

# SECOND QUARTER

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## Strong market conditions and all-time high sales volume in the second quarter

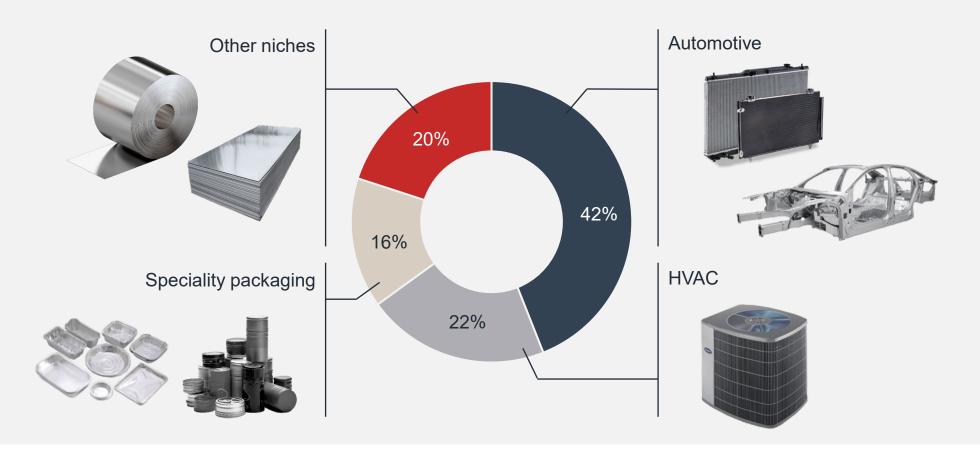
- Strong market conditions in all regions
- Record sales volume and improved profit
  - Sales volume increased by 86%
  - Adjusted operating profit SEK 309 million
- Strong cash generation
  - Net debt back in target range at 2.0 times EBITDA
- Execution on the strategy
  - Milestone reached for Finspång expansion
  - Increased focus on battery applications





#### Leading positions in four key end-customer markets

January – June 2021 sales volume by end-customer market





# Strong recovery against weak comparables across all markets in the second quarter

Q2 2021 sales volume growth by region and end-customer market<sup>1</sup>

| YoY (%)                     | Automotive | HVAC | Speciality<br>Packaging | Other niches | Total |  |
|-----------------------------|------------|------|-------------------------|--------------|-------|--|
| Europe                      | +82%       | -    | +9%1                    | +56%         | +78%  |  |
| Asia<br>Pacific             | +46%       | -    | -                       | +20%         | +41%  |  |
| North &<br>South<br>America | +131%      | +51% | +29%                    | +27%         | +50%  |  |
| Global                      | +75%       | +51% | +29%                    | +29%         | +51%  |  |

<sup>(1)</sup> Organic sales volume growth excluding acquisitions, except for Specialty Packaging in Europe where Gränges Konin sales volume growth has been included for reference



#### Milestone reached for Finspång capacity expansion and logistics improvement project







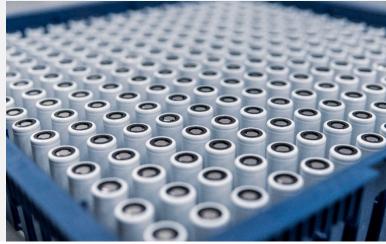
- Ongoing investment in Finspång to:
  - Improve environmental footprint
  - Reduce production cost
  - Increase capacity by 20 ktonnes
- First coil successfully rolled in new cold rolling mill on 11 June, 2021
- Target completion in second half of 2022



# Supporting the green transition through increased focus on products for battery applications

- The electrification of the transportation industry drives increased demand for rolled aluminium for Lithium-ion battery cathodes and casing
- Gränges has capabilities to serve emerging battery value chains in all geographical regions
- Demand for rolled aluminium for battery applications estimated to about 900 ktonnes by 2025
- Investment of SEK 100 million to add capabilities for production of initially 10 ktonnes of cathode foil in Shanghai and Finspång







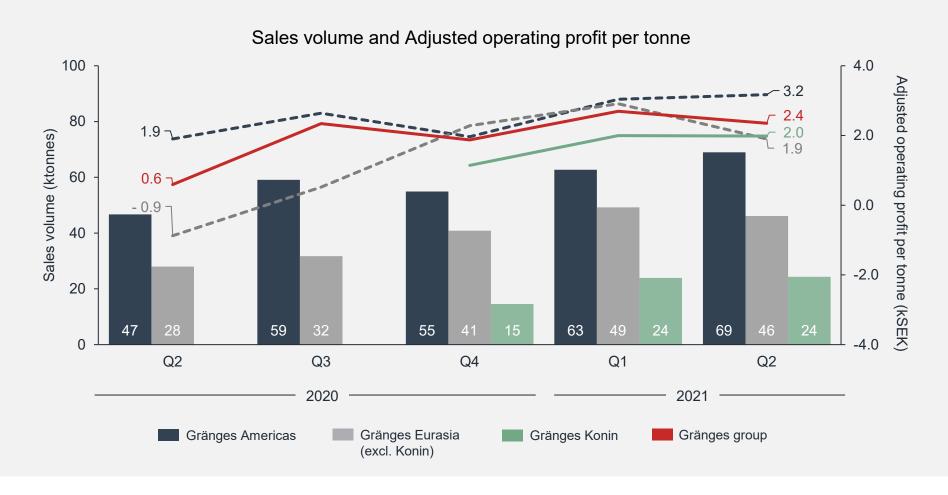
# Collaborating with Hydro to reduce climate impacts in the automotive industry

- Increased customer commitment and focus on sourcing sustainable materials
- More than 90% of Gränges' total carbon footprint comes from sourced metals
- Collaboration with suppliers important to reduce the climate impact along the value chain
- Low-carbon primary aluminum from Hydro has a certified maximum carbon footprint less than a quarter of the global average





## Continued year over year sales volume and margin recovery in the second quarter





#### Financial overview – second quarter 2021

| SEK million   | Q2    |       |         | January-June | ;     |         |
|---|-------|-------|---------|--------------|-------|---------|
|   | 2021  | 2020  | Change  | 2021         | 2020  | Change  |
| Sales volume (ktonnes)                                  | 131.4 | 70.8  | 86%     | 258.1        | 160.7 | 61%     |
| Net sales   | 4,609 | 2,221 | 107%    | 8,651        | 5,284 | 64%     |
| Adjusted operating profit <sup>1</sup>                  | 309   | 42    | 638%    | 651          | 252   | 159%    |
| Adjusted operating margin (%)                           | 6.7   | 1.9   | 4.8 ppt | 7.5          | 4.8   | 2.8 ppt |
| Adjusted operating profit per tonne (kSEK)              | 2.4   | 0.6   | 1.8     | 2.5          | 1.6   | 1.0     |
| Operating profit  | 309   | 37    | 743%    | 635          | 240   | 164%    |
| Profit for the period                                   | 226   | 1     | n/a     | 465          | 133   | 249%    |
| Earnings per share <sup>2</sup> (SEK)                   | 2.12  | 0.01  | 2.11    | 4.36         | 1.56  | 2.79    |
| Adj. cash flow before financing activities <sup>3</sup> | 334   | 238   | 40%     | 279          | 568   | -51%    |
| Return on capital employed, R12 (%)                     | 11.8  | 8.1   | 3.7 ppt |              |       |         |
| Net debt / adjusted EBITDA, R12                         | 2.0   | 2.9   |         |              |       |         |

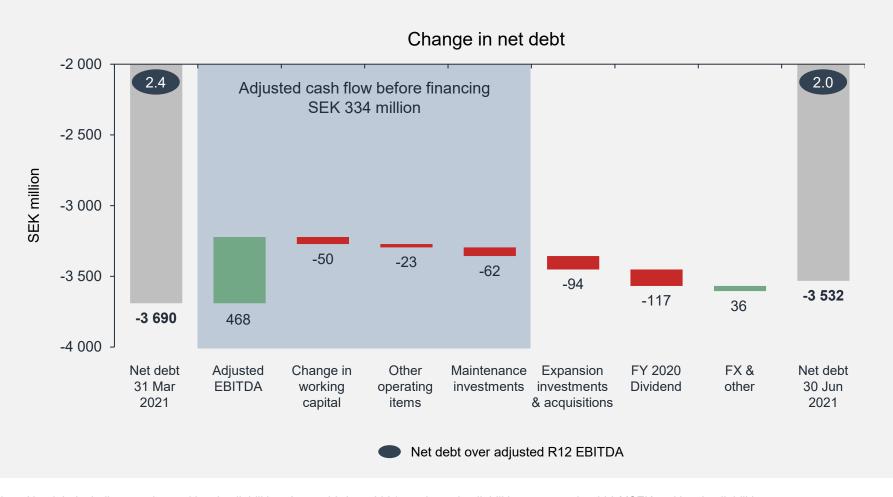
<sup>(1)</sup> Adjusted for items affecting comparability



<sup>(2)</sup> Diluted

<sup>(3)</sup> Adjusted for expansion investments and acquisitions

## The net debt amounted to SEK 3.5 billion on 30 June and is back in the target range at 2.0 times EBITDA





#### Gränges Americas – second quarter 2021

- Continued strong market recovery supported by market share increase
- All time high sales volume, operating profit and margins, despite
  - Negative FX effects SEK -27 million
- Fire in Newport cold rolling mill
  - Additional cost of SEK 10 million
  - Further sales ramp-up delayed







#### Gränges Eurasia – second quarter 2021

- Strong year over year demand recovery
  - Europe +78%
  - Asia Pacific +41%
- Solid organic increase in operating profit per tonne, despite
  - Negative FX effects SEK -8 million
  - Grant repayment SEK -7 million
- Integration of Gränges Konin progressing according to plan
  - Sales volume 24 ktonnes
  - Adj. operating profit SEK 48 million









#### Outlook – third quarter 2021

- Market demand is generally anticipated to remain on a healthy level in the third quarter
- The slowdown in automotive sales is expected to continue into the third quarter
- Sales volume in the third quarter is currently expected to be lower than in the second quarter by a low to mid-single digit percentage
- Increased costs for strategic projects





#### Summary – second quarter 2021

- Strong market conditions in all regions
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- Strong cash generation
- Execution on the strategy
- Positive outlook for the third quarter







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