



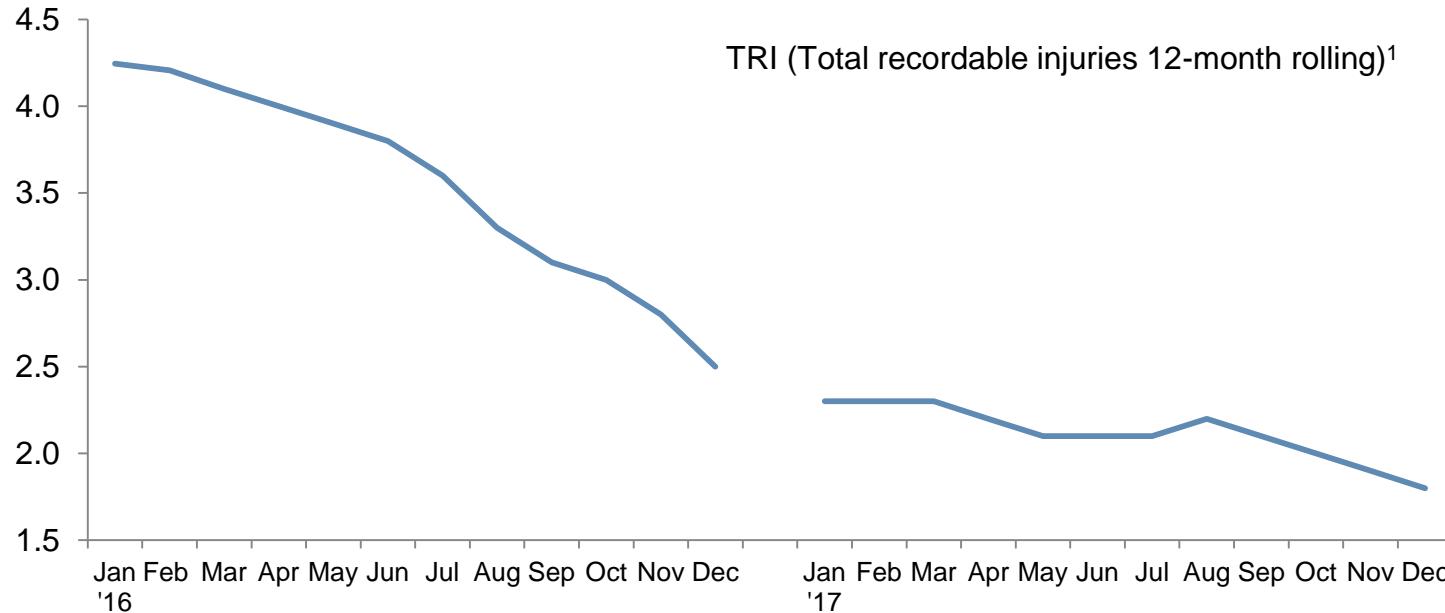
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# Yara International ASA 2017 fourth quarter results

8 February 2018



# Safe operations is our first priority



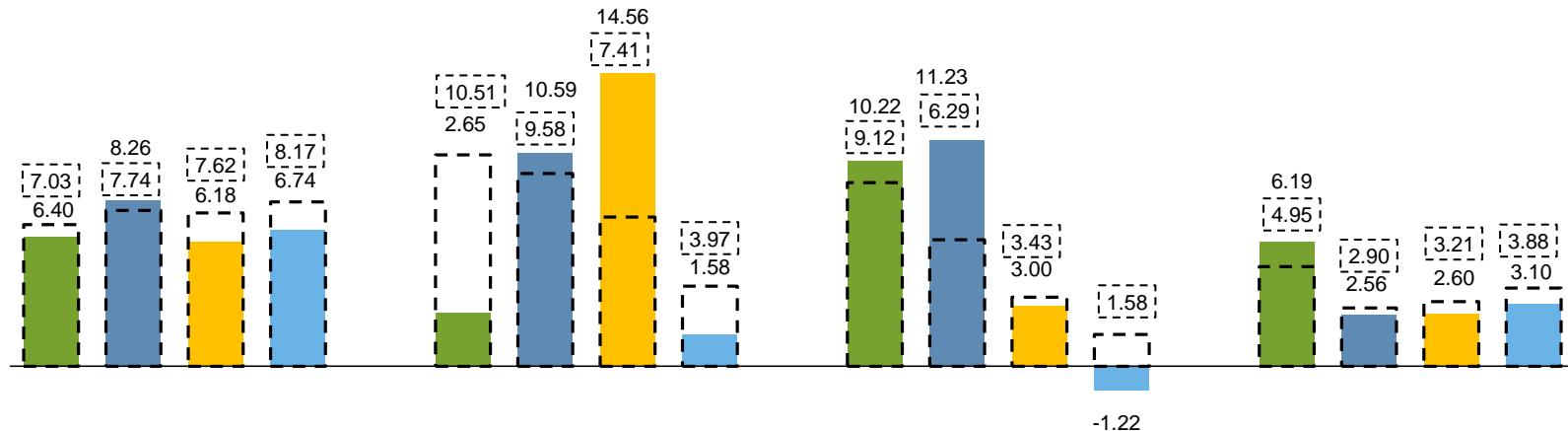
1) TRI: Total recordable injuries, lost time (absence from work), restricted work and medical treatment cases per one million work hours.

## Summary fourth quarter

- Improvement program ahead of schedule
- Improved results reflecting higher margins
- Strong full-year Industrial performance
- Proposed dividend NOK 6.50 per share, 45% of net income

# Earnings per share\*

EPS excluding currency and special items



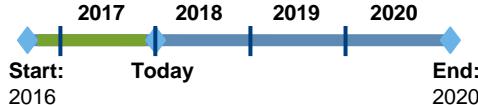
Annual

NOK	27.59	29.38	23.25	14.45
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\*Average number of shares for 4Q 2017: 273.2 million (4Q 2016: 273.2 million).

# Yara Improvement Program – 2017 status

## Program progress

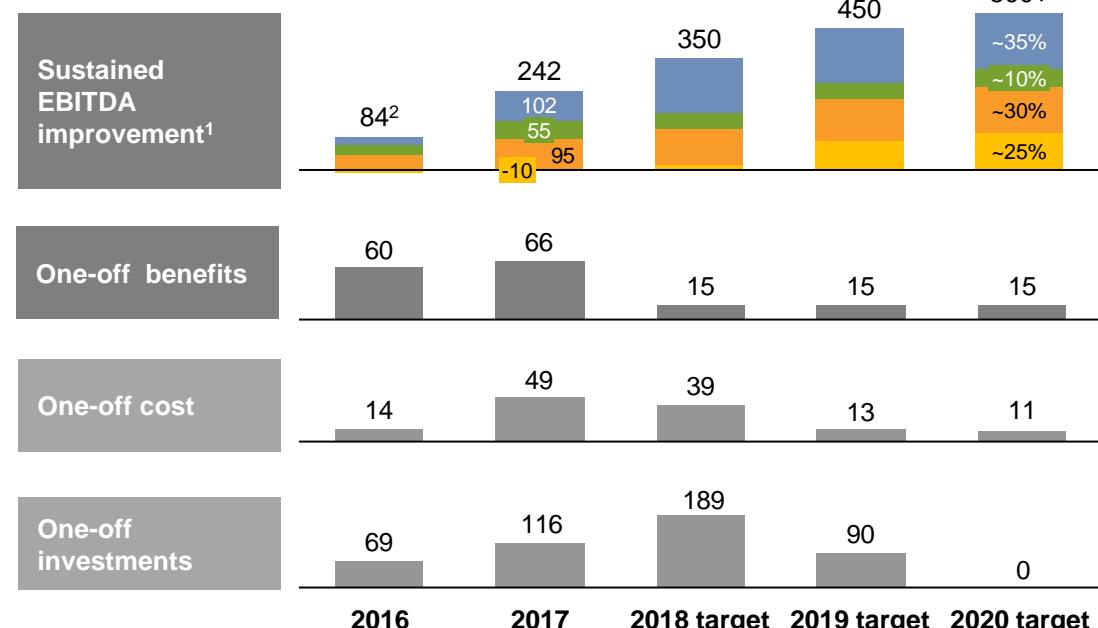


- 2017 EBITDA benefits ahead of target (in 2015 terms):
  - Production volume improvement according to plan
  - Energy consumption improvement ahead of plan
  - Variable cost improvement ahead of plan
  - Fixed cost improvement behind plan
  - One-off program costs higher than original estimate

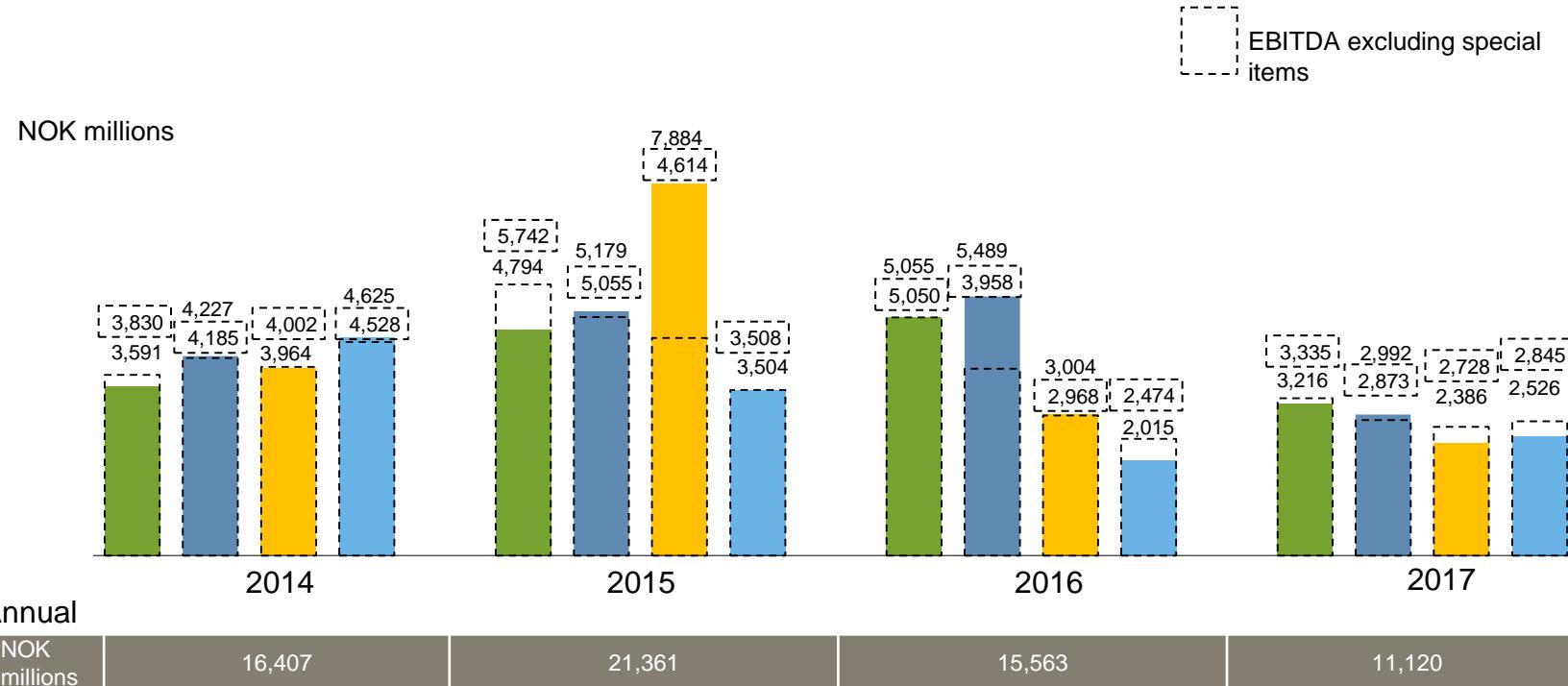
## Financial benefits

Annual impact, USD million, vs. 2015 baseline, at 2015 margins

Production volume  
Consumption factor  
Variable unit cost<sup>3</sup>  
Fixed cost

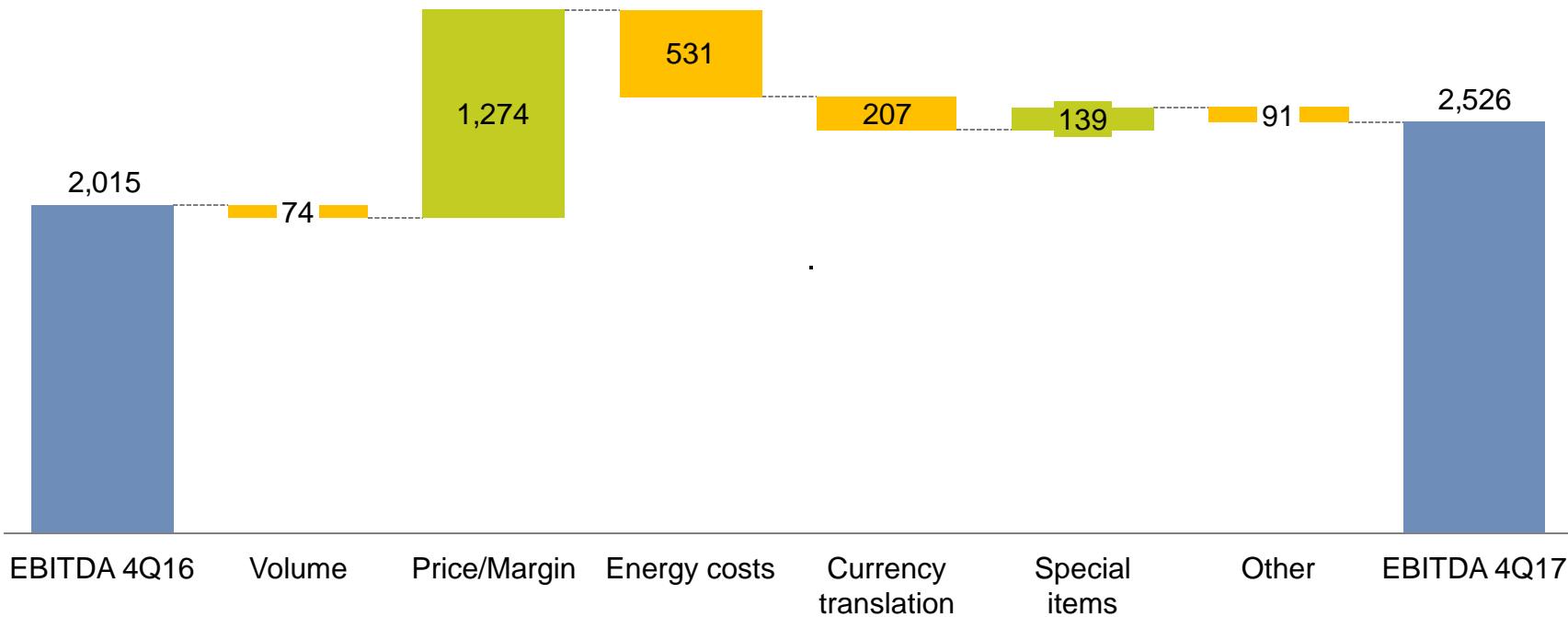


# Earnings before interest, tax, depreciation and amortization (EBITDA)

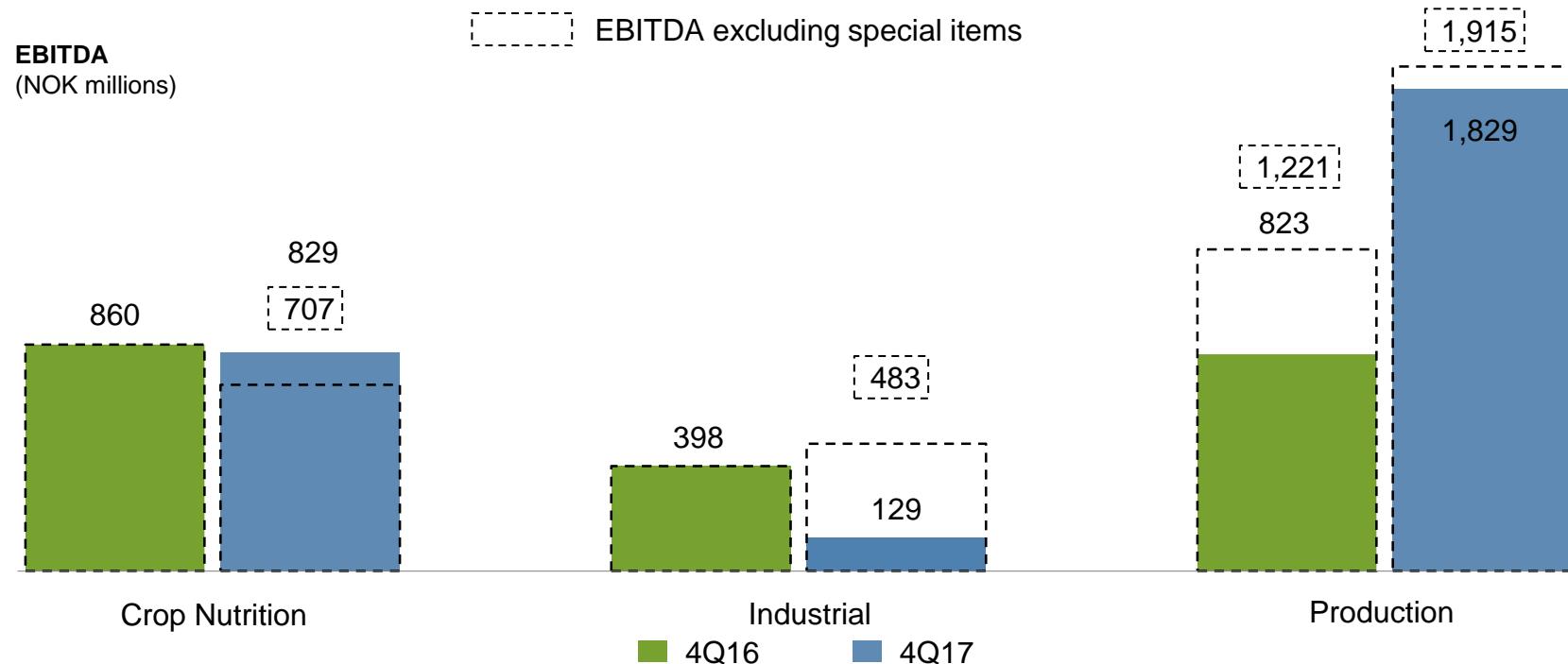


# EBITDA: Stronger margins offsets higher energy cost and weaker US dollar

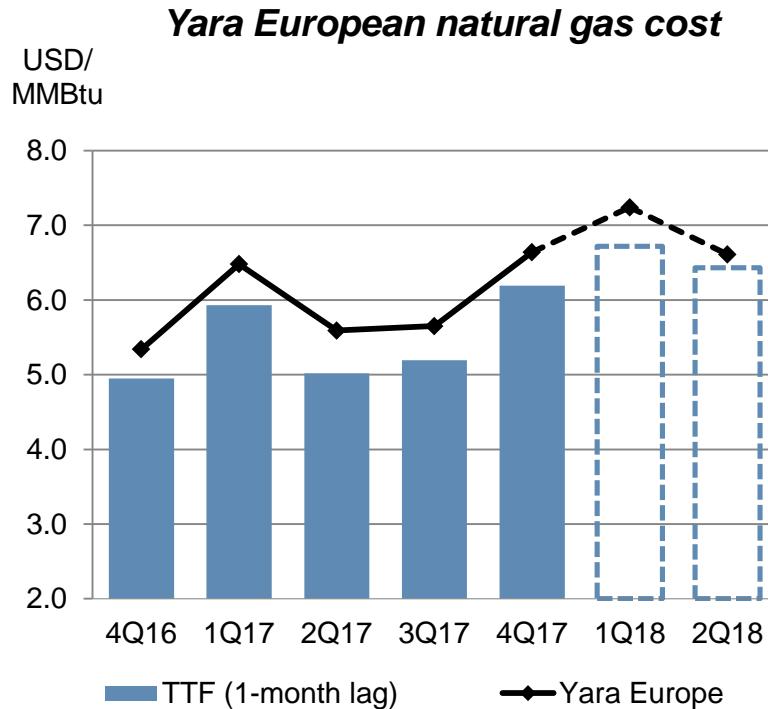
NOK millions



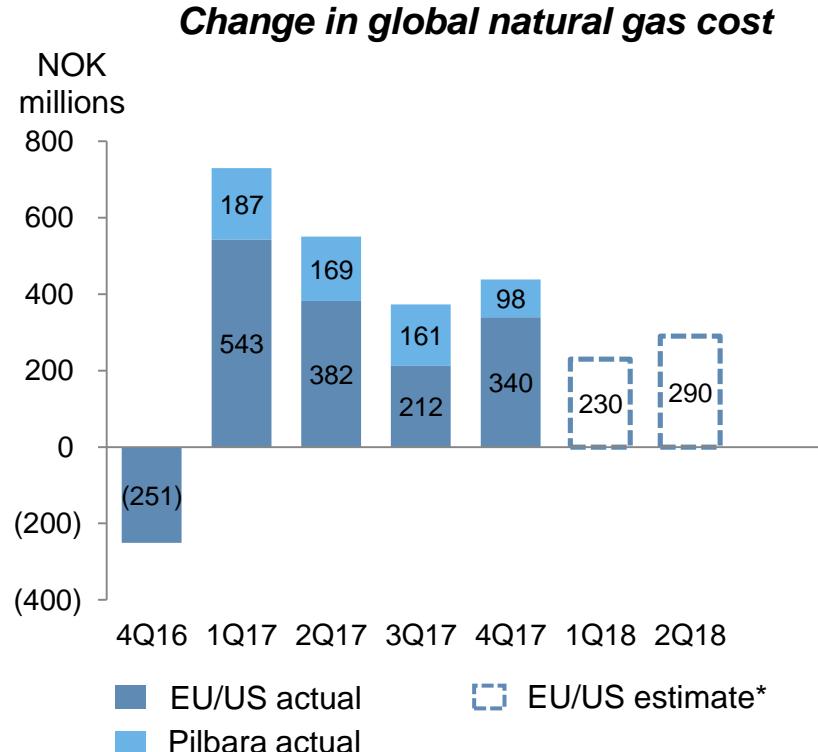
# Higher margins in Production segment



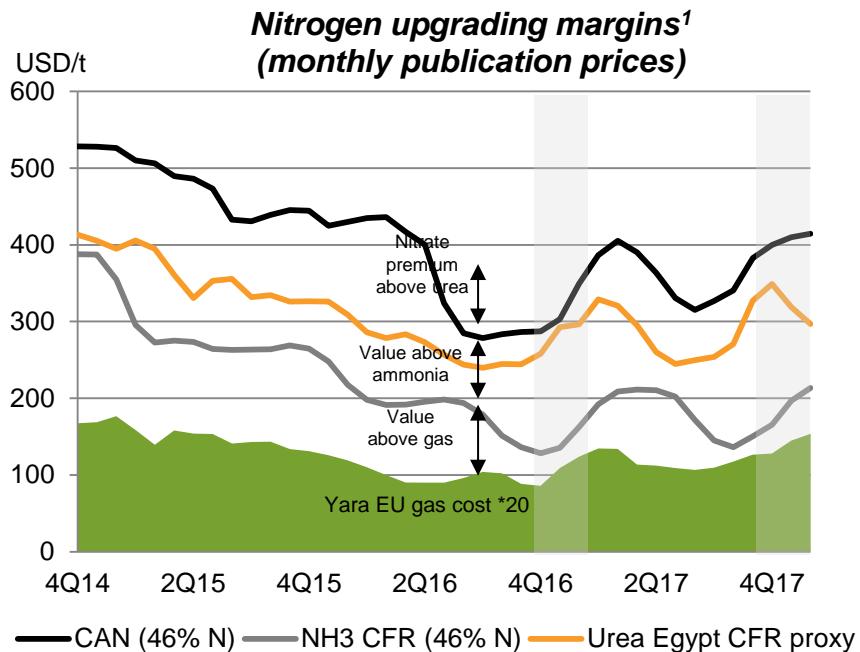
# Higher natural gas cost expected for the next two quarters



\*Dotted lines denote forward prices as of 30 January 2018  
Source: Yara, World Bank, Argus/ICIS Heren



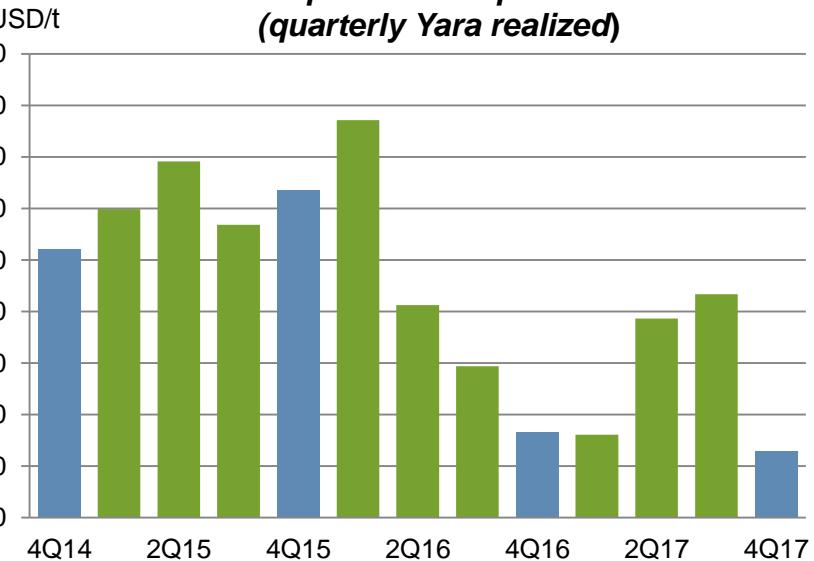
# Lower realized European nitrate premiums



1) All prices in urea equivalents

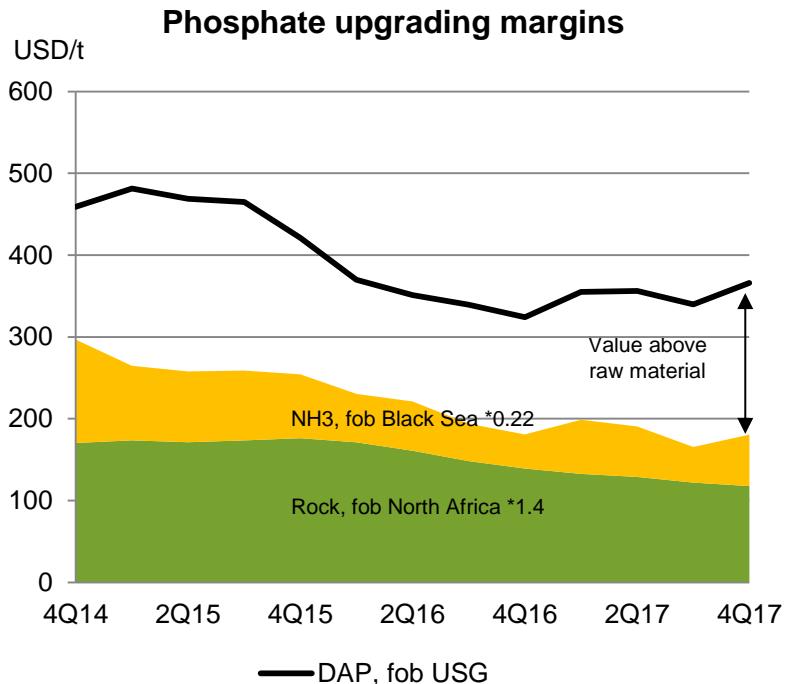
Source: Fertilizer Market Publications

**European nitrate premium<sup>2</sup> (quarterly Yara realized)**

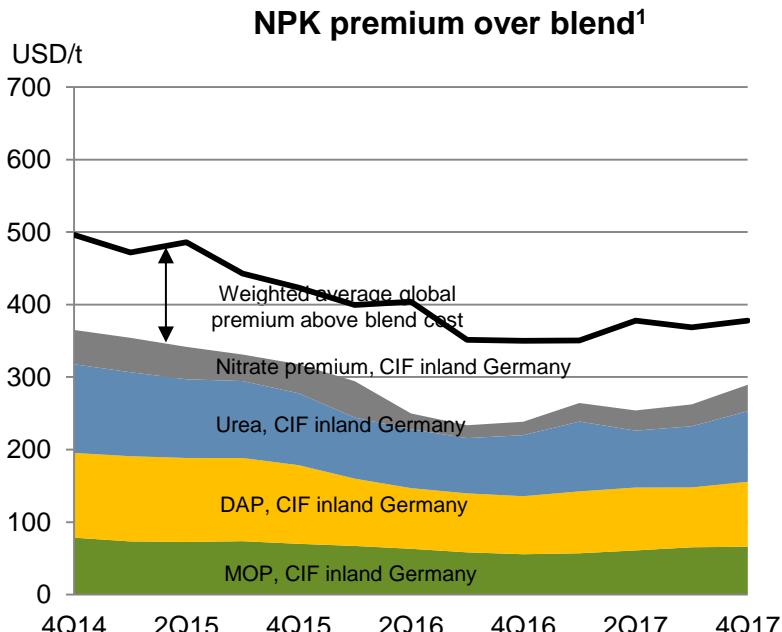


2) Yara European realized nitrate prices (excl. sulphur grades) compared with urea publication prices (Egypt CFR proxy) with 1 month time lag. All numbers in USD per tonne of CAN equivalents.

# Solid commodity phosphate margins and compound NPK premiums



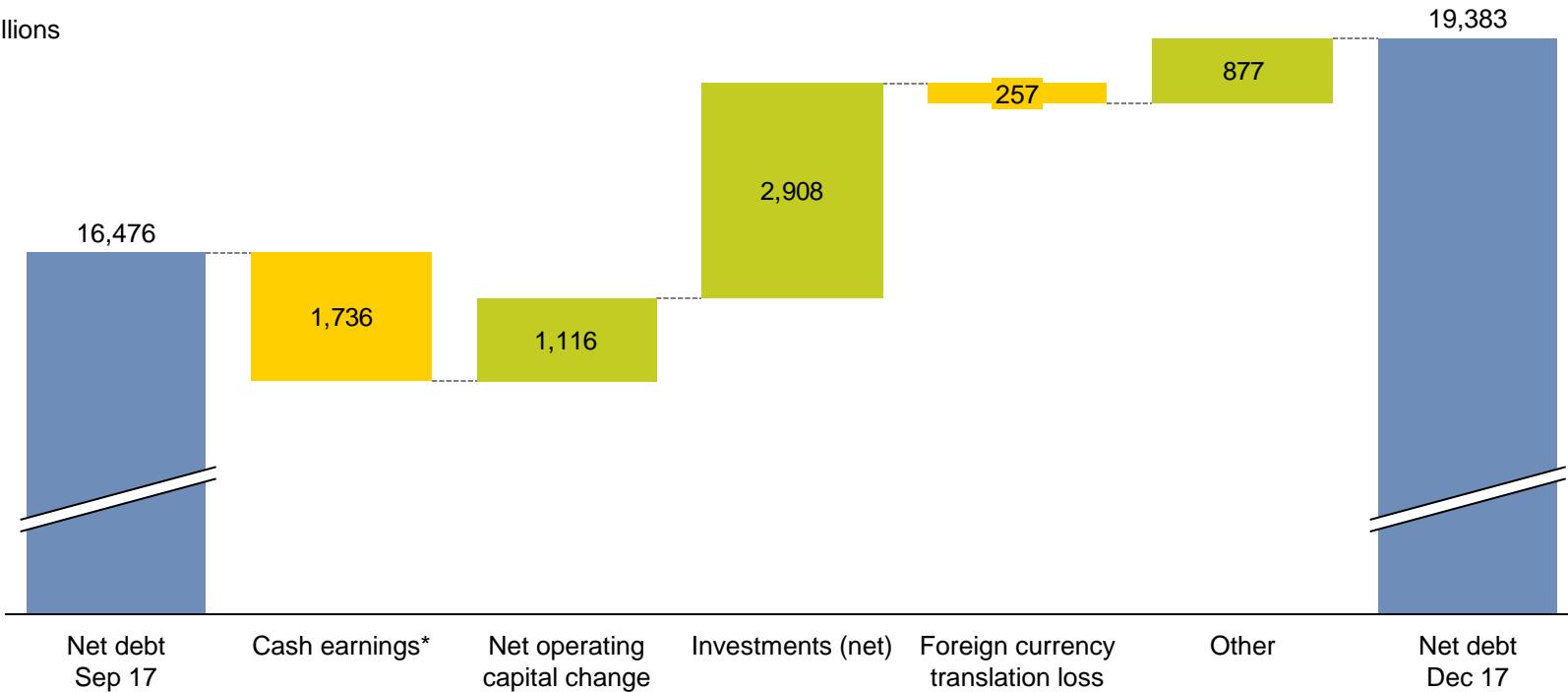
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1) Export NPK plants, average grade 19-10-13, net of transport and handling cost.

# Higher net interest-bearing debt as investments and net operating capital change more than offset cash earnings

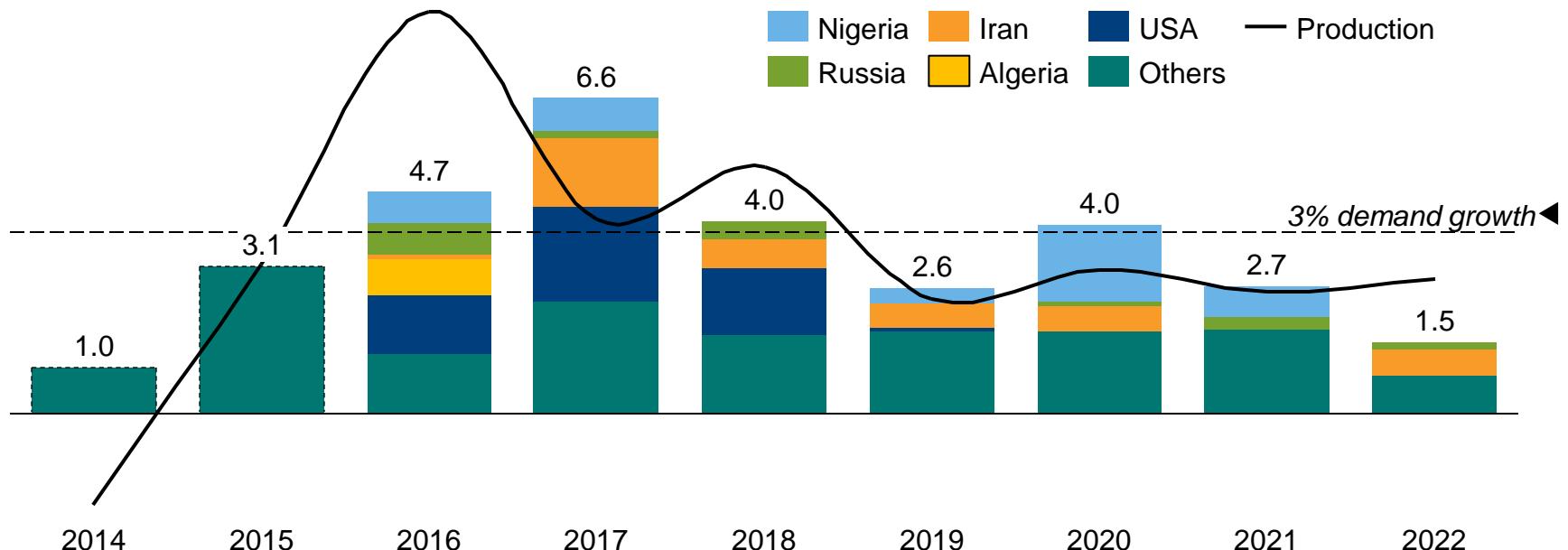
NOK millions



\* Operating income plus depreciation and amortization, minus tax paid, net gain/(loss) on disposals, net interest expense and bank charges

# The surge of new capacity is past its peak

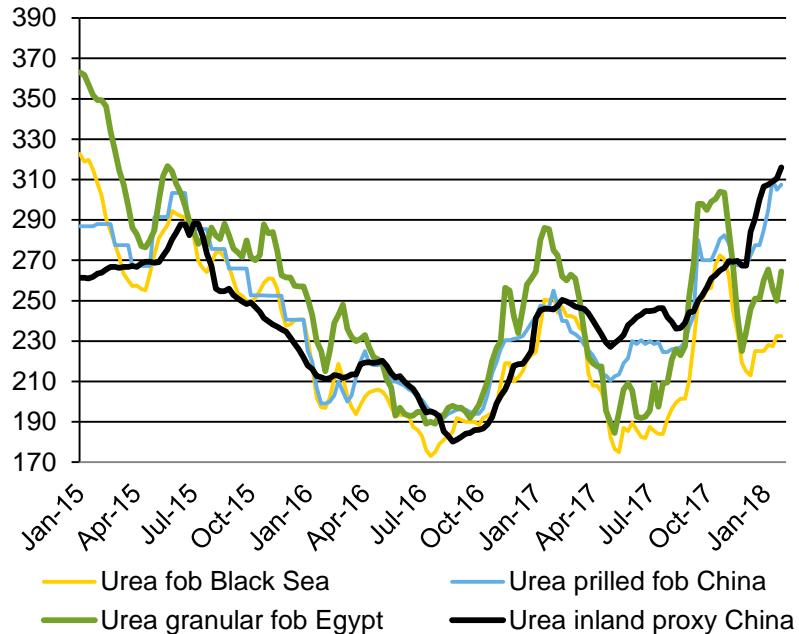
Global capacity additions ex China (Urea, Million tons)



Source: CRU December 2017

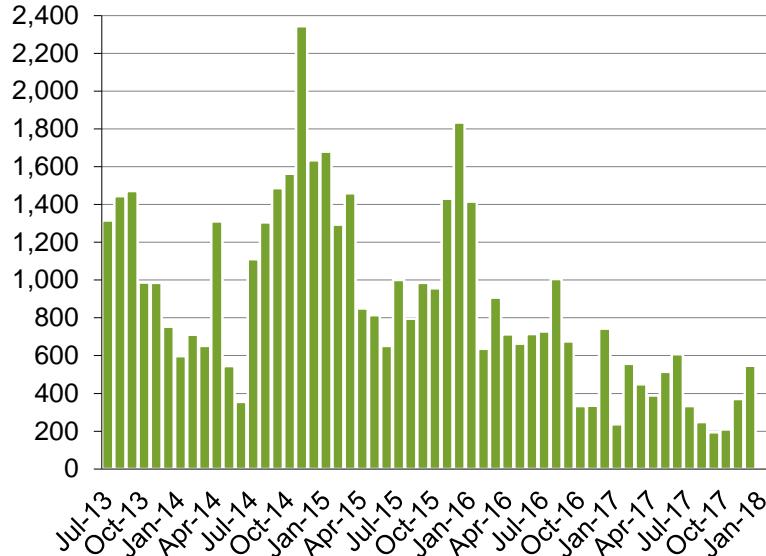
# ....but higher domestic price and lower exports from China are offsetting oversupply elsewhere

Increasing urea pricing (USD/ton)



Source: BOABC, CFMW

Chinese export is falling (1000 tons)



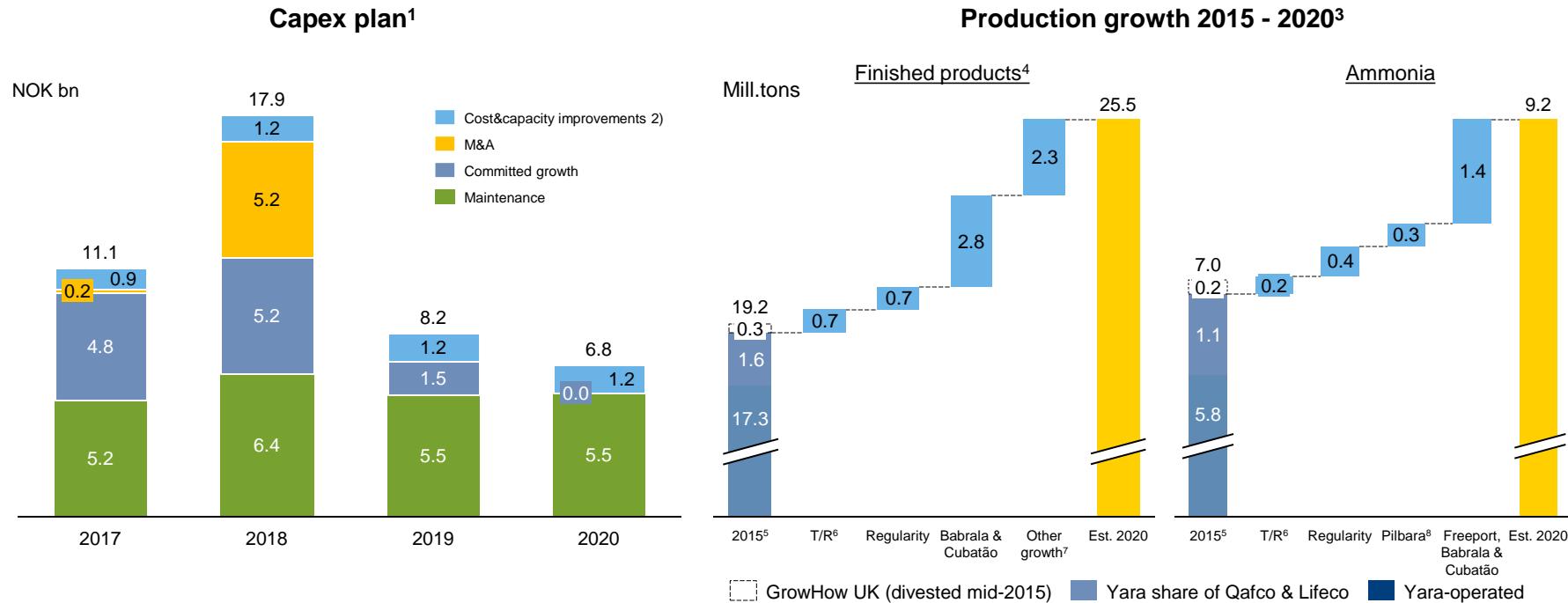


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# Additional information



# High on-going Yara growth investment activity



1) Yara's share of capex. Fully consolidated entities presented at 100% basis.

2) Includes Yara Improvement program Capex and other improvements

3) Rio Grande expansion also adds 1 million tonnes NPK blends by 2020

4) Finished fertilizer and industrial products, excl. bulk blends

5) Including Yara share of production in non-consolidated investees

6) Adjustment to normalized / 2016 turnaround level

7) Committed projects only. TAN Pilbara: 160 kt, Porsgrunn: 250kt, Glomfjord: 105kt, Uusikapunki: 250kt, Köping: 90kt, Sluiskil: net 160kt, Galvani (Salitre ~ 0.8 mill.tonnes, reaching 1.1 mill.tonnes in 2022), Rio Grande: 500kt

8) Including 100% ownership in Pilbara NH<sub>3</sub> plant

# Yara has expected commodity nitrogen oversupply, and has focused its growth pipeline on premium & industrial products

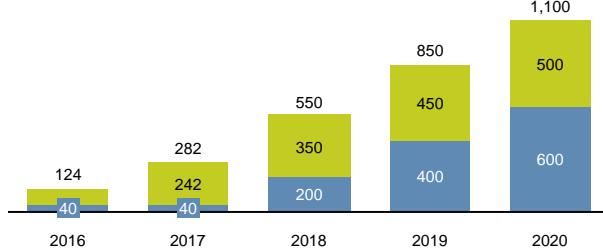
	Growth focused on premium & industrial	Expected start up	Pipeline EBITDA (2015 prices, USDm) <sup>1</sup>								
<b>Expand premium products sales and supply</b>	Uusikaupunki NPK Porsgrunn/Glomfjord CN/NPK Sluiskil urea+S Rio Grande NPK/NPK blends	3Q 2016 1Q 2018 2Q 2018 2H 2020	<table> <tr> <td>2018</td> <td>70</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2019</td> <td>170</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2020</td> <td>180</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2021</td> <td>190</td> </tr> </table>	2018	70	2019	170	2020	180	2021	190
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<sup>1)</sup> Including Yara's share of volume in non-consolidated investees. Fully consolidated entities presented at 100% basis

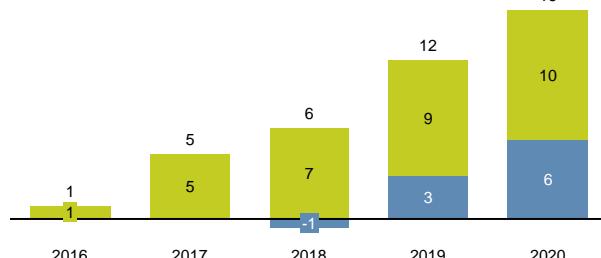
<sup>2)</sup> Plant started up in 2Q 2017, but has been down for technical reasons since 3Q 2017. Expected re-start 2Q 2018.

# Improvement and growth investments; earnings and sensitivities<sup>1</sup>

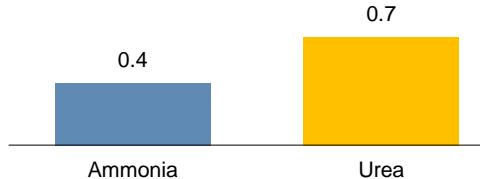
EBITDA improvement<sup>2</sup> (MUSD)



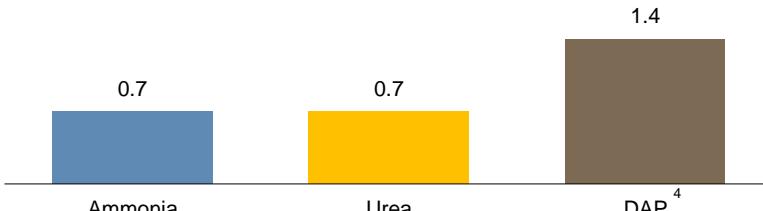
Earnings improvement<sup>2</sup> (NOK per share)



Improvement program: Impact<sup>3</sup> of +100 USD/t price change (NOK/share)



Growth: Impact<sup>3</sup> of +100 USD/t price change (NOK/share)



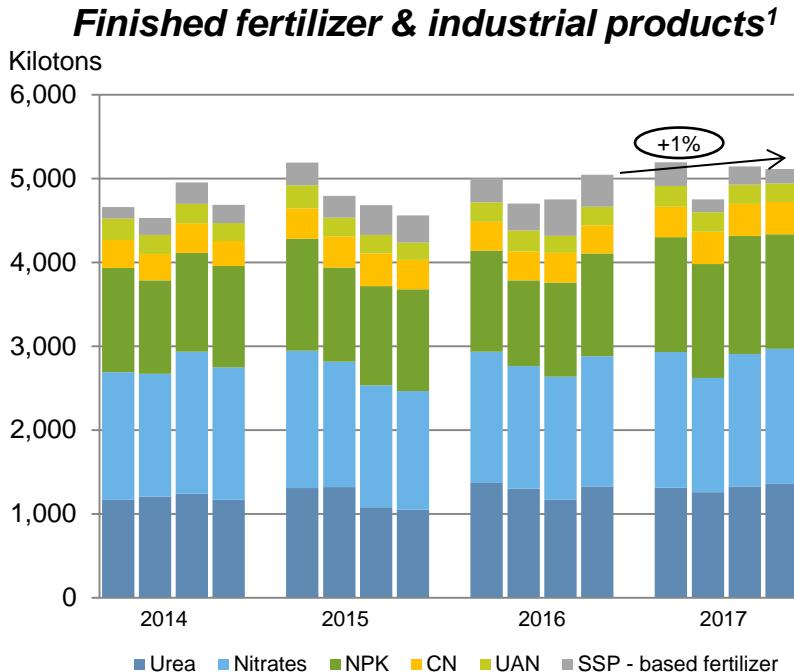
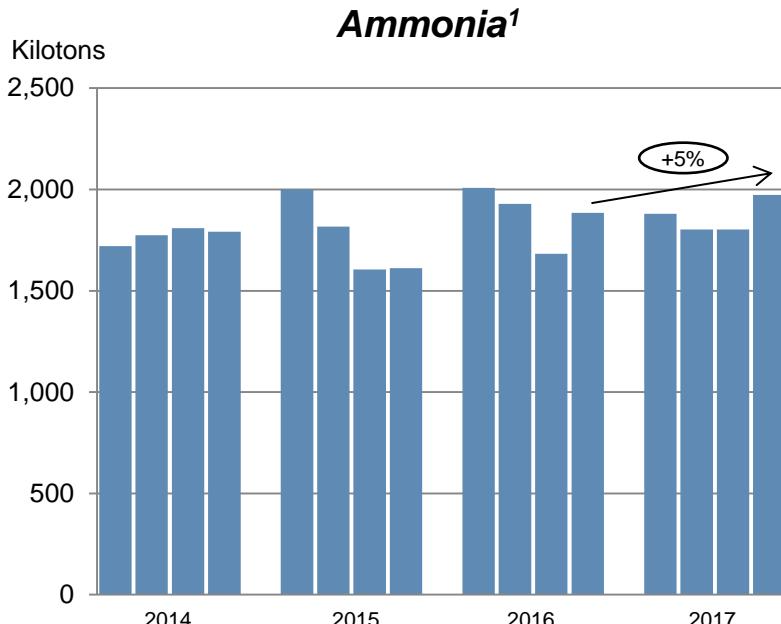
<sup>1</sup> Currencies for all amounts from 2017: USD/NOK 7.70, EUR/NOK: 9.55, USD/BRL: 3.2

<sup>2</sup> Measured at 2015 conditions. Main average market prices: Ammonia fob Yuzhny 390 USD/t, Urea fob Yuzhny 275 USD/t, DAP fob Morocco 495 USD/t.

<sup>3</sup> Improvement: 2020 numbers. Growth: At full capacity (2019 for urea and ammonia, 2020 for DAP).

<sup>4</sup> Phosphate-driven price change, equivalent to 138 USD/t phosphate rock (72 bpt)

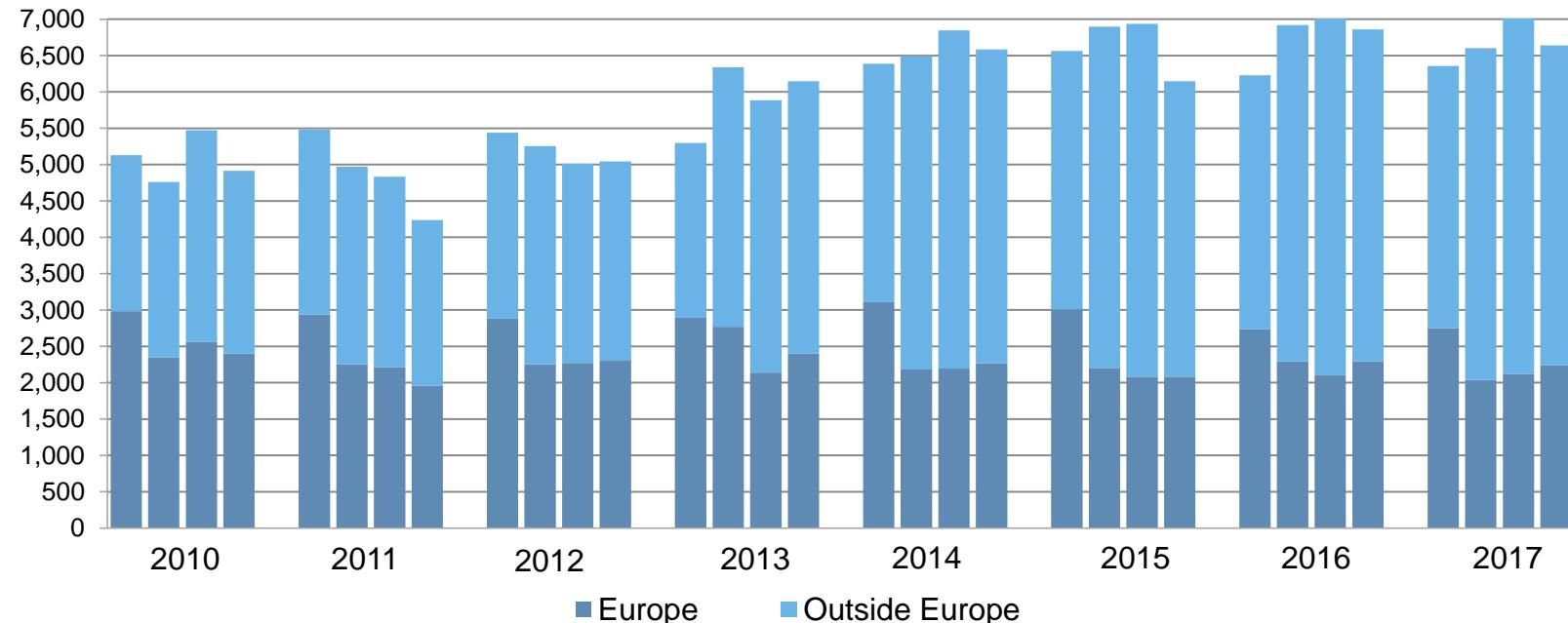
# Higher finished fertilizer and ammonia production



1) Including share of equity-accounted investees

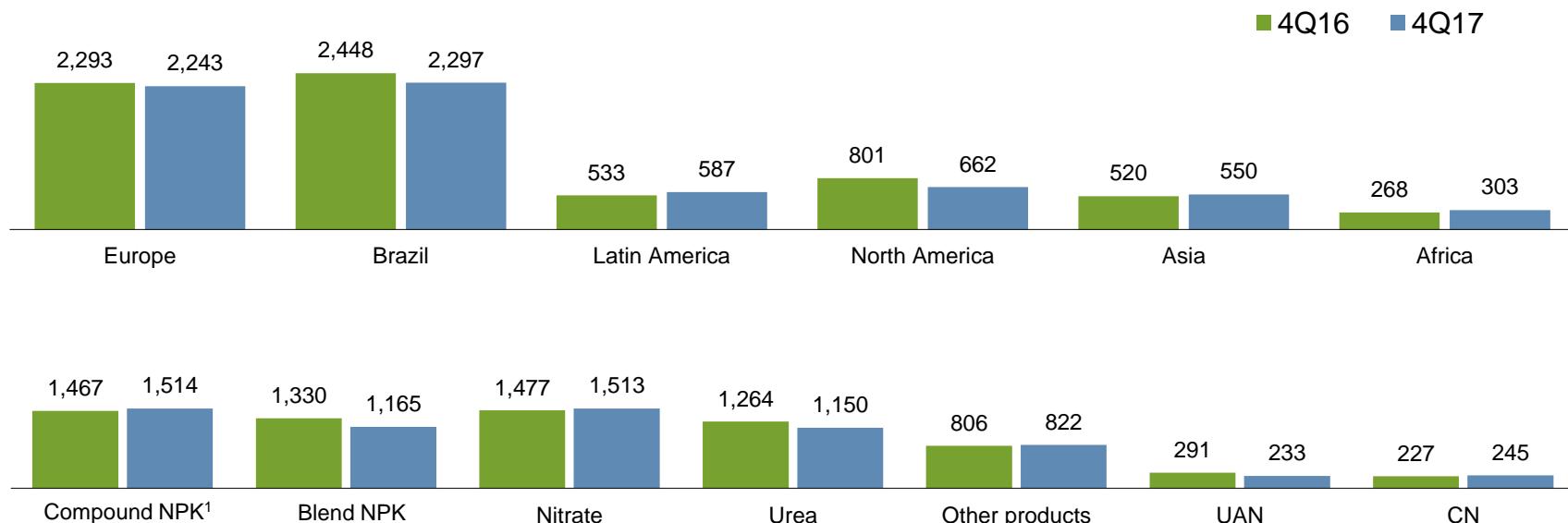
# Fertilizer deliveries

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# Yara 4Q fertilizer deliveries by market and product

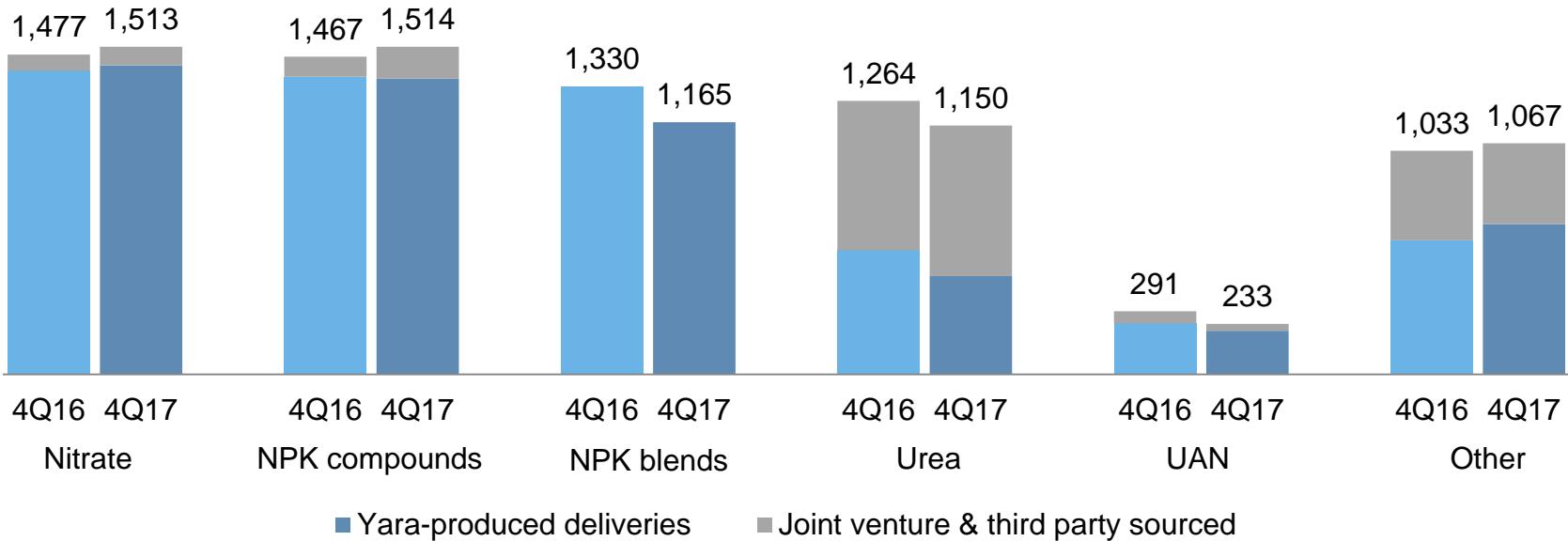
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1) Yara-produced compound NPK and third party sourced (Total NPK minus blend NPK)

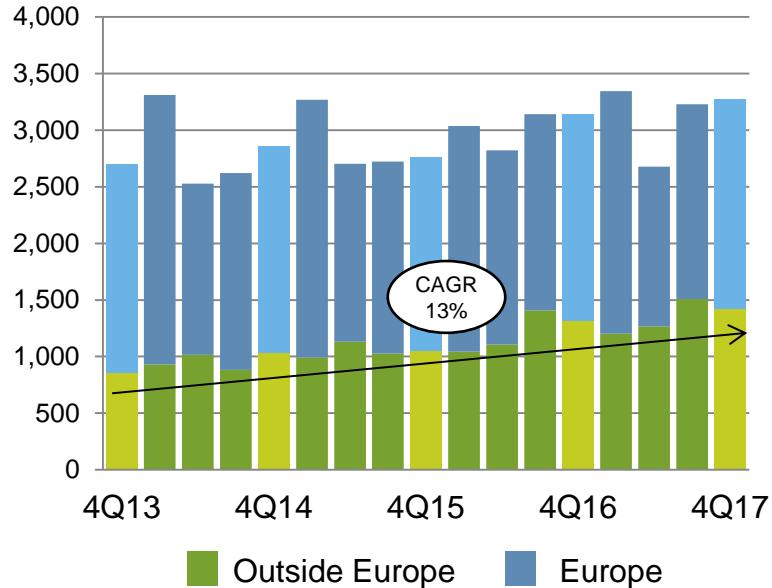
# Fertilizer deliveries by product and source

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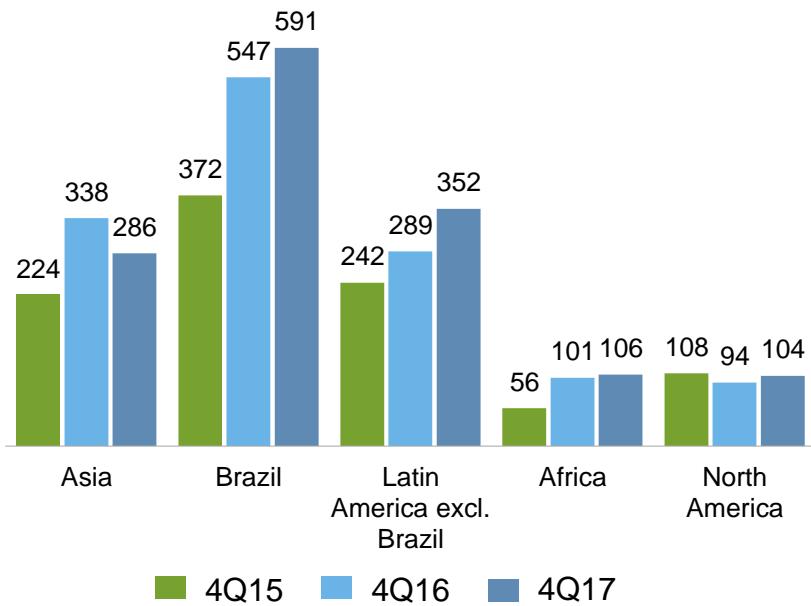


# Strong premium product deliveries

**Value-added fertilizer deliveries<sup>1</sup>**



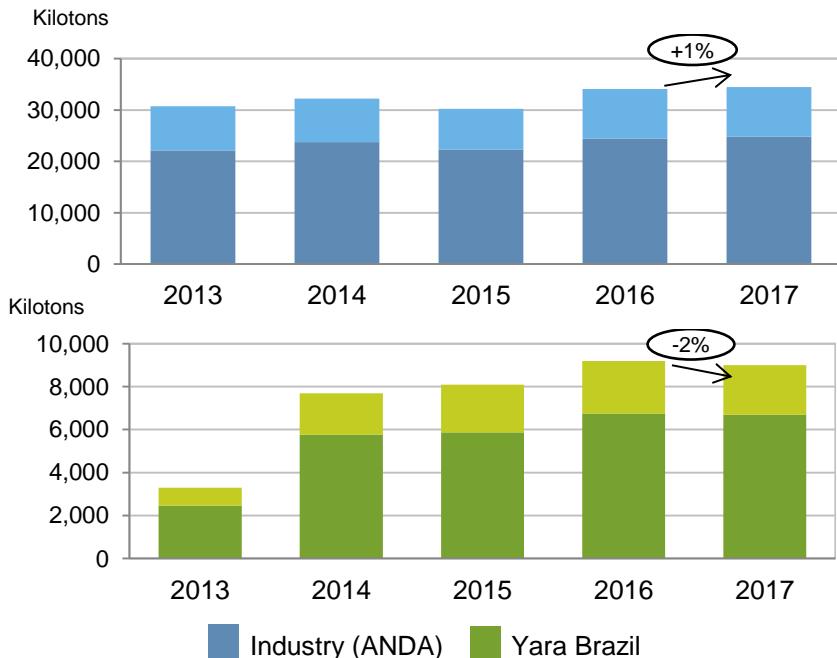
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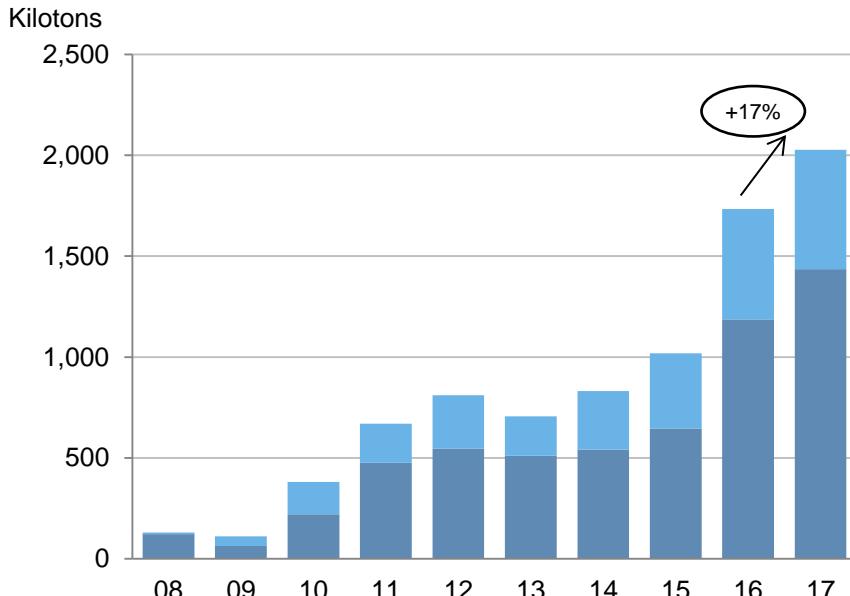
1) YaraBela, YaraMila and YaraLiva deliveries

# Brazil: focus on premium products and solutions drives growth

**Brazil 2017 fertilizer deliveries**

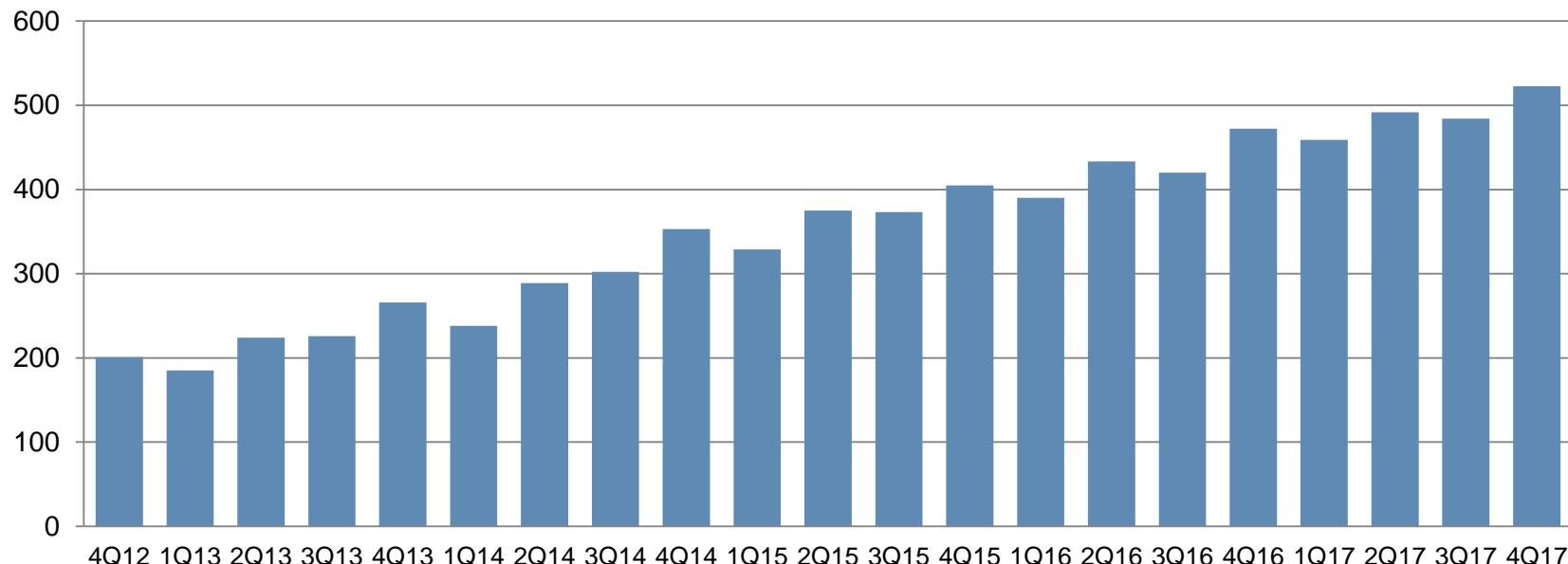


**Brazil 2017 premium product deliveries**



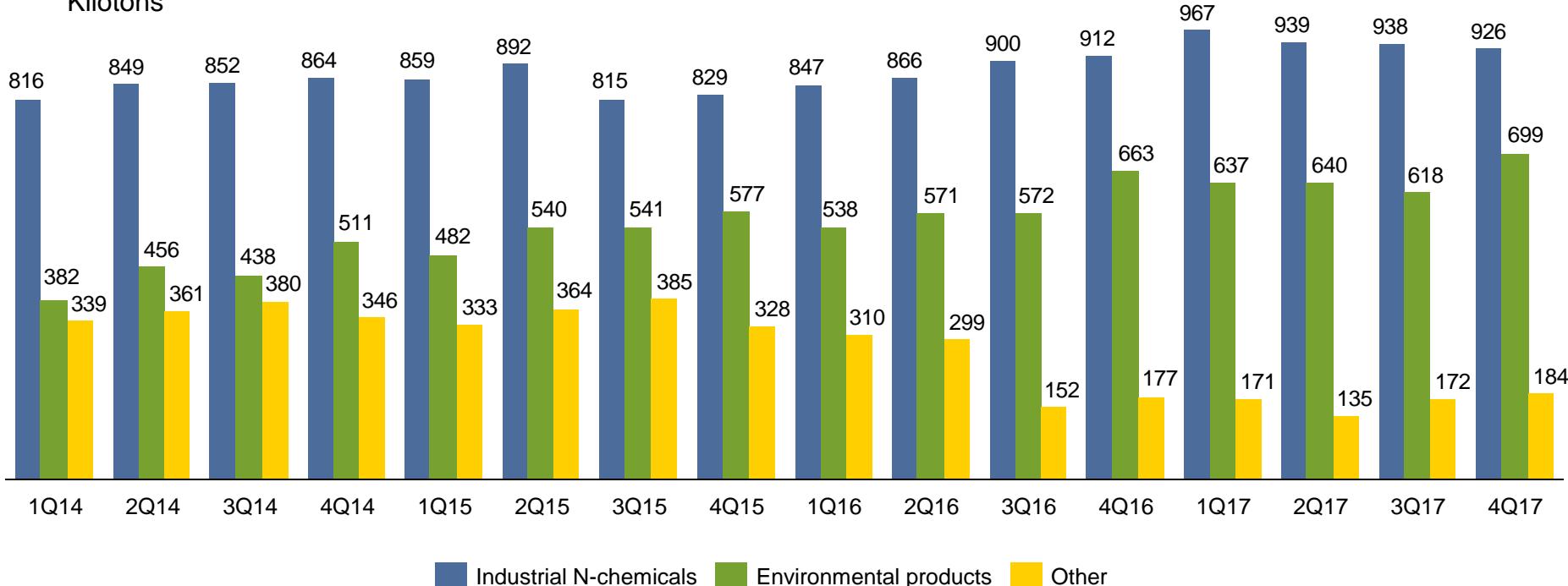
# AdBlue deliveries

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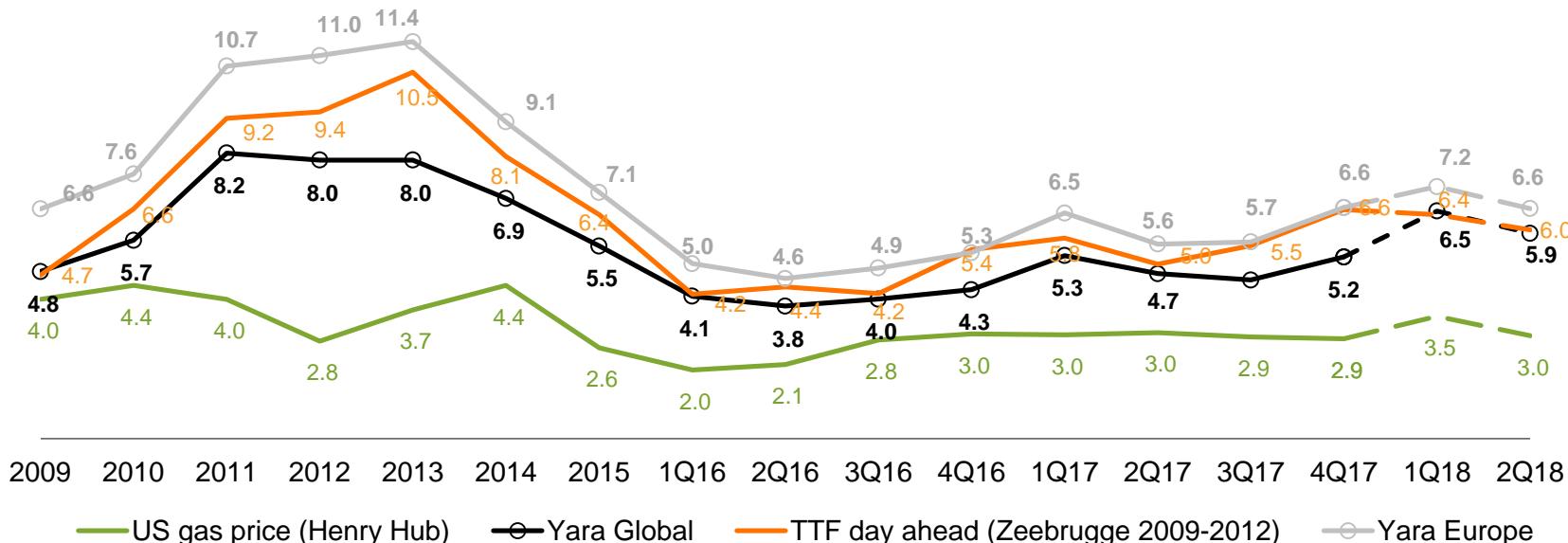
# Industrial volume development

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# Energy cost

Yearly averages 2009 – 2015, quarterly averages for 2016-18 with forward prices\* for 1Q18 and 2Q18.



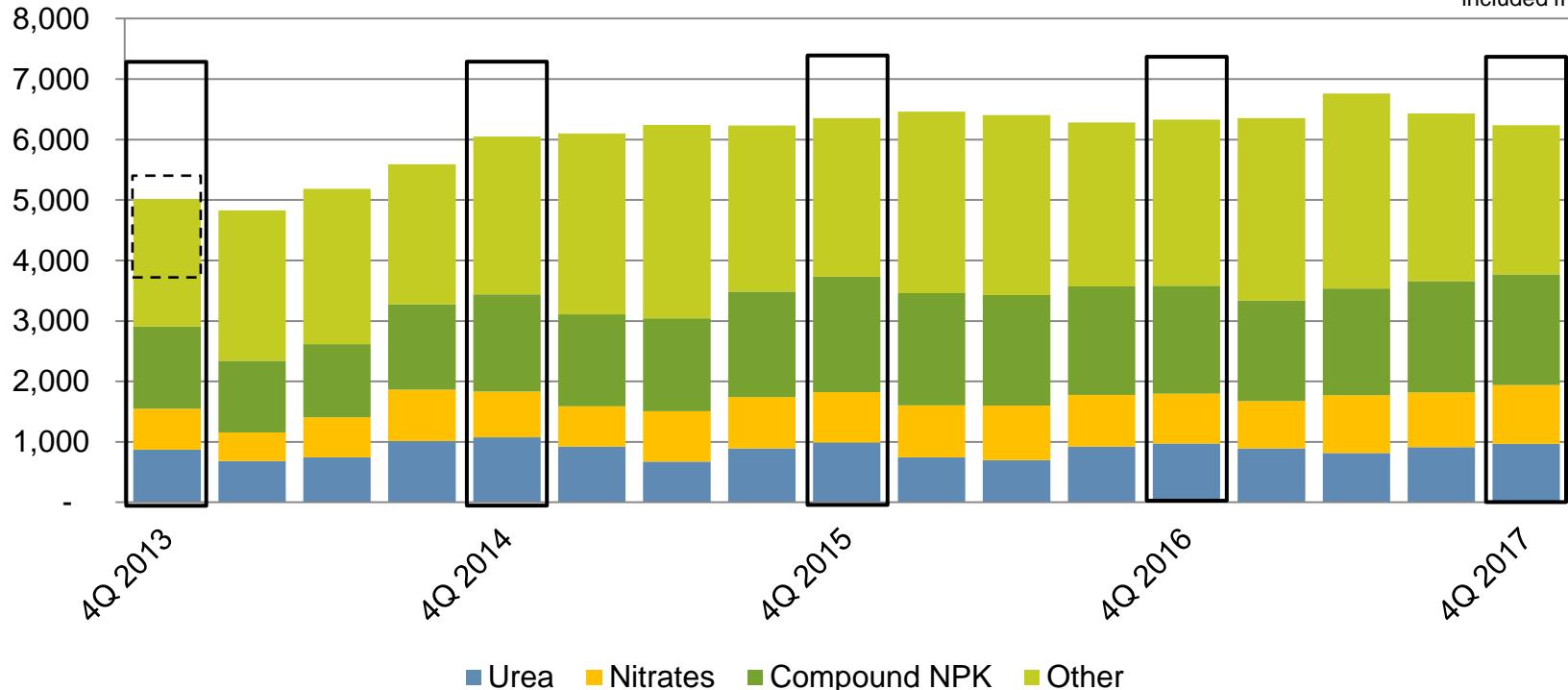
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# Yara stocks

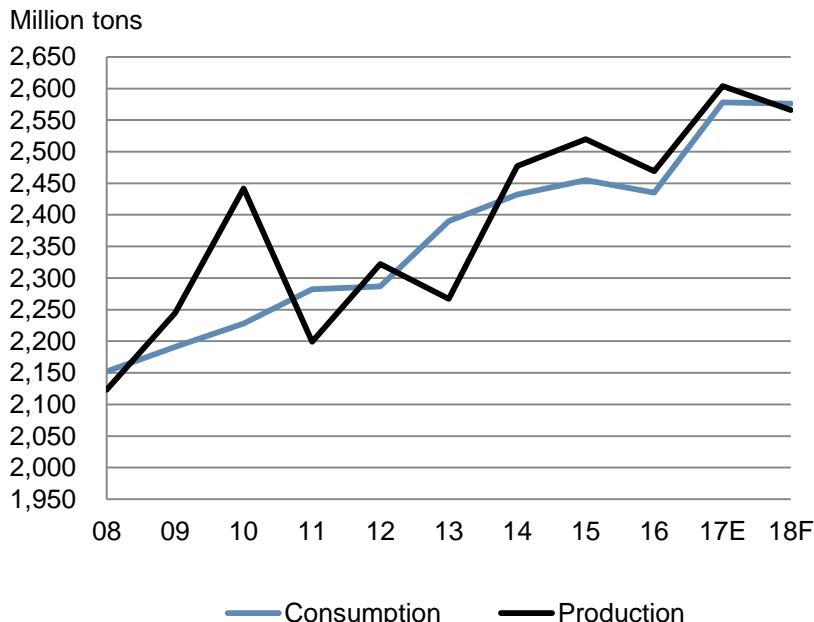
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Finished fertilizer

Bunge Fertilizer  
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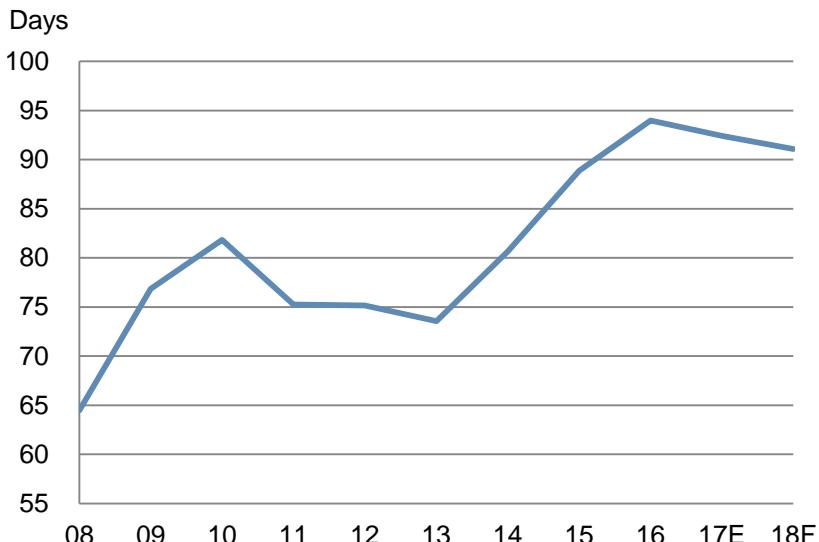


# Steady growth in grain consumption, while production growth is more volatile due to weather variations

*Grain consumption and production*

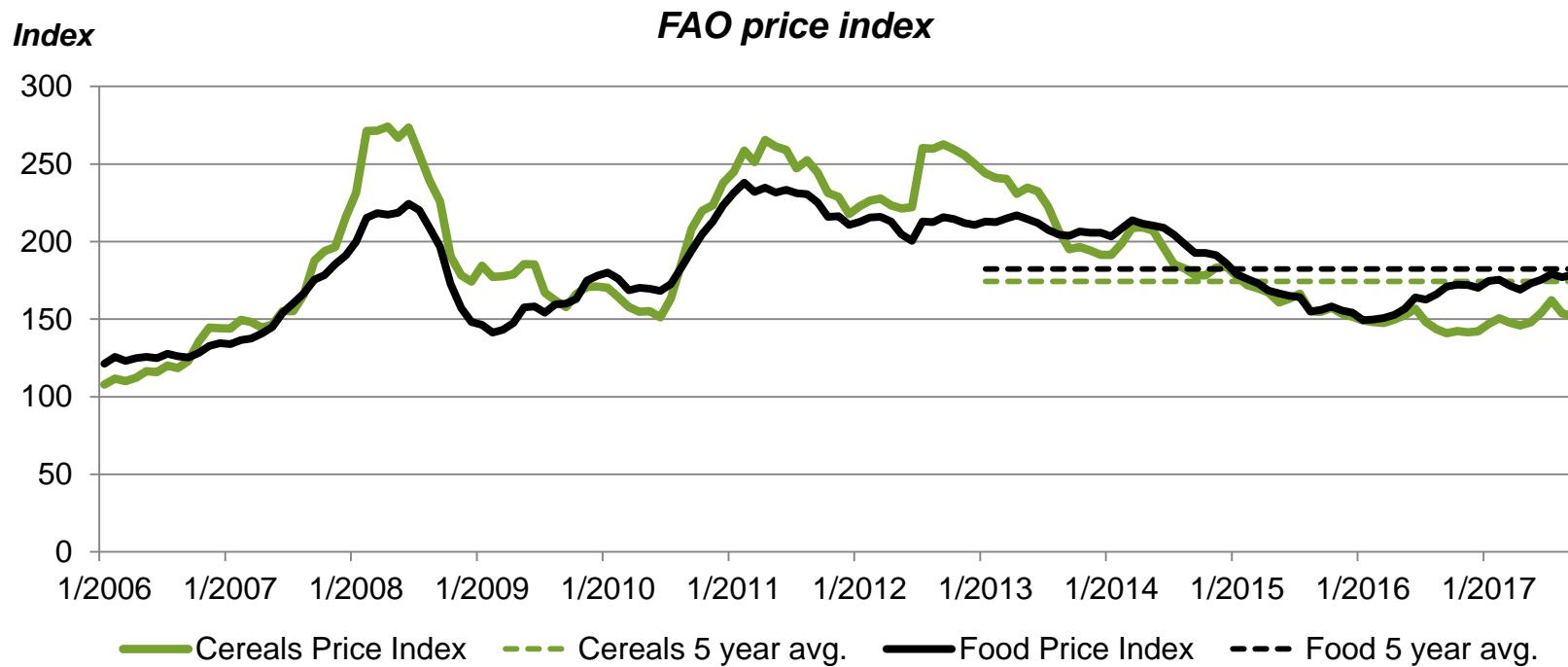


*Days of consumption in stocks*



Source: USDA January 2018

## Relatively weak grain economics



Source: FAO

## Non-commercials' net long position in corn

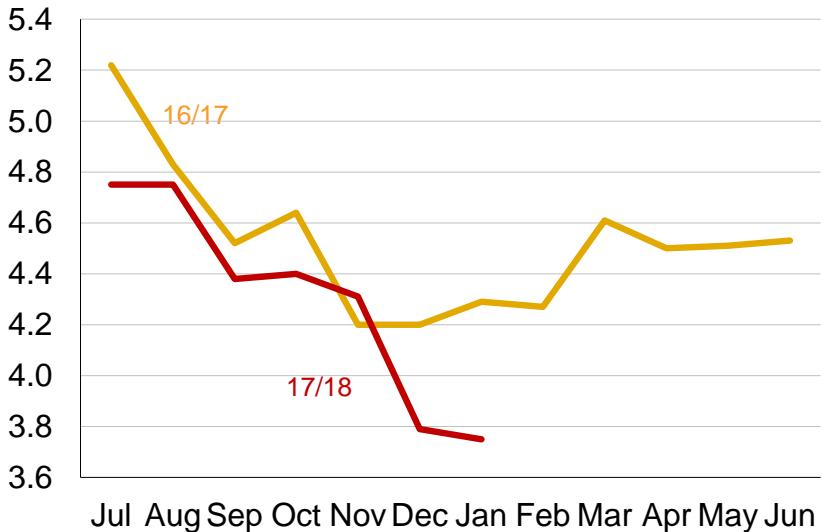
Thousand contracts



Source: US Commodity Futures Trading Commission

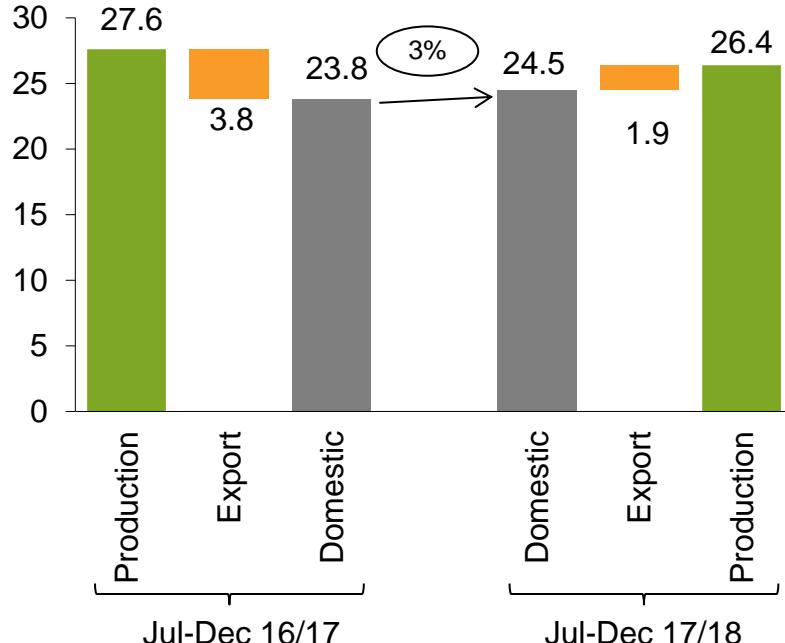
# Unclear if supply is sufficient to cover Chinese urea demand this season

Chinese urea production down vs last year (million tons)



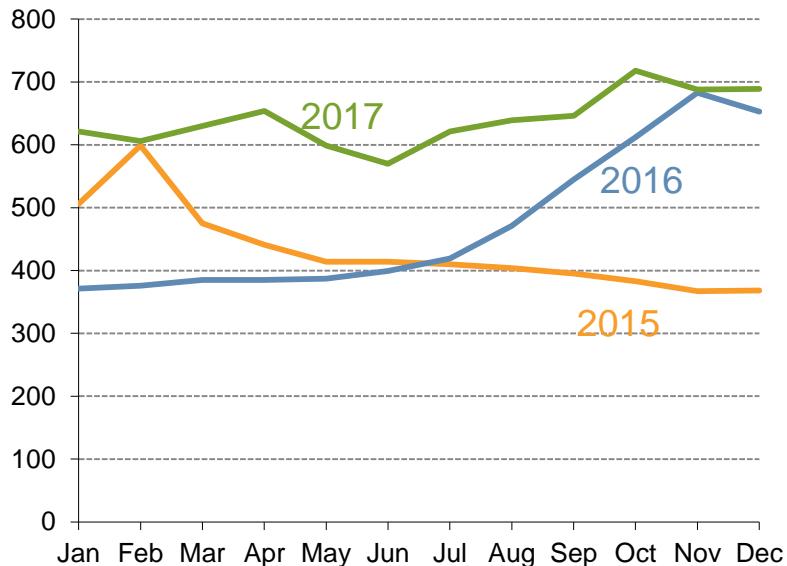
Source: CFMW, covering close to 100% of production

Export reduction so far kept supply stable (million tons)

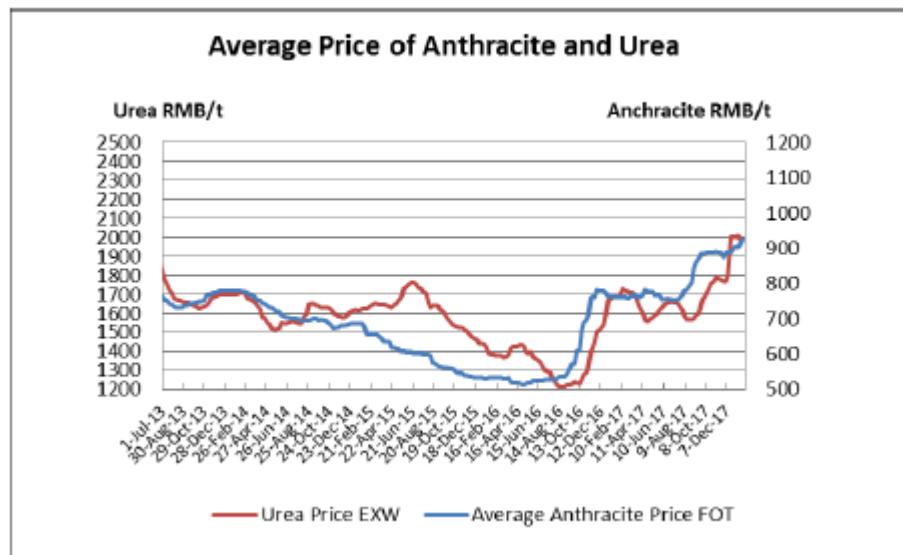


# Increased coal prices drove nitrogen prices higher

Coal price in China (fob Qinhuangdao 5500, RMB/mt)

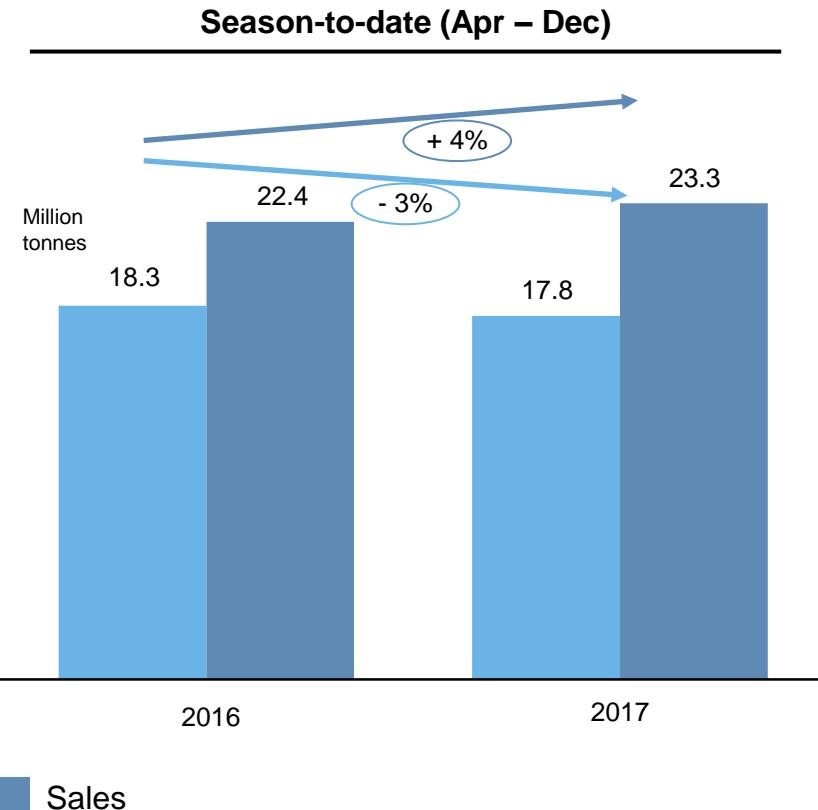
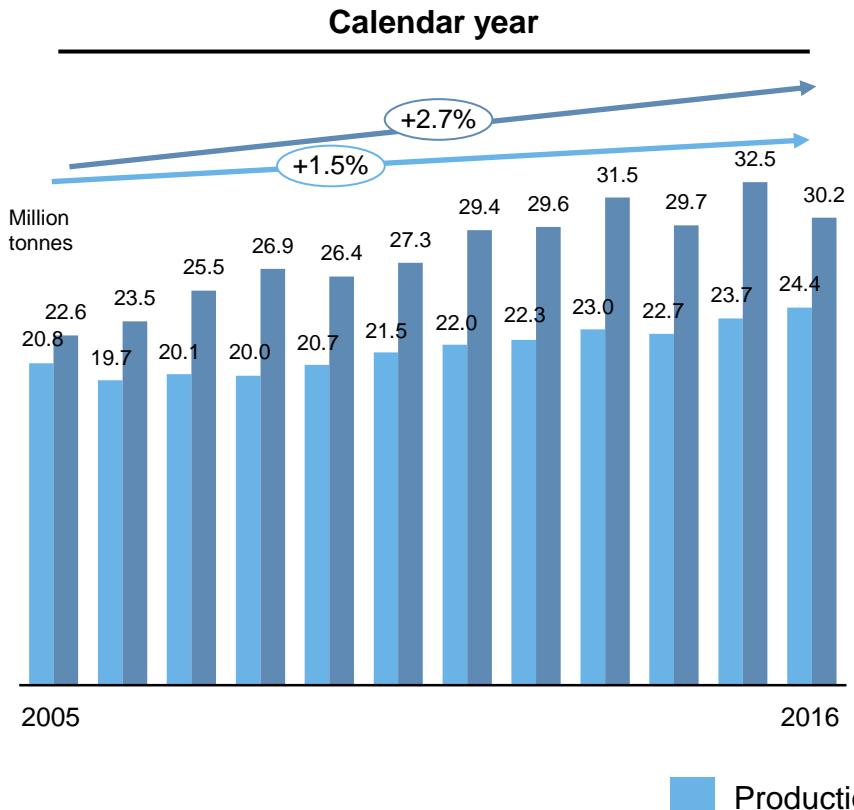


China anthracite and urea prices (RMB/mt)

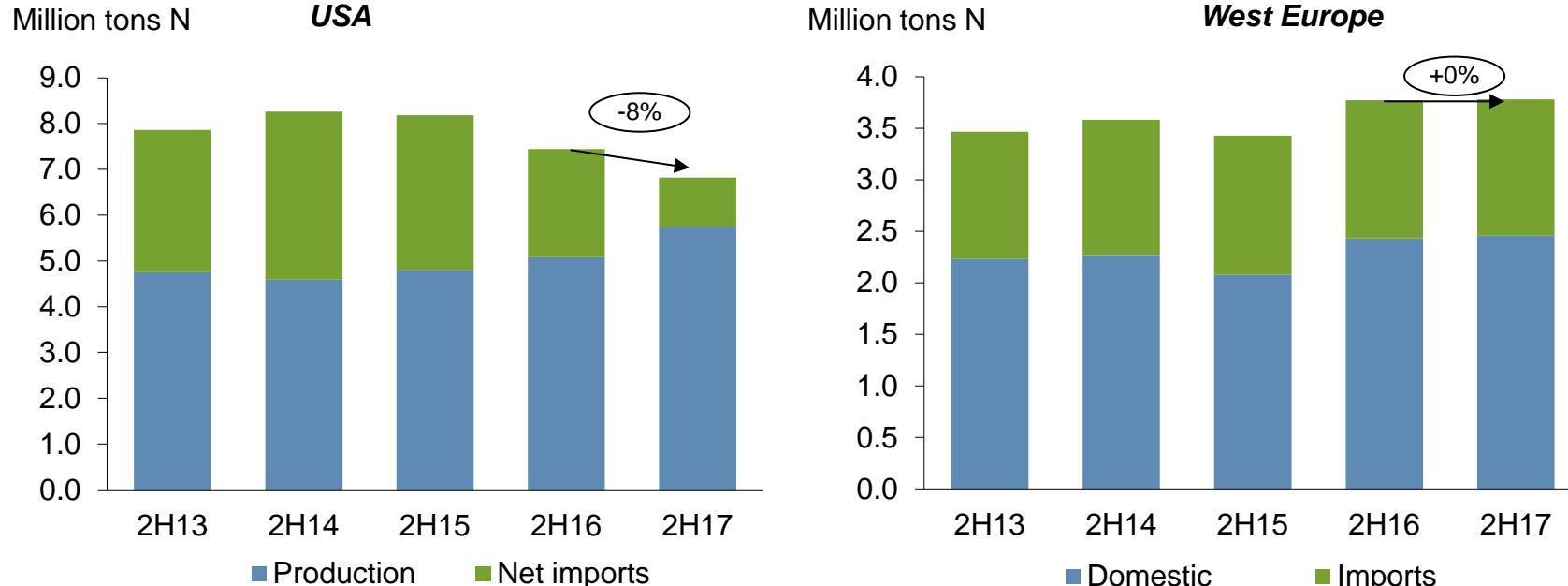


Source: IHS, CFMW

# Import catch-up need in India



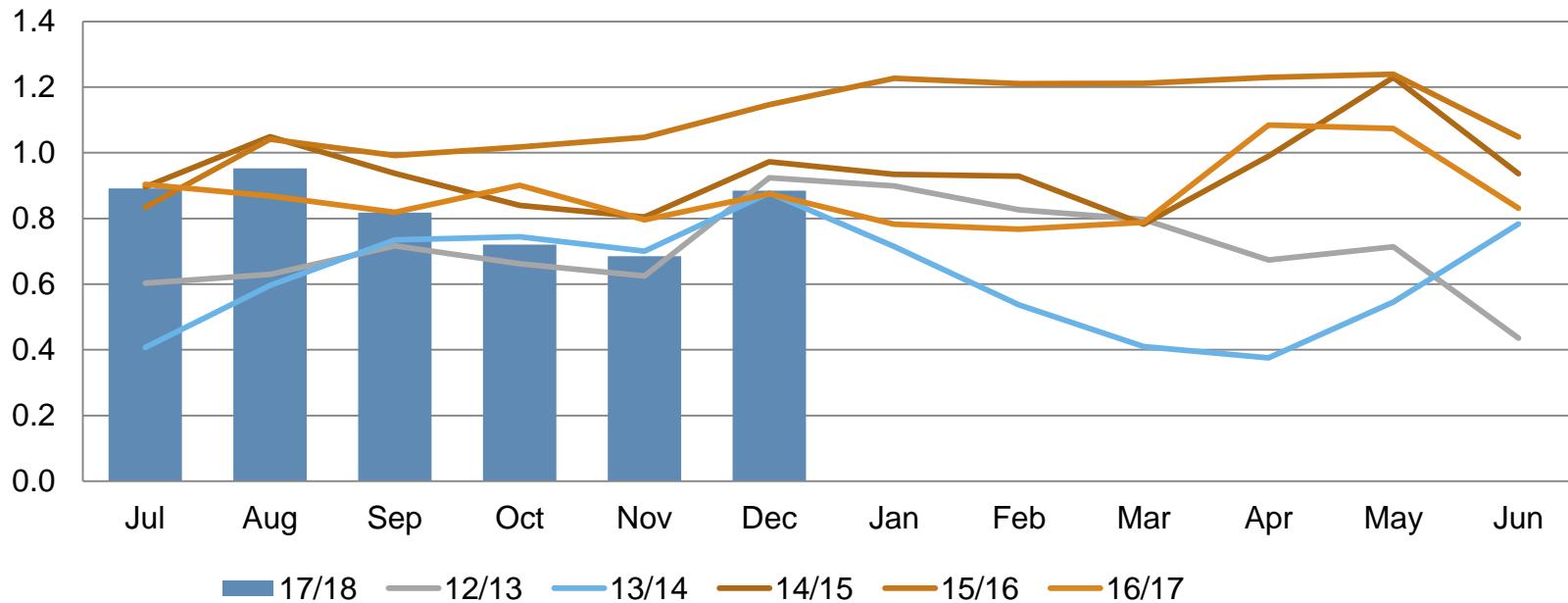
# Strong deliveries in Europe, slow in USA



Source: Yara estimate for fertilizer deliveries to selected West European countries.  
Total nitrogen deliveries based on TFI, US Trade Commission, Blue-Johnson and Yara estimates

# European producers' nitrate stocks

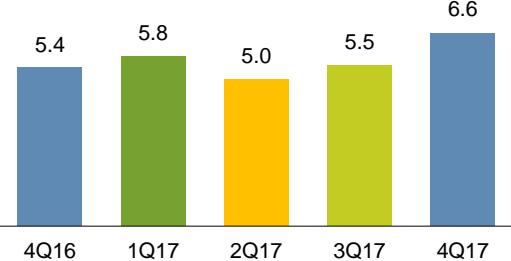
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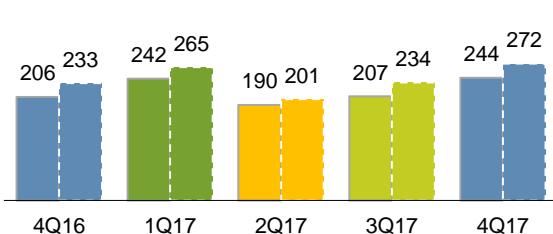
Source: Fertilizers Europe

# Key value drivers – quarterly averages

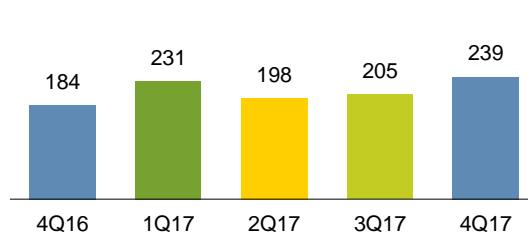
TTF day ahead (USD/MMBtu)



Urea prilled fob Black Sea (USD/t)/Urea granular fob Egypt (dotted line, USD/t)



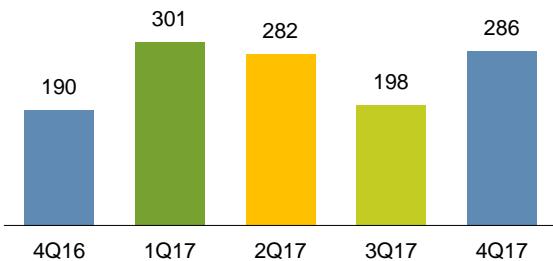
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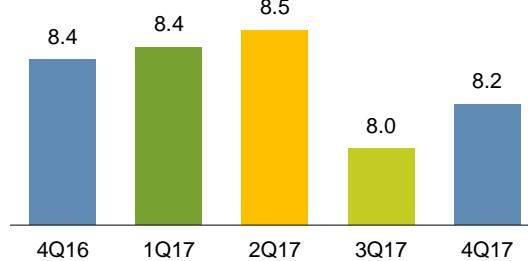
US gas price Henry Hub (USD/MMBtu)



Ammonia fob Black Sea (USD/t)

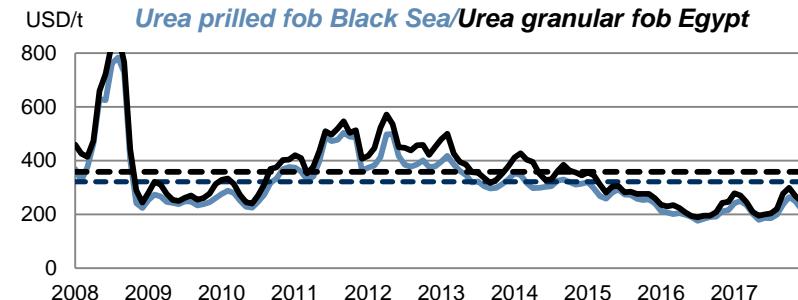
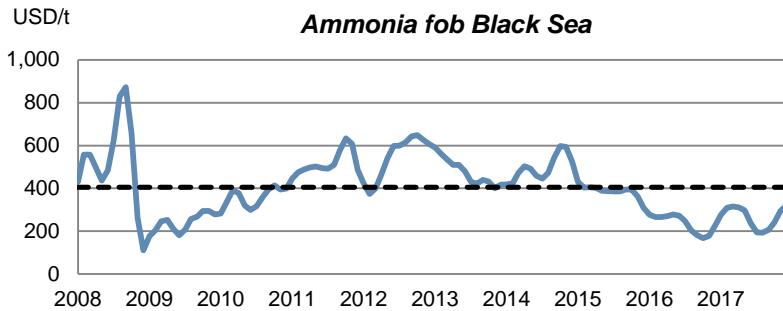


NOK/USD exchange rate

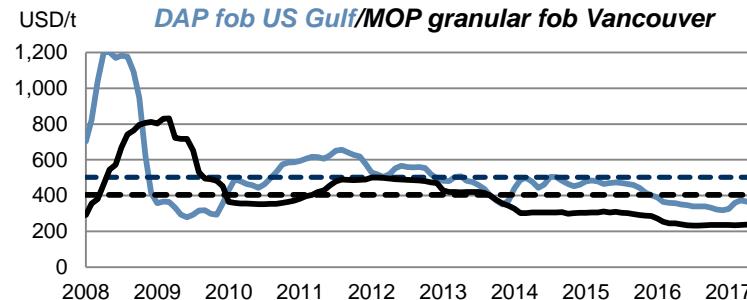
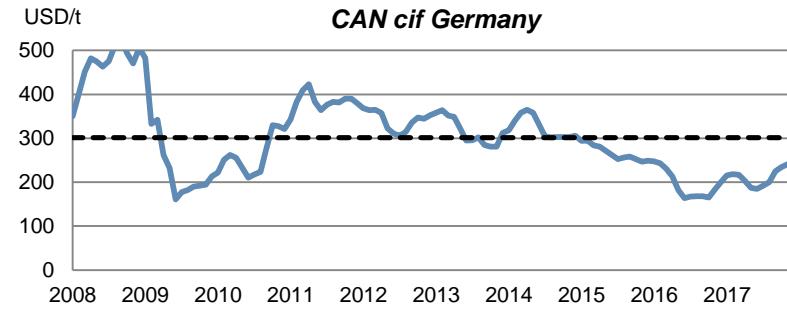


Source: Fertilizer Market Publications, CERA, World Bank, Norges Bank

# 10-year fertilizer prices – monthly averages



Source: Fertilizer Market Publications



--- Average prices 2008 - 2017

# Debt/equity ratio

***Net interest-bearing debt / equity ratio (end of period)***

