



# **Main goals and Financial Targets 2023 – 2025**

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# Introduction

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## Financial results and strategy

- 2023 current trading
- 2024 – 2025 Expected

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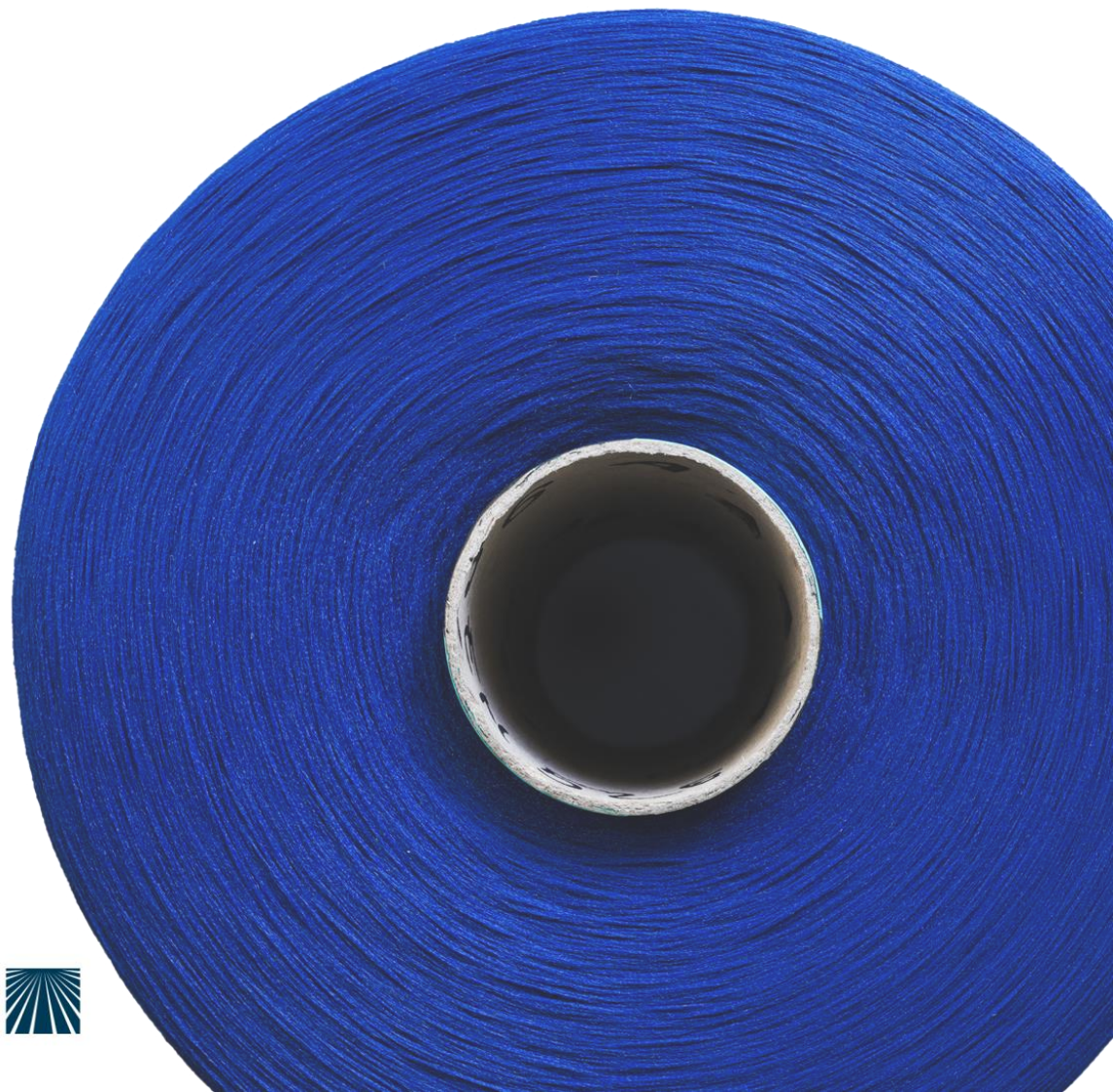
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## Q&A session

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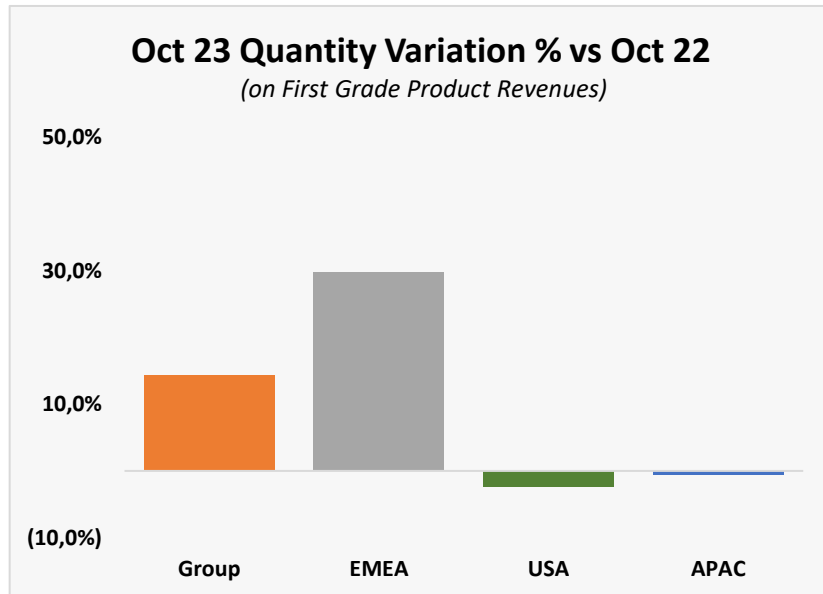
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# 4Q 2023 current trading - volumes

Overall, the Group quantities in October '23 are **higher of ca. 15%** vs October '22



## USA

in line with 4Q  
2022  
notwithstanding  
the automotive  
strike

## Europe

increase of **BCF**  
and **Polymers**  
market,  
**NTF** remains  
weak

## Asia

**Pacific**  
confirms the  
quantities

# FY 2023 – Key Messages

## Key messages

- **Volumes:** Expected FY 2023 range (3)% - (4)% vs FY 2022
- **Strong stock impact** related to high unit value of the 2022 inventories compared to the yearly market value of raw materials 23 - 25 €/mln FY 2023

## FY23 expected results

- **EBITDA target:** 45 – 50 €/mln
- **EBITDA Adj target:** 68 – 70 €/mln
- **NFP:** 250 – 260 €/mln



# FY 2023 – Key Messages

## Ongoing actions

- **Production costs management** to maintain the efficiency of variable costs;
- **Reduction** in personnel costs;
- **Rationalization** of working capital;
- High manufacture capital quality and saturation level lead to **lower investments**;
- **R&D** continuous effort (*ca. 2% on 2022 revenues*).



# Volumes by business lines ('23E vs '22E)

Overall volumes **decrease** range **3% – 4%**

**ECONYL® branded products** volumes remain stable



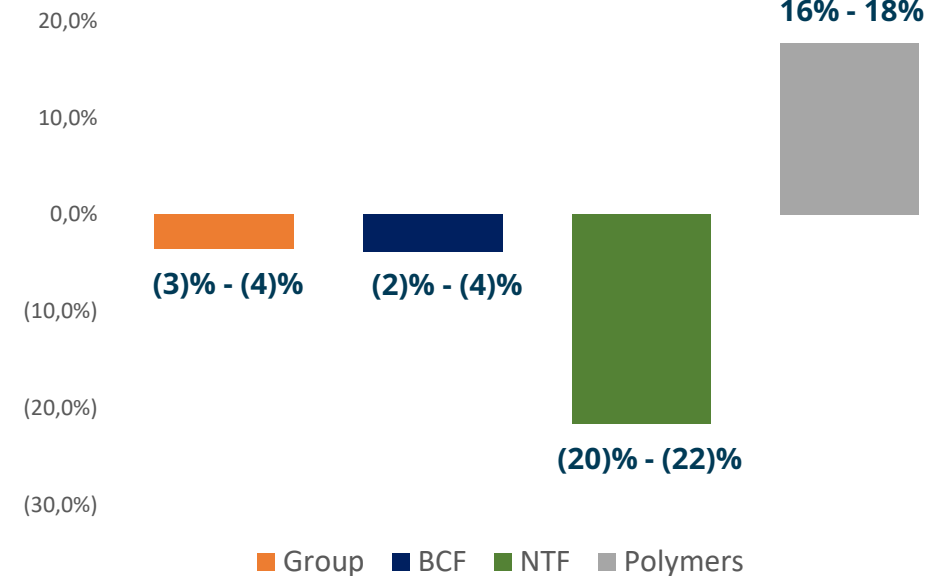
**BCF - Carpet yarn**  
substantially stable



**Polymers**  
sharp start of the  
Engineering  
Plastics project

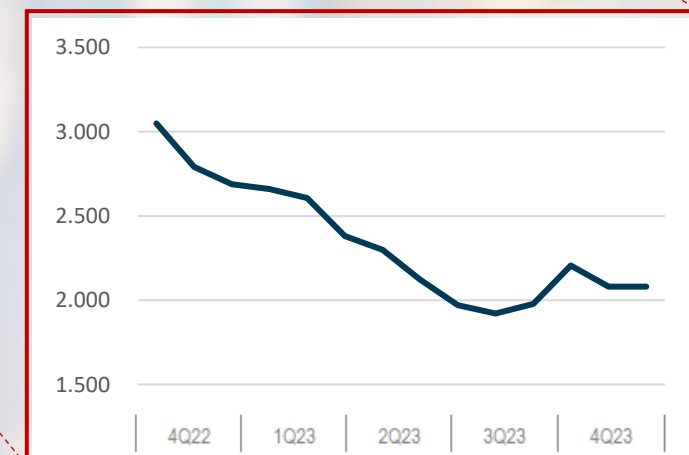


**NTF - Textile yarn**  
strongly hit,  
mainly in EMEA



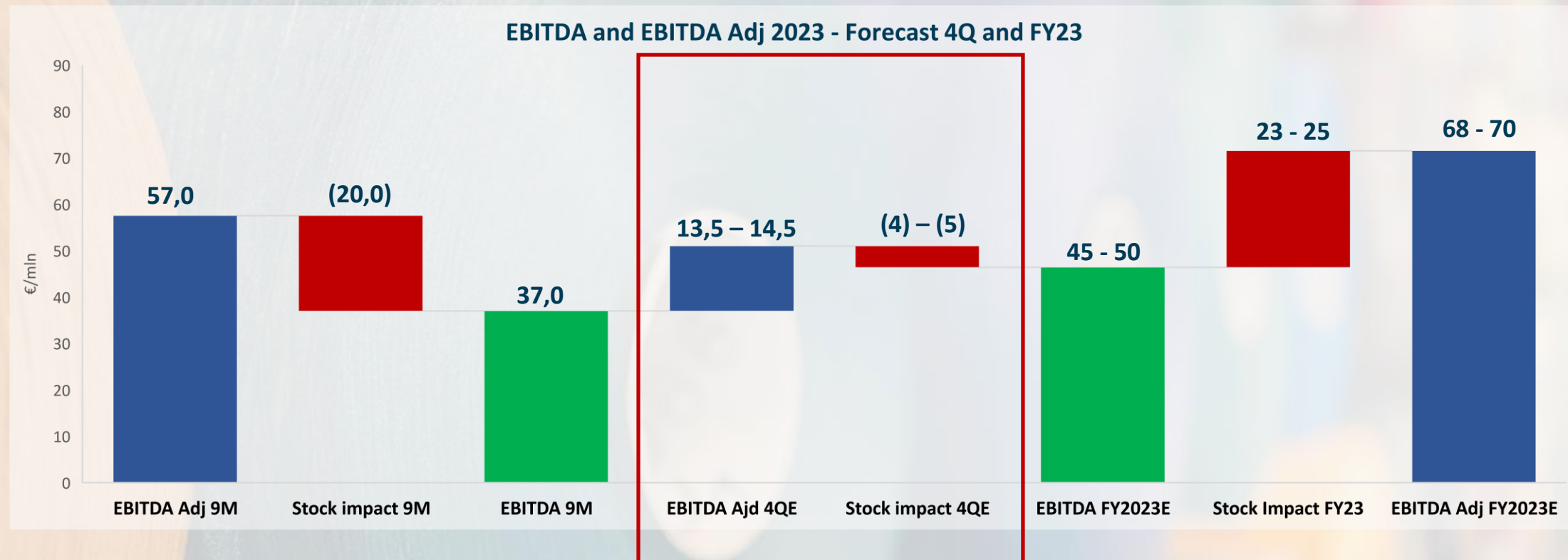
# Stock impact

## Caprolactam market price evolution (€/ton)



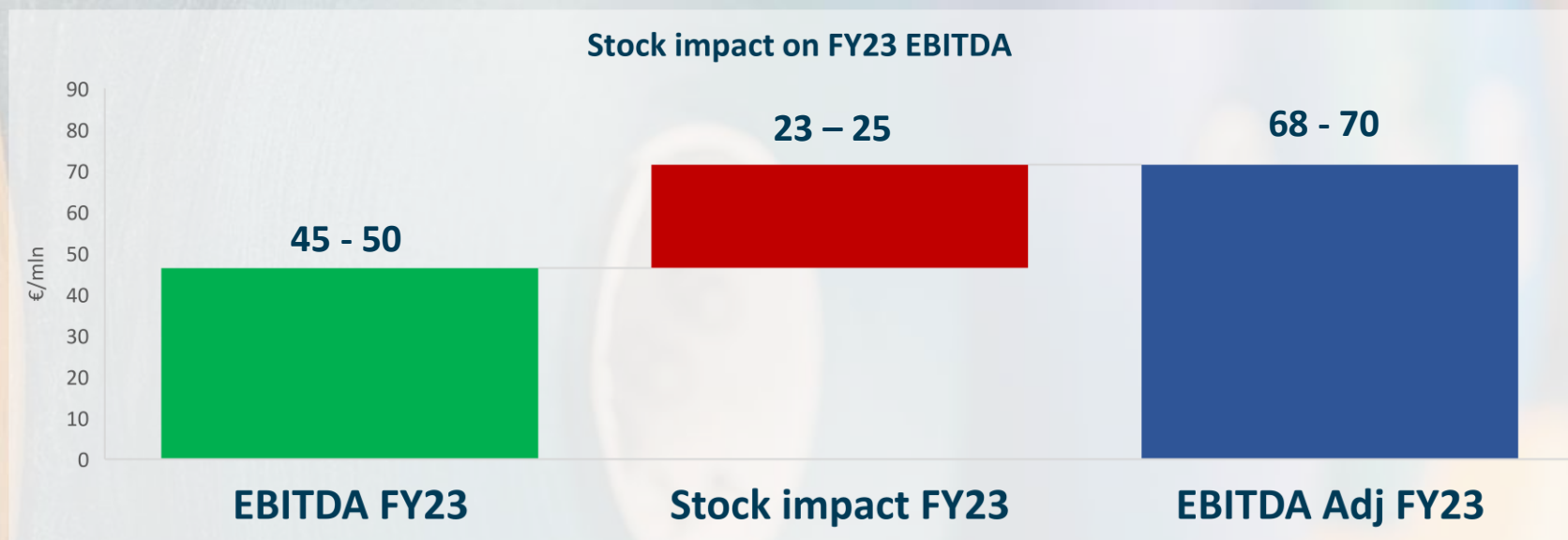
Source: market data

# FY 2023E – EBITDA and EBITDA Adjusted



# FY 2023E – EBITDA adjusted

EBITDA affected approximately **€23-25 €/mln** by strong stock impact related to high unit value of the 2022 inventories compared to the 2023 market value of raw materials.



# 2024 – 2025 Expected

## Our view for the future

- **Volumes**
- **EBITDA**
- **NFP**



# Volumes by business lines ('24E vs '23E)

Overall volumes increase in all product lines from +4% to +7% at Group level

Raw material price in line with last months of 2023

## BCF - Carpet yarn

From +3% to +6%



## NTF - Textile yarn

From +13% to +16%



## Polymers

From +6% to +9%



# Volumes ('24E vs '23E)

Continues growth of ECONYL® Branded Products

## USA

**BCF** market growth  
**NTF** recovering market

## Europe

**BCF** market growth  
**NTF** product line  
recovery  
**Polymers** new  
prospective  
reinforced by the  
Engineering Plastics  
business

## Asia Pacific

**BCF**  
best macro area  
expected  
increase in  
volumes

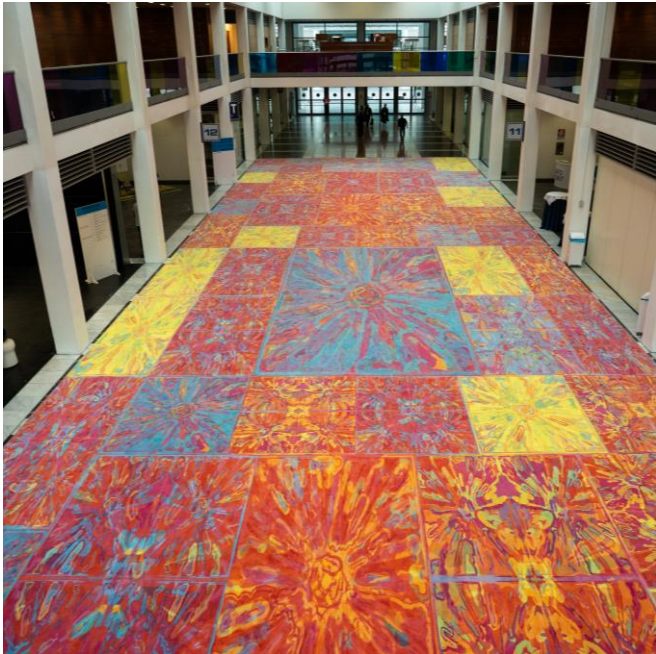
# Volumes by business lines ('25E vs '24E)

Overall volumes increase in all product lines from **+6%** to **+9%** at Group level

Raw material price slightly increased (+5%) compared 2024

## BCF - Carpet yarn

From +4% to +7%



## NTF - Textile yarn

From +8% to +11%



## Polymers

From +14% to +17%



# Volumes ('25E vs '24E)

Continues growth of ECONYL® Branded Products

## USA

**BCF** growing market  
**NTF** complete recovery

## Europe

**BCF** continues growth  
**NTF** still recovering but below 2022 levels  
**Polymers** expansion of the business

## Asia Pacific

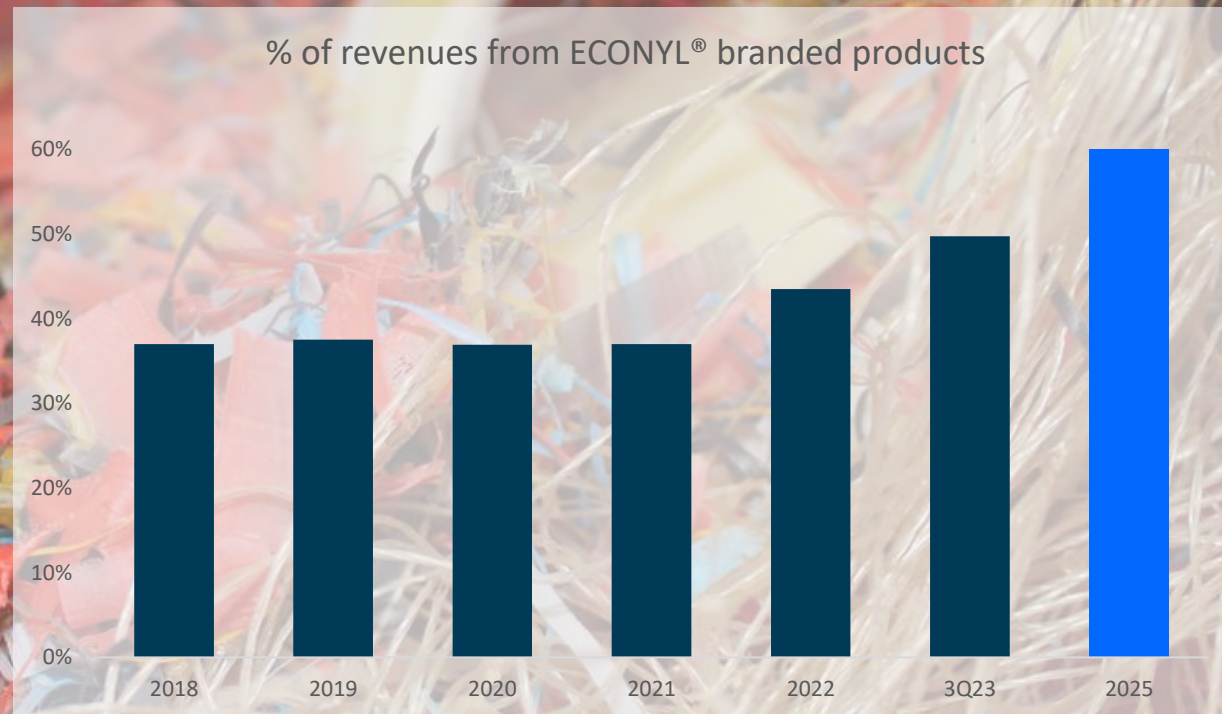
**BCF** growing market

**2025 target**

**60% of revenues**

generated by fibers  
from

**ECONYL® Branded  
Products**

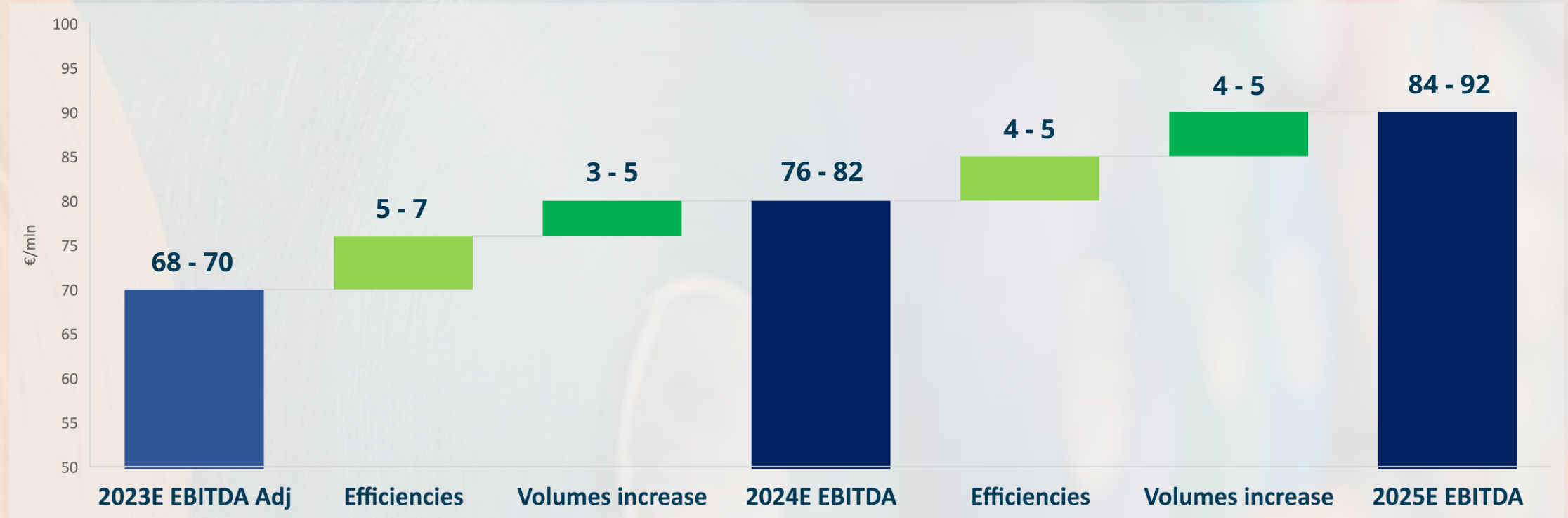


# Efficiencies

- Headcounts reduction (e.g. Aquafil UK and European manufacturing sites)
- Productivity increase (e.g. plant utilization rate)
- Energy efficiencies
- Cost-effectiveness initiatives

# EBITDA ('23E vs '25E)

€/mln

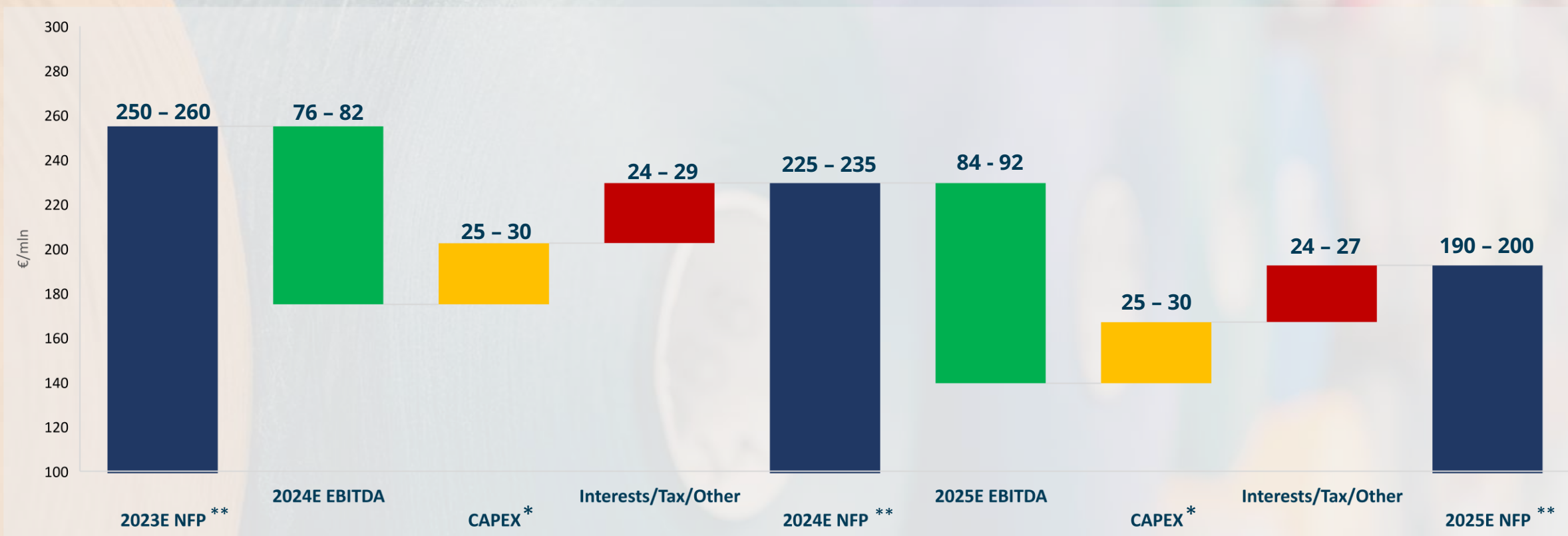


- Cumulative savings expected from efficiencies 9 - 12 €/mln
- Cumulative increase expected from volumes 7 - 10 €/mln

# 2023E – 2025E Net financial position

€/mln

50 - 60 mln of cumulated NFP generated in two years



\*CAPEX does not include effect of IFRS 16 and related impact on NFP

\*\*Positive means debt

# Q&A session

# Appendix

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