caused by

the COVID-19 pandemic led to significantly lower demand for printed napkins, which had a noticeable impact on Hanke's revenue and EBITDA.

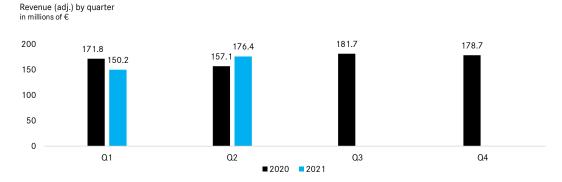
The Board of Directors and the Executive Management of MBB SE have proposed to the Annual General Meeting on June 8, 2021 a dividend payment of €1.76 per dividend-bearing share. This is the eleventh year in succession that the basic dividend has been increased and has never been reduced since the IPO of MBB SE in 2006. The Annual General Meeting approved the company's proposal by a large majority. The dividend was paid on June 11, 2021.

On June 1, 2021, the Board of Directors resolved to make use of the authorization granted by the Annual General Meeting on May 28, 2019 to acquire treasury shares in accordance with Section 71 (1) No. 8 of the German Stock Corporation Act (AktG). The Executive Management intends to purchase to 30,000 treasury shares with a maximum volume of €5.0 million from June 14, 2021 onwards. The share buyback program is scheduled to end no later than December 31, 2021. As of the balance sheet date, 3,451 shares with a total value of €0.5 million were re-purchased.

On the occasion of the regular expiration of the Executive Directors' contracts on June 30, 2021, the Board of Directors has determined the following changes in the management team and in the Board, taking effect on July 1, 2021. Dr Constantin Mang was appointed the Chief Executive Officer of MBB SE. In line with the monistic corporate constitution, Dr Christof Nesemeier became Executive Chairman (Chairman of the Board and Managing Director) and Gert-Maria Freimuth became Deputy Chairman of the Board. Dr Jakob Ammer was appointed Chief Operating Officer and Torben Teichler was appointed Chief Investment Officer.

Results of operations, financial position and net assets

The results of operations, financial position and net assets of the MBB Group remain positive. At €326.6 million, consolidated revenue after six months of the fiscal year 2021 is just under last year's level (prior year: €328.9 million), while revenue already increased significantly again in the second quarter.

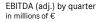


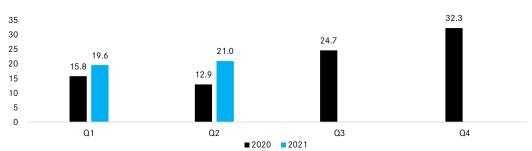
Income from joint ventures and associates amounts to $\[\in \]$ 0.4 million (prior year: $\[\in \]$ 3.7 million). Other operating income of $\[\in \]$ 10.4 million (prior year: $\[\in \]$ 5.9 million) includes income from securities of $\[\in \]$ 3.7 million, income from capitalized own work of $\[\in \]$ 1.5 million, income from the offsetting of remuneration in kind of $\[\in \]$ 1.1 million, and other income of $\[\in \]$ 3.9 million. This mainly relates to the capitalization of development costs at Aumann in connection with new manufacturing solutions in the field of battery production.

Adjusted cost of materials decreased disproportionally compared to revenue by 4.9% to €170.8 million, while adjusted staff costs decreased by 3.1% to €103.6 million in the first six months of 2021.

Adjusted other operating expenses amounted to €23.5 million (prior year: €28.3 million). These include maintenance and repair expenses, legal and consulting fees, advertising expenses, insurance premiums, travel expenses and other third-party services.

Adjusted EBITDA (earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization) increased by 41.1% to €40.5 million with a margin of 12.4% (prior year: 8.8%). Adjustments were made for one-off expenses in the amount of €21.8 million, which consist of costs in relation with the IPO of Friedrich Vorwerk Group SE of €21.1 million and staff costs from MBB SE's stock option program of €0.9 million. In the same period of the prior year, Aumann adjusted one-off expenses in connection with the optimization of their cost structure and vertical integration of €3.0 million.





Adjusted depreciation and amortization increased by 9.9% to ≤ 15.4 million compared to the same period of the previous year. ≤ 2.3 million of depreciation and amortization on assets capitalized as part of purchase price allocations were adjusted in the results (prior year: ≤ 4.9 million, plus adjustments for impairment losses of ≤ 0.3 million).

This resulted in an adjusted EBIT (earnings before interest and taxes) of €25.1 million (prior year: €14.7 million).

Taking into account net negative finance costs of €2.8 million (prior year: €-5.5 million), this results in an adjusted EBT (earnings before taxes) of €22.4 million (prior year: €9.1 million).

Corporate income taxes in connection with the IPO of Friedrich Vorwerk Group SE in the amount of €1.8 million as well as taxes on aforementioned adjustments were adjusted from the consolidated results. The adjusted consolidated net income after minority interests therefore amounts to €9.1 million (prior year: €6.6 million) or €1.53 per share (prior year: €1.11) for the six-month period.

Shareholders' equity as of June 30, 2021, amounts to €782.9 million (December 31, 2020: €499.7 million). In relation to the consolidated balance sheet total of €1,111.9 million (December 31, 2020: €802.7 million), the equity ratio was 70.4% compared to 62.3% at December 31, 2020. The increase is mainly the result of the IPO of Friedrich Vorwerk Group SE in March 2021.

As of June 30, 2021, the MBB Group had liquid funds (including securities and physical gold holdings) of €579.4 million (December 31, 2020: €330.2 million), of which MBB SE accounted for €394.2 million. After deducting the Group's financial liabilities of €84.1 million (December 31, 2020: €77.6 million), the MBB Group's net cash position amounts to €495.3 million, compared to €252.6 million as of December 31, 2020. The substantial increase in cash and cash equivalents is primarily due to the IPO of Friedrich Vorwerk.

Segment performance

The following segments are reported:

- Service & Infrastructure
- Technological Applications
- Consumer Goods

External revenue in the Service & Infrastructure segment remained somewhat stable at €171.1 million (prior year: €171.9 million), while EBITDA amounted to €30.7 million for the same period (prior year: €24.9 million). This corresponds to an EBITDA margin of 17.9% (prior year: 14.5%).

In the Technological Applications segment, revenue also remained stable compared with the same period of the prior year at €118.7 million (prior year: €118.5 million), while adjusted EBITDA increased significantly to €2.1 million (prior year: €0.8 million).

External revenue in the Consumer Goods segment decreased slightly to €36.9 million (prior year: €38.5 million), owing to the drop in revenue in shop-based mattress sales due to COVID-19 (CT Formpolster) and the decline in demand for tissue products in the commercial sector (Hanke). Segment EBITDA is down year-on-year at €3.3 million (prior year: €3.6 million).

Employees

The number of people employed by the MBB Group decreased by 0.1% from 3,457 as of December 31, 2020 to 3,454 as of June 30, 2021. In addition, the MBB Group is currently training 200 apprentices and employees in dual study programs.

Report on risks and opportunities

The risks and opportunities for the business development of the MBB Group are described in the Group management report for the 2020 financial year, which is available on our website www.mbb.com. The assessment applies unchanged. MBB SE's risk management system is suitable for identifying risks early on and taking immediate action.

Outlook

The Managing Directors of MBB continue to expect total revenue of around €720 million in 2021 with an adjusted EBITDA margin of 10% to 12%.

Berlin, August 20, 2021

The Executive Management of MBB SE

IFRS interim consolidated financial statements

Percentages and figures in this report may be subject to rounding differences.

| FRS consolidated statement of profit or loss | Jan 1 - Jun 30, 2021 | Jan 1 - Jun 30, 2020 |
|--|---|-------------------------|
| unaudited) | 2021 €k | 2020 €k |
| <u> </u> | • | |
| Revenue | 326,628 | 328,854 |
| Increase (+) or decrease (-) in finished goods and work in progress | 1,142 | -1,310 |
| Operating performance | 327,770 | 327,544 |
| Income from increase in shares | 203 | 0 |
| Income from joint ventures and associates | 380 | 3,663 |
| Other operating income | 10,350 | 5,913 |
| Total performance | 338,704 | 337,120 |
| Cost of raw materials and supplies | -103,018 | -98,050 |
| Cost of purchased services | -67,814 | -84,140 |
| Cost of materials | -170,832 | -182,190 |
| Wages and salaries | -102,687 | -77,941 |
| Social security and pension costs | -21,841 | -22,906 |
| Staff costs | -124,528 | -100,847 |
| Other operating expenses | -24,593 | -28,667 |
| Earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization EBITDA) | 18,751 | 25,416 |
| Depreciation and amortization expense | -17,759 | -19,213 |
| Earnings before interest and taxes (EBIT) | 992 | 6,203 |
| Finance income | 68 | 144 |
| Finance costs | -1,061 | -1,365 |
| Earnings attributable to non-controlling interests | -1,653 | -3,157 |
| Net finance costs | -2,645 | -4,378 |
| Earnings before taxes (EBT) | -1,654 | 1,825 |
| Income tax expense | -7,489 | -818 |
| Other taxes | -435 | -408 |
| Profit or loss for the period | -9,578 | 599 |
| Non-controlling interests | -4,582 | 2,921 |
| Consolidated net profit | -14,159 | 3,520 |
| Earnings per share (in €) | -2.39 | 0.59 |
| | | |

| IFRS consolidated statement of comprehensive income | Jan 1 - Jun 30, 2021 | Jan 1 - Jun 30, 2020 |
|--|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| (unaudited) | €k | €k |
| Consolidated net profit or loss | -14,159 | 3,520 |
| Non-controlling interests | 4,582 | -2,921 |
| Profit or loss for the period | -9,578 | 599 |
| Items that may be subsequently reclassified to profit and loss | | |
| Fair value changes bonds and gold | -64 | 341 |
| Currency translation differences | 423 | -1,079 |
| Items that may not be subsequently reclassified to profit and loss | | |
| Fair value changes shares | 17,666 | -1,717 |
| Pension reserve | 0 | 22 |
| Other comprehensive income after taxes | 18,025 | -2,433 |
| Comprehensive income for the reporting period | 8,447 | -1,834 |
| thereof attributable to: | | |
| - Shareholders of the parent company | 1,868 | 1,315 |
| - Non-controlling interests | 6,579 | -3,149 |
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| Statement of financial position | Jun 30, 2021 | Dec 31, 2020 |
|--|--------------|--------------|
| Assets (IFRS) | unaudited | audited |
| | €k | €k |
| Non-current assets | | |
| Concessions, industrial property rights and similar rights | 20,770 | 21,731 |
| Goodwill | 44,764 | 44,449 |
| Advance payments | 2,099 | 1,149 |
| Intangible assets | 67,633 | 67,330 |
| Land and buildings including buildings on third-party land | 87,060 | 77,091 |
| Technical equipment and machinery | 57,915 | 52,544 |
| Other equipment, operating and office equipment | 24,629 | 23,816 |
| Advance payments and assets under development | 3,029 | 11,575 |
| Property, plant and equipment | 172,633 | 165,026 |
| Joint ventures and associates | 9,940 | 8,715 |
| Long-term securities | 157,398 | 116,005 |
| Other loans | 767 | 838 |
| Financial assets | 168,106 | 125,559 |
| Deferred tax assets | 12,837 | 11,832 |
| | 421,208 | 369,747 |
| Current assets | | |
| Raw materials and supplies | 19,390 | 16,286 |
| Work in progress | 7,934 | 6,350 |
| Finished goods and commodities | 11,111 | 10,664 |
| Advance payments | 4,123 | 4,949 |
| Inventories | 42,559 | 38,249 |
| Trade receivables | 58,889 | 64,312 |
| Contract assets | 144,027 | 98,727 |
| Other current assets | 23,138 | 17,472 |
| Trade receivables and other current assets | 226,054 | 180,511 |
| Gold | 3,832 | 3,979 |
| Securities | 299 | 452 |
| Derivatives | 70 | 0 |
| Financial assets | 4,202 | 4,431 |
| Cash in hand | 108 | 74 |
| Bank balances | 417,752 | 209,654 |
| Cash in hand and bank balances | 417,860 | 209,728 |
| | 690,675 | 432,920 |
| | | |

| Statement of financial position | Jun 30, 2021 | Dec 31, 2020 |
|--|--------------|--------------|
| Equity and liabilities (IFRS) | unaudited | l audited |
| | €k | : €k |
| Equity | | |
| Issued capital | 5,929 | 5,932 |
| Capital reserve | 485,969 | 253,180 |
| Legal reserve | 61 | 61 |
| Retained earnings and other comprehensive income | 75,193 | 95,684 |
| Non-controlling interests | 215,797 | 144,835 |
| | 782,949 | 499,692 |
| Non-current liabilities | | |
| Liabilities to banks | 44,394 | 37,441 |
| Lease liabilities | 12,037 | 13,213 |
| Liabilities from participation rights | 10,213 | 10,213 |
| Liabilities to non-controlling interests | 4,364 | 2,711 |
| Other liabilities | 4,493 | 7,020 |
| Pension provisions | 28,157 | 28,124 |
| Other provisions | 1,808 | 1,468 |
| Deferred tax liabilities | 23,789 | 20,811 |
| | 129,256 | 121,001 |
| Current liabilities | | |
| Liabilities to banks | 20,061 | 17,495 |
| Lease liabilities | 7,580 | 9,449 |
| Trade payables | 43,205 | 47,132 |
| Contract liabilities | 29,666 | 21,780 |
| Liabilities to non-controlling interests | 4,436 | 4,894 |
| Other liabilities | 20,676 | 15,681 |
| Accruals | 31,819 | 26,348 |
| Income tax liabilities | 12,398 | 11,767 |
| Other provisions | 29,839 | 27,429 |
| | 199,679 | 181,974 |
| Total equity and liabilities | 1,111,883 | 802,667 |
| | | |

| Consolidated statement of cash flows | | Jan 1 - Jun 30, |
|--|------------------|-----------------|
| (unaudited) | 2021 €k | 2020 €k |
| 1. Cash flow from operating activities | | |
| Earnings before interest and taxes (EBIT) | 992 | 6,203 |
| Depreciation and amortization expense | 17,759 | 19,213 |
| Increase (+), decrease (-) in provisions | 2,332 | -3,180 |
| Gains (-), Losses (+) from disposal of non-current assets | -1,612 | 457 |
| Income from joint ventures and associates | -380 | -3,663 |
| Other non-cash expenses and income | -2,404 | -149 |
| Adjustments for non-cash transactions | 15,696 | 12,678 |
| Increase (-), decrease (+) in inventories, trade receivables and other assets | -44,961 | 6,154 |
| Decrease (-), increase (+) in trade payables and other liabilities | 10,999 | -32,852 |
| Change in working capital | -33,962 | -26,698 |
| Income taxes paid | -8,402 | -3,707 |
| Interest received | 68 | 144 |
| Dividend proceeds from joint ventures and associates | 806 | 0 |
| Cash flow from operating activities | -24,802 | -11,380 |
| | , | , |
| 2. Cash flow from investing activities | 2.207 | 1.070 |
| Investments (-), divestments (+) of intangible assets | -3,396 | -1,973 |
| Investments (-), divestments (+) of property, plant and equipment | -16,707 | -9,086 |
| Investments (-), divestments (+) of financial assets and securities Business combination (less cash received) | -21,720 -890 | -5,650 -563 |
| Cash flow from investing activities | -42,713 | -17,272 |
| | 42,710 | -17,272 |
| 3. Cash flow from financing activities | | |
| Proceeds from IPO of Friedrich Vorwerk Group SE | 306,000 | 0 |
| Payments for transaction costs from the issue of equity instruments | -12,650 | 0 |
| Purchase of own shares | -464 | -425 |
| Payments to non-controlling interests | -8,929 | -168 |
| Profit distribution to shareholders | -10,441 | 0 |
| Acquisition of additional shares in Aumann | 0 | -2,486 |
| Proceeds from borrowings | 18,879 | 12,376 |
| Repayments of loans | -8,995 | -9,991 |
| Payments for lease liabilities | -6,232 | -4,444 |
| Interest payments | -1,595 | -1,340 |
| Cash flow from financing activities | 275,573 | -6,478 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period | | |
| Change in cash and cash equivalents (Subtotal 1-3) | 208,058 | -35,130 |
| Change in liquidity from changes in the scope of consolidation | 2 | 0 |
| Effects of changes in foreign exchange rates (non-cash) | 71 | -79 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period | 209,728 | 243,905 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period | 417,860 | 208,696 |
| Composition of cash and cash equivalents | | |
| Cash in hand | 108 | 79 |
| Bank balances | 417,752 | 208,617 |
| Reconciliation to liquid funds on Jun 30 | 2021 | 2020 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period | 417,860 | 208,696 |
| 0.11 | | |
| Gold | 3,832 | 4,088 |
| Gold Securities | 3,832 157,697 | 4,088 95,829 |

| Statement of changes in consolidated equity | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---------|-------------|-----------|-------------|---------------|-------------|--------------|----------|------------|-----------|----------|
| | | | | Retaine | d earnings an | d other com | prehensive i | ncome | | | |
| | Issued | Capital re- | Legal re- | Currency | Fair value | Reserve | Other re- | Retained | Attributa- | Non-con- | Consoli- |
| | capital | serve | | translation | reserve | for pen- | serve | earnings | ble to | trolling | dated |
| | | | | difference | | sions | | | MBB SE | interests | equity |
| | | | | | | | | | sharehold- | | |
| | | | | | | | | | ers | | |
| | €k | €k | €k | €k | €k | €k | €k | €k | €k | €k | €k |
| Jan 1, 2020 | 5,941 | 253,260 | 61 | -478 | 12,543 | -3,112 | -2,741 | 76,074 | 341,548 | 133,004 | 474,552 |
| Dividends paid | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -4,153 | -4,153 | -408 | -4,561 |
| Subtotal | 5,941 | 253,260 | 61 | -478 | 12,543 | -3,112 | -2,741 | 71,921 | 337,395 | 132,596 | 469,991 |
| Amounts recognized in other comprehensive income | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4,205 | 101 | 0 | 0 | 4,306 | 940 | 5,246 |
| Currency translation difference | 0 | 0 | 0 | -1,594 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -1,594 | -136 | -1,730 |
| Consolidated net profit | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12,685 | 12,685 | -1,965 | 10,720 |
| Total comprehensive income | 0 | 0 | 0 | -1,594 | 4,205 | 101 | 0 | 12,685 | 15,397 | -1,161 | 14,236 |
| Purchase of treasury shares | -8 | -416 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -424 | 0 | -424 |
| Acquisition of non-controlling interests | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1,685 | 1,685 | -3,894 | -2,209 |
| Changes in the scope of consolidation | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 17,762 | 17,762 |
| Other changes | 0 | 336 | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 467 | 0 | 803 | -467 | 336 |
| Dec 31, 2020 | 5,932 | 253,180 | 61 | -2,072 | 16,748 | -3,010 | -2,274 | 86,291 | 354,856 | 144,835 | 499,692 |
| Dividends paid | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -10,441 | -10,441 | -8,471 | -18,912 |
| Subtotal | 5,932 | 253,180 | 61 | -2,072 | 16,748 | -3,010 | -2,274 | 75,850 | 344,415 | 136,365 | 480,781 |
| Amounts recognized in other comprehensive income | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 15,733 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 15,733 | 1,869 | 17,602 |
| Currency translation difference | 0 | 0 | 0 | 295 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 295 | 128 | 423 |
| Consolidated net profit | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -14,159 | -14,159 | 4,582 | -9,578 |
| Total comprehensive income | 0 | 0 | 0 | 295 | 15,733 | 0 | 0 | -14,159 | 1,868 | 6,579 | 8,447 |
| Capital transactions involving a change in ownership interest | 0 | 0 | 0 | 37 | 0 | 0 | 1,336 | -1,814 | -441 | -118 | -559 |
| Share buy-back program | -3 | -460 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -464 | 0 | -464 |
| IPO and capital increase of Friedrich Vorwerk Group SE | 0 | 232,778 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 7 | 0 | -11,487 | 221,300 | 72,629 | 293,929 |
| Changes in the scope of consolidation | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 343 | 343 |
| Other changes | 0 | 472 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 472 | 0 | 472 |
| Jun 30, 2021 | 5,929 | 485,969 | 61 | -1,738 | 32,481 | -3,004 | -937 | 48,390 | 567,150 | 215,797 | 782,949 |

Notes to the interim consolidated financial statements

Accounting

The interim financial report of the MBB Group for the period January 1 to June 30, 2021 was prepared on the basis of the International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) published by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) as adopted in the EU. It was prepared in accordance with IAS 34.

Accounting policies

The accounting policies adopted are the same as those applied in preparing the consolidated financial statements as of December 31, 2020. The preparation of the financial statements is influenced by accounting policies and assumptions and estimates affecting the amount and reporting of recognized assets, liabilities, contingent liabilities and income and expense items. Matters relating to revenue are deferred intra-year.

Segment reporting

The management of the MBB Group defines the segments as reported in the Interim Group management report. Segment liabilities do not include any liabilities for taxes, finance lease liabilities or liabilities to banks.

| Segment reporting Jan 1 - Jun 30, 2021 | Technological Applications | Consumer Goods | Service & Infrastructure | Reconciliation | Group |
|---|----------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|----------------|---------|
| (unaudited) | €k | €k | €k | €k | €k |
| Revenue from third parties | 118,675 | 36,883 | 171,070 | 0 | 326,628 |
| Other segments | 0 | 60 | 296 | -356 | 0 |
| Total revenue | 118,675 | 36,943 | 171,366 | -356 | 326,628 |
| EBITDA | 2,139 | 3,345 | 30,739 | -17,472 | 18,751 |
| Depreciation and amortization | 3,921 | 1,794 | 11,874 | 170 | 17,759 |
| Investments | 2,393 | 1,035 | 17,491 | | |
| Segment assets | 237,604 | 54,999 | 209,201 | | |
| Segment liabilities | 95,773 | 16,296 | 85,889 | | |
| | | | | | |

| Segment reporting Jan 1 - Jun 30, 2020 | Technological Applications | Consumer Goods | Service & Infrastructure | Reconciliation | Group |
|--|----------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|----------------|---------|
| (unaudited) | Applications €k | €k | filirastructure €k | €k | €k |
| Revenue from third parties | 118,453 | 38,538 | 171,863 | 0 | 328,854 |
| Other segments | 0 | 30 | 218 | -248 | 0 |
| Total revenue | 118,453 | 38,568 | 172,081 | -248 | 328,854 |
| EBITDA | -2,475 | 3,562 | 24,932 | -603 | 25,416 |
| Depreciation and amortization | 4,546 | 1,710 | 12,825 | 132 | 19,213 |
| Investments | 1,924 | 1,127 | 8,507 | | |
| Segment assets | 252,868 | 52,440 | 160,768 | | |
| Segment liabilities | 77,527 | 15,313 | 102,104 | | |

Dividend

On June 8, 2021, the Annual General Meeting of MBB SE resolved to distribute a dividend of €10.4 million (€1.76 per dividend-bearing share) for the financial year 2020. The dividend was paid out on June 11, 2021.

Changes in contingent liabilities

There were no material changes in contingent liabilities compared to December 31, 2020.

Related party transactions

Business transactions between consolidated Group companies and unconsolidated Group companies are conducted at arm's-length conditions.

Events after the end of the reporting period

There were no significant events after the end of the reporting period.

Review

The condensed interim consolidated financial statements as of June 30, 2021 and the Interim Group management report were neither audited in accordance with section 317 of the Handelsgesetzbuch (HGB – German Commercial Code) nor reviewed by an auditor.

Responsibility statement

To the best of our knowledge, and in accordance with the applicable reporting principles for interim financial reporting, the interim consolidated financial statements give a true and fair view of the results of operations, financial position and net assets of the Group, and the interim management report of the Group includes a fair review of the development and performance of the business and the position of the Group, together with a description of the principal opportunities and risks associated with the expected development of the Group for the remaining months of the financial year.

Berlin, August 20, 2021

The Executive Management of MBB SE

Financial calendar

Commerzbank Corporate Conference 2021

September 1, 2021

Berenberg and Goldman Sachs Tenth German Corporate Conference

September 20 - 22, 2021

Quarterly Report Q3 2021

November 12, 2021

Deutsches Eigenkapitalforum

November 22 - 24, 2021

Berenberg European Conference

December 6 - 9, 2021

End of Fiscal Year 2021

December 31, 2021

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