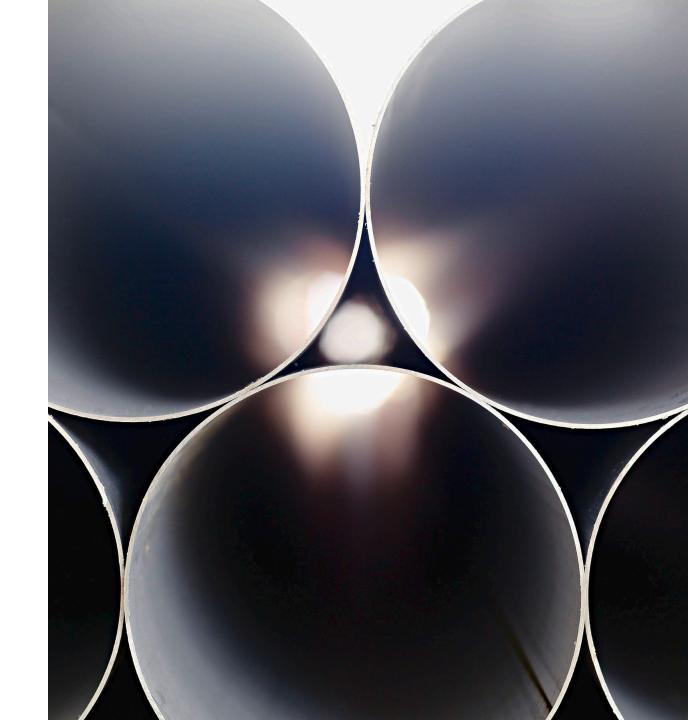


## Q2 2021 RESULTS

**Press Conference** 

August 10, 2021

Guido Kerkhoff | CEO



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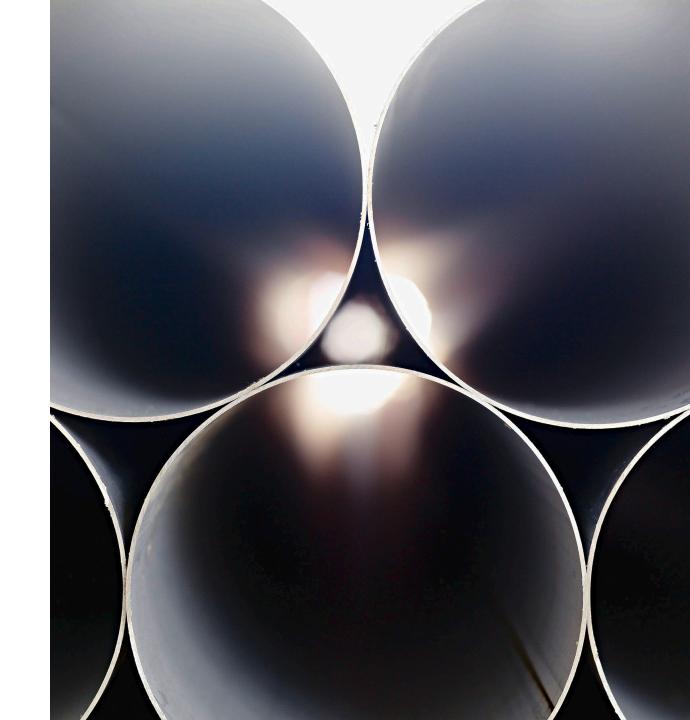
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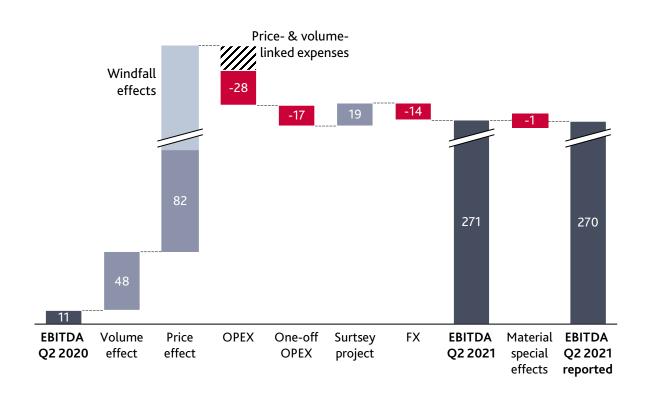


## HIGHLIGHTS OF Q2 2021

	Q2 2021	Q2 2020	Delta	
Shipments (Tto)	1,295	1,070	+21.0%	Still impacted by COVID-19 pandemic; gradual recovery continues; disciplined margin over volume strategy
Sales (€m)	1,847	1,171	+57.8%	Mainly due to higher price level yoy
Gross profit (€m)	525	226	+132.6%	Very considerable increase due to price dynamics and smart NWC-management
EBITDA (€m)	271	11	+260	Strong price dynamics and margin over volume strategy, supported by substantial Surtsey-effects; strongest quarter since IPO in 2006
Oper. CF (€m)	74	98	-24	Significantly positive OCF and FCF (€58m) despite price-driven higher NWC and negative cash effects from Surtsey
Net financial debt (€m)	303	476	-36.4%	Deleveraging: Net debt significantly down yoy and qoq
Digital sales in Q2	45%	38%	+7%pts	Strongly up yoy driven by Kloeckner Assistant, flat qoq due to exceptional market conditions

## BEST QUARTERLY OPERATING RESULT SINCE IPO IN 2006

#### EBITDA (€m) in Q2 2021



- Positive volume effect due to continued recovery from COVID-19 pandemic
- Strong positive price effect due to price dynamic in Europe and especially in the US; windfall gains of ~€190m
- OPEX (excl. Surtsey) up especially driven by shipping & operating costs and wage inflation; thereof €12m directly price-linked expenses (bonuses, VSOs, etc.) and €8m due to higher shipments; one-off OPEX of €17m
- Positive effects from Surtsey project of €19m in Q2 and negative FX-effects of €14m; minor material special effects from true-up of Surtsey measures

## READY TO GROW - "KLÖCKNER & CO 2025: LEVERAGING STRENGTHS"



Immediate execution of "Leveraging Strengths"

- Adjusted organizational structure in EU-Europe and in parts new management teams
- New cross-border collaboration projects launched
- Next development step of kloeckner.i and launch of kloeckner.i US ahead
- Strengthening partnership with Nucor through strategic investments optimally timed to support the investments in the US infrastructure

## NEW STRUCTURE AND IMPROVED SETUP IN EU-EUROPE

- Bernhard Weiß new Member of the Management Board with responsibility for EU-Europe
- New and internationally experienced management at Becker Stahl-Service,
   Klöckner Deutschland and Benelux under joint CFO-role
- Further centralization of finance and administration functions
- Sharing expert know-how, product and service portfolio to enable and extend cross-border collaboration
- Resulting in a new and streamlined segment structure as of Q3 2021 (Kloeckner Metals EU, Kloeckner Metals Non-EU, Kloeckner Metals US)



## THE NEXT STEP: DIGITALIZATION & VALUE CHAIN AUTOMATION

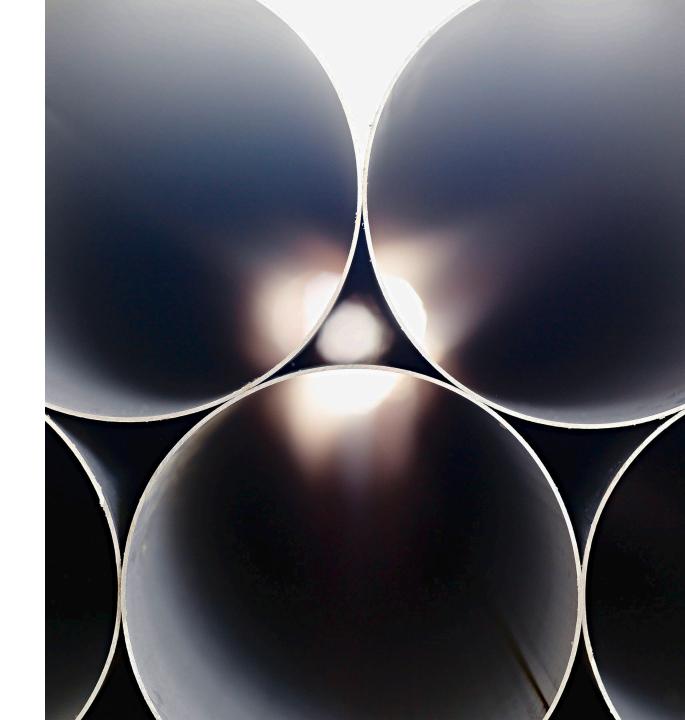
# New Digital sales >€500m kloeckner.i share at 45% sales via KA

- New kloeckner.i taking over core function in merging & extending the physical and the digital business
  - Combining IT and Digitalization capabilities under the roof of kloeckner.i
  - One management responsible for Transformation,
     Product and Engineering & IT
  - Closer connection to operating units
- kloeckner.i hub to be launched in the US

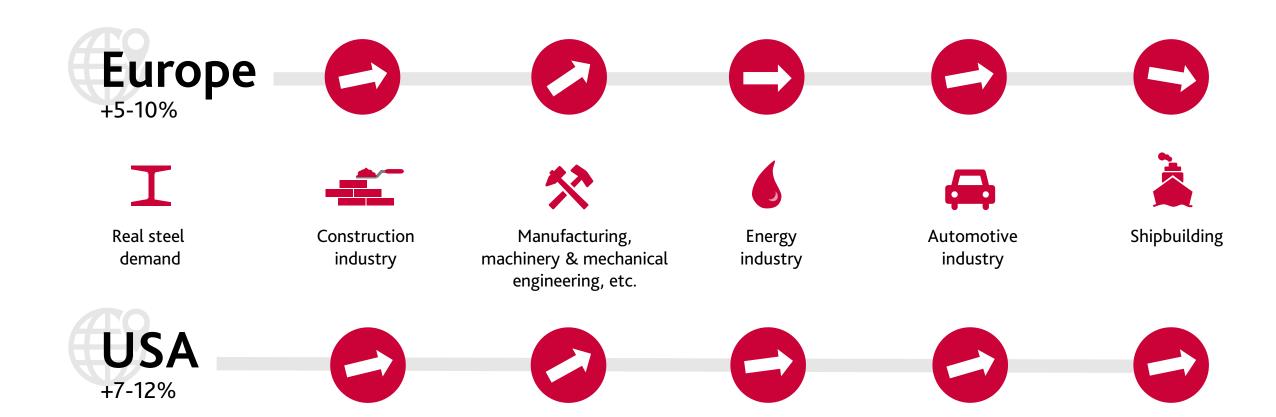
- Digital sales share at 45%, up by 7% yoy, flat qoq due to unprecedented market conditions
- Digitalization & automation progress continued in Q2
  - Kloeckner Assistant gaining traction and processed
     >€500m sales volume YTD with processing
     functionality live in the US, UK and Switzerland
  - Full automation tested in the US, inflection point towards Zero Touch in sales processes
- eProcurement by XOM Materials developing well, despite the challenging environment; >€370m GMV YTD

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## **REGION SPECIFIC BUSINESS OUTLOOK 2021**



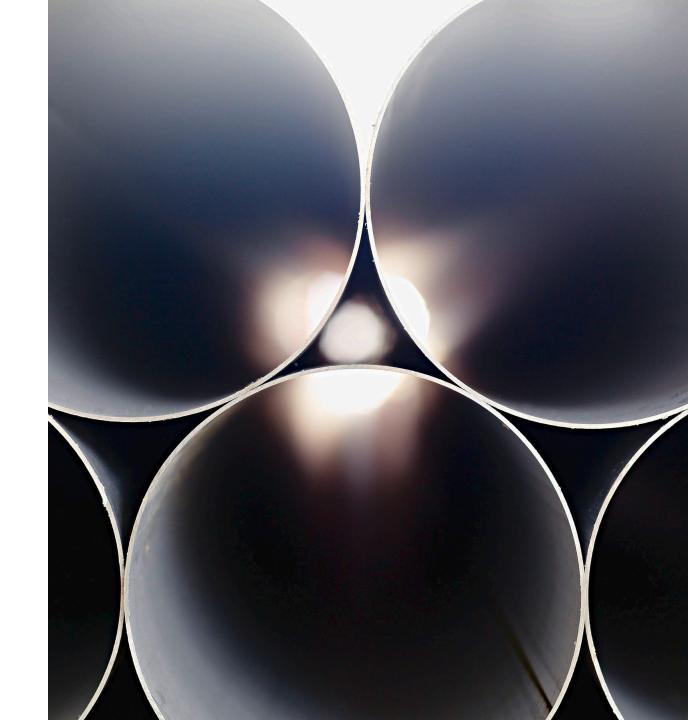
## OUTLOOK

- Significant increase in sales (qoq) due to pricing dynamics and slight decrease in shipments (qoq) due to seasonality expected
- EBITDA expectation of €200-230m before material special effects

- Sales significantly, shipments slightly above prior-year level expected
- EBITDA before material special effects expected to be between €650-700m
- Considerable increase in operating cash flow anticipated

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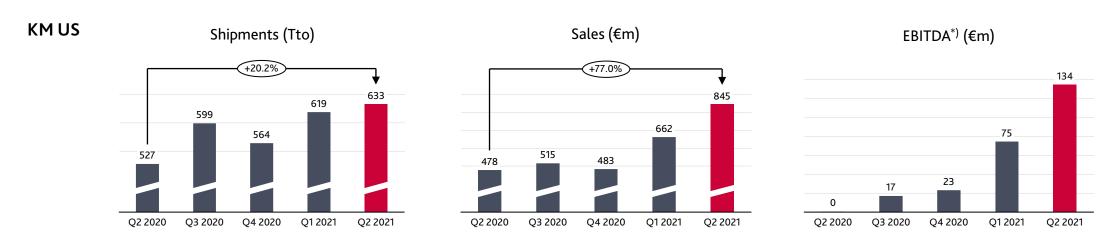


## QUARTERLY AND FY RESULTS

(€m)	Q2	Q1	Q4	Q3	Q2	Q1	Q4	Q3	Q2	Q1	Q4	Q3	Q2	Q1	FY	FY	FY	FY	FY
	2021	2021	2020	2020	2020	2020	2019	2019	2019	2019	2018	2018	2018	2018	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Shipments (Tto)	1,295	1,287	1,195	1,242	1,070	1,365	1,250	1,420	1,479	1,499	1,398	1,519	1,605	1,584	4,873	5,648	6,107	6,135	6,149
Sales	1,847	1,525	1,232	1,279	1,171	1,448	1,365	1,565	1,682	1,703	1,619	1,754	1,789	1,628	5,130	6,315	6,790	6,292	5,730
Sales (currency effect)	-88	-70	-42	-27	21	30	24	38	50	61	28	2	-89	-114	-18	173	-172	-83	-50
Gross profit	525	388	274	262	226	285	267	284	304	303	301	332	364	331	1,047	1,158	1,328	1,316	1,315
% margin	28.4	25.4	22.2	20.5	19.3	19.7	19.6	18.1	18.1	17.8	18.6	18.9	20.3	20.4	20.4	18.3	19.6	20.9	22.9
OPEX	-255	-247	-220	-224	-287	-263	-265	-263	-222	-269	-270	-273	-282	-276	-995	-1,019	-1,101	-1,096	-1,119
EBITDA bef. material special effects	271	130	39	40	11	21	11	28	51	34	30	59	84	56	111	124	229	220	196
Material special effects	-1	11	15	-2	-72	0	-8	-7	31	0	0	0	-2	0	-59	15	-2	0	0
EBITDA rep.	270	141	54	38	-61	21	3	21	82	34	30	59	82	56	52	139	227	220	196
% margin	14.6	9.2	4.4	3.0	-5.2	1.5	0.2	1.3	4.9	2.0	1.9	3.4	4.6	3.4	1.0	2.2	3.3	3.5	3.4
EBITDA rep. (curr. eff.)	-14	-8	-1	0	2	1	1	1	2	1	3	1	-8	-5	1	5	-9	-3	-1
EBIT	240	111	24	4	-109	-13	-35	-13	49	2	8	38	60	35	-93	2	141	130	85
Financial result	6	-6	-7	-7	-7	-9	-9	-11	-11	-10	-10	-8	-10	-7	-30	-41	-34	-33	-33
EBT	246	105	17	-3	-116	-22	-44	-24	37	-9	-2	30	51	28	-124	-39	107	97	52
Income taxes	-31	-19	5	-2	5	1	-7	1	-9	-1	-5	-8	-18	-7	9	-16	-38	5	-14
Net income	215	86	22	-5	-111	-21	-51	-23	28	-10	-7	22	33	21	-114	-55	69	102	38
Minority interests	3	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	1	1
Net income KCO	212	85	21	-5	-111	-21	-51	-23	28	-10	-7	22	33	21	-116	-56	69	101	37
EPS basic (€)	2.13	0.85	0.21	-0.05	-1.11	-0.21	-0.51	-0.23	0.28	-0.10	-0.07	0.22	0.33	0.21	-1.16	-0.56	0.68	1.01	0.37
EPS diluted (€)	1.88	0.78	0.20	-0.05	-1.11	-0.21	-0.51	-0.23	0.27	-0.10	-0.07	0.21	0.31	0.20	-1.16	-0.56	0.66	0.96	0.37
NWC*)	1,282	1,107	967	1,062	1,135	1,228	1,119	1,356	1,407	1,525	1,277	1,495	1,446	1,344	967	1,119	1,277	1,132	1,120
Net debt	303	363	351	427	476	563	445	634	684	820	383	569	552	472	351	445	383	330	444

<sup>\*)</sup> Since 2018 including supplier bonus receivables and contract assets.

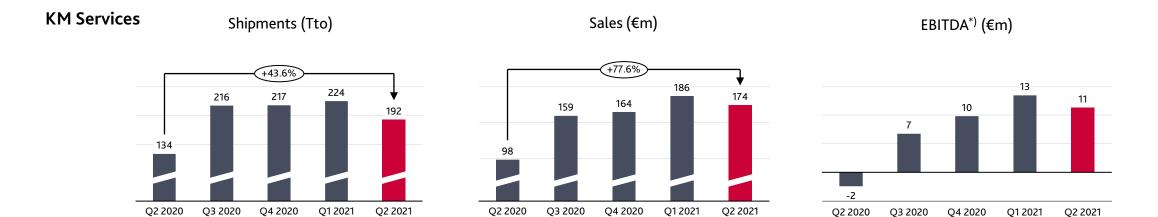
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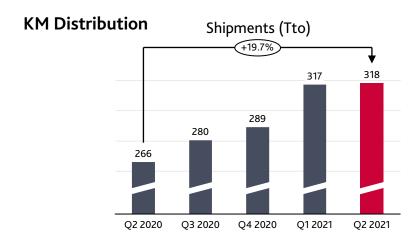


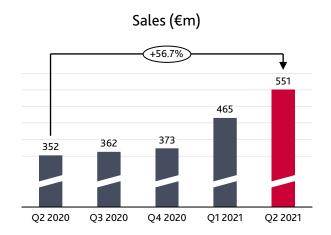


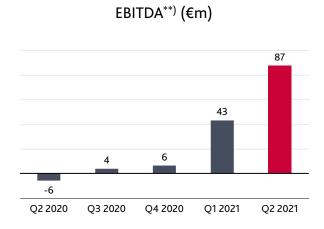
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## **SEGMENT PERFORMANCE**







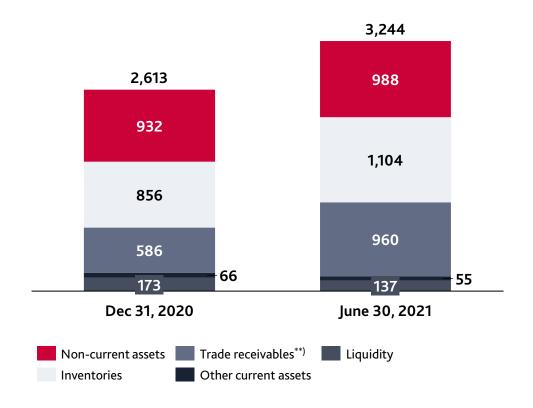


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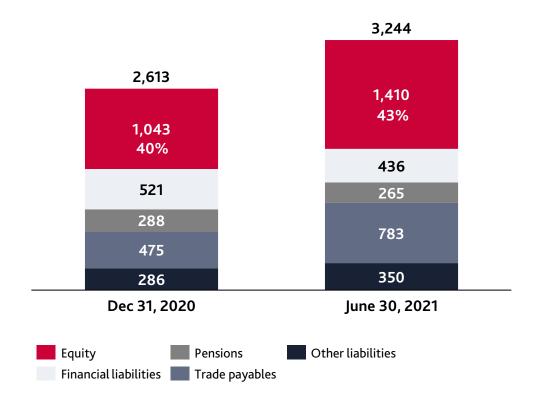
\*\*) Adjusted for material special effects Q2, Q3, Q4 2020 and Q1, Q2 2021.

## STRONG BALANCE SHEET

- Solid **equity ratio** of 43%
- **Net debt** of €303m
- Gearing\*) at 22%
- **NWC** at €1,282m (FY 2020: €967m)

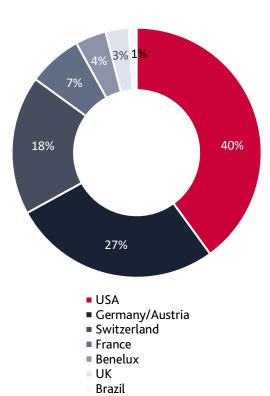


- \*) Gearing = Net debt/Equity attributable to shareholders of Klöckner & Co SE less goodwill from business combinations subsequent to May 23, 2019.
- \*\*) Incl. contract assets and supplier bonuses.

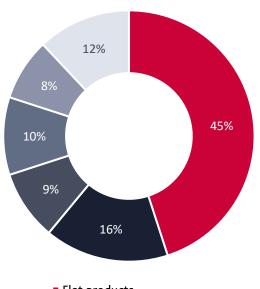


## SALES BY MARKETS, PRODUCTS AND INDUSTRIES

## Sales by markets

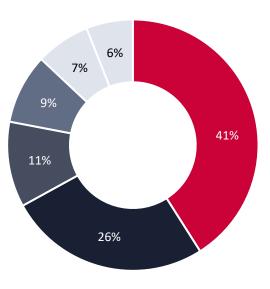


## Sales by products



- Flat products
- Long products
- Quality steel/Stainless steel
- Aluminum
- Tubes
- Others

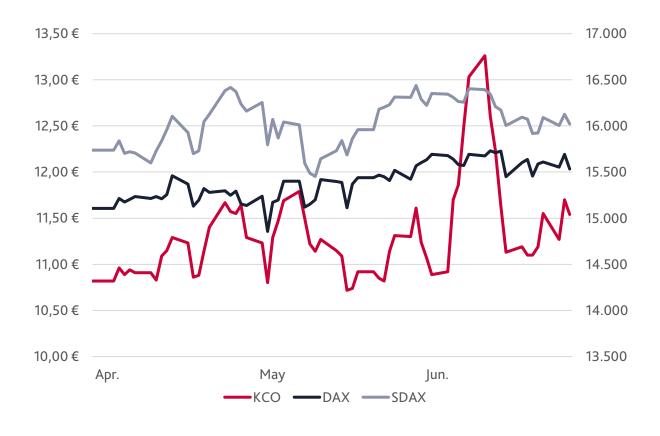
## Sales by industries



- Construction industry
- Machinery/Mechanical engineering
- Automotive industry
- Household appl./Consumer goods
- Local dealers
- Miscellaneous

As of December 31, 2020.

## SHARE PRICE PERFORMANCE IN Q2 2021



- The share price of Klöckner & Co moved sideways at the beginning of Q2 2021 reaching its lowest level of €10.72 on May 19
- The share price increased sharply thereafter reaching its highest level of €13.26 on June 14, however, the capital markets environment remained highly volatile
- It went out of trading at €11.54 on June 30

## DIVIDEND POLICY

In general, Klöckner & Co SE follows a dividend policy of distributing 30% of net income before special items.

Given the volatility of our business model, a sustainable dividend payment cannot be guaranteed. If there is a possibility of dividend distribution, we will pay it for the benefit of our investors.

- Compliance with the dividend policy of €0.80 per share for the years 2006 and 2007
- Suspension of the dividend policy for the financial year 2008 in view of the beginning of the Euro crisis and no dividend payment
- Due to earnings no dividend payment in 2009

- Inclusion of our general dividend policy in financial year 2010 with a dividend of €0.30 per share
- Due to earnings no dividend payment neither in 2011, 2012 and 2013 nor in 2015
- Full distribution of net profit for the financial year 2014 (€0.20 per share)
- Dividend payment of €0.20 per share in 2016 and €0.30 per share for the 2017 and 2018 fiscal year
- No dividend payment due to losses in 2019
- Due to negative net income no dividend for 2020

### Dividend payment per share

2006	2007	2008 2009	2010	2011 2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
€0.80	€0.80	-	€0.30	-	€0.20	-	€0.20	€0.30	€0.30	-	-

## TAKING RESPONSIBILITY AND GROW SUSTAINABLY



#### **Employees**

A qualified and motivated workforce is central to our success.

Our working environment is characterized by long term security, supportiveness, professionalism and mutual respect.



#### **Responsible Conduct**

Compliance constitutes the basis of corporate responsibility.

Integral part of our corporate culture is compliance on the part of our employees and business partners.



#### **Environment**

We contribute to protecting the environment.

We consider it our duty to counter climate change and its related risks.



#### **Digitalization**

We are advancing the internal cultural change.

Our measures aim at anchoring innovative, digital ways of working and thinking within the company.



#### **Customers**

We prioritize high levels of customer satisfaction and enhancement of our customer focus.

We always conceptualize products and services, sales channels and innovations from the customer perspective.



#### **Business Ambition for 1.5°C**

As one of the very first companies in Germany, Klöckner & Co stepped up to the global frontrunners of climate change engagement and plans to align its business to the UN Global Compact "Business Ambition for 1.5°C".



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