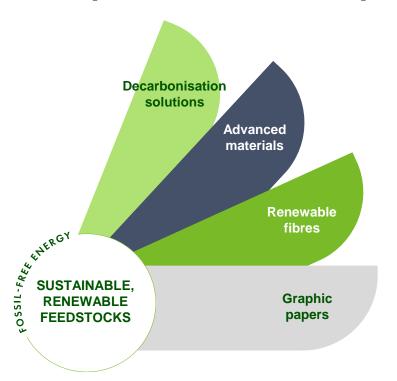


# Our business portfolio, leveraging the competitive business platforms





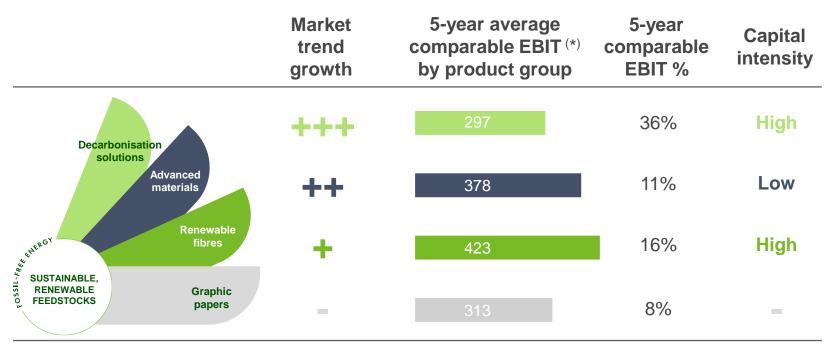
UPM portfolio provides growth in

- Decarbonisation solutions:
   biochemicals, biofuels, CO<sub>2</sub>-free energy
- Advanced materials:
   adhesive materials, specialty papers,
   plywood
- Renewable fibres:
   pulp, other bioproducts

Sustainable, renewable feedstocks, about 600,000ha forests owned, over 500,000ha plantations under management

## Our product markets provide healthy growth



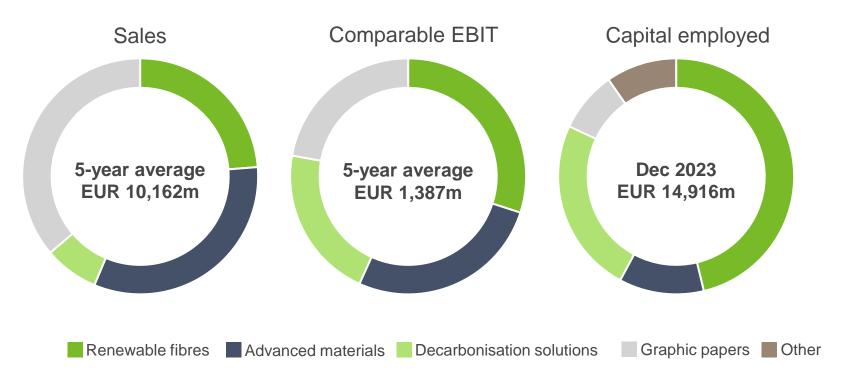


<sup>(\*)</sup> UPM average comparable EBIT 2019-2023 was EUR 1,387m

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## Strong balanced portfolio for the future





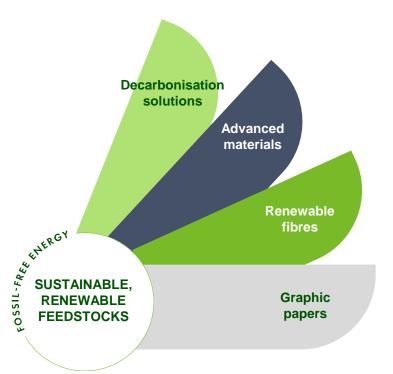
## **Geographical market presence**





## We aim to grow earnings with a balanced portfolio





#### **UPM** comparable EBIT (\*)



<sup>(\*)</sup> This is illustrative, not a forecast

# We are well positioned to capture opportunities in higher-growth geographies







# Leading position in sustainability, build on leading global standards



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### **Our climate commitment**





## WE ACT THROUGH FORESTS

Committed to climate-positive forestry and enhancing biodiversity





## WE ACT THROUGH EMISSION REDUCTIONS

-65% from own CO<sub>2</sub> emissions
 -30% from CO<sub>2</sub> emissions of supply chain



## WE ACT THROUGH PRODUCTS

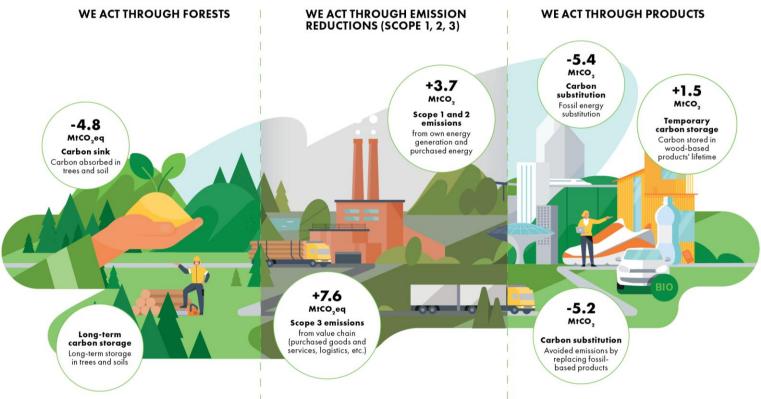
Innovative products

Scientifically verifying the climate impact of all our products



# Towards net-zero emissions (UPM 2023)







# FOREST

The UPM Forest Action program takes a holistic view, covering the five fundamentals of responsible forestry:





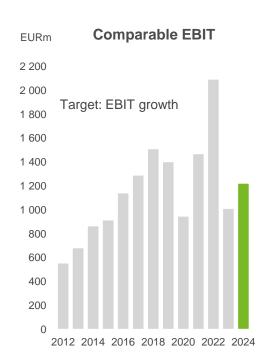


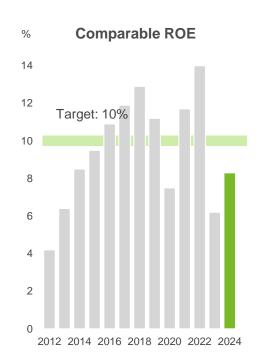


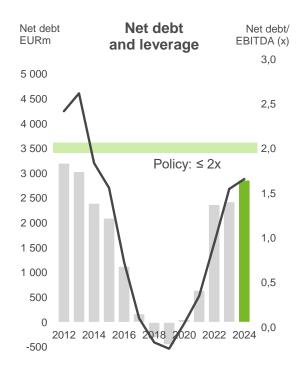


## **Group financial performance and targets**



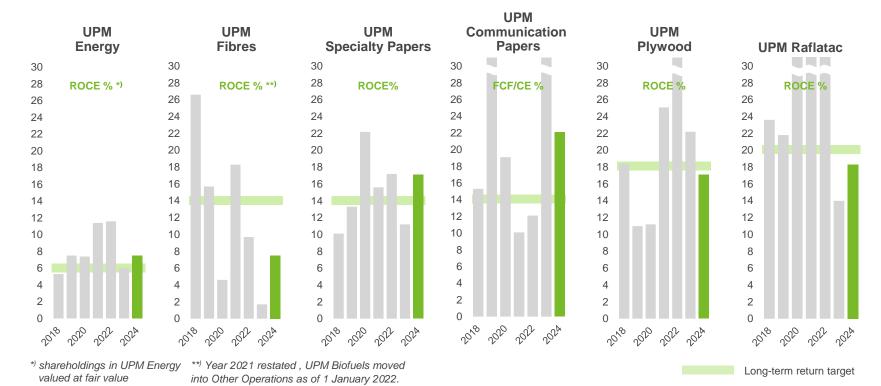






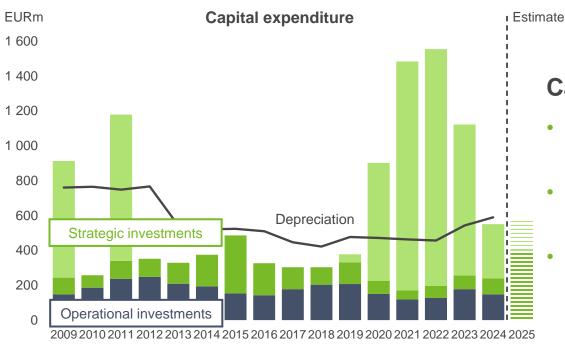
## **Business area long-term return targets**





## Major investment cycle coming to an end





### Capex 2025 estimate

- Capex excl. acquisitions EUR 400m
- Metamark acquisition GBP 146m
- Operational investment needs consistently low

# Illustrative 5-year capital allocation(\*) (2024–2028)



Strong operating cash flow



ATTRACTIVE SHAREHOLDER DISTRIBUTION

**EUR** 

~4-5bn

VALUE-ENHANCING INVESTMENTS

**EUR** 

~3-4bn

STRONG BALANCE SHEET

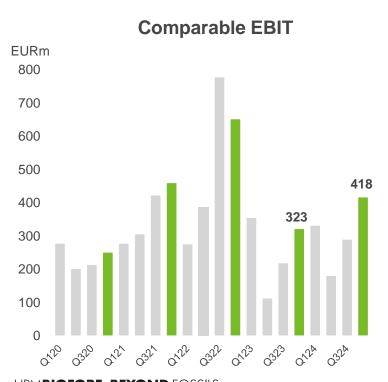


Maintain headroom

(\*) This is not a forecast

# Q4 2024: decisive actions to improve performance, accelerate growth and deliver value





#### Q4 2024 in brief

- Sales increased by 4% to EUR 2,632 million (2,531 million in Q4 2023)
- Comparable EBIT increased by 29% to EUR 418 million, 15.9% of sales (323 million, 12.8%)
- Operating cash flow was EUR 570m (456 million)
- The Board proposes a dividend of EUR
   1.50 per share (1.50) for 2024
- The Board commences the first share buyback program to buy max 6 million shares, or use max EUR 160 million

# Demand recovery for UPM products slowed down in H2 2024



Active consumers

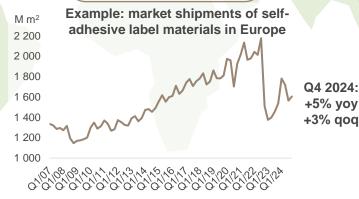
Modest demand growth for UPM products

Cautious consumers
Low construction
Weak renewable fuels

Demand recovery slowed down in H2 for most UPM products after strong year-start Cautious consumers

Somewhat improving pulp and fine paper markets in Q4 after weak Q3

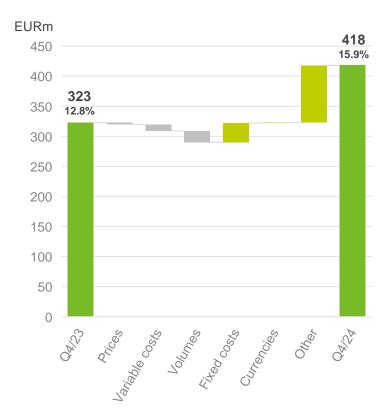
Solid demand for advanced materials

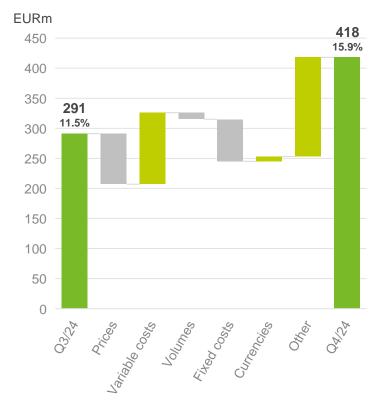


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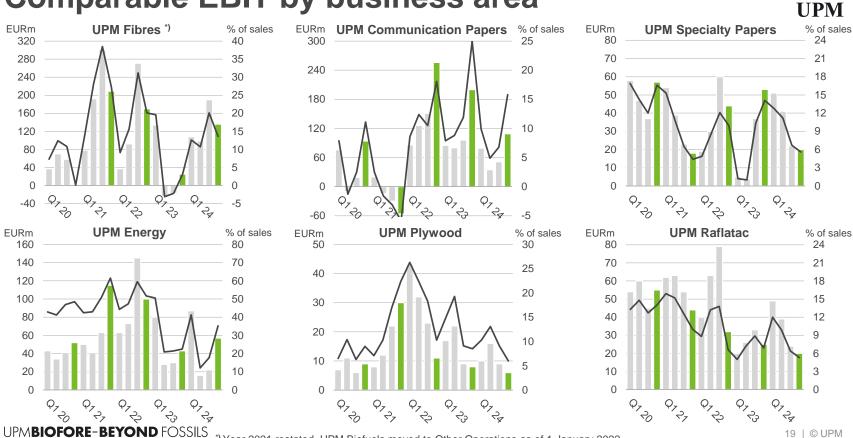
### Comparable EBIT in Q4 2024





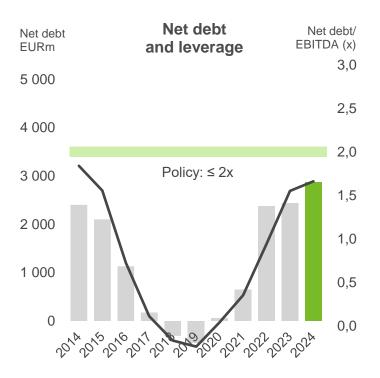


## Comparable EBIT by business area



## Solid financial position





- Net debt EUR 2,869m at the end of 2024
- Net debt / EBITDA 1.66
- Cash funds and committed credit facilities
   EUR 3.2bn at the end of 2024
- No financial covenants
- UPM issued its fourth Green Bond in August
- The first dividend instalment for year 2023 (EUR 400m) was paid in Q2 2024, the second was paid in Q4 2024

### Outlook (\*

- Profit guidance: UPM's comparable EBIT in H1 2025 is expected to be approximately in the range of EUR 400-625 million (EUR 515 million in H1 2024).
- Outlook: UPM's performance in H1 2025 is expected to benefit from higher delivery volumes and lower fixed costs, but be held back by lower sales margins, compared with H1 2024. The year 2025 starts with similar pulp prices and lower electricity price than 2024 started.

(\* see UPM financial statements release 2024 for the full Guidance and Outlook



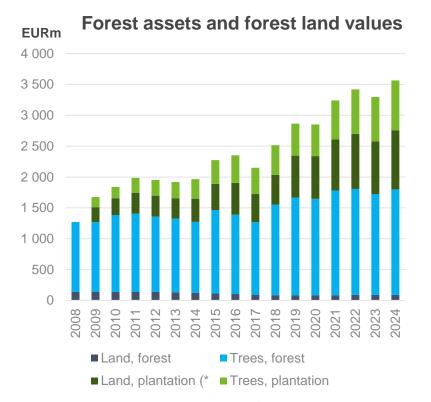


UPM forests and plantations	2008	2023	Area distr	ibution	
Forest and plantation land (own and leased) (1,000 ha)	1,012	1,073	8%	_8%U\$	S
Forest growth (million m³)	4.3	11.5	90%	58% Fir	nland
Wood sourced from UPM forests and plantations (million m³)	2.2	7.0			
Value of forests and plantations, including land (EURm)	1,270	3,301		34% Ur	ruguay
			2008	2023	

Climate-positive forestry and maintenance of carbon sinks Investing in strategic forest assets in Uruguay Productivity with active management and nurseries Enhanching biodiversity

# Active forest strategy – UPM's forest assets are increasingly productive and valuable





#### **Uruguay plantations**

"fast turnover, low inventory"

- Value EUR 1.8bn
- Continuous productivity improvement (pulp tonnes/ha)
- Investing in strategic forest assets

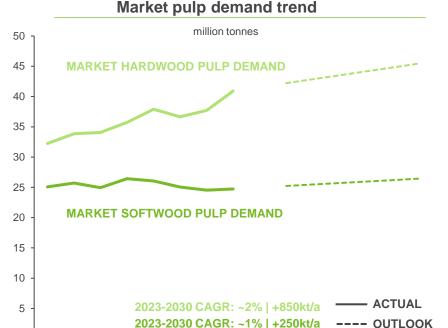
# Finland and other northern forests "slow turnover, high inventory"

- Value EUR 1.8bn (+42% since 2008, EUR/ha +140% since 2008)
- Decreased area (-41% since 2008), focusing on forests close to mills
- Improved growth (m³/ha)
- Trend price (EUR/m³)



# Robust demand growth outlook for market pulp, limited net capacity addition in the coming years





#### Entry of market bleached pulp capacity



2020

2022

2024

2026e

2018

2016

2030e

2028e

# Competitive and sustainable fibre supplier for growing global everyday needs



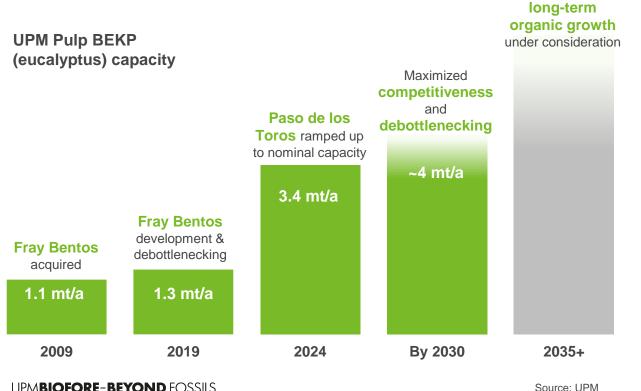
- Competitive and sustainable operations in hardwood and softwood pulp
- Global presence with strong market position:
   #1 multi-fibre and #3 market pulp supplier
- Confidence on strong returns over the business and market cycles due to high Uruguay platform competitiveness
- Target ROCE > 14%
- Biostreams generated as part of pulp production can provide raw materials for new UPM businesses



- 5 modern pulp mills with annual production capacity of
   5.8 million tonnes of hardwood and softwood pulp
- Over 500 000 hectares of plantations in Uruguay under UPM management
- Over 520 000 hectares of forests owned by UPM in Finland

**UPM Fibres** 

### **Growth ambition in hardwood pulp**





**Further** 

**UPM Fibres** 

### **Uruguay: world-leading competitiveness**







- Continuous development in plantation productivity
- Optimising inbound logistics



# Best available technologies

- Efficiencies of scale
- Competitive mill concept
- Biostreams development potential

# **Efficient logistics**

- World-class outbound logistics
- Direct rail connection
- Own port terminal



**UPM BEKP cash cost development** 



Average annual cost reduction 2009-2023 nearly -6%



# Well-maintained pulp capacity in Finland



## Tight wood market

- Nordic forest-based industry is facing tight wood supply and elevated wood costs
- Absence of Russian wood imports and peers' investments created a structurally tight wood market

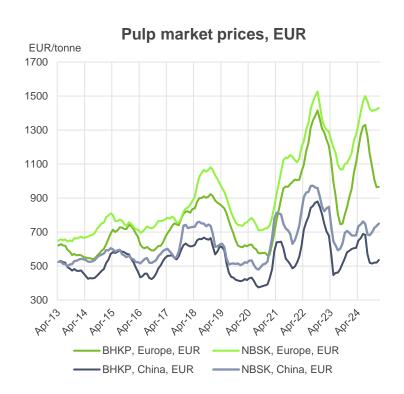
# Focus on competitiveness

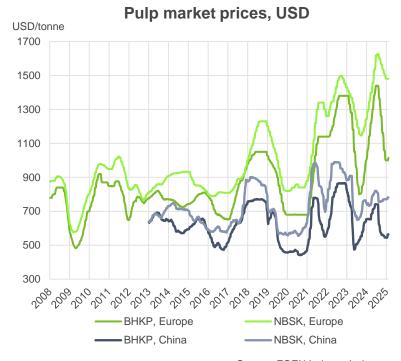
- Competitive business platform and margin management are key
- UPM has a strong track record in business turnaround

#### **UPM Fibres**

## **Chemical pulp market prices**







Source: FOEX Indexes Ltd













# UPM's electricity generation portfolio is clean and efficient to match the future needs



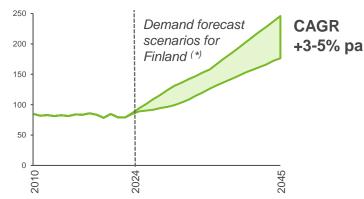
## UPM Energy electricity generation is 99% CO<sub>2</sub>-free



#### **UPM** Energy

- Flexible hydro power crucial to balance the volatile energy system
- Reliable nuclear power to support the electrification of the society

## Electricity demand is expected to grow significantly



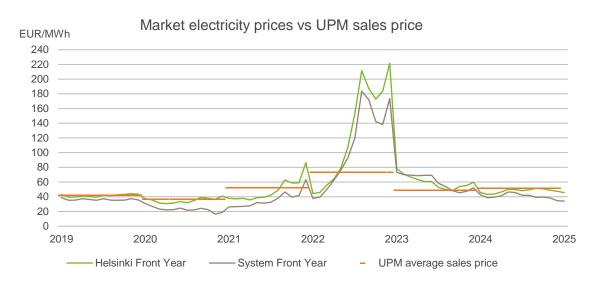
Electricity demand growth requires reliable CO2-free baseload

- Near term; electric heating (large scale electric boilers and heat pumps), data centres and traffic
- Longer term; industrial decarbonisation and electrification

#### **UPM Energy**

## **Electricity market prices**

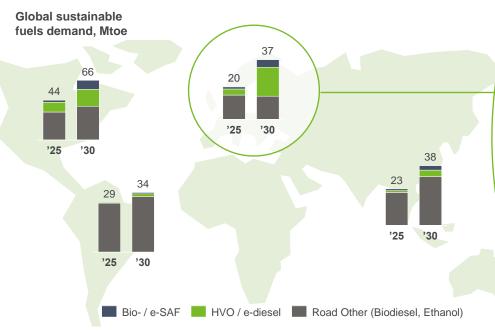




UPM Energy profitability	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Comparable EBIT, EURm	185	171	270	381	182	181
% of sales	44.4	45.0	51.3	52.0	29.0	28.9

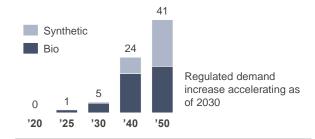
# Global renewable fuels demand outgrows planned capacity as of 2030



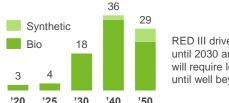




#### EU SAF1, Mtoe



### EU Road Renewable Fuels<sup>1</sup>, Mtoe

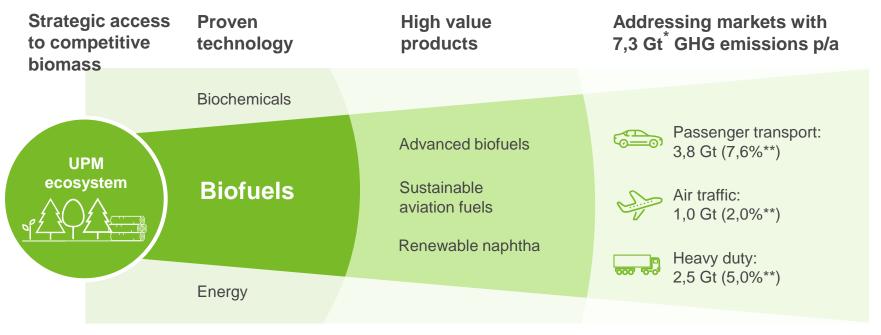


RED III driven demand until 2030 and fleet mix will require low-GHG fuels until well beyond 2050

Source: UPM Analysis based on Bloomberg NEF, Goldman Sachs Research, IEA, McKinsey, Neste, Wood Mackenzie

# **UPM** Biofuels differentiation comes from competitive feedstock base and proprietary technology





<sup>\*</sup> UPM Analysis based on World Resources Institute, 2020 & International Energy Agency, 2020 \*\* share of global GHG emissions

# We continue pursuing growth for Biofuels while focusing on the recovery of existing business

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Current Biofuels operations are a strong basis for profitable performance in growing markets

Basic engineering
for a second
refinery in
Rotterdam is
progressing,
technology platform
chosen

Testing new UPM technology for processing integrated feedstocks at larger scale takes approx. 2 years

# UPM Biochemicals – a set of entirely new products to help decarbonise a large variety of end-uses

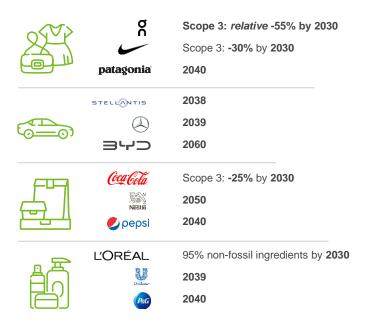




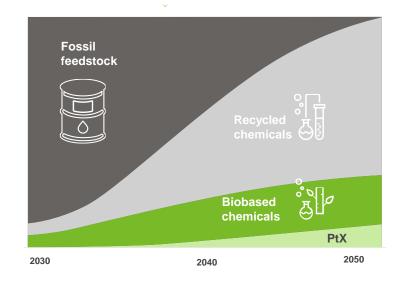
# Biobased chemicals are central to the transition away from high-CO<sub>2</sub> materials



Net-zero commitments of major global brands will reflect on demand for sustainable chemicals



The shift away from fossil feedstocks will rely on bio-based solutions as first option to scale



# UPM Biochemicals is a frontrunner in sustainable chemicals offering a distinct product value add



UPM Biochemicals value add

Average sustainable chemical

1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	CO <sub>2</sub> negative from day one*	High <b>GHG reduction</b>
	Renewable carbon	100% biogenic feedstock
	Certified, sustainable biomass	Fully certified and traceable, non-food feedstocks
	Regional value chains	Supply security and credible social sustainability
	Enhanced product performance	Additional technical performance

Strategic partnerships with leading players in various regions and industries confirm high demand for UPM products







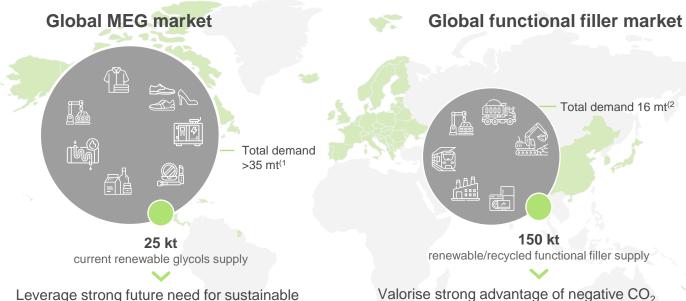






# We address markets and segments with high future demand for sustainable solutions





Valorise strong advantage of negative CO<sub>2</sub> product footprint, weight-reduction etc. in various applications, from automotive to packaging

materials in automotive, packaging, textiles

<sup>1</sup> source: OrbiChem 360 demand database

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> source: Notch Consulting: Carbon Black World data book

# After reaching full capacity, Leuna will focus on capacity increase, cost optimisation and additional side stream valorisation. We expect ...











# Strong position on fast growing markets



#### Adhesive materials market growth

Pressure sensitive labels +3-4%
 Graphics solutions +4-5%
 Specialty tapes +4-5%



## **UPM #2 globally in PSL**

- Global scale & customer reach, world-class manufacturing and distribution, sustainability leadership, adhesive technology
- 5-year average ROCE 28%

#### Specialty papers market growth

Release base papers +3-4%
 Label face papers +2%
 Flexible packaging +2-4%(\*)



## **UPM #1** globally in release papers

- Technically demanding papers, world-class operations and global supply, sustainability leadership, competitive and flexible assets
- 5-year average ROCE 16%

## Plywood market growth

Plywood construction +2%
 Plywood vehicle floors +3-4%
 Plywood LNG shipping +8-9%(\*\*)



## **UPM #1 in Europe, LNG globally**

- Strong customer partnerships, high quality and service, optimised supply, sustainability leadership, low total cost of ownership
- 5-year average ROCE 22%

#### **UPM Raflatac**

# Self adhesive labels in various end-uses















Food

Wine, spirits & beverage

Pharmaceuticals

Personal care

Home care

**Durables** 







Industrial Chemical



Retail



A4 & cut-size



Security & brand protection



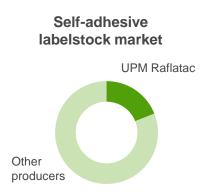
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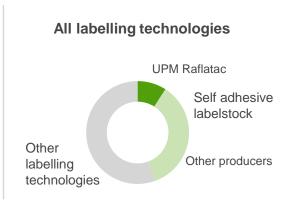
## **UPM Raflatac**

# The self-adhesive labelstock market



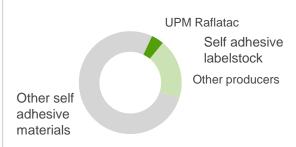
- >EUR 10bn global market
- ~3-4% p.a. growth
- Private consumption driven
- Largest of the labelling technologies
- <25% of total self adhesive materials markets







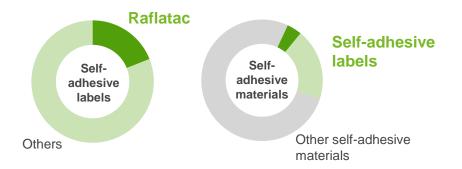
#### All self adhesive materials



**UPM Raflatac** 

# **Entering attractive adjacent markets**

- Graphics solutions market entry through AMC acquisition
- Expanded product and technology portfolio through Grafityp acquisition
- Further potential in specialty tapes





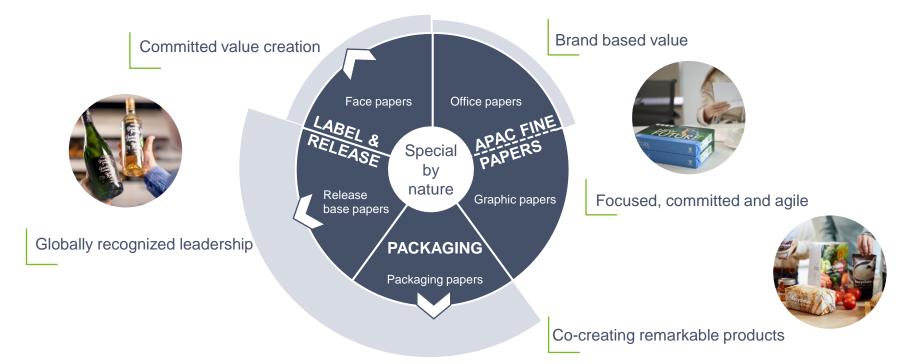


## **UPM Specialty Papers**

# **UPM Specialty Papers GROWTH STRATEGY**



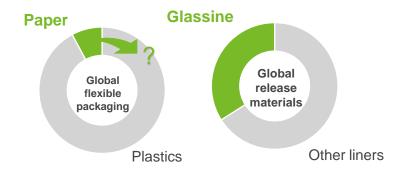
We co-create a future beyond fossils with renewable, recyclable and remarkable papers



## **UPM Specialty Papers**

# **Entering attractive adjacent markets**

- Flexible packaging entered through innovation & co-creation
- Further portfolio expansion in label & release papers





## **UPM Plywood**

# **UPM Plywood focuses on three end use segments**



#### Construction



#### **UPM's position and direction**

- Leading position in high and medium range standard products in Europe through well established distribution network providing easy access to WISA® plywood
- Uncompromised sustainability, certified products and operations
- New growth sought by strengthening position in selected emerging markets

**Vehicle flooring** 



**UPM's position and direction** 

- · Leading position in Europe
- Competitive edge built on smoothly running operations and needs-based product design creating value to both vehicle manufacturers and operators
- Growth sought by expanding to new markets and related end use segments

LNG shipbuilding



#### **UPM's position and direction**

- Leading supplier in LNG plywood
- Competitive edge based on right quality and accurate on-time deliveries
- Long term commitment and benchmark service level
- Focus to secure leading position in LNG carriers and to extend offering into related applications using the same technologies (e.g. land storage tanks)

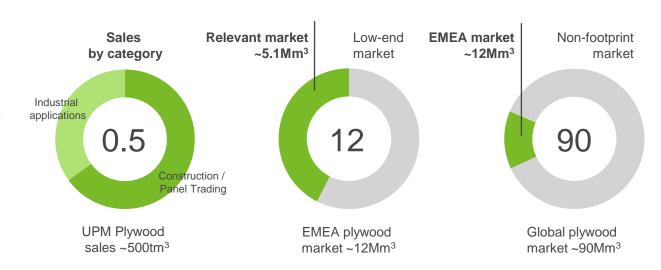
**UPM Plywood** 

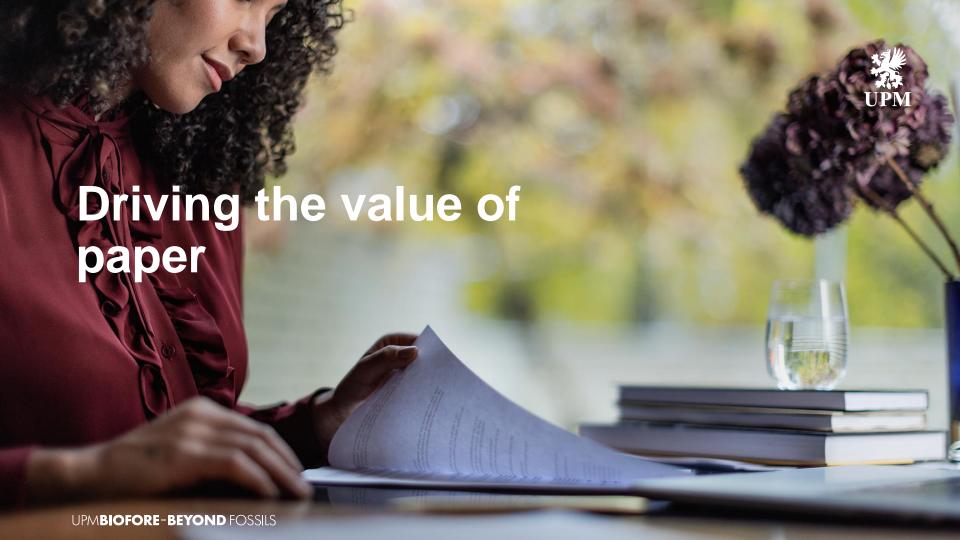
# UPM's key markets are in the high and mid segments primarily in EMEA region



## **Strategic choices**

- Demanding industrial applications
- 2. High and medium range standard products
- 3. Selected customers
- 4. EMEA region and LNG business globally





# The market's widest range of graphic papers, for various end-uses and purposes

















Fine papers

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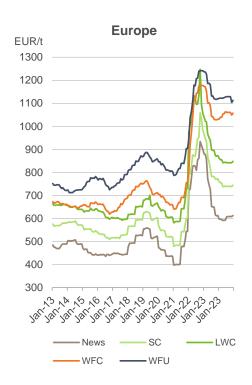
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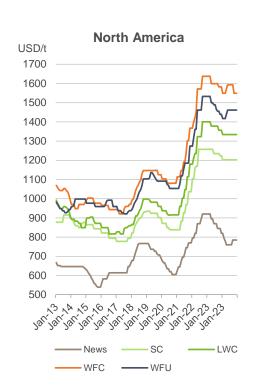
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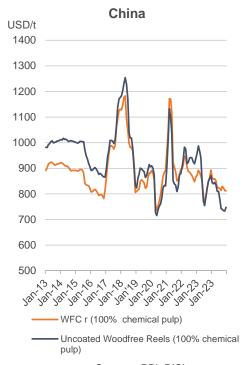
## **UPM Communication Papers**

# **Graphic paper prices**







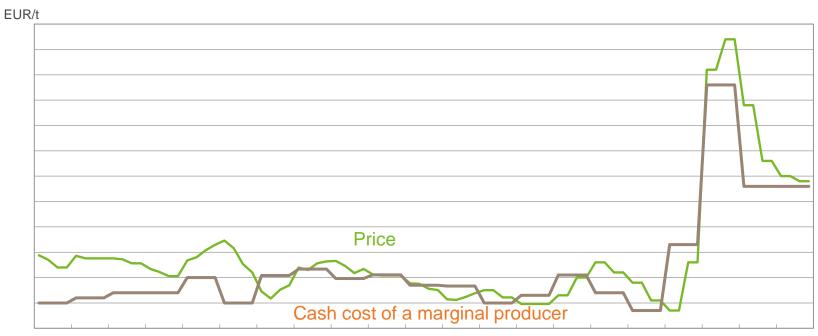


Sources: PPI, RISI

## **UPM Communication Papers**

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# Paper price vs. cash cost of marginal cost producer



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