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# 1H23 Results Presentation

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## Key messages

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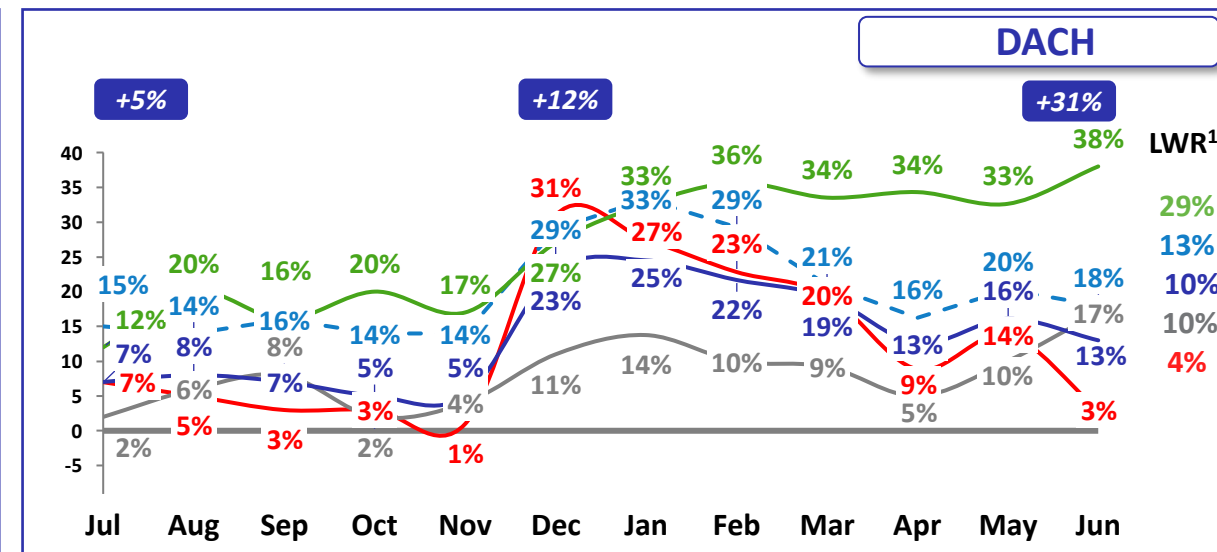
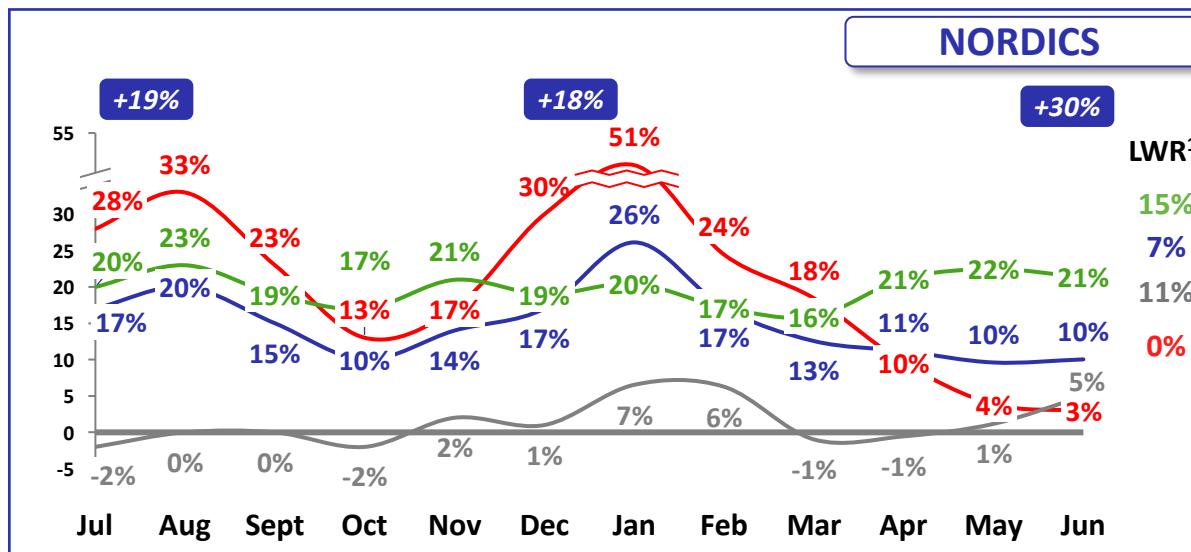
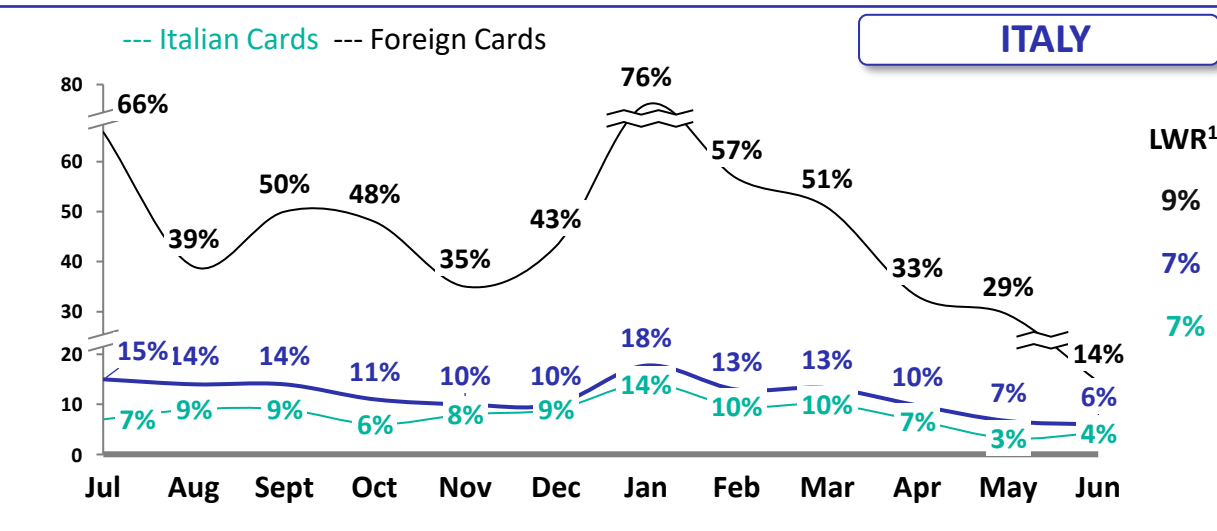
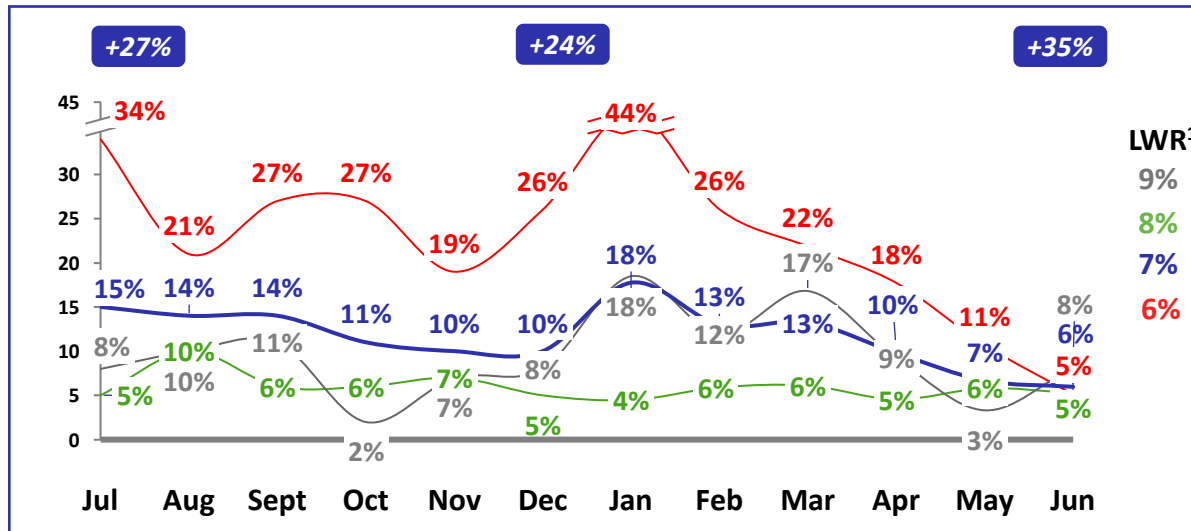
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### Confirmed 2023 guidance

- **Revenues > +7% y/y**
- **EBITDA > +10% y/y**
- **Excess cash > 600 €M**

# Continued volume growth in 2Q23 across all geographies despite tough Y/Y comparison

— High impact consumption — Basic consumption — Discretionary consumption — Total — Net of discontinued clients due to optimised risk profile **Delta vs 2019<sup>2</sup>**



**nexi** Note: Sales volumes only. SIA volumes excluded. Italy: International schemes plus National schemes for ISP merchant book. Nordics and DACH: Regular business, e.g. excl. Thomas Cook volumes. International schemes only, non-card based transactions from e-commerce not included. (1) Week 17 - 23 July 2023. (2) Total net of discontinued clients due to optimised risk profile for DACH



# Merchant Solutions: key business update

## 1H23 TRX Value Key Business Highlights

62%<sup>1</sup>

SME

**+14%**  
vs. 1H22

- **Strong continued customer base growth**, with terminals installed base growing by ~145k<sup>2</sup> y/y in 1H23, with significant growth in Italy and Poland
- **Advanced digital propositions accelerating sales performance** in Italy, Nordics and DACH
- **ISVs and platforms partners strongly contributing to sales**, with new partnership wins in both eCRs and vertical specialists in hospitality and retail. Partner digital propositions continued roll-out
- Good performance of **digital acquisition channels** across all markets
- Progress on **roll-out of capabilities and best practices across markets**. **SoftPOS roll-out** across geographies progressing

10%<sup>1</sup>

eCom

**+8%**  
vs. 1H22

- Accelerated sales performance of eCommerce solutions in Italy and Nordics and in **owned-A2A in Poland & Finland**. **Strategic focus on mid-market customers** is unlocking new wins across all markets. #eComm clients ~+10% y/y in 1H23
- **Strategic partnership with Computop, the leading eCommerce provider in Germany**, strengthening our online and omnichannel proposition across all verticals in DACH and beyond
- **Continued strengthening of our partnerships** (e.g., partnership with eCom enabler **Shopware** with commercial agreement live in Italy and DACH). **Preferred partnership with Shopify** in Poland
- **Continued integration of APMs** (e.g., ApplePay, Twint) **into Nexi's Relay API** to drive scale across geographies

11%<sup>1</sup>

LAKA

**+10%**  
vs. 1H22

- **Healthy pipeline of commercial new wins and up/cross selling** across multiple verticals and geographies, with specific focus on **omni-channel retail, hospitality/restaurants and mobility/petrol**
- **Good commercial traction of integration and acceptance technology projects**, mainly in retail and petrol/EV charging
- **Continued progress of propositions evolution**, including data-enabled insights suite in Nordics and unattended capabilities for hospitality and EV charging

### Examples of recent customer wins & upsells



### ISVs/Platforms Partnerships



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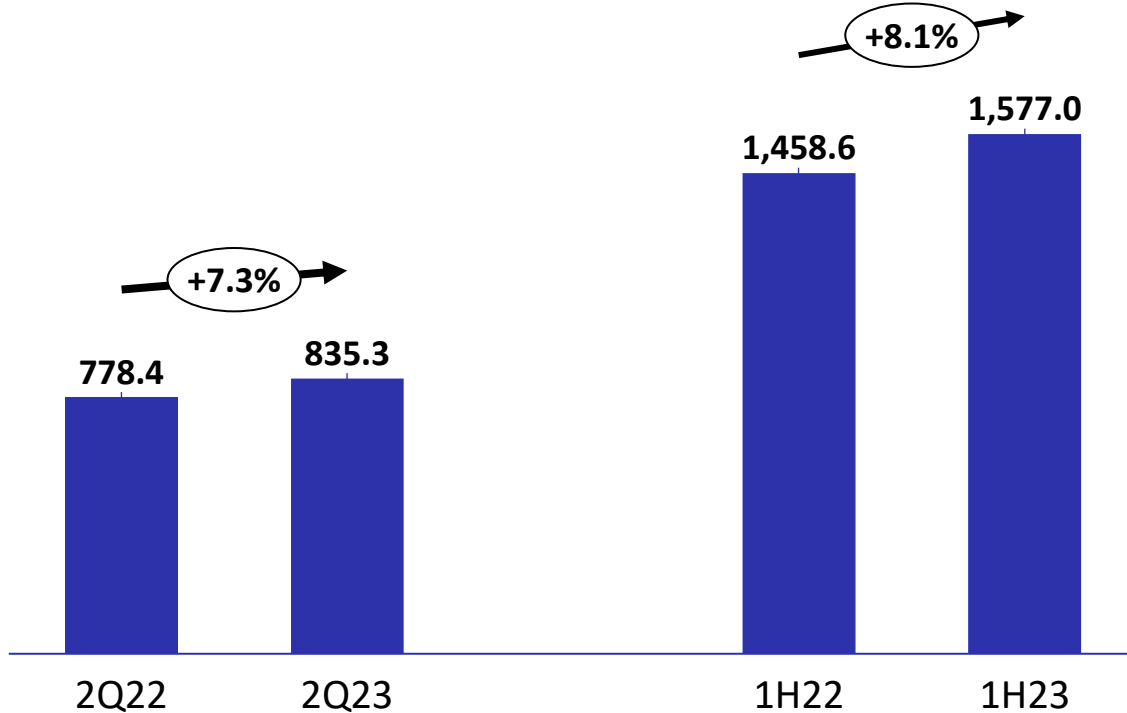
**Focus on 1H23 results**

# Solid Revenue and EBITDA growth, driving continued EBITDA margin expansion

## Net Revenues (€M)

+9.0% Y/Y  
Gross of scheme fees

+9.9% Y/Y  
Gross of scheme fees



## EBITDA (€M)

EBITDA margin

51%

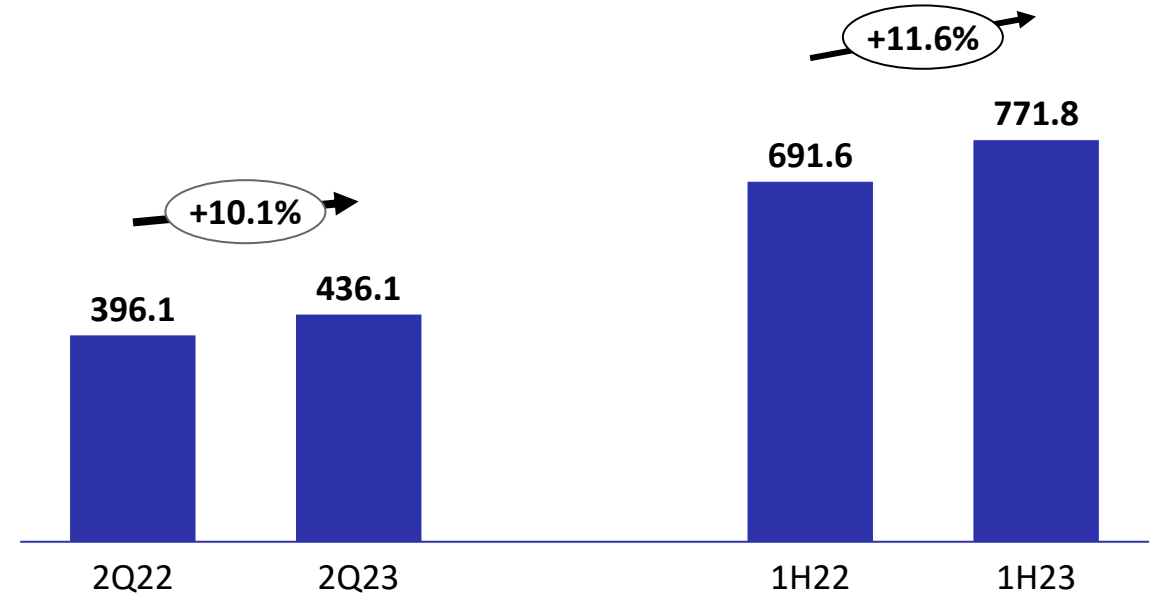
52%

47%

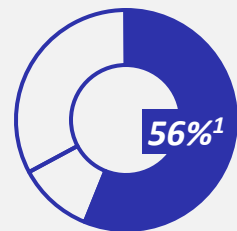
49%

+ 131 bps

+ 153 bps



# Merchant Solutions: sustained revenue growth despite tough y/y comparison in 2Q23



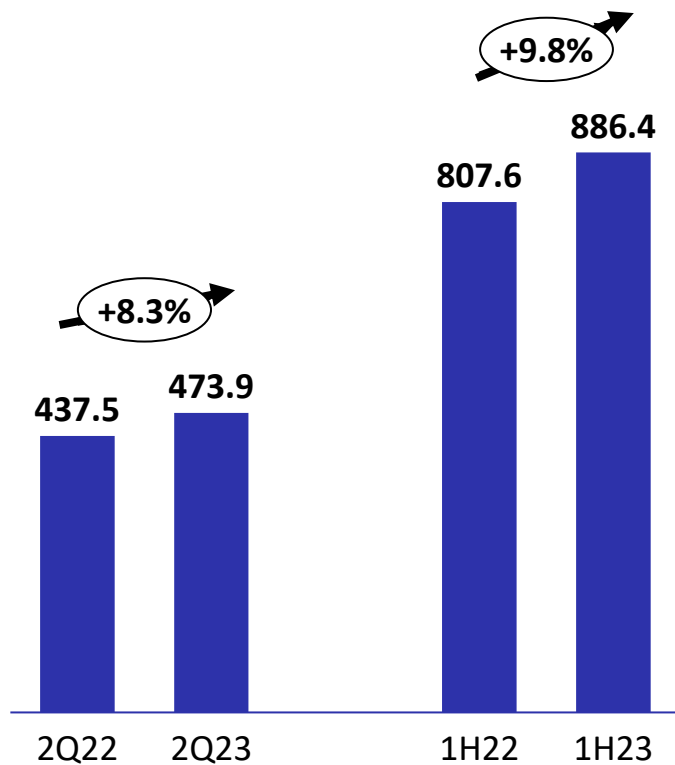
Merchant Solutions



## Net Revenues (€M)

+10.8% Y/Y  
Gross of scheme fees

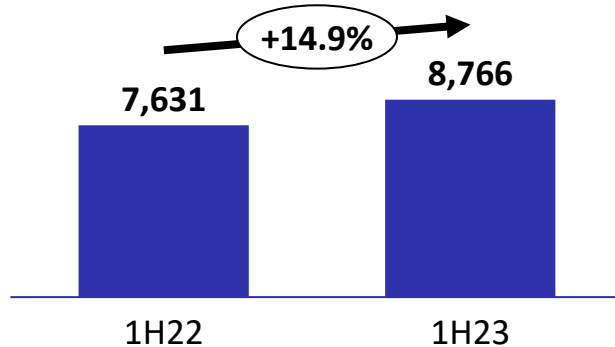
+12.2% Y/Y  
Gross of scheme fees



## Managed Transactions (#M)

International Schemes

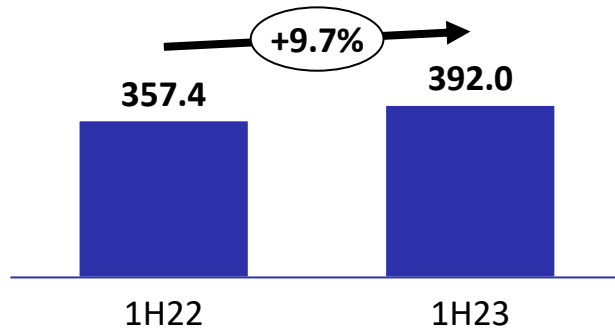
+17.7%



## Value of Managed Transactions (€B)

International Schemes

+13.3%

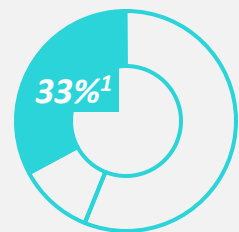


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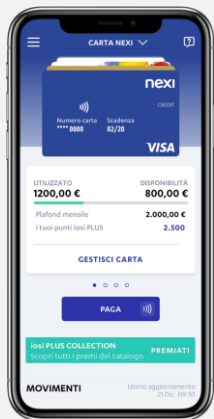
- Sustained growth in value of transactions across the Group, driven by International schemes
- SME value of transactions at +14% y/y in 1H23, faster than large merchants and positively contributing to revenue growth, with strong performance in Germany
- Continued customer base growth across geographies (#POS ~+145k in 1H23 vs 1H22 and #eComm clients ~+10% y/y)



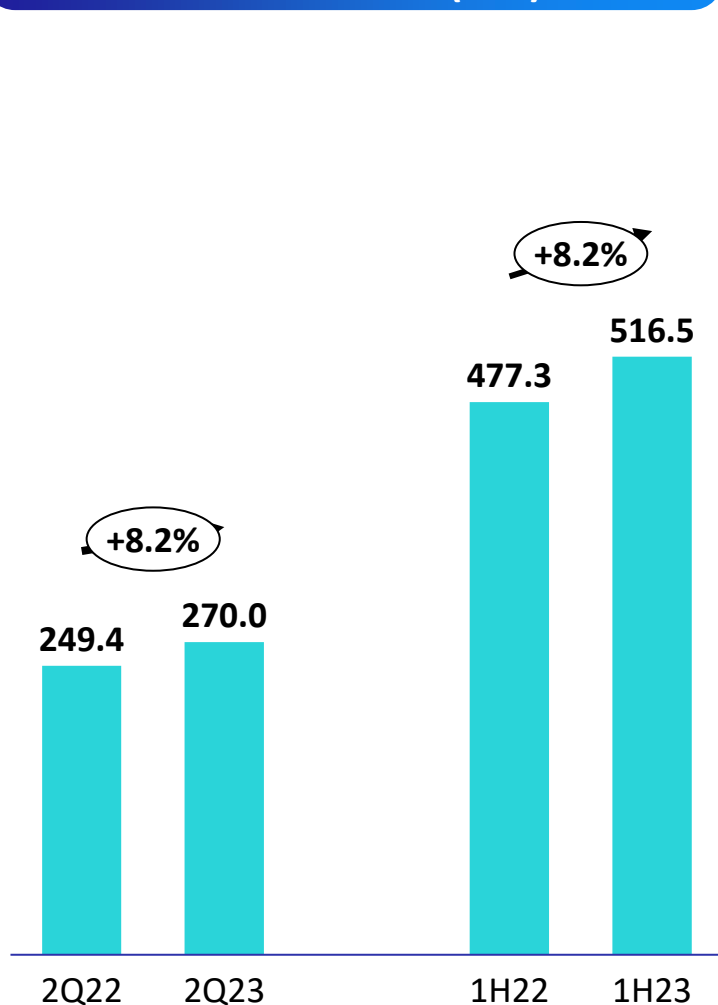
# Issuing Solutions: strong revenue growth supported by volumes and one-off contribution



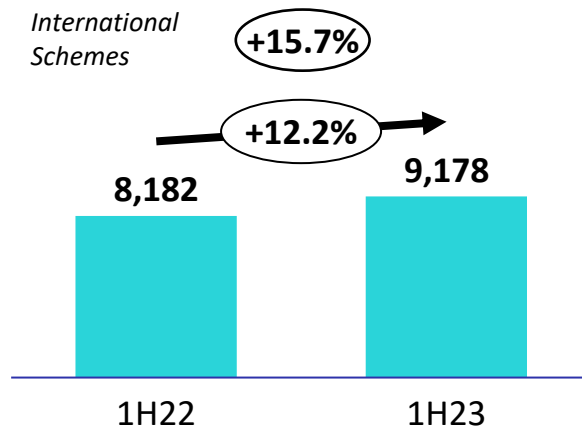
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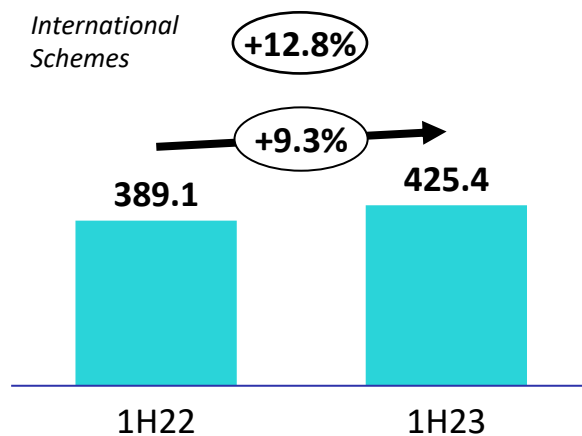
### Net Revenues (€M)



### Managed Transactions (#M)



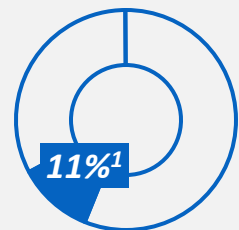
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### Key Highlights

- Strong revenue growth sustained by double-digit growth in Italy benefitting from positive volume mix, acceleration of international debit and one-off contribution related to banks' M&A impacting ~1-2 p.p in 1H23
- Continued up-selling / cross-selling of VAS and more valuable propositions across geographies
- Progressing development of Advanced Digital Issuing solutions (e.g. CVM) across Europe

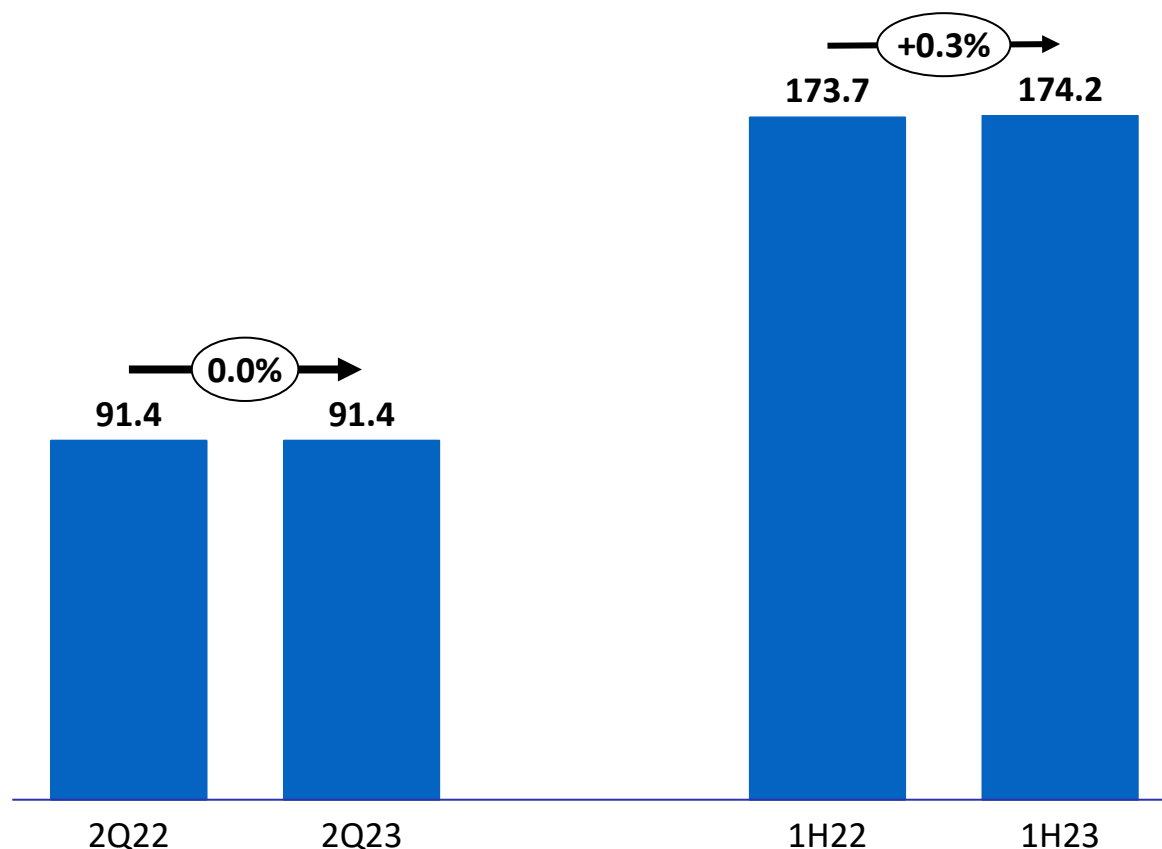
# Digital Banking Solutions: stable revenue performance in the quarter



Digital  
Banking  
Solutions



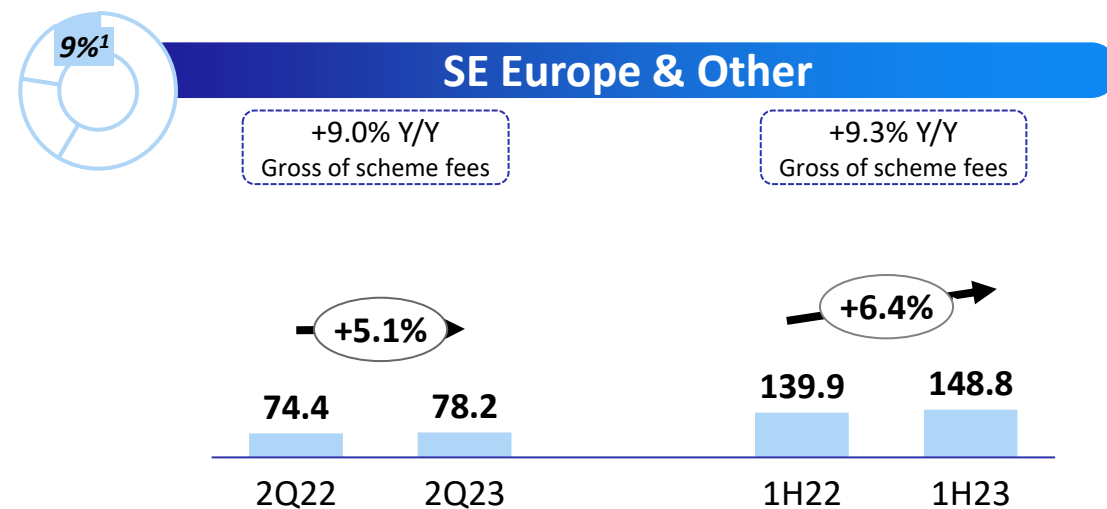
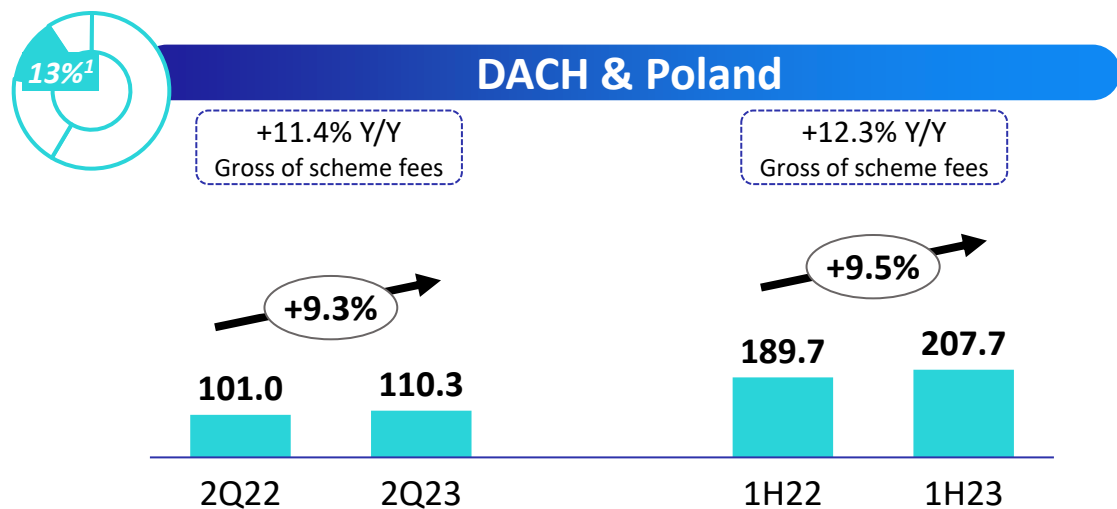
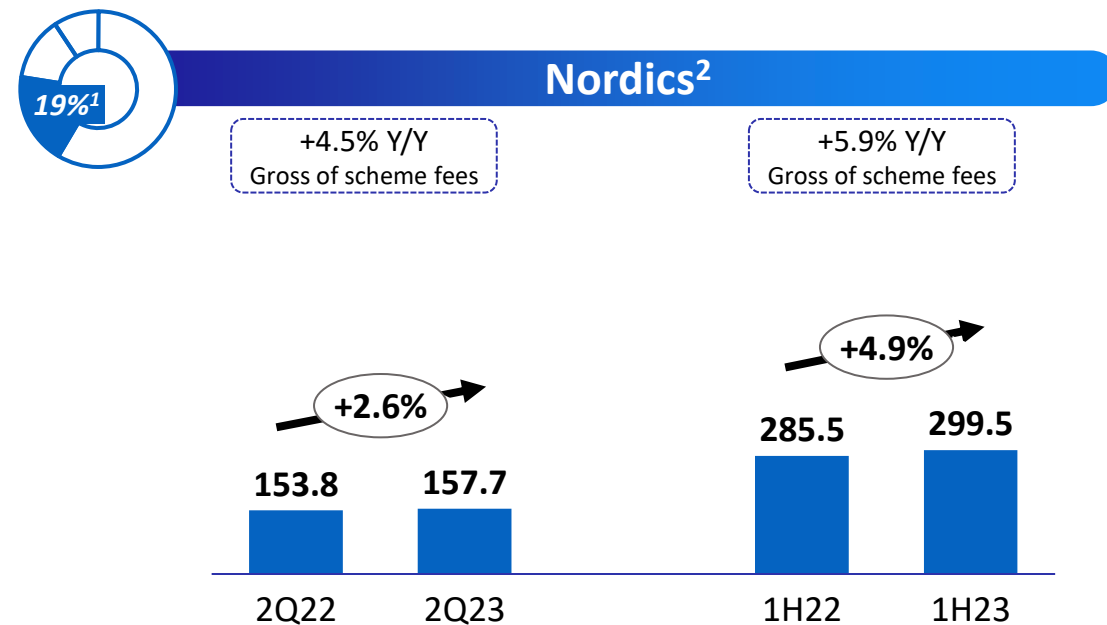
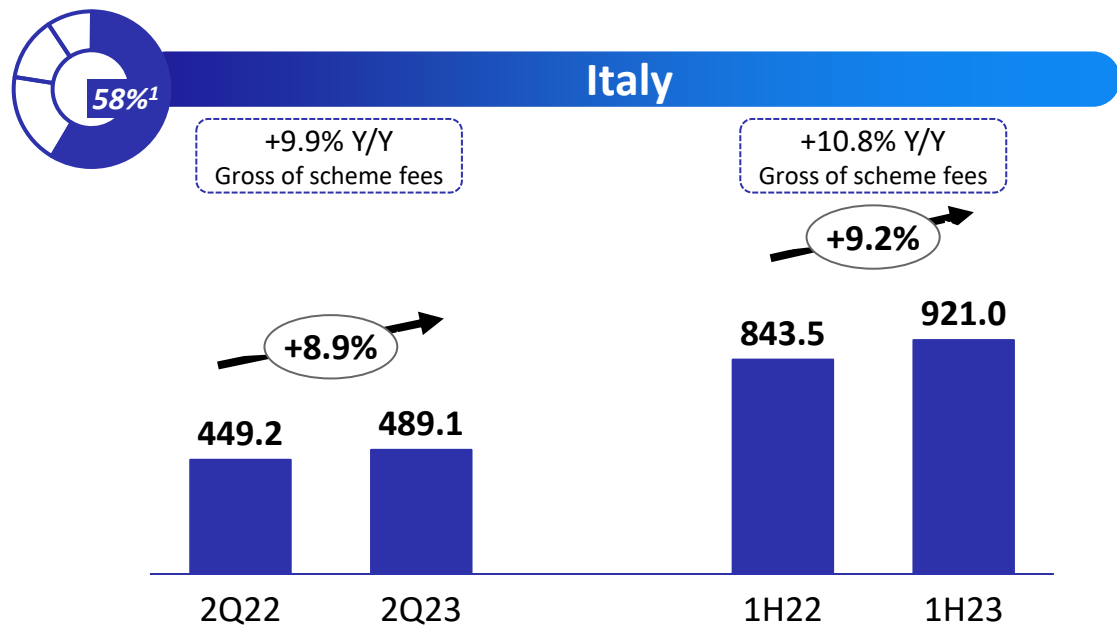
## Net Revenues (€M)



## Key Highlights

- **1H23 revenues stable y/y** with strong volume growth broadly offset by impacts from banking consolidation in Italy in 2022
- **Payments Infrastructures:** strong volume growth on EBA Clearing, especially on instant payments, and positive commercial performance of Network Services
- **ATM:** growth of Italy due to new DCC services and ATM base growth
- **Central Institutions:** rolling out national a2a platforms / wallets for Ireland and UAE

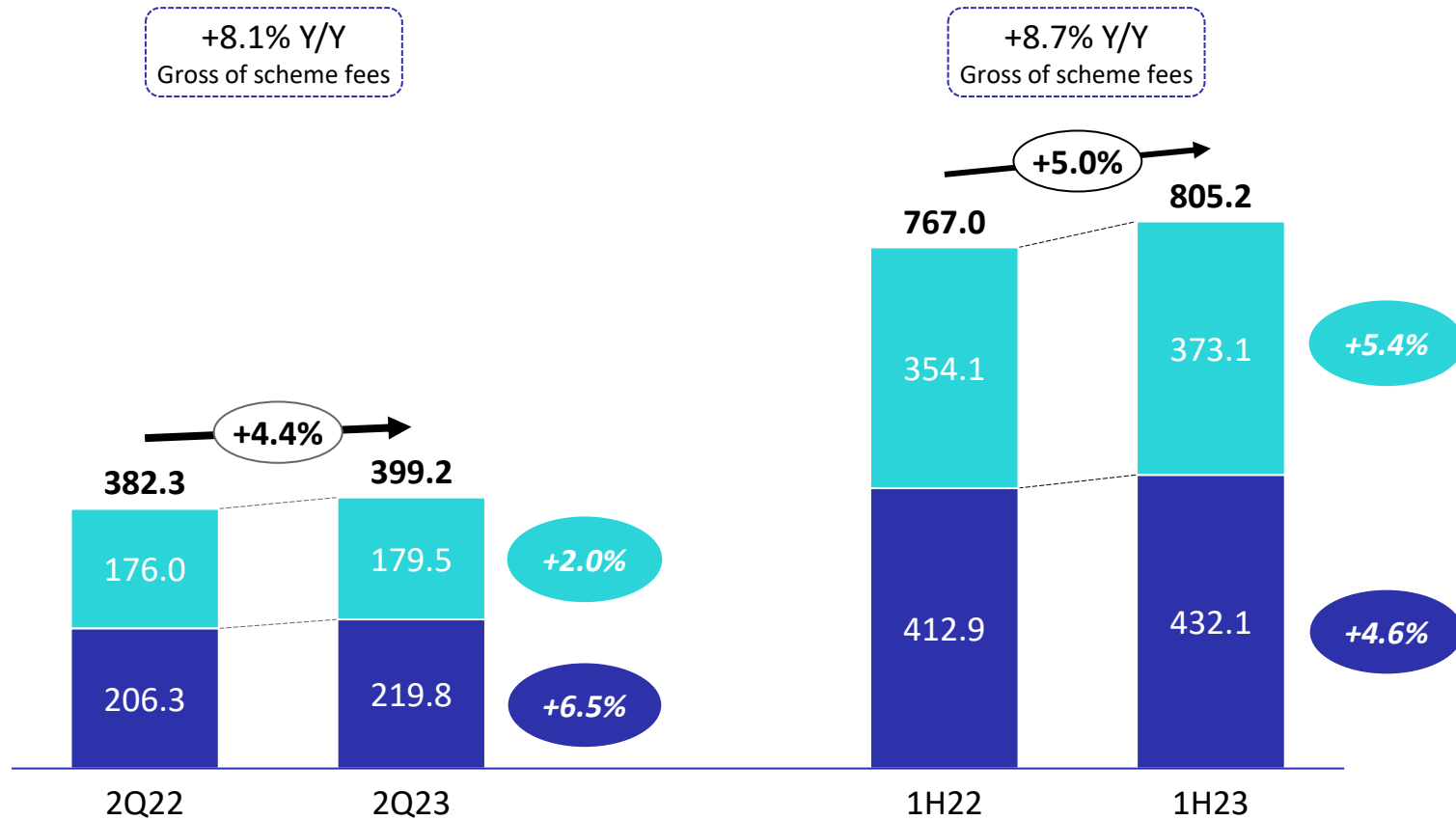
# Continued revenue growth across geographies in 2Q23, led by Italy and DACH & Poland



# Slowdown on costs, expected to continue in 2H23

## Total Costs (€M)

Personnel Costs  
Operating Costs

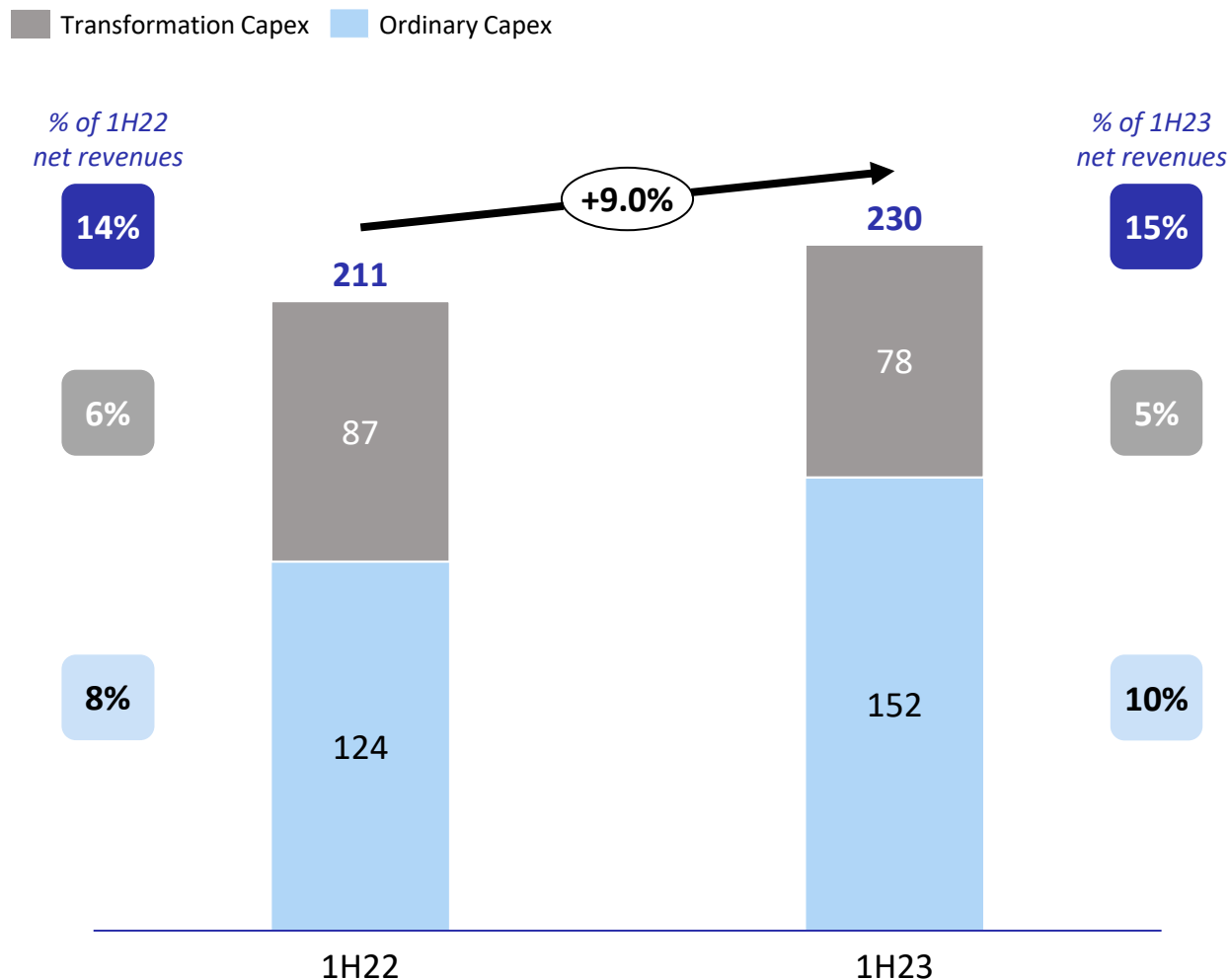


## Key Highlights

- **1H23 increase y/y as planned** due to volume, business growth and inflationary pressure:
  - **Personnel costs** trend mainly driven by people investments in high-growth areas and inflation
  - **Operating costs** benefitting from costs efficiencies and delivery of synergies despite volume growth and inflationary pressure
- After the peak in 1Q23, **costs normalized in 2Q23** with declining trend expected to continue in 2H23

# Continued investments to support quality, innovation and IT transformation

## Capital Expenditure<sup>1</sup> (€M)

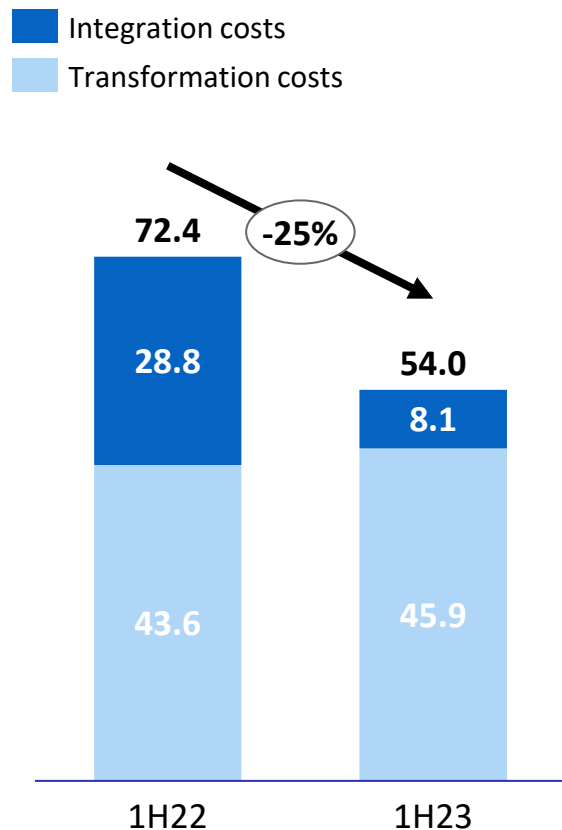


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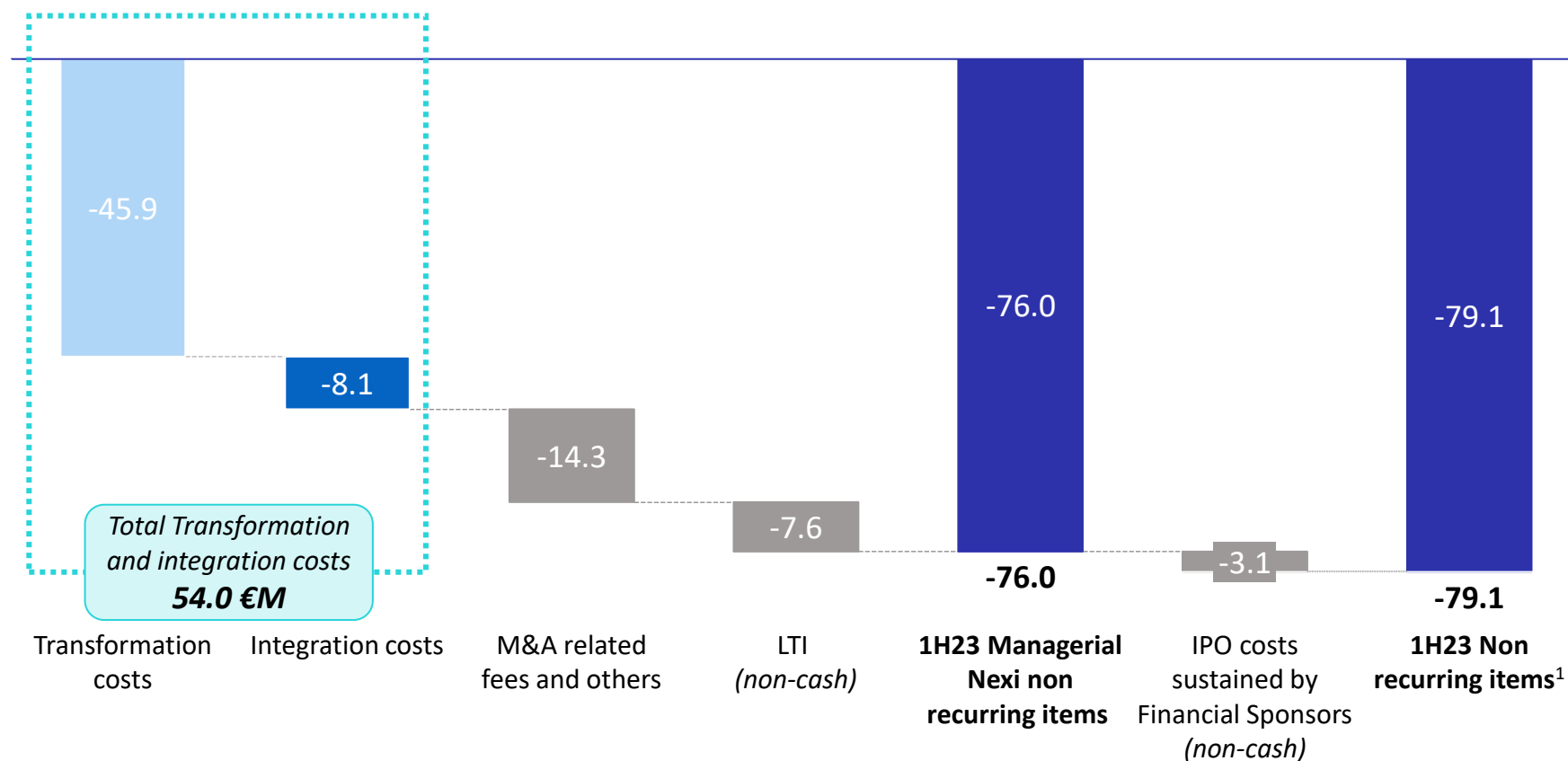
- Platform and datacenter consolidation progressing according to plan:
  - 5 processing platforms decommissioned as of 1H23
  - 11 datacenter decommissioned as of 1H23
- Ordinary Capex in 1H23 at 10% of net revenues, mainly due to strategic one-off infrastructure renewals and higher y/y Capex related to terminals
- FY23 Total Capex expected at ~500 €M, equal to ~15% of net revenues, down 2p.p. versus FY22 at CMD perimeter

# Continued strong reduction of Integration and Transformation Costs

## Transformation and integration costs (€M)



## Bridge from 1H 2023 transformation and integration costs to non-recurring items (€M)

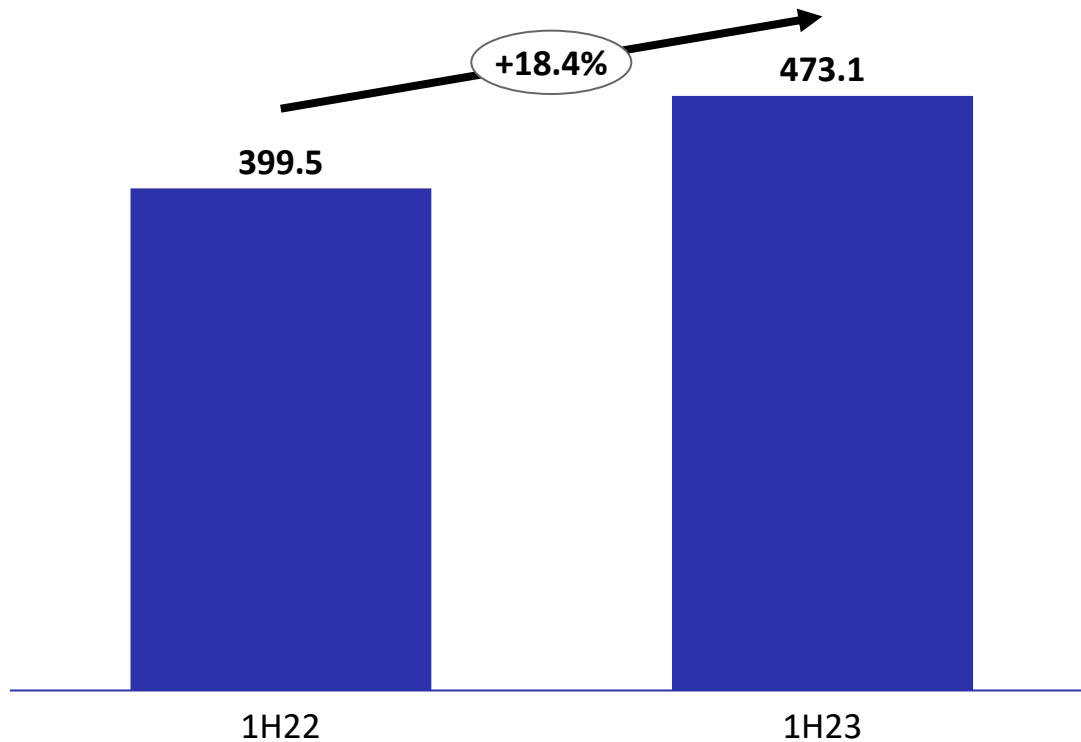




# Strong growth of EBITDA minus Capex and non-recurring cash items at +18% Y/Y

## Normalised EPS at 0.22€ up by 8% Y/Y

### EBITDA minus Capex and non-recurring cash items (€M)

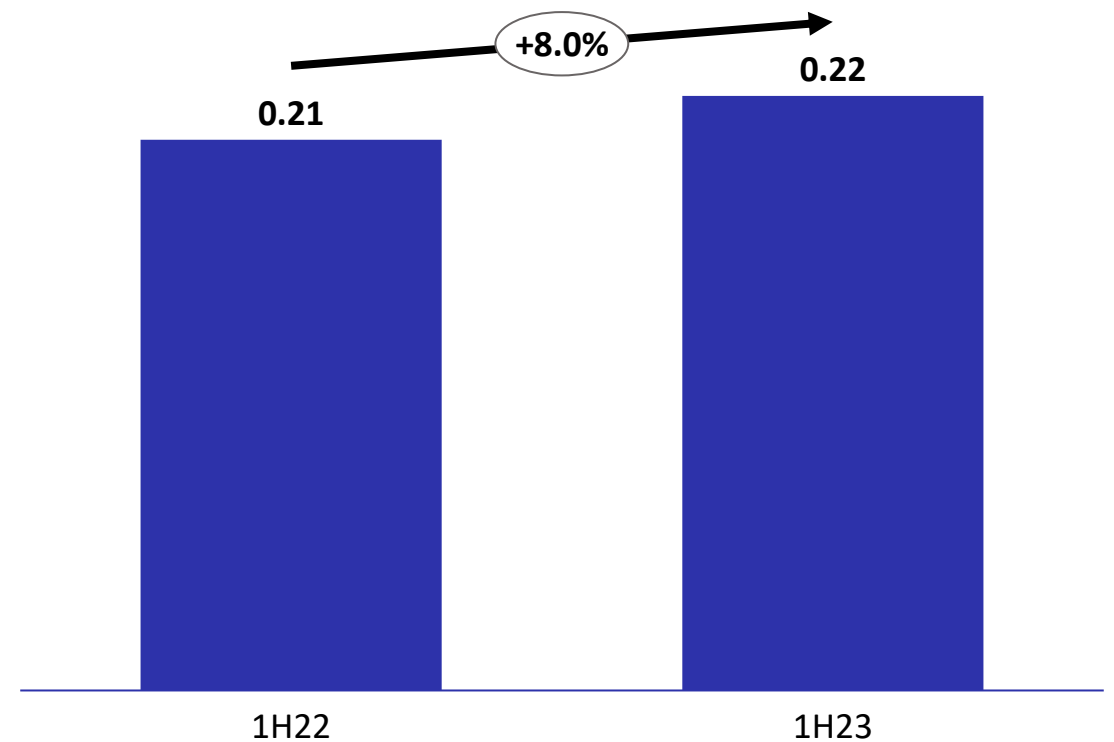


### Normalised EPS<sup>1</sup> (€)

Normalised  
Net Profit

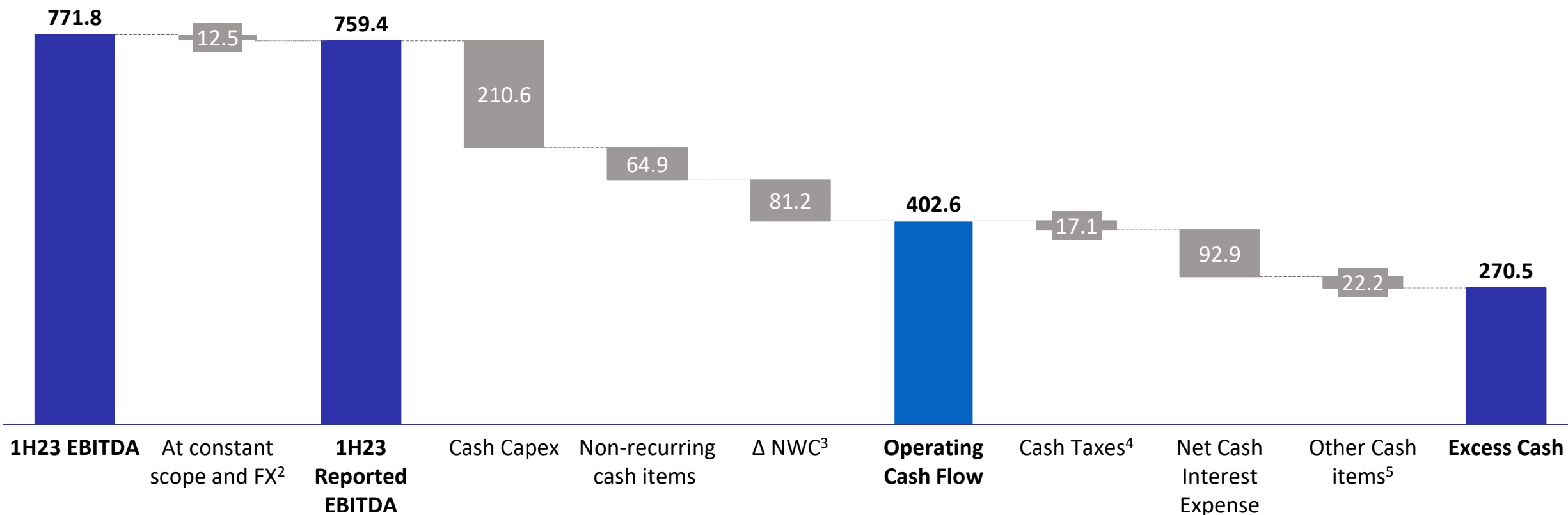
273 €M

295 €M



# Strong excess cash generation in the semester

## Excess cash generation<sup>1</sup> (€M)



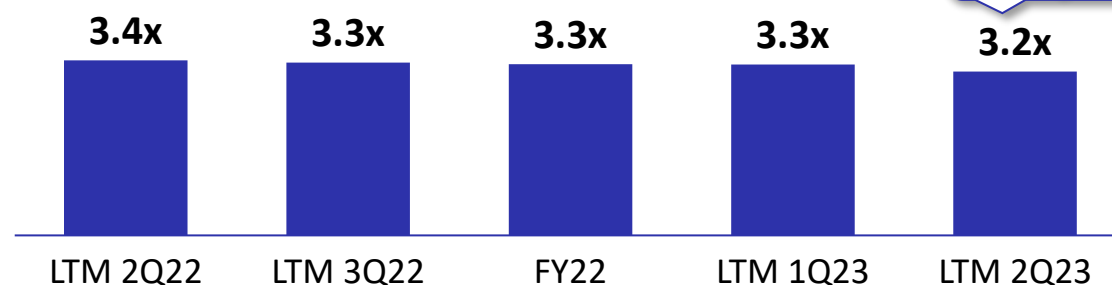
Note: (1) Operating cash flow generation after cash interest expenses and other cash items (cash taxes, IFRS 16, earn-outs and other). (2) Scope effect includes ISP merchant book acquisition in Croatia from January 1<sup>st</sup> to February 28<sup>th</sup> 2023. (3) Narrow definition. (4) Tax payments will occur in 2H23, including c.100 €M deferred taxes from 2022. (5) Lease payments (IFRS16) and others.

# Net Financial Debt / EBITDA in line with plan, at ~2.8x including run-rate synergies

## Net Financial Debt (€M)

	June 22	Sept 22	Dec 22	Mar 23	June 23
<b>Gross Financial Debt</b>	6,576	6,658	6,971	7,175	7,211
<b>Cash</b>	1,332	1,334	1,489	1,565	1,692
<b>Cash Equivalents<sup>1</sup></b>	84	83	87	92	97
<b>Net Financial Debt</b>	<b>5,160</b>	<b>5,241</b>	<b>5,396</b>	<b>5,518</b>	<b>5,422</b>

## Net Financial Debt / EBITDA (€M)



## LTM EBITDA (€M)

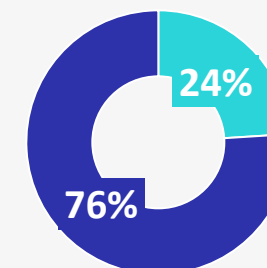
1,532	1,577	1,638 <sup>2</sup>	1,679 <sup>3</sup>	1,720 <sup>3</sup>
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## Key Highlights

- Upgrade to “BB+” by Fitch in July 2023, the 5th rating update since January 2022, on the back of the improved financial profile and deleveraging progresses
- Successful conversion of the 900 €M TL due 2027 into a Sustainability-Linked format<sup>4</sup>, reiterating Nexi's commitment to decarbonisation
- 2024 maturities to be met with existing cash resources (gross debt reduction)
- Weighted average maturity of ~3.6 years and average pre-tax cash cost of debt at ~2.8%<sup>5</sup>

## Interest rate mix<sup>5</sup>

- Floating rate (zero-floored)
- Fixed rate



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## Closing remarks

## 2023 Guidance confirmed, in line with CMD medium-term growth ambition

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<b>Excess cash generated<sup>1</sup></b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ At least 600 €M<sup>2</sup></li></ul>
<b>Net leverage<sup>3</sup></b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ ~2.9x EBITDA (~2.6x EBITDA incl. run-rate synergies)</li></ul>
<b>Normalised EPS<sup>4</sup></b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ More than 10% y/y growth</li></ul>

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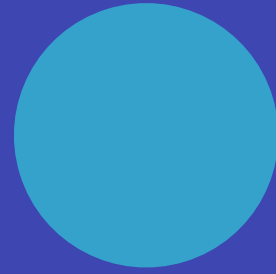
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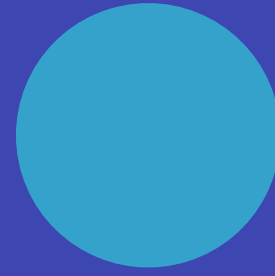
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## Group normalised P&L at constant scope and FX

€M	1H22	1H23	Δ% vs. 1H22	2Q22	2Q23	Δ% vs. 2Q22
Merchant Solutions	807.6	886.4	+9.8%	437.5	473.9	+8.3%
Issuing Solutions	477.3	516.5	+8.2%	249.4	270.0	+8.2%
Digital Banking Solutions	173.7	174.2	+0.3%	91.4	91.4	-0.0%
<b>Operating revenue</b>	<b>1,458.6</b>	<b>1,577.0</b>	<b>+8.1%</b>	<b>778.4</b>	<b>835.3</b>	<b>+7.3%</b>
Personnel Costs	(354.1)	(373.1)	+5.4%	(176.0)	(179.5)	+2.0%
Operating Costs	(412.9)	(432.1)	+4.6%	(206.3)	(219.8)	+6.5%
<b>Total Costs</b>	<b>(767.0)</b>	<b>(805.2)</b>	<b>+5.0%</b>	<b>(382.3)</b>	<b>(399.2)</b>	<b>+4.4%</b>
<b>EBITDA</b>	<b>691.6</b>	<b>771.8</b>	<b>+11.6%</b>	<b>396.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>+10.1%</b>
Ordinary D&A	(205.4)	(213.1)	+3.8%			
Normalised Interests & financing costs	(101.1)	(120.5)	+19.2%			
<b>Normalised Pre-tax profit</b>	<b>385.1</b>	<b>438.2</b>	<b>+13.8%</b>			
Income taxes	(128.6)	(146.5)	+13.9%			
Profit (loss) after tax from assets held for sale	18.0	4.2	-76.6%			
Minorities	(1.4)	(0.9)	-36.4%			
<b>Normalised Net profit</b>	<b>273.1</b>	<b>295.0</b>	<b>+8.0%</b>			

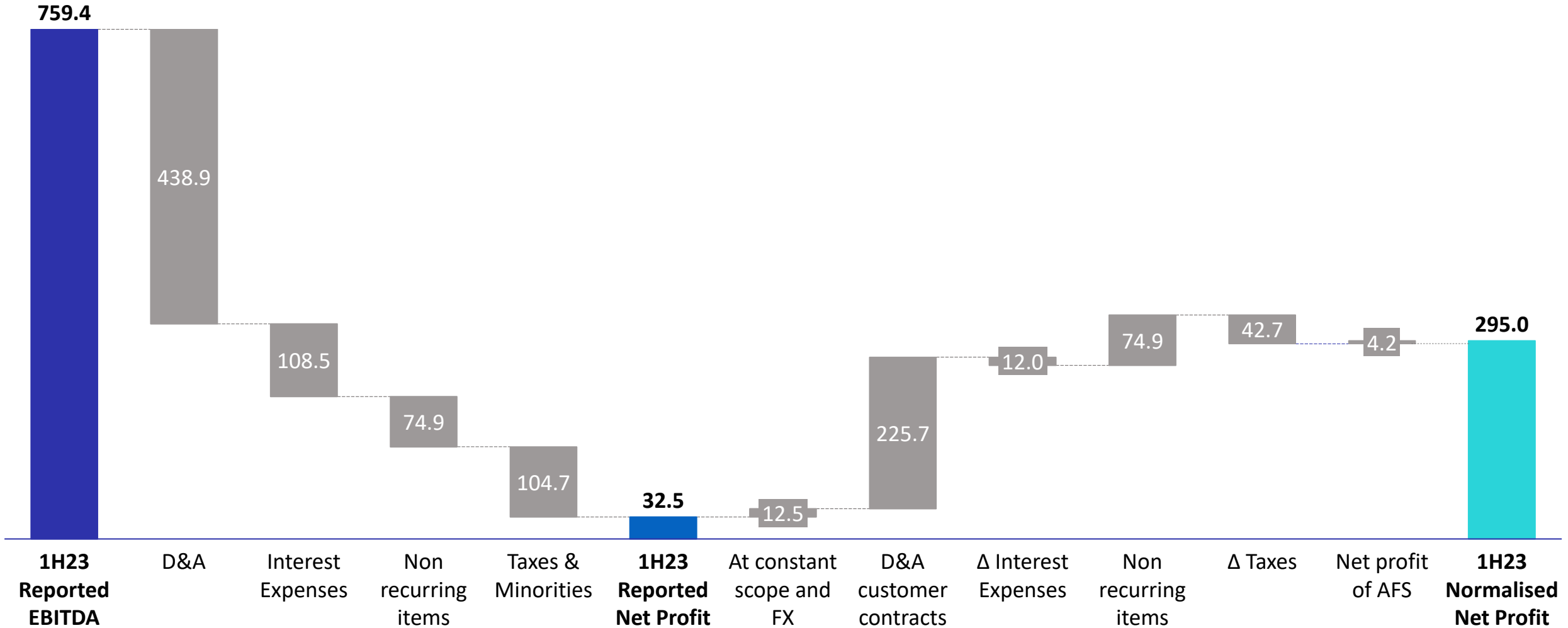
## Revenues gross of scheme fees, shifted to Opex

*For illustrative purpose only*

€M	2Q23	Δ% vs. 2Q22	1H23	Δ% vs. 1H22
Merchant Solutions	607.8	+10.8%	1,120.7	+12.2%
Issuing Solutions	279.4	+8.4%	534.8	+8.7%
Digital Banking Solutions	91.4	-0.0%	174.2	+0.3%
<b>Operating revenue</b>	<b>978.6</b>	<b>+9.0%</b>	<b>1,829.7</b>	<b>+9.9%</b>
Personnel Costs	(179.5)	+2.0%	(373.1)	+5.4%
Operating Costs	(363.1)	+11.5%	(684.7)	+10.6%
<b>Total Costs</b>	<b>(542.5)</b>	<b>+8.1%</b>	<b>(1,057.8)</b>	<b>+8.7%</b>
<b>EBITDA</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>+10.1%</b>	<b>771.8</b>	<b>+11.6%</b>

# Bridge from Reported EBITDA to Normalised Net Profit

€M



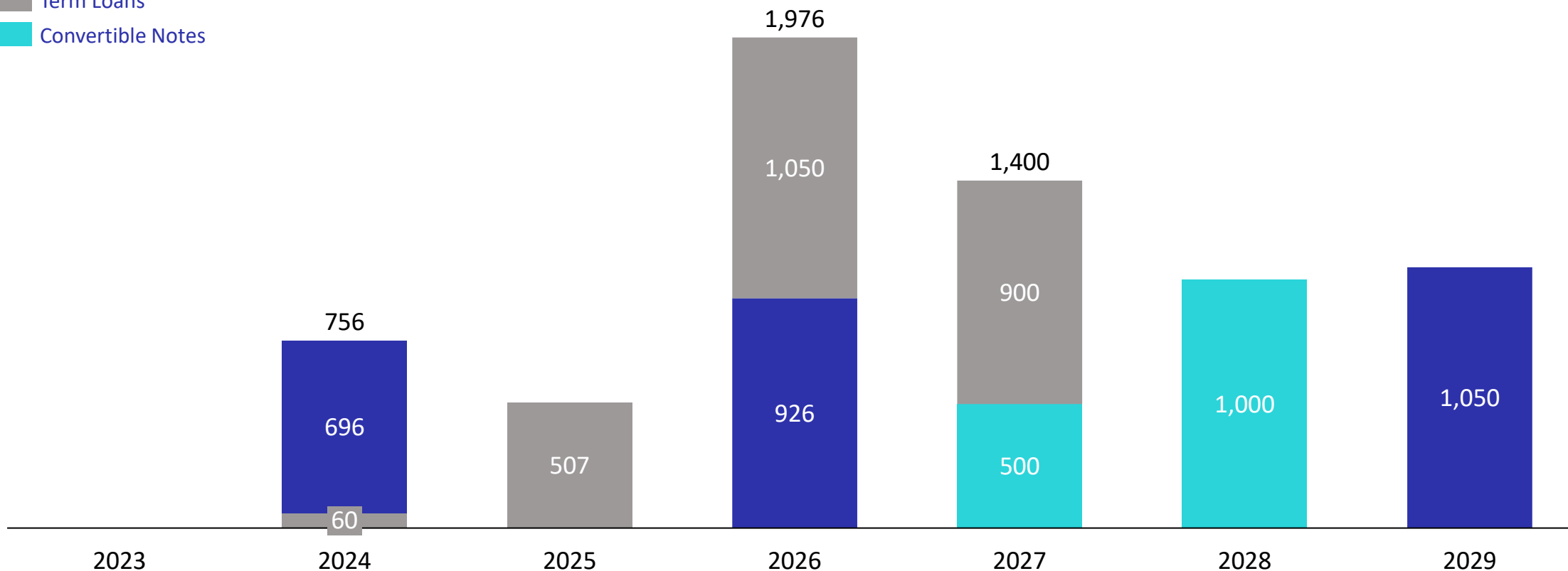
# Debt maturities as at 2Q23

## Nexi Group Debt Maturity Schedule<sup>1</sup> (€M)

Senior Notes

Term Loans

Convertible Notes





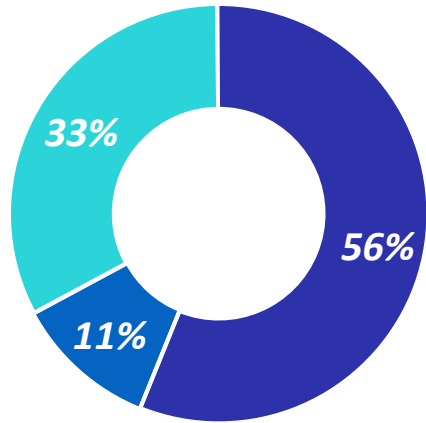
# Well diversified revenue base both in terms of business and geography at scale, with exposure to fast growing European markets

## 1H23 Revenues breakdown

## 1H23 Costs breakdown by type

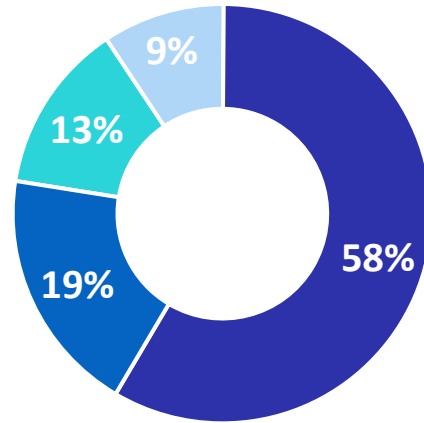
### By business

- Merchant Solutions
- Issuing Solutions
- Digital Banking Solutions



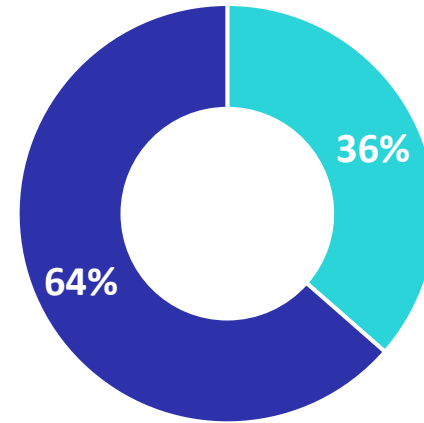
### By geography

- Italy
- Nordics<sup>1</sup>
- DACH & Poland
- SE Europe & Other



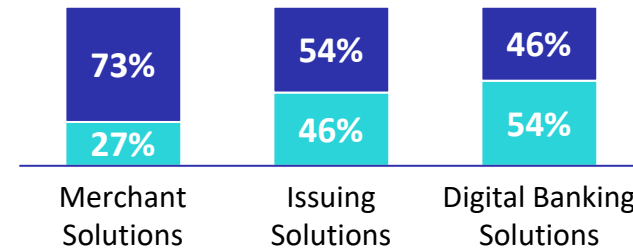
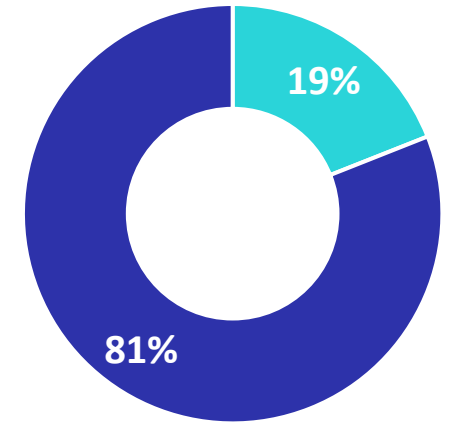
### By type

- Installed based
- Volume driven



### 1H23 Costs breakdown by type

- Variable costs
- Fixed Costs





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