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# *Since early 2002, we have successfully managed the company through a tough environment*

## **I Strengthened position in our core markets to capture customer growth**

- In Spanish wireline, we are managing top-line pressure and over-performing on cash generation
- Our Spanish wireless operation is performing outstandingly

## **II Proactively managed the challenging LatAm environment**

- Tight control of OpEx and CapEx across all operations
- Effective management of bad debt
- Proactive financial management

## **III Continued to strengthen commercial and operational focus, and tight cost and CapEx discipline**

- Ambitious efforts to improve OpEx efficiency and flexibility across business lines
- Sustained CapEx rationalisation to decrease asset intensity

## **IV Decisively restructured under-performing operations to focus on core businesses**

- European UMTS operations, Media divestitures, Via Digital merger agreement ...
- Terra-Lycos buy-out
- Corporate data and solutions businesses

## **Driving strong free cash flow generation**

- Anticipation of market trends
- Consistent management priorities
- Focus on multi-year efforts
- Spanish wireline, we are managing top-line pressure and over-performing on cash generation

# Looking ahead, we have a clear strategy to grow cash flows and improve returns

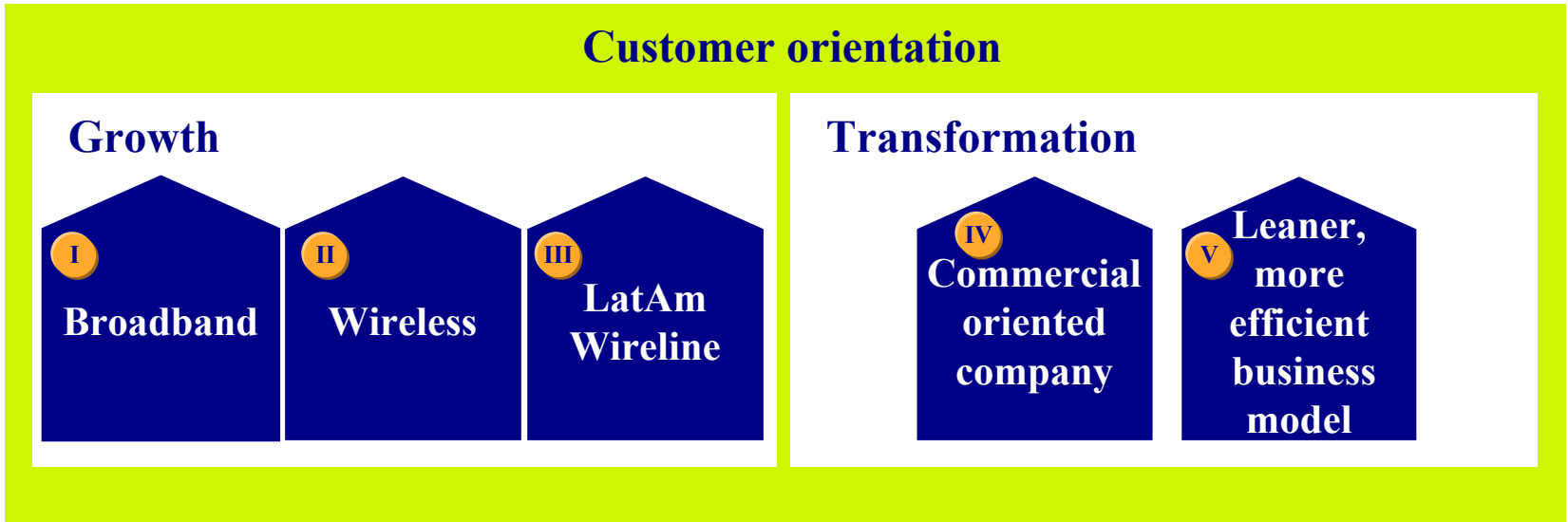
Objectives

Sustainable cash flow growth

Improved returns on capital

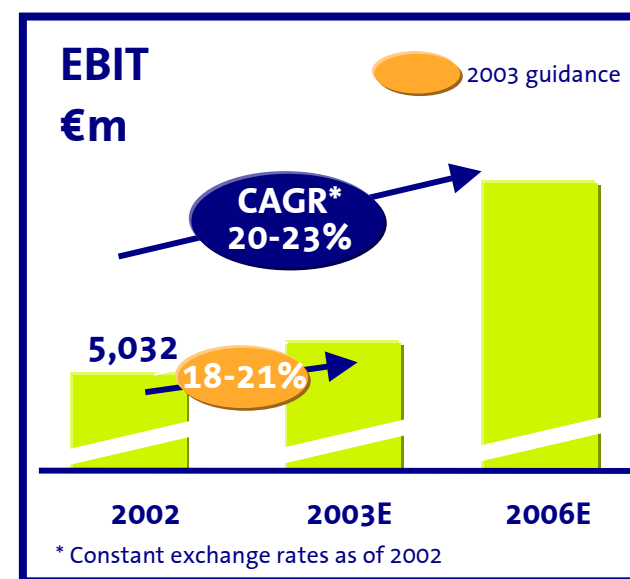
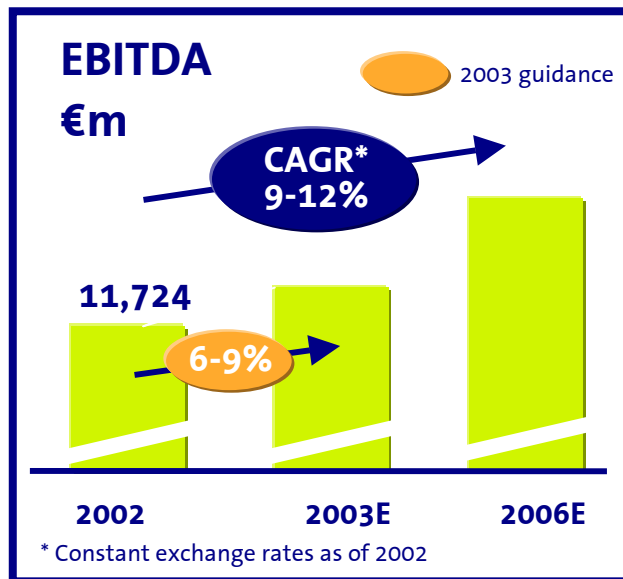
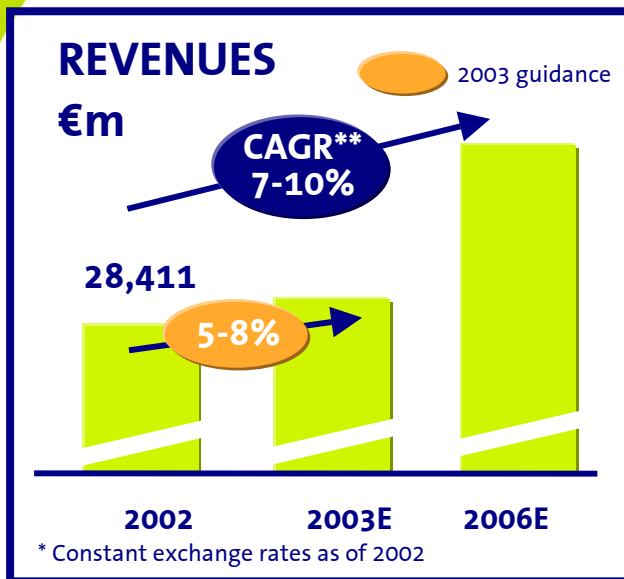


Lines of action



- I Over 6 Mill. Telefónica Group DSL connections by 2006
- II Short and Medium term growth driven by Voice Upside and Data Services, respectively
- III Retain and grow customer base while stimulating usage and ARPU
- IV Build-up of excellent marketing and sales capabilities to ensure growth
- V Less capital intensity through CapEx optimization towards growth activities

*As a result, we expect to deliver consolidated growth 2002-06 ...*



**Double-Digit Return on capital employed (ROCE \*\*) by 2005**

\* Return on Capital Employed: EBIT x (1- effective tax rate)/average capital employed

*and strong Cash Flow generation for the period*

**OPERATING  
FREE CASH FLOW\***

- Client focus & commercial excellence to drive top line growth
- Build-up of a cost efficient model
- Optimizing Capex for lower capital intensity

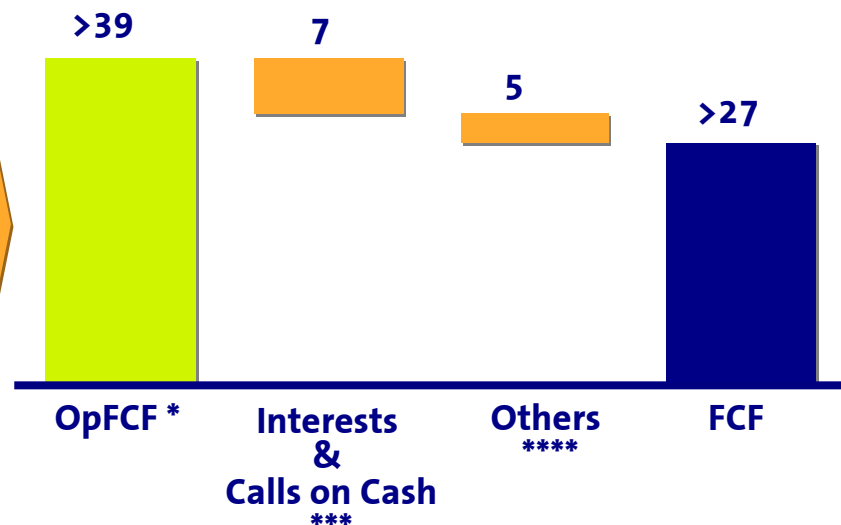
**NON-OPERATING  
OUTFLOWS**

- Financial expenses
- Cash Taxes
- Minorities
- Working capital
- Calls on cash flow

**FREE CASH FLOW GENERATION**

**2003-2006 \*\***

(€ Bn., 2002 constant exchange rates)



\* EBITDA-CAPEX

\*\* Before Financial Investments. Excluding forex and changes in consolidation

\*\*\* Assuming limited debt reduction

\*\*\*\* Cash Taxes, Minorities and Working Capital

# Our Rationale For 2003-2006 Cash-flows Distribution

**TWO BASIC PRINCIPLES...**

**...TO ACHIEVE OUR FOUR PRIORITIES**

**TO FULLY DELIVER  
ON OUR FIRM  
COMMITMENTS**

**TO KEEP STRATEGIC  
FLEXIBILITY TO GROW  
OUR BUSINESSES**

**1. SHAREHOLDER REMUNERATION**

**2. SOLVENCY PROTECTION FOR A  
“SINGLE A” RATING**

**3. BUSINESS LONG TERM EXPANSION**

**4. FINANCIAL FLEXIBILITY**

**ON-GOING  
RECIRCULATION**

## Cash Flow generation is:

- ➔ **Contingent upon fulfilment of Strategic Plan, sensitive to:**
  - Business risks and opportunities: Demand, costs, competition, capex needs.
  - Financial markets developments: cost of capital.
  - Major technological changes and business opportunities.
- ➔ **Sensitive to changes in Exchanges Rates.**

**FIRM COMMITMENTS AND  
SIZE ALLOCATIONS FOR THE  
USE OF CASH-FLOW MUST  
BE BALANCED AGAINST  
THESE ITEMS.**

## Our Approach To The Destination Of 03-06 Cash-flows (I)

**WE HAVE FIRM COMMITMENTS IN EXCESS OF € 19 Bn**

**SHAREHOLDER  
REMUNERATION**

≅ **11.4 Bn.€**

- Cash dividends.
- Share buy-backs.



- 1.2 Bn.€ to be paid in 2003.
- 2 Bn.€ a year from 2004 to 2006.
- 200 Million € executed in 1H03.

**• 4 Bn.€ share buy-back for period 2003-2006 conditioned to the generation of free cash flow over our firm commitments**

**SOLVENCY  
PROTECTION FOR  
SINGLE A RATING \***

≅ **7.9 Bn.€**

- We have cash commitments for 7.9 Billion€:
  - ✓ Gross NPV 98 Redundancy Program of 3.5 Bn.€
  - ✓ Guarantees of 0.8 Bn.€
  - ✓ Gross NPV of Expected 03 Redundancy Program of 3.6 Bn.€

... Fully funding NPV of cash commitments would leave (net debt + cash commitments)/ EBITDA in the 1.4x-1.7x region in 2006

\* subject to prospective risks and Rating Agencies opinion



## ***Our Approach To The Destination Of 03-06 Cash-flows (II)***

***KEEPING STRATEGIC FLEXIBILITY ABOVE 7.5 Bn.€ TO ACCOMMODATE***

**SELECTIVE BUSINESS EXPANSION BASED ON**

**AND**

**FINANCIAL FLEXIBILITY COULD PROVIDE ROOM FOR eg:**



- Complementarity to core businesses.
- Target selection based on cash flow generation capabilities.



- A 50% value loss of Latam currencies
- plus**
- A 10% drop of average 04-06 Non-Latam EBITDA below its 2003 level.



## Conclusion: A proven financial strength

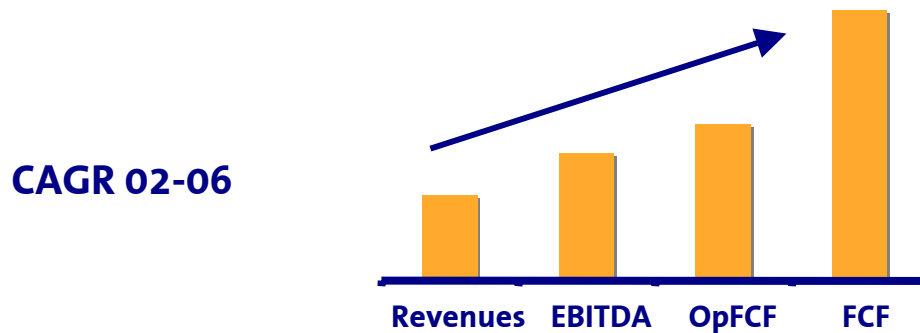
### 1.- Large Free Cash Flow Generation > 27 Bn.€ (03-06)

- FCF roughly equal to 50% of Market Capitalization.
- FCF roughly equal to 100% of Net Debt + Expected Commitments.

### 2.- Current and Expected Cash Consumption fully funded

- 20 Bn.€ Net Debt + 7.9 Bn.€ of Cash Commitments targeted.

### 3.- Powerful Conversion of OpFCF into FCF to Equity



### 4.- No Asset Disposals, Business Line Divestitures or Unwinding of Financial Stakes Contemplated.

### 5.- “Hard” Commitments for FCF Allocation at the Top of the Industry and Clear Recirculation Channels for Excess Cash Flow

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