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# Q4 2022 Results

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Highlights of the quarter

Antoine Jouteau, CEO



## 2022 achievements **Delivering on our financial targets**

2022 financial targets		A strong 2022 financial performance
Low double-digit revenue growth in Core markets	<b>✓</b>	<ul> <li>Core markets revenue growth of 10%</li> <li>Total revenues up 8%, at €1,644m</li> </ul>
Underlying EBITDA in the range of €575m to €600m	<b>✓</b>	<ul> <li>Underlying EBITDA¹ of €579m including the €(12)m impact of the French DST</li> <li>Reported EBITDA of €548m with 33.3% margin and exit margin of 33.6%</li> </ul>
Synergy target of c.€35m run rate EBITDA impact	<b>✓</b>	<ul> <li>More than €35m of run-rate synergies delivered</li> </ul>
Deleveraging	<b>✓</b>	<ul> <li>Strong cash flow generation<sup>2</sup> of €437m</li> <li>c. €320m debt repaid</li> </ul>

## All FY2022 targets achieved despite market headwinds

## 2022 achievements **Delivering on our strategic targets**

## **Optimised organisation**



## **Operational excellence**



## **Sustainability**



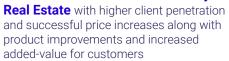
Portfolio optimisation review completed, with launch of sale process for Hungary

Business integration on track, with main milestones implemented in 2022 (major systems rollouts, exit of TSAs, new operating models in support functions...)

New vertical responsibilities and leadership team as of January 1st, 2023

Discussions and workshops initiated with the project team, functional experts and senior management to design the future vertical organisation

### Increased monetization in Mobility and



**Continued product development across** all of our platforms: OB&S at Mobile.de. wallet and instalment solutions at leboncoin...

Strong ramp-up of transactional **services**. with transactions up +26%. full deployment of shipping and payments solutions in all Core markets. France break-even at year end

Financial discipline instilled

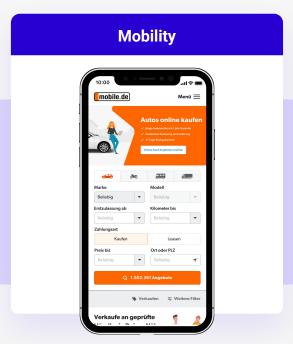


Data collection process in place to support establishment of the 2023 baseline in order to set GHG emissions targets for FY 2024

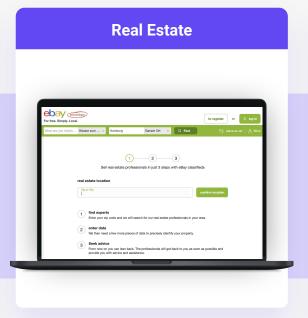
**Building of a strong inclusive culture**, with the roll-out of our Inclusive Leadership programme, the organisation of Adevinta 4 Everyone global campaigns, the launch of our Allyship workshop and a gender audit

Establishment of a Global Cyber Security **Program** ensuring the confidentiality, integrity and availability of all IT systems & data while ensuring regulatory compliance across all marketplaces

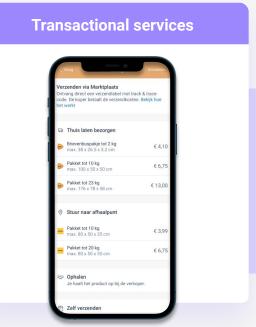
# Continued innovation with added-value products across all markets **To reinforce our leadership positions**



OB&S scaling at Mobile.de



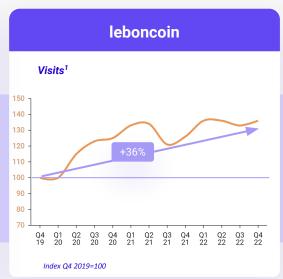
C2B seller lead feature at eBay Kleinanzeigen



DHL as new shipping carrier at Marktplaats

# Continued solid long-term growth paths for Core platforms despite tough '21 comps and weaker car market







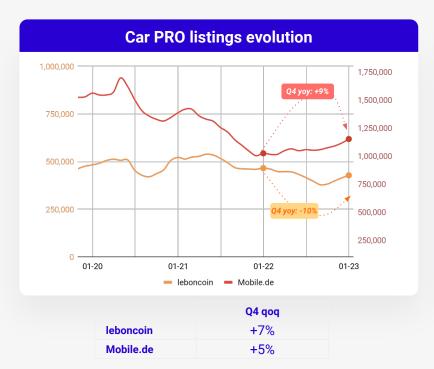
	Q4 yoy	Q4 yo2y	Q4 yo3y
Visits	+3%	+4%	+31%

Q4 yoy	yoy Q4 yo2y Q4	
+8%	+9%	+36%

Q4 yoy	Q4 yo2y	Q4 yo3y
-3%	-11%	-11%



# Car PRO listings back to growth at Mobile.de Our strong value proposition is reflected in successful commercial activity



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Price and client base evolu	ution

	Price	Dealers
	Fifte	Dedlers
leboncoin	ARPA: 425€ +18% yoy	23k - <b>7</b> % yoy
Mobile.de	ARPL: 22€ +14% yoy	40k -2% yoy

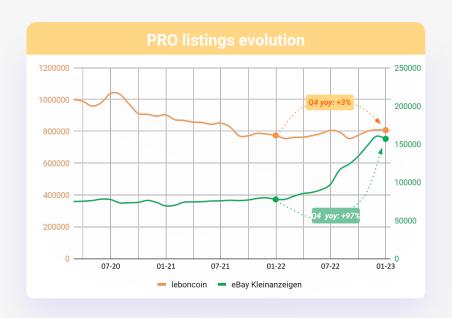
ARPA: Average Revenue per Account (formula for a given month: paying professional accounts revenue / # of paying professional accounts)

ARPL: Average Revenue per Listing (formula for a given month: revenue generated from dealer subscriptions, features and insertions / average monthly live listings)

Dealers: based on internal data



# Real Estate PRO listings driven by different market dynamics While our strong value proposition drives ARPA and client penetration up



Listings: Average number of agents live listings - internal data

ARPA and customer evolution			
	ARPA	Customers	
leboncoin	575€ +8% yoy	20k - <b>3</b> % yoy	
eBay Kleinanzeigen	110€ +1% yoy	9k +20% yoy	

ARPA: Average Revenue per Account (formula for a given month: paying professional accounts revenue / # of paying professional accounts)
Customers: based on internal data



# Continued rapid scaling of our transactional services Supported by further product launches and promotional activities

**Increasing traction in all Core markets**, with triple-digit growth in less mature markets

**Successful promotional activities** in Q4, taking advantage of key events: Circular Monday, football World Cup, Christmas...

Strong development of transactional business model in France

**Continued scaling and product improvements** at eBay Kleinanzeigen with focus on Buy Now option and integrated shipping with DHL

Benelux, Italy and Spain growing month after month, supported by **new products and innovation:** 

- DHL as new shipping carrier at Marktplaats
- Relevance ranking for market categories at Subito
- Introduction of "confirm receipt" button and Vouchers at Milanuncios

Transactions			
Number of payouts (evolution in %)			
	Q4 2022	2022	
leboncoin	<b>+27</b> % yoy	<b>+33</b> % yoy	
eBay Kleinanzeigen	<b>+149</b> % yoy	<b>+154</b> % yoy	

Payouts: payments made to sellers following a successful transaction

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## Strong development of transactional business model in France



#### New all time high for transactions

- New transaction<sup>1</sup> record reached in Q4 2022 (+27% yoy) with 50% less promoted days than last year
- Transaction level benefitting from the launch of wallet solution, already representing 7% of transactions in Q4 2022
- leboncoin in the TOP 3 e-commerce<sup>2</sup> in France during our November promotion
- C. 1/3 of leboncoin's active users have already used the transactional solution

#### Strong AOV increase, +16% yoy

Driven by:

- Switch from 400€ to 1,000€ eligibility for shipping implemented in June
- Successful launch of instalment solution in October, already representing 10% of transactions<sup>3</sup> at the end of O4

#### Continuous improvement of profitability; break even<sup>4</sup> at the end of the year

- Reduced payment costs thanks to wallet solution
- Deployment of enhanced version of parcel weight prediction algorithm in October

#### January 2023 developments, with expected positive impact on profitability

- 4% buyer fee for purchases in Fashion categories
- Switch from 1,000€ to 2,000€ eligibility for shipping implemented

Transactional KPIs (Consumer Goods C2C)		
	Q4 2022	
Transactions <sup>1</sup>	+27% yoy	
AOV <sup>5</sup>	<b>47€</b> +16% yoy	
Transaction adoption rate (nb of payouts / nb of new ads)	<b>10%</b> +2pts yoy	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Based on confirmed online payments (payouts)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Based on Fox Intelligence volume data (19th & 20th November 2022)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> On eligible price range

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Operating margin = operating margin for transactional consumer goods services excluding an allocated share of overall platform marketing spend, but including other Direct costs such people P&T, customer service, and 3rd party costs such as shipping and payment service provider costs
<sup>5</sup> Average Order Value - Net of payment commission and shipping fees

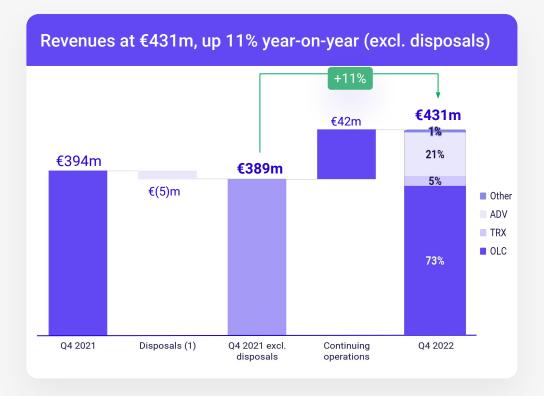
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Q4 2022 financial performance

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## **Group** | Further strong Core Markets revenue growth in Q4 2022



### Core markets revenue up 13% yoy

## Acceleration of Classifieds revenues growth, up 15%

- Mobility up 19% yoy, driven by Mobile.de
- Real Estate up +9%
- Jobs up 5% yoy

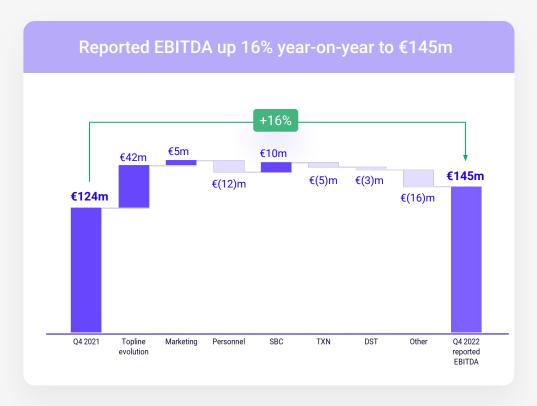
### Transactional revenues up 60% yoy

• Especially in France (+50%) and eBay Kleinanzeigen (+137%)

### **Advertising revenues down 5%**

Lower market environment and OEM spend

## Group | Improved EBITDA margin despite business mix evolution and DST impact, benefiting from cost management and lower SBC



#### EBITDA margin of 33.6%, up 2pp vs Q4 2021

**Reduction of marketing investment** driven by different phasing, spend discipline and prioritisation

Lower share-based compensation impact

#### Increase in personnel costs:

- Continued build-up of global capabilities with the implementation of new operating models for support functions and Product and Technology teams
- Ramp-up in product and technology resources to accelerate new business model development and value creation

### Strict control of other operating costs

**Direct transaction costs increase** reflecting adoption of the service and revenue growth

Impact of French DST provision

EBITDA margin, excluding DST of 34.2% Underlying EBITDA<sup>1</sup> margin of 34.6%



## Solid revenue growth and resilient margin despite unfavorable mix evolution and DST impact

### **Revenues**

Solid revenue growth, up 9% yoy

Classifieds revenues up **6% yoy** driven by healthy growth in PRO, partly offset by volume-driven revenue streams:

- Positive ARPA evolution (+8% yoy) in Real Estate
- Positive development in ARPD (+18% yoy) in Mobility

Strong growth in transactional revenues, **up 50% yoy**, driven by transaction volume growth and AOV increase

Advertising revenues **down 2% yoy**, impacted by reduced activity from media agencies and programmatic

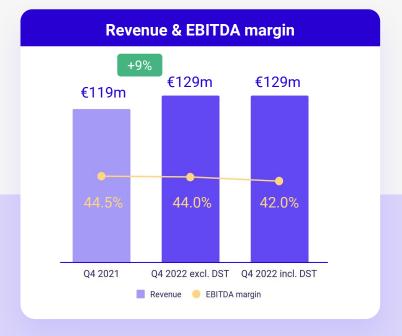
## **EBITDA** margin

Margin softening (down 2.5pp). Topline evolution partly offset by:

- French DST provision (€3m)
- Increasing share of transactional services
- Increased in personnel due to continued investment in P&T development and one-off inflation bonus

Reported EBITDA at €54m, up €1m (+3%) yoy

EBITDA, excluding DST, up +8% yoy with broadly stable margin













## Mobile.de Very strong revenue growth and profitability

### Revenues

Outstanding revenue growth, up 24% compared to low Q4 2021

#### Classified revenues up 29%:

- Recovery in dealer listings (+9% yoy)
- Increase in ARPL, up 14% yoy, driven one by successful price increase, in combination with increasing value for customers
- Higher revenues from private sellers

Advertising revenues down 7% yoy due to market headwind and lower OEM spend

## **EBITDA** margin

Margin improvement (up 4pp yoy and up 2.1pp qoq) mainly driven by:

- Topline evolution
- Lower marketing expenses

Partly offset by:

 Higher personnel expenses to support new business initiatives and product launches (eg: online buying & selling and leasing)

Reported EBITDA at €50m, up €13m (+34%) yoy





## Solid revenue growth and resilient margin despite higher personnel expenses and business mix evolution

### **Revenues**

**Up 9%\* yoy** 

Strong performance of Classifieds, up 15%\* yoy, driven by growth in all verticals

Continued strong traction from transactions, with revenues almost x2 yoy

Advertising revenues **down 6**%\* **yoy**, mostly due to economic uncertainty leading to lower spending by advertisers.

ebay Kleinanzeigen advertising performance stronger than the overall German market

Strong performance at **eBay Kleinanzeigen** (+11% yoy), in **Spain** (+9% yoy) and **Italy** (+13% yoy)

## **EBITDA** margin

Resilient margin (up 0.1pp yoy), with positive topline evolution partly offset by:

- Higher personnel expenses due to continued investment in P&T development and marketing and sales support
- Increase in transactional costs, led by higher volumes and by promotional campaigns to drive adoption of the service

Reported EBITDA at €77m, up €6m yoy (+9%\*)



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## Strong revenue performance with double-digit growth in Italy and eBay Kleinanzeigen and high single digit-growth in Spain





**Double-digit revenue growth (+11% yoy)** - significant momentum in Consumer Goods, with strong SMBs performance, as well as in Real Estate and Mobility. Decline in advertising revenues due to a weaker global market environment. Transactional revenues more than x2

**High single-digit revenue growth (+9% yoy)** - strong performance in the three verticals: Jobs (+14% yoy), while higher comps, Real Estate and Mobility. Advertising revenues up, driven by new client acquisition

**Revenues back to growth (+4 yoy) -** growth in online classifieds and transactional services, pushed by promotional shipping campaigns and new shipping carrier (DHL), partly offset by lower advertising revenues

**Double-digit revenue growth (+13% yoy)** - strong performance in Mobility and Consumer Goods and strong momentum of transactional services

## Performance impacted by advertising revenue contraction, partly offset by lower marketing spending

### **Revenues**

Down 9%\* yoy

Canada classified revenues **up 1% yoy**, led by in Mobility which benefiting from subscription growth

Canada advertising revenue **down 27% yoy**, driven by continued vibrancy pressure and soft direct display revenues

## **EBITDA** margin

Margin improvement (up 10.0pp yoy), mainly driven by:

- Mexico exit
- Lower marketing costs (down 47%\* yoy)

Partly offset by:

- Topline evolution
- Higher personnel costs

#### Reported EBITDA at €12m, up €1m yoy



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\*Excluding InjoJobs Brazil and Mexico



## Soft revenue growth due to political and economic environment Cost reduction plan implemented, without compromising operations

### Revenues

Up 5% in local currency

Softer revenue growth in Mobility and Real Estate in an uncertain political and macro-economic context (national election, higher interest rates...)

Transactional revenues 2x yoy

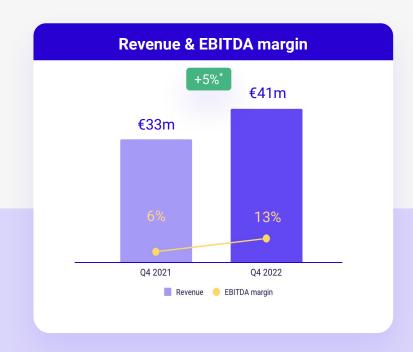
Advertising revenues impacted by lower traffic and weaker macro-environment

## **EBITDA** margin

Margin improvement (up 7pp yoy), maily driven by:

- Topline evolution and negative mix impact
- A strong reduction in marketing spending, mainly on ZAP+ branding and performance
- Lower personnel expenses, down 13% yoy, due to the implementation of a cost reduction plan

EBITDA at €5m, up 137%\* yoy





## Central P&T and Headquarters

### **EBITDA flat** yoy

Continued build-up of global capabilities due to the implementation of new operating models for support functions and Product and Technology teams to drive operational efficiencies and accelerate value creation

Offset by larger share of cost allocations to the markets to reflect global teams support and lower share-based compensation

Central P&T & HQ costs down yoy as % of revenues, at 11%



## Other P&L items

Profit (loss) from continuing operations

Profit (loss) from discontinued operations

	Tourtin	quarter
€ million	2022	2021
Gross operating profit (loss) = EBITDA	145	124
Depreciation and amortisation	(82)	(64)
Share of profit (loss) of joint ventures and associates	(18)	-
Impairment loss	(1,722)	(2)
Other income and expenses	(14)	(25)
Operating profit (loss)	(1,691)	33
Net financial items	(35)	(28)
Profit (loss) before taxes	(1,726)	5
Taxes	1	16
Profit (loss)	(1,754)	27

Fourth quarter

(1,725)

(29)

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**Depreciation and amortisation** costs up €(18)m yoy mainly driven by the reassessment of useful lives of certain trademarks

Share of loss of joint venture and associates up €(18)m mainly driven by lower results in Brazil (decrease in deferred tax assets)

**Impairment loss** of €1,722m. See details in next slide

**Other expenses** mainly includes integration expenses related to the eCG acquisition

**Net financial costs** up €(7)m mainly due to a foreign exchange loss on the loan in BRL issued by Adevinta to OLX Brazil

**Tax income** mainly reflects the decrease in deferred tax liabilities due to the impairment of intangible assets, partially offset by derecognition of deferred tax assets in the Dutch tax group

## **Impairments**

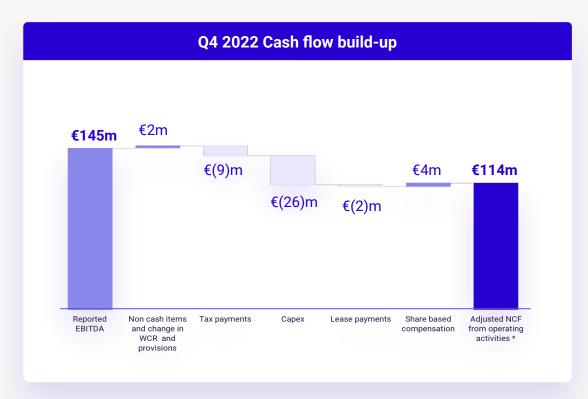
## €1.7bn impairment loss to the book value of eCG assets and Hungary reflecting:

- Global increases in WACC, led by macroeconomic uncertainties and increasing inflation in 2022 which have triggered a significant increase in market interest rates and equity risk premiums
- High share-price driven book value at closing of eCG transaction (+48% vs signing price)
- More conservative expected growth trajectory in Canada and Hungary

Offset by better mid-long term business outlook for German assets

€ million	Goodwill	Trademarks, indefinite	Total
Canada	(574)	(228)	(802)
eBay Kleinanzeigen	(489)	-	(489)
Mobile.de	(411)	-	(411)
Hungary	(17)	-	(17)

## Strong cash flow generation profile



## Change in working capital, non cash items and provisions broadly stable

Including DST payment related to 2022

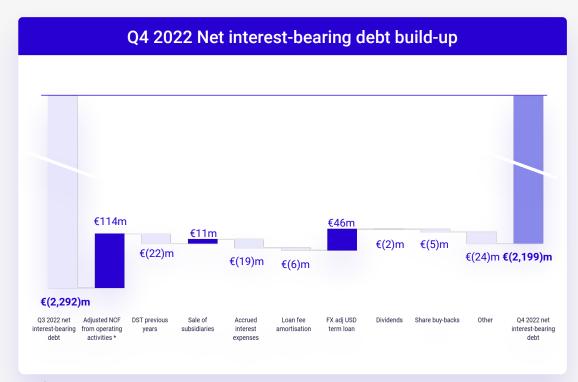
### **Capex**

- Essentially capitalised development costs
- c. 6% of sales

<sup>\*</sup> Net cash flow from operating activities adjusted for CAPEX and IFRS 16 lease payments



## **Deleveraging**: a priority



**Senior Secured Net Leverage Ratio of 3.5x** as of Q4 2022<sup>1</sup>

Leverage reduced to below 3x net debt/EBITDA by the end of 2023

### Close to €320m debt repayment in 2022

- €75m RCF repayment in Q1
- €75m RCF repayment in Q2
- €90m Term Ioan B EUR repayment in Q3
- €75m Term Ioan B EUR repayment in Q4
- €4m Term Ioan B USD repayment Q1-Q4<sup>2</sup>

<sup>\*</sup> Net cash flow from operating activities adjusted for CAPEX and IFRS 16 lease payments

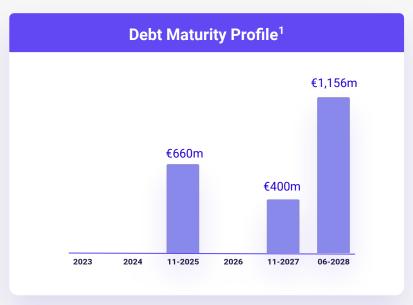


<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Based on the definition of the Facilities Agreement <sup>2</sup> 0,25% quarterly amortization as per Facilities Agreement

## Cash efficiency and long-term debt maturity



Reduction in operational cash requirements benefiting from cash optimisation measures (c.  $\in$  (50)m in 2022), allowing to operate at much lower cash levels



**Ba3 rating and stable outlook confirmed by Moody's** in January 2023



## Measures in place to mitigate Interest Rate & FX exposures

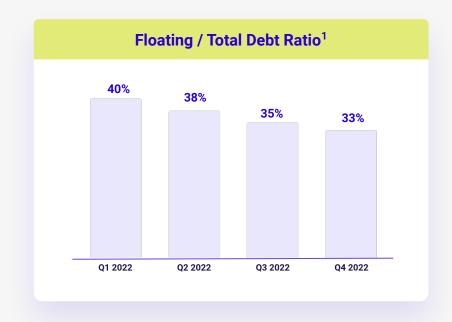
### **Interest Rate Exposures**

- Floating/Total Debt Ratio of 33% in Q4
- USD TLB: hedged until June 2024
- EUR TLB: exposed to floating rates
- Deleveraging: priority given to floating debt

Deleveraging measures and hedging allowed savings in interest expense of €17m in 2022

### **FX Exposures**

- Material transactional exposures (e.g. AWS) are hedged
- Balance sheet exposures are assessed on a regular basis
- FX cash kept at operational minimum
- Substantial M&A proceeds are hedged where possible





Interest bearing debt, excluding leases

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## Conclusion & outlook

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## 2023 outlook



#### 2023 outlook

**Low double digit revenue growth** in core Markets despite soft macro environment

Reported EBITDA, including French DST, in the range of €620m to €650m, implying yoy improvement in EBITDA margin despite unfavourable mix evolution

Leverage reduced to below 3x net debt/EBITDA by year end



#### 2023 drivers

- Further room for price adjustments based on product improvements and increased value for our customers
- Continued strong traction of transactional services
- Advertising markets to remain under pressure
- Operating leverage & synergies realisation
- Financial discipline
- Business mix evolution
- Continued focus on deleveraging and further optimisation of debt structure



## Value creation opportunity ahead of us Long-term ambition remains strong for Core markets



## Sustainable profitable growth underpinned by

- Resilient business models and strong market positions
- Optimised organisational structure: towards verticalisation
- Strict cost management programme
- Efficient operating model to leverage scale and drive efficiencies



## **Long-term ambition**

- 2023-2026 annual revenue growth between 11% and 15%
- 2026 EBITDA margin between 40% and 45%

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# Thank you!

# **Appendices**

## **Basic information**





Ticker	
Oslo Stock Exchange Reuters Bloomberg	ADE ADE.OL ADE:NO
Number of shares	1,224,942,981
Of which:	
Class A shares	1,165,686,913
Class B shares (non-voting, not listed shares)	59,256,068
Treasury shares (February 22, 2023)	8,556,946
Number of shares outstanding	1,216,386,035
Free float*	27.0%
Share price (February 22, 2023)	NOK 83
Average daily trading volume (shares)**	1,216,040
Market Cap total (February 22, 2023)	NOK 100.9bn (USD 9.8bn)

<sup>\*</sup> Total number of shares excluding treasury shares and shares owned by Schibsted ASA, eBay Inc and Permira

<sup>\*\*</sup> Past hundred days on the Oslo Stock Exchange

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