

## 2024 Half-year results

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## Introduction

## **Business Lines**

# **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
- Fuel & Lubricants high growth potential in Africa and the Caribbean with increasing demand for mobility
- Bitumen road infrastructure in Africa

97% of Group EBITDA<sup>(1)</sup>

~80% of Group Fixed assets<sup>(1)</sup>

# RENEWABLE ELECTRICITY PRODUCTION Accelerated development



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

### **Photovoltaic electricity**

- 1 GWp secured portfolio as of Jun-24
- 5.2 GWp pipeline as of Jun-24
- Activity in France, recent international development (Italy, Spain)

3% of Group EBITDA<sup>(1)</sup>

~20% of Group Fixed assets<sup>(1)</sup>

# SALE IN PROGRESS ONE CP REMAINING FOR CLOSING

## **BULK LIQUID STORAGE (JV)**



France, Belgium, Spain, The Netherlands

Independent leader in the storage of industrial liquid bulk

Accounted for under IFRS 5 – Noncurrent assets held for sale

(1) As of Jun-24 – Excluding Rubis SCA impact. 3

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# H1 2024 **Highlights**

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# H1 2024 Highlights

Solid operating performance after a record H1 2023











**EBITDA** at €358m stable yoy on a comparable basis<sup>(1)</sup>

High level of **cashflow**<sup>(2)</sup> generation **€352m** 

**+6%** vs H1 2023

Photosol secured portfolio at 1 GW (+55% yoy)

2024 Guidance reiterated

High cashflow confirming confidence in dividend growth

<sup>(1)</sup> On a comparable basis – see PR appendix for further detail

<sup>2)</sup> Cash flow before cost of net financial debt and tax

## **H1 2024 Operating Highlights**

Robust performance in Energy Distribution – Major milestone passed in Renewable Electricity Production

### **ENERGY DISTRIBUTION**

**Dynamic growth in** volume

+4% vs H1 2023

LPG and bitumen

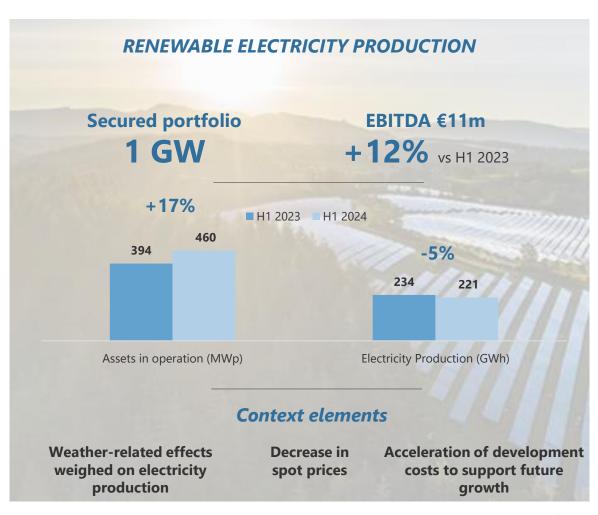
~30% of volume, promoting energy transition

**Gross margin** €416m

+1%(1) vs H1 2023

Unit margin<sup>(1)</sup> €139/m<sup>3</sup>

-3% vs H1 2023



(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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## **Investment policy**

A disciplined approach aimed at securing long-term returns while transitioning

### **ENERGY DISTRIBUTION**

- Bolt-on acquisitions in locations complementary to our existing network
- Opportunistic acquisitions with a short pay-back
- ~50% debt

 BtoB solar development between Rubis Énergie and Photosol



## RENEWABLE ELECTRICITY PRODUCTION

- Project IRR [7-9]% unlevered
- Non-recourse debt financing [80-90]%
- European development
- Secured revenue over long periods (10-20 years)
- Small scale PV plants and Battery Energy Storage System (BESS)
- Leverage Rubis Énergie geographical footprint for BtoB offers

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# H1 2024 Financial Results

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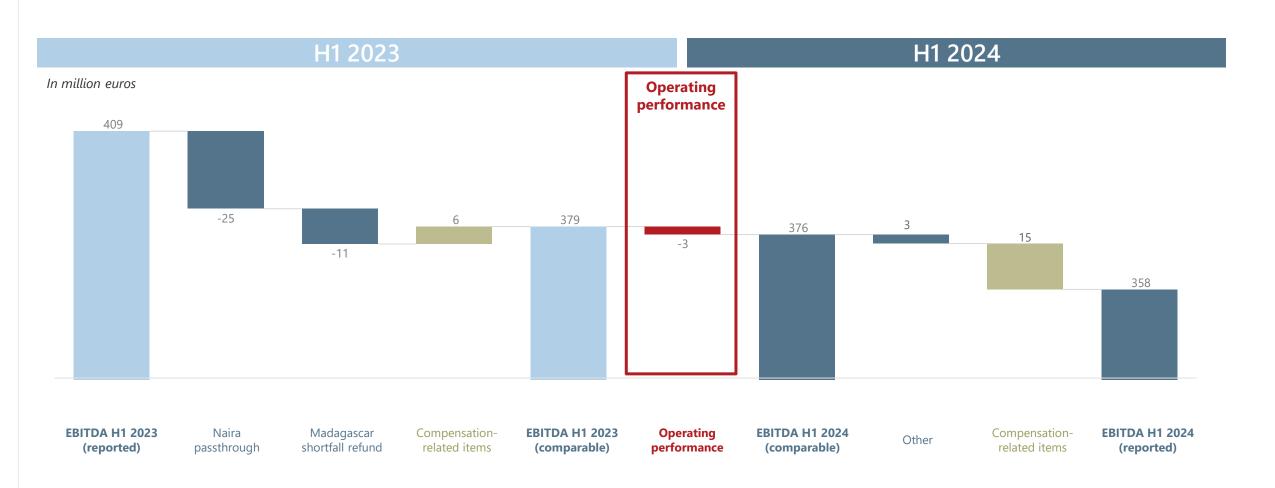






## **Operating performance**

Several non-recurring items distort the global picture



## H1 2024 Key figures

Robust operating performance despite headwinds – Cash-flow generation maintained at a high level

## **Retail & Marketing**

EBITDA<sup>(1)</sup> -1% at €362m in H1 24

## **Support & Services**

EBITDA -1% at €114m in H1 24

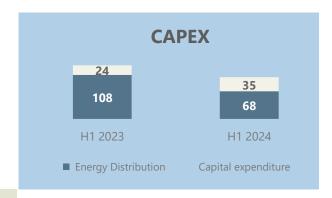
## **Renewable Electricity Production**

EBITDA up +12% at €11m in H1 24

## **NET INCOME**

€130m

**-4%** vs H1 2023<sup>(1)</sup>



**CORP NET FINANCIAL DEBT<sup>(2)</sup>** 

€1,079m

**1.6**X EBITDA<sup>(3)</sup>

+0.2x vs Dec-2023

OPERATING CF<sup>(4)</sup>

€352m

+6% vs H1 2023

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<sup>(1)</sup> On a comparable basis.

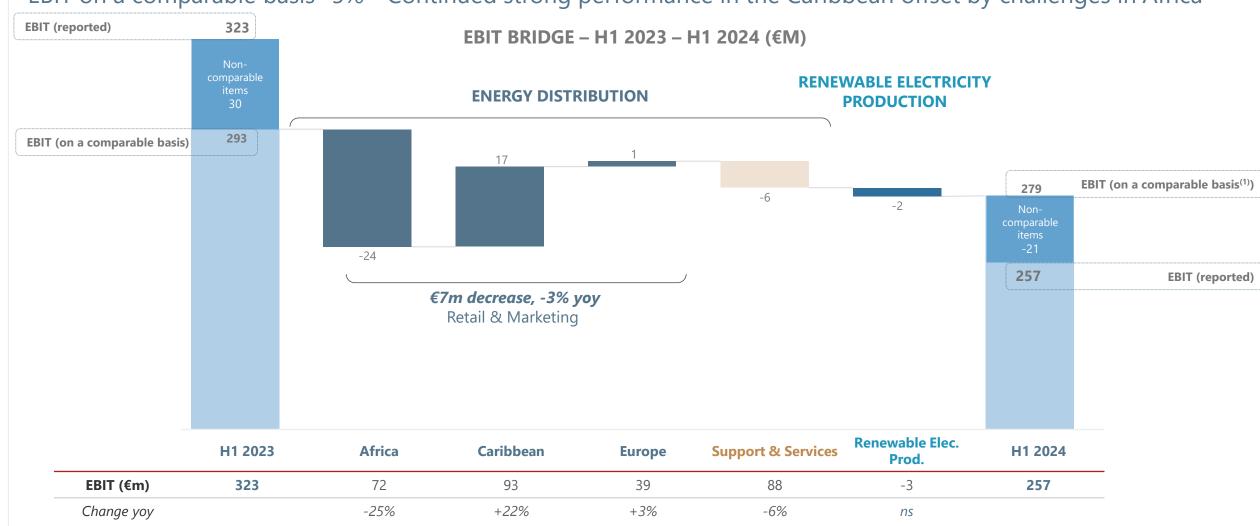
<sup>(2)</sup> Corporate net financial debt = Net Financial debt excl. IFRS 16 lease obligations – Non-recourse project debt (Photosol).

<sup>(3)</sup> LTM EBITDA excl. IFRS 16 lease obligations.

<sup>(4)</sup> Operating Cash flow before cost of net financial debt and tax.

## **Business performance**

EBIT on a comparable basis -5% - Continued strong performance in the Caribbean offset by challenges in Africa



(1) Non-comparable items at EBIT level include all elements related to EBITDA + extra amortisation of vessels for €4m in H1 24.

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## **Financial results**

## Income statement

(in million euros)	H1 2024	H1 2023	Var %		
EBITDA	358	409	-12%		
EBIT	257	323	-20%	<ul> <li>EBITDA and EBIT on a comparable basis decreased by 1% and 5% respectively</li> </ul>	
Share of net income from associates	5	6	-15%	<ul> <li>H1 2024 includes only Q1 24 Rubis Terminal performance</li> </ul>	
Non-recurring income & expenses	-1	-5	-83%		
Net financial charges	-50	-36	40%	Interest rate increase	
FX financial charges	-32	-80	-60%	• Of which €11m in Nigeria (early Q1) and €14m in Kenya	
Profit before Tax	179	210	-15%		
Taxes	-45	-32	38%	• First-time application of OECD Global Minimum Tax (c.€12m)	
Tax rate	25%	15%			
Net income Group share	130	171	-24%	• -4% on a comparable basis	

## **Financial results**

## Net debt development



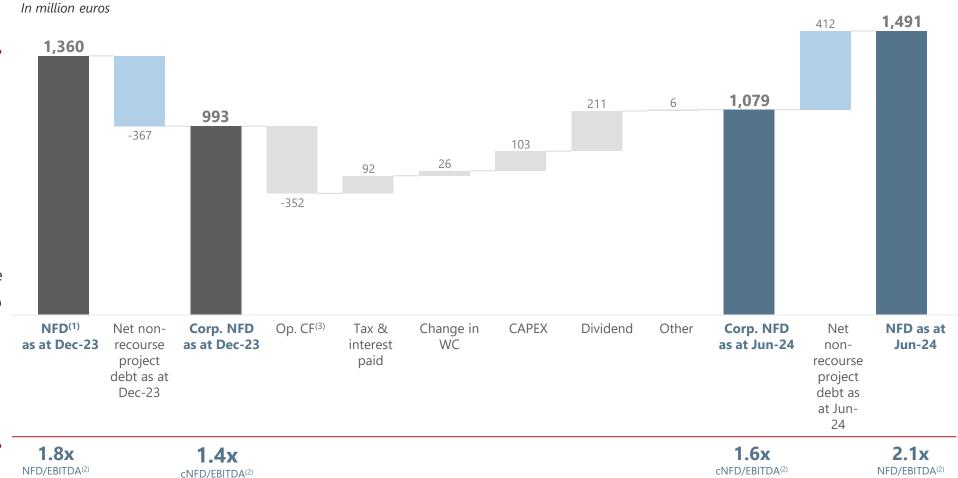


- **€412m** non-recourse debt from Photosol SPV
  - Mostly fixed rate (swapped)
  - 20 years maturity

## ■ €1,079m corporate net debt

- 2/3 fixed rate and 1/3 variable
- Average maturity increased to 5 years

• €133m available RCF<sup>(4)</sup>



(1) Net financial debt.

(2) Excluding IFRS 16 – lease obligations.

(3) Operating Cash flow – cash flow before interest expenses and taxes.

(4) Revolving Credit Facility.

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# Wrap-up & Outlook

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Managing Partner







## H1 2024 Key take-aways

Solid first-half resisting headwinds thanks to product and geographies diversification

CONTINUED HIGH LEVEL OF ACTIVITY IN THE CARIBBEAN SUPPORTING GROUP PERFORMANCE

EBITDA AT €358M, STABLE YOY ON A COMPARABLE BASIS

NET INCOME GROUP SHARE AT €130M, -4% ON A COMPARABLE BASIS

HIGH CASHFLOW, HEALTHY AND STABLE BALANCE SHEET

OPERATING CASH FLOW AT €352M, UP 6%, RENEWING CONFIDENCE IN DIVIDEND GROWTH

1.6X CORPORATE NET FINANCIAL DEBT/EBITDA

SALE OF RUBIS TERMINAL CLOSING RELATED DIVIDEND PAYMENT EXPECTED IN Q4

**2024 GUIDANCE REITERATED** 

UPCOMING PHOTOSOL DAY,
UPDATING MID-TERM AMBITIONS

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## **Updated 2024 Outlook**

Renewed confidence in Group's ability to finance renewable growth and dividend

### **2024 OUTLOOK**

- Excellent performance of the Caribbean region expected to continue
- Global Minimum Tax implementation
- Acceleration of renewable electricity development costs
- Capital gain from Rubis Terminal stake sale

## RISK AREAS

- Economic headwinds in Kenya
- FX fluctuations in Nigeria and Kenya

### GUIDANCE

- Expected EBITDA €[725-775]m
- Net income Group Share to remain stable
- Dividend growth confirmed

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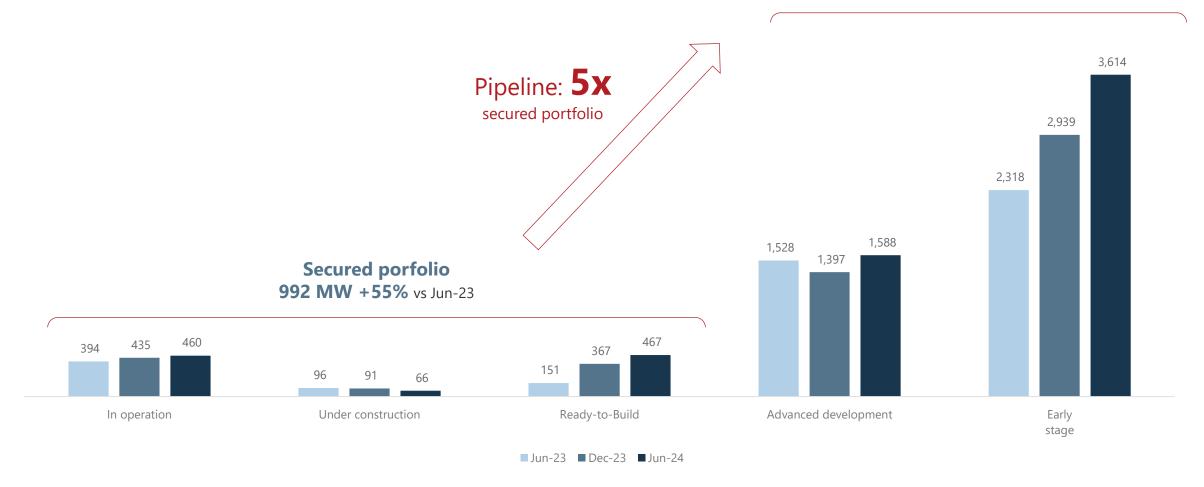




## Photosol portfolio as of June 2024







Ready to Build - project fully permitted, land and interconnection secured.

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## **ENERGY DISTRIBUTION**

(in million euros)	H1 2024	H1 2023	Var %
Retail & Marketing			
Volume ('000m3)	2,973	2,867	4%
o/w Europe	464	451	3%
o/w Carribean	1,145	1,091	5%
o/w Africa	1,364	1,326	3%
Adj Gross margin	412	411	0%
o/w Europe	114	111	3%
o/w Carribean	163	146	12%
o/w Africa	134	155	-13%
EBIT	200	247	19%
Support & Services			
EBIT	85	94	-10%
TOTAL EBIT Energy Distribution	284	341	17%

## Retail & Marketing

Strong demand for LPG in Europe (Autogas) and bulk in Morocco

## Fuel:

- Retail fuel business very dynamic in the Caribbean (Jamaica, Antiqua, Grenada, Dominica and Guyana) but under pressure in Kenya
- Aviation very dynamic in Kenya and Barbados
- Strong performance of **bitumen** in South Africa, Togo and Cameroon offset by Nigeria low demand – solid gross margin
- <u>Support & Services</u> normalisation after a record H1 2023

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# **Financial performance**

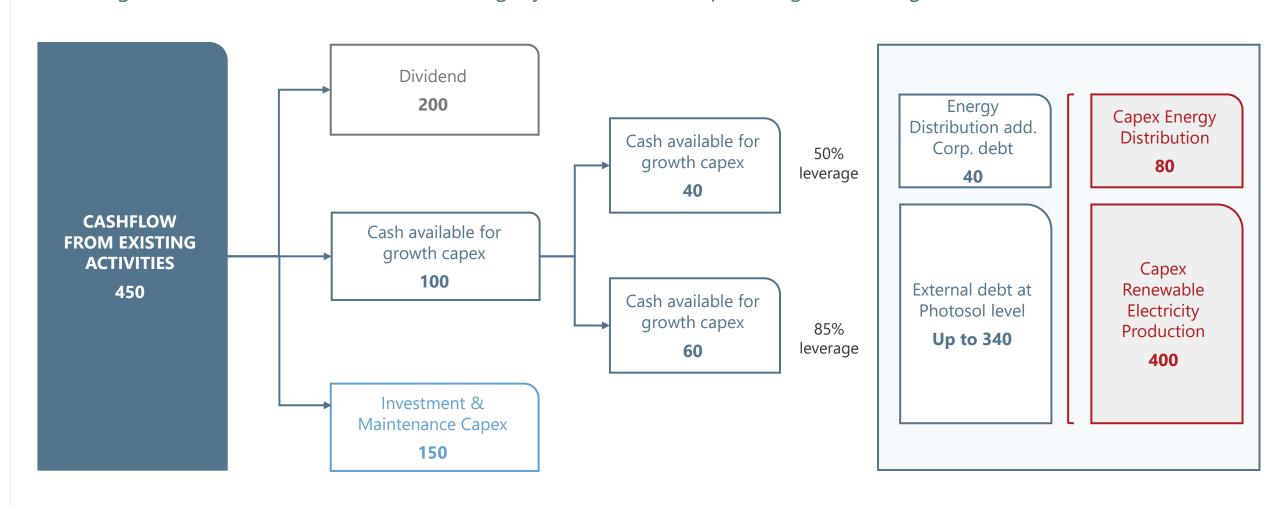


	H1 2024	H1 2023	Var %
EBITDA	358	409	-12%
o/w Energy Distribution Retail & Marketing	258	300	-14%
o/w Energy Distribution Support & Services	114	115	-1%
o/w Renewable Electricity Prodution	11	10	12%
o/w Rubis SCA Holding	-24	-16	46%
EBIT	257	323	-20%
o/w Energy Distribution Retail & Marketing	200	247	-19%
o/w Energy Distribution Support & Services	85	94	-10%
o/w Renewable Electricity Prodution	-3	-1	158%
o/w Rubis SCA Holding	-24	-17	45%
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## Annual cash-flow allocation mechanism for Rubis Group

Financing investments with cashflow from legacy activities while pursuing dividend growth



Notes: 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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# A proactive CSR approach

Our progress for a positive impact

Highlights on 3 key objectives of our CSR Roadmap (updated June 2024)



	Environment	People	Society	
OBJECTIVES	Reducing our environmental footprint	Providing a safe and stimulating working environment	Contributing to a more virtuous society	
KPI	Reduction of CO <sub>2</sub> emissions from our activities	Percentage of women in Management bodies	Percentage of employees trained in ethics and anti-corruption	
TARGET	<b>by 2030</b> (2019 baseline, scopes 1 and 2, a constant scope, Energy Distribution and Photovoltaic Electricity Production divisions)	Average portion of women in the Management Committees (1) by 2025	of employees made aware of ethics and anti-corruption rules by 2023	
<ul> <li>2023 achievement</li> <li>2024 initiatives</li> <li>2024: SARA refinery decarbonisation plan</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>Percentage of employees receiving training: 89.5%</li> <li>3,688 employees benefited from 99,470 hours of training and 1,409 employees were trained in the changes affecting our businesses (energy transition, CSR, new technologies, AI, etc.)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>2023: implementation of the Responsible Purchasing initiative to identify the purchasing categories most at risk</li> <li>2024: continuing our commitment to raising awareness and training our employees in ethical and anti- corruption rules</li> </ul>	
Management Committees of Ruhis Énergi	ie and its subsidiaries and Rubis Photosol.		2024	

(1) Management Committees of Rubis Energie and its subsidiaries and Rubis Photosol.

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# **Extra-financial ratings**



Performance Agency 2021 2022 2023 versus Oil & Gas sector MSCI 💮 High Above average SUSTAINALYTICS ISS ESG ≥ Average Above average

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## Financial calendar – Roadshows & Conferences



- Photosol Day 17 September 2024 Paris
- Roadshows post H1 2024 results & Photosol Day
  - **London** 18 September 2024 (CM-CIC)
  - North America 23-27 September 2024 (CM-CIC)
  - Asia-Pacific 14-18 October 2024 (HSBC)
- **Conferences** 
  - Kepler Autumn Conference 11 September 2024
  - **CF&B Forum** 2 October 2024



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# **Next events**

Photosol Day: 17 | 09 | 2024

Q3 & 9M 2024 Trading update: 05 | 11 | 2024

FY 2024 Results: 13 | 03 | 2025



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