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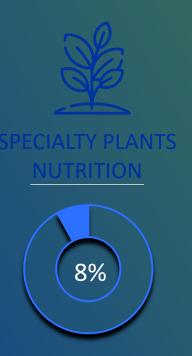
# SQM at a Glance: Strong Performance Across All Business lines



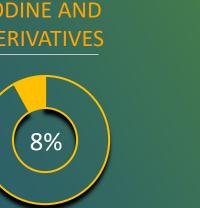
FY2022 Revenues: US\$10.7 billion | FY2022 Adjusted EBITDA1: US\$5.8 billion

FY2022 Adjusted EBITDA Margin<sup>1</sup>: 55% | NFD/Adjusted EBITDA: 0x













% GROSS PROFIT<sup>2</sup>

Adjusted EBITDA = gross profit - administrative expenses + depreciation and amortization. Adjusted EBITDA margin = Adjusted EBITDA/revenues.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Contribution to gross profit for the twelve months ended December 31, 2022.

# 2022 Business Highlights

Record High Sales Prices in Lithium, SPN, Iodine and Potassium Markets

Sustainable Capacity Increases To Meet Growing Demand in Lithium, Iodine and Nitrates Markets

Innovation: Doubling Lithium Production in 2022-2024 while Significantly Reducing Extractions

Salar Futuro Announcement: Future Implementation of Novel Lithium Production Technologies to Reduce Footprint Beyond Current Targets

Prudent Financial Management, Stable Investment Grade Ratings, Delivering Robust Growth and Profitability

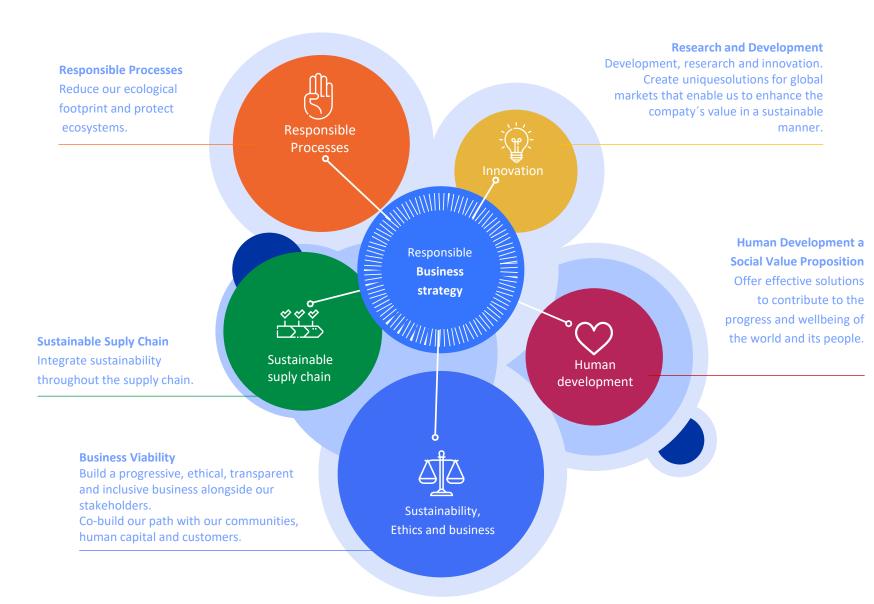


# **Delivering Sustainable Solutions to Global Challenges**

# Responsible Business Strategy

Business Responsibility Sustainability, Ethics and Human Rights

- Meet global needs through responsible business habits to build a better future.
- Focus on rising inequality resulting from climate change, socioeconomic adversity, and healthcare issues.
- Innovate, research and develop sustainable production and product development to better the wellbeing of the global population



### Our commitment to Sustainability

Member of the United Nations
Global Compact, Global Battery
Alliance, DJSI Chile y DJSI MILA
Pacific Alliance. In the last months
we completed external on-site audit
under IRMA and participated in the
DJSI and CDP climate change
evaluations.



### **Continental water reduction**

40% by 2030 and 65% by 2040.



### **Emissions reduction**

Carbon neutral in the lithium, potassium chloride and iodine products by 2030, and in all of our products by 2040.



### **Brine extraction reduction**

Reduce brine extraction by 50% by 2030.



#### **Waste reduction**

50% by 2025











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# Salar Futuro: Advanced Technology to Reduce Footprint Beyond Set Goals

Advanced Evaporation
Technologies (AET) for a
significant part of the
Salar de Atacama brines

Direct Lithium Extraction (DLE) implementation

Estimated Direct Investment: US\$1.5B

- Achieving neutral long-term water balance in the basin of the Salar de Atacama
- Reducing brine extraction while maintaining annual LCE production of ~220-250 kMT
- Developing supporting industries such as lithium metal and soda ash production, battery components and etc.

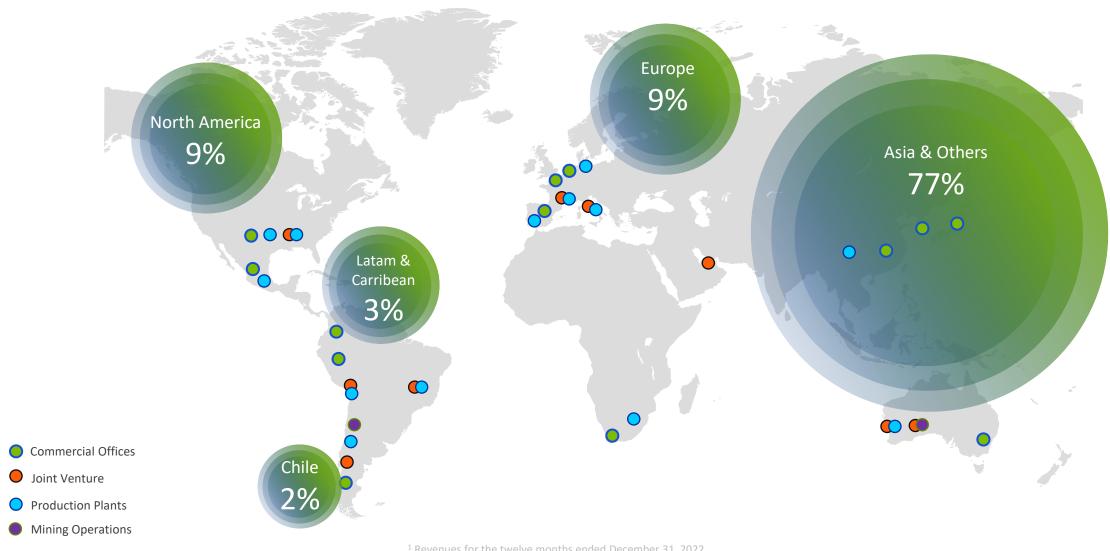
Estimated Indirect Investment: US\$0.7B

Increased production yields at the refining plants

Seawater and desalination plant

The Salar Futuro Project implies important technological challenges. The initial tests allow us to be optimistic, but these are fundamental changes in the technologies and processes currently used that imply taking relevant risks to achieve the proposed ambitious objectives. We expect to submit technical documentation for evaluation to the Chilean authorities in 2024.

### Global Presence and Diversified Sales<sup>1</sup> Channels



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Revenues for the twelve months ended December 31, 2022

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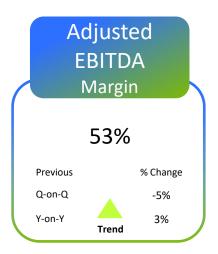
### **Summary of Fourth Quarter 2022 Results**

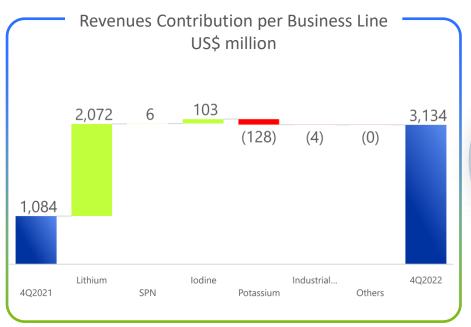




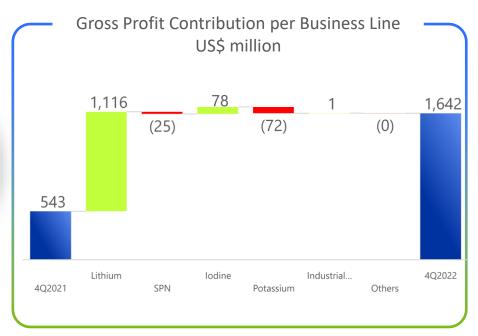












# 4Q2022 Business Highlights

Record High Quarterly Earnings of US\$4.0 per share

Lithium sales prices and volumes reached record-high levels in 4Q2022

Record-high iodine sales prices in 4Q2022

Successful Ramp Up of Lithium Carbonate Capacity in Chile to 180,000 metric tons

Record Contribution to the Chilean treasury in 2022 of more than US\$5 billion

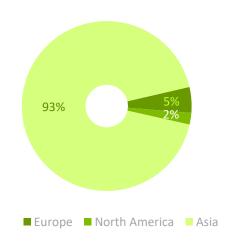


### Lithium and Derivatives: Supply and Demand Market Conditions Remain Tight



FY2022 Gross Profit: US\$4.5B

FY2022 Revenues: US\$8.2B



~20% Market Share<sup>1</sup>



### **Global Lithium Chemical Market**

- Strong demand growth and tight supply during 4Q22 have pushed prices to record-high levels.
- Positive lithium demand outlook for 2023 with expected demand growth of over 20%.
- High demand growth in 4Q2022 brought forward some of the 1Q2023 sales volumes.

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# Meeting Lithium Demand Growth through Innovation and Significant Capacity Increase

### SQM Lithium Capacity Growth, MT



- 2022-2025: Antofagasta Carmen Lithium plant capacity expansion.
- 2023: Beginning of lithium hydroxide refining capacity at Sichuan plant (China).
- 2023: Spodumene production to start at Mt. Holland site (4Q2023)
- 2025: Start-up of lithium hydroxide production at Kwinana refinery in Australia (50/50 JV, total capacity 50,000 MT).

### Lithium Chemical Demand



# Lithium and Derivatives: Fully integrated lithium producer from natural resource to chemical refining with full traceability



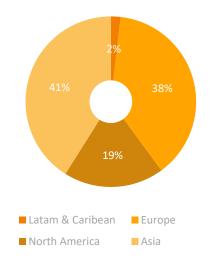


Total capex 2023-2025: US\$2.2 billion, including maintenance

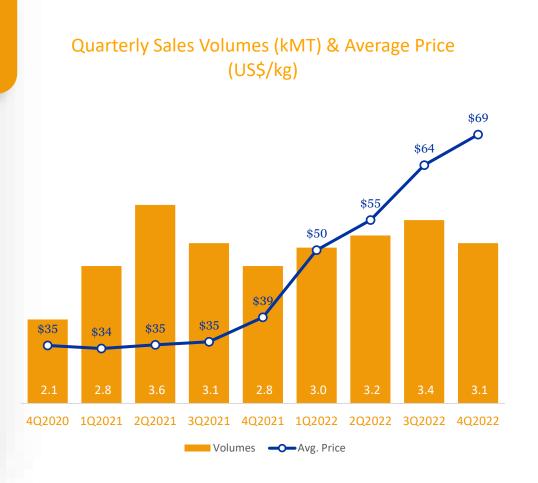
# **Iodine and Derivatives: Tight Supply and Demand – Record Prices Continue**



FY2022 Gross Profit US\$472M FY2022 Revenues: US\$754M



~33% Market Share<sup>1</sup>



#### **Global Iodine Market**

- Expected market growth of ~1-2% in 2023, primarily related to increased demand from X-ray contrast media.
- Market remains tight, prices hit a record high, and stable prices are expected for 1H2023.

### **SQM Iodine & Derivatives**

- Slightly higher sales volumes are expected in 2023 vs 2022 with higher average price when compared to 2022.
- Continue to work on iodine capacity expansions, which will let us add additional ~1,000 metric tons in 2023.

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# Nitrates and Iodine Operations: SQM to maintain leading position in nitrates and iodine industries

**TARAPACÁ** Pampa Orcoma **Nueva Victoria** Tocopilla Pedro de Valdivia Coya Sur Salar de Atacama Pampa Blanca

Iodine and Nitrates Projects, total capex 2023-2025: ~US1.2 billion, including maintenance:

Pampa Blanca, additional 1,300 MT of iodine and 100,000 MT of nitrates salts

Nueva Victoria, up to 900 l/s seawater supply project and yield improvement initiatives

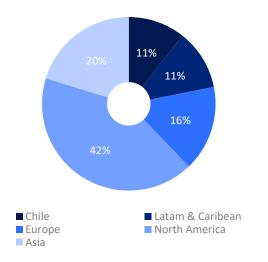
Greenfield projects, additional 2,500 MT of iodine and 250,000 MT of nitrates salts, using seawater

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### Specialty Plant Nutrition: Prices Reached Historical Highs During 2022



FY2022 Gross Profit US\$450M FY2022 Revenues: US\$1.2B



~45% Market Share<sup>1</sup>





### Global KNO<sub>3</sub> Market

- Expecting downward price trend to continue in 2023.
- Partial demand recovery is expected in the agricultural potassium nitrate demand during 2023.

### SQM KNO<sub>3</sub> 2023

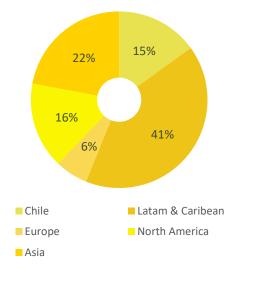
Depending on the demand recovery, sales volumes in the SPN business line are expected to be similar or better in 2023 vs 2022.

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### Potassium: Historically High Prices during 2022

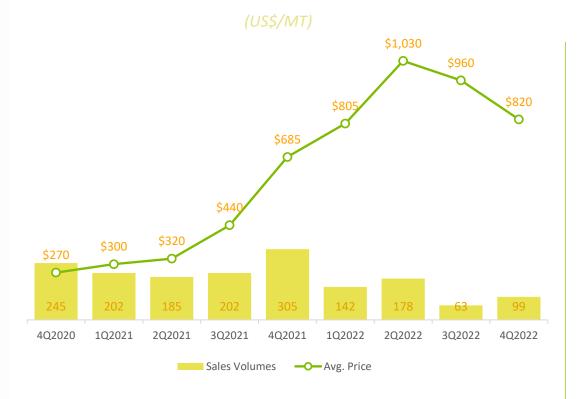


FY2022 Gross Profit US\$244M FY2022 Revenues: US\$437M



~1% Market Share<sup>1</sup>

#### Potassium Quarterly Sales Volumes (kMT) & Average Price



# **Global Potash Market**

- Potash prices continued to decrease during 4Q22 as a result of weaker demand and high inventory across the markets.
- Potassium market demand decreased almost 10 million tons in 2022 vs 2021. Lower prices should result in some demand recovery in 2023.

### **SQM Potassium 2023**

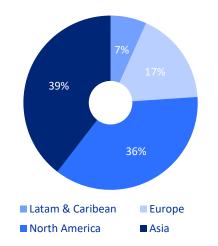
 Potassium chloride and potassium sulfate sales volumes are expected to reach ~500,000 metric tons in 2023.

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### Industrial Chemicals: Historically High Prices in Industrial Markets



FY2022 Gross Profit US\$53M FY2022 Revenues: US\$165M



~60% Market Share<sup>1</sup>

Industrial Chemicals Quarterly Sales Volumes (kMT)
& Average Price (US\$/MT)



# Global Industrial Chemicals Market

 Industrial potassium nitrate market prices should follow the trends seen in the agricultural sector.

### **SQM 2023**

 We expect to sell ~120,000 metric tons of solar salts.

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# Debt Maturities: Prudent Financial Management & Stable Investment Grade Rating

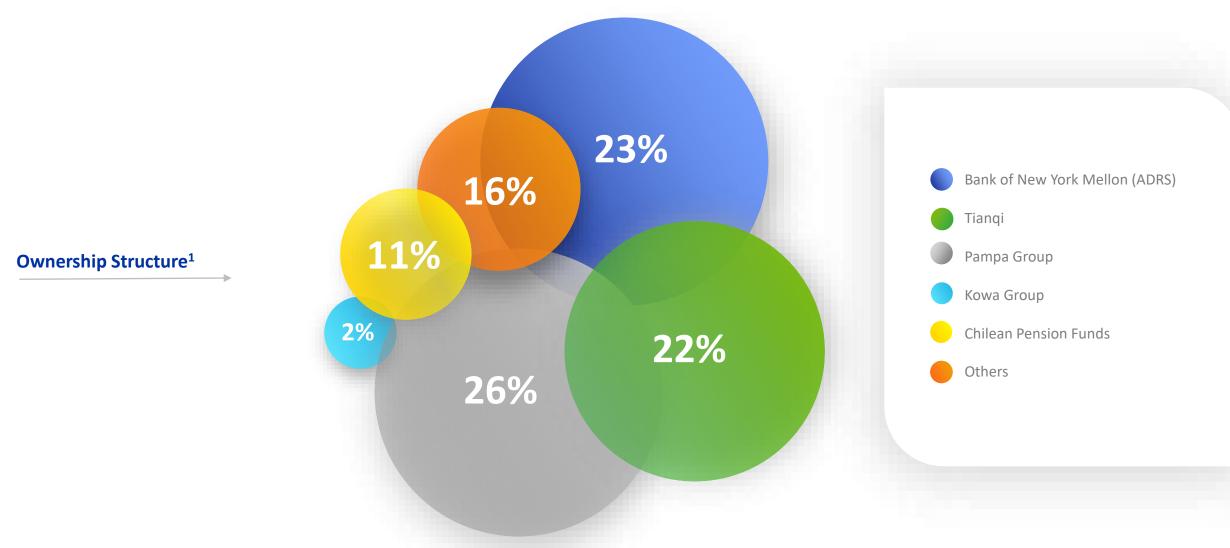


Bonds & Loans maturity

Moody's: Baa1 | Standard & Poor's: BBB+

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Including amortization SQM – Corporate Presentation

# Ownership & Dividends: Delivering Robust Growth and Profitability



<sup>1</sup> According to the Shareholder Registry as of December 31, 2022

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# Ownership & Dividends: Delivering Robust Growth and Profitability

Dividend Policy<sup>1</sup>

Dividend Payout (% of Net Income)		100%	80%	
Current Assets Current Liabilities	≥	2.5	2.0	
Current and Non-Current Liabilities-Cash & Cash Equivalents -Other Current Financial Assets  Total Equity	≤	0.8	0.9	

<sup>1</sup> Please see the full version on our website at www.sqm.com

### Agreement with CORFO

### Payments<sup>1</sup>

Li <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub>		LiOH		KCL	
US\$/MT	%²	US\$/MT	%²	US\$/MT	%²
< 4,000	6.8	< 5,000	6.8	<300	3.0
4,000 – 5,000	8.0	5,000 – 6,000	8.0	300 – 400	7.0
5,000 - 6,000	10.0	6,000 – 7,000	10.0	400 – 500	10.0
6,000 – 7,000	17.0	7,000 – 10,000	17.0	500 – 600	15.0
7,000 – 10,000	25.0	10,000-12,000	25.0	>600	20.0
> 10,000	40.0	> 12,000	40.0		

#### **Production Allowance**

Total production quota 2018-2030: 349,553 MT of LME or ~2.2 million metric tons of LCE

### Example

ithium Average Price, US\$/MT	\$5	\$56,000 \$50,000		\$40,000		
Total Lease Fee Paid	%	US\$/MT	%	US\$/MT	%	US\$/MT
Li <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub>	35.3%	\$19,772	34.7%	\$17,372	31.2%	\$13,372
LiOH	34.2%	\$19,130	33.5%	\$16,730	31.8%	\$12,730
Potassium Price, US\$/MT	\$900		\$800		\$800	
Total Lease Fee Paid	%	US\$/MT	%	US\$/MT	%	US\$/MT
KCL	11.2%	\$101	10.1%	\$81	8.7%	\$61

### **Contribution to the Development & Communities**

- Annual contribution of ~US\$11-19 million for R&D efforts
- Annual contribution of ~US\$10-15 million to neighboring communities of the Salar de Atacama
- Annual contribution of 1.7% of SQM Salar's sales per year to regional development

Total amount related to the payments under the agreement with Corfo for the twelve months ended December 31, 2022 reached almost US\$3.3 billion

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