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# Analyst & Investor Event 2021



# **Agenda: Accelerating profitable growth**

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Speaker

#### **Analyst & Investor Event 2021**

### Our management team





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**CP Quek** 



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### **Key Messages**



Highly attractive long-term market outlook driven by continued megatrends

Strong rebound and accelerated growth in 2021, raising our medium-term targets

KION 2027 strategy: continued strategic investments and sustainability as new field of action

# **Megatrends and Expected Market Developments**



# Material handling industry benefits from attractive macro-drivers

## Megatrends & demand implications

Medium-term market growth



**E-commerce** 

Demand for automated warehouse solutions

Warehouse automation market

+13%<sup>1</sup>



**Emerging markets** 

Demand for (value) trucks in Chinese market

Industrial truck market China

+11%<sup>1</sup>



Sustainable solutions

Demand for zero-emission intra-logistics solutions

Market for Li-lon powered trucks

+50%1



**Demographic change** 

Demand for automated and robotic solutions

Mobile robot market

+53%2

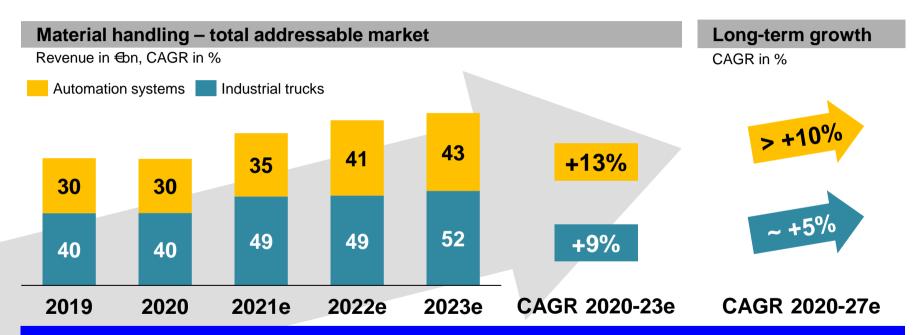
<sup>1.</sup> Compound Annual Growth Rate (CAGR) 2020-2023, management assumptions based on internal KION Market Model as of November 2021 Analysis, Mobile Robots 2021

<sup>2.</sup> CAGR 2020-2023, Interact

#### **Material Handling Market Overview**



#### Both industrial truck & automation markets expected to grow substantially



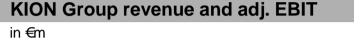
Stable markets despite pandemic environment, ready to grow substantially in the medium to longer-term

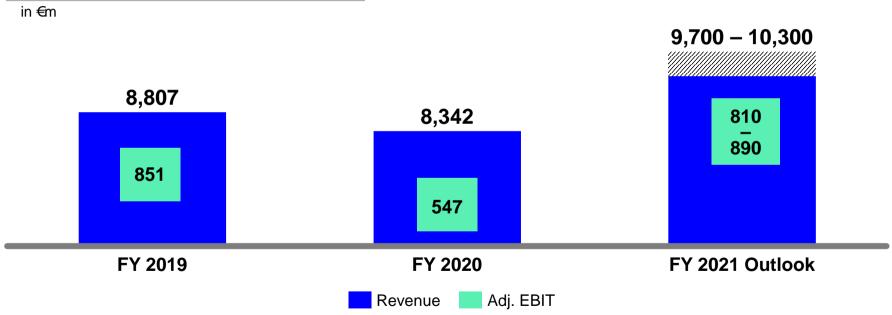
Source: Management assumptions based on internal KION Market Model as of November 2021, including service revenues. Serial/hybrid mobile automation solutions included in industrial trucks, bespoke mobile automation solutions included within automation systems

# **Performance Development and Outlook**



### Strong rebound and accelerating growth in 2021

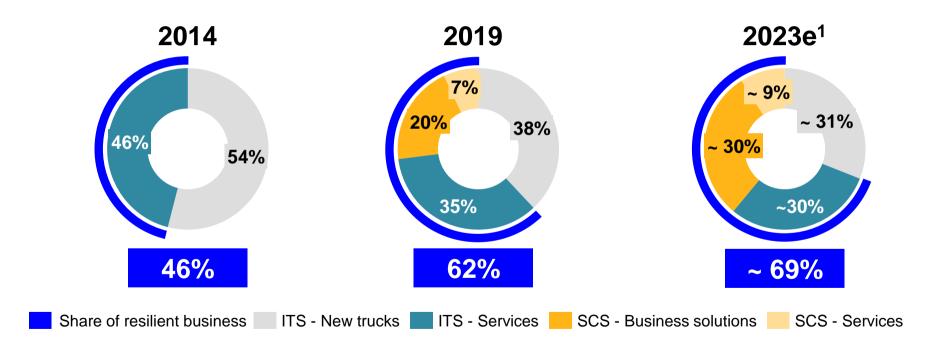




#### **Development of Business Model Resilience**



# Resilient share of revenue expected to increase further



<sup>1.</sup> KION internal estimate

Note: KION defines resilient business as ITS services plus SCS business solutions and SCS services

#### **KION 2027 Strategy**

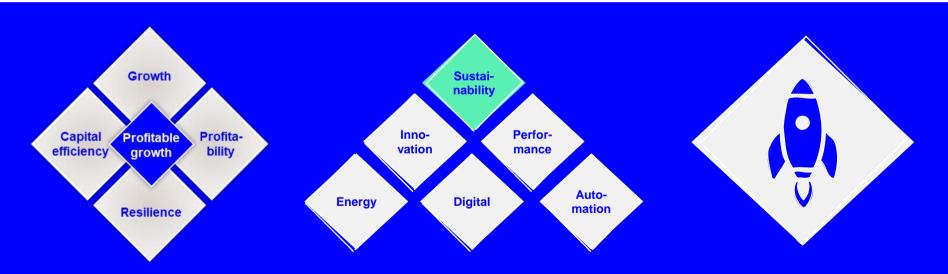
# Focus on continued profitable growth



**Aspiration KION 2027** maintains focus

Sustainability as new strategic field of action

Strategic investments accelerate growth



#### **Sustainability Acknowledgements**

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### KION fully committed to sustainable material handling











A-score for climate change in 2020

ESG¹ risk score of 24.7, ranking within top 8% of machinery industry peers (April 2021) ISS ESG
Prime Rating
confirmed
(2020),
equivalent to
top 10% of
companies in
machinery

In top quartile of machinery industry group in S&P Global Corporate Sustainability Assessment (2020)

S&P Global

EcoVadis
Gold
sustainability
rating for
Linde Material
Handling
EMEA (2020)
and STILL
EMEA (2021)

Member of the **DAX® 50 ESG** since March 2020

<sup>1.</sup> Environment, Social, Governance Note: Selected acknowledgements only

### **Strategic Investments**

#### Accelerating profitable growth



#### ITS investments executed

New ITS plant in Kołbaskowo (PL), start of production in July 2021



New ITS plant in Jinan (CN), start of production in December 2021

#### SCS investments next up



New SCS plant in Jinan (CN), start of construction in December 2021 Acquisition of an Indian warehouse automation company, strengthening competitive position in India & APAC<sup>1</sup>



1. Transaction is subject to regulatory approval, once received full consolidation

### **Medium-term Targets**



Raising our 2023 revenue target and confirming margin outlook

# Surpassing €12bn revenue

fueled by expected continued strong SCS growth and ITS recovery



# Focused on profitability striving for double-digit

adj. EBIT margin



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### **Key Messages**



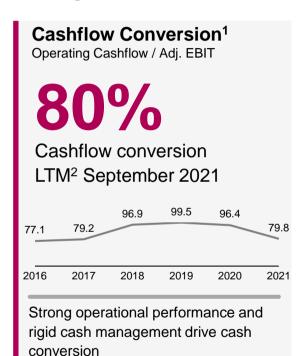
Sound financial profile as basis for execution of key investments

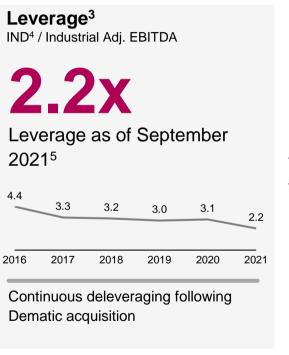
- Increasing revenue target and stable margin outlook introducing segment targets
- Investment focus on rapidly growing SCS business in preparation for next growth phase

#### **Financial Performance**



#### Strong cash conversion and deleveraging lead to investment grade rating





#### Credit Rating

# Investment Grade Rating

By both Fitch and S&P

BBB rating by Fitch<sup>6</sup> and BBB- rating by Standard & Poor's<sup>7</sup>, both with a stable outlook

<sup>1. 2016-2020</sup> cashflow conversion based on full year values, 2021 based on last twelve month since September 2021 2. Last twelve month 3. 2016-2020 leverage based on respective December values, 2021 based on September values 4. Industrial Net Debt 5. Leverage based on adj. LTM industrial EBITDA of €1,392m, which excludes adj. LTM EBITDA for long-term lease business 6. As of September 2021 7. As of August 2021

#### **Review of Investments Announced in 2020**



### All initiatives supporting growth executed despite the pandemic

Investme	ents presented in 2020	Specific projects	
	New products	12XX series, ITS value series	
Focused investments	Li-lon battery supply	KION Battery Systems Joint Venture	
investmen	Growth in EMEA	New ITS plant in Kołbaskowo (PL)	
	IT enablement	Ongoing digitalization initiatives incl. SAP S/4HANA rollout	
Strategic investments	Growth in China	New ITS plant in Jinan (CN); broadening sales network	
	DAI acquisition	Acquisition of warehouse automation software provider	

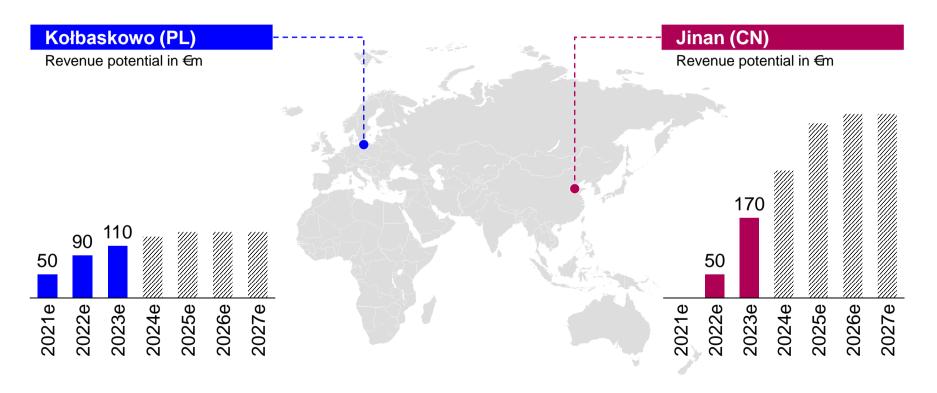
Investments presented in 2020 focused on ITS. The **successful and on-time execution** of all investments **supports our medium-term targets** and targets **positive implications beyond FY 2023.** 



#### **Revenue Potential From New ITS Plants**



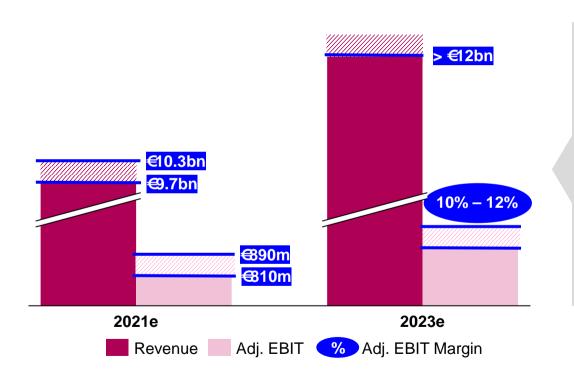
#### **Executed investments support medium- and long-term growth plans**



### **Medium-term Targets – KION Group**

# Increased revenue target and stable margin outlook





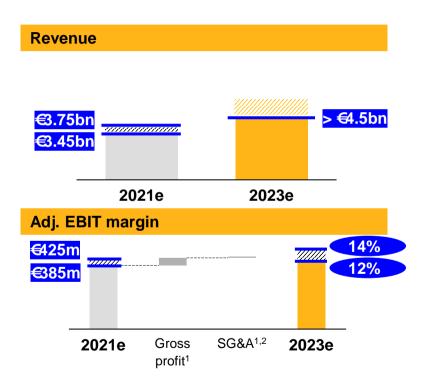
# We are confident to reach our medium-term targets:

- Continued SCS and ITS revenue growth beyond 2021
- New capacities and products supporting growth
- Leveraging of scale effects
- Continued strict cost discipline through structural program

#### **Medium-term Targets – SCS**



#### Focus on execution, cost control and scale key to achieve 12% – 14% margin



#### **Gross profit levers**

Pursue **strongly growing verticals** to access fast growth environments as well as **differentiate through technology** 

Grow customer services with structured services product offering

Increase **regional production and engineering footprint** especially in developing countries to drive **global cost position** 

Increase application of **standardized solutions** and **scale capacities and workforce** to **improve execution** of continuous business growth

#### **SG&A levers**

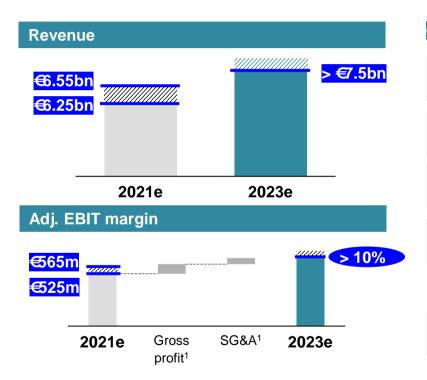
Pursue **scale effects** from strong revenue growth and enhanced leverage of existing capacities

1. Expected 2. Selling, General & Administrative expenses

#### **Medium-term Targets – ITS**



### Profitable growth key to return to double-digit margin



#### **Gross profit levers**

**New offerings and products** to cover strongly growing value segment and capture market growth

New production facilities to expand capacities and support future growth

Enlarge accessible profit pools through **resilient services offering** covering the full asset lifecycle

Increase **production productivity** through e.g. increasing automation of production processes

#### SG&A levers

Savings from **efficiency improvements:** initiatives in standardization, productivity and structural cost

1. Expected

# **Summary of Medium-term Targets for FY 2023** Increased targets support raise in dividend policy



	KION Group	Supply Chain Solutions	Industrial Trucks & Services		
Revenue	> €12bn	> €4.5bn	> <b>€</b> 7.5bn		
Adj. EBIT margin	10% – 12%	12% – 14%	> 10%		
Dividend payout ratio <sup>1</sup>	25% – 40%				

Target, subject to availability of distributable profit

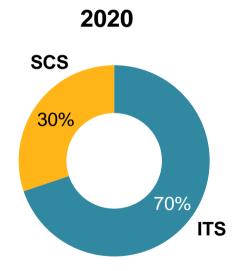
#### **Development of R&D Spend**

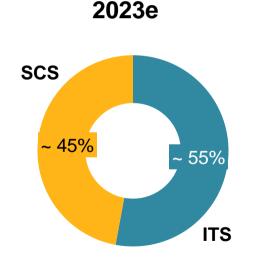


#### Preparing for growth – shifting R&D spend towards SCS

#### R&D1 spend

in % of total





### **Key considerations:**

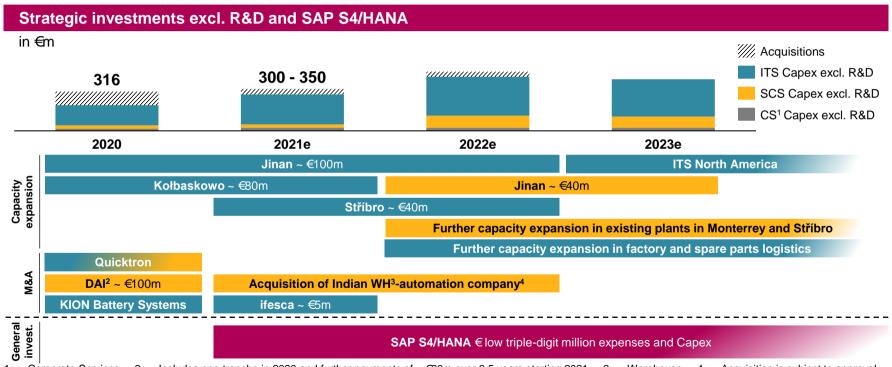
- Relative shift in R&D spend from ITS to SCS
- Strong growth of SCS R&D spend in particular driven by software development
- Stable R&D spend at KION Group level at around 3% of group revenue

<sup>1.</sup> Research & development

#### **Development of Strategic Investments**

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#### Next growth investments lined up



<sup>1.</sup> Corporate Services 2. Includes one tranche in 2020 and further payments of ~ €20m over 3.5 years starting 2021 3. Warehouse 4. Acquisition is subject to approval; structure includes two equal tranches in 2021/2022. Third tranche foreseen in 2025

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#### **Trends and Impacts**



#### Post-COVID world requires speed, flexibility and accuracy



#### Urbanization

55%

of world's population lives in cities<sup>1</sup>



#### **Skill Shortage**

60%

turnover in warehousing in the US up 150% over past 5 years<sup>2</sup>



#### Speed

80%

of shoppers want same-day shipping<sup>3</sup>



#### **Logistics Expenditure**

10%

rate of logistics costs to GDP<sup>4</sup>



#### E-commerce

26%

year-on-year growth in retail E-commerce sales totaling ~ €3.6 trillion in 2020<sup>5</sup>



#### Distribution

> 130,000

additional square meters of distribution space needed for every additional €1bn E-commerce sales<sup>6</sup>



#### Amazon

> 8,000

football fields equivalent of distribution center space currently operated by Amazon<sup>7</sup>



#### **Automation**

~ 10%

of warehouses are fully automated8

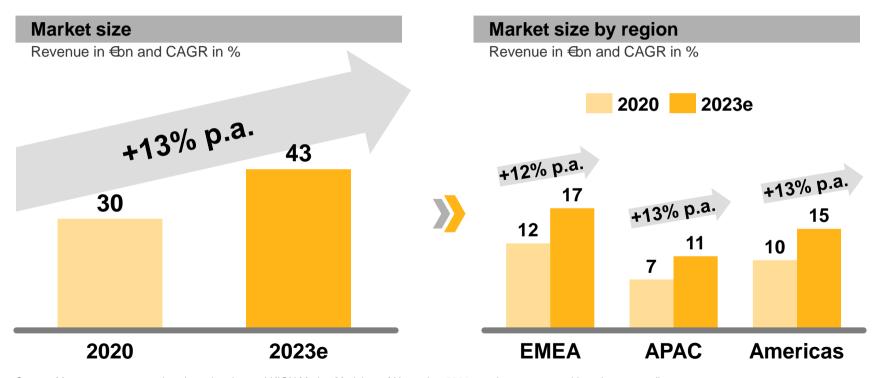
#### Accelerated demand for intelligent, connected and automated supply chain

Worldbank, Urban Development, 2020
 US Bureau of Labor Statistics, Getting the most out of warehouse labor, 2020
 Invesp, The Importance of Same Day Delivery, 2021
 Bain Co. 2017
 Emarketer, Global Ecommerce Forecast 2021, 2021
 CBRE, How has e-commerce shaped industrial real estate demand?, 2018
 MWPVL Intl. 2020
 LEK Consulting, The Evolving Warehouse Automation Market and the Implications for Investors, 2020
 Note: All figures are global unless stated otherwise

#### **Market Growth**



#### Robust market fundamentals & COVID-accelerated market demands



Source: Management assumptions based on internal KION Market Model as of November 2021, numbers may not add up due to rounding

# **Landmark Group & SCS Solution – Key Facts & Figures**



#### Largest and the most sophisticated distribution center in the Middle East

#### Highly Intelligent & networked solution







74,000

2,200

3

boxes processed per day

stores fulfilled

**Continents** 

#### Best-in-class automation and robotics technology









36K

371K

1,200

220

pallet storage locations

tote storage locations

multishuttles

workstations

#### Sophisticated integration, executed with excellence









250

1,800

860

11.3 km

SCS employees on site

tons of steel used shipment containers

conveyor

Source: https://www.landmarkgroup.com/int/en/home, 2021

# **SECTION AND ARK GROUP**

The largest retail group in the Middle East, Africa, and India, with a growing presence across Southeast Asia



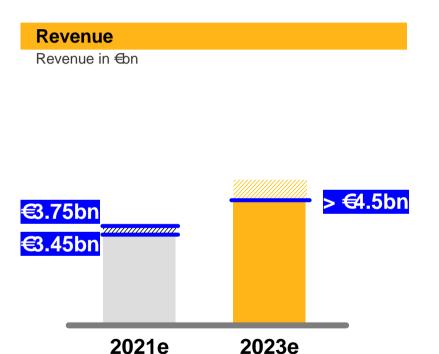
#### 16 brands, 3 continents, 2,200 stores

babyshop	Splash	∩homecentre	centrepoint o	SHOEMART	max	Lifestyle	<b>\$</b> asybuy
SPAR	STYLI	LIPSY	CARPISA	ecco	KURT GEIGER	0,00000	STEVE MADDEN

#### SCS – Medium-term Targets

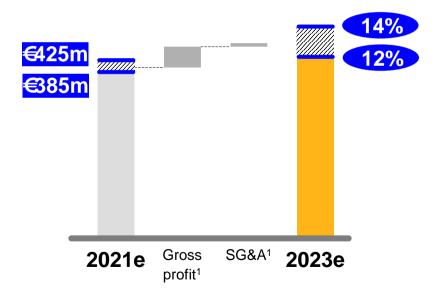


#### Driving growth and margin enhancement – poised to exceed 12% adj. EBIT margin



#### Adj. EBIT / adj. EBIT margin

Adj. EBIT in €m and adj. EBIT margin in %



Expected

#### SCS Framework



#### Targeting accelerated growth with clear EBIT improvement focus





Focus on high growth segments

Purposeful global growth in verticals with highest growth potential. **Balanced portfolio** of simpler / short cycle projects & large / complex projects





#### Lead with differentiated technology

Continued focus on delivering highly intelligent and connected automation solutions by breakthrough software, robotics, and technology offerings





#### **Drive a life-cycle based** service approach

Drive customer outcomes through a comprehensive value-based service offering across the entire project lifecycle





#### Deliver on growth & execution at scale

#### Standardization to drive margins and scale, focusing on

emerging markets

to drive global cost position

Revenue growth

Enhanced offering & margins

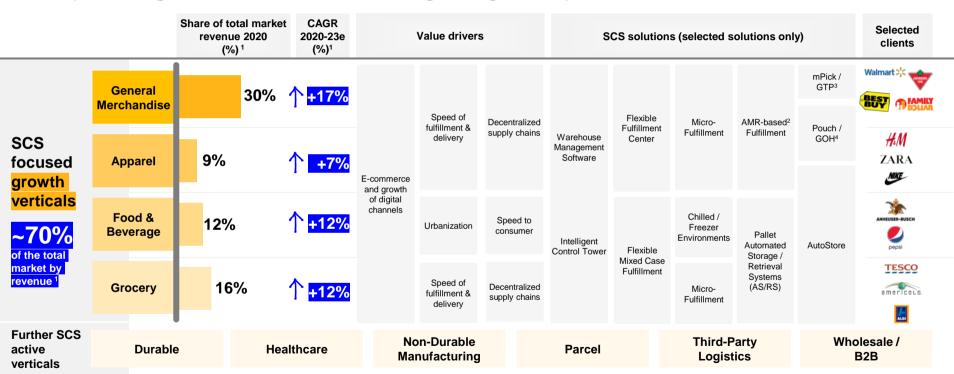
Margin expansion & portfolio stability

Global scale and greater productivity

# 1 Focus Verticals, Drivers and Solutions



### Purposeful growth on verticals with highest growth potential



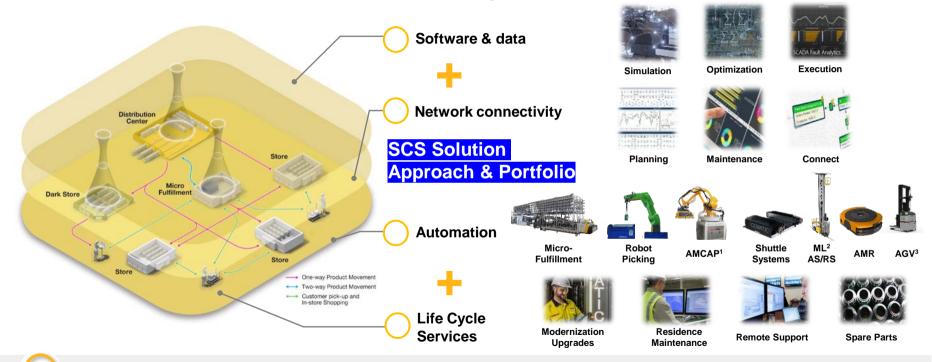
<sup>1.</sup> Business Solutions Market 2. Autonomous Mobile Robot 3. Modular Pick / Goods to Person Source: Management assumptions based on internal KION Market Model as of November 2021

Garment on Hanger

# Ecosystem-based Solutions (Grocery Example)



### SCS innovates at all levels of a customer ecosystem



#### Optimizing customer's supply chain requires a deep-ecosystem level understanding

Automated Mixed Case Palletizing 2. Mini Load 3. Automated Guided Vehicle

# Grocery Case Study

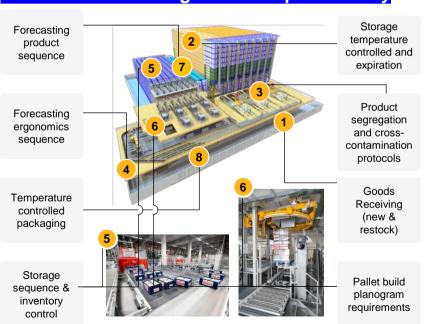


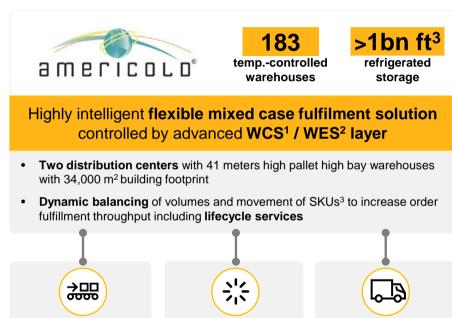
2.5 million miles

of freight eliminated

#### **Enabling grocery e-Commerce fulfillment for Americold**

# Intelligent & integrated solution with high degree of automation driving customer productivity





3 temp. zones

storage facilities

- Warehouse Control System
- Warehouse Execution System
- Stock Keeping Units

> 350,000 cases

throughput per day

# Software-defined Automation Journey and Capabilities



#### SCS enables the autonomous supply chain of the future



# **Productivity**

Ability to maximize throughput and Reduce total cost of ownership (TCO)

← SCS driving customer outcomes →

#### **Flexibility**

Highly configurable framework AMR-based robotic fulfillment

#### **Scalability**

Scale up and down based on peak seasons. Ability to move from manual to fully automated facilities

#### **Visibility**

Single-site or enterprise, multisite visibility across the entire ecosystem

# Software Vision and Footprint



#### Software is core to SCS's portfolio and value proposition

SCS's digital vision

To provide vertical ecosystem based highly intelligent solutions that combine our software / digital capabilities with automation & robotics technology to deliver increased productivity flexibility, reliability, and throughput to customer globally

Software expertise > 1,300

Software engineers > 300

Al<sup>1</sup> / R&D. cybersecurity experts > 500

Software clients worldwide

> 100

Sites with remote monitoring

> 99.98%

Client retention rate

Select software customers































What we deliver

(Value proposition)

2% - 10% increased product throughput2

**5% - 10%** increased labor productivity<sup>2</sup>

2% - 5% increased hardware availability2

**20% – 50%** reduction in response & repair times2

- Artificial intelligence
- Anticipated benefits based on project outcome assumptions made by SCS product management

#### 3 Service Footprint



#### Unparalleled installed base and operational footprint in the industry<sup>1</sup>





#### > 200 years of customer intimacy & installations serves huge service potential

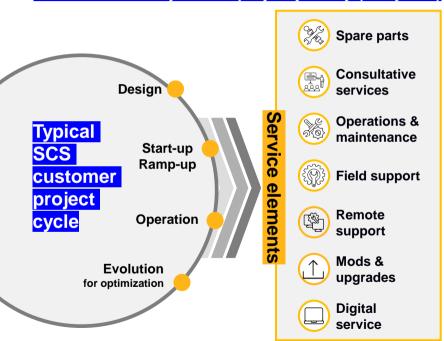
1. Based on independent third-party customer survey, Assessment of Warehouse Automation Services Market, Market and Markets, March 2021

#### 3 Lifecycle-based Service Approach



#### Reducing total cost of ownership & driving value-based service offering

#### Customer intimacy across project journey (20+ years)



#### Driving business outcomes with combined offerings



#### Outpace market growth



- Market share leader in customer service revenue in 2020<sup>2</sup>
- Plan to outpace market growth
- Ability to bundle with business solutions to up-sell / cross-up

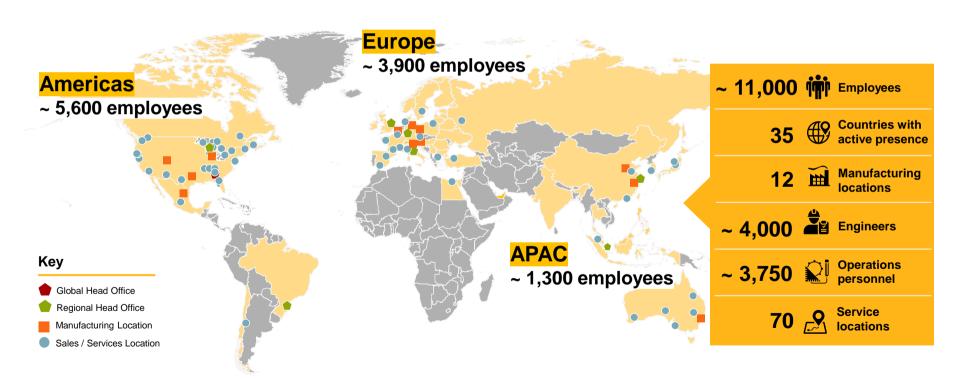
<sup>1.</sup> Management assumptions based on internal KION Market Model as of November 2021 Automation Services Market, Market and Markets, March 2021

<sup>2.</sup> Based on independent third-party customer survey, Assessment of Warehouse

#### Global Operational Footprint

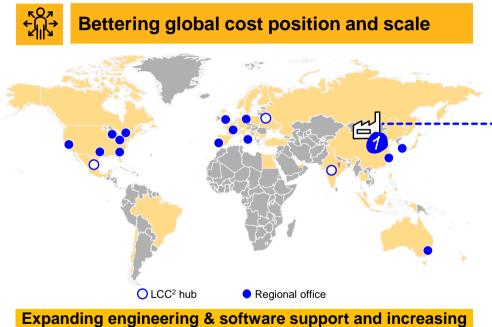


#### Global reach with a local presence in over 35 countries



#### **Emerging Markets Footprint**

#### Driving cost leverage through low-cost country presence



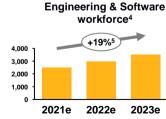
## manufacturing capacity in low-cost countries

- Acquisition in India subject to regulatory approval 2. Low-cost country CAGR
- Dematic Multishuttle
- - In full-time equivalents, based on 2021 SCS internal estimates

#### Additional SCS APAC plant in China

- Creating a **new manufacturing facility** at Jinan
- Will become the largest plant (28,000 m<sup>2</sup>) for SCS in China
- Regionalized manufacturing footprint with highcomplex mix (Suzhou, CN) with a low-complex mix plant (Jinan, CN)
- Value added products such as conveyors, DMS<sup>3</sup> racks and AGVs both for APAC market and overseas

#### Engineering & software efficiency



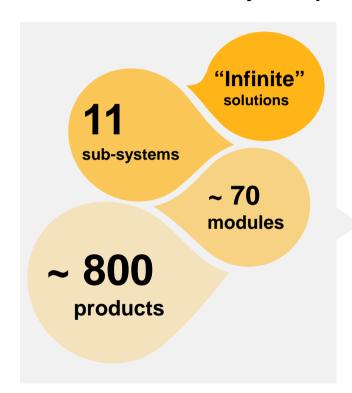
Increasing technical support through hub and spoke model for software and project engineering; sourcing from developing markets to drive global cost position

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#### **Standardization and Execution Benefits**

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#### Standardization is key to improve profitability and speed



1. SCS Internal Estimates, 2021

#### **Benefits of standards:**

#### **Scalability**

Standardization helps to reduce manufacturing costs and production times

#### **Faster execution**

Selling more standard solutions reduces planning and installation times

#### **Enhanced usability**

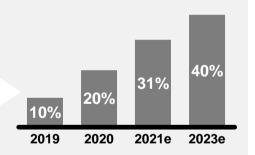
Similar solutions across different customer locations is beneficial to quality, efficiency, operational control and maintenance

#### **Sustainability**

Less waste when integrating on site, driving higher efficiency products

#### **Increasing standards:**

% of standards as part of SCS overall order intake<sup>1</sup>



Expected to reach ~ 40% by FY 2023, further increasing profitability

#### **Supply Chain Solutions**



#### Growing the business substantially, increasing the margin to 12% – 14%

- Accelerated market fundamentals expected to drive strong growth of warehouse automation market
- 2 Capture market growth in promising verticals through an ecosystem based on intelligent and connected automation solutions
- Target to lead with **software and robotic technology** embedded into automation solutions across the offering portfolio
- 4 Execution at scale to margins and scale, focusing on emerging markets to drive global cost position

Accelerated profitable growth with an EBIT focused playbook

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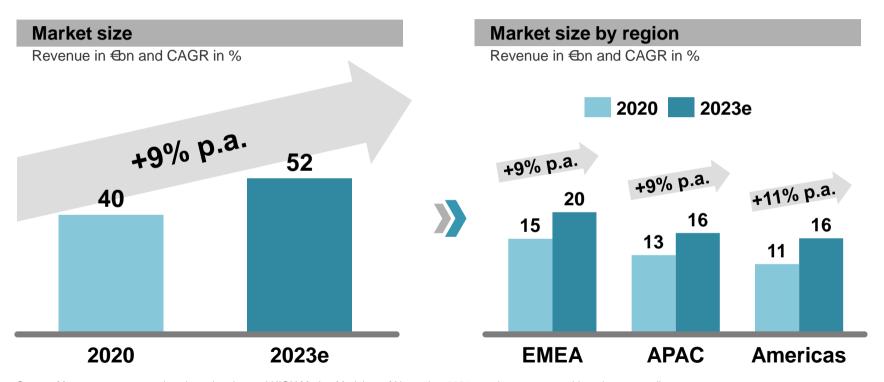


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#### **Market Growth**



#### Global truck markets rebound after turbulent COVID impact

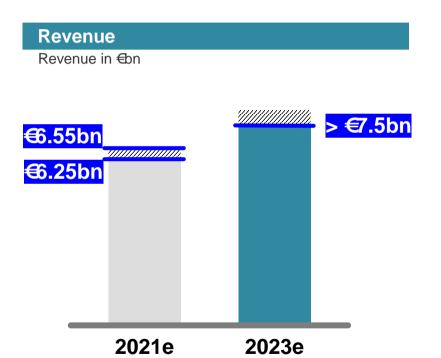


Source: Management assumptions based on internal KION Market Model as of November 2021, numbers may not add up due to rounding

#### **ITS – Medium-term Targets**

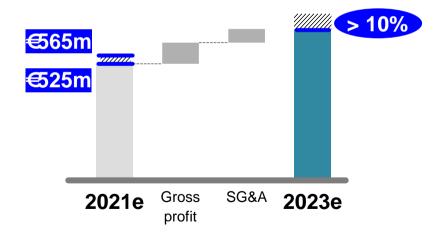


#### Profitable growth key to return to double-digit adj. EBIT margin



#### Adj. EBIT / adj. EBIT margin

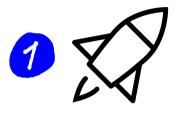
Adj. EBIT in €m and adj. EBIT margin in %



#### ITS Framework

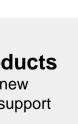


Key goals are capturing growth while returning to double-digit adj. EBIT margin











**Resilient services** 







**Efficiency improvement** 

Consistently addressing margin improvement

through initiatives in standardization, productivity and structural cost

Capture market growth

**Enlarge profit pools** 

Lean processes and standards

#### **1** KION Group Global Value Platform



#### Introducing a completely new approach targeting the value segment



#### **Key features**

Multi-brand product platform for Baoli, Linde Material Handling and STILL

Modular platform for IC1- and E2-trucks

Platform offers various truck configurations ranging from eco to value

Production located at new plant in Jinan, CN

#### Strategic importance

Covering the strongly growing value segment and strategic positioning vs Chinese competition

Internal combustion 2. Electric

### **1** Important Features of the Value Platform

### KION

#### Using modular platform and scaling drives price competitiveness



#### Winning selling proposition

- Increased price competitiveness through modular platform
- Reduced service time versus Chinese competitors<sup>1</sup>
- Optimized price-performance ratio for value customers



#### Vast product variety

- Basis for > 50 new products in next five years
- Incl. Li-lon series with battery variants for all brands



#### **Timeline confirmed**

- Start of production in **December 2021**
- First models to be launched in the 2.0t & 2.5t category for largest market segment
- Start of production: 2 models in 2021, 48 models 2022 2024

Truck architecture using modular components

Produce common modules for masts, chassis and overhead guard, ensuring best product cost and quality

Source standard modules such as engines under joint sourcing to get the best cost to volume ratio





Based on internal benchmarking

#### **1** Overview of New Production Plants



#### **Expansion of production capacities in Poland and China**

#### New plant in Jinan, CN

- One of the largest KION Group plants with annual capacity of 40,000 units
- Broad level of automation with integrated equipment & software systems for productivity and cost efficiency
- Production center for KION Group Global Value Platform
- Start of pre-production in December 2021, start of regular production in February 2022







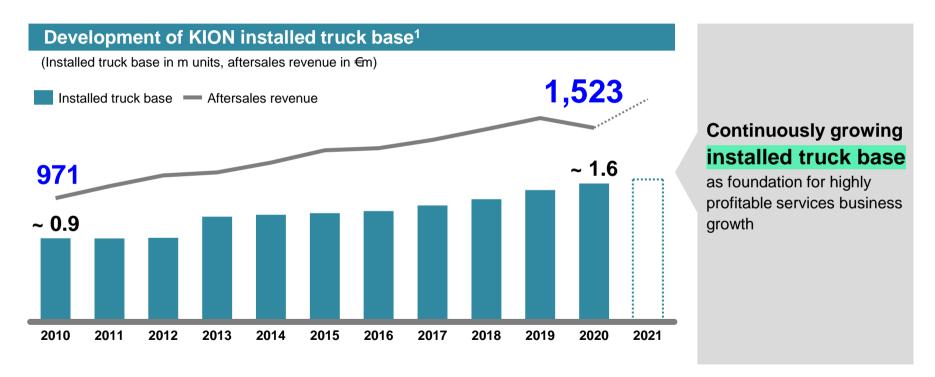
#### New plant in Kołbaskowo, PL

- Addressing highly competitive **E-truck** segment
- Increasing capacity to serve low load capacity IC-truck segment
- Freeing up capacities for new truck generations in other EMEA plants
- Enabling future capacity increase through further site expansion opportunities, current annual capacity of 12,000 units
- Production commenced in July 2021

#### Overview of KION Installed Truck Base



#### Solid basis for continued growth in highly profitable services business



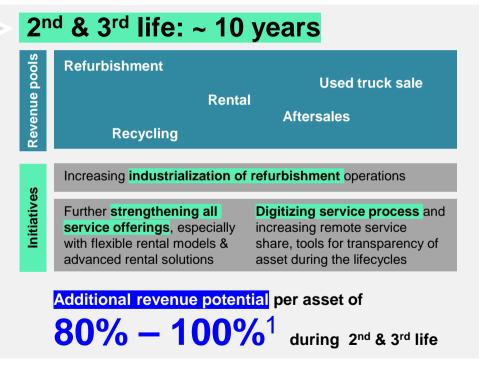
Includes counterbalance (CB) and warehouse (WH) trucks. Installed base from CB shipments of last 10 years, WH shipments from last 8 years

#### **Active Industrial Truck Lifecycle Management** Substantial additional revenue pools after first life



1<sup>st</sup> life: ~ 5 years

Existing revenue pools actively addressed through various initiatives targeting services revenues



KION Group analysis September 2021; Calculation based on historic data per truck class - including used truck sales and service revenues, leasing, aftersales & recycling net sales

### **3** Efficiency Improvement



#### Profitability focus on top and bottom-line initiatives



#### **Product cost**

Building a reach truck competence center in Stříbro, CZ

Optimizing capacity utilization in APAC & EMEA plants

Focusing Jinan, CN plant on high volume, low mix value product

Increasing production productivity in ITS plants



#### Structural program

Streamlining management structures

Increasing HQ organizational and process efficiency

Outsourcing and optimizing regional cost setup



#### **Standardization**

Industrializing production of mobile automation solutions

Streamlining business structure through formation of ITS EMEA

Back-office process standardization with global IT template

#### 3 Building a Reach Truck Competence Center



#### Creating a strong product for resilient industries and targeting cost benefits

#### **Overview**

- Consolidating all steps from design to production to one plant, targeting cost benefits
- Freeing up capacities in Hamburg, GER plant for production of new truck variants
- Creating an even stronger product for highly attractive and resilient retail, grocery and food & beverage sector
- Reach trucks are key product within this sector, offering substantial cross-selling potential

#### **Key figures**

- Plant in **Stříbro**, **CZ** annual capacity of **> 18,000 trucks** by 2025
- ~ 250 employees for production, R&D and indirect services
- Annual savings in the high single-digit million €range targeted



## 3 Industrializing Production of Mobile Automation Solutions Taking the necessary steps for anticipated strong market growth





#### Pallet stacker

- Manual assembly replaced by automated production with start of production (SOP) in early 2022 in Châtellerault, FR
- Substantial reduction in production time achieved
- Also successful in highly competitive
   Chinese market



#### Quicktron

- AMRs for Dematic, Linde Material Handling and STILL with integrated Quicktron technology available
- SOP of next-generation M100 model in **December 2021**
- Dedicated research and production facilities for AMRs in Xiamen, CN



#### LoadRunner

- Development of high-speed, smallsized, Al-assisted AGVs in collaboration with Fraunhofer IML
- Sortation of 10,000 parcels per hour by just 60 prototype vehicles – in line with standard sorting systems
- Common development by KION Group and IML to achieve market launch by 2025

#### Mobile Automation as binding element between ITS and SCS

#### **Industrial Trucks & Services**



#### Accelerate volume growth and return to double-digit adj. EBIT margin

- Global truck expected to grow strongly in the medium-term
- Clear framework capturing growth via new products and increased production footprint
- Accessing greater profit pools through
  active truck lifecycle service management
  across all stages of truck life
- Improved product cost focus, structural program, and standardization are all part of focused effort to improve profitability

Harvest on investments in a highly attractive market

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#### **Sustainability Topics and Targets**

#### KION sets itself ambitious sustainability targets



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#### 2020 KION Group Sustainability Report<sup>1</sup>

Strategic Topic	Strategy aspect	Targets and KPIs	Target Year
Occupational health and safety	Accident frequency at KION	Reduction of accident frequency by 5% p.a. (based on target; long-term: No occupational accidents)	per annum
(OHS)	Management systems	100% certification rate ISO 450011 by sites	2024
Employer attractiveness	Employee satisfaction	•	•
	Decent Work	No cases of non-compliance with KION Group Minimum employment standards	continuous
Product climate change mitigation Composition of product portfolio		Development towards an electric focused portfolio incl. battery and fuel cell driven products: ITS: + SCS: already 100 % electrified	• continuous
	CO <sub>2</sub> emissions of products and solutions during use phase	${\rm CO_2}$ neutrality of products and solutions during use phase (in scope 3 GHG emissions in tons of ${\rm CO_2}$ e caused by KION's annually shipped products and solutions)	•
Product efficiency	Efficiency	•	•
Enhancing customers' safety	Accidents at customers	•	•
	Material safety	+	+
Climate change mitigation	Total energy related GHG emissions of own operations	30 % absolute reduction of total energy related GHG emissions of own operations in tons of CO <sub>2</sub> e compared to 2017	2027

#### Selected sustainability targets<sup>1</sup>



Occupational Health & Safety: 100% certification rate ISO 45001 by sites by 2024



ITS & SCS: Development towards an **electric focused portfolio** incl. battery & fuel cell driven products



People

Achieved: **32% reduction** by 2020



**30% absolute reduction** of total energyrelated **GHG emissions**<sup>2</sup> of own operations compared to 2017 by 2027

#### → Access our full report here

. KION Group Sustainability Report 2020, p. 11 2. Greenhouse gas emissions measured in tons of CO<sub>2</sub> equivalents (CO<sub>2</sub>e); Scope 1, 2, 3 (partially), market-based

### People | Occupational Health & Safety and Board Remuneration



#### Promoting employee health & safety and strengthening board ESG focus

#### Achievements 2020 (selected)<sup>1</sup>

**42%** 

of Occupational Health & Safety

Management Systems at all sites

certified<sup>2</sup>

99%

of all employees trained in Occupational Health & safety

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of employees were able to benefit from occupational health examinations

#### ESG-linked board remuneration

**ESG-linked board remuneration** introduced in 2021 with dedicated target criteria:

- Occupational Health & Safety:

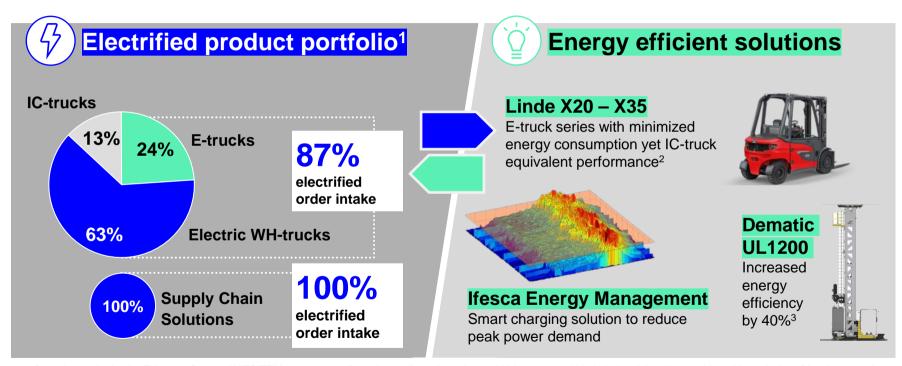
  Lost Time Injury Frequency Rate (LTIFR)
- Environmental Management System: ISO 14001 certification
- S&P Global Corporate Sustainability Assessment
- Employer attractiveness: Employee Survey Score

KION Group Sustainability Report 2020, p. 2, 11, 36, 37
 ISO 45001, 100% target by 2024

#### **Products | Product Electrification & Efficiency**



#### Combining electrification & efficiency focus enables client emission reduction



<sup>1.</sup> Based on order intake FY 2020, Source: WITS/FEM 2021 2. Based on self-conducted test of Li-Ion powered Linde industrial truck 1252 X25 with equivalent Diesel-powered Linde industrial truck 1202 H25D (both with load capacity of 2.5t) in 2021; KIQN estimates that total operating performance (productivity measured in time per cycle) of both industrial truck models is comparable. Testing methodology by KION was certified by TÜV Nord in 2009. 3. Internal assessment of Dematic UL1200 SRM and standard technology.

## Products | Resource Efficiency and Product Health & Safety Longevity, efficient resource use and health & safety as key parameters



#### Using trucks & resources efficiently

99%

recyclability<sup>1</sup> of trucks

ensured through ecological, modular design

1 in 4

trucks sold by ITS in 2020 was a used truck<sup>2</sup>

100%

of counterbalance weights

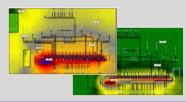
in EU made from scrap metal<sup>1</sup>

1st to 3rd

**life truck lifecycle management** from sourcing to recycling

Health & Safety at customer site

#### Noise abatement



#### **Dematic Quiet Flow Solution**

- 3 15 decibels (dBA) reduction via solutionbased approach<sup>3</sup>
- Integration in new & retrofit applications

#### **Ergonomics**



#### STILL iGo Neo

- Multi-level safety, ergonomic design
- Up to 75%<sup>4</sup> less mounting and dismounting

- 2. KION Group Sustainability Report 2020
- 3. Based on test results from laboratory and on-site product testing

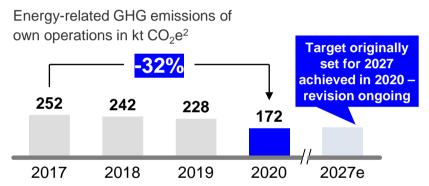
Linde Material Handling Sustainability Report 2021

<sup>4.</sup> Based on internal calculation and on-site testing

### Processes | Greenhouse Gas Reduction & Supply Chain Transparency Improving own operations and transparency across the supply chain



#### Reducing our impact on climate change<sup>1</sup>



- Efficiency measures: environmental standards certified at 58% of sites (ISO 14001)
- Renewable electricity: solar panels at plants in Pune, IND and Summerville, USA; new green energy sourcing contracts

#### Transparency along the supply chain<sup>1</sup>

### ecovadis

Sustainable supply chain initiative

- Rating: assessment & validation of 21 ESG factors incl. environment, ethics & sustainable procurement
- Target: EcoVadis or equivalent rating available for 100% of strategic and high-risk suppliers by 2023
- Future requirements: KION minimum standard for all suppliers to be introduced by 2023

<sup>1.</sup> KION Group Sustainability Report 2020

Scope 1, 2, 3 (partially), market-based

#### **Processes | Sustainable Financing**



#### Evolving KION finance structure with first ESG-linked revolving credit facility

### Key features

- Total credit volume of €1 billion
- **5-year maturity** (until Q4 2026) with market standard option to extend twice for one year

# **Bonus-malus** interest rate adjustment

- +/- 2.5 basis points interest rate adjustment based on ESG performance
- First testing in 2023 (based on KION Group Sustainability Report 2022)

# Three performance criteria

- Lost Time Injury Frequency Rate (LTIFR)
- Share of electrified trucks
- Greenhouse gas emissions

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#### **Investment Highlights**

### KION

#### Key reasons for an investment in KION Group

1 Attractive markets

KION benefits from ITS market rebound, E-commerce acceleration and energy & automation trends

2 One of the global leaders

KION is well positioned to **grow above the material handling market** by driving customer centricity, innovation and **investments into new technologies** 

3 Resilient & sustainable business model

KION has an integrated sustainable business model with high contribution from services and warehouse automation

4 | Capitalize on attractive areas of growth

Focus on **strategic investments** into regional coverage, manufacturing footprint, product and software portfolio to play in **attractive growth environments** 

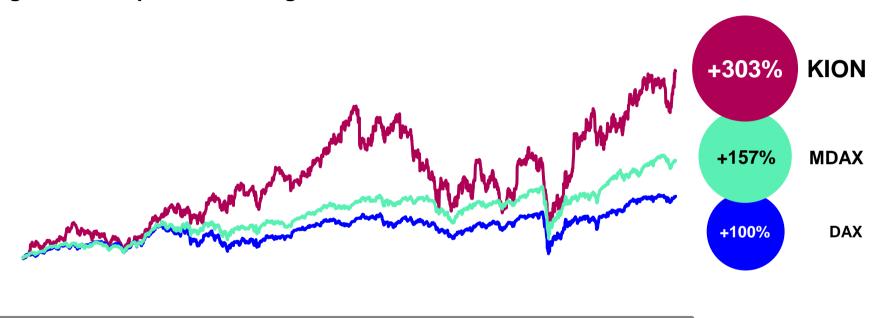
5 Margin upside from scale and synergies

Value creation through integrated offerings, structural programs, and scale efficiencies

#### **Development of KION Group Shares Since the IPO**

### KION

#### Significant outperformance against the market



Note: DAX and MDAX indexed with KION GROUP AG Xetra share price in € until November 02, 2021. Total shareholder return calculation including dividend payments, KION GROUP AG share price adjusted for capital increases Source: Bloomberg

### **New KION Group CEO as of January 2022**

#### **Rob Smith to succeed Gordon Riske**





Gordon Riske
will step down as CEO
on December 31, 2021



Dr Rob Smith
appointed as CEO
from January 01, 2022

#### **Questions & Answers**



