

# 9M 2024 Results

**Investor & Analyst Conference Call** 

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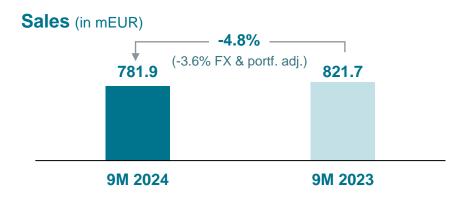


1 Details on 9M 2024

# "9M 2024 development in line with FY 2024 guidance"



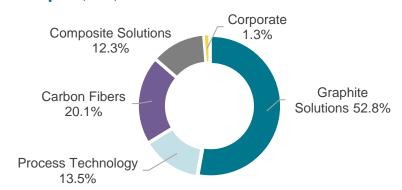
# Product mix change has positive effect on EBITDApre margin



# **EBITDApre** (in mEUR)



# Sales split (in %)



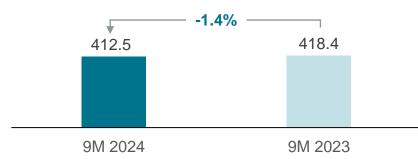
# **Key developments**

- Ongoing strong performance in PT; GS flat; weakness in CF continues, CS burdened from project termination
- Product mix changes lead to EBITDApre margin increase from 15.8% to 16.3% in nine months comparison

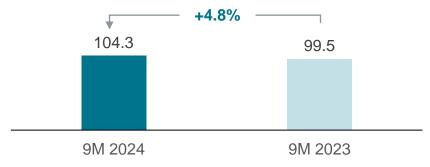


# Graphite Solutions (GS) – improved profitability, but demand in most market segments weakened





# **EBITDApre** (in mEUR)



# **Key developments**

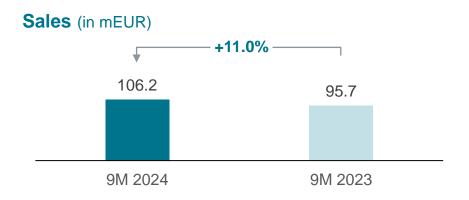
### Sales

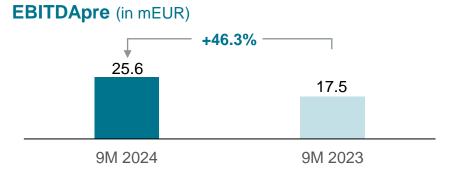
- Semiconductor & LED (+4% yoy) and Automotive (+3% yoy) showing growth; SiC semiconductor sales in Q3 2024 declined
- Other market segments burdened by macro economic weakness and limit BU GS growth
- Customer down payments of 31 mEUR in 9M 2024 to expand production capacities

# **EBITDApre**

- Positive effects due to product mix and lower input costs
- EBITDApre margin increased from 23.8% to 25.3%

# Process Technology (PT) – topping good figures from 2023





# **Key developments**

### Sales

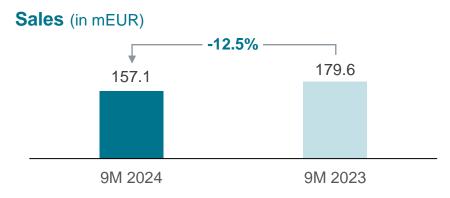
- Good development from 2023 continues in 9M 2024
- Mainly Europe and Americas contribute
- Order book still well filled, but signs of slowdown in new orders

## **EBITDApre**

- Stronger share of higher margin service business combined with attractive large-scale projects
- Margin increase in 9M 2024 to 24.1% (9M 2023: 18.3%)



# Carbon Fibers (CF) – the perfect storm continues



# **Key developments**

### Sales

- Significant sales decrease in nearly all CF market segments due to demand weakness
- Negative price trend for commodity products

# EBITDApre

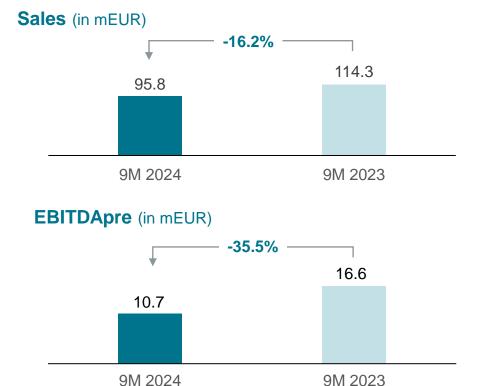
- Positive effects from lower energy costs and restructuring measures overshadowed by missing fix cost absorption and lower prices
- Mainly BSCCB JV impact on CF EBITDApre of 11.6 mEUR in 9M 2024 (9M 2023: 14.1 mEUR)
- Due to updated market expectations impairment of 60 -80 mEUR in Q4 2024

# **EBITDApre** (in mEUR)





# Composite Solutions (CS) – Termination of automotive contract impacting sales and earnings



# **Key developments**

### Sales

- Termination of an automotive project contract resulted in lower volumes and sales
- Stable demand from luxury car segment for car body components

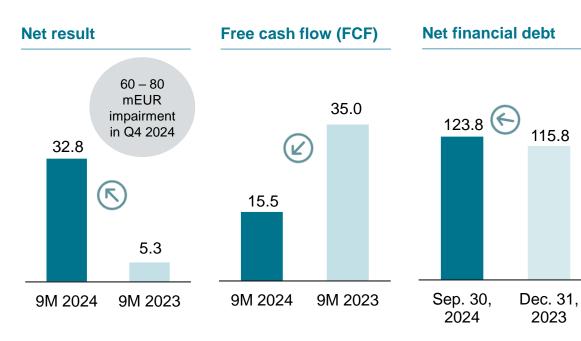
# **EBITDApre**

- Lower EBITDApre due to lower sales,
   EBITDApre-margin declined to 11.2% (9M 2023: 14.5%)
- Main impact on EBITDApre from missing contribution of terminated automotive project contract



# **Another solid quarter**

# **Key figures** (in mEUR)



# **Key developments**

- Strong increase in **net result** in 9M 2024, prior year affected by impairment in CF
- Net financial debt slight increase (6.9%) leverage ratio of 0.7
- Equity ratio increased by 2.2 ppt to 43.3%
- ROCE with 11.1% nearly unchanged (Dec. 31, 2023: 11.3%)



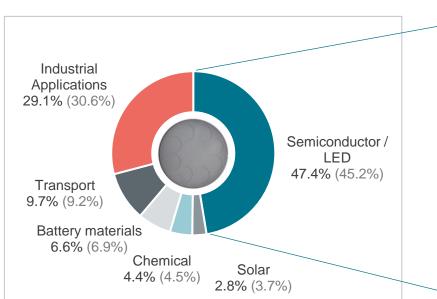
2 Update SiC development and outlook

"EV market weakening"



# Semiconductor demand slowing down in Q3 2024

# Sales split GS by market segment in 9M 2024 versus 9M 2023 (in %)

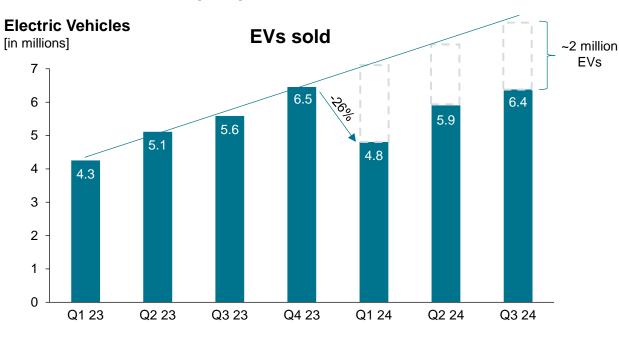


# **Sales split Semi/LED market segment** (in mEUR)



# Lower than expected growth in EVs slows SiC-semi demand

# Electric vehicles sold per quarter



### **Current obstacles**

- EV represents the #1 application (70-80% share in SiC)
- Q1 2024: slowed growth in EV demand by end-customers after very strong Q4 2023
- Q2 2024: recovery in demand mainly driven by China (+35.4%), Europe (+7.4%)
- Q3 2024: recovery, driven by China (+32.8%), Europe (+2.0%)
- Adoption rate of SiC lower than expected

Source: PwC strategy; Comment: Total = Australia, Austria, Brazil, China, France, Germany, India, Indonesia, Italy, Japan, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, South Korea, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, UK, USA;



# Delay in EV and SiC market affects SGL business

# Market development

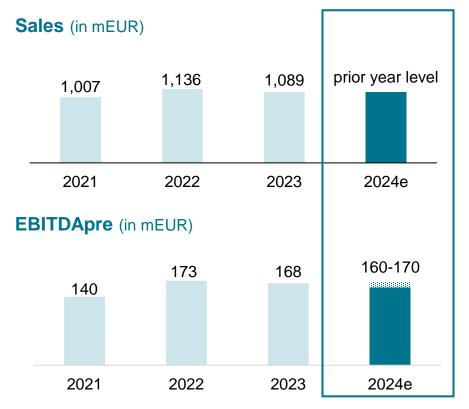
- Slowing market growth due to weaker BEV demand, but still expected to grow at 24% CAGR<sub>23-29</sub>
- Customers: Focus shifted from growth to inventory & cash management
- All regions affected
- No growth in SiC demand expected for 2025

## SGL

- Temporary slowdown at our SiC customers
- SGL strong positioned
  - Quality leader
  - "One-Stop-Shop" semi-customers
  - Support of local markets due to site network
  - Structure of SiC customer contracts
- Strict cost management
- Opportunity: Acceleration SiC penetration in other markets (e.g. air cons)



# Guidance on lower end of EBITDApre range confirmed



# **Key drivers and current trends**

- Long-term focus on established growth markets such as semiconductors, electromobility and renewable energies
- GS: Growth driver remains semiconductor industry, but currently growth rates of underlying market EV sales slowed down – but long-term trends intact
- CF: Persistently low demand from wind industry and current decline in commodity prices
- CS: Negatively affected by termination of customer contract
- PT: Better than expected business development
- Positive effects from product mix effects



Q&A

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# Financial calendar

### March 20, 2025

- Publication of the Annual Report 2024
- Conference call for investors and analysts

# May 8, 2025

- Statement on the First Quarter 2025
- Conference call for analysts and investors

# May 21, 2025

Annual General Meeting (virtual)

### August 7, 2025

- Report on the First Half Year 2025
- Conference call for investors and analysts

### November 6, 2025

- Statement on the First Nine Months 2025
- Conference call for investors and analysts

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# **Definition of exceptionals (for 2024/2023)**

- Depreciation in accordance with IFRS:
  - effects of impairment (IAS 36)
  - purchase price allocations (IFRS 3)
  - effects on assets held for sale in accordance with IFRS 5
- Restructuring expenses
- Proceeds from the sale of land and buildings
- Proceeds from insurance claims, provided they are not counterbalanced by any offsetting items during the reporting period
- · Other material one-off effects which are not reflecting the underlying business development





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