

2024 Q1 Results

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Business Highlights



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■ Sustainability & Environment:

- Safety is and will remain Adisseo's first priority: Q1 2024 TRIR landed at **0** with no recordable accident
- Adisseo on track towards sustainability ambition thanks to tight management of environmental KPIs and investments:
 - Nanjing steam recycling project put in use since early 2024
 - Nanjing plant wastewater treatment project started construction in April

■ Business highlights: Q1 revenues of **CNY3.5bn (+11% yoy)**, and strong recurring net profit of **CNY379m**, representing a **10.8%** margin, thanks to:

- Strong volume growth in methionine driven by **+13%** volume growth in liquid methionine
- Continued growth in specialties in monogastric, aqua offsetting difficult dairy market in the U.S.
- Positive impact from decreased raw material and energy cost as well as continuous monitoring and optimization on global supply chain, distribution and duties management

■ Key Projects on track

- European Specialties Expansion Project construction completed, the start-up is expected in early May this year
- Internalization of protected methionine production, allowing both cost improvements and capacity expansion, is well on track
- New Innovia plant built in France, a drying formulation unit for specialties, is in the industrial ramp-up phase

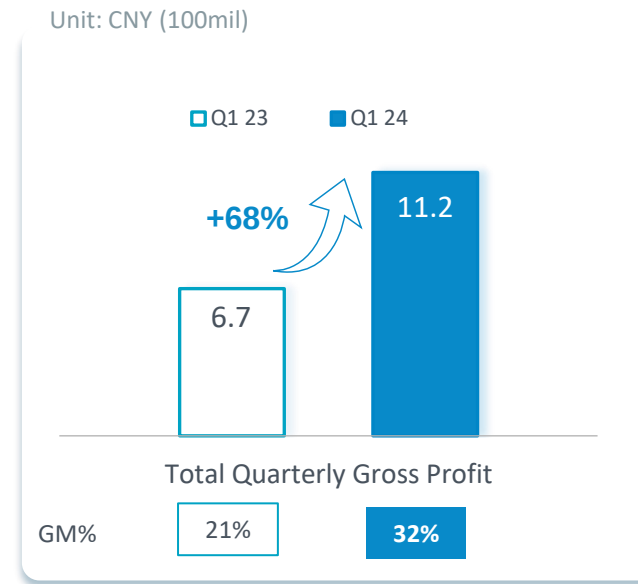
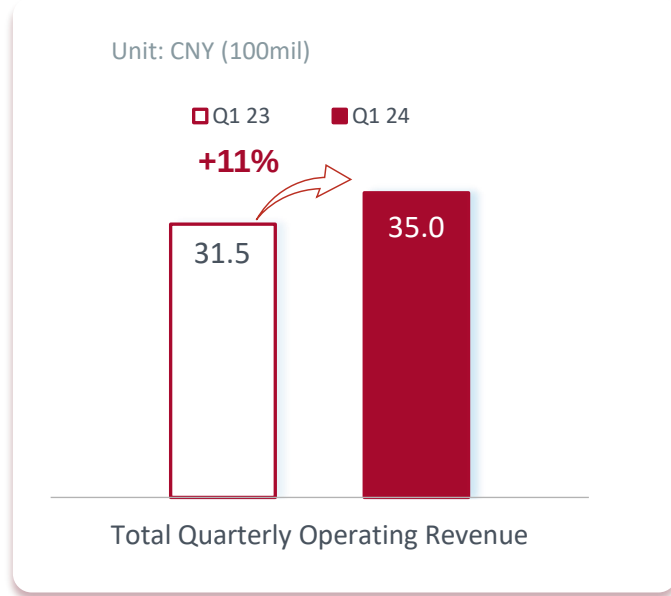
■ One-China Strategy continues its successful track

- Continuous penetration of liquid methionine in China market
- Nanjing Plant continues to improve its competitiveness. Turnaround is being successfully completed
- New 150KT powder methionine plant in Quanzhou obtained all permits and groundbreaking ceremony organized at the end of March
- 1st Chinese specialty manufacturing plant in Nanjing on track targeting to complete construction by the end of 2024
- 1st sales of FeedKind® were delivered in April 2024

■ Launch of no more than **CNY3bn** private placement to support business growth and strategy implementation



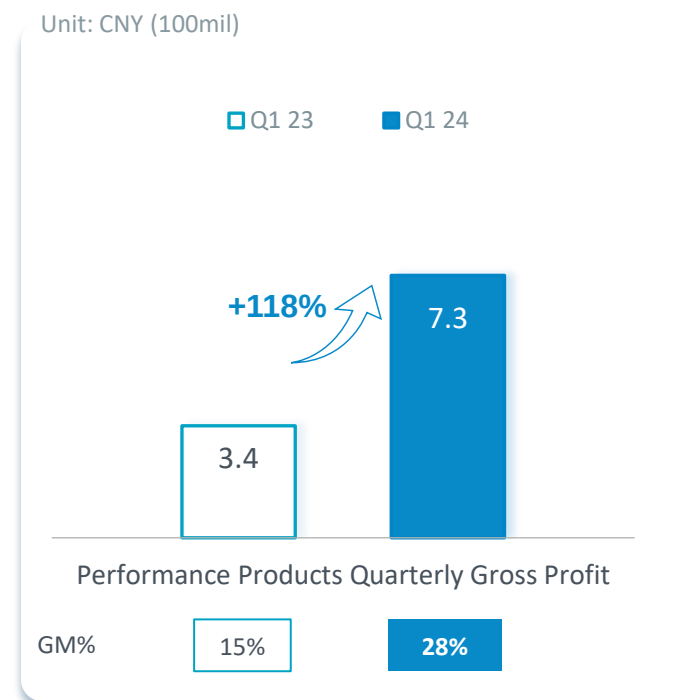
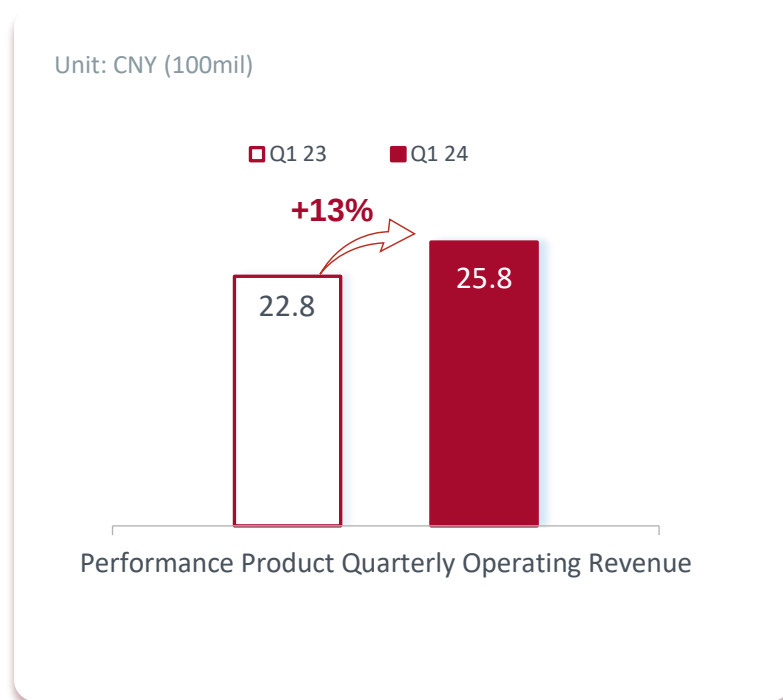
Strong rebound of Q1 2024 operational performance



Q1 revenue (CNY3.5bn) recorded a 11% yoy increase and gross margin improved by +11ppt to 32%, thanks to:

- Strong volume growth in methionine driven by continuous volume penetration in liquid methionine **(+13%)**
- Continued specialty business growth in monogastric **(+5%)** and aqua business **(+16%)** offsetting struggling dairy market in the U.S.
- Gross margin improvement thanks to decreased raw material and energy costs as well as improved yield and tolling terms
- Positive impacts arising from global supply chain, distribution and duties management

Q1 2024 Performance Products revenue (+13% yoy) and gross profit (+118% yoy)



Q1 performance products revenues (CNY2.58bn, +13% yoy) and +13ppt increase in gross margin, thanks to:

- Strong volume growth in methionine contributed by main regions
- Methionine selling price increasing
- Vitamin business' encouraging trend

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Performance Products business highlights in Q1 2024



Methionine

- Continued penetration in liquid methionine led to a strong volume growth of **+13%** contributed by China, Europe/CIS, MEA, Latin America
- Methionine prices increased in Q1, and the upward momentum is being pursued in Q2
- Nanjing and European liquid methionine plants continued to improve production costs, thanks to lower raw materials and energy costs, yield and operational efficiency improvements
- Manufacturing cost of powder methionine is also at good level thank to the high reliability of the powder plant
- The new 150KT powder methionine plant in Quanzhou obtained all permits and the groundbreaking ceremony organized on 29th March

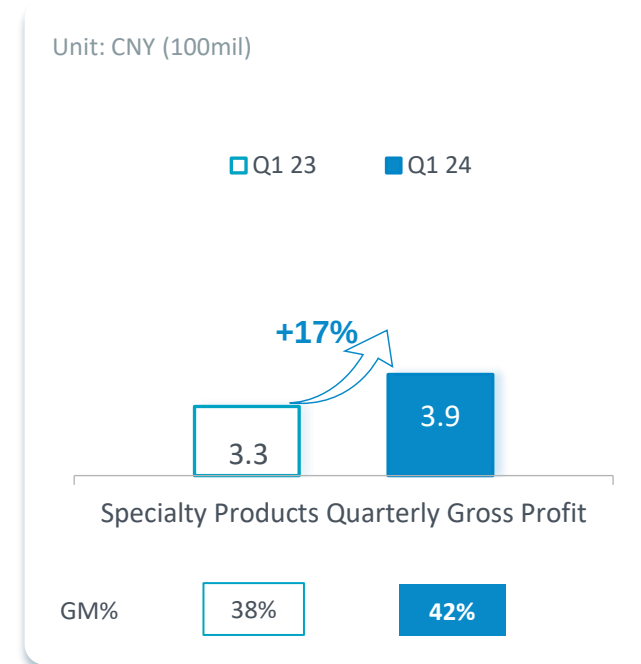
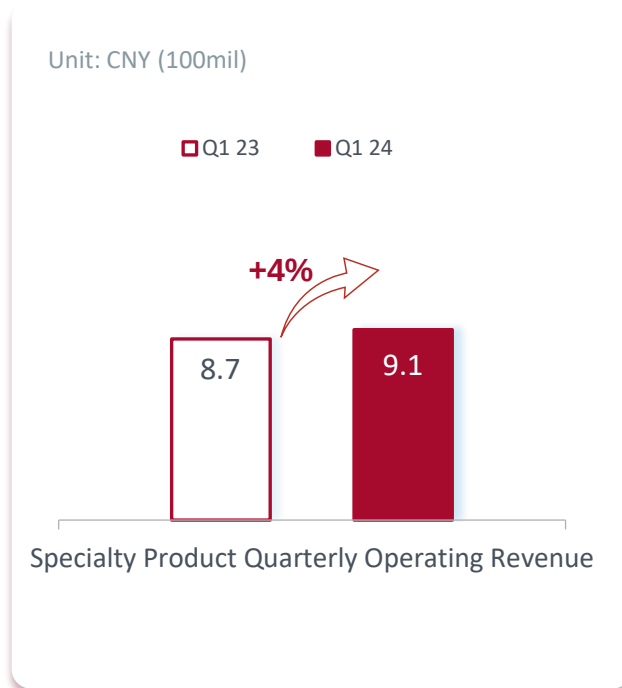


Vitamins

- Encouraging Vitamin business trend in Q1 2024
- Vitamin A pricing continues to stabilize
- Vitamin portfolio volumes at a high level



Specialty Products in Q1: revenue growth (+4% yoy) with margin @ 42%



Despite the persistently challenging dairy market in the U.S., specialties revenues reached **CNY910m (+4% yoy)** and gross margin improved to **42%** in Q1 2024, thanks to:

- Business growth in monogastric
- Continuous double-digit growth in aqua
- Decrease in raw material, energy and tolling costs

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Specialty Products business highlights in Q1 2024

- In Q1 2024, Specialty business recorded a yoy revenue growth of **+4%**, resulting from a combined effect of:
 - Growth in monogastric sales **(+5%)**, led by good performance of Selisseo **(+16%)**, feed integrity **(+27%)**, Framelco and palatability as well as overall good performance in Middle East Asia, Asia Pacific, Latin America and North America
 - Continuous double-digit growth in aqua **(+16%)**, with strong sales performance in most regions
 - Successful launch of a new solution leveraging Norfeed product in Q1
 - Despite low demand on dairy market in the U.S., resulting from continuous low protein prices
- **The European Specialties Expansion and Optimization project** construction was completed, and the start-up is expected in early May this year
- The new **Innovia** plant built in France, a drying formulation unit for specialties, is in industrial ramp-up phase
- **The project to internalize esterification process to produce Metasmart** is well on track. Thanks to a new innovative, eco-circular process, it allows both cost improvements and capacity expansion to support ruminant business in a more efficient and sustainable way



One-China strategy

- Continuous penetration of **liquid methionine** in China market
- **Nanjing Plant** continues to improve its competitiveness, thanks to its excellent safety performance, high yield as well as decreased raw material and energy costs.
 - Turnaround is being successfully completed
 - Steam recycling project in Nanjing put in use since early 2024, aiming to enjoy energy consumption efficiency as well as cost competitiveness
 - Nanjing plant wastewater treatment started its construction in April, expected to start up in 2025
- **The new 150KT powder methionine plant in Quanzhou** has obtained all permits and groundbreaking organized on 29th March, expected to start up in 2027
- **The first Chinese Specialty Blending Facility in Nanjing** is on track, with construction expected to be completed by the end of 2024
- The first sales of **FeedKind®** were delivered in April 2024





Financial Performance

Q1 2024 financial performance

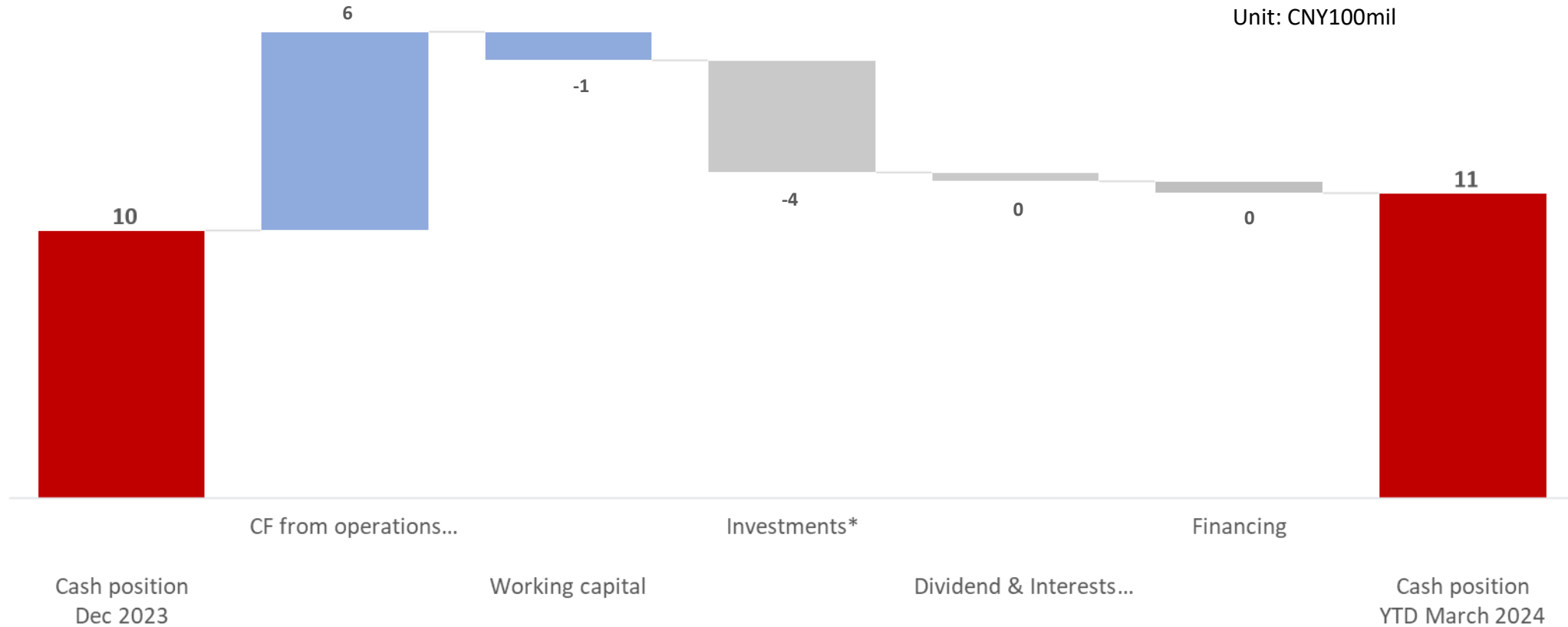
Unit: CNY 100mil

	Q1 2024	Q1 2023	vs PY%
Revenue	35.0	31.5	11%
Gross profit	11.2	6.7	68%
Contribution on sales	32%	21%	
EBITDA	7.6	4.1	85%
EBITDA margin	22%	13%	
Recurring EBITDA	8.6	3.9	121%
Recurring EBITDA margin	25%	12%	
Net profit attributable to shareholders	2.77	0.01	n/a
Net margin	8%	0.03%	
Recurring net profit attributable to shareholders	3.79	-0.23	n/a
Recurring net margin	10.8%	-0.7%	

- Q1 2024 **net profit attributable to shareholders** landed at **CNY277 million** despite non-recurring restructuring costs. **The recurring net profit attributable to shareholders** landed at **CNY379 million**.
- Recurring EBITDA ratio** rebounded from **12%** in Q1 2023 to **25%** in Q1 2024, largely supported by the improved gross margin.



Q1 2024 cash flow



- **Cash position** as of 31 March 2024 stood at **CNY1.1 billion**, an increase of **CNY0.1 billion** compared to 31 December 2023.
- In Q1 2024, Adisseo recorded a positive cashflow from operating activities of **CNY0.6 billion**, mainly driven by improved profitability of the business.

Cost control and optimization

- Ongoing **cost competitiveness enhancement program** continues with expected recurring savings of **CNY111mil** in 2024, leveraging:
 - Digitalization capabilities
 - Continuous yield improvement
 - Purchasing power thanks notably to synergies with Sinochem (insurance program, energy...)
- **Operational excellence program in progress in European plants**, notably the definitive shutdown of the powder methionine production line in Commentry (France), is expected to further boost the competitiveness of European platform
- Continuous active monitoring and optimization of global supply chain, distribution and duties costs, notably in the U.S.

Private placement of no more than CNY3bn to be launched in April

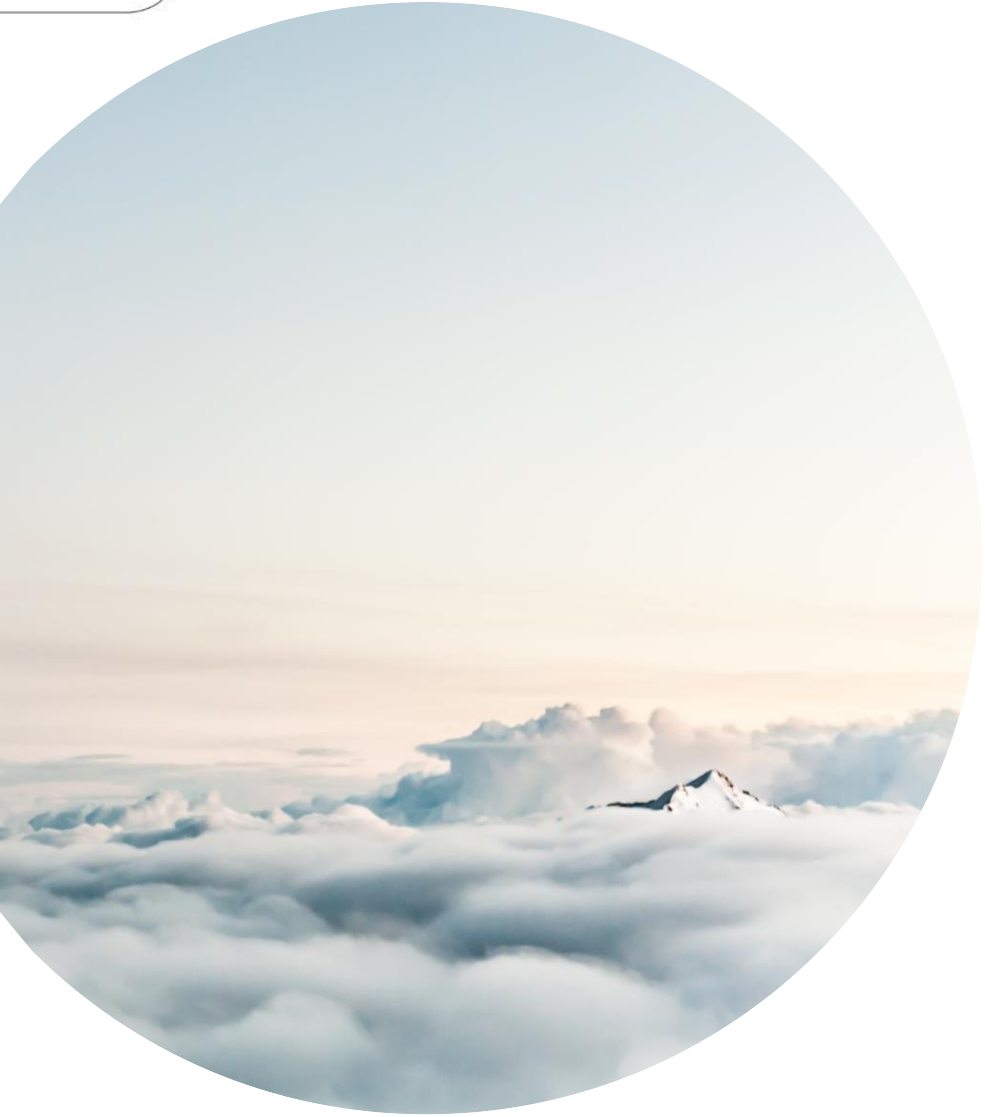
Key Terms	Summary
Offering Size	No more than CNY3bn (including CNY3bn)
Pricing Mechanism	Price floor of 80% of 20-day VWAP prior to pricing benchmark date ⁽¹⁾
Target Investors	- No more than 35 target investors (with a lock-up period of 6 months). - Bluestar Group and related parties will not be involved
Use of Proceeds (UoP)	70% for project construction / capacity expansion 30% for general purpose (working capital and debt repayment)
Expected schedule	Expected to be completed by the end of 2024

Note:

1. Pricing benchmark date is defined as the first day of the offering period

Total investment amount (CNY6bn)

Performance Product		Specialties		Sustainability	
CNY:100mil	1	2	3	4	
	PICSAR	FOSIC	SPEAR	PAQUES	
Project	150KT Powder Methionine	37KT Specialties Blending Facilities	Spanish Protected Methionine internalization project	Wastewater treatment project	
Product	Powder Methionine	Specialties	Ruminant	ESG	
Location	Fujian, China 	Jiangsu, China 	Burgos, Spain 	Jiangsu, China 	
Total Investment	49.32	+	3.05	+	3.95
					+
					3.28



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Business Outlook

Sustainability and safety will remain Adisseo's top priorities.

Market demand is progressively recovering. The good operating dynamics in Q1 2024 is expected to be pursued in Q2 2024.

Adisseo is fully engaged to deliver growth, improve margins and pursue strategic investments for the future. This includes:

- Continue to improve operational excellence, while reinforcing cost leadership and delivering sustainability
- Accelerate methionine and specialties growth including turnover and volume
- Continuously accelerate innovation to deliver improvement on cost position and technical service to customers and new product offerings or solutions
- Pursue strategic investment to support sustainable and profitable business growth



