

## GROWING GREEN

March 2025 Update after FY 2024 reporting

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# Highlights FY 2024 and update on capital allocation

RWE 20 Mar 2025 FY 2024 Results

### We have delivered strong 2024 earnings, reduced our investment programme and increased our return targets

**Strong operational and financial performance** in 2024

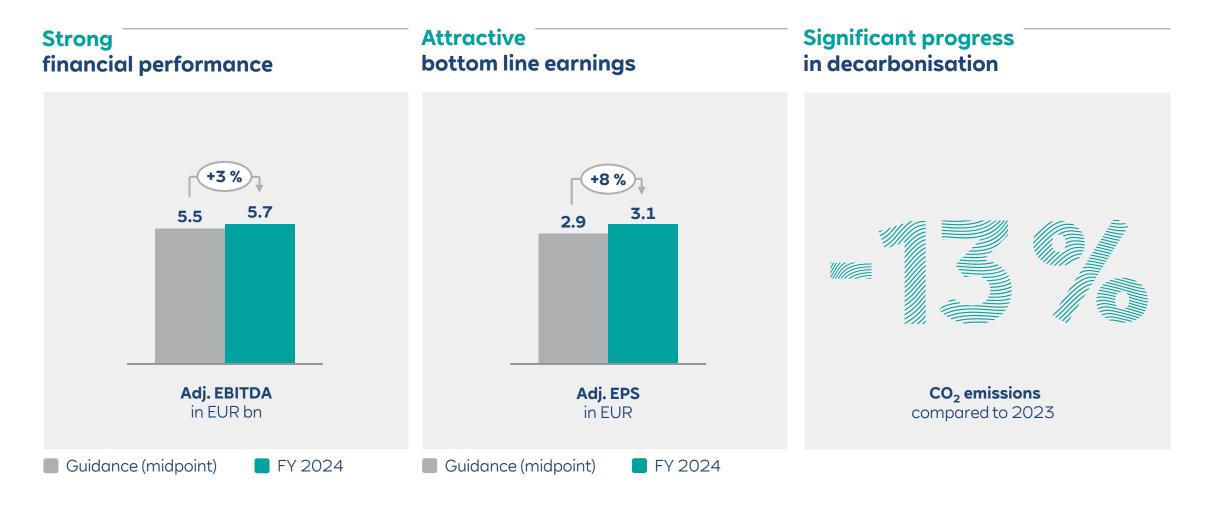
**Net cash investment programme 2025-2030 reduced by 25 %;** Offshore Wind portfolio optimisation through sell downs; **stricter investment criteria** and **increased return targets** 

**Committed net cash investments** of EUR 13 bn for 2025-2027 **with attractive returns; high flexibility in capital allocation from 2026 onwards** 

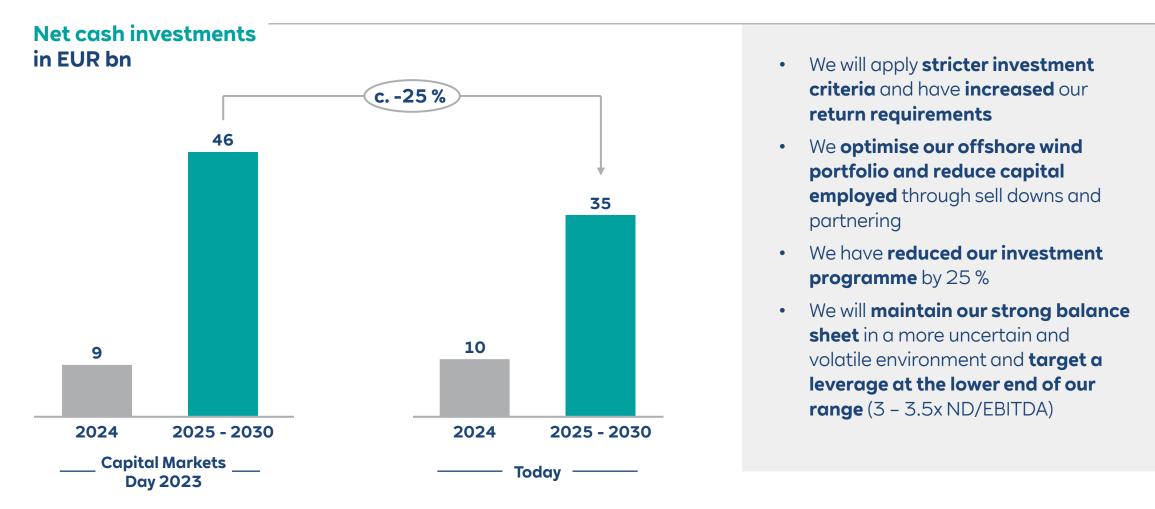
**Strong earnings growth:** adj. EPS CAGR of 18 % in 2025-2027; adj. EPS targets for 2027 and 2030 confirmed

Attractive shareholder return based on adj. EPS and dividend growth; EUR 1.5 bn share buyback programme in place

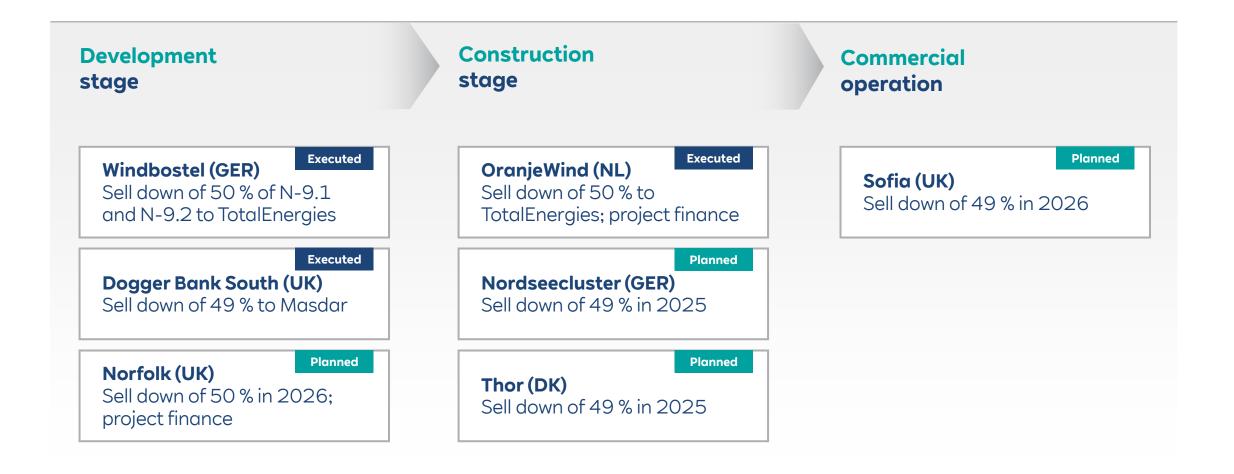
## We have delivered a strong financial performance in 2024 on the back of our robust generation portfolio



## We have adapted our investment programme to a changed market environment

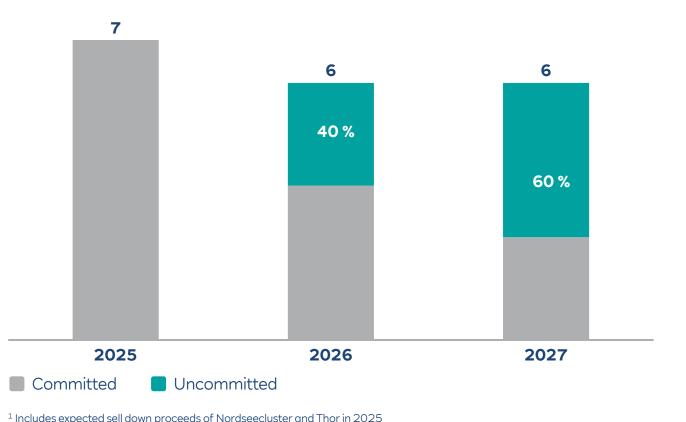


## We optimise our offshore wind portfolio and reduce capital employed



## We have high flexibility in our capital allocation from 2026 onwards

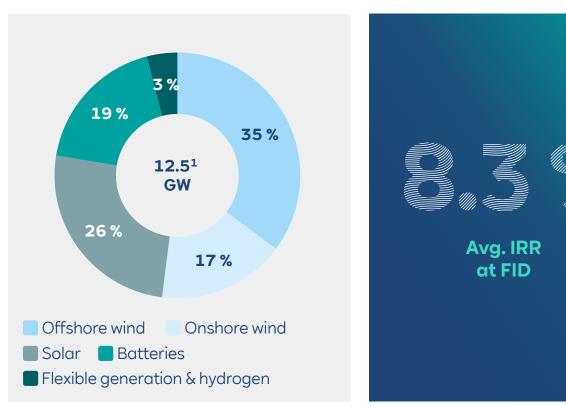
### Net cash investments 2025 – 2027 in EUR bn



- Net cash investments of EUR 13 bn committed<sup>1</sup> with attractive returns
- High flexibility in future capital allocation from 2026 onwards
- **Potential to further increase flexibility** from future sell downs of Sofia and Norfolk in 2026
- Management committed to reassess capital allocation based on risk-reward environment of investments vs. share buybacks

## Our projects under construction will deliver attractive returns and are largely de-risked

#### Projects under construction



#### **Offshore Wind**

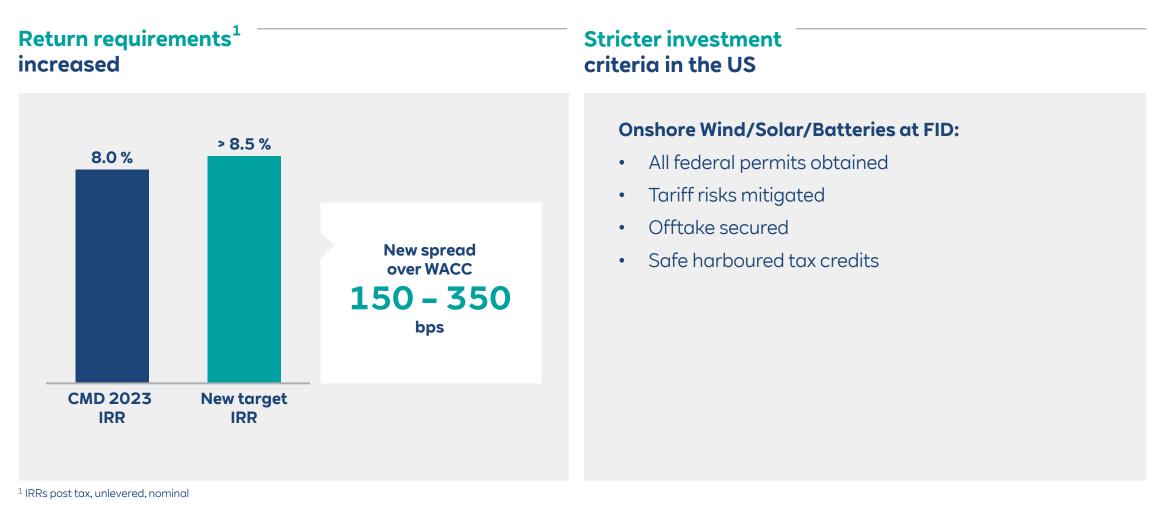
- Construction projects on time and on budget
- Offtake for first 400 MW of Nordseecluster
  project contracted

#### **Onshore Wind/Solar**

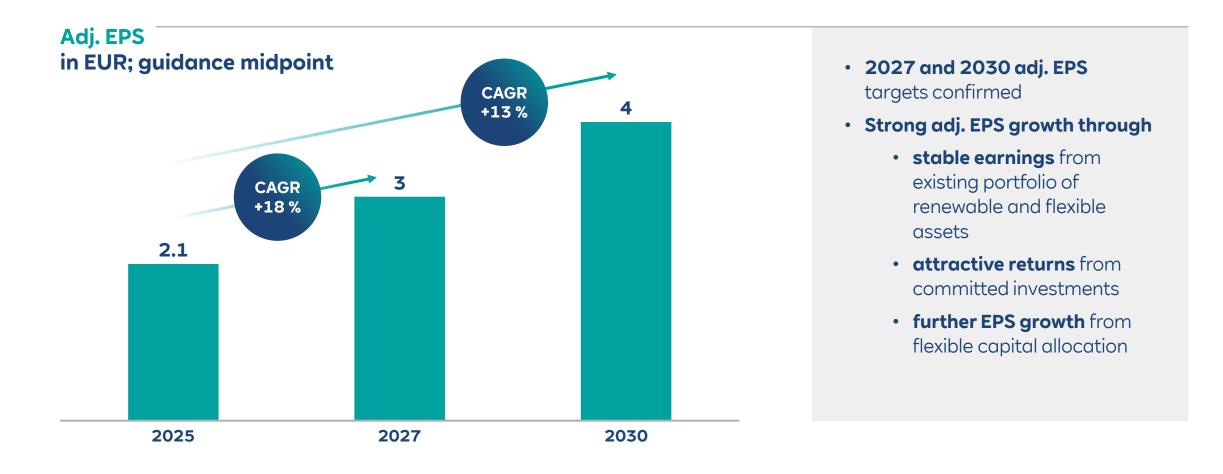
- Construction projects on time and on budget
- US supply chain risks largely mitigated
- No economic risk from federal permitting
- >95 % offtake secured

<sup>1</sup> Net capacity under construction as of 31.12.2024. Not adjusted for planned disposals of offshore windfarms Sofia, Thor and NSC (in total 2 GW)

## We have a disciplined approach for further investments: higher return requirements and stricter investment criteria



## We confirm our EPS guidance for 2027 and 2030 and will deliver strong earnings growth



## We offer attractive shareholder return based on dividends, EPS growth and share buyback programme





Strong track record of operational and financial performance Committed investments will deliver attractive returns **Clear focus on capital allocation discipline** with high flexibility from 2026 onwards

Mid-term EPS growth with high visibility and certainty Attractive shareholder remuneration through continuous dividend growth

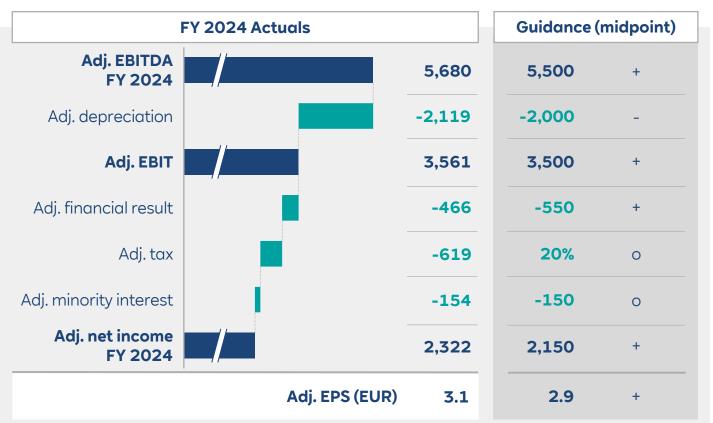
## Financial performance and outlook



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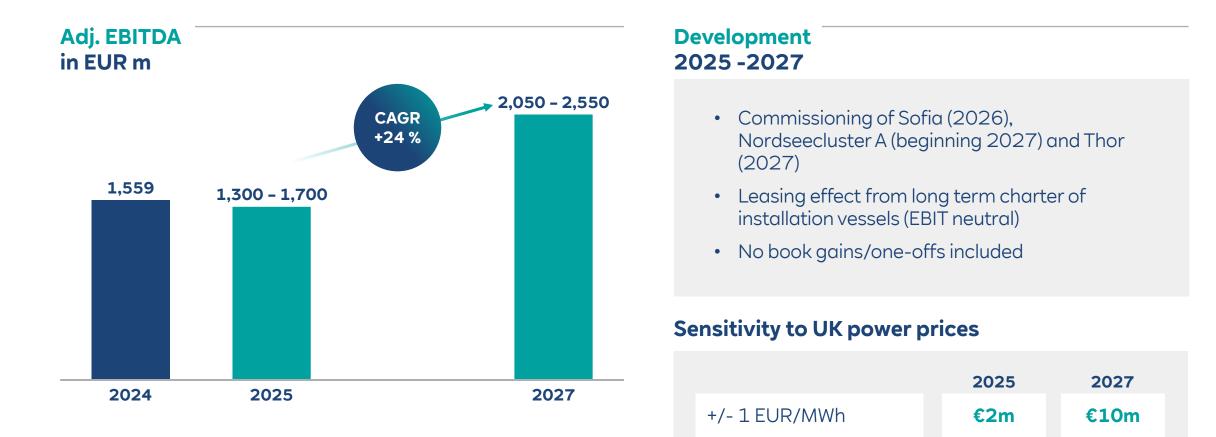
## We have delivered a strong financial performance in 2024 above the midpoint of our guidance ranges

#### Adj. net income in EUR m

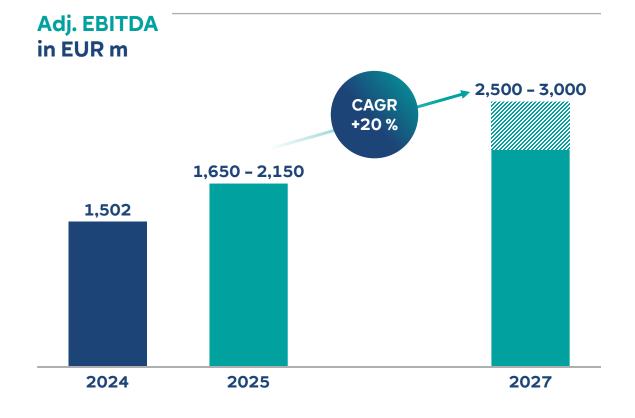


- Adj. EBITDA higher due to strong performance of Flexible Generation and Supply & Trading
- Adj. depreciation higher due to one-off effects in the US
- Adj. financial result improved due to lower tax interest and interest on provisions as well as interest during construction
- Adj. tax applying general tax rate of 20 %
- Adj. minority interest in line with expectations
- Adj. net income and adj. EPS above midpoint of guidance ranges

### Our Offshore Wind earnings will grow driven by the commissioning of Sofia, Nordseecluster A and Thor



## Our Onshore Wind/Solar earnings will grow driven by assets already under construction



<sup>💹</sup> Adj. EBITDA from projects with outstanding FID

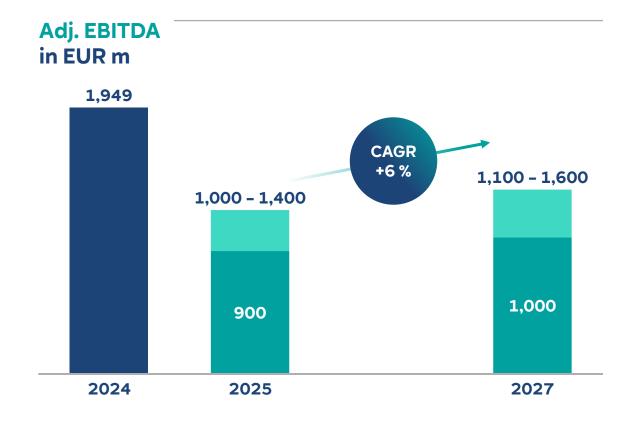
#### Development 2025 - 2027

- Commissioning of wind, solar and battery projects in the US and Europe
- Lower power prices
- No book gains/one-offs included

#### Sensitivity to power prices

Europe	2025	2027
+/-1EUR/MWh	€2m	€6m
US	2025	2027
+/-1EUR/MWh	€3m	€3m

## Our Flexible Generation segment will provide stable earnings with upside from market volatility



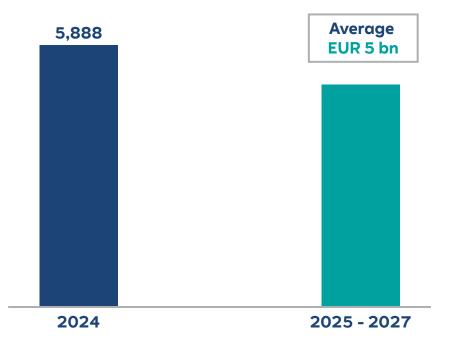
#### **Development** 2025 - 2027

- Increasing capacity payments in the UK
- Commissioning of battery projects

#### 📕 EBITDA Floor 📒 Additional expected earnings

## We will generate a strong cash flow from a growing asset base

### Adj. operating cash flow in EUR m

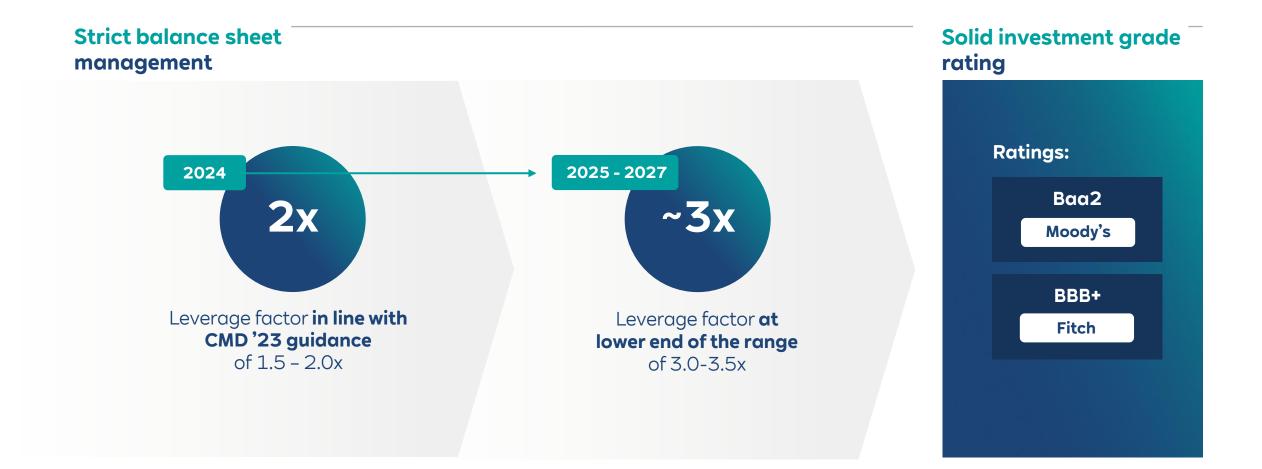


#### Strong adj. operating cash flow 2025 -2027

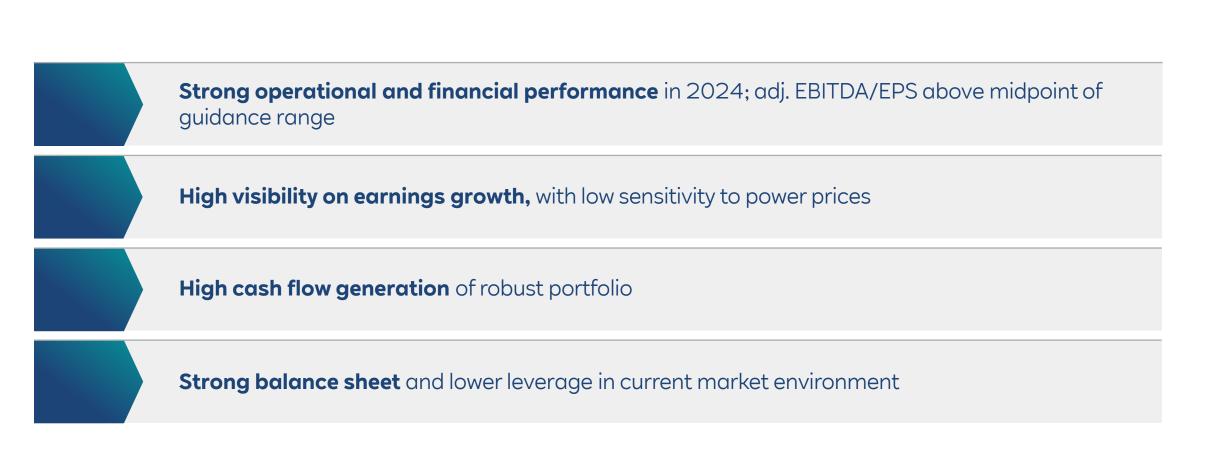
#### Includes:

- Cash flow contribution from growing core business
- Cash flow from phaseout business
- Positive working capital effects
- Cash financial result and cash taxes

## We maintain our strong balance sheet and target a lower leverage in the current market environment



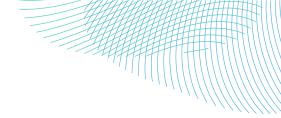
### **Financial highlights**



## Appendix

**RWE** 20 Mar 2025 FY 2024 Results

### Earnings guidance 2025 by segment



#### Divisional outlook FY 2025 in EUR m

Adj. EBITDA	FY 2024	Guidance 2025	5
Offshore Wind	1,559	1,300 - 1,700	Lower prices, incl. German compression model. Positive effects from phasing in Sofia and lower operations and maintenance costs
Onshore Wind/Solar	1,502	1,650 - 2,150	Higher earnings due to organic growth and normalised weather
Flexible Generation	1,949	1,000 - 1,400	Lower margins from running the asset fleet. Positive effects from higher income from system services
Supply & Trading	679	100 - 500	Normalised performance
Other/Consolidation	-9	approx50	
Adj. cash flow			
<b>Phaseout Technologies</b>	584	-650350	Significantly lower margins: power generation to contribute positively, but cash flow burdened by costs from opencast mining

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Earnings	guidance	2025
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#### Group guidance FY 2025 in EUR m

<b>5,680</b> -2,119 <b>3,561</b>	4,550 - 5,150 approx2,200
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3,561	
	2,350 - 2,950
-466	approx500
-619	20%
-154	approx150
2,322	1,300 - 1,800
3.1	1.8 - 2.5
1.10	1.20
	-466 -619 -154 <b>2,322</b> <b>3.1</b>

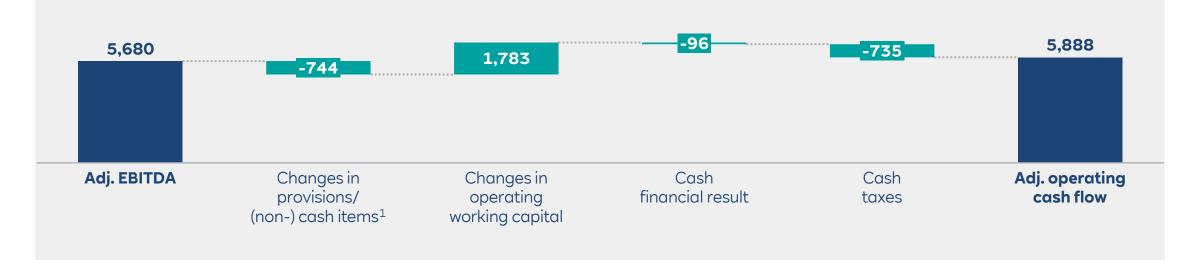
- Adj. depreciation and adj. financial result driven by growth investments
- Applying general **tax rate** of 20 %
- €1.20 dividend per share target for 2025

### **Guidance 2025 and 2027**

€ million	2025	2027	2030
Offshore Wind	1,300 - 1,700	2,050 - 2,550	
Onshore Wind/Solar	1,650 - 2,150	2,500 - 3,000	
Flexible Generation	1,000 - 1,400	1,100 - 1,600	
Supply & Trading	100 - 500	100 - 500	
Other/Consolidation	approx50	approx150	
Adj. EBITDA	4,550 - 5,150	6,250 - 6,850	
Adj. depreciation	approx2,200	approx2,800	
Adj. EBIT	2,350 - 2,950	3,450 - 4,050	
Adj. financial result	approx500	approx750	
Adj. tax	20%	20%	
Adj. minority interest	approx150	approx300	
Adj. net income	1,300 - 1,800	1,850 - 2,350	
Adj. EPS	1.8 - 2.5	2.6 - 3.4	~4
Leverage factor	<b>3.0</b> – 3.5x	<b>3.0</b> – 3.5x	<b>3.0</b> – 3.5x

## Adjusted operating cash flow marked by effects in working capital

### Reconciliation to adj. operating cash flow for FY 2024 in EUR m



**Changes in operating working capital mainly driven** by the decrease of inventories of gas in storage and a decrease of trade receivables, partly compensated by decrease of trade payables

<sup>1</sup> Excludes nuclear provisions since utilisation is not net debt effective and will be refinanced via financial debt.

### Net debt driven by growth investments

#### Development of net debt in FY 2024 in EUR bn (+ net debt/- net assets)



<b>Net cash investments</b> in green growth	Other changes in net debt mainly driven by timing effects from hedging and trading activities; increase of leasing liabilities	<b>Changes in provisions</b> mainly driven by decrease of pension provisions and increase of wind/solar provisions
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<sup>1</sup> Includes pension and wind/solar provisions but excludes nuclear provisions as they are not part of adj. operating cash flow. | Note: Rounding differences may occur.

### 12.5 GW of capacity of under construction

### Development of our renewables and flexible generation portfolio GW pro rata<sup>1</sup>



Note: Rounding differences may occur | <sup>1</sup> Net capacity under construction as of 31.12.2024. Not adjusted for planned disposals of offshore windfarms Sofia, Thor and NSC (in total 2 GW).

### Offshore project Sofia: Construction progressing well, on time and on budget



**COD in 2026 for 1.4 GW,** located on Dogger Bank, 195 km off the east coast of UK in the North Sea

Inflation linked CfD for 15 years; no lease payment

**>50 % monopiles, export cable** and the **onshore and offshore converter station installed,** turbine installation to start in Q2 2025

Pre-COD revenues expected for second half of 2025

#### Sell down of 49 % planned in 2026

Picture: Sofia's installed offshore converter platform

## Offshore project Thor: Construction progressing as planned



COD in 2027 for 1.1 GW, located 22 km off the Danish coast

#### PPAs to be signed before COD;

"lease-like" payment of DKK 2.8 bn in 2018 prices via two-sided CfD

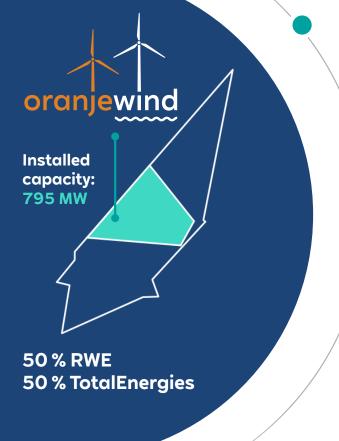
#### Onshore construction works very well advanced

### **50% of foundations delivered to Eemshaven port,** to be installed this summer

#### Sell down of 49 % planned in 2025

Picture: Thor foundations in Eemshaven port

### Offshore project OranjeWind: Construction starts 2026; all supplier contracts signed



COD in 2028 for 795 MW (RWE stake 50 %), located 53 km off the Dutch coast

**PPAs to be signed before COD;** lease payment of EUR 50 m upfront

**Offshore construction scheduled to start in 2026;** all supplier contracts signed

OranjeWind is a **50/50 joint venture project between RWE and TotalEnergies**; Project financing planned

Picture: OranjeWind illustrative map

## Offshore project Nordseecluster A & B: Construction to begin this year

COD of NSC A in 2027 for 660 MW and NSC B in 2029 for 900 MW, located in the German North Sea

**First 400 MW contracted,** further PPAs to be signed before COD; no lease payment

All supplier contracts signed; fabrication of foundations and substations progressing well

First offshore works to prepare for installation of foundations started

#### Sell down of 49 % planned in 2025

Picture: Nordseecluster onshore mock-up construction

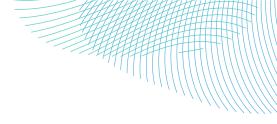
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### **Prices and sensitivities**



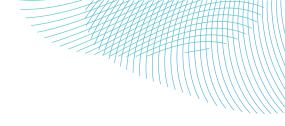
#### Commodity prices as of 18 February 2025

#### Adj. EBITDA sensitivities

		2025	2027
Power Base DE	€/MWh el	95	80
Carbon EUA	€/t CO <sub>2</sub>	75	80
Gas TTF	€/MWh th	49	32
Power Base UK	£/MWh el	93	70
Carbon UKA	€/t CO <sub>2</sub>	52	55
Gas NBP	£/MWh th	40	28
Power Base ERCOT	\$/MWh el	48	55

in EUR m		2025	2027
Offshore	+/-1EUR/MWh	2	10
Onshore/Solar Europe	+/-1EUR/MWh	2	6
Onshore/Solar US	+/-1EUR/MWh	3	3

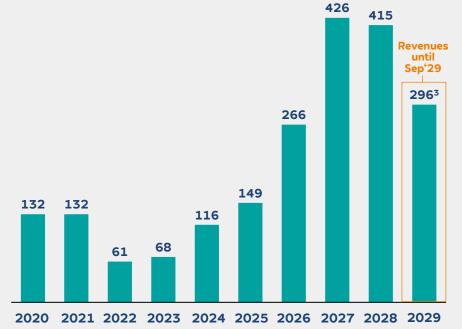
### **GB** capacity market



#### **Our plants in GB Capacity Market**

Derated capacity (MW)	2019/ 20	2020/ 21	2021/ 22	2022/ 23	2023/ 24	2024/ 25 <sup>3</sup>	2025/ 26	2026/ 27	2027/ 28	2028/ 29
Aberthaw <sup>1</sup>	1490	1475	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Didcot B (excl. OCGT)	1,380	1,395	1,395	1,395	1,395	1,395	1,409	1,416	1,351	1,342
Little Barford	691	699	699	699	699	699	706	709	678	674
Great Yarmouth	365	369	369	369	369	369	373	374	376	373
Staythorpe	1,652	1,670	1,670	1,670	1,670	1,670	1,687	1,695	1,605	1,593
Pembroke	2,114	2,138	2,138	2,138	2,138	2,138	2,159	2,169	2,014	2,000
King's Lynn	329	333	333	333	333	333	333	333	333	333
Hydro sites	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44	49
Other <sup>2</sup>	382	348	385	335	426	352	331	331	342	483
Total (successful capacity)	6,913	6,951	6,989	6,938	6,956	6, 930	7,049	7,027	6,742	6,847





<sup>1</sup> Due to the closure of Aberthaw in 2020 its CM agreements for 2019/2020 and 2020/2021 were transferred to third parties and other units within RWE's fleet. I <sup>2</sup> Includes OCGTs, smaller gas engines, wind, Pembroke battery and co-located battery assets. I <sup>3</sup> 2029 only includes full year revenue for assets with 15-year agreements, being - King's Lynn, Grimsby A, Cheshire, Cheshire West and Grimsby B. All other units show revenue up to September 2029 due to end of the capacity market year. I <sup>4</sup> Based on cleared capacity prices (nominal) and capacity contracts secured by RWE | Note: Rounding differences may occur.

### RWE in the Climate Transition Benchmark (CTB) and Paris-aligned Benchmark (PAB)

Context	Туре	Criterion	RWE in 2024
Funds using	CTB, PAB	(a) companies involved in any activities related to controversial weapons	$\odot$ RWE not involved
"Transition", "Social" and	CTB, PAB	(b) companies involved in the cultivation and production of tobacco	$\odot$ RWE not involved
"Governance"- related terms in their name must apply exclusions	CTB, PAB	(c) companies that benchmark administrators find in violation of the United Nations Global Compact (UNGC) principles or the Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises	RWE without any violations
acc. to CTB. Funds using	PAB	(e) companies that derive 10 % or more of their revenues from the exploration, extraction, distribution or refining of oil fuels	⊘ RWE below threshold
"environmental", "impact" and "sustainability"-	PAB	(f) companies that derive 50 % or more of their revenues from the exploration, extraction, manufacturing or distribution of gaseous fuels	⊘ RWE below threshold
related terms in their name must	PAB	(g) companies that derive 50 % or more of their revenues from electricity generation with a GHG intensity of more than 100 g CO2 e/kWh	⊘ RWE below threshold
apply exclusions acc. to PAB.			Net share Gross share
	PAB	(d) companies that derive 1 % or more of their revenues from exploration, mining, extraction, distribution or refining of hard coal and lignite	⊗ 1.86% ⊘0.80%

Sources: Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2020/1818 and 2019/2088; RWE annual report 2024, p. 120

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#### **Financial Calendar**

- 30 April 2025: Annual General Meeting
- 06 May 2025: Dividend payment
- 15 May 2025: Interim statement on the first quarter of 2025

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