

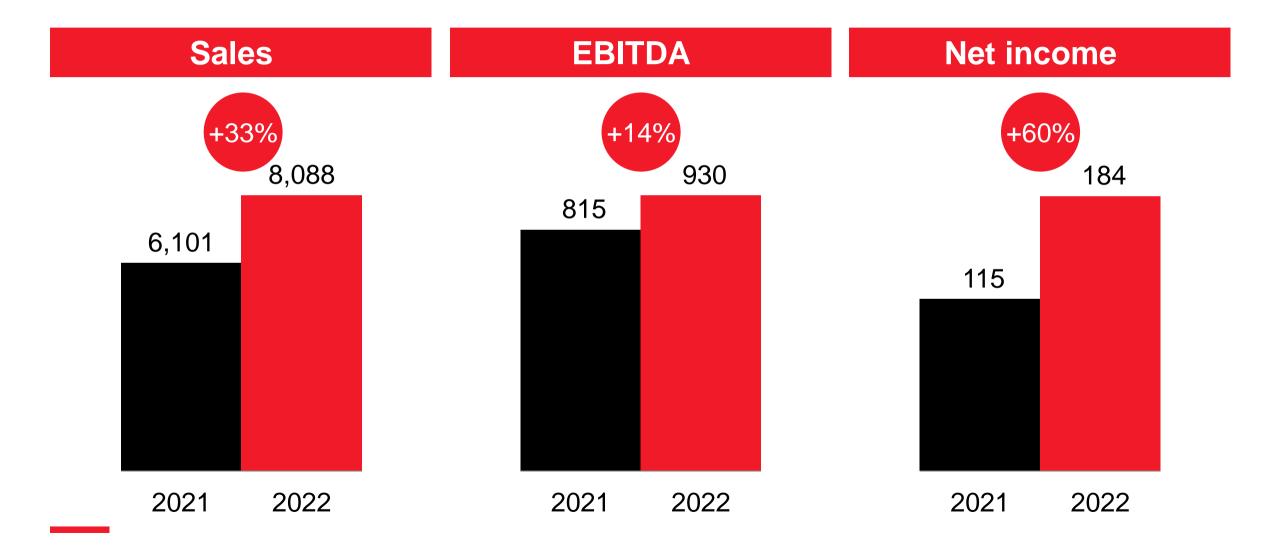
Weatherproof in stormy times

Annual General Meeting 2023

Chairman of the Board Matthias Zachert

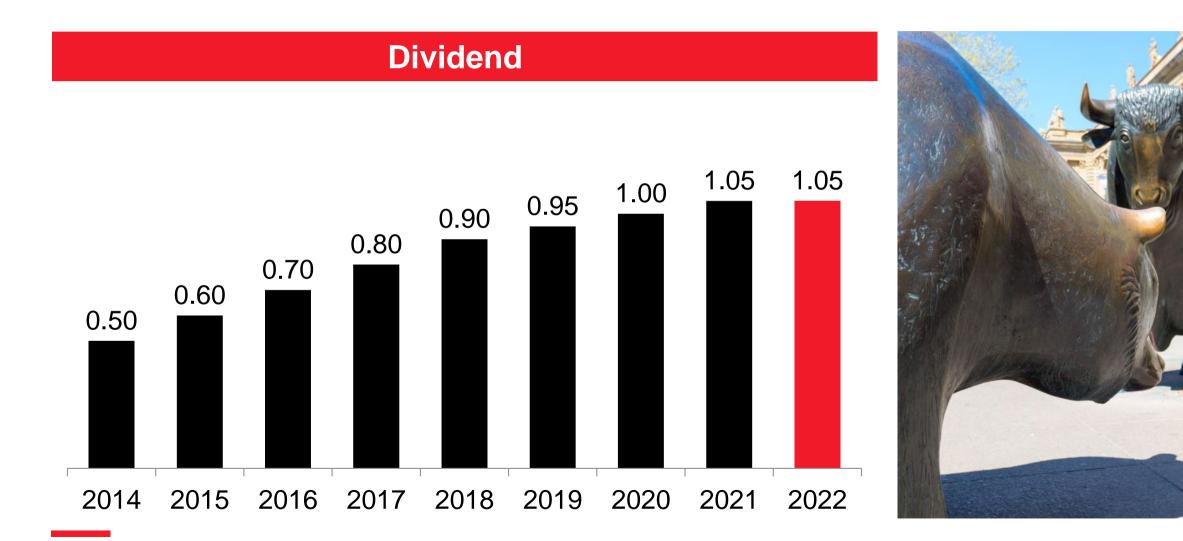
Significant growth in sales and earnings





Stable dividend despite challenging times

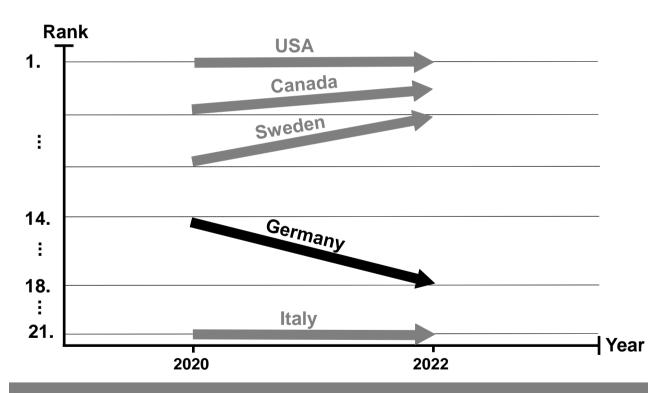


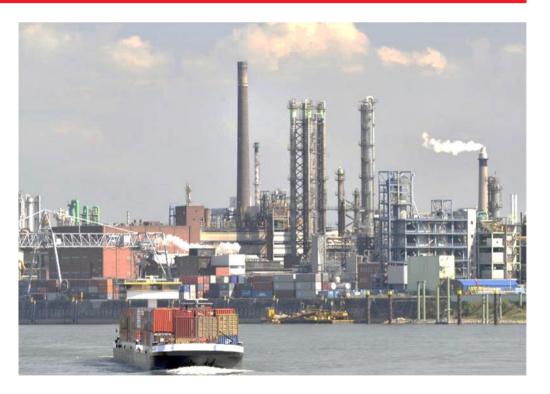


Germany continues to become less attractive as a business location



Country Index Location Attractiveness 2023: Germany falls behind

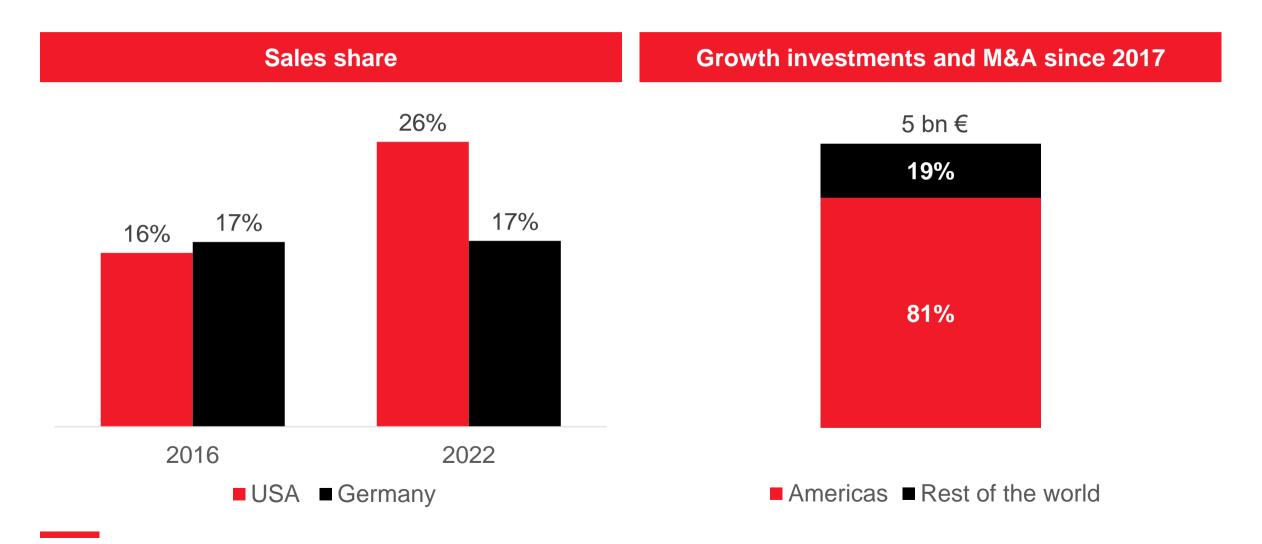




Expanding growth market USA

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Focus on specialty chemicals further sharpened



IFF Microbial Control acquired

- LANXESS now global champion for antimicrobial protection products
- Consumer Protection segment further strengthened



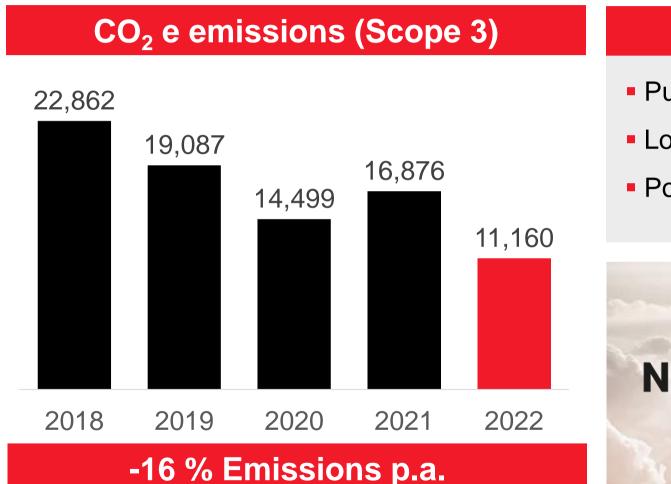
Plastics business spun off

- Joint venture: LANXESS High Performance Materials and DSM Engineering Materials
- LANXESS: around 40 percent share and payment of around €1.3 billion



Entire supply chain to become climate neutral by 2050





Targeted measures

- Purchasing: More sustainable raw materials
- Logistics: Reducing the CO₂ footprint
- Portfolio: More climate-neutral products



Product Carbon Footprint Engine – sustainability and customer needs combined



LANXESS Innovation

- Instrument automatically calculates the carbon footprint for LANXESS products
- Data from various sources
- Developed by LANXESS employees
- TÜV Rheinland certified



Digitization meets sustainability

Guidance: Earnings for 2023 at prior-year level



Macro Environment

- Difficult environment in the first half of 2023
- Inventory reductions at customers burdened at the beginning of the year
- Significant recovery expected from mid-year
- Energy and raw material prices remain uncertainty factors

LANXESS

 EBITDA for full year 2023: between €850 million and €950 million



LANXESS Energizing Chemistry