# Rovio Entertainment Interim report for January–March 2018

# ROVIO

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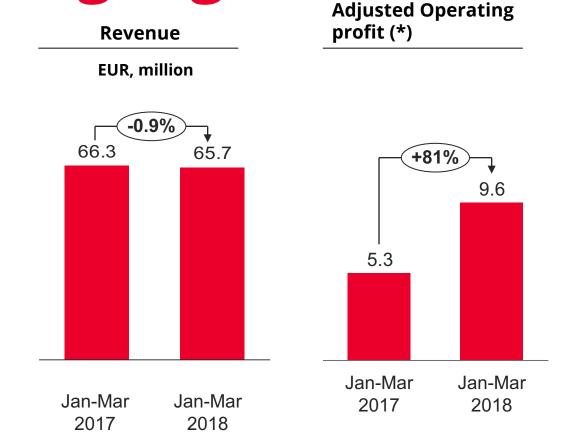
## First Quarter in an Eggshell

- Games-as-a-Service (GAAS) strategy works
- Angry Birds 2 –best quarter ever
- Angry Birds Friends –still going strong
- Solid revenues regardless currency rate headwind
- Improved profitability



## **Q1 2018 Financial Highlights**

- Revenue declined 0.9 % year-on-year
- Revenue growth in comparable currencies 12-14%
- Adjusted operating profit improved to EUR
   9.6 million and adjusted operating margin to
   14.6 %
- Earnings per share increase to EUR 0.09 (0.05)



(\*) Adjustments in Jan-March 2018 were EUR 0.3 million related to closure of London games studio.

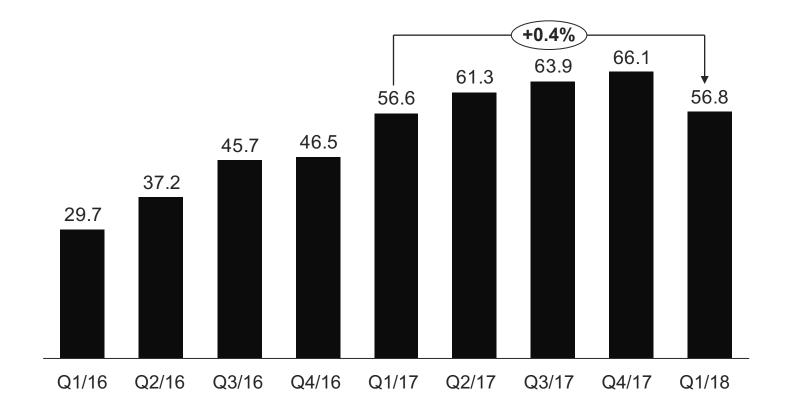


## **Games Highlights**

#### **Revenue (EUR million)**

#### 1Q18 Highlights:

- Revenue increased by 0.4 % y-o-y, and 11-14% in comparable currencies
- Adjusted EBITDA improved 18,5% to EUR 10.6 million (9.0)



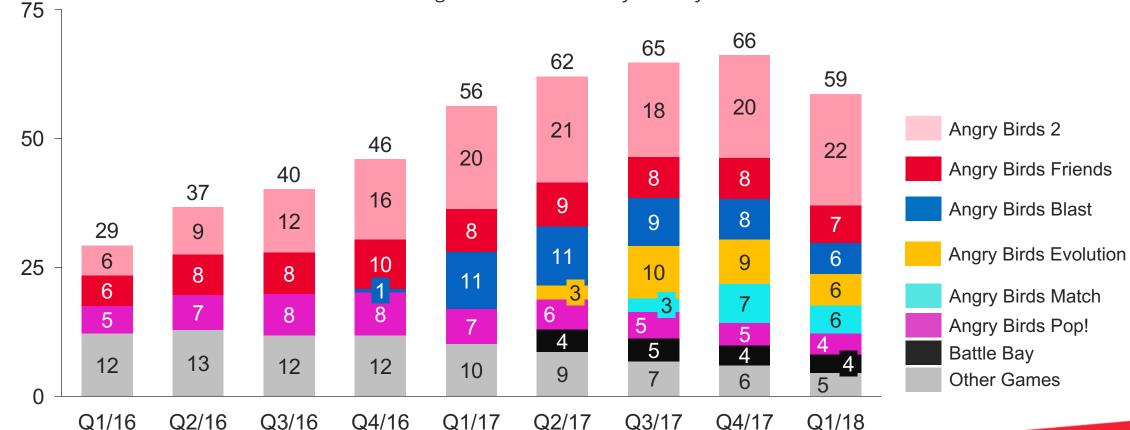


## Gross Bookings per Game

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#### **1Q18 Highlights**:

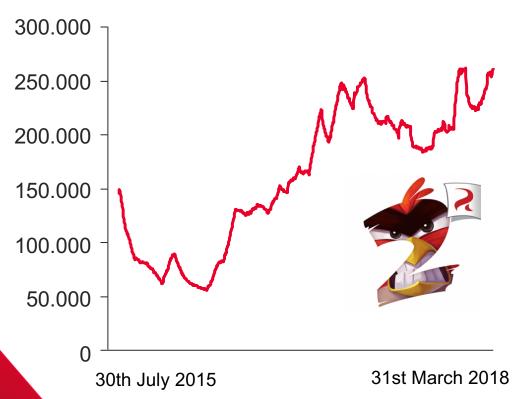
- Angry Birds 2 growth continued, 8.5% growth year-on-year and with comparable currencies 18-26%
- Overall US dollar weighed down revenues year-on-year



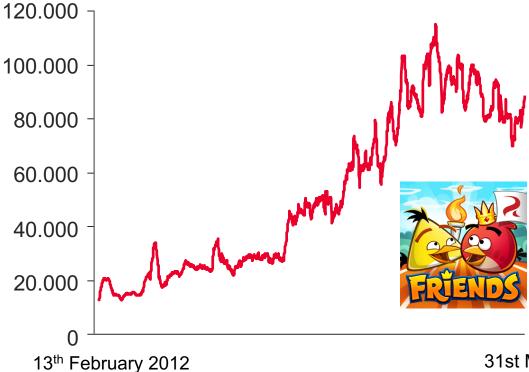


### Games as a Service





## Angry Birds Friends daily gross bookings (EUR) (\*)



31st March 2018



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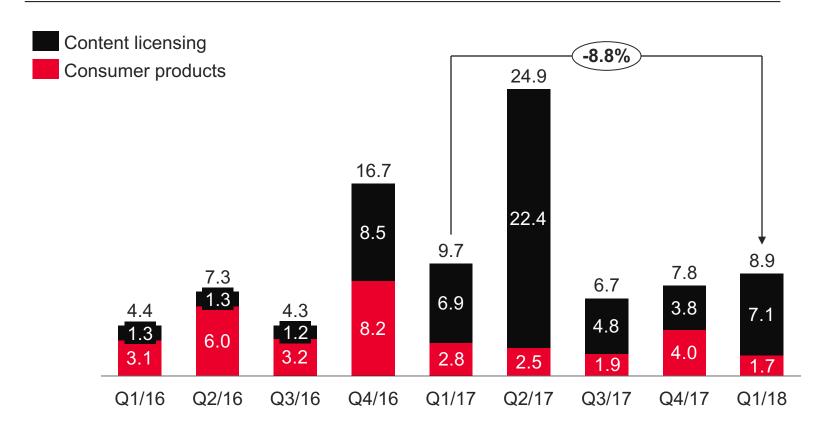
\*) 30-day rolling average

## **Brand Licensing Highlights**

#### 1Q18 Highlights:

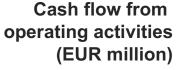
- Unit reveneue declined 8.8 % YoY
- In comparable currencies, approx. 7% growth
- Adjusted EBITDA improved to EUR 6.6 million (3.6)
- Lower operating expenses YoY
- Revenue for Angry Birds movie a bit higher than expected
- Consumer products in line with expectations for a nonmovie year

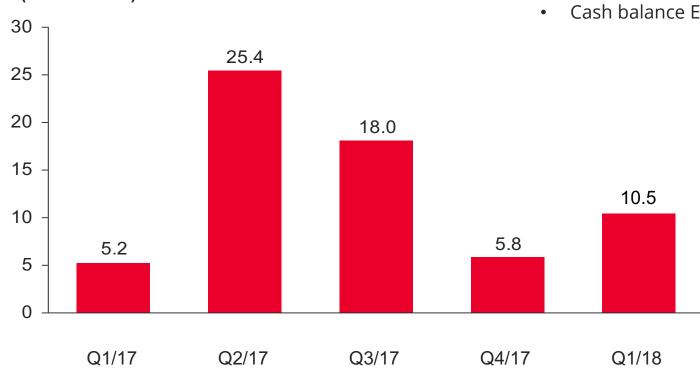
#### **Revenue (EUR million)**





## **Healthy Cash Flow** from Operating Activities





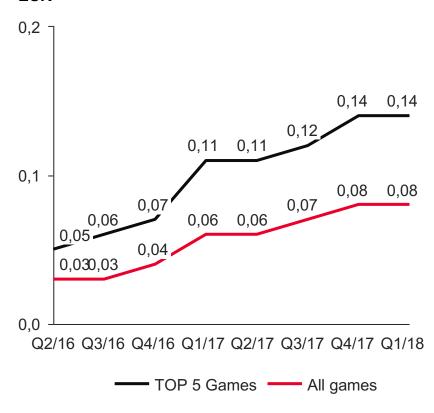
#### 1Q18 Highlights:

- Operating cash flow EUR 10.5 million
- Tax payments of EUR 7.4 million, most related to 2017 taxes
- Cash balance EUR 101.5 million

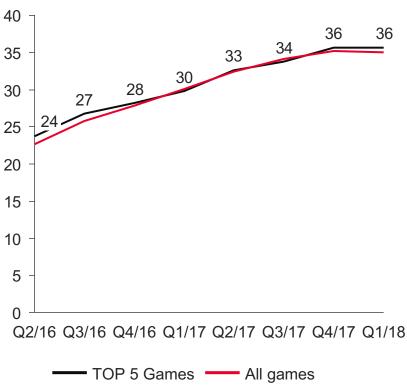


## Game Monetization continued at the Same Level

#### ARPDAU (Average Revenue Per Daily Active User), EUR

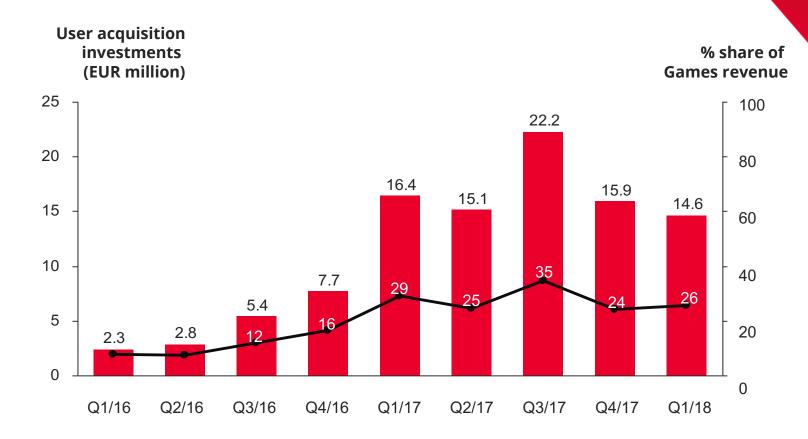


#### MARPPU (Monthly Average Revenue per Unique Payer), EUR



## **User Acquisition Update**

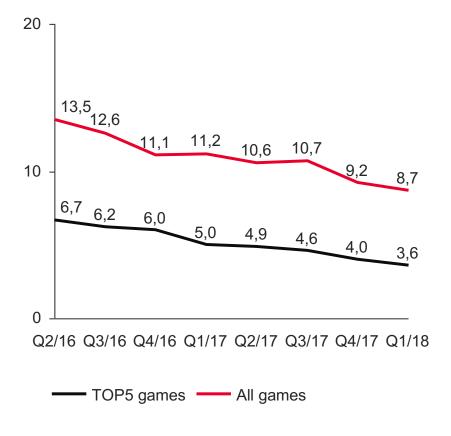
- User acquisition in 1Q18 lower vs. 1Q17, however with comparable currencies it was on similar level
- Competition in the user acquisition space continued on a high level
- UA for 2Q18 expected to grow due to lengthening of UA payback to 8-12 months and improved performance of key games (previous 8-10 months)
- Short-term profitability may decline if we increase UA investments significantly in 2Q18



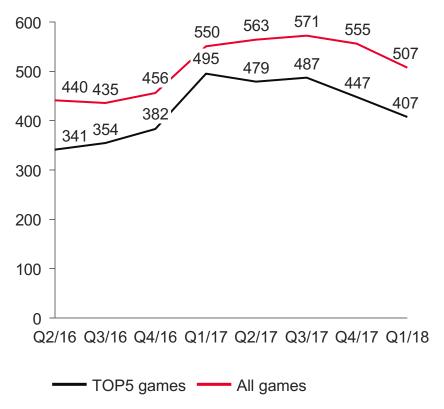


# Lower UA spend affected User Base

DAU (Daily Active User), millions



MUP (Monthly Unique Payers), 1000's





## **Outlook for 2018 unchanged**

2018 Outlook

Rovio Group revenue is expected to be 260-300 million euros in 2018 (297 million euros in 2017).

Rovio's profitability as measured by earnings before interest and tax excluding items affecting comparability is expected to be 9 to 11 percent (Adjusted operating profit margin 12.1 percent in 2017<sup>1</sup>).



## We continue to execute Our Strategy

Grow Games business

Improve existing key games

**Develop new games** 

**Explore the future of gaming** 

Investigate and invest in opportunities in new technologies and platforms

Leverage strong consolidation platform

Continue screening and evaluation

Prime focus on freeto-play mobile games Grow the
Angry Birds brand
and Licensing
business

Build licensing program, e.g. for Angry Birds Movie sequel in 2019

