



# **ANTARES VISION** GROUP

1H 2024 Financial Results

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# 1H 2024 FINANCIAL RESULTS

**HIGHLIGHTS** 

### RESULTS HIGHLIGHTS<sup>1</sup>



### **ORDERS** +7% Y/Y

- 1H 2024 orders growth +7% Y/Y, in line with 1Q 2024, not including AV Russia (not consolidated)
- On a geographical basis, the increase is driven by Italy (+45%) and Europe (+12%); negative performance recorded in Americas, especially in the FMCG market.
- At CGU level, double-digit growth of LS & Cosmetics, SCT and Services, while a decrease is registered in FMCG (mostly Rigid Containers) and Other

### **REVENUES** -4% L-F-L

- Revenues equal to €87.6M, -5.7% Y/Y, -4.1% on L-F-L basis due to the deconsolidation of Antares Vision Russia and T2 Software. No FX impact.
- At CGU level, LS & Cosmetics is the most relevant sector representing 42% of total sales and up +3% Y/Y; FMCG declining 17%, mainly due to a softer demand in Beverage Business (Inspection Systems); SCT stable.
- On a geographical basis, positive contribution mostly from Italy (+37% Y/Y)

## FIRST MARGIN +350 bps

- Benefitted from a mix of revenues (higher recurring business), price adjustments, improvement in production efficiency and purchasing.
- Lower benefit from capitalization and tax credit by 120 bps, for a total amount of €1.3M
- COGS improvement vs 1H 23: -340 bps, 22.1% vs 25.5%
- Group First Margin improvement vs. 1H23: +350 bps, 82.2% vs 78.7%

### ADJ. EBITDA €3.4M

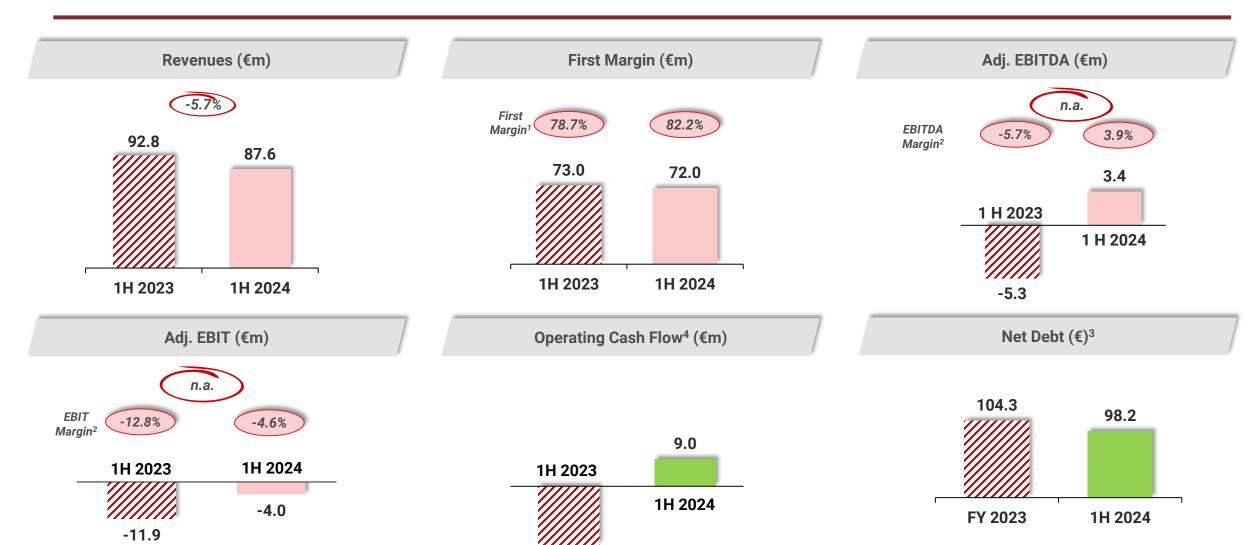
- 1H 2024 EBITDA improved of around €9M vs 1H 2023 (-€5.3M), reaching a margin on sales of 3.9%
- External Service Cost: decline of 16% Y/Y
- Labour Cost: decrease of 11% Y/Y

### **NFP** €98M

- 1H 2024 Net Financial Position decrease to €98M vs €104M in 1H 2023
- This result was achieved mainly due to an increase in profitability, better working capital management and lower capex

## FINANCIAL RESULTS AT A GLANCE<sup>1</sup>





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**Source:** Antares Vision Group **Notes:** IFRS accounting principles

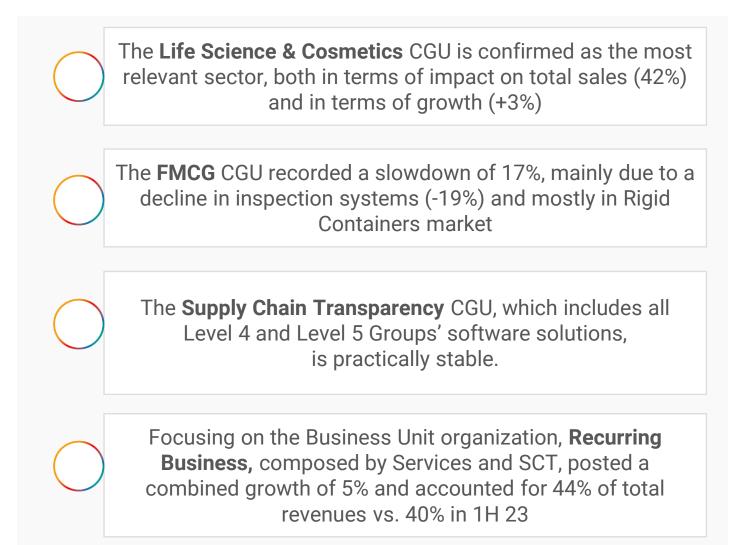
- 1. 1H 2023 Restated
- 2. Margin calculated on Revenues
- 3. Excluding warrants
- 4. Operating Cash Flow = EBITDA +  $\Delta$  Net Working Capital + Capex

## REVENUES BY CASH GENERATING UNIT / BUSINESS UNIT



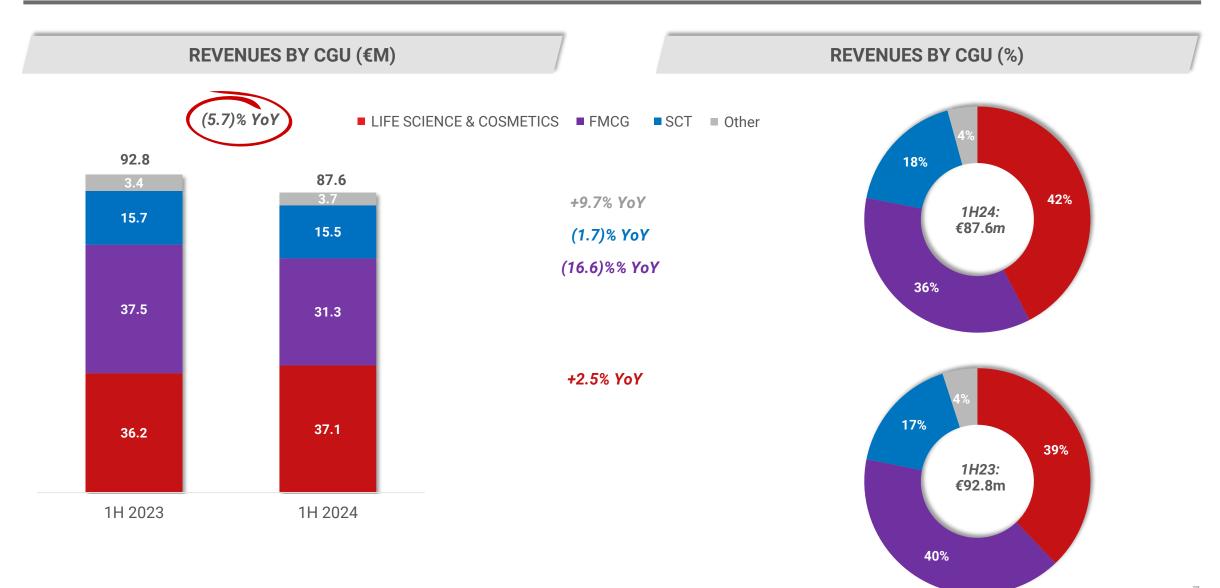
### CGU / BU

New Group's organization based on 4 CGUs: Life Science and Cosmetics ("LS&C"), Fast Moving Consumer Goods ("FMCG"), Supply Chain Transparency ("SCT") and Other Activities ("Other").



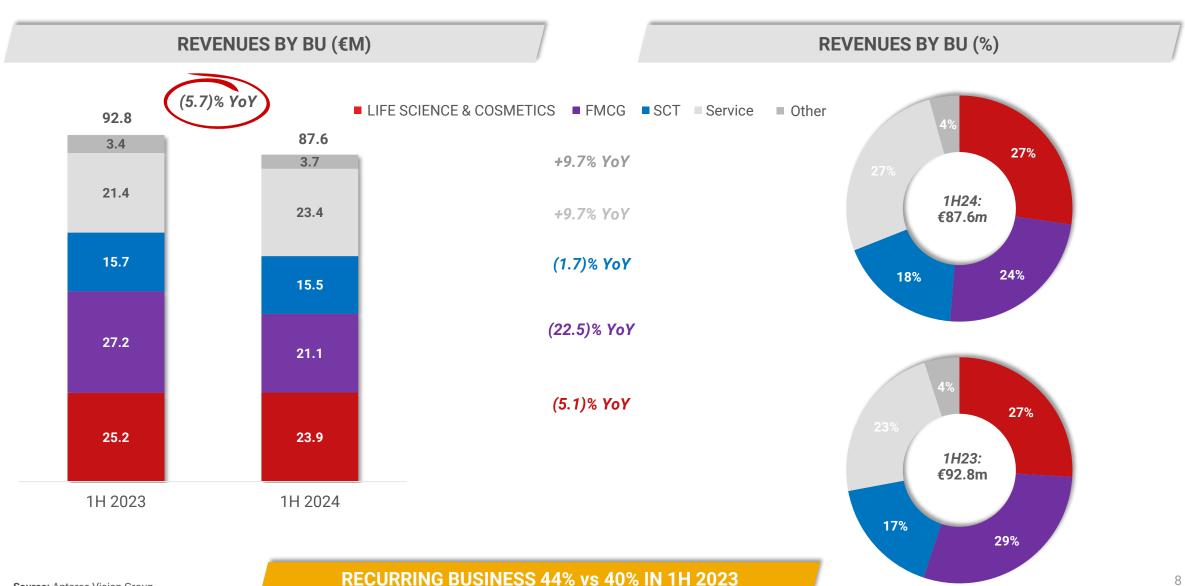
## REVENUES BY CGU - 1H 2024





## REVENUES BY BU - 1H 2024





### REVENUES BY GEOGRAPHY



### **Geographic Areas**

Italy is the main growth driver, posting an increase of 37%

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**Europe, including Italy,** is the Group's most important region, with revenues accounting for 51% of the total and combined growth of +12%

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**Americas**, the second most important region, recorded a decline of 22%, due to FMCG and LS markets and now is equal to 37% of Group's sales Vs 45% in 1H 2023

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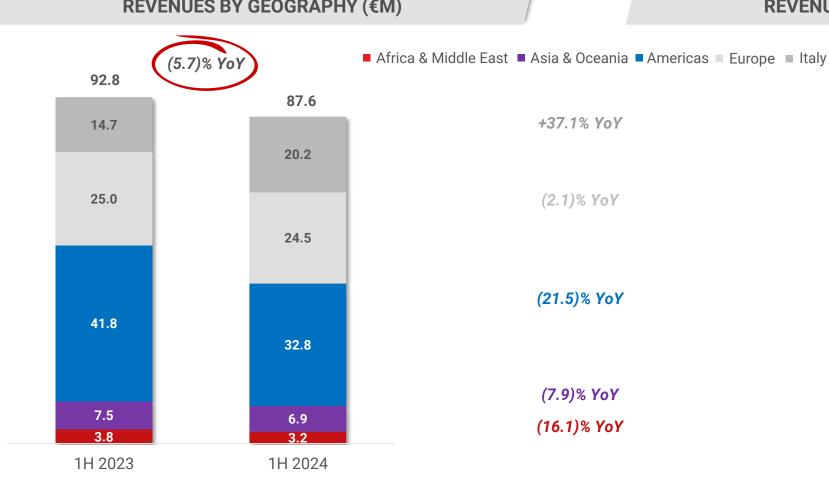
Africa & Middle East, as well as Asia & Oceania, confirm their share of importance in percentage terms (12% combined), while showing a decline in absolute terms.

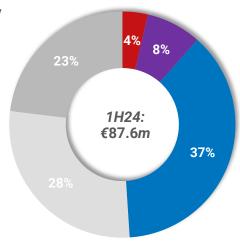
# REVENUES BY GEOGRAPHY - 1H 2024

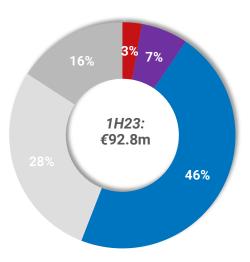




### **REVENUES BY GEOGRAPHY (%)**









# ADJ. EBITDA & CASH FLOW

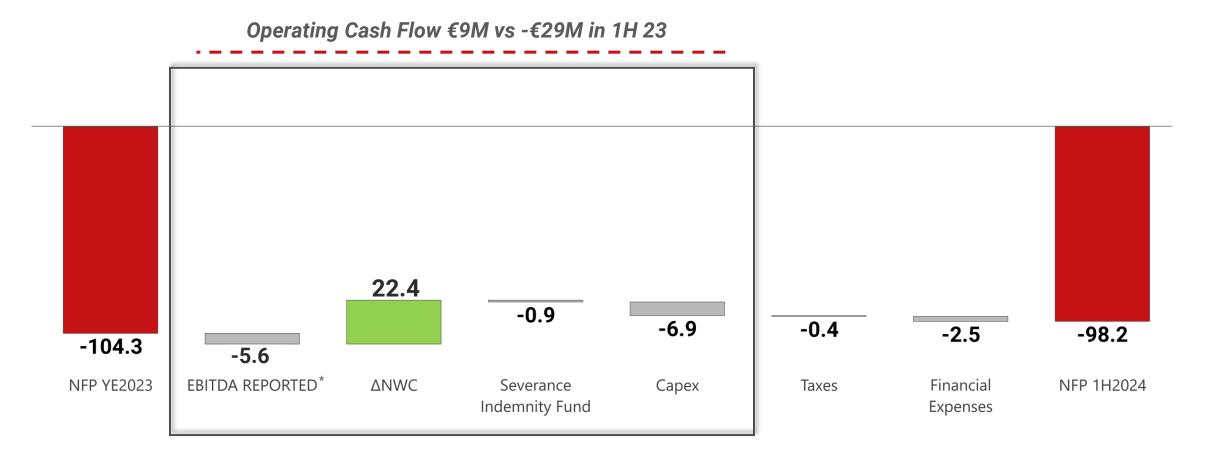


### ADJ. EBITDA RISE €8.7M THANKS TO THE INCREASE IN ADDED VALUE AND THE IMPORTANT DECREASE IN LABOUR COST (DUE TO EMPLOYEES INCENTIVE PLAN) **EBITDA** -5.7% 3.9% Margin (%)<sup>2</sup> €6.1m decrease in total labour cost Labour -11.1% Y/Y ( €48.4m €54.4m Cost (€m) 0.5 3.4 5.6 -5.6 2.6 ADJ EBITDA 1H 23 Added Value Decrease in Decrease in ADJ EBITDA 1H 24 employees cost professional staff cost

Source: Antares Vision Group



### NET DEBT DOWN VS. YE23 MOSTLY DUE TO BETTER WORKING CAPITAL MANAGEMENT



1H 24 Δ Net Working Capital was €22 million vs. €-5M in 1H 2023



# CLOSING REMARKS

### FY 2024 GUIDANCE CONFIRMED



The 7% order increase registered in the 1H 2024, in line with the 1Q 2024 performance, allows us to confirm the Guidance for FY 2024 communicated in June during the presentation of 2024-2026 Business Plan. Specifically, we expect:

**Revenues** growth in the range of +4/6% **Adjusted EBITDA Margin** in the range of 11.5/14% **Net Debt/EBITDA** ratio between 4.1x and 3.3x, thanks to a robust cash generation



# APPENDIX

### **INCOME STATEMENT**



Antares Vision consolidated income statement ('000,€)	01.01.2024 - 30.06.2024	01.01.2023 - 30.06.2023 restated	Change %
Revenue	87.565	92.825	-5.7%
Capitalisation of development costs	3.223	4.247	-24.1%
Operating grants and other income	1.181	1.097	7.7%
Tax credit	371	665	-44.2%
Value of production	92.340	98.834	-6.6%
Changes in inventories of raw materials and finished goods	-3.032	-2.027	49.6%
Purchases of materials_	23.052	33.128	-30.4%
Changes in inventories of work in progress	-690	-7.439	-90.7%
Cost of sales_	19.330	23.662	-18.3%
% of sales	22.1%	25.5%	
Commissions	700	1.576	-55.6%
Installation costs	324	562	-42.3%
First Margin_	71.986	73.034	-1.4%
% of sales	82.2%	78.7%	
Leases and rentals	700	901	-22.3%
Operating costs	126	249	-49.4%
Service costs	19.375	22.720	-14.7%
Added Value	51.785	49.164	5.3%
% of sales	59.1%	53.0%	
Labour	48.368	54.426	-11.1%
Employees	45.260	50.843	-11.0%
Collaborators	3.107	3.583	-13.3%
Adjusted EBITDA	3.417	-5.262	-164.9%
% of sales	3.9%	-5.7%	
Write-down of receivables	1.256	735	70.9%
Amortisation and depreciation	6.164	5.865	5.1%
Intangible assets	3.839	3.738	2.7%
Property, plant and equipment	2.325	2.127	9.3%
Adjusted EBIT	-4.003	-11.862	-66.3%
% of sales	-4.6%	-12.8%	
Financial (income) and charges	2.526	2.590	21.2%
(Extraordinary income and expenses_	9.500	914	939.4%
Write-down/(Write-up) of investments in associates	-123	290	-142.4%
PPA amortisation	4.165	4.165	0.0%
Goodwill impairment_	1.327	0	0.0%
Profit before taxes (EBT)	-21.398	-19.821	4.3%
% of sales	-24.4%	-21.4%	
Income taxes	626	-500	-225.0%
Profit/(loss) attributable to minority interests	-39	-139	-72.7%
Profit/(loss) for the period	-21.985	-19.182	11%
% of sales	-25.1%	-20.7%	

#### **KEY COMMENTS**

- The Value of Production is equal to €92.3M, down by -6.6% compared to 1H23; this decrease is also due to lower cost capitalization (€3.2M vs €4.3M last year) and tax credit (€0.4M vs €0.7M)
- 2 The **First Margin** decreases 1.4% compared to the same period of the previous year. The incidence on turnover is 82.2%, increasing vs. last year (78.7%) due to a lower incidence of COGS on sales (22.1% vs 25.5%)
- **3** Added Value increases by 5.3% compared to 1H 2023. The improvement is due to better revenues mix, a decline in COGS (-18.3% Y/Y) and in External Service Cost (-14.7% Y/Y)
- 4 Lower Labour cost (-11.1% on 1H23 consolidated numbers), due to an employees' incentive plan put in place by the Group in 1H 24

**Source:** Antares Vision **Notes:** IFRS accounting principles

## ADJUSTED NET PROFIT



Antares Vision consolidated income statement ('000,€)	01.01.2024 - 30.06.2024	01.01.2023 - 30.06.2023 restated	
Profit before taxes (EBT)	-21.399	-19.821	
PPA amortisation	4.165	4.165	
Goodwill Impairments	1.327	0	
Extraordinary income and expenses	9.500	914	
Write-downs/(revaluations) of investments in associates	123	290	
Unrealised foreign exchange gains and losses	212	529	
Warrants at market value	-79	-578	
Adjusted EBT	-6.151	-14.501	
Income taxes on adjusted EBT	626	-500	
Profit/(loss) attributable to minority interests	-39	-139	
Adjusted profit/(loss) for the year	-6.738	-13.862	

#### **KEY COMMENTS**

Adjusted EBT: in 1H 2024 1-off items had a much relevant impact compared to 1H 2023, mostly due to extraordinary costs for €9.5M and goodwill impairment for €1.3M

Source: Antares Vision

Notes: IFRS accounting principles

## **BALANCE SHEET**



Antares Vision Group Consolidated statement of financial position ('000,€)	30.06.2024	31.12.2023	Difference % 2024 vs 2023
Property	33.538	32.919	1.9%
Financial assets	8.676	8.553	1.4%
Property, plant and equipment, net	3.379	3.504	-3.6%
Intangible fixed assets, net	168.989	169.759	0.3%
Total fixed assets	214.582	214.735	0.6%
% of net invested capital	86.1%	78.9%	Ó
Raw materials	25.177	26.078	-3.5%
Work in progress	11.231	8.876	26.5%
Finished products	14.542	13.773	5.6%
Total inventories	50.950	48.727	4.6%
Trade receivables	54.645	71.628	-23.7%
Trade payables	-26.201	-25.340	3.4%
Advances from customers	-30.581	-26.043	17.4%
Net trade working capital	48.813	68.972	-29.2%
% of net invested capital	19.6%	25.4%	ó
Other assets	23.971	26.128	-8.3%
Other liabilities	-26.114	-26.628	6.1%
Net working capital	46.670	68.472	-35.0%
% of net invested capital	18.7%	25.2%	,
Severance indemnities	-8.618	-9.516	-9.4%
Provision for risks and charges	-3.367	-1.690	-26.8%
Net invested capital	249.267	272.001	-7.9%
% of net invested capital	100%	100%	3
Shareholders' equity	151.030	167.717	-9.2%
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% of net invested capital	60.6%	61.7%	ó
Adjusted Net Financial Position	98.237	104.284	-5.8%
Total sources of funding	249.267	272.001	-7.9%
% of net invested capital	100%	100%	;

#### **KEY COMMENTS**

- **1 Fixed assets** does not show any particular increase vs 31 December 2023
- Net Working Capital is down by 31.8% (€21.8M) Y/Y, mostly due to a decrease in Trade Receivables (€15.0M) and in Trade Payables and Advances from Customers (€5.4M), together with the increase in Other Assets and Liabilities (€3.8M), partially offset by the increase in Inventories (€2.2M)
- 3 1H 2024 Net Debt decreased to €98.2M mostly due to a positive Net Working Capital

**Source:** Antares Vision **Notes:** IFRS accounting principles

### CASH FLOW STATEMENT



Antares Vision Consolidated CF ('000,€)	0624 YTD	0623 YTD
EBITDA	(5.635)	(6.424)
Inventory	(2.223)	(9.023)
Trade Receivables	15.077	12.145
Other Current Assets	2.158	(1.223)
Advances From Clients	4.538	2.259
Trade Payables	861	(1.655)
Other Current Liabilities	(323)	(7.225)
Other Funds	2.327	(499)
Total Change in Working Capital	22.415	(5.222)
Severance Indeminity Fund	(898)	719
Capex	(6.909)	(18.147)
Operating Cash Flow	8.973	(29.074)
Taxation	(400)	783
Financial expenses	(2.526)	(2.590)
Change in Net Financial Debt	6.047	(30.881)
NFD BoP	(104.284)	(67.156)
NFD EoP	(98.237)	(98.037)

#### **KEY COMMENTS**

- 1H 2024 Δ Net Working Capital was €22 million vs. -€5M in 1H 2023. This result achieved due to: increase in Trade receivables €15M, increase in Trade payables and Advances from Clients €5.4M, increase in other assets and liabilities €3.8M, partially offset by the increase in Inventory (€2.2M)
- In 1H 2024 Capex was €6.9M vs €9.4M of last year excluding M&A. Last year, Capex was impacted by M&A activities for €8.8M. This year the Y/Y decline in Capex is due to lower investments in Intangibles R&D and software.
- (3) As already mentioned previously, in 1H 2024 Operating Cash Flow was €9M thanks to the strong cash generation in NWC

Source: Antares Vision

Notes: IFRS accounting principles 20





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