## **2023** Half-Year Results

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## **Business Lines and Approach**

Historical businesses generate strong cash flow, most recent ones ensure long-term growth



**ENERGY DISTRIBUTION Steady development and improved profitability** 

**RETAIL & MARKETING** 

## **SUPPORT & SERVICES**





#### Africa, Caribbean, Europe

## Distribution of energy and bitumen B2C and B2B from supply to end customer

- <u>LPG</u> lower carbon-intensive solution in rural areas in Europe, cleaner energy in Africa/Caribbean
- <u>Fuel & Lubricants</u> high growth potential in Africa and the Caribbean with increasing demand for mobility
- Bitumen road infrastructure in Africa

#### RENEWABLE ELECTRICITY PRODUCTION Accelerating development



#### Europe (Photosol), Caribbean (HDF Energy)

#### Photovoltaic electricity

2% of Group

EBITDA<sup>(1)</sup>

- 394 MWp installed capacity as of Jun-23
- 3.8 GW pipeline as of Jun-23
- Activity in France, recent international development (Italy, Spain, Poland)

### BULK LIQUID STORAGE (JV) Portfolio optimisation



#### France, Belgium, Spain, The Netherlands

## Independent leader in the storage of industrial liquid bulk

Increasing share of non-fuel products (biofuels, chemicals, agrifood) and French State strategic reserves → 72% of total storage revenues

Accounted for under equity method

(1) As of Jun-23 – Excluding Rubis SCA impact.

98%

of Group EBITDA<sup>(1)</sup>

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73% of Group

Fixed assets<sup>(1)</sup>

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27% of Group

Fixed assets<sup>(1)</sup>

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## **Market Outlook and Strategy**

A differentiated approach depending on products and geographies

## MID-TERM MARKET OUTLOOK AND RUBIS DIFFERENTIATED STRATEGY

## **AFRICA**

- LPG
  - Transition energy
- Fuel
  - Need for mobility
  - Growth in line with demography
  - Increasing « middle-class » share of the population
  - NFR
- Bitumen
  - Need for infrastructure
  - Under-developped road network
  - Management of the supply chain

## CARRIBEAN

#### • LPG

- Growth in line with tourism
- Full management of the supply chain

#### • Fuel

- Booming Guyana economy
- Optimisation of the network
- NFR

## EUROPE

- LPG
  - Slowly decreasing market
  - Increasing market share
  - High profitability

#### • Renewable electricity

- Booming market in Europe
- European expansion

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New technologies

## 15-20% p.a.

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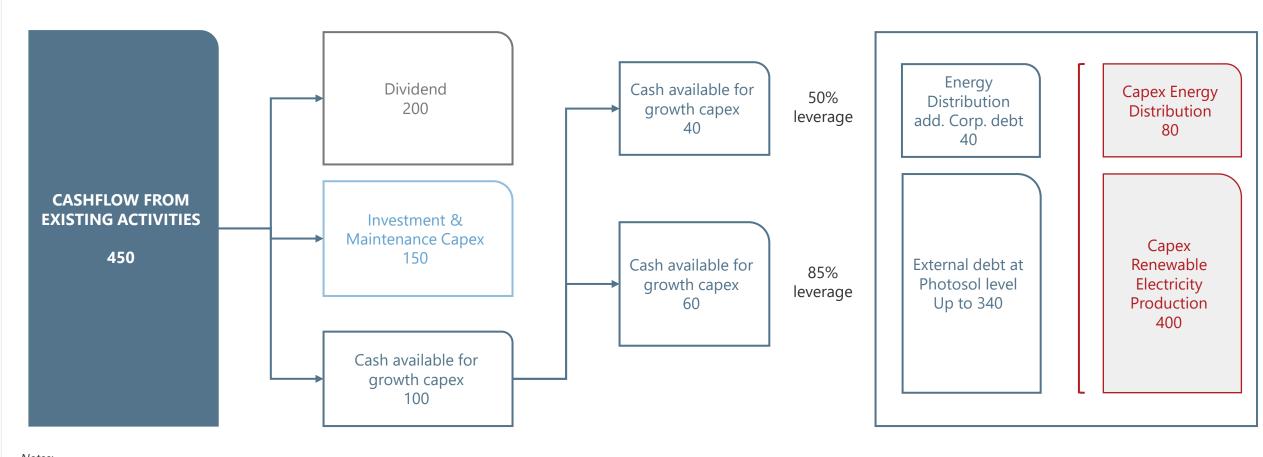
5-10% p.a.



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## 01 Annual cashflow allocation mechanism for Rubis Group

Financing investments with cashflow from existing activities while pursuing dividend growth



#### <u>Notes:</u> In €m

Working Capital Requirement may vary from one year to another, but is estimated at zero on a long-term basis.

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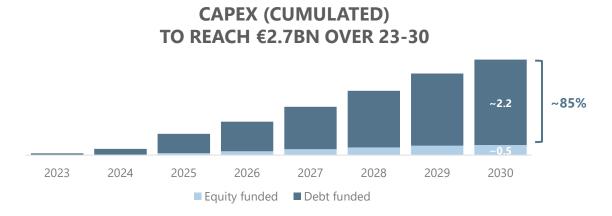


## **Rubis Photosol Updated Ambitions**

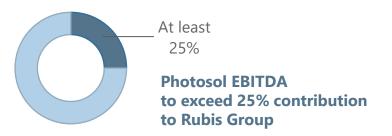
Including Mobexi and International development

## OPERATING CAPACITY TO REACH 1 GW IN 2025 & 3.5 GW IN 2030









## CONTINUED DISCIPLINED INVESTMENT APPROACH

# Financial structure:RefMax [20-25]% Equity•Min [75-80]% Non-recourse debt

#### **Return:**

Min Project IRR [6-8]%

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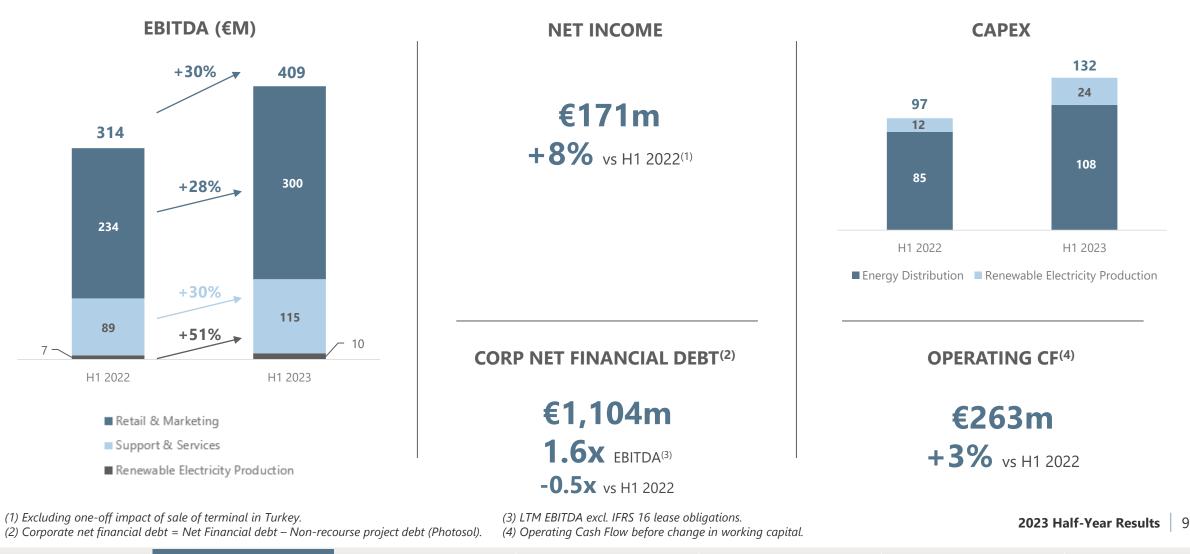
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## 02 H1 2023 Key Financial Figures

Solid operating performance partially offset by FX effects – Cash-flow generation maintained at a high level



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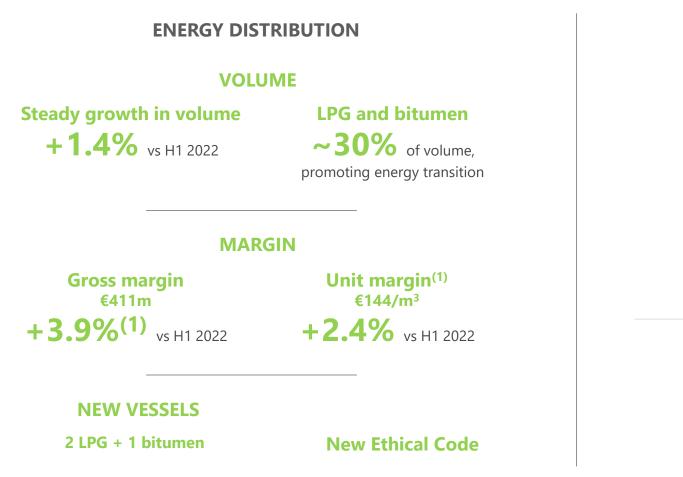
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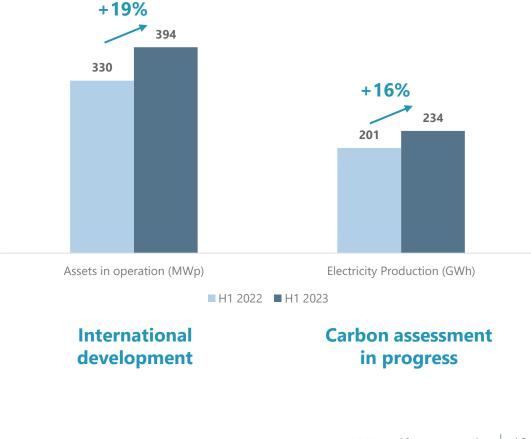


## 02 H1 2023 Key Operating Figures

Solid performance of Energy Distribution – Promising developments in Renewable Electricity Production



#### **RENEWABLE ELECTRICITY PRODUCTION**



(1) Adjusted for sums recovered after the settlement of the agreement with the Government in Madagascar related to H2 2022, and FX effects in Nigeria.

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## H1 2023 Energy Distribution Highlights

EBIT up 32% - A diversified model proving its efficiency

(in million euros)	H1 2023	H1 2022	Var %
Retail & Marketing			
Volume ('000m <sup>3</sup> )	<b>2,867</b>	<b>2,828</b>	<b>1%</b>
o/w Europe	451	443	2%
o/w Carribean	1,091	1,117	-2%
o/w Africa	1,326	1,268	5%
Adj Gross margin	<b>411</b>	<b>396</b>	<b>4%</b>
o/w Europe	111	110	0%
o/w Carribean	146	128	14%
o/w Africa	155	158	-2%
EBIT	<b>247</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>34%</b>
o/w Europe	38	41	-8%
o/w Carribean	76	60	27%
o/w Africa	133	82	61%
Support & Services			
EBIT	<b>94</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>25%</b>
o/w SARA	19	11	75%
o/w Fuel supply shipping	39	34	13%
o/w Bitumen supply shipping	28	21	35%
o/w Logistics Indian Ocean	7	9	-17%
TOTAL EBIT Energy Distribution	341	259	32%



#### • Volume and gross margin

- LPG Strong performance of bulk business in Kenya. Morocco and Portugal dynamic trends
- Fuel Kenya rebranding program 90% achieved. Eastern Carribean and Jamaica showing strong traction in retail
- Bitumen slightly behind due to elections in Nigeria Most recent countries deliver strong growth

## • EBIT

- EBIT inflated by FX effects in Nigeria €25m
- Support & Services Bitumen supply activity at a high level optimal use of vessels in the context of a lower in-house activity

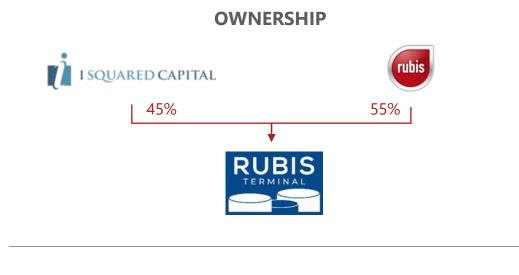
## • Key developments

- 2 new LPG vessels in the Caribbean and 1 bitumen vessel
- First Sea Cargo Charter annual disclosure report issued
- Updated CSR Roadmap including KPIs monitoring
- Distribution of the new Code of Ethics in all affiliates

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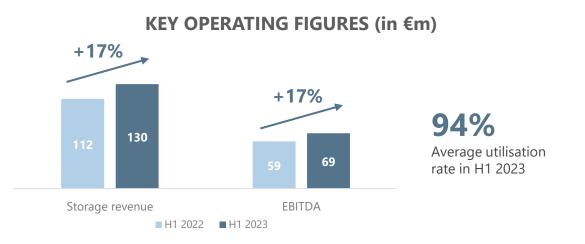
## 02 H1 2023 Rubis Terminal JV Highlights

Newly-commissioned capacities in ARA zone bring additional revenue

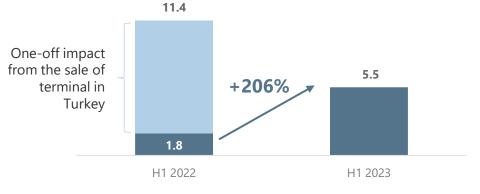


## H1 2023 HIGHLIGHTS

- Impact of inflation passed-on to customers
- **Product mix:** Share of non-fuel products and strategic reserves at 72% at the end of Jun-23
- July-23: Disposal of the wholesale business (CPA) making Rubis Terminal a pure player of bulk liquid storage



### CONTRIBUTION TO RUBIS NET INCOME (M€)



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## <sup>03</sup> **Rubis Photosol One year later**

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## Photosol key developments

Major milestones passed since the acquisition by Rubis

## STRONG DEVELOPMENT ON THE FRENCH MARKET

• Pipeline growth

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Assets in operation +19% from 330MWp at Jun-22 to 394MWp at Jun-23 (\*)



**3.8 GWp** under development in France at Jun-23

- First Corporate PPAs
  - 38MWp, 20-year contract signed with Leroy Merlin in Jan-23
  - 100 MWp under negotiations with various corporations
- First Master supply agreement executed with First Solar for >300MWp
- Acquisition of Mobexi in Nov-22
- Full coverage of French territory with regionalisation of commercial teams with 5 new agencies across France
- First corporate financing with commercial banks : €115m total (of which €55m Term Loan and €60m RCF) to finance development growth



## INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT ADDING GROWTH POTENTIAL TO THE ALREADY AMBITIOUS TARGETS

#### Italy

- First acquisition of a 100MWp portfolio o/w 25MWp RTB
- Development platform to originate greenfield pipeline ambition to triple by 2030
- Italy targets 80 GW of solar by 2030 up from 22 GW installed to date
- Spain
  - Co-development partnership for greenfield projects
  - Spain targets 76 GW by 2030 Storage development opportunities
- Poland
  - Newer solar energy market with potential: 12 GW in operation at end-2022, new NECP to be issued shortly
  - Coal phasing-out strategy through Solar and Storage

(\*) Assets in operation as of 7 Sept 23 : 421 MWp including an additional +27 MWp of Projects COD in Aug 23.

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## Mobexi - Development and construction of solar agricultural warehouses

Photosol's entry into the C&I market

- Market and expertise diversification for the Group
  - Addressing the agricultural, public administrations and C&I market segment for solarization projects of 100kW to 3 MWp
  - Photosol is now able to address the full scope of solar solutions on these markets (development, construction, operation of our own assets in production as well as autoconso for clients)
  - Long-term, 10% of assets in operation will be rooftops and carparks -Dedicated team
- Market segment with rapid growth potential in France
  - French NECP (PPE) targets 13 GW of installed capacity on rooftops by 2028
  - Mandatory car canopies solarization
  - Agricultural warehouses development Autoconso and decarbonation strategy for C&I rooftops
  - New FIT: guichet ouvert S21 in France for rooftops and canopies between 100kWp et 500kWp
- Commercial and development synergies with Rubis' affiliates in Metropolitan France and oversee territories (DROM)





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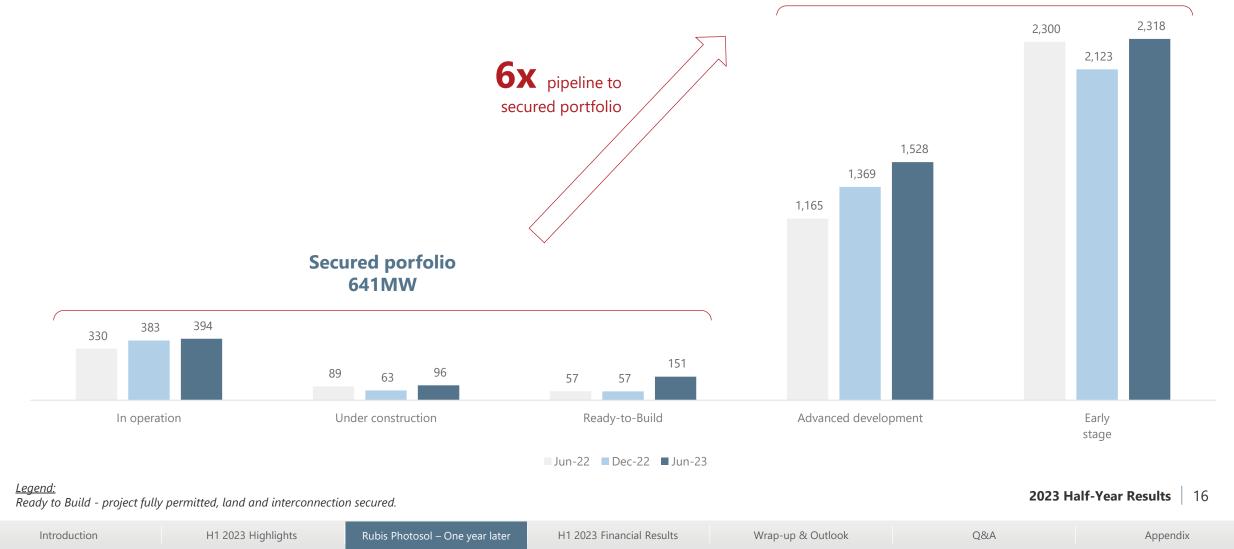
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## 03 Photosol portfolio as at June 2023



Strong development achieved over a year, more growth to come

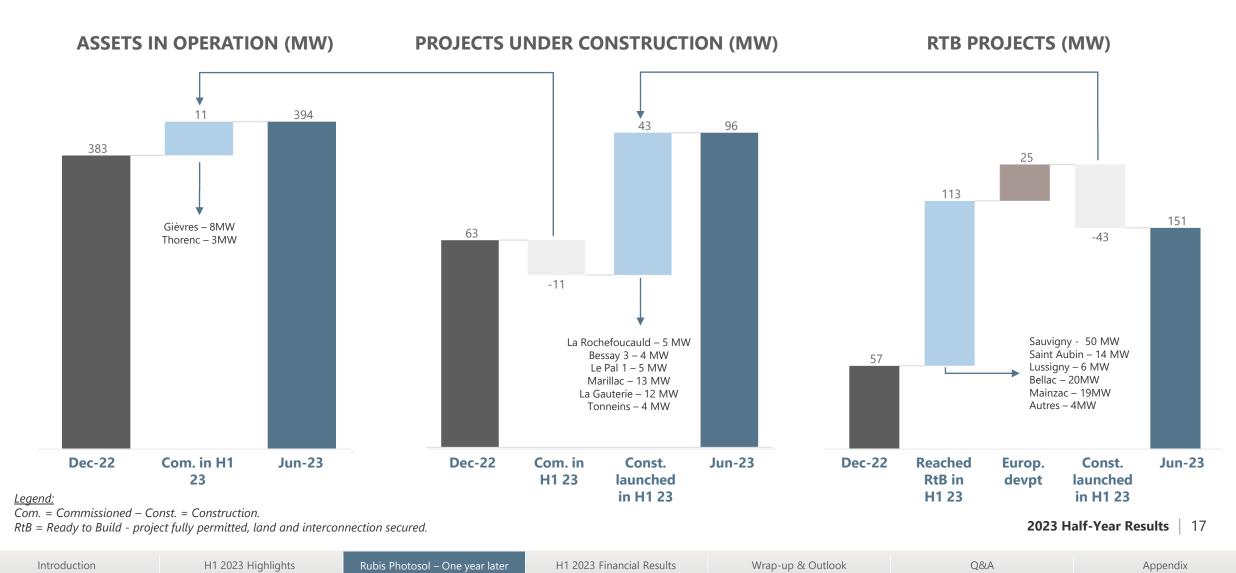




## 03 Photosol portfolio development since Dec-22

Strong development achieved over a year, more growth to come





## 03 Photosol – Recently-permitted project

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- Permit obtained in Apr-23 Construction to start in 2024
- 45-55 MWc Estimated production 60 GWh 60ha
- Agri-voltaism project Sheep Farming
- Project IRR in line with investment criteria Leverage [85-95]% 20+yrs tenor
- Diversified energy selling strategy mixed CRE + PPA
- €[25-35]m investment





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## 04 **Financial Results**



Income Statement Highlights

	H1 2023	H1 2022	Var %	
EBITDA	409	314	+30%	<ul> <li>Group EBITDA is inflated from FX pass-through in Nigeria (€25m) in H1 2023.</li> <li>When adjusted for this effect, EBITDA increased by 22% yoy</li> </ul>
o/w Energy Distribution Retail & Marketing	300	234	+28%	
o/w Energy Distribution Support & Services	115	89	+30%	
o/w Renewable Electricity Prodution	10	7	+51%	
o/w Rubis SCA Holding	-16	-15	+6%	
EBIT	323	244	+32%	<ul> <li>Group EBIT is inflated from FX pass-through in Nigeria (€25m) in H1 2023.</li> <li>When adjusted for this effect, EBIT increased by 21% yoy</li> </ul>
o/w Energy Distribution Retail & Marketing	247	184	+34%	
o/w Energy Distribution Support & Services	94	75	+25%	
o/w Renewable Electricity Prodution	-1	1	-245%	
o/w Rubis SCA Holding	-17	-16	+5%	
Share of net income from associates	6	12	-47%	<ul> <li>Contribution from Rubis Terminal (JV): One-off effect from exit from Turkey in H1 22 (€10m)</li> </ul>
Non-recurring income & expenses	-5	-8	-34%	
Net financial charges, incl. IFRS 16	-36	-16	+145%	<ul> <li>Increase in interest charges in line with increase in market interest rates</li> </ul>
FX financial charges	-80	-19	+321%	• Severe impact from Nigerian (€46m) and Kenyan (€25m) currencies
Taxes	-32	-41	-21%	Ctropp performance in accompation with low townstor
Tax rate	16%	19%	n/a	Strong performance in geographies with low tax rates
Net income Group share	171	170	+1%	

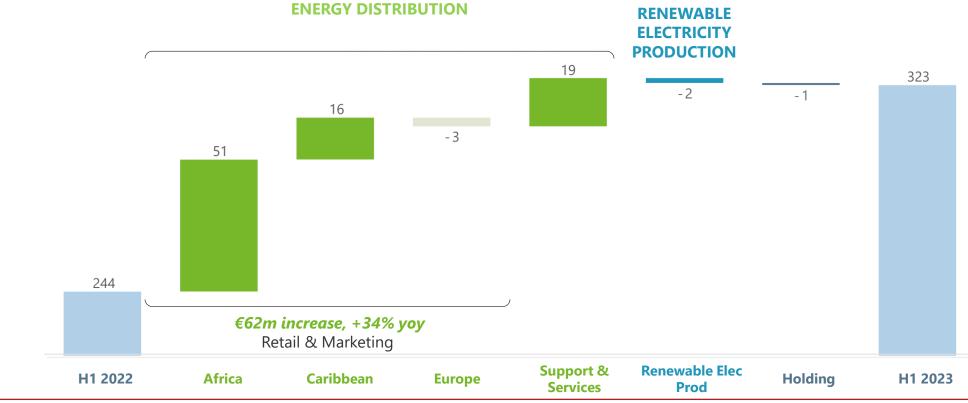
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## Africa first contributor to EBIT growth – Strong performance in the Carribean and Support & Services



EBIT BRIDGE - H1 2022 - H1 2023 (€M)

	H1 2022	Africa	Caribbean	Europe	Support & Services	Renewable Elec Prod	Holding	H1 2023
EBIT (€m)	244	133	76	38	94	-1	-17	323
Change yoy		+61%	+27%	-8%	+25%	ns		

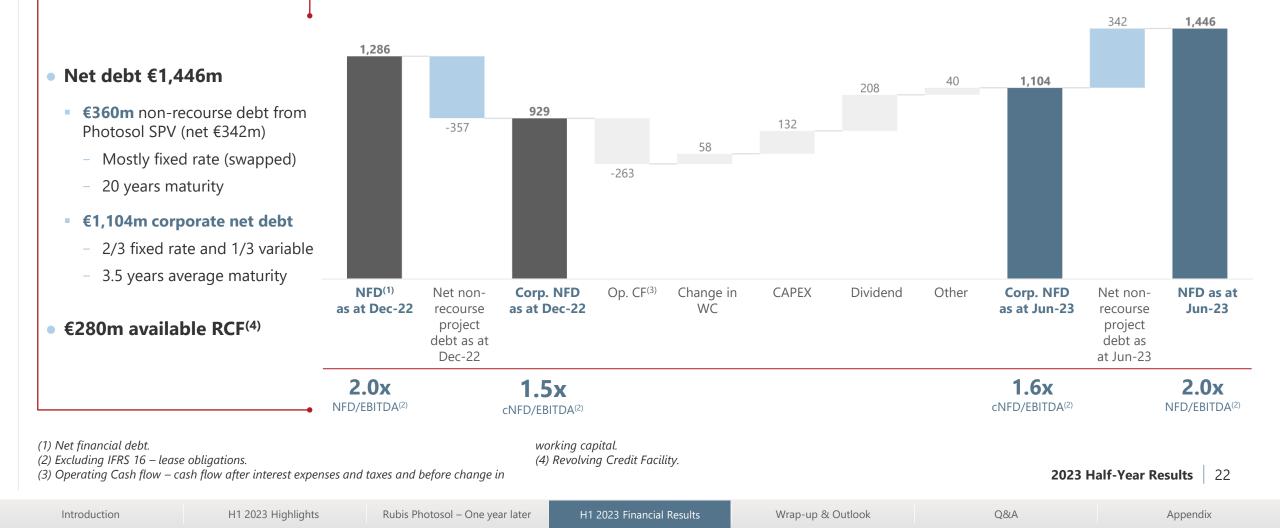
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#### (1) excluding IFRS 16 – lease obligations.

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## 05 H1 2023 Key Take-aways

Solid first-half illustrating the relevance of product and geographies diversification

- **Solid operating performance** partially offset by FX effects:
  - **EBITDA** up 30% at €409m **EBIT** up 32% at €323m
  - Net income Group share at €171m, +1% vs H1 2022
- **Operating cash flow** at €263m, up 3% vs H1 2022: Cash flow generation maintained at a high level, renewing confidence in dividend distribution
- Healthy balance sheet: 1.6x corporate net financial debt/EBITDA<sup>(1)</sup>
- Updated **2030 ambitions for Photosol**, including international development

- Publication of the first update and annual monitoring of the Think Tomorrow 2022-2025 CSR Roadmap:
  - CO<sub>2</sub> trajectory for scopes 1 et 2 is down 3% vs 2019 (restated) to take into account perimeter changes)
  - Start of the work on human rights and responsible sourcing
- First Sea Cargo Charter annual disclosure report issued in June-23
- Photosol **Carbon footprint assessment** in progress





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**RISK AREAS** 

Situation in Haiti

FX fluctuations in Kenya and Nigeria

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## 05 2023 outlook

Renewed confidence in the ability to distribute a growing dividend

## **H2 MARKET OUTLOOK**

- After the elections in Nigeria and the rainy season, Bitumen is expected to gain momentum
- LPG expected to remain stable in Europe
- LPG expected to increase by [1-3]% in Africa
- Fuel anticipated at +[3-5]%in the Caribbean
- Fuel increasing in Africa at +[3-5]%
- Acceleration of renewable electricity development

Assuming no further deterioration of market conditions (FX, inflation, *interest rates*)

- Expected EBITDA €[690-730]m
- Dividend growth confirmed, in line with dividend distribution policy

## **KPIS**



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## **Renewable Electricity Production**

Photosol is one of the independent leaders in photovoltaic production in France.

From the development of facilities to dismantling, including design, financing, operation and maintenance, Photosol is present throughout the whole value chain.

The electricity produced is mainly resold through long-term contracts obtained through the call for tenders mechanism of the French Energy Regulatory Commission (CRE). Photosol is also positioned in the emerging market of Corporate Power Purchase Agreements (CPPA).

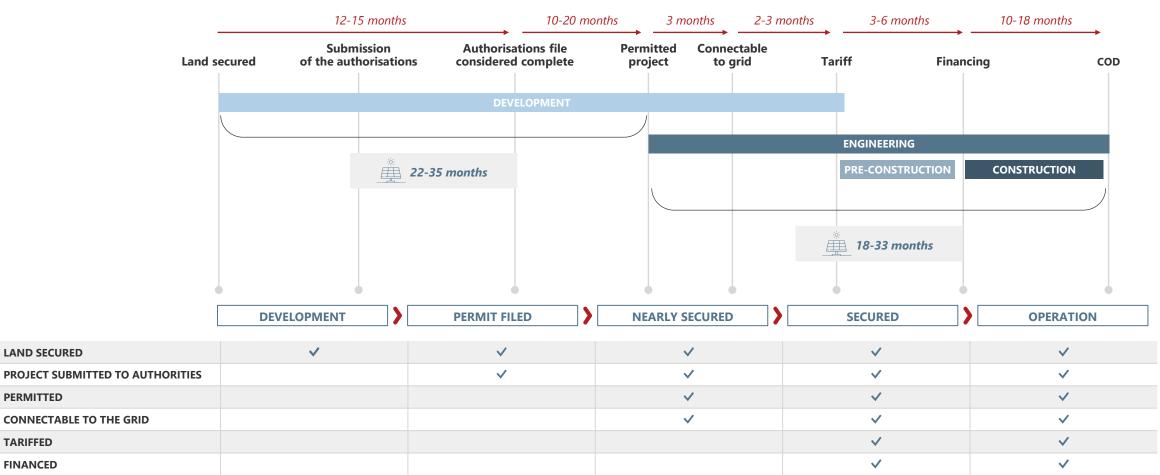


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## **Overview of Rubis Photosol typical portfolio phasing in France**

## A 3-4 year process requiring expertise



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## **Photosol financial mechanics**

A steady and predictable business model



## **1 SOLAR PLANT = 1 SPV**

#### **STEADY AND SECURED TOPLINE**

### • Electricity sales

CRE<sup>(1)</sup>

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- 20 years, fixed price (20% indexed to cover cost inflation)
- Gap between bid year and Comissionning : Tariff is indexed on inflation index and interest costs
- No counterparty risk
- CPPAs<sup>(2)</sup>
  - At least 10 years
  - 20% indexed to cover cost inflation
  - Strong and bankable counterparties

## **COSTS – MOSTLY FIXED**

### Operating expenses

- Lease, insurance, personnel costs, maintenance ([15-20]% of revenue)
- Local taxes
- Financing costs
  - Non-recourse debt
  - Hedged  $\rightarrow$  fixed rate
  - Leverage 80-100%
- Construction costs
  - Predictable thanks to long-term relationships with suppliers

## → MOSTLY SELF-FINANCED

1) CRE: Commission de Régulation de l'Energie – French Energy Regulator

CPPA: Corporate Power Purchase Agreement

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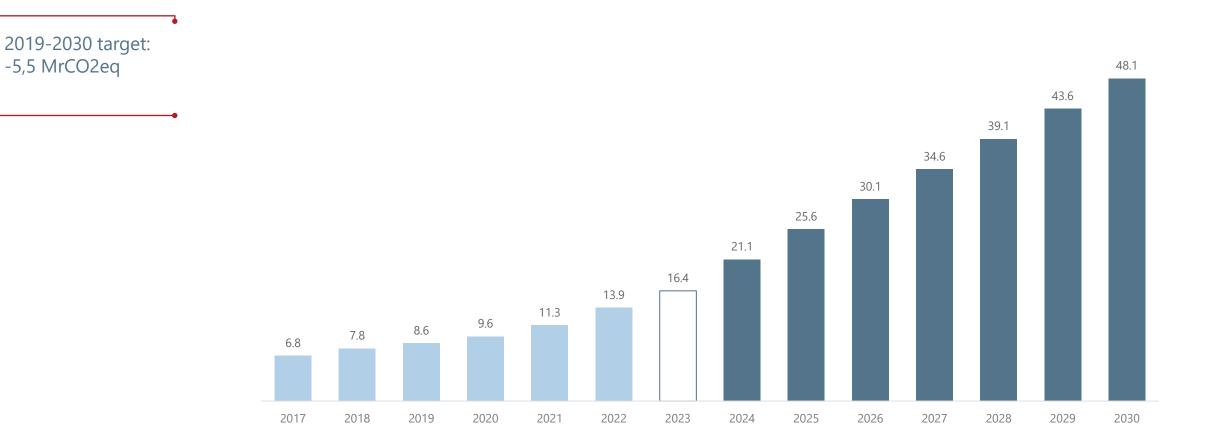
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## **Renewable energies at France level**

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Source : SDES. 2023 data as of end-May. Perimeter : mainland France and overseas

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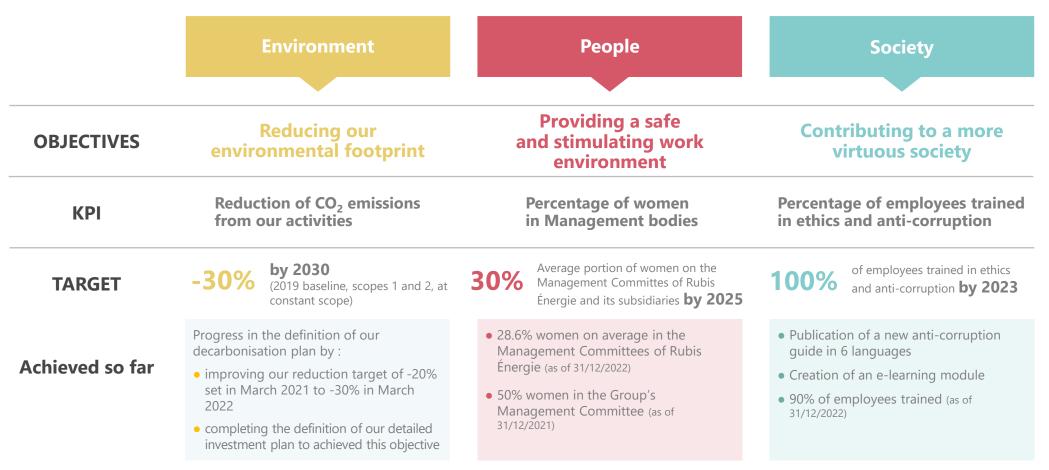
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## 07 A proactive CSR approach

Our progress for a positive impact

Highlights on 3 key objectives of our CSR Roadmap (published in September 2021)





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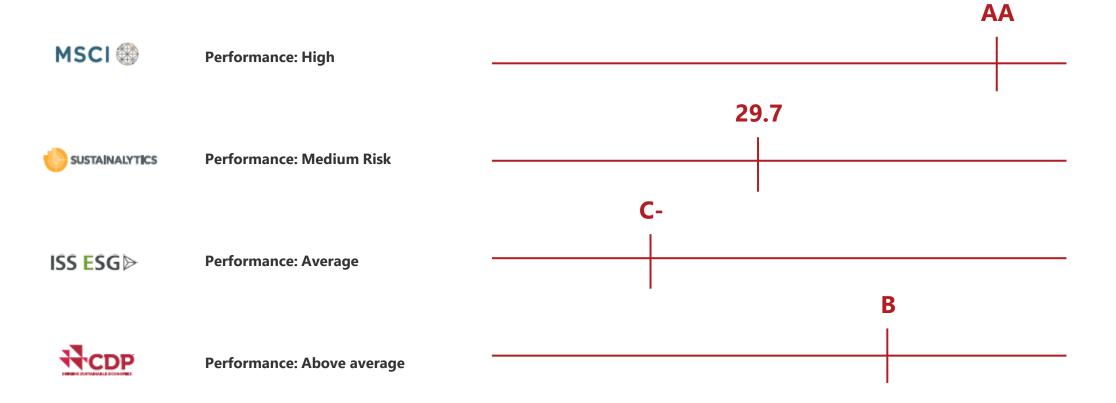
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## • Roadshows post H1 2023 results

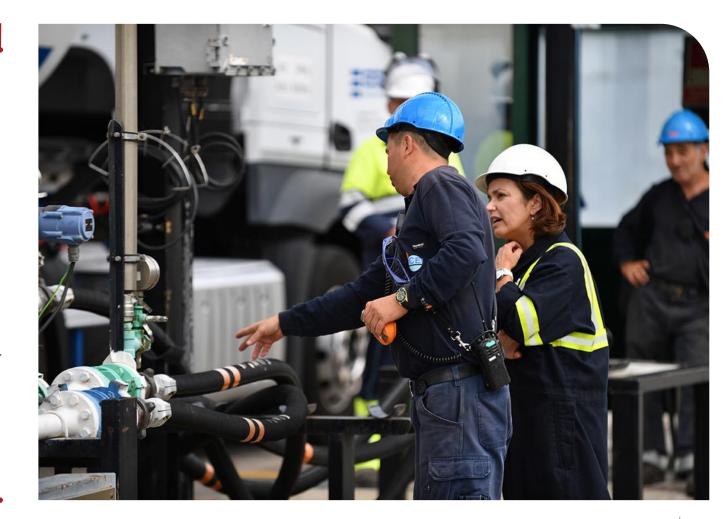
- North America 18-22 September (CM-CIC)
- Asia-Pacific 14-17 November (HSBC)

#### Analyst & Investor field trip – Kenya

16-17 November

#### • Conférences

- Kepler Autumn Conference 12 September
- **UBS Global Energy Transition Conference** 13 September
- Berenberg Business Services & Testing, Inspection & Certification 2023 – 27 September
- CIC Forum 29 November



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