

# BUSINESS PLAN **2022 - 2026**



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## 2022 forecast: Keep on growing



#### **Results backed by resilient margins in all activities**

## **2022 forecast benchmark**



#### **Target outperformance transferred to shareholders**

## Scenario: new challenges emerged



#### "Sustainability" demand underpins new expansion potentials

## **Robust capex plan**



#### Enhanced capex supporting several growth options

## Solutions underpinned by public funding



#### Leveraging on our multi-business platform

## **Growth drivers to 2026**



#### **Visible drivers in line with track records**

## Waste: main contributor to Group's growth



#### Surfing growing demand leveraging on distinctive know how

## Waste targets



#### Gaining momentum supported from 360° growth potentials

## **Networks for transition**



#### Asset readiness through innovation to enhance resilience

## **Networks targets**



#### Growth fueled by capex, efficiencies and return protection

## **Energy: disruptive changes ahead**



#### **Creating value from our most valuable intangible**

## **Energy targets**



#### **Protect margins, normalizing NWC**

## **Capex strengthen unique integrated infrastructures**



#### **Growing assets with lower risk**

## **Capex aligned to macro-trends**



#### **Capital allocation focused on sustainability**

## Sustainable targets and CSV

Carbon neutrality			Circular economy			Sustainability – Ebitda CSV (% of Ebitda)			
	2026	2030		2026	2030				
SBTi emissions (Scope 1+2+3 vs 2019)	-23%	-37%	Plastic recycled (vs 2017)	+102%	+150%		62%	70%	
Renewable electricity sold	44%	>50%	Packaging recycled	73%	>80%	47%			
Group energy consumptions (vs 2013)	-8.6%	-10%	Water reuse	13%	18%				
Biomethane produced (mln m³)	12	30	Internal water consumption (vs 2017)	n -20%	-25%	'21	E'26	E'30	
-37% CO2 emissions by 2030			+150% recycled	+150% recycled plastic by 2030			70% Ebitda CSV by 2030		
SCIENCE BASED TARGETS									

#### Targets aiming at achieving full sustainability

## **Below Ebit**



#### **ROE confirmed above 10%**

## **Cash flow and leverage**



### Strong cash generation to fund growth

## **Closing remarks**



#### Value creation confirmed maintaining a low risk profile

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## ANNEX

## Hera in a snapshot



#### Un-interrupted, balanced and solid growth underpins DPS track record

## **Business plan main assumptions**

BP targets vs reported Ebitda (*m*€)

	A'21	E'26
Brent (Dollar/Barrel)	70.7	73.3
Exchange rate €/\$	1.18	1.13
Inflation (%)	1.9%	1.5%
GRIN certificate (former Green Certificate) (€/MWh)	109.4	29.2
White certificates (€/TEP)	260.0	256.0
CO <sub>2</sub> certificates (€/ton)	79.5	90.0
Tax rate (%)	26.8%	27.9%
Cost of Debt (%)	2.9%	3.6%



## **Enhanced efficiency**



#### **Further efforts on efficiency gains**

#### Water targets



#### Waste targets



## **Gas targets**



## **Electricity targets**



## **Regulated returns (Wacc)**



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