

Q1 Earnings Call

30 April 2025

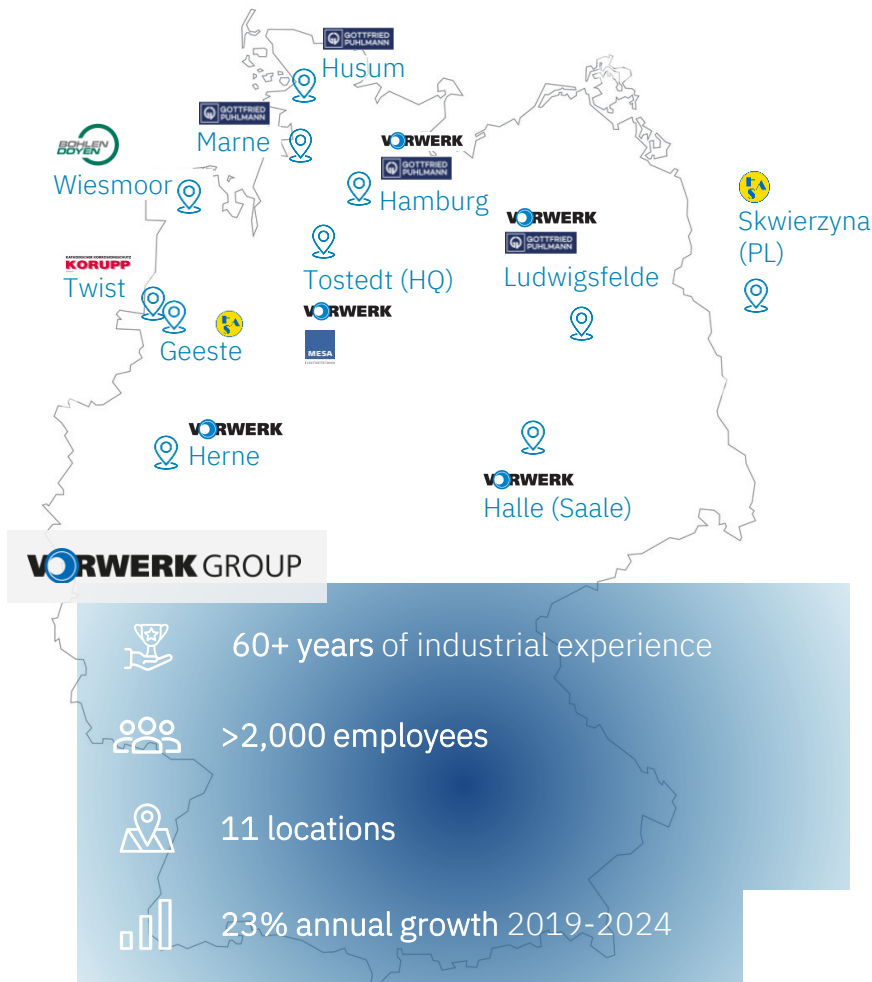
Driving the clean energy transition.



With 60 years of experience, VORWERK is realizing the energy infrastructure of the future

A strong group of companies...

... in highly attractive markets



Natural Gas



Electricity



Clean Hydrogen



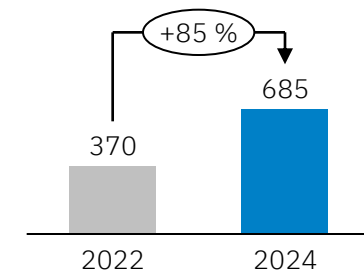
Adjacent Opportunities

... with decade-long customer relationships

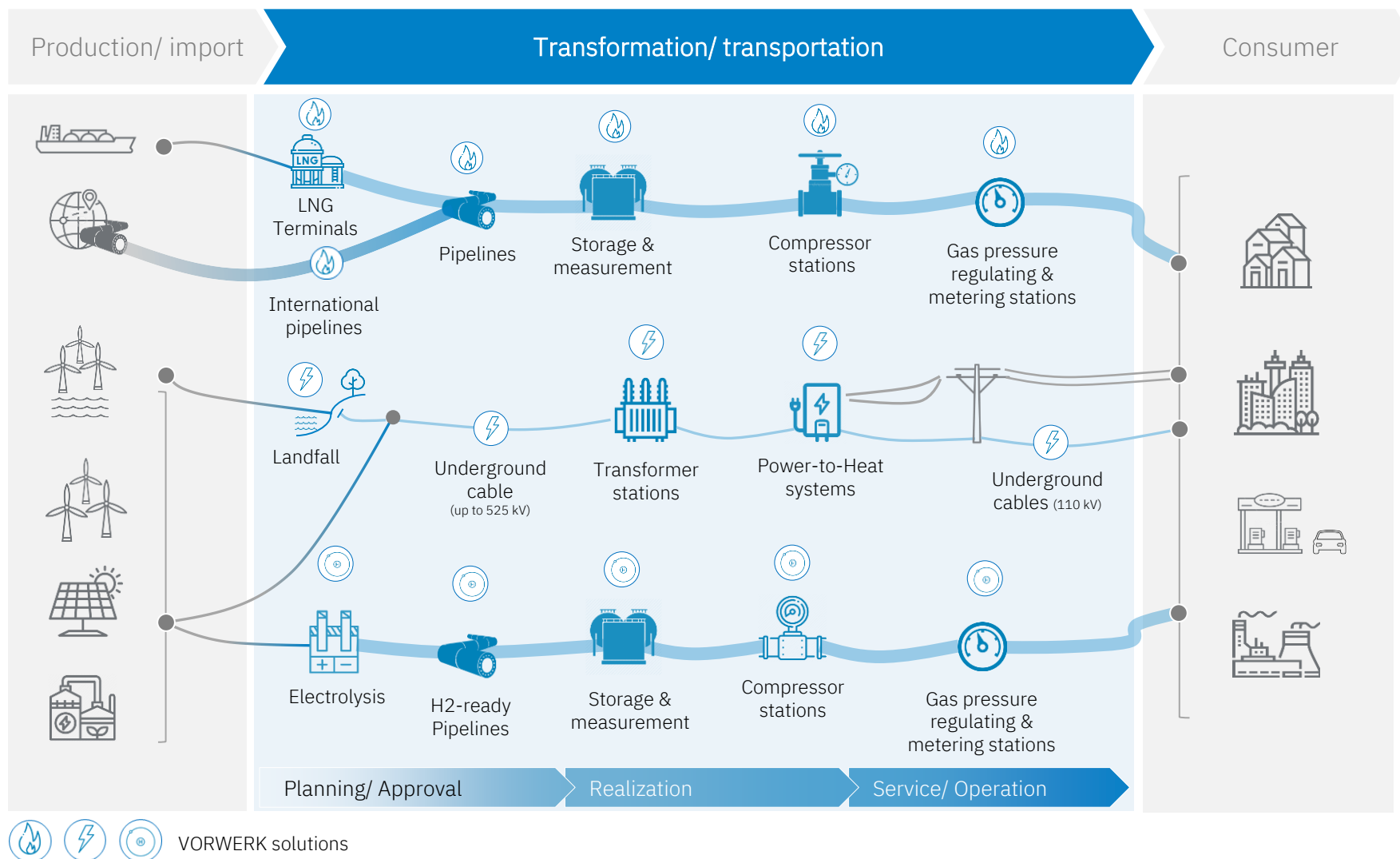


...as major driver of the clean energy transition

Order intake
in €m



VORWERK is critical in transforming and delivering energy from producers to consumers



Market update



By approving the hydrogen core network, the Federal Network Agency has kicked off the H2 ramp-up

Planned German **HYDROGEN CORE GRID (KERNNETZ)**

Berlin, 22. Oktober 2024.

Important milestone on the way to the **hydrogen core network**

Approval from the Federal Network Agency points the way
for the hydrogen ramp-up


Deutsche Energie-Agentur



9,040 km

Total approved grid length

44 %

New pipelines



56 %

Converted pipelines

18.9 bn €

Total approved **investment volume** to realize
planned German hydrogen core network

2024-2032

Planned time frame for realizing the core network with
the **first hydrogen flowing as early as 2025**

The transportation and storage of captured CO₂ requires a new pipeline network across Germany

Planned German CO₂ TRANSPORT NETWORK

Our CO₂ transportation grid starts

It consists of our projects WHV CO₂ Corridor, Delta Rhine Corridor, North Sea CO₂ Corridor, DK CO₂ Corridor and the Elbe estuary. The aim is to quickly develop the export options in Wilhelmshaven, Rotterdam, Ellund and Antwerp/Zeebrugge.



Up to 4,800 km

Total planned grid length

Up to 18.8 million t CO₂

Total planned transport capacity of the planned grid

100 %

New pipelines

>14 bn €

Total estimated investment volume to realize planned CO₂ starting network by 2035*



The overaged water infrastructure in Germany will require substantial investments in the next decades

Investments in the German **DRINKING AND WASTEWATER INFRASTRUCTURE**

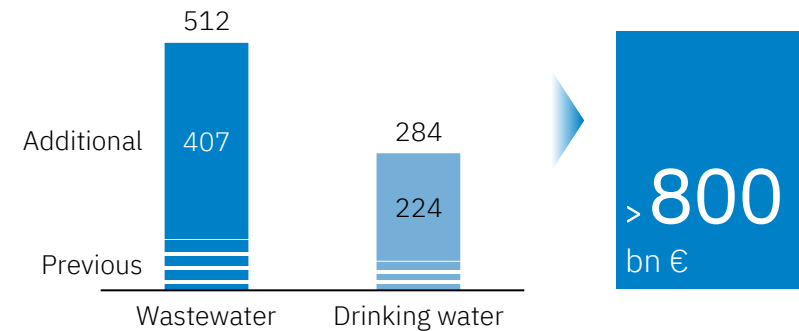
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Expert report: Three-digit billion investment needed for safe **water and wastewater infrastructure by 2045**

Over the next 20 years, the municipal water industry in Germany will have to invest 800 billion euros in order to keep the water supply and wastewater disposal running at the usual level of quality and safety.



Required total investment 2025-2044
€ billion



 **Over-aged** water infrastructure

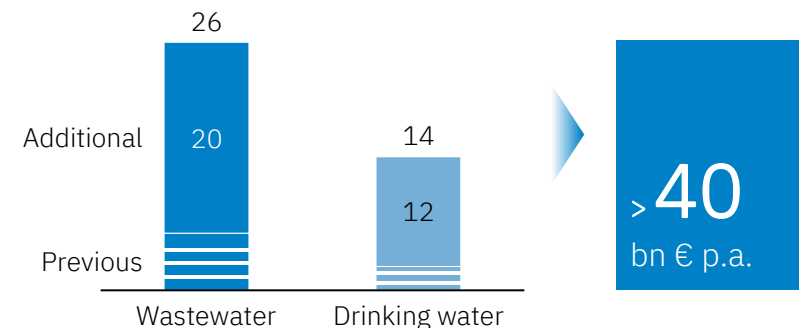


Impact from climate change
(e.g. drought and heavy rain events)



Ambitious climate goals: Climate neutrality by 2045

Required average annual total investment 2025-2044
€ billion



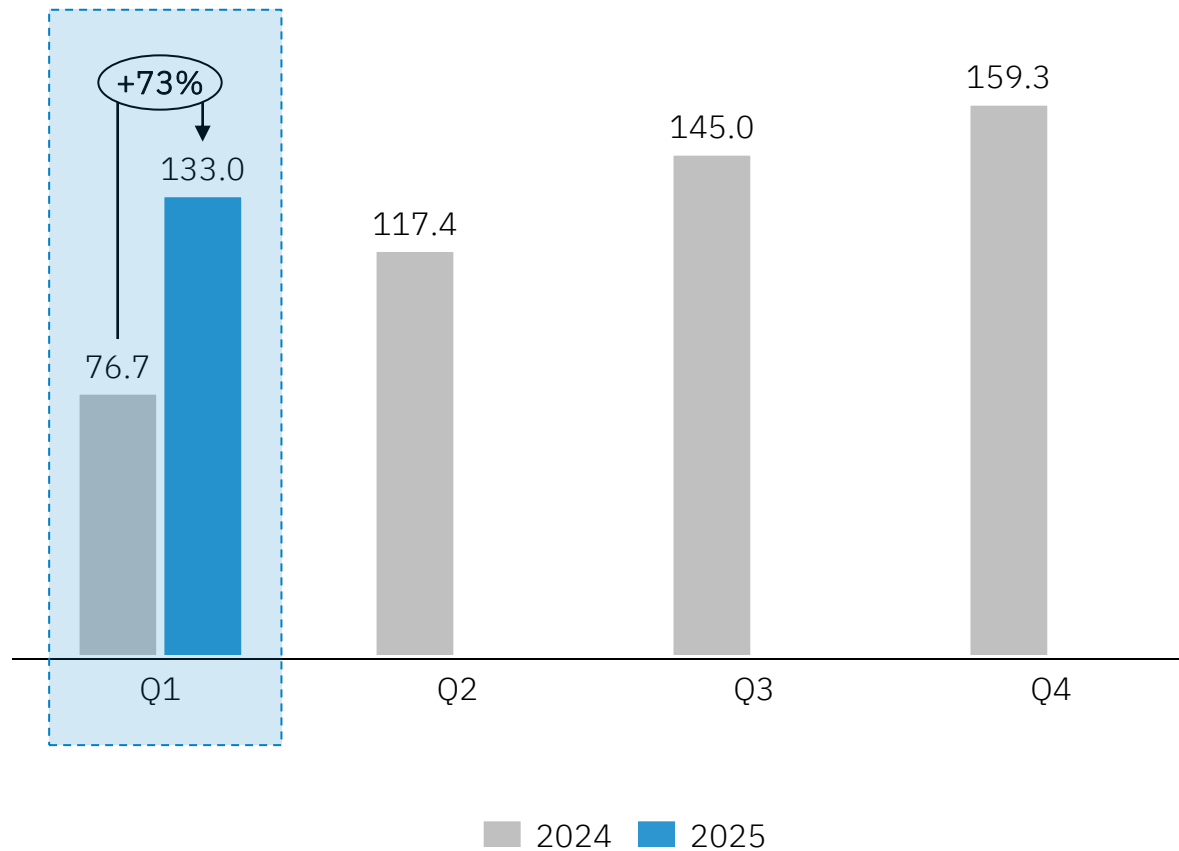
Financial performance Q1 2025





High order backlog and favorable weather again resulted in a significant revenue increase in Q1

Revenue
in €m



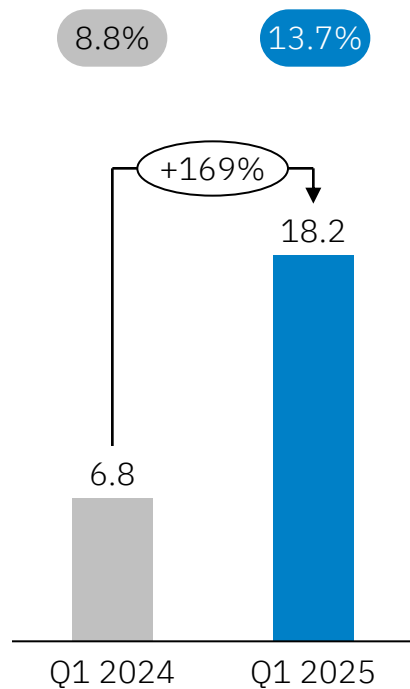
+ **73** %
revenue increase
y-o-y in Q1 2025



While EBITDA more than doubled, EBIT increased almost sevenfold in the first quarter

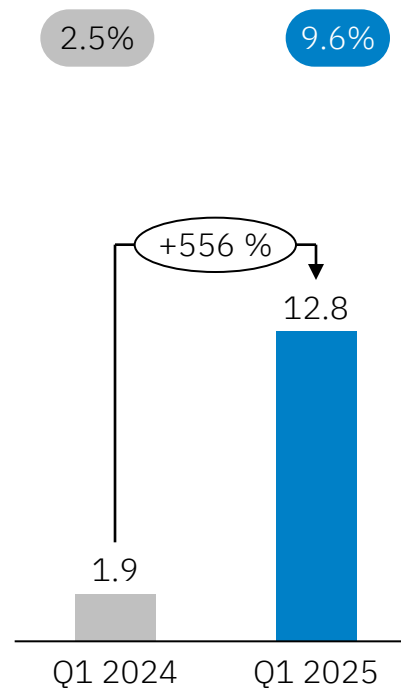
EBITDA

in €m, blue bubbles show EBITDA margin



EBIT (adj.)

in €m, blue bubbles show EBIT margin



13.7 %

EBITDA margin
in Q1 2025

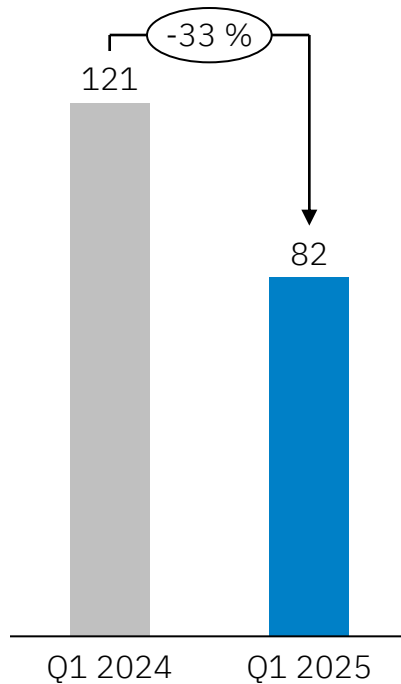
9.6 %

EBIT margin
in Q1 2025

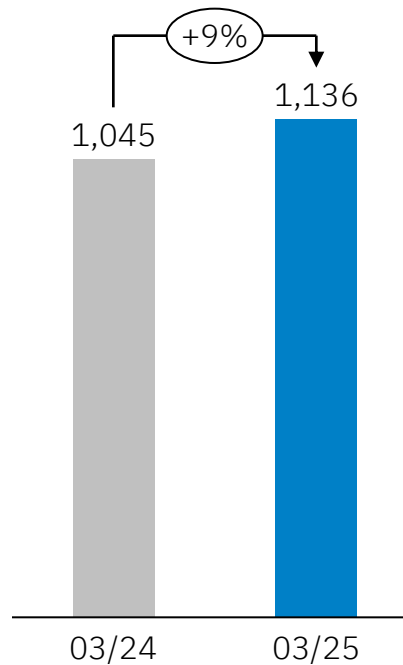


The 1.1 bn € order backlog forms a solid base for continued revenue and profitability growth

Order intake
in €m



Order backlog
in €m



82 €m

Order intake
Q1 2025

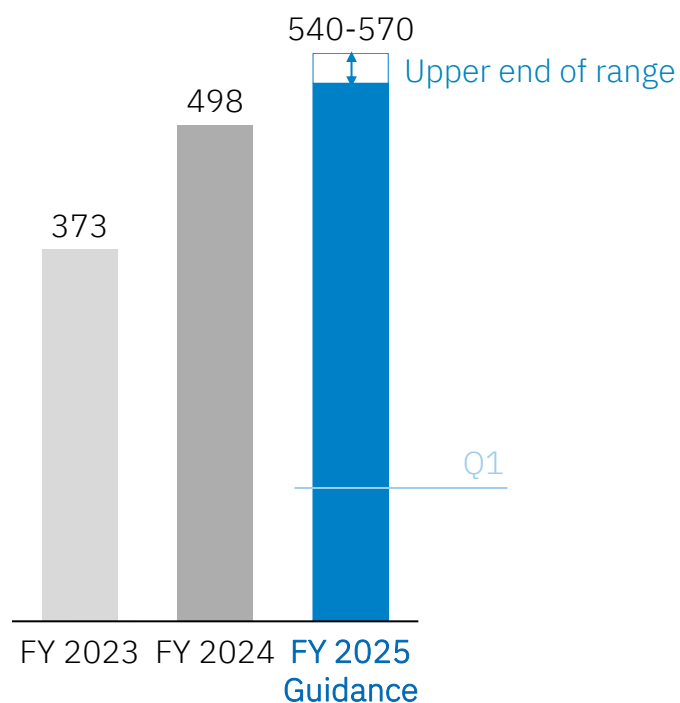
1.1 bn €

Order backlog
as per 31.03.25

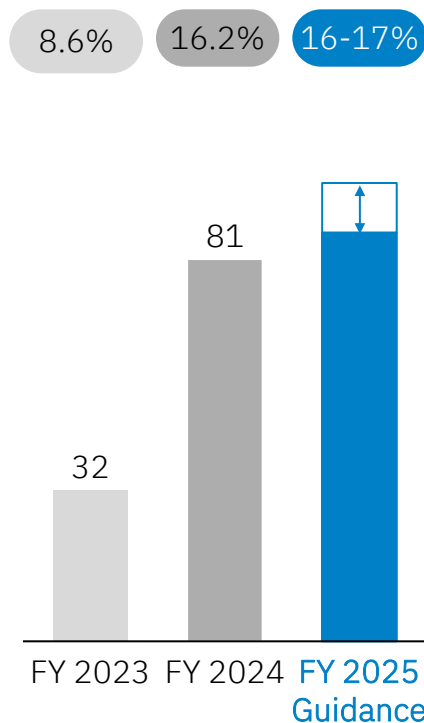


For 2025, we continue to expect our revenue growth at a slightly increasing margin

Revenue
in €m



EBITDA margin
in €m / in %



540-570

€ million
Revenue guidance
FY 2025

16-17 %

EBITDA margin
Profitability guidance
FY 2025

Business update





With the Achim West compressor station, VORWERK is contributing to a major plant construction project in northern Germany

gasunie Compressor station Achim West

Status



Project details



Compressor station Achim West (near Bremen)

New compressor station near existing stations Embesen and Achim to enhance transmission capacity of gas imported at LNG terminals in Stade and Brunsbüttel to East and West Germany



Vertical joint venture with multiple other contractors focussing on different scope of services respectively (civil, pipeline, building construction etc.)



VORWERK scope



VORWERK is part of sub-JV together with PPS/ Habau focussing on pipeline construction



Total project volume lies in the high two-digit million range – thereof 1/3 attributable to the JV around VORWERK



First preparatory works will start in second half of 2025 – commissioning of first compressor units is planned for 2026, final commissioning is envisaged for 2027



To-be-built pipeline ETL 182 will be connected to new compressor station at later stage

Many more large-scale grid projects are currently being tendered

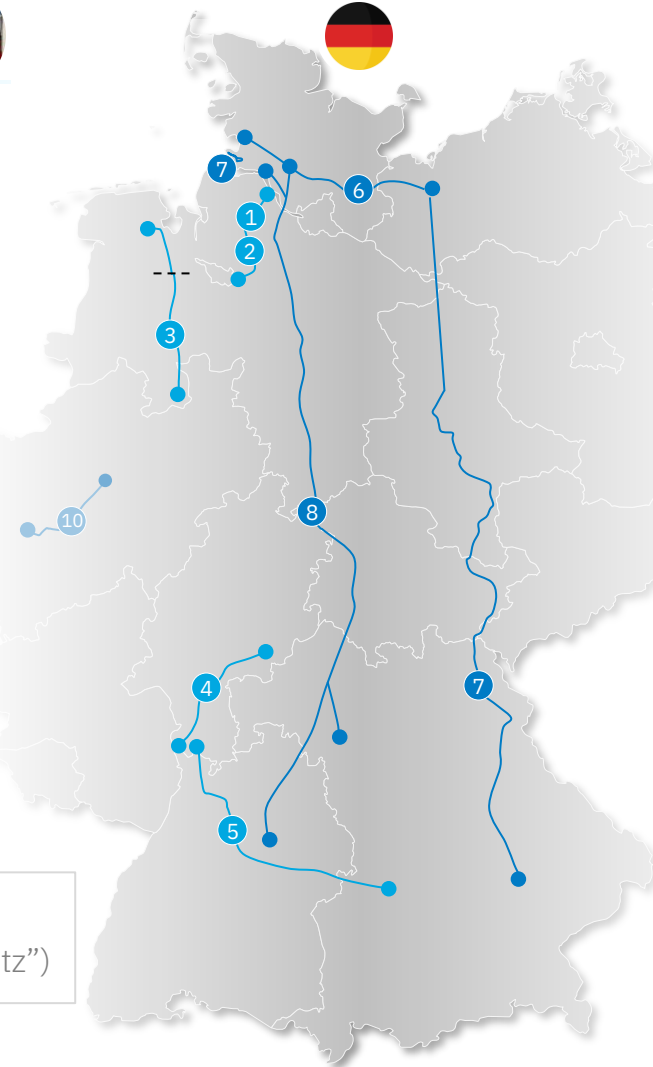
NATURAL GAS



- 1 ETL 182**
 ⚡ 86 km 📅 2027 gasunie
- 2 ETL 179.200**
 ⚡ 17 km 📅 2027 gasunie
- 3 WAD***
 ⚡ 90 km 📅 2026 OGE
- 4 Spessart-Odenwald-Leitung (SPO)***
 ⚡ 117 km 📅 2027 terranets bw
- 5 Sueddeutsche Erdgasleitung (SEL)***
 ⚡ 250 km 📅 2026 terranets bw



Multiple pipelines as part of the German hydrogen core grid ("Kernnetz")

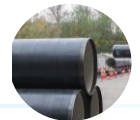


ELECTRICITY



- 6 NordOstLink**
 ⚡ 190 km 📅 2032 tennet 50hertz
- 7 SuedOstLink***
 ⚡ 758 km 📅 2030 tennet 50hertz
- 8 SuedLink***
 ⚡ 700 km 📅 2028 tennet TRANSNET BW
- 9 LanWin2**
 ⚡ 12 km 📅 2030 nexans

WATER

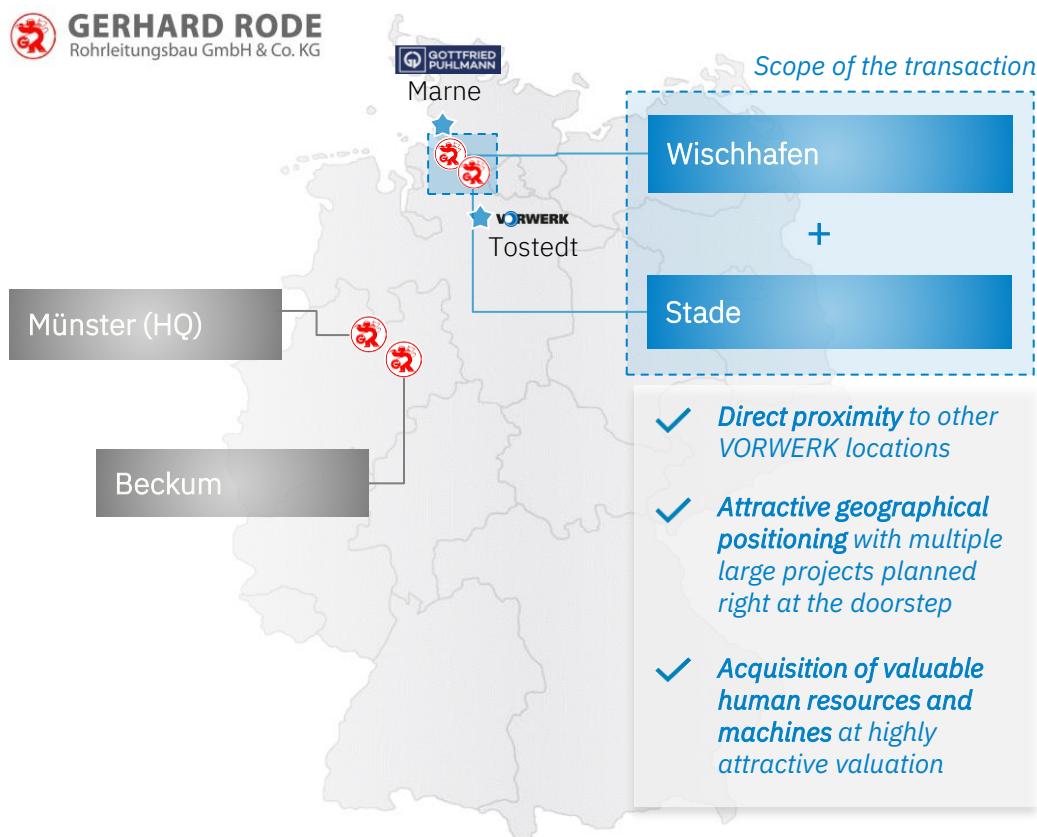


- 10 Rheinwassertransportleitung**
 ⚡ 45 km 📅 2030 RWE

VORWERK recently acquired two branch offices of Gerhard Rode in the north of Germany

Scope of the transaction

The scope of the asset deal comprises the branch office in Wischhafen as well as the associated operating facility in Stade



Overview of acquired assets



Asset deal – no contractual obligation to take over any ongoing projects - existing frame contracts with local utility providers to be renegotiated or discontinued



Take-over of **40+ qualified employees** with focus on

- ⚡ Electricity
- >>> Gas
- 💧 Heat/ Water
- 🏭 Plant construction
- ⚙️ Electrical engineering
- 🚚 Civil engineering

Employees can readily be employed on ongoing VORWERK projects at the doorstep



75+ machines and light commercial and passenger vehicles as well as wide range of equipment ready to be employed on a wide range of ongoing projects



Acquisition of the operating site in Stade as well as option to acquire real estate in Wischhafen over next years

Questions & Answers



Torben Kleinfeldt
CEO



Tim Hameister
CFO

Driving the Clean Energy Transition.

