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Dear Sir/Madam,

Sub.: Revised Investor presentation Ref: Our letter dated May 17, 2023

Further to our above-referred letter regarding Investor presentation, please find enclosed herewith the revised Investor presentation with the following changes made today:

Slide No. 17 - Inclusion of total number of women out of total headcount in Quess workforce. Slide No. 32 - NCI put option liability

The same is also being made available on the Company's website: https://www.quesscorp.com/investor-relations/

Kindly take on record and oblige.

Yours sincerely, For Quess Corp Limited

Kundan K Lal Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

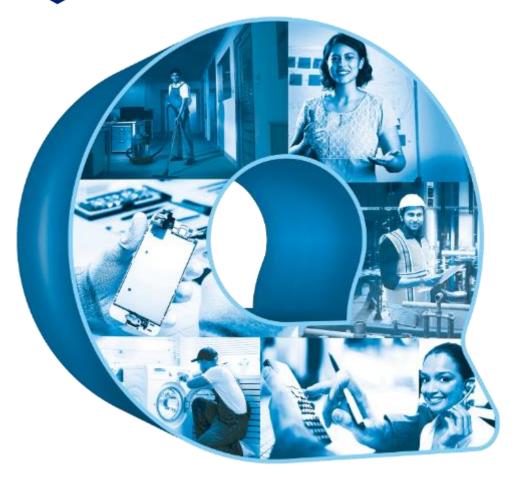
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Investor Presentation

Q4'FY23 & FY23

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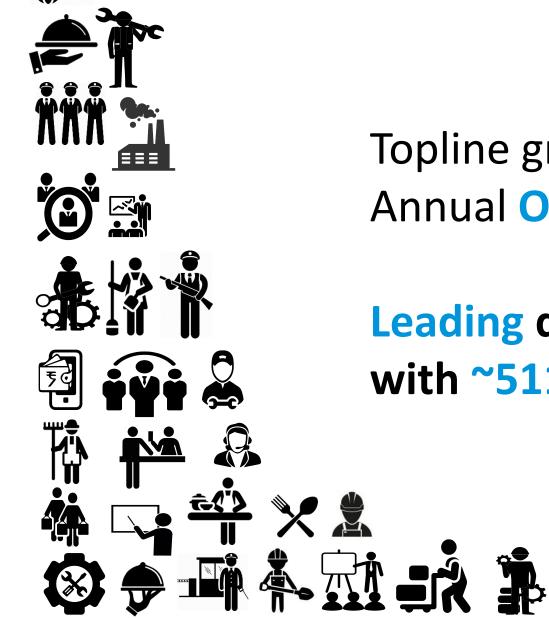
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Topline growth of **25% YoY**, with Annual **OCF / EBITDA of 71%**

Leading domestic private sector employer with ~511,000 FTE

FY23 Business Highlights

Business Updates:



- > Headcount net-addition of 74k (17% YoY growth) in FY23; Second consecutive year of 70k+ HC addition
- Steady **25% revenue growth** despite challenging market conditions
- EBITDA at ₹ 586 cr. down 6% YoY; EBITDA ex-PLB at ₹ 681 cr. up 7% YoY
- > Highest ever EBITDA by GTS at ₹ 353 cr. in FY23 vs previous high of ₹ 317 cr. in FY22
- > Annual OCF / EBITDA ratio at 71% for FY23; led by reduction of 5 days in DSO

Corporate Updates:

- Series Creat Place to Work Declared 'Great Place to Work' for 4th year in a row
- > Reduction in Gross debt by ₹ 57 cr.; corresponding net cash increase by ₹ 66 cr.
- Paid interim dividend of ₹8/share in FY23

FY23 – Highlights



	FY23	YoY Change		FY23	YoY Change
Headcount	511k	17%	🕑 РАТ	₹ 223 cr.	➡ 11%
Revenue	₹ 17,158 cr.	125%		₹ 294 cr. 71% of Op-EBITDA	4 31%
EBITDA	₹ 586 cr.	↓ 6%	Net Debt / (cash)	₹ (82) cr.	. ↓ ₹ 66 cr.
EBITDA Ex-PLB	₹ 681 cr.	1 7%	RoE	8.4%	🖊 160 bps
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%% EBITDA***Ex-PLB	4.10%	🔶 66 bps	EPS (dil.)	₹ 15.0	4 7%

Q4FY23 – Highlights



		Q4 FY23	YoY Change		Q4 FY23	YoY Change
	Headcount	511k	17%	🗭 РАТ	₹ 30 cr.	4 61%
	Revenue	₹ 4,440 cr.	1 7%		₹ 114 cr. 117% of Op-EBITDA	\leftrightarrow
(j) (j) (j) (j) (j) (j) (j) (j) (j) (j)	EBITDA	₹ 152 cr.	4 18%	Net Debt / (cash)	₹ (82) cr.	↓ ₹ 66 cr.
	EBITDA Ex-PLB	₹ 172 cr.	↓ 11%	RoE	4.5%	🖊 772 bps
્રિ	% EBITDA	3.42%	🖊 146 bps	Book value per share	₹ 184	12%
592)	% EBITDA Ex-PLB	4.0%	➡ 120 bps	EPS (dil.)	₹ 2.22	↓ 55%

FY23 – Financial Highlights



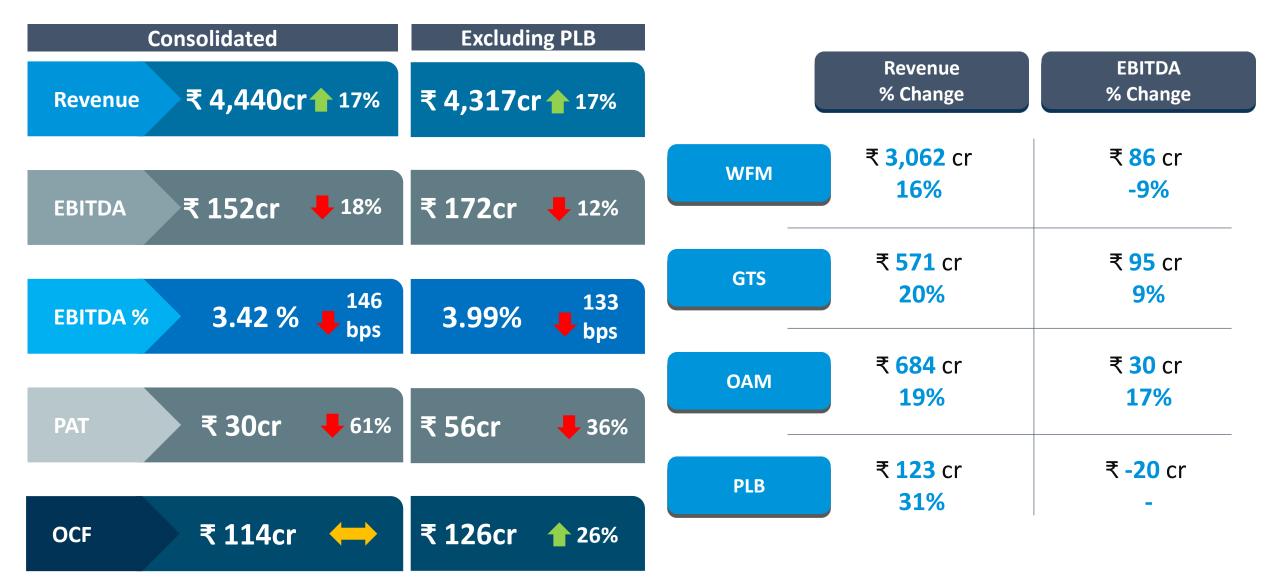
	Revenue EBITDA		EBITDA %	PAT	OCF	
Consolidated	₹ 17,158cr 懀 25%	₹ 586cr <mark>♦</mark> 6%	3.41 % 🛛 🖊 114 bps	₹ 223cr ↓ 11%	₹ 294cr <mark>↓</mark> 31%	
Excluding PLB	₹ 16,620cr 💧 24%	₹ 681cr 💧 7%	4.10 % 🖊 66 bps	₹ 334cr 懀 28%	₹ 351cr <mark> </mark> 16%	

	Revenue % Change	EBITDA % Change
WFM	₹ 11,831 cr 1 25%	₹ 345 cr 18%
GTS	₹ 2,168 cr 1 1 23%	₹ 353 cr 11%
ΟΑΜ	₹ 2,622 cr 1 24%	₹ 120 cr
PLB	₹ 538 cr 1 59%	₹ -95 cr -

The decline in EBITDA is largely due to growth investments in PLB

Q4'FY23 – Financial Highlights – YoY

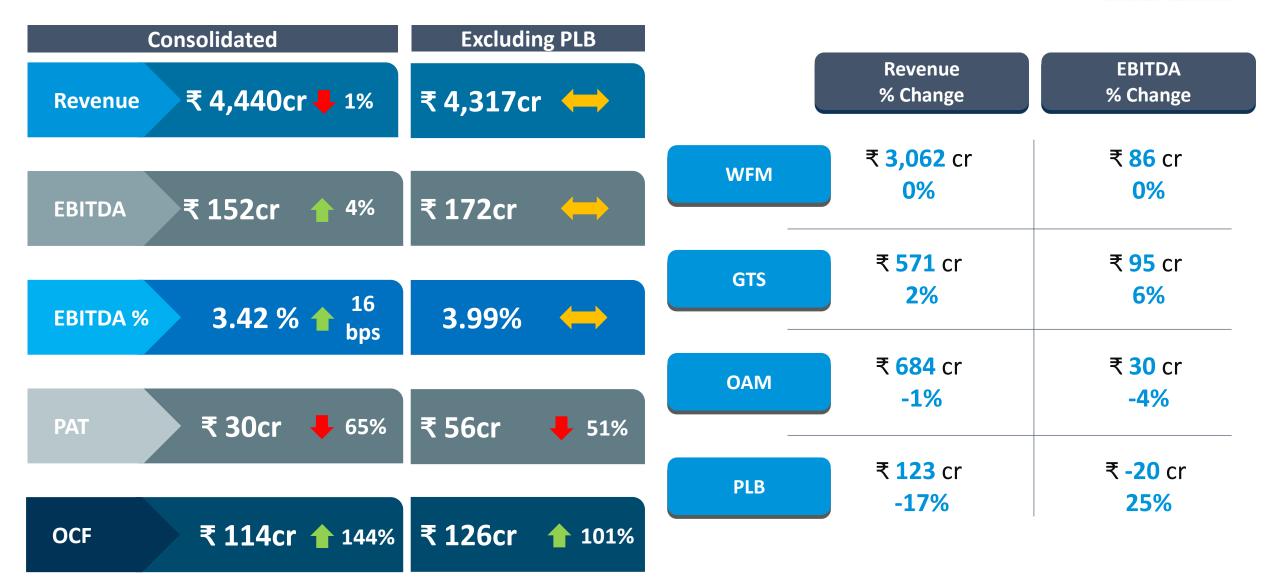




PAT reduction of 36% w/o PLB due to one-time tax impact of INR 13 cr on the sale of Simpliance and increase of INR 8 cr in D&A

Q4'FY23 – Financial Highlights – QoQ





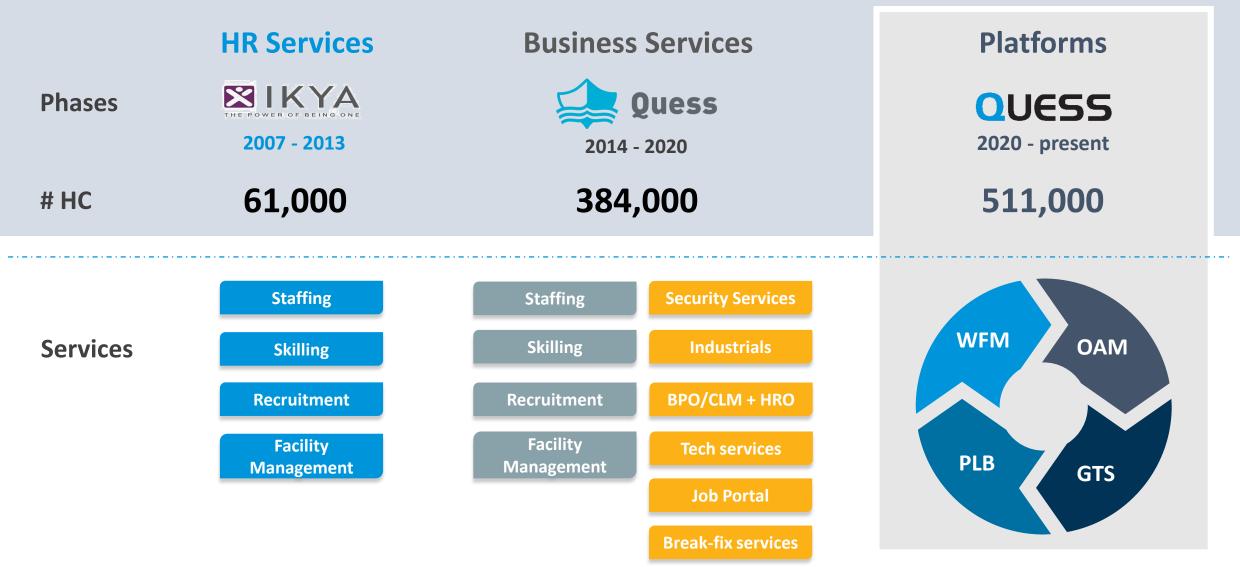
PAT reduction of 51% w/o PLB due to extraordinary income of INR 53 cr. In Q3 and one-time tax impact of INR 13 cr on the sale of Simpliance in Q4



Company Overview

From HR Services to a digitally-enabled Services Platform





Our operations are spread across synergistic platforms



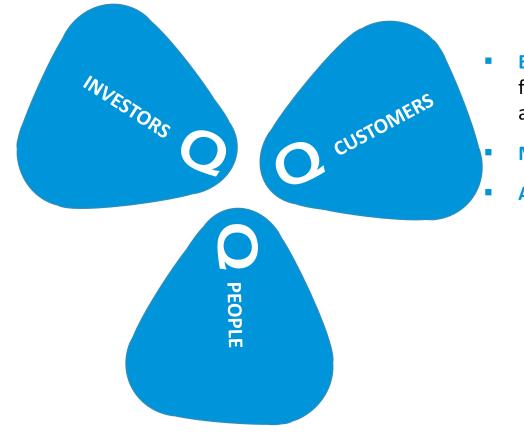


We are a leading service provider in India for most of the services provided

Our focus is on Winning Together with our Customers, People and Investors



- Achieve and sustain 20% RoE
- Deliver 20% CAGR on OCF
- Aspirational EBITDA of 6%

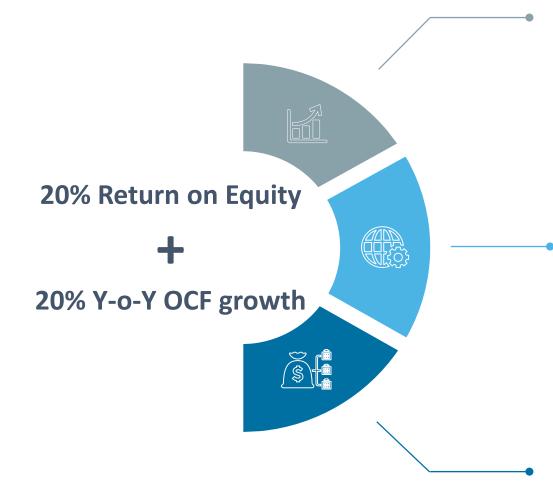


- Build Scale single operating platforms for all organic business, brings in agility and speed in the way we work
- Measure digital revenues separately
- Annual CSAT across all business

- Become India's Top 50 Great Place To Work
- Women to constitute 50% of core workforce
- Benefits coverage for Associates to cover >70% of Associates

Winning with Investors: The path to 20%





Sustained Growth

- 20% EBITDA CAGR through enhanced sales capabilities, cutting edge technology, and improved cross-sell capability
- Portfolio adjustments to turnaround or exit underperforming businesses

Higher EBITDA To PAT Conversion

- Operating leverage through scale and technology intervention
- Prudent debt

Judicious Capital Allocation

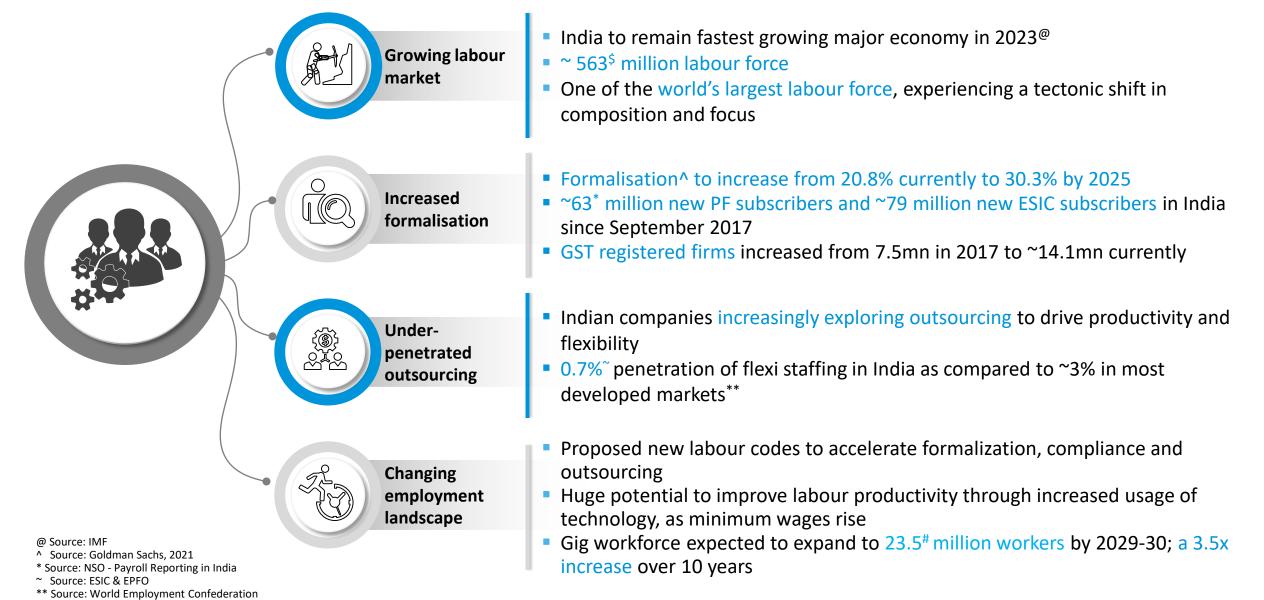
- Capital allocation strategically aligned to 20% Return on Equity
- ~33% of FCF to be returned to shareholders

We enjoy massive macroeconomic tailwind

Source: NITI Aavog

\$ Economic Survey 2021-22





ESG Progress – Q4 FY23

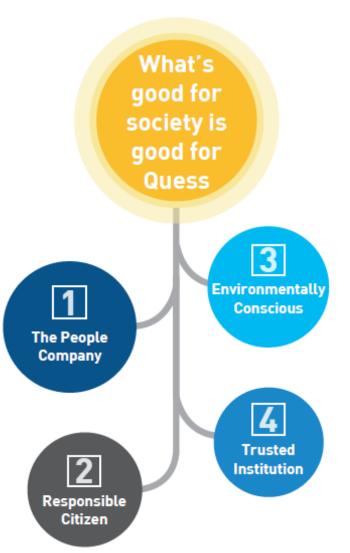
1. The People Company

Diverse workforce: 92K (~18%) of our 511k employees (29% of Core) are women as on 31 March 2023

Promoting inclusivity: Over 6,000 PWD employees **Nurturing work environment: Great place to work**[®] re-certified and accredited for inclusive practices. **Health and wellness:** Arogya World 2022 Health Workplace Award for Employee Health & Well-being.

2. Responsible Citizen

Community education: 75 schools covered under School Enhancement Programs Community health: 12,000+ beneficiaries from the health and wellness programs School upgradation: 75 schools and 17,000+ students benefitted





3. Environmentally Conscious

Environmentally positive:

~1.5 million devices repaired /refurbished by QDigi **Responsible waste management:**

7,000+ Kgs of e-waste responsibility disposed and over 7,000 Kgs of paper waste recycled **Climate Science Commitment:**

Committed to SBTi near-term emission reduction target by FY25

4. Trusted Institution

Robust code of conduct:

Nil Whistleblower/ Data Privacy/ Cyber-security/ Human Rights complaints filed during the year **Quality and Information security:**

Quess Corp is ISO 37001: 2016, ISO 27001: 2013, and ISO 9001: 2015 certified

Data Privacy and Cyber Security:

Cyber Security Council with C-suite level oversight **Safety Incident Management** through WorQ for associates





Key Corporate and Financial Updates

Update on Q4 operating environment



Hiring environment continues to be challenging

- According to foundit Insight Tracker, job posting activity remained flattish in Q4'23, as several sectors slowed down their hiring processes
- Key sectors such as IT and BFSI saw decline of 3-5% in job posting activity, while FMCG and Travel saw increased activity (+10%)
- Allsec payroll data shows very mild increase (i.e. 1%) in same-customer payslips processed in Mar'23 vis-à-vis Mar'22

BFSI, FMCG, Non-voice BPO and Telecom were key drivers

- General staffing added over 2k HC in BFSI and FMCG segment
- Growth in collection business resulted in double-digit growth in Non-Voice BPO
- Telecom active infra business experienced tailwind on account of 5G rollout

Impact of market slowdown was abated by focus on IDC optimization

- Professional staffing and IFM registered lacklustre growth due to slowdown in IT sector
- IDC as % of revenue dropped from 5.7% in Q3 to 5.4% in Q4



FY23 Financial Updates



Revenue:

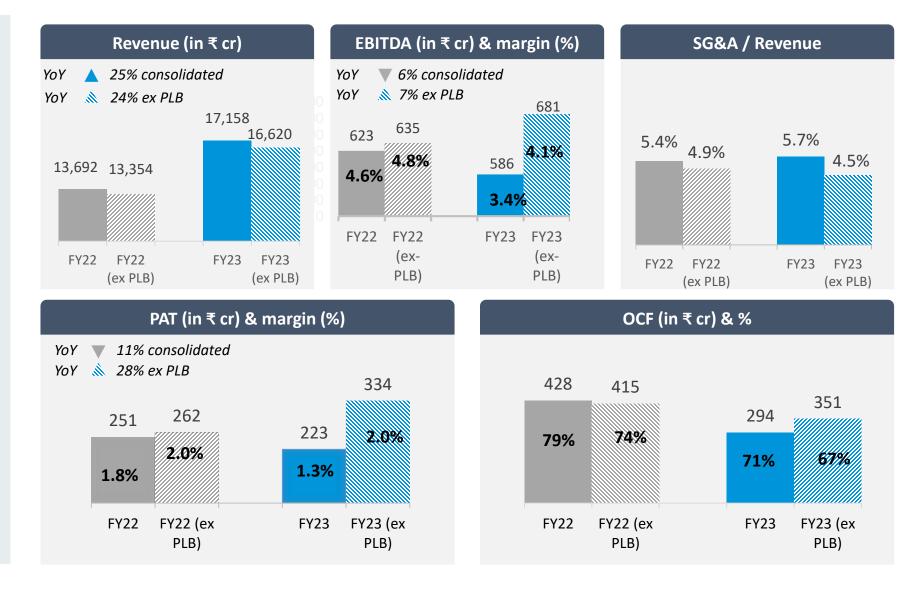
 Up 25% YoY driven by WFM (up 25%), OAM (up 24%) and GTS (up 23%)

Profitability:

- EBITDA from operations down 6% YoY to ₹ 586 cr, due to investments in PLB business
- SG&A / Revenue increased YoY from
 5.4% to 5.7% due to higher headcount, and increased spend on salary and travel

Cash Generation:

- FY23 OCF/Operating EBITDA conversion at 71%. DSO decreased by 5 days YoY to 57 days
- Net cash position strengthened at ₹ 82 crore in FY23 against net cash position of ₹16 crore in FY22



Q4'FY23 Financial Updates (Consolidated)



Revenue:

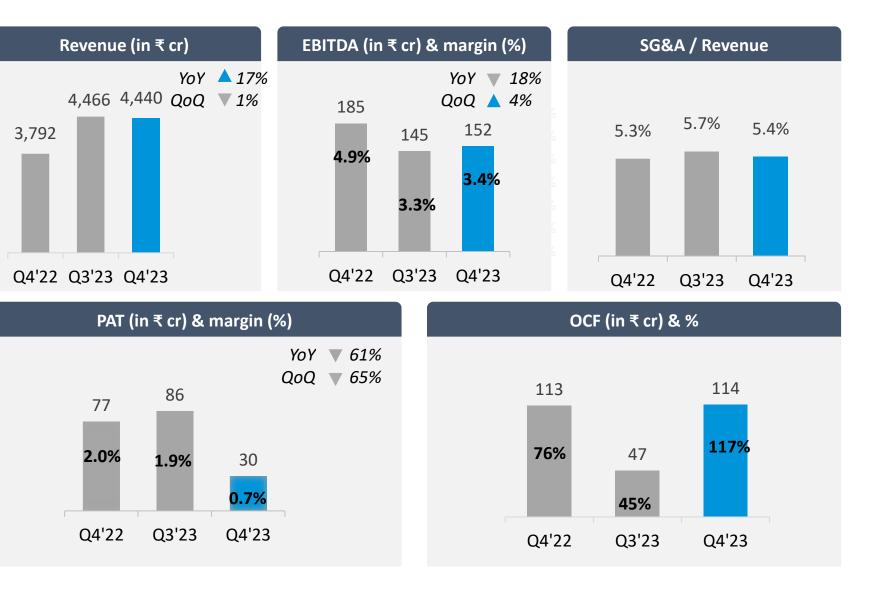
- Up 17% YoY driven by WFM (up 16%), OAM (up 19%) and GTS (up 20%)
- **Down 1% QoQ**, due to flat growth across platforms

Profitability:

- EBITDA from operations down 18% YoY to ₹ 152 crore, due to investments in Product Led Business
- SG&A / Revenue increased YoY from
 5.3% to 5.4% due to higher headcount, and increased spend on salary and travel

Cash Generation:

- Q4'23 OCF/Operating EBITDA conversion at 117%
- DSO decreased by 4 days QoQ to 55 days
- Net cash position at ₹ 82 crore in Q4'23 against net debt position of ₹ 68 crore in Q3'23



Q4'FY23 Financial Updates (Ex-PLB)



Revenue:

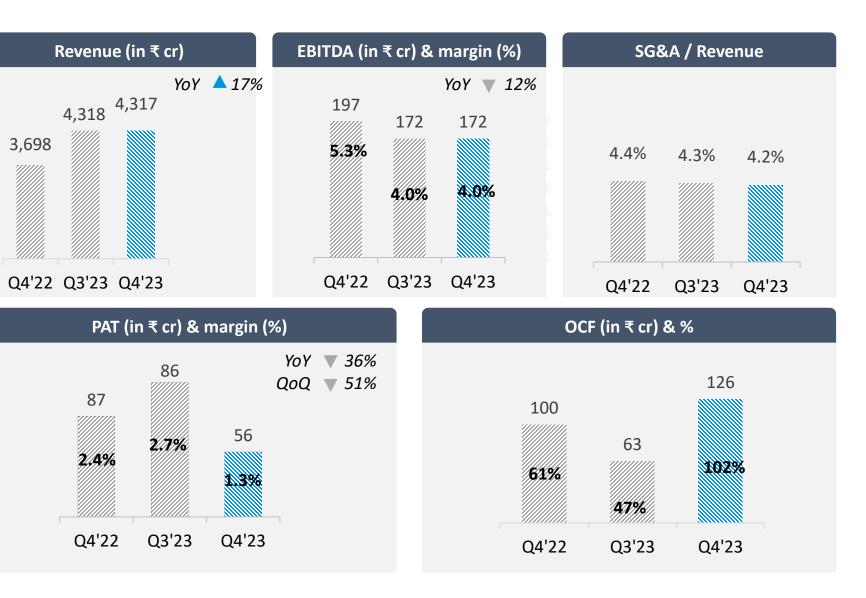
- Up 17% YoY driven by WFM (up 16%),
 OAM (up 19%) and GTS (up 20%)
- **Flat QoQ**, due to tepid growth across platforms

Profitability:

- EBITDA from operations down 12%
 YoY to ₹ 172 crore due to slowdown in IT staffing, international staffing and growth investments
- SG&A / Revenue decreased YoY from 4.4% to 4.2% due to cost initiative measures implemented at end of Q3 this year

Cash Generation:

 Q4'23 OCF/Operating EBITDA conversion at 102% due to collection initiatives

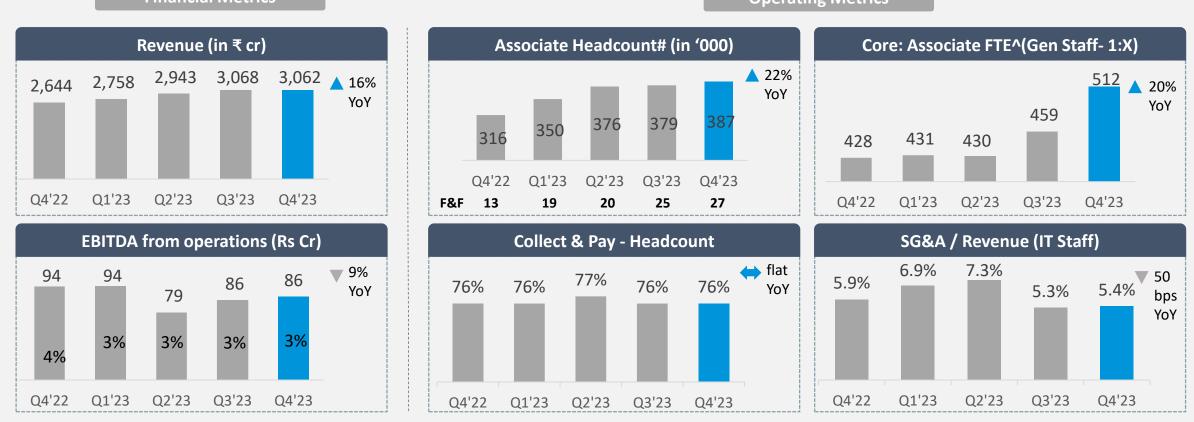




Platform-wise Updates

Workforce Management – Performance Snapshot





Financial Metrics

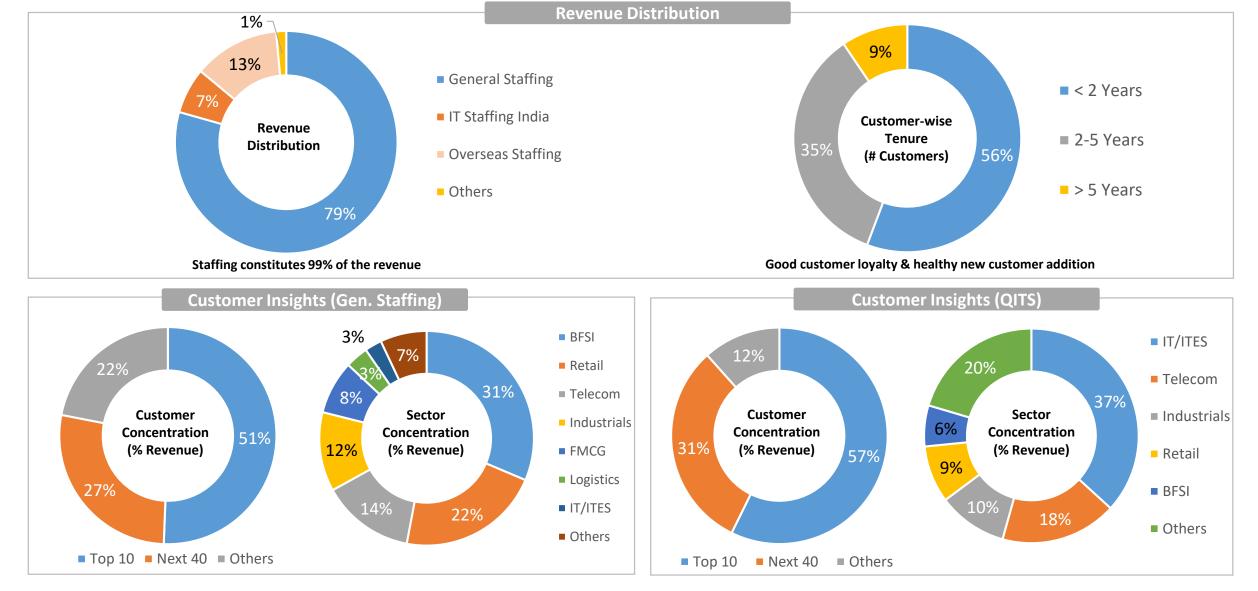
Operating Metrics

Key developments:

- General Staffing Revenue up 28% YoY in FY23. Added 60 new logos in Q4 and 239 new logos during the year. Manufacturing and Retail were key drivers
- IT Staffing Revenue and HC stayed flat QoQ in line with Industry trends. SG&A as % of revenue reduced by 50 bps YoY
- Made an investment of ₹11 cr in North American professional staffing business
- Associate FTE ratio highest at 1:512 for the quarter

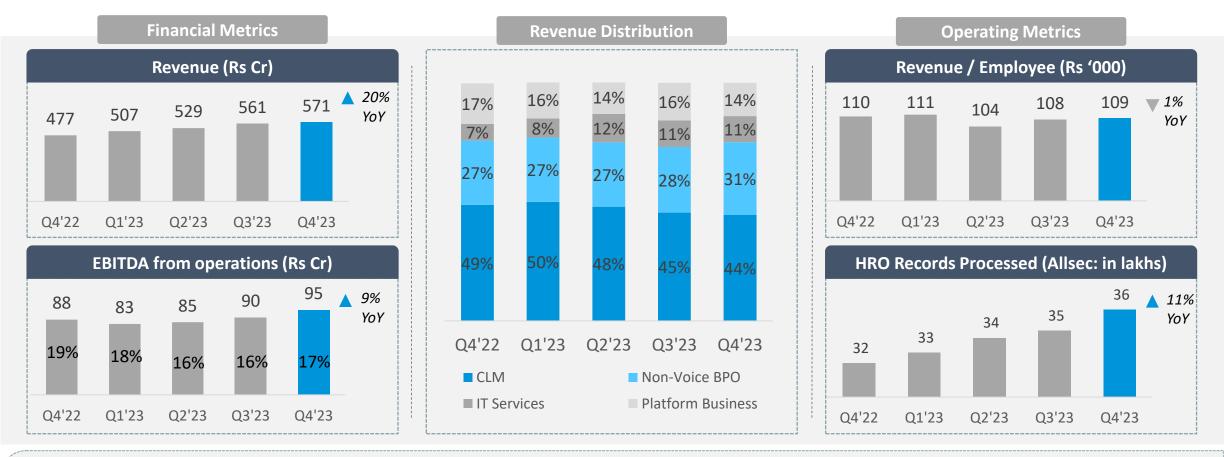
Workforce Management – Revenue Distribution and Customer Insights





Global Technology Solutions – Performance Snapshot



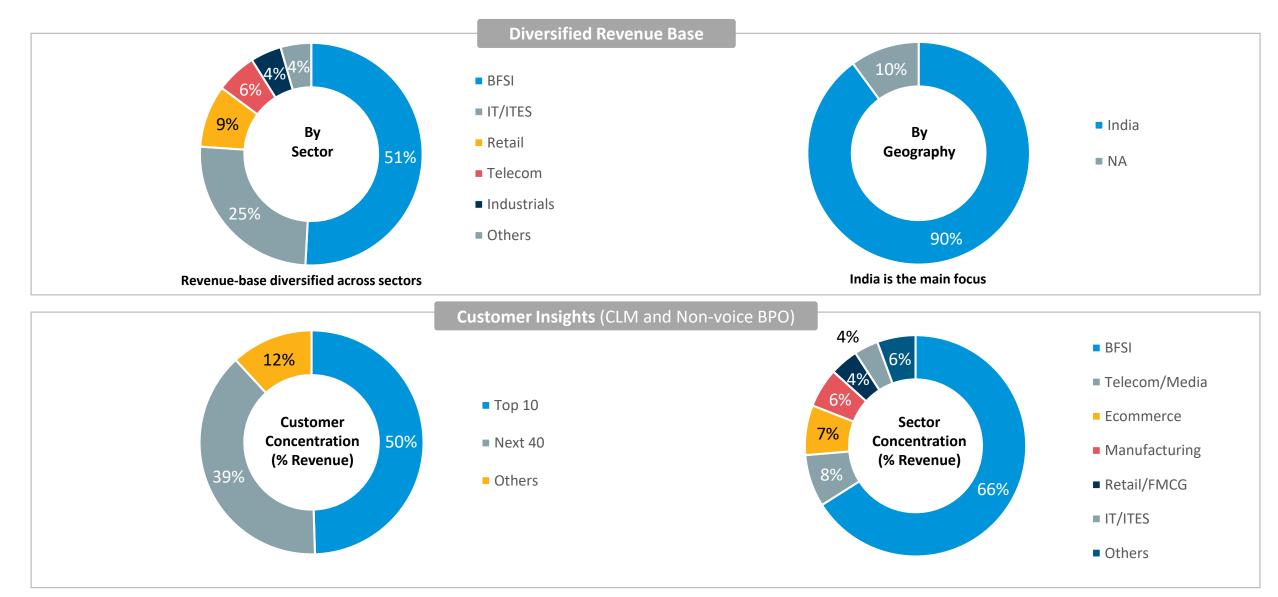


Key developments:

- GTS: Highest-ever revenue of ₹2,168 cr, up 23% YOY and EBITDA of ₹353 cr, up 11% YoY
- CLM: Revenue up 26% YoY driven by an increase in seat capacity of 57% in our delivery centre at Manila
- Non Voice BPO: Achieved 28% YOY growth driven by 34% growth in collection business
- Platform based services (InsurTech in US and HRO in India): Pay slips processed per quarter up 11% YoY and crossed the 1.2 million/month mark

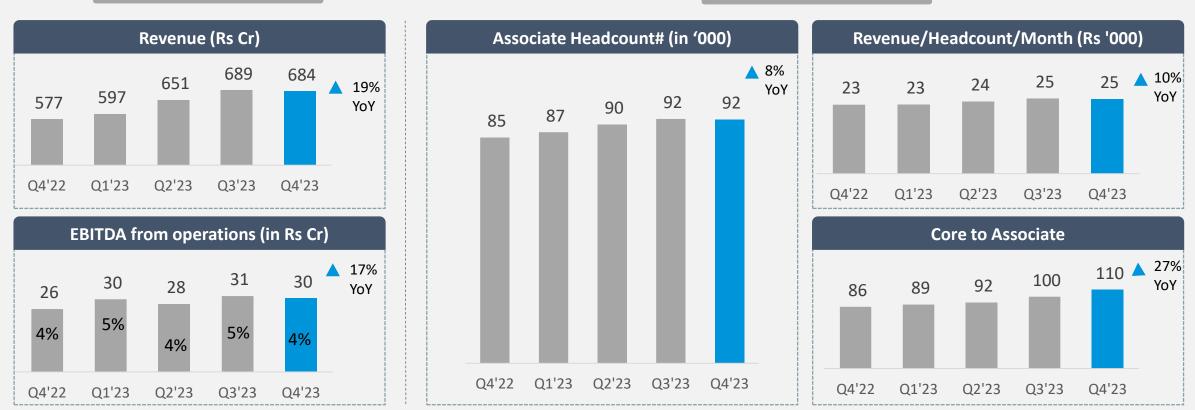
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Operating Asset Management – Performance Snapshot





Operating Metrics

Key developments:

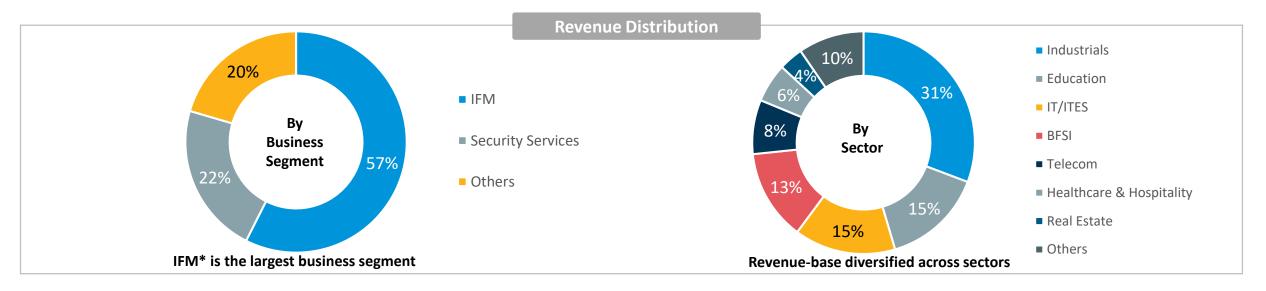
IFM: Revenue up 23% YoY, due to a 71% YoY growth in our food business

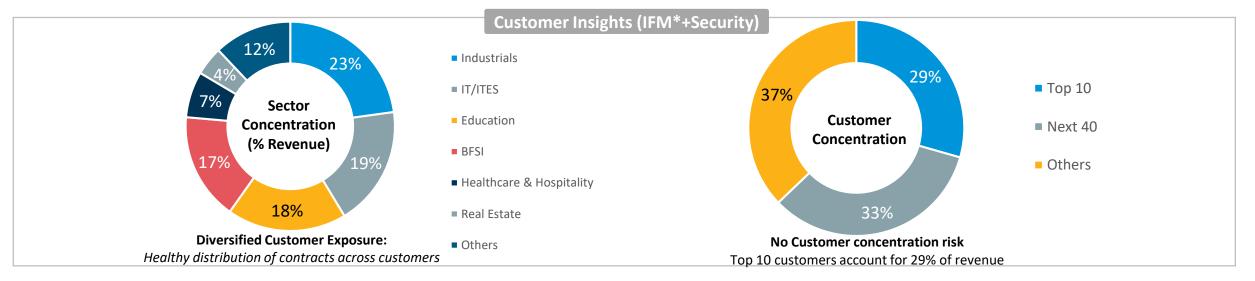
Financial Metrics

- Terrier Security: Revenue up 22% YoY driven by a head count growth of 12%
- Telecom Active Infra Services: Revenue up 47%YoY on the back of ongoing 5G roll-out

Operating Asset Management – Revenue Distribution and Customer Insights

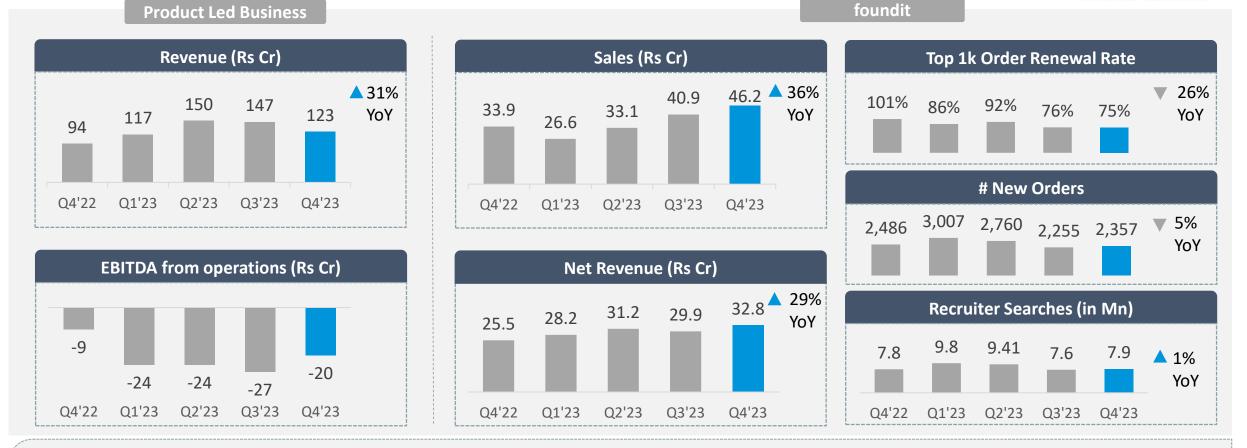






Product Led Business – Performance snapshot





Key developments:

Revenue decline of 16% QoQ due to seasonal reduction in Qdigi revenue (down 20% QoQ)

foundit developments:

- New registration flow, search page and communication module for enhanced end user experience
- Positive traction on new features such as resume builder and Skillyst; Customer engagement metrics continues to stay strong at 90% +



Annexures

Income Statement

Particulars (in ₹ cr)	Q4 FY23	Q4 FY22	Q3 FY23	ΥοΥ	QoQ	FY'23	FY'22	ΥοΥ
Revenue from operations	4,440	3,792	4,466	17%	-1%	17,158	13,692	25%
Less:								
Employee benefit expense	(3,797)	(3,228)	(3,809)	18%	0%	(14,660)	(11,687)	25%
Cost of material	(113)	(84)	(140)	35%	-19%	(479)	(279)	72%
Other expenses	(378)	(295)	(371)	28%	2%	(1,434)	(1,103)	30%
Total expenses	(4,288)	(3,607)	(4,320)	19%	-1%	(16,573)	(13,068)	27%
EBITDA	152	185	145	-18%	4%	586	623	-6%
Other income	4	5	7	-22%	-46%	26	20	33%
Interest	(31)	(19)	(29)	59%	6%	(107)	(79)	35%
Depreciation & amortisation	(76)	(64)	(70)	19%	10%	(275)	(212)	30%
Operating EBT	48	106	54	-54%	-10%	231	352	-34%
NCI Put Option Liability	(0)	(0)	(0)	85%	106%	-	(0)	-100%
Share of Profit from	0	(1)	0	1110/	250/	0	(2)	1050/
Associates (net of tax)	U	(1)	0	-111%	-35%	0	(2)	-105%
Profit before tax and	48	105	54	-54%	-10%	231	1 250	-34%
Exceptional items	40	102	54	-54%	-10%	251	350	-54%
Exceptional items	-	1	(54)	-100%	100%	(54)	(7)	641%
Profit before tax	48	104	107	-53%	-55%	284	358	-20%
Тах	(18)	(27)	(22)	-32%	-15%	(61)	(107)	-42%
Profit after tax	30	77	86	-61%	-65%	223	251	-11%
EBITDA margin	3.42%	4.87%	3.26%	-145 bps	16 bps	3.41%	4.55%	-114 bps
PAT margin	0.68%	2.02%	1.92%	-135 bps	-124 bps	1.30%	1.83%	-43 bps
Basic EPS	2.24	4.98	5.94		-62%	15.15	16.32	
Diluted EPS	2.22	4.94	5.91	-55%	-62%	15.04	16.18	-7%



Balance Sheet



Particulars (in ₹ cr)	31-Mar-23	31-Mar-22	Var %
Non-current assets			
Fixed assets	646	498	30%
Intangibles	1,168	1,174	0%
Investments	3	10	-74%
Other non-current assets	792	568	39%
Current assets			
Trade receivables	1,485	1,270	17%
Unbilled revenue	1,203	1,062	13%
Cash and cash equivalents	613	604	2%
Loans & other current assets	208	184	13%
Total assets	6,119	5,371	14%
Equity			
Share capital	148	148	0%
Other equity	2,421	2,290	6%
Non controlling interest	162	131	24%
Debt			
Long term debt	9	24	-60%
Short term debt	522	564	-8%
Other liabilities			
Trade & other payables	125	115	8%
Other Financial Liabilities	1,785	1,321	35%
Other provisions & tax liabilities	947	778	22%
Total equities and liabilities	6,119	5,371	14%

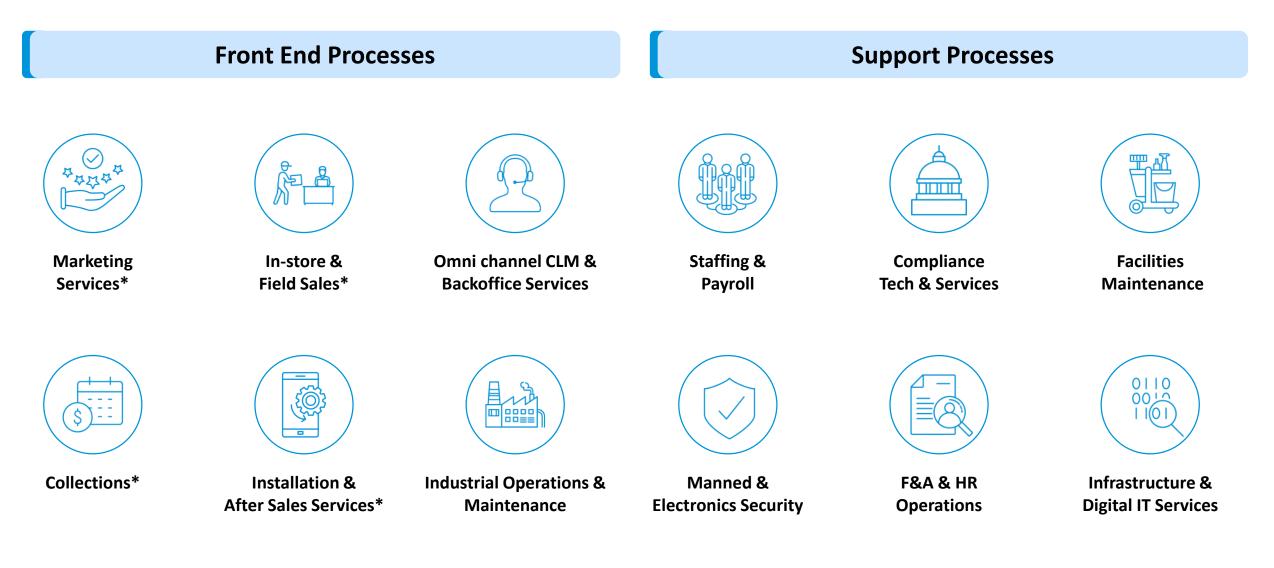
Segment Reporting



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Particulars (in ₹ cr)	Mar-23	Dec-22	Sep-22	Jun-22	Mar-22	Dec-21		
Workforce Management								
Revenue	3,062	3,068	2,943	2,758	2,644	2,545		
Reported EBITDA	86	86	79	94	94	81		
Reported EBITDA %	2.81%	2.80%	2.69%	3.41%	3.56%	3.18%		
Global Technology Services								
Revenue	571	561	529	507	477	468		
Reported EBITDA	95	90	85	83	88	87		
Reported EBITDA %	16.64%	16.10%	15.98%	16.37%	18.45%	18.59%		
Operating Asset Management								
Revenue	684	689	651	597	577	578		
Reported EBITDA	30	31	28	30	26	37		
Reported EBITDA %	4.39%	4.50%	4.27%	5.03%	4.43%	6.37%		
Product Led Business								
Revenue	123	147	150	117	94	95		
Reported EBITDA	(20)	(27)	(24)	(24)	(9)	3		
Reported EBITDA %	-16%	-18%	-16%	-21%	-10%	3%		

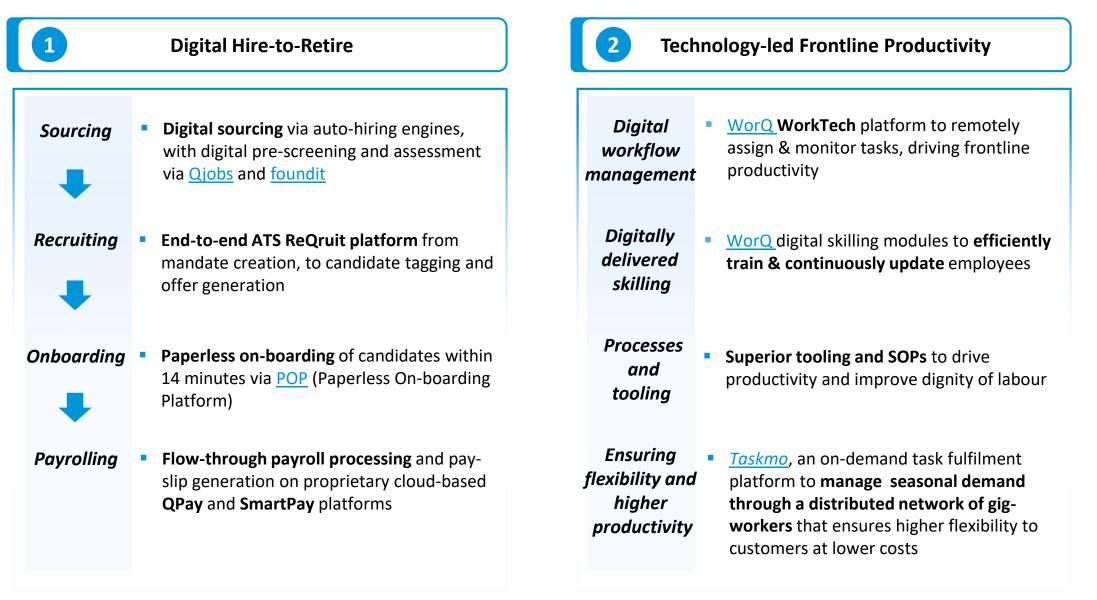
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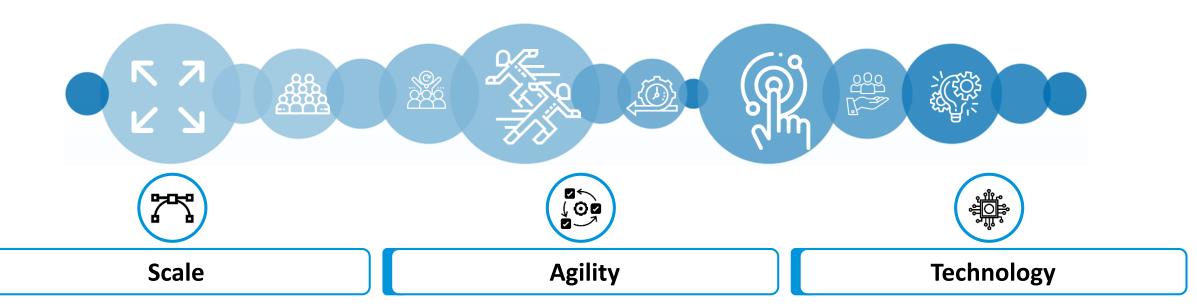
We lead with technology and innovation





Our customer proposition is unrivalled





- ~511,000* associates and employees deployed over 600+ cities
- International operations in South East Asia, North America & the Middle East
- 3,000+ clients, 63 offices in 34 Indian cities

- An entrepreneurial 15 year old startup
- Widest repertoire of services, including up-skilling platform
- We deliver tailor made solutions per customer needs, consistently
- Unrivalled capabilities to Source, Screen and Select talent (75mn+ database, tech-led hiring via foundit and QJobs)

- Significant frontline productivity capabilities (e.g., WorQ, Qjobs, Taskmo)
 - Digitised hire-to-retire platform
 - Leading front-line productivity tools

Winning Together



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