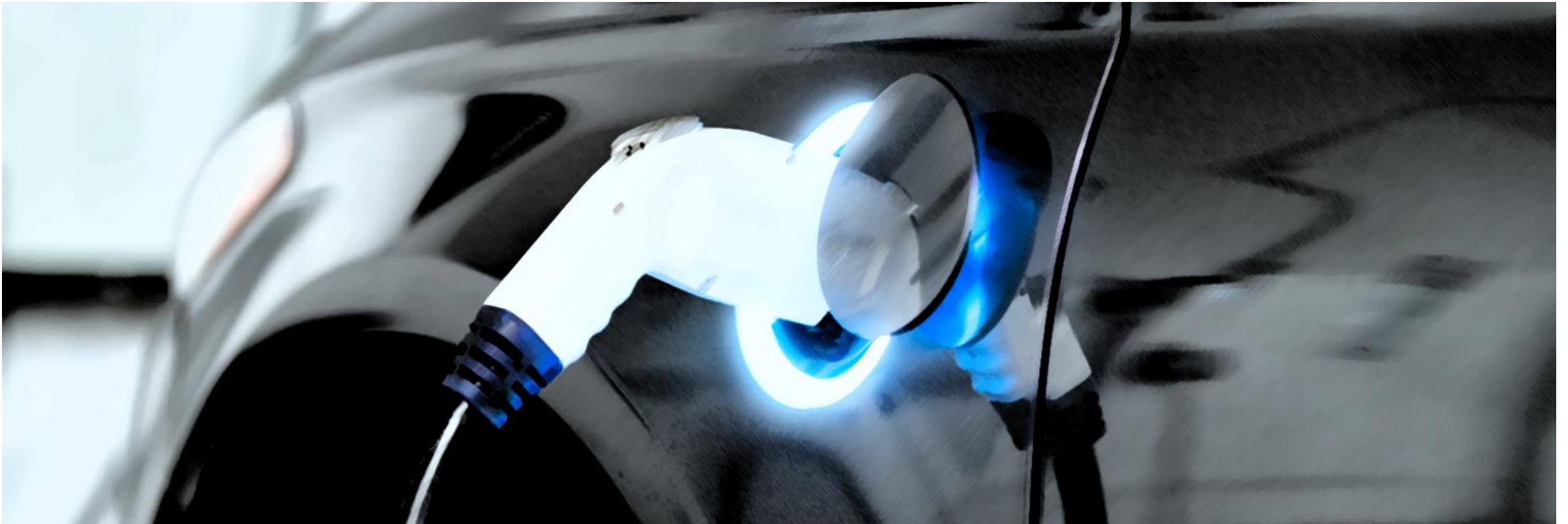




The Electrifying Cost of Electric Vehicles



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Years



600+
Staff worldwide



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Analyzed vehicles



650+
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customers



Global
Footprint with
17 locations



40Million
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100+
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How can data analytics help you navigate this change?

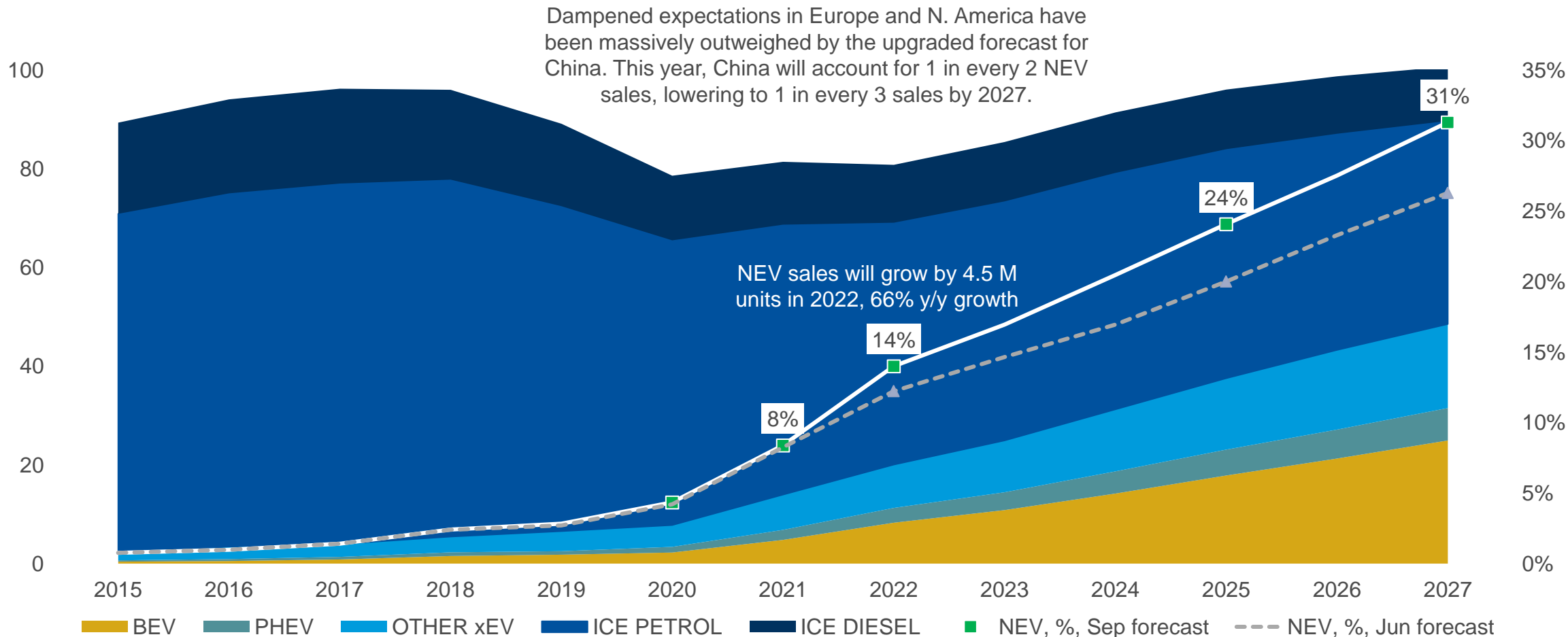
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Global automotive markets are set for huge change

Global light vehicle sales by powertrain

LHS Million units, RHS %





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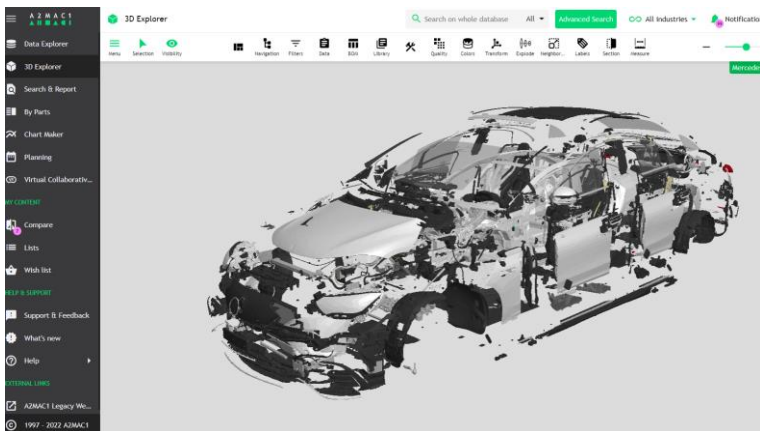
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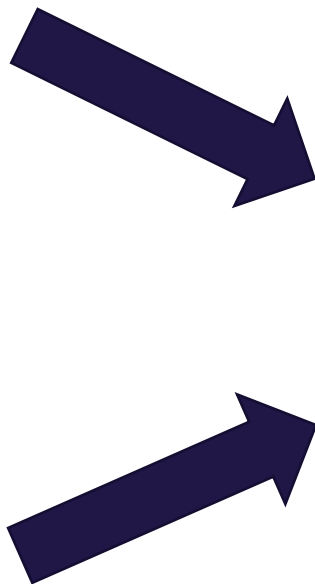
Combining expertise to create vehicle price indices...



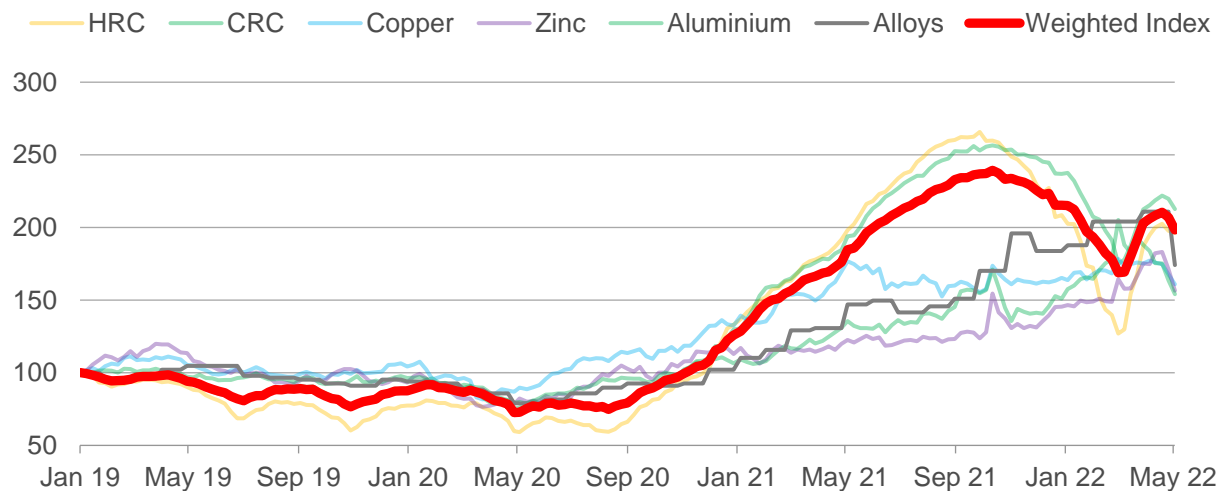
CRU's commodity price indices



A2MAC1's teardown component data



Vehicle (Golf) Metals Index
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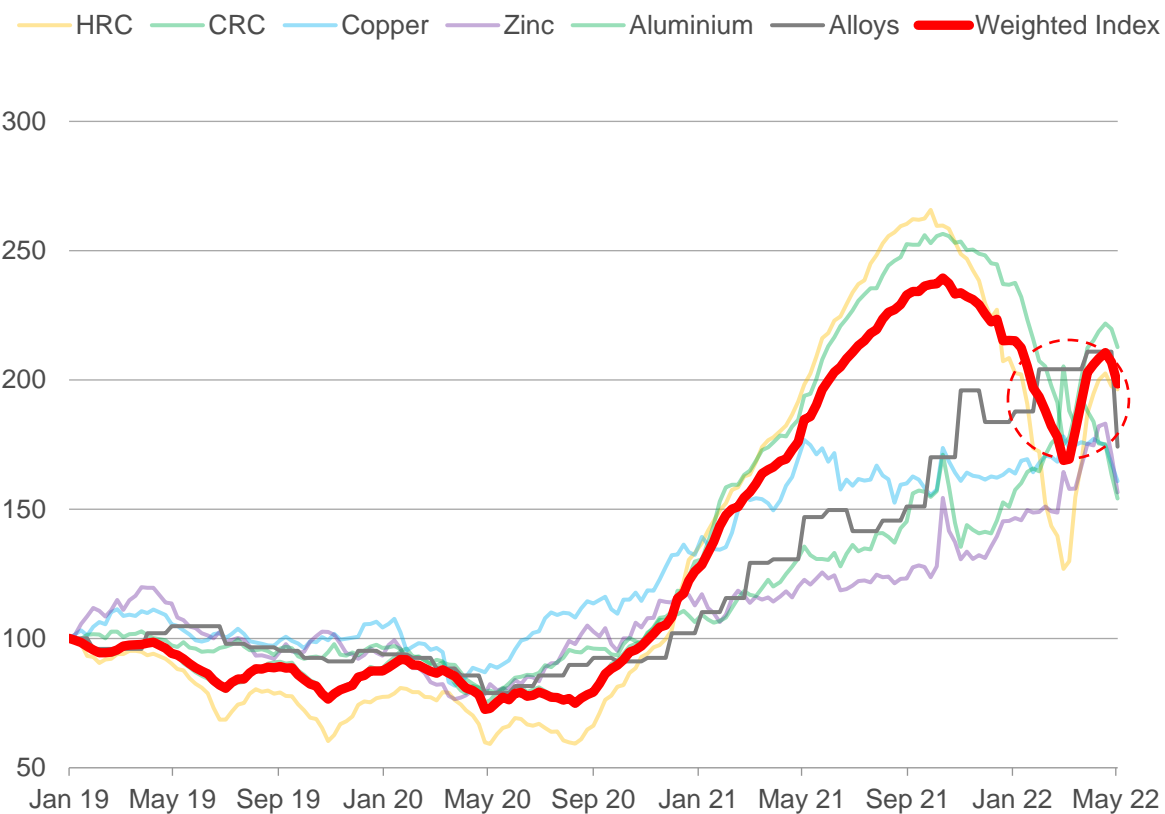


We have the data to generate raw material indices for the entire automotive market

...enabling the identification of trends based on real data

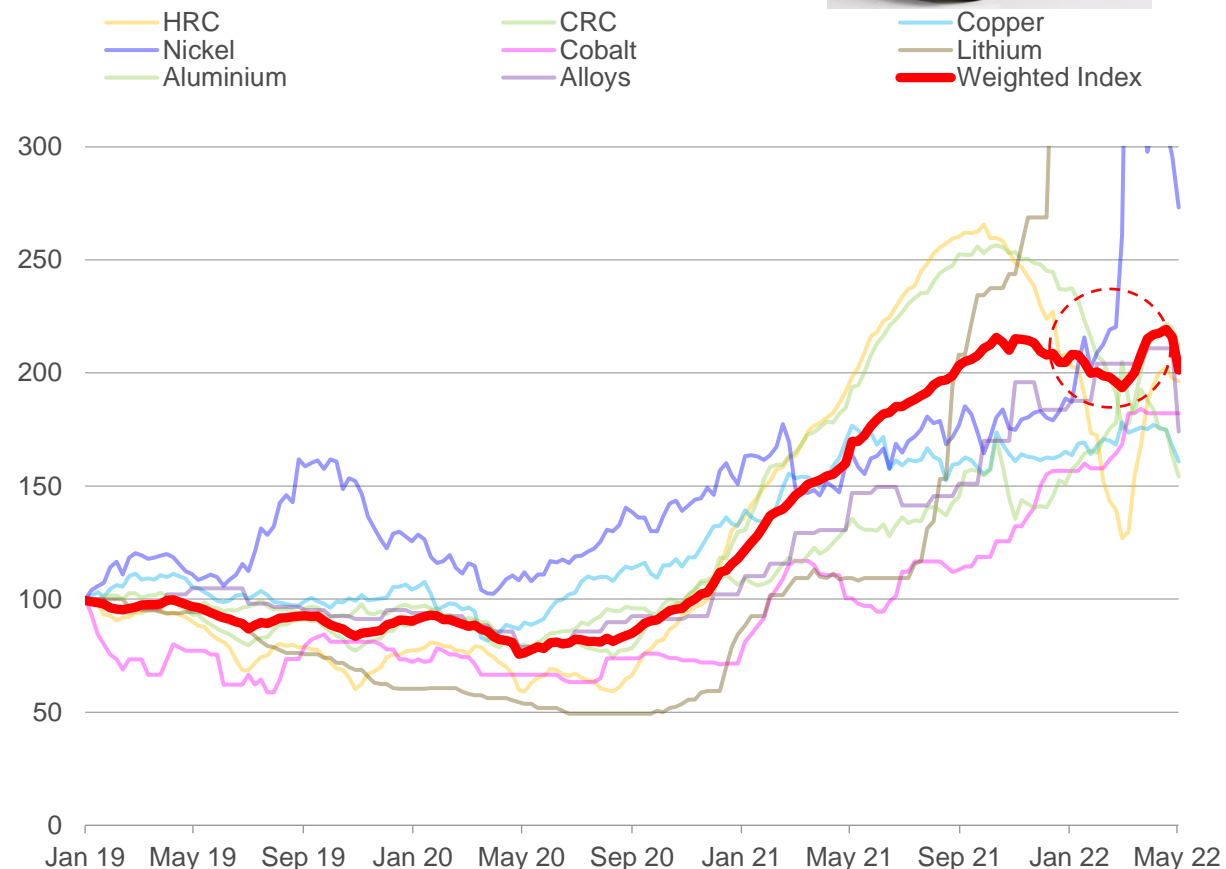
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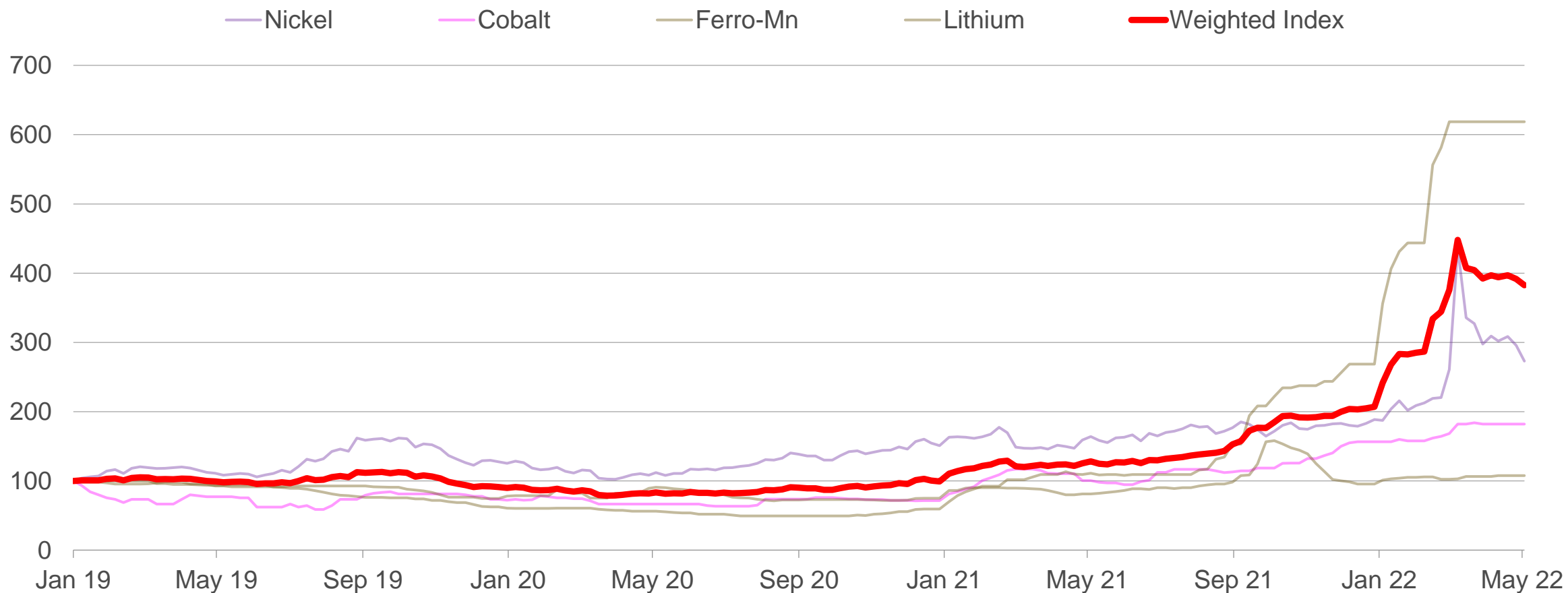
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The methodology can be applied to batteries too

Battery NMC Index

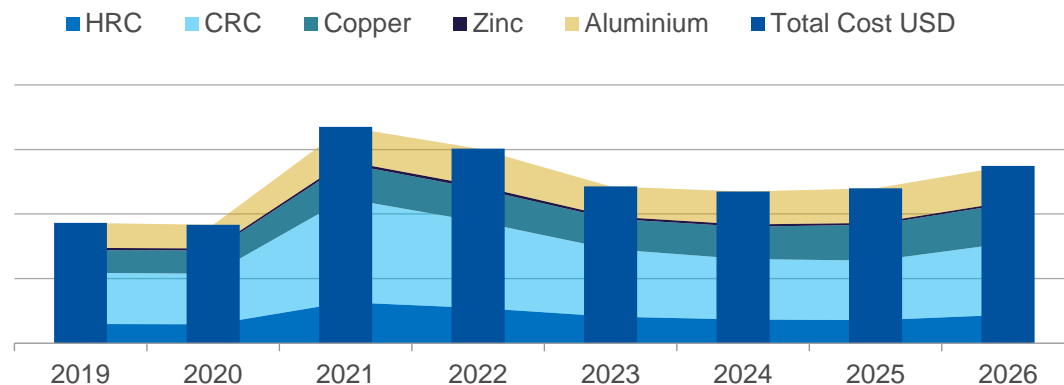
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Looking ahead a “step-change” in total metal costs is clear

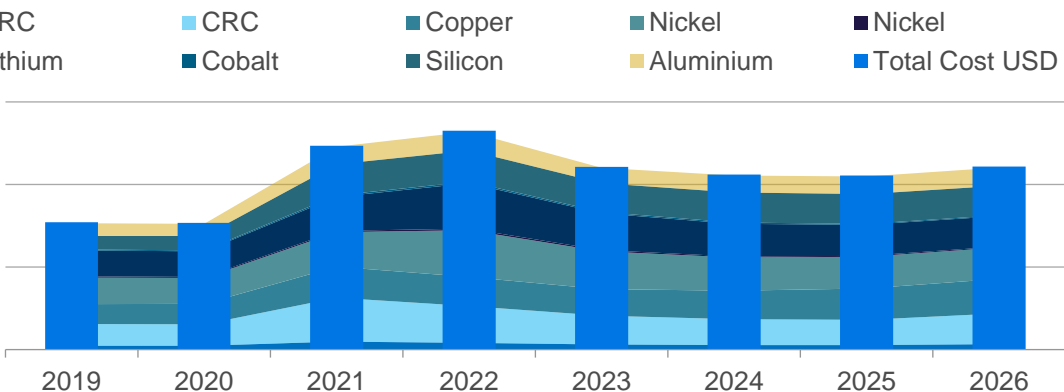
Metals (Costed Weight of Metal) Price Forecast Golf

Price USD



Metals (Costed Weight of Metal) Price Forecast ID3

Price USD



- Metal cost for an both an ICE and an EV vehicles up 80% in 2022 from pre-pandemic levels
- Short-term price decline expected but level to remain above pre-pandemic levels in the medium-term
- A ‘battery metal premium’ also exists, EV metal cost is double that of an ICE vehicle
- Metal cost remain over ~40% up on pre-pandemic suggesting a step-change to a new ‘new normal’.



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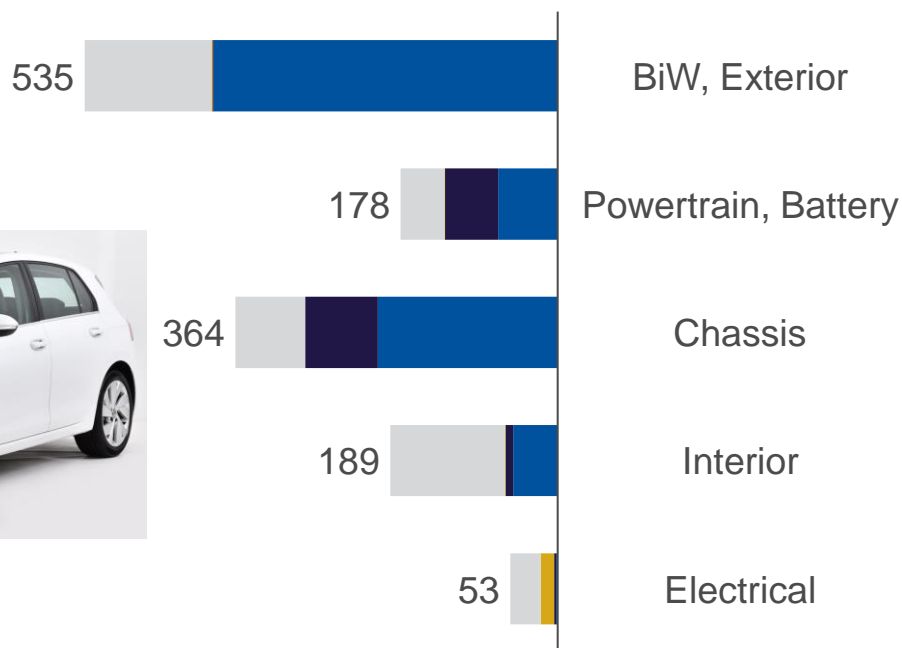
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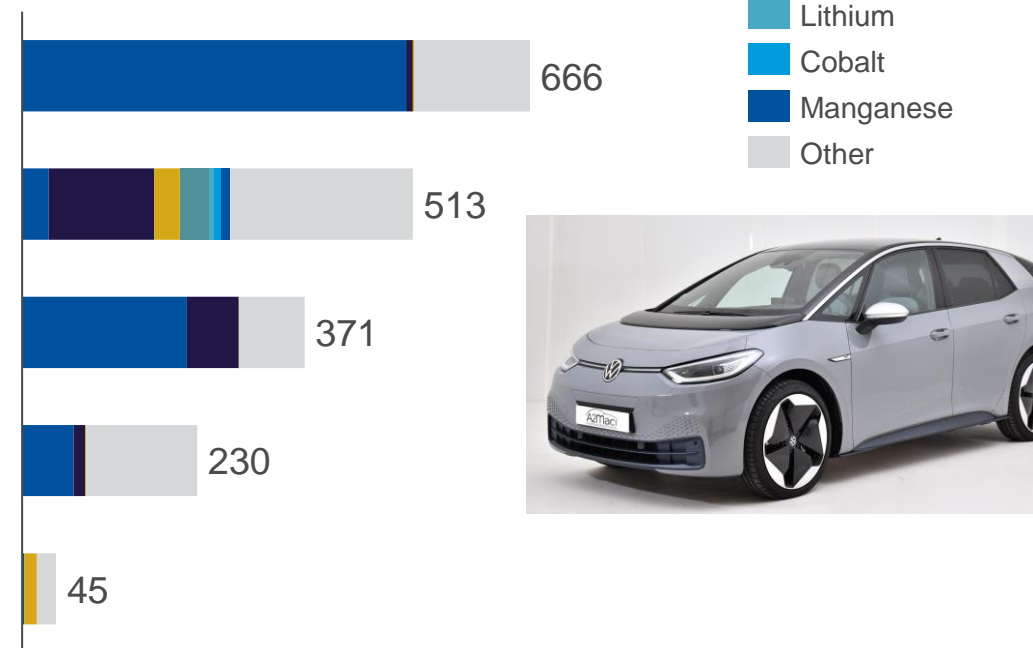
Electric vehicles with high increases of copper and aluminium content

Component weight by raw material /kg

ICE Vehicle – Volkswagen Golf



EV – Volkswagen ID3



High raw material cost baseline driven by higher use of high-cost materials such as:

- Aluminium (~30-80% increase depending on battery and body design)
- Copper (increase by factor of 2-3)
- Battery metals (Lithium, Nickel, Cobalt, etc)

Electrification is changing material composition in 3 main areas

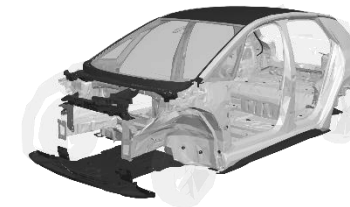
ICE/Mild Hybrids

BEV

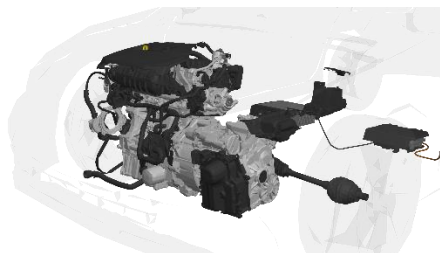
BiW, exterior, and Chassis



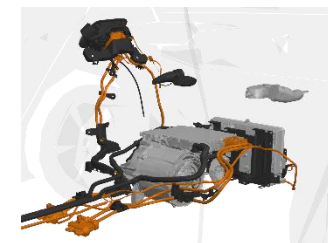
- BEV apply lightweighting, but with high cost sensitivity
- Advanced BEV designs with reduced material usage in underbody due to battery pack carrying structural load



Powertrain

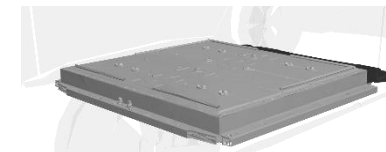


- Heavy steel combustion engine replaced by e-motor
- BEV uses simplified gearbox (only 1 translation ratio in >95% of BEVs) and propulsion shafts



Battery

- BEV with heavy battery housing (mostly aluminum currently) and aluminum cooling panels
- Aluminum, Copper, and other metals usage in battery cells varying by chemistry



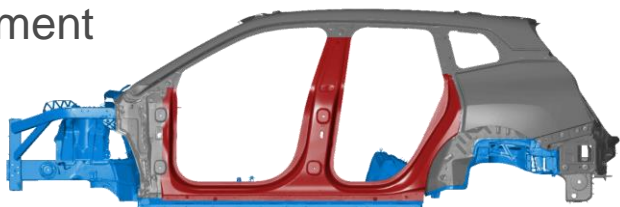
BiW: Light-weighting is relevant especially for performance BEVs

Volume segment



VW ID.3 375 kg Steel BiW

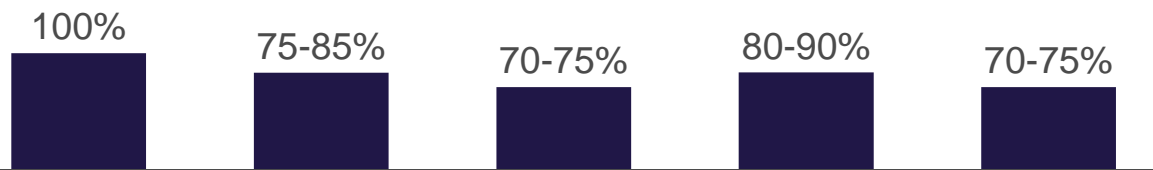
Performance segment



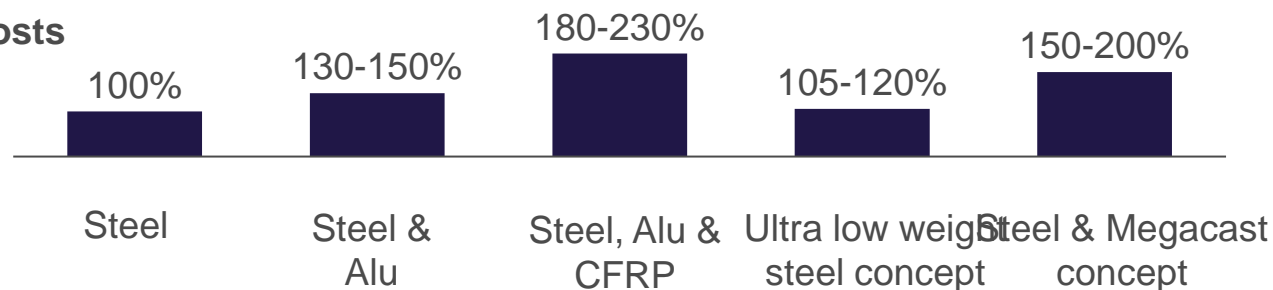
BMW iX 408 kg hybrid BiW
40% steel and 55% aluminum (incl. 60 kg of die-casted parts) and 5% carbon fiber

Model calculation of expected weight and costs effects of different light-weighting technique

Weight



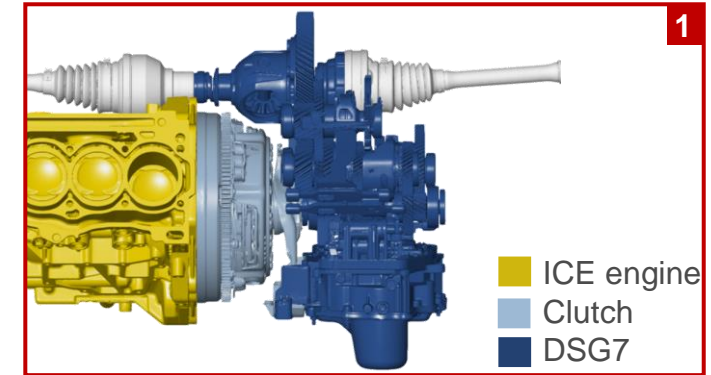
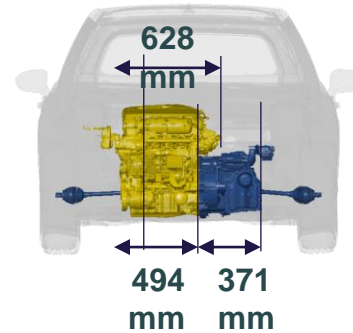
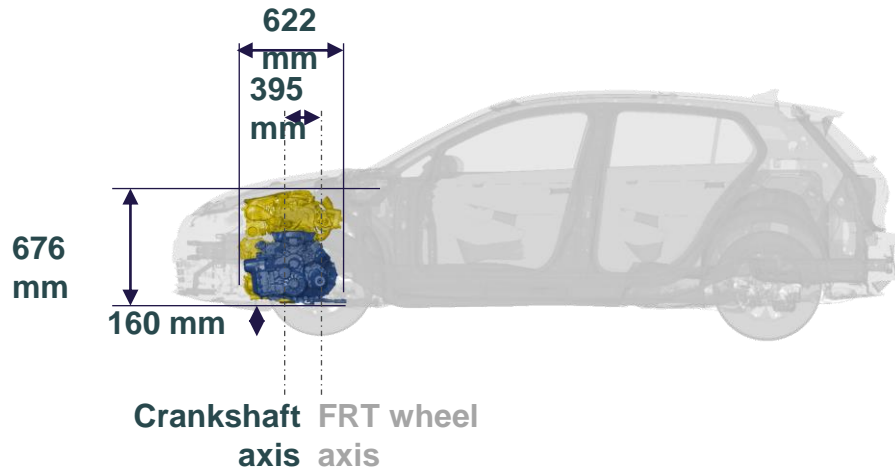
Costs



Expected to stay standard solution for small and mid-sized volume models

Different light-weighting techniques, relevant especially for large-size and high performance BEVs; Megacasting with additional CAPEX savings for the assembly line

Powertrain: ~200kg of steel and aluminium which are replaced



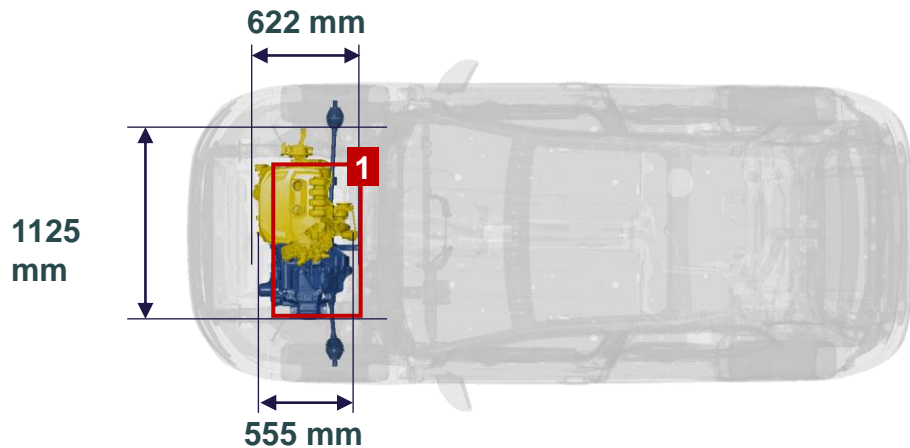
TOTAL WEIGHT = 206.5 kg

ENGINE : 108.4 kg	
ICE Engine	1.5 Turbo Mild Hybrid (Transversal engine)
ICE Horsepower / Max. Torque	150 Hp / 250 Nm (source : OEM)
E-motor power	-
Combination Horsepower / Max. Torque	-
Bore / Stroke	74.5 / 85.9 mm (source : OEM)
Compression ratio	10.5 (source : OEM)
TRANSMISSION : 98.1 kg	
Drivetrain	FWD
Gearbox	Dual clutch automatic 7 (DSG7)

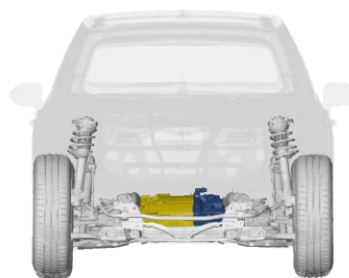
SCOPE :

Included : ICE Engine + turbo, gearbox, differential, FRT & RR drive shafts, oil, engine mounts, rear differential, intermediate transmission, clutch, starter motor

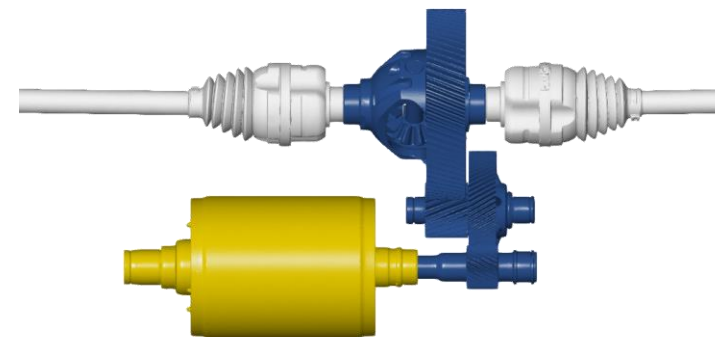
Not included : Cooling system, Alternator, AC compressor, fuel system, air system



Powertrain: ID.3 e-motor & differential weight <100kg

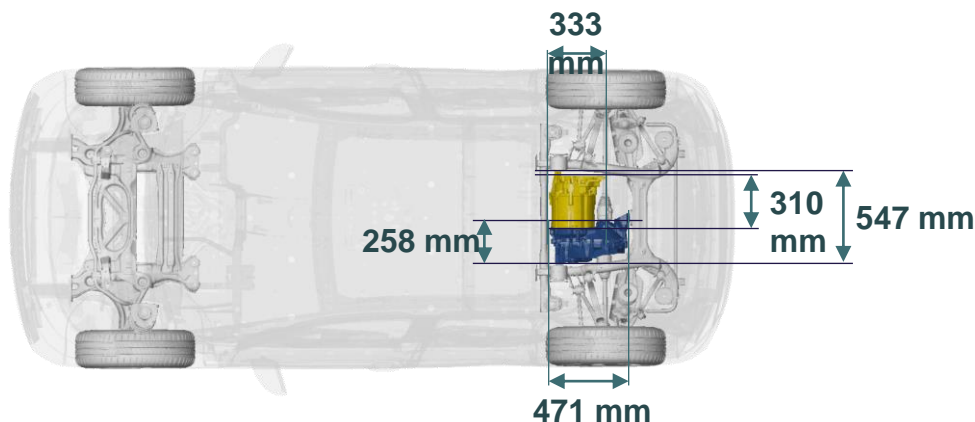


Top view without housing : e-machine details



➤ No epicyclic train

TOTAL WEIGHT = 96.1 kg



E-MOTOR : 54.2

kg 150 kW, 204 Hp (source : OEM)
 Power 310 Nm (source : OEM)
 Max. Torque

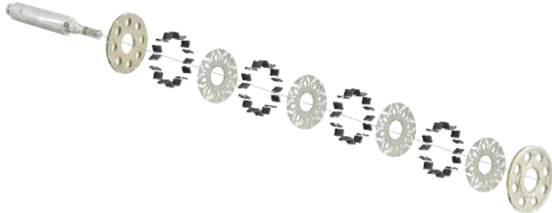





TRANSMISSION : 41.9 kg

Drivetrain RWD
 Gearbox Direct Drive

SCOPE :

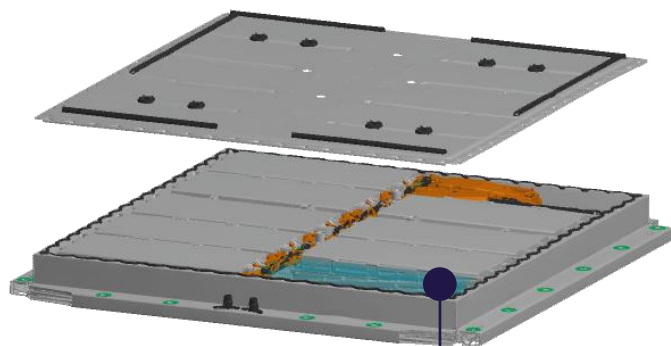
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Powertrain: Different motor design concepts are applied

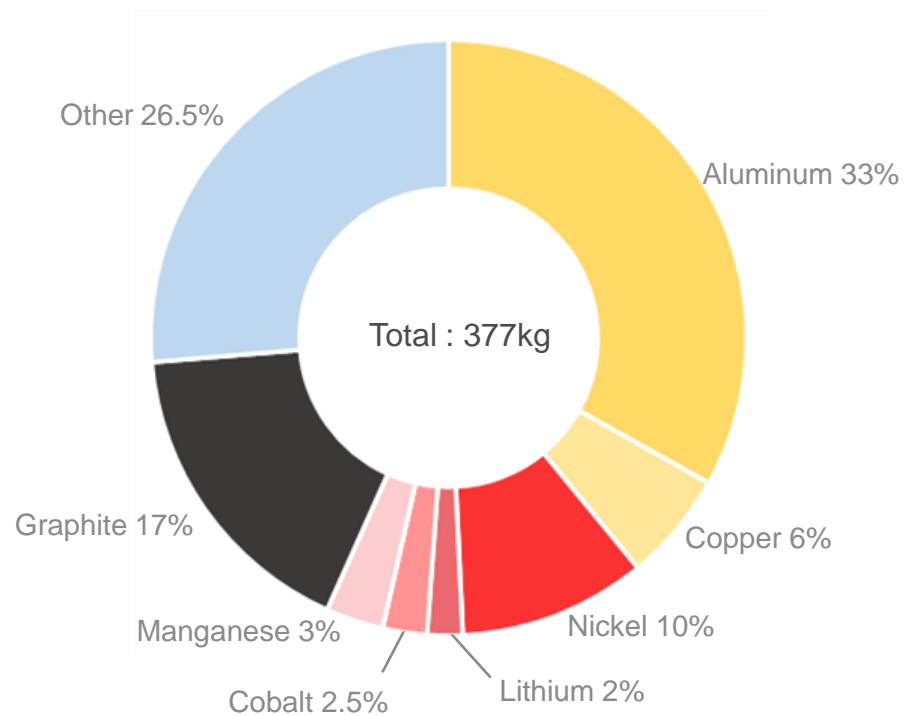
	Permanent Magnet Synchronous Motor (PMSM)	Asynchronous Motor (ASM)	Externally Excited Synchronous Motor (EESM)
			
Advantages	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Compact Design, High power density- Saves package space and weight • Higher efficiency- high continuous power • Good thermal behavior- consistent performance and service life 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High power density • No magnets installed- lower costs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High efficiency for given application • No expensive materials used- lower costs • High efficiency field-weakening operation • High overload possible
Disadvantages	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use rare earth materials for magnets • Magnets installed- higher cost 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Requires more installation space • High heat generation- restricted repeatability / limited continuous power 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Additional excitation circuits required • Not compact for a given power rating
OEMs			

Battery: Aluminum with highest share of raw material



2020 VW ID.3 1st Max (58kWh)



- Cathode : NMC721 with Al foil current collector
- Anode : graphite with Cu foil current collector
- Separator : PE (polyethylene) with Aluminum oxide and Boehmite coating



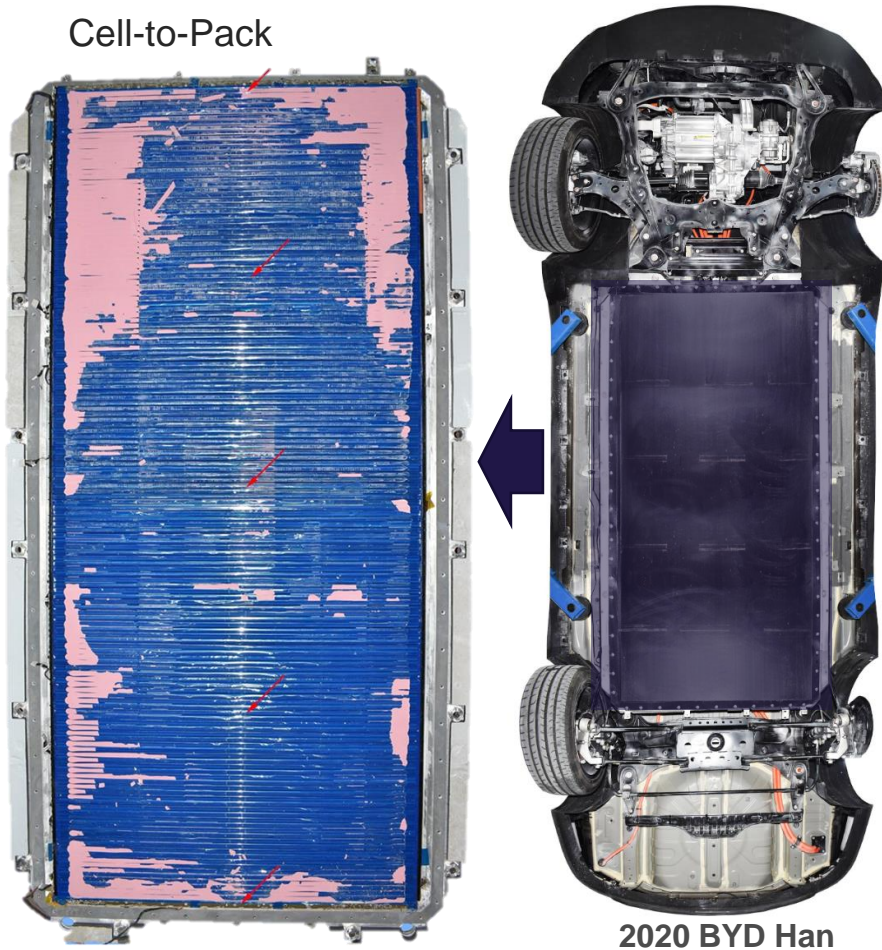
Critical raw materials
(as per the European Commission classification*)

- Cobalt (Co) 
- Lithium (Li) 
- [Natural] Graphite (C) 
- Silicon Metal (Si) 
- +
- Nickel (Ni) "monitor[ed] closely" 

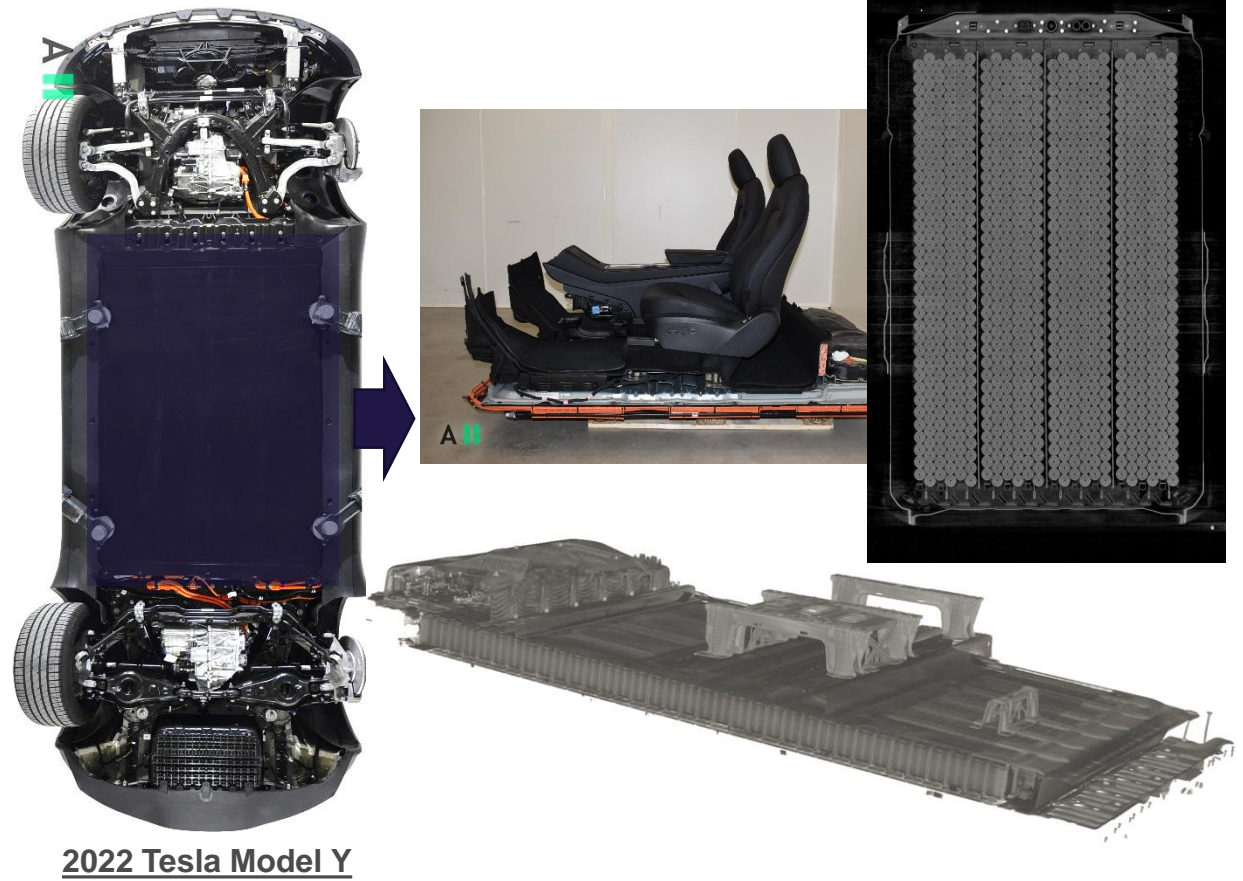
Cell-to-Chassis and -to-Pack concepts are applied in recent designs

Benchmarking vs. other cell packaging concepts

Cell-to-Pack

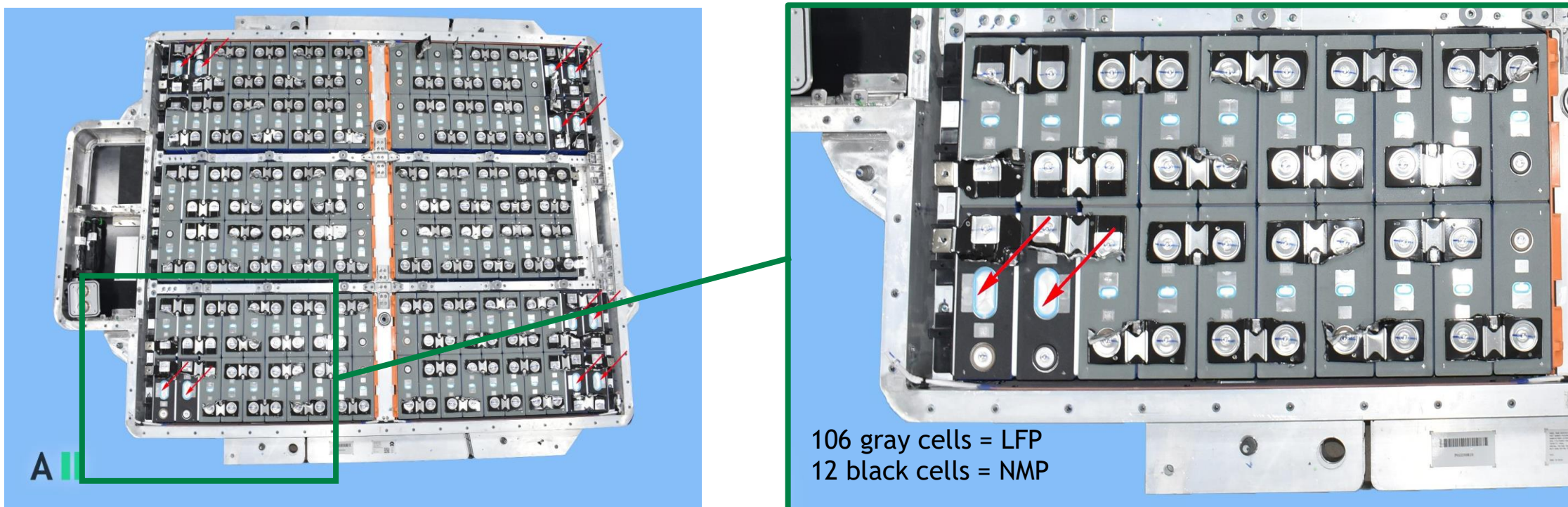


Cell-to-Chassis



Battery chemistry: Hybrid Battery concept

NIO has introduced in 2022 a LFP + NMC hybrid battery (75 kWh, NIO ES6)



The Hybrid battery: 90% LFP and 10% NMC cells



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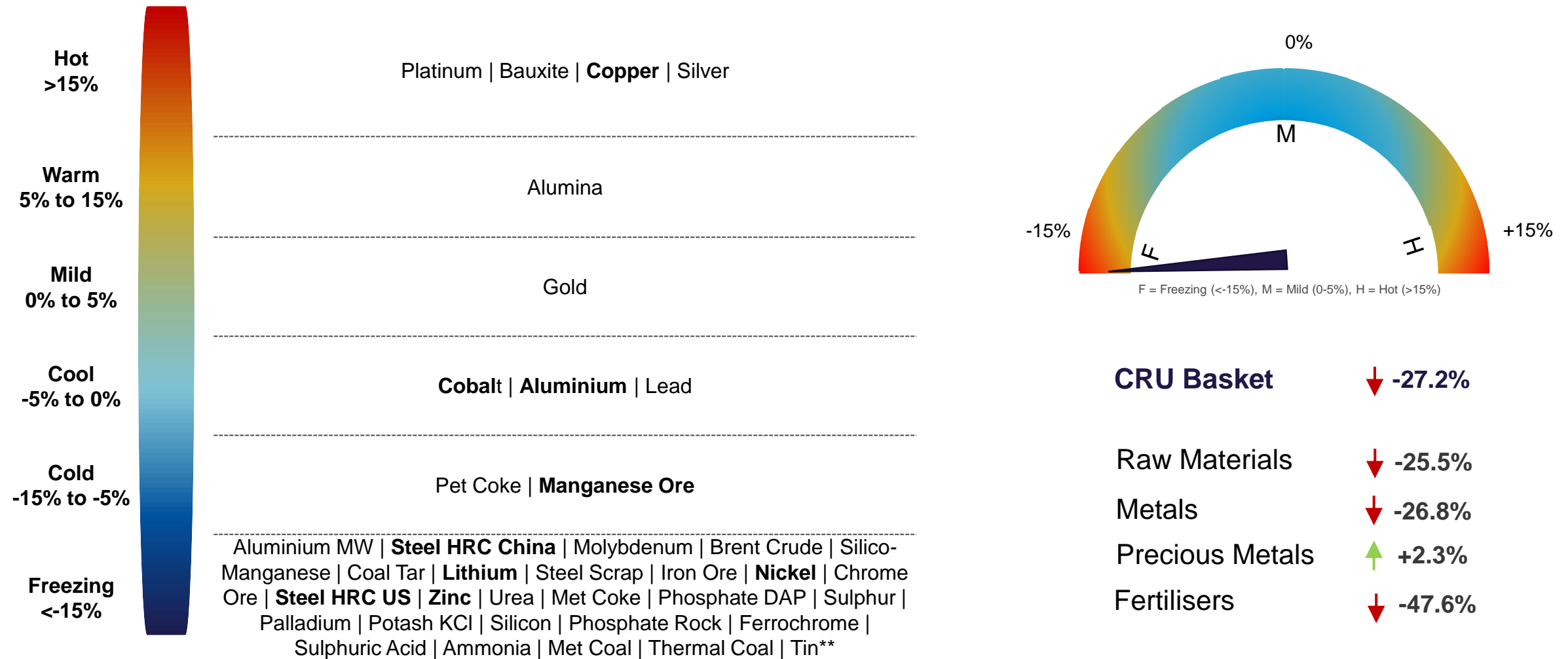
How can CRU and A2MAC1 help track this?

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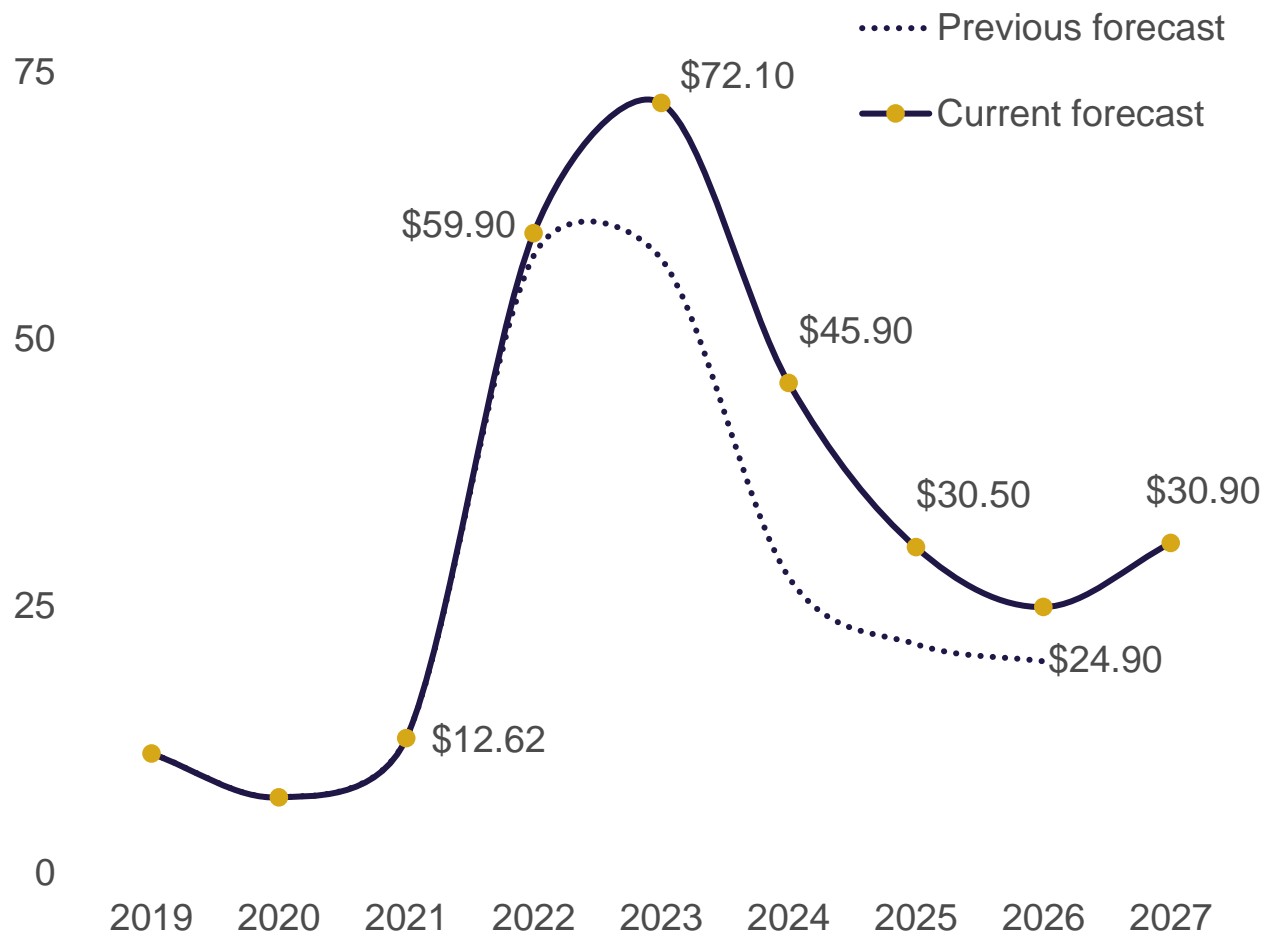
Despite recent rises prices are expected to cool in the medium term...

CRU basket of 38 mining, metals and fertiliser price forecasts | 2026 over 2022*



Short-term lithium price decline could soften the battery premium

Li carbonate **contract** price forecast, \$/kg

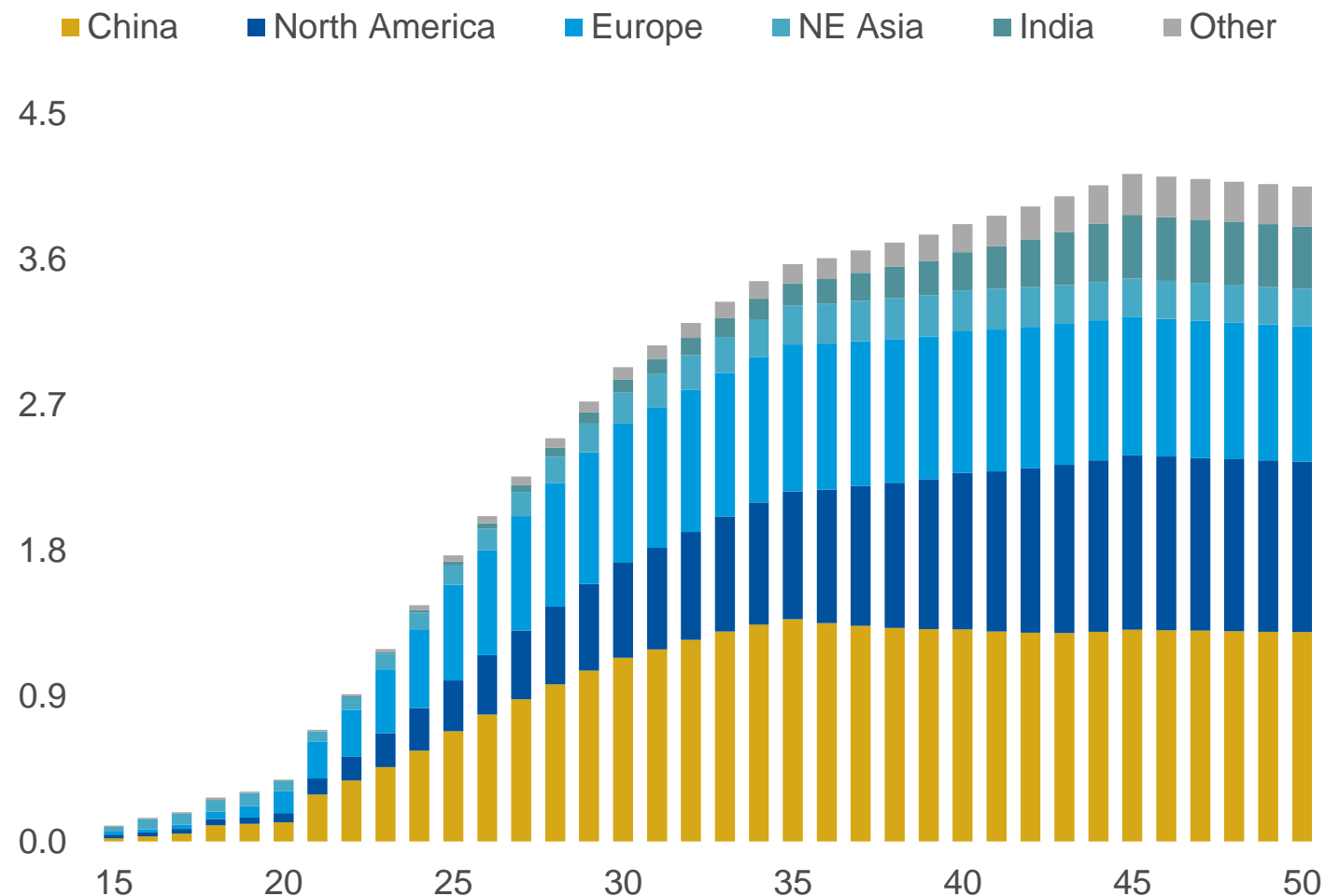


- Lithium a key component of cost despite being one of the lowest components by weight accounts for a significant amount of battery premium cost in 2022.
- In the short-term we expect prices to decline as supply improves but as demand rises from EV and renewables, a deficit will grow in 2027, pushing prices back up.
- While prices are expected to stay higher for longer, the decline in the medium term will have a significant impact on EV metal cost

Copper should not be ignored, it's use in EVs will quadruple by 2030

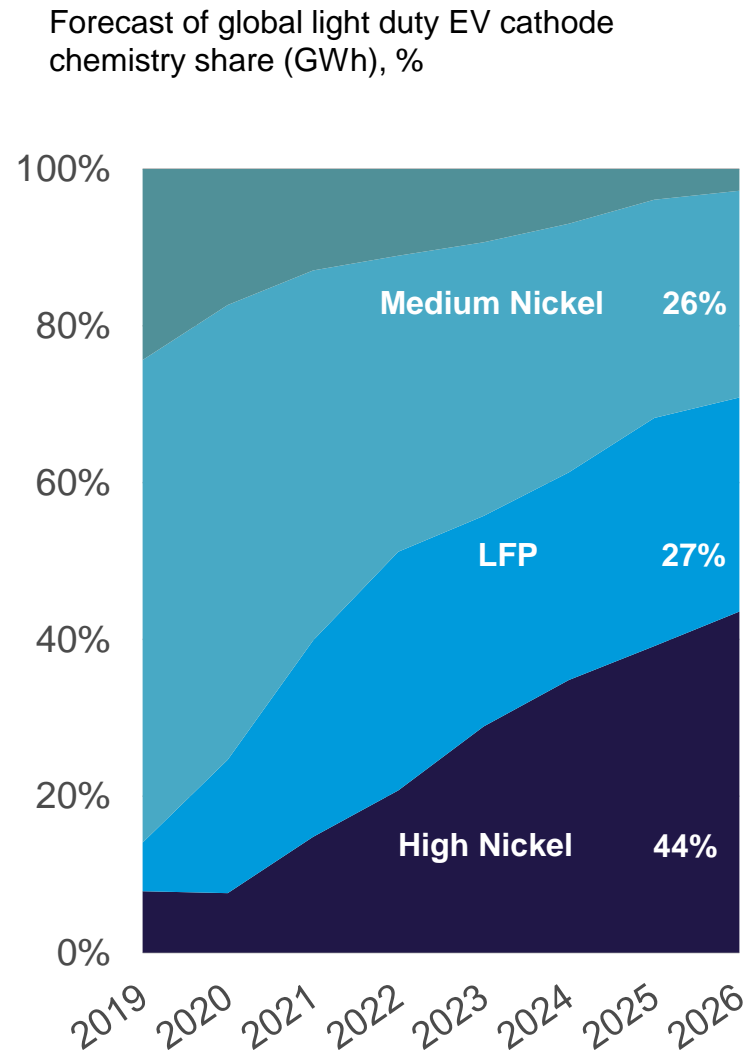
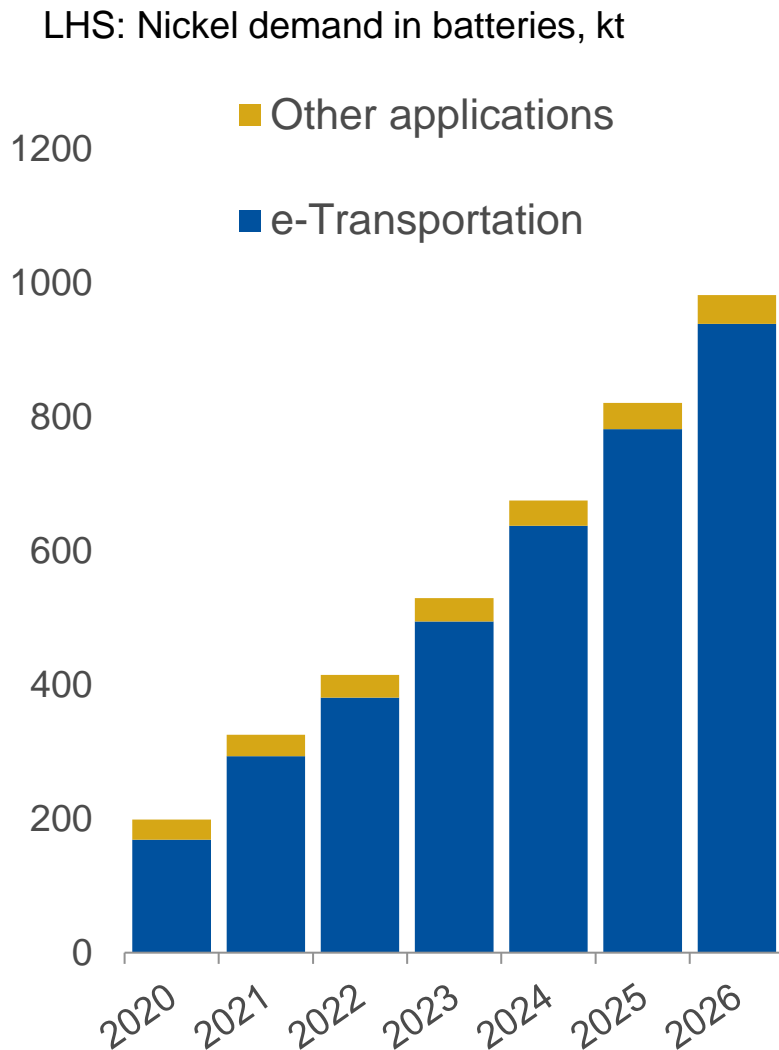
World EV copper consumption, Base Case, Mt

- Total copper demand in LDV EVs (and associated charging infrastructure) to increase from 692,000 t in 2021 to 2.9 Mt in 2030 and 4.0 Mt in 2050.
- Growth in NEV sales will be led by China, North America and Europe with BEVs responsible for most of EV copper demand.
- CRU forecasts a rapid increase in NEVs penetration rates from a low base, under 10% of sales in 2021, to 30% of LDV sales in 2030.

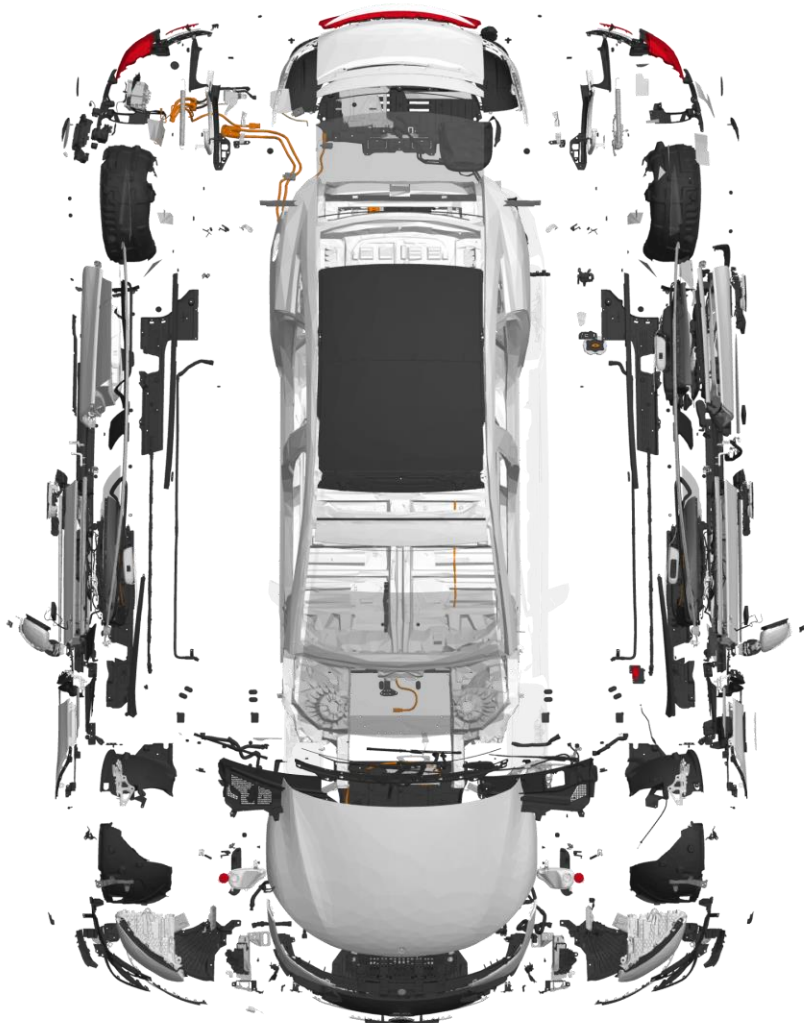


Nickel also remains crucial for EV batteries

- Lithium/nickel battery chemistry balance remains the most used battery chemistry.
- Nickel’s superior energy density expected to secure demand for larger and longer range vehicles.
- Demand to be higher in markets that value long range, principally North America.
- Nickel battery chemistries expected to account for ~70% market share by 2026 although threatened by LFP growth.



Key takeaways



- EVs metals costs approximately at a factor of two compared to ICE vehicles
- Aluminium content increasing typically by ~50% in EVs compared to ICE, and copper content at approximately doubling, leading to a four-times increase of global demand by 2030
- We are expecting raw material prices to settle from a peak in 2022, however at a level of 40% higher than 2019

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