Evonik Leading Beyond Chemistry

Company Factbook 2022





LEADING BEYOND CHEMISTRY TO IMPROVE LIFE, TODAY AND TOMORROW



Leading Beyond Chemistry – Our purpose

Evonik on the way to become a best-in-class specialty chemicals company





Leading ... Leading ... Leading ... Leading ... Leading ... Control ...

- Leading market positions in 80% of our business
- Leading key financial indicators
- Connecting skills and perspectives
- Develop solutions together with partners
- Sustainability key driver of growth
- Clear focus on specialty chemicals
- Target 100% specialty portfolio



Evonik in numbers





FY 2021; continuing operations

Next Generation Evonik: Embarking on the next phase of our transformation Sustainability fully integrated into all three strategic levers

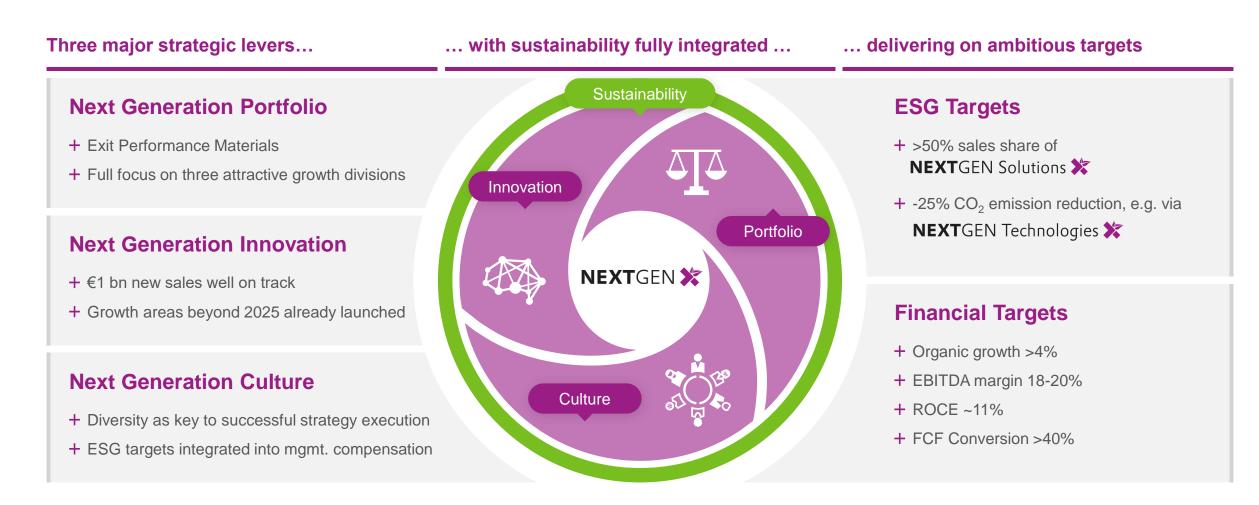




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Evonik well equipped as "Enabler of Sustainable Change"

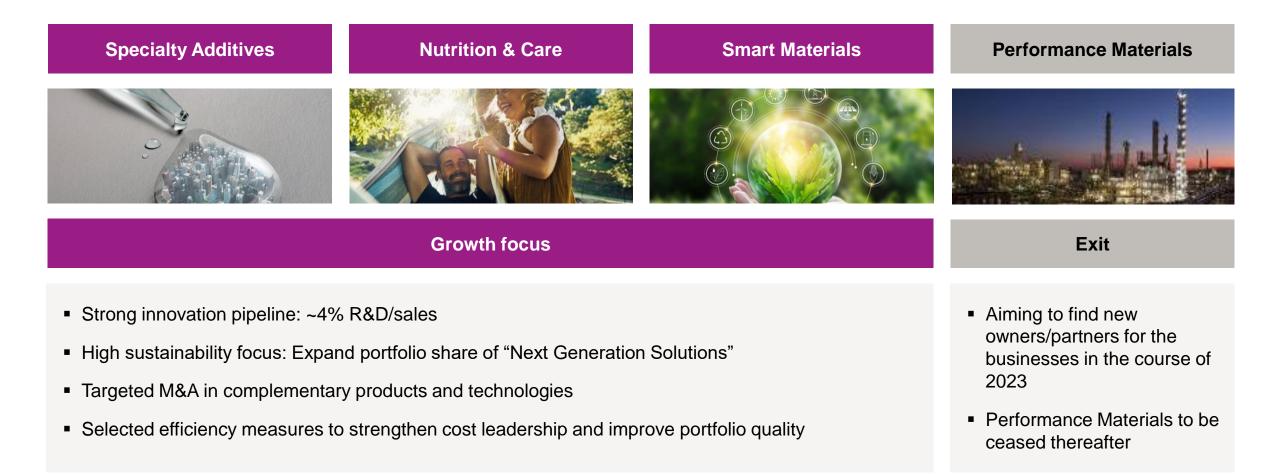
Portfolio circled around our four "Sustainability Focus Areas"





Portfolio transformation – Clear portfolio roles

Focus on three growth divisions - Exit Performance Materials





Portfolio: Full focus on three attractive growth divisions

Investments in R&D, organic & inorganic growth

Specialty Additives



Additive Technologies

- Modular expansion of Silicones & Amine platforms via >€100 m investments (2022 – 2024)
- Addition of new effects, functionalities and technology platforms to Additives portfolio

Nutrition & Care



Drug Delivery Systems

 mRNA: Sizeable investments into lipids, formulation and fill-finish

Care Solutions

- Three-digit million € investment into world's first industrial-scale biosurfactants production (start-up 2023/24)
- Targeting market leadership in Active Cosmetics Ingredients market by 2025 via organic growth and M&A

Smart Materials



Membranes

- Modular investments into capacity expansion for gas-filtering membranes (~€50 m)
- Breakthrough of electrolytic production of green hydrogen via DURAION[®] AEM membranes

Specialty Peroxides Solutions

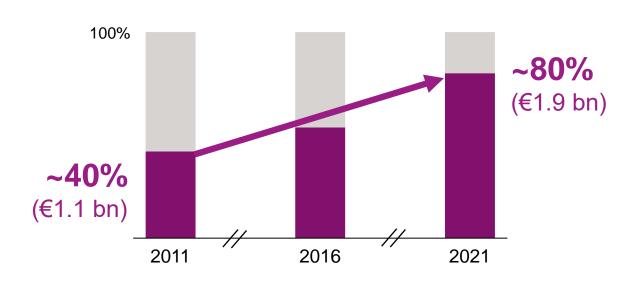
- Investments into purification capacities to capture growth potential of Specialties applications
- Growth option in highly efficient and sustainable HP+ technologies (HPPO, HPPG)



Portfolio transformation – More balanced and more specialty

Portfolio quality significantly improved – today ~80% specialty businesses

Adj. EBITDA operating businesses



Portfolio characteristics

- Specialty businesses now represent ~80% of EBITDA
- Specialty businesses with 10-year track record of
 3pp higher annual organic earnings growth¹



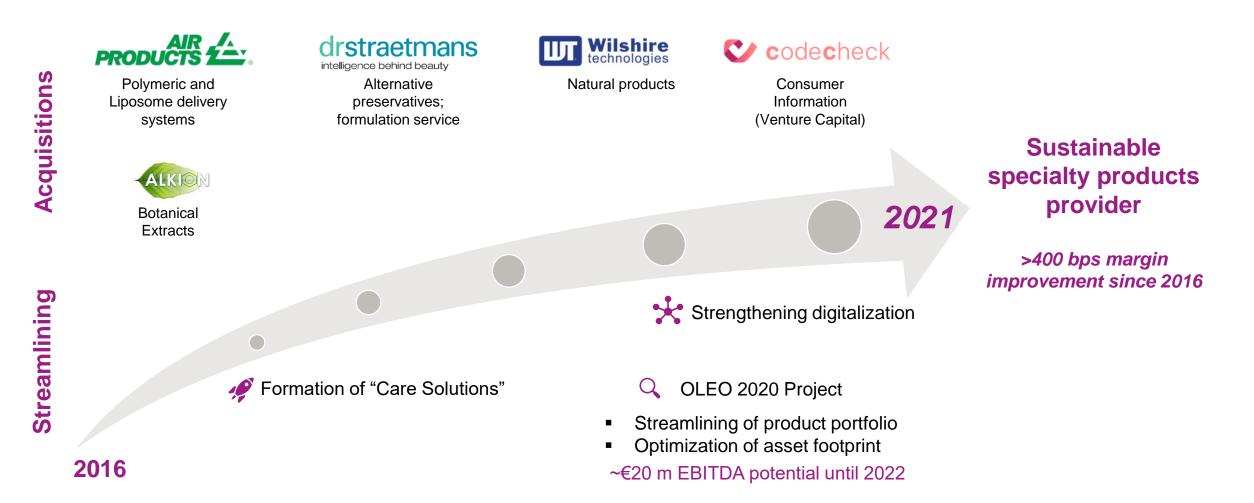
Examples		
Business transformation	 Bio-amino acids (toll manufacturing, streamlining production cost base) Care Solutions (transformation into a specialty products provider) 	
Innovation and product mix	 H₂O₂ (transform base business into specialized applications) Veramaris (switching of Lysine fermentation capacities) 	
Active M&A	 Bolt-on M&A to strengthen growth businesses Constant portfolio review and exit of commoditized activities 	

Target: Specialty portfolio with 100% growth businesses



Business transformation

Example Care Solutions: Transformation into a specialty products provider

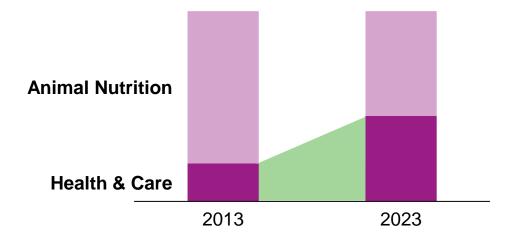




Business transformation – Product mix shift

Diversification of earnings in Nutrition & Care

Nutrition & Care EBITDA share by sub-division



- Above-average growth in Health & Care with main growth drivers
 - Drug Delivery Systems
 - Active Cosmetics Ingredients
- Normalization of Methionine price since 2013

System Solutions as growth driver

Drug Delivery Systems in Health Care:



- Integrated portfolio for targeted delivery and controlled release (oral & parenteral)
- Example: Lipid nano particles for vaccination, cell and gene therapy

Active Ingredients in Care Solutions:

- Ingredients with proven benefit
- Example: Ceramides as Ready-to-Use restoring protective skin barrier function
- Double-digit sales growth with high margins



Portfolio: Exit of Performance Materials in execution

Transformation for all three business lines ongoing

Superabsorber



~ €700 m sales¹

- Carve-out completed July 1st 2021
- Value-enhancing start of divestment process on the basis of improved 2022 financials and positive 2023 outlook

Functional Solutions



~ €450 m sales¹

- Divestment process for Lülsdorf site (~ €150 m sales) initiated in 2021
- Alkoxides (biodiesel catalysts;
 - ~ €300 m sales) to become part of Evonik growth divisions

Performance Intermediates



~ €1,800 m sales¹

- Process to find strong new partner for the business to be initiated in H2 2022
- Joint venture as preferred intermediate step for full divestment

Aiming to find new owners/partners for each of the three businesses in the course of 2023 Division Performance Materials to be ceased thereafter



1. FY 2021

Capital allocation into our green transformation Priority on growth investments and targeted M&A



Solid investment grade rating

1. 80% of growth capex for Next Generation Solutions (~€350 m p.a.) | 2. Additional capex for Next Generation Technologies (~€65 m p.a. on average)



Portfolio transformation – Active M&A management

Decisive and value-accretive portfolio management



Acquisitions

>€2 bn resilient sales

Ø multiple of **9.1x** EV/EBITDA (incl. synergies)

Ø EBITDA margin: ~22%

Delivery of synergies on track (€80 m by end of 2020)



Decisive and value-accretive portfolio management

- Portfolio cyclicality & Capex intensity reduced
- More resilient EBITDA margin and improved cash profile

Divestments: Methacrylates business sold for EV of €3 bn (8.5x EV/EBITDA) in 07/2019

Acquisitions: Air Products specialty additives business for US\$3.8 bn (9.9x EV/EBITDA incl. synergies & tax benefits) in 01/2017 I Dr. Straetmans cosmetics business in 05/2017

Huber Silica business for US\$630 m (~7x EV/EBITDA incl. synergies & tax benefits) in 09/2017 I PeroxyChem for US\$640 m (7.6x EV/EBITDA incl. synergies) in 02/2020 I Porocel for US\$210 m (9.1x EV/EBITDA) in 11/2020 1: 2014-2019



Active M&A Key M&A examples: Proof of concept for targeted and disciplined M&A approach

	Air Products Performance Materials (2017)	Huber Silica (2017)	PeroxyChem (2020)	Porocel (2020)
Purchase price	~ €3.5 bn	~ €600 m	\$640 m	\$210 m
Multiple ¹	15.2x / 9.9x	10.5x / 7x	9.9x / 7.6x	9.1x
EBITDA margin	>20%	>20%	~20%	~23%
Market growth	~4-5%	~4-6%	~6% ²	~4%

Business

Highly attractive strategic fit, seamless integration into existing businesses

Disciplined expansion in high-growth & -margin businesses with excellent strategic fit

1: EV/EBITDA pre / post synergies & tax benefits | 2: In specialty applications (~65% of total adj. EBITDA)



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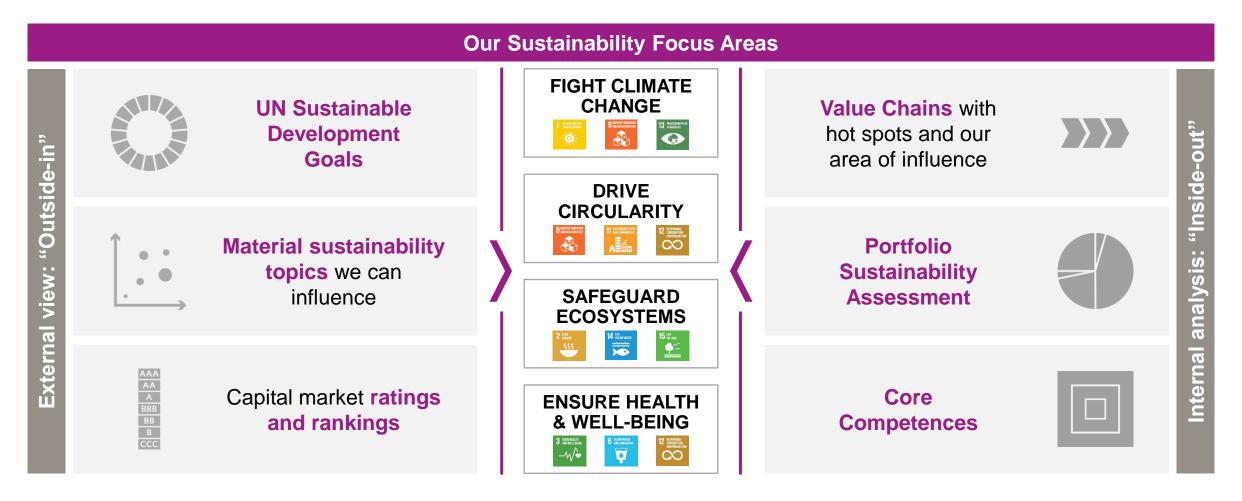


Setting the frame





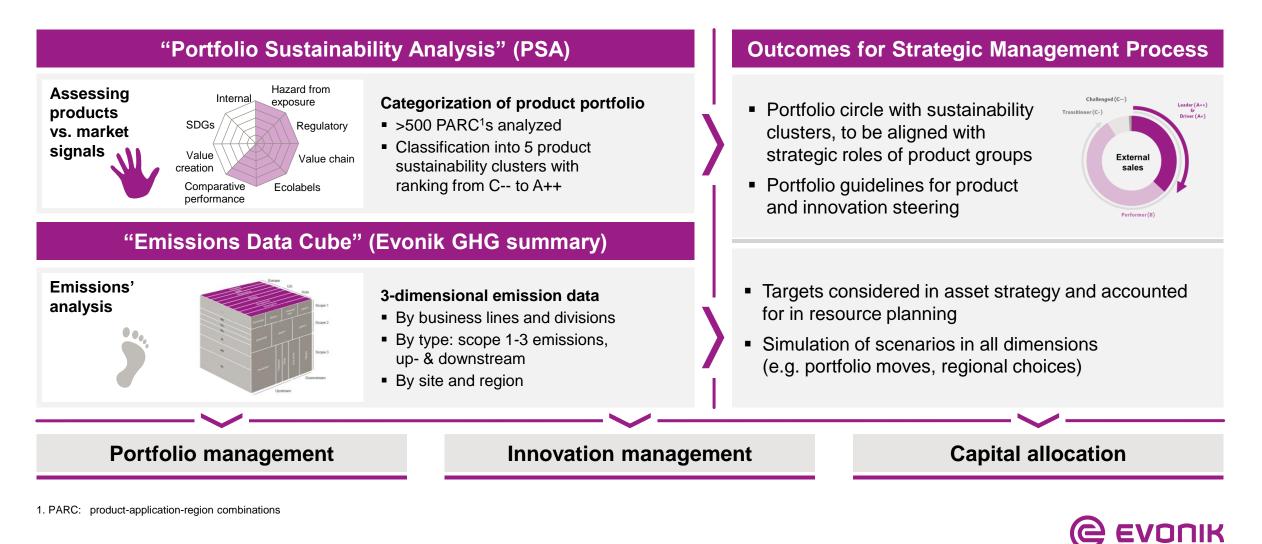
Our Sustainability Focus Areas defining footprint & handprint measures Result of external views and Evonik portfolio and competencies





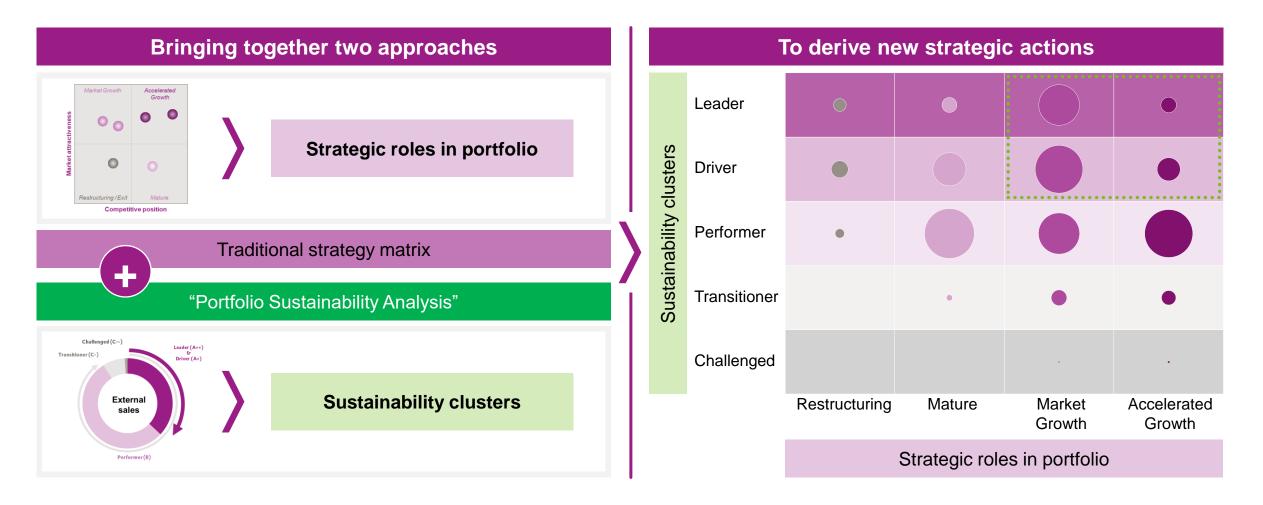
Sustainability fully integrated in corporate strategy

PSA and Emission Data Cube: core tools for strategic management process



Portfolio management: Adding sustainability as integral dimension

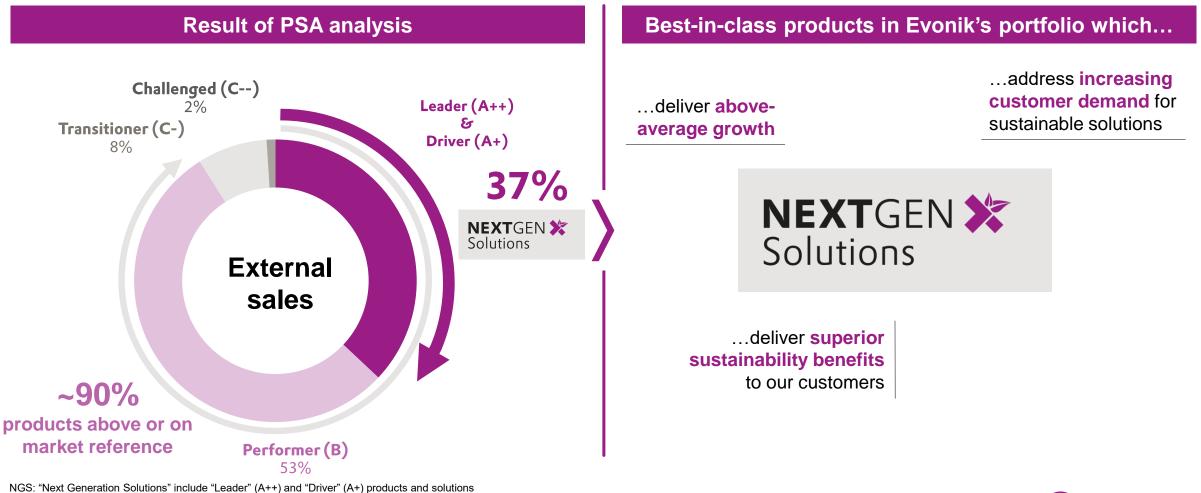
Alignment of sustainability clusters and strategic roles in strategy dialogues





Handprint: "Next Generation Solutions"

37% of Evonik's portfolio with superior sustainability benefits





Handprint: "Next Generation Solutions" to grow beyond 50% by 2030 Ambitious new sales share target to be achieved through three levers



NGS: "Next Generation Solutions" include "Leader" (A++) and "Driver" (A+) products and solutions



Above-average growth of existing "Next Generation Solutions" Selected examples addressing our four Sustainability Focus Areas



Drug Delivery Systems

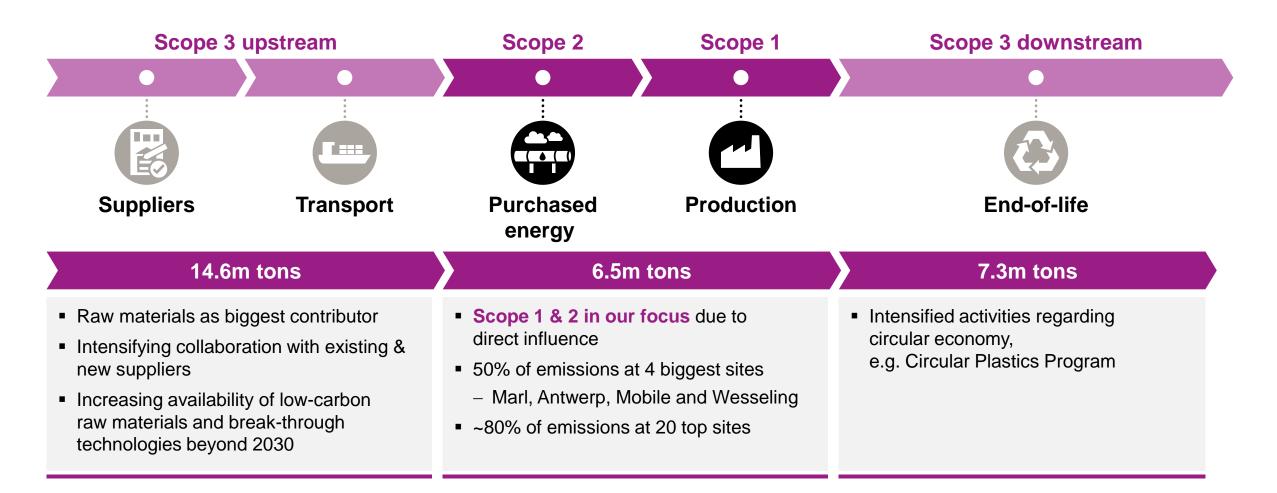
Modern aquaculture solutions



% values: Target CAGR 2021-2030 defined in Strategy Dialogue

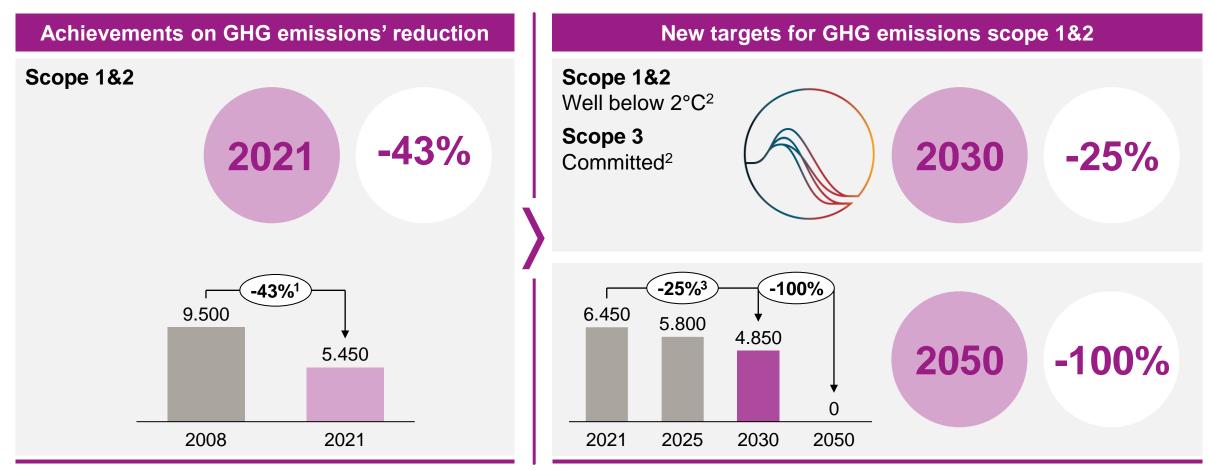
Footprint: Evonik Carbon Footprint 2021

Focus on Scope 1&2, intensifying efforts on Scope 3





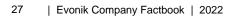
Our commitments to reaching the Paris Climate Agreement Evonik will be climate neutral by 2050. Committed to SBTi.



1. Net emissions (= gross emissions minus power and steam sold externally); reference year 2008; on initial -50% target by year 2025

2. Commitment letter signed and handed in for SBTi, 25^{th} April 2022

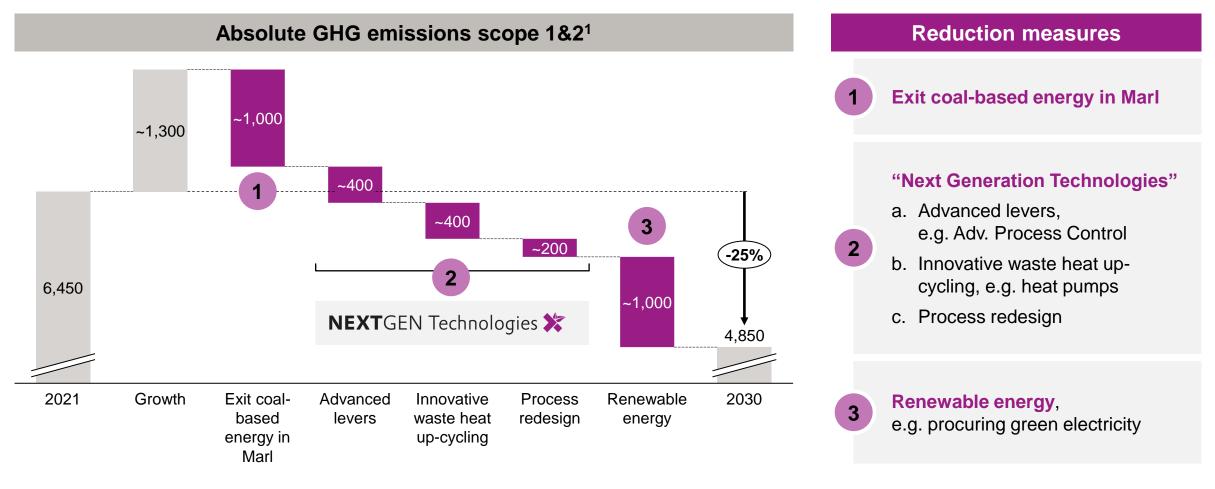
3. Gross emissions; reference year 2021, target year 2030





Clear roadmap to achieve Scope 1 & 2 targets by 2030

Three clusters with economically attractive measures defined



1. Gross emissions in kt CO₂e

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1 Exit coal-based energy in Marl



Modernization of Evonik's power plant park with two new power plants

Plan to replace the last coal-fired power plant at Marl Chemical Park by a **flexible combined cycle gas and steam power plant, on stream since September 2022**

Global scope 1 GHG emissions to be cut by ~20%, mainly due to annual reduction of up to 1 million metric tons CO₂

Additional turbine plant scheduled to be connected to the grid for end of 2022, replacing an old reserve gas-fired power plant

Total power output of 270¹ megawatts with an **efficiency exceeding 90%**

Flexibility due to current energy market situation:

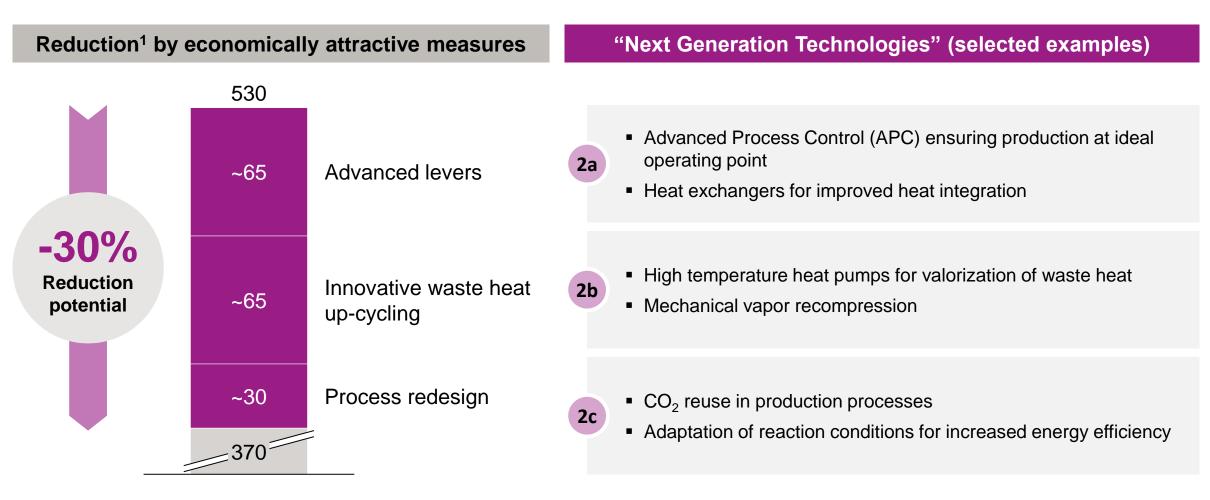
Temporary prolongation of runtime of coal-fired power plant in order to increase security of supply, before readopting initial plan to replace coal with gas

1. 2x blocks in first power plant, 1x block in second plant, each generating 90 MW electricity and 220 tons of steam per hour



2 "Next Generation Technologies"

Example Antwerp as blueprint for other sites



1. Gross emissions in kt CO_2e

2 New EAGER program to assess main CO₂ emitting sites Definition of 2030 implementation plan with reduction measures

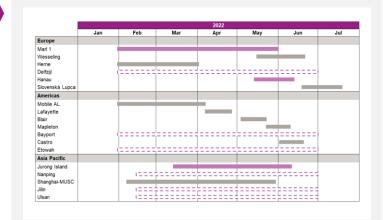
2021: Starting point

- Detailed analysis of options for Antwerp and Rheinfelden sites
- Definition of most important reduction levers with necessary investments
- Blueprint for other sites





- Project EAGER¹ to develop a clear perspective for top sites to collect and prioritize suitable reduction measures
- New data collection on waste & water



2022-2030

- "Next Generation Technologies" implementation plan ready end of 2022
- Investment into selected projects
- Execution of CO₂ reduction measures



IMPLEMENTATION PLAN



1. EAGER: Evonik Assessment of Greenhouse Gas Emission Reduction

3 Renewable energy

Increase share of renewable grid electricity



- Advanced negotiations for first photovoltaicbased PPAs (Power Purchase Agreements)
- Increasing electrification of processes e.g. by heat pumps leading to increasing demand of green electricity

Other renewable energy sources

Other options for renewable energy include:

- Biomethane or biomass for selfgeneration of steam and electricity¹
- Green hydrogen supplementing or replacing natural gas

1. CO₂ reduction occurs in GHG protocol scope 1 or 3, dependent on selected accounting methodology (incl. or excl. biogenic carbon removals and emissions)



3 Renewable energy

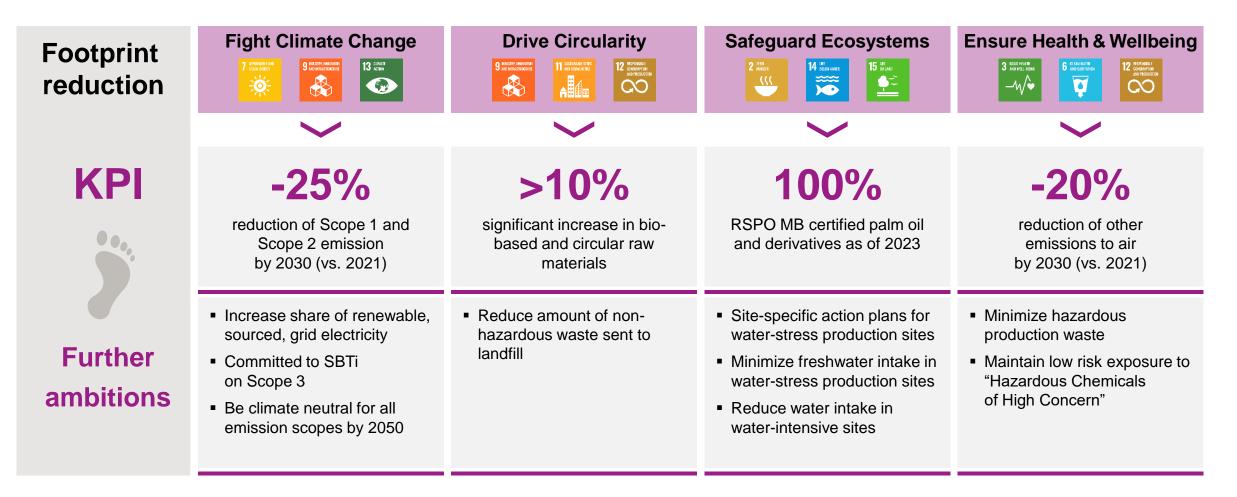


- PPA signed with EnBW for a new North Sea offshore wind park starting in 2026
- Delivery of 0.4 TWh to Evonik
- Covering 25% of Evonik's European electricity needs (~100 kt CO₂ emission reduction p.a.)
- Fixed conditions over 15 years (duration of contract)

Significantly reducing dependency on availability and prices of conventional energy sources



Reducing our footprint in all our sustainability focus areas Measurable set of KPIs in place, more to come with EAGER results





1. RSPO MB: Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil Mass Balance

Complementing the governance on ESG

Reflected in organizational set-up and remuneration

Clear responsibilities

- Executive Board has overall responsibility for sustainability
- Setting strategic framework and executing measures in close cooperation with operating divisions

Part of remuneration

- Occupational safety part of remuneration of the executive board since more than a decade
- New ESG goals to be integrated in remuneration schemes of Executive Board

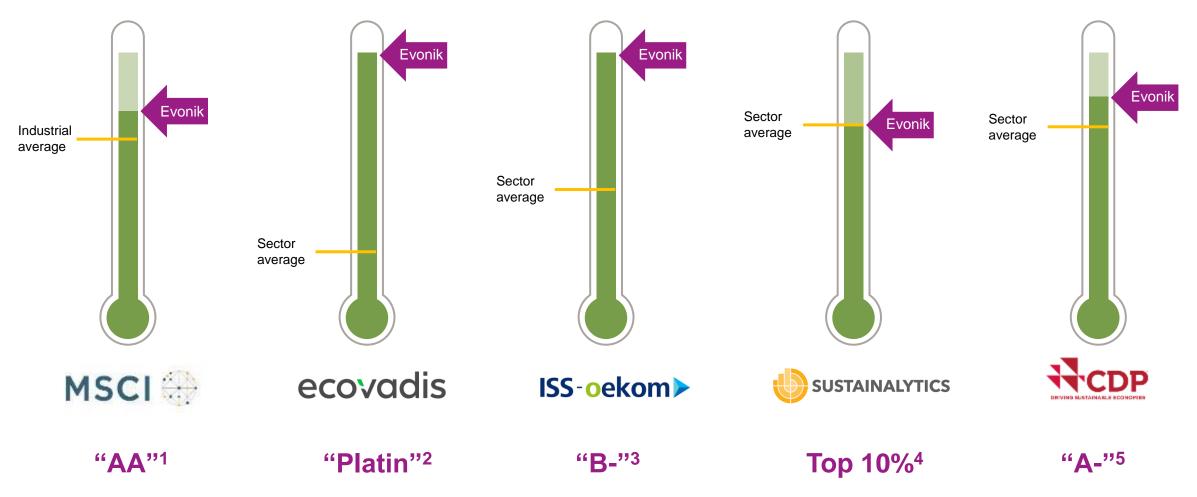






Sustainability Rankings

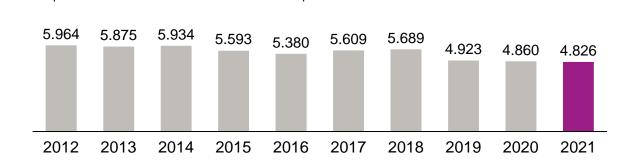
Evonik best-in-class within chemicals sector in terms of sustainability



1: Rating on a scale of AAA to CCC | 2: Top 1% of companies assessed | 3: Rating on a scale of A+ to D- | 4: out of ~130 companies ranked in the chemical sector | 5: Rating on a scale of A+ to D-

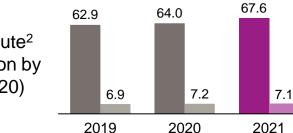


Sustainability – Long-term KPIs



Greenhouse gas emissions

Energy Consumption



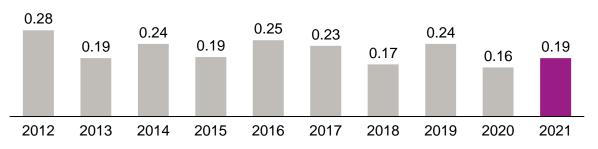
In petajoules, for specific consumption per million metric tons

Scope 1 emissions in thousand metric tons CO2 equivalents¹

New target: Reduce both absolute² and specific³ energy consumption by 5% by 2025 (reference base 2020)

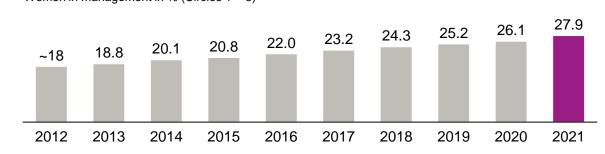
Accident frequency

Number of accidents per 200,000 working hours, reference value reduced from 1 million as from 2021



Diversity/Employees

Women in management in % (Circles 1 – 3)



1. values for 2020 corrected due to fast-close process | 2. Fuel inputs plus power and steam sourced externally less power and steam supplied to third parties | 3. Energy intensity calculated as energy consumption per product unit



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RD&I AT EVONIK		FIGHT CLIMATE CHANGE
>€450 m SPENT	>€500 M SALES IN 2021 FROM INNOVATION GROWTH FIELDS	DRIVE CIRCULARITY
~24,000 PATENTS ¹	>€2,500 EMPLOYEES	SAFEGUARD ECOSYSTEMS
100% SUSTAINABILITY-INTEGRATED		ENSURE HEALTH & SAFETY



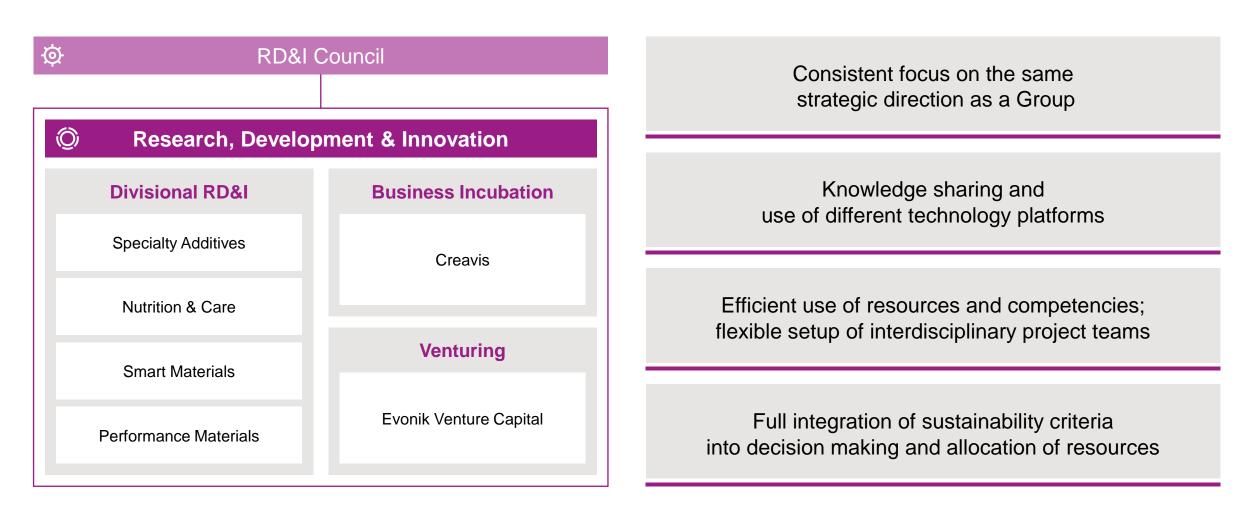
1. Patents and patents pending

Four focus areas where RD&I is adding value for Evonik



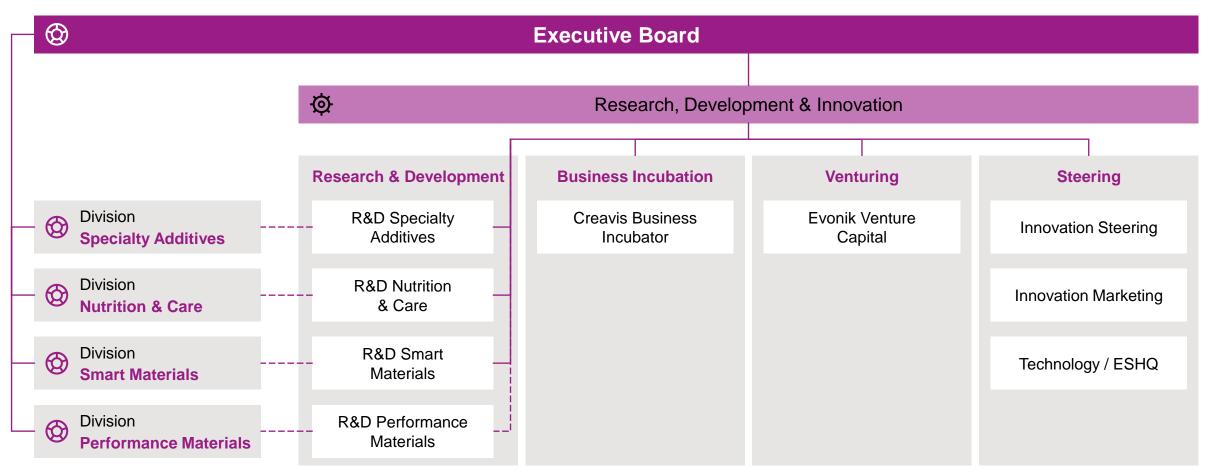


RD&I steers innovation based on clear alignment and continuous exchange across the entire Evonik organization





RD&I well aligned across divisions and functions

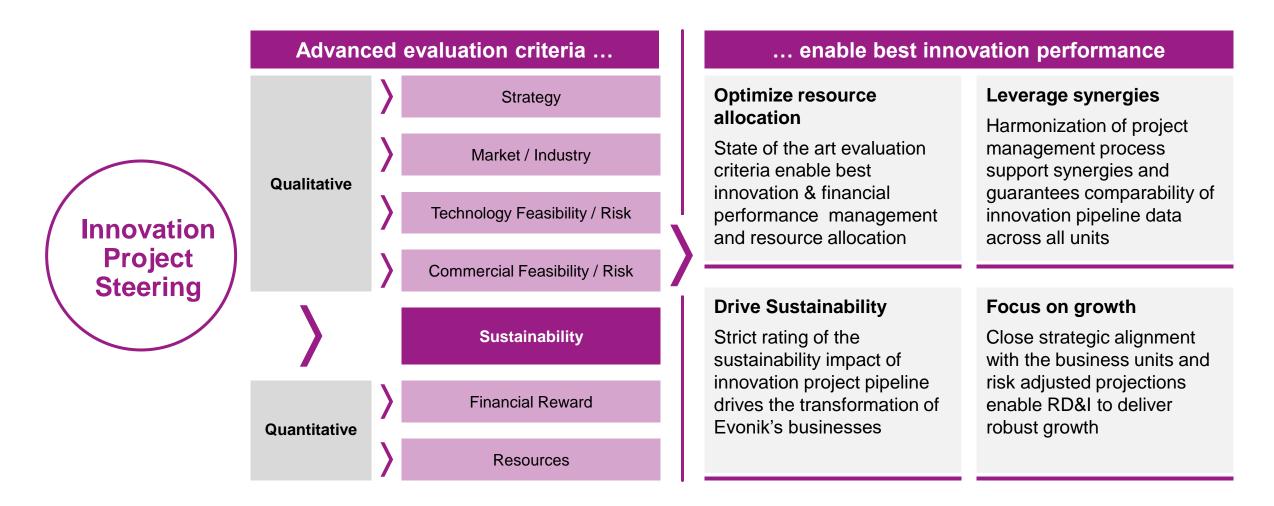


Disciplinary & functional assignment

--- Functional assignment only

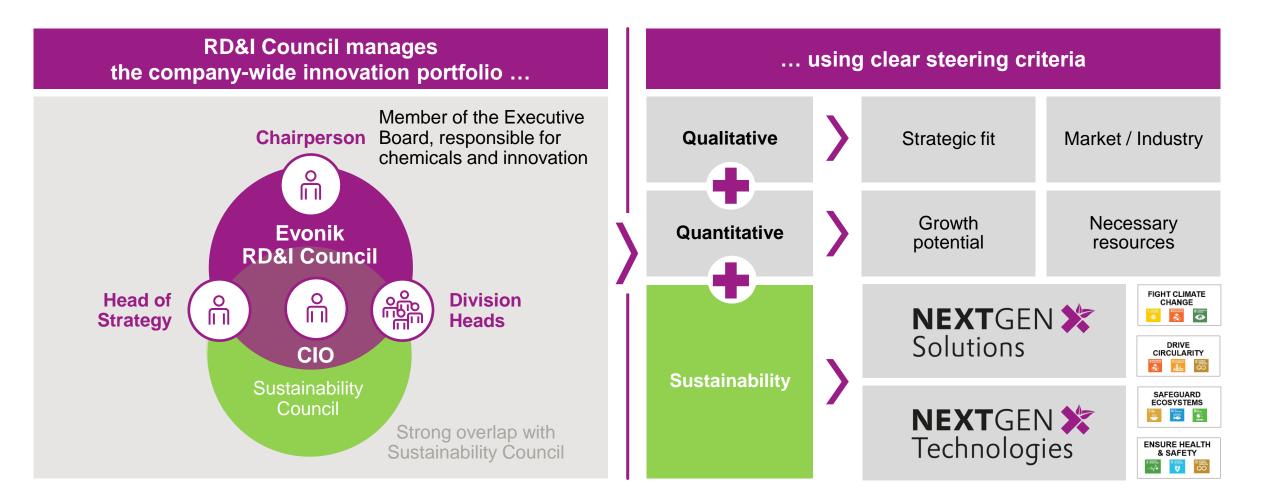


Evonik's RD&I projects are steered using clear criteria for optimized innovation performance and sustainable growth





Sustainability is fully integrated into innovation portfolio steering





Innovation Growth Fields on track to achieve target of >€1 bn sales



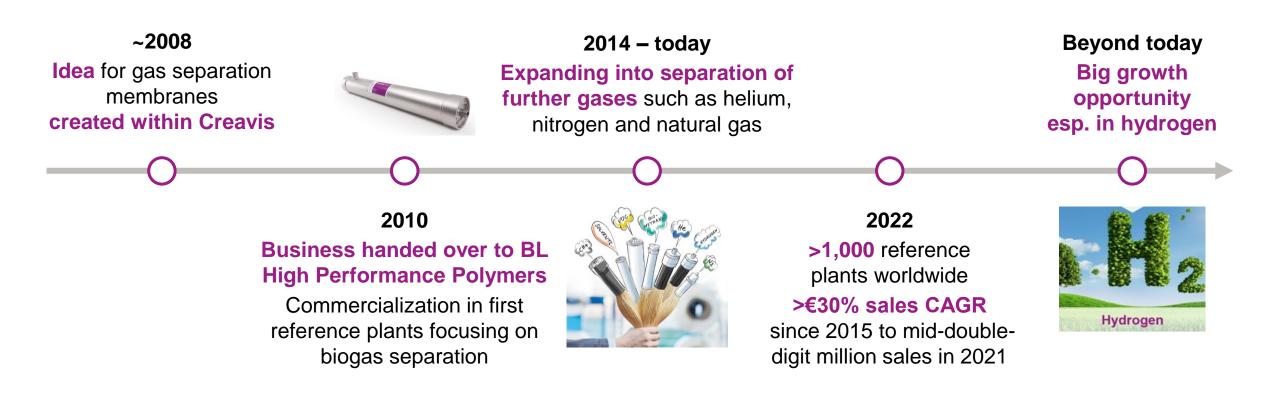
Above-average margin contribution



Sales contribution Innovation Growth Fields



Innovation Growth Field "Membranes" as blueprint for future innovation



Continuous RD&I efforts to improve product characteristics and scope of application



Driving sustainability through process innovation in new technologies

Breakthrough technology – Catalytic membrane reactors



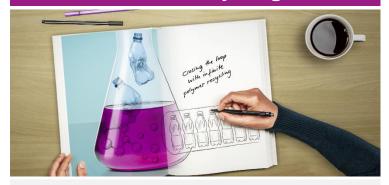
- Development of two-in-one reactor: Efficient catalytic reactor technology and sustainable downstream processing
- Demonstration of CO₂ saving potentials (up to 35%) and increase in energy efficiency (up to 70%)
- New business opportunities by technology enabled alternative reaction pathways

SAM 3D – Disruptive digital design for sustainable processes



- New generation of reactors designed to drive decarbonization
- Perfectly adjusted reactor geometries by simulations, additive manufacturing and AI for production accurate to the molecule
- Minimized emissions & energy costs in tailored reactors with enhanced process control

New solvolysis process for PET recycling



- Development of sustainable engineering packages backed by life cycle assessments
- Technology as building block and differentiating factor for strategic alliances
- Enabling new business for Evonik alkoxides in chemical recycling of PET



Driving sustainability through process innovation in new technologies

Energy integration via heat pumps for site steam supply



- High-temperature heat pumps for steam generation out of waste heat at chemical multiuser sites
- Energy saving of 65% for steam generation by heat recovery
- Substantial CO₂ reduction through total avoidance of natural gas boiler
- Central step for CO₂ neutral production site

Sustainable processes via electrochemical pH-shift



- Development of sustainable processes avoiding acids, bases and salt containing waste streams
- pH induced reactions by applying electrochemical process steps –
 "electrons replace chemicals"
- Technology as enabler to minimize carbon footprint

Turning old mattresses into value by new PU foam recycling process



- Integrated process development as enabler for circular economy of Polyurethane (PU) foams
- Significant CO₂ footprint reduction of recycled PU monomers of high quality
- Securing and supporting the growth of core business for PU foam additives



Innovation growth field: Membranes

Superior gas separation efficiency enabled by tailored polymer properties

Technology/USP

High performance hollow fiber membranes for efficient gas separation

Advantages

- Low energy consumption
- No waste, no emissions
- Flexible & easily expandable
- High yield & purity
- Robust & durable

Market size: ~€500 m Market growth: 5 - 10%



Status quo

Innovation leader by backward integration into membrane polymer chemistry

- 2010: Market entry: biogas upgrading
- 2014: Roll-out with process gases (like Helium & Nitrogen)
- **2018:** Diversification into Natural Gas, Hydrogen and Aviation
- **Now:** 1,000 membrane plants supplied already today

Mid double-digit million sales

Potential going forward

Future growth driver: Hydrogen

Today: H₂ extraction membranes

 Using membrane technology to extract hydrogen from existing natural gas pipelines

Future: Anion Exchange Membranes Breakthrough of electrolytic production of green hydrogen

- 30% lower CAPEX
- 10% lower OPEX

(vs Proton Exchange Membranes)

Contribution to €1 bn



Innovation growth field: Additive Manufacturing

Driving industrial scale 3D printing technology along the entire value chain

Markets and USP

Ready-to-use high-performance materials for infinite 3D applications

INFINAM[®] advantages:

- Highest quality & highest performance
- Ready-to-use
- Customized for different 3D technologies
- Unique combination of properties

Market size:

~€1 bn (polymer powders & photopolymers)

Market growth: >15%

Status quo

Market leader for PA12 – Innovation leader for new materials

- Evonik as market leader in PA12 powder materials for powder-based 3D printing technologies¹
- World's 1st PEEK filament for medical implant applications in 2020
- New product line for INFINAM® Photopolymers established in 2021
- Targeted external technology investments
 STRUCTURED UnionTech
 CASTOR

High double-digit million sales

Potential going forward

From prototyping to manufacturing

Substitution of plastic machining and injection molding through:

1. Close partnerships with major printing players and innovators

e%5



 Scaling the broadest portfolio of ready-to-use high-performance materials for all key 3D printing technologies to large volumes



Contribution to €1 bn



1: SLS: Selective Laser Sintering; HSS: High-Speed Sintering; MJF: Multi-Jet Fusion

Innovation growth field: Sustainable Nutrition

Transform Animal Nutrition into system solutions for sustainable protein

Markets and USP

System solutions addressing demand for sustainable & healthy food chain with reduced environmental footprint

Evonik ideally positioned:

- Strong nutritional know-how and services
- Global customer reach through Evonik's brand recognition in Animal Nutrition
- Key capabilities in R&D and innovation (in vivo, in vitro, gut model)

Relevant market:	~€800 m
Market growth:	>15%

Status quo

Non-antibiotic livestock

via Gut Health Solutions (e.g. probiotic "GutCare")

Enhancement of

"GuanAMINO"

marine algae

energy metabolism

Established product portfolio for:







Fighting overfishing via omega-3 from natural

via natural creatine precursor

High double-digit million sales

Potential going forward

Future growth driver:



Precision Livestock Farming

Big data-based management to optimize every aspect of poultry production



MONITOR livestock production



PREDICT protein quality



PLAN protein supply

Industry Value Potential: ~€5 bn Potential for product, service & digital revenues



Innovation growth field: Cosmetic Solutions

Leading sustainable system solution provider for cosmetic ingredients

Unique selling point

Full-service provider for our customers from an idea up to a claimable product

Evonik key success factors

- Wide portfolio of specialty products with scientifically proven & claimable benefits
- Strong customer intimacy
- >30 years of extensive experience in white biotechnology

Relevant market:

>€5-6 bn

Market growth: Functional ingredients and Actives ~5.5 %



Status quo

Highly specialized System Solutions:

Active ingredients



 Novel Active ingredients
 Novel Active ingredients with focus on derma-cosmetics
 Expertise in Ceramides

Delivery Systems

infinitec • 2021 acquisition of Infinitec adds 7 novel delivery systems

Botanicals

 2021 acquisition of Botanica adds sustainable botanicals

Sustainable Functionals

 Unique sustainable Biosurfactants and Emollients

Low triple-digit million sales

Potential going forward

Future growth driver: Fully bio-based solutions

- Our 100% bio-based surfactants are made from plant-based sugar
- Applicable in Care Solutions as well as Cleaning Solutions
- Market growth >50%

Latest launch:

RHEANCE® One finding new markets in a variety of cosmetic applications

- 100% bio-based rinse-off application
- USP of good foam & no bitter taste is ideal for applications in toothpaste



Innovation growth field: Healthcare Solutions

Attractive portfolio with high level of synergies and access to fast-growing markets

Unique selling point

An integrated System solutions portfolio of Advanced Drug Delivery, Functional Excipients, and Contract Manufacturing serving the pharmaceutical and medical device markets

Advantages

- Track record of reliable, high quality specialized products, technologies and services
- Shared competencies and technology platforms across the portfolio

Market size: ~€200 bn

Market growth: 4 to >8%



Status quo

Strong market position in

Drug Delivery Systems: Focused on system solutions that





transport an active agent in the body to safely provide the desired therapeutic effect **Cell Culture Solutions**¹:

Focused on providing system solutions for biological drug production and next-generation biological constructs

Medical Device Solutions:



 Focused on providing biomaterials and services for mechanic support or enhancement of damage biological structures

Low triple-digit million sales



Future growth driver: mRNA-based solutions for

- Vaccines: e.g. cancer immunotherapy, COVID-19
- Protein therapeutics: treating hereditary diseases
- Gene therapy: offering the potential for curative therapies at the genetic level

Market potential:

Accessible market of **USD5 bn** by 2026



1: Growing cells in controlled conditions outside its native environment

Innovation growth field: Advanced Food Ingredients

Portfolio of high-value functional nutritional products

Market

Nutraceutical system solutions provider for human dietary supplements

Evonik strengths:

- Fast-growing market driven by health-conscious consumers
- Differentiation through scientific evidence and formulation capabilities
- High level of synergies within Health & Care (e.g. biotech, delivery systems)

Market size: ~€25 bn Market growth:

5 - 10%



Status quo

Business transformed from only human amino acid business towards portfolio of high-value functional nutritional products, e.g.:



AvailOm[®]:

- Omega-3 fatty acid powder
- >5 times higher bioavailability than traditional liquid soft-gels
- 100% sustainable sources (algae)

SAMANA®:



 Product line of symbiotic solutions launched, addressing gut health and beauty from within

Double-digit million sales



7 products launched until today

Geographical expansion (e.g. AvailOm[®] registration in Brazil and India)

5 new launches expected for 2022 (e.g. natural ingredient with improved bioavailability, new capsules generation for delayed release)

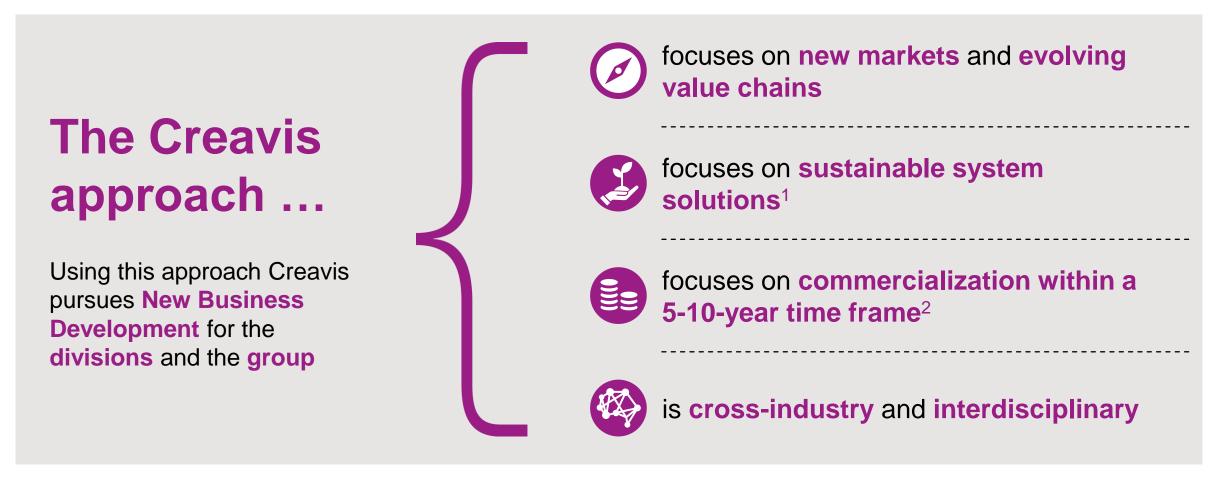
Future growth drivers:

Expanding existing competencies into additional markets (e.g. Nutricosmetics)

Leverage strong N&C expertise in fermentation to participate in fast growing non-animal protein market



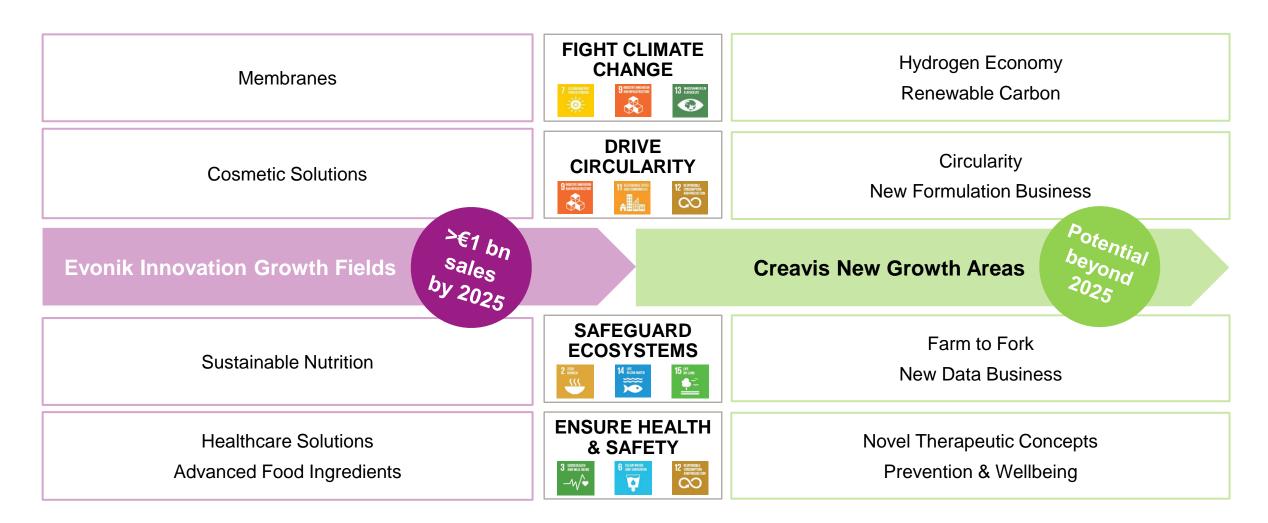
Creavis acting as business incubator within Evonik



1. Next Generation Solutions (Driver, Leader) according to PARC logic at the time of commercialization 2 After project start



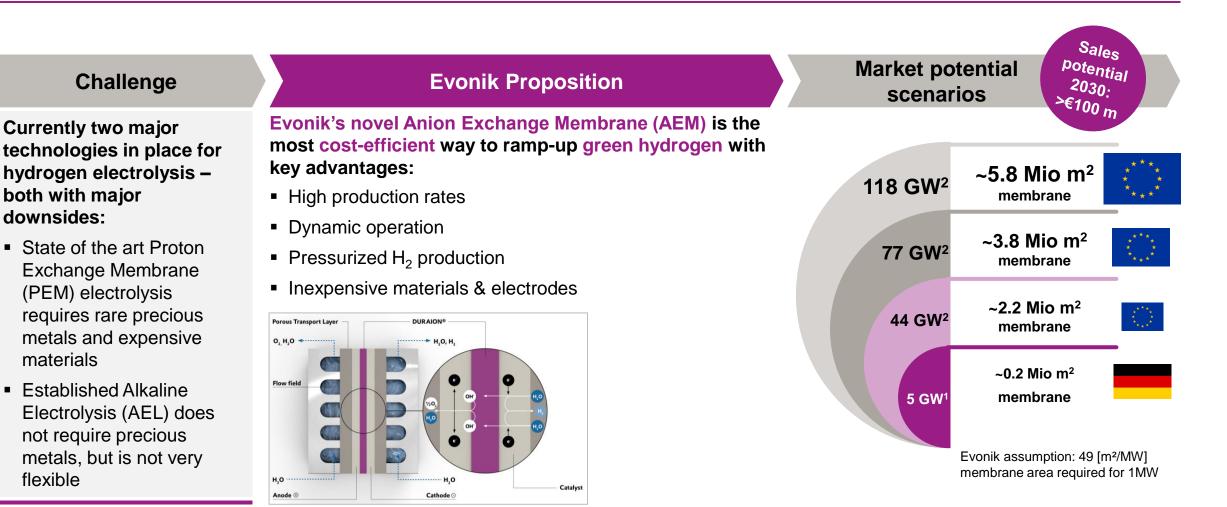
Innovation with clear focus on Sustainability Focus Areas





New Growth Area: Hydrogen Economy

Tapping into a major opportunity with our DURAION® membrane

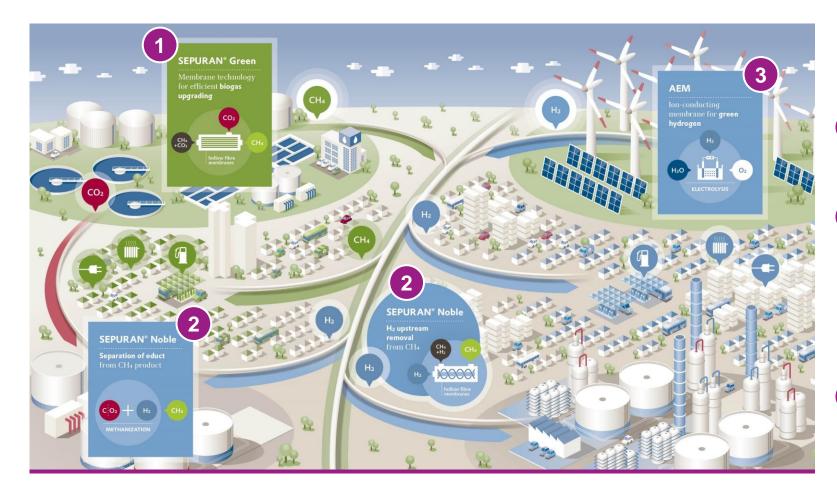


1. Study IndWEDe-NOW GmbH, 2018 2 Green Hydrogen for a European Green Deal A 2 x 40 GW Initiative, Hydrogen Europe; Translation with internal assumptions (Creavis)



flexible

Smart enabler of the sustainable gas economy



With our membrane technology,

we significantly contribute to the transition to a sustainable gas economy:

1 SEPURAN[®] Green

 Raw biogas from organic waste is converted into sustainable biomethane and "green" CO₂

2 SEPURAN[®] Noble

- Our hydrogen extraction membranes enable to use existing natural gas pipelines to transport and extract green hydrogen
- In the production of synthetic biomethane from CO₂ and green hydrogen, we ensure efficient product separation

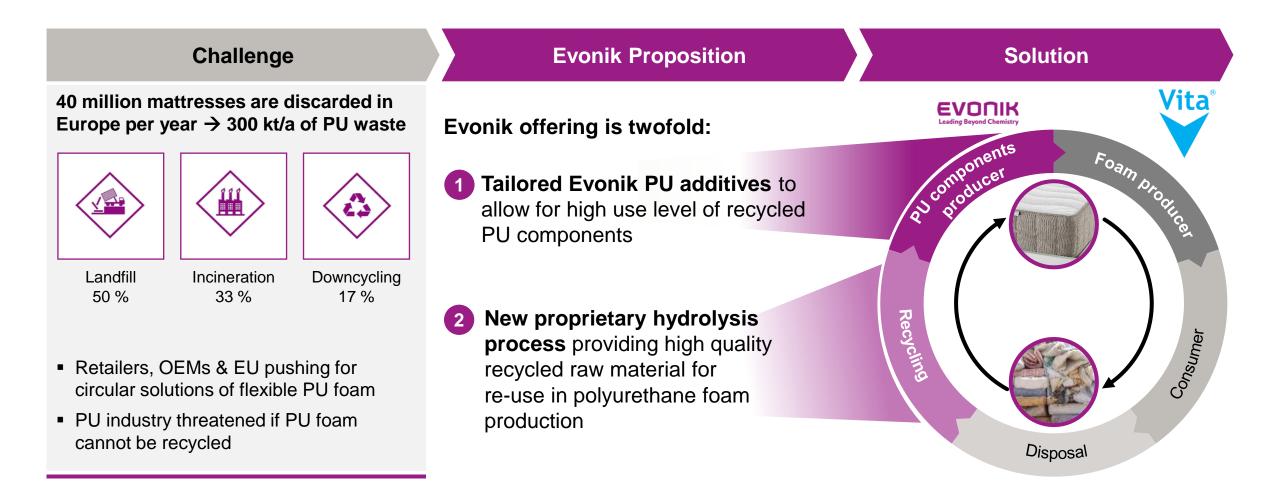
3 Anion Exchange Membrane

 With our ion-conducting AEM membranes, we contribute to the breakthrough of electrolytic production of green hydrogen in the future



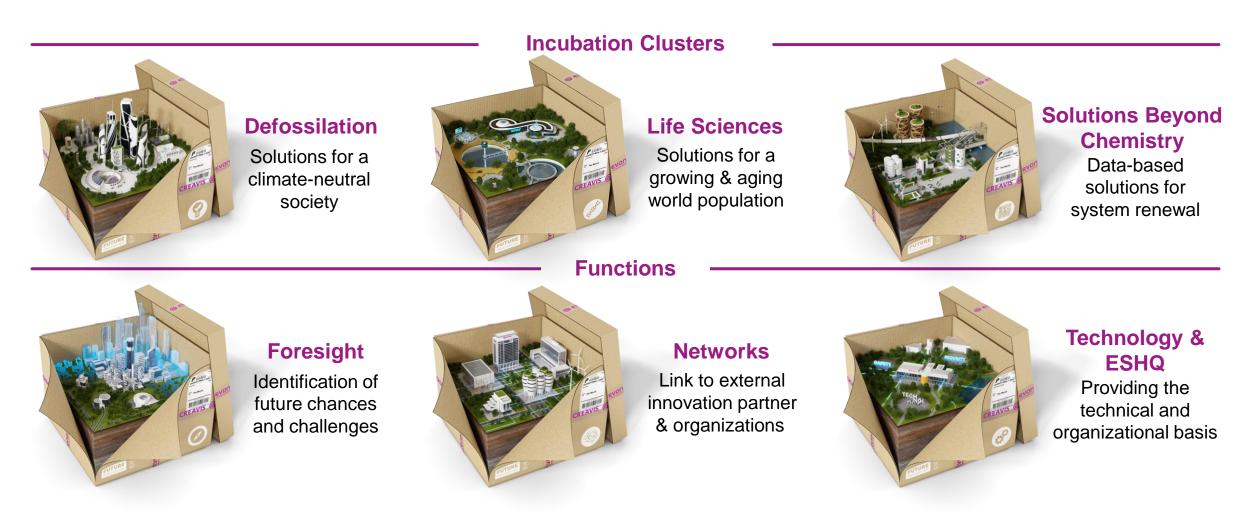
New Growth Area: Circularity

Novel PU additives enabling chemical recycling of flexible foam





We have aligned Creavis to address key global challenges





Evonik Venture Capital enables access to technology leaders globally

- Investments in global innovation leaders with disruptive technologies and business models
- High relevance for Evonik portfolio aim to support and accelerate the growth of Evonik



Integration into business

Structured Polymers (US)

- Formulations and Materials for 3D-Printing
- Acquisition by Division
 Smart Materials in 2018

Value creating exit

FRX Polymers (US)

IPO in May 2022

JeNaCell (DE)

- Nature identical biomaterials
- Acquisition by Division Nutrition & Care in 2021

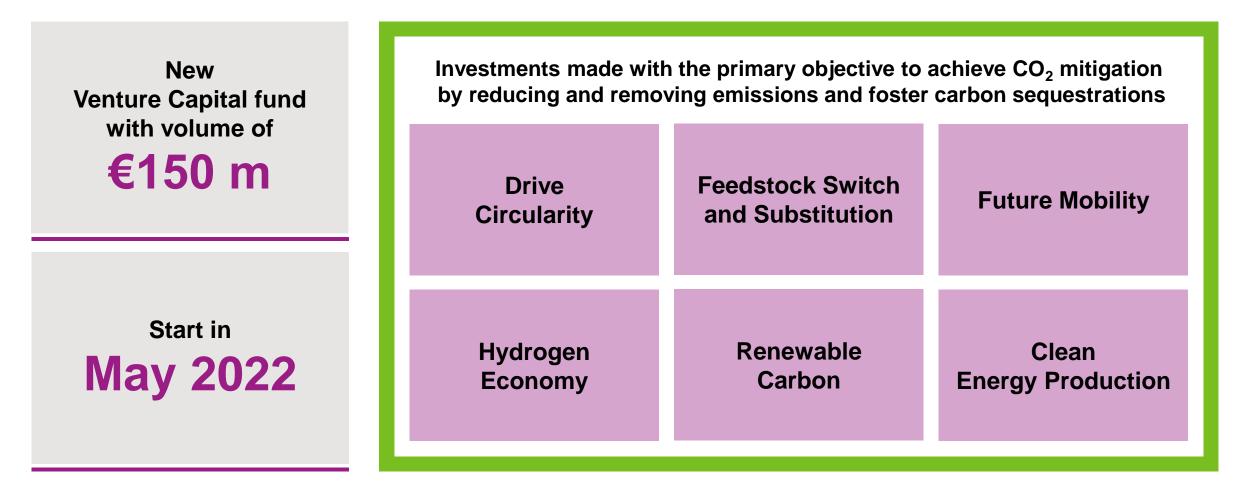
 Cooperation with Division Specialty Additives



1 Based on capital invested

Evonik Sustainability Tech Fund

for investments in technologies towards carbon neutrality





Our new RD&I organization enables clear alignment across divisions and functions - ensuring consistency and efficiency

Sustainability is fully integrated into innovation portfolio steering – aiming at both handprint and footprint optimization

Innovation Growth Fields on track to achieve target of >€1 bn sales in 2025

Creavis focused on potential beyond 2025 – aligned with our four Sustainability Focus Areas

New Sustainability Tech Fund to capture business opportunities and position Evonik as sustainability leader



1. Strategy

- Portfolio transformation
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ONE Evonik. ONE Culture

... with unifying elements for a diverse company



Safety first as foundation:

- Accident frequency as part of management compensation
- Low level secured over the last years¹

Diversity as basis of our economic success:

- Ambitious targets defined
- Inclusive mindset and behavior ultimately utilize diversity successfully

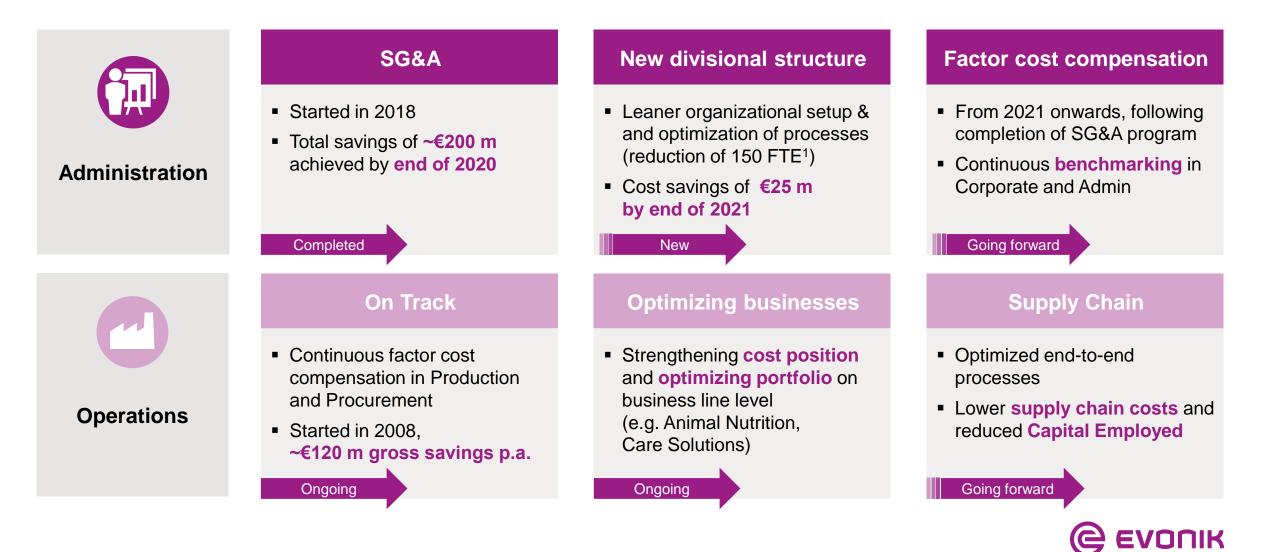
Attractive employer:

 Employee committment with increase of 5 pp in latest employee survey



1. below upper limit of 0.26 (number of accidents per 200,000 working hours)

High-performing organization complemented by self-help measures Cost excellence in Administration and Operations supporting margin target



Diversity goes far beyond qualitative targets

We approach diversity with diversity

• Diversity is key to economic success

- Evonik ranks among top European companies in terms of diversity
- We address diversity strategically, culturally and with an eye toward our business processes
- Top management as prominent role model in embracing diversity, e.g. in Diversity Council

Specific goals with highest priority (by 2023)

- Gender diversity: e.g. 23% of executive & senior management positions and 30% on manager level (2021: 18%/29%)
- Intercultural mix: e.g. 20% of executive and 35% of senior management positions (2021: 15%/25%)

Diversity W goes far beyond qualitative targets!

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DIVERSITY

- Diversity is not only a numeric game but a matter of culture
- An inclusive mindset and behavior ultimately determine if we can utilize diversity successfully

Diversity creates growth

Diversity creates innovation

Diversity brings us closer to our customers

Diversity is our future



Sustainability integrated into management compensation scheme 20% of long-term incentive based on strategic ESG KPI's

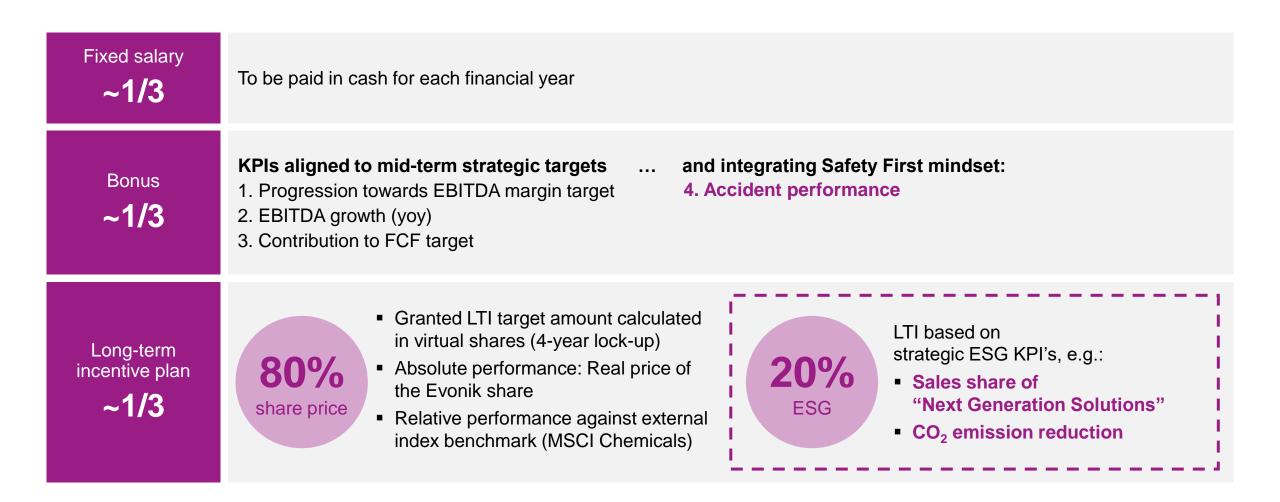




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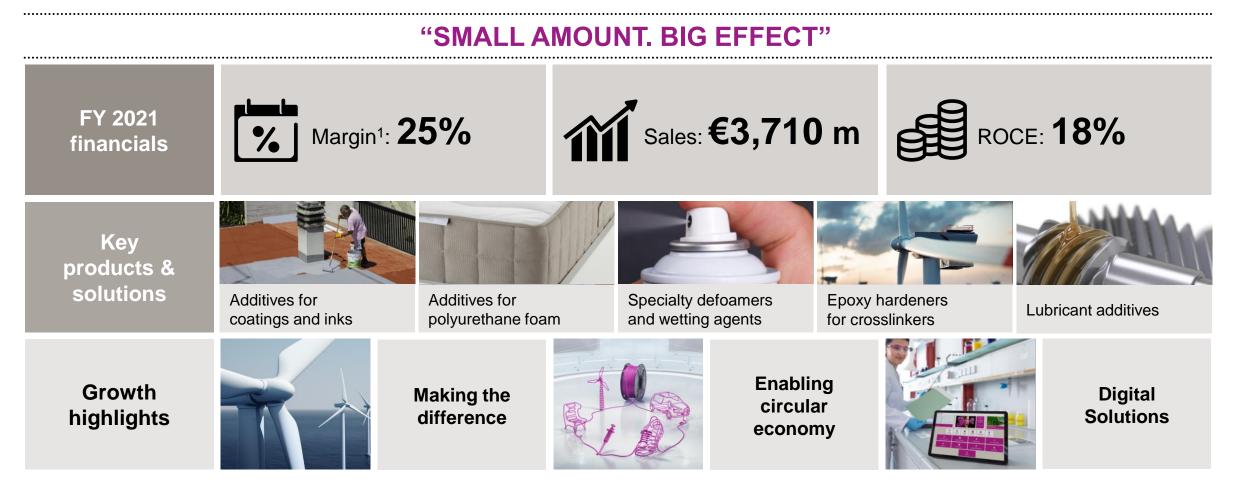
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Specialty Additives Additive solutions for maximum performance



1. Adjusted EBITDA margin

Specialty Additives End markets and product examples



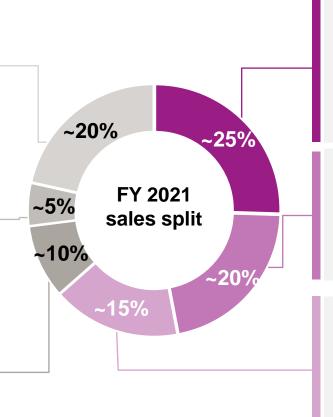
- Additives for conventional and biological plant protection for growing global population
- Industrial gear lubricants to achieve more productivity, less downtime and optimal fluid service
- Coating Additives for flame retardant cables

Environmental

- Crosslinkers for wind blades to enable mechanical stability and ensure a long service life
- Linerless labels to reduce material usage
- Foam stabilizers for water-based PU artificial leather production

Coatings

- Additives for paint systems as lasting barrier against chemical cleaning agents
- Marine coatings
- Fillers to increase burnish resistance and prolong life of paints



Mobility

- Coating additives for topcoats and under body coating
- Anti-fouling coatings for ship hulls
- PU foam additives for seating
- Lubricant additives for motor and transmission oils

Construction

- Crosslinkers for composite-reinforced bars
- Additives for more durable cement-based applications
- Water repellent additives to protect buildings against precipitation

Consumer goods

- PU foam additives for fridges and freezers
- Soil and water repellent additives for fabrics used in outdoor clothing and equipment



Specialty Additives make the difference in customer's formulations Improving product characteristics and sustainability profile



BIG EFFECT.

Novel **PU additives** enabling environmentally-friendly housing insulation spray foam



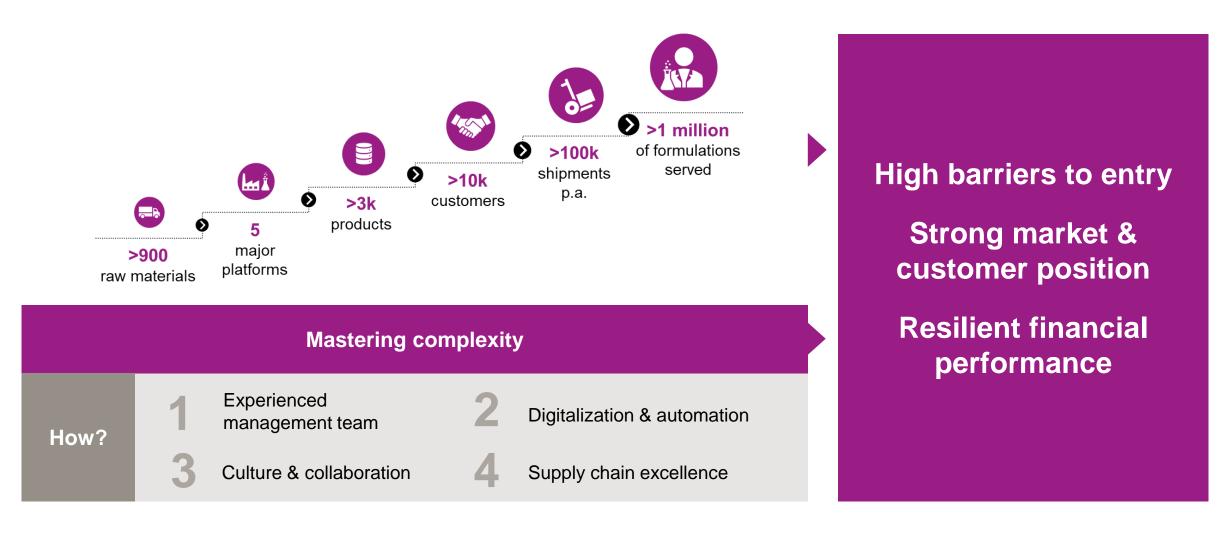


Silicone coatings for linerless labels resulting in up to 40% material reduction





Specialty Additives is mastering a highly complex business Resulting in tangible benefits





Specialty Additives is an important enabler of Circular Economy Decoupling growth from resource consumption



- During separation/washing, our additives help to make recycling processes more efficient – resulting in higher quality of recyclates
- During compounding, our additives improve processing leading to competitive costs and quality

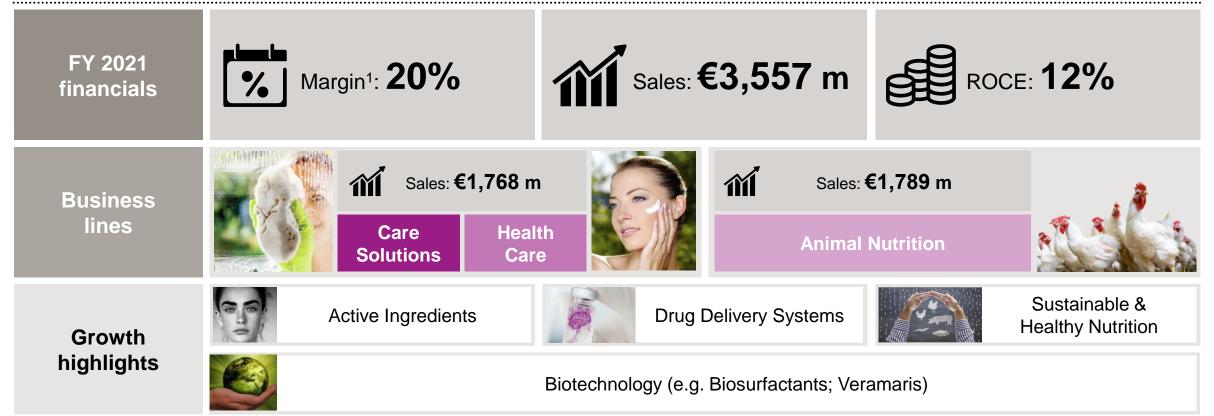
- Technologies & additives to enable chemical recycling
- Additives enabling for example
 - use of recycled polyurethanes
 - silicone recycling

>€350 m

sales potential of Evonik Circular Plastics Program by 2030



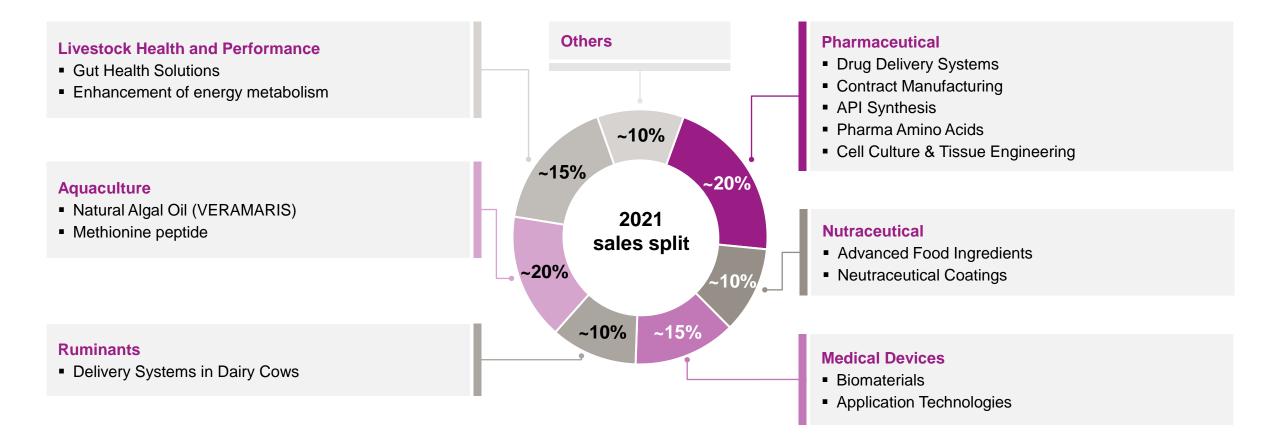




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Nutrition & Care End markets and product examples





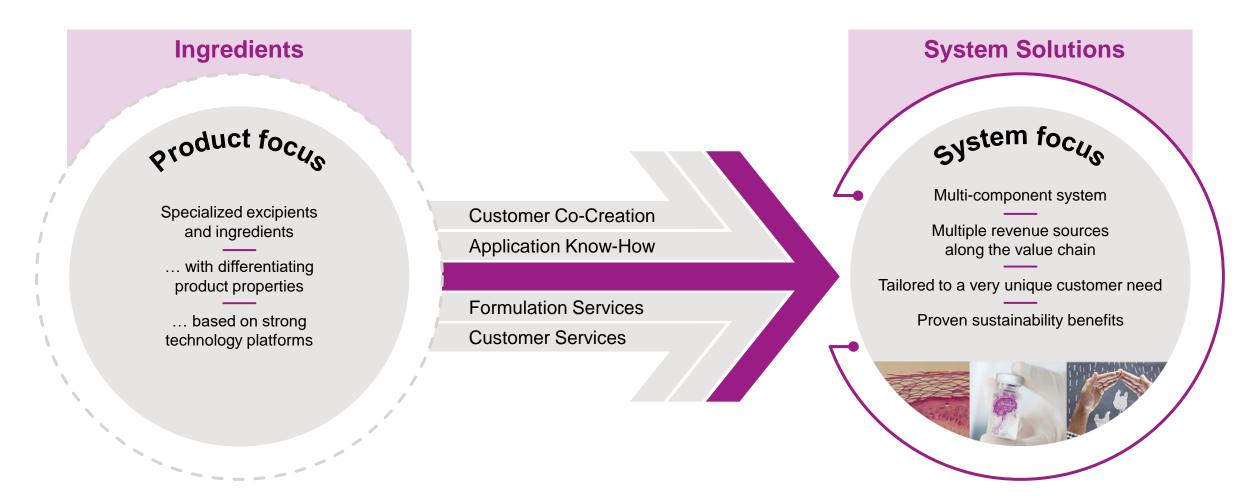
Technology Platform Example Biotechnology – Process Excellence and Launched Products

	Care Solutions	Health Care	Sustainable Nutrition				
Microbiome Modulation	Microbiotic actives to support skin barrier function	Probiotics and Gut Health Solutions					
Biotech Processes	Non-animal derived Collagen	Cell Culture	Natural algae-based omega 3 fatty acids				
	Actives (e.g. Ceramides)	CDMO (e.g. fermenta	CDMO (e.g. fermentation-based proteins)				
	Biosurfactants	Amino acids pharma grad	de Bio amino acids				

Sales potential from biotechnology platform of ~ €1 bn by 2030 latest

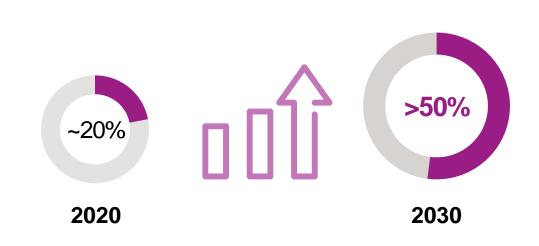


Nutrition & Care: Strategic portfolio shift towards "System Solutions" Portfolio upgrade towards higher specialization and higher returns





Nutrition & Care: System Solutions businesses as major growth driver >50% sales from Systems Solutions as strong commitment



Sales share of System Solutions

Resulting in....

Higher growth prospects	Strong pricing power			
Above average margin	Higher return on capital			



Examples of System Solutions

Active Ingredients – Retinol

- Reducing wrinkles without inducing skin irritation
- Formulation service: Encapsulation as delivery technology to increases stability and bioavailability

Drug Delivery Systems – Complex Parenterals

- Lipid nano particles for vaccination, cell and gene therapy
- Integrated services from feasibility to commercial

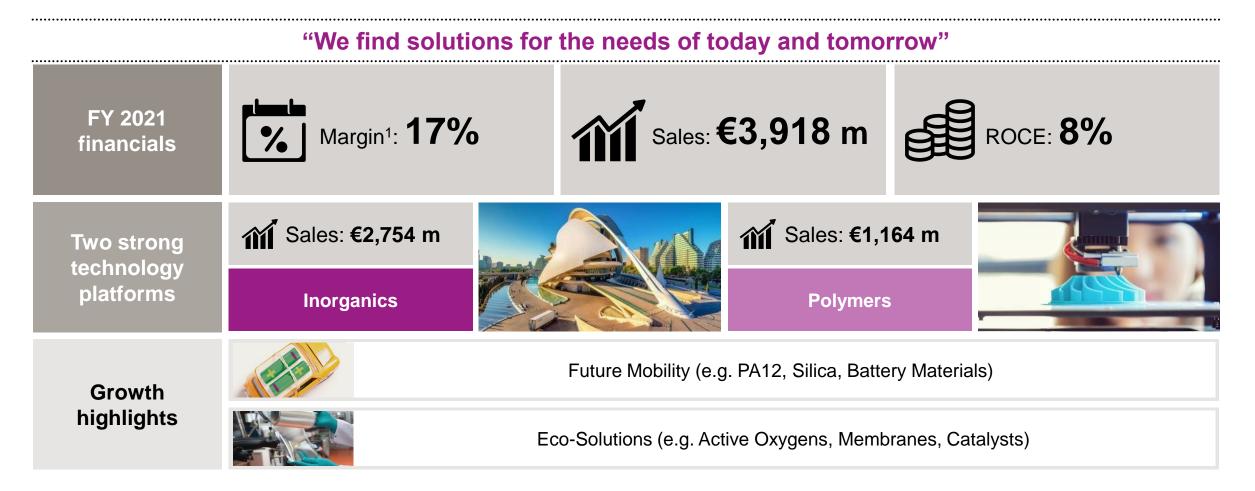


Sustainable & Healthy Nutrition – Probiotics

- GutCare® for healthy poultry nutrition without AGP¹)
- Holistic, ready-to-use concepts for animal diet formulations, designed on specific customer needs



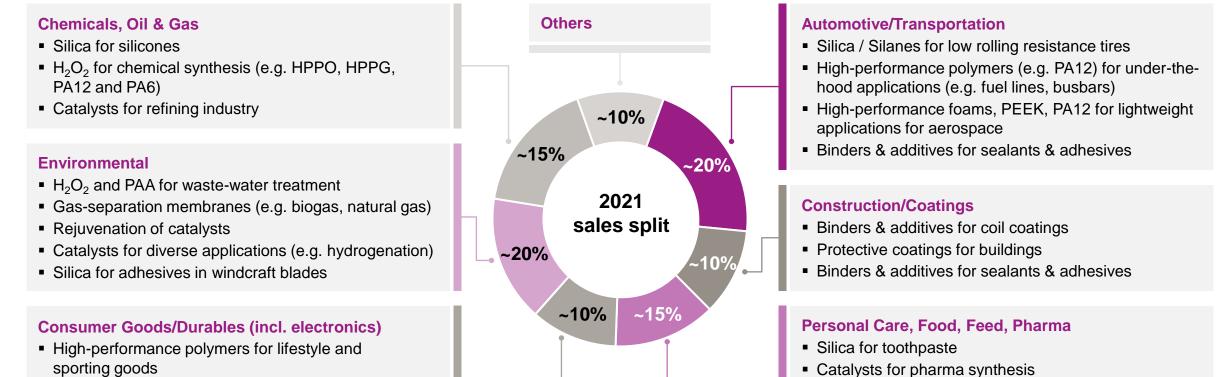
1: Antibiotic Growth Promoters



1. Adjusted EBITDA margin



Smart Materials End markets and product examples

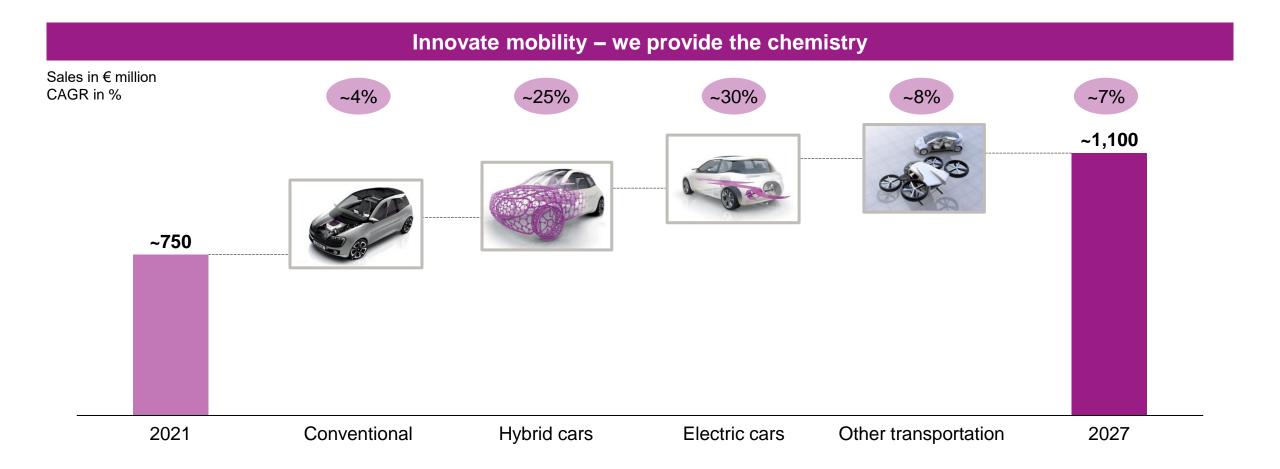


- High-purity H₂O₂ for semi-conductors
- Resins for coatings in durable goods
- Polymer powders for additive manufacturing

- PEEK for medical applications
 H₂O₂/PAA for disinfection of food & beverage
- Additives for nutrition industry

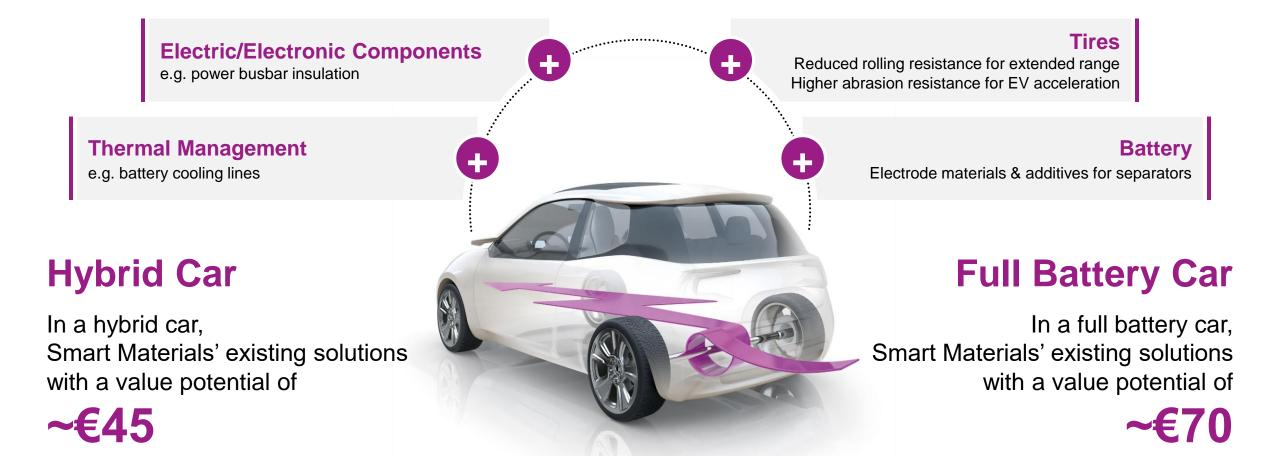


Smart Materials: "Future Mobility" growth drivers Growth to around €1.1 billion sales by 2027





Smart Materials: Product solutions in hybrid and full battery cars Extending the value potential of a conventional car ($\sim \in 30$)





Smart Materials: "Eco-Solutions" growth drivers Growth to around €900 million sales by 2027

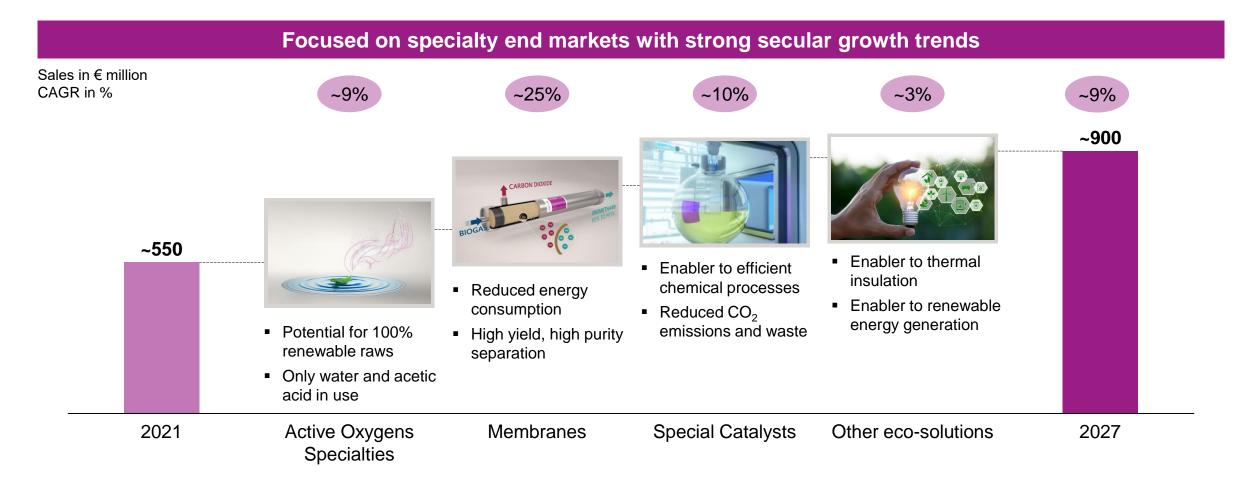




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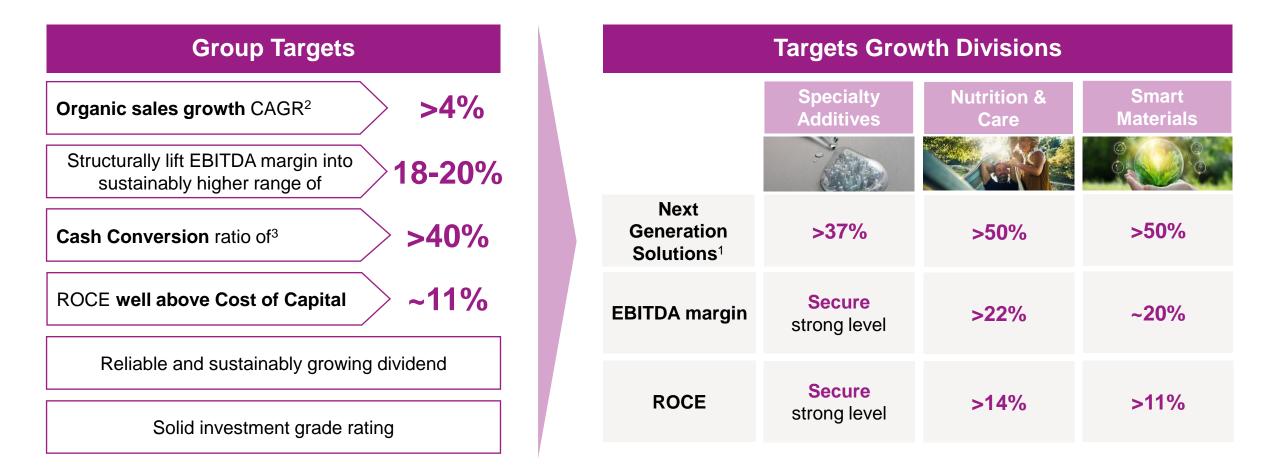
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Financial targets

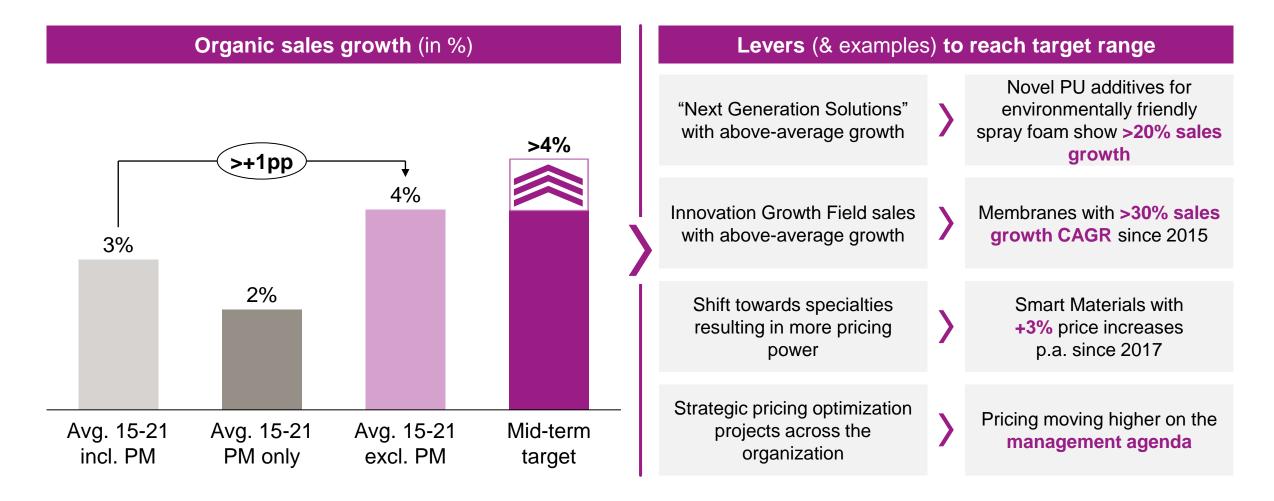
... for Evonik and its three growth divisions



1: Products and solutions with a clearly positive sustainability profile that is above or well above the market reference level | 2: In growth divisions | 3: Cash Conversion ratio defined as FCF/Adj. EBITDA

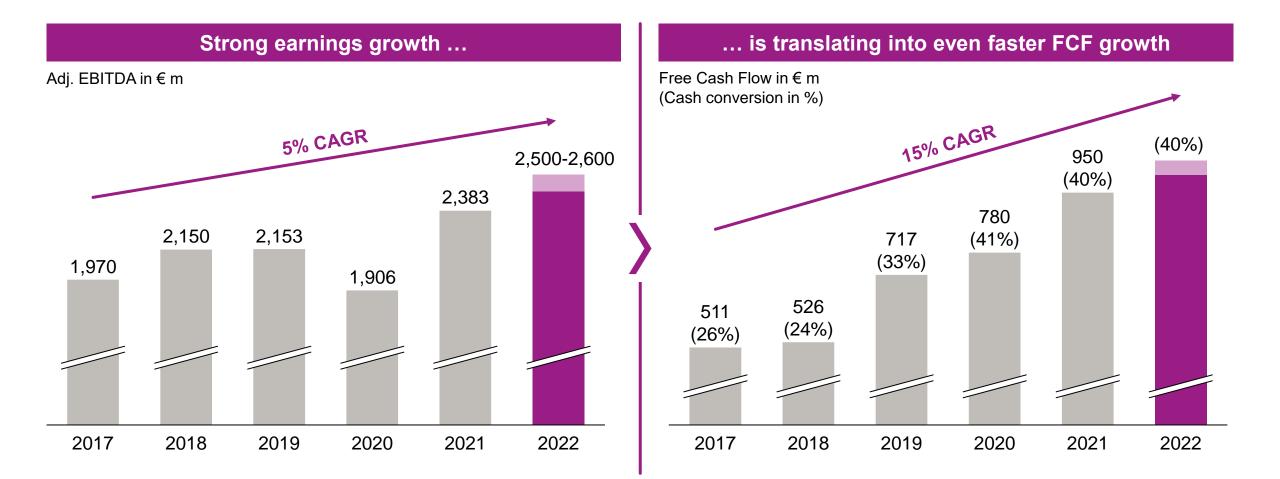


Accelerated organic sales growth through sustainability, innovation and pricing focus



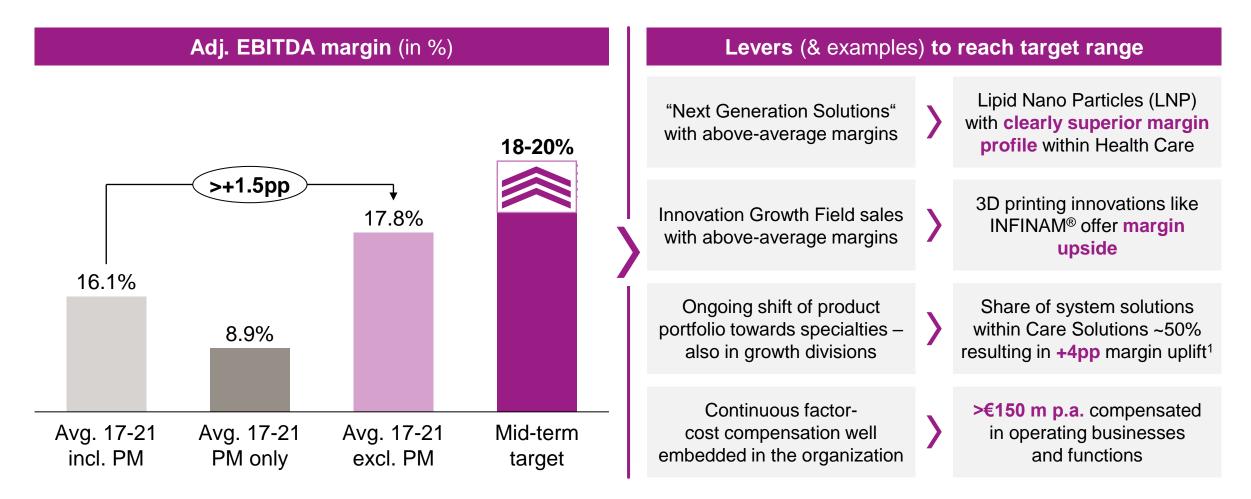


We are consistently and reliably growing EBITDA and Free Cash Flow





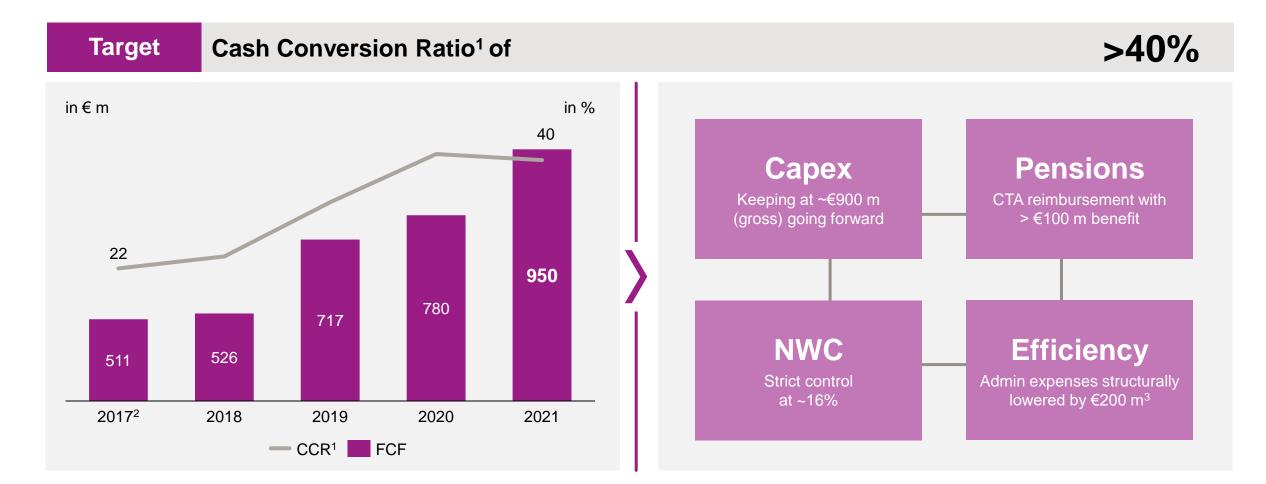
Constant portfolio upgrading and cost consciousness resulting in margin uplift



1. System solutions share as of today; margin comparison 2021 vs. 2017



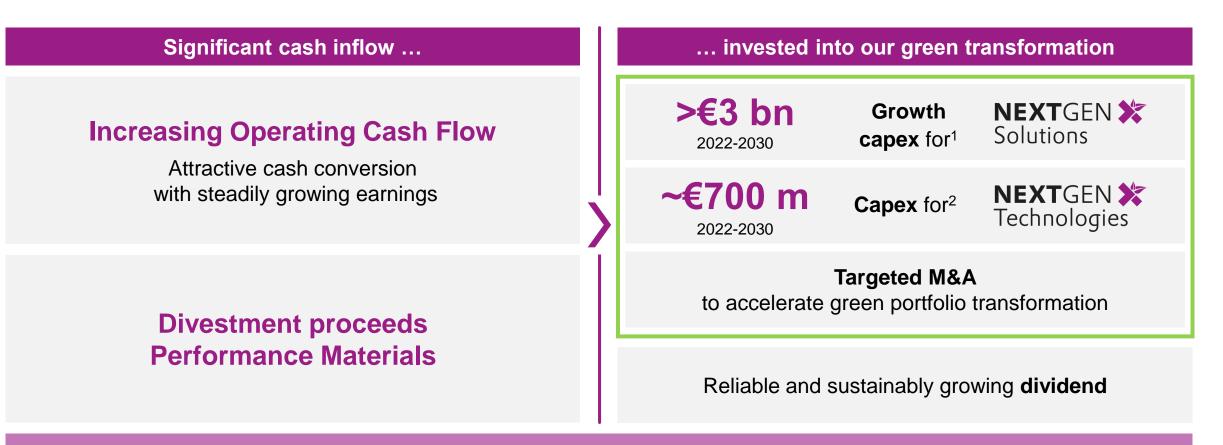
FCF: Cash conversion rate doubled within only three years Target of >40% already achieved in 2020 – further levers going forward



1: Free cash flow conversion (FCF/adj. EBITDA) | 2: Including MMA business | 3: Since 2017

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Cash flow and divestment proceeds drive our green portfolio transformation

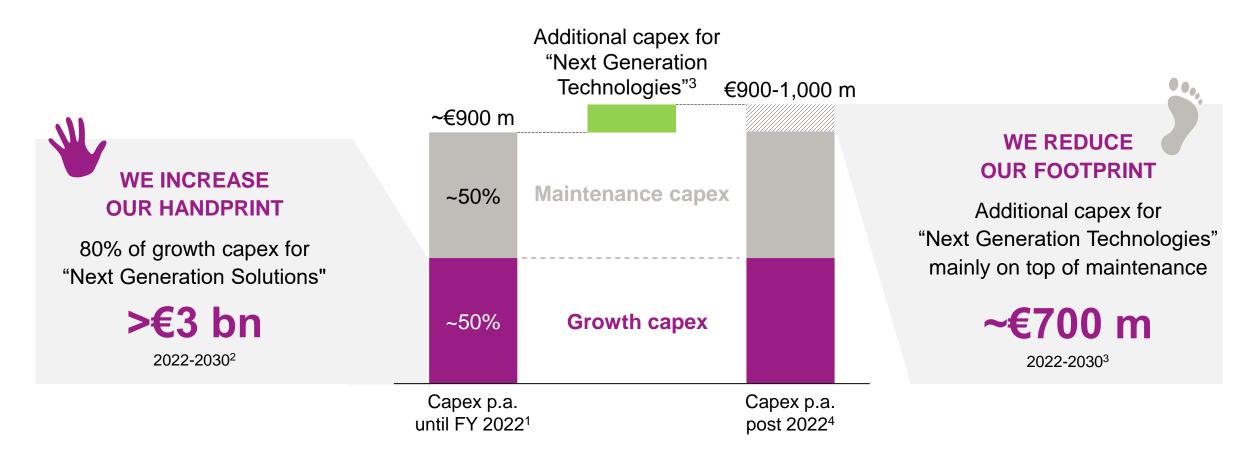


Solid investment grade rating

1. 80% of growth capex for "Next Generation Solutions" (~€350 m p.a.) | 2. Additional capex for "Next Generation Technologies" (~€80 m p.a. on average), incl. Performance Materials



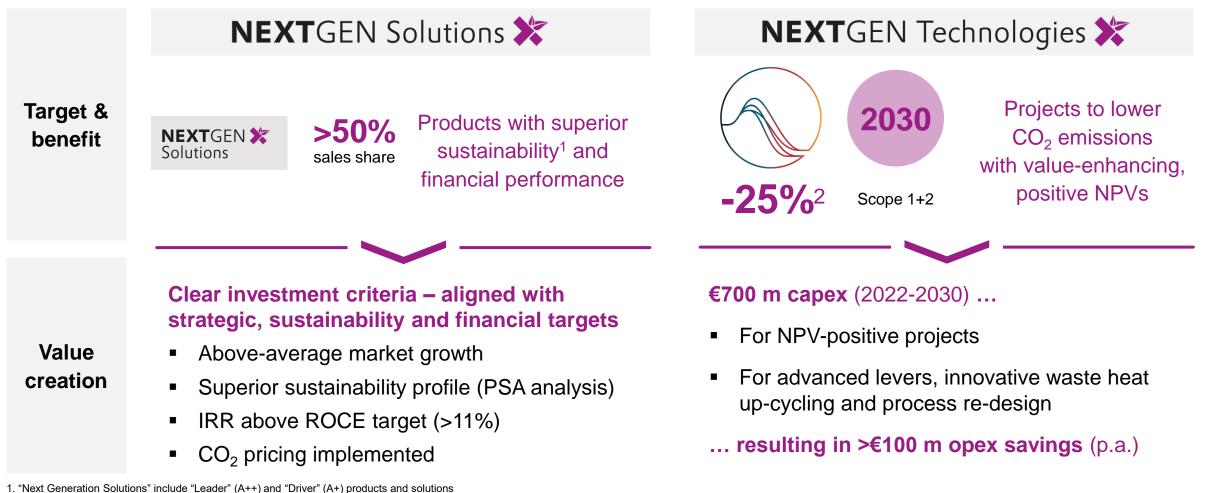
Capex as key element for investments into handprint & footprint



1. Incl. ~€50 m p.a. for Performance Materials | 2. ~€350 m p.a. | 3. ~€80 m p.a. on average incl. ~€15 m p.a. for PM, ramping up gradually over the coming years | 4. Incl. ~€65 m p.a. for PM



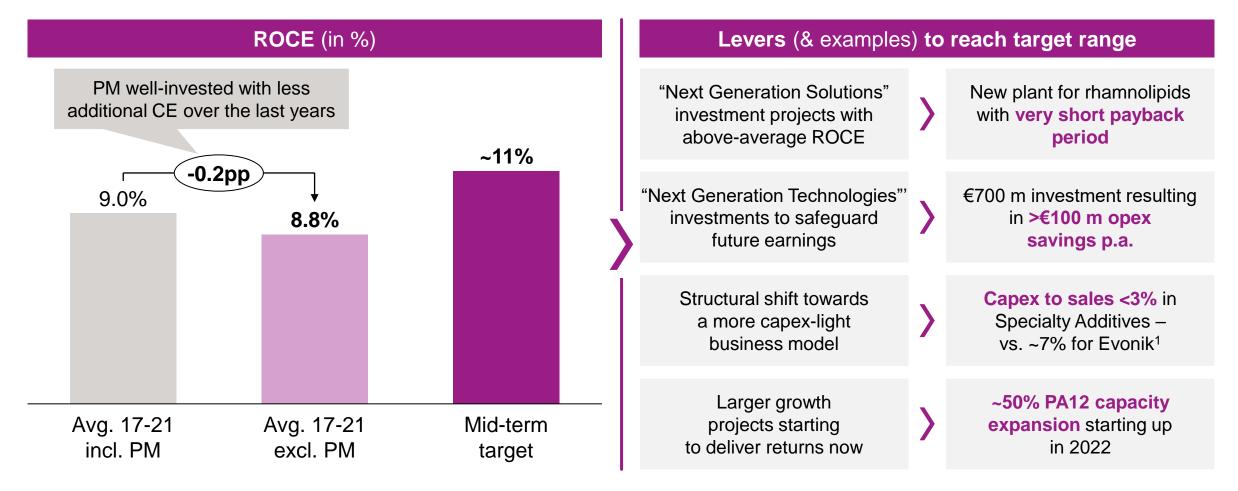
Clear value generation with investments into "Next Generation Solutions" and "Next Generation Technologies"



2. Commitment letter signed and handed in for SBTi, 25th April 2022, gross emissions reduction with reference year 2021, target year 2030

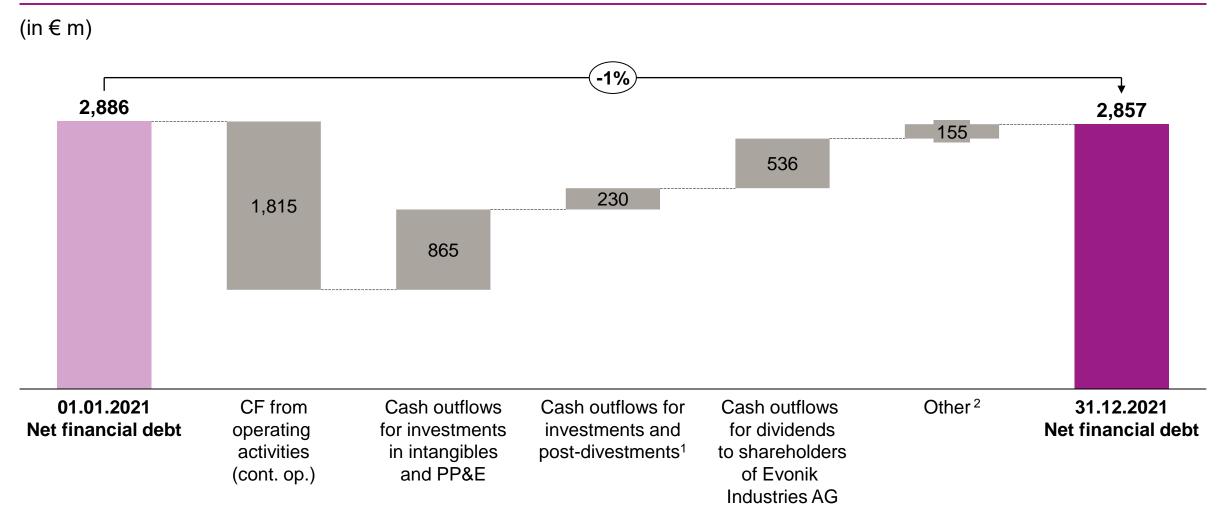


Organic growth and capex discipline to lead towards a structural ROCE increase



1. Average 2017-2021

Net financial debt development FY 2021

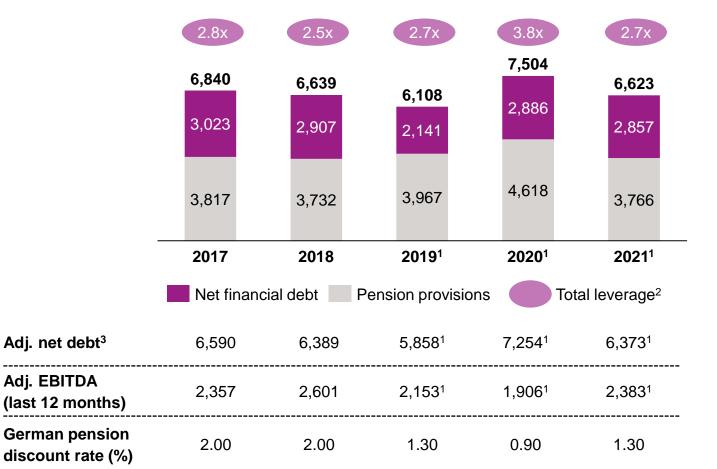


1. incl. cash-out for smaller acquisitions (€85 m) as well as settlements from previous M&A transactions (€145 m) | 2. incl. a. o. cash-out for interests (€82 m) and change in lease liabilities



Development of debt and leverage over time

(in € m)



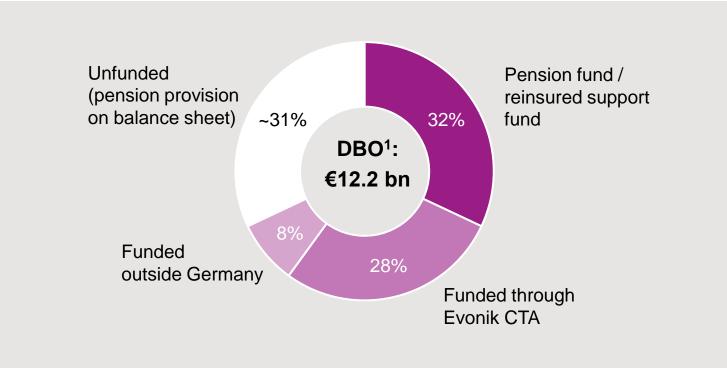
1. Continuing operations (excluding methacrylate activities) | 2. Adj. net debt / adj. EBITDA |

3. Net financial debt - 50% hybrid bond + pension provisions | 4. (Net financial debt - 50% hybrid bond) / adj. EBITDA

- Stable net financial debt versus year-end 2020: higher free cash flow counterbalanced by cashouts for dividend, acquisitions and previous M&A transactions
- Low net financial debt leverage at 1.1x⁴
- Majority of net debt consists of long-dated pension obligations with >18 years duration
- FY 2021: Lower pension provisions from increase of pension discount rates (German pension discount rate increase from 0.9% to 1.3%)
- Pension provisions partly balanced by corresponding deferred tax assets of ~€1.3 bn
- Q4 2021: Higher pension provisions (vs. €3,569 m end of Q3) amid decrease of pension discount rates (German pension discount rate from 1.4% to 1.3%)



Pensions Pension funding overview as of 31 December 2021



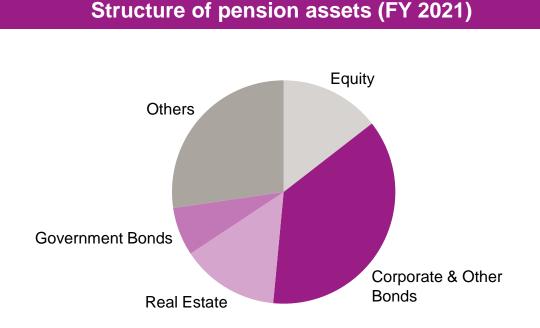
- Pensions very long-term, patient debt (>18 years) with no funding obligations in Germany
- DBO level of €12.2 bn
- Lower pension provisions (€3.8 bn) from increase of discount rates
 - German pension discount rate increase from 0.9% to 1.3%
- Solid funding level of ~70%

Funding level at ~70%

1. DBO: defined benefit obligations



Pensions assets Structure and performance of pension assets



€8.4 bn plan assets covering **~€12.2 bn** DBO with **~70%** funding ratio¹

1: As of 31 December 2021

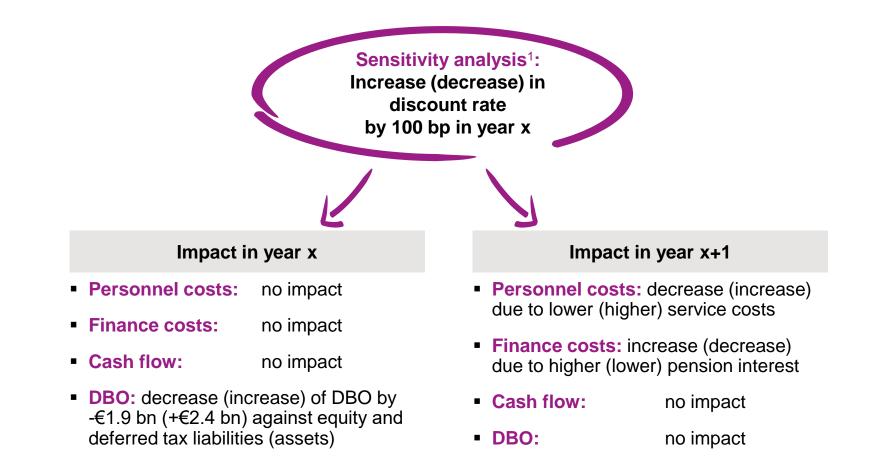
Performance of pension assets

- Pension assets with a relatively defensive and diversified portfolio mix (only 15% equity quota)
- Strong historic performance of ~5% on average securing a 70% funding ratio
- Conservative performance targets going forward sufficient to keep the current funding ratio

Even in a more difficult environment **no need for further top-ups** to maintain current funding ratio



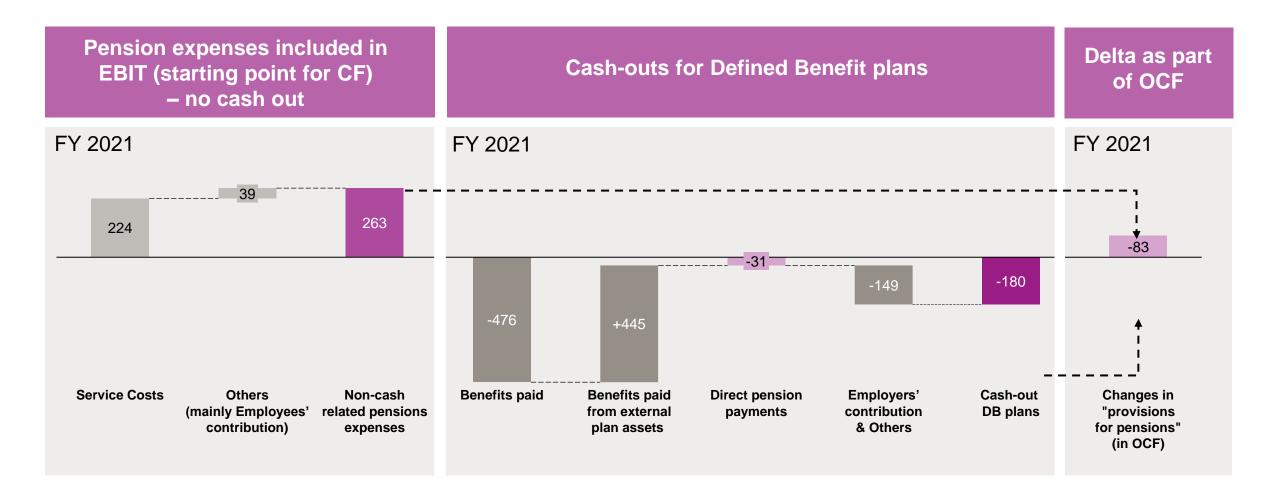
Pensions Sensitivity to discount rate changes





1: Excluding any effects from potential actuarial changes and changes in the valuation of plan assets

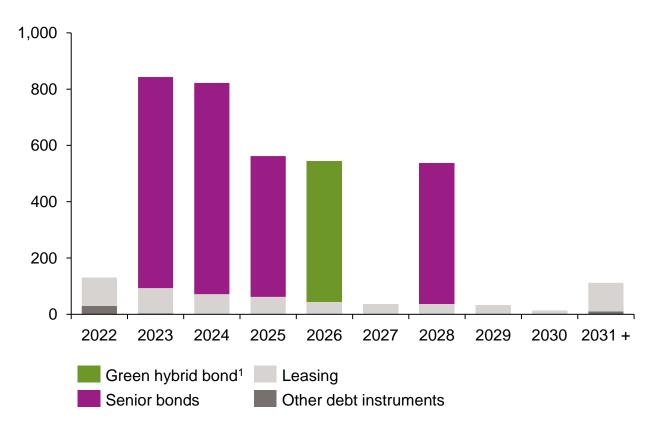
Transition of "Changes in provisions for pensions" in Operating Cash Flow





Debt structure Well balanced maturity profile

(in € m as of December 31, 2021)



^{1.} Formal lifetime of 60 years; first redemption right for Evonik in 2026

- Well balanced debt maturity profile with no single bond maturity greater than €750 m
- In September Evonik successfully refinanced its 2017 hybrid bond by a new green hybrid bond with the first redemption right in 2026
- Long-term capital market financing secured at favorable conditions:
 - average coupon of 0.7% p.a. on €2.5 bn senior bonds
 - coupon of 1.375% p.a. on €0.5 bn new hybrid bond
- Undrawn €1.75 bn syndicated revolving credit facility maturing June 2024



Evonik successfully issued first green hybrid bond in August Majority of proceeds for investments in Next Generation Solutions

- €500 m issuance followed publication of Green Finance Framework on 24 August, 2021
- Sustainability even more closely integrated into Evonik's finance strategy
- Majority of proceeds will be used to finance investments in Next Generation Solutions
- Transaction generated strong interest and significant oversubscription
- High share (~50%) of ESG-investors
- Very attractive interest rate and cost advantage by green use of proceeds ("Greenium")
- Evonik successfully repurchased almost 81% of outstanding €500 m hybrid bond issued 2017 on 6 September, 2021 – remaining 19% was repaid on 12 October, 2021



1.375% p.a. coupon €3.8 m p.a. interest savings¹ 0.10% (€500 k) p.a. "Greenium"





1: Compared to €500 m hybrid bond issued in 2017

Financial policy Maintaining a solid investment grade rating



In April 2021, **Moody's** downgraded the rating of Evonik from Baa1/negative to **Baa2/stable** mainly due to elevated leverage metrics. At the same time Moody's acknowledges Evonik's progress in the further development of its specialty chemicals portfolio as well as its solid liquidity profile

A Baa2/stable still represents a solid investment grade rating

S&P rating remains unchanged at **BBB+/stable** since 2012

Both rating agencies acknowledge

- a strong business profile of Evonik underpinned by significant size and leading global market positions
- greater-than-peer diversity in terms of end-markets and product range
- supportive financial policy and management commitment to a solid investment-grade rating

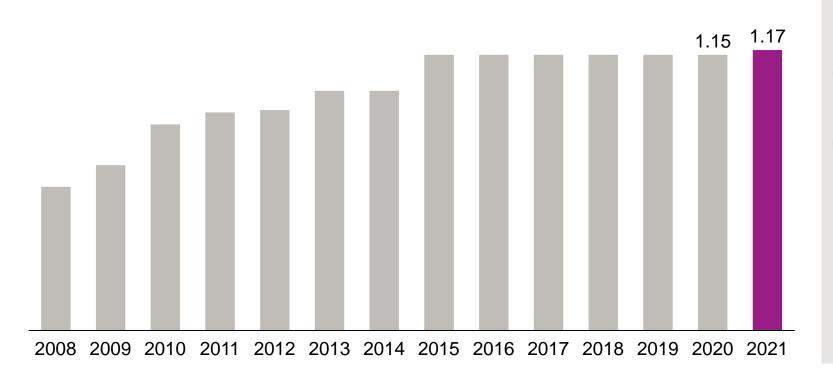
Maintaining a solid investment grade rating is a central element in our financing strategy



Spotlight on shareholder returns

Reliable and attractive dividend policy

Dividend (in €) for FY

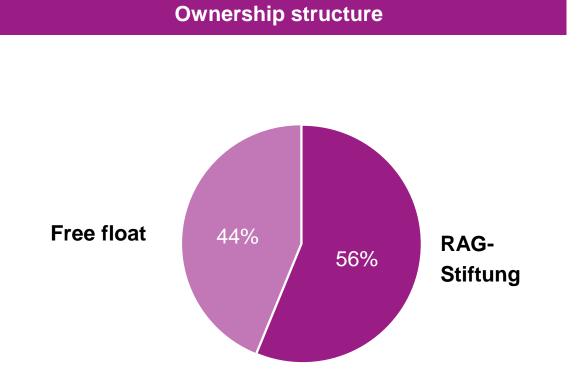


- Slight increase to €1.17 in FY 2021
- Attractive dividend yield of ~4%
- Reliable dividend policy targeting:
 - Dividend continuity
 - Adj. EPS and FCF growth
 with potential for sustainable
 dividend growth going forward



"RAG-Stiftung" as long-term shareholder

Focus on total shareholder return

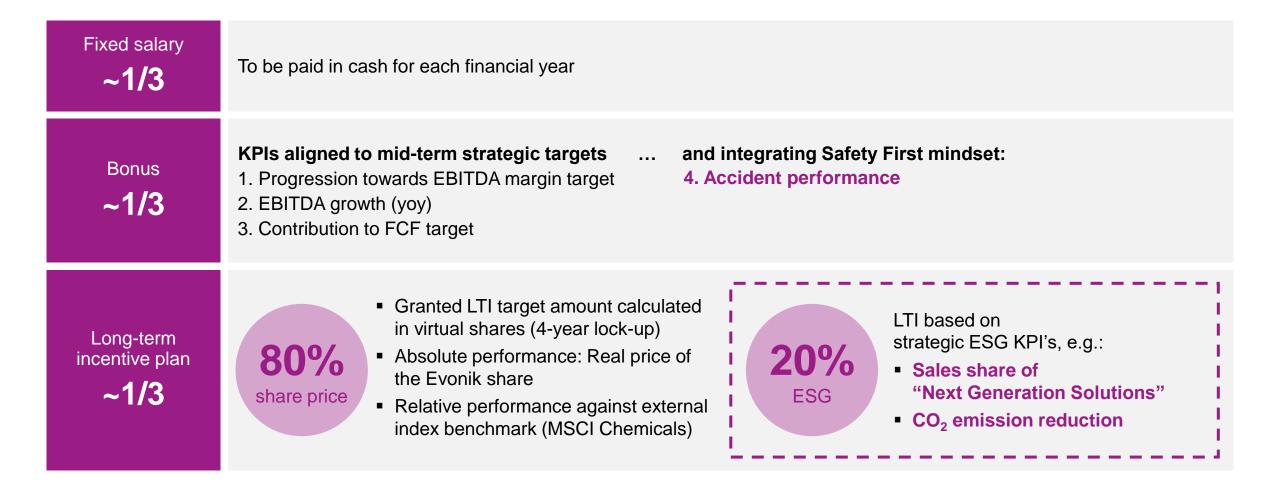


RAG Stiftung

- RAG-Stiftung manages a portfolio of ~€19 bn assets under management, one of the biggest foundations in Europe
- Portfolio consists of publicly traded securities, private equity, direct holdings, real estate and bonds of various types
- RAG-Stiftung focuses on investments with high total shareholder return and strong cash/distribution profiles
- Underlying goal is to finance/cover the perpetual liabilities arising from hard-coal mining in Germany
- >60% of total portfolio invested in assets other than Evonik
- RAG-Stiftung with strong interest in Evonik's profitable growth, resulting in significant shareholder returns
- Clear intention to remain significant shareholder

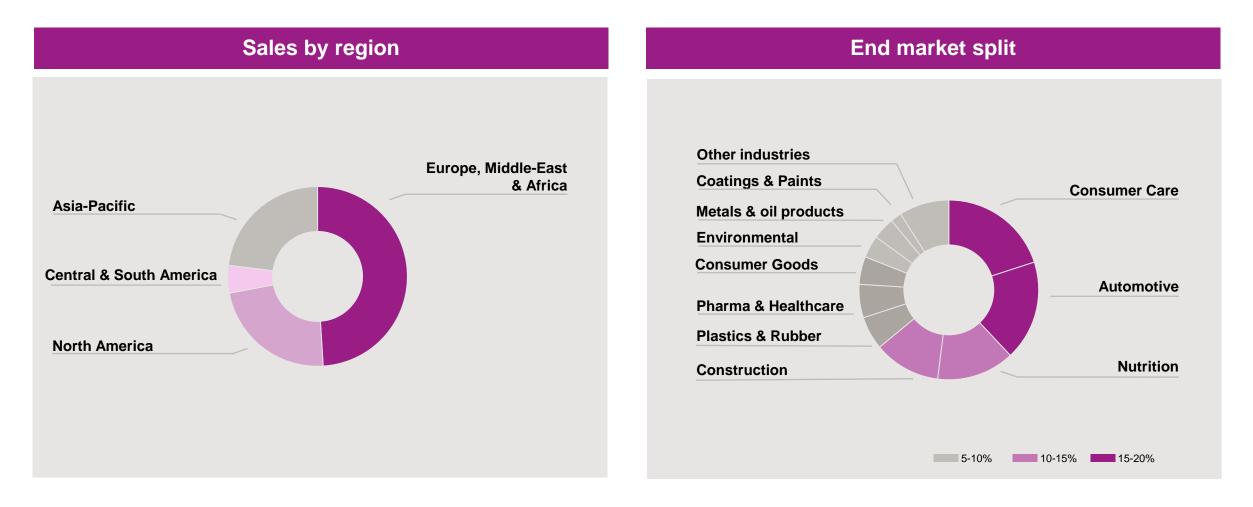


Management compensation



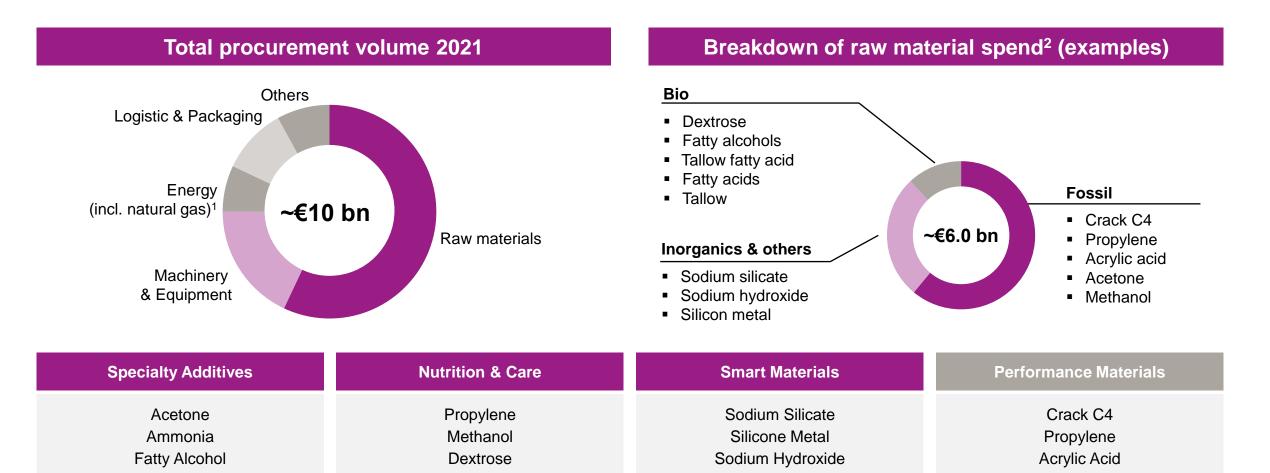


Balanced regional and end market split (FY 2021)



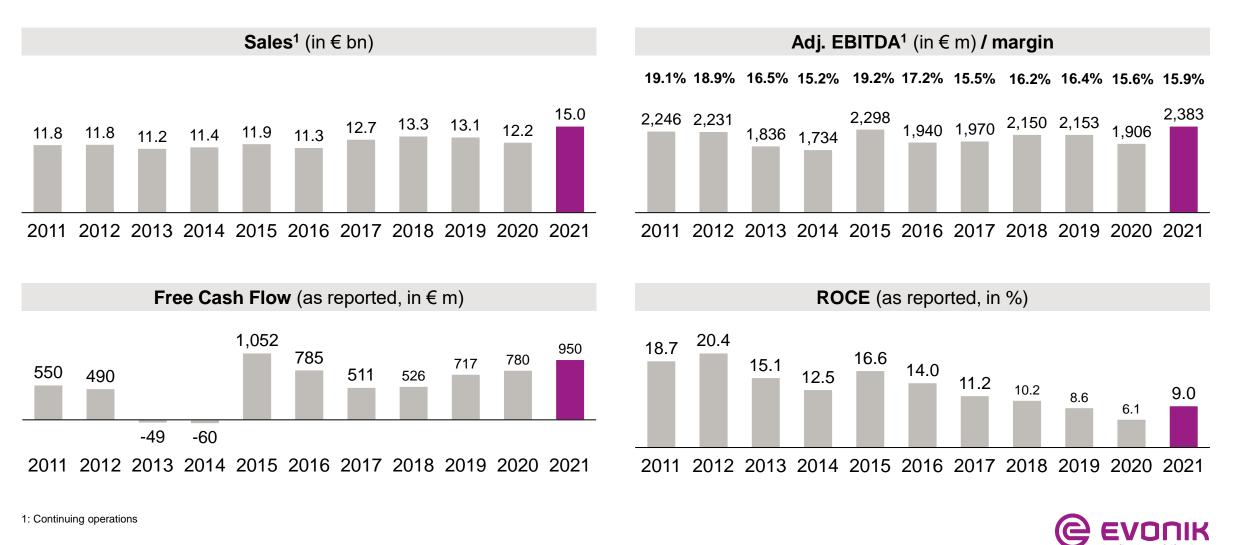


Procurement volume split & breakdown of raw material spend



1: Gross energy bill, not considering the selling to external parties | 2. Raw material spend ~55% of total procurement volume in 2021. Fossil raws from base petrochemicals and synthetic organic markets





Divisional overview by quarter

Sales (in € m)	Q1/20	Q2/20	Q3/20	Q4/20	FY 2020	Q1/21	Q2/21	Q3/21	Q4/21	FY 2021
Specialty Additives	852	747	777	848	3,225	907	922	934	947	3,710
Nutrition & Care	748	742	715	787	2,992	780	838	931	1,008	3,557
Smart Materials	858	722	790	866	3,235	909	975	1,002	1,032	3,918
Performance Materials	584	437	444	517	1,983	580	708	784	840	2,911
Services, Corporate & Others	201	179	191	194	764	182	193	220	264	859
Evonik Group	3,243	2,827	2,917	3,212	12,199	3,358	3,636	3,871	4,091	14,955
Adj. EBITDA (in € m)	Q1/20	Q2/20	Q3/20	Q4/20	FY 2020	Q1/21	Q2/21	Q3/21	Q4/21	FY 2021
Specialty Additives	239	202	214	201	857	273	242	224	181	920
Nutrition & Care	118	168	140	133	560	143	183	192	200	717
Smart Materials	166	102	137	124	529	173	176	177	123	650
Performance Materials	18	12	28	30	88	42	99	97	80	317
Services, Corporate & Others	-28	-28	0	-70	-128	-43	-51	-45	-82	-221
Evonik Group	513	456	519	418	1,906	588	649	645	502	2,383



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