



Third Quarter 2022 Results

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With you today



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Q3 2022 performance hits new records



Net sales

€ 3.6 bn

- Record leve
- +29.5% organically yoy
- +30% driven by pricing
- -0.5% driven by volumes

EBITDA underlying

€ 917 m

- Record level
- +39.8% organically yoy
- 25.4% EBITDA margin

Free cash flow continuing operations

€ 452 m

- Marking 14 quarters of positive cash generation
- Enabling investments in growth and sustainability

ROCE return on capital employed

15.4%

- New record level
- vs 11.4% at the end of 2021

Record EBITDA boosted by record sales propelled by pricing actions that overcame inflationary costs, leading to historical record ROCE.

Pricing overcomes costs in 2022





Higher growth across all segments



Materials +43%

- Specialty Polymers reached another record, driven by both pricing and volume, thanks to sustained demand in most markets, particularly in automotive (incl. EV batteries), electronics (particularly in semiconductors), and healthcare
- Composite Materials' volumes growth was driven by the continued recovery in civil aero, mainly single-aisle programs.
- Record EBITDA margin at 34.6% or +1.9 percentage points versus last year



Chemicals +22%

- Soda Ash & Derivatives saw sustained demand on tight supply. Price increases offset increased energy and logistics costs.
- Peroxides benefited from higher pricing while volumes were down on lower sales in HPPO
- Continued normalization to mid-cycle levels at Coatis and Rusvinyl as demand softens, particularly in Europe
- Silica benefited by higher prices while volumes were slightly lower
- EBITDA margin at 25.2% or -2.1 pp lower versus last year.

Third Quarter 2022 Earnings

Solutions +21%

- Growth in Novecare was driven by strong demand in Agro backed by higher prices across all markets while volumes were down in certain markets such as coatings and consumers.
- Special Chem benefited from price increases across most markets, with growth to electronics partially offset by weakness in automotive catalysts.
- Technology Solutions saw sustained demand in mining, particularly copper.
- Aroma Performance faced sustained demand in food & beverage, and flavors & fragrance markets
- Oil & Gas Solutions were supported by higher volumes and prices in core markets
- EBITDA margin at 19.1% or +0.8 percentage point versus last year

2022 Full-year outlook increased again



EBITDA

underlying

to grow by around 28 %

previously in a range between 14% and 18%

Organic growth (at constant forex and scope

Free cash flow

continuing operations

around

€1 br

capex estimated to reach €1bn

previously around €750 m



Investments and innovation support our growth and sustainability commitments







carbon neutrality

Launch of a pilot project in France to validate a new breakthrough, more sustainable process to produce soda ash.

Solvay process 2.0

Zero limestone discharge and -50% CO₂ emissions by 2050





RAW MATERIALS











GENERATORS ELECTRICITY



ENERGY ELECTRICITY/ STEAM





ELECTROCHEMI-CAL PROCESS



LIMESTONE

Limestone is extracted from the quarry and introduced in an electrochemical process to generate carbon dioxide



BRINE

SODA **ASH PLANT**



Purified brine is mixed with CO. and ammonia in the Soda Ash Plant





DRYER



In the Soda Ash Plant. Brine-Ammonia mix comes into contact with CO, to produce crude bicarbonate which is dried and transformed into soda ash



Glass





Chemistry



SODIUM **BICARBONATE**



Air pollution control



Feed and Food



Pharmaceutical Industry

Almost zero residues



RIVER



-50% emissions



A part of the soda ash and CO₂ comes into contact to produce sodium bicarbonate BICAR®

Unlocking value through exploration of separation into two independent publicly listed companies



EssentialCo

Resilient Cash Generation

€4.1B

2021 Net sales

Providing essential chemicals across attractive end markets

SpecialtyCo

Accelerated Growth Potential

€6.0B

2021 Net sales

Providing innovative, value-added solutions that support a more sustainable world

Maximize cash generation and enhance cost leadership

Achieve above market growth and strong returns





Q&A



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In this two-year journey, the Group aims to promote values embodied by the athletes, such as performance, dedication, perseverance and winning drive, through its Solvay 4 Sport initiative. Those core values are at the heart of Solvay's purpose, believing steadfastly that it is unity and not uniformity that allows society to achieve the greatest results.