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**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 6-K**

Report of Foreign Private Issuer  
Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

**For the month of November, 2018**  
**Commission File Number 1-14732**

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**COMPANHIA SIDERÚRGICA NACIONAL**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**National Steel Company**

(Translation of Registrant's name into English)

**Av. Brigadeiro Faria Lima 3400, 20º andar**  
**São Paulo, SP, Brazil**  
**04538-132**

(Address of principal executive office)

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**Company Information / Capital Breakdown**

<b>Number of Shares</b>	<b>Current Quarter</b>
<b>(Units)</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>
<b>Paid-in Capital</b>	
<b>Common</b>	1,387,524,047
<b>Preferred</b>	0
<b>Total</b>	1,387,524,047
<b>Treasury Shares</b>	
<b>Common</b>	7,409,500
<b>Preferred</b>	0
<b>Total</b>	7,409,500

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Code	Description	Current Quarter	Previous Year
		09/30/2018	12/31/2017
1	Total Assets	41,358,610	42,365,935
1.01	Current assets	9,293,037	7,642,103
1.01.01	Cash and cash equivalents	1,402,224	393,504
1.01.02	Financial investments	891,735	716,461
1.01.02.03	Financial investments at amortized cost	891,735	716,461
1.01.03	Trade receivables	1,998,033	2,966,706
1.01.04	Inventory	3,340,188	2,951,352
1.01.08	Other current assets	1,660,857	614,080
1.01.08.03	Others	1,660,857	614,080
1.02	Non-current assets	32,065,573	34,723,832
1.02.01	Long-term assets	2,487,843	2,267,226
1.02.01.10	Other non-current assets	2,487,843	2,267,226
1.02.02	Investments	20,095,824	22,894,885
1.02.03	Property, plant and equipment	9,430,330	9,502,411
1.02.04	Intangible assets	51,576	59,310

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**Parent Company Financial Statements / Balance Sheet – Liabilities**  
**(R\$ thousand)**

<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Current Quarter 09/30/2018</b>	<b>Previous Year 12/31/2017</b>
2	Total liabilities	41,358,610	42,365,935
2.01	Current liabilities	10,588,043	9,175,980
2.01.01	Payroll and related taxes	176,762	133,774
2.01.02	Trade payables	2,289,181	1,787,392
2.01.03	Tax payables	106,586	86,496
2.01.04	Borrowings and financing	7,342,833	6,578,171
2.01.05	Other payables	621,533	515,561
2.01.06	Provisions	51,148	74,586
2.01.06.01	Provision for tax, social security, labor and civil risks	51,148	74,586
2.02	Non-current liabilities	23,313,697	26,162,582
2.02.01	Long term Borrowings and financing	18,034,000	22,454,846
2.02.02	Other payables	37.726	57,599
2.02.03	Deferred Taxes	299.997	570,559
2.02.04	Provisions	4.941.974	3,079,578
2.02.04.01	Provision for tax, social security, labor and civil risks	552.574	555,459
2.02.04.02	Other provisions	4.389.400	2,524,119
2.02.04.02.03	Provision for environmental liabilities and decommissioning of assets	180.212	248,918
2.02.04.02.04	Pension and healthcare plan	908.721	908,721
2.02.04.02.05	Provision for losses on investments	3.300.467	1,366,480
2.03	Shareholders' equity	7.456.870	7,027,373
2.03.01	Share Capital	4.540.000	4,540,000
2.03.02	Capital reserves	32.720	30
2.03.04	Profit reserves	180.712	0
2.03.04.02	Earnings reserves	238.976	238,976
2.03.04.09	Treasury shares	(58.264)	(238,976)
2.03.05	Accumulated profit/(losses)	2.062.159	(1,291,689)
2.03.08	Other comprehensive income	641.279	3,779,032



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Code	Description	Current	Same quarter	YTD previous	
		Quarter	Year to date	previous year	year
		07/01/2018 to	01/01/2018 to	07/01/2017 to	01/01/2017 to
		09/30/2018	09/30/2018	09/30/2017	09/30/2017
3.01	Revenues from sale of goods and rendering of services	3,371,553	9,422,956	2,878,254	7,672,028
3.02	Costs from sale of goods and rendering of services	(2,773,360)	(7,518,935)	(2,432,348)	(6,439,752)
3.03	Gross profit	598,193	1,904,021	445,906	1,232,276
3.04	Operating (expenses)/income	273,796	2,693,442	(268,582)	(330,911)
3.04.01	Selling expenses	(148,558)	(453,968)	(186,675)	(549,437)
3.04.02	General and administrative expenses	(63,039)	(194,952)	(28,212)	(148,272)
3.04.04	Other operating income	1,893,195	3,336,930	6,170	11,834
3.04.05	Other operating expenses	(250,104)	(462,284)	(74,616)	(196,087)
3.04.06	Equity in results of affiliated companies	(1,157,698)	467,716	14,751	551,051
3.05	Profit before financial income (expenses) and taxes	871,989	4,597,463	177,324	901,365
3.06	Financial income (expenses)	(61,720)	(1,470,510)	43,410	(1,255,316)
3.06.01	Financial income	410,576	475,247	102,978	235,858
3.06.02	Financial expenses	(472,296)	(1,945,757)	(59,568)	(1,491,174)
3.06.02.01	Net exchange differences over financial instruments	(27,799)	(709,132)	478,274	332,639
3.06.02.02	Financial expenses	(444,497)	(1,236,625)	(537,842)	(1,823,813)
3.07	Profit (loss) before taxes	810,269	3,126,953	220,734	(353,951)
3.08	Income tax and social contribution	(88,734)	226,895	5,732	6,653
3.09	Profit (loss) from continued operations	721,535	3,353,848	226,466	(347,298)
3.11	Profit (loss) for the year	721,535	3,353,848	226,466	(347,298)
3.99	Earnings (loss) per common share – (Reais/share)				
3.99.01	Basic				
3.99.01.01	Common shares	0.52810	2.45474	0.16687	(0.25591)

3.99.02	Diluted				
3.99.02.01	Common shares	0.52810	2.45474	0.16687	(0.25591)



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Code	Description	Current	Same quarter YTD previous		
		Quarter	Year to date	previous year	year
		07/01/2018 to 09/30/2018	01/01/2018 to 09/30/2018	07/01/2017 to 09/30/2017	01/01/2017 to 09/30/2017
4.01	(Loss) profit for the year	721,535	3,353,848	226,466	(347,298)
4.02	Other comprehensive income	(226,236)	(3,137,753)	667,498	848,282
4.02.01	Actuarial gains over pension plan of affiliates, net of taxes	30	89	30	88
4.02.04	Cumulative translation adjustments for the year	(29,171)	(17,175)	(47,328)	82,130
4.02.05	Fair value through other comprehensive income	-	(1,559,680)	496,044	614,542
4.02.10	(Loss) /Gain on the percentage change in investments	-	(105)	-	2,814
4.02.11	(Loss) /Gain on cash flow hedge accounting	(372,883)	(1,724,818)	200,236	134,374
4.02.13	Realization of cash flow hedge accounting reclassified to income statement	183,051	196,783	16,212	37,933
4.02.14	(Loss)/Gain on net investment hedge from investments in affiliates	(7,263)	(32,196)	2,304	(23,599)
4.02.15	(Loss)/Gain on business combination	-	(651)	-	-
4.03	Comprehensive income for the year	495,299	216,095	893,964	500,984

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<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Year to date 01/01/2018 to 09/30/2018</b>	<b>YTD previous year 01/01/2017 to 09/30/2017</b>
6.01	Net cash from operating activities	6,345,358	498,973
6.01.01	Cash from operations	2,171,919	841,009
6.01.01.01	Profit (loss) for the period	3,353,848	(347,298)
6.01.01.03	Financial charges in borrowing and financing raised	1,154,172	1,670,505
6.01.01.04	Financial charges in borrowing and financing granted	(31,977)	(89,576)
6.01.01.05	Depreciation, depletion and amortization	443,017	497,288
6.01.01.06	Equity in results of affiliated companies	(467,716)	(551,051)
6.01.01.07	Deferred tax	(226,895)	(6,653)
6.01.01.08	Provision for tax, social security, labor, civil and environmental risks	(26,323)	(6,610)
6.01.01.09	Monetary and exchange variations, net	879,442	(278,230)
6.01.01.12	Write-off of property, plant and equipment and Intangible assets	13,201	(521)
6.01.01.13	Provision for environmental liabilities and decommissioning of assets	(68,706)	(49,914)
6.01.01.14	Updated shares - VJR	(1,547,265)	-
6.01.01.15	Intercompany debt relief	(1,310,886)	-
6.01.01.16	Others	8,007	3,069
6.01.02	Changes in assets and liabilities	4,173,439	(342,036)
6.01.02.01	Trade receivables - third parties	173,009	(229,704)
6.01.02.02	Trade receivables - related parties	(177,645)	(11,766)
6.01.02.03	Inventories	(388,836)	(243,844)
6.01.02.04	Receivables - related parties/dividends	6,189,677	1,576,325
6.01.02.05	Tax assets	(989,073)	(86,897)
6.01.02.06	Judicial deposits	(21,904)	(19,141)
6.01.02.09	Trade payables	501,789	345,228
6.01.02.10	Payroll and related taxes	42,988	26,229
6.01.02.11	Taxes in installments – REFIS	21,669	13,102
6.01.02.13	Payables to related parties	41,243	5,533

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6.01.02.15	Interest paid	(1,261,483)	(1,748,225)
6.01.02.16	Interest received – related parties	1,522	187
6.01.02.18	Others	40,483	30,937
6.02	Net cash used in investing activities	(702,609)	(264,740)
	Investments / Advance for future capital		
6.02.01	increase	(117,130)	(30,501)
	Purchase of property, plant and		
6.02.02	equipment	(354,064)	(355,941)
6.02.07	Intercompany loans granted	(103,947)	(16,540)
6.02.09	Intercompany loans received	8,429	7,297
6.02.10	Exclusive funds	-	(200)
6.02.11	Financial Investments, net of redemption	(175,274)	31,693
	Cash received from disposal of		
6.02.12	investment – CGPAR	-	99,452
	Cash received upon disposal of		
6.02.13	Usiminas' shares	39,377	-
6.03	Net cash used in financing activities	(4,634,029)	(1,033,516)
6.03.01	Borrowings and financing raised	530,468	171,000
	Transactions cost - Borrowings and		
6.03.02	financing	(57,625)	-
6.03.05	Amortization of borrowings and financing	(1,915,296)	(960,174)
	Amortization of borrowings and financing		
6.03.06	- related parties	(3,404,978)	(244,342)
6.03.08	Sale of treasury shares	213,402	-
	Exchange rate on translating cash and		
6.04	cash equivalents	-	975
	Increase (decrease) in cash and cash		
6.05	equivalents	1,008,720	(798,308)
	Cash and equivalents at the beginning of		
6.05.01	the year	393,504	1,466,746
	Cash and equivalents at the end of the		
6.05.02	year	1,402,224	668,438

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**Parent Company Financial Statements / Statement of Changes in Equity - 01/01/2018 to 09/30/2018  
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<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Paid-in capital</b>	<b>Capital reserve, granted options and treasury shares</b>	<b>Earnings reserve</b>	<b>Retained earnings (accumulated losses)</b>	<b>Other comprehensive income</b>	<b>Shareholders' equity</b>
5.01	Opening balances	4,540,000	30	-	(1,291,689)	3,779,032	7,027,373
5.03	Adjusted opening balances	4,540,000	30	-	(1,291,689)	3,779,032	7,027,373
5.04	Capital transaction with shareholders	-	32,690	180,712	-	-	213,402
5.04.05	Treasury shares sold	-	-	180,712	-	-	180,712
5.04.08	Gain on disposal of shares	-	32,690	-	-	-	32,690
5.05	Total comprehensive income	-	-	-	3,353,848	(3,137,753)	216,095
5.05.01	Profit for the period	-	-	-	3,353,848	-	3,353,848
5.05.02	Other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	(3,137,753)	(3,137,753)
5.05.02.04	Translation adjustments for the year	-	-	-	-	(17,175)	(17,175)
5.05.02.08	Actuarial gains/(losses) on pension plan, net of taxes	-	-	-	-	89	89
5.05.02.09		-	-	-	-	(1,559,680)	(1,559,680)

	Available-for-sale assets, net of taxes						
5.05.02.10	(Loss) / gain on the percentage change in investments	-	-	-	-	(105)	(105)
5.05.02.11	(Loss) / gain on cash flow hedge accounting, net of taxes	-	-	-	-	(1,528,035)	(1,528,035)
5.05.02.13	(Loss) / gain on foreign investments	-	-	-	-	(32,196)	(32,196)
5.05.02.14	(Loss) / gain on business combination	-	-	-	-	(651)	(651)
5.07	Closing balance	4,540,000	32,720	180,712	2,062,159	641,279	7,456,870

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<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Paid-in capital</b>	<b>Capital reserve, granted options and treasury shares</b>	<b>Earnings (accumulated reserve)</b>	<b>Retained earnings (accumulated losses)</b>	<b>Other comprehensive income</b>	<b>Shareholders' equity</b>
5.01	Opening balances	4,540,000	30	-	(1,301,961)	2,956,459	6,194,528
5.03	Adjusted opening balances	4,540,000	30	-	(1,301,961)	2,956,459	6,194,528
5.05	Total comprehensive income	-	-	-	(347,298)	848,282	500,984
5.05.01	Profit (loss) for the period	-	-	-	(347,298)	-	(347,298)
5.05.02	Other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	848,282	848,282
5.05.02.04	Translation adjustments for the year	-	-	-	-	82,130	82,130
5.05.02.08	Actuarial gains/(Losses) on pension plan, net of taxes	-	-	-	-	88	88
5.05.02.09	Available-for-sale assets, net of taxes	-	-	-	-	614,542	614,542
5.05.02.10	(Loss) / gain on the percentage change in investments	-	-	-	-	2,814	2,814
5.05.02.11	(Loss) / gain on cash flow hedge	-	-	-	-	172,307	172,307

	accounting, net of taxes (Loss) / gain on						
5.05.02.13	foreign investments	-	-	-	-	(23,599)	(23,599)
5.07	Closing balance	4,540,000	30	-	(1,649,259)	3,804,741	6,695,512

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<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Year to date 01/01/2018 to 09/30/2018</b>	<b>Previous year 01/01/2017 to 09/30/2017</b>
7.01	Revenues	14.591.261	9,476,920
7.01.01	Sales of products and rendering of services	11.739.960	9,425,899
7.01.02	Other revenues	2.858.386	66,237
7.01.04	Allowance for (reversal of) doubtful debts	(7.085)	(15,216)
7.02	Raw materials acquired from third parties	(8,518,250)	(7,343,265)
7.02.01	Cost of sales and services	(7,974,515)	(6,627,795)
7.02.02	Materials, electric power, outsourcing and other	(543,723)	(714,074)
7.02.03	Impairment/recovery of assets	(12)	(1,396)
7.03	Gross value added	6,073,011	2.133.655
7.04	Retentions	(443,017)	(497,288)
7.04.01	Depreciation, amortization and depletion	(443,017)	(497,288)
7.05	Wealth created	5,629,994	1.636.367
7.06	Value added received	1,080,108	787.809
7.06.01	Equity in results of affiliates companies	467,716	551.051
7.06.02	Financial income	475,247	235.858
7.06.03	Others	137,145	900
7.06.03.01	Others and exchange gains	137,145	900
7.07	Wealth for distribution	6,710,102	2.424.176
7.08	Wealth distributed	6,710,102	2.424.176
7.08.01	Personnel	934,365	889.242
7.08.01.01	Salaries and wages	693,615	652.517
7.08.01.02	Benefits	192,532	182.239
7.08.01.03	Severance payment (FGTS)	48,218	54.486
7.08.02	Taxes, fees and contributions	348,815	384.352
7.08.02.01	Federal	121,522	288.265
7.08.02.02	State	227,290	96.071
7.08.02.03	Municipal	3	16



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7.08.03	Remuneration on third-party capital	2,073,074	1.497.880
7.08.03.01	Interest	1,236,625	1.827.044
7.08.03.02	Leases	5,108	8.566
7.08.03.03	Others	831,341	(337,730)
7.08.03.03.01	Others and exchange losses	831,341	(337,730)
7.08.04	Remuneration on Shareholders' capital	3,353,848	(347,298)
7.08.04.03	Retained earnings (accumulated losses)	3,353,848	(347,298)

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<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Current Quarter 09/30/2018</b>	<b>Previous Year 12/31/2017</b>
1	Total Assets	46,226,202	45,209,970
1.01	Current assets	12,708,158	11,881,496
1.01.01	Cash and cash equivalents	2,995,240	3,411,572
1.01.02	Financial investments	902,403	735,712
1.01.02.03	Financial investments measured at amortized cost	902,403	735,712
1.01.03	Trade receivables	2,142,670	2,276,215
1.01.04	Inventory	4,788,365	4,464,419
1.01.08	Other current assets	1,879,480	993,578
1.01.08.03	Others	1,879,480	993,578
1.02	Non-current assets	33,518,044	33,328,474
1.02.01	Long-term assets	2,832,006	2,591,594
1.02.01.03	Financial investments measured at amortized cost	8,018	0
1.02.01.07	Deferred tax assets	73,207	63,119
1.02.01.10	Other non-current assets	2,750,781	2,528,475
1.02.02	Investments	5,521,085	5,499,995
1.02.03	Property, plant and equipment	17,868,945	17,964,839
1.02.04	Intangible assets	7,296,008	7,272,046

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<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Current Quarter 09/30/2018</b>	<b>Previous Year 12/31/2017</b>
2	Total liabilities	46,226,202	45,209,970
2.01	Current liabilities	10,814,432	10,670,050
2.01.01	Payroll and related taxes	315,445	252,418
2.01.02	Trade payables	2,933,989	2,460,774
2.01.03	Tax payables	302,277	264,097
2.01.04	Borrowings and financing	6,409,689	6,526,902
2.01.05	Other payables	755,917	1,059,901
2.01.06	Provisions	97,115	105,958
2.01.06.01	Provision for tax, social security, labor and civil risks	97,115	105,958
2.02	Non-current liabilities	26,664,512	26,251,691
2.02.01	Borrowings and financing	23,666,381	22,983,942
2.02.02	Other payables	229,163	129,323
2.02.03	Deferred tax liabilities	894,098	1,173,559
2.02.04	Provisions	1,874,870	1,964,867
2.02.04.01	Provision for tax, social security, labor and civil risks	690,635	719,133
2.02.04.02	Other provisions	1,184,235	1,245,734
2.02.04.02.03	Provision for environmental liabilities and decommissioning of assets	275,514	337,013
2.02.04.02.04	Pension and healthcare plan	908,721	908,721
2.03	Consolidated Shareholders' equity	8,747,258	8,288,229
2.03.01	Share Capital	4,540,000	4,540,000
2.03.02	Capital reserves	32,720	30
2.03.04	Profit reserves	180,712	0
2.03.04.02	Earnings reserves	238,976	238,976
2.03.04.09	Treasury shares	(58,264)	(238,976)
2.03.05	Accumulated profit/(losses)	2,062,159	(1,291,689)
2.03.08	Other comprehensive income	641,279	3,779,032
2.03.09	Profit attributable to the non-controlling interests	1,290,388	1,260,856



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		Quarter 07/01/2018 to 09/30/2018	Year to date 01/01/2018 to 09/30/2018	previous year 07/01/2017 to 09/30/2017	year 01/01/2017 to 09/30/2017
3.01	Revenues from sale of goods and rendering of services	6,164,989	16,917,953	4,809,671	13,531,876
3.02	Costs from sale of goods and rendering of services	(4,298,540)	(12,107,201)	(3,596,936)	(10,016,303)
3.03	Gross profit	1,866,449	4,810,752	1,212,735	3,515,573
3.04	Operating (expenses)/income	(453,100)	784,836	(550,540)	(1,768,200)
3.04.01	Selling expenses	(569,294)	(1,497,306)	(414,544)	(1,263,611)
3.04.02	General and administrative expenses	(105,785)	(331,033)	(76,174)	(307,051)
3.04.04	Other operating income	598,458	3,227,902	8,956	21,102
3.04.05	Other operating expenses	(420,325)	(710,737)	(106,780)	(317,140)
3.04.06	Equity in results of affiliated companies	43,846	96,010	38,002	98,500
3.05	Profit before financial income (expenses) and taxes	1,413,349	5,595,588	662,195	1,747,373
3.06	Financial income (expenses)	(423,225)	(2,005,993)	(277,797)	(1,603,640)
3.06.01	Financial income	335,885	426,659	80,841	286,070
3.06.02	Financial expenses	(759,110)	(2,432,652)	(358,638)	(1,889,710)
3.06.02.01	Net exchange differences over financial instruments	(87,663)	(749,442)	269,925	208,730
3.06.02.02	Financial expenses	(671,447)	(1,683,210)	(628,563)	(2,098,440)
3.07	Profit (loss) before taxes	990,124	3,589,595	384,398	143,733
3.08	Income tax and social contribution	(237,960)	(161,249)	(128,214)	(409,890)
3.09	Profit (loss) from continued operations	752,164	3,428,346	256,184	(266,157)
3.11	Consolidated Profit (loss) for the year	752,164	3,428,346	256,184	(266,157)
3.11.01	Profit attributable to the controlling interests	721,535	3,353,848	226,466	(347,298)
3.11.02		30,629	74,498	29,718	81,141

	Profit attributable to the non-controlling interests				
3.99	Earnings (loss) per common share – (Reais/share)				
3.99.01	Basic				
3.99.01.01	Common shares	0.52810	2.45474	0.16687	(0.25591)
3.99.02	Diluted				
3.99.02.01	Common shares	0.52810	2.45474	0.16687	(0.25591)

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		Quarter	Year to date	previous year	year
		07/01/2018 to	01/01/2018 to	07/01/2017 to	01/01/2017 to
		09/30/2018	09/30/2018	09/30/2017	09/30/2017
4.01	Consolidated profit (loss) for the year	752,164	3,428,346	256,184	(266,157)
4.02	Other comprehensive income	(226,236)	(3,137,753)	667,498	848,282
4.02.01	Actuarial gains over pension plan of affiliates, net of taxes	30	89	30	88
4.02.04	Cumulative translation adjustments for the year	(29,171)	(17,175)	(47,328)	82,130
4.02.05	Fair value through other comprehensive income	-	(1,559,680)	496,044	614,542
4.02.09	(Loss)/gain on the percentage change in investments	-	(105)	-	2,814
4.02.10	(Loss)/gain on cash flow hedge accounting	(372,883)	(1,724,818)	200,236	134,374
4.02.12	(Loss)/gain on hedge of net investment in foreign operations	(7,263)	(32,196)	2,304	(23,599)
4.02.13	Realization of cash flow hedge accounting reclassified to income statement	183,051	196,783	16,212	37,933
4.02.14	(Loss)/gain on business combination	-	(651)	-	-
4.03	Consolidated comprehensive income for the year	525,928	290,593	923,682	582,125
4.03.01	Attributed to controlling Shareholders	495,299	216,095	893,964	500,984
4.03.02	Attributed to non-controlling Shareholders	30,629	74,498	29,718	81,141





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Code	Description	Year to date	YTD previous year
		01/01/2018 to 09/30/2018	01/01/2017 to 09/30/2017
6.01	Net cash from operating activities	1,598,553	94,171
6.01.01	Cash from operations	3,752,663	2,420,104
6.01.01.01	Profit (loss) attributable to the controlling interests	3,353,848	(347,298)
6.01.01.03	Profit (loss) attributable to the non-controlling interests	74,498	81,141
6.01.01.04	Financial charges in borrowing and financing raised	1,451,934	1,899,125
6.01.01.05	Financial charges in borrowing and financing granted	(36,699)	(50,815)
6.01.01.06	Depreciation, depletion and amortization	962,051	1,123,076
6.01.01.07	Equity in in results of affiliated companies	(96,010)	(98,500)
6.01.01.08	Deferred tax	(279,896)	132,171
6.01.01.09	Provision for tax, social security, labor, civil and environmental risks	(39,918)	4,492
6.01.01.10	Monetary exchange variations, net	1,121,423	(239,384)
6.01.01.11	Gain (loss) from derivative financial instruments	-	(28,503)
6.01.01.12	Updated shares - VJR	(1,547,265)	-
6.01.01.13	Write-down of property, plant and equipment and Intangible assets	29,383	21.600
6.01.01.15	Net gain on sale of foreign subsidiary	(1,164,294)	-
6.01.01.16	Provision for environmental liabilities and decommissioning of assets	(61,499)	(44,694)
6.01.01.17	Others	(14,893)	(32,307)
6.01.02	Changes in assets and liabilities	(2,154,110)	(2,325,933)
6.01.02.01	Trade receivables - third parties	203,762	(219,153)
6.01.02.02	Trade receivables - related parties	2,114	11,141
6.01.02.03	Inventories	(524,708)	(263,261)

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6.01.02.04	Receivables - related parties/dividends	1,654	(9,557)
6.01.02.05	Tax assets	(860,082)	(110,188)
6.01.02.06	Judicial deposits	(32,506)	(32,807)
6.01.02.08	Trade payables	481,117	480,512
6.01.02.09	Payroll and related taxes	65,421	41,601
6.01.02.10	Taxes in installments – REFIS	30,103	31,194
6.01.02.11	Payables to related parties	86,989	(10,356)
6.01.02.13	Interest paid	(1,707,468)	(2,126,761)
6.01.02.15	Interest received - Related Parties	-	8,678
6.01.02.17	Others	99,494	(126,976)
6.02	Net cash used in investing activities	525,126	(685,842)
6.02.02	Investments/AFAC	(96,902)	-
6.02.03	Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(810,088)	(715,869)
6.02.05	Receivable/payable from derivative financial instruments	(372)	30,374
6.02.06	Acquisition of intangible assets	(631)	(329)
6.02.08	Intercompany loans granted	(101,908)	(15,188)
6.02.09	Intercompany loans received	-	12,116
6.02.10	Financial Investments, net of redemption	(174,709)	3,054
6.02.11	Cash received from the sale of foreign subsidiary	1,670,359	-
6.02.12	Cash received from disposal of Usiminas' shares	39,377	-
6.03	Net cash used in financing activities	(2,514,012)	(899,476)
6.03.01	Borrowings and financing	2,002,773	171,000
6.03.02	Transaction cost - Borrowings and financing	(85,679)	-
6.03.04	Amortization of borrowings and financing	(4,142,506)	(1,070,476)
6.03.07	Dividends and interest on equity	(502,002)	-
6.03.08	Treasury shares sold	213,402	-
6.04	Exchange rate on translating cash and cash equivalents	(25,999)	1,417
6.05	Increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(416,332)	(1,489,730)
6.05.01	Cash and equivalents at the beginning of the year	3,411,572	4,871,162
6.05.02	Cash and equivalents at the end of the year	2,995,240	3,381,432

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Code	Description	Paid-in capital	Capital reserve, granted options and treasury shares	Earnings (accumulated reserve)	Retained earnings (accumulated losses)	Other comprehensive income	Shareholders' equity	Non-con	inter
5.01	Opening balances	4,540,000	30	-	(1,291,689)	3,779,032	7,027,373	1,2	
5.03	Adjusted opening balances	4,540,000	30	-	(1,291,689)	3,779,032	7,027,373	1,2	
5.04	Capital transaction with shareholders	-	32,690	180,712	-	-	213,402		
5.04.05	Treasury shares sold	-	-	180,712	-	-	180,712		
5.04.08	Gain on disposal of shares	-	32,690	-	-	-	32,690		
5.05	Total comprehensive income	-	-	-	3,353,848	(3,137,753)	216,095		
5.05.01	Profit (loss) for the year	-	-	-	3,353,848	-	3,353,848		
5.05.02	Other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	(3,137,753)	(3,137,753)		
5.05.02.04	Translation adjustments for the year	-	-	-	-	(17,175)	(17,175)		
5.05.02.08	Actuarial gains on pension plan, net of taxes	-	-	-	-	89	89		

5.05.02.09	Available-for-sale assets, net of taxes	-	-	-	-	(1,559,680)	(1,559,680)	
5.05.02.10	(Loss) / gain on the percentage change in investments	-	-	-	-	(105)	(105)	
5.05.02.11	(Loss) / gain on hedge accounting, net of taxes	-	-	-	-	(1,528,035)	(1,528,035)	
5.05.02.13	(Loss) / gain on hedge of net investment in foreign operations	-	-	-	-	(32,196)	(32,196)	
5.05.02.14	(Loss)/gain on business combination	-	-	-	-	(651)	(651)	
5.06	Internal changes in shareholders' equity	-	-	-	-	-	-	(
5.06.04	Non-controlling interests in affiliates	-	-	-	-	-	-	(
5.07	Closing balance	4,540,000	32,720	180,712	2,062,159	641,279	7,456,870	1,

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Code	Description	Paid-in capital	Capital reserve, granted options and treasury shares	Earnings (accumulated reserve)	Retained earnings (accumulated losses)	Other comprehensive income	Shareholders' equity	Non-con
5.01	Opening balances	4,540,000	30	-	(1,301,961)	2,956,459	6,194,528	1,
5.03	Adjusted opening balances	4,540,000	30	-	(1,301,961)	2,956,459	6,194,528	1,
5.05	Total comprehensive income	-	-	-	(347,298)	848,282	500,984	
5.05.01	Profit (loss) for the year	-	-	-	(347,298)	-	(347,298)	
5.05.02	Other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	848,282	848,282	
5.05.02.04	Translation adjustments for the year	-	-	-	-	82,130	82,130	
5.05.02.08	Actuarial gains on pension plan, net of taxes	-	-	-	-	88	88	
5.05.02.09	Available-for-sale assets, net of taxes	-	-	-	-	614,542	614,542	
5.05.02.10	(Loss) / gain on the percentage change in investments	-	-	-	-	2,814	2,814	
5.05.02.11		-	-	-	-	172,307	172,307	

	(Loss) / gain on hedge accounting, net of taxes							
	(Loss) / gain on hedge of net							
5.05.02.13	investment in foreign operations	-	-	-	-	(23,599)	(23,599)	
5.06	Internal changes in shareholders' equity	-	-	-	-	-	-	
5.06.04	Non-controlling interests in affiliates	-	-	-	-	-	-	
5.07	Closing balance	4,540,000	30	-	(1,649,259)	3,804,741	6,695,512	1,425,000

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Code	Description	Year to date	Previous year
		01/01/2018 to 09/30/2018	01/01/2017 to 09/30/2017
7.01	Revenues	22,171,878	15,483,245
7.01.01	Sales of products and rendering of services	19,436,579	15,497,404
7.01.02	Other revenues	2,741,131	4,600
7.01.04	Allowance for (reversal of) doubtful debts	(5,832)	(18,759)
7.02	Raw materials acquired from third parties	(13,096,711)	(10,324,959)
7.02.01	Cost of sales and services	(10,973,482)	(8,503,127)
7.02.02	Materials, electric power, outsourcing and other	(2,138,978)	(1,794,938)
7.02.03	Impairment/recovery of assets	15,749	(26,894)
7.03	Gross value added	9,075,167	5,158,286
7.04	Retentions	(962,051)	(1,123,076)
7.04.01	Depreciation, amortization and depletion	(962,051)	(1,123,076)
7.05	Wealth created	8,113,116	4,035,210
7.06	Value added received	767,695	308,508
7.06.01	Equity in results of affiliates companies	96,010	98,500
7.06.02	Financial income	426,659	286,070
7.06.03	Others	245,026	(76,062)
7.06.03.01	Others and exchange gains	245,026	(76,062)
7.07	Wealth for distribution	8,880,811	4,343,718
7.08	Wealth distributed	8,880,811	4,343,718
7.08.01	Personnel	1,704,716	1,583,499
7.08.01.01	Salaries and wages	1,336,162	1,232,164
7.08.01.02	Benefits	306,773	275,415
7.08.01.03	Severance payment (FGTS)	61,781	75,920
7.08.02	Taxes, fees and contributions	1,066,341	1,194,709
7.08.02.01	Federal	782,642	956,805
7.08.02.02	State	265,348	221,413

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7.08.02.03	Municipal	18,351	16,491
7.08.03	Remuneration on third-party capital	2,681,408	1,831,667
7.08.03.01	Interest	1,683,210	2,101,671
7.08.03.02	Leases	19,307	21,668
7.08.03.03	Others	978,891	(291,672)
7.08.03.03.01	Others and exchange losses	978,891	(291,672)
7.08.04	Remuneration on Shareholders' capital	3,428,346	(266,157)
7.08.04.03	Retained earnings (accumulated losses)	3,353,848	(347,298)
7.08.04.04	Non-controlling interests in retained earnings	74,498	81,141



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**Comments on the Company's Consolidated Performance**

**São Paulo, November 7, 2018**

**3Q18 Earnings Release**

Companhia Siderúrgica Nacional (CSN) (BM & FBOVESPA: CSNA3) (NYSE: SID) **announces today its results for the third quarter of 2018 (3Q18)** in Brazilian reais, and its consolidated financial statements, which are presented in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS), issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) and with the accounting practices adopted in Brazil, which are fully convergent with international accounting standards, issued by the Accounting Pronouncements Committee (CPC) and approved by the Brazilian Securities and Exchange Commission (CVM), pursuant to CVM Instruction 485 of September 1, 2010. The comments presented herein refer to the Company's consolidated results for the third quarter of 2018 (3Q18) and comparisons are for the second quarter of 2018 (2Q18) and for the third quarter of 2017 (3Q17). The Brazilian real/US dollar exchange rate was R\$ 4.0039 on September 30, 2018, R\$ 3.8558 on June 30, 2018 and R\$ 3.1680 on September 30, 2017.

**3Q18 financial and operating Highlights**

- **Generation of adjusted EBITDA of R\$1,627 MM**, a 34% increase over 3Q17 and 15% over 2Q18, with EBITDA margin of 25.2%.
- **Higher domestic sales volume of steel since 4Q14**, reaching 912 thousand tons and an increase of 14% in relation to the previous quarter.
- **Adjusted EBITDA from mining increasing 52%, reaching R\$811 MM (EBITDA margin of 49%) against 2Q18**, with a higher volume of ore traded (+14%) and quality premiums.
- **Free cash flow, before financing activities, reached R\$838 MM in 3Q18, against R\$73 MM in 2Q18.**
- **0.41x reduction in the leverage ratio**, from 5.34x in the previous quarter to 4.93x in 3Q18, due to higher operating cash generation and EBITDA growth.
- **Net Income of R\$752 MM in 3Q18**, due to the strong operational evolution besides non operational revenues in the period, totaling R\$3.4 billion in 2018.

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<b>Steel sales (thousand tons)</b>	<b>1,301</b>	<b>1,321</b>	<b>1,290</b>	<b>(1%)</b>	<b>(2%)</b>
- Domestic market	802	798	912	14%	14%
- Subsidiaries abroad	425	449	329	(23%)	(27%)
- Export trade	74	74	48	(34%)	(34%)
<b>Iron ore sales (thousand tons)</b>	<b>7,954</b>	<b>8,130</b>	<b>9,288</b>	<b>17%</b>	<b>14%</b>
- Domestic market	1,321	1,376	1,138	(14%)	(17%)
- Foreign market	6,633	6,754	8,150	23%	21%
<b>Consolidated result (R\$ million)</b>					
Net revenue	4,810	5,687	6,165	28%	8%
Gross profit	1,213	1,563	1,866	54%	19%
Adjusted EBITDA <sup>1</sup>	1,213	1,420	1,627	34%	15%
Adjusted net debt <sup>2</sup>	25,717	27,125	27,057	5%	(0%)
Adjusted cash/cash equivalents <sup>2</sup>	4,358	4,357	4,083	(6%)	(6%)
Net debt/Adjusted EBITDA	5.48x	5.34x	4.93x	-0.55 x	-0.41 x

<sup>1</sup>Adjusted EBITDA is calculated based on net profit/loss, plus depreciation and amortization, income tax, net finance income (costs), share of profit (loss) of investees and other operating income (expenses), and includes the proportionate share of EBITDA of the jointly-owned subsidiaries MRS Logística and CBSI. Adjusted EBITDA includes 100% interest in CSN Mineração, 37.27% in MRS and 50% in CBSI.

<sup>2</sup> Adjusted net debt and adjusted cash account for 100% stake in CSN Mineração, 37.27% in MRS and 50% in CBSI.

**CSN's Consolidated Result**

- In 3Q18, **net revenue** totaled R\$6,165 million, **8%** and **28%** higher than in 2Q18 and 3Q17, respectively. Compared to 2Q18, the improvement in performance was due to the increase in steel products prices and volumes in the domestic market, and in the mining segment.
- In 3Q18, the **cost of goods sold** amounted to R\$4,299 million, **4.2%** higher than in 2Q18, due to the increase in raw material prices resulting from the appreciation of the US dollar against the Brazilian real, as well as higher manufacturing costs.
- In the third quarter of 2018, **gross profit** totaled R\$1,866 million, a strong increase of **54%** over 3Q17, with a gross margin of 5.1 p.p. higher than the same basis of comparison, due to the strong gain in the mining's margin.
- In 3Q18, **general and administrative expenses** totaled R\$106 million, with **dilution of 2.1% (2Q18) to 1.7% (3Q18)** of net revenue. **Sales expenses** totaled R\$569 million, or 9.2% of net revenue, **0.9 p.p. above** the figure recorded in 2Q18 (8.3% of net revenue) due to the increase in transoceanic iron ore freight expenses in cost and freight (CIF) sales.
- In 3Q18, **other net income (expenses)** reached a positive value of R\$178 million, mainly due to the recognition in the results of judicial assets and the valuation of Usiminas shares in the period.
- In 3Q18, **net financial result** was negative by R\$423 million. **Finance costs (ex-variation)** continued to decline, due to the lower Selic rate, since **interest rates on local currency loans** decreased from R\$ 377MM in **3Q17** to R\$ 254 MM in **3Q18**. Inflation adjustments and exchange variations were impacted by the appreciation of the dollar in the period, generating a negative amount of R\$465 million, partially off-set by hedge accounting positions.

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<b>Finance income (costs) - IFRS</b>	<b>(278)</b>	<b>(989)</b>	<b>(423)</b>
<b>Finance income</b>	71	48	336
<b>Finance costs</b>	(348)	(1,037)	(759)
<b>Finance costs (ex-variation)</b>	(629)	(489)	(671)
<b>Exchange rate changes</b>	280	(548)	(88)
Inflation adjustments and exchange rate changes	473	(1,905)	(465)
Hedge accounting	(202)	1,353	380
Derivative gains	10	3	(3)

- **Share of profit of investees** was positive by R\$44 million in **3Q18**, compared to R\$27 million in 2Q18. This result was mainly due to better results in MRS.

MRS Logistics	54	46	61	13%	33%
CBSI	1	1	1	-	-
TLSA	(11)	(8)	(6)	(45%)	(25%)
Arvedi Metalfer BR	-	(2)	(2)	-	-
Eliminations	(6)	(10)	(11)	83%	10%
<b>Share of profit of investees</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>16%</b>	<b>63%</b>

- In **3Q18**, the Company recorded **net profit of R\$752 million**, totaling R\$3,428 million in 9M18.

<b>Net profit (loss) for the period</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>1,190</b>	<b>752</b>	194%	<b>(37%)</b>
(-) Depreciation	344	312	274	(20%)	(12%)
(+) Income tax and social contribution	128	(635)	240	87%	-
(+) Finance income (costs), net	278	989	423	52%	(57%)
<b>EBITDA (ICVM 527)</b>	<b>1,006</b>	<b>1,855</b>	<b>1,689</b>	<b>68%</b>	<b>(9%)</b>
(+) Other operating income (expenses)	98	(542)	(180)	-	(67%)
(+) Share of loss of investees	(38)	(27)	(44)	16%	63%
(-) Proportional EBITDA in jointly-owned subsidiaries	147	134	162	10%	21%
<b>Adjusted EBITDA</b>	<b>1,213</b>	<b>1,420</b>	<b>1,627</b>	<b>34%</b>	<b>15%</b>

<sup>1</sup>The Company's adjusted EBITDA excludes equity interest and other operating income (expenses) as these items should not be considered when calculating the cash flow generated from operating activities.

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- Adjusted **EBITDA** totaled **R\$1,627 million**, against R\$1,420 million in 2Q18, a 15% increase resulted from the operational improvement especially in the mining and logistics segments. **Adjusted EBITDA margin reached 25.2%**, or 1.3 p.p. above the previous quarter.

Adjusted EBITDA Margin is calculated based on Adjusted EBITDA divided by adjusted net revenue, which includes 100% stake in CSN Mining, 37.27% in MRS and 50% in CBSI, as of December/15.

### **Free Cash Flow**

In **3Q18**, operating cash flow, as measured by Free Cash Flow, was R\$838 million, positively influenced by higher EBITDA and a more efficient financial cycle. In the last 12 months, Free Cash Flow reached R\$1,687 million.

<sup>1</sup>Our working capital include changes in current assets and current liabilities, disregarding the impacts on the exchange rate variation, as well as non-recurring tax credit in the amount of R\$725MM, related to the exclusion of PIS/COFINS from the ICMS base.

## Debt

As of September 30, 2018, net adjusted debt reached R\$ 27,057 million, while net debt/EBITDA ratio, calculated based on adjusted EBITDA of the last twelve months, reached 4.93x. In the quarter, the deleveraging effects from the increased LTM EBITDA led to a reduction of net debt/EBITDA by 0.41x, even considering the impacts of the exchange rate variation on dollarized debt.



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1****Foreign exchange exposure**

The net foreign exchange exposure of our consolidated balance sheet was US\$1,433 million on September 30, 2018, as shown in the table below. It should be noted that within the net FX exposure, a liability of US\$1.0 billion is included in the "Borrowings and financing" line related to the Perpetual Bond, which, due to its nature, will not require disbursement for settlement of the principal amount in the foreseeable future.

The hedge accounting adopted by CSN correlates the projected exports inflow in dollars with part of the scheduled debt payments in the same currency. As a result, the exchange rate changes in the US dollar-denominated debt is temporarily recorded in equity and subsequently recorded in profit or loss when revenues in US dollars from exports occur.

Cash	593	316
Trade receivables	329	359
Other	9	6
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>931</b>	<b>681</b>
Borrowings and financing	(4,237)	(4,250)
Suppliers	(202)	(160)
Other payables	(4)	(4)
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>(4,443)</b>	<b>(4,415)</b>
<b>Natural foreign exchange exposure (assets - liabilities)</b>	<b>(3,512)</b>	<b>(3,734)</b>
Derivatives, net	-	-
Cash flow hedge accounting	2,477	2,302
<b>Foreign exchange exposure, net</b>	<b>(1,035)</b>	<b>(1,433)</b>
Perpetual bond	1,000	1,000
<b>Foreign exchange exposure, net (ex-bond)</b>	<b>(35)</b>	<b>(433)</b>

## Investments

**R\$ 325 million were invested in 3Q18**, an increase of 24% over 2Q18, mainly due to project seasonality. The increase in steel and mining expenses are related to investments for better coking/sintering and filtration performance, respectively.

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Steel	92	102	119	168	481	65	134	168
Mining	60	106	115	97	378	116	99	116
Cement	24	20	34	40	118	23	13	13
Logistics	13	11	19	33	76	18	15	25
Other	0	0	6	6	12	2	2	3
<b>Total investments - IFRS</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>239</b>	<b>293</b>	<b>344</b>	<b>1,065</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>325</b>

**Working capital**

To calculate Working capital, CSN adjusts its assets and liabilities as demonstrated below:

- Trade receivables: excludes dividends receivable, advances to employees and other receivables;
- Inventories: includes estimated losses and excludes the spare parts, which are not part of the cash conversion cycle and will be subsequently recorded in Fixed assets when consumed;
- Advanced taxes: solely composed of income tax and social contribution included in line item "Recoverable taxes";
- Taxes payable: composed of line item "Taxes payable", in current liabilities, plus taxes in installments;
- Advances from customers: recognized in line item "Other payables", in current liabilities;

Accordingly, working capital invested in the Company's business **totaled R\$2,727 million in 3Q18, reducing the financial cycle in 9 days** when compared to **2Q18**, due to the

reduction in accounts receivable from the sale of CSN LLC and the decrease in the inventory position, normalized after the truck drivers' strike in 2Q18.

<b>Assets</b>	<b>5,868</b>	<b>6,924</b>	<b>6,432</b>	<b>564</b>	<b>(492)</b>
Trade receivables	2,127	2,269	2,003	(124)	(266)
Inventories	3,545	4,458	4,054	509	(404)
Prepaid taxes	196	197	376	179	179
<b>Liabilities</b>	<b>2,933</b>	<b>3,965</b>	<b>3,705</b>	<b>772</b>	<b>(260)</b>
Trade payables	2,250	3,226	2,934	684	(292)
Payroll and related taxes	296	265	315	19	50
Taxes payable	279	337	323	44	(14)
Advances from customers	108	137	133	24	(4)
<b>Working capital</b>	<b>2,935</b>	<b>2,959</b>	<b>2,727</b>	<b>(208)</b>	<b>(232)</b>
Receipt	37	31	25	(12)	(6)
Payment	61	70	61	-	(9)
Inventories	97	97	85	(12)	(12)
<b>Financial cycle</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>(24)</b>	<b>(9)</b>

### Business segment reporting

The Company maintains integrated operations in five business segments: Steel, Mining, Logistics, Cement and Energy. The main assets and/or companies comprising each segment are presented below:

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As of 2013, the Company no longer reports the proportional consolidation of its jointly-owned subsidiaries Namisa, MRS and CBSI. For the purposes of preparing and presenting the information by business segment, Management decided to maintain the proportional consolidation of the jointly-owned subsidiaries, as historically presented. For purposes of reconciliation of the consolidated result, the amounts recorded by these companies are not included in the "Corporate expenses/elimination" column.

After the closing of 2015, after the combination of CSN's mining assets (Casa de Pedra, Namisa and Tecar), the consolidated result includes this new company's information as a whole.

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<b>Net revenue</b>	<b>4,099</b>	<b>1,659</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>406</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>(329)</b>	<b>6,165</b>
Domestic market	2,899	229	64	406	104	160	(678)	<b>3,185</b>
Foreign market	1,200	1,431	-	-	-	-	349	<b>2,980</b>
<b>Cost of goods sold</b>	<b>(3,380)</b>	<b>(882)</b>	<b>(47)</b>	<b>(268)</b>	<b>(70)</b>	<b>(148)</b>	<b>495</b>	<b>(4,299)</b>
<b>Gross profit</b>	<b>719</b>	<b>778</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>1,866</b>
SG&A	(221)	(37)	(8)	(24)	(7)	(23)	(355)	<b>(675)</b>
Depreciation	154	70	6	65	4	28	(53)	<b>274</b>
Proportional EBITDA - jointly-owned subsidiaries	-	-	-	-	-	-	162	<b>162</b>
<b>Adjusted EBITDA</b>	<b>652</b>	<b>811</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>(79)</b>	<b>1,627</b>

<b>Net Revenue</b>	<b>4,093</b>	<b>1,331</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>370</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>(437)</b>	<b>5,687</b>
Domestic market	2,421	225	64	370	113	152	(661)	2,684
Foreign market	1,672	1,106	-	-	-	-	225	3,003
<b>Cost of goods sold</b>	<b>(3,276)</b>	<b>(855)</b>	<b>(49)</b>	<b>(262)</b>	<b>(74)</b>	<b>(122)</b>	<b>513</b>	<b>(4,124)</b>
<b>Gross profit</b>	<b>817</b>	<b>477</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>1,563</b>
SG&A	(264)	(45)	(9)	(25)	(7)	(21)	(218)	(589)
Depreciation	155	102	5	64	4	34	(52)	312

Proportional EBITDA - jointly-owned subsidiaries	-	-	-	-	-	-	134	134
<b>Adjusted EBITDA</b>	<b>708</b>	<b>533</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>(59)</b>	<b>1,420</b>
<b>Net Revenue</b>	<b>3,399</b>	<b>1,204</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>364</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>(462)</b>	<b>4,810</b>
Domestic market	<b>2,133</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>364</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>(638)</b>	<b>2,382</b>
Foreign market	<b>1,265</b>	<b>986</b>	-	-	-	-	<b>176</b>	<b>2,427</b>
<b>Cost of goods sold</b>	<b>(2,845)</b>	<b>(719)</b>	<b>(37)</b>	<b>(242)</b>	<b>(74)</b>	<b>(151)</b>	<b>471</b>	<b>(3,597)</b>
<b>Gross profit</b>	<b>553</b>	<b>486</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>(9)</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>1,213</b>
SG&A	<b>(253)</b>	<b>(40)</b>	<b>(6)</b>	<b>(21)</b>	<b>(7)</b>	<b>(20)</b>	<b>(143)</b>	<b>(491)</b>
Depreciation	<b>165</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>(45)</b>	<b>344</b>
Proportional EBITDA - jointly-owned subsidiaries	-	-	-	-	-	-	<b>147</b>	<b>147</b>
<b>Adjusted EBITDA</b>	<b>465</b>	<b>568</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>(33)</b>	<b>1,213</b>

#### CSN's steel results

According to the World Steel Association (WSA), **global crude steel production** totaled **457.1** million tonnes (Mton) in 3Q18, or **6.7%** higher than in 3Q17. **Asia** produced **324.9** Mton in 3Q18, **7.8% higher** than the same period in 2017, while the **European Union** and **North America** increased by **0.7%** and **4.4%**, respectively, on the same basis of comparison.

- In **3Q18**, CSN's **plate production** totaled 937 thousand tons, a reduction of 6% compared to 2Q18 due to maintenance stoppage. In turn, the **production of flat rolled products in 3Q18 remained stable** when compared to 3Q17 and 8% lower than 2Q18, totaling 899 thousand tons. **According to data from the Brazilian Steel Institute (IABr)**, in the first nine months of the year, **domestic sales** reached **13.8 million** tons of steel, **up 9.6%** over the same period of the previous year. **Apparent consumption** reached **15.6 million** tons in the same period, **an increase of 8.7%** over the same period of last year. **Brazilian steel production** totaled **26.1 million** tons, **up 2.5%**.

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Total plates (UPV + third parties)	1,069	997	938	(12%)	(6%)
Plate production	1,065	996	937	(12%)	(6%)
Third-party plates	4	0	1	(75%)	-
<b>Total flat rolled products</b>	<b>903</b>	<b>981</b>	<b>899</b>	<b>(0%)</b>	<b>(8%)</b>
<b>Total long rolled products</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>2%</b>	<b>(3%)</b>

- CSN's **total sales** amounted to 1,290 thousand tons of steel products in **3Q18**, or **2%** and **1%** lower than in 2Q18 and 3Q17, respectively. Adjusting for the effects of the sale of the plant in Terra Haute, USA, total sales would have grown by 4% against 2Q18.

- In **3Q18**, the volume of steel sold by CSN in the **domestic market** totaled 912 thousand tons, **14%** higher than in 2Q18. Of this total, 859 thousand tons refer to flat steel and 53 thousand tons to long steel products. The greater domestic market orientation with **higher performance in the automotive, white goods, packaging and OEM segments** resulted in a **strong increase in sales of cold-rolled flat steel products (+21% - 3Q18x2Q18), galvanized items (+17% - 3Q18x2Q18) and tin plates (+20% - 3Q18x2Q18)**.

- In the **foreign market**, CSN's sales in **3Q18** totaled 378 thousand tons, 28% lower than in the previous quarter mainly due to the sale of CSN LLC at the end of 2Q18 (-12% adjusting to this effect), in addition to the strategy of redirecting galvanized to the domestic market. In



this period, 48 thousand tons were exported directly and 329 thousand tons were sold by the subsidiaries abroad, of which 65 thousand tons by LLC, 185 thousand tons by SWT and 79 thousand tons by Lusosider.

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- In 3Q18, CSN maintained a high **market share of coated products** as a percentage of domestic sales volume (45% in 3Q18 against 44% in 2Q18), following the strategy of adding more value to its product mix. Sales of coated products such as galvanized items and tin plates accounted for 48% of flat steel sales, considering all markets in which the Company operates.

According to **ANFAVEA** (National Association of Automobile Manufacturers), **in the third quarter of 2018, the production of automobiles, light commercial vehicles, trucks and buses** reached 760,226 thousand units, **an increase of 5.05%**, compared to the same period of prior year. **Exports**, in turn, showed a lower performance, totaling 145,258 thousand vehicles sold, a **decrease of 25%** against the same period of the previous year. Anfavea estimates an increase of 11.9% in vehicle production in 2018, to 3.02 million units.

According to **ABRAMAT** (Brazilian Association of the Building Material Industry), **building materials industry revenues increased** by 2.7% in September 2018, compared to the same month a year ago, ergo the association maintains its estimate of growth of 1.5% in the industry revenues in 2018.

According to **IBGE** (Brazilian Institute of Geography and Statistics), **home appliance production** referring to data accumulated from 12 months to August, **registered a growth of 3.1%**, compared to the same period accumulated in 2017.

According to data from **INDA (National Institute of Steel Distributors)** in **3Q18**, distribution purchases **increased by 7%** compared to 3Q17. **Imports closed 3Q18 with a decrease of 12.5%** in relation to the same period of 2017, with a total volume of 324 thousand tons.

- **Net steel revenue** reached R\$4,099 million in 3Q18, stable compared to 2Q18. Excluding distortions resulted from the sale of the plant in the US, net revenue grew 10% in the quarter. In addition to volume growth, the increase was also due to higher average price of steel, both in the domestic market (+5% vs. 2Q18) and in the external market (+8% vs. 2Q18).
- **Cost of goods sold in 3Q18** increased by 3.2% when compared to 2Q18, totaling R\$3,380 million, chiefly influenced by the 9.6% devaluation of the Brazilian real against the US dollar in the period.

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- **Slab production cost** in **3Q18** reached R\$1,704/t, 4% higher than in 2Q18. The increase in prices of the main raw materials was additionally impacted by the exchange rate variation in the period.
- **Adjusted EBITDA** reached R\$ 652 million in **3Q18**, 7.9% lower than the R\$708 million recorded in 2Q18 due to seasonal fluctuations in the performance of subsidiaries abroad. Adjusted EBITDA margin reached 15.9% in 3Q18, or 1.4 p.p. lower than in the previous quarter.

CSN's mining results

In **3Q18**, steel production in China was **242,4 Mt**, reaching a quarterly production record and representing a 10% increase compared to 3Q17. Resilient demand, capacity constraints and operating margins of steel companies produced a positive effect on prices, especially higher quality products. In this context, the **iron ore price ratio closed 3Q18 averaging US\$ 66.68/dmt (Platts, Fe62%, N. China), 2% up on 2Q18**. The average dollar variation between the periods was +9.6%, benefiting iron ore revenues in local currency.

The decline in the global supply of **high silica** since 2Q18 resulted in a **strong reduction in the market discount of this impurity in 3Q18**. On the other hand, the low impurity of Alumina in the Casa de Pedra product, added to lower silica discounts and with better ore content in the quarter, provided a premium of **US\$2.1 /dmt** for CSN.

In terms of **maritime freight**, the BCI-C3 (Tubarão-Qingdao) route reached an average of US\$ 22.33/wmt in **3Q18**, **an increase of 28%** over the previous quarter, driven by higher transoceanic volumes and higher oil prices.

- In **3Q18**, CSN's **iron ore production** totaled 7.6 million tons, 13% higher than in 2Q18 due to the successful implementation of the mining plan and start-up of the first filtering plant. **Iron ore purchases** reached 1,501 thousand tons in **3Q18**, down 20% from 2Q18.

- Iron ore **sales** totaled 9.3 million tons in **3Q18**, 14% above those recorded in 2Q18, with 1.1 million tons sold to the Presidente Vargas Plant and the rest distributed in the Asian and European markets.

Iron ore production	7,738	6,744	7,620	(2%)	13%
Ore purchased from third parties	1,419	1,878	1,501	6%	(20%)
<b>Total production + purchases</b>	<b>9,157</b>	<b>8,621</b>	<b>9,122</b>	<b>(0%)</b>	<b>6%</b>
Sales to UPV	1,321	1,376	1,138	(14%)	(17%)
Volume sold to third parties	6,632	6,754	8,150	23%	21%
<b>Total sales</b>	<b>7,953</b>	<b>8,130</b>	<b>9,288</b>	<b>17%</b>	<b>14%</b>

Production and sales volumes include 100% stake in CSN Mineração.

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- In **3Q18, net revenue** from mining reached R\$1,659 million, 25% higher than in the previous quarter, due to the higher sales volume (+14%) and appreciation of the US dollar against the real. The **CFR unit revenue for exports** in **3Q18** reached **US\$69.4/dmt**, a quarterly increase of 4% driven by alumina premiums. On the other hand, the CIF+FOB reference was US\$56.8/wmt, stable compared to the previous period, impacted by higher maritime freight and FOB sales.

- Mining **sales cost** totaled R\$882 million in **3Q18**, 3% up on 2Q18, due to the higher volume traded in the period (+14%).

- **Adjusted EBITDA margin reached 49% in 3Q18, or 8.8pp. higher than 2Q18**, while **adjusted EBITDA reached R\$ 811 million in 3Q18**, 52% higher than 2Q18 due to higher volume, lower unit cost of ore placed on the ship, maintenance of realized price and appreciation of the dollar in the period.

CSN's logistics results

**Railway Logistics:** In **3Q18, net revenue** reached R\$406 million, generating **adjusted EBITDA** of R\$179 million and **adjusted EBITDA margin** of 44% (+4.3 p.p. against 2Q18).

**Port Logistics:** in **3Q18**, Sepetiba Tecon shipped 88 thousand tons of steel products, in addition to 63 thousand tons of general cargo and approximately 63 thousand containers. In 3Q18, **net revenue** reached R\$64 million, generating Adjusted **EBITDA** of R\$ 15 million, with **adjusted EBITDA margin** of 23% (+4.6 p.p. against 2Q18).

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Container volume (thousand units)	51	56	63	24%	12%
Steel volume (thousand tons)	250	114	88	(65%)	(23%)
General cargo volume (thousand tons)	0	98	63	-	(36%)

## CSN's energy results

According to the **Energy Research Company (EPE)**, the **domestic electric energy consumption in Brazil** increased by **1.3%** in **3T18** compared to the same period of the previous year. The industrial sector posted an increase in energy consumption of **1.6%** in the 9M18 versus the same period last year. The residential and commercial sectors increased energy consumption by **1.2%** and **0.4%**, respectively, compared to the same period.

In **3Q18**, **net revenue** from energy totaled R\$104 million (+2% vs. 3Q17) due to greater availability and sale of energy in the free market. **Adjusted EBITDA** was R\$32 million and adjusted **EBITDA margin** of 31%.

## CSN's cement results

In the **first nine months of 2018**, **domestic cement sales** totaled 39.5 million tons, according to preliminary industry data released by the National Cement Industry Union (**SNIC**). This amount represents a fall of **2.2%** from the same period last year. According to SNIC, **sales volume in the third quarter reflects the poor performance of the economic activity**.

In **3Q18**, CSN's **cement sales** was higher than in 2Q18. **Net revenue** reached R\$ 160 million, 6% higher due to price and volumes increases, despite the adverse scenario in the sector. Adjusted **EBITDA** reached R\$17 million, with adjusted **EBITDA margin** of 11%, impacted by higher raw materials prices, especially pet coke.





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In the **third quarter of 2018**, CSN's shares appreciated by 18.83%, while the Ibovespa index appreciated by 9.04%. The daily traded volume (CSNA3) on B3, in turn, totaled R\$74.3 million. On the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE), the Company's American Depositary Receipts (ADRs) appreciated by 12.87%, while Dow Jones rose 9.01%. On NYSE, the daily traded volume of CSN's ADRs was US\$4.8 million.

<b>Number of shares in thousands</b>	<b>1,387,524</b>	<b>1,387,524</b>
<b>Market value</b>		
Closing price (R\$/share)	7.86	9.34
Closing price (US\$/ADR)	2.02	2.19
Market value (R\$ million)	10,906	12,959
Market value (US\$ million)	2,832	3,163
<b>Total return</b>		
CSNA3	(1.8%)	18.83%
SID	(24%)	12.87%
Ibovespa	(14%)	9.04%
Dow Jones	2.65%	9.01%
<b>Volume</b>		
Daily average (thousand shares)	9,422	8,479
Daily average (R\$ thousand)	81,222	74,343
Daily average (thousand ADRs)	2,641	2,188
Daily average (US\$ thousand)	6,310	4,807
<i>Source: Bloomberg</i>		

Some of the statements contained herein are forward-looking statements that express or imply expected results, performance or events. These perspectives include future results that may be influenced by historical results and the statements under 'Outlook'. Actual results, performance or events may differ materially from those expressed or implied by the

forward-looking statements as a result of several factors, such as the general and economic conditions in Brazil and other countries, interest rate and exchange rate levels, protectionist measures in the U.S., Brazil and other countries, changes in laws and regulations and general competitive factors (on a global, regional or national basis).

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**CONSOLIDATED SALES VOLUME (thousand tons)**

<b><u>Flat Steel</u></b>	<b><u>730</u></b>	<b><u>748</u></b>	<b><u>859</u></b>	<b><u>111</u></b>	<b><u>129</u></b>
Slab	1	-	-	-	(1)
Hot-rolled	267	278	300	22	33
Cold-rolled	155	142	172	30	17
Galvanized	234	263	307	44	73
Tin plates	73	66	79	13	6
<b>UPV Long steel</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>(19)</b>
<b>DOMESTIC MARKET</b>	<b>802</b>	<b>798</b>	<b>912</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>110</b>
<b><u>Flat Steel</u></b>	<b><u>321</u></b>	<b><u>310</u></b>	<b><u>193</u></b>	<b><u>(117)</u></b>	<b><u>(128)</u></b>
Hot-rolled	16	24	70	46	54
Cold-rolled	22	26	7	(19)	(15)
Galvanized	233	200	69	(131)	(164)
Tin plates	51	61	47	(14)	(4)
<b>Long steel (profiles)</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>(27)</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>FOREIGN MARKET</b>	<b>499</b>	<b>523</b>	<b>378</b>	<b>(145)</b>	<b>(121)</b>
<b><u>Flat Steel</u></b>	<b><u>1,051</u></b>	<b><u>1,059</u></b>	<b><u>1,052</u></b>	<b><u>(7)</u></b>	<b><u>1</u></b>
Slab	1	-	-	-	(1)
Hot-rolled	283	301	370	69	87
Cold-rolled	177	168	179	11	2
Galvanized	466	463	376	(87)	(90)
Tin plates	124	126	126	-	2
<b>UPV Long steel</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>(19)</b>
<b>Long steel (profiles)</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>(27)</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>TOTAL MARKET</b>	<b>1,300</b>	<b>1,321</b>	<b>1,290</b>	<b>(31)</b>	<b>(10)</b>



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**1. DESCRIPTION OF BUSINESS**

Companhia Siderúrgica Nacional “CSN”, also referred to as “the Company” or “Parent Company”, is a publicly-held company incorporated on April 9, 1941, under the laws of the Federative Republic of Brazil (Companhia Siderúrgica Nacional, its subsidiaries, associates and joint ventures are collectively referred to herein as the "Group"). The Company’s registered office is located in São Paulo, SP, Brazil.

CSN is listed on the São Paulo Stock Exchange (B3 S.A.- Brasil, Bolsa, Balcão) and on the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE). Accordingly, the Company reports its information to the Brazilian Securities and Exchange Commission (CVM) and the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC).

The Group's main operating activities are divided into five (5) segments as follows:

- **Steel:**

The Company’s main industrial facility is the Presidente Vargas steelworks (“UPV”), located in the city of Volta Redonda, State of Rio de Janeiro. This segment consolidates all operations related to the production, distribution and sale of flat steel, long steel, metallic containers and galvanized steel. In addition to the facilities in Brazil, CSN has commercial activities in the United States and operations in Portugal and Germany aimed at gaining markets and providing excellent services to end consumers. Its steel is used in home appliances, civil construction and automobile industries.

- **Mining:**

The production of iron ore is developed in the city of Congonhas, State of Minas Gerais.

Iron ore is sold basically in the international market, especially in Europe and Asia. The prices charged in these markets are historically cyclical and subject to significant fluctuations over short periods of time, driven by several factors related to global demand, strategies adopted by the major steel producers, and the foreign exchange rate. All these factors are beyond the Company's control. The ore transportation is carried out through Terminal de Carvão e Minérios do Porto de Itaguaí – (“TECAR”), a solid bulk terminal, one of the four terminals that comprise the Itaguaí Port, in State of Rio de Janeiro. Imports of coal and coke are also carried out through this terminal by providing services to CSN's steel segment.

The Company's mining activities also comprise exploitation of tin in the State of Rondônia, to supply the needs of the UPV. The surplus of these raw materials is sold to subsidiaries and third parties.

- **Cement:**

CSN entered the cement market boosted by the synergy between this activity and its existing businesses. Next to the Presidente Vargas Steelworks (UPV) in Volta Redonda (RJ), the Company installed a new business unit that produces CP-III type cement using slag produced by the UPV's blast furnaces. It also exploits limestone and dolomite at the Arcos unit in the State of Minas Gerais, to meet the needs of the UPV and of the cement plant.

In the fourth quarter of 2016, the Company started the operation of its second clinker production line in Arcos/MG. As a result, the Company is self-sufficient in the production of cement, with an installed capacity of 4.7 million tons per year.

- **Logistics**

*Railroads:*

CSN has interests in three railroad companies: MRS Logística S.A., which manages the Southeast Railway System of the former Rede Ferroviária Federal S.A. (“RFFSA”), Transnordestina Logística S.A. (“TLSA”) and FTL - Ferrovia Transnordestina Logística S.A. (“FTL”), which has the concession to operate the former Northeast Railway System of RFFSA, in the States of Maranhão, Piauí, Ceará, Rio Grande do Norte,

Paraíba, Pernambuco and Alagoas, with TLSA being responsible for the rail links of Missão Velha-Salgueiro, Salgueiro-Trindade, Trindade-Eliseu Martins, Salgueiro-Porto de Suape and Missão Velha-Porto de Pecém (Railway System II), still under construction and FTL being responsible for the rail links of São Luiz-Mucuripe, Arrojado-Recife, Itabaiana-Cabedelo, Paula Cavalcante-Macau and Propriá-Jorge Lins (Railway System I).



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*Ports:*

The Company operates in the State of Rio de Janeiro, through its subsidiary Sepetiba Tecon S.A., the Container Terminal ("TECON") and through its subsidiary CSN Mineração S.A – ("CSN Mineração")., TECAR, both at the Itaguaí Port. Located in the Bay of Sepetiba, they have privileged highway, railroad and maritime access.

At TECON, shipment of CSN's steel products, movement of containers, storage, consolidation and deconsolidation of cargo are carried out and, at TECAR, the shipment of iron ore to overseas market and the unloading of coal and other products, such as petroleum coke, sulfur and zinc concentrate for our own use and for several customers.

- **Energy:**

As energy is fundamental to its production process, the Company has electric energy generation assets to guarantee its self-sufficiency.

Note 26 - "Segment Information" details the financial information per CSN's business segment.

- **Going Concern**

The interim financial information was prepared based on the normal continuity of its business.

Negotiations in progress for reprofiling part of the debts do not jeopardize the Company's operating continuity and Management does not have any other relevant operational restructuring plan that implies a change to the conclusion of the operational continuity. Further disclosures on the bases for evaluating the operational continuity were made in the disclosures of this subject included in the financial statements of December 31, 2017, approved by Management on March 26, 2018.

## **2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

### **2.a) Basis of preparation**

The Group's parent company and consolidated condensed interim financial information ("condensed quarterly information") have been prepared and are being presented in accordance with accounting practices adopted in Brazil based on the provisions of the Brazilian Corporate Law, pronouncements, guidelines and interpretations issued (CPC), standards issued by the Brazilian Securities and Exchange Commission ("CVM") and International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") issued by the International Accounting Standard Board (IASB) and highlight all the relevant information of the interim financial statements, and only this information, is being disclosed and corresponds to the information used by the Company's management in its activities

The condensed interim financial information has been prepared and is being presented in accordance with CPC 21 (R1) - "Interim Financial Reporting" and IAS 34 - "Interim Financial Reporting", consistently with the standards issued by the CVM.

The significant accounting policies applied in this condensed interim financial information are consistent with the policies described in Note 02 to the Company's financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2017, filed with CVM.

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This condensed interim financial information does not include all requirements of annual or full financial statements and, accordingly, should be read in conjunction with the Company's financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2017.

Therefore, in this condensed interim financial information the following notes are not repeated, either due to redundancy or to the materiality in relation to those already presented in the annual financial statements:

Note 02 – Summary of significant accounting policies

Note 08 - Investments

Note 15 - Taxes in installments

Note 16 - Provision for tax, social security, labor, civil and environmental risks and judicial deposits

Note 26 – Employee benefits

Note 27 – Commitments

The parent company and consolidated condensed interim financial information was approved by Management on November 07, 2018.

**2.b) Basis of presentation**

The consolidated condensed interim financial information is presented in Brazilian reais R\$, which is the Company's principal functional currency and the Group's presentation currency.

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into the functional currency using the exchange rates in effect at the dates of the transactions or valuations when items are remeasured. The asset and liability balances are translated at the exchange rates prevailing at the end of the reporting period. As of September 30, 2018, US\$1 is equivalent to R\$4.0039 (R\$3.3080 as of December 31, 2017) and €1 is equivalent to R\$4.6545 (R\$3.9693 as of December 31, 2017), according to the rates obtained from the Central Bank of Brazil website.

## **2.c) Basis of consolidation**

The accounting policies have been consistently applied to all consolidated companies. The consolidated condensed interim financial statements for the period ended September 30, 2018 and year ended December 31, 2017 include the following direct and indirect subsidiaries and joint ventures, as well as the exclusive funds, as described below:

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Companies	Equity interests (%)		Core business
	9/30/2018	12/31/2017	
<b>Direct interest in subsidiaries: full consolidation</b>			
CSN Islands VII Corp.	100.00	100.00	Financial transactions
CSN Islands XI Corp.	100.00	100.00	Financial transactions
CSN Islands XII Corp.	100.00	100.00	Financial transactions
CSN Minerals S.L.U. (1)	-	100.00	Equity interests
CSN Export Europe, S.L.U. (1)	-	100.00	Financial transactions and Equity interests
CSN Metals S.L.U. (1)	-	100.00	Equity interests and Financial transactions
CSN Americas S.L.U. (1)	-	100.00	Equity interests and Financial transactions
CSN Steel S.L.U.	100.00	100.00	Equity interests and Financial transactions
TdBB S.A (*)	100.00	100.00	Equity interests
Sepetiba Tecon S.A.	99.99	99.99	Port services
Minérios Nacional S.A.	99.99	99.99	Mining and Equity interests
Companhia Florestal do Brasil	99.99	99.99	Reforestation
Estanho de Rondônia S.A.	99.99	99.99	Tin Mining
Companhia Metalúrgica Prada	99.99	99.99	Manufacture of containers and distribution of steel products
CSN Gestão de Recursos Financeiros Ltda. (*)	99.99	99.99	Management of funds and securities portfolio
CSN Mineração S.A.	87.52	87.52	Mining and Equity interests
CSN Energia S.A.	99.99	99.99	Sale of electric power
FTL - Ferrovia Transnordestina Logística S.A.	91.69	90.78	Railroad logistics
Nordeste Logística S.A.	99.99	99.99	Port services
Aceros México CSN (2)	0.08	-	Commercial representation, sale of steel and related activities

**Indirect interest in****subsidiaries: full consolidation**

Companhia Siderúrgica Nacional LLC(3)	-	100.00	Steel
Lusosider Projectos Siderúrgicos S.A.	99.94	99.94	Equity interests and product sales
Lusosider Aços Planos, S. A.	99.99	99.99	Steel and Equity interests
CSN Resources S.A.	100.00	100.00	Financial transactions and Equity interests
Companhia Brasileira de Latas	99.99	99.99	Sale of cans and containers in general and Equity interests
Companhia de Embalagens Metálicas MMSA	99.67	99.67	Production and sale of cans and related activities
Companhia de Embalagens Metálicas - MTM	99.67	99.67	Production and sale of cans and related activities
CSN Steel Holdings 1, S.L.U.	100.00	100.00	Financial transactions, product sales and Equity interests
CSN Productos Siderúrgicos S.L.	100.00	100.00	Financial transactions, product sales and Equity interests
Stalwerk Thüringen GmbH	100.00	100.00	Production and sale of long steel and related activities
CSN Steel Sections UK Limited (*)	100.00	100.00	Sale of long steel
CSN Steel Sections Polska Sp.Z.o.o	100.00	100.00	Financial transactions, product sales and Equity interests
CSN Asia Limited	100.00	100.00	Commercial representation
CSN Mining Holding, S.L	87.52	87.52	Financial transactions, product sales and Equity interests
CSN Mining GmbH	87.52	87.52	Financial transactions, product sales and Equity interests
CSN Mining Asia Limited (8)	87.52	87.52	Commercial representation
Aceros México CSN (2)	99.92	100.00	Commercial representation, sale of steel and related activities
Lusosider Ibérica S.A.	99.94	99.94	Steel, commercial and industrial activities, and equity interests.
CSN Mining Portugal, Unipessoal Lda.	87.52	87.52	Commercial and representation of products.
Companhia Siderúrgica Nacional LLC(3)	100.00	-	Import and distribution / resale of products
CSN Inova Ltd.(4)	100.00	-	Advisory and implementation of new development projects

**Direct interest in joint operations: proportionate consolidation**

Itá Energética S.A.	48.75	48.75	Electric power generation
Consórcio da Usina Hidrelétrica de Igarapava	17.92	17.92	Electric power consortium

**Direct interest in joint ventures: equity method**

MRS Logística S.A.	18.64	18.64	Railroad transportation
Aceros Del Orinoco S.A.	31.82	31.82	Dormant company
CBSI - Companhia Brasileira de Serviços de Infraestrutura	50.00	50.00	Equity interests and product sales and iron ore
Transnordestina Logística S.A.	46.30	46.30	Railroad logistics

**Indirect interest in joint ventures: equity method**

MRS Logística S.A.	16.30	16.30	Railroad transportation
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**Direct interest in associates: equity method**

Arvedi Metalfer do Brasil S.A.	20.00	20.00	Metallurgy and Equity interests
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(\* ) Dormant companies, therefore, they are presented in note 10.a., where information on companies accounted for under the equity method and fair value through profit or loss and comprehensive income are disclosed;

• **Events in 2018**

(1) On February 6, 2018, the Spanish commercial registry recognized the merger by absorption of the companies by CSN Steel, S.L.U., date from which the companies were considered legally extinct, before third parties and for the purposes of commercial law, the merger is retroactive to the date of December 28, 2017.

(2) Transfer of 1% stake in Aceros Mexico CSN from CSN Steel to Companhia Siderúrgica Nacional on February 1, 2018. On September 18, 2018, CSN Steel increased the capital of Aceros Mexico CSN, diluting the direct interest of Companhia Siderúrgica Nacional to 0.08%, with CSN Steel holding 99.92%.

(3) On June 5, 2018 CSN LLC had its corporate name changed to "Heartland Steel Processing, LLC". On the same date, a new company was incorporated under the name "Companhia Siderúrgica Nacional, LLC", a wholly owned subsidiary of Heartland Steel Processing, LLC. On June 28, 2018, Companhia Siderúrgica Nacional, LLC., became a wholly-owned subsidiary of CSN Steel and, on June 29, 2018, Heartland Steel Processing, LLC was sold to Steel Dynamics, Inc. The remaining assets are registered at Companhia Siderúrgica Nacional, LLC, a subsidiary of CSN Steel (see note 4).

(4) Company incorporated in 2018.





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- **Exclusive funds**

<b>Exclusive funds</b>	<b>Equity interests (%)</b>		<b>Core business</b>
	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>	
<b>Direct interest: full consolidation</b>			
Diplic II - Private credit balanced mutual fund	100.00	100.00	Investment fund
Caixa Vértice - Private credit balanced mutual fund	100.00	100.00	Investment fund
VR1 - Private credit balanced mutual fund	100.00	100.00	Investment fund

**3. ADOPTION OF NEW ACCOUNTING PRACTICES**

The Company applied as of January 1, 2018, the IFRS 09 Financial Instruments (corresponding to CPC 48) and IFRS 15 Revenues from Contracts with Customers (corresponding to CPC 47), both of which were approved by CVM in November 2016 as well as interpretation IFRIC 22, corresponding to ICPC 21, approved in July 2017. IFRS 09 and 15 replaced IAS 39 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement and IAS 18 Revenue and related interpretations, respectively.

The Company decided to adopt the modified transition method for the implementation of the new standards, where any transitory adjustment is recognized in retained earnings on January 1, 2018, without comparative adjustment and whose impacts are being detailed below:

• **IFRS 9 / CPC 48 Financial instruments**

The new pronouncement includes new rules on the classification and measurement of financial assets, as well as impairment of assets and new practices for hedge accounting, which are simplified below:

**Classification and measurement** - IFRS 9 establishes that financial assets should be classified and measured in one of three categories: amortized cost, fair value through other comprehensive income (VJORA) and fair value through profit or loss (VJR). The categories of held-to-maturity, loans and receivables and available for sale that were part of the scope of IAS 39, were removed.

**Impairment of assets**- the "incurred losses" model is replaced by an "estimated credit loss" model, where it is no longer necessary for a loss event to occur before recognition of the impairment loss. The model uses a two-pronged approach, in which the provision will be measured for expected credit losses for 12 months or for the entire life of the asset. These changes did not bring impacts to the Company.

**Hedge Accounting** - a new general hedge accounting model was included, which does not change, but fundamentally the types of hedge relationship or requirements for measurement and recognition of ineffectiveness. These changes did not bring impacts to the Company.

The main effect of the adoption of IFRS 09 is presented in note 14.II, referring to the classification from January 1, 2018 and measurement of the investment in Usinas Siderúrgicas de Minas Gerais S.A. - Usiminas and Panatlântica S.A. at fair value through profit or loss (VJR) and obtained a gain of R\$ 1.5 billion (gross) as of September 30, 2018 recorded in other operating income and expenses (Note 24).

• **IFRS 15 / CPC 47 Revenue from contract with customer**

**Revenue from contracts with customers** - IFRS 15 establishes a new concept for revenue recognition, replacing IAS 18 Revenue, IAS 11 - Construction Contracts and related interpretations. The Company adopted IFRS 15 using the modified retrospective method, which does not require the restatement of comparative information



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The new pronouncement establishes a five-step model for determining the recognition of revenue from customer contracts, as follows:

- **Identification of the contract:** identify when there is an agreement and the parties involved.

- **Identify the performance obligations:** from the definitive agreement, analyze the contractual promises, in order to identify which promised items can be considered as performance obligations.

- **Determine the price of the obligation:** The transaction price is the value of the consideration that the entity expects to receive by transferring the control of the promised goods and services, the value of the transaction can include fixed values, variable values or both.

- **Transaction Price Allocation:** At the time of signing the contract, the transaction price must be allocated to each performance obligation.

- **Recognize Revenue:** Revenue recognition occurs at the time (or to the extent that) meets a performance obligation by transferring control of a good or service to a customer.

Analyzing the topic "identification of performance obligations", the Company identified in its operations the following performance obligations.

- **Sale of finished products:** the transfer of risks and benefits coincides with the transfer of control of the products, thus, the moment of recognition of revenue from product sales was not impacted by the adoption of this new standard.

- **Provision of service:** in the main services provided by the Company, the revenue recognition coincides with the conclusion of the service, therefore without impacts by the adoption of this standard.

- **Freight / insurance liability in CFR / CIF incoterms:** the freight service in the CFR and CIF modalities will be considered a separate service and therefore a separate performance obligation, with allocation of part of the price of the transaction recognized in profit or loss, according to the effective provision of the service over time.

The effect of the difference in the recognition of the portion of revenue allocated to freight does not significantly affect the Company's income. Therefore, such revenue will not be presented separately in the Company's financial statements.

In the other topics of the new standard, the Company did not identify material measurement impacts in the application of this standard

• **IFRIC 22 / ICPC 21 Foreign currency transaction and down payment**

Required to apply in January 2018, IFRIC 22, which corresponds to ICPC 21, is to regulate the concepts established in CPC 02 - Effects of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rates and Conversion of Financial Statements, on how to determine the transaction date with the purpose of determining the exchange rate to be used in the initial recognition of an asset, expense or revenue (or part thereof) in the derecognition of non-monetary assets or non-monetary liabilities arising from the payment or early receipt in foreign currency.

Generally speaking, the interpretation deals with transactions in foreign currency in which the Company recognizes a non-monetary asset or non-monetary liability resulting from early payment or receipt, even before the company recognizes the related asset, expense or revenue.

The consensus of this interpretation clarifies that the transaction date for determining the exchange rate to be used in the case of advances is defined as the date that the entity initially recognizes the non-monetary asset or non-monetary liability arising from the early payment or receipt. In the case of multiple payments or receipts in advance, the company shall determine the transaction date, each payment or advanced receipt.

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As the Company already adopts the practices established by CPC 02, establishing the historical rate at the time of recognition of non-monetary assets and liabilities related to the anticipation, there is no impact resulting from the application of this technical interpretation.

**4. SALE OF FOREIGN SUBSIDIARY**

During the second quarter of 2018, CSN announced to its shareholders and to the market, through a Material Fact, the sale by its wholly-owned subsidiary CSN Steel S.L.U., total interest in Companhia Siderúrgica Nacional LLC ("LLC") to Steel Dynamics, Inc. ("SDI"), approved on the same date by the Board of Directors. The LLC is located in the United States with operations in stripping, cold rolling and galvanizing of flat steel.

Still in the second quarter of 2018, after fulfilling all the precedent conditions foreseen in the purchase and sale agreement entered into with SDI, the Company concluded the transaction with the transfer of the equity interest and receipt of the base value of the transaction, adjusted in US\$ 400 million, as shown below:

	U\$\$	6/30/2018 R\$	Changes in working capital U\$\$	R\$	9/30/2018 R\$
Receipt from the sale of the investment	395,661	1,525,590			1,525,590
Deposits in guarantee	2,000	7,712			7,712
Contractual expenses and fees (d)	2,339	9,021			9,021
<b>Base value of the transaction (a)</b>	<b>400,000</b>	<b>1,542,323</b>			<b>1,542,323</b>
	34,008	131,127	3,581	14,402	145,529

Working capital to be  
received (b) (\*)

<b>Shareholders' equity LLC (c)</b>	<b>133,445</b>	<b>514,537</b>			<b>514,537</b>
<b>Net gain on sale = (a+b-c-d)</b>	<b>298,224</b>	<b>1,149,892</b>	<b>3,581</b>	<b>14,402</b>	<b>1,164,294</b>

(\*) The final value of the transaction was subject to post-closing adjustment of working capital, which was completed in September 2018, the LLC's working capital ascertained and received was US\$ 37,589 equivalent to R\$ 145,529. The sale of LLC generates a cumulative gain in the year of R\$1,164,294 (see note 24).

The net investment, results and cash flows from the sale of the investment are summarized below:

#### 4.a) Balance sheet

	<b>LLC 06/30/2018</b>
<b>ASSETS</b>	
<b>Current Assets</b>	<b>418,014</b>
Cash and cash equivalents	760
Trade Receivable	114,266
Inventory	299,373
Other current assets	3,615
<b>Non-current assets</b>	<b>191,431</b>
Other non-current assets	205
Property, plant and equipment	191,226
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>609,445</b>



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1****LIABILITIES**

<b>Current Liabilities</b>	<b>89,810</b>
Borrowings and Financing	5,446
Social and Labor obligations	5,526
Trade payables	76,400
Tax payables	1,398
Other payables	1,040
<b>Non-current liabilities</b>	<b>5,098</b>
Borrowings and Financing	5,098
<b>Shareholders' equity (disposal)</b>	<b>514,537</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>609,445</b>

**4.b) Statement of Income**

	<b>06/30/2018</b>	<b>06/30/2017</b>
<b>Net Revenues</b>	<b>997,061</b>	<b>472,409</b>
Cost from sale of goods and rendering of services	(888,850)	(388,322)
<b>Gross profit</b>	<b>108,211</b>	<b>84,087</b>
Selling expenses	(24,650)	(10,521)
General and administrative expenses	(15,649)	(9,531)
Other operating expenses, net	(844)	(358)
<b>Profit before financial income (expenses)</b>	<b>67,068</b>	<b>63,677</b>
Financial income (expenses), net	(2,641)	(428)
<b>Profit (loss) before taxes</b>	<b>64,427</b>	<b>63,249</b>
Income tax and Social Contribution	(1,730)	-
<b>Profit (loss) for the period</b>	<b>62,697</b>	<b>63,249</b>

**4.c) Statement of Cash Flows**

	<b>06/30/2018</b>	<b>06/30/2017</b>
Net cash provided by (used) by operating activities	149,691	(69,216)
Net cash provided by (used) by investing activities	(6,269)	(2,492)
Net cash provided by (used) by financing activities	(176,592)	(1,860)
<b>Increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents for the period</b>	<b>(33,170)</b>	<b>(73,568)</b>
Cash and equivalents at the beginning of the year	33,930	112,428
<b>Cash and equivalents at the end of the year</b>	<b>760</b>	<b>38,860</b>

**Net cash receipts from the sale of subsidiary LLC**

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	<b>06/30/2018</b>
Net cash received from the sale of the asset	1,525,590
Cash and cash equivalents transferred on the sale of the assets	(760)
Working capital received	145,529
<b>Net cash provided by the sale of assets</b>	<b>1,670,359</b>

**5. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS**

	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>Consolidated 12/31/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>Parent Company 12/31/2017</b>
<b>Current</b>				
<b>Cash and cash equivalents</b>				
<b>Cash and banks</b>	<b>1,228,767</b>	<b>193,702</b>	<b>193,256</b>	<b>38,311</b>
<b>Short-term investments</b>				
<b>In Brazil:</b>				
Government securities	12,227	12,100	570	150
Private securities	1,238,175	644,525	1,114,447	79,116
	<b>1,250,402</b>	<b>656,625</b>	<b>1,115,017</b>	<b>79,266</b>
<b>Abroad:</b>				
<i>Time deposits</i>	516,071	2,561,245	93,951	275,927
<b>Total short-term investments</b>	<b>1,766,473</b>	<b>3,217,870</b>	<b>1,208,968</b>	<b>355,193</b>
<b>Cash and cash equivalents</b>	<b>2,995,240</b>	<b>3,411,572</b>	<b>1,402,224</b>	<b>393,504</b>

The funds available established in Brazil, are basically invested in repurchase agreements and Bank Certificate of Deposit (“CDBs”) and yield interest based on the floating of Certificates of Interbank Deposits

("CDI") and government securities are basically repurchase agreements backed by National Treasury Notes. The funds are managed by BNY Mellon Serviços Financeiros DTVM S.A. and Caixa Econômica Federal (CEF). The Company invests part of the resources through the investments considered exclusive, and their financial statements were consolidated into the Company's statements. The funds are managed by BNY Mellon Serviços Financeiros DTVM S.A. and Caixa Econômica Federal (CEF).

A significant part of the funds is invested abroad in time deposits in banks considered by management as top rated banks and the returns are based on fixed interest rates.

## 6. FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS

	Short term		Consolidated	Parent Company	
	09/30/2018	12/31/2017	Long term 09/30/2018	Short term 09/30/2018	12/31/2017
CDB - Bank certificate of deposit (1)	891,214	716,218		891,214	716,218
Government securities (2)	11,189	19,494		521	243
Time Deposit (3)			8,018		
	<b>902,403</b>	<b>735,712</b>	<b>8,018</b>	<b>891,735</b>	<b>716,461</b>

1. Financial investment linked to Bank Certificate of Deposit to secure a letter of guarantee of certain loans.

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2. Investments in National Treasury Bills (LFT) managed by its exclusive funds.
3. Investments in Time Deposit in custody to cover additional expenses of the sale of LLC.

**7. TRADE RECEIVABLES**

	<b>Consolidated</b>		<b>Parent Company</b>	
	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>
<b>Trade receivables</b>				
<b>Third parties</b>				
Domestic market	1,205,823	1,290,823	917,508	1,056,929
Foreign market	882,458	982,846	146,260	150,264
	<b>2,088,281</b>	<b>2,273,669</b>	<b>1,063,768</b>	<b>1,207,193</b>
Allowance for doubtful debts	(198,953)	(191,979)	(147,477)	(140,392)
	<b>1,889,328</b>	<b>2,081,690</b>	<b>916,291</b>	<b>1,066,801</b>
Related parties (note 19 a)	113,274	115,388	1,009,638	831,993
	<b>2,002,602</b>	<b>2,197,078</b>	<b>1,925,929</b>	<b>1,898,794</b>
<b>Other receivables</b>				
Dividends receivable (note 19 a) (*)	82,225	41,528	42,017	1,044,242
Advances to employees	41,891	33,942	27,174	22,123
Other receivables	15,952	3,667	2,913	1,547

<b>140,068</b>	<b>79,137</b>	<b>72,104</b>	<b>1,067,912</b>
<b>2,142,670</b>	<b>2,276,215</b>	<b>1,998,033</b>	<b>2,966,706</b>

(\*) In 2018, the parent company received the amount of R\$ 1,334,244 from the subsidiary CSN Mineração S.A., as dividends from prior years.

In accordance with the internal sales policy the Group carries out transactions of assignment of receivables without co-obligation in which, after assigning the customer's trade notes/bills and receiving the amounts from each transaction closed, CSN settles the receivables and becomes entirely free from the credit risk of the transaction. This transaction totals R\$17,783 as of September 30, 2018 (R\$181,972 as of December 31, 2017).

The gross balance of receivables from third parties is comprised as follows:

	<b>Consolidated</b>		<b>Parent Company</b>	
	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>
Current	1,424,193	1,391,839	576,671	530,774
Past-due up to 30 days	138,483	167,760	62,380	50,141
Past-due up to 180 days	74,986	142,346	35,082	114,230
Past-due over 180 days	450,619	571,724	389,635	512,048
	<b>2,088,281</b>	<b>2,273,669</b>	<b>1,063,768</b>	<b>1,207,193</b>

The movements in the Company's allowance for doubtful debts are as follows:

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	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>Consolidated 12/31/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>Parent Company 12/31/2017</b>
<b>Opening balance</b>	<b>(191,979)</b>	<b>(172,782)</b>	<b>(140,392)</b>	<b>(124,351)</b>
Estimated losses	(13,555)	(36,697)	(9,430)	(29,270)
Recovery of receivables	6,581	17,500	2,345	13,229
<b>Closing balance</b>	<b>(198,953)</b>	<b>(191,979)</b>	<b>(147,477)</b>	<b>(140,392)</b>

**8. INVENTORIES**

	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>Consolidated 12/31/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>Parent Company 12/31/2017</b>
Finished goods	1,314,209	1,308,802	990,459	856,707
Work in progress	1,117,581	1,135,589	904,576	981,204
Raw materials	1,176,166	1,050,588	944,540	699,671
Spare Parts	864,915	814,725	496,678	435,827
Iron ore	309,744	278,041	31,510	20,914
Advances to suppliers	138,111	12,514	20,691	8,997
(-) Provision for losses	(132,361)	(135,840)	(48,266)	(51,968)
	<b>4,788,365</b>	<b>4,464,419</b>	<b>3,340,188</b>	<b>2,951,352</b>

The movements in the provision for inventory losses are as follows:

		<b>Consolidated</b>		<b>Parent Company</b>	
	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>	
<b>Opening balance</b>	<b>(135,840)</b>	<b>(101,176)</b>	<b>(51,968)</b>	<b>(37,312)</b>	
Reversal / (losses) for slow-moving and obsolescence	3,479	(34,664)	3,702	(14,656)	
<b>Closing balance</b>	<b>(132,361)</b>	<b>(135,840)</b>	<b>(48,266)</b>	<b>(51,968)</b>	

## 9. OTHER CURRENT AND NONCURRENT ASSETS

The group of other current and noncurrent assets is comprised as follows:



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	Current		Consolidated Non-current		Current	
	9/30/2018	12/31/2017	9/30/2018	12/31/2017	9/30/2018	12/31/2017
Judicial deposits (note 17)			373,508	339,351		
Credits with the PGFN (1)			46,774	46,774		
Recoverable taxes (2)	1,700,377	866,986	424,147	401,071	1,482,709	
Prepaid expenses	68,771	50,078	36,598	30,741	39,937	
Actuarial asset - related party (note 19 a)			90,690	111,281		
Derivative financial instruments (note 14 I)	1,039					
Securities held for trading (note 14 I)	6,572	2,952				6,384
Iron ore inventory (3)			144,499	144,499		
Northeast Investment Fund – FINOR			26,598	26,598		
Other receivables (note 14 I)			6,905	20,024		
Loans with related parties (note 19 a and 14 I)	2,616	2,441	693,126	554,694	17,930	
Other receivables from related parties (note 19 a)	3,649	3,577	126,297	30,770	113,897	
Monetary adjustment related to the Eletrobrás's compulsory loan (4)			755,151	755,151		
Others	96,456	67,544	26,488	67,521		
	<b>1,879,480</b>	<b>993,578</b>	<b>2,750,781</b>	<b>2,528,475</b>	<b>1,660,857</b>	

1. Refers to the excess of judicial deposit originated by the 2009 REFIS program (Tax Debt Refinancing Program). After the settlement of the program amount, the balance of one of the lawsuits was withdrawn by the Company with a court authorization.

2. Refers mainly to taxes on revenue (PIS/COFINS) and state VAT (ICMS) recoverable and income tax and social contribution for offset. Additionally, in September, principal and monetary adjustment was recognized in the amount of R\$ 725,038 (see further details in notes 24 and 25)

3. Long-term iron ore inventories that will be used after the implementation of the processing plant, generating as final product the pellet feed, expected to start operating in the first half of 2020.

4. This is a net amount, certain and due, arising from a favorable final decision to the Company, which is irreversible and irrevocable, in order to apply the STJ's consolidated position on the subject, which culminated in the conviction of the Eletrobrás to the payment of the correct interest and monetary correction of the Compulsory Loan. The said final decision, as well as the certainty about the amounts involved in the settlement of the judgment (judicial procedure to request the satisfaction of the right), allowed the conclusion that the entry of this value is certain.

## **10. INVESTMENTS**

The information on the activities of subsidiaries, joint ventures, joint operations, associates and other investments did not have any changes in relation to that disclosed in the Company's financial statements as of December 31, 2017 and, accordingly, the Company decided not to repeat it in the condensed interim financial information as of September 30, 2018.

### **10.a) Direct interests in subsidiaries, joint ventures, joint operations, associates and other investments**

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Companies	Number of shares held by CSN in units		% Direct equity interest	Assets	Participation in	
	Common	Preferred			Liabilities	Sharehold equity
<b>Investments under the equity method</b>						
<b>Subsidiaries</b>						
CSN Islands VII Corp.	20,001,000		100.00	1,125,069	2,818,890	(1,693,8
CSN Islands XI Corp.	50,000		100.00	2,973,079	3,088,467.0	(115,3
CSN Islands XII Corp.	1,540		100	2,518,095.0	4,009,353.0	(1,491,25
CSN Minerals S.L.U.	(1)					
CSN Export Europe, S.L.U.	(1)					
CSN Metals S.L.U.	(1)					
CSN Americas S.L.U.	(1)					
CSN Steel S.L.U.	22,042,688		100.00	3,845,060	246,737	3,598,
SePETIBA Tecon S.A.	254,015,052		99.99	485,384	172,610	312,
Minérios Nacional S.A.	66,393,587		99.99	129,547	88,804	40,
Fair Value - Minérios Nacional	-		-	-	-	2,123,
Estanho de Rondônia S.A.	121,861,697		99.99	48,794	45,221	3,
Companhia Metalúrgica Prada	445,921,292		99.99	671,410	538,319	133,
CSN Mineração S.A.	158,419,480		87.52	12,951,407	4,068,320	8,883,
CSN Energia S.A.	43,149		99.99	132,631	35,988	96,
FTL - Ferrovia Transnordestina Logística S.A.	442,672,357		91.69	409,080	116,462	292,
Companhia Florestal do Brasil	41,923,303		100	34,945.0	1,289.0	33,65
Nordeste Logística	99,999		99.99	83	55	
CGPAR - Construção Pesada S.A. (2)						
Fair Value - CGPAR						
				<b>25,324,584</b>	<b>15,230,515</b>	<b>12,217,</b>
<b>Joint-venture and Joint-operation</b>						
Itá Energética S.A.	253,606,846		48.75	256,653	15,913	240,

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MRS Logística S.A.	26,611,282	2,673,312	18.64	1,537,098	824,505	712,000
CBSI - Companhia Brasileira de Serviços de Infraestrutura	1,876,146		50.00	23,082	18,454	4,000
Transnordestina Logística S.A.	24,168,304		46.30	3,977,410	2,791,698	1,185,000
Fair Value allocated to TLSA due to control loss						271,000
				<b>5,794,243</b>	<b>3,650,570</b>	<b>2,414,000</b>
<b>Associates</b>						
Arvedi Metalfer do Brasil	46,994,971		20.00	42,249	26,512	15,000
				<b>42,249</b>	<b>26,512</b>	<b>15,000</b>
<b>Classified as fair value through profit or loss (note 14 I)</b>						
Usiminas						2,143,000
Panatlântica						27,000
						<b>2,170,000</b>
<b>Other investments</b>						
Profits on subsidiaries' inventories						(86,900)
Others						63,000
						<b>(23,300)</b>
<b>Total investments</b>						<b>16,795,000</b>
<b>Classification of investments in the balance sheet</b>						
Investments in assets						20,095,000
Investments with negative equity						(3,300,400)
						<b>16,795,000</b>

(1) On February 6, 2018, the Spanish commercial registry recognized the merger by absorption of the companies by CSN Steel, S.L.U., date from which the companies were considered legally extinct, before third parties and for the purposes of commercial law, the merger is retroactive to the date of December 28, 2017.

(2) Company sold in July 2017, to the subsidiary CSN Mineração.

The number of shares, the balances of assets, liabilities and shareholders' equity, and the amounts of profit/(loss) for the period refer to the interests held by CSN in those companies.

**10.b) Movement in investments in subsidiaries, joint ventures, joint operations, associates and other investments**

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<b>Opening balance of investments</b>	<b>5,499,995</b>	<b>4,568,451</b>	<b>22,894,885</b>	<b>22,703,508</b>
<b>Opening balance of loss provisions</b>			<b>(1,366,480)</b>	<b>(1,019,299)</b>
Capital increase		20,579	36,214	80,686
Dividends (1)	(41,675)	(79,189)	(5,265,606)	(2,059,972)
Comprehensive income (2)	(1,559,590)	850,640	(1,483,828)	1,021,099
Equity in results of affiliated companies (3)	123,245	147,800	467,716	901,836
Receipt arising from the sale of Usiminas' shares	(39,377)		(39,377)	
Update shares of fair value through profit or loss (Note 14 II)	1,547,265		1,547,265	
Write-off of the investment – disposal of CGPAR				(14,055)
Surplus value of the assets – CGPAR				(50,009)
Capital Transactions - Business combination CGPAR				(35,389)
Amortization of fair value - investment MRS	(8,810)	(11,746)		
Others	32	3,460	4,568	
<b>Closing balance of investments</b>	<b>5,521,085</b>	<b>5,499,995</b>	<b>20,095,824</b>	<b>22,894,885</b>
<b>Balance of provision for investments with negative equity</b>			<b>(3,300,467)</b>	<b>(1,366,480)</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,521,085</b>	<b>5,499,995</b>	<b>16,795,357</b>	<b>21,528,405</b>

1. In 2018, refers to the allocation of dividends of subsidiaries CSN Energia, Itá Energética, CSN Mineração, MRS Logística. In 2018, CSN Steel assigned and paid the amount of R\$ 4,871,608.

2. Refers to the mark-to-market of investments classified fair value through profit or loss, translation to reporting currency of the foreign investment whose functional currency is not the Real, actuarial gain/loss and gain/loss on investment hedge from investments accounted for under the equity method.

3. The reconciliation of the equity in results of joint ventures and associates and the amount recorded in the statement of income are presented below and derive from the elimination of results of CSN's transactions with these companies:

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<b>Equity in results of affiliated companies</b>		
MRS Logística S.A.	140,528	146,583
CBSI - Companhia Brasileira de Serviços de Infraestrutura	3,127	1,805
Transnordestina	(16,470)	(19,347)
Arvedi Metalfer do Brasil	(3,754)	447
Others	(186)	(92)
	<b>123,245</b>	<b>129,396</b>
<b>Eliminations</b>		
To cost of sales	(31,797)	(33,463)
To taxes	10,811	11,377
<b>Others</b>		
Amortization of fair value - Investment in MRS	(8,810)	(8,810)
Others	2,561	
<b>Equity in results of affiliated companies adjusted</b>	<b>96,010</b>	<b>98,500</b>

**10.c) Investments in joint ventures and joint operations**

The balances of the balance sheet and statement of income of joint ventures are presented below and refer to 100% of the companies' results:

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Equity interest (%)	<i>Joint-Venture</i>			<i>Joint-Operation</i>		<i>Joint-Venture</i>		
	MRS Logística 34.94%	CBSI 50.00%	Transnordestina Logística 46.30%	Itá Energética 48.75%	MRS Logística 34.94%	CBSI 50.00%	Transnordestina Logística 46.30%	
<b>Balance sheet</b>								
<b>Current assets</b>								
Cash and cash equivalents	495,708	1,472	18,160	21,692	484,978	101	5,760	
Advances to suppliers	18,569	53	2,925	63	14,911	37		
Other current assets	600,707	39,579	62,604	15,568	685,311	28,475	49,490	
<b>Total current assets</b>	<b>1,114,984</b>	<b>41,104</b>	<b>83,689</b>	<b>37,323</b>	<b>1,185,200</b>	<b>28,613</b>	<b>55,250</b>	
<b>Non-current assets</b>								
Other non-current assets	732,889	1,282	226,401	26,288	693,434	974	238,000	
Investments, PP&E and intangible assets	6,398,628	3,776	8,280,447	462,855	6,277,550	2,423	7,927,880	
<b>Total non-current assets</b>	<b>7,131,517</b>	<b>5,058</b>	<b>8,506,848</b>	<b>489,143</b>	<b>6,970,984</b>	<b>3,397</b>	<b>8,165,880</b>	
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>8,246,501</b>	<b>46,162</b>	<b>8,590,537</b>	<b>526,466</b>	<b>8,156,184</b>	<b>32,010</b>	<b>8,221,130</b>	
<b>Current liabilities</b>								
Borrowings and financing	447,775	168	146,645		668,947	1,411	52,690	
Other current liabilities	1,328,939	36,094	117,405	17,731	1,272,365	25,898	113,730	
<b>Total current liabilities</b>	<b>1,776,714</b>	<b>36,262</b>	<b>264,050</b>	<b>17,731</b>	<b>1,941,312</b>	<b>27,309</b>	<b>166,420</b>	
<b>Non-current liabilities</b>								
Borrowings and financing	2,088,588	644	5,668,647		2,084,422		5,457,760	
Other non-current liabilities	558,154		96,902	14,910	575,170		43,000	
<b>Total non-current liabilities</b>	<b>2,646,742</b>	<b>644</b>	<b>5,765,549</b>	<b>14,910</b>	<b>2,659,592</b>		<b>5,458,200</b>	
<b>Shareholders' equity</b>	<b>3,823,045</b>	<b>9,256</b>	<b>2,560,938</b>	<b>493,825</b>	<b>3,555,280</b>	<b>4,701</b>	<b>2,596,500</b>	

<b>Total liabilities and shareholders' equity</b>	<b>8,246,501</b>	<b>46,162</b>	<b>8,590,537</b>	<b>526,466</b>	<b>8,156,184</b>	<b>32,010</b>	<b>8,221,14</b>
	<b>01/01/2018 a 09/30/2018</b>						
	<i>Joint-Venture</i>			<i>Joint-Operation</i>		<i>Joint-Venture</i>	
<b>Equity interest (%)</b>	<b>MRS Logística 34.94%</b>	<b>CBSI 50.00%</b>	<b>Transnordestina Logística 46.30%</b>	<b>Itá Energética 48.75%</b>	<b>MRS Logística 34.94%</b>	<b>CBSI 50.00%</b>	<b>Transnordestina Logística 46.30%</b>
<b>Statements of Income</b>							
Net revenue	2,733,791	118,260		123,731	2,588,815	102,977	
Cost of sales and services	(1,828,773)	(102,120)		(55,450)	(1,695,291)	(90,550)	
Gross profit	905,018	16,140		68,281	893,524	12,427	
Operating (expenses) income	(206,610)	(7,496)	(14,873)	(44,998)	(145,206)	(6,161)	(31,70
Finance income (costs), net	(126,021)	(56)	(20,699)	(369)	(147,755)	(817)	(10,10
Income before income tax and social contribution	572,387	8,588	(35,572)	22,914	600,563	5,449	(41,78
Current and deferred income tax and social contribution	(195,328)	(2,334)		(7,773)	(207,257)	(1,838)	
<b>(Loss) profit for the year, net</b>	<b>377,059</b>	<b>6,254</b>	<b>(35,572)</b>	<b>15,141</b>	<b>393,306</b>	<b>3,611</b>	<b>(41,78</b>

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It is in pre-operational phase and will continue as such until the completion of Railway System II. The approved schedule, which estimated the completion of the work by January 2017, is currently under review and discussion with the responsible agencies; however, Management believes that new deadlines for project completion will not have material adverse effects on the expected return on the investment. After analyzing this matter, Management considered as appropriate the use of the accounting basis of operational continuity (going concern) of the project in the preparation of its financial statements.

The assumptions used to evaluate the impairment test in December 2017 remain valid and there is no trigger to justify records of *impairment* in the first quarter.

**11. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT**

The information on property, plant and equipment has not changed significantly in relation to that disclosed in the Company's financial statements as of December 31, 2017.

<b>Land Buildings and Infrastructure</b>	<b>Machinery, equipment</b>	<b>Furniture and</b>	<b>Construction in progress</b>	<b>Other (*)</b>	<b>Consolidated Total</b>
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			<b>and facilities</b>	<b>fixtures</b>			
<b>Balance at December 31, 2017</b>	<b>279,740</b>	<b>2,796,947</b>	<b>11,985,920</b>	<b>33,103</b>	<b>2,475,935</b>	<b>393,194</b>	<b>17,964,839</b>
Cost	279,740	3,819,929	21,674,362	164,152	2,475,935	669,096	29,083,214
Accumulated depreciation		(1,022,982)	(9,688,442)	(131,049)		(275,902)	(11,118,375)
<b>Balance at December 31, 2017</b>	<b>279,740</b>	<b>2,796,947</b>	<b>11,985,920</b>	<b>33,103</b>	<b>2,475,935</b>	<b>393,194</b>	<b>17,964,839</b>
Effect of foreign exchange differences	11,261	19,114	112,060	782	6,229	4,303	153,749
Acquisitions	55	421	94,272	923	717,983	7,104	820,758
Capitalized interest (notes 25 and 28)					52,808		52,808
Write-off and estimated losses, net of reversal (note 24)		(9,606)	(16,697)	(1)	(3,079)		(29,383)
Depreciation (note 23)		(103,097)	(787,343)	(4,088)		(17,751)	(912,279)
Transfers to other categories of assets		48,617	138,807	293	(180,266)	(7,451)	
Sale of LLC	(238)	(16,950)	(145,958)	(181)	(6,070)	(21,829)	(191,226)
Transfer to intangible assets					(758)	(12)	(770)
Others					10,441	8	10,449
<b>Balance at September 30, 2018</b>	<b>290,818</b>	<b>2,735,446</b>	<b>11,381,061</b>	<b>30,831</b>	<b>3,073,223</b>	<b>357,566</b>	<b>17,868,945</b>
Cost	290,818	3,854,372	21,863,825	168,032	3,073,223	617,321	29,867,591
Accumulated depreciation		(1,118,926)	(10,482,764)	(137,201)		(259,755)	(11,998,646)
<b>Balance at September 30, 2018</b>	<b>290,818</b>	<b>2,735,446</b>	<b>11,381,061</b>	<b>30,831</b>	<b>3,073,223</b>	<b>357,566</b>	<b>17,868,945</b>

Parent Company

	Land	Buildings and Infrastructure	Machinery, equipment and facilities	Furniture and fixtures	Construction in progress	Other (*)	Total
<b>Balance at December 31, 2017</b>	<b>94,485</b>	<b>1,091,303</b>	<b>7,375,505</b>	<b>13,830</b>	<b>906,851</b>	<b>20,437</b>	<b>9,502,411</b>
Cost	94,485	1,334,093	13,159,644	96,609	906,851	118,888	15,710,570
Accumulated depreciation		(242,790)	(5,784,139)	(82,779)		(98,451)	(6,208,159)
<b>Balance at December 31, 2017</b>	<b>94,485</b>	<b>1,091,303</b>	<b>7,375,505</b>	<b>13,830</b>	<b>906,851</b>	<b>20,437</b>	<b>9,502,411</b>
Acquisitions	55	5	33,016	186	319,300	3,248	355,810
Capitalized interest (notes 25 and 28)					11,923		11,923
Write-off and estimated losses, net of reversal (note 24)		(9,527)	(3,674)				(13,201)
Depreciation (note 23)		(25,876)	(403,572)	(1,890)		(3,945)	(435,283)
Transfers to other categories of assets			22,176		(22,198)	22	
Others					8,670		8,670
<b>Balance at September 30, 2018</b>	<b>94,540</b>	<b>1,055,905</b>	<b>7,023,451</b>	<b>12,126</b>	<b>1,224,546</b>	<b>19,762</b>	<b>9,430,330</b>
Cost	94,540	1,323,764	13,210,514	96,801	1,224,546	122,115	16,072,280
Accumulated depreciation		(267,859)	(6,187,063)	(84,675)		(102,353)	(6,641,950)
<b>Balance at September 30, 2018</b>	<b>94,540</b>	<b>1,055,905</b>	<b>7,023,451</b>	<b>12,126</b>	<b>1,224,546</b>	<b>19,762</b>	<b>9,430,330</b>

(\*) Refer basically to railway assets such as courtyards, tracks and leasehold improvements, vehicles, hardware, mines, ore deposits, and spare part inventories.

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The assumptions used for the impairment test in December 2017 are still effective and there is not factor that justifies the recognition of impairment in the quarter.

The breakdown of the projects comprising construction in progress is as follows:

	<b>Project description</b>	<b>Start date</b>	<b>Completion date</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>Consolidated 12/31/2017</b>
<b>Logistics</b>	Current investments for maintenance of current operations.			104,138	106,956
				<b>104,138</b>	<b>106,956</b>
<b>Mining</b>	Expansion of Casa de Pedra Mine capacity production.	2007	2020	(1) 778,756	750,999
	Expansion of TECAR export capacity.	2009	2022	(2) 283,831	275,811
	Current investments for maintenance of current operations.			629,956	408,522
				<b>1,692,543</b>	<b>1,435,332</b>
<b>Steel</b>	Supply of 16 torpedo's cars for operation in the steel industry	2008	2019	102,745	99,483
	Current investments for maintenance of current operations.			(3) 524,926	228,029

<b>Cement</b>					<b>627,671</b>	<b>327,512</b>
	Construction of cement plants.	2011	2020	(4)	574,589	554,865
	Current investments for maintenance of current operations.				74,282	51,270
					<b>648,871</b>	<b>606,135</b>
<b>Construction in progress</b>					<b>3,073,223</b>	<b>2,475,935</b>

- (1) Estimated completion date of the Central Plant Step 1;
- (2) Estimated completion date of phase 60 Mtpa;
- (3) Refers substantially to renovation of coke ovens batteries and reuse of carbo-chemical cooling water;
- (4) Refers substantially to the acquisition of new Integrated Cement Plants.

The average estimated useful lives are as follows (in years):

	<b>Consolidated</b>		<b>Parent Company</b>	
	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>
Buildings	38	39	41	41
Machinery, equipment and facilities	22	21	24	24
Furniture and fixtures	11	12	12	12
Others	15	17	13	12

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**12. INTANGIBLE ASSETS**

	<b>Goodwill</b>	<b>Customer relationships</b>	<b>Software</b>	<b>Trademarks and patents</b>	<b>Rights and licenses (*)</b>
<b>Balance at December 31, 2017</b>	<b>3,590,931</b>	<b>300,875</b>	<b>73,185</b>	<b>134,137</b>	<b>3,172,469</b>
Cost	3,834,234	513,068	167,162	134,137	3,185,701
Accumulated amortization	(133,973)	(212,193)	(93,977)		(13,232)
Adjustment for accumulated recoverable value	(109,330)				
<b>Balance at December 31, 2017</b>	<b>3,590,931</b>	<b>300,875</b>	<b>73,185</b>	<b>134,137</b>	<b>3,172,469</b>
Effect of translation adjustment		48,908	194	23,155	
Acquisitions and expenditures			631		
Transfer of property, plant and equipment			770		
Amortization (note 23)		(34,552)	(12,831)		(2,389)
<b>Balance at September 30, 2018</b>	<b>3,590,931</b>	<b>315,231</b>	<b>61,949</b>	<b>157,292</b>	<b>3,170,080</b>
Cost	3,834,234	601,391	185,568	157,292	3,185,701
Accumulated amortization	(133,973)	(286,160)	(123,619)		(15,621)
Adjustment for accumulated recoverable value	(109,330)				
<b>Balance at September 30, 2018</b>	<b>3,590,931</b>	<b>315,231</b>	<b>61,949</b>	<b>157,292</b>	<b>3,170,080</b>

(\*) Composed mainly by mineral rights with potential of 1,101 million tons (Not reviewed by independent auditors). Amortization is based on production volume.

The average useful lives by nature are as follows (in years):

**Consolidated**

**Parent  
Company**



	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>
Software	7	8	9	9
Customer relationships	13	13		

The assumptions used for the impairment test in December 2017 are still effective and there is not factor that justifies the recognition of impairment in the quarter.

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1****13. BORROWINGS, FINANCING AND DEBENTURES**

The balances of borrowings, financing and debentures, which are carried at amortized cost, are as follows:

	Rates p.a. (%)	Consolidated				Parent		
		Current liabilities		Non-current liabilities		Current liabilities		Non-current
		9/30/2018	12/31/2017	9/30/2018	12/31/2017	9/30/2018	12/31/2017	9/30/2018
<b>FOREIGN CURRENCY</b>								
Prepayment	1% to 3,5%	3,716	2,174	592,577	489,584	3,716	2,174	592,577
Prepayment	3,51% to 8%	1,912,536	788,989	3,096,683	3,607,925	1,912,535	788,989	3,096,683
Prepayment Intercompany	3,51% to 8%					1,393,020	72,019	4,406,365
Perpetual bonds	7%	5,450	4,503	4,003,900	3,308,000			
Bonds	4,14% to 6,88%	(1) 1,957,186	139,184	4,896,574	5,612,342			
Bonds Intercompany	4,14% to 9,13%					10,155	27,450	372,363
Intercompany	Libor 6M to 3%					1,761,689	1,113,411	
ACE	3.14%	549,165	379,822			549,165	379,822	
Others	1,2% to 8%	182,992	251,630	111,708	197,130			
		<b>4,611,045</b>	<b>1,566,302</b>	<b>12,701,442</b>	<b>13,214,981</b>	<b>5,630,280</b>	<b>2,383,865</b>	<b>8,467,988</b>
<b>LOCAL CURRENCY</b>								
BNDES/FINAME	1,3% to 8% +	75,121	71,121	910,657	960,872	52,312	43,235	885,048

Debtentures	TJLP 110,8% to 113,7%	507,878	523,252	269,336	770,767	507,878	523,252	269,336
Prepayment	CDI 129,80% CDI and fixed of 8% (2)	367,981	1,789,737	3,910,918	3,378,333	300,744	1,048,204	2,523,403
CCB	CDI and Fixed of 9,12% to 11,17% (3)	876,943	2,601,352	5,963,396	4,693,000	874,429	2,601,352	5,957,024
		<b>1,827,923</b>	<b>4,985,462</b>	<b>11,054,307</b>	<b>9,802,972</b>	<b>1,735,363</b>	<b>4,216,043</b>	<b>9,634,811</b>
<b>Total Borrowings and Financing (note 14 I)</b>		<b>6,438,968</b>	<b>6,551,764</b>	<b>23,755,749</b>	<b>23,017,953</b>	<b>7,365,643</b>	<b>6,599,908</b>	<b>18,102,799</b>
Transaction Costs and Issue Premiums		(29,279)	(24,862)	(89,368)	(34,011)	(22,810)	(21,737)	(68,799)
<b>Total Borrowings and Financing + Transaction Costs</b>		<b>6,409,689</b>	<b>6,526,902</b>	<b>23,666,381</b>	<b>22,983,942</b>	<b>7,342,833</b>	<b>6,578,171</b>	<b>18,034,000</b>

(1) In February 2018, the Company issued debt securities in the foreign market ("Notes"), through its subsidiary CSN Resources SA, in the amount of US\$ 350 million, with maturity in 2023 and interest of 7.625% per annum. In parallel, a tender offer ("Tender Offer") of the Notes issued by CSN Islands XI Corp. and CSN Resources S.A., subsidiaries of the Company, having repurchased US\$ 350 million in bonds with maturity in 2019 and 2020. The Notes are unconditionally and irrevocably guaranteed by the Company.

(2) In February 2018, the Company concluded the renegotiation of its debt of R\$4.9 billion with Banco do Brasil SA ("BB"), related to its own issues of Export Credit Notes plus the issues made by its subsidiary CSN Mineração, moving the maturities from 2018 to 2022 to maturity until December 2024, with a guarantee of part of the shares of Usiminas, owned by the Company.

(3) In August 2018, the Company concluded the negotiations to reprofile its debts of R\$ 6.8 billion with Caixa Econômica Federal, referring to the Bank Credit Note, rescheduling the maturities throughout 2018 to 2023 to maturity up to 2024, with guarantee of shares of Usiminas shares owned by the Company.

### 13.a) Maturities of borrowings, financing and debentures presented in noncurrent liabilities

In September 2018, the inflation-adjusted principal of long-term borrowings, financing and debentures by maturity year is as follows:

	<b>Prepayment</b>	<b>Bonds</b>	<b>Perpetual bonds</b>	<b>CCB</b>	<b>Others</b>	<b>Consolidated Total</b>	
2019	813,270			248,185	18,596	1,080,051	5%
2020	2,044,198	3,495,209		700,959	295,059	6,535,425	28%
2021	1,444,598			1,456,859	175,337	3,076,794	13%
2022	1,452,900			1,450,000	94,700	2,997,600	13%
2023	1,216,856	1,401,365		1,449,116	56,863	4,124,200	17%
After 2023	628,356			658,277	651,146	1,937,779	8%
Perpetual bonds			4,003,900			4,003,900	17%
	<b>7,600,178</b>	<b>4,896,574</b>	<b>4,003,900</b>	<b>5,963,396</b>	<b>1,291,701</b>	<b>23,755,749</b>	<b>100%</b>

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	<b>Prepayment</b>	<b>Bonds</b>	<b>CCB</b>	<b>Others</b>	<b>Total</b>	
2019	795,585		247,394	13,775	1,056,754	6%
2020	2,964,212		697,757	171,767	3,833,736	21%
2021	1,987,891		1,454,480	171,103	3,613,474	20%
2022	2,026,174		1,450,000	91,767	3,567,941	20%
2023	822,436		1,449,116	55,100	2,326,652	13%
After 2023	2,022,730	372,363	658,277	650,872	3,704,242	20%
	<b>10,619,028</b>	<b>372,363</b>	<b>5,957,024</b>	<b>1,154,384</b>	<b>18,102,799</b>	<b>100%</b>

**13.b) Borrowings, financing and debentures raised and paid**

The table below shows the borrowings, financing and debentures raised and paid during the period:

	<b>Consolidated</b>		<b>Parent Company</b>	
	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>
<b>Opening balance</b>	<b>29,510,844</b>	<b>30,441,018</b>	<b>29,033,017</b>	<b>30,248,775</b>
Raised	2,013,443	538,771	532,214	371,000
Payment of principal	(4,142,506)	(1,528,023)	(5,320,274)	(1,652,283)
Payment of charges	(1,707,468)	(2,634,931)	(1,261,483)	(2,278,089)
Provision of charges	1,504,742	2,438,555	1,166,095	2,136,425

Disposal of LLC	(10,544)			
Others (1)	2,907,559	255,454	1,227,264	207,189
<b>Closing balance</b>	<b>30,076,070</b>	<b>29,510,844</b>	<b>25,376,833</b>	<b>29,033,017</b>

1. Includes unrealized exchange and monetary variations.

In September 2018, the Group raised and paid borrowings as shown below:

- Raised**

<b>Transaction</b>	<b>Financial Institution</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>Consolidated Maturity</b>
Fixed Rate Notes	BAYER LB/JP Morgan	January/18, March/18 and August/18	323,570	March/18, June/18 and March/19
Bonds	BONY	February/18	1,148,735	February/23
Advance on Exchange Contracts (ACC)	Banco do Brasil	April /18 and August/18	530,468	October/18 and february/19
Bank Credit Note (*)	Bank Fids/John Deere	August/18 and September/18	10,670	August/21 and september/21
	<b>Total</b>		<b>2,013,443</b>	

(\*) Loan for acquisition of property, plant and equipment, the amount in Consolidated is R\$10,670 and in the Parent Company R\$1,746.

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- Paid**

<b>Transaction</b>	<b>Principal</b>	<b>Consolidated Charges</b>
Bonds	1,132,785	602,235
Fixed Rate Notes	525,418	11,952
Debentures	499,616	74,895
Bank Credit Note	400,092	453,351
Export Credit Note	813,865	348,207
Pre - Export Payment	347,430	159,856
BNDES/FINAME	49,496	54,404
Advance on exchange contracts (ACC)	373,804	2,568
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,142,506</b>	<b>1,707,468</b>

- Covenants**

The Company's borrowing agreements provide for the fulfillment of certain non-financial obligations, as well as the maintenance of certain parameters and performance indicators, such as the publication of its audited financial statements within the regulatory terms or payment of commission on assumption of risks in case the indicator of net debt to EBITDA reaches the levels set out in such agreements, under penalty of early maturity. Until now, the Company has complied with all financial and non-financial obligations (covenants) of its current contracts.

In September of 2018, the Company has provisioned R\$32,230 in the Consolidated (R\$30,843 as of December 31, 2017) and R\$9,631 in the Parent Company (R\$13,413 as of December 31, 2017) for commission on assumption of risks.

### **13.c) Guarantees**



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The Company is the guarantor or is liable for the guarantees given to its subsidiaries and joint ventures as follows:

	Currency	Maturities	Borrowings		Tax fore
			9/30/2018	12/31/2017	9/30/2018 1
Transnordestina Logística	R\$	Up to 09/19/2056 and Indefinite	2,462,052	2,541,347	26,558
FTL - Ferrovia Transnordestina	R\$	11/15/2020	67,896	69,405	
Sepetiba Tecon	R\$	Indefinite			
Cia Metalurgica Prada	R\$	Indefinite			333
CSN Energia	R\$	Indefinite			2,829
CSN Mineração	R\$	12/22/2022	1,502,163	2,000,000	
Estanho de Rondônia	R\$	07/15/2022	3,153	3,153	
Minérios Nacional S.A.	R\$	07/16/2021 and 09/10/2021	7,173		
<b>Total in R\$</b>			<b>4,042,437</b>	<b>4,613,905</b>	<b>29,720</b>
CSN Islands XI	US\$	09/21/2019	547,094	750,000	
CSN Islands XII	US\$	Perpetual	1,000,000	1,000,000	
CSN Resources	US\$	07/21/2020	1,402,906	1,200,000	
<b>Total in US\$</b>			<b>2,950,000</b>	<b>2,950,000</b>	
CSN Steel S.L.	EUR	1/31/2020	120,000	120,000	
Lusosider Aços Planos	EUR	Indefinite	75,000	25,000	

<b>Total in EUR</b>	<b>195,000</b>	<b>145,000</b>	
<b>Total in R\$</b>	<b>12,719,133</b>	<b>10,334,149</b>	
	<b>16,761,570</b>	<b>14,948,054</b>	<b>29,720</b>

## 14. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

### I - Identification and measurement of financial instruments

The Company enters into transactions involving various financial instruments, mainly cash and cash equivalents, including short-term investments, marketable securities, trade receivables, trade payables, and borrowings and financing. The Company also enters into derivative transactions, especially interest rate and foreign exchange rate *swaps*.

Considering the nature of the instruments, the fair value is basically determined by the use of quotations in the open capital market of Brazil and the Commodities and Futures Exchange. The amounts recorded in current assets and liabilities have immediate liquidity or maturity, mostly in terms of less than three months. Considering the term and the characteristics of these instruments, the book values approximate the fair values.

- **Classification of financial instruments**

With the implementation of pronouncements CPC 48/ IFRS9, the classification of financial instruments: held to maturity, loans and receivables and available for sale were replaced by three categories of classification and measurement of financial instruments: amortized cost, fair value through other comprehensive income (VJORA) and fair value through profit or loss (VJR).

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	<b>Disclosed on 12/31/2017</b>	<b>Applied on 01/01/2018</b>	<b>Consolidated Balance at 12/31/2017</b>
<b>Assets</b>			
<b>Current</b>			
Cash and cash equivalents	Loans and Receivables	Amortized cost	3,411,572
Financial investments	Loans and Receivables	Amortized cost	735,712
Accounts receivables, net	Loans and Receivables	Amortized cost	2,197,078
Loans with related parties	Loans and Receivables	Amortized cost	2,441
Derivative financial instruments	VJR	VJR	
Trading securities	VJR	VJR	2,952
Dividends receivable	Amortized cost	Amortized cost	41,528
<b>Non-current</b>			
Loans with related parties	Loans and Receivables	Amortized cost	554,694
Other trade receivables	Loans and Receivables	Amortized cost	20,024
Investments	Available for sale	VJR	2,222,479
<b>Liabilities</b>			
<b>Current</b>			
<b>Borrowings and financing</b>	Amortized cost	Amortized cost	6,551,764
Derivative financial instruments	VJR	VJR	
Trade payables	Amortized cost	Amortized cost	2,460,774
Dividends and interest on capital	Amortized cost	Amortized cost	510,692
<b>Non-current</b>			
<b>Borrowings and financing</b>	Amortized cost	Amortized cost	23,017,953
<b>Consolidated</b>			
		<b>9/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>
<b>Consolidated</b>	<b>Notes</b>	<b>Fair value Measured at amortized cost method</b>	<b>Fair value Measured at amortized cost method</b>
		<b>Balances</b>	<b>Balances</b>

**Assets****Current**

Cash and cash equivalents	5	2,995,240	2,995,240		3,411,572	3,411,572
Short-term investments	6	902,403	902,403		735,712	735,712
Trade receivables	7	2,002,602	2,002,602		2,197,078	2,197,078
Dividends receivable	7	82,225	82,225		41,528	41,528
Derivative financial instruments	9	1,039	1,039			
Trading securities	9	6,572	6,572	2,952		2,952
Loans - related parties	8	2,616	2,616		2,441	2,441
<b>Total</b>		<b>7,611</b>	<b>5,985,086</b>	<b>5,992,697</b>	<b>2,952</b>	<b>6,388,331</b>

**Non-current**

Long-term Investments	6	8,018	8,018			
Other trade receivables	9	6,905	6,905		20,024	20,024
Investments	10	2,170,639	2,170,639	2,222,433		2,222,433
Loans - related parties	9	693,126	693,126		554,694	554,694
<b>Total</b>		<b>2,170,639</b>	<b>708,049</b>	<b>2,878,688</b>	<b>2,222,433</b>	<b>574,718</b>

**Total Assets** **2,178,250** **6,693,135** **8,871,385** **2,225,385** **6,963,049** **9,188,433**

**Liabilities****Current**

Borrowings and financing	13	6,438,968	6,438,968		6,551,764	6,551,764
Trade payables		2,933,989	2,933,989		2,460,774	2,460,774
Dividends and interest on capital	15	2,209	2,209		510,692	510,692
<b>Total</b>		<b>9,375,166</b>	<b>9,375,166</b>		<b>9,523,230</b>	<b>9,523,230</b>

**Non-current**

Borrowings and financing	13	23,755,749	23,755,749		23,017,953	23,017,953
<b>Total</b>		<b>23,755,749</b>	<b>23,755,749</b>		<b>23,017,953</b>	<b>23,017,953</b>

**Total Liabilities** **33,130,915** **33,130,915** **33,130,915** **33,130,915** **32,541,183** **32,541,183**

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Parent Company	Notes	9/30/2018		12/31/2017		
		Fair value through profit or loss	Measured at amortized cost method	Fair value through profit or loss	Measured at amortized cost method	Balances
<b>Assets</b>						
<b>Current</b>						
Cash and cash equivalents	5		1,402,224	1,402,224	393,504	393,504
Short-term investments	6		891,735	891,735	716,461	716,461
Trade receivables	7		1,925,929	1,925,929	1,898,794	1,898,794
Dividends receivable	7		42,017	42,017	1,044,242	1,044,242
Trading securities	9	6,384		6,384	2,764	2,764
Loans - related parties	9		17,930	17,930	26,701	26,701
<b>Total</b>		<b>6,384</b>	<b>4,279,835</b>	<b>4,286,219</b>	<b>2,764</b>	<b>4,079,702</b>
<b>Non-current</b>						
Other trade receivables	9		1,252	1,252	5,364	5,364
Loans - related parties	9		578,833	578,833	444,091	444,091
Investments	10	2,170,639		2,170,639	2,222,433	2,222,433
<b>Total</b>		<b>2,170,639</b>	<b>580,085</b>	<b>2,750,724</b>	<b>2,222,433</b>	<b>449,455</b>
<b>Total Assets</b>		<b>2,177,023</b>	<b>4,859,920</b>	<b>7,036,943</b>	<b>2,225,197</b>	<b>4,529,157</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>						
<b>Current</b>						
Borrowings and financing	13		7,365,643	7,365,643	6,599,908	6,599,908
Trade payables			2,289,181	2,289,181	1,787,392	1,787,392
Dividends and interest on capital	15		2,209	2,209	2,345	2,345
<b>Total</b>			<b>9,657,033</b>	<b>9,657,033</b>	<b>8,389,645</b>	<b>8,389,645</b>
<b>Non-current</b>						
Borrowings and financing	13		18,102,799	18,102,799	22,486,485	22,486,485
<b>Total</b>			<b>18,102,799</b>	<b>18,102,799</b>	<b>22,486,485</b>	<b>22,486,485</b>

**Total Liabilities**

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- **Fair value measurement**

The following table shows the financial instruments recognized at fair value through profit or loss classifying them according to the fair value hierarchy:

<b>Consolidated</b>	<b>Level 1</b>	<b>Level 2</b>	<b>09/30/2018 Balances</b>	<b>Level 1</b>	<b>Level 2</b>	<b>12/31/2017 Balances</b>
<b>Assets</b>						
<b>Current</b>						
<b>Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss</b>						
Derivative financial instruments		1,039	1,039			
Trading securities	6,572		6,572	2,952		2,952
<b>Non-current</b>						
<b>Available-for-sale financial assets</b>						
Investments	2,170,639		2,170,639	2,222,433		2,222,433
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>2,177,211</b>	<b>1,039</b>	<b>2,178,250</b>	<b>2,225,385</b>		<b>2,225,385</b>

**Level 1:** quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.

**Level 2:** Includes observable inputs in market such as interest rates, exchange etc., but not prices traded in active markets.

There are no assets and liabilities classified as level 3.

***II – Investments in securities measured at fair value through profit or loss***

During the application of IAS 39/CPC 38 until December 2017, the Company has investments in equity instruments, measured at fair value through other comprehensive income, because the nature of the investment is not included in any other categories of financial instruments (loans and receivables, held-to-maturity investments or financial assets at fair value through profit or loss).

Gains and losses arising from the variation of the share price, were recorded directly in shareholders' equity under the account "Other comprehensive income" and for each significant decrease in market value an impairment loss was recognized in income.

With the implementation of the pronouncements IFRS 9 / CPC 48 as from January 1, 2018, the equity instruments classified as held-to-maturity should be classified as fair value through profit or loss (VJR). In this way, the Company reclassified the investments in common (USIM3) and preferred (USIM5) shares of Usiminas ("Usiminas Shares"), from fair value through other comprehensive income (VJORA) to fair value through profit or loss. In relation to Panatlântica shares (PATI3), currently classified as (VJORA), the Company based on its current business model, whose objective is to maintain this financial asset to obtain contractual cash flows, but adopts the option to reclassify it to VJR, recognizing changes in fair value in profit or loss.

Accordingly, the credit balance accumulated in December 2017 in other comprehensive income of R\$1,559,682 was reclassified to the statement of income from the effective date of the new standard. With the new classification, changes in fair value are recorded in the statement of income, whose movement occurred until September 30, 2018 generated a loss of R\$ 12,417 and a cumulated gain of R\$ 1,547,265. (See opening below and note 24).



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Class of shares	9/30/2018			Sales of Shares			12/31/2017			Fair value adjusted recognized in profit or loss
	Quantity	Share price	Closing Balance	Quantity	Share price	Cash Received	Quantity	Share price	Closing Balance	
USIM3	107,156,651	11.37	1,218,371				107,156,651	10.83	1,160,506	5
USIM5	111,144,456	8.32	924,722	3,136,100	12.56	39,377	114,280,556	9.10	1,039,953	(75)
PATI3	1,997,642	13.79	27,546				1,997,642	11.00	21,974	(12)
	<b>220,298,749</b>		<b>2,170,639</b>	<b>3,136,100</b>		<b>39,377</b>	<b>223,434,849</b>		<b>2,222,433</b>	

As of September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017, the Company's interest in USIMINAS comprised 15.19% in common shares and 20.29% (20.86% as of December 31, 2017) in preferred shares.

In February 2018, 3,136,100 preferred shares (USIM5) were sold, totaling R\$39,377 through the exclusive fund "VR1 - Multimarket Private Investment Fund".

**•Share market price risks**

The Company is exposed to the risk of changes in the price of the shares due to the investments, valued at fair value through profit or loss and other comprehensive income that have their prices based on the market price on the stock exchange (B3).

**III - Financial risk management:**

The Company follows risk management strategies, with guidelines in relation to the risks incurred by the company. The nature and general position of financial risks is regularly monitored and managed to assess the results and the financial impact on cash flow. The credit limits and hedge quality of the counterparties are also periodically reviewed.

Market risks are protected when it is considered necessary to support the corporate strategy or when it is necessary to maintain the level of financial flexibility.

The Company may manage some of the risks through the use of derivative instruments, not associated with any speculative trading or short selling.

**14.a) Foreign exchange rate and interest rate risks:**

- **Foreign exchange rate risk:**

The exposure arises from the existence of assets and liabilities denominated in Dollar or Euro, since the Company's functional currency is substantially the Real and is denominated natural currency hedge. The net exposure is the result of offsetting the natural currency exposure by hedging instruments adopted by CSN.

The consolidated net exposure as of September 30, 2018 is as follows:



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	(Amounts in US\$'000)	09/30/2018 (Amounts in €'000)
<b>Foreign Exchange Exposure</b>		
Cash and cash equivalents overseas	316,370	2,845
Trade receivables	358,523	1,274
Other assets	6,052	4,892
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>680,945</b>	<b>9,011</b>
Borrowings and financing	(4,250,304)	(48,315)
Trade payables	(160,422)	(7,682)
Other liabilities	(4,484)	(988)
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>(4,415,210)</b>	<b>(56,985)</b>
<b>Foreign exchange exposure</b>	<b>(3,734,265)</b>	<b>(47,974)</b>
Cash flow hedge accounting	2,301,712	
Net Investment hedge accounting		48,000
<b>Net foreign exchange exposure</b>	<b>(1,432,553)</b>	<b>26</b>
Perpetual Bonds	1,000,000	
<b>Net foreign exchange exposure excluding perpetual bonds</b>	<b>(432,553)</b>	<b>26</b>

CSN is currently in process of redefining its currency hedge strategy. The Company began to focus its hedging strategy to preserve its cash flow capturing the existing natural relationships and the use of derivative instruments to hedge CSN's future cash flows.

- Interest rate risk:**

The risk arises from short and long-term liabilities with fixed or floating interest rates and inflation indices.

In item 14b) we show the derivatives and hedging strategies to hedge foreign exchange and interest rate risks.

**14.b) Hedging instruments: Derivatives and cash flows hedge accounting and foreign investment hedge accounting**

CSN uses various instruments to hedge foreign exchange and interest rate risks, as shown in the following topics:

- **Portfolio of derivative financial instruments**

**Swap cambial Dollar x Euro**

The subsidiary Lusosider has derivative operations to hedge its exposure of the dollar against the euro.

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Counterparties	Maturity	Functional Currency	Notional amount	Appreciation (R\$)		Fair value (market) Amounts receivable / (payable)	Consolidated 09/30/2018 Impact on financial income (expenses) in 2018
				Asset position	Liability position		
<i>BNPP</i>	01/15/2019	Dollar	16,600	66,746	(65,707)	1,039	667
<b>Total dollar-to-euro swap</b>			<b>16,600</b>	<b>66,746</b>	<b>(65,707)</b>	<b>1,039</b>	<b>667</b>

- Classification of the derivatives in the balance sheet and statement of income**

Instruments	Assets		09/30/2018	09/30/2017
	Current	Total	Finance income (expenses), net (Note 25)	
<i>Dollar to euro swap</i>	1,039	1,039	667	(229)
<i>Future DI</i>				28,503
	<b>1,039</b>	<b>1,039</b>	<b>667</b>	<b>28,274</b>

- Cash flow hedge accounting**

Beginning November 1, 2014, the Company formally designated cash flow hedging relationships to hedge highly probable future cash flows against US dollar fluctuations.

In order to better reflect the accounting impacts of this foreign exchange hedging strategy on the Company's results, CSN designated part of its US dollar-denominated liabilities as a hedging instrument of its future exports. As a result, foreign exchange differences arising from designated liabilities will be temporarily recognized in shareholders' equity and recognized in profit or loss when such exports are carried out, allowing the concurrent recognition of the dollar impact on liabilities and on exports. The adoption of this hedge accounting does not entail entering into any financial instrument. As of September 30, 2018, US\$2.3 billion in exports to be carried out from July 2018 until February 2023 are designated.

In order to support the aforementioned designations, the Company prepared formal documentation indicating how the hedge designation is aligned with CSN's objective and risk management strategy, identifying the hedging instruments used, the hedge object, the nature of the risk to be hedged and demonstrating the expectation of high effectiveness of the designated relations. Debt instruments have been designated in amounts equivalent to the portion of future exports. Therefore, the exchange variation of the instrument and the object are similar. According to the Company's accounting policy, continuous evaluations of prospective and retrospective effectiveness should be carried out, comparing the amounts designated with the amounts expected and approved in the Management's budgets, as well as the amounts actually exported.

Through hedge accounting, the exchange gains and losses on debt instruments will not immediately affect the Company's profit or loss except to the extent that exports are carried out.

The table below shows a summary of the hedging relationships as of September 30, 2018:

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Designation Date	Hedging Instrument	Hedged item	Type of hedged risk	Hedged period	Exchange rate on designation	Designated amounts (US\$'000)	Amortized part (USD'000)	Effect on Result (*) (R\$'000)
11/3/2014	Export prepayments in US\$ to third parties	Part of the highly probable future monthly iron ore exports	Foreign exchange - R\$ vs. US\$ spot rate	October 2016 - September 2019	2.4442	500,000	(183,334)	86,050
12/1/2014	Export prepayments in US\$ to third parties	Part of the highly probable future monthly iron ore exports	Foreign exchange - R\$ vs. US\$ spot rate	October 2015 - February 2019	2.5601	175,000	(155,000)	36,766
12/18/2014	Export prepayments in US\$ to third parties	Part of the highly probable future monthly iron ore exports	Foreign exchange - R\$ vs. US\$ spot rate	May 2020	2.6781	100,000	-	-
07/21/2015	Export prepayments in US\$ to third parties	Part of the highly probable future monthly iron ore exports	Foreign exchange - R\$ vs. US\$ spot rate	July 2019 - March 2021	3.1813	60,000	-	-



07/23/2015	Export prepayments in US\$ to third parties	Part of the highly probable future monthly iron ore exports	Foreign exchange - R\$ vs. US\$ spot rate	July 2019 - March 2021	3.285	100,000	-	-
07/23/2015	Export prepayments in US\$ to third parties	Part of the highly probable future monthly iron ore exports	Foreign exchange - R\$ vs. US\$ spot rate	October 2018 - October 2022	3.285	30,000	(6,000)	5,102
07/24/2015	Export prepayments in US\$ to third parties	Part of the highly probable future monthly iron ore exports	Foreign exchange - R\$ vs. US\$ spot rate	October 2018 - October 2022	3.3254	100,000	(20,000)	16,198
07/27/2015	Export prepayments in US\$ to third parties	Part of the highly probable future monthly iron ore exports	Foreign exchange - R\$ vs. US\$ spot rate	October 2018 - October 2022	3.3557	25,000	(5,000)	3,898
07/27/2015	Export prepayments in US\$ to third parties	Part of the highly probable future monthly iron ore exports	Foreign exchange - R\$ vs. US\$ spot rate	October 2018 - October 2022	3.3557	70,000	(14,000)	10,914
07/27/2015	Export prepayments in US\$ to third parties	Part of the highly probable future monthly iron ore exports	Foreign exchange - R\$ vs. US\$ spot rate	October 2018 - October 2022	3.3557	30,000	(6,000)	4,677
07/28/2015	Export prepayments in US\$ to	Part of the highly	Foreign exchange - R\$ vs.	October 2018 - October	3.3815	30,000	(6,000)	4,523

	third parties	probable future monthly iron ore exports Part of the highly probable future monthly iron ore exports	US\$ spot rate	2022				
08/3/2015	Export prepayments in US\$ to third parties	Part of the highly probable future monthly iron ore exports	Foreign exchange - R\$ vs. US\$ spot rate	October 2018 - October 2022	3.394	355,000	(11,999)	6,179
04/2/2018	Bonds	Part of the highly probable future monthly iron ore exports	Foreign exchange - R\$ vs. US\$ spot rate	July 2018 - February 2023	3.3104	1,170,045	(36,000)	22,476
<b>Total</b>						<b>2,745,045</b>	<b>(443,333)</b>	<b>196,783</b>

(\*) The effect on profit or loss was recognized in other operating expenses.

In the hedging relationships described above, the amounts of the debt instruments were fully designated for equivalent iron ore export portions.

The movement in hedge accounting amounts recognized in shareholders' equity as of September 30, 2018 is as follows:

	12/31/2017	Movement	Realization	09/30/2018
Cash flow hedge accounting	395,524	1,724,818	(196,783)	1,923,559
<b>Fair value of cash flow hedge accounting, net of taxes</b>	<b>395,524</b>	<b>1,724,818</b>	<b>(196,783)</b>	<b>1,923,559</b>

As of September 30, 2018, the hedging relationships established by the Company were effective, according to prospective tests conducted. Thus, no reversal for hedge accounting ineffectiveness was recognized.

- **Hedge of net investment in foreign operation**

CSN has a natural currency exposure in Euros substantially arising from a borrowing taken by a foreign subsidiary with functional currency in Reais, for the acquisition of investments abroad where the functional currency is Euro. Such exposure arises from translating the balance sheets of these subsidiaries for consolidation into CSN, where the exchange difference on the borrowings affected the statement of income, in the finance income and costs line item, and the exchange difference on the net assets of the foreign operation directly affected the shareholder's equity, in other comprehensive income.

As from September 1, 2015, CSN began to adopt the net investment hedge to eliminate such exposure and cover future fluctuations of the Euro on such borrowings. Non-derivative financial liabilities were designated, represented by borrowing agreements with financial institutions in the amount of € 120 million. The account balances as of September 30, 2018 are as follows:

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Designation Date	Hedging Instrument	Hedged item	Type of hedged risk	Exchange rate on designation	Designated amounts (EUR'000)	Amortized part (USD'000)	09/31/2018
							Impact on shareholders' equity
09/01/2015	Non-derivative financial liabilities in EUR – Debt contract	Investments in subsidiaries which EUR is the functional currency	Foreign exchange - R\$ vs. EUR spot rate	4.0825	120,000	(72,000)	14,285
<b>Total</b>					<b>120,000</b>	<b>(72,000)</b>	<b>14,285</b>

The movement in the amounts related to net investment hedge recognized in shareholders' equity as of September 30, 2018 is as follows:

	12/31/2017	Movement	09/30/2018
Net Investment hedge accounting	(17,911)	32,196	14,285
<b>Fair value of net investment hedge in foreign operations</b>	<b>(17,911)</b>	<b>32,196</b>	<b>14,285</b>

As of September 30, 2018, the hedging relationships established by the Company were effective, according to prospective tests conducted. Therefore, no reversal for hedge ineffectiveness was recognized.

**14.c) Sensitivity analysis**

We present below the sensitivity analysis of foreign exchange rate and interest rate risks.

- Sensitivity analysis of derivative financial instruments and consolidated foreign exchange exposure**

The Company considered scenarios 1 and 2 as 25% and 50% deterioration for currency volatility using as reference the closing exchange rate as of September 30, 2018.

The currencies used in the sensitivity analysis and their scenarios are shown below:

Currency	Exchange rate	Probable scenario	09/30/2018	
			Scenario 1	Scenario 2
USD	4.0039	3.7391	5.0049	6.0059
EUR	4.6545	4.2936	5.8181	6.9818
USD x EUR	1.1576	1.1435	1.4470	1.7364

Interest	Interest rate	Scenario 1	09/30/2018	
			Scenario 1	Scenario 2
CDI	6.39%	7.99%	9.59%	
TJLP	6.56%	8.20%	9.84%	
Libor	2.60%	3.25%	3.90%	

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The effects on profit or loss, considering scenarios 1 and 2, are shown below:

Instruments	Notional	Risk	Probable scenario (*)	09/30/2018	
				Scenario 1	Scenario 2
Hedge accounting of exports	2,301,712	Dollar	(609,493)	2,303,956	4,607,912
Currency position (not including exchange derivatives above)	(3,734,265)	Dollar	988,833	(3,737,906)	(7,475,812)
<b>Consolidated exchange position</b> (including exchange derivatives above)	<b>(1,432,553)</b>	<b>Dollar</b>	<b>379,340</b>	<b>(1,433,950)</b>	<b>(2,867,900)</b>
Net Investment hedge accounting	48,000	Euro	(17,323)	55,854	111,708
Currency position	(47,974)	Euro	17,314	(55,824)	(111,648)
<b>Consolidated exchange position</b> (including exchange derivatives above)	<b>26</b>	<b>Euro</b>	<b>(9)</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>60</b>
Dollar-to-euro swap	16,600	Dollar	(1,862)	12,310	21,210

(\*) The probable scenarios were calculated considering the following variations for the risks: Real x Dollar – appreciation of Real by 6,61% / Real x Euro – appreciation of Real by 7.75%. Euro x Dollar – appreciation of Euro by 3.25%. Source: quotations from Central Bank of Brazil and European Central Bank on 10/09/2018.

- **Sensitivity analysis of changes in interest rates**

The Company considered scenarios 1 and 2 as 25% and 50% of changes in interest volatility as of September 30, 2018.

Changes in interest rates	% p.a	Assets	Liabilities	Probable scenario (*)	Consolidated Impact on profit or loss	
					Scenario 1	Scenario 2
TJLP	6.56		(966,408)	(2,500)	(15,849)	(31,698)
Libor	2.60		(5,502,693)	(102,819)	(35,821)	(71,642)
CDI	6.39	1,238,176	(11,838,496)	(48,947)	(169,340)	(338,680)

(\*) The sensitivity analysis is based on the assumption of maintaining, as a probable scenario, the market values as of September 30, 2018 recognized in the company's assets and liabilities.

#### 14.d) Liquidity risk

It is the risk that the Company does not have sufficient liquid resources to honor its financial commitments, as a result of mismatching of term or volume between expected receipts and payments.

In order to manage the liquidity of the cash in local and foreign currency, premises of disbursements and future receipts are established, being monitored daily by the Treasury area. The payment schedules for the long-term portions of the loans and financing and debentures are presented in Note 13.

The following table shows the contractual maturities of financial liabilities, including accrued interest.





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<b>At September 30, 2018</b>	<b>Less than one year</b>	<b>From one to two years</b>	<b>From two to five years</b>	<b>Over five years</b>	<b>Consolidated Total</b>
Borrowings, financing and debentures	6,438,968	7,615,476	10,198,594	5,941,679	30,194,717
Trade payables	2,933,989				2,933,989
Dividends and interest on capital	2,209				2,209

**IV - Fair values of assets and liabilities as compared to their carrying amounts**

Financial assets and liabilities measured at fair value through profit or loss are recorded in current and noncurrent assets and liabilities and gains and losses are recorded as financial income and expenses, respectively.

The amounts are recorded in the financial statements at their carrying amount, which are substantially similar to those that would be obtained if they were traded in the market. The fair values of other long-term assets and liabilities do not differ significantly from their carrying amounts, except for the amounts below.

The estimated fair values for certain consolidated long-term borrowings and financing were calculated at prevailing market rates, taking into consideration the nature, terms and risks similar to those of the

recorded contracts, according below:

	09/30/2018		12/31/2017	
	Carrying amount	Fair value (*)	Carrying amount	Fair value (*)
Perpetual bonds	4,009,350	2,779,670	3,312,503	2,602,090
Bonds	6,853,760	7,345,854	5,751,526	6,207,946

(\*) Source: Bloomberg

#### • Credit Risks

The exposure to credit risks of financial institutions complies with the parameters established in the financial policy. The Company has as practice the detailed analysis of the patrimonial and financial situation of its clients and suppliers, the establishment of a credit limit and the permanent monitoring of its outstanding balance.

With respect to financial investments, the Company only makes investments in institutions with low credit risk rated by rating agencies. Since part of the funds is invested in repo operations that are backed by Brazilian government bonds, there is also exposure to the credit risk of the Brazilian State.

Regarding the exposure to credit risk in accounts receivable and other receivables, the company has a credit risk committee, in which each new customer is analyzed individually regarding their financial condition, before granting the credit limit and payment terms and periodically revised, according to the periodicity procedures of each business area.

#### • Capital Management

The Company seeks to optimize its capital structure in order to reduce its financial costs and maximize the return to its shareholders. The table below shows the evolution of the Company's capital structure, with financing by equity and third-party capital:



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<b>Thousands of reais</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>
Shareholder's equity (equity)	8,747,258	8,288,229
Borrowings and Financing (Third-party capital)	30,076,070	29,510,844
Gross Debit/Shareholder's equity	3.44	3.56

**15. OTHER PAYABLES**

The group of other payables classified in current and noncurrent liabilities is comprised as follows:

	<b>Current</b>		<b>Consolidated Non-current</b>		<b>Current</b>
	<b>9/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>	<b>9/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>	
Payables to related parties (note 19 a)	50,602	57,008	93,395		357,458
Dividends and interest on capital payable (note 14 I)	2,209	510,692			2,209
Advances from customers	132,751	68,521			72,890
Taxes in installments	20,720	21,551	75,510	79,242	9,751
Profit sharing - employees	120,674	42,699			73,546
Ocean freight and insurance on export of iron ore	68,197	17,894			
Provision for freight	25,928	63,805			14,334
Provision for industrial restructuring	599	1,350			
Taxes payable			8,582	8,410	
Other provisions	218,161	152,205			74,180
Third party materials in our possession	232	231			
Other payables	115,844	123,945	51,676	41,671	17,165

755,917 1,059,901 229,163 129,323 621,533

**16. INCOME TAX AND SOCIAL CONTRIBUTION****16.a) Income tax and social contribution recognized in profit or loss:**

The income tax and social contribution recognized in profit or loss for the year are as follows:

	<b>Nine months ended</b>		<b>Consolidated Three months ended</b>	
	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>
<b>Income tax and social contribution income (expense)</b>				
Current	(441,145)	(277,719)	(127,631)	(90,905)
Deferred	279,896	(132,171)	(110,329)	(37,309)
	<b>(161,249)</b>	<b>(409,890)</b>	<b>(237,960)</b>	<b>(128,214)</b>

	<b>Nine months ended</b>		<b>Parent Company Three months ended</b>	
	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>
<b>Income tax and social contribution income (expense)</b>				
Deferred	226,895	6,653	(88,734)	5,732
	<b>226,895</b>	<b>6,653</b>	<b>(88,734)</b>	<b>5,732</b>

The reconciliation of consolidated and parent company income tax and social contribution expenses and the result from applying the tax rate to profit before income tax and social contribution are as follows:



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	<b>Consolidated</b>		<b>Consolidated</b>	
	<b>Nine months ended</b>		<b>Three months ended</b>	
	<b>9/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>	<b>9/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>
<b>Profit before income tax and social contribution</b>	<b>3,589,595</b>	<b>143,733</b>	<b>990,124</b>	<b>384,398</b>
Tax rate	34%	34%	34%	34%
<b>Income tax and social contribution at combined statutory rate</b>	<b>(1,220,462)</b>	<b>(48,869)</b>	<b>(336,642)</b>	<b>(130,695)</b>
<b>Adjustment to reflect the effective rate:</b>				
Equity in results of affiliated companies	35,639	37,826	15,906	13,919
Profit with differentiated rates or untaxed	(83,917)	(44,025)	(495,666)	(76,006)
Transfer pricing adjustment	(7,141)	(10,652)	(1,757)	(3,074)
Tax loss carryforwards without recognizing deferred taxes	(17,449)	(535,589)	(3,183)	(151,909)
Indebtdness limit	(31,502)	(29,209)	(12,439)	(12,780)
Unrecorded deferred taxes on temporary differences	(2,360)	1,293	1,659	(1,745)
Deferred taxes on temporary differences	653,193	532,403	653,193	222,067
(Losses)/Reversal for deferred income and social contribution tax credits	552,675	(327,319)	(14,711)	23,800
Deferred taxes on foreign profit	(792)		(205)	
Tax incentives	7,164	4,977	(4,853)	1,267
Deferred taxes on exchange variation in equity	(43,667)		(43,667)	
Other permanent deductions (additions)	(2,630)	9,274	4,405	(13,058)
<b>Income tax and social contribution in profit for the period</b>	<b>(161,249)</b>	<b>(409,890)</b>	<b>(237,960)</b>	<b>(128,214)</b>
<b>Effective tax rate</b>	<b>4%</b>	<b>285%</b>	<b>24%</b>	<b>33%</b>

	<b>Parent</b>
	<b>Company</b>
<b>Nine months ended</b>	<b>Three months ended</b>

	9/30/2018	09/30/2017	9/30/2018	09/30/2017
<b>(Loss)/Profit before income tax and social contribution</b>	<b>3,126,953</b>	<b>(353,951)</b>	<b>810,269</b>	<b>220,734</b>
Tax rate	34%	34%	34%	34%
<b>Income tax and social contribution at combined statutory rate</b>	<b>(1,063,164)</b>	<b>120,343</b>	<b>(275,491)</b>	<b>(75,050)</b>
<b>Adjustment to reflect the effective rate:</b>				
Equity in results of affiliated companies	159,023	188,697	(393,617)	5,015
Indebtdness limit	(31,502)	(29,209)	(12,439)	(12,780)
Tax loss carryforwards without recognizing deferred taxes		(493,669)		(144,214)
Deferred taxes on temporary differences	653,193	532,403	653,193	222,067
(Provision) / Reversal for deferred income and social contribution tax credits	552,676	(327,319)	(14,712)	23,800
Deferred taxes on exchange variation in equity	(43,667)		(43,667)	
Other permanent deductions (additions)	336	15,407	(2,001)	(13,106)
<b>Income tax and social contribution in profit for the period</b>	<b>226,895</b>	<b>6,653</b>	<b>(88,734)</b>	<b>5,732</b>
<b>Effective tax rate</b>	<b>-7.26%</b>	<b>1.88%</b>	<b>10.95%</b>	<b>-2.60%</b>

(1) The Company taxes exchange differences on a cash basis to calculate income tax and social contribution on net income.

#### 16.b) Deferred income tax and social contribution:

Deferred income tax and social contribution are calculated on income tax and social contribution losses and the corresponding temporary differences between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts in the financial statements:

	Opening balance		Movement		Consolidated Closing balance
	12/31/2017	Shareholders' Equity	P&L	Others	09/30/2018
<b>Deferred</b>					
Income tax losses	1,137,234		(10,798)	(617)	1,125,819
Social contribution tax losses	406,884		(624)	(223)	406,037
<b>Temporary differences</b>	<b>(2,654,558)</b>	<b>9,662</b>	<b>291,318</b>	<b>831</b>	<b>(2,352,747)</b>
	269,899		(9,902)	3,184	263,181



Provision for tax. social security, labor, civil and environmental risks					
Provision for environmental liabilities	86,851		(23,316)		63,535
Asset impairment losses	88,433		(4,401)		84,032
Inventory impairment losses	45,814		(4,450)		41,364
(Gains)/losses on financial instruments	(912)		(3,116)		(4,028)
(Gains)/losses on available-for-sale financial assets	417,659	530,292	(547,949)		400,002
Actuarial liability (pension and healthcare plan)	273,058		(104)		272,954
Accrued supplies and services	67,716		19,938		87,654
Allowance for doubtful debts	47,216		2,338		49,554
Goodwill on merger	608		(608)		-
Unrealized exchange variation (1)	1,511,152		(382,151)		1,129,001
Gain upon loss of control in Transnordestina	(92,180)				(92,180)
Cash flow hedge accounting	134,479	519,532			654,011
Acquisition at fair value of SWT and CBL	(193,311)	(24,541)	20,603		(197,249)
Deferred taxes not computed	(212,236)		(19,809)	(2,345)	(234,390)
Estimated (losses)/reversals for deferred income tax and social contribution credits.	(4,130,928)	(1,049,824)	1,328,593		(3,852,159)
Business Combination	(1,040,536)		7,198		(1,033,338)
Others	72,660	34,203	(91,546)	(8)	15,309
<b>Total</b>	<b>(1,110,440)</b>	<b>9,662</b>	<b>279,896</b>	<b>(9)</b>	<b>(820,891)</b>
Total Deferred Assets	63,119				73,207
Total Deferred Liabilities	(1,173,559)				(894,098)
<b>Total Deferred</b>	<b>(1,110,440)</b>				<b>(820,891)</b>

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	Opening balance	Movement		Parent Company Closing balance
	12/31/2017	Shareholders' Equity	P&L	09/30/2018
<b>Deferred tax assets</b>				
Income tax losses	1,033,661		(23,034)	1,010,627
Social contribution tax losses	369,549		(5,017)	364,532
<b>Temporary differences</b>	<b>(1,973,769)</b>	<b>43,667</b>	<b>254,946</b>	<b>(1,675,156)</b>
Provision for tax. social security, labor, civil and environmental risks	215,128		(6,187)	208,941
Provision for environmental liabilities	84,317		(23,374)	60,943
Asset impairment losses	56,505		3,579	60,084
Inventory impairment losses	17,669		(1,259)	16,410
(Gains)/losses in financial instruments	(912)		(3,116)	(4,028)
(Gains)/losses on available-for-sale financial assets	417,659	530,292	(547,949)	400,002
Actuarial liability (pension and healthcare plan)	276,792			276,792
Accrued supplies and services	55,722		20,650	76,372
Allowance for doubtful debts	33,168		2,409	35,577
Unrealized exchange variation (1)	1,593,587		(482,831)	1,110,756
Gain upon loss of control in Transnorderstina	(92,180)			(92,180)
Cash flow hedge accounting Estimated (losses)/reversals	134,479	519,532		654,011
for deferred income tax and social contribution credits.	(4,130,928)	(1,049,824)	1,328,593	(3,852,159)
Business Combination	(699,383)			(699,383)
Deferred income tax and social contribution on Business	(22,609)			(22,609)

Combination of CGPAR				
Other	87,217	43,667	(35,569)	95,315
<b>Total</b>	<b>(570,559)</b>	<b>43,667</b>	<b>226,895</b>	<b>(299,997)</b>
Deferred tax liabilities	(570,559)			(299,997)
<b>Total Deferred</b>	<b>(570,559)</b>			<b>(299,997)</b>

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In its corporate structure the Company has foreign subsidiaries whose profits are subject to income tax in the countries where they were established at rates lower than those prevailing in Brazil. In the period from 2013 and 2018, these foreign subsidiaries generated profits amounting to R\$963,209. If the tax authorities understand that these profits are subject to additional taxation in Brazil in respect of income tax and social contribution, these, if due, would total approximately R\$327,491.

The Company, based on its legal counsel's opinion, assessed as possible the likelihood of loss in the event of challenge by the tax authorities and, therefore, no provision was recognized in the financial statements.

**16.c) Impairment test - Deferred taxes**

The Company's management constantly evaluates the ability to use its tax credits. In this direction, CSN periodically updates a technical study to demonstrate if the generation of future taxable profits support the realization of tax credits and, consequently support the realization of tax credits, the maintenance on the balance sheet or the constitution of a provision for loss in the realization of these credits.

This study is prepared at Entity level, in accordance with the Brazilian tax legislation, and is performed considering the Parent company's projections, which is the entity that generates a significant amount of tax credits, mainly, temporary differences. The parent company covers the following businesses:

- Steel Brazil;and

- Cement;

The deferred tax assets on tax losses and temporary differences refers mainly to the following:

	<b>Nature</b>	<b>Description</b>
	<b>Tax losses</b>	In recent periods, the Company started to incur in tax losses at the parent company level, mostly because of high financial expenses, as substantially all our loans and financings are on this level.
	Exchange differences expenses	Since 2012 the Company opted by the taxation on a cash basis. As the Parent Company have operated without taxable profit, it would not make sense to use this deductibility year by year (accrual basis). As a result of the cash basis tax treatment, taxes are only due and expenses are only deductible at the time of debt settlement.
<b>Temporary differences</b>	Losses on Usiminas shares	The losses on Usiminas shares are recognized on an accrual basis, but the taxable event will occur only at the time of divestment.
	Other provisions	Various accounting provisions are recognized on an accrual basis, but their taxation occurs only at the time of its realization, such as provisions for contingencies, impairment losses, environmental liabilities, etc.

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The study is prepared based on the Company's long-term business plan designed for a period reasonably estimated by management and considered several scenarios which vary according to different macroeconomic and operating assumptions.

The model for projection of taxable profit considers two main indicators:

- Pre-Tax Profit, reflecting our projected EBITDA plus depreciation, other income and expenses and financial income (expenses); and
- Taxable Profit, which is our pre-tax profit plus (minus) expenses and income items that are taxable at a time different from the time obtained on an accrual basis (temporary differences).

In addition, a sensitivity analysis of tax credits utilization considering a variation in macroeconomic assumptions, operational performance and liquidity events.

A significant aspect to be considered in the analysis is the fact that CSN has presented recent tax losses mainly due to the deterioration of the Brazilian political and macroeconomic environment, as well as the growth of its financial leverage. These two aspects combined led to an unbalance between the financial and operating results of the Parent company.

Within this context, the Company works with a business plan to rebalance between the financial and operating results of the Parent company, whose main measures are:

- Expansion of disinvestment efforts;
- Reduction of financial leverage;
- Improvement in operating results due to increased sales volume, better prices of its products and efficiency in controlling production costs and
- Reprofiling of the Parent company's indebtedness, with negotiations to extend the amortization periods and decentralization of debt through redirection of contracts to subsidiaries according to the nature and application of resources.

With the aforementioned measures already in an advanced stage of execution, the Company's management expects to retake high profitability rates. Accordingly, management considers that the gradual recognition of tax credits, using at first a time period of projections of less than 10 years, better reflects the expectation of utilization of the credits recognized in the Company's tax books. As a result of the study, the Company reversed R\$ 653,193 of the loss recorded in previous years, presenting until 2018 credits recognized in the amount of R\$ 226,895 in the Parent Company and a debit of R\$ 161,249 in the Consolidated.

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1****16.d) Income tax and social contribution recognized in shareholders' equity:**

The income tax and social contribution recognized directly in shareholders' equity are as follows:

	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>Consolidated 12/31/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>Parent Company 12/31/2017</b>
<b>Income tax and social contribution</b>				
Actuarial gains on defined benefit pension plan	176,747	171,473	180,834	180,834
Estimated losses for deferred income and social contribution tax credits - actuarial gains	(180,834)	(180,834)	(180,834)	(180,834)
Changes in the fair value of assets measured at fair value through other comprehensive income		(530,292)		(530,292)
Estimated losses for deferred income and social contribution tax assets - assets measured at fair value through other comprehensive income		530,292		530,292
Exchange differences on foreign operations	(325,350)	(369,017)	(325,350)	(369,017)
Cash flow hedge accounting	654,010	134,478	654,010	134,478
Estimated losses for deferred income tax and social contribution credits - cash flow hedge	(654,010)	(134,478)	(654,010)	(134,478)
	<b>(329,437)</b>	<b>(378,378)</b>	<b>(325,350)</b>	<b>(369,017)</b>



## 17. PROVISION FOR TAX, SOCIAL SECURITY, LABOR, CIVIL AND ENVIRONMENTAL RISKS AND JUDICIAL DEPOSITS

Are being discussed in the competent spheres, actions and complaints of various natures. The details of the provisioned amounts and the related judicial deposits are presented below:

	<b>Consolidated</b>				<b>Parent Company</b>			
	<b>Accrued liabilities</b>		<b>Judicial deposits</b>		<b>Accrued liabilities</b>		<b>Judicial deposits</b>	
	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>
Tax	111,909	113,451	67,138	52,542	50,650	55,285	47,752	36,709
Social security	76,075	74,522	50,098	50,098	74,002	72,542	50,098	50,098
Labor	398,952	451,173	220,927	202,104	306,335	345,878	171,050	160,603
Civil	159,054	148,212	21,245	22,752	134,111	121,742	10,941	10,527
Environmental	41,760	37,733	1,826	1,826	38,624	34,598	1,826	1,826
Deposit of a guarantee			12,274	10,029				
	<b>787,750</b>	<b>825,091</b>	<b>373,508</b>	<b>339,351</b>	<b>603,722</b>	<b>630,045</b>	<b>281,667</b>	<b>259,763</b>
<b>Classification</b>								
Current	97,115	105,958			51,148	74,586		
Non-current	690,635	719,133	373,508	339,351	552,574	555,459	281,667	259,763
	<b>787,750</b>	<b>825,091</b>	<b>373,508</b>	<b>339,351</b>	<b>603,722</b>	<b>630,045</b>	<b>281,667</b>	<b>259,763</b>

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The changes in the provisions for tax, social security, labor, civil and environmental risks in the period ended September 30, 2018 were as follows:

Nature	12/31/2017	Additions	Accrued charges	Consolidated	
				Current + Non-current	09/30/2018
				Net utilization of reversal	
Tax	113,451	15,302	3,716	(20,560)	111,909
Social security	74,522	2,168	1,411	(2,026)	76,075
Labor	451,173	19,341	43,638	(115,200)	398,952
Civil	148,212	7,060	10,665	(6,883)	159,054
Environmental	37,733	293	3,958	(224)	41,760
	<b>825,091</b>	<b>44,164</b>	<b>63,388</b>	<b>(144,893)</b>	<b>787,750</b>

Nature	12/31/2017	Additions	Accrued charges	Parent Company	
				Current + Non-current	09/30/2018
				Net utilization of reversal	
Tax	55,285	13,174	1,484	(19,293)	50,650
Social security	72,542	1,658	1,354	(1,552)	74,002
Labor	345,878	16,810	34,218	(90,571)	306,335
Civil	121,742	5,638	9,499	(2,768)	134,111
Environmental	34,598	293	3,880	(147)	38,624
	<b>630,045</b>	<b>37,573</b>	<b>50,435</b>	<b>(114,331)</b>	<b>603,722</b>

The provision for tax, social security, labor, civil and environmental risks was estimated by Management and is mainly based on the legal counsel's assessment. Only lawsuits for which the risk is classified as

probable loss are provisioned. Additionally, this provision includes tax liabilities resulting from lawsuits filed by the Company, subject to SELIC (Central Bank's policy rate).

Referring to the Company's individual and consolidated financial statements for 2017, approved on March 26, 2018, where we inform that the maintenance of the full operation of the UPV until June 20, 2018 (180 days) was obtained through Environmental Authorization No. IN042958 ("*Autorização Ambiental*" or "AA"), by means of Decision CECA / CFL nº 6,141, dated 12/07/2017, which was fully published in the Diário Oficial of the State of Rio de Janeiro ("DO") of 12/8/2017, page 13, the Company informs that it has concluded the negotiations with the institutions of the State of Rio de Janeiro and, on September 19, 2018, was published in the Diário Oficial of the State of Rio de Janeiro, the Resolution CECA / CLF No. 6,216 of September 18, 2018, authorizing the conclusion of Term for Undertaking ("*Termos de Ajustamento de Conduta*" or "TAC") between the Company and the State of Rio de Janeiro - through the Secretariat of the Environment ("*Secretaria do Estado do Ambiente*" or "SEA"), the State Environment Institute ("*Instituto Estadual do Ambiente*" or "INEA") and the Commission Environmental Control Agency ("*Comissão Estadual de Controle Ambiental*" or "ECSC"), being maintained the operations of the Usina Presidente Vargas, located in Volta Redonda / RJ. The term contemplates investments of approximately R\$303 million in environmental projects and actions in the region up to August 2024 and represents a commitment of the Company to the sustainability of its activities, with the communities of Volta Redonda and region, as well as with the generation of value to the shareholders, employees and other stakeholders.

§ Possible administrative and judicial proceedings

The table below shows a summary of the main matters classified as possible risk compared with the balances as of September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017.

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Assessment Notice and imposition of fine (AIIM) - Income tax and social contribution - Capital gain on sale of Namisa's shares	11,644,471	11,073,961
Assessment Notice and Imposition of fine (AIIM) - Income tax and Social contribution - Disallowance of deductions of goodwill generated in the reverse incorporation of Big Jump by Namisa.	2,712,197	2,623,179
Assessment Notice and Imposition of fine (AIIM) - Income tax and Social contribution - Disallowance of interest on prepayment arising from supply contracts of iron ore and port services	2,588,737	2,500,606
Assessment Notice and imposition of fine (AIIM) - Income tax and social contribution due to profits from foreign subsidiaries for years 2008, 2010 and 2011	1,922,587	1,858,640
Tax foreclosures - ICMS - Electricity credits	961,159	920,306
Installments MP 470 - alleged insufficiency of tax loss and negative basis of social contribution	732,096	704,739
Offset of taxes that were not approved by the Federal Revenue Service - IRPJ/CSLL, PIS/COFINS and IPI	1,760,480	1,685,648
Disallowance of the ICMS credits - Transfer of iron ore	522,519	499,006
ICMS - Refers to the transfer of imported raw material at an amount lower than the price disclosed in the import documentation	290,096	275,233
Disallowance of the tax loss and negative basis of social contribution arising from the adjustments in the SAPLI	510,639	491,862
		816,199

Assessment Notice - ICMS - shipping and return merchandise for Industrialization (1)

Assessment Notice- IRRF- Capital Gain of CFM vendors located abroad	211,914	203,185
CFEM – difference of understanding between CSN and DNPM on the calculation basis	305,735	290,249
Assessment Notice- ICMS- questions about sales for incentive area	179,868	170,330
Other tax lawsuits (federal, state, and municipal) (1)	2,643,539	3,065,131
Social security lawsuits	285,261	278,600
Enforcement action applied by Brazilian antitrust authorities (CADE)	101,228	98,189
Other civil lawsuits	1,230,082	1,111,944
Labor and social security lawsuits	1,569,117	1,569,712
Environmental lawsuits – ACP TAC/PAC – compliance with environmental obligations	223,249	216,878
Tax foreclosures – Fine – Volta Redonda IV	74,049	67,620
Other environmental lawsuits	128,828	117,858
	<b>30,597,851</b>	<b>30,639,075</b>

(1) Homologation to the State Treasure Office and Attorney General of the State of Minas Gerais with the benefits brought in the Tax Regularization Program - "New Regularize", established by Law 22,549 / 2017.

The assessments made by the legal counsel define these administrative and judicial proceedings as entailing risk of possible loss and, therefore, no provision was recognized in conformity with Management's judgment and accounting practices adopted in Brazil.

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1****18. PROVISION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL LIABILITIES AND ASSET RETIREMENT OBLIGATIONS**

The information on provision for environmental liabilities and asset retirement obligations has not changed in relation to that disclosed in the Company's financial statements as of December 31, 2017 and, accordingly, the Company decided not to repeat it in the condensed interim financial information as of September 30, 2018.

The balance of the provision for environmental liabilities and asset retirement obligation (ARO) is as follows:

	<b>Consolidated</b>		<b>Parent Company</b>	
	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>
Environmental liabilities	188,091	255,517	179,559	248,306
Asset retirement obligations	87,423	81,496	653	612
	<b>275,514</b>	<b>337,013</b>	<b>180,212</b>	<b>248,918</b>

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1****19. RELATED-PARTY BALANCES AND TRANSACTIONS**

The information on related-party transactions has not changed significantly in relation to that disclosed in the Company's financial statements as of December 31, 2017.

**19.a) Transactions with subsidiaries, joint ventures, associates, exclusive funds and other related parties**

- **By transaction**

	<b>Current</b>		<b>Non-current</b>		<b>Total</b>	
	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>
<b>Assets</b>						
Trade receivables (note 7)	113,274	115,388			113,274	115,388
Dividends receivable (note 7)	82,225	41,528			82,225	41,528
Actuarial asset (note 9)			90,690	111,281	90,690	111,281
Short-term investments/ investments	93,680	53			93,680	53
Loans (note 9)	2,616	2,441	693,126	554,694	695,742	557,135
Other receivables (note	3,649	3,577	126,297	30,770	129,946	34,347

9)	<b>295,444</b>	<b>162,987</b>	<b>910,113</b>	<b>696,745</b>	<b>1,205,557</b>	<b>859,732</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>						
<b>Other payables</b>						
<b>(Note 15)</b>						
Accounts payable	50,602	57,008	93,395		143,997	57,008
Trade payables	120,457	81,063			120,457	81,063
Actuarial liabilities			41,937	41,937	41,937	41,937
	<b>171,059</b>	<b>138,071</b>	<b>135,332</b>	<b>41,937</b>	<b>306,391</b>	<b>180,008</b>

	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>
<b>P&amp;L</b>		
<b>Revenues</b>		
Sales	938,286	654,103
Interest (note 25)	47,954	49,319
<b>Expenses</b>		
Purchases	(965,726)	(876,582)
Foreign exchange and monetary variations, net	16,580	(4,106)
	<b>37,094</b>	<b>(177,266)</b>



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	Assets			Liabilities			Sales	Purchases	P Fina inco (expe n
	Current	Non-current	Total	Current	Non-current	Total			
<b>Joint-venture and Joint-operation</b>									
Itá Energética S.A.				2,468		2,468		(23,576)	
MRS Logística S.A.	82,296		82,296	106,499	93,395	199,894		(736,061)	
CBSI - Companhia Brasileira de Serviços e Infraestrutura Transnordestina Logística S.A (1)	5		5	37,514		37,514	40	(129,857)	
	1,352	790,028	791,380	5,698		5,698	551	(4,903)	
	<b>83,653</b>	<b>790,028</b>	<b>873,681</b>	<b>152,179</b>	<b>93,395</b>	<b>245,574</b>	<b>591</b>	<b>(894,397)</b>	
<b>Other related parties</b>									
CBS Previdência Fundação CSN	1,829	90,690	90,690	821	41,937	41,937	6	(1,986)	
Banco Fibra (2)	93,680		93,680						
Usiminas				20		20		(382)	
Panatlântica (3)	99,384	375	99,759	18,039		18,039	857,458	(65,590)	
								(3,151)	

Ibis Participações e Serviços Partifib Projetos Imobiliários	327		327				1,559	
Vicunha Serviços Ltda. Vicunha Ind de Implementos	9		9				33	(220)
	<b>195,229</b>	<b>91,065</b>	<b>286,294</b>	<b>18,880</b>	<b>41,937</b>	<b>60,817</b>	<b>859,056</b>	<b>(71,329)</b>
<b>Associates</b>								
Arvedi Metalfer do Brasil S.A.	16,562	29,020	45,582				78,639	
<b>Total at 09/30/2018</b>	<b>295,444</b>	<b>910,113</b>	<b>1,205,557</b>	<b>171,059</b>	<b>135,332</b>	<b>306,391</b>	<b>938,286</b>	<b>(965,726)</b>
<b>Total at 12/31/2017</b>	<b>162,987</b>	<b>696,745</b>	<b>859,732</b>	<b>138,071</b>	<b>41,937</b>	<b>180,008</b>		
<b>Total at 09/30/2017</b>							<b>654,103</b>	<b>(876,582)</b>

1. Transnordestina Logística S.A: Assets: Refers mainly to loan agreements in R\$: Interest from 102.0% to 115.0% of the CDI. As of September 30, 2018, the loans amounted to R\$790,028 (R\$507,009 as of December 31, 2017).
2. Banco Fibra S.A: Assets: Refers mainly to Eurobond from Fibra Bank with maturity in February 2028.
3. Panatlântica: Receivables from the sale of steel products.

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	<b>Current</b>		<b>Non-current</b>		<b>Parent Company Total</b>	
	<b>9/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>	<b>9/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>	<b>9/30/2018</b>	<b>12/31/2017</b>
<b>Assets</b>						
Trade receivables (1) (note 7)	1,009,638	831,993			1,009,638	831,993
Dividends receivable (3) (note 7)	42,017	1,044,242			42,017	1,044,242
Actuarial asset (note 9)			79,697	95,898	79,697	95,898
Loans (note 9)	17,930	26,701	578,833	444,091	596,763	470,792
Short-term investments / Investments (2)	100,520	2,619	100,925	127,569	201,445	130,188
Other receivables (3) (note 9)	113,897	37,007	399,919	320,377	513,816	357,384
	<b>1,284,002</b>	<b>1,942,562</b>	<b>1,159,374</b>	<b>987,935</b>	<b>2,443,376</b>	<b>2,930,497</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>						
<b>Borrowings and financing</b>						
Prepayment (note 13)	1,393,020	72,019	4,406,365	4,856,104	5,799,385	4,928,123
Intercompany Bonds (note 13)	10,155	27,450	372,363	3,436,385	382,518	3,463,835
Intercompany Loans (note 13)	1,761,689	1,113,411		1,620,921	1,761,689	2,734,332
	<b>3,164,864</b>	<b>1,212,880</b>	<b>4,778,728</b>	<b>9,913,410</b>	<b>7,943,592</b>	<b>11,126,290</b>
<b>Other payables (Note 15)</b>						
Trade payables (4)	357,458	295,094	28,133	49,254	385,591	344,348
Trade payables	229,397	146,631			229,397	146,631
Actuarial liabilities			41,937	41,937	41,937	41,937
	<b>586,855</b>	<b>441,725</b>	<b>70,070</b>	<b>91,191</b>	<b>656,925</b>	<b>532,916</b>

	9/30/2018	09/30/2017
<b>P&amp;L</b>		
<b>Revenues</b>		
Sales/Others	2,444,553	2,434,367
Other Operating Income and Expenses	101,324	
Interest (note 25)	42,558	41,059
Exclusive Funds (note 25)	741	47,332
Foreign exchange and monetary variations, net		(4,157)
<b>Expenses</b>		
Purchases	(1,499,607)	(1,556,277)
Interest (note 25)	(308,309)	(384,908)
Foreign exchange and monetary variations, net	(1,412,964)	303,757
	<b>(631,704)</b>	<b>881,173</b>

1. Receivables from sales of goods and services between the parent company, subsidiaries and joint ventures.
2. Assets: Financial investments classified in current total, are investments in exclusive funds and in the Fibra Bank. In noncurrent refers to investments in Usiminas shares classified as fair value through profit or loss.
3. Noncurrent: Refers mainly to advance for future capital increases, dividends receivable and receivables from acquisition of debentures.
4. Noncurrent: Refers mainly to assignment of credits from income tax and social contribution losses with Transnordestina Logistica S.A.

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	Assets			Liabilities			Sales / Other	Purchases
	Current	Non-current	Total	Current	Non-current	Total		
<b>Subsidiaries</b>								
Companhia Metalúrgica Prada <sup>(1)</sup>	246,586	121,336	367,922	11,303	196	11,499	623,694	(48,557)
Estanho de Rondônia S.A.	16,939	3,853	20,792	2,218		2,218		(32,057)
Sepetiba Tecon S.A.	12,204	96,747	108,951	29,031		29,031	130	(60,556)
Minérios Nacional S.A.	21	45,195	45,216				23	
CSN Mineração S.A. <sup>(2)</sup>	167,394		167,394	83,128		83,128	49,460	(765,591)
CSN Energia S.A.	116		116	90,504		90,504		(180,808)
Ferrovias Transnordestina Logística S.A.		8,393	8,393		27,937	27,937		
Companhia Siderúrgica Nacional, LLC <sup>(3)</sup>	438,988		438,988	300,378		300,378	460,358	
CSN Resources S.A. <sup>(4)</sup>				836,367	4,298,260	5,134,627		
Lusosider Aços Planos, S.A.	154,672		154,672	204		204	451,553	
CSN Islands XI Corp. <sup>(5)</sup>				1,197,141		1,197,141		
CSN Islands XII Corp. <sup>(6)</sup>				1,131,357	480,468	1,611,825		
	1,103	185	1,288				171	

Companhia Florestal do Brasil Stahlwerk Thüringen GmbH			4			4		
	<b>1,038,023</b>	<b>275,709</b>	<b>1,313,732</b>	<b>3,681,635</b>	<b>4,806,861</b>	<b>8,488,496</b>	<b>1,585,389</b>	<b>(1,087,569)</b>
<b>Joint-venture and Joint-operation</b>								
MRS Logística S.A.	40,910		40,910	27,957		27,957		(253,390)
CBSI - Companhia Brasileira de Serviços e Infraestrutura Transnordestina Logística S.A. <sup>(7)</sup>	5		5	23,752		23,752	79	(88,367)
	248	673,648	673,896					
	<b>41,163</b>	<b>673,648</b>	<b>714,811</b>	<b>51,709</b>		<b>51,709</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>(341,757)</b>
<b>Other related parties</b>								
CBS Previdência Fundação CSN	1,829	79,697	79,697	336	41,937	41,937	6	(958)
Banco Fibra Usiminas	93,498		93,498					(362)
Panatântica <sup>(8)</sup>	99,516	375	99,891	18,039		18,039	857,458	(65,590)
Ibis Participações e Serviços Partifib Projetos Imobiliários	327		327				1,559	(3,151)
Vicunha Serviços Ltda. Vicunha Ind. de Implementos	9		9				33	(220)
	<b>195,179</b>	<b>80,072</b>	<b>275,251</b>	<b>18,375</b>	<b>41,937</b>	<b>60,312</b>	<b>859,056</b>	<b>(70,281)</b>
<b>Associates</b>								
Arvedi Metalfer do Brasil S.A.	2,615	29,020	31,635				29	
<b>Exclusive funds</b>								
Diplic, Caixa Vertice, VR1, BB Steel <sup>(9)</sup>	7,022	100,925	107,947					
<b>Total at 09/30/2018</b>	<b>1,284,002</b>	<b>1,159,374</b>	<b>2,443,376</b>	<b>3,751,719</b>	<b>4,848,798</b>	<b>8,600,517</b>	<b>2,444,553</b>	<b>(1,499,607)</b>
<b>Total at 12/31/2017</b>	<b>1,942,562</b>	<b>987,935</b>	<b>2,930,497</b>	<b>1,654,605</b>	<b>10,004,601</b>	<b>11,659,206</b>		

**Total at  
09/30/2017**

**2,434,367 (1,556,277)**

1. Companhia Metalúrgica Prada: Refers mainly to receivables in the amount of R\$246,586 (R\$197,654 as of December 31,2017), and debentures from the indirect subsidiary CBL in the amount of R\$121,336 (R\$121,336 as of December 31,2017).
2. Liabilities: Payables from purchases of iron ore and port services in the amount of R\$83,128.
3. Companhia Siderurgica Nacional, LLC: Receivables of R\$438,988 (R\$232,505 as of December 31, 2017), related to sale of steel for resale. Current liabilities refer to expenses with commission and logistics on sales of steel for resale in the amount of R\$300,378.
4. CSN Resources SA: Prepayment contracts in dollar and *Fixed Rate Notes* . As of September 30, 2018, the loans amounted to R\$5,134,627 (R\$7,446,925 as of December 31, 2017).
5. CSN Islands XI Corp.: *Intercompany* contracts in US dollars. As of September 30, 2018, the loans amounted to R\$1,197,141 (R\$1,058,560 as of December 31, 2017).
6. CSN Islands XII Corp.: Refers mainly to prepayment contracts and Intercompany contracts in dollar. As of September 30, 2018, the loans amounted to R\$1,611,825 (R\$1,417,099 as of December 31, 2017).
7. Transnordestina Logística S.A: noncurrent assets: refers to loan agreements in the amount of R\$576,746and advanced for future capital increase in the amount of R\$96,902. (R\$444,091 as of December 31,2017).
8. Panatlântica: current assets: refers to accounts receivable for the supply of flat steel in the amount of R\$99,516 (R\$ 109,565 on December 31, 2017).
9. Exclusive funds: Current assets: Refers to investments in government securities and CDBs, in the amount of R\$7,022 (R\$2,567 as of December 31,2017). Noncurrent assets: Refers to Usiminas S.A. shares in the amount of R\$100,925 (R\$127,569 as of December 31,2017). The funds VR1 and Diplic II are



managed by Taquari Asset.

### **19.b) Key management personnel**

The key management personnel with authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the Company's activities, include the members of the Board of Directors and statutory directors. The following is information on the compensation of such personnel and the related balances as of September 30, 2018.

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	<b>Statement of income</b>	
Short-term benefits for employees and officers	28,537	35,568
Post-employment benefits	79	85
	<b>28,616</b>	<b>35,653</b>

**20. SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY****20.a) Paid-in capital**

Fully subscribed and paid-in capital as of September 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017 is R\$4,540,000 represented by 1,387,524,047 book-entry common shares without par value. Each common share entitles to one vote in resolutions of the General Meeting.

**20.b) Authorized capital**

The Company's bylaws in effect as of September 30, 2018 determine that the capital can be raised to up to 2,400,000,000 shares by decision of the Board of Directors.

**20.c) Legal reserve**

This reserve is recognized at the rate of 5% of the profit for each period, as provided for by Article 193 of Law 6404/76, up to the ceiling of 20% of the share capital.

## 20.d) shareholder structure

As of September 30, 2018, the Company's shareholder structure was as follows:

	9/30/2018			12/31/2017		
	Number of common shares	% of total shares	% of voting capital	Number of common shares	% of total shares	% of voting capital
Vicunha Aços S.A. (*)	679,522,254	48.97%	49.24%	682,855,454	49.21%	50.32%
Rio Iaco Participações S.A. (*)	58,193,503	4.19%	4.22%	58,193,503	4.19%	4.29%
CFL Participações S.A. (*)	3,977,536	0.29%	0.29%	3,977,536	0.29%	0.29%
Vicunha Textil S.A. (*)	4,927,000	0.36%	0.36%	4,927,000	0.36%	0.36%
Caixa Beneficente dos Empregados da CSN - CBS	42,668,031	3.08%	3.09%	20,143,031	1.45%	1.48%
BNDES Participações S.A. – BNDESPAR	8,794,890	0.63%	0.64%	8,794,890	0.63%	0.65%
NYSE (ADRs)	289,629,642	20.87%	20.99%	303,590,364	21.88%	22.37%
B3 S.A.- Brasil, Bolsa, Balcão	292,401,691	21.07%	21.17%	274,651,269	19.79%	20.24%
<b>Outstanding shares</b>	<b>1,380,114,547</b>	<b>99.47%</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>1,357,133,047</b>	<b>97.81%</b>	<b>100.00%</b>
Treasury shares	7,409,500	0.53%		30,391,000	2.19%	
<b>Total shares</b>	<b>1,387,524,047</b>	<b>100.00%</b>		<b>1,387,524,047</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	

(\*) Controlling group companies.

## 20.e) Treasury shares

The Board of Directors authorized various share buyback programs in order to hold shares in treasury for subsequent disposal and/or cancelation with a view to maximizing the generation of value to the shareholder through an efficient capital structure management, as shown in the table below:



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<b>Program</b>	<b>Board's Authorization</b>	<b>Authorized quantity</b>	<b>Program period</b>	<b>Average buyback price</b>	<b>Minimum and maximum buyback price</b>	<b>Number of shares</b>
1º	3/13/2014	70,205,661	From 3/14/2014 to 4/14/2014	R\$ 9.34	R\$ 9,22 e R\$ 9,45	2,
2º	4/15/2014	67,855,661	From 4/16/2014 to 5/23/2014	R\$ 8.97	R\$ 8,70 e R\$ 9,48	9,
3º	5/23/2014	58,326,161	From 5/26/2014 to 6/25/2014	R\$ 9.21	R\$ 8,61 e R\$ 9,72	31,
4º	6/26/2014	26,781,661	From 6/26/2014 to 7/17/2014	R\$ 10.42	R\$ 9,33 e R\$ 11,54	26,
	7/18/2014			Not applicable	Not applicable	
5º	7/18/2014	64,205,661	From 7/18/2014 to 8/18/2014	R\$ 11.40	R\$ 11.40	
	8/18/2014			Not applicable	Not applicable	
6º	8/18/2014	63,161,055	From 8/19/2014 to 9/25/2014	R\$ 9.82	R\$ 9,47 e R\$ 10,07	6,
7º	9/29/2014	56,369,755	From 9/29/2014 to 2/29/2015	R\$ 7.49	R\$ 4,48 e R\$ 9,16	21,
8º	12/30/2014	34,611,155	From 12/31/2014 to 3/31/2015	R\$ 5.10	R\$ 4,90 e R\$ 5,39	1,
9º (*)	03/31/2015	32,770,055	From 4/01/2015 to 6/30/2015			
	04/20/2018	30,391,000	From 4/20/2018 to 4/30/2018	Not applicable	Not applicable	

(\*) There was no share buyback in this program.

1. In 2014, the Board of Directors approved the cancellation of 70,446,061 shares held in treasury without changing the value of the Company's capital stock.

2. In April 2018, the Board of Directors authorized the sale of up to 30,391,000 common shares held in treasury. Until the end of the program, 22,981,500 shares were sold for R\$213,494. The Company. The Company recognized a profit on the sale of the shares in the amount of the amount of R\$32,670.

As of September 30, 2018, the position of the treasury shares was as follows:

Quantity purchased (in units)	Amount paid for the shares	Share price			Average R\$ 7.86	Share market price as of 09/30/2018 (*) R\$ 69,131
		Minimum	Maximum			
7,409,500	R\$ 58,264	R\$ 4.48	R\$ 10.07			

(\*) The average quotation of B3 -S.A - Brasil, Bolsa, Balcão as of September 30, 2018 in the amount R\$ 9,33 per share was used.

#### 20.f) Policy on investments and payment of interest on capital and dividends

The Company adopts a profit distribution policy which, in compliance with the provisions in Law 6,404/76, as amended by Law 9,457/97, will entail the allocation of all the profit to the Company's shareholders, provided that the following priorities are observed, irrespective of their order: (i) carrying out the business strategy; (ii) fulfilling its obligations; (iii) making the required investments; and (iv) maintaining a healthy financial situation of the Company.

#### 20.g) Earnings/(loss) per share:

Basic earnings/(loss) per share were calculated based on the profit/loss attributable to the owners of CSN divided by the weighted average number of common shares outstanding during the year, excluding the common shares purchased and held as treasury shares, as follows:

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	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>
	<b>Common shares</b>		<b>Common shares</b>	
<b>(Loss) profit for the year</b>	<b>3,353,848</b>	<b>(347,298)</b>	<b>721,535</b>	<b>226,466</b>
Weighted average number of shares	1,366,272,877	1,357,133,047	1,375,312,269	1,357,133,047
<b>Basic and diluted EPS</b>	<b>2.45474</b>	<b>(0.25591)</b>	<b>0.52810</b>	<b>0.16687</b>

The Company does not hold potential dilutable ordinary shares outstanding that could result in dilution of earnings per share

**21. PAYMENT TO SHAREHOLDERS**

The Company's bylaws provide for the distribution of minimum dividends of 25% of adjusted net income under the law, to the holders of its shares. Dividends are calculated in accordance with the Company's Bylaws and in accordance with the Brazilian Corporate Law.

The following table shows the history of dividends approved and paid:

<b>Approval Year</b>	<b>Dividends</b>	<b>Payment Year</b>	<b>Dividends</b>
2014	700,000	2014	424,939
		2015	274,917
2015	275,000	2015	274,918
2016 (*)		2016	53
2017 (*)		2017	
<b>Total approved</b>	<b>975,000</b>	<b>Total paid</b>	<b>974,827</b>

(\*) There was no resolution on the distribution of dividends during the years 2016 and 2017.

## 22. NET SALES REVENUE

Net sales revenue is comprised as follows:



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	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>
<b>Gross revenue</b>				
Domestic market	10,916,113	8,354,389	4,117,311	3,067,989
Foreign market	8,692,589	7,330,364	3,028,884	2,472,551
	<b>19,608,702</b>	<b>15,684,753</b>	<b>7,146,195</b>	<b>5,540,540</b>
<b>Deductions</b>				
Sales returns and discounts	(172,123)	(187,349)	(53,893)	(48,787)
Taxes on sales	(2,518,626)	(1,965,528)	(927,313)	(682,082)
	<b>(2,690,749)</b>	<b>(2,152,877)</b>	<b>(981,206)</b>	<b>(730,869)</b>
<b>Net revenue</b>	<b>16,917,953</b>	<b>13,531,876</b>	<b>6,164,989</b>	<b>4,809,671</b>

	<b>Nine months ended</b>		<b>Parent Company Three months ended</b>	
	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>
<b>Gross revenue</b>				
Domestic market	10,382,252	7,762,003	3,895,896	2,914,341
Foreign market	1,504,102	1,849,463	378,993	651,146
	<b>11,886,354</b>	<b>9,611,466</b>	<b>4,274,889</b>	<b>3,565,487</b>
<b>Deductions</b>				
Sales returns and discounts	(146,394)	(185,567)	(45,702)	(56,103)
Taxes on sales	(2,317,004)	(1,753,871)	(857,634)	(631,130)
	<b>(2,463,398)</b>	<b>(1,939,438)</b>	<b>(903,336)</b>	<b>(687,233)</b>
<b>Net revenue</b>	<b>9,422,956</b>	<b>7,672,028</b>	<b>3,371,553</b>	<b>2,878,254</b>

**23. EXPENSES BY NATURE**

	<b>Nine months ended</b>		<b>Consolidated Three months ended</b>	
	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>
Raw materials and inputs	(5,276,706)	(4,012,735)	(1,872,602)	(1,440,117)
Labor cost	(2,025,346)	(1,737,857)	(700,028)	(593,324)
Supplies	(1,300,366)	(1,070,112)	(470,126)	(394,696)
Maintenance cost (services and materials)	(932,177)	(870,670)	(336,171)	(330,235)
Outsourcing services	(2,890,510)	(2,449,525)	(1,071,001)	(840,666)
Depreciation, amortization and depletion (notes 11 and 12)	(890,316)	(1,089,945)	(273,530)	(344,291)
Others	(620,119)	(356,121)	(250,161)	(144,325)
	<b>(13,935,540)</b>	<b>(11,586,965)</b>	<b>(4,973,619)</b>	<b>(4,087,654)</b>
<b>Classified as:</b>				
Cost of sales	(12,107,201)	(10,016,303)	(4,298,540)	(3,596,936)
Selling expenses	(1,497,306)	(1,263,611)	(569,294)	(414,544)
General and administrative expenses	(331,033)	(307,051)	(105,785)	(76,174)
	<b>(13,935,540)</b>	<b>(11,586,965)</b>	<b>(4,973,619)</b>	<b>(4,087,654)</b>

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	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>
Raw materials and inputs	(4,241,551)	(3,505,045)	(1,561,255)	(1,306,308)
Labor cost	(990,083)	(895,250)	(357,102)	(312,042)
Supplies	(944,901)	(795,107)	(356,717)	(301,270)
Maintenance cost (services and materials)	(497,714)	(519,838)	(178,118)	(199,009)
Outsourcing services	(1,016,523)	(863,037)	(359,659)	(340,900)
Depreciation, amortization and depletion (notes 11 and 12)	(441,529)	(497,288)	(147,551)	(157,645)
Others	(35,554)	(61,896)	(24,555)	(30,061)
	<b>(8,167,855)</b>	<b>(7,137,461)</b>	<b>(2,984,957)</b>	<b>(2,647,235)</b>
<b>Classified as:</b>				
Cost of sales	(7,518,935)	(6,439,752)	(2,773,360)	(2,432,348)
Selling expenses	(453,968)	(549,437)	(148,558)	(186,675)
General and administrative expenses	(194,952)	(148,272)	(63,039)	(28,212)
	<b>(8,167,855)</b>	<b>(7,137,461)</b>	<b>(2,984,957)</b>	<b>(2,647,235)</b>

Additions to depreciation, amortization and depletion for the period were distributed as follows:

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	<b>Nine months ended</b>		<b>Three months ended</b>	
	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>
Production cost	870,360	1,066,111	267,090	336,564
Selling expenses	4,813	6,628	1,557	2,199
General and administrative expenses	15,143	17,206	4,883	5,528
	<b>890,316</b>	<b>1,089,945</b>	<b>273,530</b>	<b>344,291</b>
Other operational (*)	71,735	33,131	47,084	11,109
	<b>962,051</b>	<b>1,123,076</b>	<b>320,614</b>	<b>355,400</b>

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	<b>Nine months ended</b>		<b>Parent Company Three months ended</b>	
	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>
	Production cost	427,751	478,665	143,156
Selling expenses	3,617	5,519	1,162	1,825
General and administrative expenses	10,161	13,104	3,233	4,274
	<b>441,529</b>	<b>497,288</b>	<b>147,551</b>	<b>157,645</b>
Other operational expenses (*)	1,488		1,488	
	<b>443,017</b>	<b>497,288</b>	<b>149,039</b>	<b>157,645</b>

(\*) Refers to depreciation and amortization of paralyzed assets as described in note 24.

**24. OTHER OPERATING INCOME (EXPENSES)**

	<b>Nine months ended</b>		<b>Consolidated Three months ended</b>	
	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>

**Other operating income**

Indemnities	37,727	5,401	1,027	4,385
Rentals and leases	3,088	1,380	2,168	461
Dividends received	8,662		2,459	
Contractual fines	446,331		446,331	
PIS and Cofins to compensate (1)	3,615	993	586	
Updated shares - VJR (Note 14)	1,547,265		129,721	
Gain on sale of LLC (note 4)	1,164,294		14,402	
Other revenues	16,920	13,328	1,764	4,110
	<b>3,227,902</b>	<b>21,102</b>	<b>598,458</b>	<b>8,956</b>

**Other operating expenses**

Taxes and fees	(15,844)	(14,217)	(4,806)	(10,090)
Write-off/(Provision) of judicial deposits	(14,704)	(4,726)	(7,534)	(3,386)
Expenses with environmental liabilities, net	(36,622)	(1,963)	(11,153)	(3,187)
Expenses from tax, social security, labor, civil and environmental lawsuits, net	(16,029)	(64,868)	24,734	(12,884)
Contractual fines (2)	(104,086)		(104,086)	
Depreciation of equipment paralyzed and amortization of intangible assets (note 23)	(71,735)	(33,131)	(47,084)	(11,109)
Write-off of PP&E and intangible assets (notes 11 and 12)	(29,383)	(21,600)	(27,519)	(1,759)
Estimated (Loss)/reversal in inventories	(3,138)	(2,684)	8,361	2,069
Losses on spare parts	(11,286)	(2,737)	(8,753)	(1,076)
Studies and project engineering expenses	(18,005)	(24,932)	(6,300)	(8,015)
Research and development expenses	(2,199)	(2,909)	(719)	(1,250)
Advisory expenses	(1,905)	(874)	(525)	(835)
Healthcare plan expenses	(80,880)	(71,521)	(32,246)	(26,132)
Reversal/(Provision) industrial restructuring	(1,089)	4,647	2,290	4,647
Cash flow hedge realized (Note 14 b)	(196,783)	(37,933)	(183,051)	(16,212)
Other expenses	(107,049)	(37,692)	(21,934)	(17,561)
	<b>(710,737)</b>	<b>(317,140)</b>	<b>(420,325)</b>	<b>(106,780)</b>
<b>Other operating income (expenses), net</b>	<b>2,517,165</b>	<b>(296,038)</b>	<b>178,133</b>	<b>(97,824)</b>

(1) Refers to the recognition of the PIS and Cofins credit arising from the exclusion of ICMS from calculation basis of previous years. With the final res judicata of the lawsuit on September 20, 2018, CSN's right to offset amounts unduly collected under these taxes was confirmed. The reported amount refers to a portion of the credits verified by the company, writ of mandamus nº 2006.51.01.020125-7 (Special Appeal nº1,241,431 / RJ) (see notes 8 and 25). The credit recognized refers to the years 2010 to 2014, arising

from the exclusion of ICMS from PIS and Cofins calculation basis, for which the Company has completed the identification of the amounts. For the other years since 2001, the credits unduly collected are being calculated by the Company and expects to complete the analysis before the end of the year.

(2) Refers to the contractual amendment with the jointly-owned subsidiary MRS, for the revision of the "Annual Transportation Plan".

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	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>
<b>Other operating income</b>				
Indemnities	14,467	4,963	967	4,308
Rentals and leases	2,788	1,110	2,048	371
Dividends received	8,091	476	2,458	
PIS and Cofins to compensate (1)	446,331		446,331	
Contractual fines	1,964		343	
Updated shares - VJR (Note 14)	1,547,265		129,721	
Intercompany debt relief	1,310,886		1,310,886	
Other revenues	5,138	5,285	441	1,491
	<b>3,336,930</b>	<b>11,834</b>	<b>1,893,195</b>	<b>6,170</b>
<b>Other operating expenses</b>				
Taxes and fees	(7,779)	(9,575)	(3,766)	(7,981)
Write-off/(Provision) of judicial deposits	(12,546)	(4,642)	(7,534)	(3,186)
Expenses with environmental liabilities, net	(23,327)	4,034	(4,038)	14
Expenses from tax, social security, labor, civil and environmental lawsuits, net	(11,877)	(38,219)	22,634	(2,972)
Depreciation of equipment paralyzed and amortization of intangible assets (note 23)	(1,488)		(1,488)	
Write- off of PP&E and intangible assets (notes 11 and 12)	(13,201)	521	(13,187)	400
	(11)	752	10,374	(4,517)



Estimated (Loss)/reversal in inventories				
Losses on spare parts	(11,286)	(2,267)	(8,753)	(606)
Studies and project engineering expenses	(16,354)	(23,899)	(6,434)	(7,546)
Research and development expenses	(2,199)	(2,909)	(719)	(1,250)
Cash flow hedge realized (Note 14 b)	(196,783)	(37,933)	(183,051)	(16,212)
Healthcare plan expenses	(80,803)	(71,323)	(32,163)	(26,174)
Advisory expenses	(1,784)	(874)	(523)	(835)
Other expenses	(82,846)	(9,753)	(21,456)	(3,751)
	<b>(462,284)</b>	<b>(196,087)</b>	<b>(250,104)</b>	<b>(74,616)</b>
<b>Other operating income (expenses), net</b>	<b>2,874,646</b>	<b>(184,253)</b>	<b>1,643,091</b>	<b>(68,446)</b>

(1) See footnote <sup>(1)</sup> of note n<sup>o</sup> 24 consolidated other operating income (expenses).

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1****25. FINANCIAL INCOME (EXPENSES)**

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	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>
<b>Financial income</b>				
Related parties (note 19 a)	47,954	49,319	17,721	14,038
Income from financial investments	82,375	131,563	30,850	34,457
Gain from derivative		28,503		10,261
Gain on repurchase of debt securities		38,861		12,116
Other income (1)	296,330	37,824	287,314	9,969
	<b>426,659</b>	<b>286,070</b>	<b>335,885</b>	<b>80,841</b>
<b>Financial expenses</b>				
Borrowings and Financing - foreign currency	(731,515)	(655,595)	(272,340)	(220,493)
Borrowings and Financing - local currency	(773,227)	(1,317,485)	(253,580)	(377,250)
Capitalised interest (notes 11 and 28)	52,808	73,955	18,323	22,710
Interest, fines e late payment charges	(66,793)	(14,252)	(62,391)	(8,480)
Commission and bank fees	(134,469)	(116,981)	(46,218)	(38,971)
PIS/COFINS over financial income	(42,958)	(16,865)	(35,383)	(3,880)
	12,944	(51,217)	(19,858)	(2,199)

Other financial expenses <sup>(2)</sup>	<b>(1,683,210)</b>	<b>(2,098,440)</b>	<b>(671,447)</b>	<b>(628,563)</b>
<b>Foreign exchange and monetary variation, net</b>				
Monetary variation, net	(21,637)	1,469	(1,815)	(2,603)
Exchange variation, net	(728,472)	207,490	(82,686)	272,528
Exchange variation on derivatives	667	(229)	(3,162)	
	<b>(749,442)</b>	<b>208,730</b>	<b>(87,663)</b>	<b>269,925</b>
<b>Financial income (expenses), net</b>	<b>(2,005,993)</b>	<b>(1,603,640)</b>	<b>(423,225)</b>	<b>(277,797)</b>
<b>Statement of gain and (losses) on derivative transaction</b>				
Dollar to euro swap	667	(229)	(3,162)	
	<b>667</b>	<b>(229)</b>	<b>(3,162)</b>	-
Future DI		28,503		10,261
		<b>28,503</b>	-	<b>10,261</b>
	<b>667</b>	<b>28,274</b>	<b>(3,162)</b>	<b>10,261</b>

(1) Refers mainly to the monetary adjustment of the recognition of the non-inclusion of ICMS in the PIS and COFINS calculation basis of previous years in the amount of R\$ 278,707 and the updating of Tax Credits. See footnote (1) of Note No. 24 above.

(1) Refers substantially to IOF and provision of charges IRRF/CSLL.

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<b>Financial income</b>				
Related parties (note 19 a)	43,299	88,391	15,903	24,331
Income from financial investments	53,572	63,380	22,930	18,699
Other income (1)	378,376	84,087	371,743	59,948
	<b>475,247</b>	<b>235,858</b>	<b>410,576</b>	<b>102,978</b>
<b>Financial expenses</b>				
Borrowings and Financing - foreign currency	(182,585)	(170,940)	(82,567)	(57,827)
Borrowings and Financing - local currency	(675,201)	(1,132,457)	(222,715)	(323,817)
Related parties (note 19 a)	(308,309)	(384,908)	(85,772)	(124,419)
Capitalised interest (notes 11 and 28)	11,923	17,800	4,394	5,536
Interest, fines e late payment charges	(3,113)	(4,130)	(2,307)	(3,590)
Commission and bank fees	(120,321)	(104,277)	(42,417)	(34,976)
PIS/COFINS over financial income	(25,449)	(13,551)	(19,988)	(2,970)
Other financial expenses	66,430	(31,350)	6,875	4,221
	<b>(1,236,625)</b>	<b>(1,823,813)</b>	<b>(444,497)</b>	<b>(537,842)</b>
<b>Foreign exchange and monetary variation, net</b>				
Monetary variation, net	(9,144)	(12,198)	(1,920)	(3,274)
Exchange variation, net	(699,988)	344,837	(25,879)	481,548
	<b>(709,132)</b>	<b>332,639</b>	<b>(27,799)</b>	<b>478,274</b>

<b>Financial income (expenses), net</b>	<b>(1,470,510)</b>	<b>(1,255,316)</b>	<b>(61,720)</b>	<b>43,410</b>
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(1) See footnote <sup>(1)</sup> of note n° 25 consolidated financial income and expenses.

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1****26. SEGMENT INFORMATION**

The segment information has not changed in relation to that disclosed in the Company's financial statements as of December 31, 2017. Therefore, management decided not to repeat it in this condensed interim financial information.

According to the Group's structure, the businesses are distributed and managed in five operating segments as follows:

								Nine months	
P&L	Steel	Mining	Logistics Port	Railroads	Energy	Cement	Corporate expenses/elimination	Consolidated	
Metric tons (thou.) (*)	3,888,265	24,891,751					(3,823,122)		
Net revenues									
Domestic market	7,610,721	672,167	194,276	1,107,657	307,750	442,965	(1,950,807)		
Foreign market	4,255,677	3,469,921					807,626		
<b>Total net revenue (note 22)</b>	<b>11,866,398</b>	<b>4,142,088</b>	<b>194,276</b>	<b>1,107,657</b>	<b>307,750</b>	<b>442,965</b>	<b>(1,143,181)</b>		
Cost of sales and services	(9,556,095)	(2,531,586)	(141,805)	(774,072)	(209,413)	(395,308)	1,501,078		(12,007,191)
<b>Gross profit</b>	<b>2,310,303</b>	<b>1,610,502</b>	<b>52,471</b>	<b>333,585</b>	<b>98,337</b>	<b>47,657</b>	<b>357,897</b>		<b>4,003,992</b>
General and administrative expenses	(718,718)	(102,843)	(26,766)	(72,805)	(21,027)	(64,662)	(821,518)		(1,707,339)
	459,533	278,171	14,724	193,075	12,944	88,747	(156,878)		1,075,276

Depreciation (note 23)								
Proportionate EBITDA of joint ventures								415,455
<b>Adjusted EBITDA</b>	<b>2,051,118</b>	<b>1,785,830</b>	<b>40,429</b>	<b>453,855</b>	<b>90,254</b>	<b>71,742</b>		<b>(205,044)</b>
<b>Sales by geographic area</b>								
Asia	18,122	3,176,157						807,626
North America	1,318,242							
Latin America	301,343							
Europe	2,569,223	293,764						
Others	48,747							
<b>Foreign market</b>	<b>4,255,677</b>	<b>3,469,921</b>						<b>807,626</b>
<b>Domestic market</b>	<b>7,610,721</b>	<b>672,167</b>	<b>194,276</b>	<b>1,107,657</b>	<b>307,750</b>	<b>442,965</b>		<b>(1,950,807)</b>
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<b>P&amp;L</b>	<b>Steel</b>	<b>Mining</b>	<b>Logistics</b>		<b>Energy</b>	<b>Cement</b>	<b>e</b>
			<b>Port</b>	<b>Railroads</b>			
Metric tons (thou.) - (unaudited) (*)	1,290,027	9,287,731					
Net revenues							
Domestic market	2,898,729	228,645	64,346	406,446	104,436	160,394	
Foreign market	1,199,959	1,430,691					
<b>Total net revenue (note 22)</b>	<b>4,098,688</b>	<b>1,659,336</b>	<b>64,346</b>	<b>406,446</b>	<b>104,436</b>	<b>160,394</b>	
Cost of sales and services	(3,379,554)	(881,730)	(46,869)	(268,036)	(69,537)	(148,135)	
<b>Gross profit</b>	<b>719,134</b>	<b>777,606</b>	<b>17,477</b>	<b>138,410</b>	<b>34,899</b>	<b>12,259</b>	
General and administrative expenses	(220,858)	(36,523)	(8,259)	(24,199)	(7,120)	(23,288)	
Depreciation (note 23)	154,186	69,730	5,597	64,632	4,315	28,215	
Proportionate EBITDA of joint ventures							
<b>Adjusted EBITDA</b>	<b>652,462</b>	<b>810,813</b>	<b>14,815</b>	<b>178,843</b>	<b>32,094</b>	<b>17,186</b>	
<b>Sales by geographic area</b>							
Asia	87	1,329,650					
North America	279,335						
Latin America	87,336						
Europe	821,798	101,041					
Others	11,403						
<b>Foreign market</b>	<b>1,199,959</b>	<b>1,430,691</b>					
<b>Domestic market</b>	<b>2,898,729</b>	<b>228,645</b>	<b>64,346</b>	<b>406,446</b>	<b>104,436</b>	<b>160,394</b>	
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<b>P&amp;L</b>	<b>Steel</b>	<b>Mining</b>	<b>Logistics</b>		<b>Energy</b>	<b>Cement</b>	<b>e</b>
			<b>Port</b>	<b>Railroads</b>			
Metric tons (thou.) (*)	3,668,440	23,015,561					
Net revenues							



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Domestic market	5,671,191	654,490	167,260	1,052,107	303,678	381,339
Foreign market	3,853,265	2,791,062				
<b>Total net revenue (note 22)</b>	<b>9,524,456</b>	<b>3,445,552</b>	<b>167,260</b>	<b>1,052,107</b>	<b>303,678</b>	<b>381,339</b>
Cost of sales and services	(7,868,000)	(2,096,787)	(111,953)	(766,142)	(213,731)	(406,870)
<b>Gross profit</b>	<b>1,656,456</b>	<b>1,348,765</b>	<b>55,307</b>	<b>285,965</b>	<b>89,947</b>	<b>(25,531)</b>
General and administrative expenses	(759,662)	(122,041)	(20,136)	(68,335)	(20,211)	(58,921)
Depreciation (note 23)	506,023	369,610	11,786	231,500	14,992	97,074
Proportionate EBITDA of joint ventures						
<b>Adjusted EBITDA</b>	<b>1,402,817</b>	<b>1,596,334</b>	<b>46,957</b>	<b>449,130</b>	<b>84,728</b>	<b>12,622</b>

**Sales by geographic area**

Asia	23,297	2,630,181				
North America	1,533,105					
Latin America	378,812					
Europe	1,891,926	159,105				
Others	26,125	1,776				
<b>Foreign market</b>	<b>3,853,265</b>	<b>2,791,062</b>				
<b>Domestic market</b>	<b>5,671,191</b>	<b>654,490</b>	<b>167,260</b>	<b>1,052,107</b>	<b>303,678</b>	<b>381,339</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,524,456</b>	<b>3,445,552</b>	<b>167,260</b>	<b>1,052,107</b>	<b>303,678</b>	<b>381,339</b>

	Steel	Mining	Logistics		Energy	Cement
			Port	Railroads		
Metric tons (thou.) - (unaudited) (*)	1,300,689	7,953,856				
Net revenues						
Domestic market	2,133,384	217,859	59,983	364,224	102,837	141,794
Foreign market	1,265,321	986,459				
<b>Total net revenue (note 22)</b>	<b>3,398,705</b>	<b>1,204,318</b>	<b>59,983</b>	<b>364,224</b>	<b>102,837</b>	<b>141,794</b>
Cost of sales and services	(2,845,261)	(718,659)	(37,239)	(242,107)	(73,661)	(150,690)
<b>Gross profit</b>	<b>553,444</b>	<b>485,659</b>	<b>22,744</b>	<b>122,117</b>	<b>29,176</b>	<b>(8,896)</b>
General and administrative expenses	(253,118)	(40,044)	(5,888)	(21,450)	(6,894)	(20,109)
Depreciation (note 23)	164,760	122,498	3,950	63,239	4,997	29,745
Proportionate EBITDA of joint ventures						
<b>Adjusted EBITDA</b>	<b>465,086</b>	<b>568,113</b>	<b>20,806</b>	<b>163,906</b>	<b>27,279</b>	<b>740</b>

**Sales by geographic area**

Asia	18,507	961,427				
North America	528,444					
Latin America	129,558					
Europe	582,712	23,255				
Others	6,100	1,777				
<b>Foreign market</b>	<b>1,265,321</b>	<b>986,459</b>				
<b>Domestic market</b>	<b>2,133,384</b>	<b>217,859</b>	<b>59,983</b>	<b>364,224</b>	<b>102,837</b>	<b>141,794</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,398,705</b>	<b>1,204,318</b>	<b>59,983</b>	<b>364,224</b>	<b>102,837</b>	<b>141,794</b>

(\*) The ore sales volumes presented in this note take into consideration Company sales and the interest in its subsidiaries and joint ventures.

- **Adjusted EBITDA**

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Adjusted EBITDA is the principal measurement through which the chief operating decision maker assesses the segment performance and the capacity to generate recurring operating cash, consisting of profit for the year less net finance income (expenses), income tax and social contribution, depreciation and amortization, equity in results, results of discontinued operations and other operating income (expenses), plus the proportionate EBITDA of joint ventures.

Even though it is an indicator used in segment measurement, EBITDA is not a measurement recognized by accounting practices adopted in Brazil or IFRS, it does not have a standard definition, and may not be comparable with measurements using similar names provided by other companies.

As required by IFRS 8, the table below shows the reconciliation of the measurement used by the chief operating decision maker with the results determined using the accounting practices:

	<b>Nine months ended</b>		<b>Consolidated Three months ended</b>	
	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>09/30/2017</b>
Net income (loss) for the year	3,428,346	(266,157)	752,164	256,184
Depreciation/Amortization/Depletion (note 23)	890,316	1,089,945	273,530	344,291
Income tax and social contribution (note 16)	161,249	409,890	237,960	128,214
Financial income (expenses) (note 25)	2,005,993	1,603,640	423,225	277,797
<b>EBITDA</b>	<b>6,485,904</b>	<b>2,837,318</b>	<b>1,686,879</b>	<b>1,006,486</b>
Other operating income (expenses) (note 24)	(2,517,165)	296,038	(178,133)	97,824
Equity in results of affiliated companies	(96,010)	(98,500)	(43,846)	(38,002)
Proportionate EBITDA of joint ventures	415,455	406,247	162,118	146,613
<b>Adjusted EBITDA (*)</b>	<b>4,288,184</b>	<b>3,441,103</b>	<b>1,627,018</b>	<b>1,212,921</b>

(\*) The Company discloses its adjusted EBITDA net of its share of investments and other operating income (expenses) because it understands that these should not be considered in the calculation of recurring operating cash generation.

## **27. INSURANCE**

Aiming to properly mitigate risk and in view of the nature of its operations, the Company and its subsidiaries have taken out several different types of insurance policies. Such policies are contracted in line with the Risk Management policy and are similar to the insurance taken out by other companies operating in the same lines of business as CSN and its subsidiaries. The risks covered under such policies include the following: Domestic Transportation, International Transportation, Life and Casualty, Health, Vehicles Fleet, D&O (Civil Liability Insurance for Directors and Officers), General Civil Liability, Engineering Risks, Named Peril, Export Credit, Surety Bond and Port Operator's Civil Liability.

In 2017, after negotiation with insurers and reinsurers in Brazil and abroad, an insurance policy was issued for the contracting of a policy of Operational Risk of Property Damages and Loss of Profits, with effect from September 30, 2017 to March 31, 2019. Under the insurance policy, the LMI (Maximum Limit of Indemnity) is US\$600 million and deductibles in the amount of US\$385 million for material damages and 45 days for loss of profits and covers the following Company's units and subsidiaries: Presidente Vargas Steelworks, CSN Mineração and Sepetiba Tecon. Management understands that the policies covers its assets and the risks to which the Company is subject.

## **28. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION TO CASH FLOWS**

The following table provides additional information on transactions related to the statement of cash flows:

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	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>Consolidated 12/31/2017</b>	<b>09/30/2018</b>	<b>Parent Company 12/31/2017</b>
Income tax and social contribution paid	201,124	268,847		
Addition to PP&E with interest capitalization (notes 11 and 25)	52,808	91,957	11,923	21,308
Acquisition of fixed assets through loan	10,670	4,265	1,746	
Capitalization with advance to future capital increase		20,264	36,214	80,686
	<b>264,602</b>	<b>385,333</b>	<b>49,883</b>	<b>101,994</b>

**29. STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME**

	<b>Nine months ended</b>	
	<b>9/30/2018</b>	<b>9/30/2017</b>
<b>(Loss)/ Profit for the period</b>	<b>3,428,346</b>	<b>(266,150)</b>
<b>Other comprehensive income</b>		
<b>Items that will not be subsequently reclassified to the statement of income</b>		
Actuarial (loss) gain the defined benefit plan from investments in subsidiaries, net of taxes	89	8
	<b>89</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>Items that could be subsequently reclassified to the statement of income</b>		
Cumulative translation adjustments for the period	(17,175)	82,130
Fair Value through other comprehensive income	(1,559,680)	614,540
(Loss) / gain on the percentage change in investments	(105)	2,810
(Loss)/gain on cash flow hedge accounting	(1,724,818)	134,370

Realization of cash flow hedge accounting reclassified to income statement	196,783	37,93
(Loss)/gain on investments hedge of investments in subsidiaries		
(Loss)/gain on foreign net investment hedge	(32,196)	(23,59)
(Loss)/gain on business combination	(651)	
	<b>(3,137,842)</b>	<b>848,19</b>
	<b>(3,137,753)</b>	<b>848,28</b>
<b>Total comprehensive income for period</b>	<b>290,593</b>	<b>582,12</b>
<b>Attributable to:</b>		
Controlling Shareholders	216,095	500,98
Non-controlling Shareholders	74,498	81,14
	<b>290,593</b>	<b>582,12</b>

### 30. INDEPENDENT INVESTIGATION – CONSTRUCTION OF THE LONG STEEL PLANT

Considering the information from a Company's officer published in the press in April 2017, based on testimonials made before the Court, the Audit Committee decided to hire a specialized forensic service to conduct an independent external investigation of the contractual relationship related to the construction of CSN's Long Steel Plant (contract in which there would have been alleged undue payments, as bonus, as a form of reimbursement for payments made to political parties), and to analyze the extent of the business relationships between the contracting parties. The conclusion of the investigation is that nothing from the testimonials referred to above was confirmed, and there are no contingencies deriving from the matters investigated. Consequently, the Company understands that there is no basis to justify the setting up of a provision for losses or the disclosure of a contingency. In October 2017, complying with a determination of the Supreme Federal Court, the Federal Police started an investigation of the facts reported in those testimonials previously mentioned. Subsequently, in February 2018, the Second Panel of the Federal Supreme Court determined that the examination of the facts should occur within the scope of the Electoral Justice rather than the Common Federal Justice. At the moment, the decision of Supreme Federal Court is awaited to send the case to the Electoral Court.

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**COMMENTS ON THE PERFORMANCE OF BUSINESS PROJECTIONS**

**1) Projections**

The Company clarifies that the information disclosed in this item represents a mere estimate, hypothetical data and cannot be interpreted as a promise of performance by the Company and/or its Management. The projections listed below include market variables that are not under the Company's control and, therefore, may change.

## **a) Purpose of Projection**



CSN estimates a Net Revenue of R\$22.2 billion for 2018.

CSN estimates an adjusted annualized EBTIDA close to R\$5.6 billion for 2018.

CSN estimates a leverage measured by the ratio of net debt to adjusted EBITDA close to 3.5 times over a 9 to 12 months.

**b) Period and validity term of the projection.**

For the year 2018, is projected Net Revenue of R\$22.2 billion, an adjusted EBITDA close to R\$5.6 billion. In turn, the validity term of the presented projection ends with the results being disclosed for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2018, that will be available to the market within the period established by the local authority.

From 2018 to 2019, CSN estimates a leverage measured by the ratio of net debt to adjusted EBTIDA close to 3.5 times, that will be available to the market at the end of the first half of 2019.

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**c) Assumptions of the projection, indicating which can be influenced by the issuer's management and which are beyond its control.**

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All assumptions mentioned below are subject to the influence of external variables, which are beyond the control of the Company's management. Therefore, in case of relevant changes in these assumptions, the Company may revise its estimates mentioned below, modifying them in comparison with those originally presented.

#### Net Revenue

The assumptions used to project the estimated Net Revenue for 2018 is 20% above when compared to the previous year.

#### Adjusted EBITDA

The assumptions used to project the adjusted EBITDA 20% above in 2018, consider the best average prices for flat and long steel in the domestic and foreign markets, as well as the higher sales volume, highlighting the allocation of goods to the domestic market focusing on better operational margins. In relation to the mining, our estimate is that the price levels (Platts) of iron ore will remain the same in 2018 when compared to the previous year.

#### Leverage 9 to 12 months

The assumptions used for the leverage measured by the ratio of net debt to adjusted EBITDA close to 3.5 times over a 9 to 12 months, is based on an increase of the adjusted EBITDA in 2018 and 2019, resulting in a higher generation of free cash flow and lower net debt, leading to a substantial reduction of the indicator.

### **d) Values of the indicators that are subject of the forecast.**

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<b>Net Revenue</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018 E</b>	<b>2019 E</b>
Estimated	n.a.	18,000	22,230	n.a.
Reached	17,149	18,525	n.a.	n.a.
Variation %	-	3%	-	-
<b>Adjusted EBITDA</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018 E</b>	<b>2019 E</b>
Estimated	n.a.	5,000	5,574	n.a.
Reached	4,075	4,645	n.a.	n.a.
Variation %	-	-7%	-	-
<b>Leverage</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018 E</b>	<b>2019 E</b>
Estimated	n.a.	5.00x	n.a.	3.50x
Reached	6.32x	5.66x	n.a.	n.a.
Variation %	n.a.	13%	n.a.	n.a.

\*E = estimated

\*\*n.a = not evaluated or estimated

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**If the issuer has disclosed, in the last 3 fiscal years, projections over the progress of its indicators:**

**a) In the form, inform which were being replaced by new projections and which were being repeated.**

There are no new projections.

Estimates have been kept:

CSN estimates a Net Revenue of R\$22.2 billion for 2018.

CSN estimates an adjusted annualized EBTIDA close to R\$5.6 billion for 2018. Estimates maintained:

CSN estimates a leverage measured by the ratio of net debt to adjusted EBITDA close to 3.5 times over a 9 to 12 months.

**b) In relation to the projections for periods that have already occurred, compare the projection data with the performance indicators, clearly indicating the reasons that led to deviations in the projections.**

b) In relation to the projections for periods that have already occurred, compare the projection data with 2016 perform

In 2017, Net Revenue was 3% higher than the previous estimate, due to the better steel prices.

In 2017, the Adjusted EBITDA was 7% lower than the previous estimate, due to the fact that mining presented an adjusted EBITDA lower than expected in 4Q17.

In 2017, leverage was 13% higher than expected, due to the lower Adjusted EBITDA and exchange-rate appreciation that affected our dollar-debt position, resulting in an above average leverage ratio.

**c) In relation to the projections for periods still in progress, inform if the projections remain valid on the date of delivery the form and, when applicable, explain why they were abandoned or replaced.**

Estimates in progress:

CSN estimates a leverage measured by the ratio of net debt to adjusted EBITDA close to 3.5 times over a 9 to 12 months.

**Follow-up and changes to projections disclosed**

The result of the second quarter does not bring any material variation to the results projections previously presented for the year 2018 and 2019, which can therefore be maintained.

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**Independent Auditor’s Report on Review of the Interim Financial Information**

To the

Shareholders, Directors and Management of

**Companhia Siderúrgica Nacional**

São Paulo – SP

**Introduction**

We have reviewed the accompanying individual and consolidated interim financial information of Companhia Siderúrgica Nacional (“Company”), identified as Parent and Consolidated, respectively, included in the Interim Financial Information Form (ITR) for the quarter ended September 30, 2018, which comprises the balance sheet as at September 30, 2018 and the related statement of profit and loss and statement of comprehensive income (loss) for the three- and nine-month periods then ended, and the statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the nine-month period then ended, including a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory notes.

Management is responsible for the preparation of the individual and consolidated interim financial information in accordance with Technical Pronouncement CPC 21 (R1) - Interim Financial Reporting and IAS 34 - Interim Financial Reporting, issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB), as well as for the presentation of such information in accordance with the standards issued by the Brazilian Securities and Exchange Commission (CVM) applicable to the preparation of Interim Financial Information (ITR). Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on this interim financial information based on our review.

**Scope of review**

We conducted our review in accordance with Brazilian and international standards on review of interim financial information (NBC TR 2410 - Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity and ISRE 2410 - Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity, respectively). A review of interim financial information consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with the standards on auditing and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

#### Conclusion on the individual and consolidated interim financial information

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying individual and consolidated interim financial information included in the Interim Financial Information Form (ITR) referred to above is not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with CPC 21 (R1) and IAS 34 applicable to the preparation of interim financial information and presented in accordance with the standards issued by the Brazilian Securities and Exchange Commission (CVM).

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**Emphasis of matter**

**Ability of the jointly-controlled subsidiary Transnordestina Logística S.A. to continue as a going concern**

We draw attention to Note 10.c) to the interim financial information, which describes the percentage of completion of the new railway network by the jointly-controlled subsidiary Transnordestina Logística S.A. (TLSA), currently under construction and originally scheduled to be completed by January 2017, is currently being revised and discussed by the relevant regulatory bodies. The completion of the work under the project (and consequent start of operations) is contingent upon receiving ongoing financial contribution from TLSA's shareholders and third parties. These events and conditions, together with other issues described in note 10.c) to the financial statements, indicate the existence of significant uncertainty that may raise significant doubt as to TLSA's ability to continue as a going concern. Our conclusion is not qualified regarding this matter.

**Other matters**

**Interim statements of value added**

We have also reviewed the individual and consolidated statements of value added (DVA) for the nine-month period ended September 30, 2018, prepared under the responsibility of the Company's management, the presentation of which is required by the standards issued by the Brazilian Securities and Exchange Commission (CVM) applicable to the preparation of interim financial information and considered supplemental information by IFRS, which does not require the presentation of a DVA. This interim financial information was subject to the same review procedures described above and, based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that it was not fairly presented, in all material respects, in relation to the individual and consolidated interim financial information taken as a whole.

São Paulo, November 07, 2018

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**Opinions and Statements / Officers Statement on the Financial Statements**

As Executive Officers of Companhia Siderúrgica Nacional, we declare pursuant to Article 25, paragraph 1º, item VI of CVM Instruction 480, of December 7, 2009, as amended, that we reviewed, discussed and agreed with the Company's Financial Statements for the quarter ended September 30,2018.

São Paulo, November 07<sup>th</sup>, 2018.

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**Opinions and Statements / Officers Statement on Auditor's Report**

As Executive Officers of Companhia Siderúrgica Nacional, we declare pursuant to Article 25, paragraph 1º, item V of CVM Instruction 480, of December 7, 2009, as amended, that we reviewed, discussed and agreed with the opinion expressed on the Independent Auditors' Report related to the Company's Financial Statements for the quarter ended September 30, 2018.

São Paulo, November 07<sup>th</sup>, 2018.

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