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### **Presentation Outline**

Business Environment

- 2023 Performance
  - Business result
  - Growth
  - Sustainability
- 2024 Outlook

# **Business Environment**

# A challenging 2023









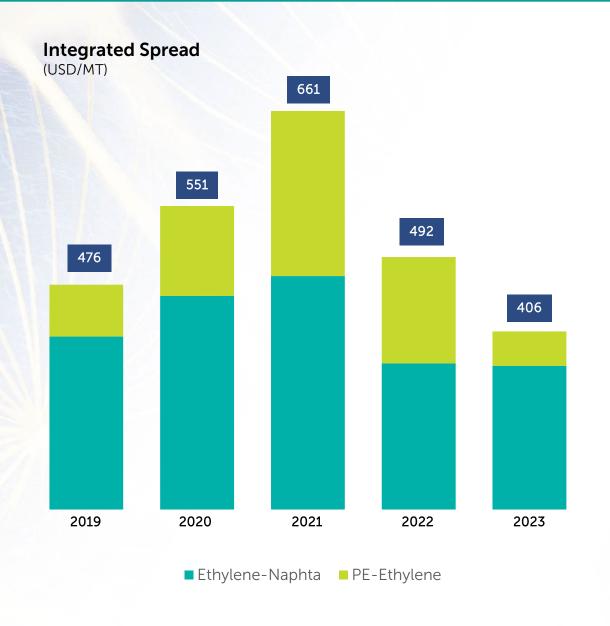
Slow economic growth

**Geopolitical tension** 

Supply chain disruptions

**High energy prices** 

### Soft chemicals market



Demand in key industries served by specialty segments remained weak due to economy slowdown

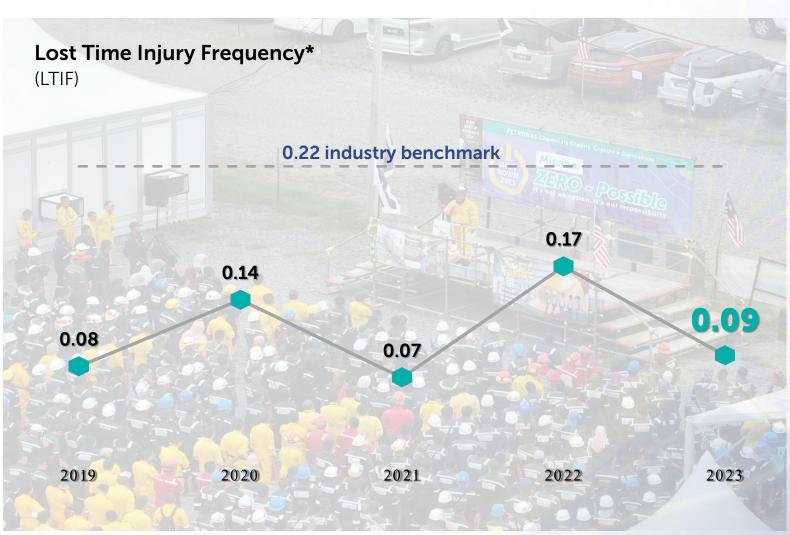


# 2023 Performance

- Business Result
- > Growth
- Sustainability

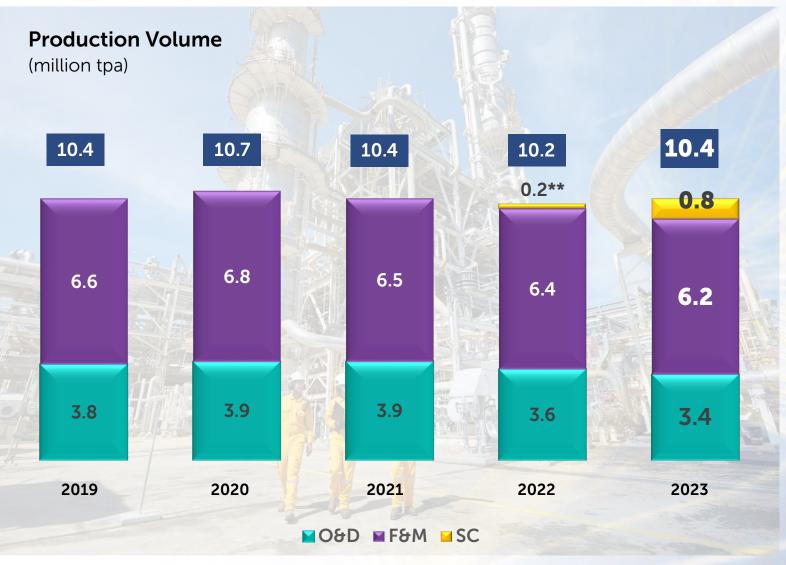
# Solid HSE Excellence





# **Sustain Operational Excellence**



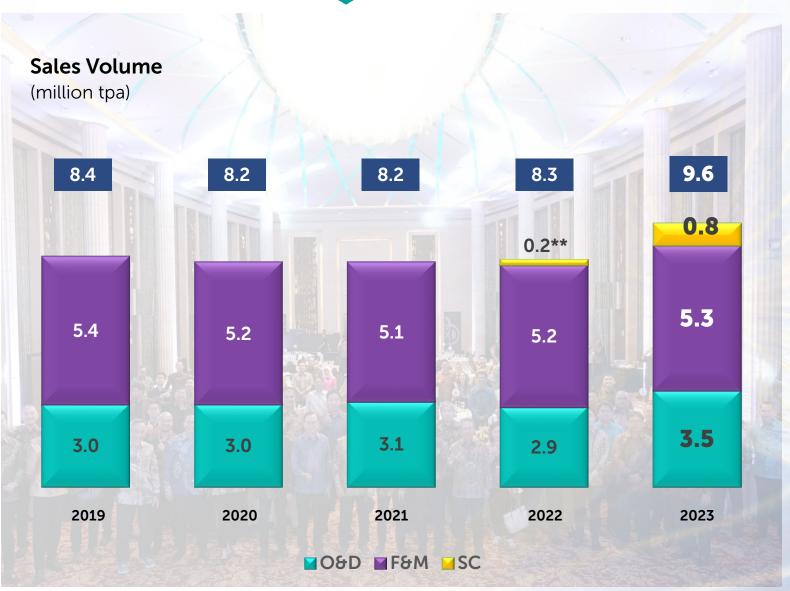


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# **Robust Commercial Excellence**

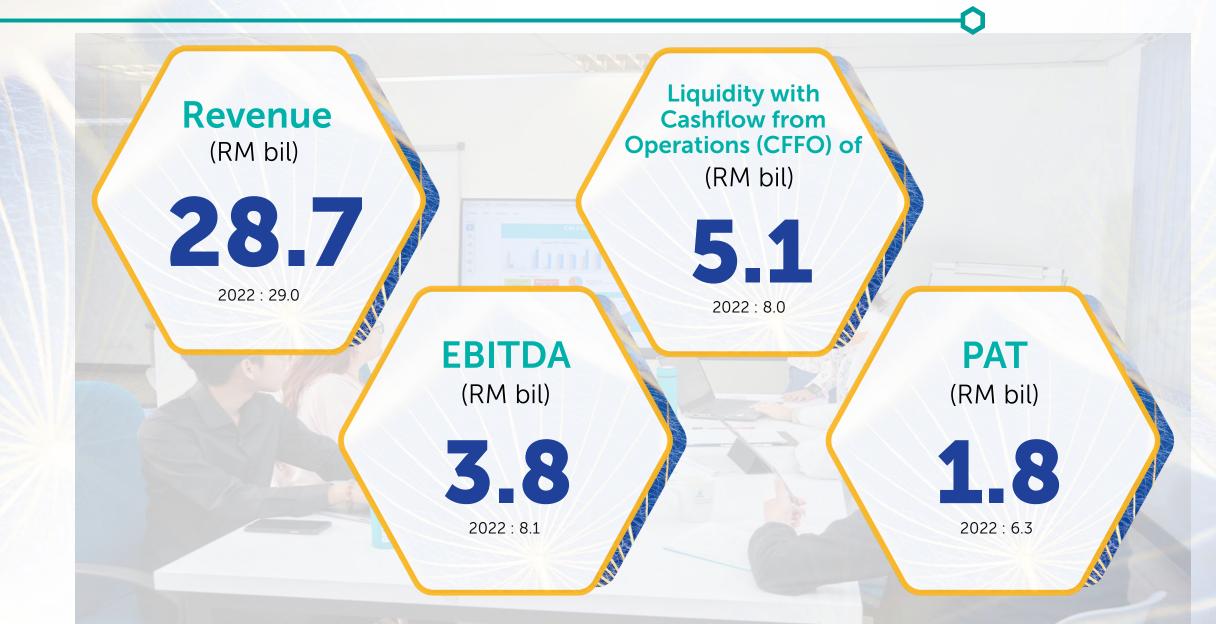




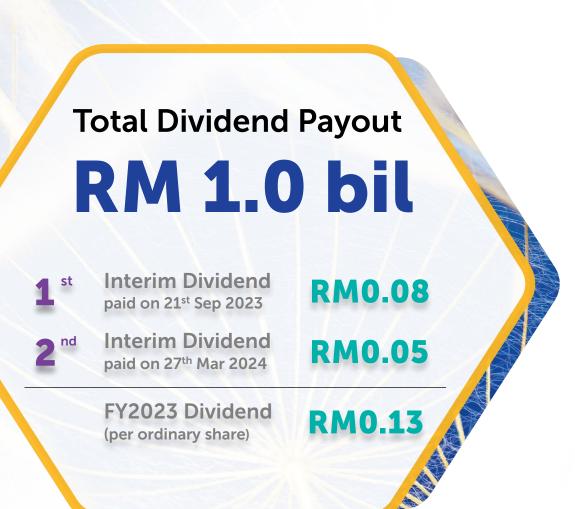
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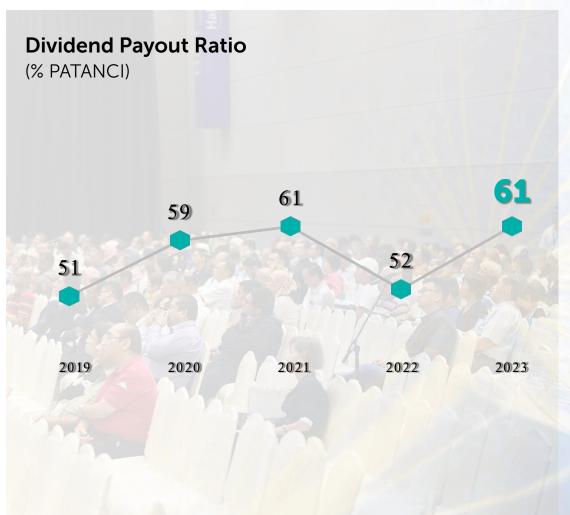
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# Financial performance



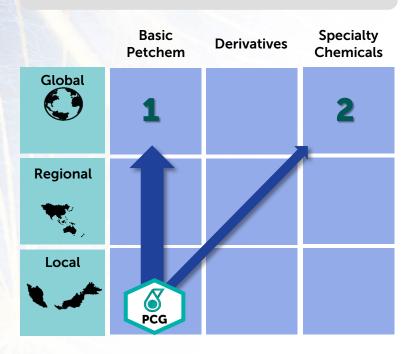
# Maintain dividend payout ratio ~50%





# **Deliver Growth Delivery Excellence**

#### 2-Pronged Strategy



- 1. Sustain strength in basic petrochemicals
- 2. Selectively diversify into derivatives, specialty chemicals and solutions

Diversify into derivatives, specialty chemicals and solutions to future-proof the business



Extend Value Chain (EVC)

via **downstream investment** 



Build Specialty
Platform

via Merger & Acquisition (M&A)



Create Optionality for Growth

via Technology
Research and
Corporate Venture
Capital (CVC)

# **Extending our value chain**

1 Ready For Start Up

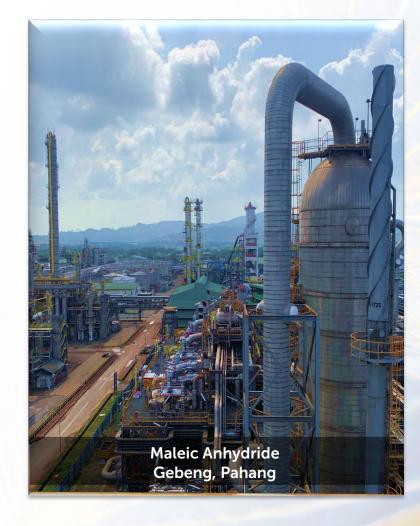
- Construction progressing as planned
- Final Investment Decision (FID)











# **Building our specialty platform**

Full operation of Lube Oil
Additives & Chemicals (LAC)
plant in Echt, Netherlands

Incorporation of BRB Silicones
United Kingdom Ltd

Obtained critical certifications for silicone blending plant in Gebeng, Pahang

# SPECIALTY CHEMICALS



Commissioning of new Pentaerythritol (Penta) production facility in Sayakha, India

Working towards approval for sustainable methanol project in Stenungsund, Sweden

# Creating optionality for growth

Achieved the first drop from bio-based emollient pilot plant for personal care applications

**2** Developing Global Innovation Network





# **Advancing circularity**

#### **Plastic Circularity**

- ✓ Achieved Final Investment Decision (FID) for advanced chemical recycling plant in Pengerang, Johor
- ✓ Collaboration with feedstock suppliers to accelerate innovative waste recovery infrastructure



#### **Circular Solutions**

- ✓ Introduced Akestra<sup>™</sup> 100 and Akestra<sup>™</sup> 110
  - Enhance recycled PET's heat resistance
  - Enable increased recycled material content
  - Promote circularity

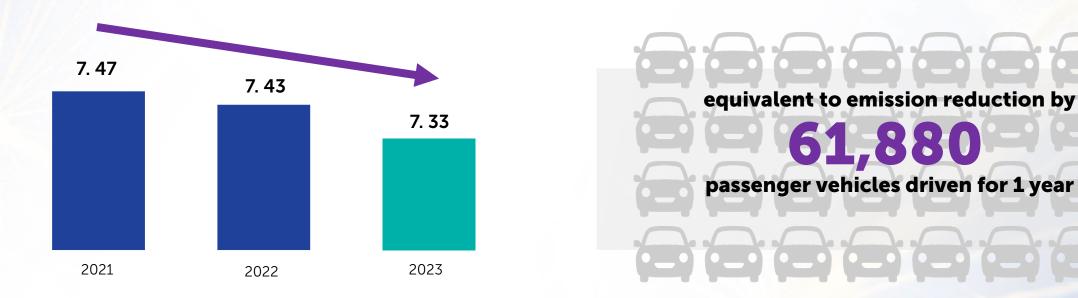


# **Progressing towards net zero**



Energy efficiency Flaring reduction Total TOTAL

Total GHG Emission for Scope 1 and Scope 2 – Market Based (mil tCO2e)



# Advocating positive social impact

170,000

2022: >75,000

Community members reached







# **Awarded global recognitions**

1 Achieved
Top quartile
4-Star rating
for FTSE4GOOD



Silver rating (Top 25% in the industry)



Sustained
Top 10%

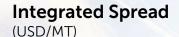
Companies for World
and Emerging Markets
for third consecutive years

4 Gold rating (Top 5% in the industry)



# 2024 Outlook

# **Prevailing headwinds**





Demand for key industries served by specialty segments is expected to be similar to 2023 level



Source: Platts, ICIS, IHS

# **Key priorities for 2024**

Deliver 4 2 Y **Operational Steadfast Growth ZERO** is possible **Excellence & Delivery Excellence Commercial Excellence Build strong Advancing Specialty Chemicals** sustainability business commitments

Maximise value for stakeholders

