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BASF Group 2nd Quarter/1st Half 2021 Important Figures

BASF Group

		Q2			H1			
		2021	2020	+/-	2021	2020	+/-	
Sales	Million €	19,753	12,680	56%	39,153	29,433	33%	
Income from operations before depreciation, amortization and special items	Million €	3,217	1,229	162%	6,398	3,808	68%	
Income from operations before depreciation and amortization (EBITDA)	Million €	3,199	1,070	199%	6,375	3,498	82%	
EBITDA margin	%	16.2	8.4		16.3	11.9	-	
Depreciation and amortization ^a	Million €	883	1,011	-13%	1,748	1,983	-12%	
Income from operations (EBIT)	Million €	2,316	59		4,627	1,515	205%	
Special items	Million €	-39	-167	77%		-351	86%	
EBIT before special items	Million €	2,355	226		4,676	1,866	151%	
Income before income taxes	Million €	2,189	-923		4,436	277		
Income after taxes from continuing operations	Million €	1,794	-888		3,604	-7		
Income after taxes from discontinued operations	Million €	_	14			36	-	
Net income	Million €	1,654	-878		3,372	7		
Earnings per share	€	1.80	-0.96		3.67	0.01		
Adjusted earnings per share	€	2.03	0.25		4.03	1.51	167%	
Research and development expenses	Million €	545	480	14%	1,056	974	8%	
Personnel expenses	Million €	2,924	2,679	9%	5,871	5,505	7%	
Number of employees (June 30)		107,646	117,563	-8%	107,646	117,563	-8%	
Assets (June 30)	Million €	82,938	90,369	-8%		90,369	-8%	
Investments including acquisitions ^b	Million €	831	654	27%	1,376	2,790	-51%	
 Equity ratio (June 30)		45.9	42.5		45.9	42.5		
Net debt (June 30)	Million €	16,241	20,519	-21%	16,241	20,519	-21%	
Cash flows from operating activities	Million €	2,537	2,242	13%	2,012	1,212	66%	
Free cash flow	Million €	1,770	1,516	17%	· 789			

a Depreciation and amortization of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets (including impairments and reversals of impairments)

 ${\bf b}~$ Additions to property, plant and equipment and intangible assets

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Segments

Million €												
		EBITDA befo Sales special item							Income from operations (EBIT)			
Q2	2021	2020	+/-	2021	2020	+/-	2021	2020	+/-	2021	2020	+/-
Chemicals	3,419	1,791	91%	1,168	216	441%	990	-2	· .	981	-18	
Materials	3,743	2,143	75%	985	147		792	-80		762	-102	
Industrial Solutions	2,359	1,819	30%	388	280	39%	307	163	88%	340	133	156%
Surface Technologies	5,892	3,099	90%	399	-34		289	-151		289	-176	
Nutrition & Care	1,584	1,555	2%	239	362	-34%	138	256	-46%	194	255	-24%
Agricultural Solutions	1,963	1,766	11%	239	299	-20%	75	120	-38%	35	95	-63%
Other	793	507	56%	-201	-41		-236	-80		-285	-128	
BASF Group	19,753	12,680	56%	3,217	1,229	162%	2,355	226		2,316	59	
H1												
Chemicals	6,155	4,141	49%	1,905	607	214%	1,548	172		1,586	152	
Materials	7,190	5,017	43%	1,848	562	229%	1,464	129		1,410	17	
Industrial Solutions	4,467	3,917	14%	738	623	18%	573	436	31%	599	373	61%
Surface Technologies	11,839	7,427	59%	869	304	186%	649	69		645	41	
Nutrition & Care	3,117	3,137	-1%	555	719	-23%	356	510	-30%	409	499	-18%
Agricultural Solutions	4,809	4,585	5%	1,210	1,288	-6%	882	929	-5%	839	882	-5%
Other	1,576	1,209	30%	-727	-295		-796	-379		-861	-449	-92%
BASF Group	39,153	29,433	33%	6,398	3,808	68%	4,676	1,866	151%	4,627	1,515	205%

Regions

Million €										
	Sales by	Sales by location of company			location of cu	ustomer	Income from operations by location of company			
Q2	2021	2020	+/-	2021	2020	+/-	2021	2020	+/-	
Europe	8,073	5,081	59%	7,731	4,689	65%	930	24		
of which Germany	3,277	2,149	52%	1,903	1,062	79%	391	-182		
North America	5,739	3,533	62%	5,511	3,477	58%	440	-163		
Asia Pacific	5,020	3,443	46%	5,181	3,589	44%	759	180	322%	
South America, Africa, Middle East	921	623	48%	1,330	925	44%	187	18		
BASF Group	19,753	12,680	56%	19,753	12,680	56%	2,316	59		
H1										
Europe	16,202	12,601	29%	15,562	11,900	31%	1,722	705	144%	
of which Germany	6,386	5,422	18%	3,717	2,750	35%	645	16		
North America	11,529	8,779	31%	11,069	8,462	31%	1,153	311	271%	
Asia Pacific	9,742	6,738	45%	10,038	7,062	42%	1,529	466	228%	
South America, Africa, Middle East	1,680	1,315	28%	2,484	2,009	24%	223	33		
BASF Group	39,153	29,433	33%	39,153	29,433	33%	4,627	1,515	205%	