

# O1 Growth and Resilience Well Positioned to Deliver Future Growth

François Jackow - Chief Executive Officer

# **Continued Strong Performance in Q3 2022**





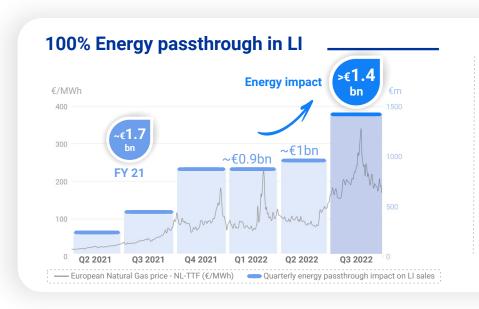


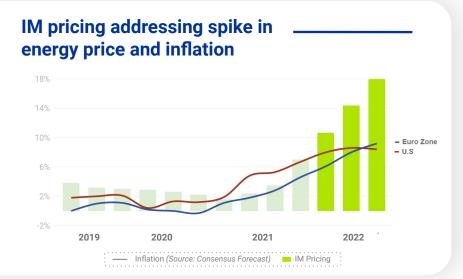


Q3 2022 figures

(1) Cash Flow from Operations before changes in WCR on Sales excluding energy pass through impact

# Resilient Business Model Addressing the Current Challenges





# **ADVANCE**



### A reinforced resilient business model

- Strong contracts, fixed revenue from rentals
- Diversity of business reach
- Energy transition, EL & HC
- Performance focused

# Well Positioned to Deliver Future Growth





> £2.5bn of investment in **Electronics** over 4 years<sup>(1)</sup>

Already 6 projects selected for European/national subsidies

Carbon **Capture** 







**Electrolysis** 

**Normand'Hy** 200 MW

**ELYgator** 200 MW

CurtHyl 200 MW

(1) Investment decisions since Q4 2018

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# Strong Sales Growth Active Projects Signing and Strong Backlog

Jérôme Pelletan - Chief Financial Officer

# **Continued Strong Sales Growth**

Sales in €m	Q3 21	Q3 22	Q3 22/21 As published	Q3 22/21 Comparable	YTD 22/21 Comparable
Gas & Services	5,585	7,897	+41.4%	+7.2%	+7.2%
Engineering & Construction	81	115	+41.1%	+37.3%	+31.7%
Global Markets & Technologies	168	235	+39.5%	+32.7%	+20.3%
Group Total	5,834	8,247	+41.3%	+8.3%	+7.9%

Impacts on Q3 Group Sales: +8.8% FX +24.4% Energy -0.2% Significant Scope (1)

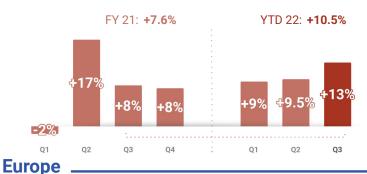
(1) Impact on sales of all acquisitions or disposals of a significant size for the Group



# Q3 – Strong Americas, Mixed Europe

### **Americas**

High growth across all activities





- Start-ups contributing to robust air gases volumes
- Strong H<sub>2</sub> sales in Latam, turnarounds in U.S.
- Higher pricing >+16% +2% volumes excluding helium
  - Lower O<sub>2</sub> for covid-19 across the region
- Strong proximity care in U.S.
  - Improving Latam
- EL High Carrier Gases, ESM<sup>(1)</sup> and E&I

Record high IM pricing, low demand in LI, strong HC





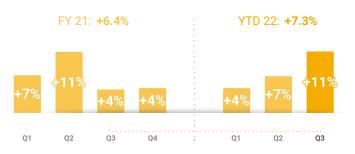
- . Volumes -6%
- . Weak Steel and Chemicals
  - Lower H<sub>2</sub> demand in Refineries
- Accelerating pricing ~+30%
  - Slight volume growth
  - Strong momentum in HHC driven by diabetes
    - Lower O<sub>2</sub> for covid-19, higher pricing

G&S comparable sales growth (1) Electronic Specialty Materials

# Q3 – Strong Asia driven by Electronics, Solid AMEI



Buoyant EL, accelerating IM pricing over the region



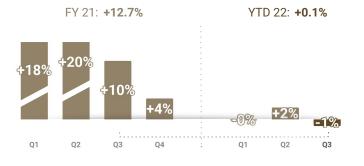




- Low demand in rest of Asia
  - · Pricing >+9%
- IM Improving volumes
  - High China, driven by pricing and small acquisitions
- EL >+20% growth in Carrier Gases, ESM<sup>(1)</sup> and E&I

### **AMEI**

Steady LI, low IM & HC

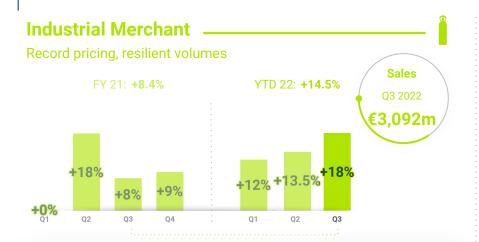




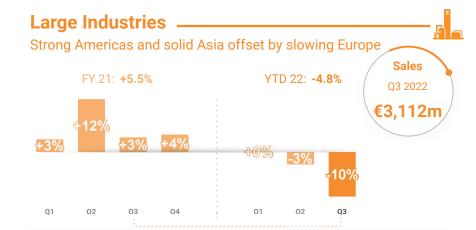
- LI Strong sales in India and Egypt
- IM Small divestitures in Middle-East
- **HC Reduced O**<sub>2</sub> sales for covid-19

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# Q3 – Pursued Momentum in Industrial Merchant, Mixed Large Industries

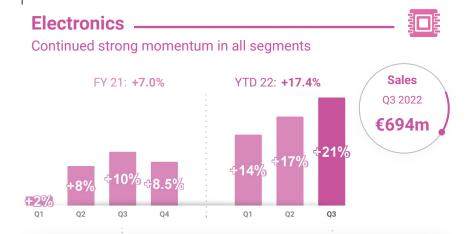


- Record +18% pricing, successfully addressing unprecedented spike in energy cost and high inflation
- Growing volumes offset by helium
- Strong Food & Beverage, Robust Materials & Energy, improving Auto

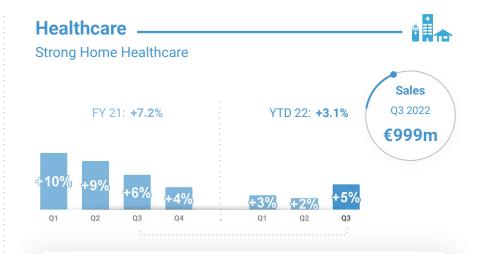


- Overall volumes -2%
   [see appendix for combined effect]
- Robust air gases volumes in Americas and China
- Slowing demand in Europe
- Solid contribution from start-ups and ramp-ups

# Q3 - Buoyant Electronics, Very Robust Healthcare



- >+21% growth in Carrier Gases, ESM<sup>(1)</sup> and E&I
- Continued development of Advanced Materials
- Significant contribution from start-ups and ramp-ups
- High pricing in ESM<sup>(1)</sup> driven by rare gases



- Normalizing Medical O<sub>2</sub> volumes after covid-19
- Strong Home Healthcare driven by diabetes
- High Specialty Ingredients
- Increasing pricing in all regions



# Strong Comparable Growth supported by Geographic and Business Mix



# Performance Focused in an Inflationary Environment



- Pursued acceleration in pricing
- Successful price management in all geographies to address inflation



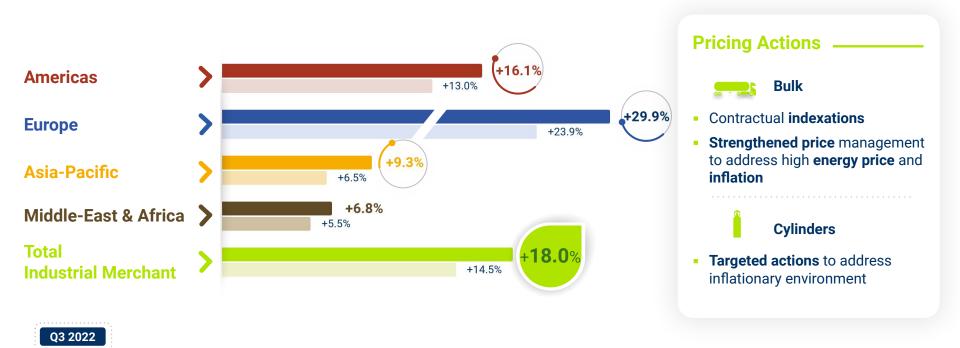


**24**% Cas

**Cash Flow to Sales** 

(1) Cash Flow from Operations before changes in Working Capital Requirements on Group sales excluding energy passthrough impact

# Accelerating IM Pricing Effective Management of Spike in Energy Cost & Inflation



# **Active Projects Signing and Strong Backlog**



Sustained level of investment opportunities:

- >40% in Energy Transition
  - Well-balanced by geographies



- - . IM oxycombustion
    - . Biogas
    - Sasol ASUs efficiency program
    - ASUs electrification in China



### **Strong** Backlog:

 Many projects in EL, especially in Asia

€1.3bn of yearly sales after full ramp-up

(1) See definitions in appendix (2) Russian projects have been removed from Q3 2022 Backlog

# Significant SU and RU Contribution to Sales



<sup>(1)</sup> Including the additional contribution from Sasol ASUs takeover accounted for in Significant Perimeter (€+72m YTD 2022; estimated at €+135m for FY 2022) and excluding ramp-ups in Russia from September 2022. At constant exchange rate and excluding energy passthrough impact

# **Confirmed 2022 Guidance**





Assuming no significant economic disruption,
Air Liquide is confident in its ability
to further increase its operating margin
and to deliver recurring net profit growth,
at constant exchange rates. (1)

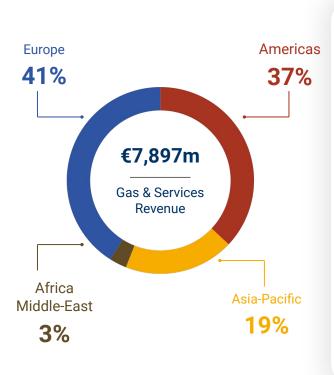
(1) Operating margin excluding energy passthrough impact. Recurring net profit excluding exceptional and significant transactions that have no impact on the operating income recurring, and excluding the impact of any US tax reform in 2022

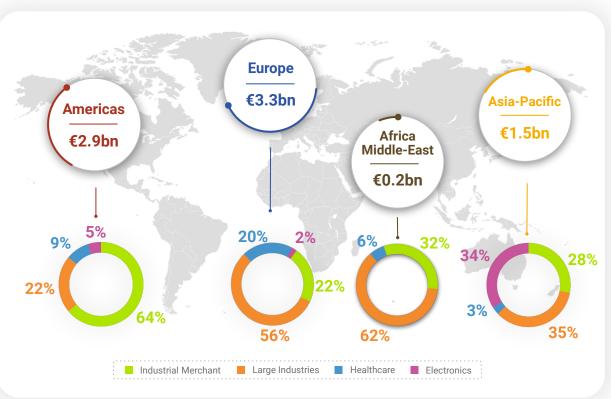
no impact on the operating

03 Appendix

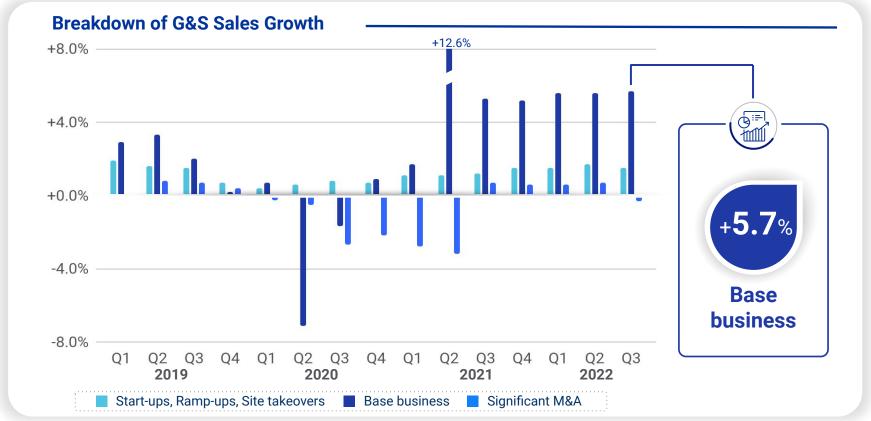
### **Combined Effect Energy Price** Excluded from **Energy** Included in **Combined** Comparable Sales Comparable Sales **Impact** Included in Sales<sub>n-1</sub> Volume Comparable Sales Volume **Exceptional Q3 2022 case** "Normal" case Positive energy impact **Non-significant Significant** combined effect price Large **Negative** variation combined Positive energy impact **Industries Typical** $S_n = P_n * V_n$ effect price Europe variation P **n-**1 $S_n = P_n * V_n$ Positive volume -6% volume impact impact

# Q3 2022 G&S Revenue Breakdown by Region





# Maintained Strong Base Business, Significant SU/RU Contribution



See definitions in appendix

# Q3 - Americas

### **Industrial Merchant** .

- Higher pricing +16.1%
- +2% volumes excluding helium, in particular in bulk and hardgoods
- End-markets well oriented, in particular Auto, Food, Fabrication and Energy

### **Large Industries**



- Start-ups contributing to robust air gases volumes in Chemicals, softening demand in Steel
- Strong H<sub>2</sub> sales in Latam from ramp-ups, turnarounds in U.S.
- Strong cogen, especially in Canada

### Healthcare



- Lower Medical O<sub>2</sub> for covid-19 across the region
- Strong Proximity Care in U.S. with high pricing
- Improving Latam: dynamic HHC, Medical gases back to positive contribution

### **Electronics**



- Strong contribution from Carrier Gases
- High ESM<sup>(1)</sup> and E&I



Q3 22/21 Comparable Growth: +12.8% - +17% +6% +5% +10%

(1) Electronic Specialty Materials



# Q3 - Europe

### **Industrial Merchant**

- Record high pricing +29.9% to address high Energy price and inflation
- Slight daily volume growth, notably in cylinders
- Sales growth in all end-markets, with slight volume increase in Food, Fabrication and Materials

### **Large Industries**



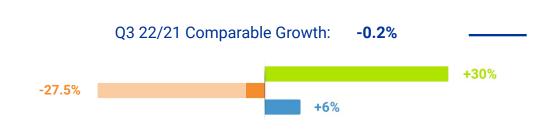
- Volumes -6% [see appendix for combined effect]
- Weak Steel and Chemicals
- Lower H<sub>2</sub> demand in Refineries, using lighter crude oil

### Healthcare



- Strong momentum in HHC driven by diabetes
- Lower O<sub>2</sub> volumes related to Covid-19
- High Speciality Ingredients
- Improving pricing





Combined effect



# Q3 - Asia-Pacific

### **Industrial Merchant**

- Increased pricing across the region +9.3%
- High China, driven by pricing and small acquisitions
- Solid Automotive, Technology, Energy and Food, especially in China

### **Large Industries**



- China +9%, driven by solid air gases vs. DEC<sup>(1)</sup> impact in Q3 2021
- Low demand in rest of Asia, notably air gases for Steel in Japan and H<sub>2</sub> for Chemicals in Korea

### **Electronics**



- All segments contributing to growth,
   >+20% in Carrier Gases, ESM<sup>(2)</sup> and E&I
- High pricing in ESM<sup>(2)</sup> driven by rare gases
- Strong Advanced Materials, notably in Singapore and China



Q3 22/21 Comparable Growth: **+10.9**% \_\_\_\_\_

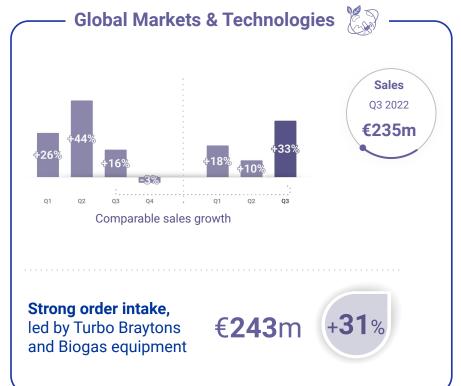


(1) Dual Energy Control

(2) Electronic Specialty Materials

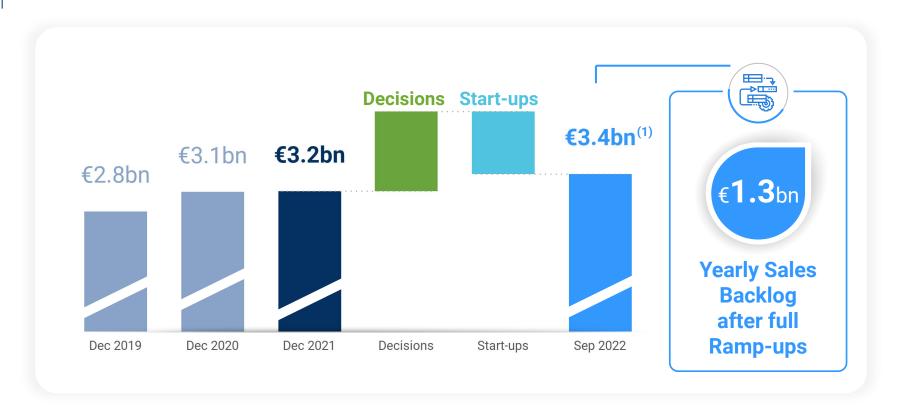
# Q3 - Solid E&C, Strong GM&T Driven by Biogas





(1) Including internal sales

# Strong and Diversified Backlog at €3.4bn

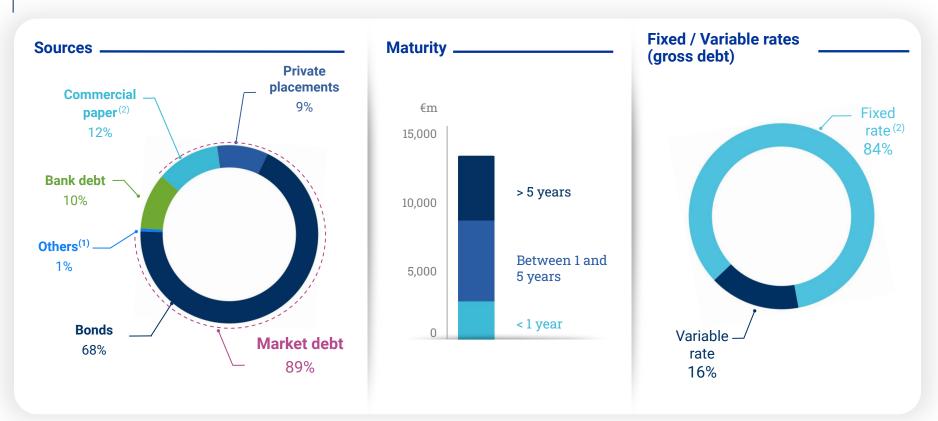


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# **Impact of Currency and Energy on G&S Revenue**

in €m	Q1 21	Q2 21	Q3 21	Q4 21	Q1 22	Q2 22	Q3 22
€/USD	(165)	(169)	(19)	+74	+141	+271	+373
€/JP¥	(14)	(25)	(10)	(10)	(5)	(10)	(16)
€/SGD	(7)	(5)	+1	+5	+10	+18	+24
€/BRL	(23)	(6)	+1	+1	+9	+16	+14
€/Rmb	(8)	+1	+29	+40	+52	+59	+62
€/CAN	(5)	+5	+8	+13	+13	+17	+25
€/TRY	(4)	(4)	(3)	(5)	(13)	(13)	(10)
Others	(40)	(17)	+15	+29	+11	+31	+28
Currency Impact	(266)	(220)	+22	+147	+218	+389	+500
in €m	Q1 21	Q2 21	Q3 21	Q4 21	Q1 22	Q2 22	Q3 22
Natural Gas Impact	+133	+171	+342	+609	+607	+690	+1,014
in €m	Q1 21	Q2 21	Q3 21	Q4 21	Q1 22	Q2 22	Q3 22
Electricity Impact	+46	+68	+99	+254	+267	+267	+412

# Financing Structure as of June 30, 2022



(1) Others: put options granted to minority shareholders (2) Higher commercial papers at variable rate: short term financing expected to be mostly reimbursed before year end 2022

# **Investment Cycle – Definitions**

### Investment opportunities at end of the period

- Investment opportunities under consideration by the Group for decision within 12 months.
- Industrial projects with investment value > €5m for Large Industries and > €3m for other business lines.
- Includes asset replacements or efficiency projects. Excludes maintenance and safety.

### Investment backlog at end of the period

- Cumulated industrial investment value of projects decided but not yet started.
- Industrial projects with value > €10m, including asset replacements or efficiency projects, excluding maintenance and safety.

### Sales backlog

Cumulated expected sales per year generated by the current investment backlog after full ramp-up.

### **Decisions of the period**

- Cumulated value of industrial and financial investment decisions.
- Industrial, growth and non-growth projects including asset replacements, efficiency, maintenance and safety.
- Financial decisions (acquisitions).

# Regular and Sustained performance

CAGR over 30 years<sup>(1)</sup>



- (1) Calculated according to prevailing accounting rules over 30 years
- (2) Adjusted for the 2-for-1 share split in 2007, for free share attributions and for the capital increase completed in October 2016

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# **Upcoming events**

2022 Full Year Results: February 16, 2023



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