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Global supplier of control systems and control cables

**INVESTOR PRESENTATION** 

April 2024



# **COFLE GROUP**

## **Key Highlights**

**KEY POINTS** 

**DESCRIPTION** 

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#### Growth



Secular trends driving increased total addressable market

 Global Farm Tractors Market Forecast to 2030 estimated growing with +5,1% CAGR 2023-2030¹



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#### **Global Presence**



- We are where our customers (**Tier 1 players**) are
- Presence in Europe, Turkey, Brasil and India
- Intercompany Supply Chain allows an efficient raw materials supplying with a global coverage



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#### **Innovation**



- Development of innovative electronic products that represent an upgrade of the control system for farm tractors and a machinery connectivity for a better use of fertilizers and weedkiller
- The global precision farming market size at 10,5 \$ bn in 2023 (vs 9,47 \$ bn in 2022) and is expected to expand with +12,8% CAGR 2024-2030<sup>2</sup>



# **COFLE GROUP: Snapshot**

One global player, two divisions: OE and IAM

**Light Vehicles** 

Automotive





# **KEY MILESTONES**

## **Group history since foundation**

- Evolution from the initial workshop setting to a more industrial one
- At that time, about 15 people worked for the Group, which, among its many products, included clutch and brake cables for the historic cars of those years, such as the Autobianchi A112 and the unforgettable Fiat Giardinetta

- Significant boost in the Aftermarket industry - Cofle clearly part of this trend
- · Set up of production activities in Turkey
- Strong commercial growth and new warehouse in Pozzo D'Adda (1996), conceived and used exclusively for stocking and selling spare cables: starting point for the later creation of the OEM division
- The Group aims at expanding further its products offerings, breaking into underpenetrated markets and seizing on M&A opportunities
- November 11<sup>th</sup>: Listing

**EURONEXT GROWTH** 

 Opening of new OE Logistics Plant in Trezzo sull'Adda



- Bruno Barbieri founds Cofle, introducing an innovative way in manufacturing Control Cables for the Automotive Industry
- First production line for Original Equipment Cables (OEM) for the most important Italian brands
- Production of cables for the Aftermarket division
- Founder Bruno Barbieri decides to leave Cofle's management to his son Walter
- Established presence in Turkey, China, Brasil, India
- Opening of COFLE FRANCE, Beauvais
- ITG Turkey launched



# **COFLE GROUP TODAY**



#### PRODUCTION PLANT

6 in 4 countries



#### **COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT**

1 (France)



#### WAREHOUSE

5 in 4 countries (Italy/Turkey/Brasil/India)



#### PRODUCTION CAPACITY

> 10 mln units of production capacity per year over approx. 17.000 sqm plants worldwide



#### **ENGINEERING CENTER**

(Italy/Turkey)



#### **R&D CENTER**

(Italy/Turkey)



#### **EMPLOYEES**

550+



#### Plant description

- Leased
- 5.000 sqm
- production capacity: 2,5 mln units

#### **ITALY - OE Logistic Plant**



#### Plant description

- Cofle's real estate property
- 3.500 sqm
- Logistic services

#### ITALY- IAM Logistic Plant



#### Plant description

- Leased
- 5,800 sqm
- Logistic services

#### TURKEY - TK 1 OE Plant



#### **Plant Description**

- Leased
- 2.000 sgm
- Production capacity: 1,1 mln units

#### **ALL-IN-HOUSE PRODUCTION**

Pricing power thanks to all production In-House and the delivery capacity

#### TURKEY - TK 2 OE Plant



#### **Plant Description**

- Leased
- 2.000 sgm
- Production capacity: 1,15 mln units

#### **BRASIL - OE Plant**



#### Plant description

- Leased
- 2.000 sqm
- Production capacity: 0.45 mln units

#### **COFLE FRANCE Commercial Department**



#### Plant description

- Leased
- Comm. departments IAM and OE
- 3 Team Managers

#### INDIA - IAM Plant



#### Plant description

- Leased
- 1.800 sqm
- Production capacity: 2,5 mln units

#### **TURKEY - IAM 2 Plant**

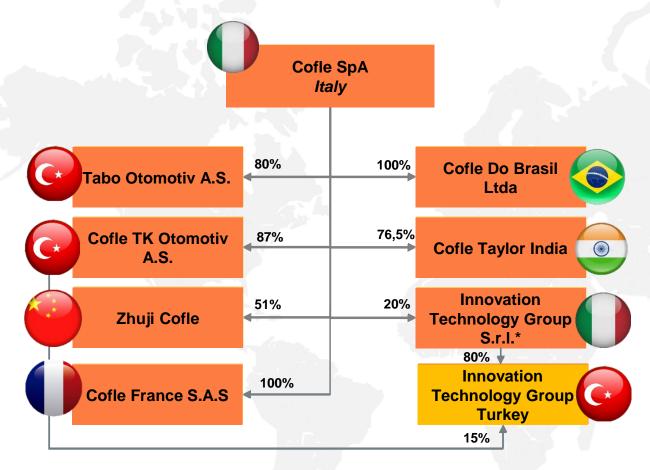


#### **Plant Description**

- Leased
- 4.000 sgm
- Production capacity: 3,0 mln units



# **GROUP STRUCTURE & GOVERNANCE**



ITG shareholders: Walter Barbieri (15%), Valfin srl (17%), Pierangelo Margutti (~24%), Alessandro Plebani (~24%)

ITG Turkey minority shareholders: local partner (5%)

Cofle Taylor India Minority Shareholders - local industrial partner

Cofle Zhuji Minority Shareholders - local industrial partner

Tabo Otomotiv AS & Cofle TK Otomotiv AS: local industrial partners and local managers

#### **Board of Directors**

Chairman & CEO Walter Barbieri

Director

Alessandra Barbieri

Director

Silvio Benedetti

Independent Director

**Enrico Mambelli** 

Director

Sergio Buoncristiano

#### **Statutory Auditors**

Chairman

Giuseppe Rota

Auditor
Arturo Carcassola

Auditor

**Ugo Palumbo** 

Supplementary Auditor

Pietro Longaretti

Supplementary Auditor Luca Perico

#### **Audit Firm**



Company	Employees	
Cofle S.p.A.	148	
Tabo Otomotiv	176	
Cofle TK Otomotiv	218	
Cofle Zhuji	1	
Cofle Do Brasil	16	
Cofle Taylor India	21	
Cofle France	3	



# **ORGANIZATION CHART**

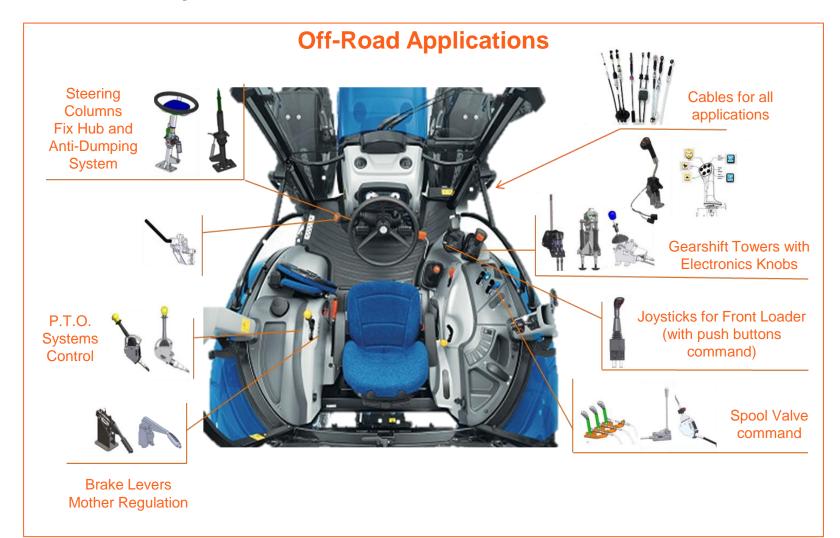
**Experienced multinational Management Team** 





# **OE DIVISION**

## **All-In-House production**



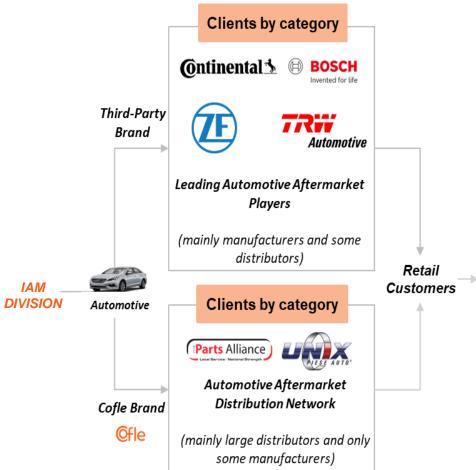




# IAM DIVISION

## **All-In-House production**









# **NAVIGATING MARKET TRENDS**

**Overview of Key Sector Trends** 

 Aftermarket (AM) Trends: observing decline in control/pull cables and an increase in demand for gear shift cables and electronic parking brakes (EPB), as well as brake hoses



Original Equipment (OE) Trends:
Observing a gradual decrease in mechanical controls in favor of intelligent electronic systems, reflecting broader industry shifts towards automation and connectivity (especially EU and USA)





# **KEY INVESTMENT HIGHLIGHTS**

A company ready to ride secular trends for a long-term journey

Global Growth Scenario

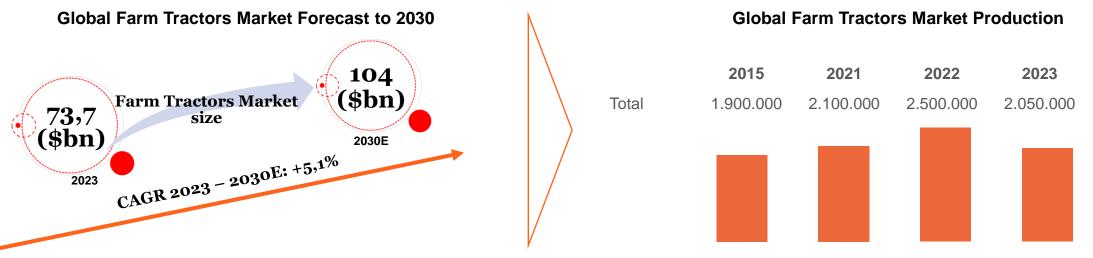


Excellent Positioning





Exceptionally sound path to growth on a global scale catching the wave of a secular trend in population dynamics and food demand



Source: Farm Tractor Market: Global Industry Analysis and Forecast (2024-2030)

#### **Market Drivers**

Source: Machinery World: Tractors: the global market is slowing down, yet the trend remains positive (2024)

- Global area harvested to cereals expected to increase by 14 Mha in the coming decade (between the base period 2020 and 2030)
- Technological upgrade of farm tractors especially in developing countries, and introduction of mechatronic innovation in developed countries
- PRECISION FARMING (CAGR 2024-2030 +12,8%): Environmental-friendly farm tractors upgrades imposed by regulation and policy trends all over the world
- Farming support by governments to increase domestic agri production as strategic policy adopted worldwide



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# OE: COMPETITIVE ADVANTAGE

The main competitive advantage for OE division is represented by its high level of verticalization which allows the company to increase its operating margins with respect to the competitors in the industry













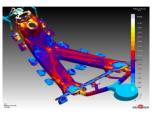












#### Mould design and production made in Cofle Turkey

#### Die casting moulds:

- Mould flow analysis
- Structural analysis
- Process optimization

#### Plastic injection moulds:

- Structural analysis and aesthetic analysis
- Process optimization

#### Die casting products

Die casting products are made internally in Cofle TK by using presses from 50 to 400 tons.

Parts are made by Zama, standard Aluminum alloys and special Aluminum alloys such as SILAFONT.

We also have an internal workshop for fine machining of the die casting parts and for their heat treatments.



#### **Plastic products**

Plastic parts are made internally by using compounds such as PA, POM, PEHD, and techno-polymers like PA66 + GF or PA + CF, ABS, PP, PC.

The raw material is purchased from the best brands on the market

**SEE OUR VIDEOS HERE** 

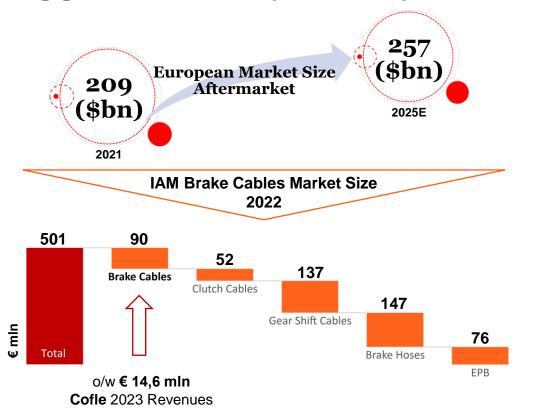


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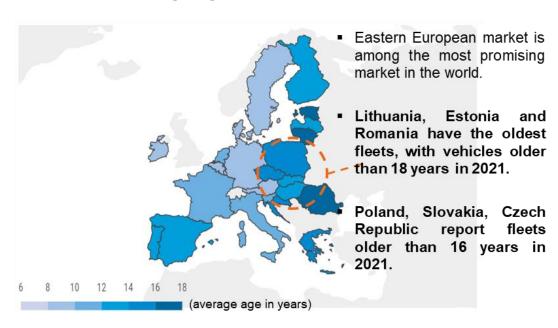


# 3 IAM

## Planning growth in the European underpenetrated automotive Aftermarket



#### Average Age of the EU vehicle fleet



- Leveraging on Italian and Turkish production plant capacity to serve the most mature western European customers
- Leveraging on Italian and Indian production plant capacity to serve the most promising high-growth Eastern European market and increase market share



# GLOBAL SUPPLY CHAIN

Strategically positioned to boost long term expansion Integrated facilities and platforms in the key areas of the world



- Global integrated facilities to meet multinational customers' needs shifting from centered overstretched supply chain locally based suppliers
- competitive advantage leveraging on established local presence especially in Turkey and India to lower production costs and boost market share



# STATE OF ART CREDENTIALS - OE

A highly prestigious and diversified customer base all over the world

Agriculture





























Construction & Industrial



















Automotive



















- Long term relationship with Top Market Leaders in the world, ranging from CNH to AGCO and John Deere as undisputed proof of leadership. It usually takes at least 2 years to be included in the supplier list
- Traditional niche share of revenues coming from luxury automotive brands (Ferrari & Maserati)
- Traditional niche share of revenues coming from commercial light vehicles brands (IVECO)
- Prototyping of seat supports with an international reality, leader in compaction technologies and in the production of machinery for the compaction of soil, asphalt, and waste.



# STATE OF ART CREDENTIALS - IAM

From Top Aftermarket Manufacturers to Top Aftermarket distributors





**BOSCH** 





































- Long term relationship with Top Aftermarket Leaders in the world (Continental & Bosch)
- - Long term relationship with Top Aftermarket Distributors in the world (Federal Mogul & Unix)
- - Launching EPB Range: Set to launch an Electronic Parking Brake (EPB) range by September 2024, coinciding with the Frankfurt Fair. The 1st and 2nd series of EPB must be "ready on the shelf."



# FOCUS ON R&D

## Innovation to anticipate next future trends

Commitment to launching disruptive solutions to stand out



**R&D CENTER** 



PEOPLE EMPLOYED IN **R&D ACTIVITES** 



**ENGINEERING CENTER** 



**REGISTERED PATENTS** IN THE LAST 5 YEARS **ACROSS 5 COUNTRIES** 









# **UPDATE**



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## French market and presence close to customers



Cofle has been operating in the **French market** since 1980. Today, the French market represents a **strategic point for future growth.** 

Commercial presence in Paris Beauvais allows Cofle to closely monitor the industrial hub of the agricultural sector (with important customers such as AGCO and CLAAS) as well as offering the opportunity for commercial expansion for both the OE and IAM divisions

Cofle France's investments in staff and structure allow it to seize opportunities also in nearby markets (Benelux, Spain, Portugal and Italy as well)

The French subsidiary has recently entered into **two significant** commercial agreements.

The first one has been forged with the **second-largest European spare parts distribution group**, which will resell Cofle's products through its international platform. The second agreement has been signed with a **spare parts distributor** that is part of a large industrial group in the automotive sector.



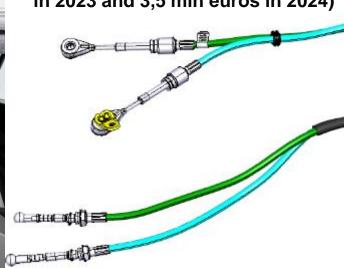
# **OE NEW PROJECTS UPDATE**

**INEOS** 

#### GRENADIER



The agreement provides that, following the excellent results obtained in the first test phase and the second and final phase of testing in February 2022, the total value of production for Cofle in the two-year period 2023/2024 is equal to 5,2 million euros (o/w 1,6 mln euros in 2023 and 3,5 mln euros in 2024)



Cofle technology is aboard the new off-road Ineos Grenadier

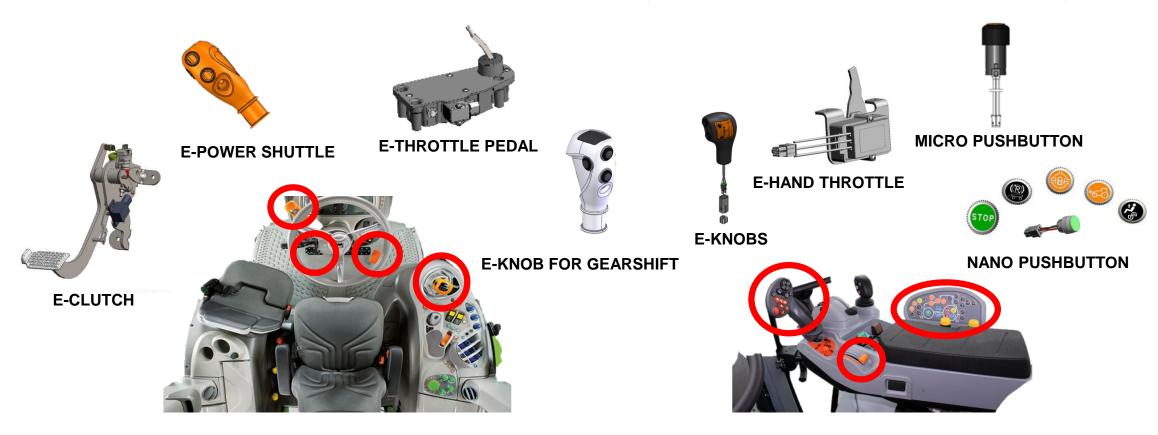
Cofle provides **Transfer Case Manual Shifter and Cables**, which enables the unlocking of the differential to vary power distribution to each individual wheel, as well as the engagement and disengagement of low gears



# **OE NEW PROJECTS UPDATE**

Some examples of our mechatronic applications

Development of **innovative electronic products** that represent an upgrade of the control system to ride precision farming wave





# OE NEW PROJECTS UPDATE

Off Road Products – Some examples of mechatronic & electronic applications

**MECHANICAL STRUCTURE** 

In the Turkish plant, a new production department has recently been added for the manufacturing of electronic components

The new department will be responsible for assembling PCBs and electronic boards designed in-house and produced using 'pick to place' machinery

The new area will be dedicated to the assembly of sensors, switches, and mechatronic systems such as manipulators and armrests





**ALL EFFECT SENSOR** 

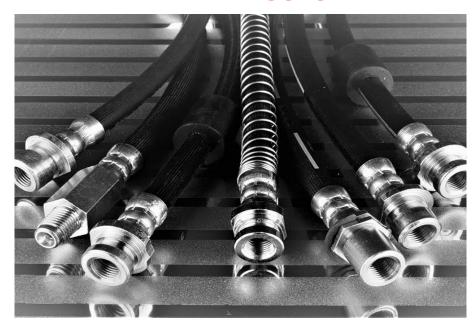
PLASTIC ESTHETICAL TREAMS

KNOBS AND PCB

# IAM NEW PRODUCTS UPDATE

All-In-House production to maintain high margins

#### **BRAKE HOSES**



This sector recorded € 0,712 M in 2023 with respect to € 0,585 M in 2022 with a growth equal to + 21,7%

## **ELECTRICAL PARKING BRAKE (EPB)**



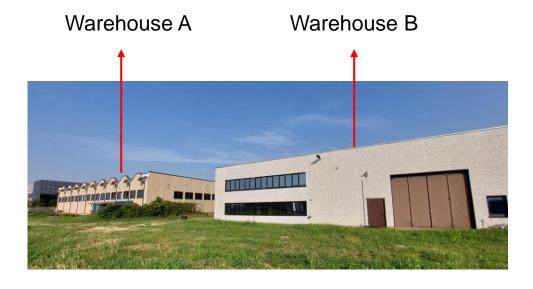
Electrical parking brake (EPB) is used to keep the vehicle motionless by applying the brakes of the vehicle. Electrical parking brake system is used to keep the vehicle stable while leaving it for parking, and it is also helpful in emergency situations when brakes fail to operate. Electrical parking brake (EPB) provides safety to the driver and is highly reliable as it resists the backward movement of the vehicle over a slope. Moreover, it also reduces the chances of backward crashing, which boosts the growth of the electrical parking brake market in the coming years



This system is widely used in the automotive industry to simplify the search and identification of spare parts, improving the efficiency of operations in mechanical workshops and spare parts distribution companies

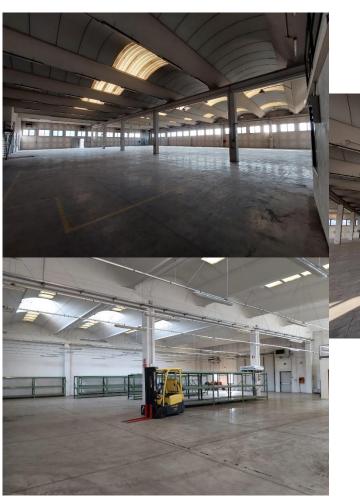


# **NEW LOGISTICS CENTER IN ITALY**



Around **3.500 sq.m**. just in proximity of Autostrada A4, a few minutes from the Headquarters, between Milano and Bergamo.

Fully operational from **April 2024** It hosts the **OE Logistic Division** 







# **ESG**

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL**

- + 2,8% electricity from renewable sources (2022 vs. 2021)
  Total 47,5% [-29 tCO2e issued]
- - 3,6 % total energy consumption per revenues (2022 vs. 2021)
- 97% Raw materials used by recycling (Aluminium and Zamak) [-230 tCO2e issued]
- 98,7% of the total waste is destined for recovery
- - 1.336 tCO2e of total greenhouse gas emissions (scope 1, 2, and 3)
- - 49,2% of packaging used [-857 tCO2e issued]
- Only 2% dangerous waste generated per revenues in 2022

# Sustainable Development Goals

7 AFFORDABLE AND CLEAN ENERGY



12 RESPONSIBLE CONSUMPTION AND PRODUCTION



13 CLIMATE ACTION



- Installation of solar panels at the Pozzo d'Adda plant
- Installation of electric vehicle charging stations powered by renewable energy sources
- Study of new packaging to replace the use of plastic for all AM clients
- Replacement of single-use wooden boxes with reusable plastic boxes (66%)
- Purchase of GO
   certificates to increase
   the share of electricity
   from renewable sources
- Scope 3 greenhouse gas emission inventory and redefinition of reporting perimeter

**ENVIRONMENTAL** 

2024







# **ESG**

SOCIAL

- 100% of employees on permanent contracts
- 43% of hires are under the age of 30
- **+5,7%** growth of employees (2022 vs 2021)
- **+19.7%** average training hours per employee (21.9) (2022 vs 2021)
- Selection and evaluation of suppliers with environmental, ethical and social criteria
- 90% of suppliers from Cofle SpA have certifications
- - 24.7% reduction in the accident severity index
- Projects for the sustainability of the territory



# Sustainable Development Goals

SOCIAL



 Pursuing of the prevention project with free medical visits for employees in collaboration with LILT (Italian League for the Fight against Cancer)



 Increase in the percentage of female presence in the company (with the opening of the new logistics hub)







# **ESG**

#### GOVERNANCE

- 5.3% increase in Economic Value Generated (2022 vs 2020)
- Investments in Research and Development; 8 Patents
- Corporate Code of Ethics
- Adoption of "Organizational, Management, and Contr Model" pursuant to Legislative Decree No. 231/2001\*
- Integrated Quality and Environment Management
   System in compliance with UNI EN ISO 9001 and 1400 standards
- Internal Dealing procedure
- Procedure for Inside information and the Insider Registry
- Procedure for Related Party Transactions

\*Model 231 is a fundamental tool for establishing guidelines and procedures aimed at preventing the commission of certain crimes, as well as for promoting a corporate cultibased on ethics and compliance with current regulations



# Sustainable Development Goals

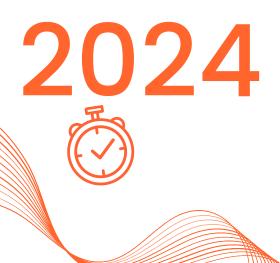
GOVERNANCE



 Study and inclusion of ESG goals in the remuneration systems of Managers



 Gradual expansion of the sustainability reporting scope to fully cover the Group consolidation





# FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS



# **GROUP SALES BY DIVISION – FY 2023**

# Sales Breakdown by division (FY 2021 – 2023)

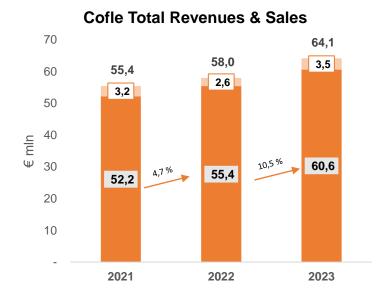


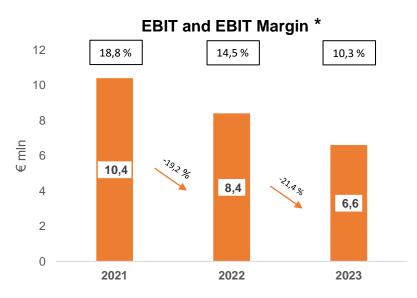
#### **Market Diversification**

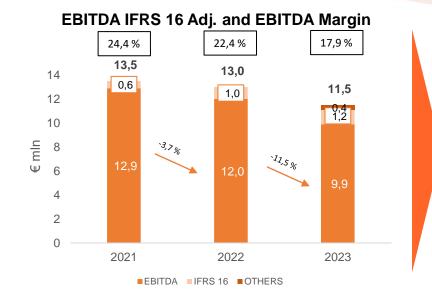
	<b>OE</b> Division	2022	2023	Delta
	AG	37,3	38,3	1,0
0-0-0	Automotive	0,4	1,6	1,2
	Sport Cars	0,5	0,6	0,1
	Others	0,6	0,5	-0,1
	IAM Division	2022	2023	Delta
	Brake Cables	12,2	14,6	2,4
	Gearshift Cables	1,1	1,6	0,5
	Clutch Cables	2,1	2,2	0,1
	Others	1,2	1,2	0



# FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS



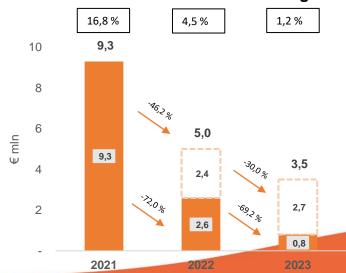




#### Main Events FY 2023:

- + € 2 M labour costs in Turkey
- + € 0,2 M strategic consulting (one-off item)
- + € 0,5 M write-down and dilution of the Turkish subsidiary's share (non-cash item)

#### **Net Income and Net Income Margin**

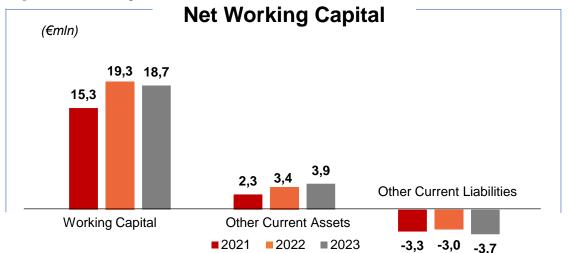


€ 2,7 M hyperinflation effects on Turkish subsidiaries (non-cash items)



# CONSOLIDATED NET WORKING CAPITAL

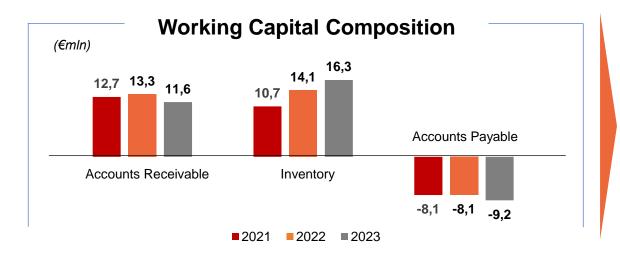
## **Net Working Capital Analysis**



(€mln)

NWC 2021 NWC 2022 NWC 2023

14,4 19,7 18,9



 2021
 2022
 2023

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 ~83
 ~86
 ~75

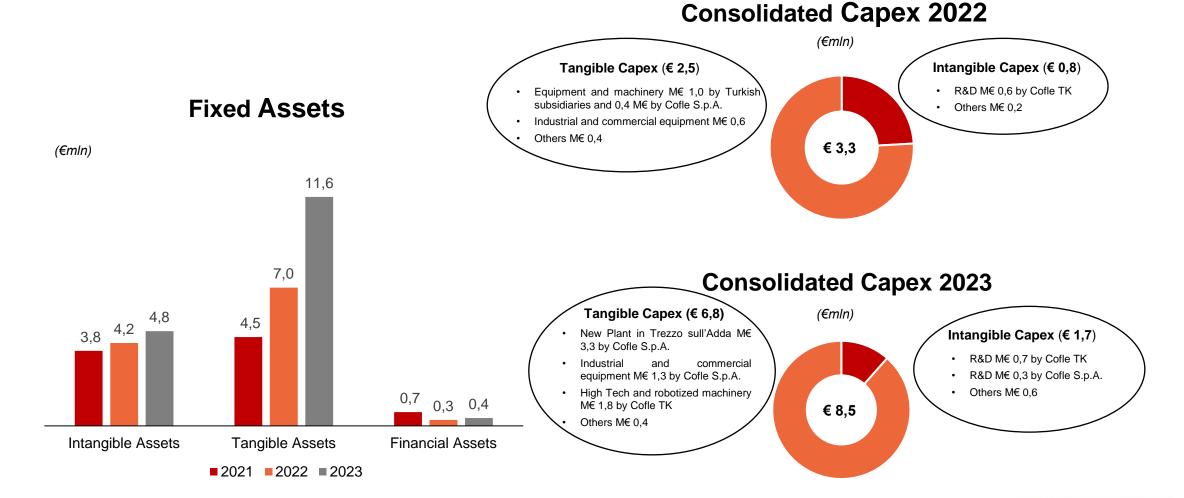
 DIO
 ~120
 ~140
 ~150

 DPO
 ~88
 ~91
 ~85



# FIXED ASSETS AND CAPEX

**Tangible, Intangible and Financial Assets** 





# **NET FINANCIAL POSITION FY 2021-2023**

NFP IFRS 16 FY 2021-2023

#### **NFP composition** - debt (cash)

(€)	2021	1H 2022	2022	2023
Long Term Financial Debts	9.348.695	7.867.844	10.301.703	4.762.629
Short Term Financial Debts	1.299.154	4.621.425	4.269.010	12.962.758
Cash and Cash Equivalents	-15.493.769	-13.509.892	-20.319.815	-18.182.799
Other Current Financial Assets	-	-	-190.960	-100.000
Shareholder Financial Receivable	429.900	-	-	-
Financial debts vs Parent Company	722.500	413.000	255.000	-
Other Financial Debts	58.870	429.900	4.883.811	5.531.045
Net Financial Position ITA GAAP ex Valdiporto	-3.634.650	-177.723	-801.251	4.973.633
Valdiporto Financial Receivable*	-600.000	-50.000	-	-
Net Financial Position ITA GAAP	-4.234.650	-227.723	-801.251	4.973.633
Ifrs 16 Adjustment	4.266.000	3.825.000	3.475.000	4.679.734
Net Financial Position IFRS 16	31.350	3.597.000	2.673.749	9.653.367

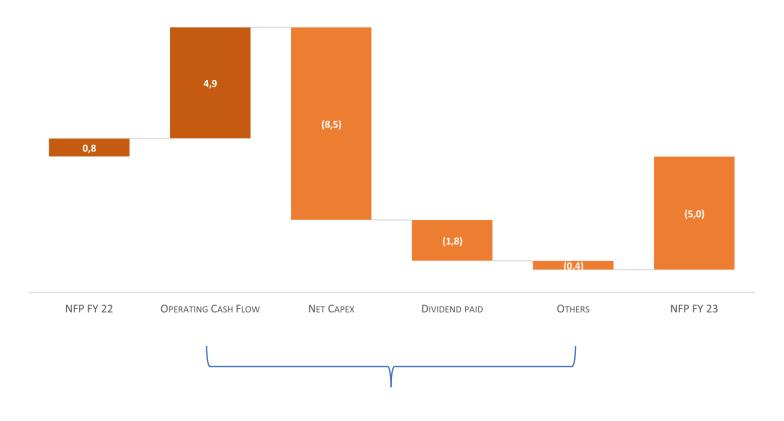


- Other Financial Debts include € 4.891.899 related to a Basket Bond issued in November 2022. Interest rate 5,06%, period end October 2028
- At 31/12/2023, NFP is equal to € 4,97 M.



# **CASH FLOW**

## **Net Financial Position Bridge FY22 to FY23**



€ 5,8 M Cash Outflow



