18. Equity

Consolidated shareholders' equity totalled \in 1,249.5 million at June 30, 2015, which was greater than December 31, 2014 (\in 1,186.4 million), and comprised:

(Amounts in €/000)	June 30, 2015	December 31, 2014	Change
Equity attributable to the owners of the parent			
Share capital	544,740	544,740	-
Share premium reserve	120,798	120,798	-
- Legal reserve	101,534	100,000	1,534
- Extraordinary and other reserves	(11,510)	(11,510)	-
Total other reserves	90,024	88,490	1,534
Other components of comprehensive income			
- Translation reserve	29,016	15,574	13,442
- Hedging reserve	1,830	1,987	(157)
- Actuarial reserve	(5,447)	(5,446)	(1)
Total other components of comprehensive income	25,399	12,115	13,284
Retained earnings	324,611	249,988	74,623
Net profit (loss) for the period	53,029	93,772	(40,743)
Total equity attributable to the owners of the parent	1,158,601	1,109,903	48,698
Share capital and reserves attributable to non-controlling interests	83,627	67,166	16,461
Profit for the year attributable to non-controlling interests	7,269	9,347	(2,078)
Share capital and reserves attributable to non-controlling interests	90,896	76,513	14,383
TOTAL EQUITY	1,249,497	1,186,416	63,081

Changes for the period, in the different equity items, are summarized in the relevant schedule of the financial statements. Please note that in their meeting held on April 30, 2015, the shareholders of Salini Impregilo S.p.A resolved to allocate the profit for the previous year as follows:

- € 1,534,634.74, equal to 5% of the profit for 2014, to increase the Legal Reserve;
- € 19,562,732.56 as dividend to the holders of ordinary shares, equal to € 0.04 per share;
- € 420,027.66 as a dividend to the holders of savings shares, equal to € 0.26 per share;
- € 9,175,299.76 as retained earnings.

With regard to the company's shares, please note that the share-purchase programme began on October 6, 2014 and as at June 30, 2015, 3,104,377 shares have been bought equal to \in 7,676,914.46. The item has remained the same compared to the amount as at December 31, 2014.

With regard to the other components of the comprehensive income, the main change is due to the effect of the fluctuation in exchange rates, as shown in the following table:

(Amounts in €/000)	H1 2015	H1 2014
Opening balance	15,574	826
Reclassification from the statement of comprehensive income to the income statement		
Equity-accounted investees	2,063	625
Increase (decrease)	11,379	(8, 123)
Total changes	13,442	(7,498)
Closing balance	29,016	(6,672)

The effect of changes in the cash flow hedge reserve due to fair value gains (losses) on financial instruments is detailed below:

(Amounts in €/000)	H1 2015	H1 2014
Opening balance	1,987	2,152
Reclassification of fair value gains/losses on settled transactions to profit or loss	293	357
Reclassification of fair value for which there is no coverage		
Net fair value losses	370	108
Change in consolidation scope		
Difference exchange rate	(460)	(171)
Equity-accounted investees	(361)	(52)
Total changes	(158)	242
Closing balance	1,829	2,394

The actuarial gains (losses) reserve underwent the following changes:

Closing balance	(5,447)	(2,251)
Actuarial profit (loss) comprehensive income		(379)
Opening balance	(5,447)	(1,872)
(Amounts in €/000)	H1 2015	H1 2014

Retained earnings

Changes made to the item are summarized in the following table:

(Amounts in €/000)	H1 2015	H1 2014
Opening balance	249,988	309,452
Allocation of profit and reserves	92,237	168,924
Dividend distribution	(19,983)	(420)
Merger		(206,549)
Todini losses hedge		(15,823)
Change in consolidation scope	2,365	
Total changes	74,623	(53,868)
Closing balance	324,611	255,584

Share capital and reserves attributable to non-controlling interests

Share capital and reserves attributable to non-controlling interests are as follows:

(Amounts in €/000)	H1 2015	H1 2014
Opening balance	76,514	221,994
Merger		(173,641)
Profit attributable to non-controlling interests	7,265	(1,482)
Todini losses hedge and shareholders' contribution	11,311	15,823
Change in consolidation scope	(4,601)	560
Components of comprehensive income	403	(554)
Total changes	14,382	(159,294)
Closing balance	90,896	62,700