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# **Preliminary results 2023**

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: Another record year underpinned by+30% organic growth



### : 2023 was another record year

Gross profit

Growth y/y

**PLN 181m** 

+56%

Adj. EBITDA

PLN 85m

+54%

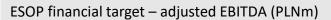
Net income from continuing operations

PLN 60m

+94%



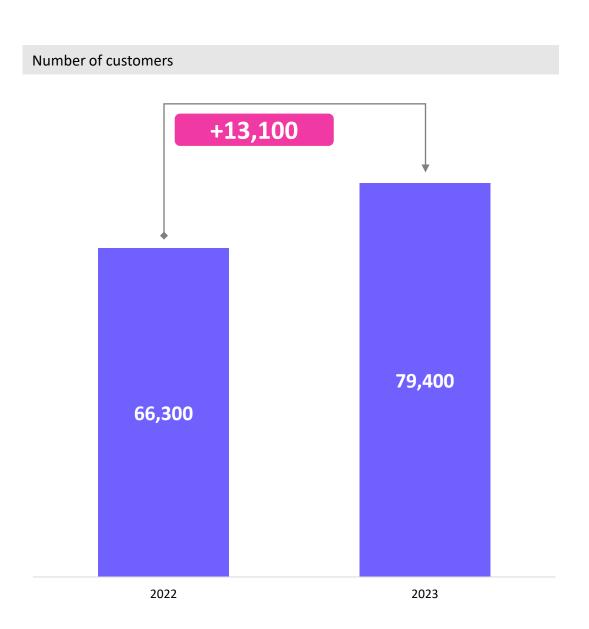
# : Beating financial target for 2023 by PLN 5m







## : Adding 1,000+ customers per month





# : Growing headroom for M&A and dividends

Net debt / EBITDA -1.4x 2.0x

2022

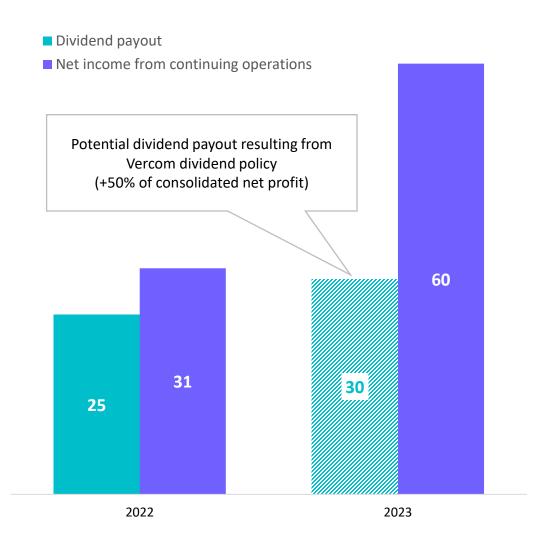
0.6x

2023



### : Attractive perspective of growing dividends

Net profit from continuing operations, dividend payout (PLNm)





### : Nearing PLN 2.0bn valuation mark (ESOP target for 2024)





<sup>\*</sup> Target before capital increase associated with acquisition of MailerLite

: Our mission is to help our clients to reconnect with their audience by removing communication and technological barriers





#### : Vercom customer engagement flywheel



#### **Design & templates**

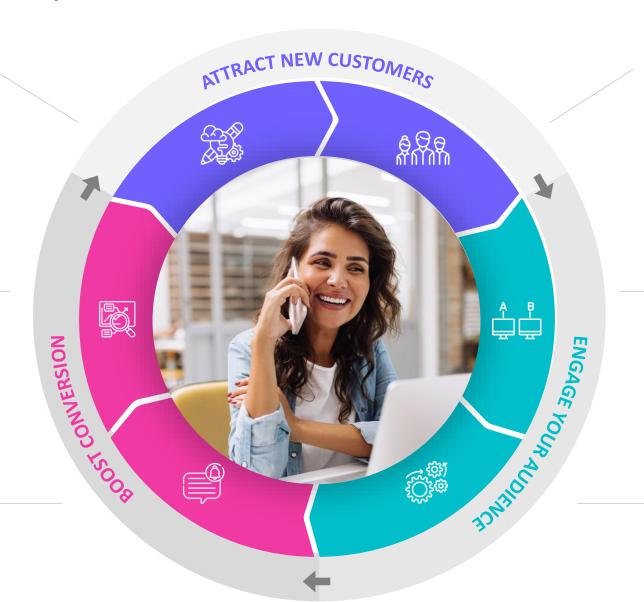
Save time using our content creation tools and templates

#### **Smart analytics**

Turn insights into actions with advanced analytical tools

#### **Omnichannel**

Use a channel (sms, email, push, OTT) that is fit for purpose and customer preferences



#### Segmentation

Boost customer engagement and loyalty by focusing on the right people

#### A/B testing

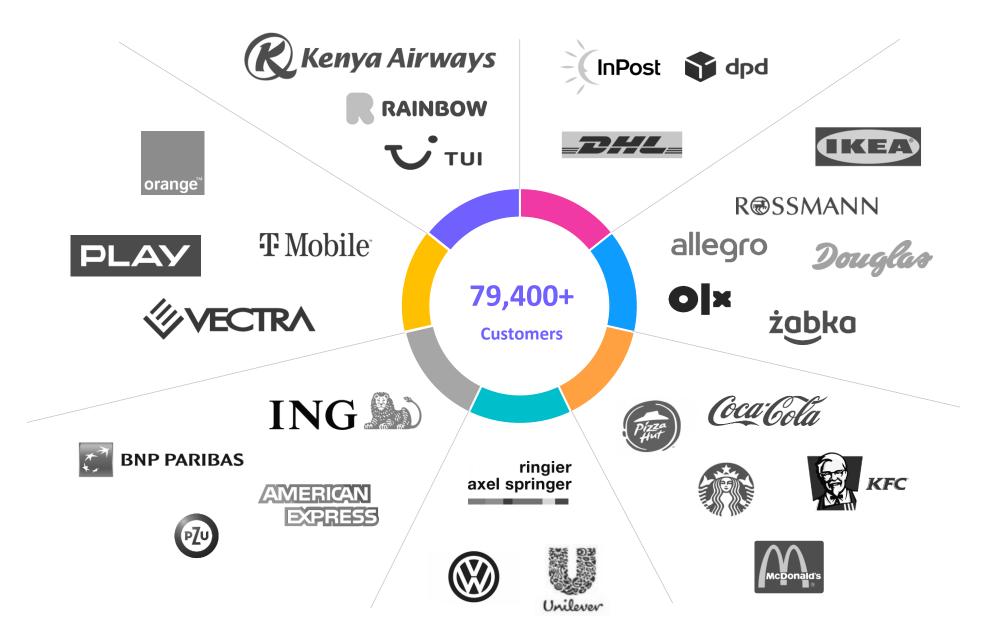
Use A/B testing and analytics to create highly-effective marketing campaigns

#### **Automations**

Maximize ROI by creating automations based on customer behaviour

#### : 20 years of experience rewarded with trust of landmark partners





# : One of the highest-rated email marketing platforms

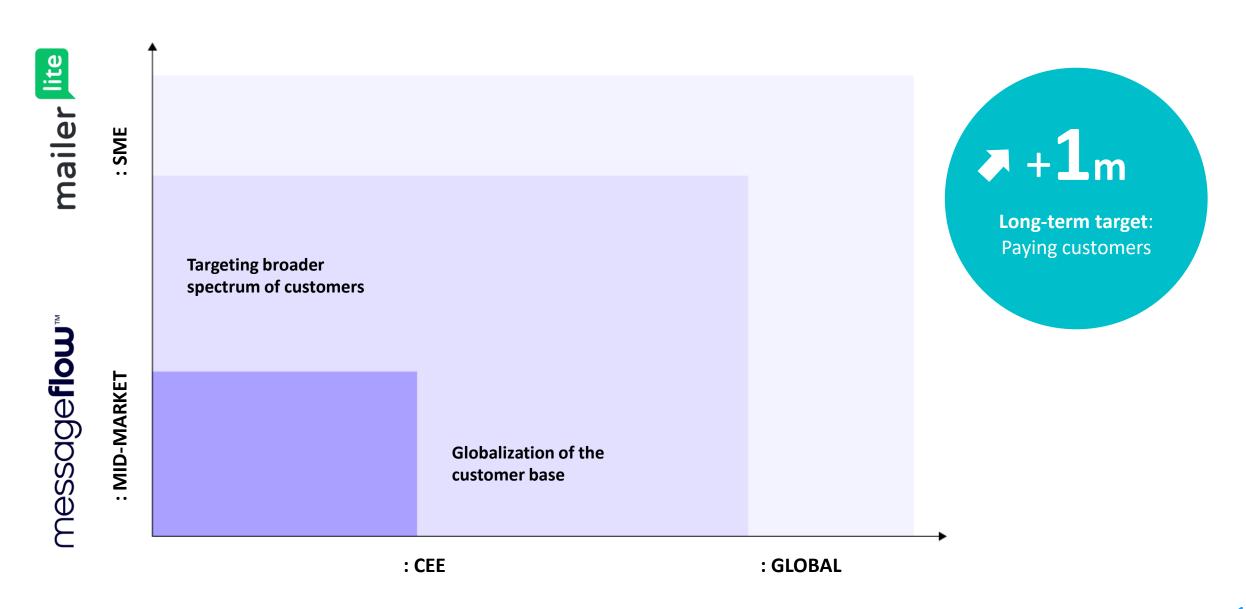


MailerLite VERCOM	Klaviyo	Mailchimp Intuit	HubSpot	Capterra
4.7 (1887)	4.7 (386)	4.5 (16449)	4.5 (5736)	Capterra rating
<b>4</b> .6	<b>1.5</b>	<b>*</b> 4.4	<b>★</b> 4.3	Ease of Use
<b>★</b> 4.8	<b>★</b> 4.4	<b>★</b> 4.1	<b>+</b> 4.4	Customer Service
<b>4</b> .6	<b>4</b> .6	<b>+</b> 4.4	<b>+</b> 4.4	Features
<b>4.8</b>	<b>1</b> 4.4	<b>1.</b> 4.4	<b>1</b> 4.2	Value for Money
\$10.00	\$20.00	\$13.00	\$50.00	Price starting from

Source: Capterra as at 21.02.2024

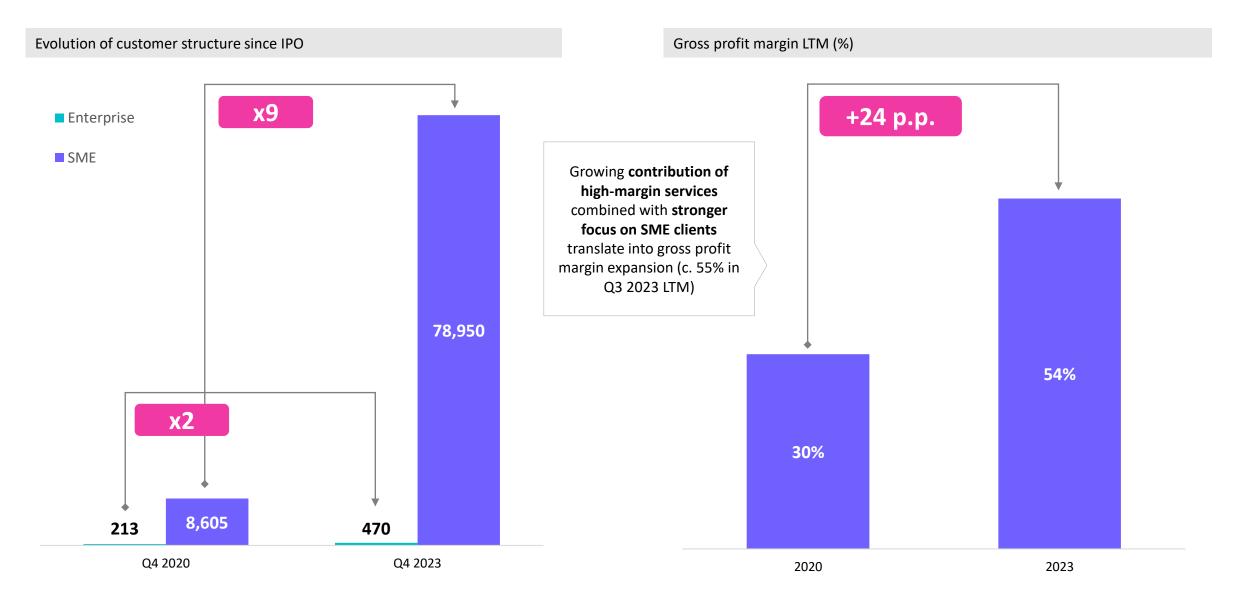
: Strategic focus on SME clients to drive global expansion





### : Strategic shift towards small businesses and creators

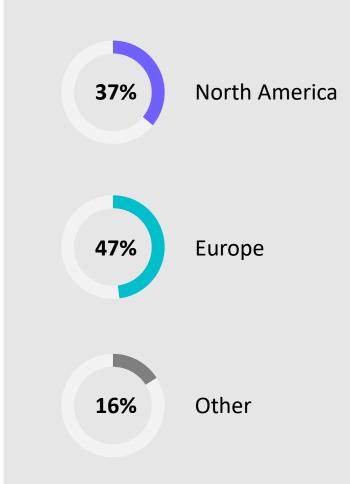


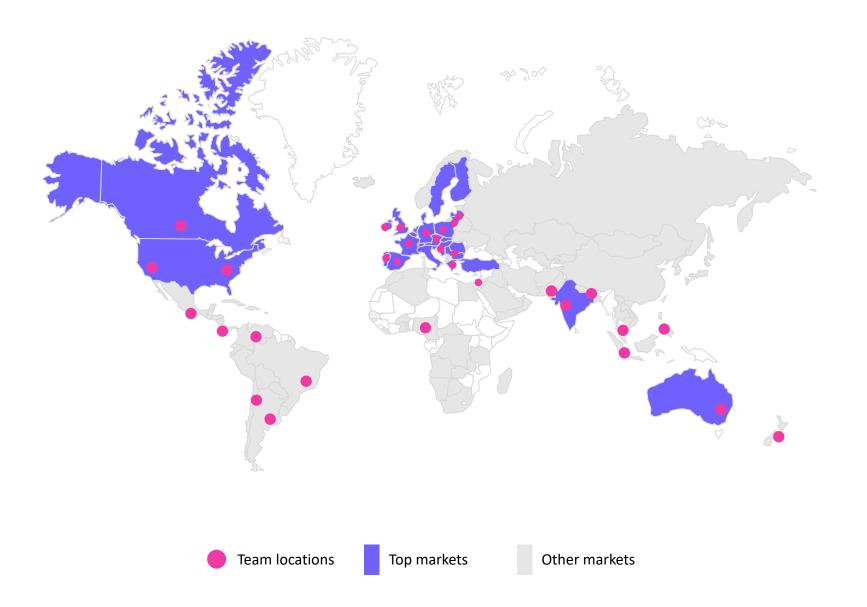


### : Selling services to customers in 180 markets globally

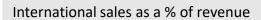


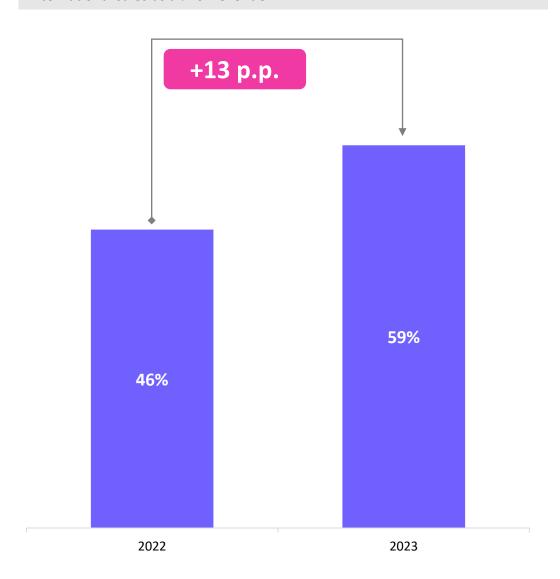






# : Growing contribution of international sales





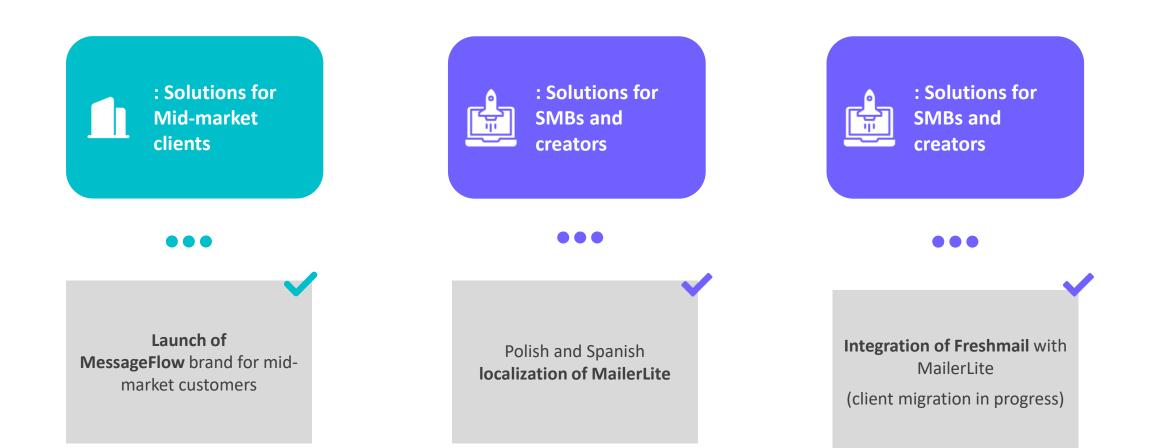


: Continuous development of key products to drive customer growth



### : Successful delivery of key development milestones for 2023

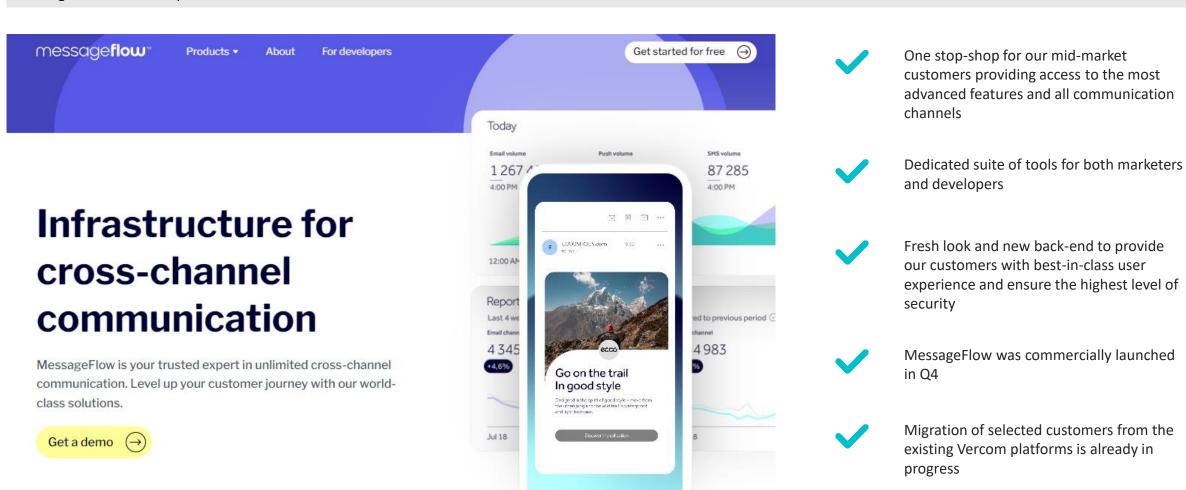




#### : MessageFlow launched in Q4 2023

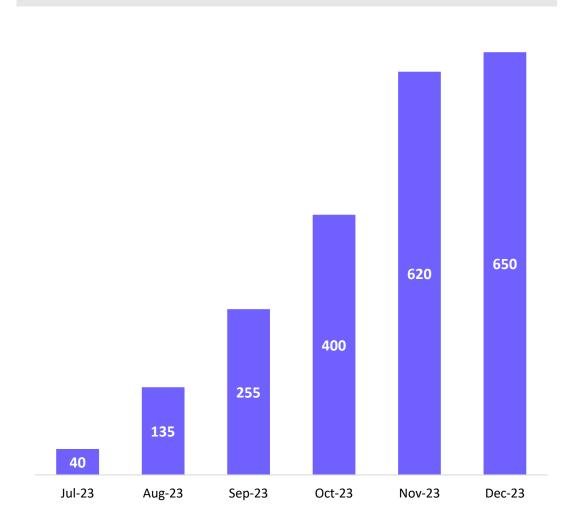


MessageFlow – the new platform aimed at mid-market clients



# : We are testing new markets (LATAM)

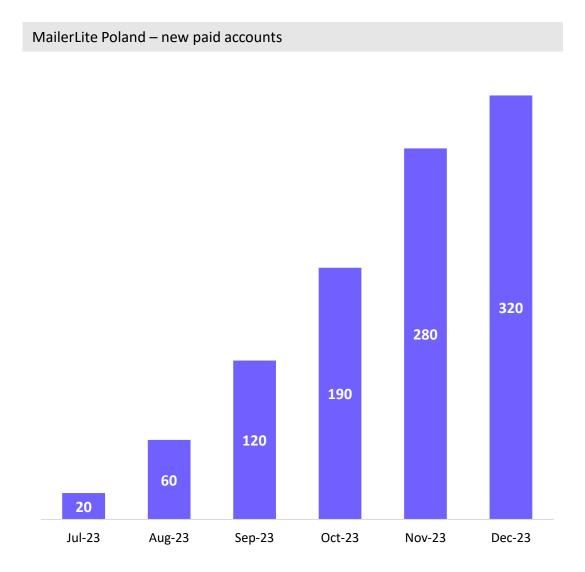
MailerLite Spanish – new paid accounts





#### : Polish localization facilitated migrating of Freshmail clients to MailerLite



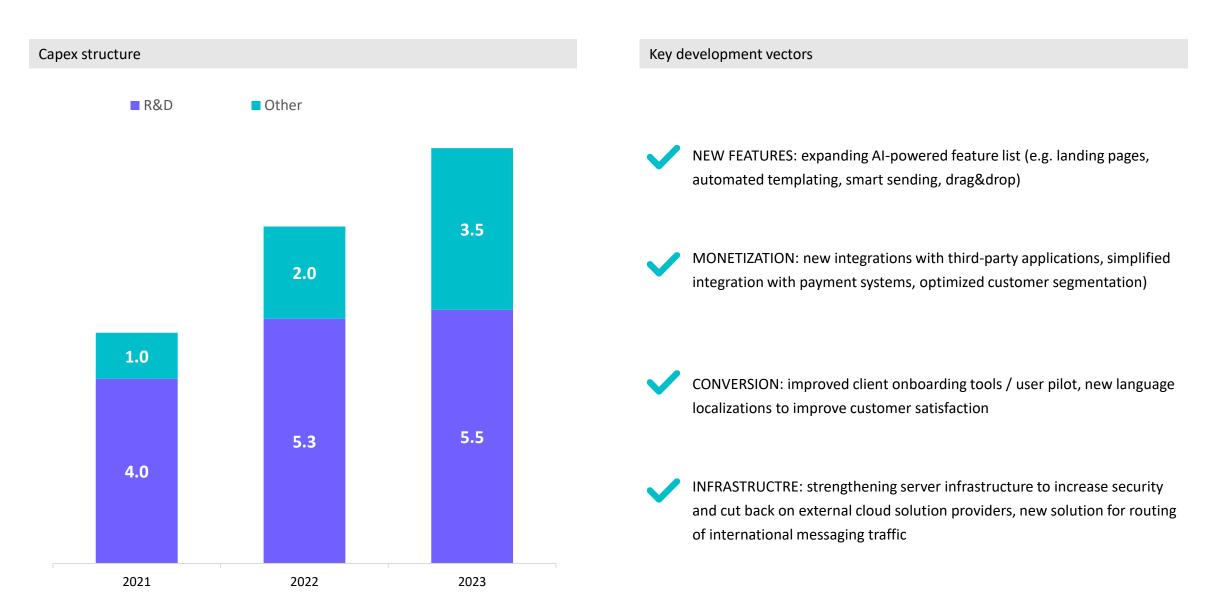


#### Migration of Freshmail clients to MailerLite

- Polish localization of MailerLite facilitated transfer of customers from Freshmail, which is another milestone in the organization structure streamlining process
- The migration process kicked off in Feb 2024 and will allow more than 5,000 Freshmail customers to benefit from new features and even better user experience
- By moving to MailerLite infrastructure, optimization of the the marketing budget and elimination of some overheads we expect to achieve significant cost synergies
- 6 months after launch, Polish localization of MailerLite has helped to accelerate customer acquisition in Poland, with more than 300 new paid accounts per month

#### : Product development focused on customer engagement and new features



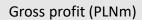


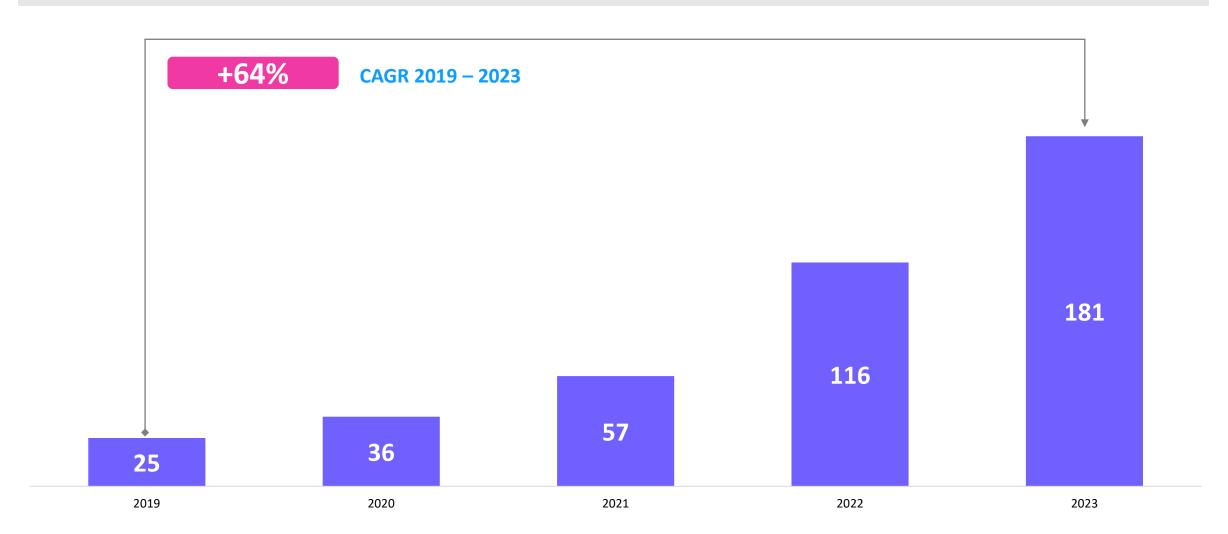
: We continue to enjoy strong organic growth



# : Gross profit margin reflects dynamically growing scale of the business

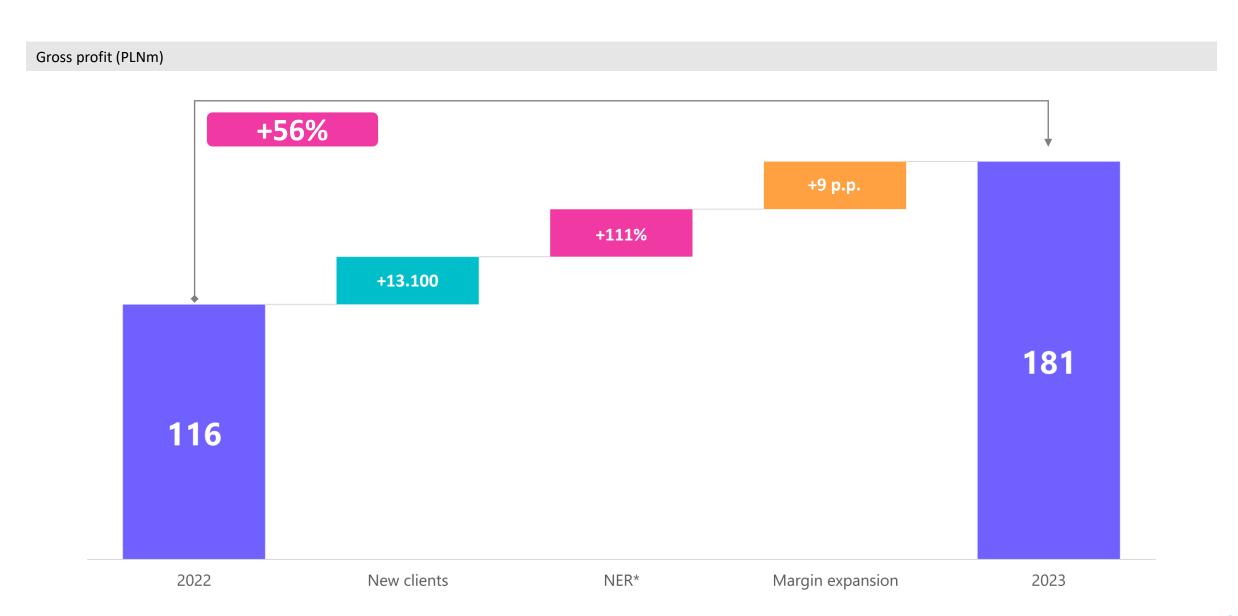






### : Gross profit growth is driven by customer adds and margin expansion





<sup>\*</sup> NER (Net Expansion Rate) – change in revenue from customers generating revenue in the current and the comparative period, excl. wholesale traffic

#### : Stable SG&A cost base allows to benefit from operating leverage



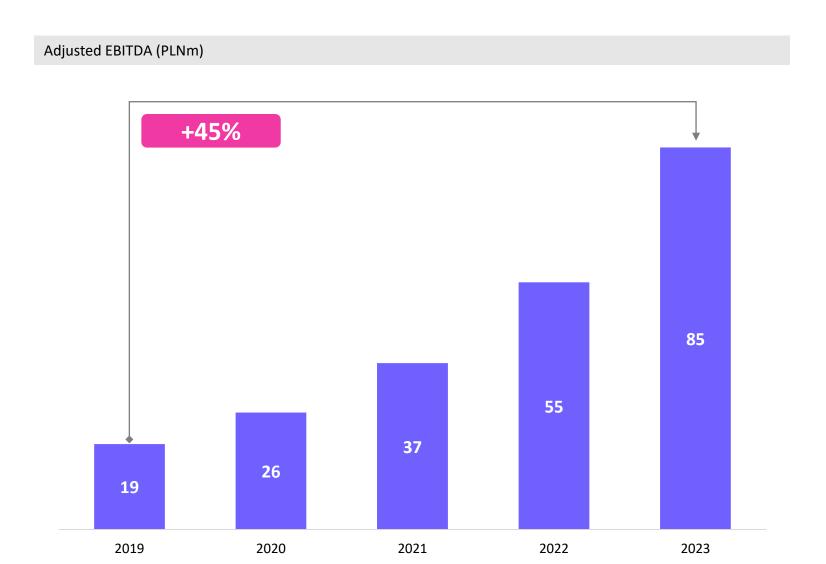


: Our cash generation capacity is benefiting from expanding profit margins



### : Dynamic EBITDA growth in line with target growth trajectory





Note



Strong organic growth rate in Q4 amounting to c. 28% YoY

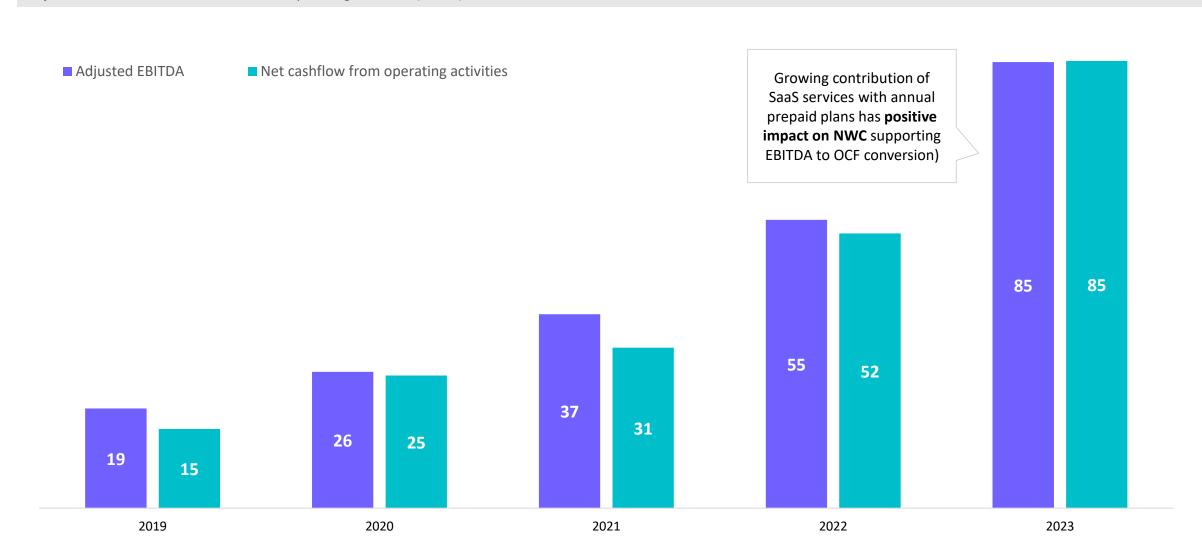
Growing EBITDA margin amounting to c. 25%

Expansion of EBITDA margin by c. 4 p.p. YoY driven by growing contribution of SaaS services in the product mix and operating leverage

### : Growing conversion rate of EBITDA into operating cash flow



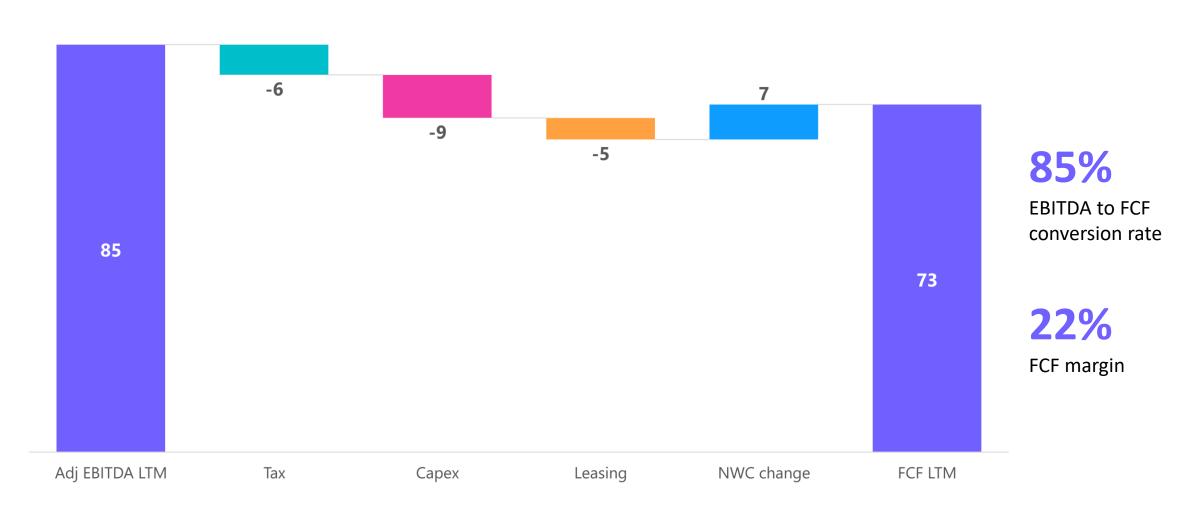
Adjusted EBITDA and net cashflow from operating activities (PLNm)



### : High cash generation capacity

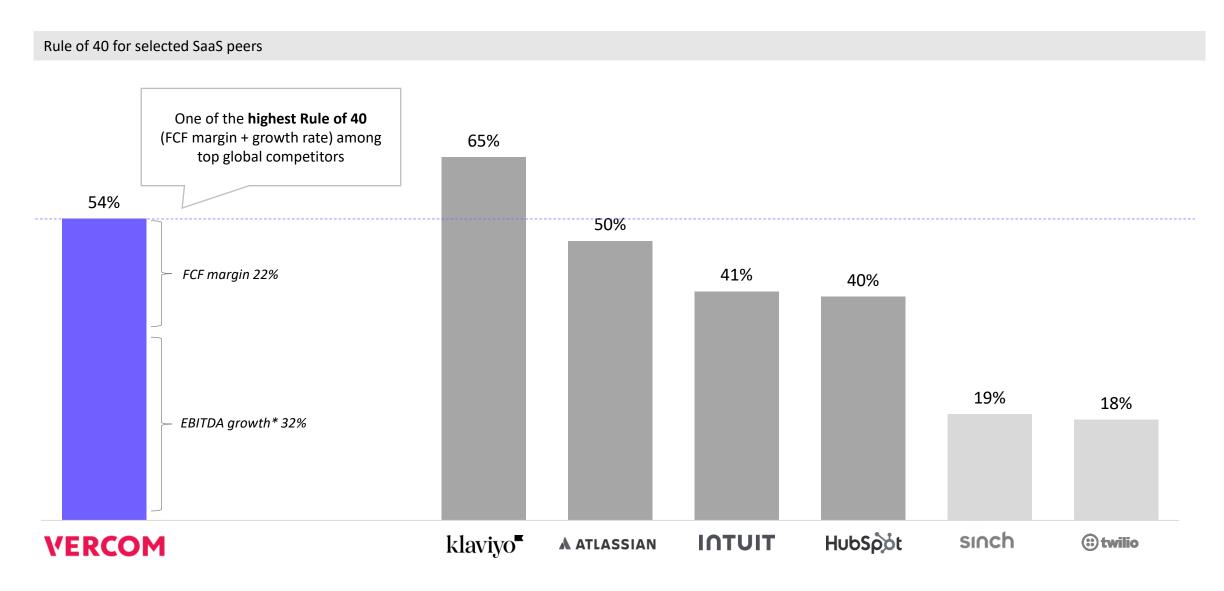






### : Rule of 40 - outstanding performance vis-à-vis global SaaS peers



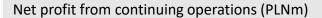


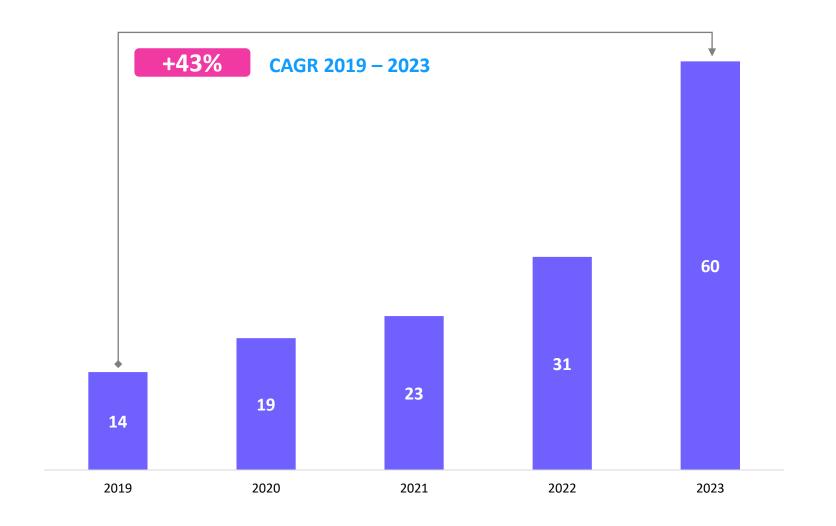
: Net income growth and decreasing leverage provide more space for dividends and growth initiatives



#### : Robust net income growth







#### Note



Strong reported net profit growth of 94% yoy to PLN 60m



Reported net profit in 2023 was affected by positive, non-cash FX differences in the amount of c. PLN 6m (post-tax)

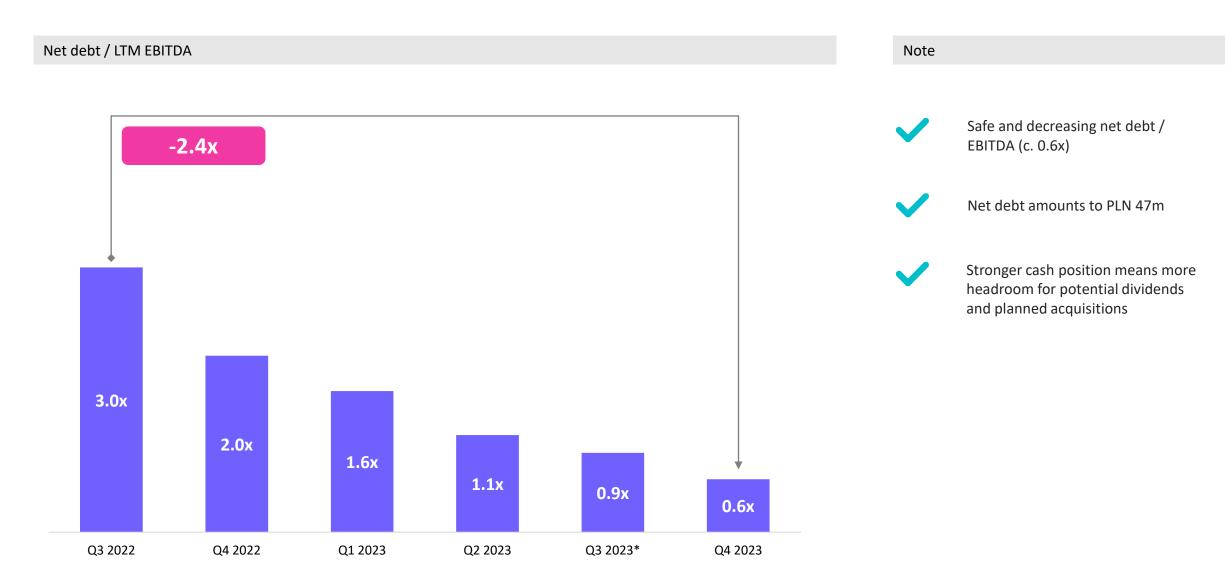


Net income to be supported by:

- Expected further decrease in the cost of financing due to:
  - Prepayment of c. PLN 25m debt in Q4 2023
  - Lower credit margin resulting from decreasing net debt / EBITDA
- Positive effective tax rate impact due to the decreasing level of interest payments

### : Increasing headroom for potential dividends and planned acquisitions





 $<sup>^{*}</sup>$  Including c. PLN 24m from the sale of minority share in User.com received in October 2023

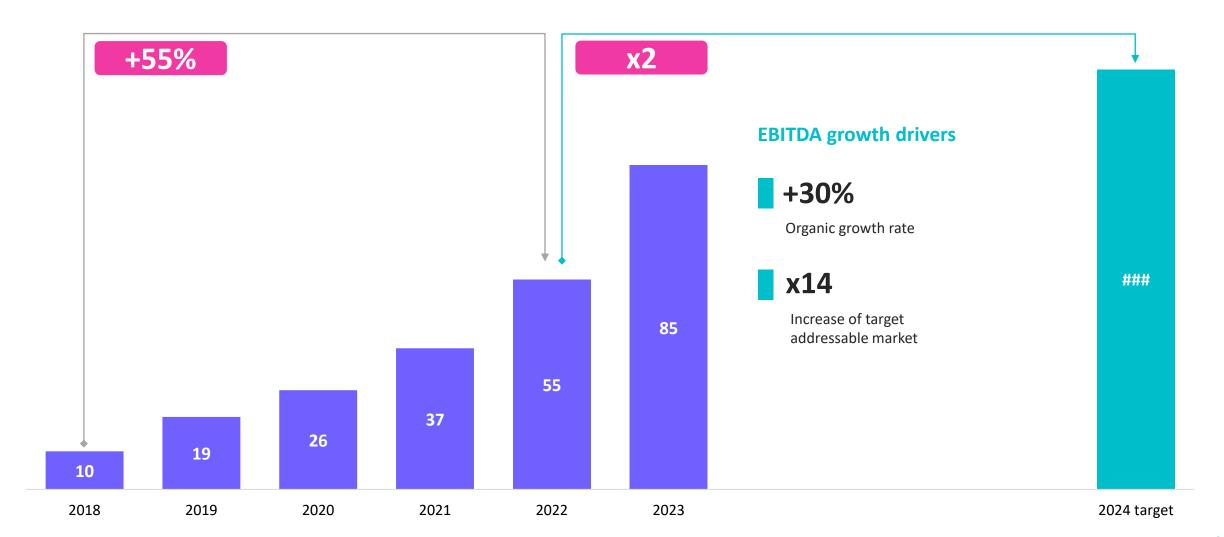
: We are **on track** to achieve our ambitious goals



# : We are on track to maintain EBITDA growth trajectory







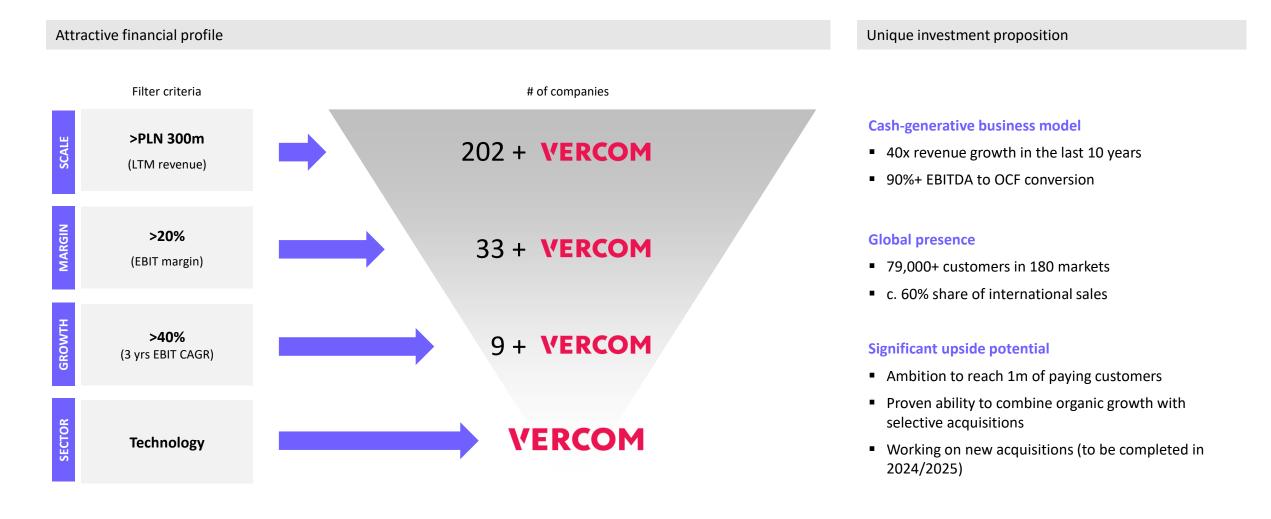
#### : Key takeaways from 2023 results

- We celebrate another record year underpinned by organic growth rate of c. 30% and c. 22% FCF margin it means we boast **one of the highest Rule of 40 benchmark among leading SaaS companies**
- Growing contribution of high-margin SaaS services and stronger focus on SME clients drive our gross profit and cash conversion
- Decreasing leverage (0.6x net debt / EBITDA) and 62% YoY FCF growth provide more space for dividends and growth initiatives
- We continue to invest in our platforms for SME and mid-market customers to increase adoption of AI technology and maintain our competitive edge
- We are on track to achieve our ambitious goal of doubling the EBITDA every two years



#### : Our unique business model translates into an excellent financial profile





Source: biznesradar.pl as at 21.02.2024

