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Key messages on 9M2022



- 9M2022 top-line up 7,4% (or +6,2% excluding ca. € 2m one-off benefit) driven by:
 - o CPI-link
 - Full impact of the refarming-related step-up in RAI contract (effective from 2H2021)
 - Over 9% third-party revenues growth (+17% in 3Q) boosted by new regional MUXes
- Adj. EBITDA up 5,2% (+€ 5,7m), despite severe headwinds from electricity prices (energy bill up € 7,2m vs 9M2021), supported by top-line increase and tight control on other cost items
- Development capex level reflects the gradual completion of RAI network upgrade and rising investments on third-party initiatives (regional MUXes and new services)
- **Refarming**: activities in 3Q focused on completion of equipment upgrade to T2 on RAI MUX A & B and network improvement of regional MUXes
- Contract with MNO client renewed for the next 6 years, with conditions fully in line with the targeted stabilization path
- Construction of the first set of **5 Edge Data Centers awarded**, with capex expected in line with previous indications
- Increased visibility on 2022 targets with stronger expected EBITDA growth following government relief measures, recent cooldown of electricity prices and mitigating actions; energy headwind more than offset in 2023 through CPI-link

OPERATING

OUTLOOK

9M2022 Financial highlights

MIn Eur; % 🦳 % YoY growth













Maintenance capex excluding component related to IFRS-16 leasing

2) Cash conversion = (Adj. EBITDA - Leases - Maintenance Capex) / (Adj. EBITDA - Leases). Leases estimated as sum of leasing right of use depreciation (excl. dismantling) + financial charges on leasing contracts

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Core Revenues

MIn Eur; % // % YoY growth



- RAI Fixed Consideration up 7,5% (or 6,1% excluding € 2,0m oneoff amount paid by RAI in 3Q to terminate a minor service related to an old radio transmission technology) driven by CPI escalator and full impact of refarming-related step-up (effective from 2H21)
- Slight reduction in **New Services for RAI** related to the withdrawal from a regional service in the context of refarming
- Third-party revenues up 9,4% (+17% in 3Q) driven by rising contribution from new regional MUXes business
 - As for other customers, substantially stable performance with progressively lower pressure from MNOs, offset by higher hospitality to other clients (mainly FWA operators)

Opex (excluding non-recurring)

MIn Eur; % 🦳 % YoY growth



- Excluding non-core items and lower capitalization compared to 2021, stable underlying personnel cost
- Severe headwinds from electricity bill up € 7,2m vs 9M2021 (€ 6,1m in 3Q only) with impact of energy prices only partially mitigated by government measures (15% reduction of 3Q prices as tax credits, cut in other components) and lower consumption (-14%)
- Other cost items positively impacted by certain non-recurring benefits, with stable underlying trend supported by mitigating action on discretionary spending

| <u>Eur MIn, %</u> | 3Q2021 | 3Q2022 | % YoY | |
|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------|---|
| Core Revenues | 58,4 | 63,2 | 8,1% | |
| Other Revenues & income (1) | 0,0 | 0,1 | | |
| Adj. EBITDA % margin | 40,1 68,7% | 37,5 59,4% | -6,6% | < |
| Non recurring costs | 0,0 | 0,0 | | |
| EBITDA % margin | 40,1 68,7% | 37,5 59,4% | -6,6% | |
| D&A - (2) | -12,5 | -10,2 | -18,8% | < |
| Operating Profit (EBIT) | 27,6 | 27,3 | -1,1% | |
| Net financial income (expenses) | -0,4 | -0,5 | 15,5% | |
| Profit before Income taxes | 27,2 | 26,9 | -1,3% | |
| Income Taxes % tax rate | -7,6 28,0% | -7,6 28,3% | -0,2% | < |
| Net Income | 19,6 | 19,3 | -1,7% | |

| 9M2021 | 9M2022 | % YoY |
|--------|--------|-----------------------|
| 171,8 | 184,4 | 7,4% |
| 0,5 | 0,4 | |
| 110,0 | 115,7 | 5,2% |
| 64,0% | 62,7% | |
| 0,0 | 0,0 | |
| 110,0 | 115,7 | 5,2% |
| 64,0% | 62,7% | |
| -36,7 | -35,8 | -2,2% |
| 73,3 | 79,8 | 8 , 9 % |
| -1,1 | -1,3 | 18,8% |
| 72,2 | 78,5 | 8,7% |
| -19,4 | -22,2 | 14,5% |
| 26,9% | 28,3% | |
| 52,8 | 56,3 | 6,6% |

• 9M2022 Net Income up by 6,6% at € 56,3m as a result of:

• Higher top-line

- Lower D&A following the termination of the useful life of DVB-T equipment
- Tax rate back to normal level (9M21 benefitting from one-off tax relief)

1) Other Revenues and income net of tax credits related to electricity expenses



9M2022 recurring FCFE⁽⁶⁾ at ca. € 78m

Excluding component related to IFRS-16 leasing; 2) P&L taxes; 3) P&L financial charges excluding interests on employee benefit liability and interests on leasing contracts;
including renewal of leasing contracts and interests on leasing contracts; 5) Including current financial assets

6) Recurring FCFE = Adj. EBITDA – Leases – Net Financial Charges – P&L Taxes – Recurring Maintenance Capex. Leases estimated as sum of leasing right of use depreciation (excl. dismantling) + financial charges on leasing contracts

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Electricity prices vs CPI escalator protection (as of 9 November 2022)



- -/+ 0,18m electricity cost in 4Q22
- -/+ 0,70m electricity cost in 2023



Guidance 2022 updated



REVENUES

• Mid-single-digit revenue growth driven by investments in refarming, both for RAI and third parties, and CPI

ADJUSTED EBITDA

- Adjusted EBITDA growth now expected stronger following reduction in electricity prices since October, current level of power futures for the rest of the year, government relief measures and effect of mitigating actions on other opex
 - Power futures remain highly volatile (also for 2023)
 - Electricity headwind more than offset next year thanks to CPI-link (due to energy impact on inflation)

CAPEX

- Maintenance Capex in line with Industrial Plan figure for 2022
- Development capex focused on refarming activities and deployment of new services now expected in line with 2021 level to reflect slight delays from some suppliers

Strategy and ambitions confirmed in current environment





Q&A session



Contacts





Appendix



Balance sheet



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Detailed summary of Income Statement

| (€m; %) | 3Q21 | 3Q22 | 9M21 | 9M22 |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Core revenues | 58,4 | 63,2 | 171,8 | 184,4 |
| Other revenues and income ¹ | 0,0 | 1,5 | 0,5 | 1,8 |
| Purchase of consumables | (0,3) | (0,4) | (1,0) | (1,0) |
| Cost of services ² | (8,8) | (16,5) | (27,6) | (35,7) |
| Personnel costs ² | (8,5) | (9,5) | (31,7) | (31,8) |
| Other costs | (0,7) | (0,6) | (2,0) | (1,9) |
| Opex | (18,3) | (27,1) | (62,3) | (70,5) |
| Depreciation, amortization and write-downs | (12,5) | (10,2) | (36,7) | (35,9) |
| Provisions | 0,0 | - | 0,1 | 0,0 |
| Operating profit (EBIT) | 27,6 | 27,3 | 73,3 | 79,8 |
| Net financial income (expenses) | (0,4) | (0,5) | (1,1) | (1,3) |
| Profit before income taxes | 27,2 | 26,9 | 72,2 | 78,5 |
| Income taxes | (7,6) | (7,6) | (19,4) | (22,2) |
| Net Income | 19,6 | 19,3 | 52,8 | 56,3 |
| | | | | |
| | | | | |
| EBITDA | 40,1 | 37,5 | 110,0 | 115,7 |
| EBITDA margin | 68,7% | 59,4% | 64,0% | 62,7% |
| Non recurring costs | - | - | - | - |
| Adjusted EBITDA | 40,1 | 37,5 | 110,0 | 115,7 |
| | | | | |

68,7%

59,4%

64,0%

62,7%

Other Revenues and income include tax credits related to electricity expenses

2) 9M2021 expenses amounting to c. € 92k reclassified from personnel costs to service costs

Adjusted EBITDA margin

Summary of Balance Sheet

| (€m) | 2021FY | 9M2022 |
|---|--------|--------|
| Non current assets | | |
| Tangible assets | 244,5 | 260,5 |
| Rights of use for leasing | 31,5 | 30,7 |
| Intangible assets | 17,2 | 15,3 |
| Financial assets, holdings and other non-current assets | 1,4 | 1,9 |
| Deferred tax assets | 3,0 | 1,8 |
| Total non-current assets | 297,7 | 310,1 |
| Current assets | | |
| Inventories | 0,8 | 0,8 |
| Trade receivables | 67,8 | 77,2 |
| Other current receivables and assets | 3,9 | 3,5 |
| Current financial assets | 0,5 | 0,6 |
| Cash and cash equivalents | 17,2 | 15,6 |
| Current tax receiv ables | 0,1 | 0,1 |
| Total current assets | 90,4 | 97,8 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | 388,0 | 407,9 |

| _(€m) | 2021FY | 9M2022 |
|--|--------|--------|
| Shareholders' Equity | | |
| Share capital | 70,2 | 70,2 |
| Legal reserves | 14,0 | 14,0 |
| Other reserves | 37,3 | 38,0 |
| Retained earnings | 64,4 | 56,2 |
| Treasury shares | (20,0) | (20,0) |
| Total shareholders' equity | 165,9 | 158,4 |
| Non-current ligbilities | | |
| Non-current financial liabilities | 69.0 | 101.0 |
| | | |
| Non-current leasing liabilities | 21,4 | 21,2 |
| Employee benefits | 12,3 | 10,3 |
| Provisions for risks and charges | 17,2 | 15,1 |
| Total non-current liabilities | 119,9 | 147,5 |
| Current liabilities | | |
| Trade payables | 51,7 | 43,9 |
| Other debt and current liabilities | 35,2 | 40,1 |
| Current financial liabilities | 0,2 | 0,7 |
| Current leasing liabilities | 15,1 | 15,5 |
| Current tax payables | 0,1 | 1,9 |
| Total current liabilities | 102,2 | 102,0 |
| TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY AND LIABILITIES | 388,0 | 407,9 |





Summary of Cash Flow Statement

| (€m) | 3Q2021 | 3Q2022 | 9M2021 | 9M2022 |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Profit before income taxes | 27,2 | 26,9 | 72,2 | 78,5 |
| Depreciation, amortization and write-downs | 12,5 | 10,2 | 36,7 | 35,9 |
| Provisions and (releases of) personnel and other funds | (0,9) | 0,9 | 0,9 | 0,3 |
| Net financial (income)/expenses | 0,4 | 0,4 | 1,0 | 1,2 |
| Other non-cash items | (0,0) | 0,1 | 0,1 | 0,2 |
| Net operating CF before change in WC | 39,2 | 38,4 | 110,9 | 116,1 |
| Change in inventories | 0,0 | 0,0 | 0,1 | 0,0 |
| Change in trade receivables | (11,7) | (9,1) | (14,3) | (9,6) |
| Change in trade payables | 2,5 | 4,1 | (2,8) | (8,1) |
| Change in other assets | 0,2 | (1,4) | (0,2) | 0,4 |
| Change in other liabilities | 5,6 | 4,8 | 4,7 | 8,2 |
| Use of funds | (0,2) | (0,1) | (0,3) | (0,9) |
| Payment of employee benefits | (0,6) | (0,6) | (2,4) | (2,3) |
| Change in tax receiv ables and payables | (0,0) | (0,1) | (0,0) | (0,1) |
| Taxes paid | (21,2) | (21,3) | (21,8) | (22,9) |
| Net cash flow generated by operating activities | 13,9 | 14,9 | 73,8 | 80,7 |
| Investment in tangible assets | (25,0) | (0,0) | (53,1) | (40,7) |
| Disposals of tangible assets | (0,2) | (0,0) | 0,0 | 0,0 |
| Investment in intangible assets | (0,6) | (0,0) | (1,4) | (1,2) |
| Disposals of intangible assets | - | (0,0) | 0,0 | (0,0) |
| Change in other non-current assets | 0,0 | 0,0 | 0,0 | 0,0 |
| Change in non-current financial assets | 0,0 | 0,0 | 0,1 | 0,1 |
| Business combination | - | - | (1,0) | - |
| Net cash flow generated by investment activities | (25,7) | (0,0) | (55,3) | (41,7) |
| (Decrease)/increase in medium/long-term loans | - | - | 40,9 | 32,0 |
| (Decrease)/increase in current financial liabilities | 15,1 | 0,1 | 15,1 | 0,3 |
| (Decrease)/increase in IFRS 16 financial liabilities | (2,4) | (1,1) | (7,7) | (6,9) |
| Change in current financial assets | 0,2 | (0,1) | 0,1 | (0,3) |
| Net Interest paid | (0,1) | (0,2) | (0,5) | (0,7) |
| Dividends paid | (0,1) | (0,0) | (64,0) | (65,1) |
| Net cash flow generated by financing activities | 12,7 | (1,3) | (16,0) | (40,7) |
| Change in cash and cash equivalent | 0,8 | 13,5 | 2,5 | (1,6) |
| Cash and cash equivalent (beginning of period) | 5,7 | 17,7 | 4,1 | 17,2 |
| Cash and cash equivalent (end of period) | 6,5 | 31,2 | 6,5 | 15,6 |