

## Financial Year 2021: Media and Analyst Conference

## Agenda

Highlights and business review

Dr. Christian Walti, CEO

Financial review

**Thomas Erne, CFO** 

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# Order intake nearly doupled – Significant increase in order backlog – Sales at the same level as in the previous year – further improvement in operating earnings – Dividend proposed

- ✓ Order intake up 97% to CHF 379 million (up 96% at constant exchange rates)
- ✓ Orde backlog of CHF 256 million (up 47%) secures capacity utilisation beyond 2022
- Sales maintained virtually unchanged at CHF 293 million (down 2%)
- ▼EBIT before restructuring at CHF 4.8 million or 1.6% of sales (previous year: CHF 1.5 million / 0.5%), down CHF 8.5 million after restructuring
- Due to restructuring expenses, net result of CHF -5.4 million
- ✓ High equity ratio of 56% in line with previous years.
- Restructuring programm largely implemented
- Dividend of 1.00 CHF per registered share proposed

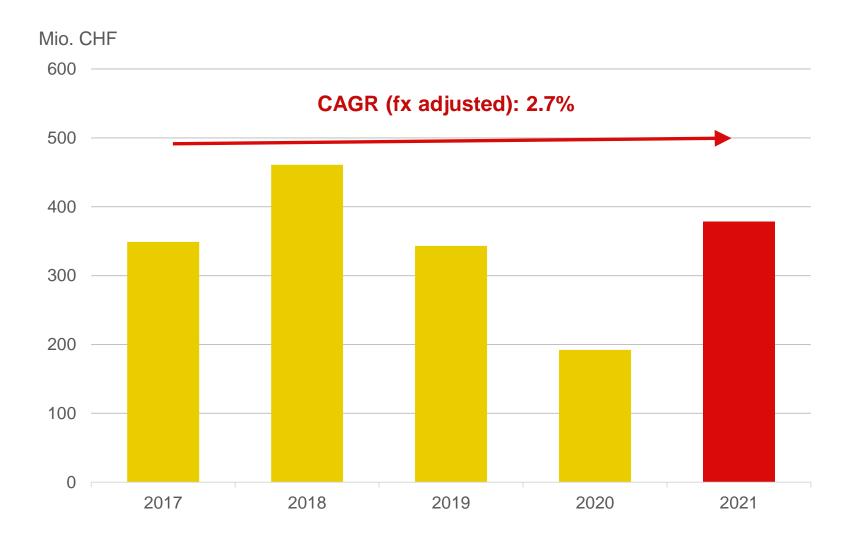


## Group strengthened with «Programme 2021»

- «Programme 2021» largely completed in the reporting year.
  - Significant increase in operational excellence
  - Renewed management team
  - Strengthened application competence
  - Steamling of structures
- This creates the preconditions for a lasting optimisation of earnings
- First successes already visible in 2021 full impact in the coming years
- **▼** 2020/21 Permanent reduction of operating cost and personnel costs by a total of more than CHF 30 million

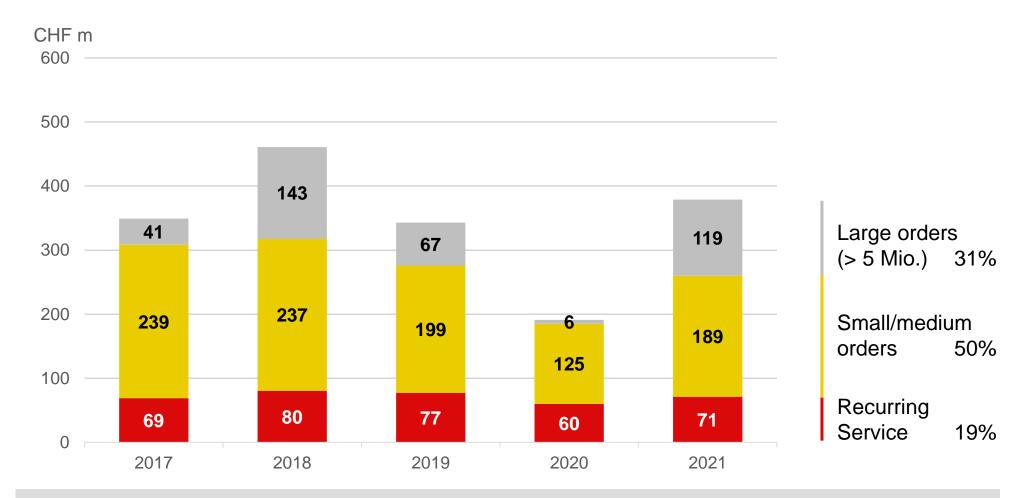


## Order development influenced by large orders and external factors





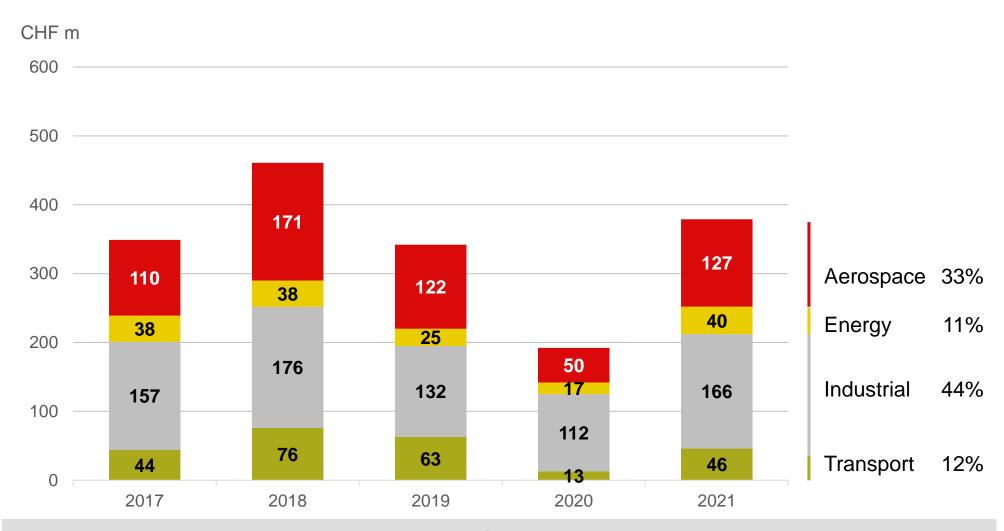
#### Order intake by order size: Plus in all categories, primarily large orders



- Large oders back in line with previous years (Ø 2017-2021): CHF 75 million
- Small/medium orders and especially recurring service with lower volitity = higher stability



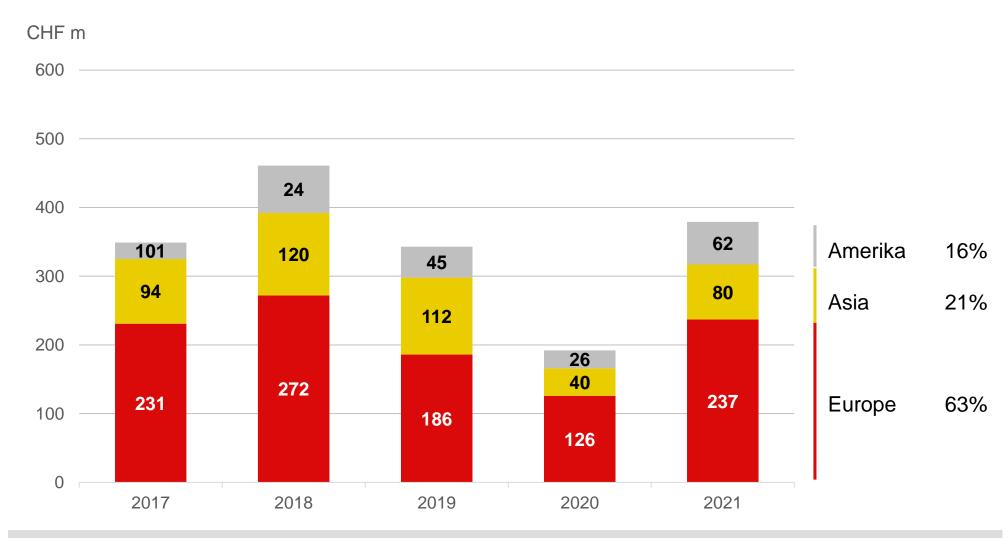
## Order intake by sector: increase throughout



- Aerospace more than doubled thanks to space business
- Industrial plus 44%



## Order Intake by region: Europe with biggest plus



Largest increase in Europe, followed by Asia and Amerika



## Market trends by industry

#### Key markets Aerospace and Industrial with long-term positive perspective



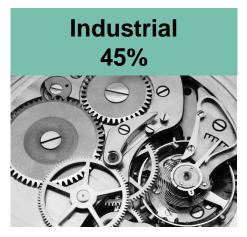
- Catch-up effect after temporary slump due to pandamic
- Increasing technical requirements (size, complexity, precision, alloys)
- China with high investment activity for own production of aircraft engines



- Sustainable investment in wind farms for the next few years generates longer-term demand
- Western power plant manufacturers with selective investments
- Oil & Gas: Gas with some growth



- Agriculture: Positive outlook continues
- Construction equipment: differentiated development
- On-road-verhicles:
   Transformation to e-mobity;
   new potentials through new
   frame structure components
- Trucks and off-highway vehicles : driven by emission regulations



- Good demand from mechanical engineering
- Share of and demand for automated solutions continues to grow
- Jewellery and watch market develops favourably
- MedTech (implants) somewhat weakened by pandemic, but rapid recovery expected

Percentage: average order intake 2019-2021

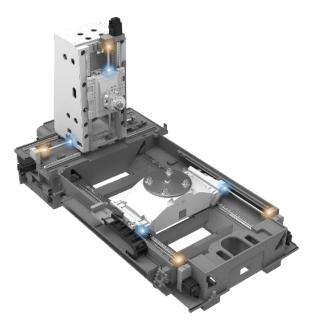


#### Faster health check for the BAZ

#### The new online Fingerprint offers a fast, qualified machine analysis

#### Customer benefits

- Save on maintenance and resource costs
  - Plan repairs according to the degree of wear
  - Reschedule personnel during repair times
- Prevent unplanned machine failures due to wear and tear
- Increase machine availability
- Reduce workpiece costs



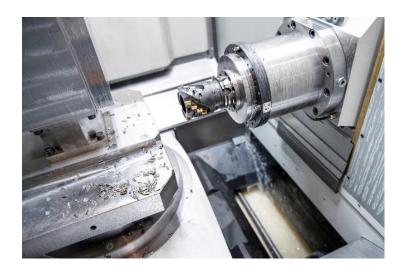


#### Virtual World Premiere from Chemnitz

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#### Customer benefits

- Low costs per part due to maximum productivity
- ✓ Highly dynamic solution for heavy machining up to 1.5 tonnes on 24 m²
- Thanks to reduced downtime it works faster and is more energy-efficient





## Virtual showroom Starrag Vuadens

#### Virtual tour through the entire Bumotec and SIP machine portfolio

#### Customer benefits

- Optimised machining solutions for the sectors of Luxury Goods, Med Tech and Micromechanics
- 32 different demo applications available







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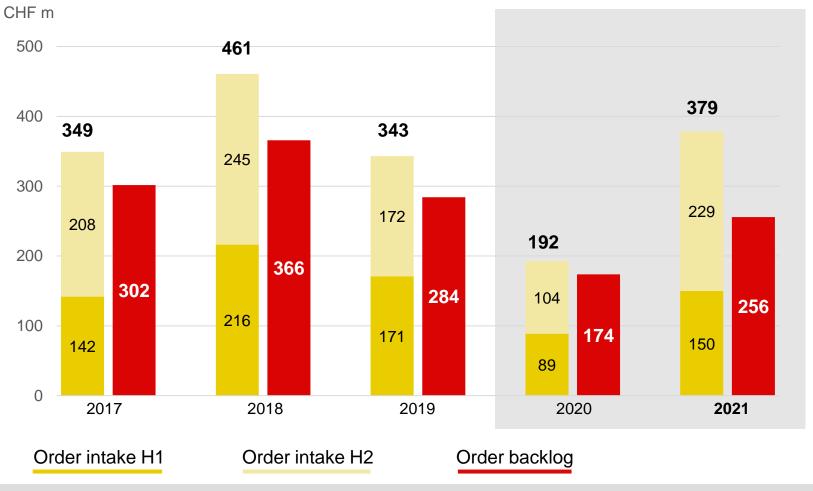
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## Order backlog ensures capacity utilisation



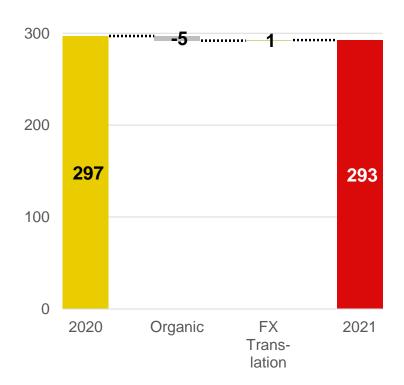
- Order intake 2021: +97% (fx adjusted +96%)
- Order backlog: +47% (fx adjusted +49%) → basic capacity utilisation secured in 2022



## Sales development

#### Sales -2%, fx adjusted -2%

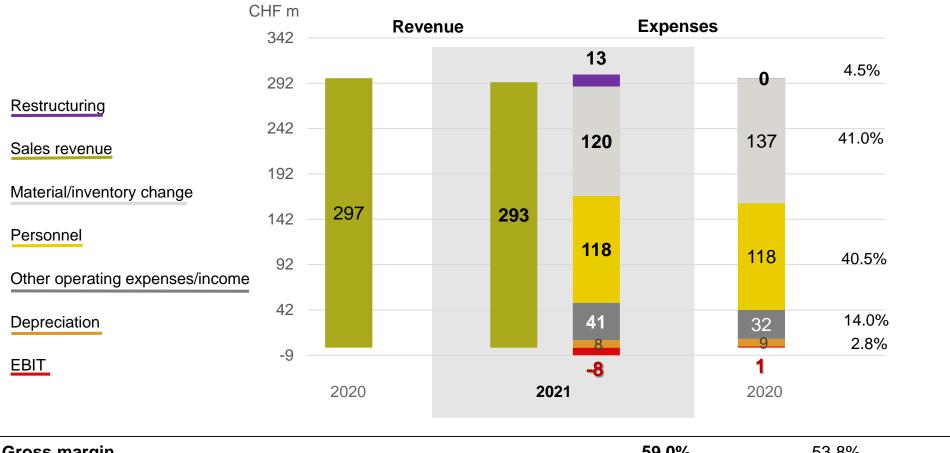




Low effect from currency fluctuations

**E**uro (2021: 1.0935, 2019: 1.0813)

## Income statement: relief through savings programmes



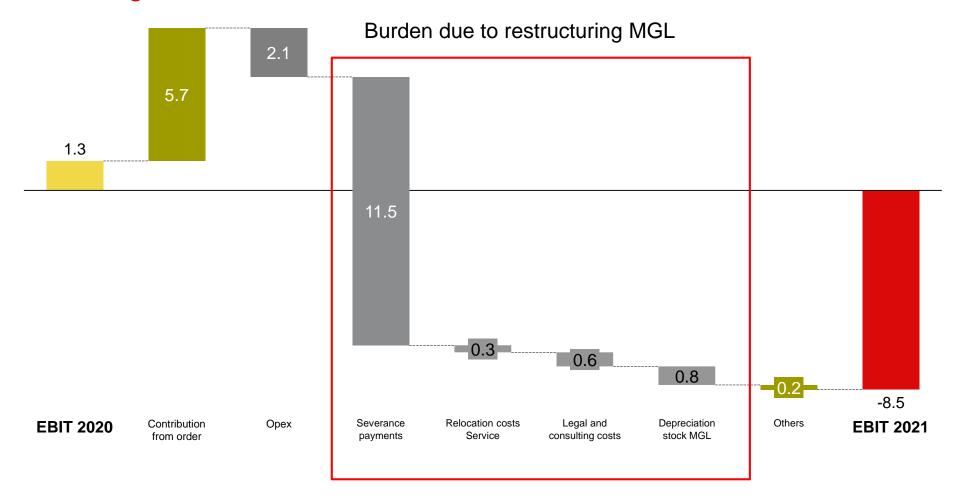
 Gross margin
 59.0%
 53.8%

 EBIT margin
 -2.9%
 0.4%

Small savings form short-time work in the first half of the year.



## EBIT bridge



 Restructuring costs burden EBIT in 2021 with 13.3 million CHF. Before restructuring, EBIT is on an upward trend at 4.8 million CHF and 1.6 sales percentage points.



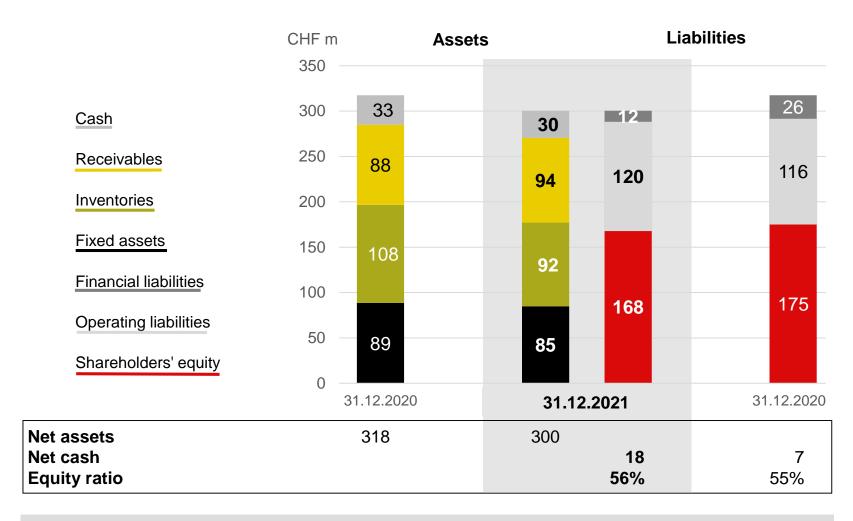
## 2021 burdened by restructuring

CHF m	2021	2020	Change
Operating result EBIT	-8.5	1.3	-9.8
Interest expenses, net	-0.5	-0.3	-0.2
FX result, net	1.3	-0.6	1.9
Other financial result	-0.9	-0.8	-0.1
Total financial result, net	-0.1	-1.7	1.6
Income before taxes	-8.6	-0.5	-8.1
Income tax expenses	3.2	-0.2	3.4
Net income	-5.4	-0.6	-4.8
Earnings per share in CHF	-1.61	-0.19	-1.42

- EBIT influenced by restructuring cost of CHF 13.3 million
- Average interest rate 0.8% (2020: 0.8%)
- Capitalised loss carry forwards in German companies reduce income taxes



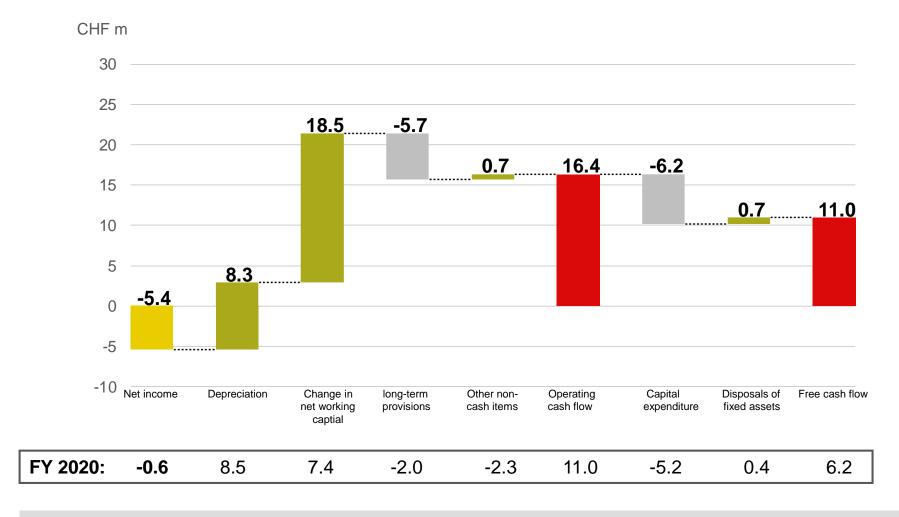
## Bilance sheet: Strong financial base



- Solid equity ratio of 56%; positive net liquidity of CHF 18 million
- Reduction in balance sheet total due to lower capital commitment



#### Intact free cash flow 2021



- Solid cash flow from operating activities due to lower costs for net operating assets
- Restrained investment activity



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## Goals of "Programm 2021" achieved

2021

**2020** 

2019

Review and consolidation Accelerate change Stable profitability

- Evaluate synergy potential in Starrag Group
- Optimize processes and project management
- Streamline organizational setup
- Sharpen product portfolio
- Improve value-based selling

Value added co-operation in Group

Renewed product portfolio

- Gain profitability

- Implement cost savings
- Exploit defined markets with application focused solutions
- Reduce risks in new orders
- Reduce delivery times
- R&D focus on flexible modules and customized options

Readiness for growth Reduced break-even New orders with benchmark profitability

- Increase operational margin
- Growth in the strategic markets
- Increase competitiveness with new products and systems
- Increase flexibility to cope with fluctuating demands



## Mid-term financial targets unchanged

Growth rate plus 5% p.a.

**▼** Profitability 8% EBIT margin

✓ Dividend ratio
35-50% of net profit

In local currencies and as average over the business cycle.



## Continuation of the strategy implementation

- Focus on the most attractive market/product segments and regions to better exploit the Group-wid growth and profit potential
- ▼ Differentiation through application competence, technology, service competence and premium market presence
- Better scaling of the existing product portfolio and competencies worldwide
- Increased focus on operational excellence across the entire value chain



#### Economic outlook 2028

- Prospects fundamentally confident
  - VDW expects double-digit growth in order intake
- External risks
  - Impaired by pandemic events
  - Geopolitical disortions
- Expectations for customer industries
  - Aerospace Stronger recovery of the aviation sector
  - ✓ Industrial
    Positiv signals already in 2021, especially in the Luxury Goods segment
  - Energy Behaviour optimistic after order increase in 2021
  - Transportation
    Further improvement expected
- Expectations by regions
  - ✓ North America
    With some potential, depending on the course of the central bank FED
  - Europe
    Furher recovery expected after pandemic-ridden previous year
  - ✓ Asia
    Still market region with the most attractive growth prospects



#### Guidance 2022

#### **Order intake**

■ Below 2021 (CHF 379 million)

#### Sales revenue

▼ Significantly above 2021 (CHF 293 million)

#### **EBIT**

■ Significantly above 2021 (CHF 4.8 million before restructuring costs)

#### Prerequisites:

Financial year 2022 not affacted by pandamic events or any geopolitical distortions!

in local currencies



#### Summery

#### Setbacks 2021

- Order intake and operating income significantly above previous year
- Earnings impacted by Mönchengladbach restructuring expenses reconciliation of interests concluded with works council
- "Programme 2021" for internal strengthening of the Group practically completed
- Permanently lower operating cost base achieved
- Crisi-proof despite double challenge of pandemic / internal restructuring

#### Outlook 2022

- Strategy implementation continues unchanged
  - Focus on high-growth and high-profit market segments
- Significantly higher operating result
  - Further convergence towards medium-term earnings targets



#### Corporate calendar and Contact details

**■** 23.04.2022 Annual General Meeting

**Z8.07.2022** Half-year report 2022

**27.01.2023** Sales and orders 2022

▼ 10.03.2023 Presentation of 2022 results for analysts and media

**▼**21.04.2023 Annual General Meeting

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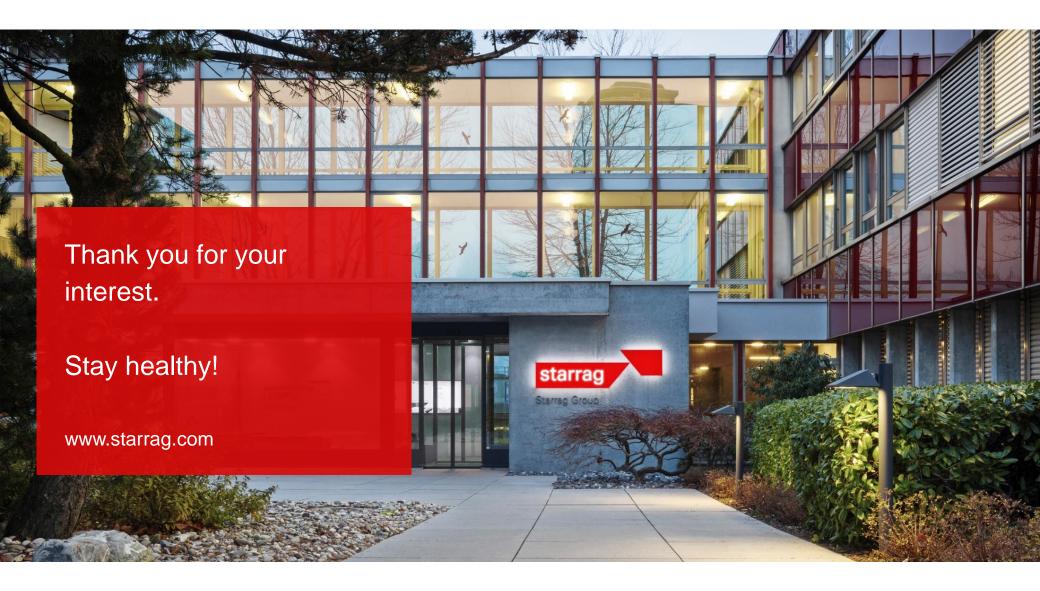
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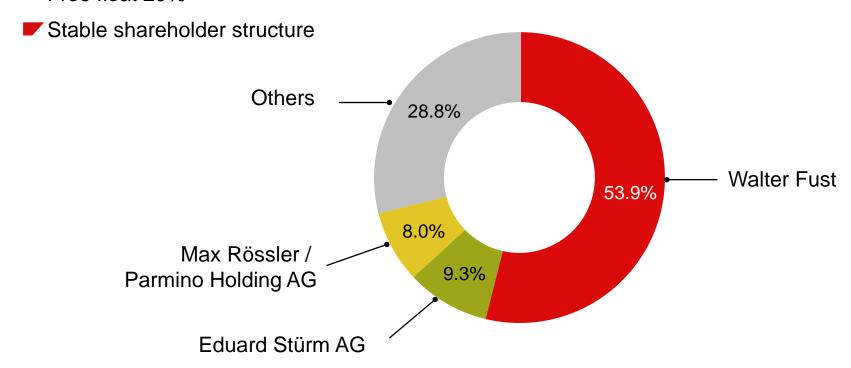






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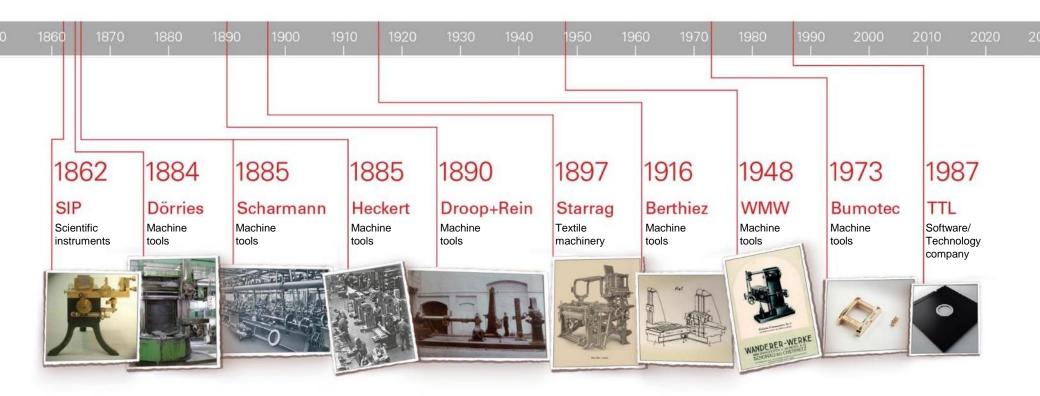
- Market capitalization CHF 157 million
- Listed at SIX Swiss Exchange Main Standard
- ▼ Ticker: STGN, Valor number 236'106, ISIN CH00023610608
- ✓ 3'360'000 registered shares, nominal value of CHF 8.50 each
- Free float 29%





## 150 years tradition in innovation

#### Key milestones for Starrag Group to become and remain a reliable long-term partner





## At your service





#### **Group Management**



**Dr. Christian Walti, CEO** (1967, Swiss)

- Since 01.06.2018: CEO and Head of Regional Sales
- 2012 2018 Head of Bosch Packaging Systems, Beringen, Switzerland
- 2005 2011 Delegate of the Board of Directors and CEO of Faes AG, Wollerau, Switzerland
- 2003 2004 Founding partner and shareholder of Stratocon AG, Baar, Switzerland
- 1999 2003 management functions at ABB Schweiz AG, Baden, Switzerland
- 1998 1999 Consultant at Capgemini Consulting AG, Zollikon, Switzerland
- PhD at University of St. Gallen, Switzerland
- Post graduate studies in Business Administration at University of St. Gallen, Switzerland



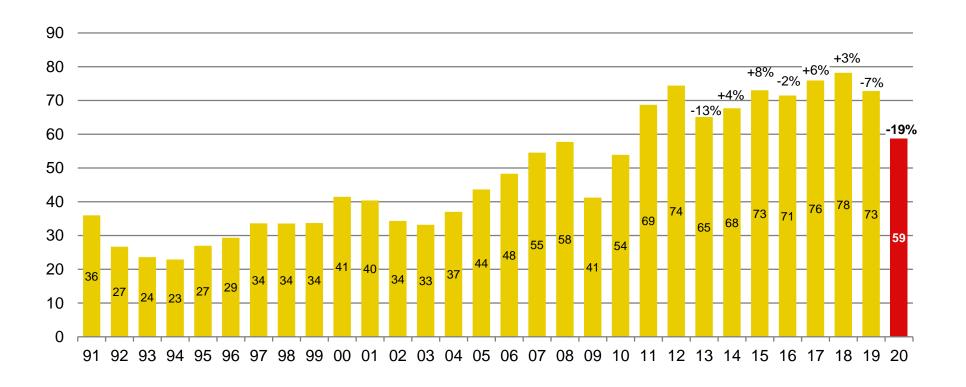
Thomas Erne, CFO (1973, Swiss and German)

- Since 01.09.2020 CFO and Head of Corporate Center
- 2015 2020 CFO Europe at DMG Mori
- 2007 2015 Regional Finance Director at Zimmer Biomed
- 2006 2007 Senior Controller at Swissport
- 2004 2006 market development of the American business in finance at Atlanta Pharma AG
- 2002 2004 Trainee Program finance at Atlanta Pharma AG
- Degree in business administration from the University of Konstanz/DE



## World production machine tools 1991 - 2020

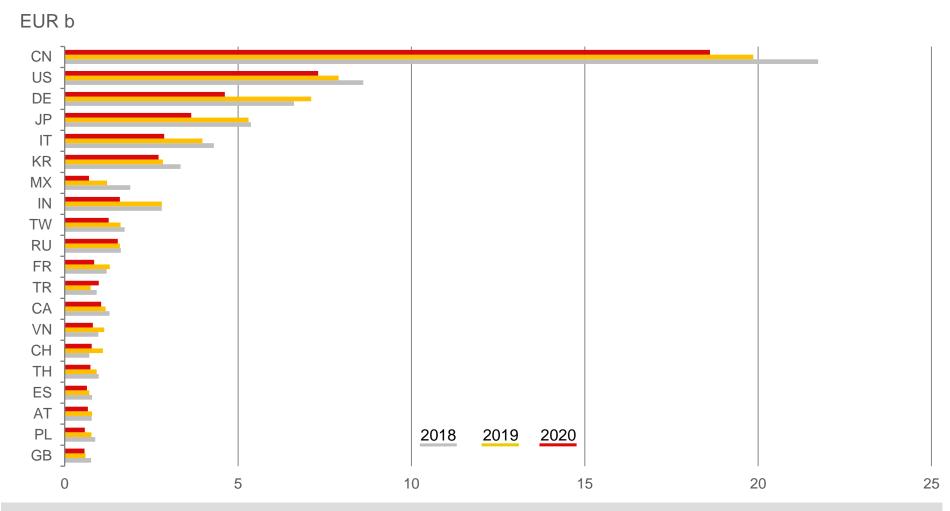
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Note: Without Parts/accessories; Source: VDW World Machine Tool Statistics 2020, up-dated 01.10.2021



## World production machine tools 2018 - 2020: Top 20 countries



■ Top 20 consume 92% of the total EUR 57 billion machine tool market.

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