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Introduction to Specialty Additives

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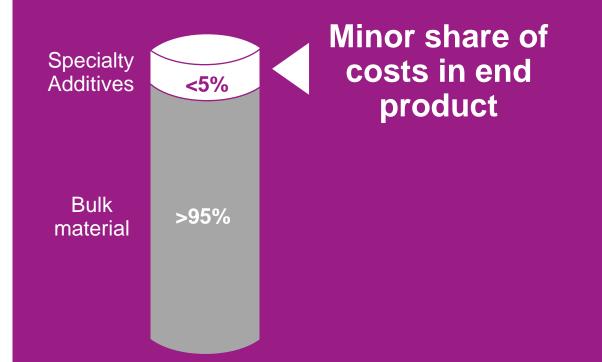


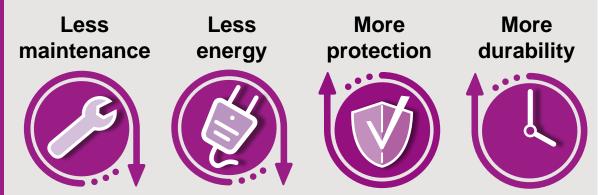




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Improved product characteristics Improved sustainability profile





Rust does not stand a chance

Crosslinkers for compositereinforced bars with outstanding mechanical and chemical properties

15 – 35%

reduction potential in corrosion costs (~US\$2.5 tn)



Colder food & drinks for less money

PU foam additives create performance advantages to make appliances and buildings more energy efficient

up to **5**%

reduction potential in energy costs



The paint stays put

Additives for paint systems creating a lasting barrier against chemical cleaning agents

>€30k

avoided repainting costs for rail car surfaces



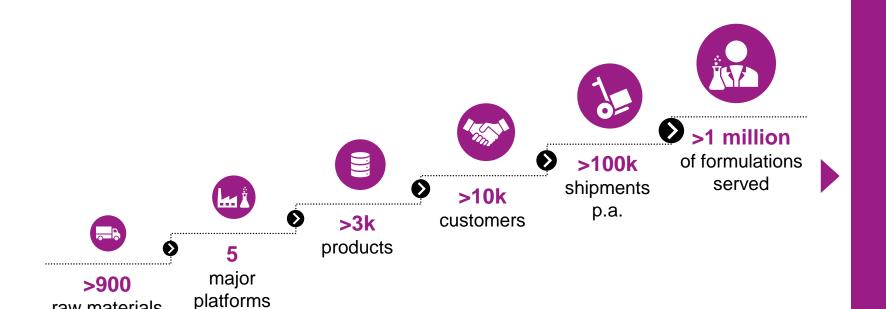
Solutions against biofouling

Hydrophilic AEROSIL® improves anti-fouling coatings for ship hulls

up to **30**%

decreasing fuel consumption





High barriers to entry

Resilient financial performance

Strong market & customer position

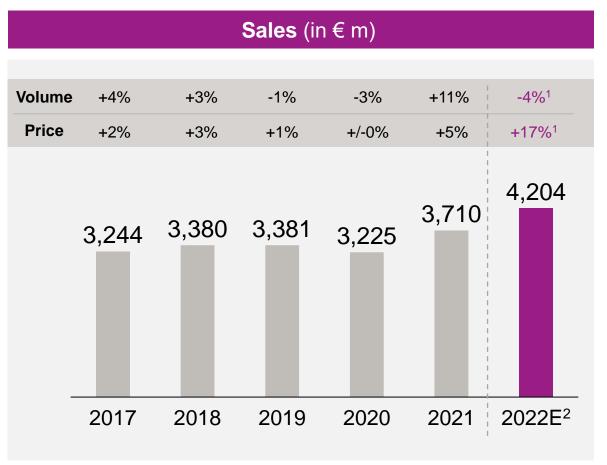
Mastering complexity Experienced Digitalization & automation management team How? Culture & collaboration Supply chain excellence

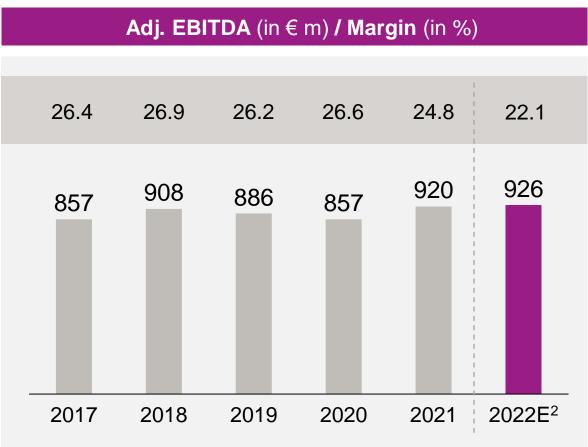
Tangible benefits



raw materials

Financial performance since 2017







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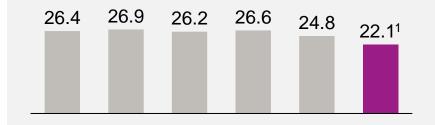
Specialty Additives business model is highly profitable and resilient – demonstrated over the last years also in difficult environments





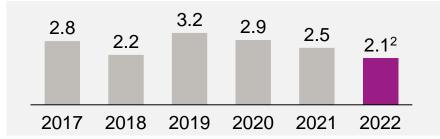
- Continued and resilient sales growth
- Largely price-driven based on additives business model
- But also strong volume recovery in 2021 despite supply chain challenges

EBITDA margin (in %)



- Consistently high profitability across businesses
- Proven margin stability during COVID-crisis
- Great resilience also in 2022 only mathematical dilution

Capex to sales ratio (in %)



- Highly capital-light additives business model
- Capacity expansions usually modular and hence with smaller investment volumes
- Resulting in ROCE in the high-teens through the cycle



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Balanced view on navigating currently difficult environment and long-term strategy execution

Focus on

- Maintaining attractive pricing despite slowing demand
- Driving commercial excellence
- Optimizing net working capital and freeing up cash flow
- Securing key raw materials cost efficiently

Managing current market environment

H2 2022 and into 2023

2023 and beyond

Long-term strategy execution

Strategic priorities

Foster leadership in sustainability along anticipated market needs



Investment in capacity for revenue growth and optimized geographical footprint

Continue development of fast organization



Specialty Additives Play

Sitting at the table

Building #1 position in customer relevance to be decisive part of their innovation agenda and product offering

Ability to assess



Understanding our customers' value chains and markets to create the ideal solution

Rapid tailored innovation



Mastering complexity

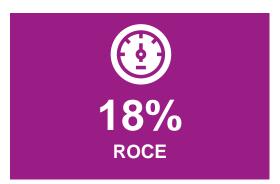


Broad spectrum of tailored product for numerous customers

Delivering continuously new solutions for markets
and customers





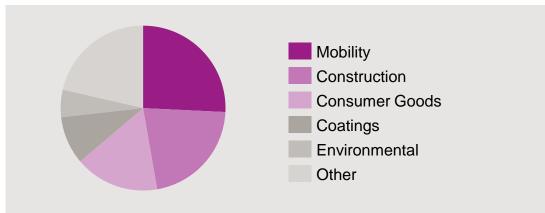




2021









Additives for coatings and inks



Additives for polyurethane foam



Specialty defoamers and wetting agents



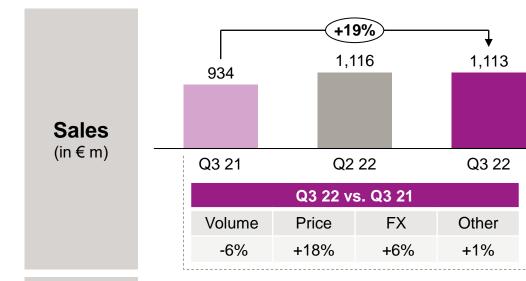
Epoxy hardeners for crosslinkers



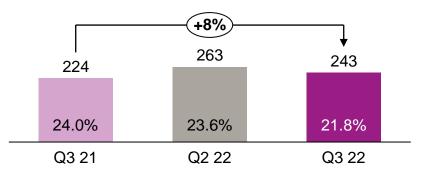
Lubricant additives



Financial performance in Q3 2022







- Overall strong performance across all businesses demonstrating resilience in tougher environment
- Price increases continue on similar strong level as Q2 (+18% yoy) and compensate for higher variable costs
- Volume declines in Europe and Asia, volume expansion in Americas
 - Good demand in agro, energy storage and release coatings
 - Weaker demand and destocking esp. from coatings and construction
 - Unplanned downtime in Crosslinkers







Specialty Additives: Five major technology platforms

Oleochemicals, Silica & **Isophorone chain** Silicones **Amines BL** specific platforms Additives and dispersing agents Special catalysts for high Silicone surfactants for designed Crosslinkers for durable wind for waterborne artificial leather polyurethane foams in performance spray foam turbine blades insulations mattresses, seats and insulation Scratch/scrub/burnish resistance with spherical amorphous silica Curing agents for high quality High performance composite Highly effective polyether siloxane defoamer for waterborne and efficient epoxy coating and ingredients for electro vehicle Poly alkylmethacrylate for fuel flooring components coatings efficient lubricants

Technology platforms with modular, stepwise and capex-light expansion

~4%

capex to sales ratio

Investment example: Amines platform

Stepwise debottlenecking of intermediate products in China and the US

Investment example: Silicones platform

Implementation of expanded regional hubs in Europe, China and the US



Specialty Additives end markets and product examples

Other

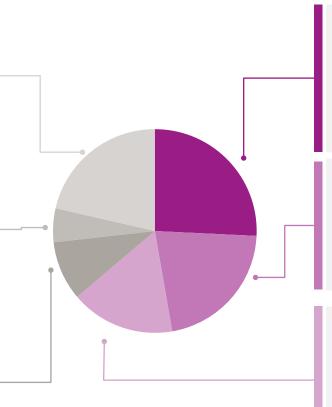
- Additives for conventional and biological plant protection for growing global population
- Industrial gear lubricants to achieve more productivity, less downtime and optimal fluid service
- Coating Additives for flame retardant cables

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



Solutions for maximum performance



TEGOMER® for scratch resistant surfaces

MORE DURABILITY





VISCOPLEX® for fuel economy improvement LESS ENERGY



Nourybond® for under body coating MORE PROTECTION



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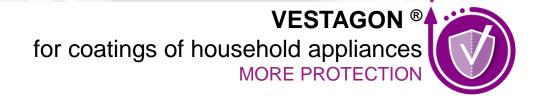


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NANOPOX® for more durable wind turbine blades LESS MAINTENANCE



