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Rapid Debt Reduction and Value Generation



Sale of the Americas operating unit

- Closing completed on April 30
- Net proceeds ~ €2.6 billion
- Book gain ~ €742 million

Financial debt reduced significantly by ~ €1.7 billion

- > €1 billion credit facilities, promissory notes, commercial papers
- Successful buy-back of bonds ~ €560 million
- KfW facility terminated (has never been drawn)

Balance Sheet streamlined

- Net Financial Debt / EBITDA 2.0x
- Equity Ratio ~ 48%



Social Responsibility

We contributed to the vaccination campaign

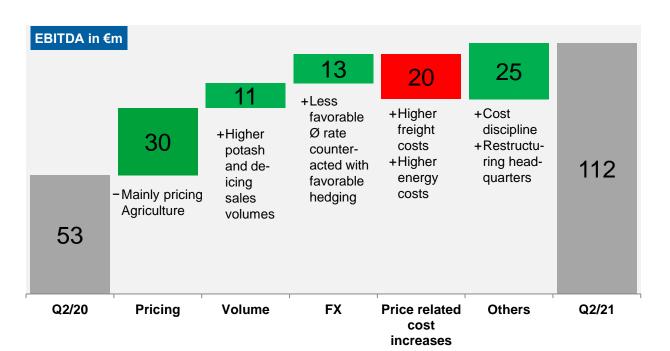
 Until end of July, employees and family members received more than 3,500 vaccine doses



Q2/21 EBITDA significantly improved YoY

Highlights

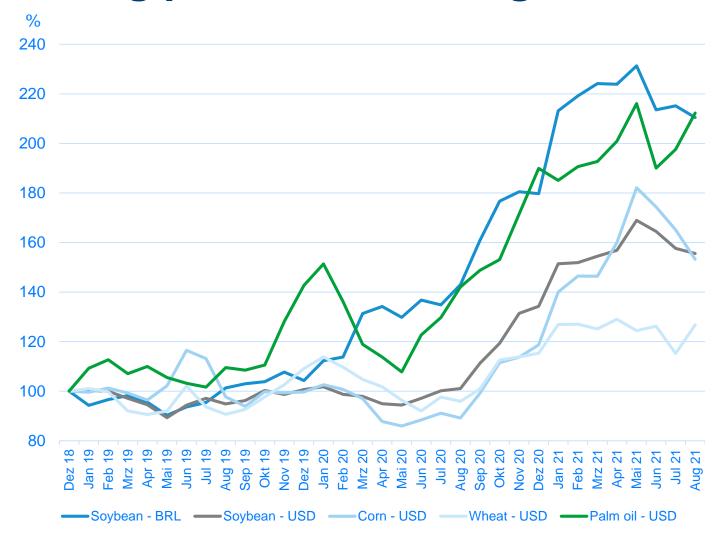
- Q2/21 EBITDA increased to €112m (Q2/20: €53m)
- COVID-19: Minor efficiency losses on the previous year's Q2 level
- Adj. net profit positive at €158m (Q2/20: €-27m); thereof €147m related to value fluctuations in plant, property and equipment



Financials (continuing operations)

€ million	Q2/2020	Q2/2021	%
Revenues	590	664	+13
t/o Agriculture	405	474	+17
t/o Industry+	186	191	+3
D&A	89	67	-25
EBITDA	53	112	+111
Adj. net profit	-27	158	_
t/o reversal of impairment losses on assets	-	147	_
Adj. EPS (€)	-0.14	0.82	_
t/o reversal of impairment losses on assets	_	0.77	_
Operating cash flow	45	-1.6	_
Adj. FCF	-49	-68	_
CapEx	102	87	-15
NFD/EBITDA (LTM)*	5.6x	2.0x	_

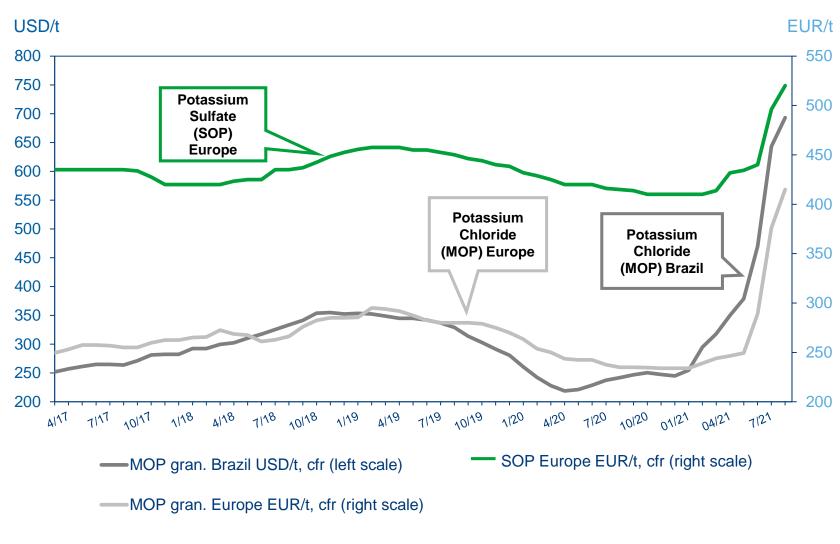
Strong performance in agricultural markets



- Recovery of crop prices on back of falling stock-to-use ratios, mainly corn and soybean below 5-year-average
- First significant increase in agricultural profitability since 2015
- ► Farmers switch from a cost-minimized to a volume-optimized mindset with very favorable affordability indices
- ► Therefore, very good potash demand in all regions in 2021. Supply is the limiting factor for further growth in world potash sales

Source: World Bank, Index: December 2018

Agriculture customer segment



Source: FMB Argus Potash

Q2/2021

- Accelerated price recovery in Brazil continued on the back of very strong demand
- Concerns about supply due to sanctions against Belarus and Mosaic (Esterhazy)
- Positively influenced European and specialty market

Outlook 2021

- World potash sales incl.
 5 mt specialties meanwhile expected on last year's record level (2020: about 76 mt), further growth limited by supply
- ASP expected significantly higher than in 2020

Trading update: Industry+



De-icing salt business

- Strong performance in Q1
- Good early-fills business expected



Pharmaceutical industry

COVID-19-related declines



Food industry

COVID-19-related declines



Chemical industry

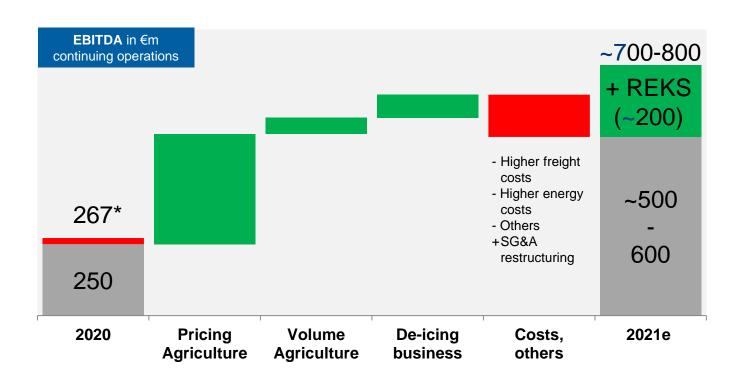
Strong performance in Q2, especially chlorine for plastics, PVC and glass



Consumer products

Close to already strong prior quarter due to increased home consumption

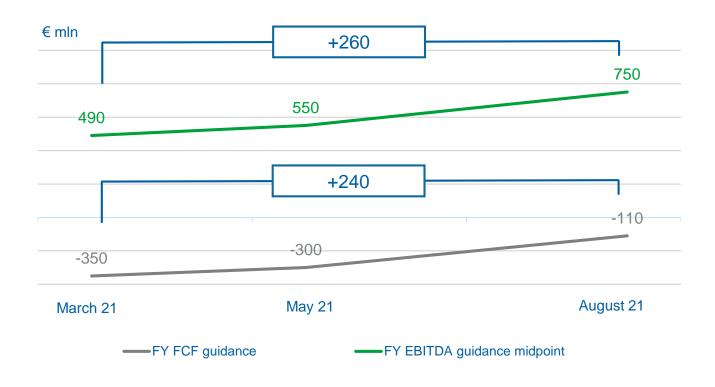
2021 EBITDA outlook raised by €200 million



FCF including cash-in from sale of the OU Americas expected significantly above €2 billion; excluding this, FCF still expected negative in 2021, but close to the level of 2020 (€-109.9 million)

- Significantly higher average price in Agriculture product portfolio
- Sales volume in the Agriculture customer segment expected to be >7.5 million tonnes (2020: 7.3 million tonnes)
- Sales volumes in de-icing salt business: >2.6 million tonnes expected (2020: 0.9 million tonnes; normal year: 2-2.5 million tonnes)
- One-off gain from REKS joint venture expected to amount to around €200 million in Q4

EBITDA guidance increase translates into cash



Negative effects included in FCF 2021:

- Cash interest for bond buybacks
- Still high capex, especially for environment
- Cash-out for the restructuring of the headquarters
- Working Capital reacts negatively to quickly increased prices

Just from these effects partly not repeating and a normalization of net working capital, FCF should see a meaningful relief in 2022

Housekeeping items / Financial calendar

Additional information on 2021 FY outlook – continuing operations

■ Tax rate: 30%

■ Financial result: on the level of last year (2020: €-106m)

■ CapEx: on the level of last year (2020: €428m)

■ D&A: ~€300m

Financial calendar	
Kepler/Cheuvreux US Roadshow (virtual) - CFO	30 September 2021
Q3 2021 Earnings Release	11 November 2021
Capital Markets Day, Frankfurt/Main, Werra site, Germany	11/12 November 2021
Kepler Global Agricultural Forum (virtual) – CFO	15 November 2021
Eigenkapitalforum (virtual), Frankfurt/Main – IR	23 November 2021
Scotia Bank Asian Pacific Roadshow (virtual) – CEO	8 December 2021
Scotia Bank US Roadshow (virtual) – CEO	9 December 2021

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