# Update Call Q3/9M 2022/23

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#### HORNBACH Group: Financial Update 9M 2022/23



#### Revised outlook as of June 13, 2022

## Continued high demand – guidance reconfirmed

#### Overall demand for construction and DIY products remained steady

- Net sales ahead of previous year's record level
  - Q3 2022/23 net sales +10.4% to € 1,546m
  - 9M 2022/23 net sales +6.7% to € 5,010m
- Online sales share (HORNBACH Baumarkt) at 14.5% in 9M 2022/23 significantly ahead of pre-Covid levels

#### Earnings well ahead of pre-Covid levels

- 9M 2022/23 adj. EBIT at € 326.3m: 1-year change: (17.0%) / 3-year change: +35.8%
- Gross margin at 33.3% from 35.1% in 9M 2021/22 reflecting challenging macro environment

#### Outlook for FY 2022/23 reconfirmed<sup>1)</sup>

- Sales slightly above previous year
- Low double-digit percentage decline in adjusted EBIT due to inflationary and cost pressures



## **HORNBACH** expansion on track – focus on employees

#### Expansion continued according to plan in 9M 2022/23

- HORNBACH Baumarkt opened new stores in Nitra (Slovakia), Enschede (Netherlands), Constanta (Romania)
- HORNBACH Baustoff Union took over 2 builders merchant outlets in Saarbrücken (Germany) and Saarlouis (Germany)
- BODENHAUS direct delivery started in September 2022 (Germany)



HORNBACH Constanta (Romania)

#### Focus on employees

- Reconciling work and private life:
  - Germany: Launch of flexible working hours (>11,000 employees)
  - Switzerland: Introduction of the 39-hour-week, extended parental leave, more flexible breaks
- Take a stake in the success: New employee share program on Group level
- Inflation bonus in Germany, Netherlands, Czech Republic, Slovakia, Romania



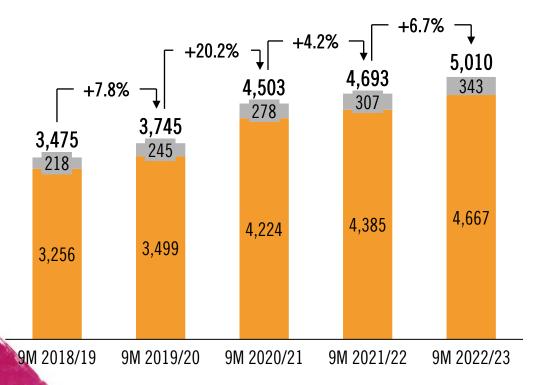


## Net sales in Q3 2022/23 significantly ahead of previous year's record level

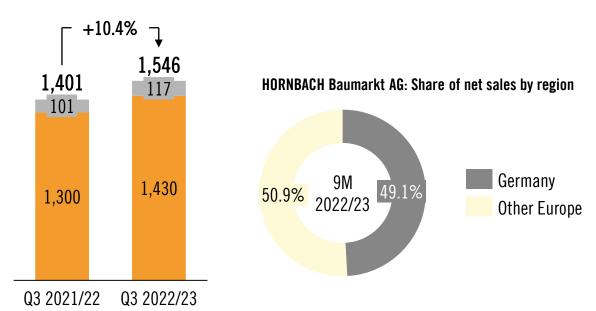
**Net sales** (9M: Mar 1 - Nov 30 / Q3: Sep 1 - Nov 30)

HORNBACH Baustoff Union

HORNBACH Baumarkt AG



- Continued sales growth from good like-for-like performance and expansion
- Net sales HORNBACH Baumarkt subgroup +6.4%
  - Germany: +3.3% / Other Europe: +9.6%
  - International share increased to 50.9%
- Net sales HORNBACH Baustoff subgroup +11.7%



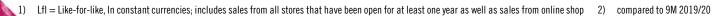


## Strong like-for-like growth in Q3 2022/23

- Acceleration of LFL performance in Q3 2022/23 driven by robust demand amid inflation
- Strong LFL trend continued into Q4 in December
- LFL sales significantly ahead of prepandemic performance: 3-year LFL<sup>2)</sup> +29.5%

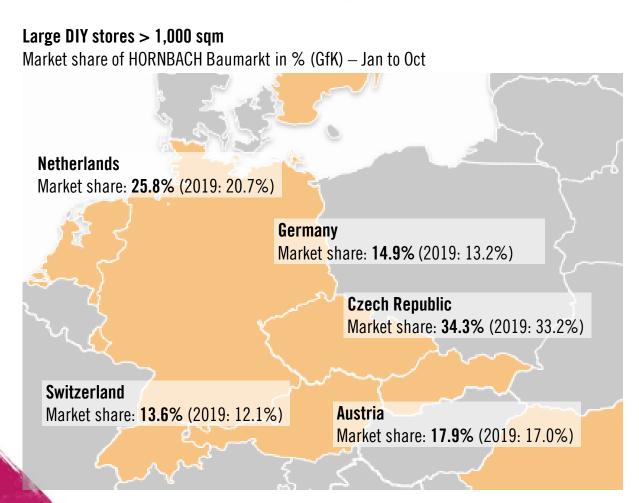
#### Like-for-like sales growth<sup>1)</sup> per quarter and 9 months in %

	Q1 2022/23	Q2 2022/23	Q3 2022/23	9M 2022/23	3-year LFL <sup>2)</sup>
Total	5.3	(1.7)	7.2	3.4	29.5
Germany	4.4	(2.9)	7.8	2.9	27.8
Other Europe	6.2	(0.6)	6.7	4.0	31.3
Austria	(2.5)	(0.8)	11.3	1.9	24.5
Czech Republic	18.0	(1.2)	3.6	6.7	20.3
Luxembourg	(7.3)	(2.6)	6.4	(1.9)	47.1
Netherlands	22.5	0.3	11.4	10.9	37.4
Romania	14.1	5.8	10.1	9.9	57.4
Slovakia	16.0	1.2	8.9	8.6	39.3
Sweden	(3.6)	(3.7)	(4.0)	(3.7)	44.3
Switzerland	(12.2)	(3.6)	(0.4)	(6.2)	15.5





## HORNBACH Baumarkt: Strong market share in DIY retailing across Europe



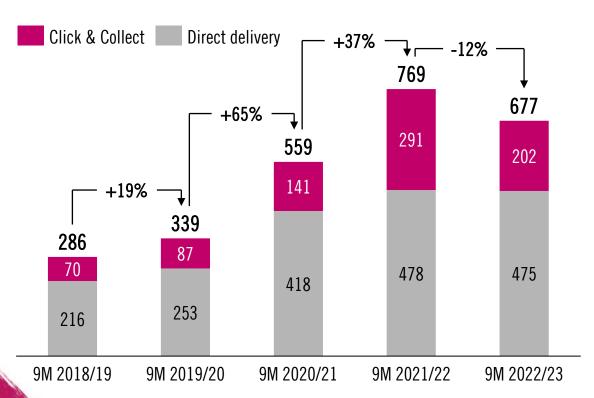
- Market share in **Germany** increased from 13.2% in 2019 to 14.9% in 2022 on the back of a successful Interconnected Retail execution during the Covid period.
- Strong market share development in the Netherlands driven by like-for-like sales growth as well as expansion (+3 stores)
- Switzerland added 1 new store
- Czech Republic and Austria increased market share without adding new stores.

 $Source: GfK\ DIY-TSR, no\ data\ for\ Luxembourg,\ Romania,\ Slovakia,\ Sweden$ 



## **E-commerce significantly ahead of pre-pandemic levels**





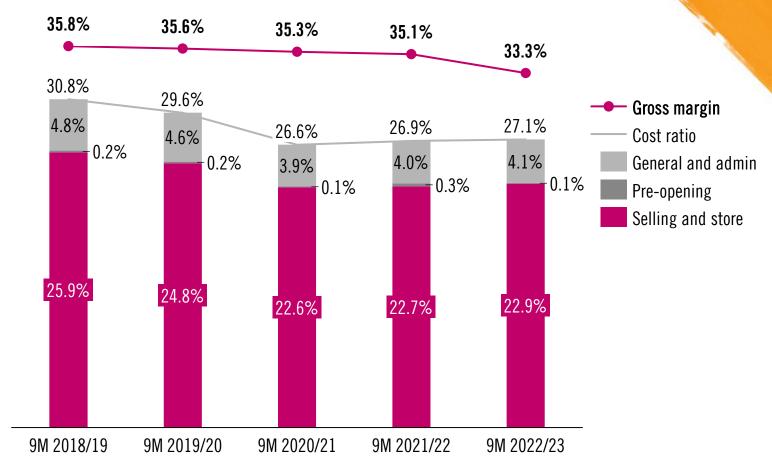
In % of HORNBACH Baumarkt subgroup net sales

- E-commerce share of HORNBACH **Baumarkt sales** (incl. Click & Collect) at 14.5% in 9M 2022/23 significantly above pre-Covid levels
- 9M 2022/23 e-commerce sales minus 12% to € 677m with direct delivery on previous year's level
- **Q3 2022/23 e-commerce sales** plus 12% to € 196m



## **Gross margin reflects risen purchase prices and transportation costs**

- Gross margin impacted by challenging market environment with higher purchasing and transportation costs
- Selling and store expenses in % of sales slightly increase due to higher personnel and energy costs
- General and administration expenses slightly higher specifically due to investments in IT headcount and inflation





## **Adjusted EBIT remains ahead of pre-Covid levels**

- Solid Group profitability despite higher purchasing and shipping costs
- Adjusted EBIT on Group level down 17.0% in 9M 2022/23 vs. previous year; however up 35.8% compared to 2019/20
- Adjusted EBIT margin at 6.5% above prepandemic levels

#### Adjusted EBIT and adjusted EBIT margin 9M:

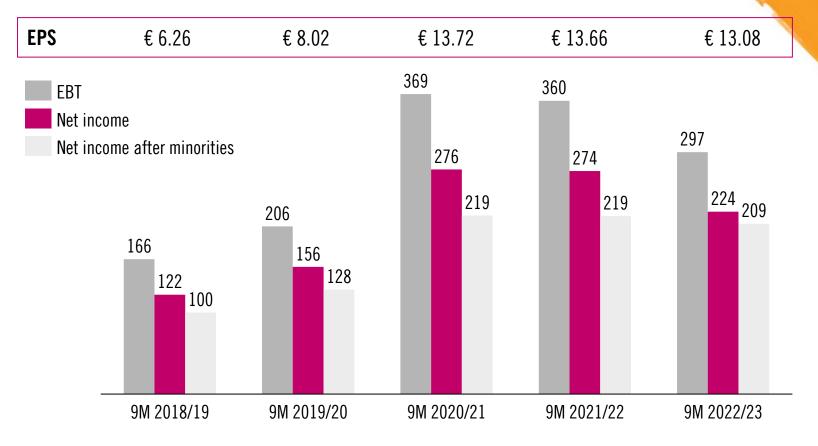
5.2%	6.4%	8.9%	8.4%	6.5%
180.6	240.2	401.5	393.1	326.3
		66.9	55.9	
	41.8	161.9	168.1	48.9 129.1
19.7 81.9	101.5	172.8	169.1	148.3
78.9 -45.7	-13.2	-75.2	-30.5	
2018/19	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23

<sup>1)</sup> adjusted to exclude non-operating earnings items, e.g. impairment losses on assets, income from disposals of properties, income from write-ups of assets impaired in previous years



## Further key earnings figures significantly above pre-Covid levels

- Earnings before taxes decreased by 17.5% to € 297.2m
- **Tax rate** at 24.6% in 9M 2022/23 (9M 2021/22: 23.9%)
- Net income after minorities decreased by 4.3% to € 209.1m
- EPS at € 13.08 reflects higher share in HORNBACH Baumarkt AG

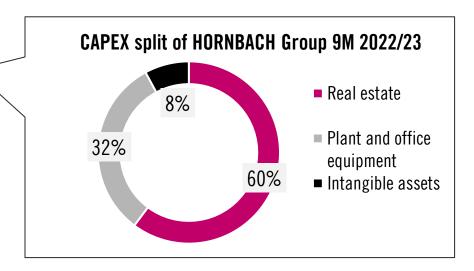




## Funds from operations remain on a high level

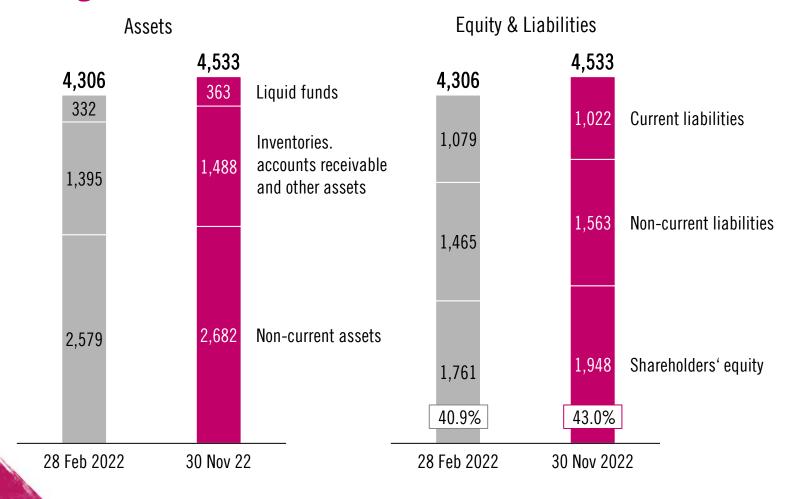
	9M 2019/20	9M 2020/21	9M 2021/22	9M 2022/23
Cash flow from operating activities	346.9	583.0	407.3	278.6
of which: funds from operations	298.9	413.1	424.6	389.7
of which: change in working capital	48.0	169.9	(17.3)	(111.1)
Cash flow from investing activities	(342.6)	(103.3)	(225.7)	(154.3)
of which: gross CAPEX	(104.1)	(107.7)	(138.3)	(158.6)
Cash flow from financing activities	143.1	(103.2)	(171.3)	(106.3)
Cash-effective change in cash and cash equivalents	147.4	376.5	10.4	18.0
Free cash flow (after net CAPEX and dividend)	222.3	450.6	233.0	83.3

- Decline in operating cash flow mainly driven by working capital
- Funds from operations remain significantly above pre-Covid levels (+€ 89m vs. 2019/20)





#### **Strong balance sheet structure**



- Additions to property, plant and equipment and right-of-use assets of € 91m
- Increase in **inventories** by € 55m due to higher in-stock position and inflation
- Increase in liquid funds by € 31m
- **Equity ratio increased** to 43.0%



#### **Guidance and store openings**

#### Outlook for FY 2022/23 confirmed<sup>1)</sup>

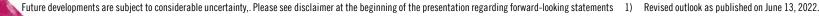
Net sales 2022/23	Slightly above 2021/22
Net sales 2021/22	€ 5,875m
Adjusted EBIT 2022/23	Below 2021/22 in a low double-digit percentage range
Adjusted EBIT 2021/22	€ 362.6m

#### **Additional items**

Slightly above the level of 2021/22 **CAPEX 2022/23** 

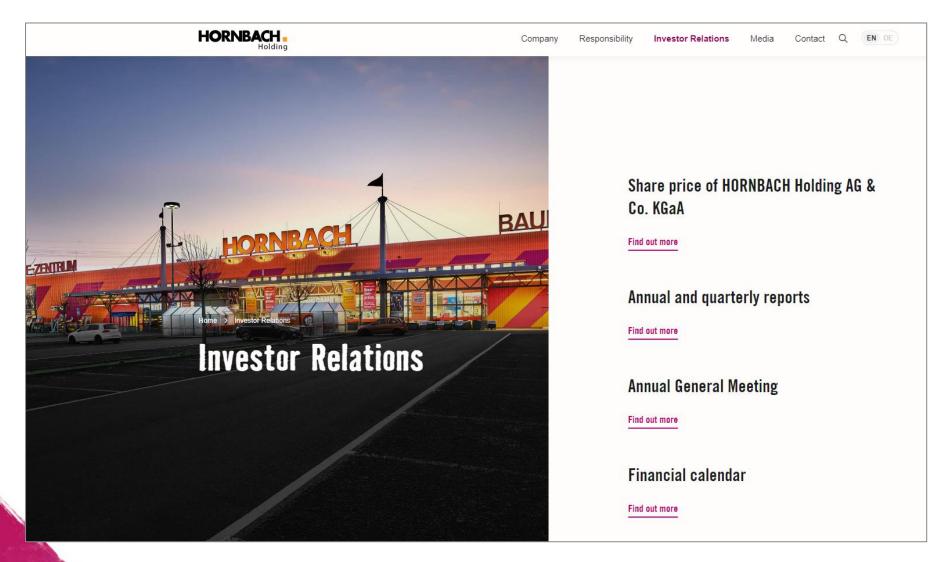
€ 178.6m CAPEX 2021/22







#### New HORNBACH Holding Website launched on December 8, 2022





## Upcoming events & contact

## **Financial Calendar**

January 5, 2023 ODDO BHF Forum 2023, Lyon

January 9-10, 2023 ODDO BHF / Commerzbank German Investment Seminar, New York

January 16, 2023 Kepler Cheuvreux / Unicredit German Corporate Conference, Frankfurt/Main

January 17, 2023 Roadshow Frankfurt/Main

February 8, 2023 Montega Hamburger Investorentag

March 23, 2023 Trading Statement as of February 28, 2023

May 16, 2023 Annual Report 2022/23 as of February 28, 2023

Quarterly Statement Q1 2023/24 as of May 31, 2023

Annual General Meeting HORNBACH Holding AG & Co. KGaA

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June 23, 2023

July 7, 2023

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#### Key figures: 10-year overview

In € million unless otherwise stated	2021/22	2020/21	2019/20	2018/19	2017/18	2016/17	2015/16	2014/15	2013/14	2012/13
Net sales	5,875	5,456	4,729	4,362	4,141	3,941	3,755	3,572	3,369	3,229
of which in Germany	3,149	2,985	2,536	2,376	2,312	2,262	2,223	2,172	2,035	1,949
of which in other European countries	2,726	2,471	2,193	1,986	1,829	1,679	1,533	1,400	1,334	1,280
Sales growth as % of net sales	7.7	15.4	8.4	5.3	5.1	4.9	5.1	6.0	4.3	0.8
Gross margin as % of net sales	35.0	35.2	35.8	36.0	36.6	36.6	37.0	37.3	36.6	36.5
EBITDA	565	516	420	235	263	254	231	243	236	221
as % of net sales	9.6	9.5	8.9	5.4	6.3	6.5	6.2	6.8	7.0	6.9
EBIT	355	312	214	121	161	157	138	165	160	146
as % of net sales	6.0	5.7	4.5	2.8	3.9	4.0	3.7	4.6	4.8	4.5
Adjusted EBIT 1)	363	326	227	135	166	160	151	167	164	146
as % of net sales	6.2	6.0	4.8	3.1	4.0	4.1	4.0	4.7	4.9	4.5
Earnings before taxes (EBT)	314	266	166	99	132	130	113	140	128	108
as % of net sales	5.3	4.9	3.5	2.3	3.2	3.3	3.0	3.9	3.8	3.3
Net income for the year before non-controlling interest	245	201	123	75	96	90	98	107	86	77
as % of net sales	4.2	3.7	2.6	1.7	2.3	2.3	2.6	3.0	2.6	2.4
Earnings per share	12.48	10.33	6.56	4.08	5.11	4.84	5.04	5.64	4.55	4.06
Employees - annual average - converted into full-time equivalents	19,961	18,720	17,935	17,053	16,223	15,751	15,283	14,663	14,064	13,289

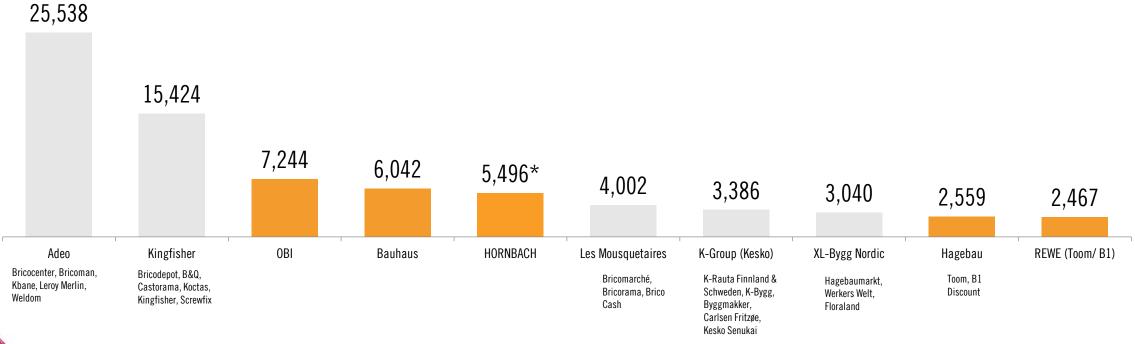
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#### HORNBACH Baumarkt: 5th largest DIY store operator in Europe

R0	R0	AT	AT LU	AT NL	SE	SF	AT	DE	
		CH	CH NL	CH RO		0L	DF	DL	
		CZ	CZ SE	CZ SE			LU		
		DE	DE SK	DE SK					
		SK		LU		Presence of com	npetitors in HORNB <i>l</i>	ACH business r	egions

Sales (net) in € m (2021)

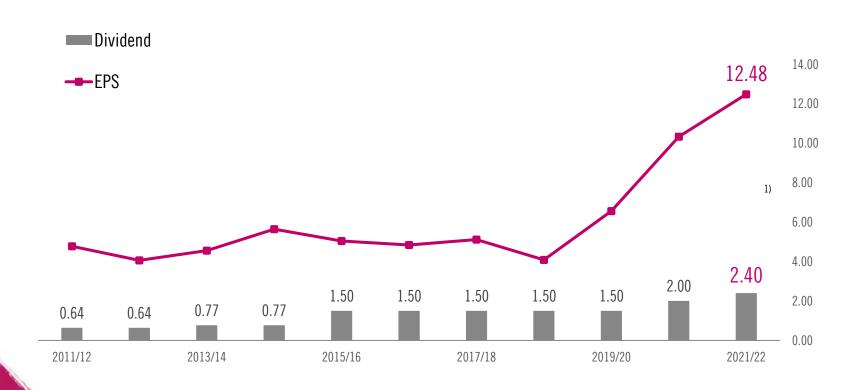


Source: Dähne Statistik Baumarkt + Garten 2022, HORNBACH, own research \*Net sales 2021/22 of HORNBACH Baumarkt



#### Dividend per share in € and EPS in €

## Higher dividend paid for financial year 2021/22



#### Total Shareholder Return 2021/22:

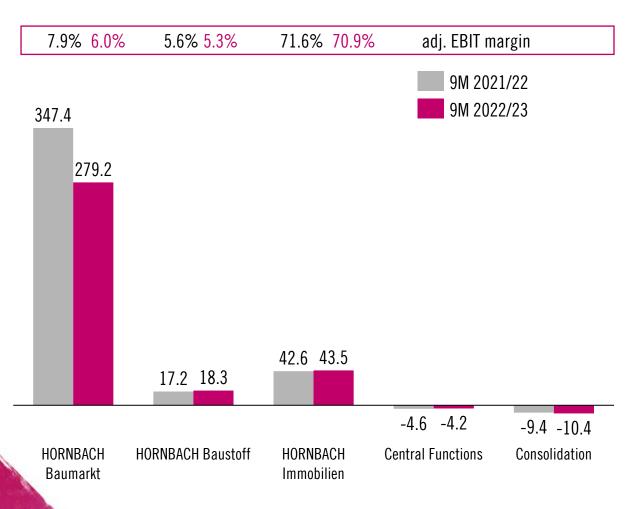
52.9%

#### **Dividend policy**

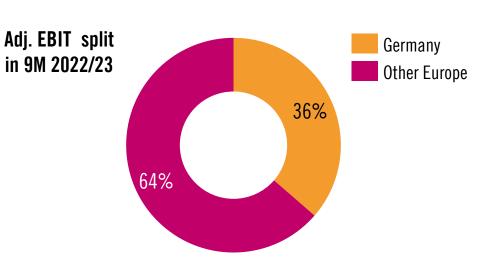
- Sustainable pay-outs:
   Continuous dividend payments
   since IPO
- Stable dividend: Pay-out at least at previous year's level
- Target: Average pay-out ratio of around 30% of consolidated net income (after minority interests)



## **Decline in adjusted EBIT from Baumarkt segment**

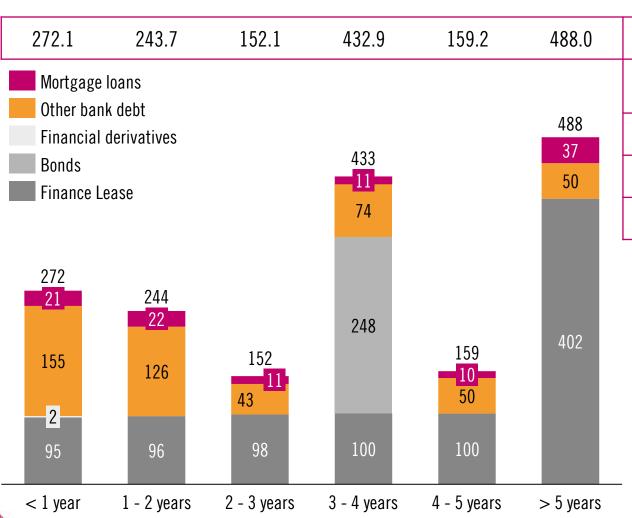


- Adjusted EBIT of HORNBACH Baumarkt down 19.6% vs. 9M 2021/22
- HORNBACH Baustoff above previous year's record level by +6.2%
- HORNBACH Immobilien with slight increase of 2.1%
- 64 % of adjusted EBIT from outside Germany





#### Financial debt maturity profile in € million as of November 30, 2022



Nov 30, 2022	Feb 28, 2022	
1,747.9	1,688.3	Total financial debt
363.3	332.3	Cash and cash equivalents
1,384.6	1,356.0	Net financial debt
509.7	564.9	EBITDA (LTM¹))
2.7	2.4	Net debt / EBITDA

- New syndicated loan agreement finalized in September
- **S&P BB+ Rating confirmed** in November with stable outlook

<sup>1)</sup> Last twelve months

#### Stationary store closures for private customers

Country	Overview of restrictions	No. of stores
Germany	1 Mar to 6 Jun 2021: Incidence-based closures for private customers of on average half of the store network — gardening section mostly open 22 Nov 2021 to 18 Feb 2022: Proof of vaccination or recovery required in some Federal States	98
Austria	31 Mar to 2 May 2021: Incidence-based closures for private customers of parts of store network (6 of 14 stores) 22 Nov to 12 Dec 2021: Closed for private customers 15 Nov 2021 to 11 Feb 2022: Proof of vaccination or recovery required	14
Czech Republic	1 Mar to 9 May 2021: Closed for private customers, gardening section open	10
Luxembourg	No restrictions	1
Netherlands	1 Mar to 27 Apr 2021: Closed for private customers 19 Dec 2021 to Jan 14 2022: Closed for private customers	15+1 (13 Oct 2021)
Romania	25 Oct 2021 to 28 Feb 2022: Proof of vaccination or recovery required	7+1 (14 Jul 2021)
Slovakia	1 Mar to 18 Apr 2021: Closed for private customers, gardening section open 25 Nov to 9 Dec 2021: Closed for private customers, gardening section open 10 Dec 2021 to 25 Feb 2022: Proof of vaccination or recovery required	4
Sweden	No restrictions	7+1 (29 Jun 2021)
Switzerland	No restrictions	7+1 (4 Nov 2021)
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