

**BALANCE SHEET PRESS CONFERENCE 2019** 

Executing business opportunities – Good start to the 2020 ambition

### Agenda





### Strategic priorities and rigorous execution pave the way for profitable growth





DIGITAL

Focus on profitability in underwriting, investments and new business



Business focus, divest from subcritical operations

TRANSFORMATION

Efficiency, excellence and new business models

Deliver on capital repatriation

Secure long-term earnings power

> Create value added



# Reduce complexity – Making the organisation more focused and efficient



#### REINSURANCE

#### Cost savings well on track, more efficiency

- Achieve admin. cost savings of ~€200m by 2020¹
- Voluntary programme in Munich very successful reduction of ~350 FTEs; savings targets in the international organisation well underway
- Leaner operations following automation of global processes (e.g. accounting, claims)

#### Re-focusing

- Disposal of MSP Underwriting (Lloyds' market) and Ellipse (UK life)
- Integration of Special and Financial Risks division in market segments to benefit from business synergies

Growing business in a leaner organisation





#### **ERGO**

#### Cost savings well on track, more efficiency

- Cost savings of €174m out of €279m achieved<sup>2</sup>
- Reduction of ~1,240 FTEs out of ~2,100 FTEs completed<sup>2,3</sup>
- Simplification of processes in sales, operations and claims

#### Re-focusing

- Portfolio optimisation in International almost concluded – 13 entities sold
- Focused life strategy
  - Dedicated management responsibility for fully separated back book
  - Bundling of new life offerings in one risk carrier

Business transformation as foundation for future competitiveness



# Successfully mastering the digital transformation – Good progress in 2018



#### REINSURANCE

#### Internet of Things

Build and scale up loss prevention and finance-related products and risk-management-service models for commercial and industrial partners worldwide

#### Realytix

Cloud-based digital transaction platform for primary insurance companies, brokers and MGAs

#### SaveUp

Enhance our partners' direct distribution channel for life products via a digital white-label platform

#### **Digital Partners**

Offer InsurTech start-ups a platform to gain access to clients, data and insurance functionalities and expertise

Embracing innovation to actively drive the evolution of business models worldwide





#### **ERGO**

#### Actively addressing industry trends

Pilot and introduce new solutions throughout the entire ERGO Group in the areas of AI, robotics and voice

#### Improving existing business models

Invest in digital front-ends (Portal/CRM/OneWebsite)

#### Disrupting existing business models

Successful establishment of our purely digital player nexible with 50,000 policies, ready to scale up

#### Digital culture

We increasingly work in digital factories and support our staff in digital transformation

Progress towards digitally-enabled customer solutions



# Progress in interlocking business models between primary insurance and reinsurance





- Group-wide solution to ensure business continuity after Brexit
- Collaboration on mobility strategy, e.g. concerning "CASE"<sup>1</sup>
- Regional market boards to facilitate joint strategic initiatives, e.g. UK



- Common initiatives for collaboration with startups, e.g. Ridecell and fair.com
- Integrated global scouting approach leveraging PI and RI scouting networks
- Joint data analytics methodologies

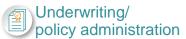


- Joint life product development, e.g. "ERGO Betriebsrente Index"
- Close cooperation between MEAG and ERGO concerning capital market products, e.g. sales





- MGA set-up for DAS Canada optimising capital requirements
- Mutual sharing of existing market accesses, e.g. Travel (USA)
- Joint analysis of PI sales support via RI



- Leveraging existing underwriting automation, e.g. life
- Scaling existing administration automation, e.g. Health
- Establishing common expert groups per business line, e.g. life and industrial

Interlocking HR and development programmes

International Group trainee programme "EXPLORE"

Management development programme ("Group Management Platform")

Joint training initiatives to foster common skill sets, e.g. data analytics



### Delivering on targets – Profitable earnings growth in 2018



### REINSURANCE

**NET RESULT** 



Profitable growth in P-C, technical performance at L&H above expectations

**ERGO** 

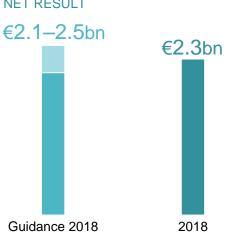
**NET RESULT** 



Strong earnings contribution, even when adjusted for one-offs



**NET RESULT** 

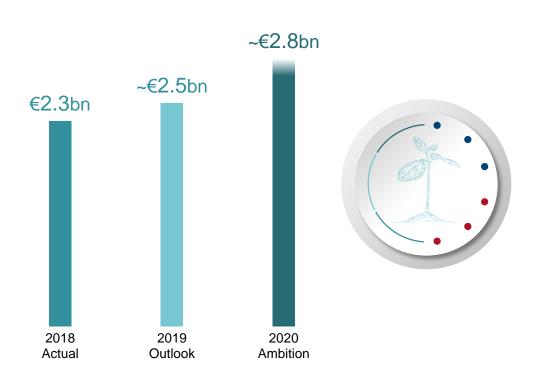


Return on equity 8.4% – Good start to the 2020 ambition



# ERGO Strategy Programme and growth in reinsurance are the major drivers to deliver on our 2020 ambition





#### OUTLOOK 20191

#### REINSURANCE

Net result P-C combined ratio² L/H technical result incl. fee income ~€2.1bn ~98% ~€500m

#### **ERGO**

Net P-C combined ratio Germany International ~€0.4bn ~93% ~95%

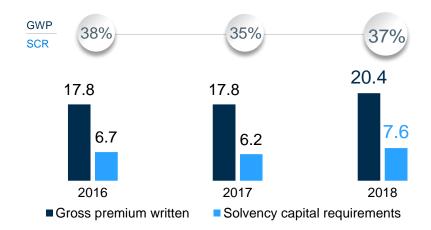


# Consistent business and earnings focus – Rigorously using leeway of largely unchanged risk appetite



#### **UNDERWRITING**

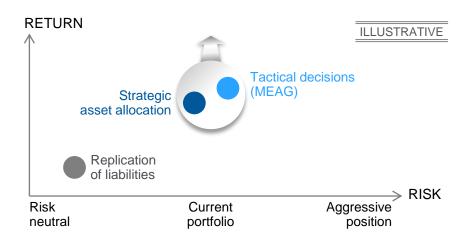
Selective business growth in P-C Reinsurance while not compromising on earning requirements



Leveraging our underwriting excellence

#### **INVESTMENTS**

Generate higher investment result under new CIO responsibility by further optimising the risk-return profile



Generating alpha



# Systematically integrating sustainability criteria when creating value – Key achievements in 2018





# Climate strategy

Enabling new technologies for a low-carbon economy

- Innovative insurance solutions for new technologies, e.g. battery storage
- €1.6bn invested in renewable energies, €0.9bn in green bonds

Driving industry standards for climate risk management via UNEP FI PSI<sup>1</sup> Working Group on TCFD<sup>2</sup> recommendations



## ESG in core business

Sustainability criteria deeply entrenched in our underwriting and investment decisions

- Investment process established to fully integrate ESG criteria for all asset classes
- New approach to coal sector divestment (30% revenue threshold) and strict underwriting exclusions for new coal projects



#### Governance

New remuneration system for the Board of Management, aligned with long-term shareholders' interests

Responsible employer

- Establishment of Munich Re Digital School to enhance digital qualifications of employees
- Voluntary programme to support reduced complexity and digital transformation

Top positions in major external ratings: MSCI AA rating, top 10 in DJSI, #1 Union Investment for governance



### Strong balance sheet, dividend increase and continuation of €1bn share buy-back in 2019





245%

Well above target capitalisation



€3.8bn

Safeguards capital repatriation



13.2% Provides financial flexibility









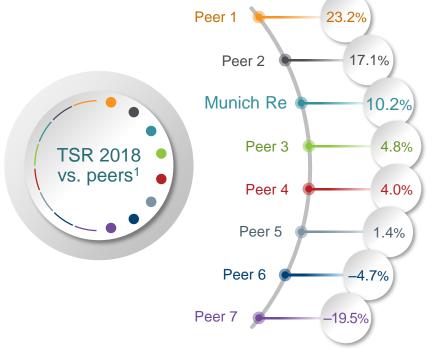
# Focus on TSR – 70% of the Board of Management's long-term variable remuneration linked to relative TSR to peers



Committed to leveraging drivers of TSR ...

Profitable earnings growth – Optimising the risk-return profile Sustainability criteria – Embedded in our value creation Capital management – Efficiency with high pay-outs

... to deliver attractive returns to our shareholders



# Group finance and risk



### Munich RE

# Striking the balance – Efficient management of different metrics safeguards payouts to shareholders



# Munich Re delivers good underlying results according to all metrics





Meets guidance

IFRS NET INCOME

**ECONOMIC EARNINGS** 

€1.9bn (€2.3bn)

Adverse capital market development absorbed



Figures as at 31.12.2018 (31.12.2017).

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# Solid balance sheet limits downside while providing a good basis for earnings growth











#### PROTECT DOWNSIDE

Resilience to adverse development

Defensive portfolio

Prudent setting of reserves

Low level of goodwill limits risk of write-downs

#### SUPPORT EARNINGS

Ongoing reserve releases

Usual harvesting of unrealised gains

Some tax releases in recent years

# Strong reserving position – Protection against adverse development while contributing to earnings strength



## PROTECT DOWNSIDE Global hot spots well managed

#### MOTOR LIABILITY

UK: Significant reduction of discount rate for claims settlement ("Ogden") in 2017

USA: Continually increasing loss frequency and severity – reserve increases for whole US primary market

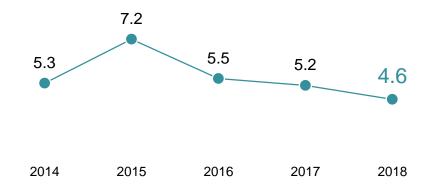
#### **CASUALTY**

USA: High Asbestos: Complex litigation risk, litigation, changes in increased claims legal and regulatory inflation risk environment

US workers' compensation: High losses for reinsurers in business underwritten during soft market (late 90s)

- Prudent reserving approach ensuring solid reserve position going forward
- Stable reserve situation in 2018 demonstrating resilience to all hot-spot areas

SUPPORT EARNINGS Ongoing reserve releases<sup>1</sup>



- Positive run-off responds to benign loss emergence while preserving confidence level
- Cautious initial loss picks for new underwriting year expected to unwind over time

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# Investment portfolio – Resilience to capital market shocks while providing reliable earnings contribution

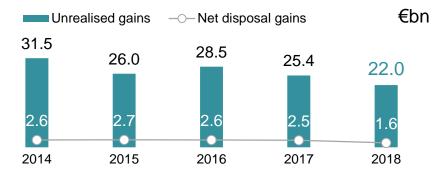
## PROTECT DOWNSIDE Well-balanced profile

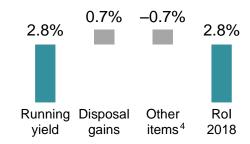


#### High rating quality<sup>3</sup>



## SUPPORT EARNINGS Ongoing disposal gains



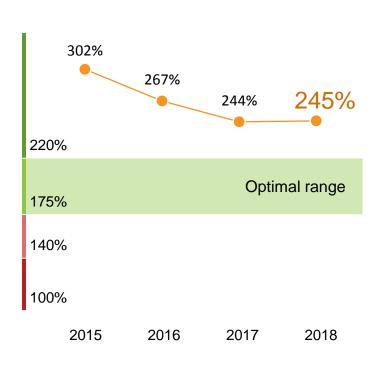


Part of the valuation reserves realised as a result of usual portfolio turnover and prudent ALM

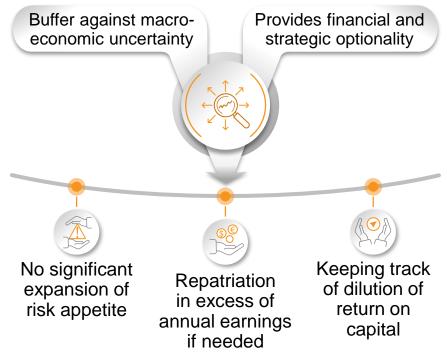


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### Solvency II ratio – Stable capitalisation despite volatile capital markets



#### Keeping SII ratio above the optimal range

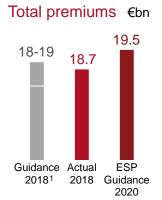


# **ERGO**

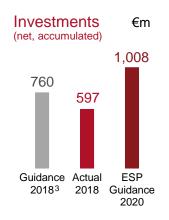


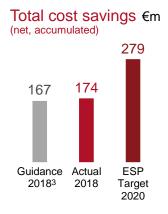
# ERGO Strategy Programme (ESP) on track – Consistent financial delivery and consequent strategic execution













### ERGO Germany

#### **GROUNDWORK FOR GROWTH**

- Tied agent productivity increased by ~20%<sup>4,5</sup>
- New business increased by ~10%, new business in Life increased by 25%<sup>4,5</sup> driven by attractive product portfolio
- Overall cost savings (€174m of €279m) and FTE reduction (~1,240 of ~2,100) in plan

#### INNOVATION AND DIGITISATION

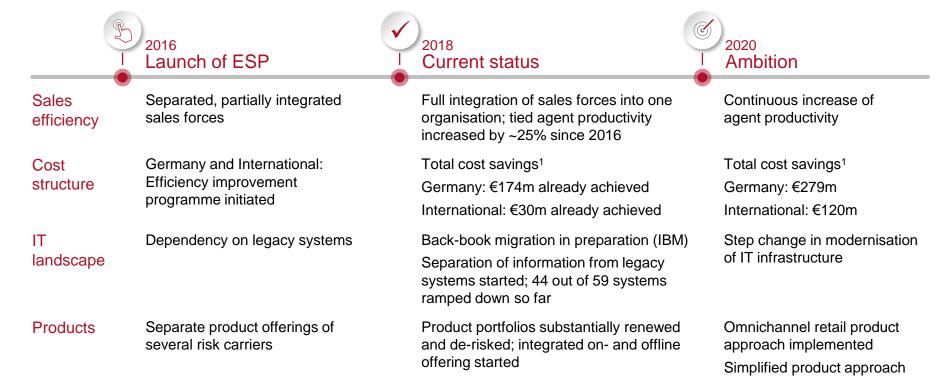
- nexible more than doubled<sup>5</sup> number of policies to ~50.000
- Increasing number of use cases for robotics, voice and AI, modernisation of IT infrastructure on its way
- Number of users of ERGO-wide customer selfservice portal increased by 31%<sup>5</sup> to ~900,000

#### **ERGO** International

- Portfolio consolidation fully on track
- Increased profits in core markets esp. Poland, Baltics, Spain and Austria
- Strong premium development<sup>5</sup> in India (+14%) and China (+45%)

# ERGO Strategy Programme – Highlights





1 Net, accumulated.

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### Framework for digitalisation at ERGO



### Enabling technology and innovation

- Voice: Pioneer offering E2E insurance sale for travel insurance via Alexa
- nce Addressing A industry trends a Modernise IT infrastructure
- Al and robotics: Accelerating process automation with first promising results

- Legacy systems: First results replacing heterogeneous landscape by single IT Management Suite
- ERGO T&SM: Foundation for global IT governance
- Digital IT: Growing hubs in Berlin and Warsaw (~200 experts)

#### Improving existing business models

- Start of business model for hybrid customer
- Integrated product offering for German risk carriers
- Unified customer database and CRM tool
- Unified customer self-service portal with further increase in users (900k users, +31% y-o-y)
- OneWebsite to be launched in Q2 2019

#### Disrupting existing business models

- Start of purely digital player with motor product in 2017 (20k policies)
- Policies more than doubled in 2018 (50k policies, +150%)
- Soft market entry in Austria and second product (launch 2019) in preparation

#### Establishing new business models

ERGO Mobility Solutions as a partner of automotive and mobility industry

Dedicated infrastructure

Highly qualified team

Automotive specific IT system

Automotive factory concept for operations and claims mgmt.

 Strategic investments in New Mobility ecosystem start-ups fair.com and Ridecell

#### Creating a digital culture and new way of working

- Digital Factory: Agile working initiated implementing the hybrid customer (25 teams); roll-out started targeting E2E process digitization (4 teams)
- Digital Morning: Regular dialogues to foster cultural transformation on major German ERGO sites (~200 participants/session)
- Transformation@ergo: Supplement to existing training programmes aiming at the requirements of a digital working environment

### Life and Health Germany



Status 2018

GROSS PREMIUMS WRITTEN €9.3bn (€9.2bn)



ROI 2.9% (3.5%)

#### Life

### New IT platform: Reducing legacy risks, lifting efficiency gains

- Life portfolio management partnership with IBM
- Ramp-up phase successfully completed, migration of first tranche expected for Q1 2020
- Reduction of IT costs (sourcing/partnership) and realisation of efficiency gains

#### Maintain sustainable profitability

- Strengthen earnings potential of back book over time while maintaining financial stability
- Operational and organisational separation of classic life business completed
- Continued hedging programme via receiver swaptions and new interest-rate reinsurance programme to mitigate interest-rate risk

#### Health

#### Strong position in comprehensive insurance

- Stable and attractive earnings contribution
- Offering for online and hybrid customers further developed
- Position as second biggest insurer in German market (GWP: €3.7bn) confirmed

#### Market leadership in supplementary health

- Further growth in supplementary health business (+12%¹)
- ERGO clear market leader (GWP: €1.6bn) expansion in long-term care and direct insurance
- Hybrid customer: All relevant supplementary health products available online

Figures as at 31.12.2018 (31.12.2017). 1 2018 vs. 2017. Balance sheet press conference 2019 24

### **Property-casualty Germany**



Status 2018

GROSS PREMIUMS WRITTEN €3.4bn (€3.3bn)

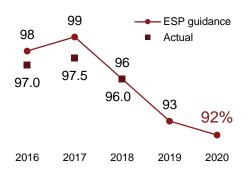


COMBINED RATIO **96.0%** (97.5%)

#### Combined ratio – On track to 92% target

Improvement driven by

- Top-line growth
- Decrease in expense ratio mainly driven by realisation of efficiency gains and decreasing ESP investments
- Decrease in claims ratio influenced by E2E digitalisation of claims processes, e.g. motor, further product lines planned



#### Products – Achievements in 2018

- Modularisation and simplification of retail product portfolio
- New IT back-end system and pricing engine for motor business implemented, ~7m policies migrated
- New motor tariff with simplified product model launched, further product optimisations planned
- Profitable premium growth in commercial and industrial business

Figures as at 31.12.2018 (31.12.2017)

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#### International



Status 2018

**GROSS PREMIUMS WRITTEN** 

P-C **€2.8bn** (**€**2.8bn)

Life **€0.8bn** (**€**0.9bn)

Health **€1.4bn** (€1.4bn)

NET RESULT €103m (€40m)

COMBINED RATIO **94.6%** (95.3%)

## Strengthen presence in core markets

- Poland and Baltics: Significant contribution, continuous high profitability of motor business
- Greece: Bancassurance cooperation extended (10 years)
- Spain Health: Operational improvement leading to higher profit
- Belgium Health: Premium growth<sup>2</sup> (+7%), product portfolio de-risking started

## Capture opportunities in dedicated growth markets

- Positive development in major growth markets despite adverse currency effects
- India: Good premium growth<sup>2</sup> (+14%)
- China: Significant premium increase<sup>2</sup> (+45%)

#### Execute international optimisation

- Progress in defined portfolio optimisation: Sale of 13 entities<sup>1</sup>
- Implementation of cost optimisation programme: Planned savings of ~€80m (gross, run rate) until 2020, efficiency measures on track

# Reinsurance



### Good 2018 performance



#### PROPERTY-CASUALTY

**NET RESULT** 

€1,135m (–€476m)

Sound underlying profitability despite higher frequency of smaller and medium-sized losses

COMBINED RATIO

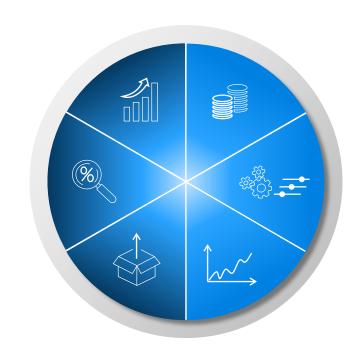
99.4% (114.1%)

Close to original full-year target – underlying combined ratio ~99%

#### RESERVE RELEASES<sup>1</sup>

4.6% (5.2%)

Absolute amount of reserve releases largely unchanged – confidence level preserved



#### LIFE AND HEALTH

**NET RESULT** 

€729m (€596m)

Improvement in line with technical result and high investment result

TECHNICAL RESULT INCL. FEE INCOME

€584m (€428m)

Significantly above guidance due to favourable claims experience and pleasing new business development

#### **NEW BUSINESS CONTRIBUTION**

**€1.1**bn (€1.1bn)

Again attractive level – driven by strong traditional business in NA and Asia as well as FinMoRe

#### Reinsurance business delivers on 2020 ambition

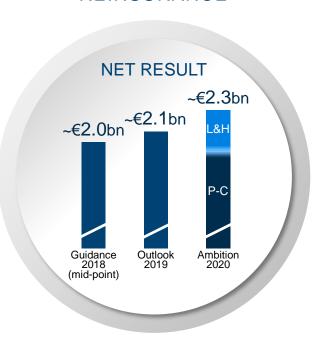


#### PROPERTY-CASUALTY

# Execution of growth strategy

- Profitable growth strategy gaining traction
- Portfolio mix can affect combined ratio without profitability implications
- Net result not only driven by pure technical result, but also by risk-free interest rates and non-technical income items
- Cost management to support combined ratio in 2019 and 2020

#### REINSURANCE



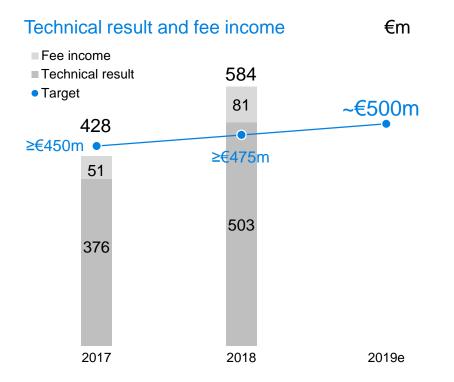
#### LIFE AND HEALTH

# Growing result contributes to Group ambition

- Continuous earnings growth from vital new business proposition
- Active portfolio management may lead to short-term volatility while being accretive to earnings in the longer term

# Sustainable new business proposition and active portfolio management foster earnings growth





#### Steady earnings growth

- Strong footprint in traditional reinsurance as the core of new business generation
- Established initiatives (FinMoRe, Asia, asset protection, longevity) contributing to growth
- New reinsurance products and risk-related services
- Active portfolio management improving earnings stability and reducing strain from underperforming business
- Guidance 2019 assumes claims in the range of expectation and no major one-offs from in-force management

# Munich Re is well positioned to profitably grow its core business fields and drive innovation in the industry





- 1 Sustainable new business proposition and active portfolio management
- 2 Effectively serving our clients and strengthening the business model
- Reinforcing underlying profitability and growth
- Building a diversified profit base shaping and seizing opportunities in the digital transformation of the (re)insurance industry

### 2|Strategic initiatives are delivering



#### BUSINESS GROWTH



### Top position in core mature markets

- Expansion in currently underrepresented segments/markets
- Stronger focus on US regional business
- Selective expansion of cat XL business

#### BUSINESS EXCELLENCE



## Living client centricity

- Regional centers successfully implemented
- ADVANCE<sup>1</sup> with strong response

## Smart growth in core emerging markets

- Focus on Asia, Latin America and Africa
- Expansion of specialty business,
   e.g. agro, marine, credit/mortgage
- ✓ Public-sector development closing the protection gap

## First-class underwriting and risk management

 Invest in in-house cyber expertise and technology partnerships

## Capital management solutions

- Expanding global footprint
- Diversifying portfolio

## Efficient and agile processes

- Complexity and cost reduction
- Digitalisation of selective processes and functions
- Global IT transformation

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# 4 | We focus on tangible business impact – Innovative and more disruptive offerings are gaining traction



#### MUNICH RE STRATEGIC ADVANTAGES

Domain expertise in underwriting, claims, risk management Efficient access to new solutions Global presence Financial strength Strong brand and reputation No IT legacy

Details on next slides

Reshuffling the value chain



- Digital cooperation models (e.g. Digital Partners, SaveUp)
- IoT applications and services (via HSB/relayr)

## Expanding the boundaries of insurability



- Cyber embedded service solutions and growing cooperation network, e.g. DXC Technology
- Insurance of AI technology

## Data-driven solutions



 Digitally augmented underwriting/ claims solutions for our cedants (e.g. Realytix, Improvex, Non-Life Analytics Platform)

## Investments in technology and people



- Cutting-edge AI cooperations (e.g. DFKI¹ membership)
- Global analytics organisation and infrastructure in place
- Data science community >200 FTEs

## Strategic investments in partnerships



- >€130m invested² in >20 companies (e.g. Team 8) focusing on InsurTech, IoT, data analytics and AI
- Focus on joint value creation

### 4 Internet of Things – Developing insurance, finance and technology solutions



#### SME

Loss prevention via sensor deployment

Direct (HSB) or whitelabelling for insurers

#### MID to LARGE

Insurance and financial solutions

Fnd-to-end IoT implementations

> Direct (HSB/relayr)

#### LARGE INDUSTRIAL

Financial asset and risk management

> Direct/via industry partners

#### We bring the technology

- Acquisition of meshify
- Turnkey IoT solutions in place1
- Ongoing commercialisation

Acquisition of relayr.

Partnerships with leading IoT industrials





Partners bring the technology



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