Evonik Leading Beyond Chemistry

Q1 2022 Results

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Adj. EBITDA of €735 m (+25% yoy) clearly above expectations

Drivers of strong Q1 performance: Nutrition & Care with 9th quarter of resilient yoy growth; Performance Materials working as natural hedge against higher oil prices

Positive effect from own price increases further ramping up (>€750 m after ~€600 m in Q4 2021), again overcompensating variable cost increases on Group level

FCF (€133 m) burdened by further outflow for NWC as a result of continued cost inflation and higher safety stock levels to prepare for potential supply chain challenges

Outlook of adj. EBITDA between €2.5 and 2.6 bn confirmed



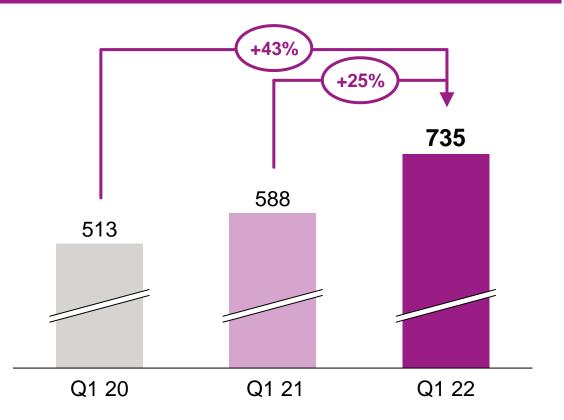
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- 2. Outlook FY 2022



Sales (in € m)	Adj. EBITDA (in € m)	Free cash flow (in € m)	Adj. EPS (in €)	
4,498 (Q1 2021: 3,358)	735 (Q1 2021: €588 m)	133 (Q1 2021: €312 m)	0.76 (Q1 2021: 0.51 €)	
Strong increase driven by further accelerating prices (+22%) and solid volume growth (+4%)	Strong performance in Nutrition & Care and Performance Materials	Significantly higher NWC outflow (yoy) mainly due to higher inventories and receivables	Supported by both improved financial result and lower adj. tax rate	



Adj. EBITDA (in € m)



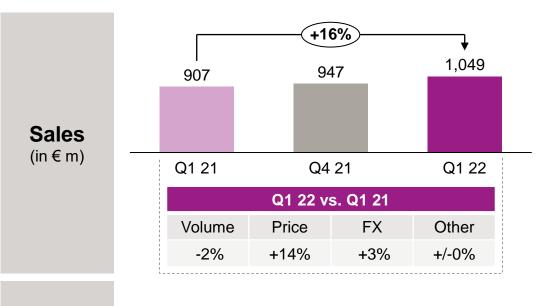
- Strong start into the year, double-digit growth yoy
- Notably higher prices continue to overcompensate increase in variable costs on Group level
- Higher adj. EBITDA driven by:
 - Nutrition & Care with 9th quarter of resilient yoy growth
 - Performance Materials working as natural hedge against higher oil prices
- Earnings temporarily supported by inventory revaluation effects

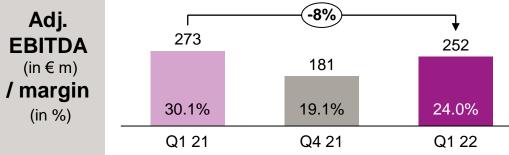


Solid basis for FY 2022 growth aspirations

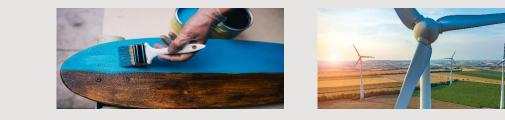


Specialty Additives



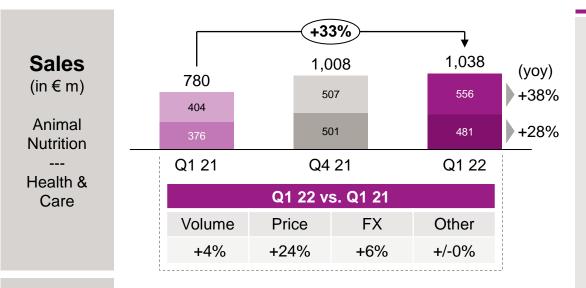


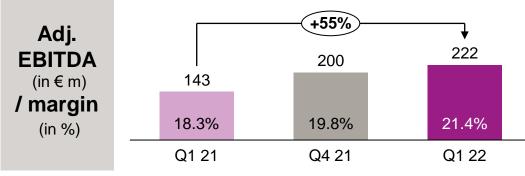
- Q1 with robust underlying demand across key end markets
- Volumes down slightly against very strong comparables (Q1 2021: +10%), limited by ongoing raw material and logistics constraints
- Pricing campaigns accelerating further: +14% in Q1 following +10% in Q4 and +7% in Q3
- Gap between prices and variable costs closed in Q1; another round of price increases needed to compensate for further cost increases
- Margin notably below extraordinarily high prior year due to
 - very high logistics costs to maintain product deliveries to key customers
 - technical margin dilution in inflationary environment





Nutrition & Care





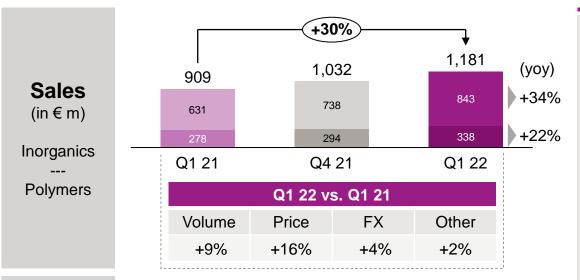
- Health & Care with double-digit EBITDA growth, driven by strong position and contracted sales in active cosmetics ingredients as well as healthy demand for drug delivery systems
- Animal Nutrition benefitting from another quarter of rising amino acid prices due to
 - global supply chain disruptions and
 - push in supplementation of methionine and lysine in animal feed diet formulations due to high soft commodity prices (e.g. corn)
- Further sequential earnings growth in NC expected for Q2

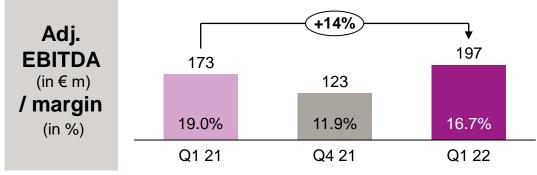




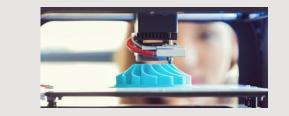


Smart Materials





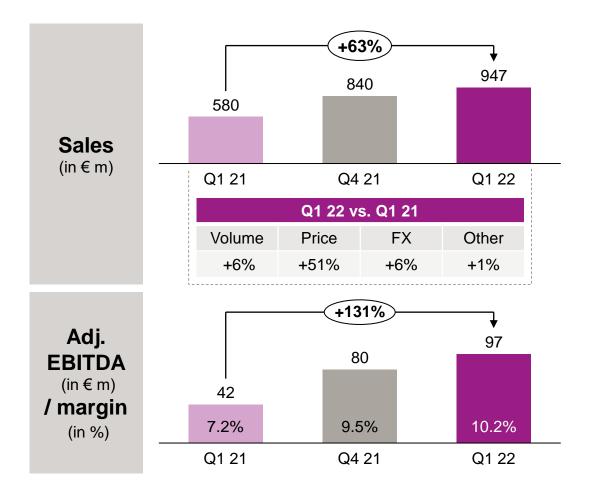
- Double-digit EBITDA growth, driven by strong volume increase with all businesses contributing
- "Eco-Solutions" (e.g. H2O2 specialties and catalysts) with positive developments
- Pricing campaigns accelerating further: +16% in Q1 following +10% in Q4 and +6% in Q3
- Higher selling prices compensating increasing variable costs another round of price increases necessary to compensate for further variable cost increases
- Polyamide 12 impacted by higher fixed costs for new plant in Marl







Performance Materials



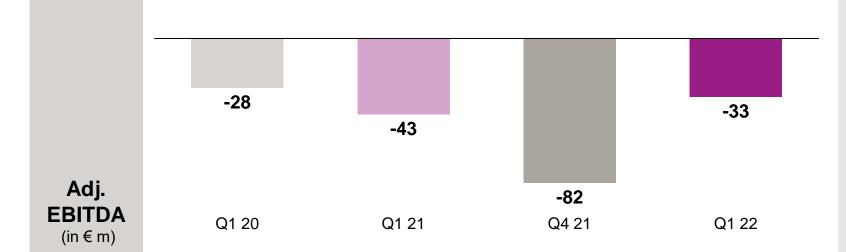
- C4 chain with balanced to tight markets and healthy spreads across nearly all products
- Naphtha-factor based pricing working as natural hedge against higher oil prices
- Baby Care with improved contract pricing on the back of implemented price increases







Technology & Infrastructure (T&I)/Other

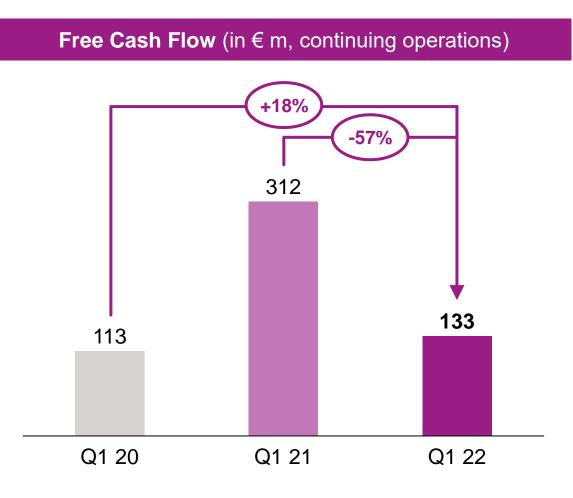


- yoy improvement due to
 - lower personnel-related provisions
 - last year's Q1 with negative weather impact of ~€10 m







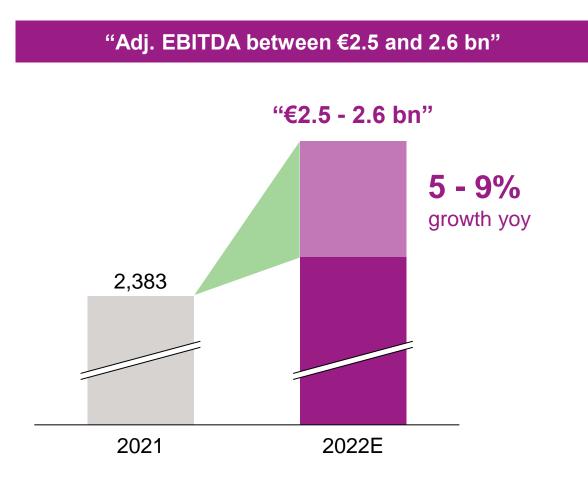


- Q1 FCF impacted by significantly higher NWC outflow yoy (-€490 m vs -€177 m in Q1 2021)
- Increased raw material prices resulting in
 - Higher inventories (valuation)
 - Higher receivables (increased sales base)
- Additionally higher inventory levels due to
 - more goods in transit
 - higher level of safety stocks
 - preparation for maintenance shutdowns in Q2
- Prior year's very strong FCF generation supported by low outflows for NWC and taxes



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Basis for the outlook

- GDP growth expectation lowered to 3.3% (from 4.2%)
- Assuming a macro slowdown in 2nd half of the year
- However no further deterioration of geopolitical situation and a stable oil and gas supply out of Russia

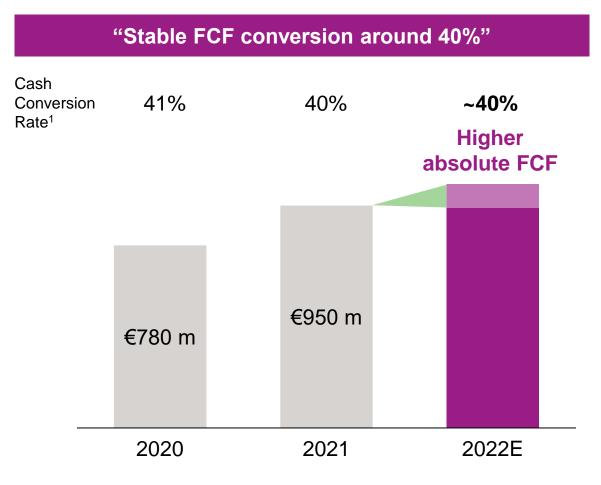
Sales

between €15.5 and 16.5 bn (unchanged; FY 2021: €15.0 bn)

Adj. EBITDA

between €2.5 and 2.6 bn (unchanged; FY 2021: €2,383 m)





Positives

- Higher adj. EBITDA
- Continued capex discipline despite inflationary environment

Challenges

- FCF outlook is based on the targeted reduction of the currently higher NWC levels throughout the year, resulting in yoy lower NWC outflow
- Higher bonus payments (outflow in Q2)



1. Free cash flow conversion (FCF/adj. EBITDA)

Capital Markets Day

Essen, Germany 11 May 2022

The event is taking place in a hybrid format. We would appreciate to welcome you in person at our headquarters in Essen.

For joining the webcast, please note that you have to register for the event in advance to receive a password. To sign up, please visit our IR website (<u>link here</u>).

Agenda for the day

- 11.00 am CET Registration
- 12.00 am CET Start of event Presentations of the four board members

Christian Kullmann

Thomas Wessel

Strategy

Innovation

Harald Schwager

Sustainability

Ute Wolf

Financials

01.00 pm CET **Q&A** 02.00 pm CET **End**





Additional indications for FY 2022 (all unchanged)

Sales	between €15.5 and 16.5 bn (unchanged; 2021: €15.0 bn)				
ROCE	slightly above the level of 2021 (unchanged; 2021: 9.0%)				
Capex ¹	around €900 m (unchanged; 2021: €865 m)				
EUR/USD sensitivity ²	+/-1 USD cent = -/+ ~€6 m adj. EBITDA (FY basis)				
Adj. EBITDA T&I/Other	considerably less negative than prior year level (unchanged; 2021: -€221 m)				
Adj. D&A	slightly above the level of 2021 (unchanged; 2021: €1,045 m)				
Adj. net financial result	slightly less negative than 2021 (unchanged; 2021: -€97 m)				
Adj. tax rate	around long-term sustainable level of ~30% (unchanged; FY 2021: 28%); higher compared to previous years, amongst others due to changes in international tax legislation				

1. Cash outflow for investment in intangible assets, pp&e | 2. Including transaction effects (after hedging) and translation effects; before secondary / market effects



in € m	Q1 2021	Q1 2022	Δ in %
Sales	3,358	4,498	+34
Adj. EBITDA	588	735	+25
Depreciation & amortization	-252	-263	
Adj. EBIT	336	472	+40
Adj. net financial result	-21	-12	
D&A on intangible assets	36	41	
Adj. income before income taxes	351	501	+43
Adj. income tax	-106	-141	
Adj. income after taxes	245	360	+47
Adj. non-controlling interests	-6	-4	
Adj. net income	239	356	+49
Adj. earnings per share	0.51	0.76	
Adjustments	-28	-16	

Adj. net financial result (-€12 m)

 Higher interest income (higher discount rate on other provisions) and lower interest expense (lower rate on green hybrid bond)

Adj. tax rate (28%)

- Slightly below prior year (Q1 2021: 30%)
- And slightly below FY guidance of 30%

Adjustments (-€16 m)

- Acquisitions (-€2 m): Integration PeroxyChem
- Other (-€14 m): Accounting of energy derivatives; termination of a project in Russia



in € m	Q1 2021	Q1 2022
Income before financial result and income taxes (EBIT)		456
Depreciation and amortization	251	264
Δ Net working capital	-177	-490
Change in provisions for pensions & other post-employment benefits	25	21
Change in other provisions	47	66
Change in miscellaneous assets/liabilities	67	34
Cash outflows from income taxes	-35	-52
Others	8	10
Cash flow from operating activities (continuing ops.)	494	309
Cash outflows for investment in intangible assets, pp&e	-182	-176
FCF	312	133
Cash flow from investing activities (continuing ops.)		-190
Cash flow from financing activities (continuing ops.)	-73	65

CF from operating activities (€309 m)

- Higher raw material prices main reason for significantly higher NWC outflow yoy
- Higher inventories (valuation, but also goods in transit, safety stock and preparation for shutdowns) and higher receivables (increased sales base)

CF from investing activities (-€190 m)

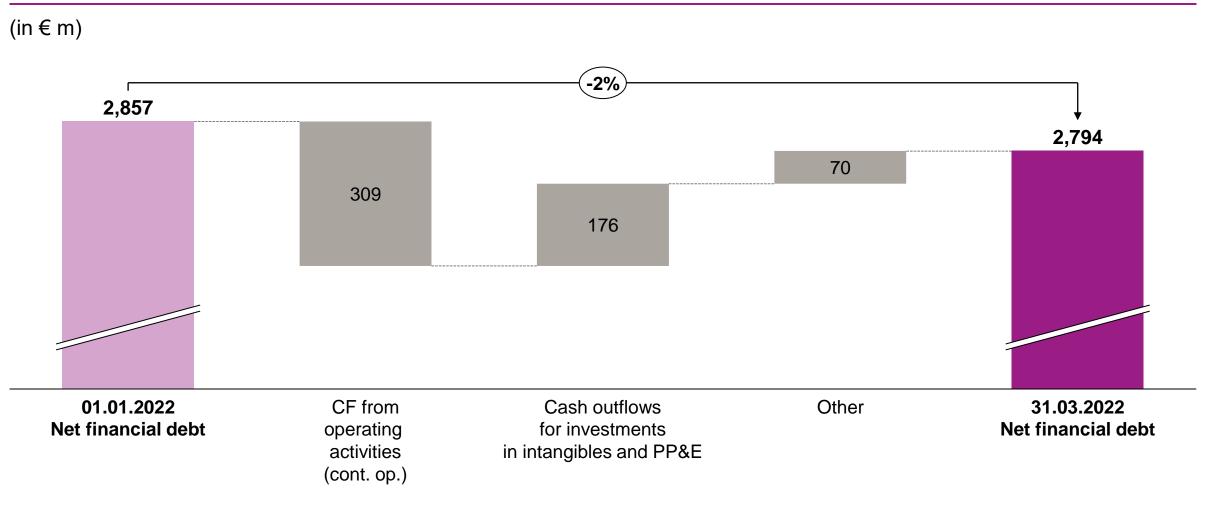
 Prior year benefitted from inflow from sale of securities in special funds

CF from financing activities (€65 m)

Inflow from commercial paper issuance



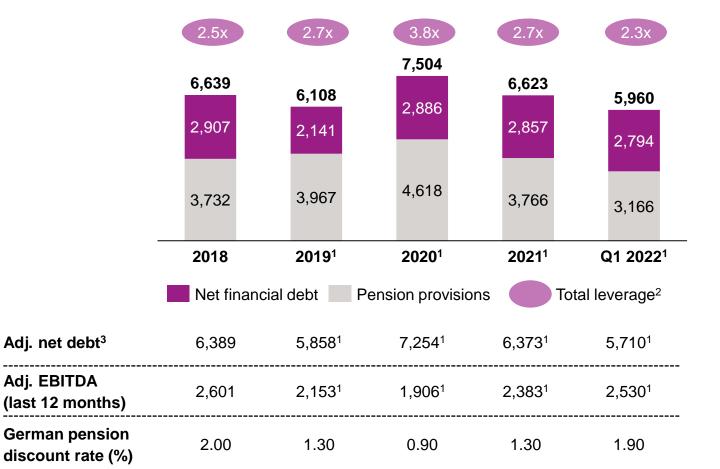
Net financial debt development Q1 2022





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

Net financial debt (€2,794 m)

- Slight reduction of net financial debt versus year-end 2021
- Low net financial debt leverage at 1.0x⁴

Pension provisions (€3,166 m)

- Majority of net debt consists of long-dated pension obligations with >18 years duration
- Lower pension provisions from notable increase of pension discount rates (German pension discount rate increase from 1.3% to 1.9%)
- Pension provisions partly balanced by corresponding deferred tax assets of ~€1.3 bn



Divisional overview by quarter

Sales (in € m)	FY 2020	Q1/21	Q2/21	Q3/21	Q4/21	FY 2021	Q1/22
Specialty Additives	3,225	907	922	934	947	3,710	1,049
Nutrition & Care	2,992	780	838	931	1008	3,557	1,038
Smart Materials	3,235	909	975	1,002	1,032	3,918	1,181
Performance Materials	1,983	580	708	784	840	2,911	947
Services, Corporate & Others	764	182	193	220	264	859	283
Evonik Group	12,199	3,358	3,636	3,871	4,091	14,955	4,498
Adj. EBITDA (in € m)	FY 2020	Q1/21	Q2/21	Q3/21	Q4/21	FY 2021	Q1/22
Specialty Additives	857	273	242	224	181	920	252
Nutrition & Care	560	143	183	192	200	717	222
Smart Materials	529	173	176	177	123	650	197
Performance Materials	88	42	99	97	80	317	97
Services, Corporate & Others	-128	-43	-51	-45	-82	-221	-33
Evonik Group	1,906	588	649	645	502	2,383	735



Conferences & Roadshows		Upcoming Events & Reporting Dates		
May 12, 2022	Virtual European Materials Conference (JPM)	May 11, 2022	Capital Markets Day	
May 16, 2022	Roadshow London (Barclays)	May 25, 2022	Annual General Meeting	
May 17, 2022	Best of Europe Conference (UBS)	August 10, 2022	Q2 2022 reporting	
May 18, 2022	Chemical Conference (Citi)	November 8, 2022	Q3 2022 reporting	
May 24, 2022	dbAccess German Corporate Conference (Deutsche Bank)			
June 2, 2022	Roadshow Frankfurt (Oddo)			
June 15, 2022	European CEO Conference (Exane)			



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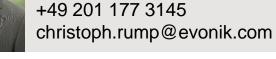


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