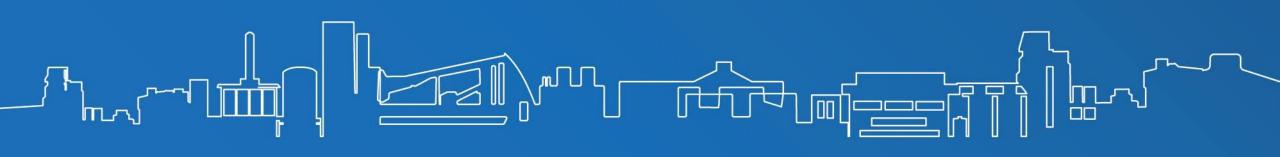
### **E&C Conference**

## **Equita**

Milan, 10 April 2024



## **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

**COMPANY OVERVIEW INVESTMENT HIGHLIGHTS FY 2023 OVERVIEW OUTLOOK 2024 OUR JOURNEY TO NET ZERO** 



## **COMPANY OVERVIEW**

### **BUZZI AT A GLANCE:**

### WELL POSITIONED TO CATCH FUTURE OPPORTUNITIES



Well balanced portfolio with exposure to mature as well as emerging markets Strong market position in USA and Eurozone, enabling us to capture the local opportunities Relevant exposure to Mexico and Brazil, countries with attractive prospects in population growth and urbanization



Above 40 mt of cement capacity available and 400 concrete plants (incl. JVs)



Strategy focused on long term and sustainable growth



Proven ability to deliver strong financial performance and free cash flows



Clear commitment to sustainability and value creation for all stakeholders



### MORE THAN 110 YEARS OF HISTORY

1907-1970

Foundation by Pietro and Antonio Buzzi, with Trino cement plant

Expansion in Northern Italy

Start of the **ready-mix** concrete production

#### 1999

Acquisition and incorporation of

#### **Unicem**:

Listing on the Italian stock exchange with the name of Buzzi Unicem



United States

#### 2009-2011

New lines in



Russia

United States

#### 2014

Acquisition of **Korkino** 



Russia

### 2018-2021

50% acquisition of **Cimento** 

#### Nacional in 2018

Acquisition of CRH Brazilian assets



Brazil



1979

Acquisition of

### Alamo

Cement

United States

2001

Acquisition of a minority stake in

### **Dyckerhoff**

(34%)

1981

Acquisition of a minority stake in

Corporacion **Moctezuma** 

Mexico

2004

Controlling stake and full consolidation



United States

Central and Eastern Europe

2013

Dyckerhoff minority squeeze out

2017 Zillo

acquisition

( Italy

2023 Change of company

name to **Buzzi Spa** 

Agreement to sell assets in Ukraine and East Slovakia



New markets

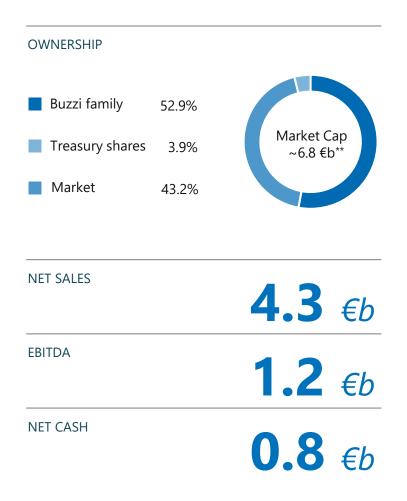


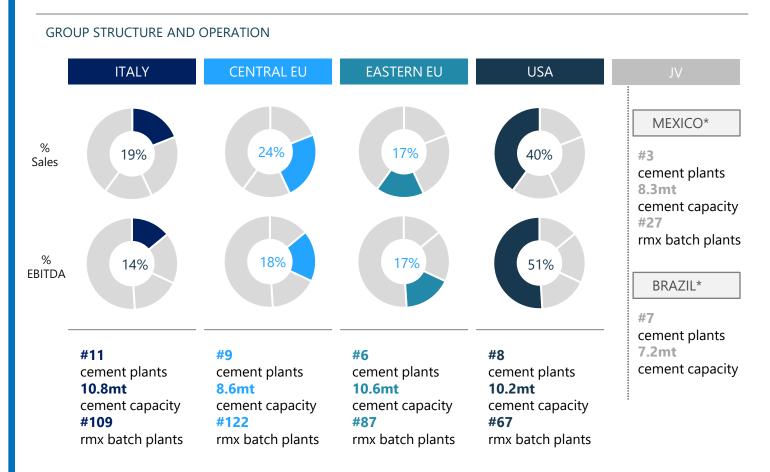
**Existing markets** 

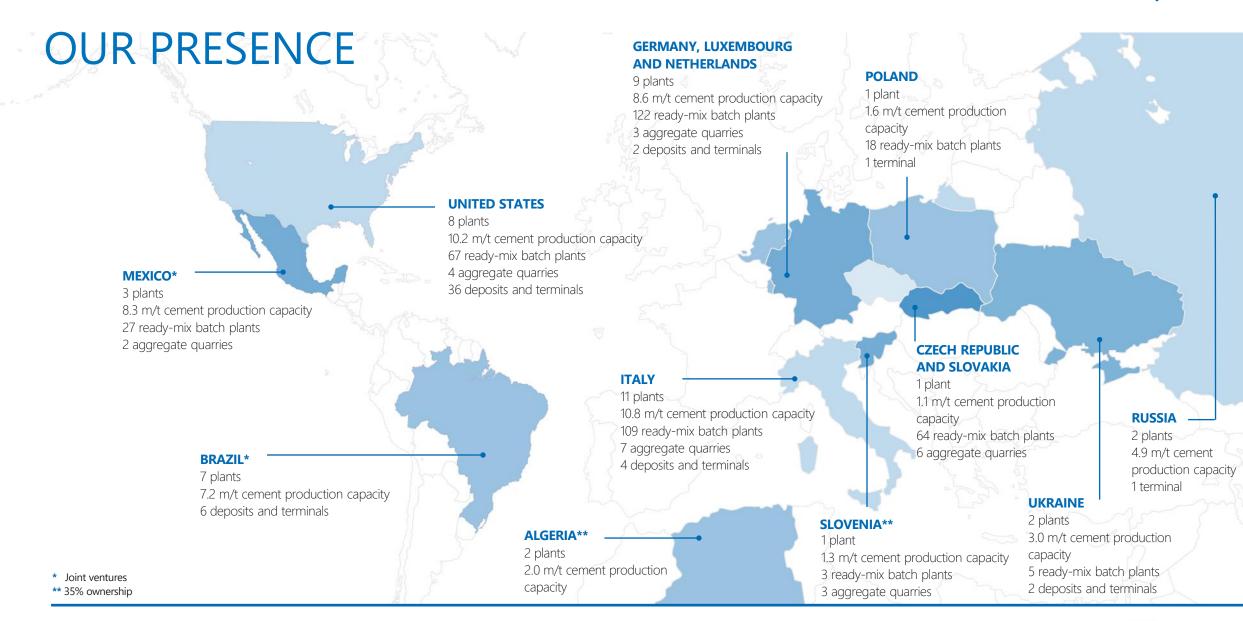


### **BUZZI TODAY**

### OPERATIONAL SUMMARY AND KEY NUMBERS



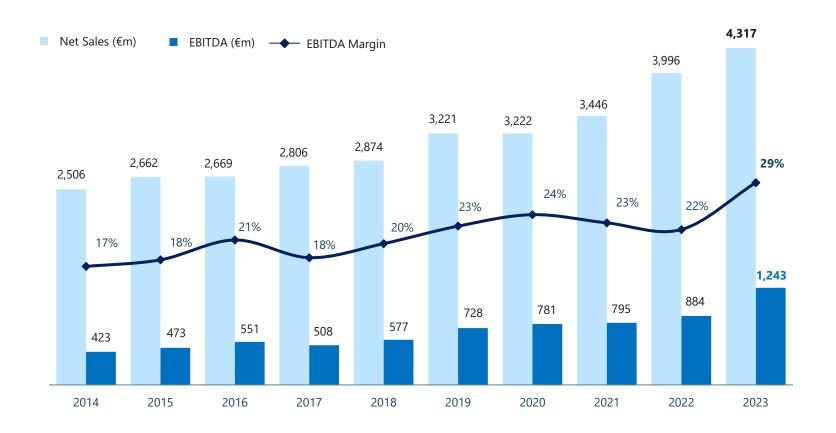






## **INVESTMENTS HIGHLIGHTS**

# INDUSTRY LEADING PERFORMANCE THROUGH THE CYCLE



### **Net Sales**

CAGR (2014-2023): +6.2% Solid growth fuelled by sound demand and significant price re-rating in recent years

#### **EBITDA**

CAGR (2014-2023):+ 12.7% Over proportional growth to Net Sales, with EBITDA which has more than doubled

### **EBITDA MARGIN**

+12 percentage points Leading performance, driven by cost efficiency and synergies

### **Margin protection**

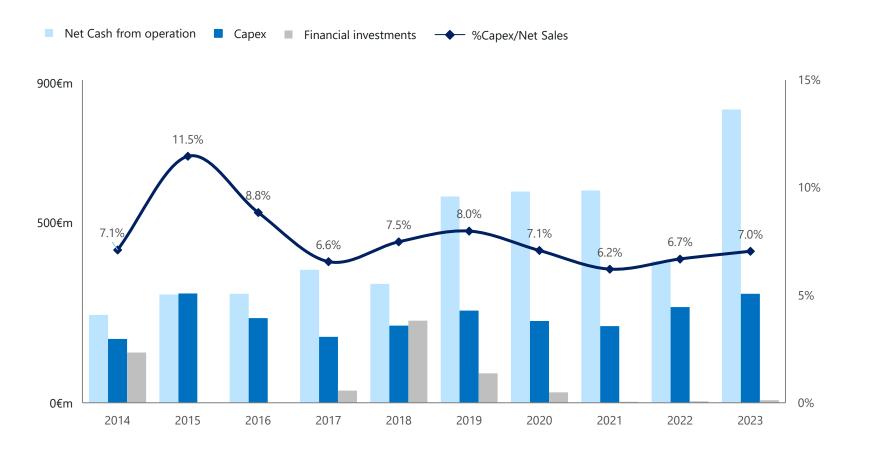
Pass through of higher costs on selling prices



## HISTORICAL EBITDA BY COUNTRY

		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Italy	EBITDA	(18.7)	(37.2)	(22.2)	(79.7)	(1.7)	43.4	33.8	40.8	82.0	175.2
	margin	-4.8%	-9.8%	-5.9%	-18.6%	-0.4%	8.6%	6.8%	6.8%	11.3%	21.4%
Germany	EBITDA	88.6	72.1	76.8	78.1	82.5	102.3	123.8	127.5	120.5	189.1
	margin	14.7%	12.6%	13.4%	13.3%	13.0%	15.1%	17.3%	18.0%	15.1%	21.7%
Benelux	EBITDA	15.9	19.7	25.8	17.6	23.1	22.7	21.7	16.5	7.0	28.1
	margin	9.7%	11.7%	14.7%	9.4%	11.7%	11.8%	11.3%	8.2%	3.1%	13.1%
Czech Rep/ Slovakia	EBITDA	27.0	32.6	34.4	36.5	43.6	46.3	46.8	51.3	56.8	72.0
	margin	20.2%	24.0%	25.2%	24.7%	26.5%	27.5%	29.4%	28.9%	28.2%	35.2%
Poland Ukraine	EBITDA	18.2	22.7	23.4	24.1	31.9	32.1	35.3	31.3	27.2	38.2
	margin	20.4%	20.4%	24.6%	24.9%	28.6%	25.9%	29.9%	24.8%	19.2%	24.3%
	EBITDA	11.0	4.0	12.8	16.0	7.0	21.0	21.9	13.3	(6.8)	5.6
	margin	12.5%	5.7%	16.1%	16.9%	8.0%	15.9%	18.9%	10.5%	-11.4%	6.5%
Russia	EBITDA	73.4	48.4	43.2	46.0	50.1	57.7	52.9	58.6	99.6	96.2
	margin	35.0%	29.0%	28.0%	24.9%	27.0%	26.9%	28.3%	28.3%	34.3%	33.8%
	EBITDA	207.3	311.7	356.5	369.6	341.2	402.7	444.2	455.1	497.5	639.2
USA	margin	24.2%	28.1%	31.9%	33.0%	31.9%	32.4%	35.2%	34.2%	31.3%	36.7%
Consolidated (IFRS application)	EBITDA	422.7	473.2	550.6	508.2	577.2	728.1	780.8	794.6	883.7	1,243.2
	margin	16.9%	17.8%	20.6%	18.1%	20.1%	22.6%	24.2%	23.1%	22.1%	28.8%
Mexico (50%)	EBITDA	93.9	128.1	146.7	164.6	144.5	126.1	132.5	141.3	152.9	232.8
	margin	36.0%	40.9%	48.2%	48.0%	46.3%	42.5%	46.2%	42.7%	39.8%	45.4%
Brazil (50%)	EBITDA					15.9	11.7	24.0	40.5	59.4	44.3
	margin					23.9%	17.4%	34.5%	31.9%	29.7%	22.5%
Consolidated	EBITDA	516.6	601.3	697.3	672.8	737.6	865.9	937.3	976.4	1,096.0	1,520.3
(proportional method)	margin	18.7%	20.2%	23.5%	21.4%	22.7%	24.2%	26.2%	25.0%	23.3%	30.2%

## SOUND CASH GENERATION AND VALUE CREATIVE CAPITAL ALLOCATION



### **~4.5** €billion

Cumulative Net Cash from Operation generated over 10 years

#### ~2.4 €billion

Cumulative investments in industrial assets over the period

#### ~7.6%

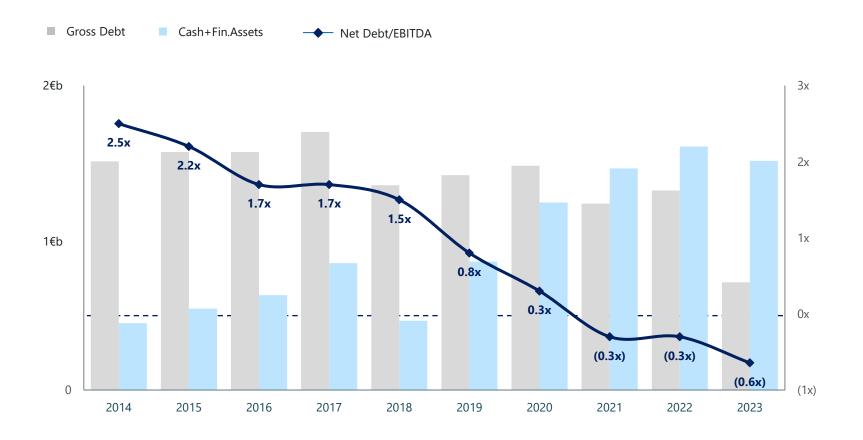
Average Capex/Sales ratio: track record of disciplined and selective investment decisions

#### ~0.5 €hillion

Cumulative financial investments to enter in new market (Brazil, 2018) or to strengthened our position in existing markets



## STRONG BALANCE SHEET, PRESERVING INVESTMENT **CAPACITY FOR GROWTH**



### **Consistent deleveraging**

Achieved in 10 years, while continuing to create value

### **Net Cash position**

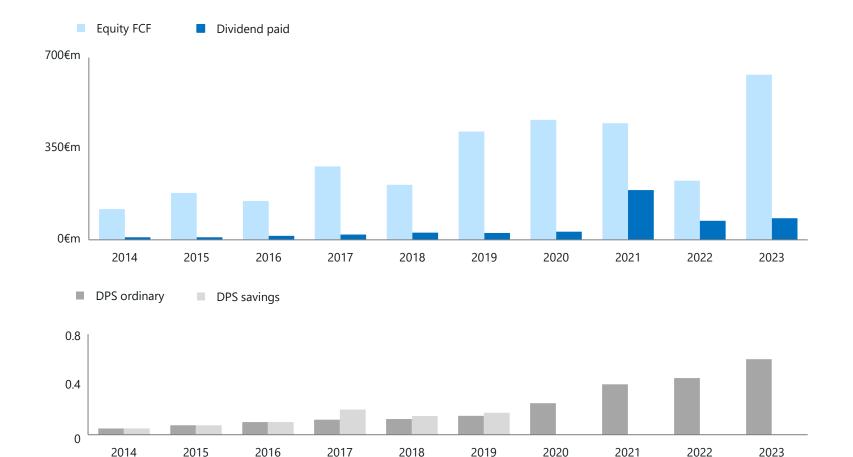
Since the end of 2021, further strengthened in 2023. Strongest balance sheet in the industry

### **Investment grade metrics**

Remain among our commitments, preserving the capacity to create value for the company and shareholders, while financing the Net Zero transition



# SUSTAINABLE GROWTH IN SHAREHOLDERS REMUNERATION



### +21%

#### Equity FCF CAGR

Thanks to strengthened operating results, selective CAPEX and reduced interests through deleveraging

### ~750 €million

Returned to shareholders since 2014 ~500 € million as dividens

~250 € million ad buybacks

### **DPS** growth

Commitment to a sustainable growth in dividend policy



### DISCIPLINED AND BALANCED FINANCIAL APPROACH

#### WITHIN THE COMPANY....

- Margins protection, through organic growth, adequate pricing and efficient cost management
- Selective decisions on Capex (~8% to Net Sales)
- Maintaining positive avg ROIC vs WACC spread
- Maintaining investment grade metrics (Net debt/EBITDA ratio of 1.5 x - 2.0 x)
- Focus on cash generation and allocating exceeding cash to M&A and shareholders

#### ...AND EXTERNAL FUNDING

- Funding plan with access to fixed income markets and loan markets as well as private placements focusing on maturity profiles, flexibility and cost of funding.
- Proactively looking for public subsidies for developing new technologies
- ESG targets and metrics will be integrated in our financial documentations.



## **FY 2023 OVERVIEW**

### **2023 IN BRIEF**



Consolidated Net Sales reached 4,317 €m (+11.1% lfl), driven by solid price momentum in all Regions.

Recurring EBITDA at 1,237 €m (+43.7% lfl), the highest result ever in the group history; main additional contribution from Italy, Germany and USA.

Significant improvement in EBITDA margin at 28.7% (+640bps)



Sound cash generation, although negative impact from working capital and higher capex. Positive development of ROCE over WACC spread, strengthened in 2023 despite higher cost of capital.



Dividend increased by 33% at 0.60 € ps. Share price +133% past two years.



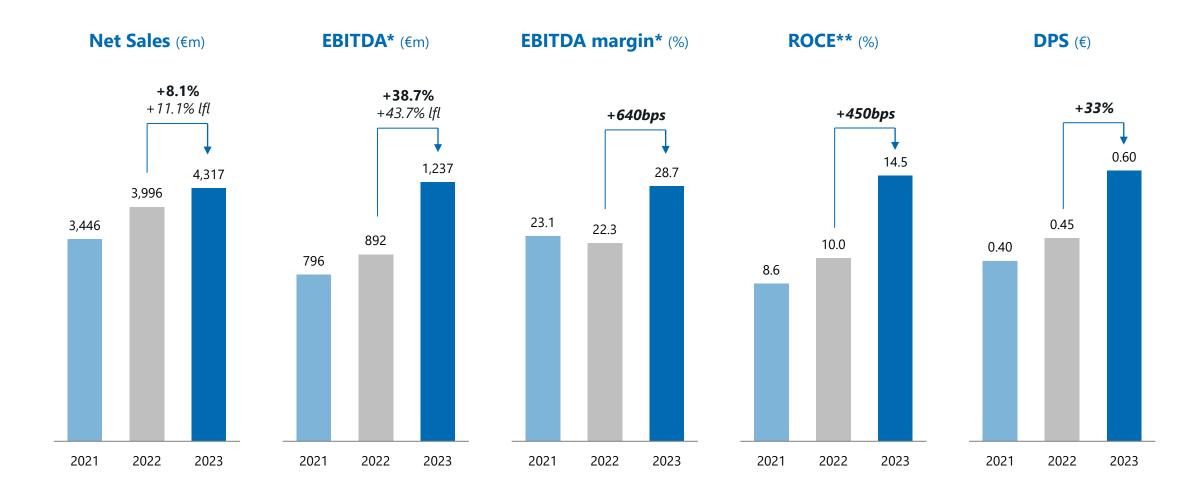
2030 CO<sub>2</sub> reduction program on track and targets confirmed.



Commitment to the price over cost evolution in all Regions to protect margins 2024 group recurring EBITDA expected to consolidate the 2023 level



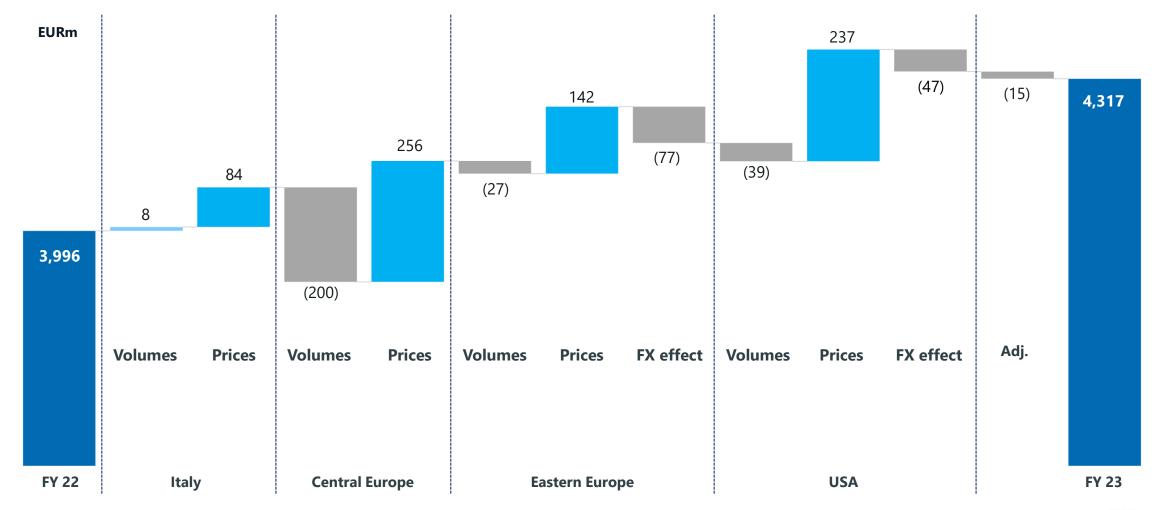
### 2023 KEY FIGURES



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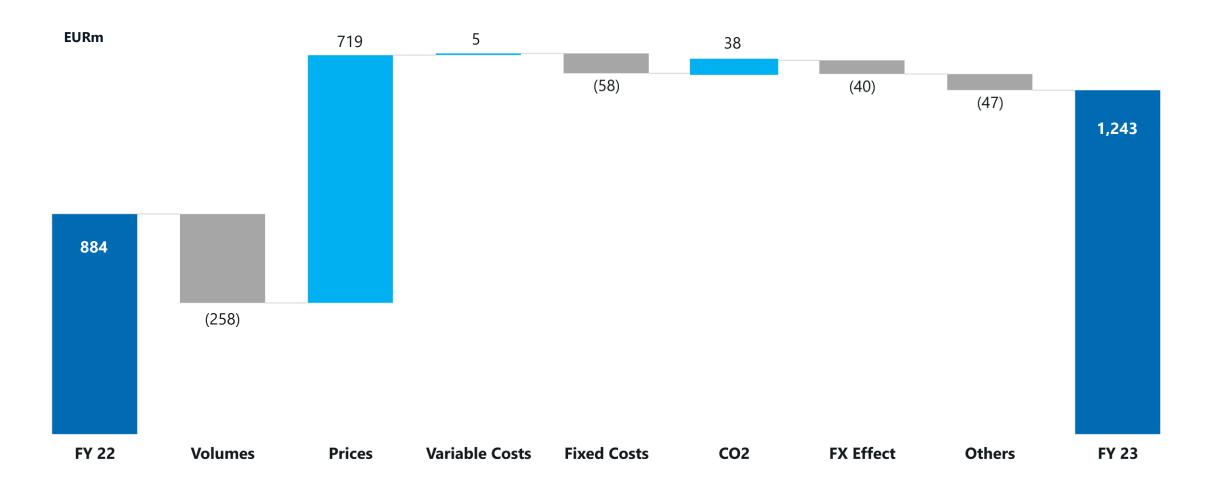
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### NET SALES VARIANCE ANALYSIS





## EBITDA BRIDGE





## **OUTLOOK 2024**

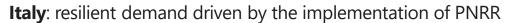


### OUTLOOK 2024



Macroeconomic condition are still going to weight on construction investments in 2024, with subdued residential activity in all Regions; infrastructure projects are expected to support investments in Italy and USA

**USA**: cement demand bolstered by infrastructures spending and re-shoring activity

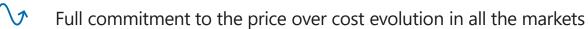


**Central Europe, Poland and Czech**: still subdued construction activity, due to persisting residential weakness

**Mexico**: construction investments expected to remain in good shape thanks to near-shoring and acceleration in infrastructure

**Brazil**: cement demand supported by public work, social housing and loosening of interest rates









## **OUR JOURNEY TO NET ZERO**

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### TRACK RECORD IN CO2 EMISSIONS REDUCTION AND AMBITIOUS TARGETS

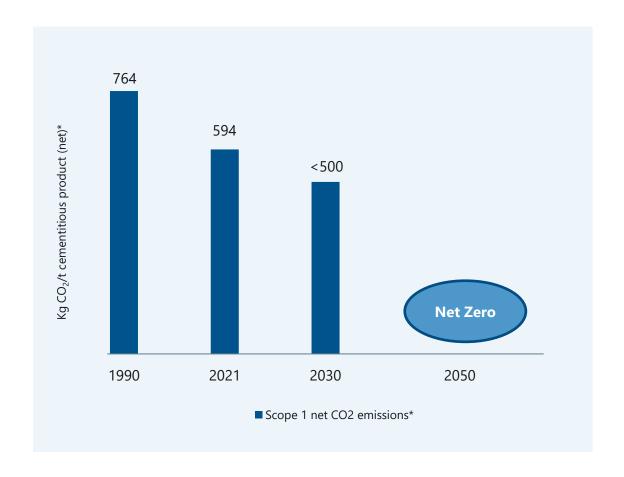
Proven track record in CO<sub>2</sub> emissions reduction. Already reduced by ~20% CO2 emissions in 2021 vs 1990.

Targeting to achieve CO<sub>2</sub> emissions (scope 1 net) below 500 kg per ton of cementitious material by 2030, meaning another 20% reduction vs 2021 level\*.

TCFD alignment SBTi validation

#### **ROADMAP 2030 - 2050**

Realistic path to turn ambition into reality





## **EXPECTED CAPEX BY 2030**

**750** €m

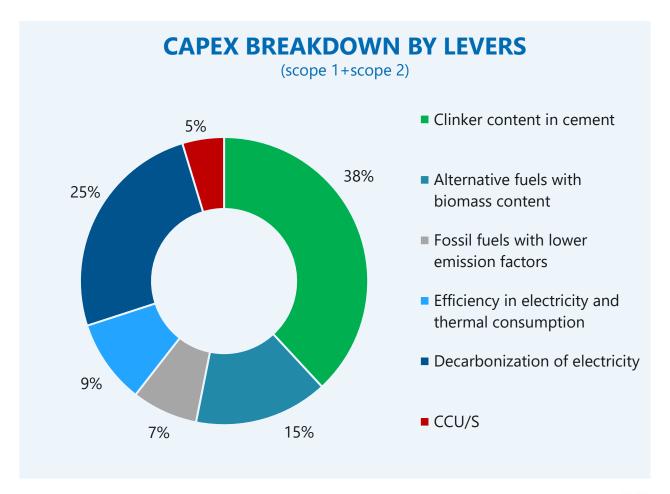
Expected capex requirements for 2030 target

20-30%

CO<sub>2</sub> specific capex on total annual spending

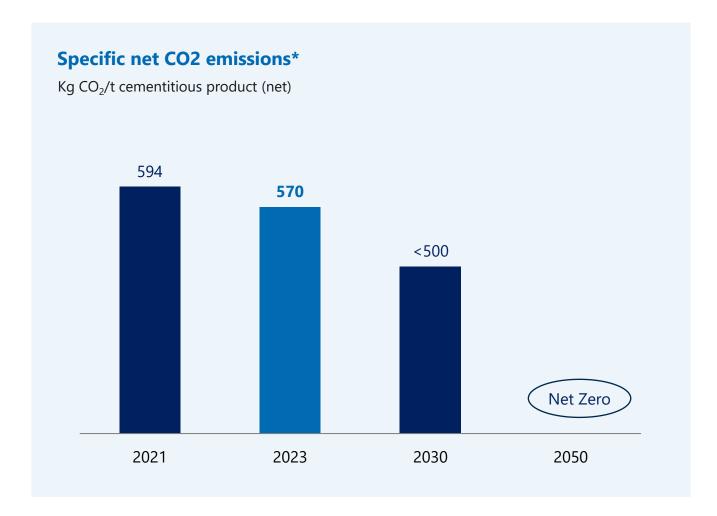
 $\sim$  8%

Capex to net sales ratio over the period





### 2023 CO2 REDUCTION ON TRACK



CO2 emissions reduction in line with our roadmap.

Among main contributors:

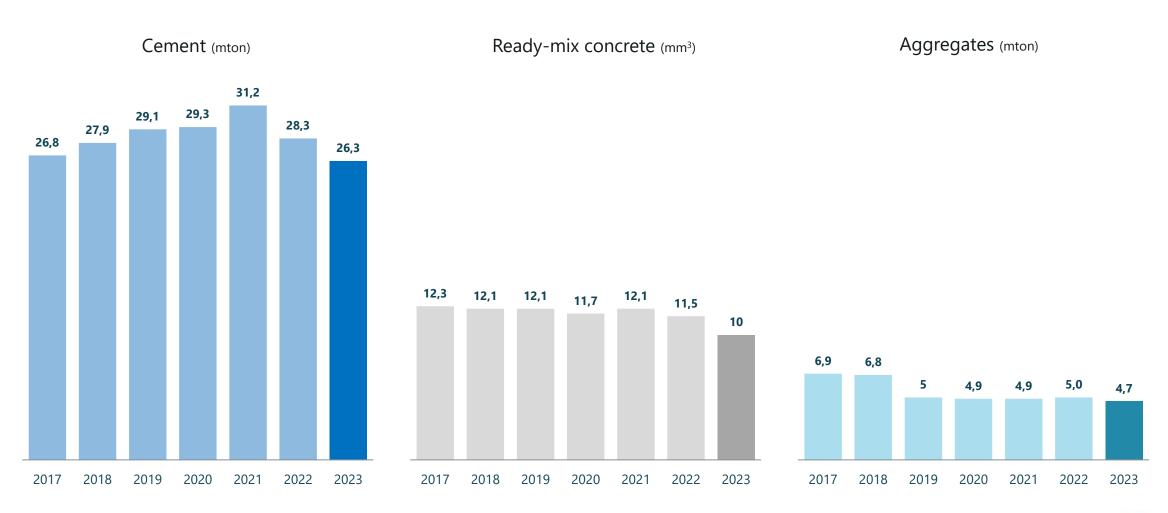
- Reduced clinker ratio in Luxembourg (-410bps), Italy and US.
- Significant increase in thermal substitution in Italy (+640bps), Luxembourg (+850bps) and Czech Republic (+710bps).
- Targets confirmed



## **APPENDIX**

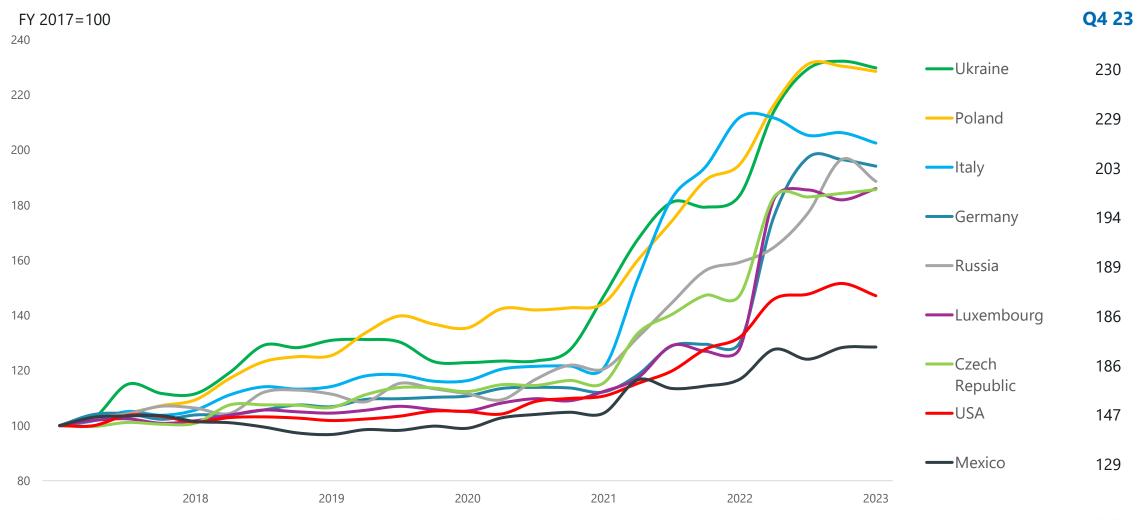


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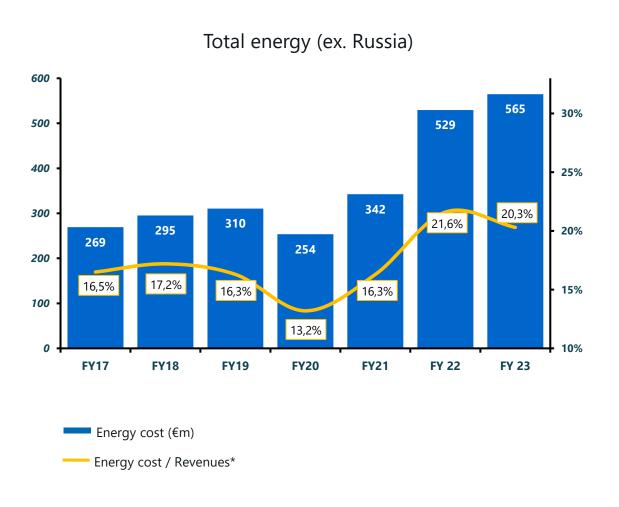


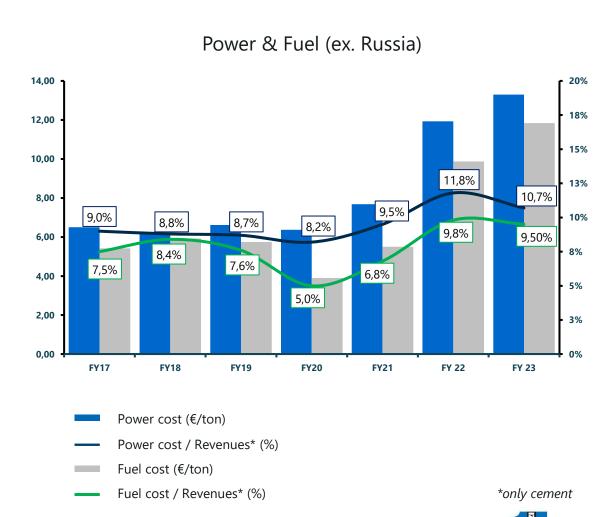
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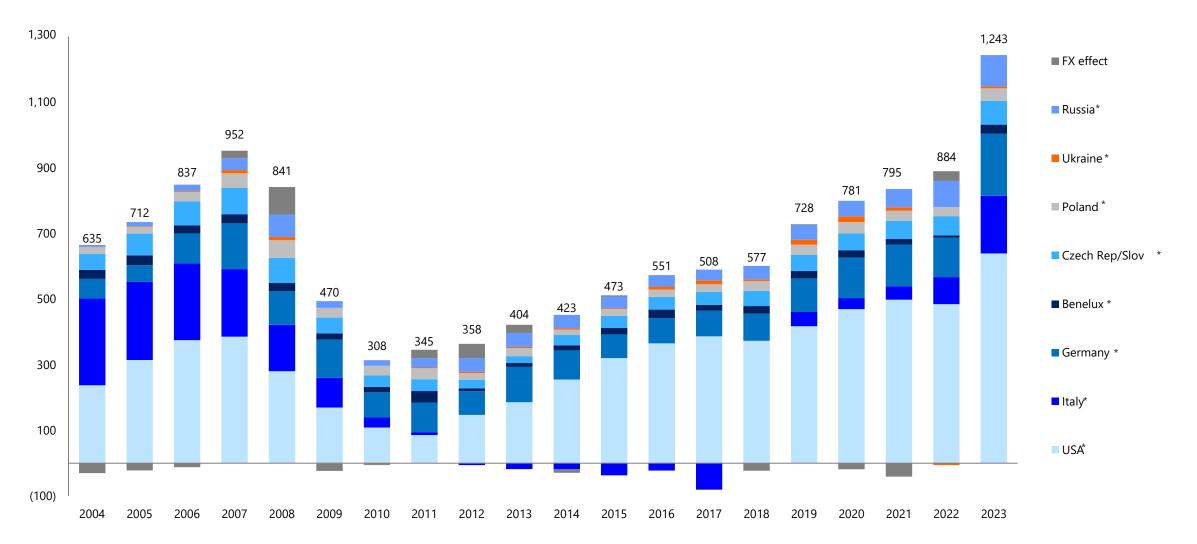


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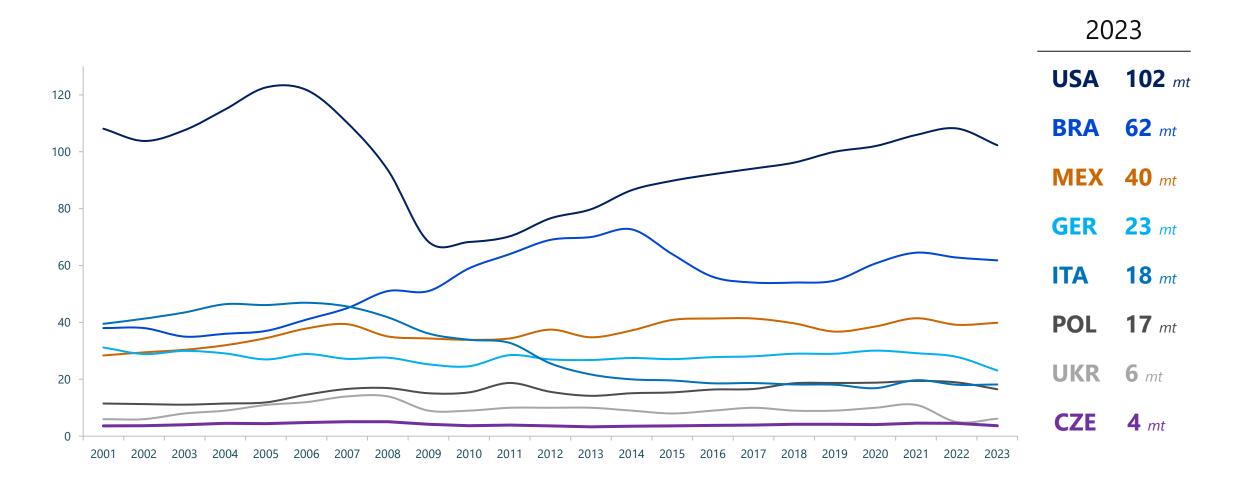




## LONG TERM EBITDA EVOLUTION BY REGION

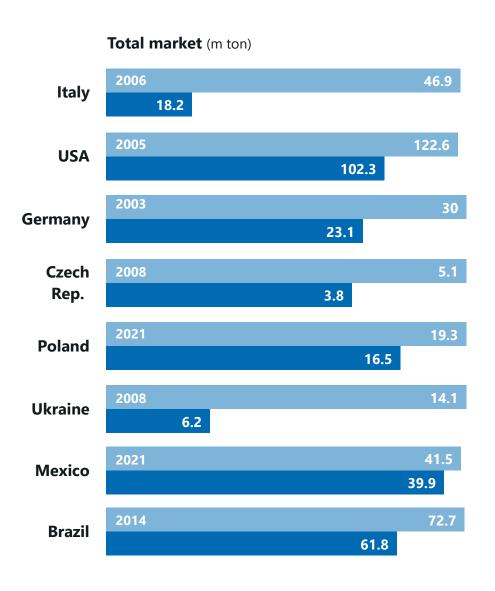


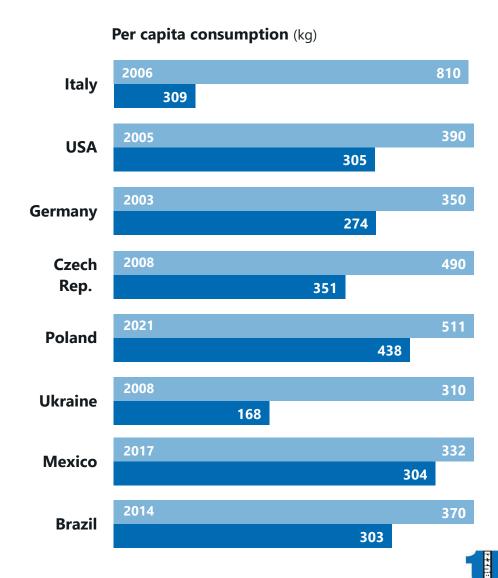
### HISTORICAL CEMENT CONSUMPTION BY COUNTRY





### 2023 CEMENT CONSUMPTION VS PEAK





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