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#### SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

#### 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 May, 2016 Commission File Number 1-14732

### 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, 20° andar São Paulo, SP, Brazil 04538-132

(Address of principal executive office)

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#### **Company Information / Capital Breakdown**

Number of Shares	Current Quarter
(Units)	03/31/2016
Paid-in Capital	
Common	1,387,524,047
Preferred	0
Total	1,387,524,047
Treasury Shares	
Common	30,391,000
Preferred	0
Total	30,391,000
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# Parent Company Statements / Balance Sheet - Assets (R\$ thousand)

			<b>YDT Previous</b>
Code	Description	<b>Current Quarter</b>	Year
		03/31/2016	12/31/2015
1	Total assets	43,534,593	45,605,526
1.01	Current assets	7,950,527	8,842,440
1.01.01	Cash and cash equivalents	1,155,182	1,885,199
1.01.02	Financial investments	764,132	763,599
1.01.02.02	Financial investments measured at amortized cost	764,132	763,599
1.01.03	Trade receivables	2,422,426	2,467,523
1.01.04	Inventories	2,834,277	2,850,744
1.01.08	Other current assets	774,510	875,375
1.02	Non-current assets	35,584,066	36,763,086
1.02.01	Long-term receivables	4,484,392	4,510,431
1.02.01.06	Deferred taxes	3,199,630	3,228,961
1.02.01.09	Other non-current assets	1,284,762	1,281,470
1.02.02	Investments	22,042,470	23,323,565
1.02.03	Property, plant and equipment	8,995,809	8,866,348
1.02.04	Intangible assets	61,395	62,742

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

			YDT
		Current	
Code	Description	Quarter	Year
		03/31/2016	12/31/2015
2	Total liabilities	43,534,593	45,605,526
2.01	Current liabilities	4,016,450	4,272,372
2.01.01	Payroll and related taxes	128,882	141,496
2.01.02	Trade payables	738,848	742,364
2.01.03	Taxes payable	66,023	5,814
2.01.04	Borrowings and financing	2,536,813	2,879,073
2.01.05	Other payables	456,961	411,699
2.01.06	Provisions	88,923	91,926
2.01.06.01	Provision for tax, social security, labor and civil risks	88,923	91,926
2.02	Non-current liabilities	, ,	33,668,407
2.02.01	Borrowings and financing	29,552,923	31,109,017
2.02.02	Other payables	109,836	126,450
2.02.04	Provisions	2,612,191	2,432,940
2.02.04.01	Provision for tax, social security, labor and civil risks	589,243	,
2.02.04.02	Other provisions	2,022,948	1,868,568
	3 Provision for environmental liabilities and decommissioning of assets	261,629	259,115
2.02.04.02.0	4Pension and healthcare plan	514,367	514,367
2.02.04.02.0	5 Provision for losses on investments	1,246,952	1,095,086
2.03	Consolidated Shareholders' equity	7,243,193	7,664,747
2.03.01	Issued capital	4,540,000	4,540,000
2.03.02	Capital reserves	30	30
2.03.04	Earnings reserves	2,104,804	2,104,804
2.03.04.01	Legal reserve	424,536	424,536
2.03.04.02	Statutory reserve	1,895,494	1,895,494
2.03.04.04	Earnings reserves to realize	23,750	23,750
2.03.04.09	Treasury shares	-238,976	-238,976
2.03.05	Profit/Losses	-836,690	0
2.03.08	Other comprehensive income	1,435,049	1,019,913

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# Parent Company Statements / Statements of Income (R\$ thousand)

(Hip thousand)		Current Quarter	YTD Previous Year
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Code	Description	03/31/2016	03/31/2015
3.01	Net revenue from sales and/or services	1,977,640	3,058,032
3.02	Cost of sales and/or services	-1,638,396	-2,189,432
3.03	Gross profit	339,244	868,600
3.04	Operating expenses/income	-878,674	1,014,030
3.04.01	Selling expenses	-168,633	-145,918
3.04.02	General and administrative expenses	-123,260	-84,564
3.04.04	Other operating income	2,840	3,722
3.04.05	Other operating expenses	-102,542	-201,760
3.04.06	Equity in income of affiliates	-487,079	1,442,550
3.05	Profit before finance income (costs) and taxes	-539,430	1,882,630
3.06	Finance income (costs)	-267,878	-2,028,355
3.06.01	Finance income	18,429	494,693
3.06.02	Finance costs	-286,307	-2,523,048
3.06.02.01	Net exchange difference on financial instruments	1,043,124	-1,659,972
3.06.02.02	Finance costs	-1,329,431	-863,076
3.07	Profit (loss) before taxes on income	-807,308	-145,725
3.08	Income tax and social contribution	-29,382	537,781
3.09	Profit (loss) from continuing operations	-836,690	392,056
3.11	Profit (loss) for the year	-836,690	392,056
3.99	Earnings per share - (R\$/share)	555,555	
3.99.01	Basic earnings per share		
3.99.01.01	Common shares	0.61651	0.28887
3.99.02	Diluted earnings per share	3.31001	0.20007
3.99.02.01	Common shares	0.61651	0.28887
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		Curre <b>Pit</b> e Quarter 01/01/ <b>2011/6</b> 1/	Year
Codo	Description	to	to
Code	Description	3/31/203/61/	
4.01	Profit for the year	-836,69 <b>3</b> 9	,
4.02	Other comprehensive income	415,13 <b>6</b> 6	3,013
4.02.01	Actuarial (losses) gains on defined benefit plan from investments in subsidiarie	s 85	125
4.02.02	Cumulative translation adjustments for the year	-183,28 <b>6</b> 7	6,771
4.02.03	Available-for-sale assets	32,35 <b>3</b> 9	7,135
4.02.04	Income tax and social contribution on available-for-sale assets	<b>-2</b> 03	3,026
4.02.05	Available-for-sale assets from investments in subsidiaries	06	8,699
4.02.06	Impairment of available-for-sale assets	0	8,417
4.02.07	Income tax and social contribution on impairment of available-for-sale assets	0 -	2,862
4.02.08	(Losses) gains on cash flow hedge accounting	534,42 <b>3</b> 12	7,645
4.02.09	Income tax and social contribution on cash flow hedge accounting	04	5,399
4.02.10	Realization of cash flow hedge reclassified to the income statement	12,697	0
4.02.11	(Losses) gains on net investment hedge	18,864	0
4.03	Comprehensive income for the year	-421,55 <b>4</b> 75	5,069

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# Parent Company Statements / Statement of Cash Flows – Indirect Method (R\$ thousand)

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		Current	Previous
		Quarter	Year
		01/01/2016	
		to	to
Code	Description	3/31/2016	3/31/2015
6.01	Net cash generated by operating activities	-470,360	1,180,407
6.01.01	Cash generated from operations	-744,785	1,498,010
6.01.01.01	Profit (loss) for the year	-836,690	392,056
6.01.01.02	Charges on borrowings and financing	630,953	815,393
6.01.01.03	Charges on loans and financing granted	-8,470	-4,970
	Depreciation, depletion and amortization	135,525	206,329
	Equity in income (losses) of affiliates		-1,442,550
	Deferred income tax and social contribution	29,331	-694,546
	'Provision for tax, social security, labor, civil and environmental risks	21,868	125,346
	Inflation adjustment and exchange differences, net	-1,221,066	2,084,988
	Impairment of available-for-sale assets	0	8,417
	Residual value of permanent assets written off	7,590	3,842
	2 Other provisions	9,095	3,705
6.01.02	Changes in assets and liabilities	274,425	-317,603
	Trade receivables - third parties	-23,251	-66,978
	? Trade receivables - related parties	87,172	38,075
	3 Inventories	14,092	161,598
	Receivables - related parties / Dividends	8,748	-1,943
	Recoverable taxes	14,263	57,644
	S Judicial deposits	9,326	-4,310
	7 Dividends received - related parties	815,035	0
	7 Trade payables	-21,070	-103,692
	Payroll and related taxes	1,446	23,241
	Taxes in installments - REFIS	63,419	123,552
	B Payables to related parties	0	9,690
	interest paid	-671,713	-557,310
	S Interest received	0	12
6.01.02.19		-23,042	2,818
6.02	Net cash used in investing activities	-122,169	-420 7.047
6.02.01	Investments / Advances for future capital increase	-7,231	-7,847
6.02.02	Purchase of property, plant and equipment	-236,057	-304,379

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6.02.03	Cash reduction of subsidiaries and joint ventures	0	486,758
6.02.04	Capital increase in subsidiary	-2,200	0
6.02.05	Intercompany loans granted	0	-11,938
6.02.06	Intercompany loans received	0	75
6.02.07	Exclusive funds	123,852	-163,089
6.02.08	Financial Investments, net of redemption	-533	0
6.03	Net cash used in financing activities	-131,019	-1,151,777
6.03.01	Borrowings and financing, net of transaction cost	-26,006	389,450
6.03.02	Borrowings and financing - related parties	40,239	0
6.03.03	Amortization of principal on borrowings and financing	-100,410	-535,978
6.03.04	Amortization of principal on borrowings and financing - related parties	0	-349,912
6.03.05	Payments of dividends and interests on shareholder's equity	0	-549,829
6.03.06	Treasury shares	0	-9,390
6.03.07	Forfaiting capitalization / drawee Risk	76,338	15,136
6.03.08	Forfaiting amortization / drawee Risk	-121,180	-111,254
6.04	Exchange differences on translating cash and cash equivalents	-6,469	49,459
6.05	Increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	-730,017	77,669
6.05.01	Cash and equivalents at the beginning of the year	1,885,199	3,146,393
6.05.02	Cash and equivalents at the end of the year	1,155,182	3,224,062

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Parent Company Statements / Statement of Changes in Shareholders´ Equity - 1/1/2016 to 03/31/2016 (R\$ thousand)

		capital ai	nd (ac	semesate equity income losses)
		treasu	ry	iosses)
Code	Description	shar	es	
5.01	Opening balances	4,540,000	302,1	104,8 <b>0,407,55,654,3</b> 747
5.03	Adjusted opening balances	4,540,000	302,1	104,8 <b>0,407,55,654,3</b> 747
5.05	Total comprehensive income	0	0	-83 <b>0</b> 4, <b>659,21</b> 3,5554
5.05.01	Profit for the year	0	0	-83 <b>6</b> ,6 <b>93</b> 6, <b>6</b> 90
5.05.02	Other comprehensive income	0	0	<b>0</b> 41 <b>54,015</b> ,6136
5.05.02.04	Translation adjustments for the year	0	0	0 8 <b>3,23,</b> 286
5.05.02.06	Actuarial gains on defined benefit pension plan, net of taxes	0	0	0 08585
5.05.02.07	Available-for-sale assets, net of taxes	0	0	0 32 <b>,33</b> 53
5.05.02.08	Loss on Cash Flow Hedge Accounting, net of taxes	0	0	<b>5</b> 3 <b>5,42,3</b> 123
5.05.02.09	Realization on Cash Flow Hedge Accounting, reclassified to statement of income	0	0	0 12 <b>,052,7</b> 697
5.05.02.10	Loss on net investment hedge accounting	0	0	0 18, <b>86,4</b> 864
5.07	Closing balances	4,540,000	302,1	104 <b>,80,4,3,2,40</b> 4,9193

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# Parent Company Statements / Statement of Changes in Shareholders´ Equity - 1/1/2015 to 12/31/2015 (R\$ thousand)

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		treas	•	lo	sses
Code	Description	sha	ares		
5.01	Opening balances	4,540,000	301	1,131,298	<b>25,696</b> ,468
5.03	Adjusted opening balances	4,540,000	301	1,131,298	<b>25,696</b> ,468
5.04	Capital transactions with shareholders	0	0	-284,390	0-28 <b>4</b> ,390
5.04.04	Treasury shares acquired	0	0	-9,390	0 -99,390
5.04.06	Dividends	0	0	-275,000	0-27 <b>5</b> ,000
5.05	Total comprehensive income	0	0	<b>G</b> 9	2, <b>03563,7055</b> ,069
5.05.01	Profit for the period	0	0	<b>3</b> 9	2,056 39 <b>2</b> ,056
5.05.02	Other comprehensive income	0	0	0	36 <b>33,336133</b> ,013
5.05.02.04	Translation adjustments for the period	0	0	0	1 <i>70</i> 6, <i>1</i> 77/61,771
5.05.02.06	Actuarial gains on defined benefit plan, net of taxes	0	0	0	0 125 125
5.05.02.07	Available-for-sale assets, net of taxes	0	0	0	46 <b>3,463</b> ,363
5.05.02.08	Loss on hedge accounting, net of taxes	0	0	0	-28 <b>2-,2842</b> ,246
5.07	Closing balances	4,540,000	30	846,90 <b>8</b> 9	2, <b>0386,,1167</b> ,147

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# Parent Company Statements / Statement of Value Added (R\$ thousand)

		<b>Current Quarter</b>	YTD Prior Year
Code	Description	1/1/2016 to 3/31/206	01/01/2015 to 3/31/2015
7.01	Revenues	2,447,647	3,723,968
7.01.01	Sales of products and services	2,458,864	3,669,030
7.01.02	Other revenues	45	61,531
7.01.04	Allowance for (reversal of) doubtful debts	-11,262	-6,593
7.02	Raw materials acquired from third parties	-1,703,711	-2,485,835
7.02.01	Cost of sales and services	-1,446,531	-1,950,754
	Materials, electric power, outside services		
7.02.02	and other	-254,572	-525,191
7.02.03	Impairment/recovery of assets	-2,608	-1,473
7.02.04	Other	0	-8,417
7.02.04.01	Impairment of available-for-sale assets	0	-8,417
7.03	Gross value added	743,936	1,238,133
7.04	Retentions	-135,525	-206,329
7.04.01	Depreciation, amortization and depletion	-135,525	-206,329
7.05	Wealth created	608,411	1,031,804
7.06	Value added received as transfer	-651,339	2,634,817
7.06.01	Equity in income of affiliates	-487,079	1,442,550
7.06.02	Finance income	18,429	494,693
7.06.03	Other	-182,689	697,574
7.06.03.01	Other and exchange gains	-182,689	697,574
7.07	Wealth for distribution	-42,928	3,666,621
7.08	Wealth distributed	-42,928	3,666,621
7.08.01	Personnel	309,192	329,522
7.08.01.01	Salaries and wages	239,994	251,291
7.08.01.02	Benefits	49,640	60,889
7.08.01.03	Severance pay fund (FGTS)	19,558	17,342
7.08.02	Taxes, fees and contributions	379,073	-277,119
7.08.02.01	Federal	358,043	-319,590
7.08.02.02	State	21,030	40,155
7.08.02.03	Municipal	0	2,316
7.08.03	Remuneration on third-party capital	105,497	3,222,162
7.08.03.01	Interest	1,329,594	862,664
7.08.03.02	Leases	2,822	2,608

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7.08.03.03	Other	-1,226,919	2,356,890
7.08.03.03.01	Other and exchange losses	-1,226,919	2,356,890
7.08.04	Remuneration on Shareholders capital	-836,690	392,056
7.08.04.03	Retained earnings (accumulated losses)	-836,690	392,056

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# Consolidated Financial Statements / Balance Sheet - Assets (R\$ thousand)

			YTD Previous
Code	Description	<b>Current Quarter</b>	Year
		03/31/2016	12/31/2015
1	Total assets	45,935,024	48,649,974
1.01	Current assets	13,697,372	16,430,691
1.01.01	Cash and cash equivalents	5,540,940	7,861,052
1.01.02	Financial investments	764,132	763,599
1.01.02.02	Financial investments measured at amortized cost	764,132	763,599
1.01.03	Trade receivables	1,816,106	1,578,277
1.01.04	Inventories	4,494,832	4,941,314
1.01.08	Other current assets	1,081,362	1,286,449
1.02	Non-current assets	32,237,652	32,219,283
1.02.01	Long-term receivables	4,853,541	4,890,948
1.02.01.06	Deferred taxes	3,262,494	3,307,027
1.02.01.09	Other non-current assets	1,591,047	1,583,921
1.02.02	Investments	4,084,727	3,998,227
1.02.03	Property, plant and equipment	17,880,257	17,871,599
1.02.04	Intangible assets	5,419,127	5,458,509

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# Consolidated Financial Statements / Balance Sheet – Liabilities (R\$ thousand)

			YTD
Code	Description	Current	<b>Previous</b>
Code	Description	Quarter	Year
		03/31/2016	12/31/2015
2	Total liabilities	45,935,024	48,649,974
2.01	Current liabilities	4,819,168	5,325,571
2.01.01	Payroll and related taxes	245,177	256,840
2.01.02	Trade payables	1,235,417	
2.01.03	Taxes payable	708,138	•
2.01.04	Borrowings and financing	1,459,777	
2.01.05	Other payables	1,046,262	, ,
2.01.06	Provisions	124,397	•
2.01.06.01	Provision for tax, social security, labor and civil risks	124,397	127,262
2.02	Non-current liabilities	32,796,957	
2.02.01	Borrowings and financing	30,561,057	
2.02.02	Other payables	148,318	131,284
2.02.03	Deferred taxes	508,363	494,851
2.02.04	Provisions	1,579,219	
2.02.04.01	Provision for tax, social security, labor and civil risks	730,862	,
2.02.04.02	Other provisions	848,357	,
	3 Provision for environmental liabilities and asset retirement obligations	333,989	•
	4 Pension and healthcare plan	514,368	514,368
2.03	Consolidated Shareholders' equity	8,318,899	, ,
2.03.01	Issued capital	4,540,000	
2.03.02	Capital reserves	30	30
2.03.04	Earnings reserves	2,104,804	, ,
2.03.04.01	Legal reserve	424,536	424,536
2.03.04.02	Statutory reserve	1,895,494	
2.03.04.04	Earnings reserves to realize	23,750	,
2.03.04.09	Treasury shares	-238,976	•
2.03.05	Profit/Losses	-836,690	0
2.03.08	Other comprehensive income	1,435,049	1,019,913
2.03.09	Non-controlling interests	1,075,706	1,070,916

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# **Consolidated Financial Statements / Statements of Income (R\$ thousand)**

			YTD
		<b>Current Quarter</b>	PreviousYear
		01/01/2016 to	01/01/2015 to
Code	Description	03/31/2016	03/31/2015
3.01	Net revenue from sales and/or services	3,843,803	4,010,252
3.02	Cost of sales and/or services	-2,917,758	-3,025,533
3.03	Gross profit	926,045	984,719
3.04	Operating expenses/income	-692,113	-225,734
3.04.01	Selling expenses	-450,421	-300,830
3.04.02	General and administrative expenses	-160,111	-109,845
3.04.04	Other operating income	22,272	5,962
3.04.05	Other operating expenses	-148,832	-219,499
3.04.06	Equity in income of affiliates	44,979	398,478
3.05	Profit before finance income (costs) and taxes	233,932	758,985
3.06	Finance income (costs)	-943,014	-869,700
3.06.01	Finance income	243,154	56,136
3.06.02	Finance costs	-1,186,168	-925,836
3.06.02.01	Net exchange difference on financial instruments	-318,240	-65,243
3.06.02.02	Finance costs	-867,928	-860,593
3.07	Profit (loss) before taxes on income	-709,082	-110,715
3.08	Income tax and social contribution	-122,210	502,517
3.09	Profit (loss) from continuing operations	-831,292	391,802
3.11	Consolidated profit (loss) for the year	-831,292	391,802
3.11.01	Attributed to controlling Shareholders	-836,690	392,056
3.11.02	Attributed to non-controlling Shareholders	5,398	-254
3.99	Earnings per share - (R\$/share)		
3.99.01	Basic earnings per share		
3.99.01.01	Common shares	0,61651	0.28887
3.99.02	Diluted earnings per share		
3.99.02.01	Common shares	0,61651	0.28887

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### Consolidated Financial Statements / Statement of Comprehensive Income (R\$ thousand)

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4.01	Consolidated profit for the year
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- 4.02 Other comprehensive income
- 4.02.01 Actuarial gains on defined benefit plan from investments in subsidiaries
- 4.02.02 Actuarial gains (losses) on defined benefit pension plan
- 4.02.03 Income tax and social contribution on actuarial (losses) gains on defined benefit pension plan
- 4.02.04 Cumulative translation adjustments for the year
- 4.02.05 Available-for-sale assets

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- 4.02.06 Income tax and social contribution on available-for-sale assets
- 4.02.07 Impairment of available-for-sale assets
- 4.02.08 Income tax and social contribution on impairment of available-for-sale assets
- 4.02.09 Gain (loss) on cash flow hedge accounting
- 4.02.10 Income tax and social contribution on cash flow hedge accounting
- 4.02.11 Realization of cash flow hedge accounting reclassified to income statement
- 4.02.12Gain (loss) on net investment hedge
- 4.03 Consolidated comprehensive income for the year
- 4.03.01 Attributed to controlling Shareholders
- 4.03.02 Attributed to non-controlling Shareholders

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# Consolidated Financial Statements / Statement of Cash Flows – Indirect Method (R\$ thousand)

			YTD
		Current	<b>Previous</b>
		Quarter	Year
		01/01/2016	01/01/2015
Code	Description	to 3/31/2016t	o 3/31/2015
6.01	Net cash generated by operating activities	-939,450	1,738,124
6.01.01	Cash generated from operations	-235,161	2,268,532
6.01.01.01	Profit (loss) for the year attributable to controlling Shareholders	-836,690	392,056
6.01.01.02	Profit (loss) for the year attributable to non-controlling Shareholders	5,398	-254
6.01.01.03	Charges on borrowings and financing	747,647	803,433
6.01.01.04	Charges on loans and financing granted	-12,913	-5,025
6.01.01.05	Depreciation, depletion and amortization	321,944	273,502
6.01.01.06	Equity in income (losses) of affiliates	-44,979	-398,478
6.01.01.07	Deferred taxes	69,681	-716,476
6.01.01.08	Provision for tax, social security, labor, civil and environmental risks	16,525	124,830
6.01.01.09	Inflation adjustments and exchange differences, net	-379,360	1,767,227
6.01.01.10	Gain on derivatives	362	1,125
6.01.01.11	Impairment of available-for-sale assets	0	8,417
6.01.01.12	Residual value of permanent assets written off	12,966	3,985
6.01.01.13	Gain on repurchase of debt securities	-146,214	0
6.01.01.14	Other provisions	10,472	14,190
6.01.02	Changes in assets and liabilities	-704,289	-530,408
6.01.02.01	Trade receivables - third parties	-219,640	-190,889
6.01.02.02	Trade receivables - related parties	-8,407	-9,701
6.01.02.03	Inventories	443,691	190,195
6.01.02.05	Recoverable taxes	62,152	33,391
6.01.02.06	Judicial deposits	4,098	-5,535
6.01.02.08	Trade payables	-59,340	-20,832
6.01.02.09	Payroll and related taxes	14,283	33,168
6.01.02.10	Taxes in installments - REFIS	39,744	173,390
6.01.02.11	Payables to related parties	508	1,709
6.01.02.13	Interest paid	-932,279	-726,040
6.01.02.14	Interest received	0	12
6.01.02.16	Other	-49,099	-9,276
6.02	Net cash used in investing activities	-887,053	413,490
6.02.02	Purchase of property, plant and equipment	-329,832	-338,026
6.02.03	Capital reduction on joint venture	0	466,758
6.02.04	Receipt/payment in derivative transactions	-556,682	304,401

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6.02.06	Purchase of intangible assets	-6	-105
6.02.07	Intercompany loans granted	0	-11,938
6.02.08	Intercompany loans received	0	75
6.02.09	Short-term investment, net of redeemed amount	-533	-7,675
6.03	Net cash used in financing activities	-438,466	-1,948,973

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6.03.01	Capitalization net of transactions cost	-26,770	391,156
6.03.02	Amortization of principal on borrowings and financing - related parties	-215,756	-1,597,317
6.03.04	Payments of dividends and interests on shareholder's equity	0	-549,829
6.03.05	Treasury shares	0	-9,390
6.03.06	Buyback of debt securities	-151,098	-87,475
6.03.07	Forfaiting capitalization / drawee Risk	76,338	15,136
6.03.08	Forfaiting amortization / drawee Risk	-121,180	-111,254
6.04	Exchange differences on translating cash and cash equivalents	-55,143	182,123
6.05	Decrease in cash and cash equivalents	-2,320,112	384,764
6.05.01	Cash and equivalents at the beginning of the year	7,861,052	8,686,021
6.05.02	Cash and equivalents at the end of the year	5,540,940	9,070,785

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# Consolidated Financial Statements / Statement of Changes in Equity - 1/1/2016 to 03/31/2016

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			treasury shares		
5.01	Opening balances	4,540,000	2,104, <b>30</b> 4 0	1,70,16,96),49,07,397,6	8,735,66
5.03	Adjusted opening balances	4,540,000	2,104, <b>30</b> 4 0	1,70,16,96,49,07,349716	8,735,66
5.05	Total comprehensive income	0	-83 <b>6</b> ) <b>6</b> 90	4412,11,5563498	-416,15
5.05.01	Profit for the year	0	-83 <b>6</b> ) <b>6</b> 90	-836, <b>5,599</b> 8	-831,29
5.05.02	Other comprehensive income	0	000	4 <b>45,5,36</b> 60	415,13
5.05.02.04	4Translation adjustments for the year	0	000	-1 <b>-83,2,26</b> 60	-183,28
	Actuarial gains on defined benefit pension				
	6plan, net of taxes	0			
	7 Available-for-sale assets, net of taxes	0		, ,	,
5.05.02.08	8Gain (loss) on Cash Flow Hedge Accounting		000	5 <b>34,4,22</b> 30	534,42
	Realization of cash flow hedge reclassified to	)			
	9statement of income	0		, ,	,
	0 Loss on net investment hedge accounting	0		, ,	•
5.06	Internal changes in shareholders' equity	0			
5.06.04	Non-controlling interests in subsidiaries	0	00 0	<b>960</b> 8	
5.07	Closing balance	4,540,000	2,10 <b>8,33300</b>	1,74,72,350,67,61,937,30,61	8,318,89

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### Consolidated Financial Statements / Statement of Changes in Equity - 1/1/2015 to 03/31/2015 (R\$ thousand)

Code	,	otion	capital (a	reseaucings acprantebated optionsses) and treasury shares	<b>ISba</b> compre
5.01	Opening balances		4,540,000	1,131, <b>209</b> 8 0	
5.03	Adjusted opening balances		4,540,000	1,131, <b>229</b> 8 0	
5.04	Capital transactions with shareholders		0	-284,3 <b>9</b> 0 0	
5.04.04	Treasury shares acquired		0	-9,3 <b>9</b> 00	
5.04.06	Dividend		0	-275,0 <b>0</b> 0 0	
5.05	Total comprehensive income		0	39 <b>2</b> 0, <b>0</b> 56	
5.05.01	Profit for the period		0	39 <b>2</b> 0, <b>0</b> 56	
5.05.02	Other comprehensive income		0	00 0	
5.05.02.04	4Translation adjustments for the period		0	00 0	
5.05.02.06	6 (Actuarial (losses) gains on defined benefit pension plan, net of tax	es	0	00 0	
5.05.02.07	7 Available-for-sale assets, net of taxes		0	00 0	
5.05.02.08	B(Loss) gain on hedge accounting, net of taxes		0	00 0	
5.07	Closing balances		4,540,000	84 <b>6,330,0</b> 56	

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#### Consolidated Financial Statements / Statement of Value Added

(R\$ thousand)

(Hip thousand)			YTD
		<b>Current Quarter</b>	Previous
		01/01/2016 to	Year
		3/31/2016	01/01/2015
Code	Description		to 3/31/2015
7.01	Revenues	4,382,180	4,752,234
7.01.01	Sales of products and services	4,395,407	4,698,184
7.01.02	Other revenues	260	61,898
7.01.04	Allowance for (reversal of) doubtful debts	-13,487	-7,848
7.02	Raw materials acquired from third parties	-2,866,929	-3,325,485
7.02.01	Cost of sales and services	-2,176,870	-2,632,493
7.02.02	Materials, electric power, outside services and other	-695,249	-683,759
7.02.03	Impairment/recovery of assets	5,190	-816
7.02.04	Other	0	-8,417
7.02.04.01	Impairment of available-for-sale assets	0	-8,417
7.03	Gross value added	1,515,251	1,426,749
7.04	Retentions	-321,944	-273,502
7.04.01	Depreciation, amortization and depletion	-321,944	-273,502
7.05	Wealth created	1,193,307	1,153,247
7.06	Value added received as transfer	-417,837	2,234,942
7.06.01	Equity in income of affiliates	44,979	398,478
7.06.02	Finance income	243,154	56,136
7.06.03	Other	-705,970	1,780,328
7.06.03.01	Other and exchange gains	-705,970	1,780,328
7.07	Wealth for distribution	775,470	3,388,189
7.08	Wealth distributed	775,470	3,388,189
7.08.01	Personnel Calarian and warran	550,726	463,793
7.08.01.01	Salaries and wages	442,503	367,509
7.08.01.02	Benefits	78,933	76,047
7.08.01.03	Severance pay fund (FGTS)	29,290 571,774	20,237
7.08.02 7.08.02.01	Taxes, fees and contributions Federal	571,774 516,872	-176,470 -257,857
7.08.02.01	State		-257,657 75,959
7.08.02.02 7.08.02.03		49,502	75,959 5,428
7.08.02.03 7.08.03	Municipal  Romunoration on third-party capital	5,400 484,262	2,709,064
7.08.03.01	Remuneration on third-party capital Interest	868,089	2,709,064 860,186
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7.08.03.02	Leases	5,011	3,962
7.08.03.03	Other	-388,838	1,844,916
7.08.03.03.01	Exchange losses	-388,838	1,844,916
7.08.04	Remuneration on Shareholders' capital	-831,292	391,802
7.08.04.03	Retained earnings (accumulated losses)	-836,690	392,056
7.08.04.04	Non-controlling interests in retained earnings	5,398	-254

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#### **1Q16 Earnings Release**

Companhia Siderúrgica Nacional (CSN) (BM&FBOVESPA: CSNA3) (NYSE: SID) announces today its consolidated results for the first quarter of 2016 (1Q16), which are presented in Brazilian Reais and in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB), and with Brazilian accounting practices, which are fully convergent with international accounting norms, 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. All comments presented herein refer to the Company's 1Q16 consolidated results and comparisons refer to the fourth quarter of 2015 (4Q15) and the first quarter of 2015 (1Q15), unless otherwise stated. The Real/U.S. Dollar exchange rate was R\$3.5583 on March 31, 2016 and R\$3.9048 on December 31, 2015

Steel Sales (thousand t)	1,407	1,130	1,246	10%	(11%)
- Domestic Market	63%	57%	52%	(5%)	(11%)
- Overseas Subsidiaries	34%	37%	42%	5%	8%
- Exports	6%	6%	6%	0%	0%
Iron Ore Sales (thousand t) <sup>1</sup>	5,442	6,656	8,295	25%	52%
- Domestic Market	1%	7%	13%	6%	12%
- Exports	99%	93%	87%	(6%)	(12%)
Consolidated Results (R\$ Million)					
Net Revenue	4,010	3,678	3,844	5%	(4%)
Gross Profit	985	767	926	21%	(6%)
Adjusted EBITDA <sup>2</sup>	911	686	733	7%	(20%)
Adjusted Net Debt <sup>3</sup>	19,979	26,499	26,654	1%	33%
Adjusted Cash Position	12,251	8,862	6,472	(27%)	(47%)
Net Debt / Adjusted EBITDA	4.8x	8.2x	8.7x	0.5x	3.9x

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- <sup>1</sup> Iron ore sales volumes include 100% of the stake in NAMISA until November 2015 and 100% of the stake in Congonhas Minérios as of December 2015.
- <sup>2</sup> Adjusted EBITDA is calculated based on net income/loss, before depreciation and amortization, income taxes, the net financial result, results from investees, and other operating income (expenses) and includes the proportional share of the EBITDA of the jointly-owned investees MRS Logística and CBSI, as well as the Company's 60% in Namisa, 33.27% in MRS and 50% in CBSI until November 2015 and stakes of 100% in Congonhas Minérios, 37.27% in MRS and 50% in CBSI as of December 2015.
- <sup>3</sup> Adjusted Net Debt and Adjusted Cash and Cash Equivalents included 33.27% of the stake in MRS, 60% of the interest in Namisa and 50% of the stake in CBSI until November 2015. As of December 2015, they included 100% of Congonhas Minérios, 32.27% of MRS and 50% of CBSI, excluding Forfaiting and drawee risk operations.

BM&FBovespa (CSNA3): R\$7.15/share Market Cap BM&FBovespa: R\$9.92 billion

NYSE (SID): US\$1.97/ADR (1 ADR = 1 share) Market Cap NYSE: US\$2.73 billion

Total no. of shares = 1,387,524,047

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IPCA (%)	7.00	5.62
Commercial Dollar (EoP - R\$)	3.70	3.90
SELIC Target (EoP - %)	13.00	11.75
GDP (%)	(3.86)	0.50
Industrial Production (%)	(5.95)	0.74
Source: FOCUS BACEN		

Base: 05/06/2016

#### **CSN's Consolidated Results**

- **Net revenue** totaled R\$3,844 million in 1Q16, 5% up on 4Q15 and 4% down on the same period last year. Regarding 4Q15, the increase was due to the higher sales volume in the steel and mining segments, offsetting the decrease in the average steel and mining prices, which suffered the additional impact of BRL appreciation. Compared with 1Q15, the reduction was a result of lower sales volume in the steel segment.
- **COGS** amounted to R\$2,918 million, in line with the previous quarter and 4% less than in 1Q15. The year-on-year reduction was mainly due to lower steel and mining segments unit costs.
- First-quarter **gross profit** came to R\$926 million, 21% more than in 4Q15, while the gross margin widened by 3p.p. to 24%. In comparison with 1Q15, gross profit fell by 6% and the gross margin narrowed by 1p.p., from 25% to 24%.
- **Selling, general and administrative expenses** totaled R\$611 million in 1Q16, 12% and 49% up on 4Q15 and 1Q15, respectively, chiefly due to higher freight (related to distribution costs), due to the increase in iron sales and the higher CIF sales model, and personnel expenses.
- Other operating income (expenses) was a net expense of R\$127 million in 1Q16, versus expense of R\$214 million in 1Q15. Most of the amount in question referred to expenses with labor provisions and judicial deposits. The positive result registered in 4Q15

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was due to the Business Combination effect in the mining segment.

• The proportional net financial result was negative by R\$968 million in 1Q16, due to: i) financial expenses (excluding the exchange variation) of R\$890 million; ii) the negative exchange variation result of R\$329 million; and iii) financial revenue of R\$251 million.

Financial Result - IFRS	(870)	(183)	(943)
(+) Financial Result of Joint-Venture	500	(48)	(25)
(+) Namisa	520	(34)	-
(+) MRS	(20)	(15)	(25)
(=) Proporcional Financial Result <sup>1</sup>	(370)	(231)	(968)
Financial Revenues	63	289	251
Financial Expenses	(433)	(531)	(1.219)
Financial Expenses (ex-exchange rates variation)	(878)	(483)	(890)
Result with Exchange Rate Variation	445	(48)	(329)
Monetary and Exchange Rate Variation	(482)	245	949
Hedge Accounting	428	(140)	(566)
Notional Amount of Derivatives Contracted	500	(153)	(713)
Others	-	12	-

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The proportional financial result considered stakes of 60% in Namisa, 33.27% in MRS and 50% in CBSI until November 2015 and stakes of

100% in Congonhas Minérios, 37.27% in MRS and 50% in CBSI as of December 2015.

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• CSN's **equity result** was a positive R\$45 million in 1Q16, versus a negative R\$55 million in 4Q15 and a positive R\$398 million in 1Q15, chiefly due to MRS's equity result in the 1Q16 and 4Q15, and Namisa's equity result in the 1Q15. The table below presents a breakdown of this item:

Namisa	396	(58)	-	-	-
MRS Logística	15	29	61	111%	302%
CBSI	(2)	(1)	1	-	-
TLSA	(8)	(8)	(7)	(10%)	(8%)
Arvedi Metalfer BR	-	(8)	-	-	-
Eliminations	(4)	(9)	(11)	18%	173%
<b>Share of profits (losses) of investees</b>	398	(55)	45	-	(89%)

• CSN recorded a first-quarter **net loss** of R\$831 million, versus net income of R\$2,371 million in 4Q15 and net income of R\$392 million in 1Q15. The worsening in this result, compared with 4Q15, is explained by the gains registered with the conclusion of the mining segment Business Combination last quarter. Regarding 1Q15, the lower result was due to the exchange rate variation result and taxes payment.

Profit (loss) for the Period	392	2,371	(831)	-	-
(-) Depreciation	264	308	310	1%	17%
(+) Income Tax and Social Contribution	(503)	527	122	(77%)	-
(+) Finance Income	870	183	943	416%	8%
EBITDA (ICVM 527)	1,023	3,389	544	(84%)	(47%)
(+) Other Operating Income (Expenses)	214	(2,913)	127	-	(41%)
(+) Share of Profit (Loss) of Investees	(398)	55	(45)	-	(89%)
(-) Proportionate EBITDA of Joint Ventures	73	155	107	(31%)	48%
Adjusted EBITDA	911	686	733	<b>7</b> %	(20%)

• **Adjusted EBITDA** amounted to R\$733 million in 1Q16, 7% up on the previous quarter, but 20% down on 1Q15, accompanied by an adjusted EBITDA margin of 18.1%, 1.1 p.p. more than in 4Q15, but 3.4% less than in 1Q15.

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<sup>1</sup> The adjusted EBITDA margin is calculated as the ratio between Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted Net Income, which considers stakes of 60% in Namisa, 33.27% in MRS and 50% in CBSI until November 2015 and stakes of 100% in Congonhas Minérios, 37.27% in MRS and 50% in CBSI as of December 2015.

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#### **Debt**

The adjusted amounts of EBITDA, Debt and Cash included the stakes of 60% in Namisa, 33.27% in MRS and 50% in CBSI until November 2015 and the stakes of 100% in Congonhas Minérios, 37.27% in MRS and 50% in CBSI, as of December 2015, as well as financial investments used as collateral for exchange operations on the BM&FBovespa. On March 31, 2016, consolidated net debt totaled R\$26,654 million, while the net debt/EBITDA ratio, was 8.67x based on LTM adjusted EBITDA.

#### **Foreign Exchange Exposure**

Net foreign exchange exposure generated by the difference in dollar-denominated assets and liabilities, contracted derivatives and hedge accounting booked by CSN totaled US\$115 million on March 31, 2016. The derivatives contracted form a long USD position achieved through the purchase of NDFs (Non-Deliverable Forwards). The hedge accounting adopted by CSN correlates the projected export flows in dollars with part of the future debt maturities in the same currency. As a result, the exchange variation of part of dollar-denominated debt is temporarily recorded under shareholder's equity, being transferred to the income statement when the dollar revenue from these exports is received.

Cash and cash equivalents overseas	1,625	1,288
Accounts Receivables	170	321
Total Assets	1,795	1,610
Borrowings and Financing	(4,569)	(4,466)
Accounts Payable	(20)	(7)
Other Liabilities	(25)	(6)
Total Liabilities	(4,615)	(4,479)

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Foreign Exchange Exposure	(2,820)	(2,870)	
Notional Amount of Derivatives Contracted, Net	1,435	1,435	
Cash Flow Hedge Accounting	1,558	1,549	
Net Foreign Exchange Exposure	173	115	

<sup>1</sup>As of the conclusion of the Business Combination, through asset transfers to Congonhas Minérios, CSN has been consolidating 100% of the new Company's cash. As a result, a proportional view of foreign exchange exposure is no longer necessary.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Proportional foreign exchange exposure includes the 60% stake in Namisa and excludes the stake in MRS.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>IFRS foreign exchange exposure on March 31, 2015 includes the 100% stake in Congonhas Minérios and excludes the stake in MRS.

## **Capex**

CSN invested R\$330 million in 1Q16 in the following projects:

- Investments in the new clinker kiln in Arcos/MG, which will permit the Cement segment to reach competitive margins and scale gains in the Southeast region as a result of the clinker production self-sufficiency.
- Revamp of the coke batteries, reducing imported coke needs and improving the fuel rate.
- Other projects designed to improve the environmental performance of the Presidente Vargas Plant and current investments in other operations.

Of total investments, R\$54 million went to spare parts and R\$155 million to current investments.

Total Investment IFRS	338	464	330
Others	-	-	-
Logistics	11	19	10
Cement	90	218	139
Mining	116	97	62
Steel	121	130	119

# **Working Capital**

In order to calculate working capital, CSN adjusts its assets and liabilities as shown below:

- Accounts Receivable: Excludes Dividends Receivable, Advances to Employees and Other Credits (Note 5 of the financial statements).
- Inventories: Includes Estimated Losses and excludes Spare Parts which is not part of the cash conversion cycle, and will be subsequently booked under Fixed Assets when consumed. (Note 6 of the financial statements);
- Recoverable Taxes: Composed only of Income (IRPJ) and Social Contribution (CSLL) Taxes included in Recoverable Taxes (Note 7 of the financial statements);
- Taxes Payable: Composed of Taxes Payable under Current Liabilities plus Taxes in Installments (Note 13 of the financial statements);
- Advances from Clients: Subaccount of Other Liabilities recorded under Current Liabilities (Note 13 of the financial statements);
- Suppliers: Includes Forfaiting and Drawee Risk (Note 11 of the financial statements).

As a result, working capital applied to the Company's business totaled R\$3,077 million in 1Q16, R\$90 million less than in 4Q15, chiefly due to the R\$472 million reduction in inventories, while accounts receivable increased by R\$245 million. On a same comparison basis, the average receivable period increased by 6 days, while payment periods and inventory turnover fell by 4 and 14 days, respectively.

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Assets	5,145	5,869	5,664	(205)	519
Accounts Receivable	1,901	1,501	1,746	245	(155)
Inventories Turnover	3,107	4,092	3,621	(472)	514
Advances to Taxes	137	276	298	22	161
Liabilities	2,306	2,703	2,587	(115)	281
Suppliers	1,556	1,671	1,542	(129)	(14)
Salaries and Social Contribution	214	257	245	(12)	31
Taxes Payable	512	725	733	8	221
Advances from Clients	24	51	67	16	43
Working Capital	2,839	3,166	3,077	(90)	238
Receivables	36	30	36	6	_
Supplier Payment	46	52	48	(4)	2
Investory Turnover	92	127	113	(14)	21
Cash Conversion Cycle	82	105	101	<b>(4)</b>	19

# **Results by Segment**

The Company maintains integrated operations in five business segments: steel, mining<sup>3</sup>, logistics, cement and energy. The main assets and/or companies comprising each segment are presented below<sup>2</sup>:

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Namisa's former assets.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> As of 2013, the Company ceased the proportional consolidation of its jointly-owned subsidiaries Namisa, MRS and CBSI. For the purpose of preparing and presenting the information by business segment, Management opted to maintain the proportional consolidation of its jointly-owned subsidiaries, as historically presented. For the reconciliation of CSN's consolidated results, these companies' results are eliminated in the "corporate/elimination expenses" column.

<sup>3</sup> In order to report the Company's 2015 results, after the combination of CSN's mining assets (Casa de Pedra, Namisa and Tecar), the consolidated result includes all this new company's information.

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Net Revenue	2,809	777	50	303	11
Domestic Market	1,500	151	50	303	11
Foreign Market	1,309	626	-	_	
Cost of Goods Sold	(2,300)	(585)	(36)	(214)	(101
Gross Profit	509	192	14	89	1.
Selling, General and Administrative Expenses	(255)	(24)	(8)	(24)	(18
Depreciation	166	114	3	56	1
Proportional EBITDA of Jointly Controlled Companies	-	-	-	-	
Adjusted EBITDA	420	283	9	121	

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Net Revenue	2,579	907	62	331	10
Domestic Market	1,473	88	62	331	10
Foreign Market	1,106	819	-	-	
Cost of Goods Sold	(2,267)	(598)	(42)	(207)	(89
Gross Profit	312	309	20	124	1:
Selling, General and Administrative Expenses	(267)	(22)	(5)	(23)	(21
Depreciation	178	105	3	50	1
Proportional EBITDA of Jointly Controlled Companies	_	-	-	-	
Adjusted EBITDA	222	392	19	151	

#### Steel

According to preliminary figures from the World Steel Association (WSA), global crude steel production totaled 386 million tonnes in 1Q16, 3.5% down on the same period last year, while the Brazilian Steel Institute (IABr) estimates a 12.3% reduction in domestic output to 7.4 million tonnes (also preliminary figures). Domestic production of rolled products came to 5.1 million tonnes, 17.5% less than in 1Q15, while apparent consumption fell by 29.3% to 4.3 million tonnes, with domestic sales of 4.0 million tonnes and imports of 368,000 tonnes. On the other hand, exports increased by 17.1% in the same period, reaching 3.3 million tonnes.

In 2016, the IABr estimates an 8.8% decline in apparent consumption to 19.4 million tonnes, with domestic sales of 17.4 million tonnes and imports of 1.1 million tonnes.

According to INDA (the Brazilian Steel Distributors' Association), 1Q16 steel purchases and sales by distributors fell by 18.3% and 13.0% over 1Q15 to 761,000 and 776,000 tonnes, respectively. Inventories closed the quarter at 906,800 tonnes, in line with the previous month, representing 3.1 months of sales.

Automotive

According to ANFAVEA (the Auto Manufacturers' Association), vehicle production totaled 482,000 units in 1Q16, 28% down on 1Q15. In the same period, new car, light commercial vehicle, truck and bus licensing fell by 29% to 481,000 units. The association estimates a reduction in vehicle sales of up to 7.5% in 2016 over 2015, to 2.37 million units, while FENABRAVE (the Vehicle Distributors' Association) expects a 6% reduction in vehicle sales.

Construction

According to SECOVI-SP (the São Paulo Residential Builders' Association), during 1Q16 the residential real estate launches in the city of São Paulo totaled 2,856 units, 30% up on the 1,418 units launched in the 1Q15.

According to ABRAMAT (the Construction Material Manufacturers' Association), sales of building materials in 1Q16 fell by 17.3% over the same period last year. The association revised its 2016 estimate to a real decline of 4.5%.

Home Appliances

According to the Brazilian Institute of Geography and Statistics (IBGE), home appliance production accumulated until march 2016 fell by 22% over the same period in 2015, while output in the last 12 months dropped by 20% over the same period a year before, reflecting the low level of business and consumer confidence.

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Results from CSN's Steel Operations

The parent company's slab production totaled 836,000 tonnes in 1Q16, 21% and 29% down on 4Q15 and 1Q15, respectively. It is worth noting that no slabs were purchased from third parties in 1Q16, versus 64,000 tonnes acquired in 4Q15. Flat rolled steel production came to 746,000 tonnes, 22% and 27% less than in 4Q15 and 1Q15, respectively.

Total Slabs (UPV + Third Parties)	1,184 1	.,062	836	(21%)	(29%)
Crude Steel Production	1,115	998	835	(16%)	(25%)
Third Parties Slabs	69	64	0	-	-
Total Rolled Products	1,020	952	746	(22%)	(27%)

- Total steel product sales volume came to 1,246 thousand tonnes in 1Q16, 10% up on 4Q15. Of this total, 52% went to the domestic market, 42% were sold by our subsidiaries abroad and 6% went to exports.
- First-quarter **domestic** steel sales totaled 650,000 tonnes, 1% up on 4Q15, 611,000 tonnes of which flat steel and 38,000 tonnes long steel.
- First-quarter **foreign** sales amounted to 597,000 tonnes, 23% up on 4Q15. Of this total, the overseas subsidiaries sold 520,000 tonnes, 204,000 of which by LLC, 216,000 by SWT and 100,000 by Lusosider, while direct exports came to 78,000 tonnes.
- In the first quarter, CSN increased its share of coated products as a percentage of total sales volume, following the

strategy of adding more value to its product mix. **Domestic** sales of coated products such as galvanized items and tin plate accounted for 46% of flat steel sales, versus 45% in 4Q15. In the **foreign market**, the share of coated products moved up from 69% of flat steel sales to 77% in 1Q16.

- **Net revenue** totaled R\$2,809 million in 1Q16, 9% up on 4Q15, chiefly due to the increase in domestic sales volume and sales by subsidiaries abroad. In 1Q16, average net revenue per tonne remained in line with 1Q15, totaling R\$2,196.
- **COGS** came to R\$2,300 million in 1Q16, a slight 1% increase over 4Q15.
- The parent company's **production cost** reached R\$1,343 million in 1Q16, 21% down on 4Q15, chiefly due to the decrease in the consumption of imported raw material as a result of the extinguishing of blast furnace 2 and the startup of coke batteries, thus reducing the fuel rate, in addition to the lower electricity consumption and a downturn in maintenance expenses.

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- **Slab production costs** came to R\$1,064/t, in line with 4Q15. In US dollars, however, the cost fell by 1.4%, from US\$276/t, in 4Q15, to US\$272/t. As a result, CSN maintained its position among those steel companies with the lowest slab costs in the world.
- Adjusted EBITDA amounted to R\$420 million in 1Q16, 89% up on the R\$222 million recorded in 4Q15, accompanied by an increase of 6p.p. in the margin, which widened from 9%, in 4Q15, to 15%.

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# **Mining**

In 1Q16, the seaborne iron ore market was positively impacted by the greater availability of credit and the recovery of construction activities in China, led by investments in new real estate projects. The improvement in demand led to higher prices and healthier margins for the local steel producers, as well as encouraging the build-up of inventories. In addition, seasonal factors, such as higher rainfall in Australia and Brazil, as well as the rigorous Chinese winter, played an important role in reducing the iron ore supply base. As a result, iron ore prices moved up by 3.5% over the previous quarter, averaging US\$48.30/dmt (Platts, 62% Fe, N. China).

Results from CSN's Mining Operations

- In 1Q16, **iron ore production** totaled 7,326 thousand tonnes, 2% and 23% up on 4Q15 and 1Q15, respectively.
- First-quarter **iron ore purchases** came to 617,000 tonnes, 58% down on 4Q15, but 7% up on 1Q15, chiefly due to the reduced availability of iron ore from small and medium-sized producers in this guarter.
- Iron ore sales came to 8,295,000 tonnes¹ in 1Q16, 11% and 21% up on 4Q15 and 1Q15, respectively, thanks to an improved sales performance in the domestic market. Shipped iron ore volume totaled 6,988 thousand tonnes, 12% down on 4Q15, but 11% more than in 1Q15. Almost 1,047,000 tonnes from Congonhas Minérios were sold to UPV.

Iron Ore Production <sup>1</sup> Third Parties Purchase <b>Total Production + Purchase</b>	5,938 7,218 7,326	1%	23%
	543 1,481 617	(58%)	14%
	6,481 8,698 7,943	<b>(9%)</b>	<b>23%</b>
UPV Transfer and Sale	1,428 1,257 1,047	(17%)	(27%)
Third Parties Sales Volume	5,442 6,202 7,248	17%	33%
<b>Total Sales + Transfer</b>	6,870 7,459 8,295	<b>11%</b>	<b>21%</b>

Shipped Volume

6,282 7,939 6,988

(12%)

11%

48

- **Net revenue** from mining operations totaled R\$777 million in 1Q16, 14% down on 4Q15, but 18% more than in 1Q15. The quarter-on-quarter decline was due to the reduction in the FOB price, which did not occur in 1Q15. FOB unit revenue came to US\$28/t in 1Q16, 23% less than in 4Q15.
- In the first quarter, mining segment **COGS** came to R\$585 million, in line with 4Q15 and 3% more than in 1Q15, due to the higher volume of iron ore sold in the quarter. In 1Q16, Casa de Pedra recorded a Chinese delivery cash cost excluding depreciation of US\$31.2/wmt, 6% down on 4Q15.
- **Adjusted EBITDA** stood at R\$283 million in 1Q16, 28% down on the R\$392 million recorded in 4Q15, while the adjusted EBITDA margin narrowed by 7 p.p., from 43%, in 4Q15, to 36%.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Production and sales volumes include the 100% stake in NAMISA until November 2015 and the 100% interest in Congonhas in December 2015.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> As of December 2015, Congonhas Minérios began selling iron ore to the Presidente Vargas Plant.

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# Logistics

According to the ANTT (National Ground Transport Agency), the Brazilian rail container transport concessionaires transported 897,000 tonnes in 2016, 1.3% down on 1Q15.

Results from CSN's Logistic Operations

**Railway Logistics**: In 1Q16, **net revenue** came to R\$303 million, generating **EBITDA** of R\$121 million and an **EBITDA margin** of 40%

**Port Logistics**: In the first quarter, Sepetiba Tecon handled 143,000 tonnes of steel products, in addition to 12,000 tonnes of general cargo and approximately 39,000 containers handled. First-quarter **net revenue** stood at R\$50 million, generating **EBITDA** of R\$9 million, accompanied by an **EBITDA margin** of 19%.

Containers Volume (thousand units)	39	39	39	-	-
Steel Products Volume (thousand t)	141	261	143	(45%)	2%
General Cargo Volume (thousand t)	73	2	12	368%	(84%)

#### Cement

According to the IBGE's Monthly Industrial Survey (PIM-PF), Brazil's cement production fell by 17.0% in 1Q16 over 1Q15, handling with the construction industry performance.

Preliminary figures from SNIC (the Cement Industry Association) indicate domestic cement sales of 13.9 million tonnes in 1Q16, 14.7% less than in the same quarter the year before. For 2016 as a whole SNIC estimates respective annual declines of 12% to 15% in sales and 9% to 11% in apparent consumption.

Results of CSN's Cement Operations

In 1Q16, **cement sales** amounted to 571,000 tonnes, 15% up on 4Q15, while **net revenue** came to R\$114 million. **EBITDA** totaled R\$8 million, accompanied by an **EBITDA margin** of 7%, due to the ramp-up of the new operations in Arcos, Minas Gerais.

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Total Production	493	564	531	(6%)	8%
Total Sales	525	496	571	15%	8%

#### **Energy**

According to the Energy Research Company (EPE), Brazilian electricity consumption totaled 121 TWh until March 2016, 4.2% less than the same period in 2015. Consumption in the industrial and residential segments fell by 7.5% and 2.5%, respectively, when the commercial segment decline 3.2%.

Results from CSN's Energy Operations

In 1Q16, **net revenue** from energy operations totaled R\$68 million, **EBITDA** stood at R\$15 million and the **EBITDA** margin came to 23%.

# **Capital Market**

CSN's shares appreciated by 78.8% in 1Q16, while the Ibovespa increased by 15.5% in the same period. Daily traded volume on the BM&FBovespa averaged R\$41.1 million. On the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE), CSN's American Depositary Receipts (ADRs) moved up by 101.9%, versus the Dow Jones' 1.5% appreciation. On the NYSE, daily traded volume of CSN's ADRs averaged US\$2.7 million.

Number of shares in thousand Market Capitalization

1,387,524

Closing price (R\$/share) 7.15

Closing price (US\$/ADR)	1.97
Market Capitalization (R\$ million)	9,921
Market Capitalization (US\$ million)	2,733
Total return including dividends and interest on equity	
CSNA3	78.8%
SID	101.9%
Ibovespa	15.5%
Dow Jones	1.5%
Volume	
Average daily (thousand shares)	7,251
Average daily (R\$ Thousand)	41,089
Average daily (thousand ADRs)	1,791
Average daily (US\$ Thousand)	2,725

Source: Bloomberg

(Expressed in thousands of reais – R\$, unless otherwise stated)
I. 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, joint ventures, joint operations and associates 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 (BM&F BOVESPA) and on the New York Stock Exchange NYSE). Accordingly, the Company reports its information to the Brazilian Securities Commission (CVM) and the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC).

The Group's main operating activities are divided into five (5) operating 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 the 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 operations in the United States, Portugal and Germany, all of them are in line with the plan to achieve new markets and perform excellent services for final consumers. Its steel has been 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 accomplished by Terminal de Carvão e Minérios do Porto de Itaguai - TECAR, a solid bulk terminal, one of the four terminals that compose the Port of Itaguai, located in Rio de Janeiro. Imports of coal and coke are held through this terminal and directed to the steel industry of CSN.

From November 30, 2015 the Company has transferred its mining assets, together with its logistical infrastructure, which includes the mine Casa de Pedra and the right to operate the terminal TECAR, to its subsidiary Congonhas Minérios S.A. In the new structure Congonhas Minérios S.A. has taken control over Nacional Minérios S.A. (NAMISA) through a business combination transaction.

The Company's mining activities also comprises tin exploitation, which is based in the State of Rondônia, this facility is engaged to supply the needs of UPV, with the excess of these raw materials being sold to subsidiaries and third parties.

## • Cement:

CSN entered in the cement market boosted by the synergy between this new activity and its existing businesses. Next to the Presidente Vargas Steelworks (UPV) in Volta Redonda (RJ), it is installed a new business unit: CSN Cimentos, which produces CP-III type of cement by using slag produced by the UPV blast furnaces in Volta Redonda. It also explores limestone and dolomite at the Arcos unit, located in the State of Minas Gerais, to satisfy the needs of UPV as of the cement plant.

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Railroads:

CSN has interests in three railroad companies: MRS Logística S.A., which manages the former Southeast Railway System of Rede Ferroviária Federal S.A ("RFFSA")., Transnordestina Logística S.A. ("TLSA") and FTL - Ferrovia Transnordestina Logística S.A. ("FTL"), which 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) 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).

Ports:

In the State of Rio de Janeiro, by means of its subsidiaries Sepetiba Tecon S.A. and Congonhas Minérios S.A., the Company operates the Container Terminal (Tecon) and the solid bulk terminal (Tecar), respectively, both located at the Itaguaí Port. Established in the harbor of Sepetiba, the mentioned port has a privileged highway, railroad and maritime access.

Tecon is responsible for the shipments of CSN's steel products, movement and storage of containers, consolidation and deconsolidation of cargo; The Tecar's port terminal is engaged to the iron ore shipment overseas and to the landing of coal, petroleum, coke, sulfur and zinc concentrate for our own operation and for third parties.

## Energy:

Since the energy supply is fundamental in CSN's production process, the Company owns and operates facilities to generate electric power for guaranteeing its self-sufficiency.

The "note 24 - Segment Information" details the financial information per each of CSN's business segment.

#### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### 2.a) Basis of preparation

The consolidated condensed interim financial statements have been prepared and are being presented in accordance with the International Accounting Standards (IAS 34 – Interim Financial Reporting) issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB), which correlate in Brazil is the CPC 21 (R1) (Interim Financial Statements and Consolidated Interim Financial Statements) issued by the CPC (Accounting Pronouncements Committee) and approved by CVM (Brazilian Securities Commission). All the relevant information required in the financial statements and only these information, are being highlighted and correspond to those used for the Company's management.

The significant accounting policies applied in these condensed interim financial statements are consistent with the policies described in Note 2 to the Company's financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2015, filed with the CVM.

These condensed interim financial statements do not include all requirements of annual or full financial statements and, accordingly, should be read together with the Company's financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2015.

Therefore, in these condensed interim financial statements the following notes were not repeated, either due to redundancy or to relevance in relation to those already presented in the annual financial statements:

Note 02 - Summary of significant accounting policies

Note 03 – Business Combination

Note 09 - Investments

Note 27 - Employee benefits

Note 29 - Commitments

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The consolidated and parent company interim financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on May 11, 2016.
2.b) Basis of presentation

The consolidated condensed interim financial statements are presented in Brazilian reais (R\$), which is the mainly Company's 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 valuation on which items are remeasured. The asset and liability balances are translated at the exchange rate in effect at the end of the reporting period. As of March 31, 2016, US\$1 is equivalent to R\$3.5589 (R\$3.9048 as of December 31, 2015), €1 is equivalent to R\$4.0539 (R\$4.2504 as of December 31, 2015).

## 2.c) Basis of consolidation

The accounting practices were treated uniformly in all the consolidated companies. The consolidated condensed interim financial statements for the period ended March 31, 2016 and the year ended December 31, 2015 include the following direct and indirect subsidiaries and jointly controlled entities, as well as the exclusive funds as described below:

# Companies

Equity interests (%)					
Companies	03/31/2016		Core business		
Direct interest in subsidiaries: full consolidation					
CSN Islands VII Corp.	100.00	100.00	Financial transactions		
CSN Islands IX 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.	100.00	100.00	Equity interests		
CSN Export Europe, S.L.U.	100.00	100.00	Financial transactions and Equity interests		
CSN Metals S.L.U.	100.00	100.00	Equity interests and Financial transactions		
CSN Americas S.L.U.	100.00	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		
Mineração 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		
Cia Metalic Nordeste	99.99	99.99	Manufacture of containers and distribution of steel products		
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		
Congonhas Minérios 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	89.79	89.79	Railroad logistics		

S.A. Nordeste Logística S.A.	99.99	99.99	Port services
Indirect interest in subsidiaries: full	consolidation		
Companhia Siderúrgica Nacional LLC	100.00	100.00	Steel
CSN Europe Lda.	100.00	100.00	Financial transactions, product sales and Equity interests
CSN Ibéria Lda.	100.00	100.00	Financial transactions, product sales and Equity interests
Lusosider Projectos	99.94	99.94	Equity interests and product sales
Siderúrgicos S.A. Lusosider Aços Planos, S. A.	99.99	99.99	Steel and Equity interests
CSN Acquisitions, Ltd. (1)		100.00	Financial transactions and Equity interests
CSN Resources S.A.	100.00	100.00	Financial transactions and Equity interests
CSN Holdings (UK) Ltd (1)		100.00	Financial transactions and Equity interests
CSN Handel GmbH (2)	-	87.52	Financial transactions, product sales and Equity interests
Companhia Brasileira de Latas	100.00	100.00	Sale of cans and containers in general and Equity interests
Companhia de Embalagens Metálicas	99.67	99.67	Production and sale of cans and related activities
MMSA			
Companhia de	99.67	99.67	Production and sale of cans and
Embalagens Metálicas - MTM			related activities
CSN Steel Holdings 1, S.L.U.	100.00	100.00	Financial transactions, product sales and Equity interests
CSN Productos	100.00	100.00	Financial transactions, product sales
Siderúrgicos S.L.	100.00	100.00	and Equity interests  Production and sale of long steel and
Stalhwerk Thüringen GmbH	100.00	100.00	related activities
CSN Steel Sections UK	100.00	100.00	Sale of long steel
Limited (*)			
CSN Steel Sections	100.00	100.00	Financial transactions, product sales
Polska Sp.Z.o.o	100.00	100.00	and Equity interests
CSN Asia Limited Namisa International	100.00 87.52	100.00 87.52	Commercial representation Financial transactions, product sales
Minérios SLU	07.32	07.32	and Equity interests
Namisa Europe,	87.52	87.52	Equity interests, product and iron ore
Unipessoal Lda.	07.102	07.102	sales
CSN Mining GmbH (3)	87.52	87.52	Financial transactions, product sales and Equity interests
Namisa Asia Limited	87.52	87.52	Commercial representation
Direct interest in joint operations: p	roportionate cons	solidation	
Itá Energética S.A.	48.75	48.75	Electric power generation

CGPAR - Construção Pesada S.A.	50.00	50.00	Mining support services and Equity interests
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.	56.92	56.92	Railroad logistics
Indirect interest in joint ventures: equity method			
MRS Logística S.A.	16.30	16.30	Railroad transportation
Direct interest in associates: equity method			
Arvedi Metalfer do Brasil S.A.	20.00	20.00	Metallurgy and Equity interests

- (\*) They are Dormant Companies therefore they do not appear in the note 9.a, where is disclosed business information under the equity method.
- (1) Company liquidated in January 2016;
- (2) Company incorporated by CSN Mining Gmbh (subsidiary with indirect interest) on January 2016;
- (3) New corporate name of Namisa Handel Gmbh, amended in February 2016;

#### Exclusive funds

	Equity interests (%)			
Exclusive funds	03/31/2016	12/31/2015	Core business	
Direct interest: full consolidation				
Diplic - Private credit balanced mutual fund		100.00	Investment fund	
Caixa Vértice - Private credit balanced mutual fund	100.00	100.00	Investment fund	
BB Steel - Private credit balanced mutual fund	100.00	100.00	Investment fund	
VR1 - Private credit balanced mutual fund	100.00	100.00	Investment fund	

## 2.d) Restatement of accounting balances

## Forfaiting

Trough out the financial year 2015 the Company purchased raw materials from its suppliers located abroad through a foreign trade operation called Forfaiting, in which the financial institution makes the payment in cash to exporter by the net values of the securities (discount rate and other possible expenses already deducted), allowing the Company to finance imported goods by an yearly interest rate from 1.25% to 3.28%, maturing in 12 months.

#### • Drawee risk

During the financial year 2015 the Company carried out transactions denominated drawee risk, the transaction occurs when the financial institution engaged by the Company anticipates to suppliers the debt securities, so then subsequently receives from the Company on the maturity date those anticipated values

The Company reclassified the balances of forfaiting transactions and drawee risk with commercial suppliers originally presented in cash flow on March 2015, as follows:

# a) Statements of cash flows at March 31, 2015

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	<b>Originally Reported</b>	Reclassifications	Restated
Cash generated by operating activities			
Profit for the year attributable to the controlling shareholders	392,056		
Trade payables	(118,373)	97,541	
Paid Interests	(724,617)	(1,423)	
Others	2,092,940		
Net cash generated by operating activities	1,642,006	96,118	
Cash used in investing activities	413,490		
Cash generated by financing activities			
Forfaiting funding / drawee risk		15,136	
Forfaiting amortization / drawee risk		(111,254)	
Others	(1,852,855)		
Net cash used in financing activities	(1,852,855)	(96,118)	
Exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	182,123		
Increase in cash and cash equivalents	384,764		

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	Originally Reported	Reclassifications	Restated ca
Cash generated by operating activities			
Profit for the year	392,056		
Trade payables	(201,233)	97,541	
Paid Interests	(555,887)	•	
Others	1,449,353	, ,	1
Net cash generated by operating activities	1,084,289		1
Cash used in investing activities	(420)		
Cash generated by financing activities			
Forfaiting funding / drawee risk		15,136	
Forfaiting amortization / drawee risk		(111,254)	
Others	(1,055,659)	, ,	(1
Net cash used in financing activities	(1,055,659)		
Exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	49,459		
Increase in cash and cash equivalents	77,669		

# b) Statement of income and statement of comprehensive income at March 31, 2015

The Company has not restated the others statements of March 2015 since the changes in those tables were not material.

## 3. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

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	03/31/2016	Consolidated 12/31/2015	03/31/2016	Parent Company 12/31/2015
Current	00/01/2010	12/01/2010	00/01/2010	12/01/2010
Cash and cash equivalents Cash and banks	666,948	434,014	26,453	37,003
Short-term investments In Brazil:				
Government securities	59,915	165,520	22,921	164,311
Private securities	273,750	945,420	189,108	570,284
	333,665	1,110,940	212,029	734,595
Abroad:				
Time deposits	4,540,327	6,316,098	916,700	1,113,601
Total short-term investments	4,873,992	7,427,038	1,128,729	1,848,196
Cash and cash equivalents	5,540,940	7,861,052	1,155,182	1,885,199

The funds available in the Group and parent company set up in Brazil are basically invested in investment funds, classified as exclusive and its financial statements were consolidated within CSN the financial statements, consolidated and parent company. The funds include repurchase agreements backed by private and public securities, with pre-fixed income, with immediate liquidity.

Private securities are short-term investments in Bank Deposit Certificates (CDBs) with yields pegged to the Interbank Deposit Certificate (CDI) fluctuation, and government securities are basically repurchase agreements backed by National Treasury Notes and National Treasury Bills. The funds are managed by BNY Mellon Serviços Financeiros S.A. DTVM, BB Gestão de Recursos DVTM and Caixa Econômica Federal and their assets collateralize possible losses on investments and transactions carried out. The investment in those funds was consolidated.

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A significant part of the funds of the Company and its foreign subsidiaries is invested in time deposits in banks considered by the administration as top rated banks and the returns are based on fixed interest rates.

#### 4. SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS

The Company has investments in Public and Private securities managed by its exclusive funds that have been qualified as a margin deposits for the forward dollar contracts traded at BM&F Bovespa in the period and detailed in note 12 (b). The carrying amount of these financial investments totaled R\$ 764,132 (R\$ 763,599 on December 31, 2015). These investments have pre-fixed yield and immediate liquidity.

#### 5. TRADE RECEIVABLES

	03/31/2016	Consolidated 12/31/2015	Pa 03/31/2016	rent Company 12/31/2015
Trade receivables				
Third parties				
Domestic market	946,045	772,617	512,785	425,108
Foreign market	889,451	818,562	199,576	250,588
	1,835,496	1,591,179	712,361	675,696
Allowance for doubtful debts	(165,188)	(151,733)	(123,764)	(112,502)
	1,670,308	1,439,446	588,597	563,194
Related parties (Note 17 b)	75,241	61,366	1,064,915	1,140,172
	1,745,549	1,500,812	1,653,512	1,703,366
Other receivables				
Dividends receivable (Note 17 b) (*)	27,623	27,817	747,033	737,668
Advances to employees	35,229	40,190	21,606	24,465
Other receivables	7,705	9,458	275	2,024
	70,557	77,465	768,914	764,157
	1,816,106	1,578,277	2,422,426	2,467,523

(\*) Refers mainly to dividends receivable from Congonhas Minérios S.A. totaling R\$694,080 to be paid on November 30, 2016.

In accordance with Group' internal sales policy the Group performs operations relating to 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 trade receivables and becomes entirely free of the credit risk on the transaction. This transaction totals R\$299,737 as of March 31, 2016 (R\$232,275 as of December 31, 2015), less the trade receivables.

The breakdown of gross trade receivables from third parties is as follows:

	Consolidated		Parent Company		
	03/31/2016	12/31/2015	03/31/2016	12/31/2015	
Current	1,339,503	1,049,033	428,160	423,801	
Past-due up to 180 days	328,092	353,443	178,716	118,488	
Past-due over 180 days	167,901	188,703	105,485	133,407	
	1,835,496	1,591,179	712,361	675,696	

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

		Consolidated	Pai	ent Company
	03/31/2016	12/31/2015	03/31/2016	12/31/2015
Opening balance	(151,733)	(127,223)	(112,502)	(93,536)
Estimated losses	(17,897)	(35,631)	(14,216)	(26,288)
Recovery of receivables	4,442	11,121	2,954	4,504
Incorporation of CSN Cimentos and assets' drop down to Congonhas				2,818
Closing balance	(165,188)	(151,733)	(123,764)	(112,502)

# 6. INVENTORIES

	Consolidated			Parent Company	
	03/31/2016	12/31/2015	03/31/2016	12/31/2015	
Finished goods	1,402,385	1,912,868	989,852	1,078,554	
Work in progress	1,023,012	1,007,630	765,813	746,614	
Raw materials	926,034	1,062,557	583,460	563,119	
Storeroom supplies	973,667	962,078	516,295	489,816	
Iron ore	256,229	95,461	15,411	6,912	
Advances to suppliers	10,313	12,147	6,386	6,191	
Provision for losses	(96,808)	(111,427)	(42,940)	(40,462)	
	4,494,832	4,941,314	2,834,277	2,850,744	

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

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		Consolidated	Parent Company		
	03/31/2016	12/31/2015	03/31/2016	12/31/2015	
Opening balance	(111,427)	(112,581)	(40,462)	(88,056)	
Reversal / (losses) for slow-moving and obsolescence (note 22)	14,619	1,154	(2,478)	15,835	
Drop down of assets to Congonhas  Closing balance	(96,808)	(111,427)	(42,940)	31,759 <b>(40,462)</b>	

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# 7. OTHER CURRENT AND NON-CURRENT ASSETS

The groups of other current and non-current assets is comprised as follows:

	Consolidated					
	Current		Non-current		Current	
	03/31/2016	12/31/2015	03/31/2016	12/31/2015	03/31/2016	12/31/201
Judicial deposits (note 15)			324,444	328,542		
Credits with the PGFN (1)			88,859	87,761		
Recoverable taxes (2)	933,627	996,679	446,826	445,926	687,038	702,72
Prepaid expenses	82,669	119,456	22,707	28,119	49,284	19,44
Actuarial asset - related party (note 17 b)			107,622	114,433		
Derivative financial instruments (note 12 I)		118,592				