

SOLVAY

ESSENTIAL FOR GENERATIONS

Roadshow Presentation

Post Q3 2025 results



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PROFILE AND STRATEGY

SOLVAY at a glance



~9,000

Employees



44

Production sites



41

Countries



€4.7bn

Underlying
Net sales



€1.05bn

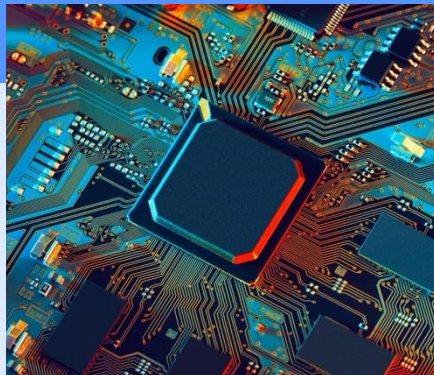
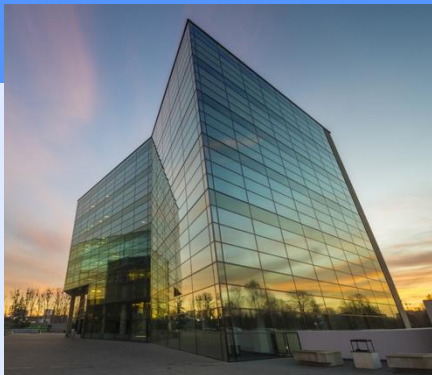
Underlying
EBITDA



€361m

Free Cash Flow
to Solvay shareholders
from continuing operations

WE ARE ESSENTIAL CHEMISTRY



Essential to our **DAILY** life
Essential **TODAY**, essential **TOMORROW**

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Not Specialty, not Commodity... **ESSENTIAL**



Product



Innovation



Operations /
Production



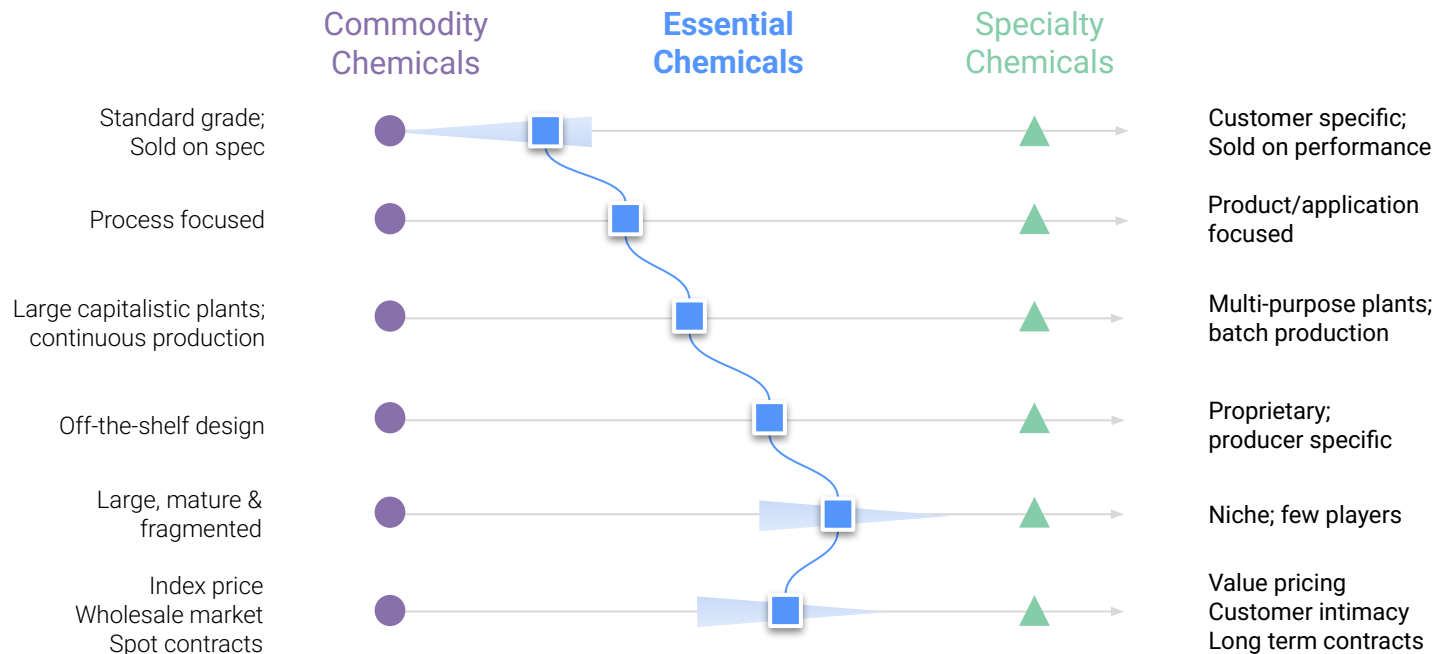
Technology



Industry
Structure

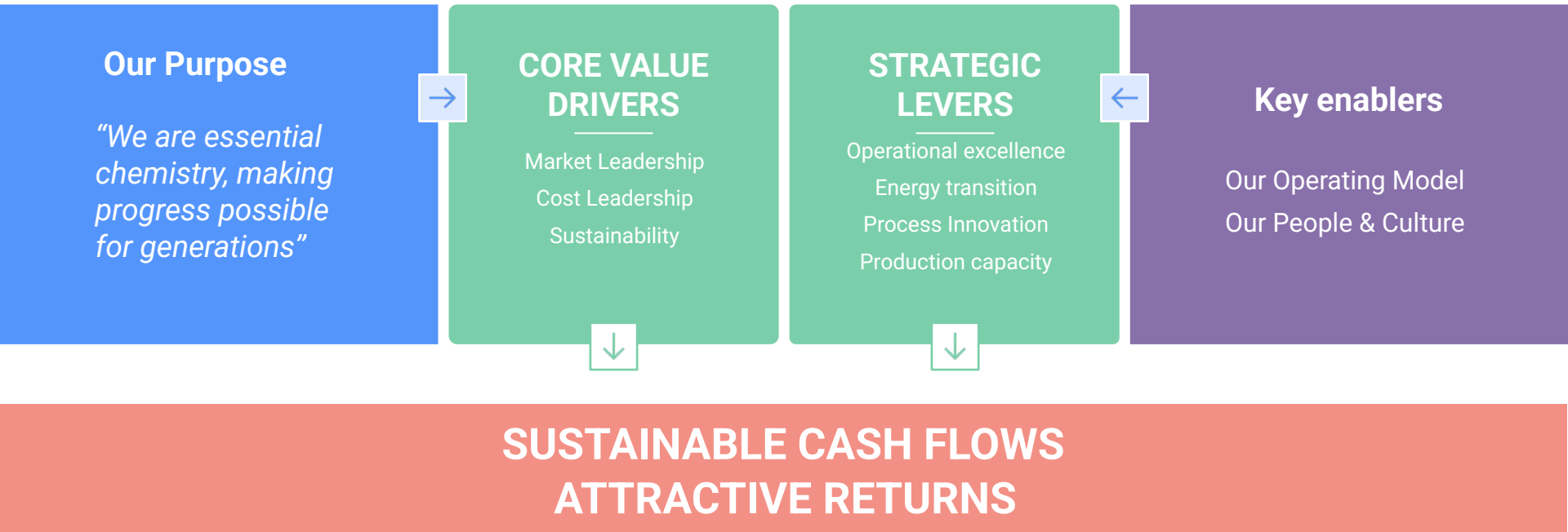


Marketing
and sales

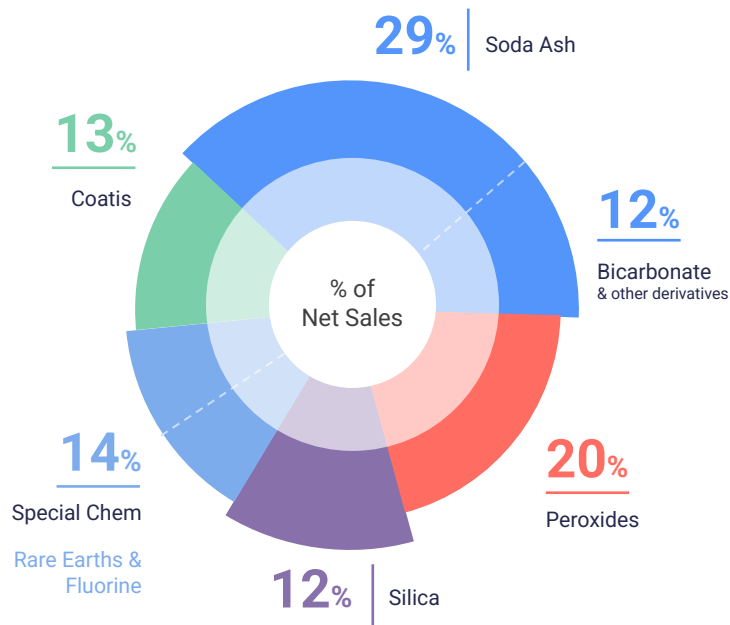


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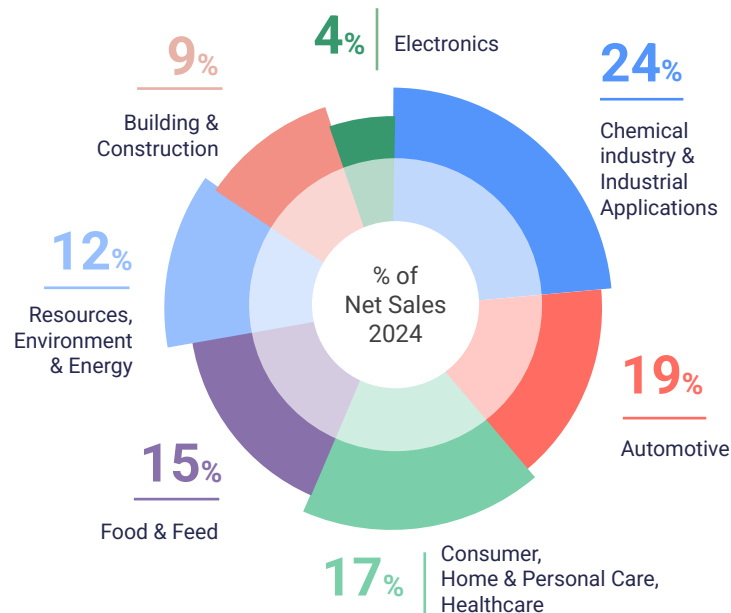
Our strategy: a **leader** in essential chemistry



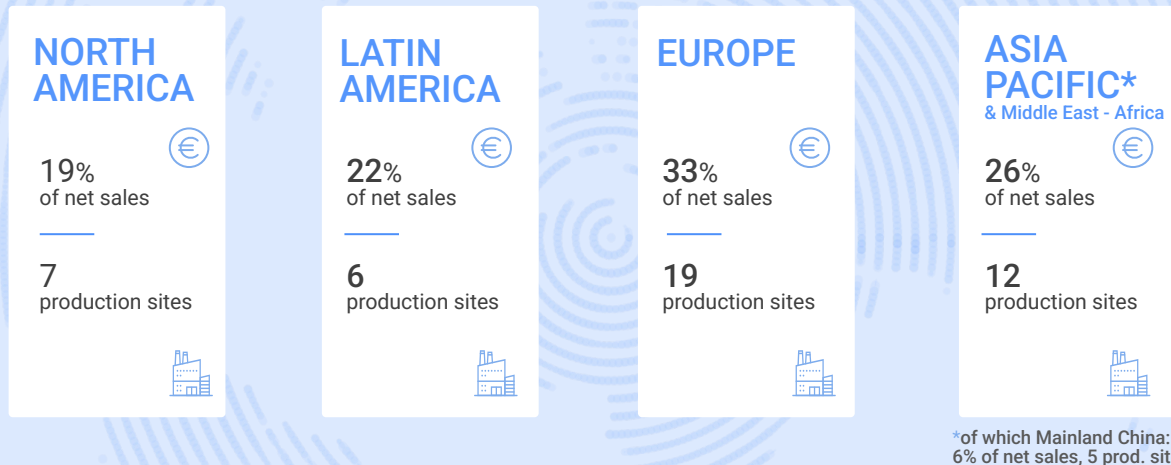
Focused portfolio of leading businesses



Essential to diversified end-markets



Global reach, Local-to-local in all continents



> 80% SALES ARE REGIONAL

Our **strategic levers**

Operational excellence

Continuous progress and optimization of operations and systems (digitalization)



Accelerate the energy transition

Shift from fossil-based energy to more sustainable / renewable energy



Process innovation

New technologies or process improvements to sustain our competitiveness



Production Capacity

Grow with the market

Capacity expansion, greenfield and/or partnerships to maintain our leadership



High potential opportunities

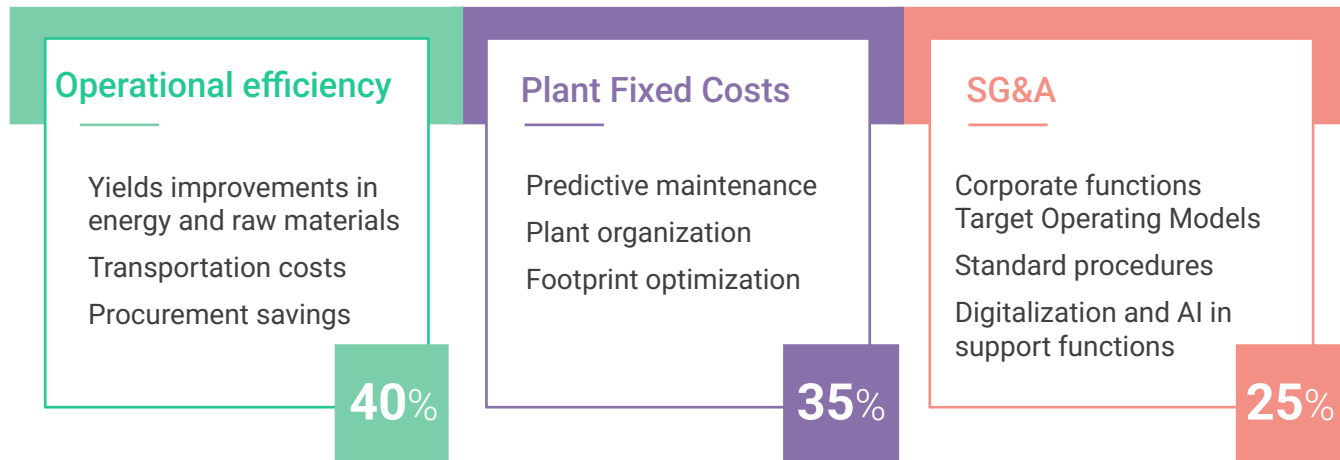
Capture opportunities in fast growth segments and new applications





Operational excellence : **accelerate** our Transformation

Standardization and digitalization as key enablers



**COST SAVINGS
BY 2028**

From

€300 million



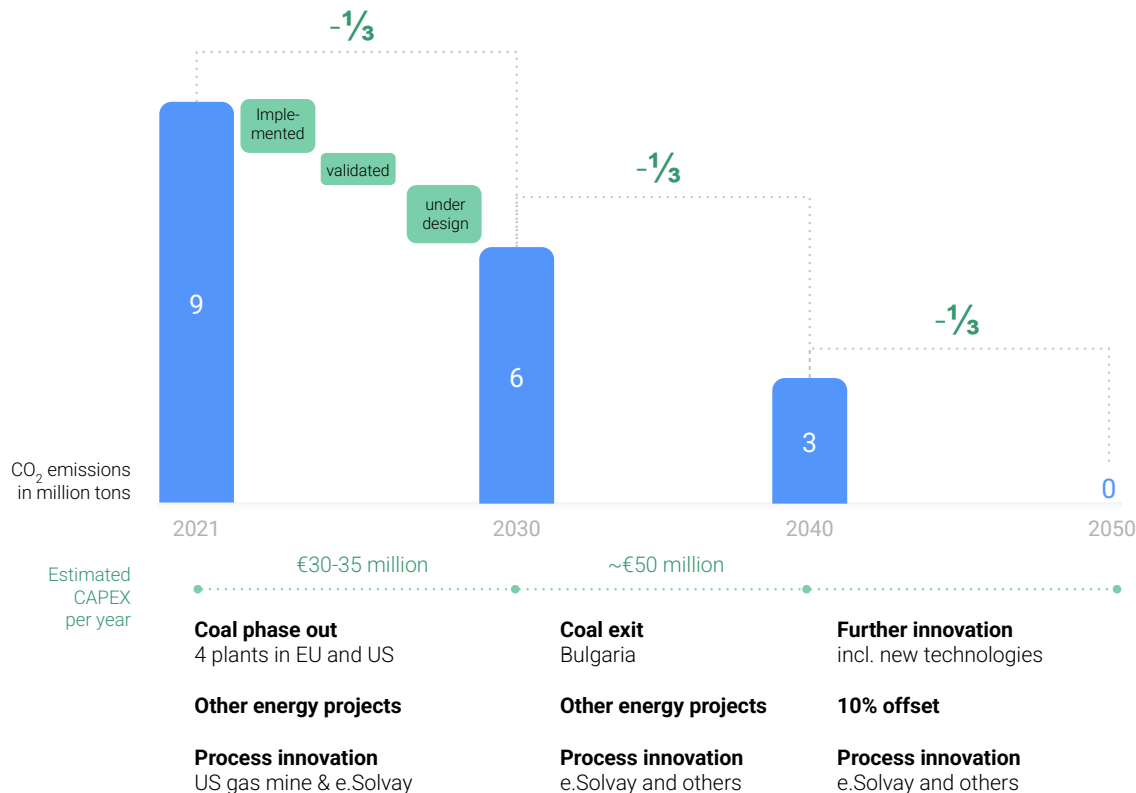
To

€350 million

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Accelerating the **energy transition**

Our roadmap to carbon neutrality is robust and affordable



In the past 20 years, Solvay has already **reduced its CO₂ emissions by half**



(at current Solvay perimeter)

Competitiveness as an imperative

Additional third-party financing necessary for certain projects, e.g. energy transition in Devnya

Government support is needed

Acceleration possible with the support of customers



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Process innovation

e.Solvay - how we will revolutionize the soda ash industry

New breakthrough electrochemical process powered by renewable energy

Proprietary and patented technology

- 50% CO₂ emissions
- 30% limestone consumption
- 20% energy, salt and water consumption

Pilot in Dombasle, France

- ✓ Technology
- ✓ Scalability
- ☀ Competitiveness improvement





Production **capacity**

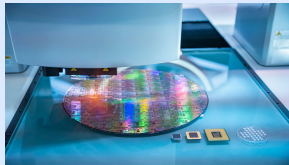
Sustained leadership and high potential opportunities fueling top-line growth

GROW WITH THE MARKET BY SUSTAINING LEADERSHIP

Capacity expansion of
0.6Mt **Soda Ash** in the US

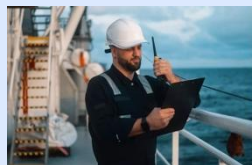


H2O2 capacity addition in Asia to meet growing
demand in photovoltaic and semiconductor
sectors



HIGH POTENTIAL OPPORTUNITIES

**New Bicarbonate
applications:**
- Solvair® Marine
- Alve One®



**Circular highly
dispersible silica** (rice
husk ash)



Rare earths from
recycled material for
EVs and wind power
markets



2024

Delivering on our promises

People engagement - new culture and purpose

80%
engagement rate

Transformation - digitalization - cost savings

€110m delivered
vs €80m target

Energy transition projects

Two more plants
exited coal in 2024

Developing our relationships with customers

Circular Silica, e-H2O2

Refinancing

€1.5bn bond issued,
oversubscribed 6 times

Solid financial performance

€1.05bn EBITDA,
above guidance



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A sustainability roadmap with refreshed ambitions and new commitments

			2021	2024	
			Progress	Targets	
PLANET	Scope 1 & 2 GHG emissions (Mt)	9.0	7.5	-17%	-30% by 2030 ; carbon neutrality by 2050
	Scope 3 GHG emissions (Mt) ¹	14.7	14.1	-4%	-20% by 2030
	Coal phase out (# of sites) ²	5	3	-2	All sites by 2030, except Devnya
	Biodiversity ³	-	-	NEW	30% of land under conservation by 2030
BETTER LIFE	Safety (RI ⁴)	68	41	-27	Aim for zero accident
	Diversity (% of women mid/sen. management) ⁵	28%	27.3%	-0.7pts	30% by 2030; aim for gender parity

¹ Scope 3 emissions focus on 5 categories, adjusted with 2024 new methodology.

² Includes coal and coal products used in energy production.

³ Permeable land located near biodiversity sensitive areas in positive biodiversity management

⁴ Reportable Injury - RI of Solvay employees and contractors.

⁵ Management categories are defined on the basis of the Hay Job Evaluation Methodology.

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FINANCIALS

Full year 2024 results

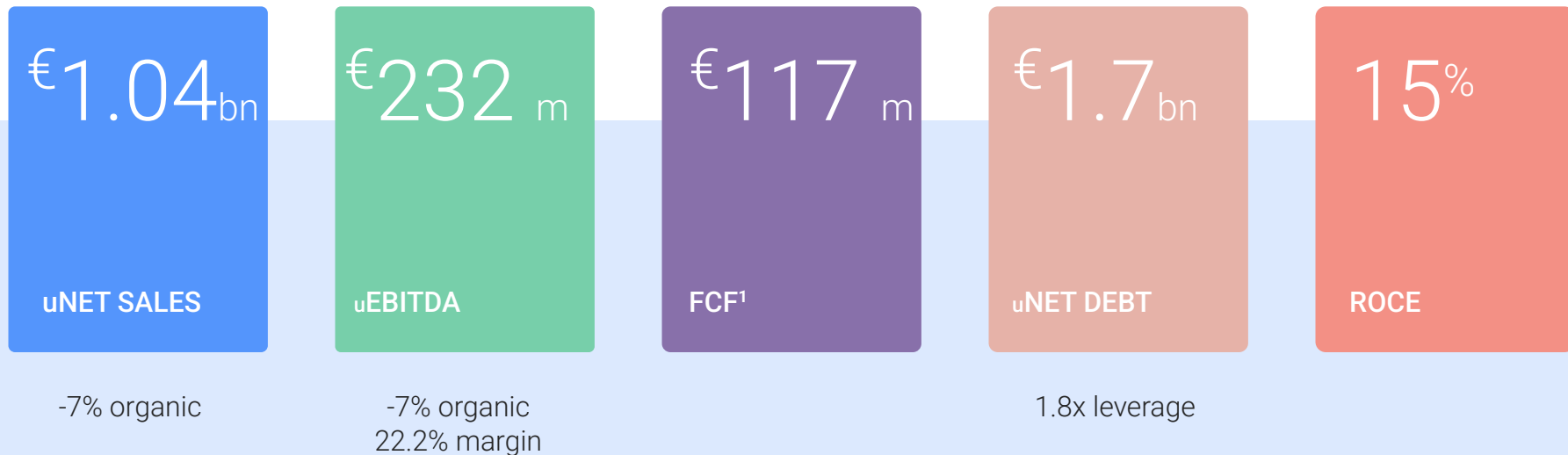
EBITDA and cash above expectations supported by cost savings acceleration



EBITDA, FCF and cost savings **above 2024 guidance**
Stronger capital structure than announced at spinoff

Q3 2025 results

Solid Free cash flow generation allowing for a reduction in Net debt vs previous quarter



Volumes down yoy (-4%)

Mainly from Soda Ash and Coatis

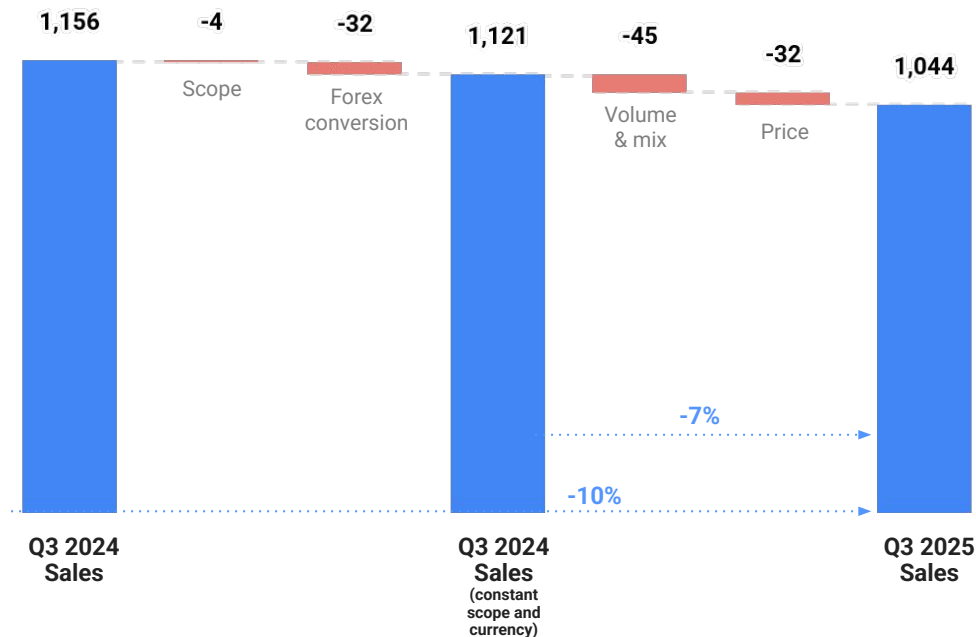
Resilient pricing overall (-3%)

besides continued unsustainable pressure on seaborne soda ash and on Coatis

Continued Forex headwinds

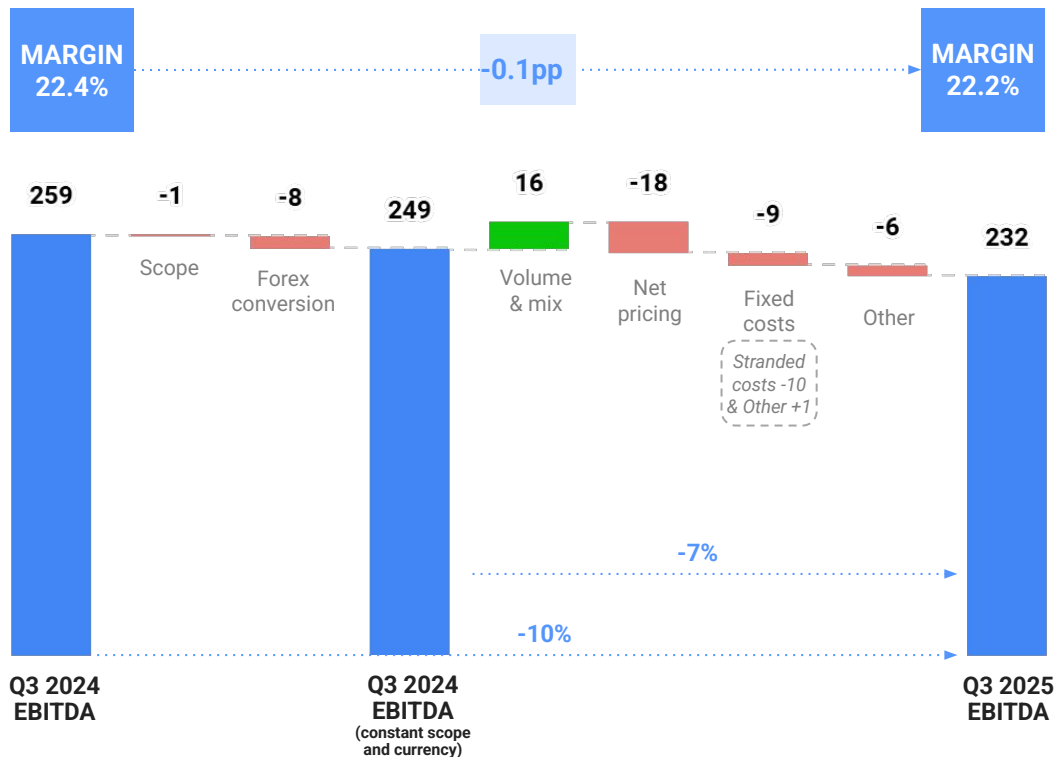
Q3 underlying Net Sales bridge

Volumes and prices slightly down



Q3 underlying EBITDA bridge

Stable sequentially in a challenging environment



Volume & mix

€+16m, but €-24m excluding CO₂ emissions rights

Net pricing

Lower in Soda ash (seaborne pricing) & Coatis
Very resilient in other businesses

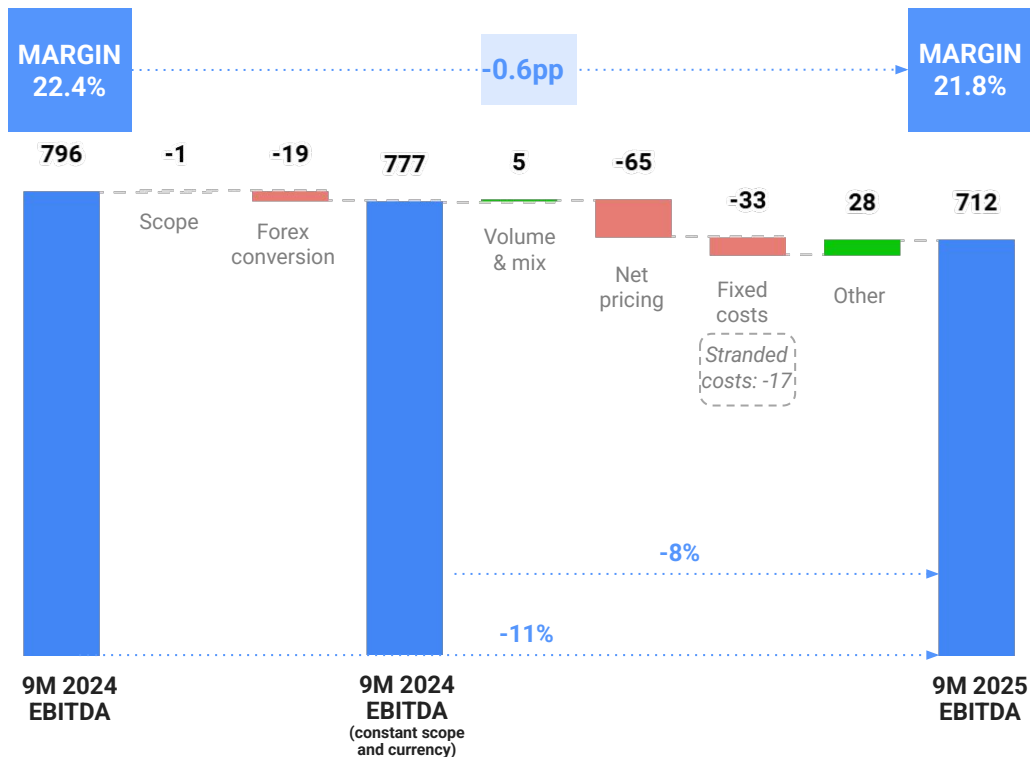
Fixed costs control

Costs savings offsetting inflation
€-10m temporary stranded costs in Corporate

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9M underlying EBITDA bridge

Resilient Solvay business model



Volume & mix

€+5m, but c. €-55m excluding one-offs

Net pricing

Lower in Soda ash (seaborne pricing) & Coatis
Very resilient in other businesses

Fixed costs control

Costs savings more than offsetting inflation
€-17m temporary stranded costs in Corporate
Operational issues in soda ash in Q2

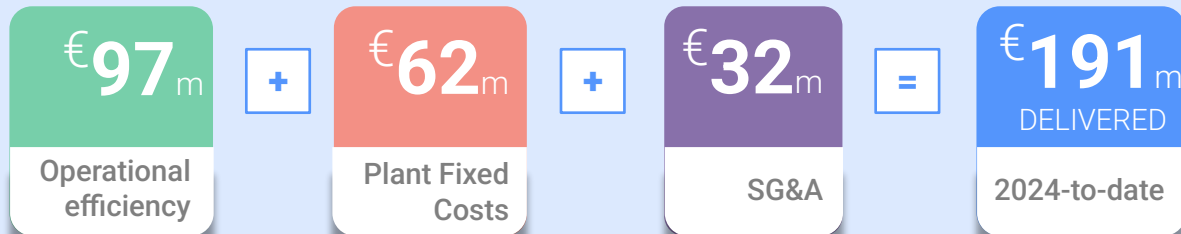
Other

Accrual Dombasle Energy in Q1'24

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Operational excellence

2024-to-date
cost savings



Gross savings (before inflation) measured as year on year EBITDA impact

Key
takeaways

**Key enabler to
Transformation**

Making Solvay
fitter for the
future

Digitalization

Leverage AI and
explore future
opportunities

Scalability

Simplify and
standardize
across
businesses

Well on track

Supportive in
current
environment

Basic Chemicals results

	Q3 2025 (€m)	% YoY	% YoY organic
Soda Ash & Deriv.	427	-9%	-8%
Peroxides	228	-3%	+0%
uNet Sales	655	-7%	-5%
uEBITDA	151	-17%	-15%
uEBITDA Margin	23.1%		

Q3 Highlights

Soda Ash & Derivatives

Seaborne market negatively impacted by persistent unsustainable price pressure linked to overcapacities in China
Bicarbonate very resilient and slightly up year on year

Peroxides

Stable volumes in merchant markets. Growing demand in electronic grades for semiconductor industry

Performance Chemicals results

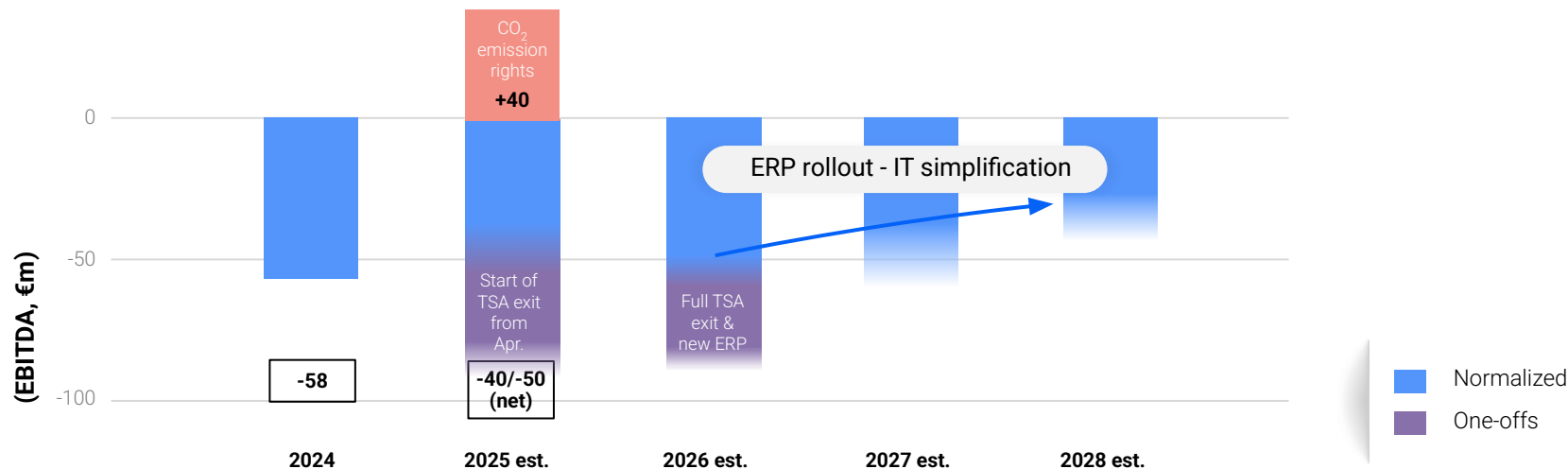
	Q3 2025 (€m)	% YoY	% YoY organic
Silica	121	-4%	-1%
Coatis	116	-29%	-26%
Special Chem	152	-3%	+0%
Net Sales	389	-13%	-10%
uEBITDA	59	-25%	-21%
uEBITDA Margin	15.2%		

Q3 Highlights

Silica	Slight volume slowdown in the tire market
Coatis	Volumes down in all end markets due to continued strong competition from Asia and a weak demand
Special Chem	Slightly higher autocatalysis and electronics rare earth volumes offsetting lower fluorine demand

Corporate segment results

CO₂ emission rights gain offsetting the temporary stranded costs (€-17m YTD, FY expected at €35m)

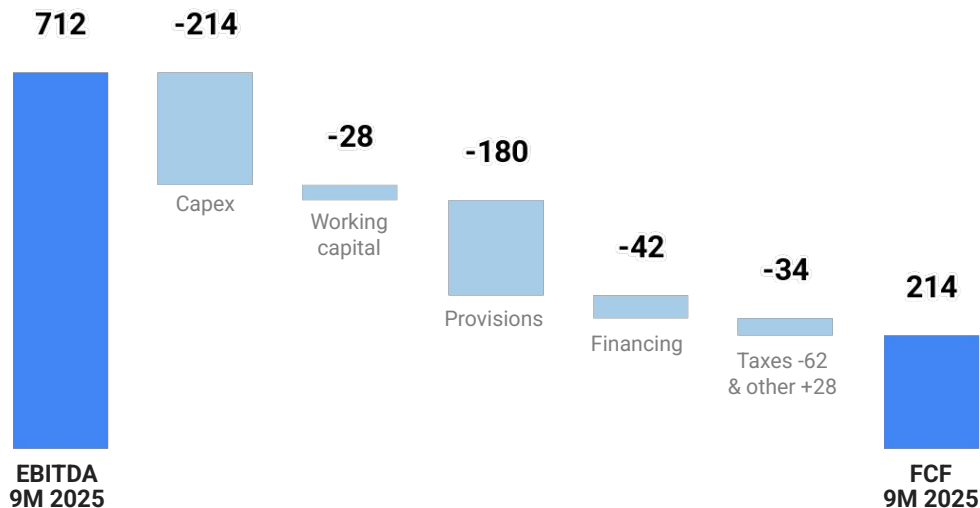


Corporate EBITDA Highlights

- **2024:** Transition Service Agreement revenues and low discretionary expenses offsetting provision on Dombasle energy transition project
- **2025-2026:** Temporary negative impact from the TSA exit and associated stranded costs, and from the new ERP implementation opex. For 2025, being offset by CO₂ emission rights optimization done in Q3.
- 25 → **2028:** Target Operating Model fully in place, generating new wave of savings

FCF: €214 million YTD

On track to deliver full year Free Cash Flow outlook



Optimization portfolio

CO₂ emission rights

+€40 million in EBITDA

+€10 million in delta WC

Capex

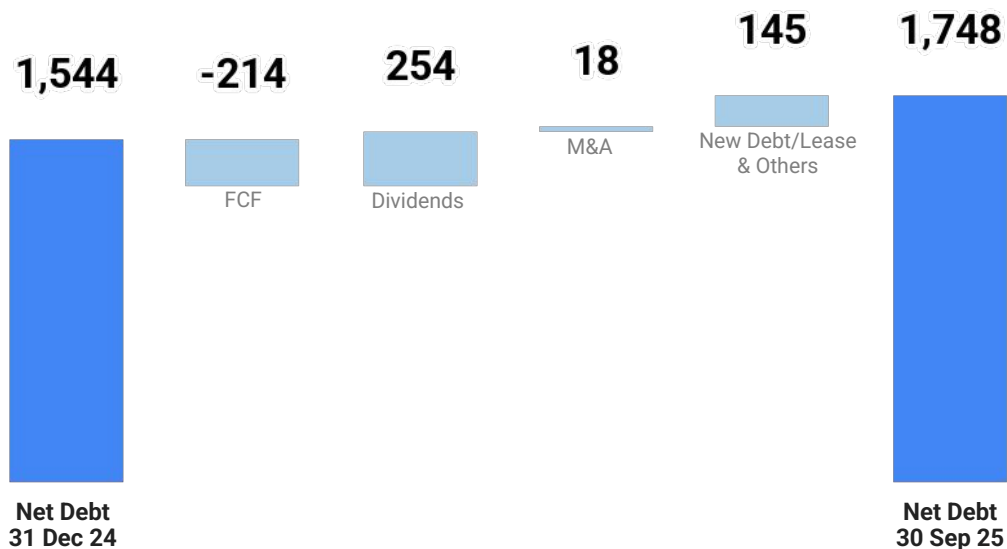
€-81m in Q3, strong discipline remains

Provisions

Incl €-37m for Dombasle Energy

Capital structure

Net debt down €-0.1Bn sequentially vs Q2



S&P RATING: BBB-

Stable outlook

Underlying net debt:

€1.7 Bn

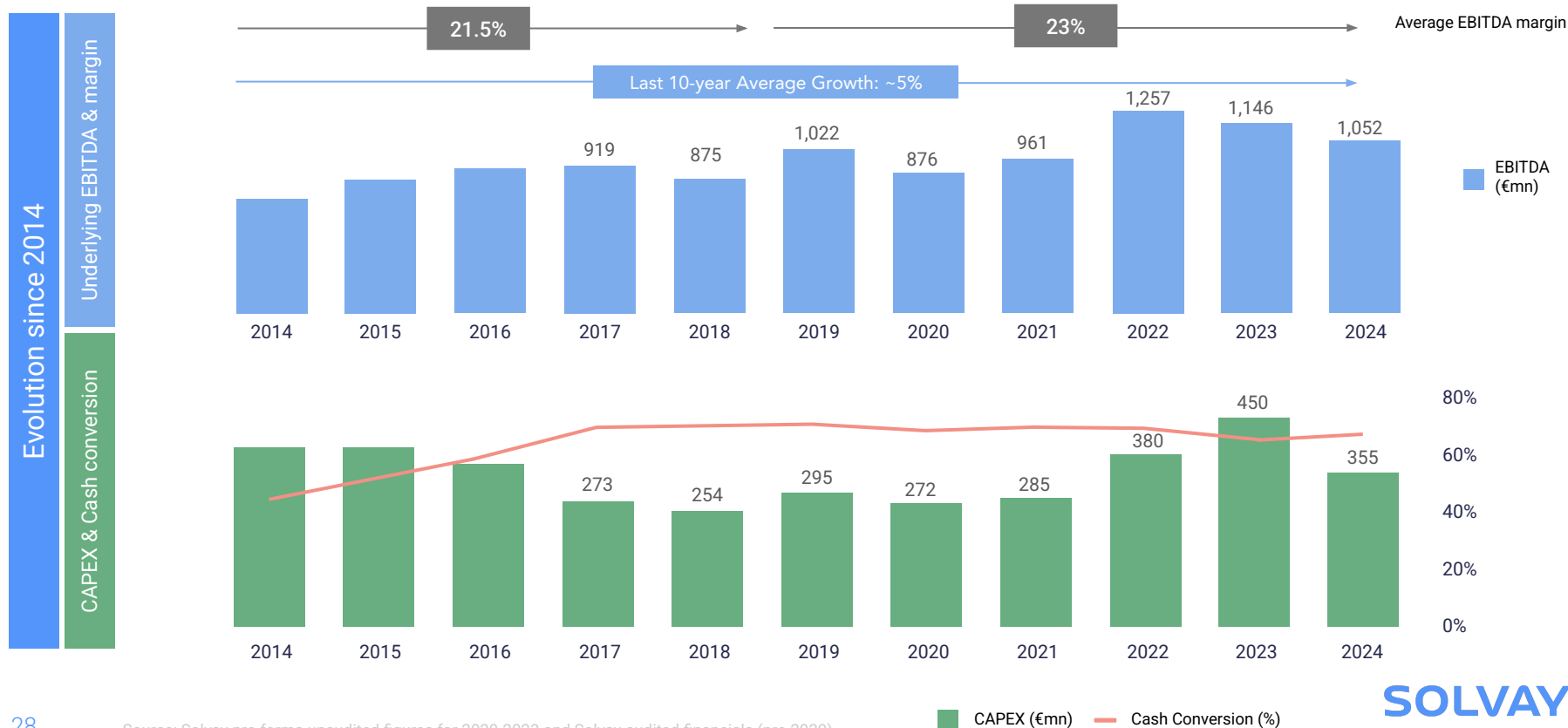
Employee benefits liabilities: €0.7 Bn

Environmental liabilities: €0.6 Bn

Leverage ratio: 1.8x

down from 1.9x at end of Q2

A long track record of resilient growth, margin expansion and cash generation



Capital allocation policy confirmed

PRIORITY 1 Essential CAPEX

HSE and maintenance
Energy transition ¹

>>> €250-300 million
per year

PRIORITY 2 Dividends

'Stable to increasing' policy

>>> €260 million
in 2024

PRIORITY 3 Additional value creation

Priority: investments in growth
Optionality: further shareholder return

>>> Depending on merit
and affordability

Note: indicative levered pre-CAPEX cash flow over 2024-28: ~€4bn
1. €30-35 million capex annually for energy transition projects

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OUTLOOK

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2025

OUTLOOK

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Underlying EBITDA
Between €880 million and €930 million¹

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Free Cash Flow²
~€300 million

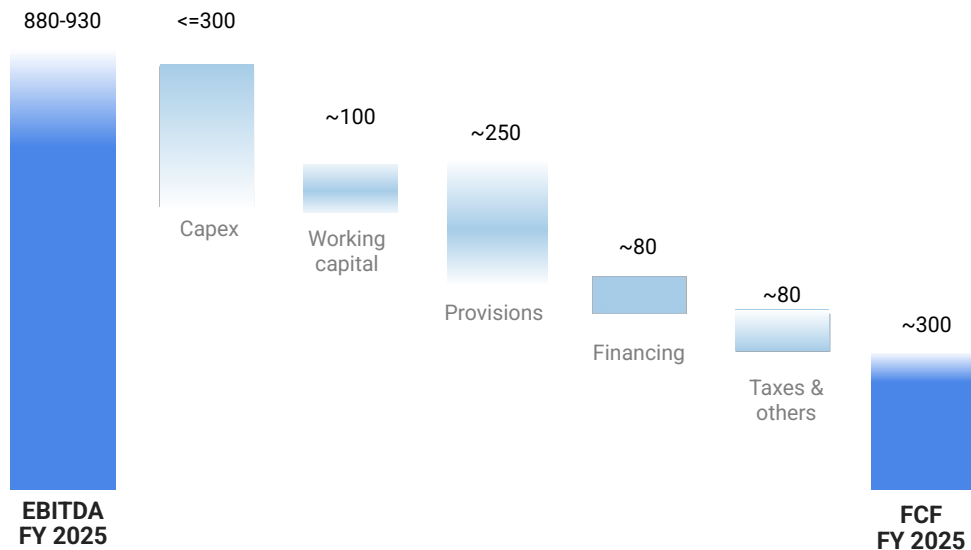
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Capex limited to
Maximum €300 million

¹ Assuming current FX levels for the second half of the year

² Free Cash Flow to Solvay shareholders from continuing operations

Committed to Free cash flow generation



Capex

Strong discipline

Essential capex at low end of €250-300m

Very limited growth projects given soft demand

Working capital

~€25 million from the exit of the TSA

Natural improvement from soft demand

Provisions

1/2 baseline (environmental, pensions, restruct.)

1/2 one-offs 2025 (additional restructuring, litigations, Dombasle Energy)

Financing, Taxes & other

Taxes down due to lower profitability

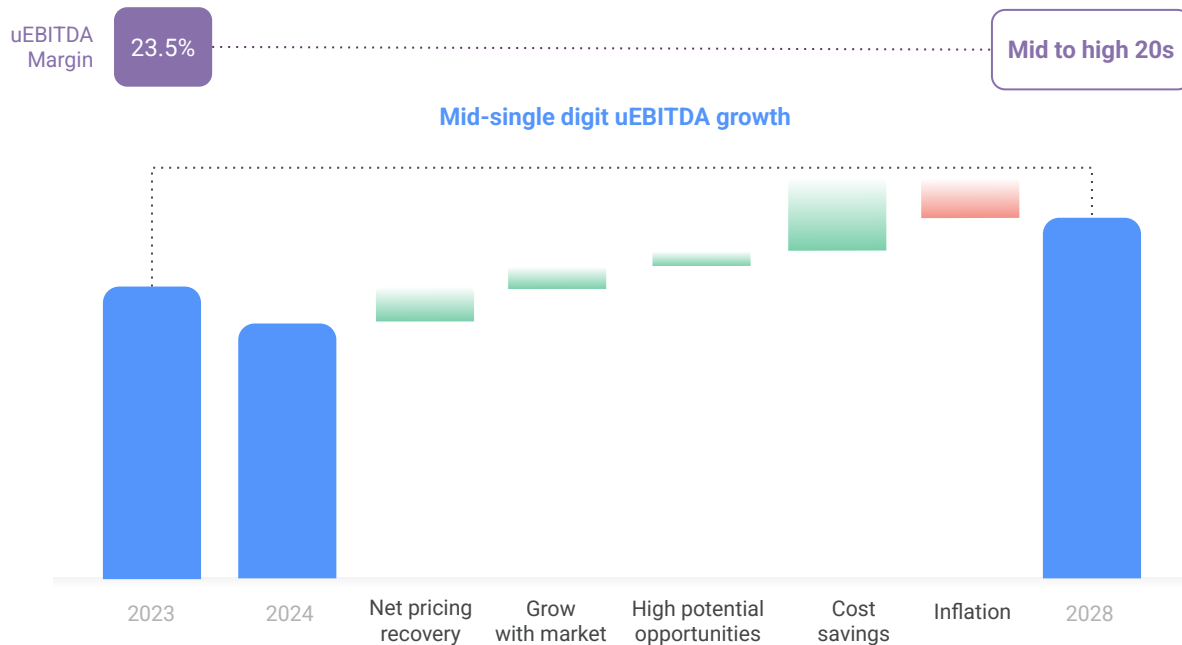
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2028 TARGETS

KPI	November 2023	March 2025
Underlying EBITDA growth (%)	Mid-Single Digit per year average	=
Underlying EBITDA margin (%)	Mid to High 20s	=
Total gross savings	€300 million run-rate	↑ €350 million run-rate
FCF conversion	exceeding mid 30s	Aligned with capital allocation policy
ROCE (%)	Increasing to low 20s	=
Stable to increasing dividends		
Investment grade credit rating		

Profitable **growth drivers**

Top line and cost savings supporting EBITDA growth



TOP LINE GROWTH

Supported by volume and price recovery in key markets, and by faster growth in high potential opportunities

COST SAVINGS

Increased by €50 million

Key takeaways



01

Clear strategy
**Essential for
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02

Transformation
ongoing,
including safety



03

Launch of **For
Generations**
sustainability
roadmap

APPENDIX

Global Leadership Team



Philippe Kehren
Chief Executive Officer



Alexandre Blum
Chief Finance & Strategy Officer



Lisa Brown
General Counsel & Corporate Secretary



Lanny Duvall
Chief Operations Officer



Mark van Bijsterveld
Chief People Officer



Jean Charles Djelalian
Chief Sustainability Officer



Etienne Galan
President
GBU Soda Ash & Derivatives



Daniela Manique
President
GBU Coatis



An Nuytens
President
GBU Silica & Special Chem



Brad Rector
Chief Information Officer



Carlos Silveira
President
GBU Peroxides

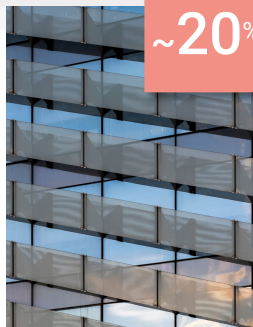
Two essential business segments



*% of Group underlying net sales, 2024

Soda Ash & Derivatives: diverse end markets

SODA ASH



~20%

Flat glass
(construction, solar panels, automotive)



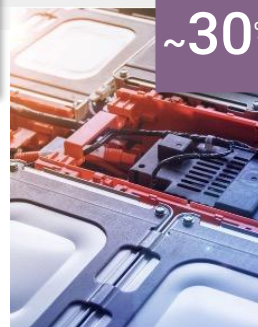
~10%

Container glass
(food & beverages)



~10%

Water softener for detergents



~30%

Other applications
incl. sodium silicates,
lithium carbonate

BICAR®

and other derivatives



~30%

Flue gas treatment, pharma, feed, food



Net Sales 2024

~€1.9bn

Production sites

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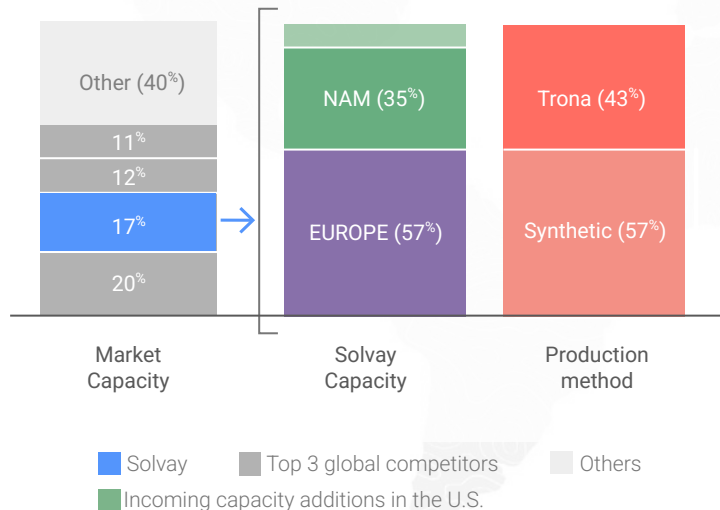
Source: Solvay internal data
Note: % of net sales of Solvay's Soda Ash and Derivatives business

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Soda Ash & Deriv: a global leader in Soda Ash and Bicarbonate

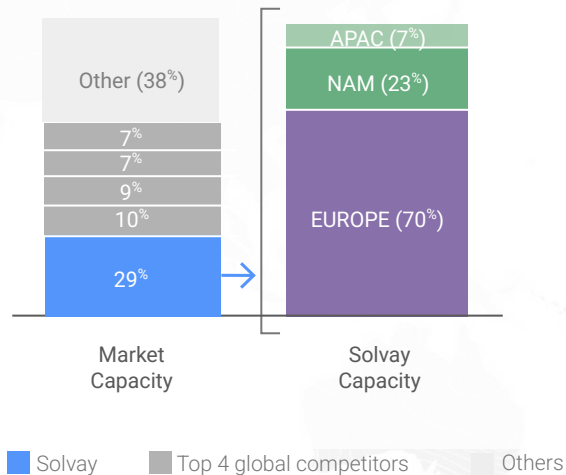
Global #2 position in Soda Ash*

Soda Ash global capacity (excl. China) in kt (2024)



Global #1 position in Bicarbonate

Bicar global capacity (excl. China) in kt (2024)



Source: Solvay internal data based on public information

* as of March 2025, following WE Soda acquisition of the Alkali business from Genesis

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Peroxides: meeting various industry and customer needs



~35%

Chemical Industry

Hydrogen Peroxide for Propylene Oxide (HPO) and other chemicals



~20%

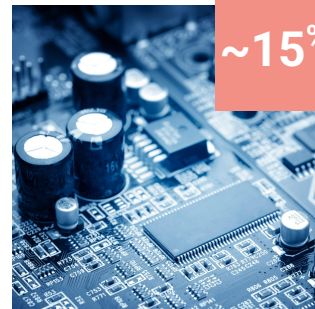
Pulp & Paper



~30%

Other applications

incl. Textile bleaching, Food, Water & Aquaculture disinfectants and others



~15%

Electronics

semiconductor industry

Merchant market



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Net Sales 2024

~€0.9bn

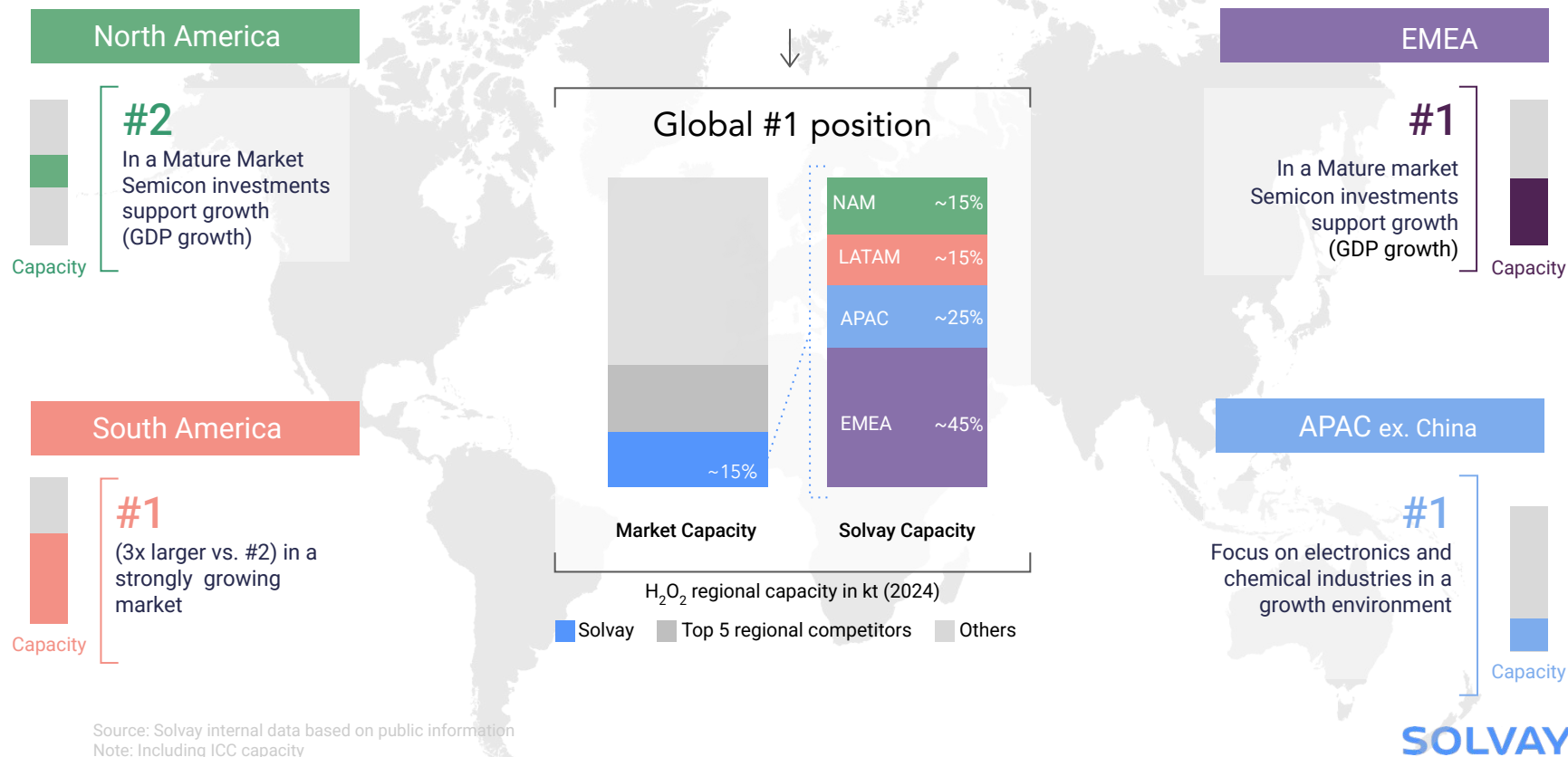
Production sites

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Source: Solvay internal data
Note: % of net sales of Solvay's Peroxides business

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Peroxides: a leader in all regions



Silica: Innovative leader in Highly Dispersible Silica



CAR OEM



CONSUMERS

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Net Sales 2024

~€0.5bn

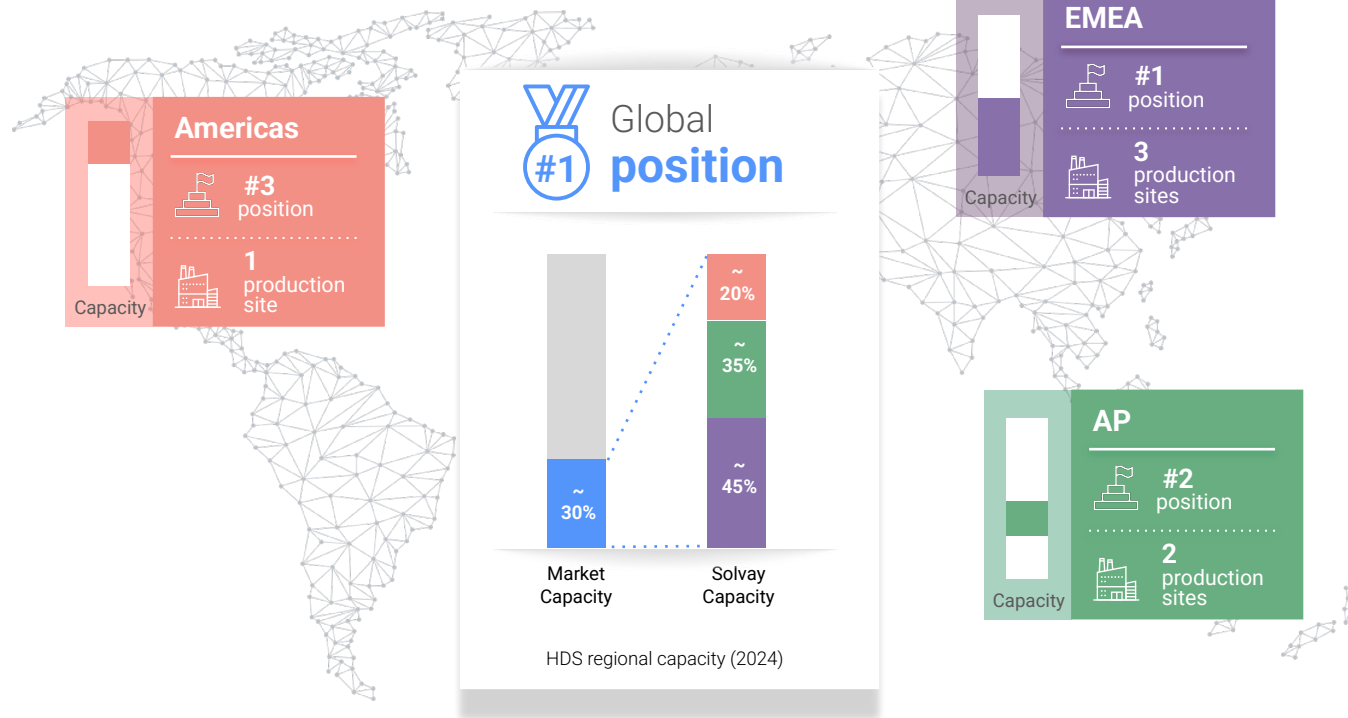
Production sites

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Source: Solvay internal data
Note: % of net sales of Solvay's Silica business

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Silica: strong regional positions in HDS



Leader at
key tire brands

HDS global market size

~ €1.4bn

- Strong position at Tier 1 brands through global reach & security of supply
- Balanced presence in Original Equipment & Replacement Markets

Coatis: resilient cash generation and sustainable growth

~25%



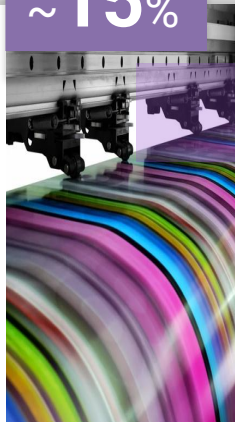
Consumer Goods

~20%



Automotive

~15%



Food Industry
(Packaging)

~15%



Building

~25%



Others



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Net Sales 2024

~€0.6bn

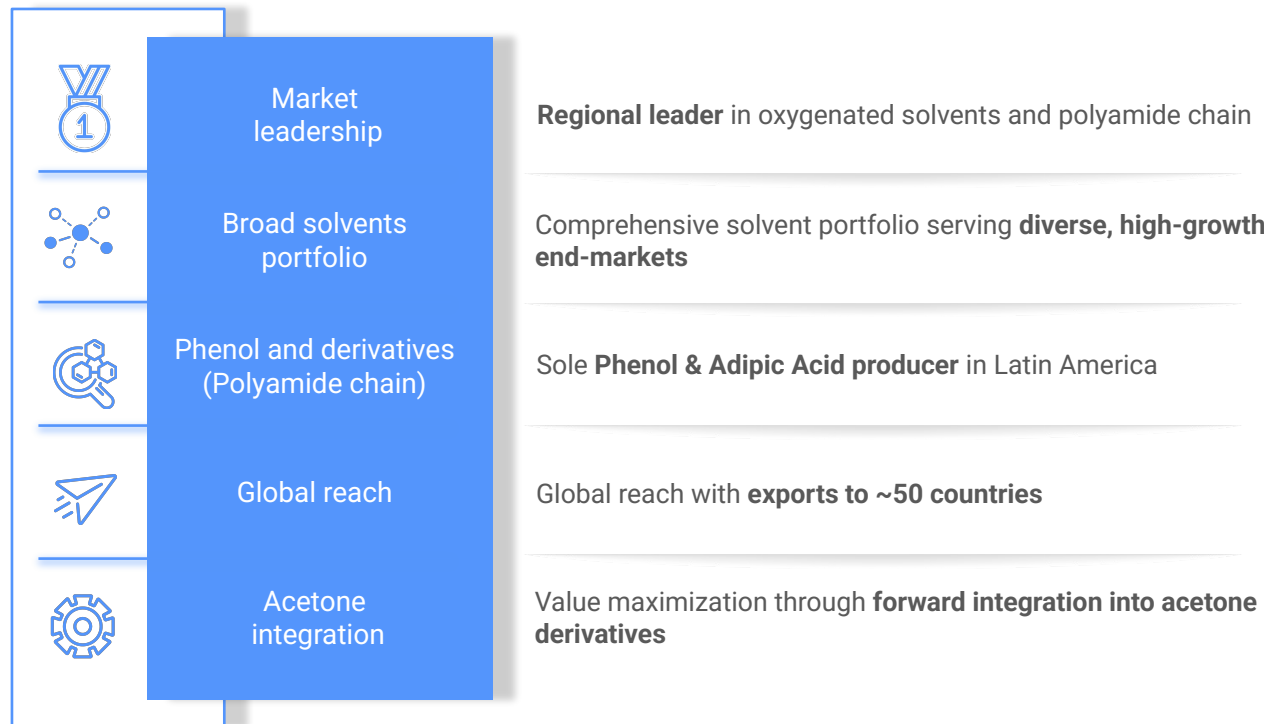
Production sites

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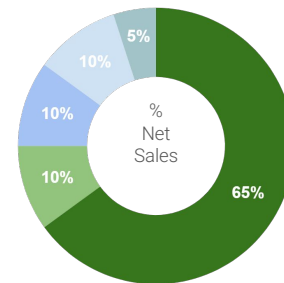
Source: Solvay internal data
Note: % of net sales of Solvay's Coatis business

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Coatis: Major regional producer of essential chemicals in Latam with two integrated businesses

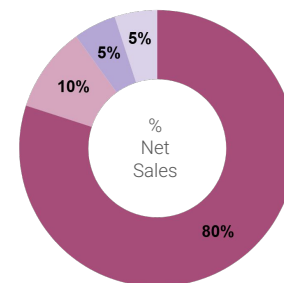


Solvents (~50%)



● Brazil ● Latin America ● North America ● Europe ● Asia

Polyamide Chain (~50%)



● Brazil ● Latin America ● North America ● Asia

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Special Chem: two business lines serving high end applications



KEY FIGURES

Net Sales 2024

~€0.7bn

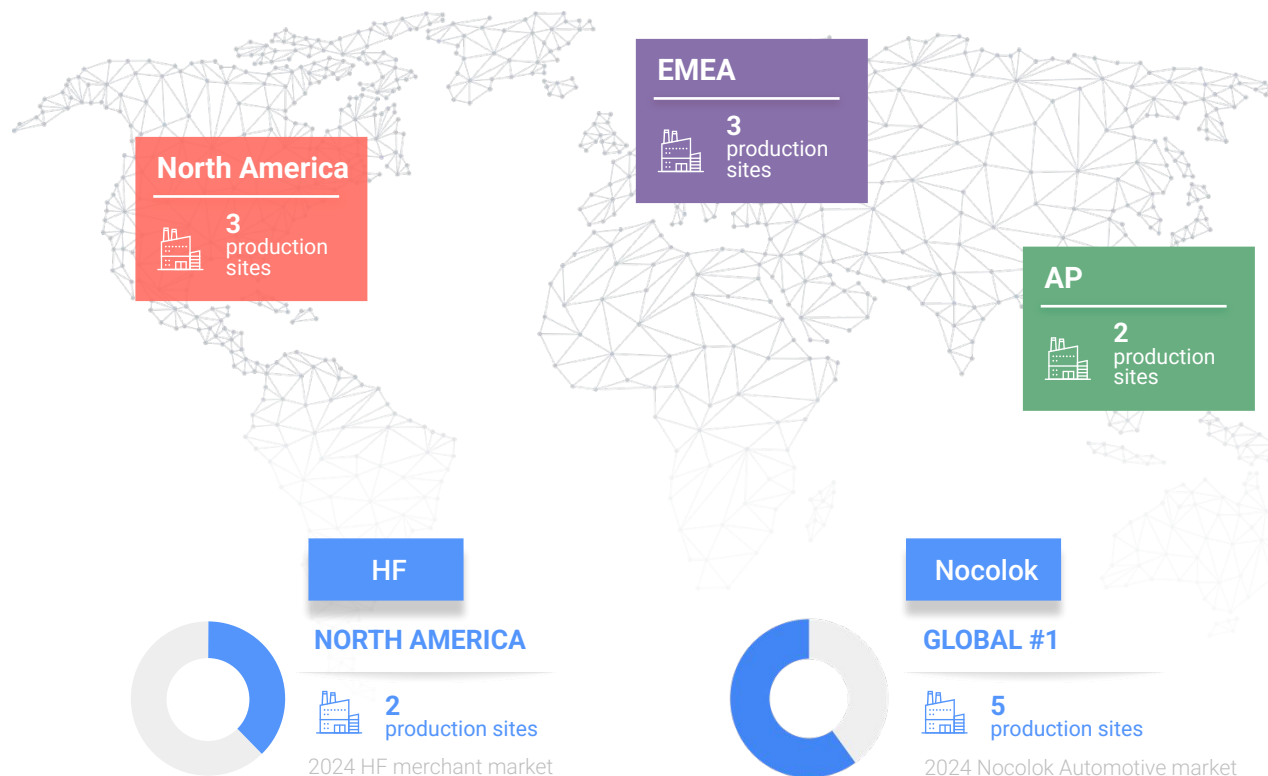
Production sites


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Source: Solvay internal data
Note: % of net sales of Solvay's Fluorine and Rare Earth businesses

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Fluorine: strong regional presence enabling safe & high quality service to our customers



 Leader in selected applications

HF



- Metal Treatment
- Refinery
- Quartz (Electronics)

Nocolok

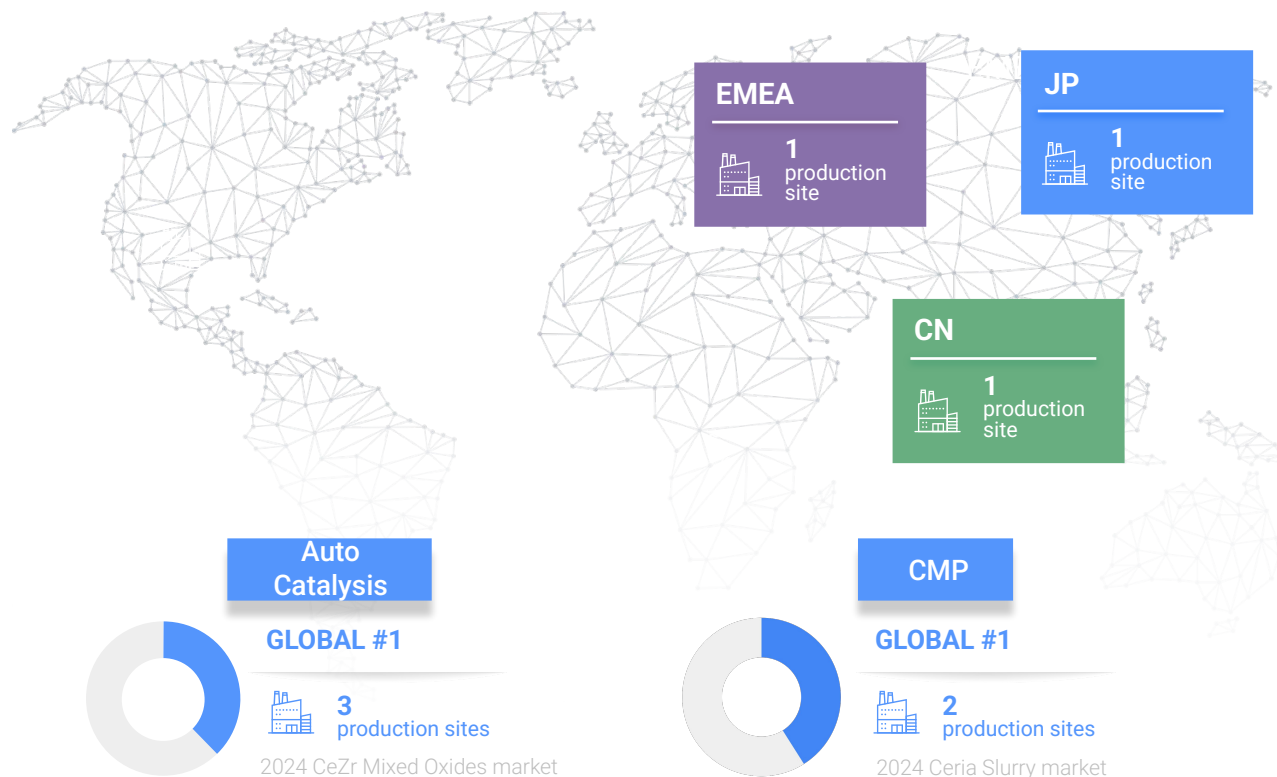


- Automotive
- HVAC

Sources : Company, Notch

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Rare Earth: strong positions enabled by global industrial footprint and tailored products



Leader in
Key Markets

Automotive Catalysis



- The go-to partner of Tier 1 automotive washcoat players
- Very strong presence at China players
- Deep IP portfolio

CMP



- Advanced cerium based high performance materials
- Leading solution for the latest generations of semiconductors

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Rare Earths - an overview

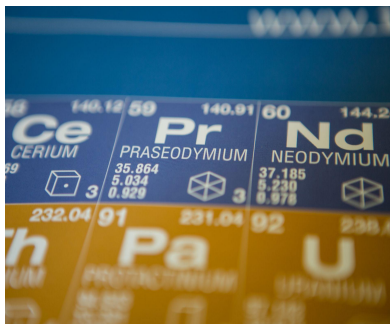
17 rare earths elements

Key characteristics:

- Not so rare
- Scarce in concentrated, pure form
- Separation requires strong expertise

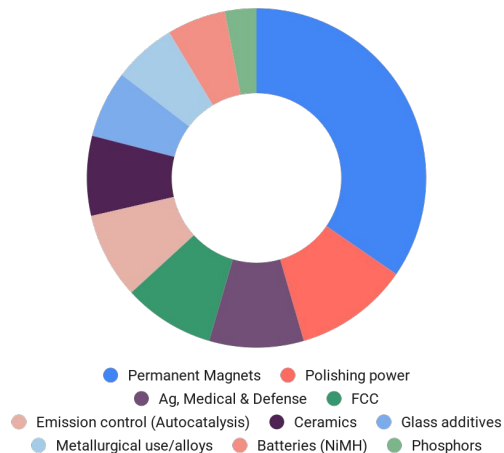
Categorized into:

- Light rare earths (Ce, NdPr, ...)
- Heavy rare earths (Dy, Gd, Tb, Sm ,...)



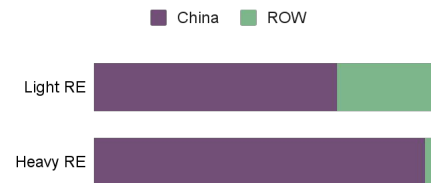
Wide range of applications

Global Rare Earths consumption (%Vol)

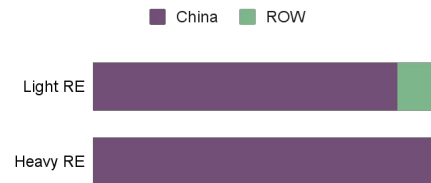


Heavy reliance on China

Rare Earths Mining (in %)

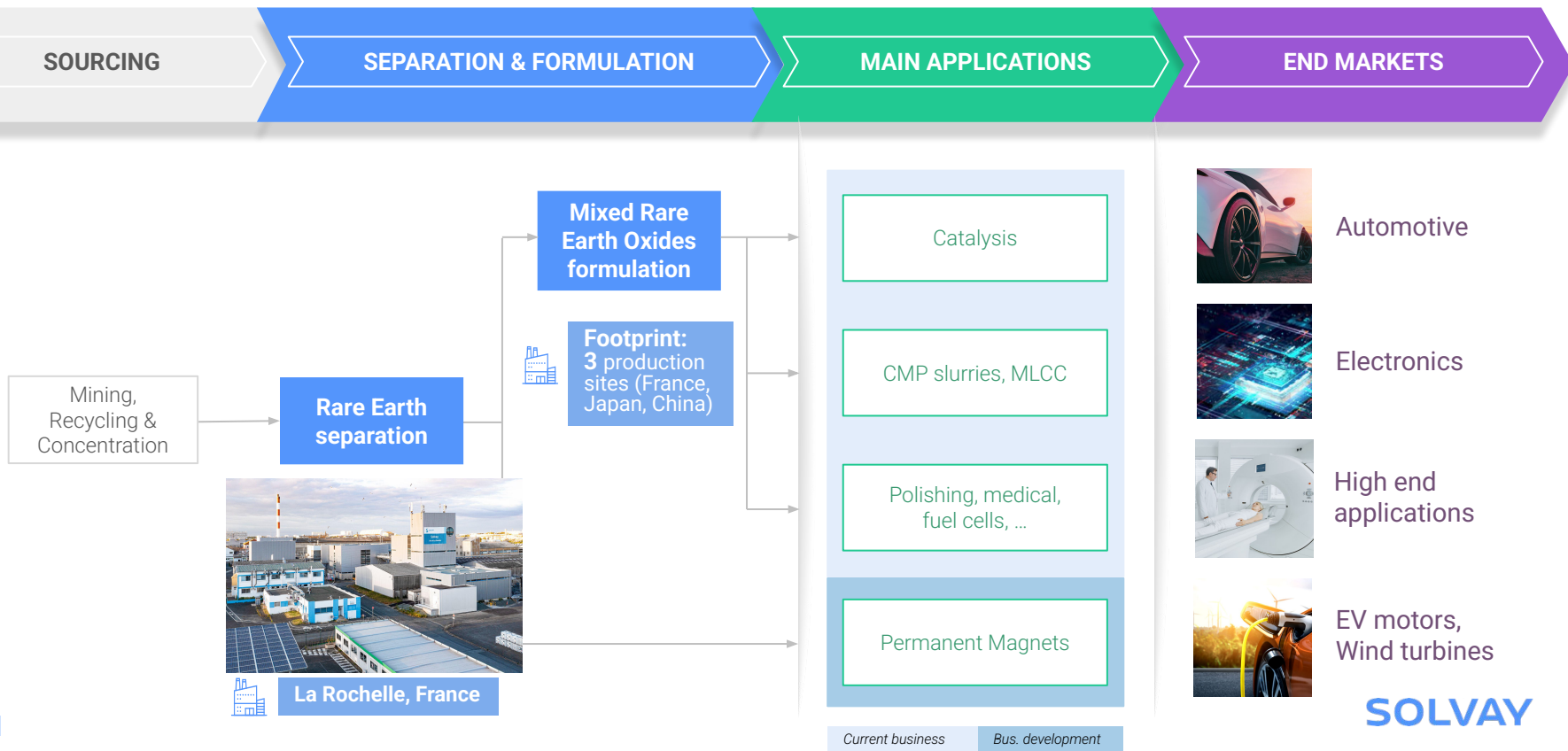


Rare Earths Separation (in %)



Rare Earths - Solvay's expertise

Solvay is present in the separation, purification & formulation steps of the value chain



Essential Rare Earths

High potential opportunities ready to accelerate

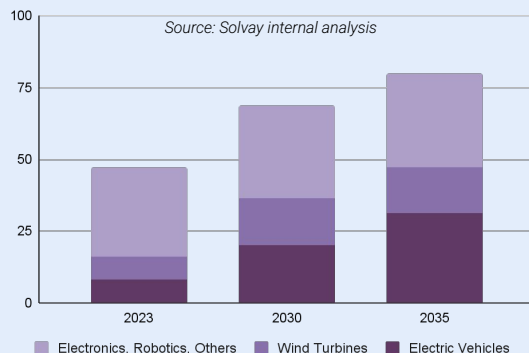
La Rochelle: new developments

- April 2025 Nd-Pr for permanent magnets
- H2 2025 first producer in Europe for Sm
- 2026 first producer in Europe for DyTb
- Sourcing (recycling and mining) primarily from outside China
- Full project will be deployed in phases, total investment to be between €50-€100m

Market opportunities

- Other rare earths (Gd, Y) for essential applications (aeronautics, medical...)
- Permanent magnets: capacity to capture up to 30% of European demand

EU end-use demand of RE permanent magnets (kt)

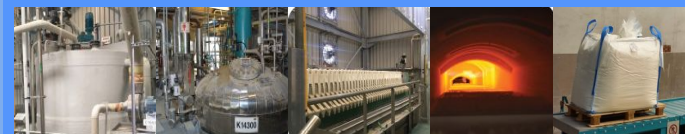


Solvay la Rochelle plant

With more than 75 years of experience, Solvay holds **unique industrial know-how and asset for rare earths** separation, purification and formulation in Europe



Liquid / Liquid Separations

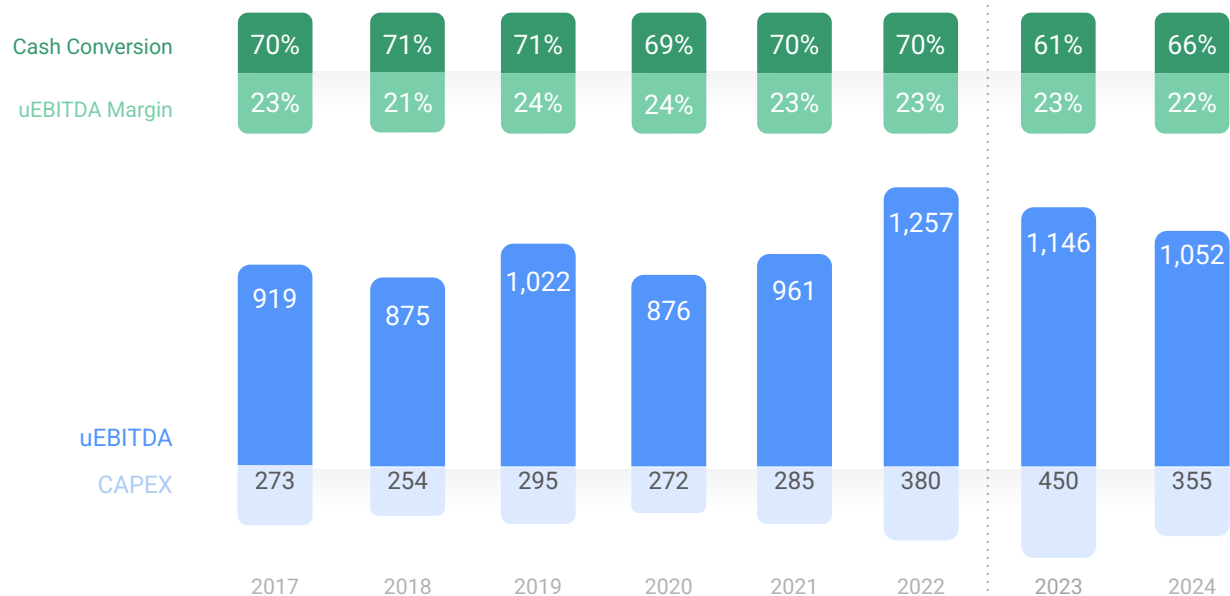


Oxides finishing

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Resilience through the cycles

Margin & Cash Conversion track record over 2017-2024



Proven resilient margin through crises

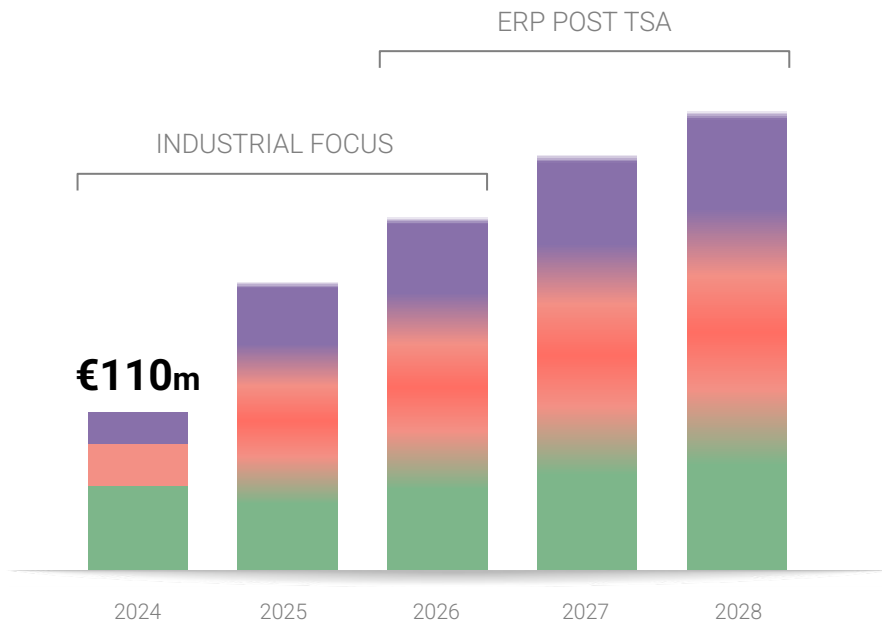
Flexibilization of capex to sustain high cash conversion

Source: Company information; Solvay pro forma unaudited figures for 2022 and Solvay audited financials (pre-2020), including estimated corporate costs allocation. Figures before 2023 include phased out businesses in 2023

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Structural **cost savings**

Rapid ramp up in first years



€350m by 2028

€200m in first 2 years

25% SG&A

Fit for purpose organization

New ERP

35% Plant Fixed Costs

Operational excellence

Footprint optimization

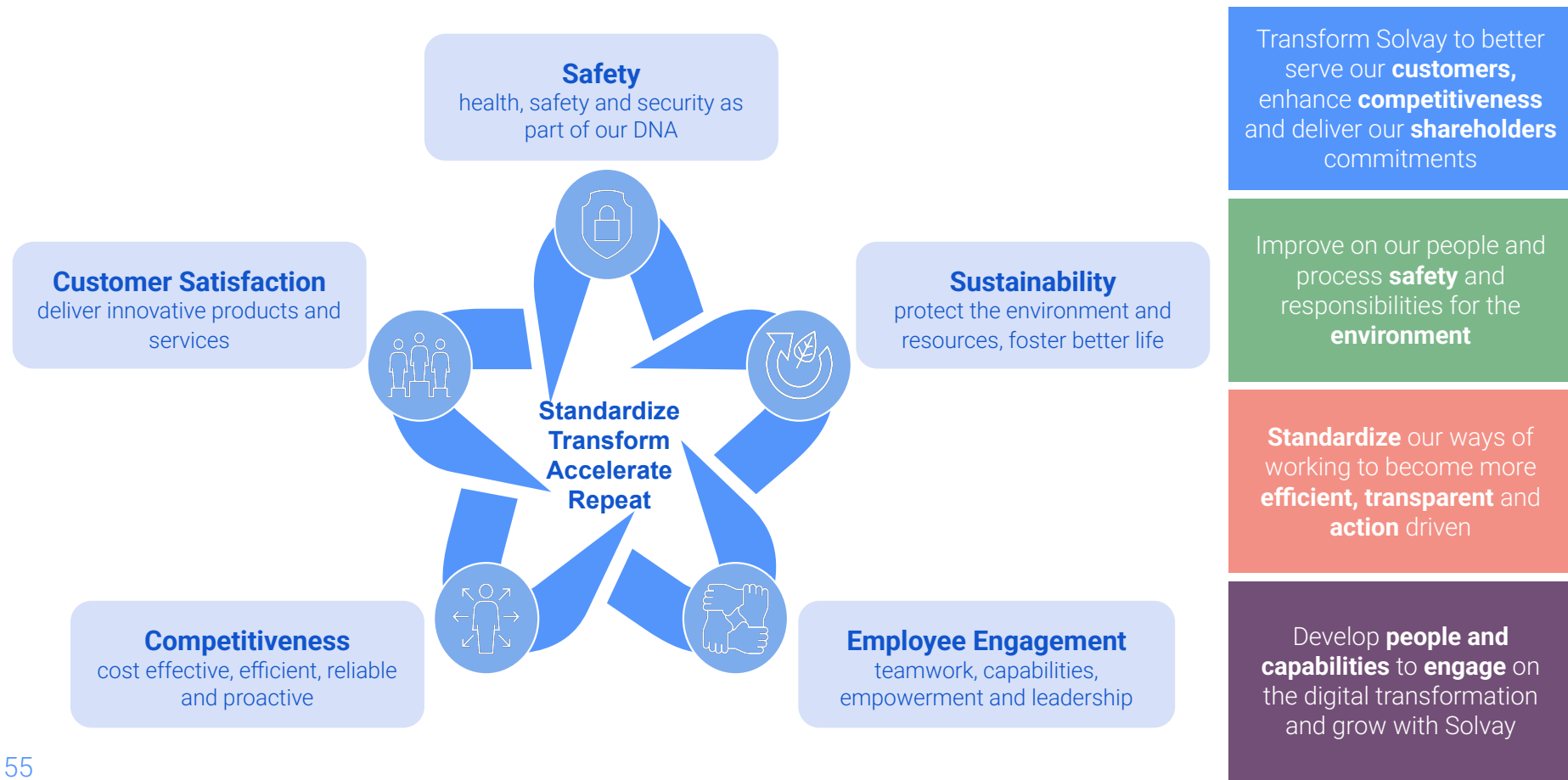
40% Operational efficiency

Logistics & procurement

Process innovation

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Our Operations North STAR guides us



Digital transformation in shop floor activities

Condition Based Monitoring

from reactive and preventive to condition-based maintenance



9,000+ IoT sensors by 2027

Group wide deployment, scaling from 4,500+ today



Standardized Global Platform

Consistent data-driven decisions across all sites

GBU SA&D In Dombasle, France



120+ machines monitored

with installation of +330 IIoTs and upscaling to ~450



~35% maintenance cost reduction

in equipment where CBM has been implemented

Raw Material & Energy Performance Mgt



€37 million potential plant variable cost savings by 2027

2-4% raw material and energy consumption reduction vs 2023



Digital tools

Standard real-time dashboards

Data-driven decision making in control room



"Helicopter View" display as standard view

providing all production excellence indicators in real time



Roll-out at scale

(~50% deployed, target to reach 100% by Q1 2026)

Transformation at Solvay through optimization

Footprint optimization



Aligning supply-demand

- GBU Peroxides (2024-25)
- Pova, Portugal (closing)
- Warrington, UK (closing)
- Align regional production with demand

Portfolio realignment and investments

- GBU Special Chem - Fluorine (2025-26)
- Bad Wimpfen and Garbsen, Germany
- Secure long-term competitiveness



Energy transition

- GBU Soda ash & Derivatives (2024)
- Torrelavega, Spain (-30% capacity)
- Decrease production to stay competitive and focus on local markets

Procurement gains Spend Review Challenge



€15-20 million potential annual savings
4-5% reduction on addressable spend



Cross-functional collaboration
Operations, procurement, leadership



Challenge traditional ways of working
Inventive approaches, e-auction, e-sourcing, demand management etc.

Packaging optimization, pallet weight reduction

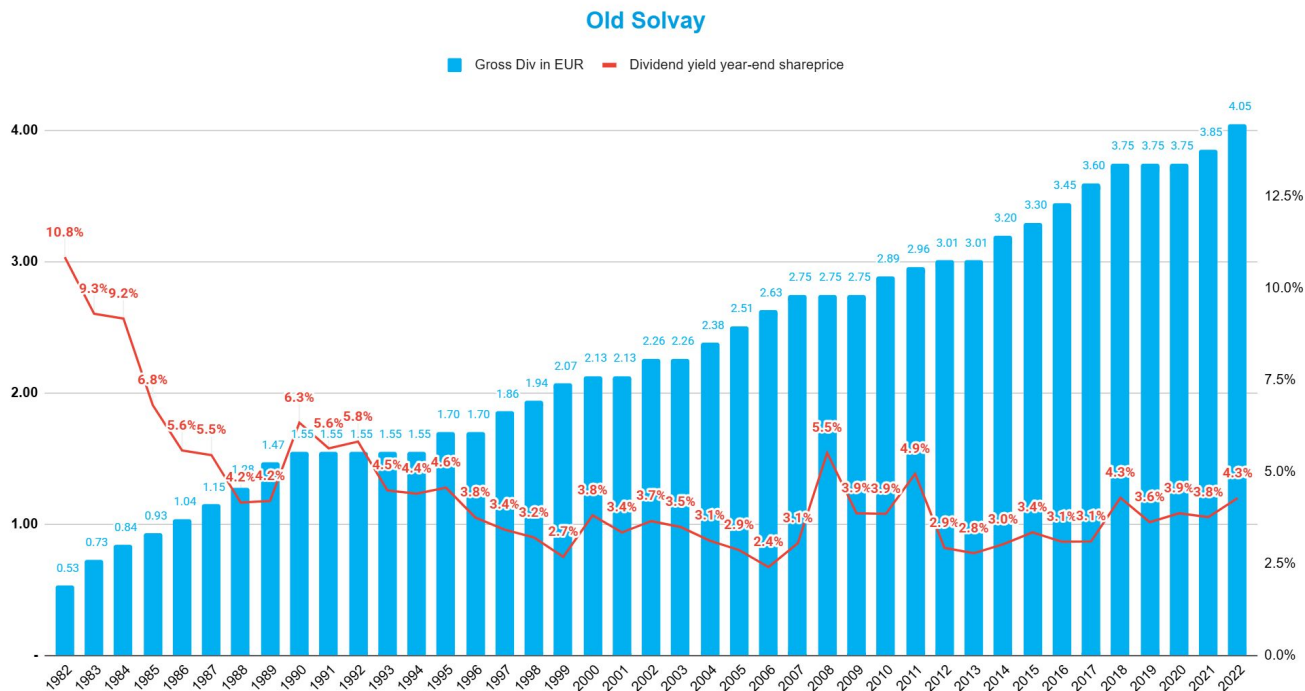
- In Qingdao, China
- Reduction of 18% in pallet weight
- Improved handling
- CO₂ emission reduction in Pallet production and transportation



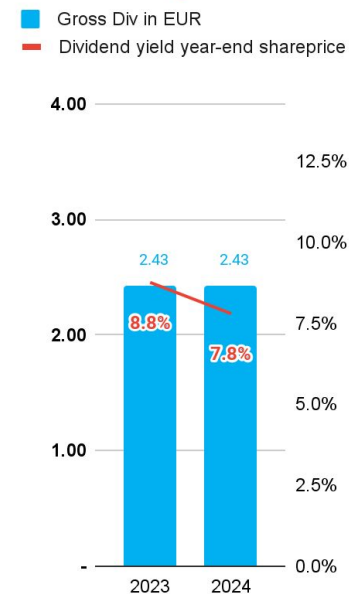
€230,000 annual savings
Studying to replicate in other sites and countries

Dividend history

For over 40 years, the dividend has been stable or has gradually increased, and has never been reduced.



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Remuneration Solvay CEO & Executive Leadership - 2025 STI & LTI

	Short-Term Incentive	Long-Term Incentive Equity settled	
		Performance Share Units (70%)	Restricted Share Units (30%)
% of fixed remuneration	<p>At target: 95% (CEO) and 65% (other ELT)</p> <p>Minimum payout: 0%</p> <p>Maximum payout: 200% of the STI target</p>	<p>At target: 115% (CEO) and 95% (other ELT)</p> <p>Minimum grant: 30% (RSU)</p> <p>Maximum grant: 135% (RSU + PSU max)</p>	
Performance Period	1 year	3 years performance	3 years vesting
2025 Performance Measures and Weights	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 65% Financial Results <ul style="list-style-type: none"> EBITDA (m€) FCF (m€) Cost Savings (m€) • 15% Sustainability Progress <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gender diversity, Safety GHG Emissions • 20% Individual 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 40% EBITDA organic Growth • 40% ROCE • 20% GHG emissions <p>Relative TSR vs STOXX Europe 600 Chemicals as modifier:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Quartile 1: +25% Quartile 2 & 3: no adjustment Quartile 4: - 25% 	

Minimum share ownership (% Fixed Rem): 150% (CEO) and 100% (Other ELT) within 5 years

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