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## FULL YEAR 2021

### **Vestas Wind Systems A/S**

Copenhagen, February 2022

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## **KEY HIGHLIGHTS IN 2021**

#### **Revenue of EUR 15.6bn**

Year on year revenue growth despite increasing supply chain challenges. High level of deliveries at 16.6 GW.

#### **EBIT** margin of 3 percent

EBIT hampered by supply chain disruptions, causing cost inflation, delays and high warranty provisions.

#### Total order intake of 13.9 GW and increasing pricing throughout the year

Wind turbine order backlog remains strong at EUR 18bn; +3 GW preferred supplier agreements signed for new offshore platform.

#### The most sustainable company

Vestas ranked number one in the world by Corporate Knights in their 18th annual Global 100 ranking.

#### Strategic progress to become the global leader in sustainable energy solutions

Full integration of offshore, expanded development business and two investments through Vestas Ventures.

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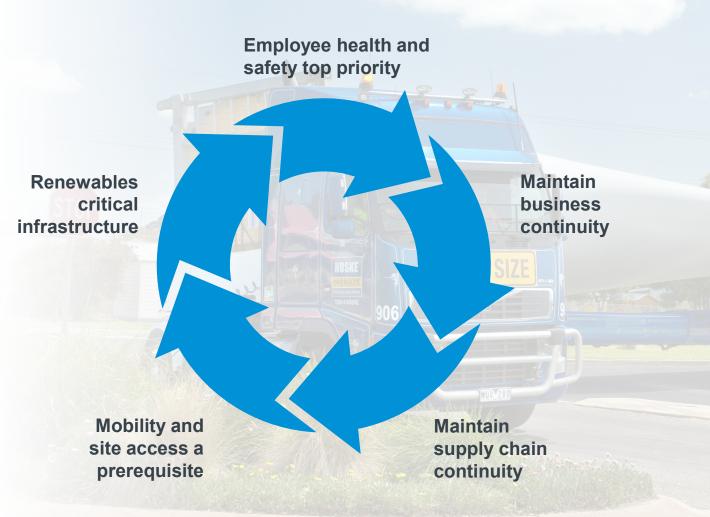
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## **GLOBAL BUSINESS ENVIRONMENT**



Challenging global business environment and supply chain instability expected to last throughout 2022

- Wind power is increasingly critical as short-term electricity demand increase around the world, supporting business continuity.
- Supply chain disruptions and instability continue to impact timelines and increase costs
- Cost inflation continues to accelerate within transportation and raw materials
- Mobility for construction workers as well as service technicians remains challenging

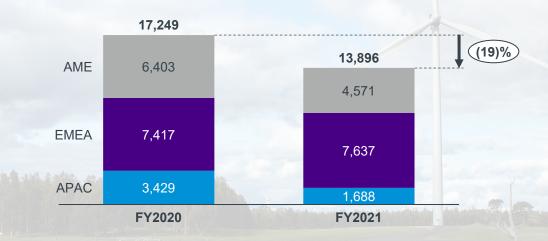
## **POWER SOLUTIONS**

Increased pricing is a key factor for value creation

#### **Highlights**

- Decrease in order intake impacted by accelerating cost inflation and timing of individual markets
- Power prices continues to be record high while PPA levels has only started to increase
- ASP increased more than 20% in the year to mitigate cost inflation and display the discipline needed across onshore and offshore
- Offshore fully integrated in customers dialogues
  leading to +3 GW preferred supplier agreements
- Wind turbine order backlog remains high at EUR 18.1bn





**Onshore and offshore** 

#### --- Average selling price of order intake, mEUR per MW



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## SERVICE BUSINESS

Well positioned for further growth

#### **Highlights**

- Offshore fully integrated within the service • business with further focus on leveraging global supply chain and scale
- Focus on full scope multibrand service contracts, ٠ having reached 1GW of multibrand contracts in Latin America
- Continued focus on long service duration, • reaching all the way to 35 years

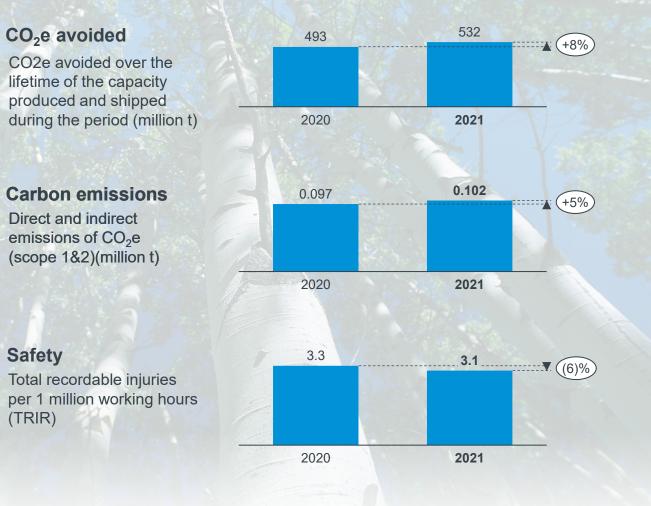


## SUSTAINABILITY STRATEGY

The most sustainable company in the world

#### **Highlights**

- Vestas named the most sustainable company in • the world by Corporate Knights and achieved Ascore by CDP highlighting climate leadership
- 8 percent increase in expected CO<sub>2</sub> avoided
- Increase in carbon emissions driven by integration • of offshore activities; engagement with strategic suppliers to reduce CO<sub>2</sub> emissions and waste across the supply chainstarted
- Initiated CETEC project to create the first circular blade, important steps in our new industry-leading **Circularity Roadmap**



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## **INCOME STATEMENT – FULL YEAR**

Strong resilience in challenging times

#### **Highlights**

- Revenue increased 5.2 percent YoY, mainly driven by increased service activity and offshore
- Gross margin slightly decreased by 0.4 percentage points YoY, positively impacted by higher revenue and Service but offset by Power Solutions
- EBIT margin before special items decreased by 2.1 percentage points YoY, mainly driven by higher SG&A costs as a result of offshore integration
- Special items of EUR 139m related to the alignment of the offshore manufacturing footprint

mEUR	2021	2020	% change
Revenue	15,587	14,819	5.2%
Production costs	(14,027)	(13,281)	5.6%
Gross profit	1,560	1,538	1.4%
SG&A costs*	(1,099)	(788)	39.5%
EBIT before special items	461	750	(38.5)%
Special items	(139)	(52)	-
EBIT after special items	322	698	(53.9)%
Income from investments in joint ventures and associates	36	331	(89.1)%
Net profit	176	771	(77.2)%
Gross margin	10.0%	10.4%	(0.4)%-pts
EBITDA margin before special items	8.9%	9.4%	(0.5)%-pts
EBIT margin before special items	3.0%	5.1%	(2.1)%-pts

\*R&D, administration, and distribution. Including depreciations and amortisations.

## INCOME STATEMENT – Q4 2021

Strong activity levels but challenged profitability

#### **Highlights**

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- Revenue increased 6.5 percent YoY
- Gross margin decreased by 3.9 percentage points YoY, driven primarily by higher warranty provisions and supply chain instability
- EBIT margin before special items decreased by 6.1 percentage points YoY, mainly driven by the lower gross profit and higher SG&A costs

mEUR	Q4 2021	Q4 2020	% change
Revenue	4,551	4,273	6.5%
Production costs	(4,156)	(3,734)	11.3%
Gross profit	395	539	(26.7)%
SG&A costs*	(289)	(181)	59.7%
EBIT before special items	106	358	(70.4)%
Special items	(20)	0	-
EBIT after special items	86	358	(75.9)%
Income from investments in joint ventures and associates	(13)	329	
Net profit	20	566	(96.5)%
Gross margin	8.7%	12.6%	(3.9)%-pts
EBITDA margin before special items	7.9%	12.4%	(4.5)%-pts
EBIT margin before special items	2.3%	8.4%	(6.1)%-pts

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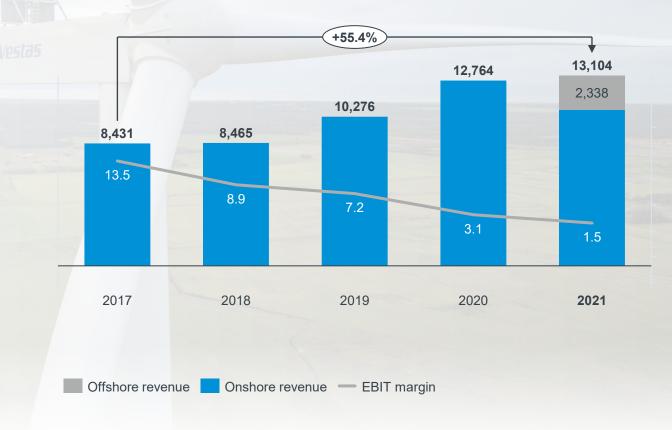
## **POWER SOLUTIONS – FULL YEAR**

Profitability further challenged

#### Highlights

- Revenue increased by 2.7 percent YoY, driven by offshore offsetting a decrease in the onshore activity level
- EBIT margin before special items decreased by 1.6 percentage points YoY driven by supply chain disruptions causing cost inflation and higher warranty provisions

-- Power Solutions revenue and EBIT margin, mEUR and percent





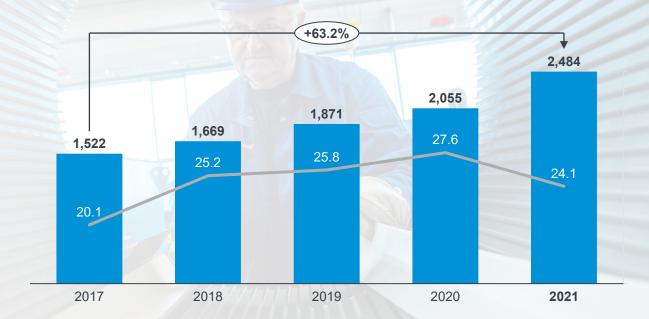
## SERVICE BUSINESS – FULL YEAR

Continued positive service performance

-- Service revenue and EBIT margin, mEUR and percent

#### **Highlights**

- Service revenue increased 21 percent compared to 2020 driven by higher onshore activity and inclusion of offshore as well as increase in transactional sales
- 2021 EBIT before special items: EUR 599m
- 2021 EBIT margin before special items: 24.1 percent impacted by offshore integration and higher share of transactional sales



Service revenue — EBIT margin



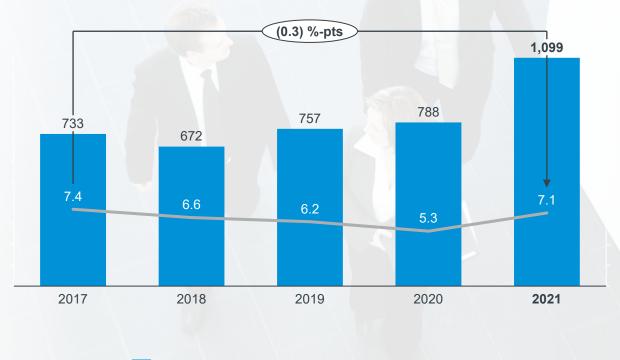
## SG&A COSTS

SG&A costs under control

#### **Highlights**

- Higher SG&A costs primarily driven by the integration of offshore causing increase in depreciation and IT cost
- Relative to activity levels, SG&A costs amounted to 7.1 percent

#### -- **SG&A costs (TTM)**\*, mEUR and percent



— % of revenue SG&A costs

\*R&D, administration, and distribution including depreciation



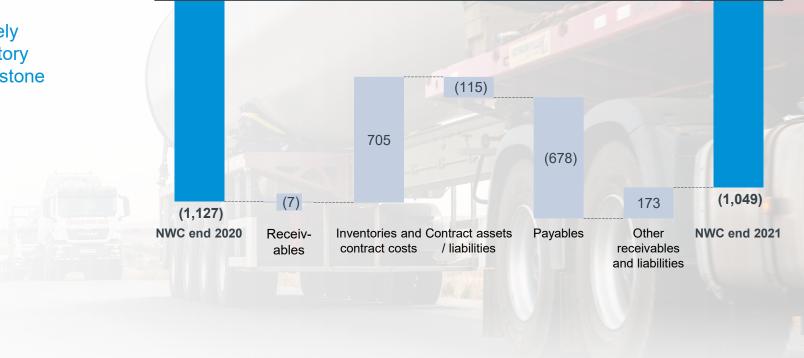
## NET WORKING CAPITAL

Stable NWC development

-- NWC change over the year, mEUR

#### **Highlights**

• Net working capital generally stable, negatively impacted by an increase in the level of inventory partly offset by payables and down- and milestone payments



## CASH FLOW STATEMENT

Free cash flow continues to be positive

#### Highlights

- Positive free cash flow before financial investments of EUR 183m; an improvement compared to 2020 driven by cashflow from operating activities and a stable NWC
- Vestas to initiate issue of new sustainability linked green bond facility, to be introduced in the upcoming bond roadshow

mEUR	2021	2020	Abs. Change
Cash flow from operating activities before change in net working capital	987	1,331	(344)
Change in net working capital*	9	(588)	597
Cash flow from operating activities	996	743	253
Cash flow from investing activities**	(813)	(687)***	(126)
Free cash flow before financial investments**	183	56***	127
Free cash flow	57	476	(419)
Cash flow from financing activities	(715)	(234)	(481)
Net interest-bearing position	1,200	1,920	(720)

\* Change in net working capital impacted by non-cash adjustments and exchange rate adjustments with a total amount of net EUR 87m.

\*\* Excl. investments in marketable securities and short-term financial investments.

\*\*\*Restated to reflect change in classifications of investments.



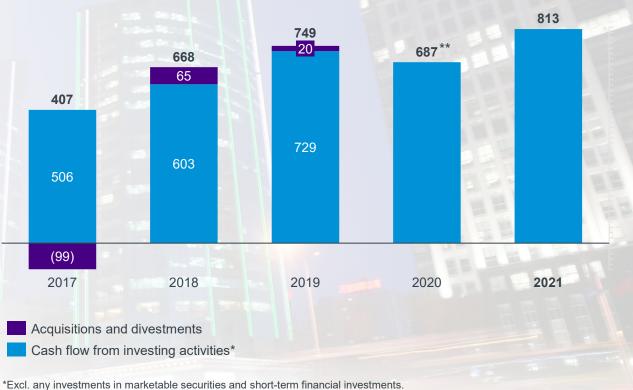
## TOTAL INVESTMENTS – FULL YEAR

Higher investments year-over-year

-- Total net investments\*, mEUR

#### Highlights

• Investments of EUR 813m in 2021, increase from 2020 mainly driven by investments in the V236 offshore turbine and the modular onshore platform, EnVentus.



\*\*Restated to reflect change in classifications of investments.

## **PROVISIONS & LPF**

Focus on warranty provisions and LPF

#### **Highlights**

- LPF\* continues at high level as a consequence of the extraordinary repair and upgrade level
- Warranty provisions made corresponding to 4.4 percent of revenue; high level driven by cost inflation and logistics challenges for repair and upgrade of existing cases

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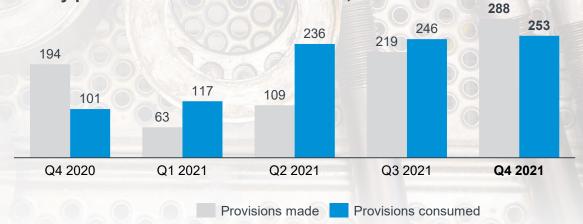
-- Warranty provisions made and consumed, mEUR

2013

Lost Production Factor (LPF), Percent

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\* LPF measures potential energy production not captured by Vestas' onshore and offshore wind turbines.



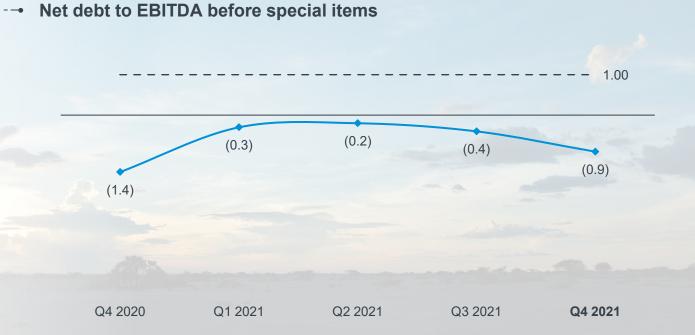
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## CAPITAL STRUCTURE

Net debt to EBITDA well below threshold

#### **Highlights**

- Net debt to EBITDA at low level of (0.9) in Q4 2021
- Financial strength highlighted by Baa1 rating from Moody's
- EUR 2bn sustainability-linked revolving credit facility signed and sustainability-linked bond to be launched
- Proposed dividend of EUR 0.05 per share



---- Net debt to EBITDA, last 12 months --- Net debt to EBITDA, financial target





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Our new growth areas

DEVELOPMENT

## GLOBAL IN SUSTAINABLE ENERGY SOLUTIONS

**FUTURE** 

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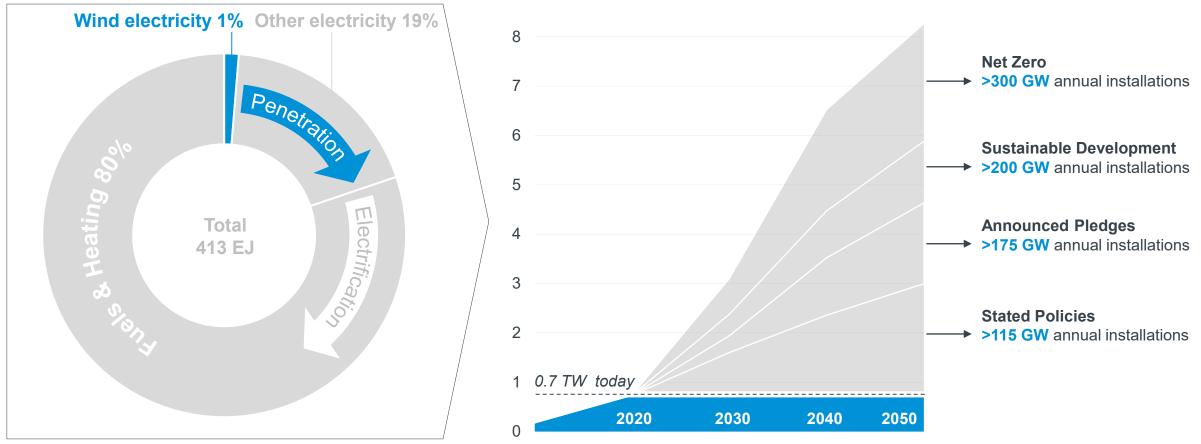
## FOR WIND THIS MEANS A STEP CHANGE IN ANY SCENARIO

In terawatts (TW)

#### Vestas is fundamentally in the right place at the right time

World energy consumption by source 2020

In exajoule (EJ) and percent (%)



Classification: Public

**Global wind generation capacity scenarios** 

Source: IEA World Energy Outlook 2021



## OUR PORTFOLIO CONSISTS OF THREE ATTRACTIVE RE SEGMENTS

Vestas uniquely positioned in the industry

**ONSHORE OFFSHORE** SERVICE Large market, healthy growth Mid-sized market, high growth Market expectation 2021-2025 Market expectation 2021-2025 Market expectation 2021-2025 New installations (GW) New installations (GW) Installed fleet (GW) CAGR: CAGR: CAGR: 1-10% 17-4%Strong expansion in Europe and new markets • Near-term readjustment of the market Solid growth from high base such as the USA and Korea and broader Asia Increased climate ambitions to drive upsides Expanded solution scope Pacific and Latin America

Growth to accelerate post 2024

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Increasing demand for repowering, Power-to-X, and hybrid projects

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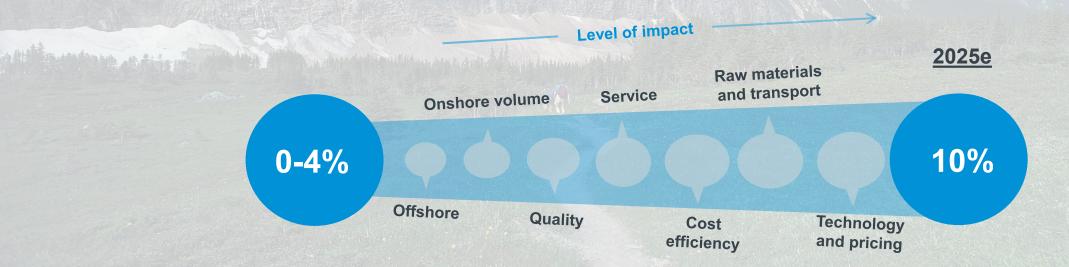
Demand increase for floating and Power-to-X

Focus on digitalisation and global scale

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## WITH OUR LONG-TERM FINANCIAL TARGETS IN PLACE





## AND AMBITIOUS TARGETS FOR OUR SUSTAINABILITY JOURNEY

#### **CARBON FOOTPRINT**

Carbon neutral company by 2030 – without using carbon offsets



#### CIRCULARITY

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Producing zero-waste wind turbines by 2040

#### PEOPLE

Safest, most inclusive & socially-responsible company in the energy industry

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#### **ENERGY TRANSITION**

Leading the transition towards a world powered by sustainable energy

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	Outlook
<b>Revenue (bnEUR)</b> - Service is expected to grow approx. 5 percent	15 – 16.5
EBIT margin before special items (%) - Service margin is expected to be approx. 25 percent	0 – 4
<b>Total investments (mEUR)</b> Excl. acquisitions of subsidiaries, joint ventures, associates and financial investments	Approx. 1,000

- Important to note that basic assumptions behind the guidance are more uncertain than normal
- Guidance excludes change in accounting policy regarding cloud computing arrangement
- The 2022 outlook is based on current foreign exchange rates



## Financial calendar 2022:

- Disclosure of Q1 2022 (4<sup>th</sup> May)
- Disclosure of Q2 2022 (10<sup>th</sup> August)
- Disclosure of Q3 2022 (2<sup>nd</sup> November)



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