

Evonik Capital Markets Day 2025

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# Advanced Technologies: Leveraging technology- & asset-based competencies



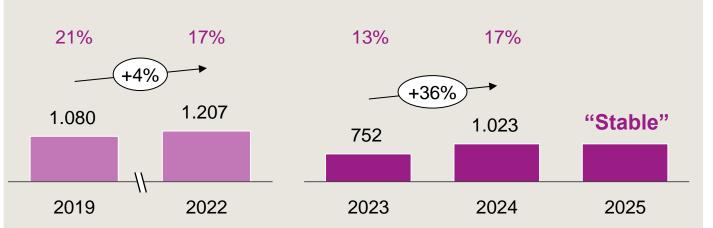
#### Common main characteristics across the whole segment





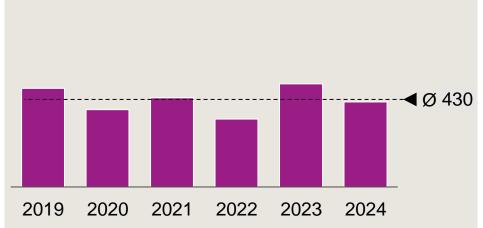
# Steady earnings growth and FCF generation: Advanced Technologies is on a good way to contribute to Group targets 2027

### Adj. EBITDA development (in $\in$ m) / Margin (in %)



- Resilient EBITDA development from 2019 to 2022 despite major headwinds
- After a tough year 2023, performance strongly recovered in 2024
- Guidance for FY 2025 ("prior-year level") backed by ramp-up of PA12 and cost optimization in various businesses





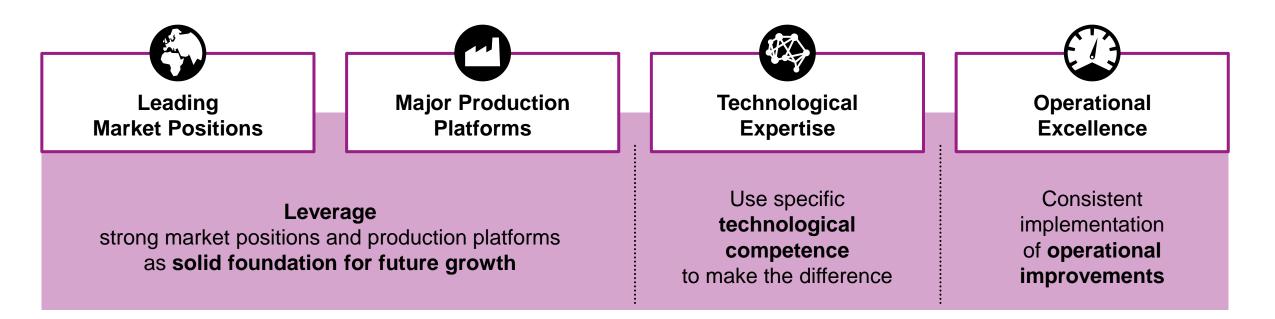
- Solid cash generation despite challenging market conditions
- Clear potential to increase FCF in next years after ~€2 bn investments in past five years



1. Business Free Cash Flow (adj. EBITDA plus/minus changes in NWC minus Capex) Reorganized numbers in new segment structure not audited before FY 2024

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# Strategic Management Agenda focuses on key value levers Progress is monitored using specific financial & operational KPIs





#### Top Financial KPIs

- EBITDA
- ROCE
- FCF / Cash-Conversion

### **Top Operational KPIs**

- Net Overall Equipment Effectiveness
- Volume Forecast Accuracy
- Range-of-coverage (Inventories)



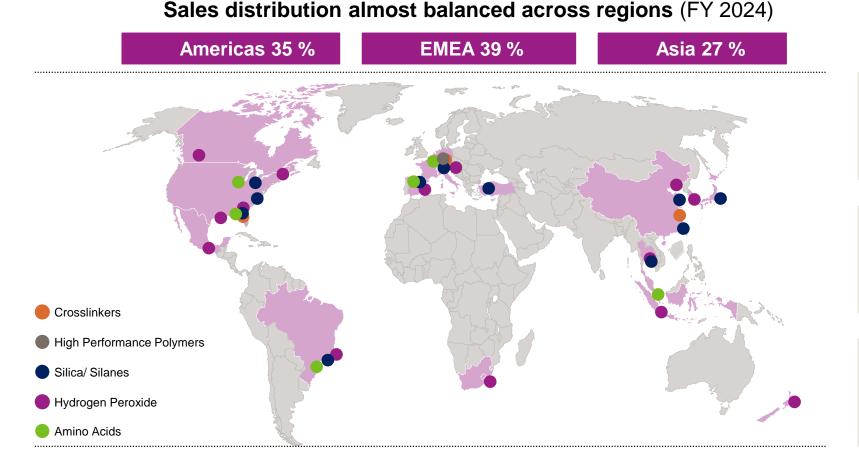
## Strong position in wide range of attractive & growing markets

End market split	Sub-Segment	Leading Positions	Market growth
in % of sales	Organics	<ul><li>#1 Isophorone chemistry</li><li>#2 Long-chain Polyamides</li></ul>	~3% ~5%
	Inorganics	<ul><li>#1 Precipitated and Fumed Silica</li><li>#2 Hydrogen Peroxide</li></ul>	~3% ~6%
	Animal Nutrition	#1 Methionine	~3-4%

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1. e.g. Membranes

# Global production networks ensure highest supply security for customers and robustness amid rising geopolitical risks



Selected sites of major Production Platforms

**Supply security** and robustness amid rising geopolitical risks

### Strong local-for-local approach

**Cost-leading assets globally** for all major technology platforms



# Strong technology platforms as foundation enable attractive growth opportunities in fast-growing niche markets

Metal Oxides Plant (Silica)



Yokkaichi, Japan

Planned start-up: End of 2025

- New plant for Aluminum Oxides
- Continued positive momentum in target markets Li-ion batteries and coatings

Gas Separation Membranes (High Performance Polymers)

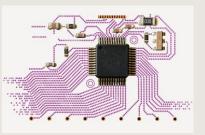


Schörfling/ Lenzing, Austria

Planned start-up: End of 2025

- Capacity expansion for hollow fiber spinning plants in Schörfling, AT
- Addressing strong demand trajectory for sustainable membranes driven by renewable energy

High-purity Hydrogen Peroxide (Hydrogen Peroxide)

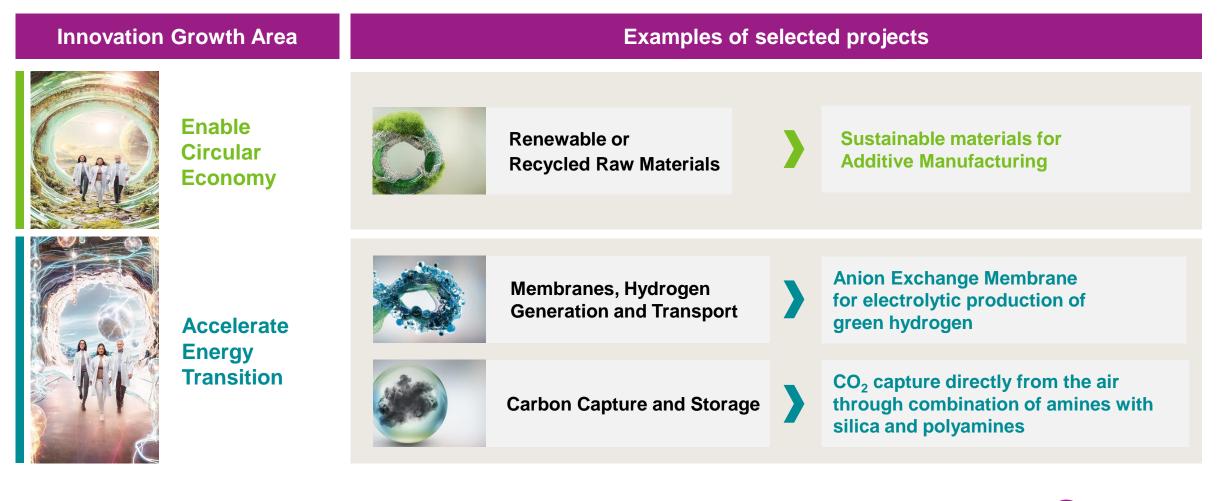


Several projects in all major regions

- Several investments in Europe, North America and Asia
- Addressing fast growing demand for (ultra) high purity hydrogen peroxide (e.g. semiconductor, solar cell)



# Innovation Growth Area "Energy Transition" as focus for Advanced Technologies





# Benefitting twice from Process R&D: Improving existing business as well as leveraging technological know-how to exploit growth potentials

### **Technology excellence through process research & development**

### **Existing business**

### **Increase profitability**

- R&D continually optimizes existing production processes
- Main focus is on reduction of variable and fix costs and increased process robustness and reliability

### **Drive sustainability**

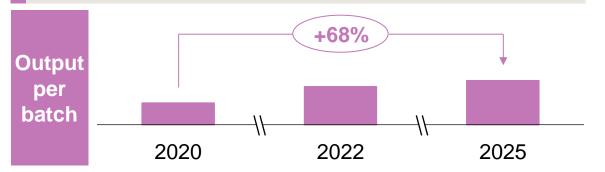
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- R&D and process technology complement each other to drive down emissions
- R&D is key for emission reduction

### Leverage technological know-how for growth



Evonik and DSM-Firmenich developed Veramaris<sup>®</sup> from idea in 2015 to market leader in fermentative algae oil as sustainable omega-3 source for fish farming





## Holistic business optimization programs initiated to secure competitive positions and to deliver on EBITDA targets

		Crosslinkers (i-Chain)	High Performance Polymers	Silica/ Silanes	Amino Acids
Strategic lever	Restructuring	✓	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
	Investment		(✓)	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
% of total group savings <sup>1</sup>		<5%	~15%		~20%
Start date		Q1 2024	Q1 2024	Q4 2023	Q2 2023
Full potential		End of 2027			End of 2026
Main Levers		<ul> <li>Focus on isophorone chain</li> <li>Optimization of production and raw material purchasing</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Production, portfolio and overhead</li> <li>Sales Force Effectiveness, Portfolio Review, Pricing</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Synergies of Silanes/Silica BL merger</li> <li>Optimized asset and site landscape</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Operational cost reduction</li> <li>Closing gaps for optimum production setup by investments</li> </ul>

1. % of total net savings of Evonik in 2027 (Plan) vs. 2023 (Actual)



# Advanced Technologies delivering both on "Growth" and "Optimization"



- ~€2 bn investments in recent years enable future growth (well invested in all production platforms)
- Innovation will contribute to mid- & long-term growth

- Consistent implementation of business optimization programs and Evonik Tailor Made
- In 2024, ~25% of net savings target already achieved



# Advanced Technologies Segment – an attractive and essential part of Evonik



We leverage our strong market positions and production platforms

Advanced Technologies



We use our special **technological competence** to make the difference



We implement operational improvements consistently



We are committed to deliver on Evonik's targets



