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# FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS AND NON-IFRS MEASURES

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# **AGENDA AND TODAY'S PRESENTERS**

INTRODUCTION AND STRATEGIC DIRECTION

**CUSTOMER AND MARKET UPDATE** 

**PRODUCT UPDATE** 

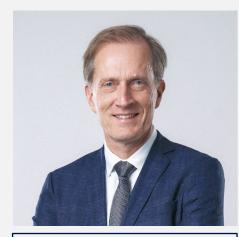
**FINANCIAL UPDATE** 

**KEY TAKEAWAYS** 

**Q&A** 



LINDA NYQUIST-EVENRUD PRESIDENT & CEO



CHRISTIAN AMSEL CHIEF TECHNOLOGY OFFICER



CHRISTIAN JOHANSSON CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER



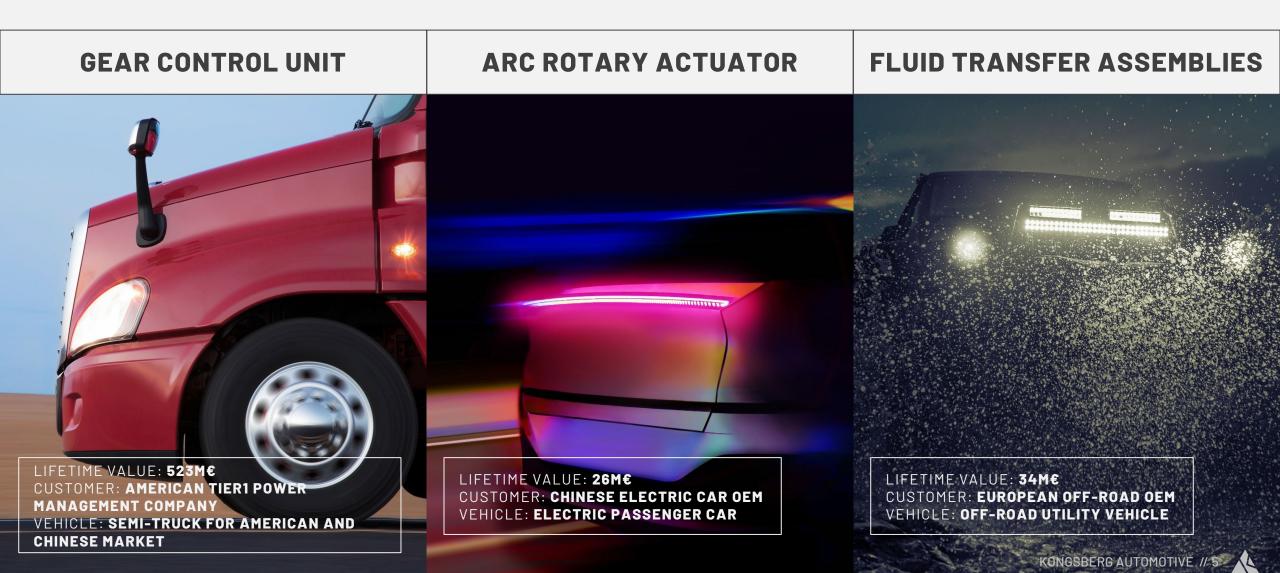
DAVID REDFEARN CHIEF SALES OFFICER Executive summary

# SUPPLYING GLOBALLY RECOGNIZED INDUSTRY BRANDS



Executive summary

# **PRODUCTS THAT HIT THE ROAD IN 2024**



## GLOBAL PROVIDER OF AUTOMOTIVE AND INDUSTRIAL APPLICATIONS

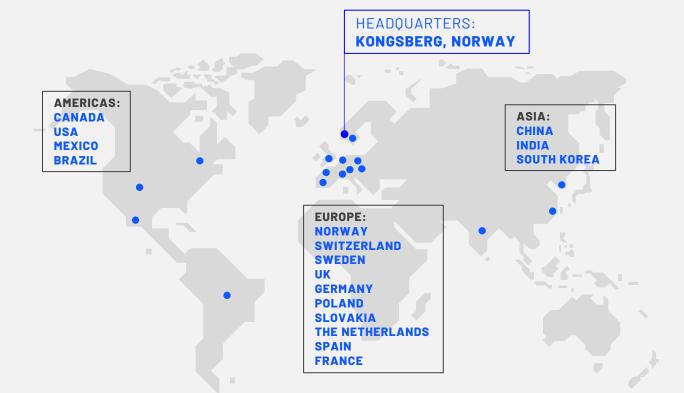
## OVER 65 YEARS OF ENGINEERING EXCELLENCE



HEADQUARTERED IN KONGSBERG LISTED ON THE OSLO STOCK EXCHANGE

# **814€M 🖧**

LTM 03 2024 REVENUES







# STRATEGIC TURNAROUND WELL UNDERWAY

### **BUILDING A COST-EFFICIENT PLATFORM**

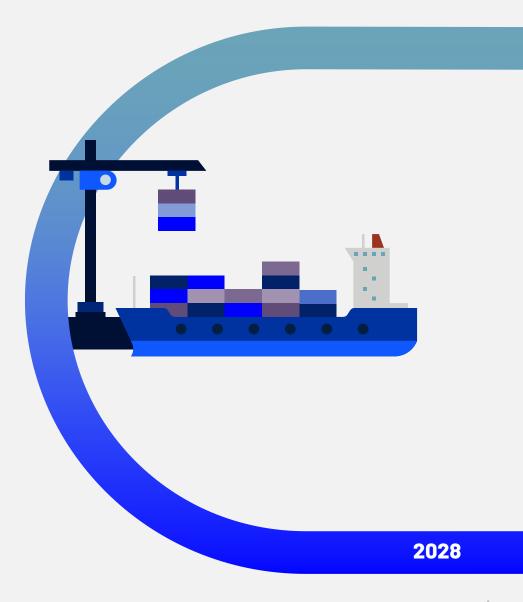
- ✓ Cost reductions with EUR <17 M in annual savings
- Headquarter reestablished in Kongsberg, Norway
- $\checkmark$  Refinancing and issuance of new Nordic bond

### **SECURING THE ORDERBOOK**

New Business Wins (NBW) of EUR 1.64 bn last 12 months
 Growth in higher-margin products – shift towards commercial vehicles

### SETTING NEW LONG-TERM GOALS

- > Revenues of above EUR 1 bn in 2028
- > EBIT margin at or above 8.5%



# Executive summary

### **FURTHER OPTIMIZATION**

- > New cost initiatives with annual savings of MEUR ~10
- > Ongoing assessment of global footprint

### FOCUSED PRODUCT PORTFOLIO

- > Prioritizing based on margins and KA's competitive advantages
- > Separate focus on industrial area

### **BUILDING A WINNING TEAM**

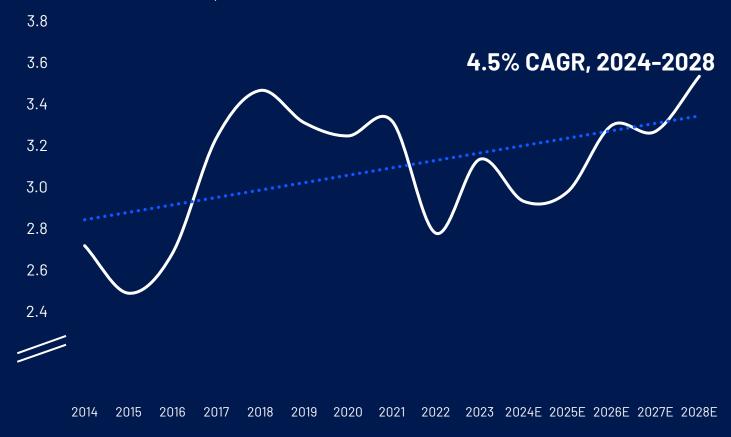
- > Strengthening the commercial mindset
- > Cross functional team approach
- > Driving continuous improvement



Executive summary

# UNDERLYING DEMAND GROWTH FOR COMMERCIAL VEHICLES

Global commercial vehicles production, million



Source: LMC Global Commercial Vehicle Forecast (November 2024)



# WE HAVE THE RIGHT PRODUCTS TO MEET THE MARKET TRENDS



# **ELECTRIFICATION**

The global vehicle fleet is being transformed from ICE to electricity-powered powertrains.

# **AUTONOMIZATION**

Vehicles are becoming more advanced and increasingly autonomous with new software, sensors and AI technologies.



### SAFETY

Safety continues to be a key concern amongst endcustomers and regulators.

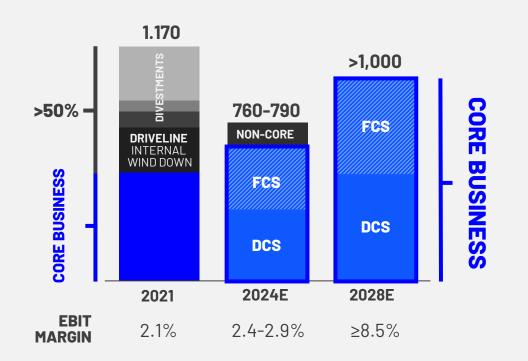


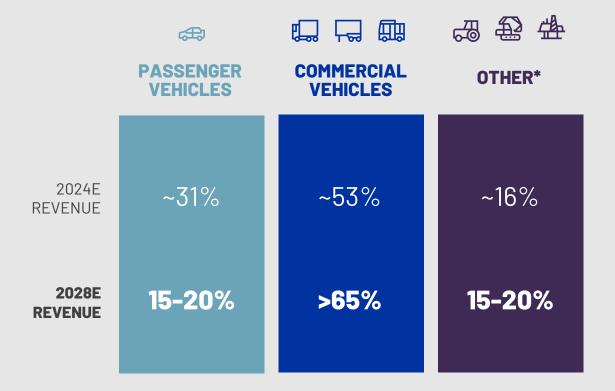
## **SUSTAINABILITY**

Legislation is forcing the whole supply chain to to find new ways to reduce ICE vehicles'  $CO_2$  emission.

# **STRATEGY FOR PROFITABLE GROWTH**

REVENUES, MEUR



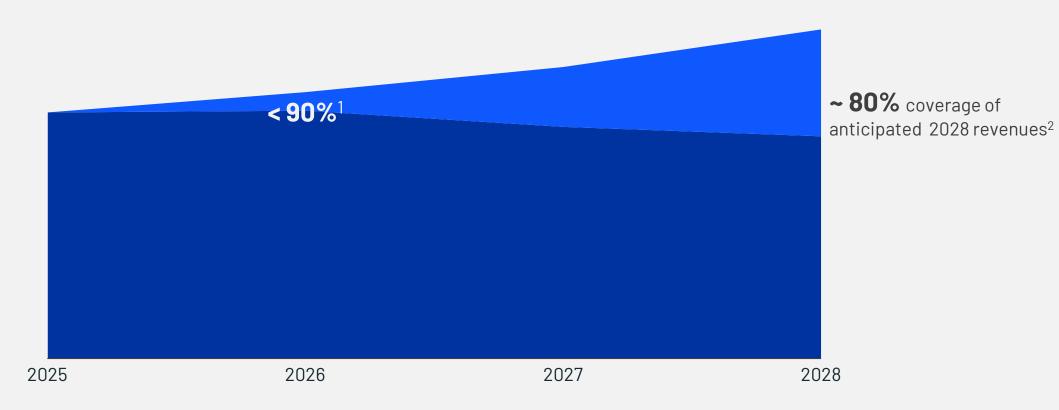


\*Industrial & Off-Highway

# **NEW BUSINESS WINS SUPPORTING LONG-TERM AMBITIONS**

TOTAL REVENUES BY STATUS, 2025-2028 (ILLUSTRATIVE)

ONGOING CONTRACTS



% of anticipated revenues from on-going contracts and awards
 Sum of anticipated revenues from on-going contracts and upcoming contract extensions deemed highly likely

# CUSTOMER AND MARKET UPDATE



### Customer and market update

# MARKET DEVELOPMENT

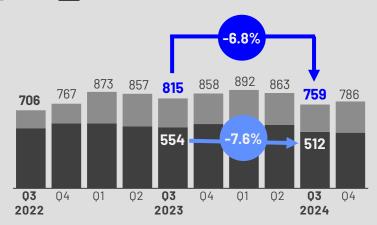
### COMMERCIAL VEHICLE AND PASSENGER CAR MARKET ARE PRESENTLY WEAK

NI	NORTH AMERICA						CHINA	
				EUROPE			<b>Q</b> vs. <b>Q</b>	'24 vs. '23
-		'24 vs. '23		<b>0</b> vs. <b>0</b>	<b>′24</b> vs. <b>′23</b>	CV*	<b>-5.0%</b>	<b>+2.1%</b>
-	1.3%	-5.5%	CV*	-17.8%	-13.9%	LV*	-3.9%	+0.8%
.V* -	6.1%	-1.3%	LV*	-6.7%	-4.4%			
SOUTH AMERICA							APAC W/O CHINA	
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LV*	+8.3%	-1.9%		GLOBAL				
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### GLOBAL COMMERCIAL VEHICLES PRODUCTION, thousand units



GLOBAL EXCL CHINA





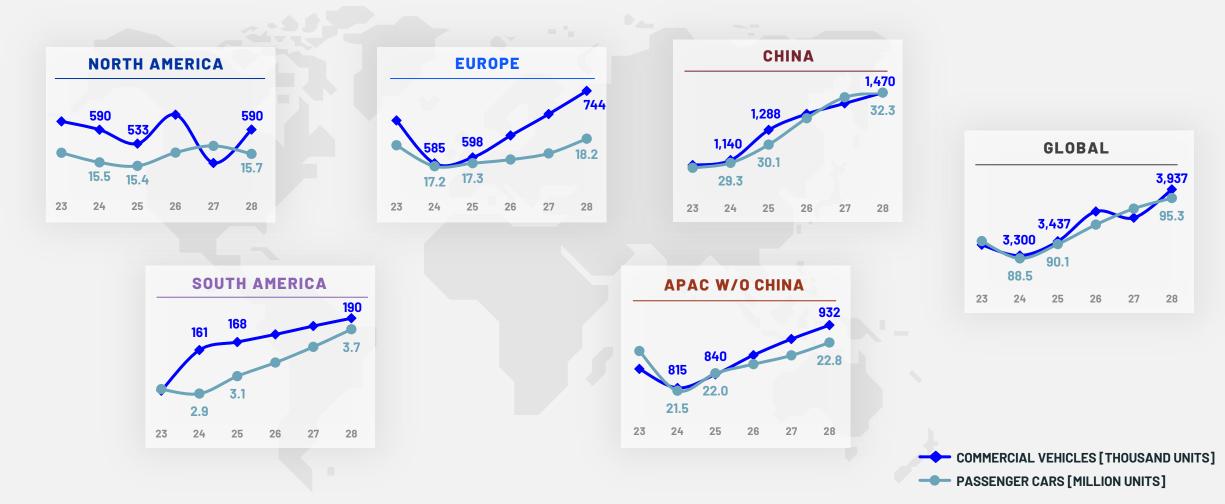


\* CV: Commercial vehicles; LV: Passenger cars

Source: LMC Global Commercial Vehicle Forecast (September 2024); IHS Light Vehicle Production Base (September 2024)

# **MARKET FORECASTS**

FOLLOWING NEGATIVE DEVELOPMENT IN 2024, KA KEY MARKETS WILL REMAIN FLAT IN 2025, THERAFTER UNDERLYING GROWTH IN THE COMMERCIAL VEHICLE MARKET WILL RETURN



# **REGIONAL GROWTH AND MARKET DRIVERS/KEY TRENDS**

5% CAGR

- PV topline stable with growth in 2025 and 2026 in NA with growth in SA in out years
- Growing business with FTS assemblies to several customers with new applications on ICE and EV
- Several growth opportunities for clutch and gear actuation as well as FCS products for TMS

7,5% CAGR

- COU portfolio remains strong and KA is market leader in Europe
- TMS and E-Actuators show strong growth towards 2029
- FCS new and existing product portfolio gaining market share in CVS and OFH areas

17% CAGR

- Strong focus on product solutions to AMT transmissions have brought significant opportunities
- Agri Con :very difficult market in which to be a 'me too'. Best opportunities for KA reside where product quality/performance is key

APAC W/O CHINA

- PV topline growth driven by actuator and HPC new business wins / opportunities in Korea and Japan
- FCS portfolio growing within all vehicle segments in Korea and more opportunities in India

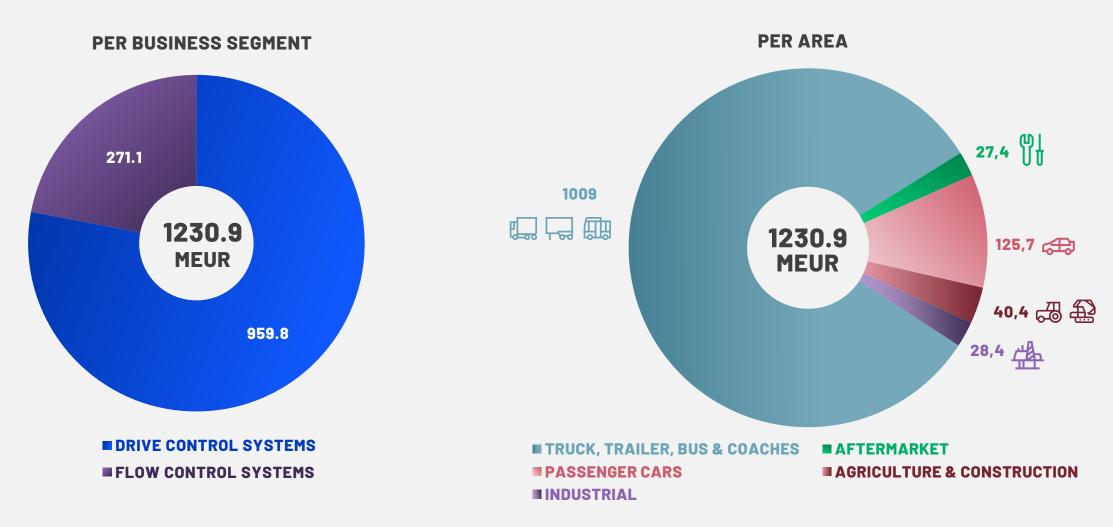
Customer and market update

# **SELECTED CUSTOMERS**



# **GROWING AND WINNING**

# NEW BUSINESS WINS 01-02-03 2024 LIFETIME REVENUES, MEUR



# **Q4 2024 NEW BUSINESS WIN ON THERMAL MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS**

OVER MEUR 24 IN ESTIMATED LIFETIME REVENUE

**ANNOUNCED ON DECEMBER 13, 2024** 

- > NYLON COOLANT SYSTEM ASSEMBLIES USED IN EV
- > STRATEGICALLY IMPORTANT PRODUCT FOR KA
- > OUTSTANDING SERVICEABILITY
- > WEIGHT SAVINGS
- > EASY ROUTING (TIGHT PACKAGING)

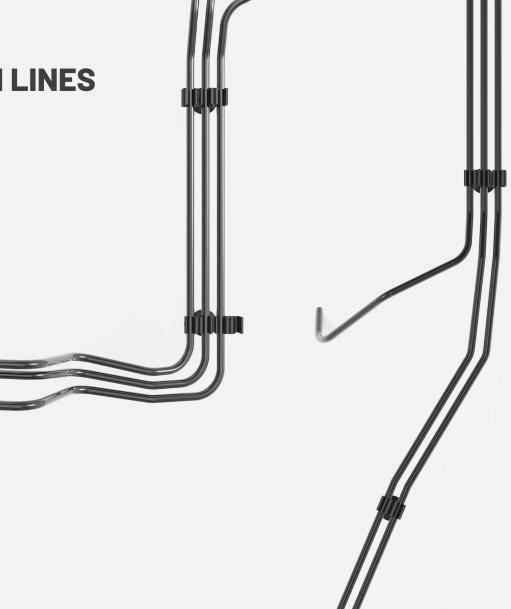


# **Q4 2024 NEW BUSINESS WIN ON AIR SUSPENSION LINES**

OVER MEUR 25.5 IN ESTIMATED LIFETIME REVENUE

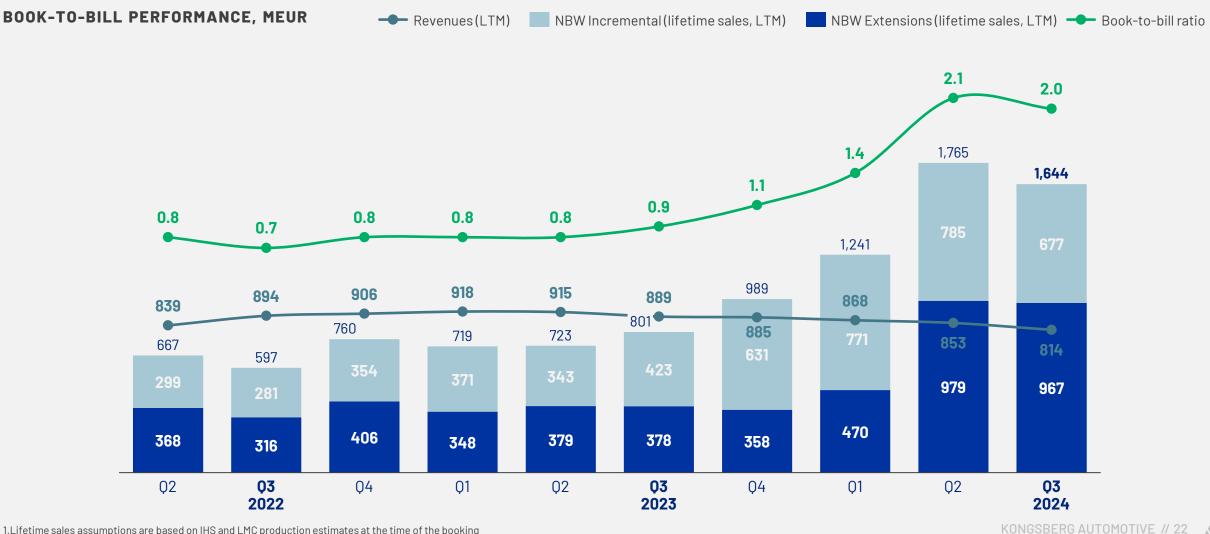
**ANNOUNCED ON DECEMBER 17, 2024** 

- > NYLON LINES AND CONNECTORS
- > PLAYING A CRUCIAL ROLE IN DISTRIBUTING AND REGULATING AIR WITHIN THE AIR SUSPENSION SYSTEM
- > ENSURING OPTIMAL COMFORT AND DRIVING QUALITY, PERFORMANCE, AND SAFETY IN ELECTRIC VEHICLES
- > ADVANCED PRODUCTION METHODS ALLOW MULTIPLE FORMED BENDS AND LONG LENGTHS WHILST MEETING THE HIGHEST CLEANLINESS STANDARDS
- > CHOICE OF MATERIALS TO SUIT CUSTOMER REQUIREMENTS, I.E. TEMPERATURE RESISTANCE AND COLOR-CODING



The product shown is only a visual representation for reference. Actual product developed may slightly vary .

# **NEW BUSINESS WINS OF EUR 1.23BN YEAR TO DATE** SUPPORTING LONG-TERM AMBITIONS

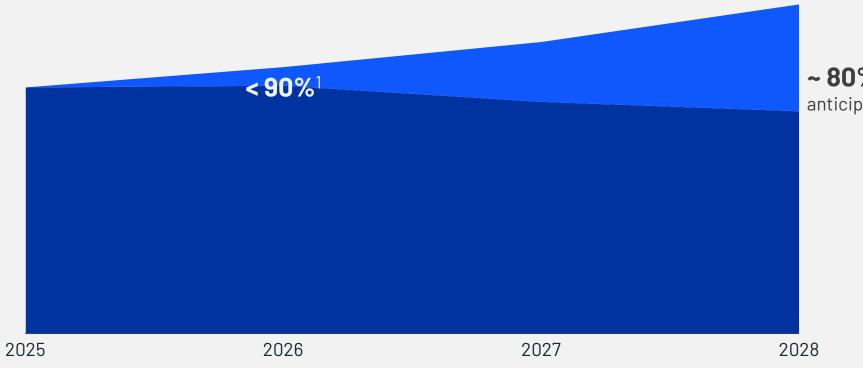


1. Lifetime sales assumptions are based on IHS and LMC production estimates at the time of the booking

# **NEW BUSINESS WINS SUPPORTING LONG-TERM AMBITIONS**

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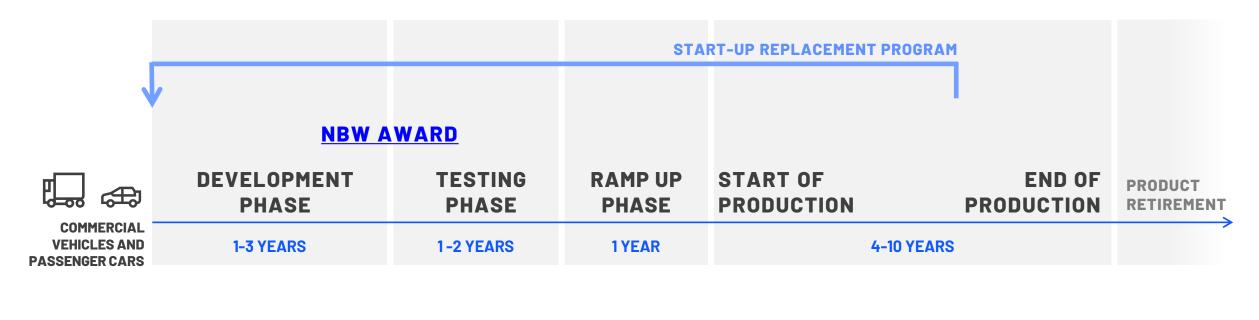


~ 80% coverage of anticipated 2028 revenues<sup>2</sup>

1) % of anticipated revenues from on-going contracts and awards

2) Sum of anticipated revenues from on-going contracts and upcoming contract extensions deemed highly likely

# **NEW BUSINESS WINS LIFECYCLE / SALES PROCESS**



c#₽ \\	NBW PRODUCTION OR / ORDER OFF THE SHELF PRODUCTS		DELIVERY	
ILL UU INDUSTRIAL AND AFTERMARKET		1-8 WEEKS	1 WEEK	INVOICE

# **PRODUCT RANGE** COMMERCIAL VEHICLES

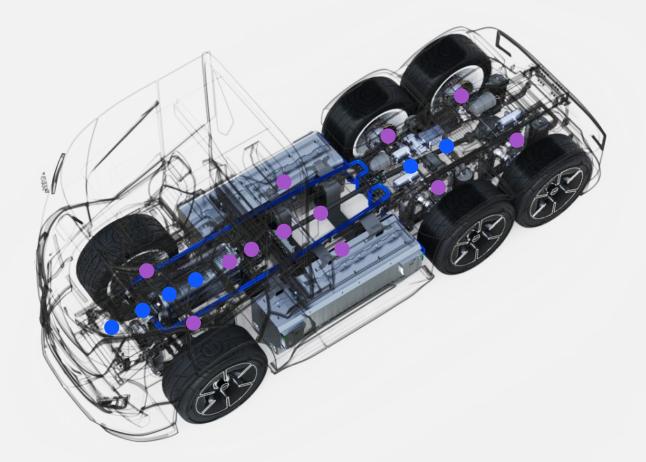
**POWERTRAIN AND** CHASSIS SOLUTIONS

> ELECTRIC ACTUATORS

GEAR CONTROL UNITS

SHIFT-BY-WIRE SHIFTERS

**VEHICLE DYNAMICS** 



### FLUID AND THERMAL MANAGEMENT

CLEAN POWERTRAIN FLUID ASSEMBLIES

> TMS CHASSIS COOLANT

**BATTERY COOLANT** 

FUEL CELL COOLANT

AIR MANAGEMENT

**AIR SUSPENSION** 

AIR BRAKE SYSTEMS

# **PRODUCT RANGE** COMMERCIAL VEHICLES

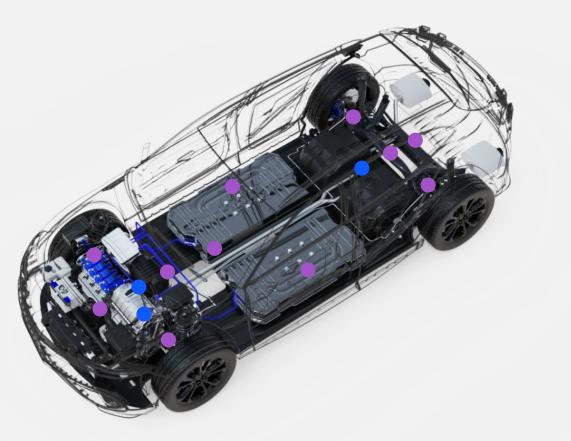
> FOCUS MARKET AREA FOR KA

- > TRANSITION TO CLEAN ENERGY = MORE CONTENT FOR FCS AND DCS PORTFOLIO
- > WORLD CLASS PRODUCT TECHNOLOGIES
- GLOBAL CUSTOMER REACH WITH MAIN PRODUCTS
- > MANUFACTURING ACROSS FOUR CONTINENTS

# **PRODUCT RANGE** PASSENGER CARS

### POWERTRAIN AND CHASSIS SOLUTIONS

### ELECTRIC ACTUATORS



# FLUID AND THERMAL MANAGEMENT

CLEAN POWERTRAIN FLUID ASSEMBLIES

> TMS CHASSIS COOLANT

BATTERY COOLANT LINES

FUEL CELL COOLANT LINES

> AIR MANAGEMENT

**AIR SUSPENSION** 

# **PRODUCT RANGE** PASSENGER CARS

- > STRONG ACTUATOR GROWTH IN CHINA
- > KA PRODUCTS MEET E TRANSITION NEEDS
- > HPC SUPPORT GROWTH IN AIR SUSPENSION APPLICATION AREA
- > KA FOCUS IN HIGHER MARGIN / NICHE AREAS
- > BEST IN CLASS FUEL LINES SUPPORT "CLEAN" ICE DEVELOPMENT AND HYBRIDS

# **PRODUCT RANGE** OFF-HIGHWAY VEHICLES

OFF-HIGHWAY SOLUTIONS

ELECTRIC ACTUATORS

**STEERING COLUMNS** 

PEDALS AND THROTTLE CONTROLS



### FLUID AND THERMAL MANAGEMENT

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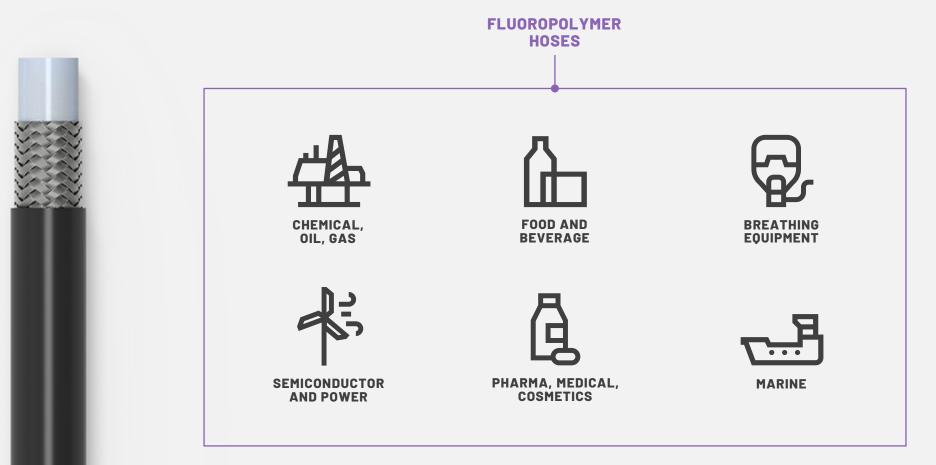
OTHER APPLICATION EXAMPLES



# **PRODUCT RANGE** OFF-HIGHWAY VEHICLES

MARKET LEADERS ARE KA CUSTOMERS
FUTURE PROOFED FOR E TRANSITION
CROSS SELLING GROWTH OVER 5-YEAR FRAME
MATERIAL HANDLING - NEW SEGMENT
MARKET RECOVERY EXPECTED MID 2025

# Growing and winning **PRODUCT RANGE**INDUSTRIAL APPLICATIONS



Fluoropolymer hoses are an ideal problem solver for fluid transfer applications involving aggressive chemicals, extremes of temperature and pressure, extreme movement and vibration, or where hygiene is paramount.

# **PRODUCT RANGE** INDUSTRIAL APPLICATIONS



- > GROWING SEGMENT IN ALL REGIONS
- > DIVERSE PRODUCT OFFERING
- > ASSEMBLY GROWTH OVER 5-YEAR FRAME
- > NEW PRODUCTS SUPPORT PHARMA AND SEMI-CON MARKETS
- > ASIA DEVELOPMENT HIGH FOCUS

# Growing and winning **KEY TAKEAWAYS**



STRONG BUSINESS WINS WITH AMBITION FOR DOUBLE DIGIT % REVENUE GROWTH CAGR FROM 2024 TO 2028, RESULTING IN EXPECTED REVENUES OF > MEUR 1 BILLION



FORWARD ORDER BOOK REFLECTS GROWTH IN THE KEY STRATEGIC AREAS



**ENVIABLE CUSTOMER LIST / HEADROOM FOR MARKET SHARE EXPANSION IN ALL REGIONS** 



BUSINESS WINS TRENDING AT RECORD LEVELS WITH SPECIFIC WINS IN ACTUATION, GEAR CONTROL AND FLUID TRANSFER ASSEMBLIES



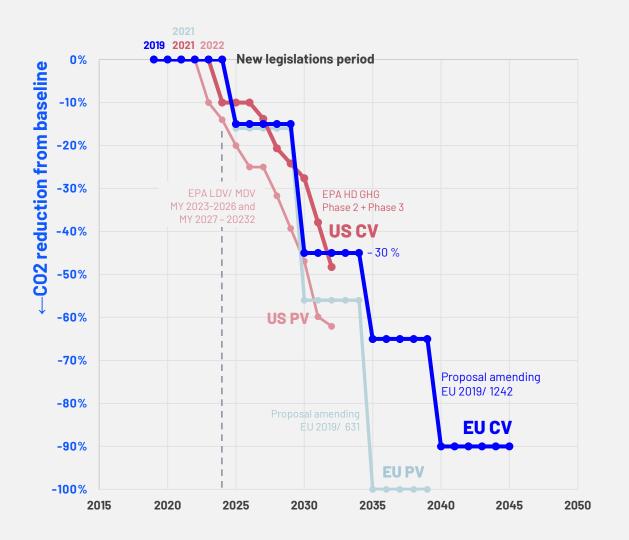
INDUSTRIAL AREA AND AFTERMARKET PRIMES FOR GROWTH OVER THE SHORT / MIDTERM



EFFICIENT SALES FORCE TRAINED TO CROSS SELL FULL KA PORTFOLIO WHILE REFLECTING A LOW OVERALL COST AS % OF TURNOVER PRODUCT PORTFOLIO UPDATE



# **REGULATIONS INFLUENCING MARKET DEVELOPMENT**



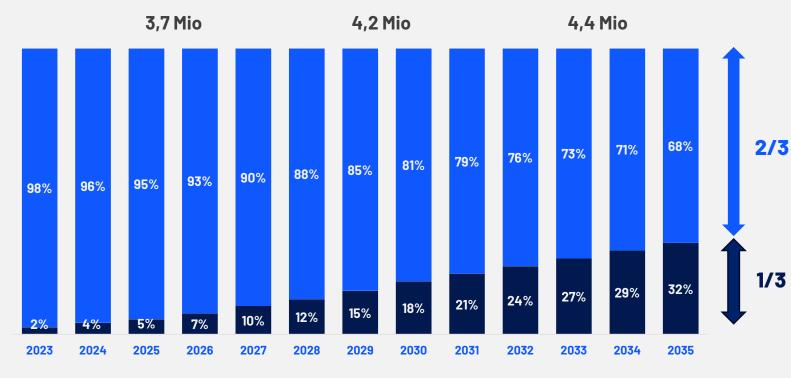
Updated regulations for passenger vehicle (PV) and commercial vehicle (CV) markets drive further enhancements in conventional ICE engines and increase pressure on OEMS to accelerate introduction of  $CO_2$  neutral vehicles.

Consumer behavior and development of needed infrastructure to support certain technologies (electrification, hydrogen ) is challenging, forcing to deploy a diverse range of technologies.

- > CV won't achieve 100% reduction within the next 20 years
- > As BEV penetration is too slow, many OEMS are forced to go for additional technologies shortterm to close the gap
- > Alternatives are synthetic-, bio-fuels and fuel cell vehicles

# **MANAGING ALL THE TRANSFORMATION PHASES IN COMMERCIAL VEHICLES**

**GLOBAL COMMERCIAL VEHICLES** TOTAL PRODUCTION IN MILLIONS AND FITMENT OF ELECTRIFICATION TYPE IN %



Current prognosis shows approximately 1/3 of the global trucks in 2035 being BEV or FCEV driven.

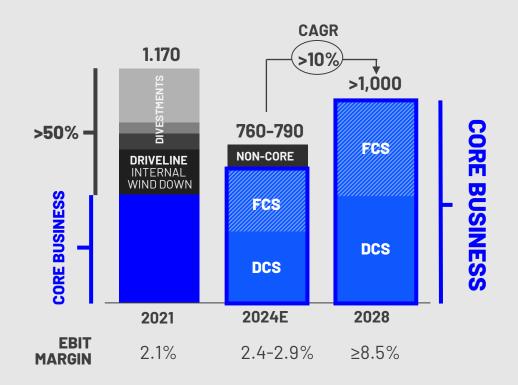
High pressure on improvements in conventional ICE systems (e.g. Euro 7). KA continues harvesting and is growing market share in ICE Cooling Systems.

BEV + FCEV ICE + HEV

## Product portfolio update STRATEGY FOR PROFITABLE GROWTH

#### **FLEXIBLE PRODUCT MIX WITH THREE PILLARS**

**REVENUES,** MEUR

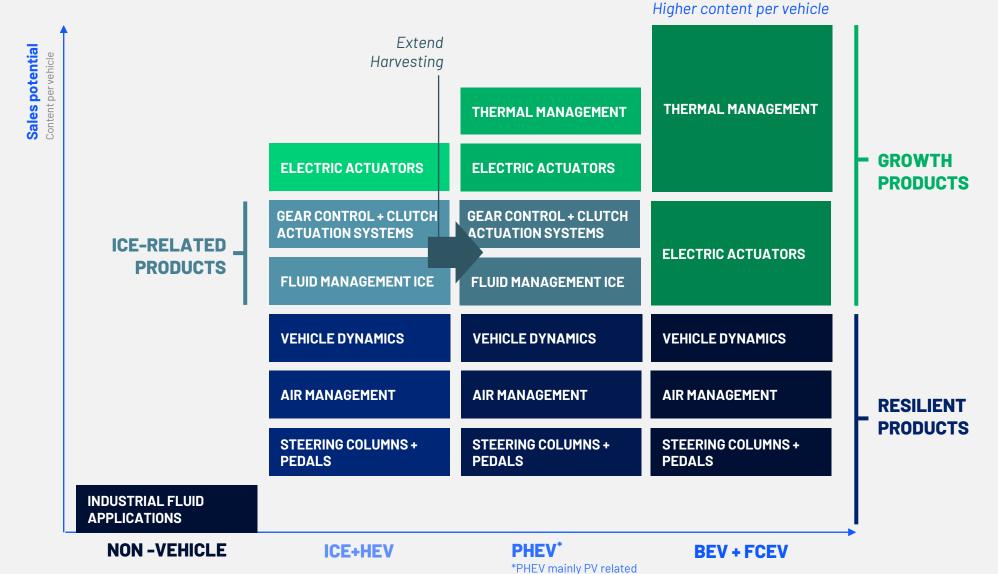


#### RESILIENT **ICE-RELATED** GROWTH > Products that are **Products for modern ICE Products related to the** independent from the and HICE (hydrogen ICE) newest and emerging vehicles, compliant with megatrends, like electric type of powertrain in a vehicle (ICE, EV, strict requirements and and hydrogen electric sustainability legislation, hydrogen etc.), e.g. powertrains, autonomous and smart mobility, e.g. e.g. » Air management » Driver interface > Electric actuation > Gear control » Vehicle dynamics > Powertrain fluid > Thermal management assemblies Industrial products > (non-automotive market)

# ~ 2028 REVENUEPASSENGER<br/>VEHICLESCOMMERCIAL<br/>VEHICLESOTHER\*~18%~65%~17%

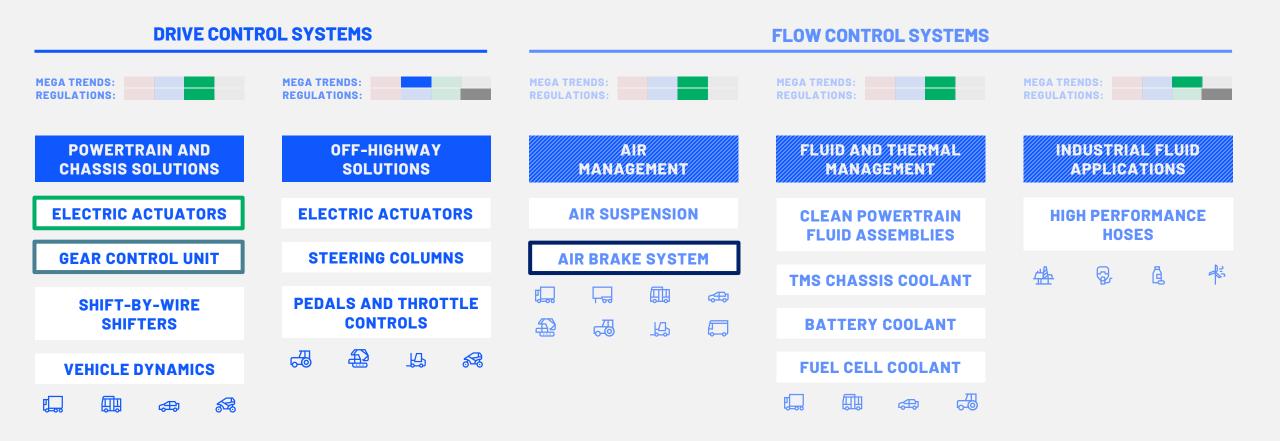
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## KA HAS A HEALTHY MIX OF RESILIENT, HARVESTING AND NEW PRODUCTS



PRODUCT PORTFOLIO DEEP DIVES

## **KA'S CORE PRODUCT GROUPS**



HIGH LEVEL CONTRIBUTION N/A

## HIGHER-MARGIN PRODUCTS DRIVING PROFITABILITY EXAMPLES

### >40% OF 2028 REVENUE



#### **AIR COUPLINGS**

Safe, flexible and sustainable system.

Expanding the technology to other applications like air suspension and thermal management.

Next generation under development.

New fir-tree product line growing in emerging markets.



#### RESILIENT



#### **GEAR CONTROL UNITS**

Proven track record and very successful order intake.

Technology quickly scalable to emerging markets.

Competitive technology and implementation quick enough to outperform Chinese competitors.



#### **ICE-RELATED**



#### **POWERTRAIN ACTUATORS**

Scaling the existing know-how to PV, CV and Off-highway applications.

Unique expertise to design customized products based on proven building blocks.



#### GROWTH

## AIR COUPLINGS

## AIR BRAKE SYSTEMS BACKGROUND

#### FUNCTIONALITY

#### BRAKES IN TRUCKS AND TRAILERS USE COMPRESSED AIR TO ACTUATE SERVICE AND PARKING BRAKES

SYSTEMS SUCH AS SUSPENSION, ACCESSORIES AND AUXILIARY SYSTEMS IN THE CHASSIS, CABIN AND ENGINE ARE DRIVEN BY AIR AS WELL

TRUCKS SUPPLY COMPRESSED AIR TO CONTROL THE BRAKING SYSTEM OF THE TRAILER

AGRICULTURAL VEHICLES USE AIR BRAKES IN SOME WEIGHT / SPEED CLASSES DUE TO REGULATION CHANGES

#### MARKET

- Compressed air-based braking technology is being transferred from ICE to electric vehicles
- > Technology part of homologation of vehicle
- Very high entrance barrier for new technology and/or competitors due to long validation cycles
- > Two major technologies shape the market: Firtree and Push-in
- Low-cost solutions for emerging markets is needed
- > Local production and technical support is required

## MARKET DYNAMICS SAFETY REGULATIONS **CO<sub>2</sub> EMISSION LEGISLATIONS** FOR ICE VEHICLES **COMPETITIVE POSITIONING GLOBAL FOOTPRINT** 四 **SUSTAINABILITY**

## KA'S RAUFOSS® ABC SYSTEM PRODUCT VISION



PUSH-IN TECHNOLOGY WILL BECOME THE GLOBAL STANDARD IN ALL DEVELOPED AND EMERGING MARKETS



NEW MARKETS IN AGRICULTURE VEHICLES DUE TO HIGH-PERFORMANCE BRAKING REQUIREMENTS



FIRTREE TECHNOLOGY STILL PLAYS A ROLE IN MARKETS WHERE PUSH-IN IS NOT YET ESTABLISHED





FUNCTIONS SUCH AS PLATES WITH INTEGRATED COUPLINGS WILL BE A VERY ATTRACTIVE SOLUTION FOR BRAKE VALVE SUPPLIERS

- > KA is a market leader in Europe for push-in technology
- > We will grow with our current customer base in new markets as they are further localizing their production
- > Entering new markets allows us to attract further local customers
- > KA continues to diversify the product portfolio to become a full-service supplier in all compressed air applications

#### Product portfolio update **KA'S RAUFOSS® ABC SYSTEM** FEATURES AND BENEFITS

**KEY CHARACTERISTICS OF KA'S PUSH-IN TECHNOLOGY** 



#### **OPTIMIZED AIR FLOW**

- > LOWER BRAKE STOPPING DISTANCE
- > REDUCED BRAKE RESPONSE TIME

#### DESIGN FLEXIBILITY AND MODULARITY

#### **LEAKAGE-FREE** SAVES ENERGY AND ELIMINATES START-UP TIME OF BY 3-6 MIN

#### **SUSTAINABILITY** 100% RECYCLABLE COMPOSITE MATERIALS

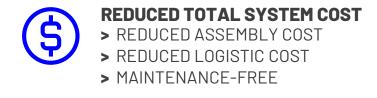






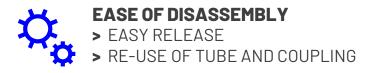
#### ASSEMBLY TIME REDUCTION

NO PREASSEMBLY OF TUBEMORE EFFICIENT THAN FIXED BLOCKS





#### **OPTIMIZED WEIGHT** UP TO 6 KG SAVING COMPARED TO METAL SYSTEMS



### Product portfolio update **KA'S RAUFOSS® ABC SYSTEM** FUTURE

#### **NEW PRODUCTS TO SUPPORT SUCCESS IN TARGET MARKETS**

- > ABC Firtree family
- > ABC Inch family
- > Hose module with Twistlock
- > Drain valve 2.0

#### SECURE AND FURTHER GROW IN ESTABLISHED MARKET

- > ABC 2.0 (new generation) 2028
- > ABC KArtridge 2.0 2025
- > ICM (Integrated Coupling Module)

#### SECURE PRODUCT ATTRACTIVENESS

- > Fusion of push-in and firtree families for better modularity
- > New IP protected feature upgrades of our products
- Weight and system cost reduction by reducing brass content and introducing new materials
- > Sustainable materials, 100% recyclable and energy saving features

### INNOVATIONS

### AIR BRAKE SYSTEM





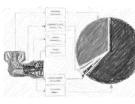


**ABC INCH FAMILY** 

**ABC FIRTREE** 

TWISTLOCK HOSE MODULE







**DRAIN VALVE 2.0** 

LVE 2.0 ABC

ABC 2.0 GENERATION

**ABC KARTRIDGE 2.0** 





## **KEY TAKEAWAYS**

TECHNOLOGY: BEST IN CLASS PERFORMANCE, MARKET REFERENCE

COST: BEST COST PER VALUE RECOGNIZED BY KEY CUSTOMERS

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DESIGN-TO-COST SOLUTION ABC2.0 GENERATION UNDER DEVELOPMENT (LOWER COST, HIGHER PERFORMANCE, LESS WEIGHT)

MULTIPLE PATENTS RELATED TO NEXT GENERATION ABC COUPLINGS

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SUSTAINABILITY: 100% RECYCLABLE

KA WILL CONTINUE ITS PATH TO SUCCESS AND FURTHER EXPAND THE LEADING MARKET POSITION GLOBALLY

## GEAR CONTROL UNIT

## AUTOMATED MANUAL TRANSMISSION (AMT) SYSTEMS BACKGROUND

#### FUNCTIONALITY

#### AMT SYSTEMS AUTOMATE GEAR SHIFTING AND CLUTCH CONTROL OF MANUAL TRANSMISSIONS

5-10% REDUCED FUEL CONSUMPTION THROUGH INTELLIGENT SHIFTING STRATEGIES AND THE PREVENTION OF INEFFICIENT DRIVING BEHAVIOR

HUMAN ERRORS ARE AVOIDED, WHICH INCREASE LIFETIME OF TRANSMISSION

DRIVER BEHAVIOR AND ROUTE DATA CAN BE ANALYZED TO FURTHER OPTIMIZE SHIFTING STRATEGIES

#### MARKET

- Early regulatory push in developed markets like Europe and Americas to lower emissions favoring efficient AMT transmission systems in the last 10-15 years
- > OEMs pushed AMT technology to the market to increase robustness and lifetime of transmission systems
- Larger logistics companies globally have replaced older manual fleets with AMT to improve total cost of ownership (TCO)
- Integration with advanced telematics and IoT systems for optimized fleet management

MARKET DYNAMICS			
	SAFETY REGULATIONS		
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## **GEAR CONTROL UNIT** PRODUCT VISION

AMT WILL LIKELY BECOME THE STANDARD FOR HEAVY-DUTY TRUCKS GLOBALLY, REPLACING MANUAL TRANSMISSIONS IN MOST MARKETS

PRODUCTION SCALE AND ADVANCEMENTS IN TECHNOLOGY WILL LOWER COSTS, MAKING AMT A VIABLE CHOICE EVEN IN COST-SENSITIVE MARKETS LIKE CHINA, INDIA, AND LATIN AMERICA

STRICTER EMISSION AND EFFICIENCY REGULATIONS AS WELL AS GOVERNMENT INCENTIVES IN MAJOR MARKETS WILL PUSH MANUFACTURERS AND FLEETS TOWARD AMT SYSTEMS

NEW TREND: HYBRID DRIVETRAINS COMBINING TODAY'S DIESEL ENGINE AND ELECTRIC MOTORS FOR HIGHER EFFICIENCY



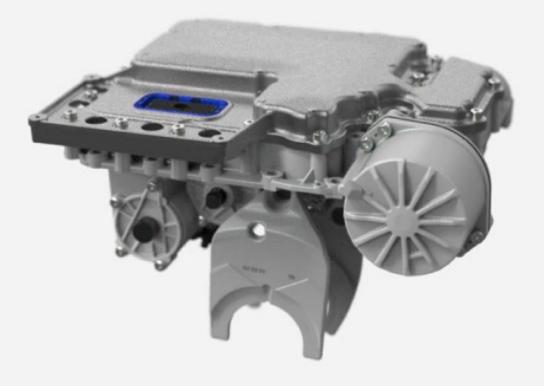
- > KA is a well-established AMT supplier with production locations in Mexico and China
- > KA has recently successfully acquired a new customer project in Asia based on our design-to-cost GCU generation with significantly shortened time-to-market outperforming local competitors
- > KA will continue to scale its mature AMT technology to emerging markets and serving upcoming hybrid drivetrains in developed markets

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## **Q2 2024 NEW BUSINESS WIN ON GEAR CONTROL UNIT (GCU)** OVER **MEUR 523** IN ESTIMATED LIFETIME REVENUE

**ANNOUNCED ON APRIL 26, 2024** 

- > ROBUST AND DURABLE DESIGN
- > MAXIMUM COMFORT AND PERFORMANCE FOR THE DRIVER
- > HIGH PERFORMANCE
- > LOW TOTAL COST OF OWNERSHIP
- > THE ONLY GCU IN THE MARKET WITH SELF-ADJUSTING CLUTCH ACTUATOR
- > OUTSTANDING SERVICEABILITY







## **KEY TAKEAWAYS**

**TECHNOLOGY QUICKLY SCALABLE TO EMERGING MARKETS AND CUSTOMER SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS** 

**SPEED: FROM DESIGN FREEZE TO START OF PRODUCTION WITHIN 18 MONTHS - OUTPERFORMING EVEN LOCAL SUPPLIERS** 



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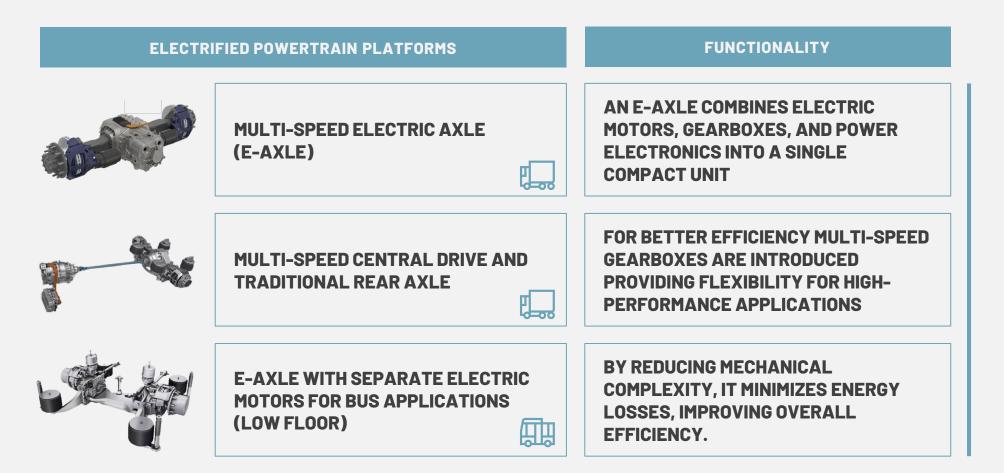
**MULTIPLE PATENTS RELATED TO GEAR ACTUATOR DESIGN, VALVE INTEGRATION AND SELF-ADJUSTING MECHANISM** 

**DESIGN-TO-COST SOLUTION FOR HYBRID AMT SYSTEMS AVAILABLE** 

KA WILL CONTINUE TO PLAY A SIGNIFICANT ROLE IN THE AMT MARKET **CONTINUING HARVESTING THIS TECHNOLOGY** 

## **POWERTRAIN ACTUATORS**

## ELECTRIFIED DRIVETRAINS IN COMMERCIAL VEHICLES **BACKGROUND**



## ELECTRIFIED DRIVETRAINS IN COMMERCIAL VEHICLES **BACKGROUND**

#### FUNCTIONALITY

AN E-AXLE COMBINES ELECTRIC MOTORS, GEARBOXES, AND POWER ELECTRONICS INTO A SINGLE COMPACT UNIT

#### FOR BETTER EFFICIENCY MULTI-SPEED GEARBOXES ARE INTRODUCED PROVIDING FLEXIBILITY FOR HIGH-PERFORMANCE APPLICATIONS

BY REDUCING MECHANICAL COMPLEXITY, IT MINIMIZES ENERGY LOSSES, IMPROVING OVERALL EFFICIENCY.

#### MARKET

- > Updated regulations for commercial vehicle (CV) market drive further enhancements in conventional ICE engines and increase pressure on OEMs to accelerate introduction of CO2 neutral vehicles.
- > Key focus areas of all OEMs around the globe will be the introduction of electrified powertrains which will replace diesel engines.
- Hybrid systems combining diesel engines and electrified powertrains will enter the market to reduce emissions short-term.
- > All OEMs globally are currently working on the 3rd generation electrified trucks which require optimized solutions for fully electric powertrains

#### **MARKET DYNAMICS**



SAFETY REGULATIONS



CO<sub>2</sub> EMISSION LEGISLATIONS FOR ICE VEHICLES



**COMPETITIVE POSITIONING** 

## **POWERTRAIN ACTUATORS** PRODUCT VISION

ELECTRIC ACTUATORS WILL COMPLEMENT EXISTING PNEUMATIC GEAR SHIFT (E.G. AMT SYSTEMS) AND CLUTCH ACTUATION SYSTEMS MID AND LONG TERM

SMART ACTUATORS PROVIDE SUPERIOR FUNCTIONS COMPARED TO TRADITIONAL SIMPLE ON/OFF PNEUMATIC ACTUATION SYSTEMS

MULTIPLE ACTUATORS ARE NEEDED FOR TRUCK APPLICATIONS: 1 TO 3 GEAR ACTUATORS, DIFFERENTIAL-LOCK-, PARK-LOCK- AND POWER DISENGAGE ACTUATOR

ASIA WILL BE THE FRONT RUNNER WHEN IT COMES TO NEW TECHNOLOGY – DEVELOPED MARKET REQUIRE STEPWISE NEW TECHNOLOGY INTRODUCTION



- > KA is a successful global player introduced in electric actuation systems for park-lock applications
- > Our electric actuation product portfolio is developed for new electric drivetrains
- KA is first to market with a dual Dog Clutch Actuator in Asia launched in 2024
- Several bilateral customer projects running to prepare roll out of our newly developed unique eGSA technology

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## **DOG CLUTCH ACTUATOR FIRST-TO-MARKET**

FULL-FUNCTION 2- OR 3-POSITION PIVOTING ACTUATOR FOR GEAR SHIFT OR OTHER ENGAGE/DISENGAGE POWERTRAIN APPLICATIONS.

#### **UNIQUE CAM AND SPRING DESIGN**

FOR EFFICIENT TEETH-TO-TEETH ALIGNMENT AND STRONG HOLDING FORCE IN THE GEAR MEACHNISM

#### **FAST GEAR SHIFTS**

SPRING CHARGED SYSTEM ENABLES FAST RESPONSE TO FULL ENGAGEMENT

**BRUSHLESS MOTOR** FOR HIGH POWER AND VIBRATION RESISTANCE

**INTEGRATED SHIFT FORK** COST EFFICIENT INTEGRATION TO TRANSMISSION MECHANISM







INTEGRATED CUSTOMIZED CONTROL ELECTRONICS





EFFICIENT, PRECISE AND SECURE GEAR ENGAGEMENT



COST EFFICIENT SOLUTION DUE TO SIMPLE INTEGRATION

## **ELECTRIC GEAR SHIFT ACTUATOR**

3-POSITION LINEAR ELECTRIC ACTUATOR FOR GEAR SHIFT APPLICATIONS.

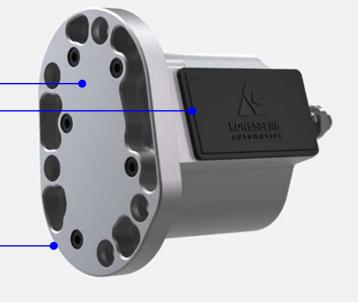
#### **EASY ADAPTATION OF FUNCTIONALITY**

TO MANY DIFFERENT APPLICATIONS (SYNCRONIZED / UN-SYNCRONIZED GEARSHIFT, DIFF-LOCK / PARK-LOCK ENGAGEMENT ETC.)

#### SMART CONTROL ALGORITHMS

FOR OPTIMAL GEAR SHIFTS AND REDUCED TRANSMISSION WEAR, INCREASED RELIABILITY AND TRANSMISSION LIFETIME BY 10%-20%

#### MODULAR, COMPACT PACKAGING





#### **HIGH PERFORMANCE ACTUATION**

EXTREMELY RESPONSIVE AND ACCURATE GEAR ENGAGEMENT WITHOUT HIGH POWER CONSUMPTION DUE TO THE INTEGRATED SPRING- AND CAM MECHANISM



#### **PROTECTION OF TRANSMISSION**

ENGAGEMENT FORCE AND SPEED CAN BE ADAPTED TO FIT THE DRIVING CONDITIONS TO MINIMIZE WEAR AND OPTIMIZE COMFORT, BUT RETAIN PERFORMANCE

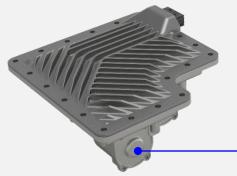
#### **INTEGRATED RIGID DETENT MECHANISM**

GEAR "JUMP-OUTS" AT HIGH SHOCK LEVELS ARE OMITTED BY THE PATENTED RIGID MECHANICAL LOCKING IN GEAR AND NEUTRAL POSITIONS



#### SIMPLE INTEGRATION

THE DESIGN IS MADE TO ENABLE INTEGRATION BOTH INSIDE AND OUTSIDE THE TRANSMISSION



WIDE RANGE OF TRANSMISSION APPLICATIONS (BEV, HEV, FCEV, ICE)

#### VARIOUS INTEGRATION LEVELS

MULTIPLE ACTUATORS CAN BE INTEGRATED IN ONE GCU (GEAR CONTROL UNIT)



## **KEY TAKEAWAYS**

KA IS READY TO MEET THE MARKET DEMAND WITH ELECTRIC ACTUATION SYSTEMS ENABLING FUTURE SUSTAINABLE MOBILITY

KA IS ADDING SMARTNESS TO EXISTING TECHNOLOGY FOR IMPROVED FUNCTIONALITY BOTH FOR PNEUMATIC AND ELECTRIC ACTUATION SYSTEMS

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KA PROVIDES SIMPLIFIED CUSTOMER INTERFACE AND IMPROVED FUNCTIONALITY THROUGH INTEGRATED ELECTRONICS AND SMART SOFTWARE CONTROL ALGORITHMS

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COST: KEY SUCCESS FACTORS ARE PROVEN BUILDING BLOCKS WHICH SECURE BEST IN CLASS FUNCTIONALITY AT COMPETITIVE COST LEVEL

IP: MULTIPLE PATENT PENDING SOLUTIONS

KA WILL BE ONE OF THE MARKET LEADERS FOR CUSTOMIZED SMART ELECTRIC ACTUATION TECHNOLOGY FOR ELECTRIC DRIVETRAINS

## **FINANCIAL UPDATE**

## REVENUES

LOWER DEMAND IN COMMERCIAL VEHICLE MARKET DAMPEN LAST YEARS GROWTH IN CORE BUSINESS



l. Revenues from discontinued operations (related to the divested business) were excluded in 2021 and 2022 accordingly.

2. Excludes Revenues from ordinary business with BRP in Q3 and Q4 2022

## EBIT

EARNINGS IMPROVEMENT TREND REVERSED WITH A DIFFICULT Q3 AND ONE-TIME EFFECTS IN Q3 2023

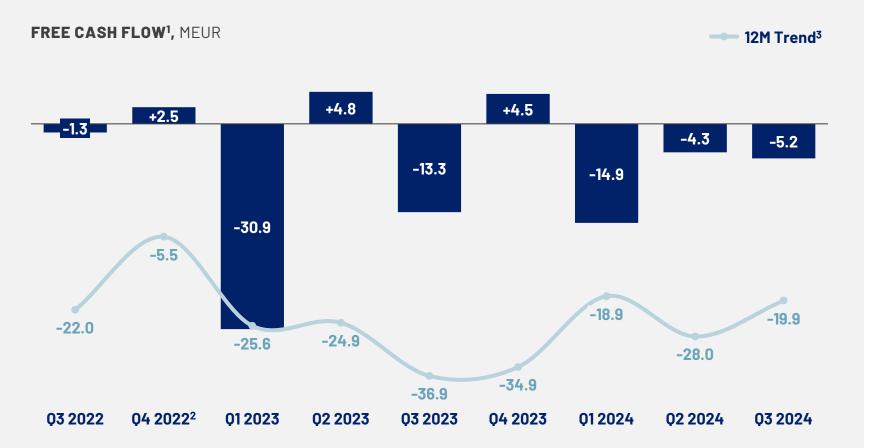


2. Excludes EBIT from ordinary business with BRP in Q3 and Q4 2022 as well as gain from sale of the Powersports business to BRP recorded in Q4 2022

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## **FREE CASH FLOW**

CASH FLOW FROM OPERATIONS STRONGLY IMPROVED NEGATIVE CURRENCY EFFECTS IMPACT Q3



**FREE CASH FLOW** 

	Q3 2024	YTD 2024
Operating activities	+11.9	+18.7
Investing activities	-5.1	-14.5
Financing activities	-7.6	-83.8
Currency and translation effects on cash flow	-4.7	-4.8
Total	-5.5	-84.4
Add back / less:		
Refinancing related activities	+0.4	+57.6
Purchase of treasury shares and others	-0.1	+2.3
Free Cash Flow	-5.2	-24.5

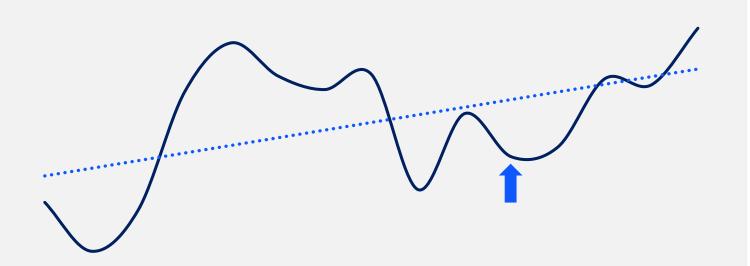
1. Free Cash Flow is measured based on sum of cash flow from operating activities, investing activities, financial activities and currency effects on cash (together described as change in cash), excluding net draw-down/repayment of debt, net effects of repayment of old bond and issuing new bond, proceeds received from capital increase and purchase of treasury shares. Thus, it includes payments for interests.

2. Excludes proceeds of MEUR 82.0 received for the sale of the Powersports business to BRP in Q4 2022

3. 12M Trend for 03-04 2022 and 01-03 2023 excludes proceeds of MEUR 82.0 received for the sale of the Powersports business to BRP in 04 2022, however includes the cash flow received from ordinary business with BRP

## **BUSINESS CYCLE MANAGEMENT** - A KEY SUCCESS FACTOR IN AUTOMOTIVE

#### **GLOBAL COMMERCIAL VEHICLES PRODUCTION**



2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022 2023 2024E 2025E 2026E 2027E 2028E

- Be aware of your current situation and take proper action without delay
- KA prompt action in summer 2024 additional cost reduction activities and focus on improved cash flow management
- > KA are closely following orderbook, customer feedback, and external information, responding swiftly to new information
- > Maximum flexibility local solutions
- > LMC indicate to start preparation for an upturn in later part of 2025

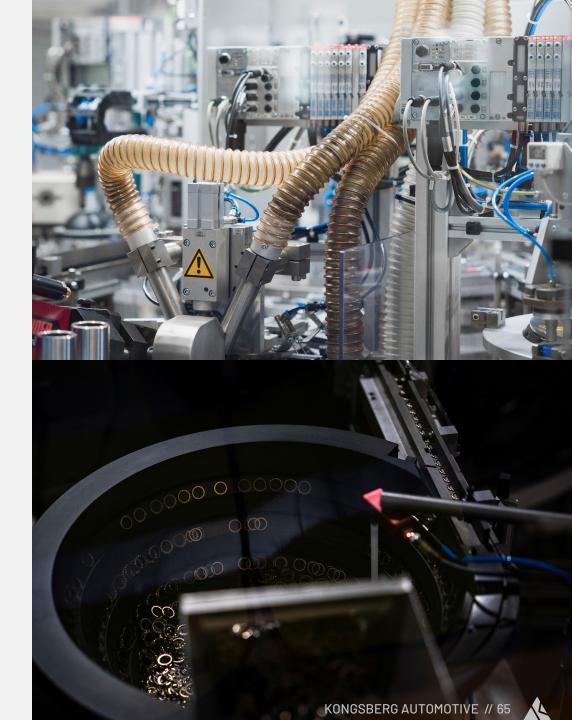


## IMPROVE PROFITABILITY – A STRUCTURED APPROACH OVER TIME – NO QUICK FIX

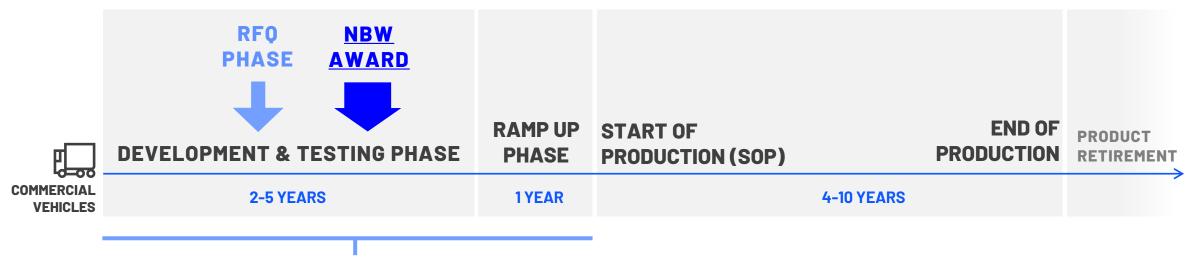
> Innovation is key in Automotive – clear focus and sufficient resources

> Growth

- > Profitability on new business in automotive are set well before start of production
- > Improve margin on existing business cross functional responsibility (sales, purchasing, engineering, operations)
- > Increase capacity utilization incl footprint optimization (make your assets sweat)
- > Cost optimization lean and efficient organization



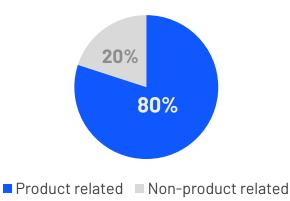
#### **PROFITABILITY ON NEW BUSINESS IN AUTOMOTIVE ARE SET WELL BEFORE START OF PRODUCTION** A WELL MANAGED PROCESS IS A KEY SUCCESS FACTOR



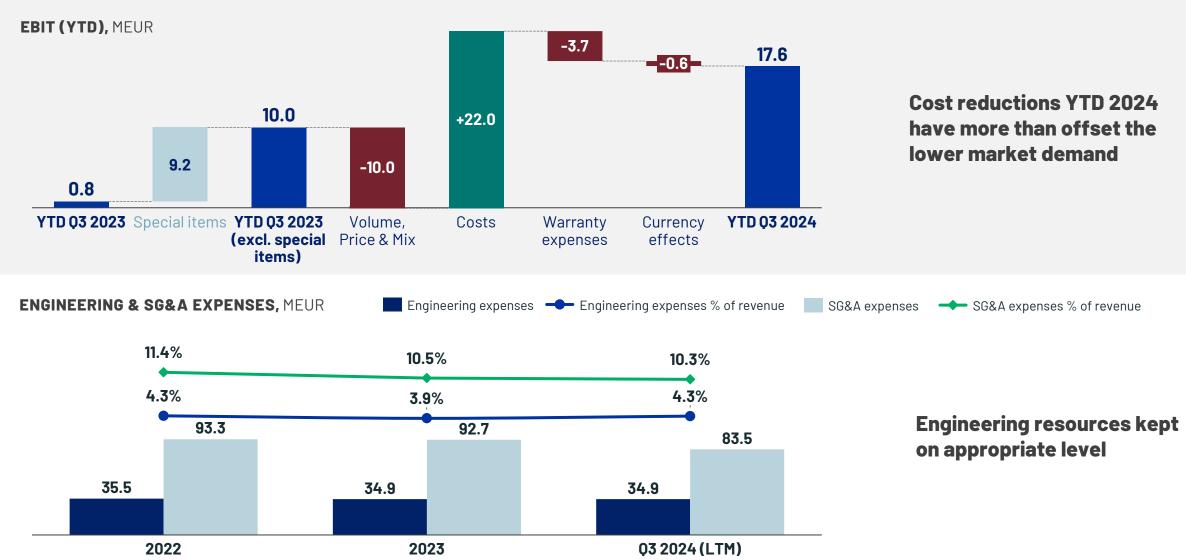
#### KEY DECISIONS AND COMMITMENTS MADE PRIOR TO SOP:

- > Pricing established for the contract duration
- Product cost committed at SOP (80% of total costs)
- > Product-related CAPEX (depreciation)
- Engineering and development expenses confirmed

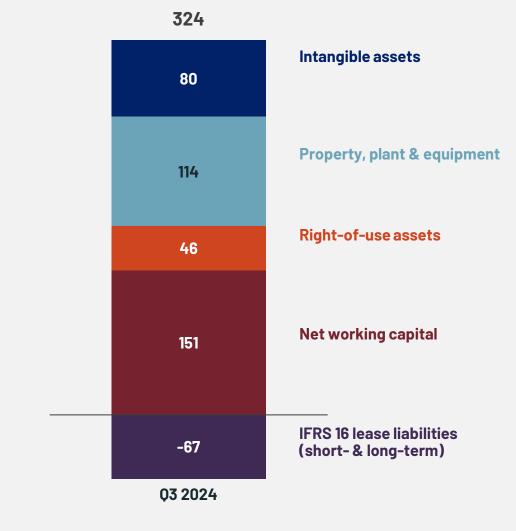




## COST REDUCTIONS ARE IMPLEMENTED - WHILE KEEPING OUR INNOVATION CAPACITY



**CAPITAL EMPLOYED,** MEUR

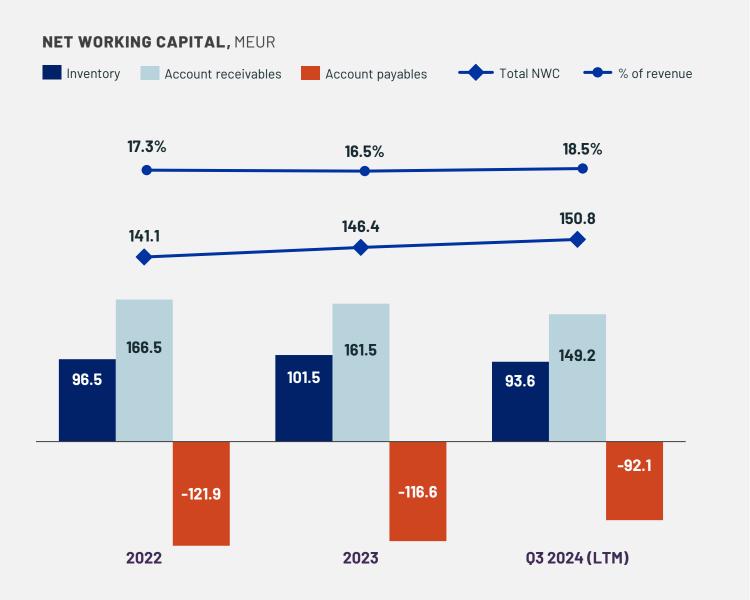




## > Improve profitability > Minimize capital employed

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## Financial update **REDUCE NET WORKING CAPITAL**



#### INVENTORY

- Globally coordinated effort to adjust stock levels to reduced market demand
- > S&OP process improvement incl customer dialogue
- > Project to work on forecast process accuracy

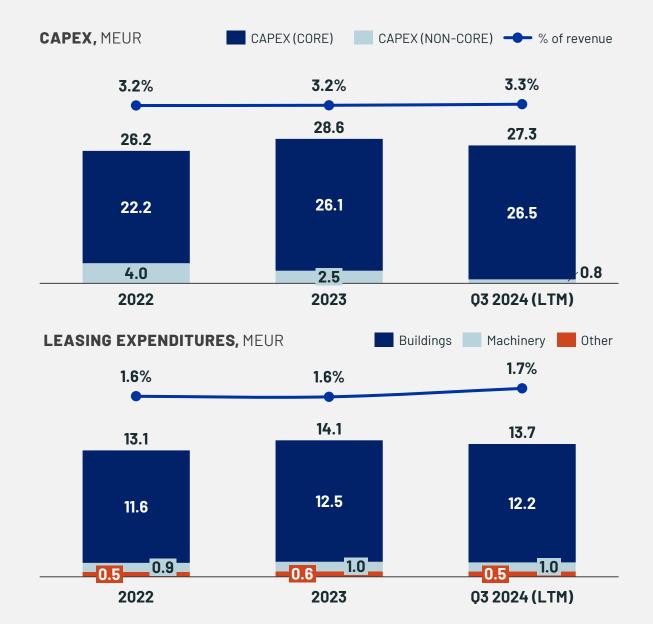
#### **ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLES**

- Order-2-Cash Taskforce including new escalation processes and measures (example delivery stop and penalty interest)
- > Shortening of payment terms (PT) for late payers
- Group Treasury approval of PT for new customers incl Credit Limits
- Review & Adjustment of PT for existing customers as part of commercial analysis processes

#### **ACCOUNTS PAYABLES**

- > Re-Negotiation of Minimum Order Quantity (MOQ)
- Preference for regional / local suppliers (nearshoring)
- > Consignment stock for larger suppliers
- > Change of Incoterms

#### Financial update PROPERTY, PLANT & EQUIPMENT AND RIGHT OF USE ASSETS

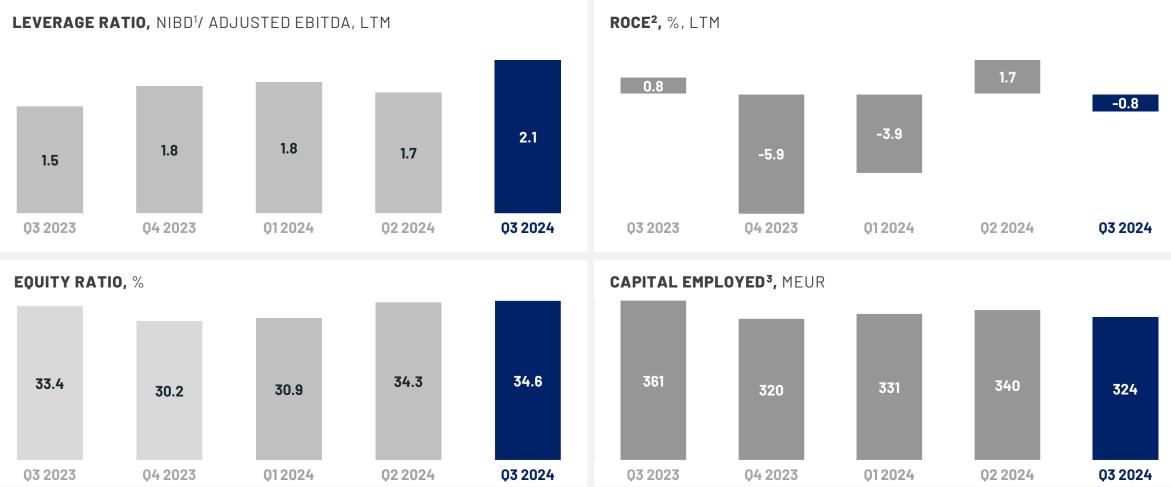


#### **CAPEX needs**

- Stable level with growth related (customer project, capacity) as the dominant driver
- Negotiation on capex funding responsibility in customer-specific projects
- Review of existing machine park based on utilization (e.g. intercompany machine transfer)
- > Replacement capex < EUR 5m

### **Funding of new CAPEX**

 Buy or lease decisions based on local cost of funds managed by Group Treasury (local funding sources v.s group resources)



 1. Net interest-bearing debt
 2. EBIT (LTM) / Average capital employed; EBIT used to calculate ROCE in Q3 2023 does not include the gain on sale of the Powersports business to BRP recorded in Q4 2022

 3. Capital employed consists of Intangible Assets, PPE's, Right -of-use assets, Net Working Capital less Lease liabilities at quarter end

Incl. IFRS 16 effect

## **AVAILABLE FINANCING**

### **MAIN INSTRUMENTS**

### > Nordic Bond N00013260943: EUR 160m

- > EUR 110m issued in June 2024
- > 4 years (June 2024, tenor June 2028)
- > Euribor 3m + 525 bps

### > Super Senior Revolving Credit Facility: EUR 15m

- > 3,5 years (June 2024, January 2028)
- > Pricing depending on leverage
- > Same collateral package as the Nordic Bond

### > Account Receivables Securitisation Facility: EUR 25m

- > Certain US / European Receivables
- > Currently capped at EUR 25m

### **ANCILLARY INSTRUMENTS**

### > Customer Financing Solutions

- > From certain customers at right terms
- > Funding related to our receivables
- > Amounts between EUR 6-8m

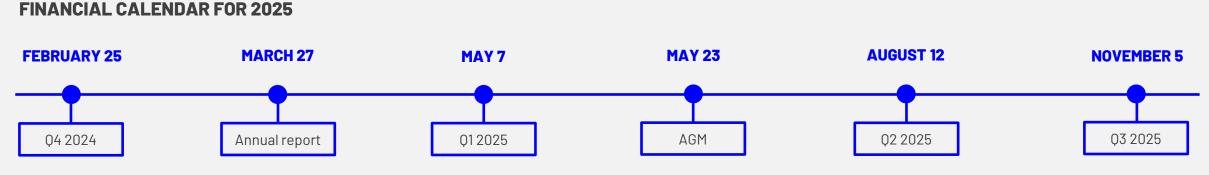
## **INCREASING INVESTOR RELATIONS AND CAPITAL MARKETS FOCUS**

#### INCREASED MARKET VISIBILITY

- > Two brokers/investment banks with active coverage, up from one a year-ago
- > Ongoing dialogue with additional brokers/banks
- > Conducted Capital Markets Day in May and today's second annual breakfast meeting

#### **PLAN FOR 2025** > Initiating **quarterly award** announcement, starting in 2025

> Expect further analysts to start coverage



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## **KEY TAKEAWAYS**

- Strong market position supplying globally recognized industry brands
- > Strategic turnaround well underway and more to come
- > Long-term underlying demand growth for commercial vehicles
- > Cost efficient platform for providing the right products to meet the market trends
- > On track for delivering on 2028 ambitions



## MOBILITY SOLUTIONS FORTHE FUTURE