



**Arkema**

**MainFirst Chemicals One-on-One Forum**

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# Arkema in 2013



**13,908**  
employees

**1,200**  
researchers

**90**  
production sites

**10**  
R&D centers

**€6.1 bn**  
sales

**€902 m**  
EBITDA

**€481 m**  
capex

**14.8%**  
EBITDA margin



# Among the first 3 leaders in our businesses

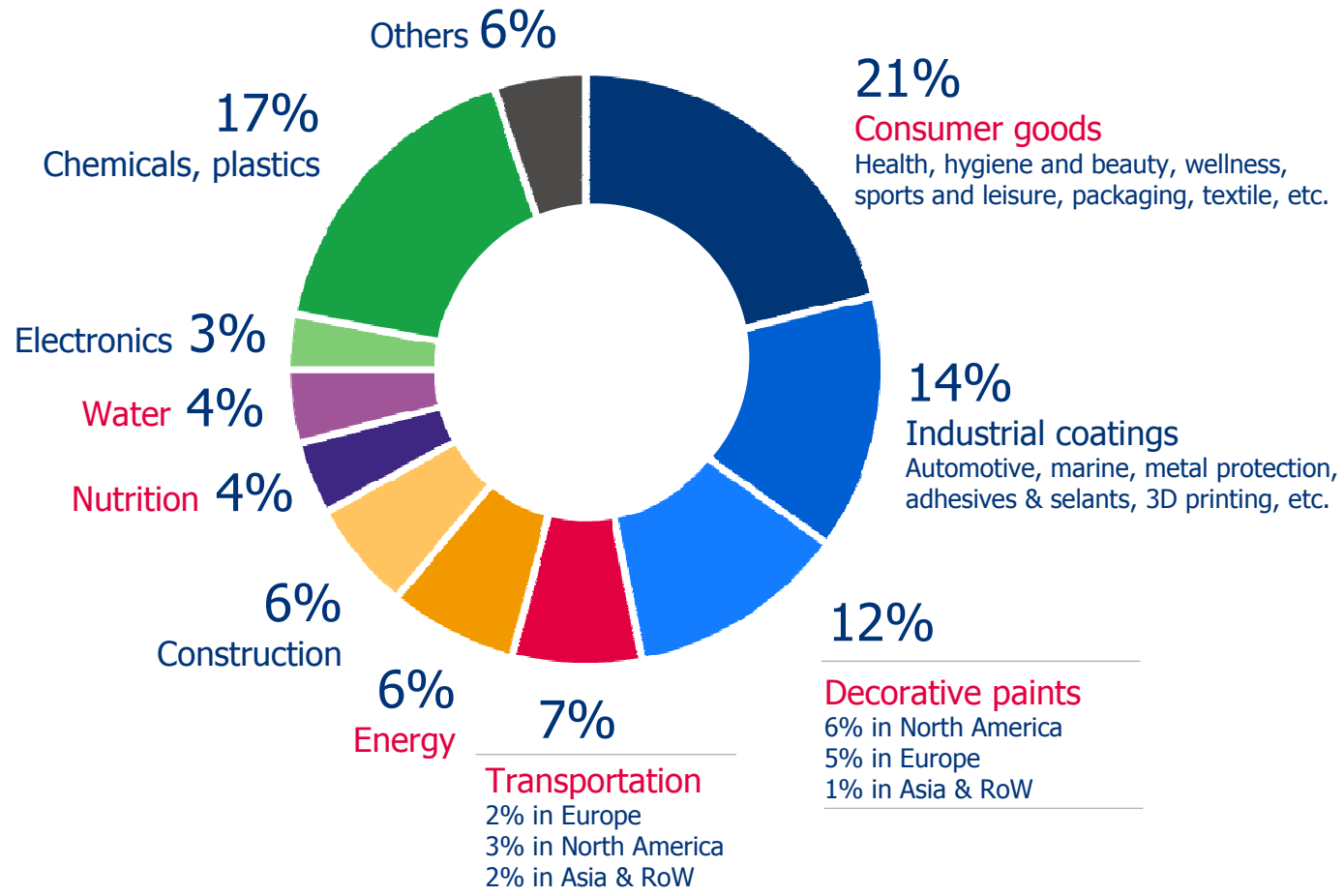


POSITION		MAIN PLAYERS	% GROUP SALES	
#1	Specialty polyamides	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Evonik</li> <li>Ems</li> </ul>	13%	} ~ 90% of Group sales
#1	PVDF	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Solvay</li> </ul>		
#1	Thiochemicals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Chevron Phillips</li> </ul>	9%	
#2	Organic peroxides	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Akzo Nobel</li> <li>United Initiators</li> </ul>	4%	
#2	Fluorogases	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dupont</li> <li>Honeywell</li> </ul>	9%	
#2	PMMA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Evonik</li> <li>Mitsubishi Chemical</li> </ul>	11%	
#3	Hydrogen peroxide	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Solvay</li> <li>Evonik</li> </ul>	4%	
#3 *	Acrylics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>BASF</li> <li>Dow</li> <li>Nippon Shokubai</li> </ul>	15%	
#3	Coatings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>BASF</li> <li>Dow</li> </ul>	22%	

■ High Performance Materials    
 ■ Industrial Specialties    
 ■ Coating Solutions

\* After acquisition of 1<sup>st</sup> line of 160 kt/year from Jurong in China.

# Diversified end-markets

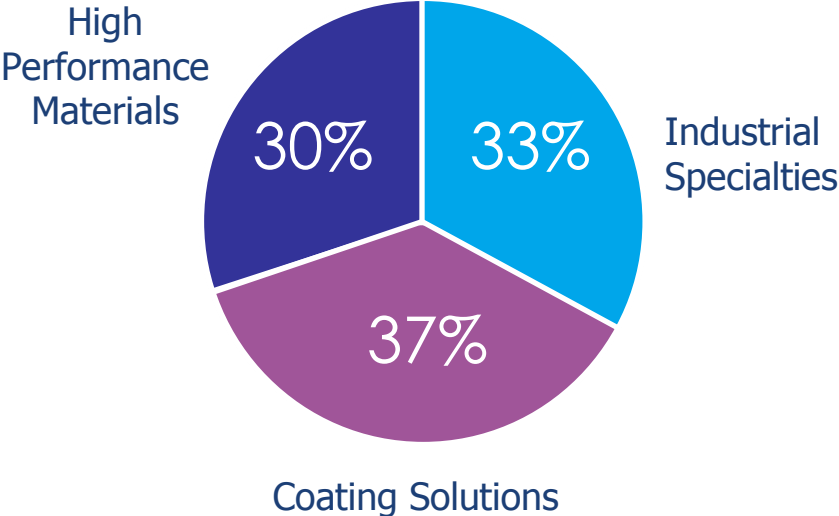


High-growth markets supported by megatrends

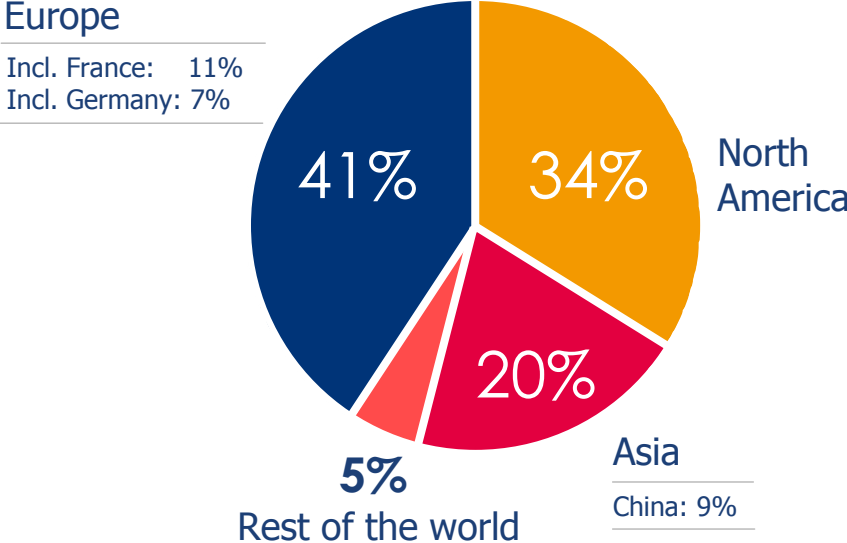
# Balanced businesses and geographical presence



Sales breakdown by segment



Sales breakdown by region



# Financing structure





**€923 m**

**Net debt**  
(December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2013)



**39%**

**Gearing**  
(net debt / shareholders'equity)



**1.0 x**

**Net debt / EBITDA**

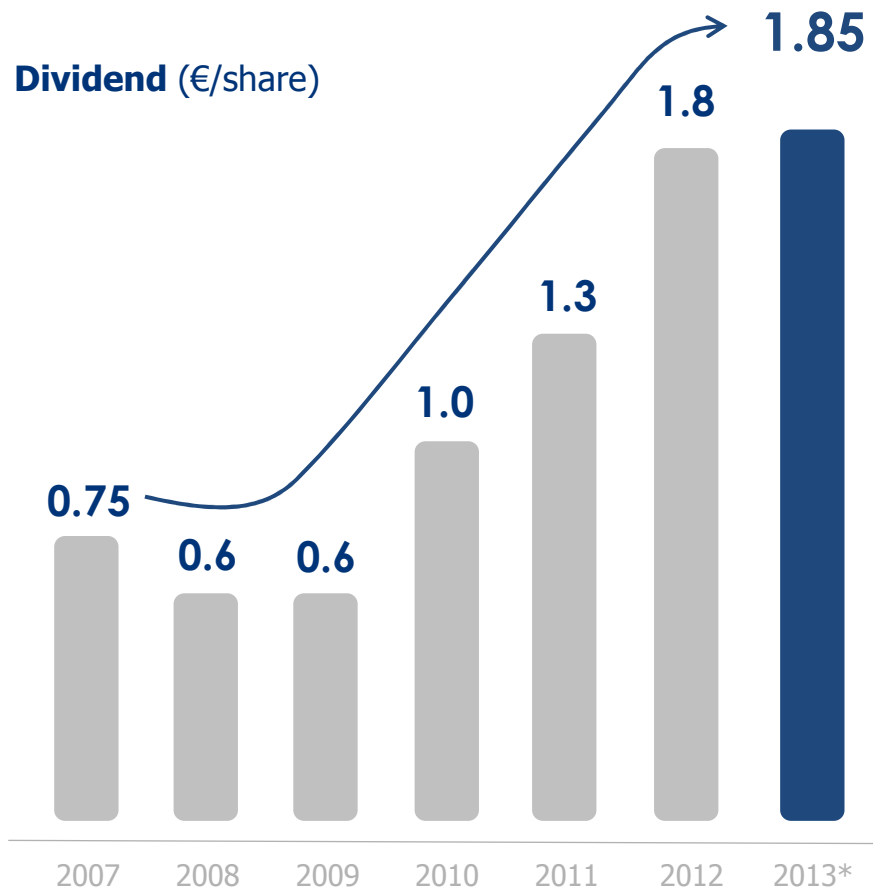
**Average maturity > 4 years (€m)**



**Rating**

<b>Standard &amp; Poor's</b>	<b>BBB</b>	stable outlook
<b>Moody's</b>	<b>Baa2</b>	stable outlook

# Dividend



- **32% payout on adjusted net income**
  - Versus 25% payout in 2012
  - In line with target to reach a 30% payout ratio on adjusted net income
- **Reflects confidence in mid-term outlook and solid balance sheet**
- **2.2% dividend yield**  
(based on share price at year end)

# First quarter 2014 results



## Sales (€m)

1,563 1,523



- **+0.7%** at constant scope and FX
- **+3.3% volumes**
- **-2.6% prix** mainly in Fluorogases

1Q'13 1Q'14

## EBITDA (€m)

234 213

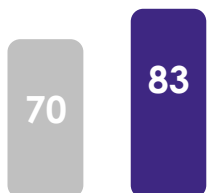


- High basis of comparison in Fluorogases in 1Q'13 (+7% EBITDA excluding Fluorogases)
- **14.0%** EBITDA margin

1Q'13 1Q'14

## EBITDA (€m) and EBITDA margin (%) by segment

15.6% 17.5%

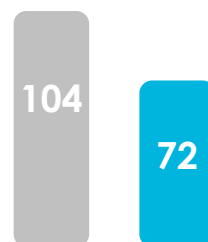


+19% EBITDA supported by strong volumes

1Q'13 1Q'14

**High Performance Materials**

19.3% 14.5%

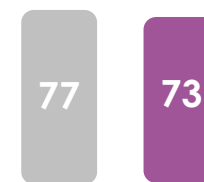


Reflect impact of Fluorogases

1Q'13 1Q'14

**Industrial Specialties**

13.7% 13.3%



Confirm resilience in a mixed environment

1Q'13 1Q'14

**Coating Solutions**



# Projects announced in 1Q'14



## Acquisition of acrylic assets from Jurong in China\*

- Creation of a manufacturing JV in Taixing with Jurong Chemical, leader in acrylic monomers in China
- ~US\$ 600m FY sales for 320 kt/year
- Cash outs: US\$ 240m for 1<sup>st</sup> line of 160kt and US\$ 235m for 2<sup>nd</sup> line of 160kt



## Expansion of Organic Peroxides in China

- x2 production capacity in Changshu
- To support increasing use of polymers in Asia
- Start-up expected in 2016



\* Project subject to authorization by relevant authorities in China and several administrative formalities

\*\* Under construction

# Implementing 2014 top priorities



- **Start Thiochemicals platform in Malaysia**
  - Commercial start-up expected in 2H'14
- **Finalize acquisition of Jurong's acrylic assets**
  - Closing expected in summer 2014 for the acquisition of the 1<sup>st</sup> line of 160kt / year \*
  - Construction of 3<sup>rd</sup> line by Jurong on track
- **Continue to address competitiveness issues in Europe**
  - Shutdown of Chauny (France) effective 1Q'14
  - Project to shutdown production of coating resins at Stallingborough (UK) \*\*
- **Accelerate R&D programs on composites, bio-sourced polymers and batteries**
  - Launch of Elium<sup>®</sup>, a thermoplastic resin for lightweight and resilient composite parts



Thiochemicals in Malaysia

**ELIUM**<sup>®</sup>  
BY ARKEMA

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\*\* Subject to an employee consultation procedure



- **Assumptions**

- Moderate worldwide growth with contrasted market conditions by regions
- Stable €/US\$ exchange rate versus 2013 (unchanged assumption despite unfavorable rate in 1Q'14)
- 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter 2014:
  - 2 very large maintenance turnarounds in Thiochemicals (Beaumont, US) and Technical Polymers (Mont, France)
  - For fluorogases, current market conditions expected to continue, with 2Q'13 being last quarter as high comparison base

- **Top priorities**

- Deliver €40 m structural EBITDA from organic developments
- Execute the €450 m capex plan to fuel future EBITDA growth
- Start up Thiochemicals platform in Malaysia
- Finalize acquisition of Jurong's acrylic assets in China
- Finalize current analyses intended to take, mid-term, profitability of fluorogases back to historical level
- Accelerate R&D programs on composites, bio-sourced polymers and batteries
- Continue to implement productivity initiatives (fixed and variable costs)

- **While cautious about macro, Arkema is confident in its ability to grow EBITDA in 2014. Beyond, Arkema confirms its mid-term targets.**

# The right strategy to create significant value long-term



## INNOVATION

*Leverage a unique R&D and applicative know-how focused on megatrends*

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INNOVATIVE CHEMISTRY

## BOLT-ON ACQUISITIONS

*Reinforce market positions and enhance profile*

## EMERGING COUNTRIES

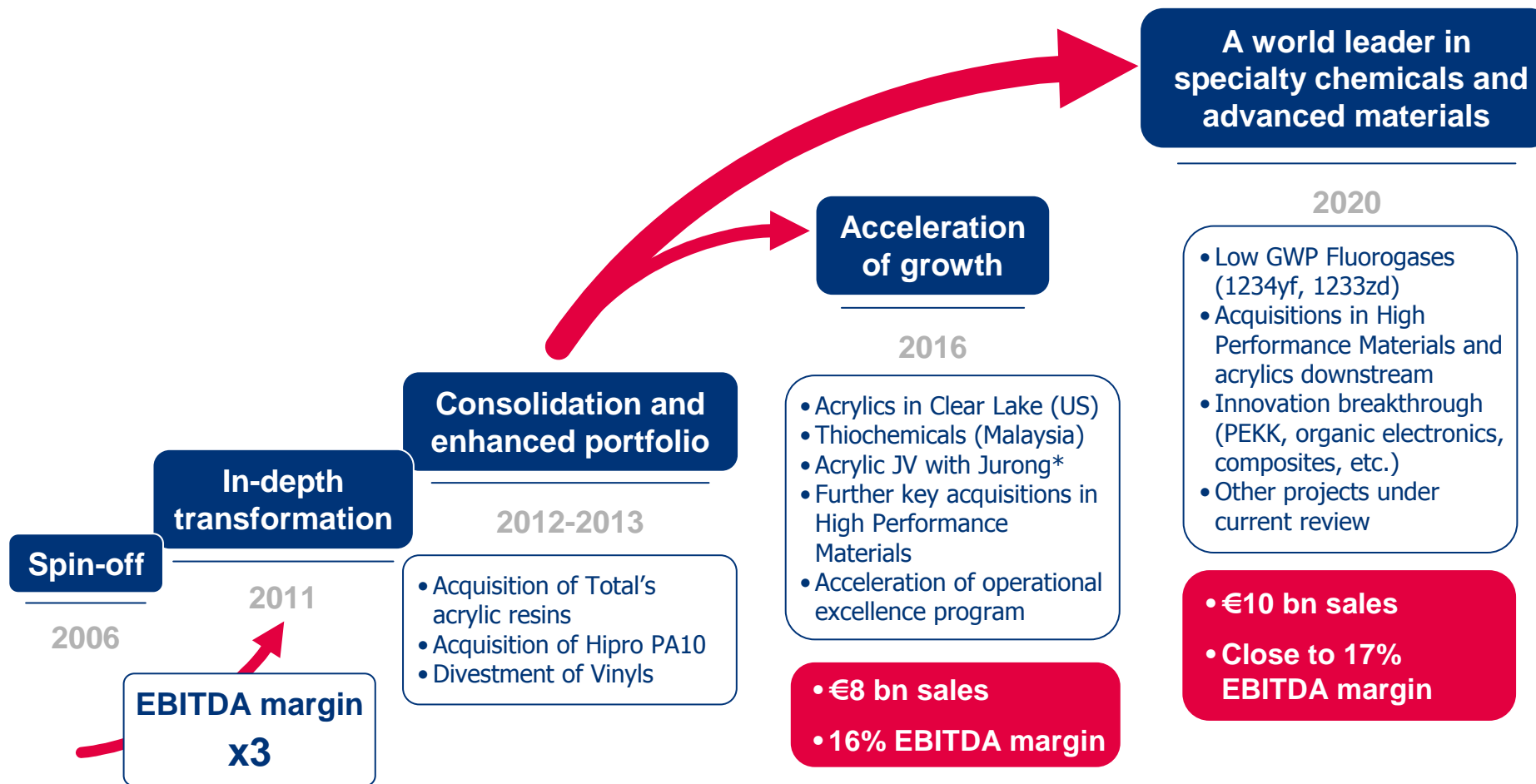
*Towards completely balanced presence*

Customer intimacy

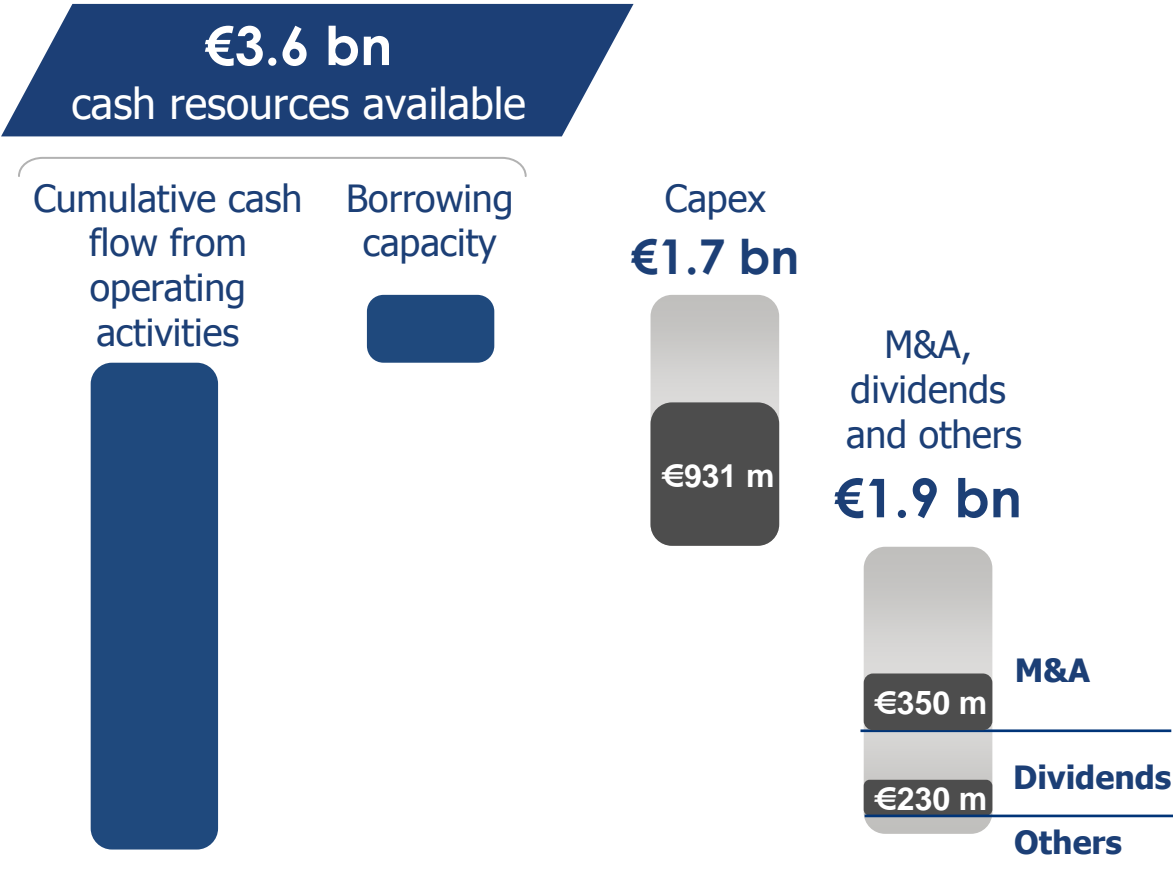
Entrepreneurial culture

Operational excellence

# Step-by-step transformation



# Cash allocation over 2013-2016



■ Cumulative cash out over 2013 and 2014e.

# Unique quality of projects to sustain growth



## High Performance Materials

2016 EBITDA  
MARGIN TARGET

18%

- **Technical Polymers:**  
x3 capacity of Hipro PA10 and PVDF developments
- **Organic Peroxides:**  
New unit in Saudi Arabia and capacity doubled in China
- **Innovation pipeline:**  
Platforms focused on megatrends
- **Acquisitions:**  
Next priority of acquisition plan

## Industrial Specialties

2016 EBITDA  
MARGIN TARGET

17%

- **Thiochemicals:**  
Construction of a platform in Malaysia
- **Fluorogases:**  
Project to build production capacities of low-GWP 1234yf fluorinated gas
- **Lightweight materials:**  
Altuglas® ShieldUp, thermoplastic resins Elium®

## Coating Solutions

2016 EBITDA  
MARGIN TARGET

15%

- **Acrylics:**  
US\$ 110 m expansion plan in the US
- **Acquisitions:**  
Joint venture with Jurong in acrylics\* (China)
- **Coating Resins:**  
New unit in China
- **Innovation:**  
Development of low-VOC coatings
- **Productivity:**  
Shutdown of Chauny (Fr)  
Coating Resins optimization

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