

## Strong start to an uncertain year

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## **Strong Q1 provides tailwind for 2022**

Sales and earnings significantly above previous year

All segments contribute to growth

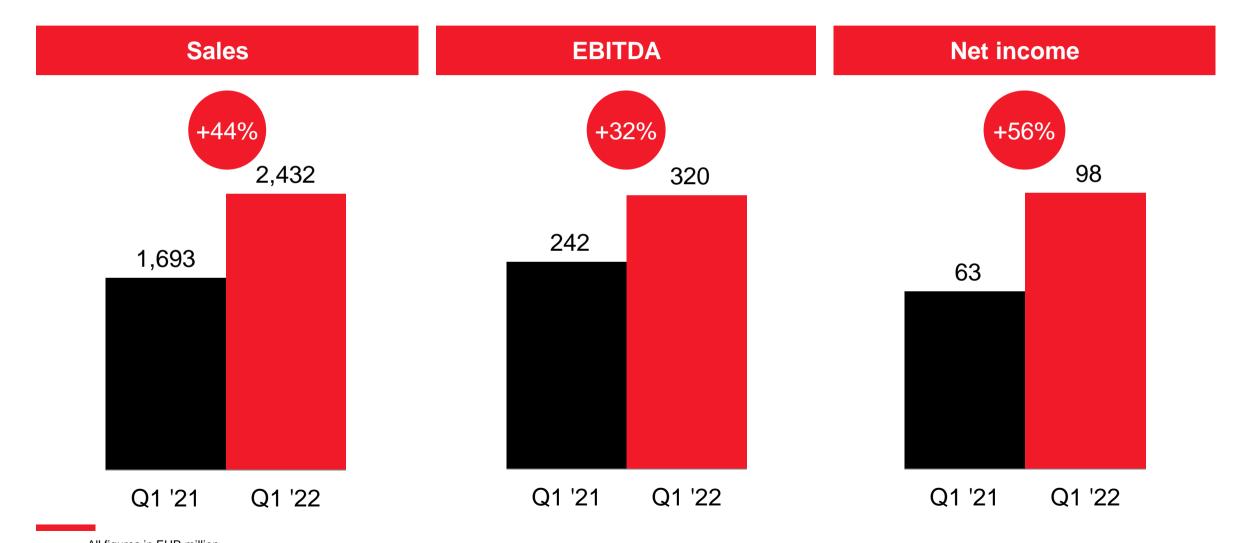
**Sharp rise in costs passed through: Prices increased by 31 %** 

Ongoing uncertainty due to war in Ukraine



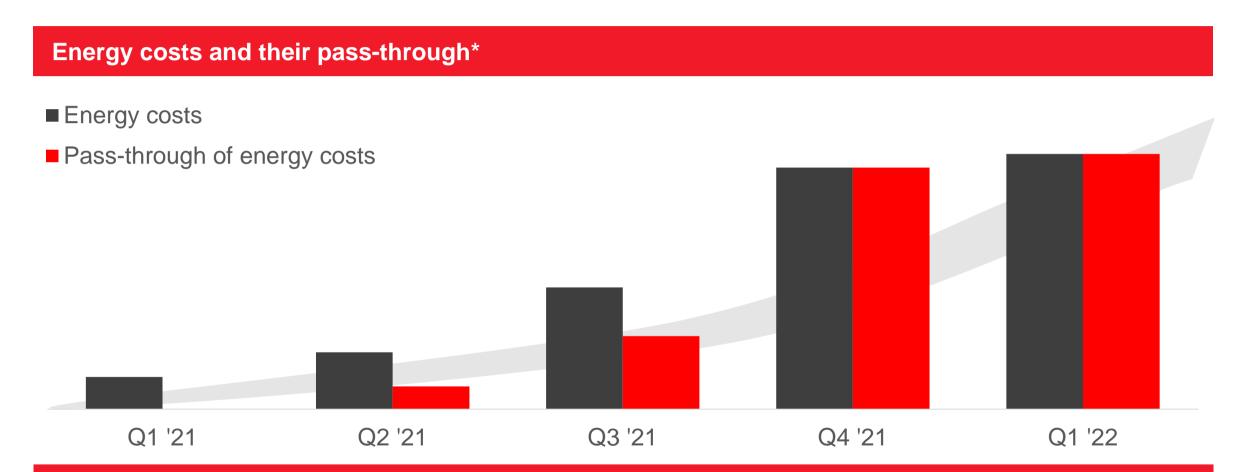
## Significant increase in sales and earnings





## Rising energy costs successfully passed through

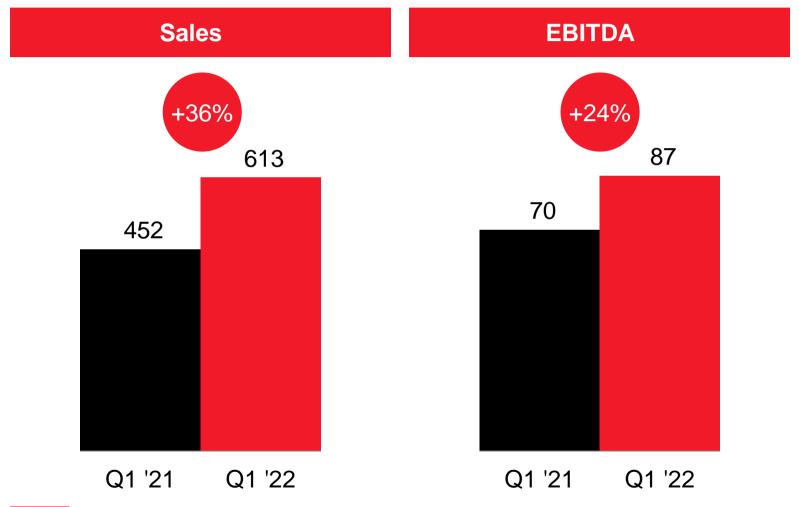




Energy adjustment clauses already implemented in more than 50% of the relevant contracts

# Advanced Intermediates: Costs successfully passed through

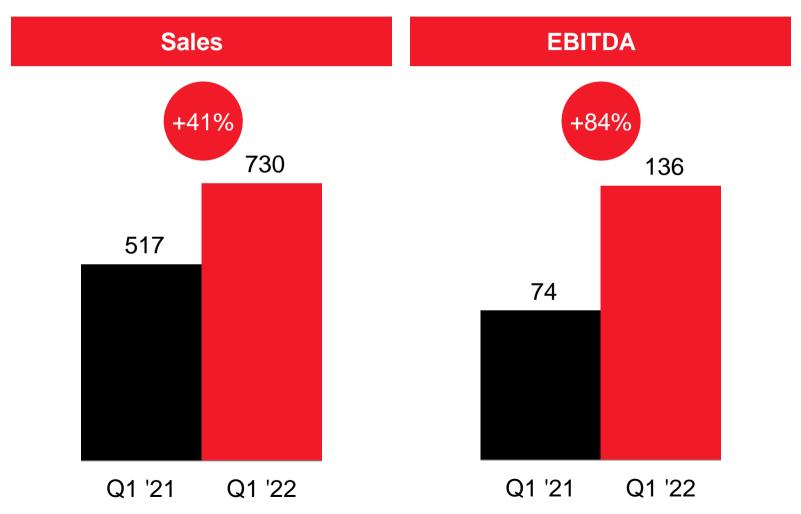






# Specialty Additives: Recovery of aviation and oil & gas industries lead to record earnings

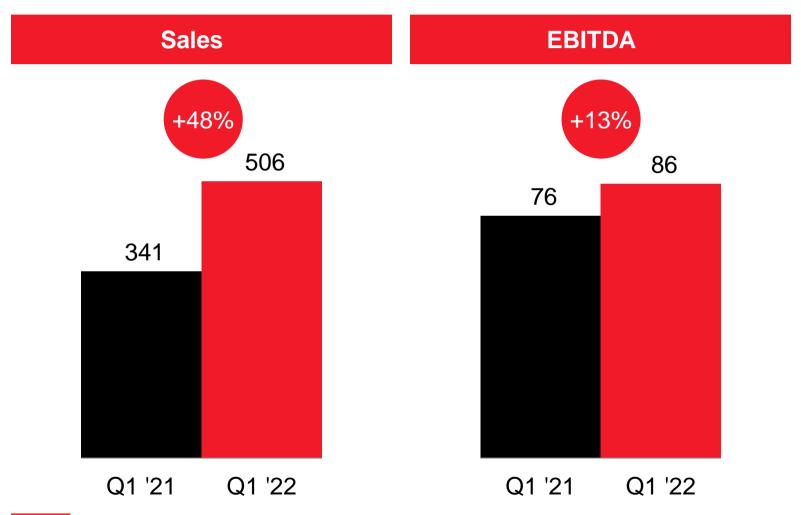






# Consumer Protection: Growth due to new "Flavors & Fragrances" business unit

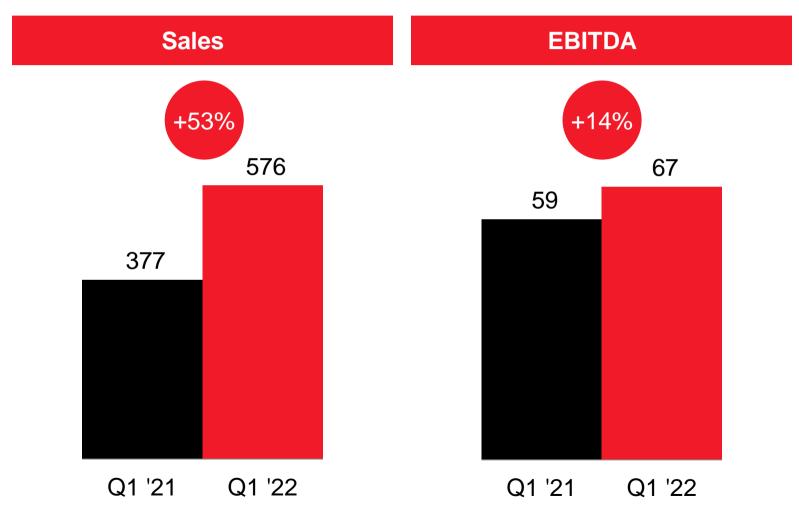






# **Engineering Materials: Significant price increases drive sales**







## War in Ukraine: LANXESS is prepared



#### **Taskforce**

- Continuous analysis of supply chains and energy supply
- Development of scenarios and action plans

#### **Finance**

- Additional liquidity (bond, credit lines) secured
- New EUR 600 million bond issued

Raw materials & energy

- Developing concepts for alternative raw material sources
- Reduce or replace gas consumption (where possible)
- Scenarios and measures developed in case of gas shortage



# Only in Germany's Lower Rhine region LANXESS is dependent on gas



#### **Energy supply in chemical parks in the Lower Rhine region**



Coal and gas

Origin of gas mainly from the Netherlands and Norway

Steam and electricity

generated in power plants operated by chemical park operator Currenta **Chemical products** 

processed in LANXESS plants in Leverkusen, Krefeld and Dormagen

Direct effects of a gas embargo: EUR 80-120 million EBITDA Indirect effects in the industrial value chain (e.g. shortage of raw materials): Not quantifiable

### **LANXESS** to invest further in Germany



#### EUR 130 million investment package in Krefeld

- EUR 50 million for new production plant for sustainable high-performance plastics
- 25 new jobs created
- Production line for, among others, Scopeblue plastics with 92% bio-based and recycled raw materials
- EUR 80 million for capacity expansion of chemical intermediates and disinfectants



## Outlook: Guidance confirmed – uncertainty due to war in Ukraine remains



#### **Market development**

- Stable development of the global economy becomes more fragile due to war in Ukraine and Corona lockdown in China
- Supply chains remain tight
- Burden from high energy and raw material costs

#### **LANXESS**

- EBITDA guidance for Q2:
   EUR 280-350 million (2021: EUR 277 million)
- EBITDA guidance for full year 2022:
   Significantly above prior year (IFF microbial control business not yet included, closing expected in Q3)



# LANXESS Energizing Chemistry