May 15<sup>th</sup> 2024

# Financial Results 1Q24 Analyst Call





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Section 01

# Business Performance

**Corrado Peraboni** CEO

1. Business Performance

2. Financial Performance

## 1Q24 – results highlights

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1Q24 – Great results in a key quarter caracterized by the highest concentration of the major Organized events

- Revenues (+15.4% YoY) mainly in the core business line of Organized Events as confirm of the soundness of the Community Catalyst strategy.
- → Adj. EBITDA Margin at 38.6% (+6.5 pp vs 1Q23) driven by the high profitability business of Organized Events that has reached 73% on Group total revenues
- → Net Result at 23.3 M€ (+ 67.2% YoY) at 26.2% of Revenue
- → Net Financial Position at 60.0 M€ decreasing by 11.9 M€ from 71.9 M€ at FY2023.
- → Monetary NFP at 17.3 M€ (vs 28.7 M€ in FY2023)

### 1Q 2024 Results



## Net Financial Position € 60.0

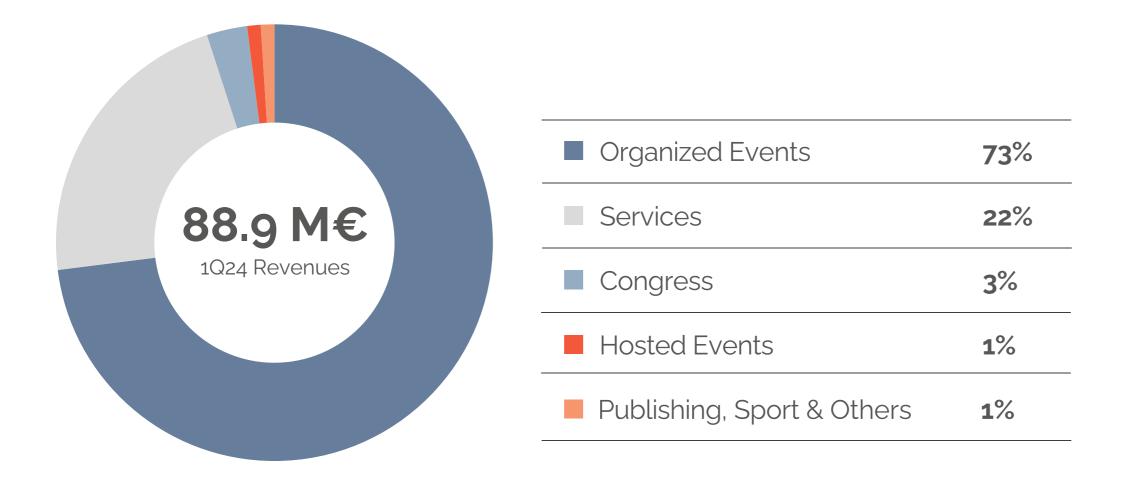
\* Percentage impact on total revenues

EBITDA	ADJ. EBIT	NET RESULT
34.3	€ 30.0	€ 23.3
38.6% * 6.5 pp)	+33.8% * (+7.2 pp)	+26.2% * (+8.1 pp)

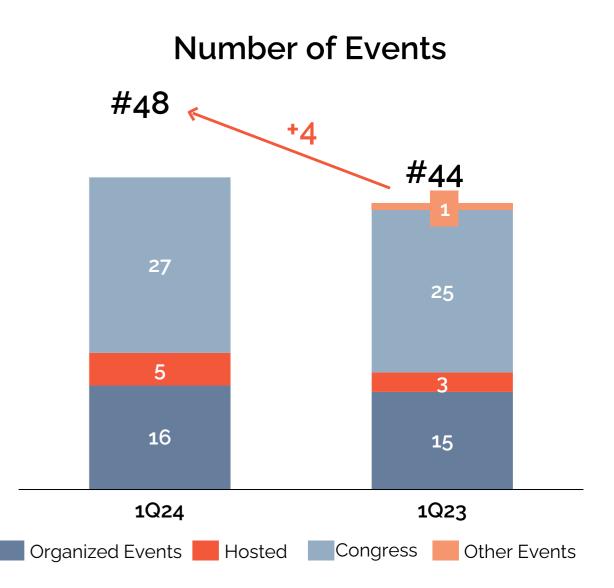
## **1Q24 revenues by Business segments**

## 1Q24 Revenues by line of Business

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- → 1Q24 calendar full of Organized Events (16 events, +1 vs 2023)
- → 73% of Revenues on high profitability line of Organized Events (69% in 2023)



## **1Q24 Business Update**

- $\rightarrow$  70 years of the gold and jewelry event
- $\rightarrow$  +3% more attendance than in 2023
- → 1,300 exhibitors from 37 countries, 500 hosted buyers from 72 countries

### → 45th edition, closed

- THE DOLC WORLD
- Visitors from over 160 countries, 1200 exhibiting brands from 35 nations
  - Over 500 buyers from 84 nations for 5,200 business meetings
  - Three international competitions with 25 participating countries: Gelato World Cup, Junior Pastry World Cup and European Gelato Challenge

### → .17th edition, closed

- $\rightarrow$  +41% more attendance than in 2023
- → 35% of exhibiting brands from abroad and over 500 top buyers and international delegations from 57 countries



- .18th edition, closed first under IEG
- → 60 events, including the first event in Italy about Artificial Intelligence Demonstrators for manufacturing
- → 380 exhibitors







## **1Q24 Corporate Update**

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Following the Shareholders' Meeting:



- The new Board of Directors has been appointed
- → The **Board of Statutory Auditors** has been integrated
- > The Control and Risk, Remuneration and Appointments and Sustainability Committees have been established

Two new managers with strategic responsibilities appointed:



> Chief Corporate Officer, Carlo Costa, will manage the Operation, Finance, HR, IT, Legal & Compliance sectors and the corporate activities of the subsidiaries.



**Dividend policy** approved:

→ 0.14 cents per share for an estimated total amount equal to € 4,156,590

Strategic Plan 2023-2028: execution well on track

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#### New sustainability linked financing agreement of 70 €M million

- A new sustainability linked financing agreement signed on the 29<sup>th</sup> April 2024 with a pool of primary financial institutions made up of Banco BPM S.p.A., Bper Banca S.p.A., Cassa Depositi e Prestiti S.p.A. and Crédit Agricole Italia S.p.A.;
- The loan is divided into two credit lines, the first line ("Credit Line A") to be used for the requalification of part of the Company's existing financial debt for 8.4 €M and a second credit line ("Credit Line B "), with a maximum total capital amount of 61.6 €M of a medium-long term amortizing nature. The loan will expire in March 2032;
- The cost of financing is linked to on the achievement of specific sustainability objectives aligned with the commitments that the company declared in the Strategic Plan 2023-2028.





Section 02

# Financial Performance

Martina Malorni Investor Relator

1. Business Performance

2. Financial Performance

## **1Q24 Income Statement**

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#### Revenues

At 88,9 M€, +15.4% vs 1Q23 mainly organic (11M€ | 92% of change) due to the organic component generated by the greater volumes achieved thanks to the organized events

#### **Contribution margin**

At 45.0M€, +27.3% improving vs 1Q23 thanks to increasing volume

#### **Adjusted EBITDA**

At 38.6% (+6.5 pp YoY), mainly thanks to volume and to the to positive pricing

### **Adjusted EBIT**

At 33.8% (+7.2 pp YoY), at 30.0 M€, improving by 9.6 M€

#### **Net Result**

At 23.3 M€ (26.2%), improving by 9.4 M€ thanks to a lower tax rate due to tax loss recovery

#### Revenues

Operating costs

Contribution Margin

Personnel

Not recurring EBITDA items

Adjusted EBITDA

D&A

Not recurring EBIT items

Adjusted EBIT

Not recurring items

Net Financials

Profit before Tax

Taxes

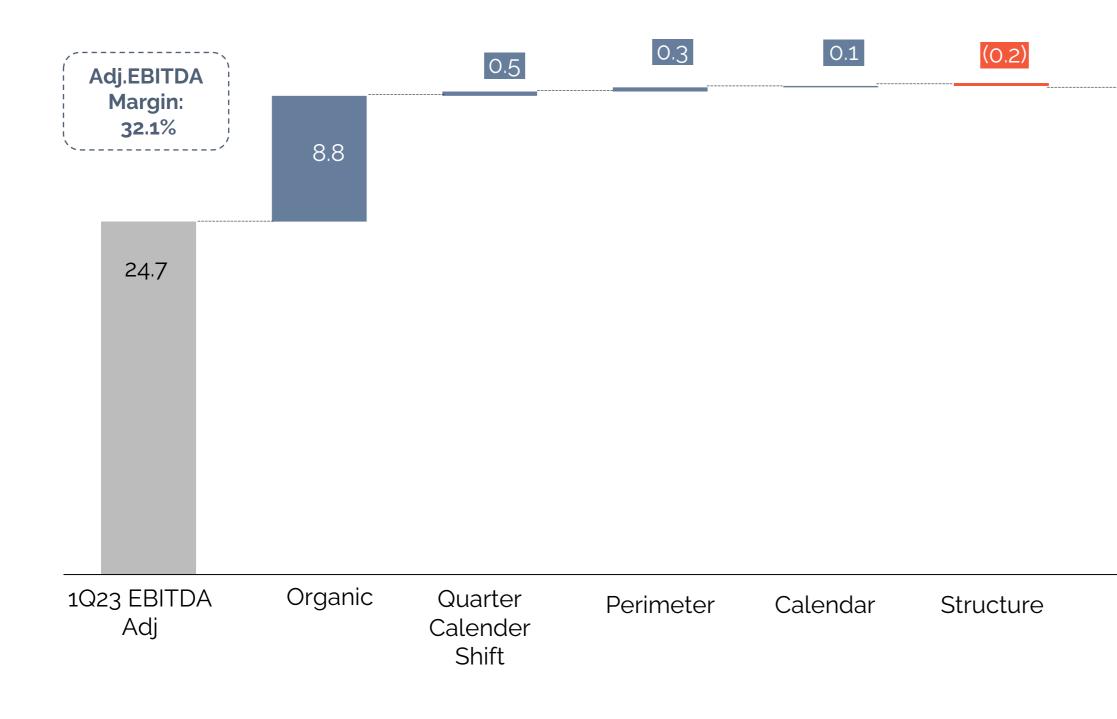
Net Result

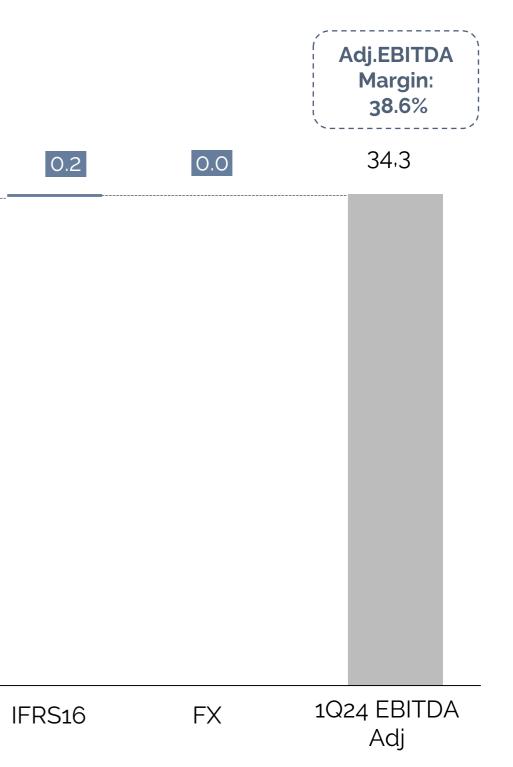
1Q 2024	%	1Q 2023	%	Var.	%
88.9		77.0		11.9	+15.4%
(43.9)	-49.4%	(41.7)	-54.1%	(2.2)	+5.4%
45.0	50.6%	35.3	45.9%	9.6	+27.3%
(10.7)	-12.1%	(10.6)	-13.8%	(0.1)	+1.0%
0.1	0.1%	0.0	0.0%	0.1	-6.2%
34.3	38.6%	24.7	32.1%	9.6	+38.8%
(4.3)	-4.8%	(4.3)	-5.5%	(0.0)	-0.3%
0.0	0.0%	0.0	0.0%	0.0	>100%
30.0	33.8%	20.4	26.6%	9.6	+47.0%
(0.1)	-0.1%	0.0	0.0%	(0.1)	>100%
(1.0)	-1.1%	(0.9)	-1.2%	(0.0)	+5.0%
29.0	32.7%	19.5	25.4%	9.5	+48.6%
(5.7)	-6.4%	(5.6)	-7.3%	(0.1)	+2.4%
23.3	26.2%	13.9	18.1%	9.4	+67.2%

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**02. Financial Performance** 

## 1Q24 vs 1Q23 EBITDA bridge





## **1Q24 Balance Sheet**

#### **Net Invested Capital**

- → Fixed Assets decreases in the quarter due to higher depreciation than investments
- → NWC negative at 54.8 M€ mainly effect of the seasonal reduction of downpayment for the events of 1<sup>st</sup> quarter

#### **Net Financial Position**

At 60.0 M€ improves thanks to a positive FCF of +13.2 M€

#### Total Fixed Assets

Trade receivables

% on 12m rolling sales

Inventories

% on 12m rolling sales

Trade payables

% on 12m rolling sales

Trade Working Capital

% on 12m rolling sales

Other Current Assets/Liabilities

Net Working Capital

% on 12m rolling sales

Other Non-Current Assets/Liabilitie

Net Invested Capital

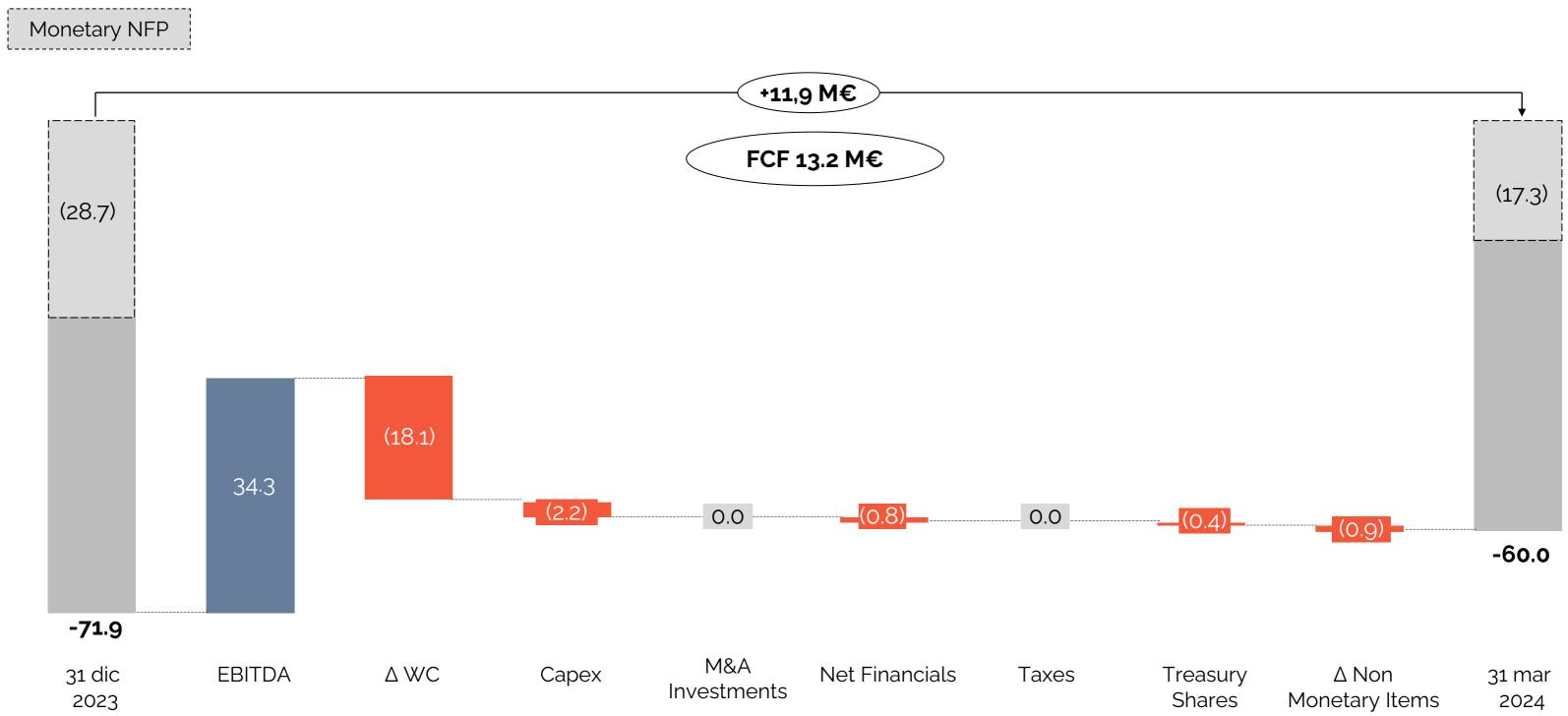
Net Financial Position

Net Equity

Total Sources

	Mar-2024	Doc 2022	Change	%
		Dec-2023		
	258.0	259.2	(1.2)	-0.4%
	25.3	31.0	(5.7)	-18.4%
	11.9%	14.6%	-2.7 pp	
	0.9	0.8	(0.0)	2.1%
	0.4%	0.4%	+0,0 pp	
	(51.4)	(43.3)	(8.1)	18.7%
	-24.2%	-20.4%	-3.8 pp	
	(25.3)	(11.5)	(13.8)	120.0%
	-11.9%	-5.4%	-6.5 pp	
	(29.6)	(55.8)	26.2	-47.0%
	(54.8)	(67.3)	12.5	-18.5%
	-25.8%	-31.7%	+5.9 pp	
es	(13.4)	(13.1)	(0.3)	2.5%
	189.8	178.8	11.0	6.1%
	60.0	71.9	(11.9)	-16.6%
	129.8	106.9	22.9	21.4%
	189.8	178.8	11.0	6.1%

## 1Q24 vs FY23 NFP bridge



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#### Financial Results 1Q24

Buy Back

(IFRS 16, Derivates FV)

## Outlook

	1Q 2024	FY 2024E		Target 2028 $\longrightarrow$
Revenues	88.9 €M	234/239€M	CAGR: 9% 2023 - 2028	~ 323 €M
<b>ADJ. EBITDA</b> Margin	<b>34.3 €M</b> 38.6%	56/58 €M 24%	CAGR: 13% 2023 - 2028	~ <b>90 €M</b> 28%
NFP	60.0 €M	66/70 €M		~ 3 €M

The Strategic Plan envisages growth in all the main economic and financial indicators: turnover and gross operating margin expected to growth with CAGR 2023-2028 of +9% and +13% respectively.

Furthermore, the Strategic Plan includes investments from here on out of € 165 millions\* for maintenance, expansion in exhibition center and expansion in digital and M&A and foresees a strengthening of capital solidity with a progressive reduction of financial leverage over the plan period, with an almost zero NFP by 2028.

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## Next events

#### August 8<sup>TH</sup>, 2024

Approval of Half-Year Financial report at June 30th, 2024

#### November 14<sup>TH</sup>, 2024 Approval of Periodic Financial information at September 30th, 2024

