### 4th quarter results 2022.

### outstanding year, revenue of € 27.6bn and underlying EBITA of € 1.3bn.

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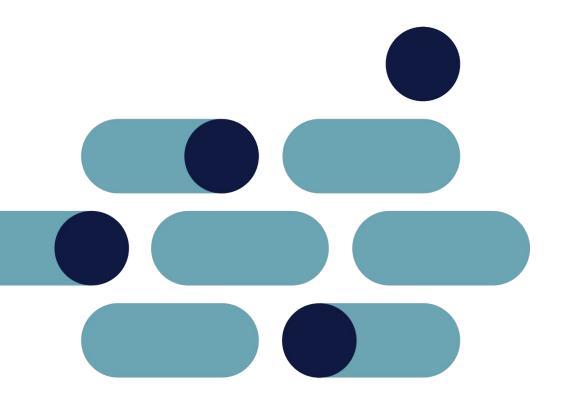
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#### definitions.



EBITA: operating profit before amortization and impairment acquisition-related intangible assets and goodwill, integration costs and one-offs.

organic growth is measured excluding the impact of currency effects, acquisitions, disposals and reclassifications.

diluted EPS is measured before amortization and impairment acquisition-related intangible assets and goodwill, integration costs and one-offs.

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### performance.

#### outstanding performance in 2022.



#### north america good profitability.



- revenue down 5% (Q3: up 6%)
  - perm down 12% (Q3: up 15%)
- US Staffing & Inhouse revenue down 10% (Q3: up 4%)
- US Professionals revenue up 1% (Q3: up 8%)
- Canada revenue stable (Q3: up 9%)
- EBITA margin at 6.4% vs. 6.3% LY

#### france

#### strong growth in professionals & perm.



- revenue up 4% (Q3: up 9%)
  perm up 20% (Q3: up 12%)
- Staffing & Inhouse down 1% (Q3: up 5%)
- Professionals up 19% (Q3: up 22%)
- EBITA margin at 6.4% vs. 6.6% LY

### the netherlands solid profitable growth.



- revenue up 2% (Q3: stable)
  perm up 30% YoY (Q3: up 53%)
- Staffing & Inhouse down 2% (Q3: down 3%)
- Professionals up 21% (Q3: up 15%)
- EBITA margin at 6.1% vs. 6.6% LY

### italy continued excellent performance.



- revenue up 4% (Q3: up 9%)
  perm up 11% (Q3: up 29%)
- EBITA margin at 8.0% vs. 6.6% LY

#### germany continued growth, improving profitability.



- revenue up 9% (Q3: up 5%)
  - perm up 40% YoY (Q3: up 41%)
- Staffing & Inhouse up 9% (Q3: up 5%)
- Professionals up 9% (Q3: up 6%)
- EBITA margin at 3.9% vs. 3.2% LY

#### belgium challenging business environment.



- revenue down 2% (Q3: stable)
- Staffing & Inhouse down 5% (Q3: stable)
- EBITA margin at 4.2% vs. 6.5% LY

#### iberia robust performance.



- spain revenue down 4% (Q3: up 8%)
  perm up 8% (Q3: up 48%)
- portugal revenue up 6% (Q3: up 10%)
- EBITA margin at 6.5% vs. 5.9% LY

### other european countries improving profitability.



- UK revenue up 6% (Q3: up 3%)
- nordics up 6% (Q3: up 12%)
- switzerland up 1% (Q3: up 5%)
- poland up 7% (Q3: down 1%)
- EBITA margin at 3.5% vs. 3.1% LY

#### rest of the world strong growth and solid profitability



- japan up 11% (Q3: up 9%)
- australia & new zealand up 8% (Q3: up 12%)
- india up 15% (Q3: up 18%)
- latin america revenue up 16% (Q3: up 9%)
- EBITA margin at 5.3% vs. 4.9% LY

#### global businesses solid growth of sourceright.



- global businesses up 5% (Q3: up 17%)
- monster revenue down 12% (Q3: down 4%)
- sourceright up 7% (Q3: up 21%)
- EBITA margin at 3.8% vs. 3.7% LY



## solid performance with strong profitability in the fourth quarter outstanding performance in 2022.



| <u>··</u> ) | Q4 performance |       |
|-------------|----------------|-------|
| on          |                | Q4 ′2 |

| € million                    | Q4 ′22 | Q4 ′21 | % org. |
|------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|
| revenue                      | 7,007  | 6,754  | 2%     |
| gross profit                 | 1,457  | 1,379  | 3%     |
| gross margin                 | 20.8%  | 20.4%  |        |
| operating expenses*          | 1,093  | 1,044  | 0%     |
| opex %                       | 15.6%  | 15.4%  |        |
| EBITA*                       | 364    | 335    | 4%     |
| EBITA margin*                | 5.2%   | 5.0%   |        |
| integration costs & one-offs | -/- 68 | -/- 11 |        |
| amortization & impairment    | -/- 11 | -/- 15 |        |
| net finance costs            | -/- 12 | -/- 5  |        |
| tax                          | 21     | -/- 64 |        |
| reported net income**        | 294    | 240    |        |
| adjusted net income          | 354    | 258    | 37%    |

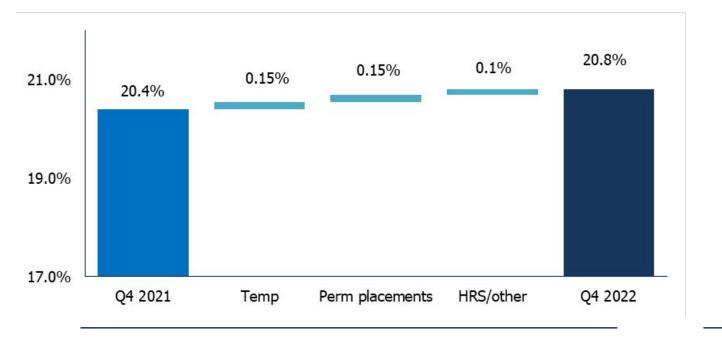
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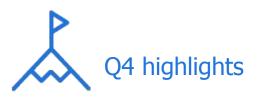
- organic revenue up 2% YoY
  - inhouse +6% YoY, professionals +7% YoY
  - perm revenue +1% YoY, RPO +17% YoY
  - slowdown in rev. growth across most markets
- gross margin 20.8%, +40 bp YoY
- opex as % of revenue down 60bp QoQ to 15.6%
- EBITA € 364m, 5.2% EBITA margin, +20bp YoY

## continued gross margin expansion driven by business mix and pricing discipline.



Q4 gross margin development YoY



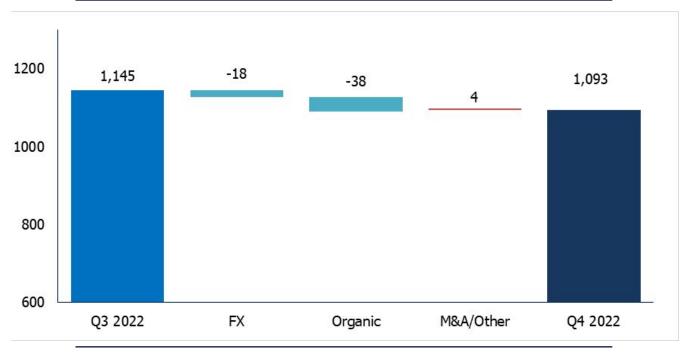


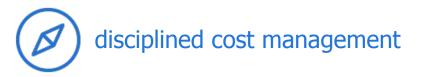
- temp margin + 15bp YoY
- perm fees increased +1% YoY, +15bp impact on gross margin
- HRS/other +10bp YoY, reflecting continued strong growth in RPO

#### operational adaptability & flexibility.



#### Q4 sequential opex bridge



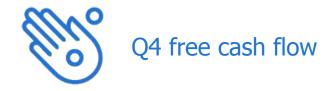


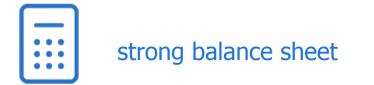
#### opex as % of revenue down by 60bp QoQ to 15.6%

#### personnel expenses -2% sequentially

- net reduction of 910 FTE, excl. M&A
- Dec exit rate FTE below Q4

#### FY: strong free cash flow & robust balance sheet.





- Q4 FCF € 294m (Q4 2021: € 211m)
- FY FCF: € 739m (FY 2021: € 590m)
- DSO 52.9, up 1.3 days vs Q4 2021
- ROIC: 17.9% (Q4 2021: 16.8%)

- net debt € 272m excl. lease liabilities
- leverage ratio excl. lease liabilities: 0.2
- shareholder return proposal of ~€ 921m, of which regular ordinary cash dividend of € 2.85 per ordinary share, and a share buy back program of ~€ 400m

#### outlook.



- gross margin and operating expenses both expected to be broadly in line sequentially.
- positive 0.3 working day impact in Q1 2023.



- Client activity moderated in the fourth quarter, and this trend has continued into the start of 2023 amidst macro economic uncertainties.
- January revenue was modestly down YoY organically.
- operational adaptability & agility.

### questions & answers.



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#### outlets by region.

| end of period            | Q4 2022 | Q3 2022 | Q2 2022 | Q1 2022 | Q4 2021 |
|--------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
|                          |         |         |         |         |         |
| North America            | 1,193   | 1,216   | 1,235   | 1,211   | 1,208   |
| France                   | 666     | 653     | 648     | 643     | 645     |
| the Netherlands          | 613     | 621     | 619     | 625     | 618     |
| Germany                  | 516     | 521     | 526     | 524     | 563     |
| Italy                    | 283     | 280     | 275     | 274     | 274     |
| Belgium & Luxembourg     | 331     | 337     | 353     | 347     | 333     |
| Iberia                   | 373     | 384     | 387     | 388     | 380     |
| Other European countries | 494     | 519     | 498     | 483     | 520     |
| Rest of the world        | 305     | 301     | 258     | 259     | 251     |
| Global businesses        | 131     | 134     | 135     | 135     | 135     |
| total                    | 4,905   | 4,966   | 4,934   | 4,889   | 4,927   |

## corporate staff by region.

| average                  | Q4 2022             | Q3 2022 | Q2 2022 | Q1 2022 | Q4 2021 |
|--------------------------|---------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
|                          |                     |         |         |         |         |
| North America            | 7,150               | 7,230   | 7,090   | 6,940   | 6,890   |
| France                   | 4,910               | 4,940   | 4,800   | 4,670   | 4,620   |
| the Netherlands          | 4,110               | 4,180   | 4,150   | 4,140   | 4,100   |
| Germany                  | 2,860               | 2,940   | 2,950   | 2,950   | 3,010   |
| Italy                    | 3,140               | 3,050   | 2,940   | 2,790   | 2,660   |
| Belgium & Luxembourg     | 2,380               | 2,450   | 2,420   | 2,380   | 2,200   |
| Iberia                   | 2,570               | 2,680   | 2,660   | 2,530   | 2,390   |
| Other European countries | 4,030               | 4,070   | 4,030   | 3,890   | 3,900   |
| Rest of the world        | 6,860               | 6,580   | 6,330   | 6,100   | 5,940   |
| Corporate                | 480                 | 430     | 420     | 400     | 350     |
| Global businesses        | 8,270               | 8,990   | 8,440   | 7,450   | 6,780   |
| total                    | 46,760 <sup>1</sup> | 47,540  | 46,230  | 44,240  | 42,840  |

 $^{1}\text{Q4}$  2022 sequential net reduction of 910 FTE excl. M&A

## number of employees working on a temporary basis by region.

| average                  | Q4 2022 | Q4 2021 |
|--------------------------|---------|---------|
|                          |         |         |
| North America            | 88,000  | 100,700 |
| France                   | 85,100  | 88,100  |
| the Netherlands          | 67,300  | 74,400  |
| Germany                  | 38,900  | 40,800  |
| Italy                    | 59,300  | 59,800  |
| Belgium & Luxembourg     | 43,000  | 47,700  |
| Iberia                   | 62,300  | 65,300  |
| Other European countries | 62,000  | 66,100  |
| Rest of the world        | 149,300 | 140,100 |
| Global businesses        | 11,300  | 12,300  |
| total                    | 666,500 | 695,300 |

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