# Deutsche Telekom Q4 2024 results

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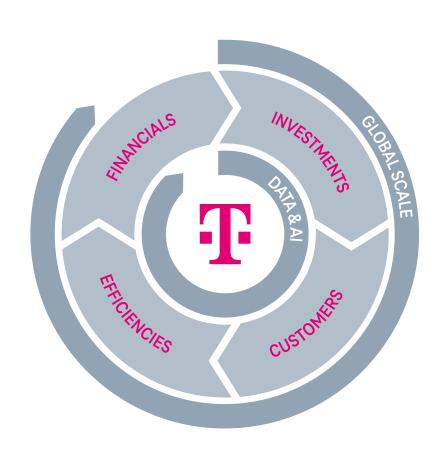
# FY 2024 results Group

### **FY/24**

### consistent reliable growth

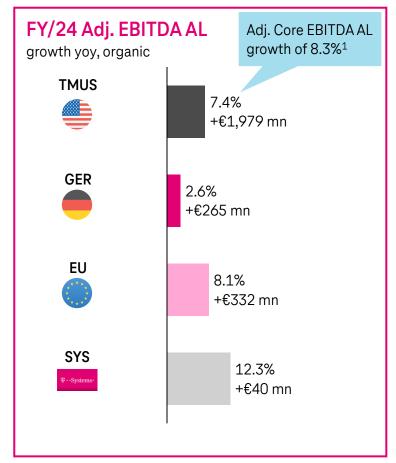
### FY/2024 Highlights<

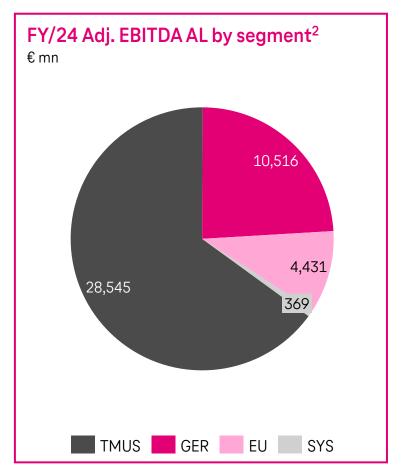
- Market leading customer and financial growth continues: FY organic service revenues +3.7%, adj. EBITDA AL +6.0%, FCF AL +18.7%<sup>1</sup>, adj. EPS +19.3%<sup>1</sup>.
- Good progress with key CMD ambitions (fiber, mobile technology leadership, customer experience, AI)
- FY24 guidance achieved on both sides of the Atlantic.
- 2025 guidance confirms growth ambition outlined at the CMD: adj. EBITDA AL +4.5%, FCF AL ~€19.9 bn, adj. recurring EPS ~€2.00.
- Further investments into the business announced: acquisitions of Metronet, Lumos, UScellular, and Vistar.
- Stake in TMUS increased to 51.5% (as of 24<sup>th</sup> of Jan 2025).
- CEO prolonged until 2028. CEO Germany to become COO of TMUS.
- Delivering for shareholders: €90c dividend<sup>2</sup> for 2024 plus €2 bn DT SBB. 2024 total shareholder return +38%.

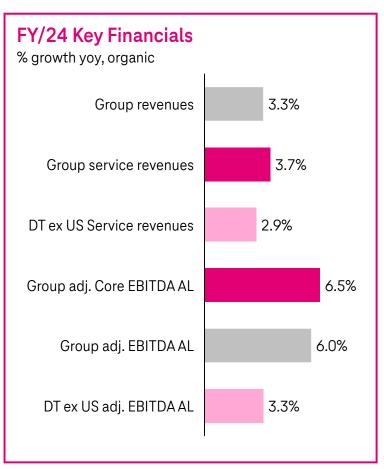


# Financials FY/24 organic

### strong organic growth







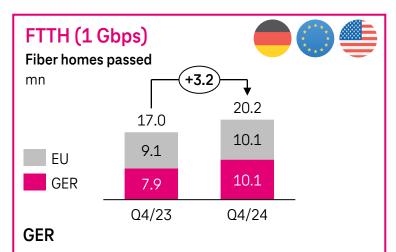
¹ According to IFRS. US GAAP growth is 9.1%. Adj. Core EBITDA excludes decreasing handset leasing revenues (US\$ -0.219 bn yoy). ² Excl. GHS & GD (-833 mn €). Group EBITDA AL €43,021 mn.

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### **Networks**

### leading with 5G, >20 mn European homes passed with FTTH



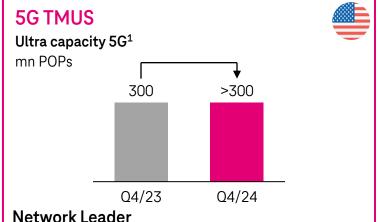
- Fiber: target of >10 mn HHs by YE achieved.
   2027 target: ~17.5 mn
- "Imtest" marks DT as best fixed network operator in Germany

### EU

 Target of >10mn HHs with 1 Gbps by YE achieved. 2027 target: ~13.5 mn

### **USA**

· Fiber: Metronet & Lumos JVs cleared by DoJ

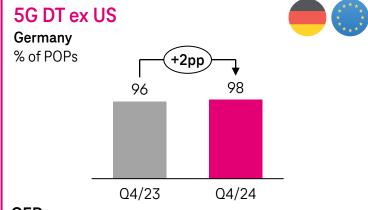


### Network Leader

 Leader in 5G standalone, 5G advanced, Voice over New Radio, and direct-to-cell satellite communications

### 5G

 Ookla: T-Mobile wins awards for the fastest, most consistent, and most available 5G network, alongside highest-ranking consumer sentiment and best gaming and mobile video streaming experience



### **GER**

 Telekom wins Computer Bild mobile network test

### EU

 Roll-out of 5G coverage: 77% POP coverage end of Q4/24. Up 10pp from Q4/23

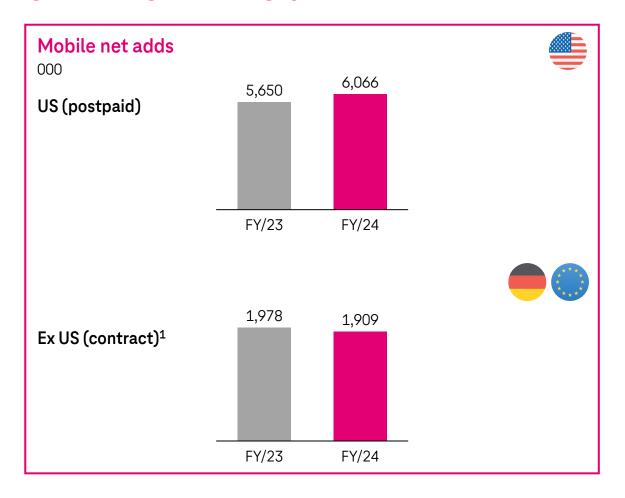
### DT ex US

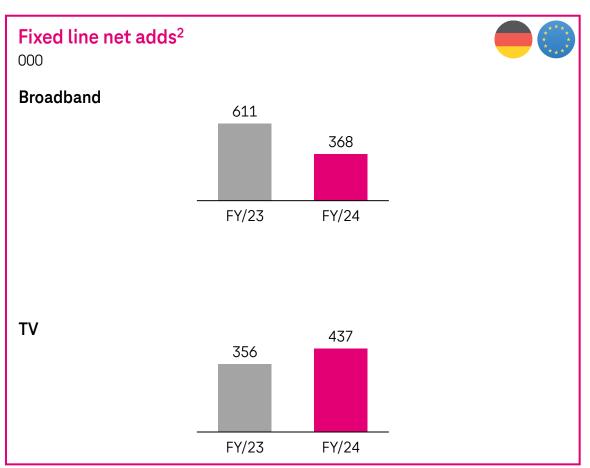
Several No1 places scored in different network test

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Ultra capacity on mid band spectrum.

### **Customers**

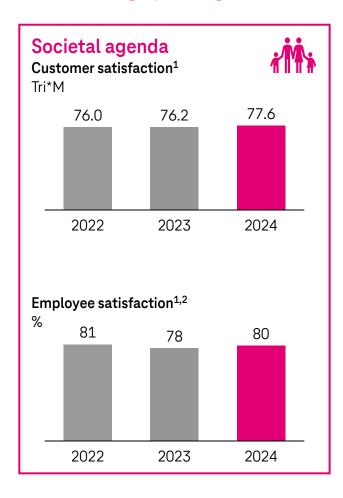
### growing strongly, broadband slower





### **Society and Environment**

### making progress with ESG



### **Environment**

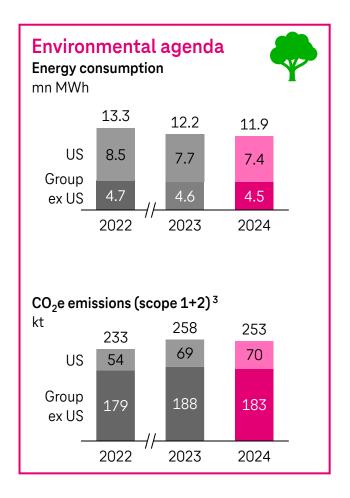
- Climate targets are well on track
- Launch of Green Al Principles
- New Circularity blueprint
- For 9th time in a row A ranked in CDP

### Society

- Community contribution digital society: EUR1.1 bn
- · Beneficiaries digital society: 34 mn
- >6.3 mn students connected as part of TMUS' education initiatives
- Share of Digital Experts now increased to 22.7%

### Governance

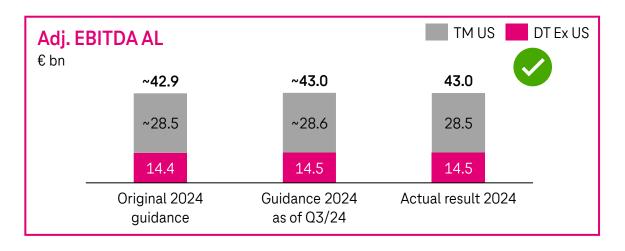
- · S&P Global ESG again best European telco
- · Sustainability Campus für DT
- First Annual Report in line with CSRD requirements

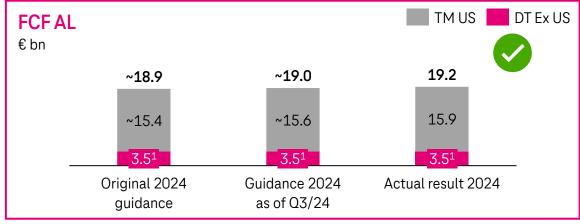


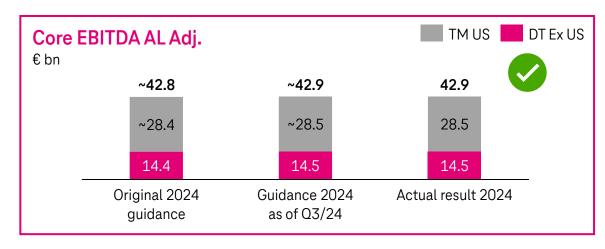
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> DT ex US. <sup>2</sup> DT ex US. Positive answer on employee/pulse survey question: "How do you feel at our company" <sup>3</sup> since 2023 including fugitive emissions; DT Group values without fugitive emissions at 206 kt CO2e (2024) after 217 kt CO2e (2023)

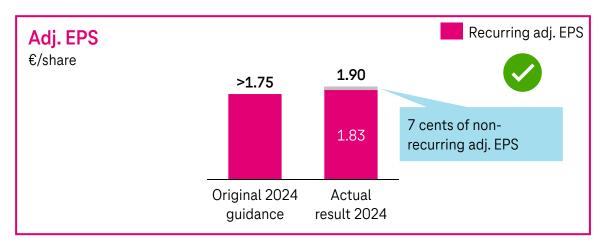
### **Guidance 2024**

### raised guidance delivered









<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 2024 ex US FCF AL includes 0.2 bn of FCF related to tower transaction. Excludes TM US dividend receipts.

### Our agenda for 2025

### building on the ambitions of the 2024 CMD

### **Deliver attractive returns**

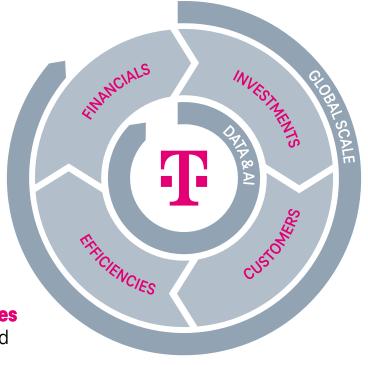
for shareholders

### **Step up leverage**

of group's unique scale advantages

Aggressively seize A.I. opportunities

for greater efficiency and enhanced customer experience



Deliver on fiber build while **stepping up monetization** 

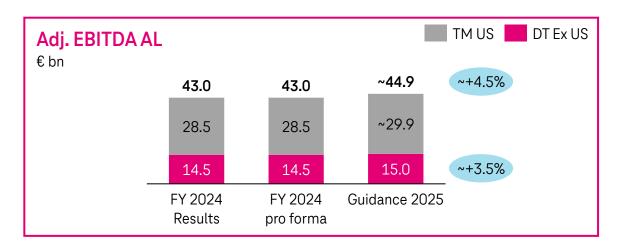
**Extend and monetize 5G** network lead in all markets

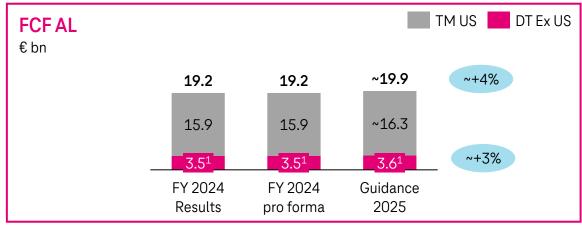
Build on momentum towards **leading B2B powerhouse** 

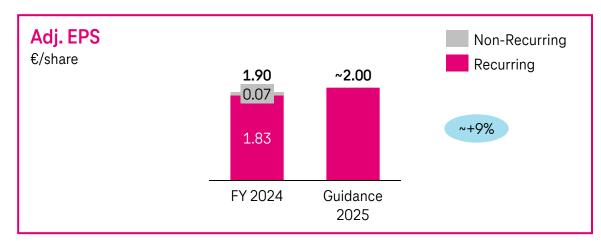
**Evolve leadership team** while ensuring continuity

### **Guidance 2025**

### on track for CMD financial targets







### F/X

Guidance is based on 1.08 f/x rate vs. US\$

### **EBITDA AL**

 Guidance includes around US\$ -1.0 bn bridge between TMUS's USGAAP and IFRS results (2024: US\$ -1.0 bn)

### **TMUS**

 2025 TM US guidance is based on midpoint of US GAAP guidance of US\$33.1 – 33.6 bn Core adj. EBITDA; and of US\$17.3 – 18.0 bn FCF

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>DT ex US FCF AL included 0.2 bn of cash returns related to the tower transaction in 2024. 2025 assumes 0.1 bn of cash returns related to the tower transaction and continues to exclude any received TMUS dividends.

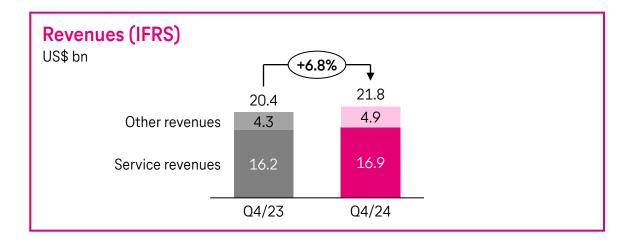
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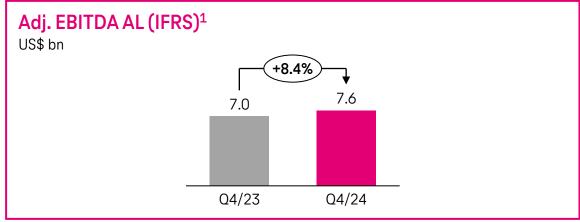
Review of segments and financials

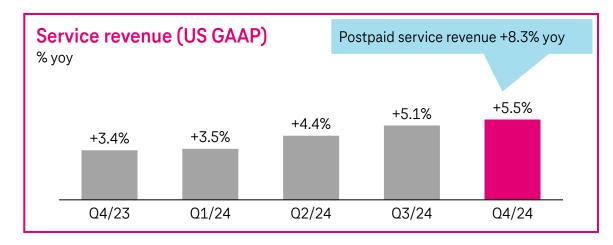
### T-Mobile US

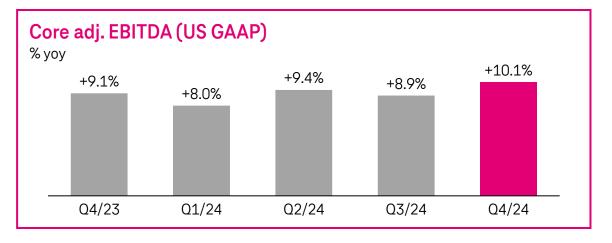
# industry leading financial growth









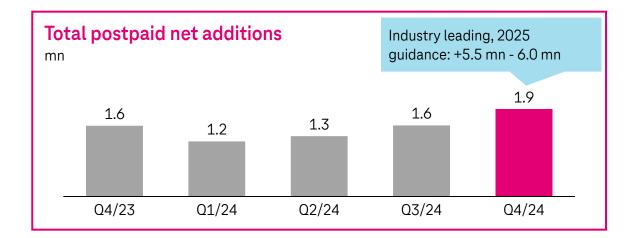


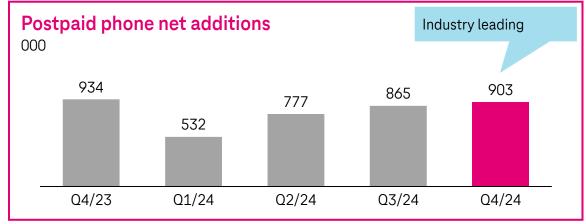
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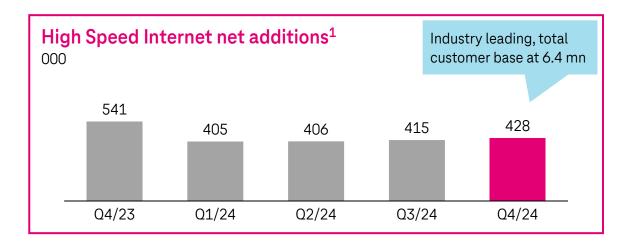
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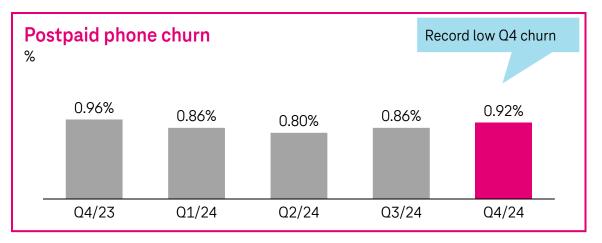
## industry leading customer growth







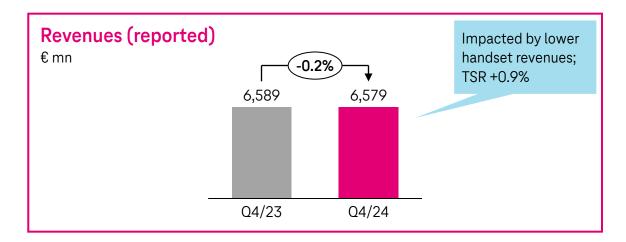


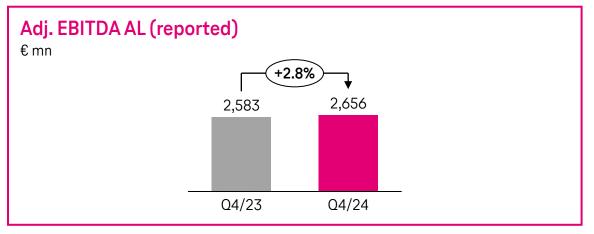


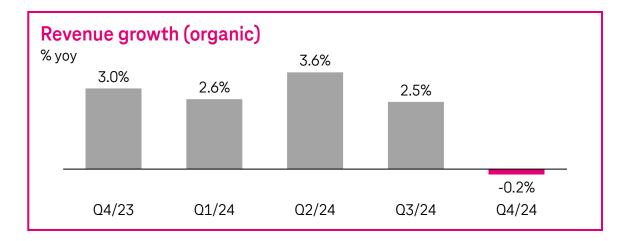
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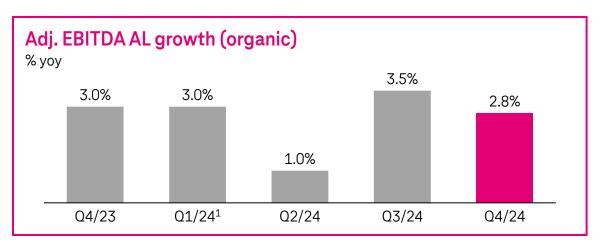
# 33rd consecutive quarter of EBITDA growth







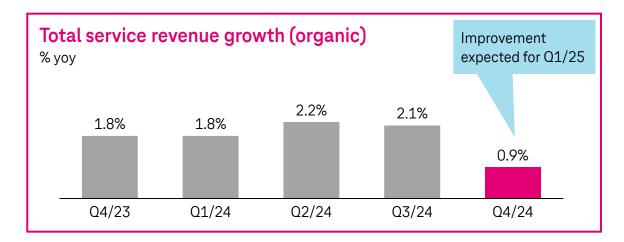


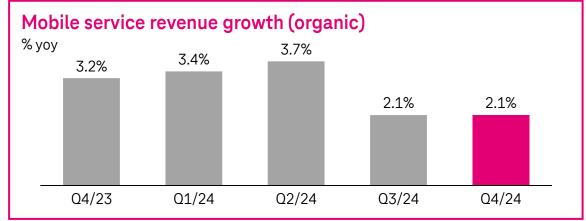


¹ Organic growth rate in Q1/24 assumes that the tower transaction did close on Jan 1st 2023, whereas the close actually happened on Feb 1st. So, the reported EBITDA AL growth rate benefitted from 1 month of higher leasing opex in Q1/23.

# total service revenues impacted by phasing



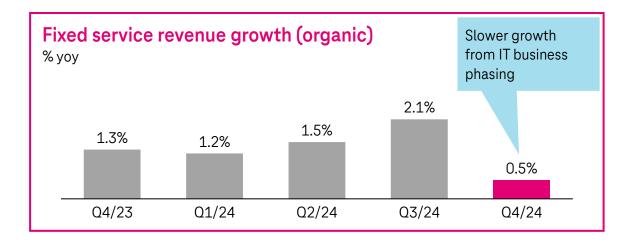




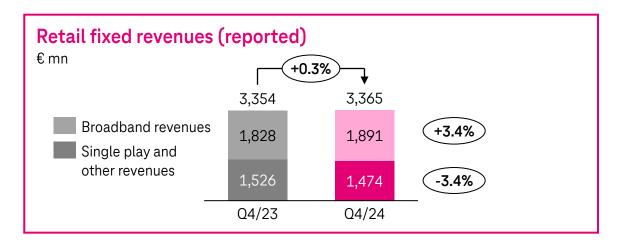
### Revenue growth (reported)

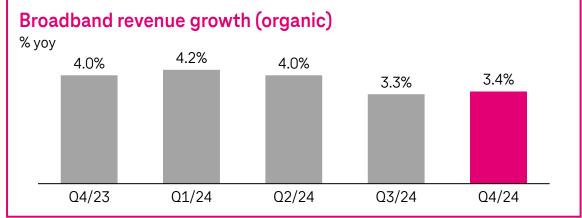
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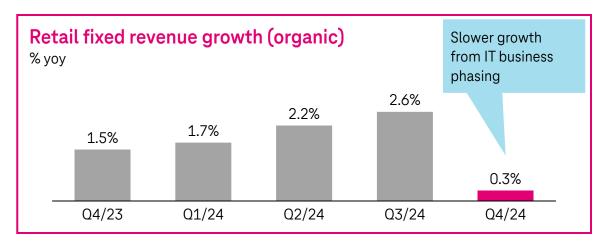
- Reported total service revenue growth +0.9%
- Reported fixed service revenue growth +0.5%
- Reported mobile service revenue growth +2.1%

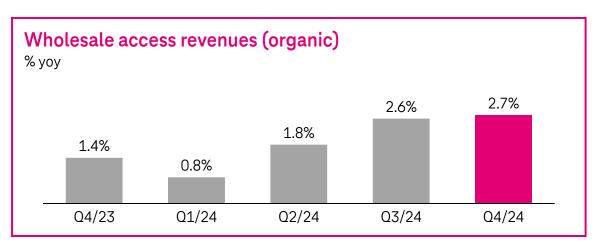


### fixed revenues: steady growth in broadband and wholesale access



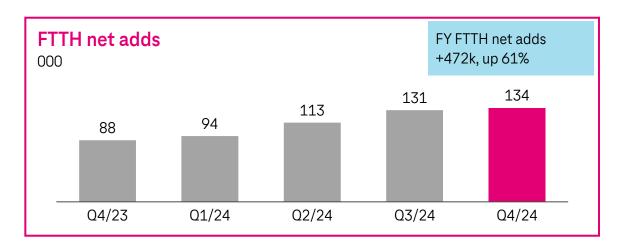


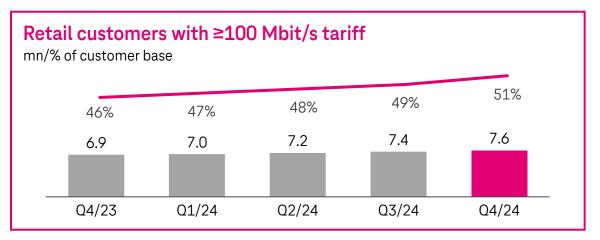


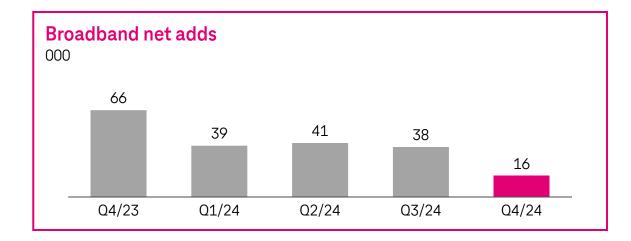


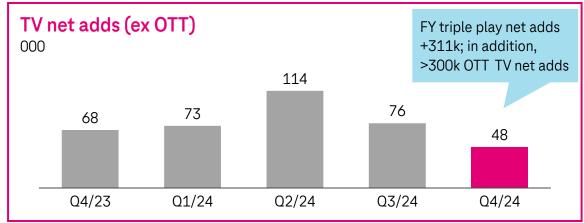
## fixed KPIs: successful upselling continues



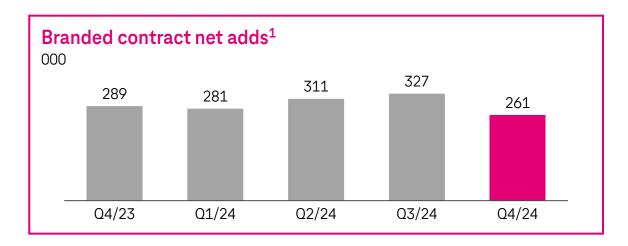


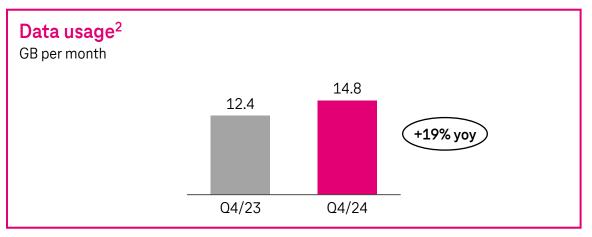


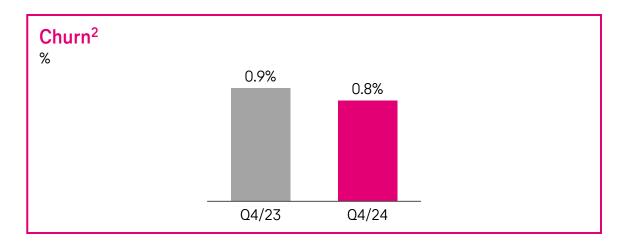


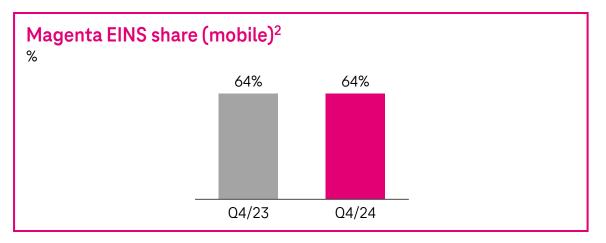


## mobile KPIs: strong customer growth in a competitive market







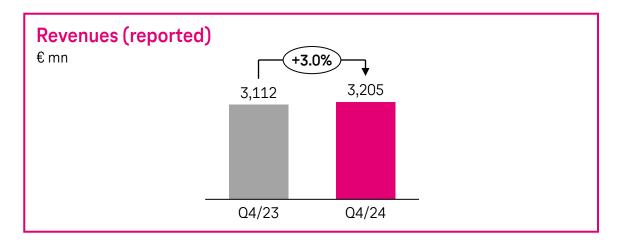


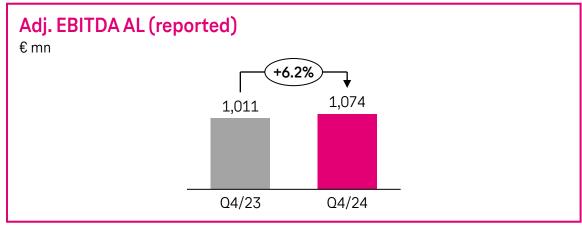
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Own branded retail customers excl. multibrand, consumer IoT and "Schnellstarter". <sup>2</sup> Of B2C T-branded contract customers.

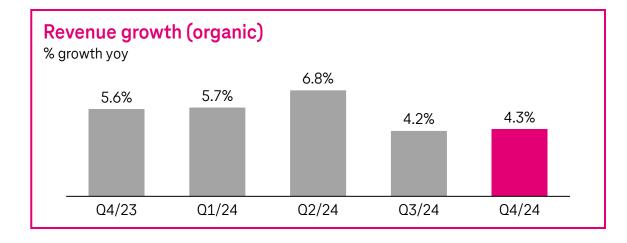
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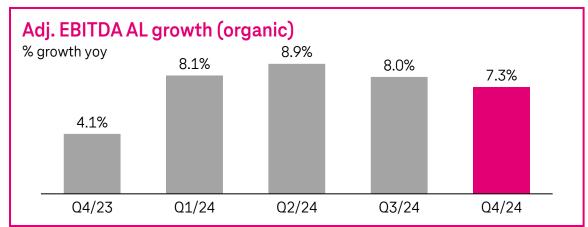
# 28th consecutive quarter of organic EBITDA growth







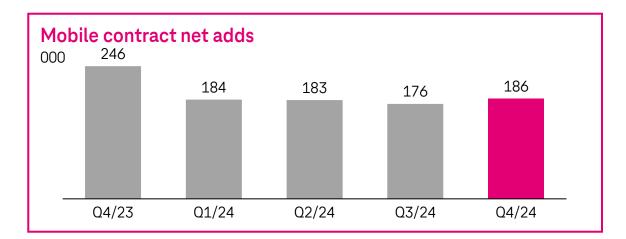


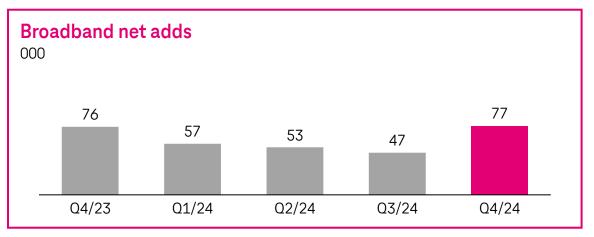


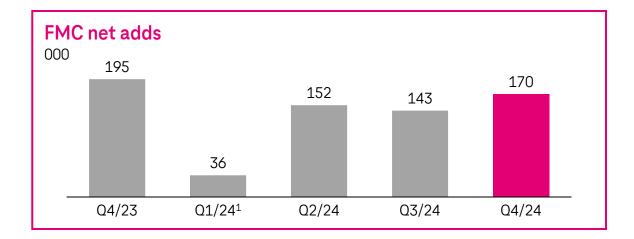
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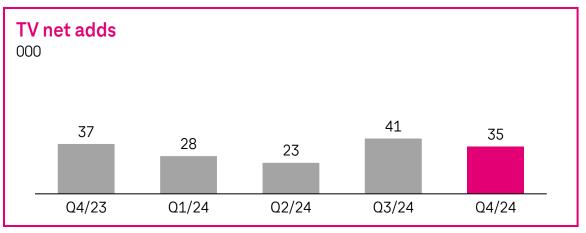
# strong commercial performance continues







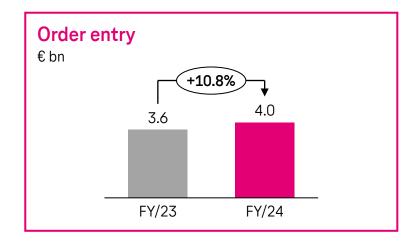


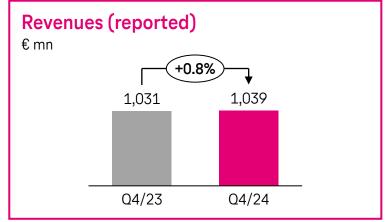


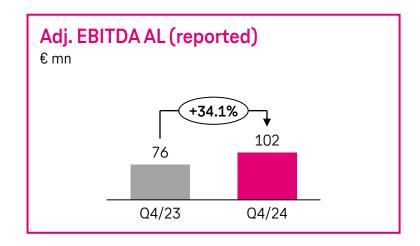
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Thereof >-100k due to contract changes in Slovakia.

### **Systems Solutions**

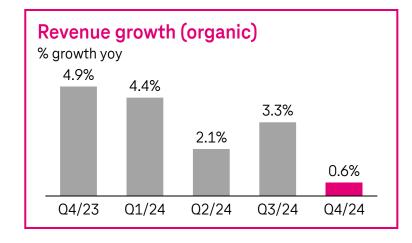
### growth in order entry, revenue, and profitability

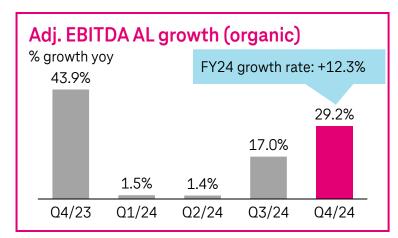






- Good growth in order entry and revenue despite challenges in automotive vertical
- 8<sup>th</sup> consecutive quarter of adj. EBITDA AL growth
- Positive cash contribution for FY achieved





### Financials Q4/24 reported

### strong set of results across the board

€mn	Q4			FY	
	2023	2024	Change	2023	2024

	2023	2024	Change	2023
Revenue	29,369	30,932	+5.3%	111,985
Service revenues	23,894	24,837	+3.9%	92,919
Adj. EBITDA AL	10,009	10,632	+6.2%	40,497
Adj. EBITDA AL (excl. US)	3,481	3,501	+0.6%	14,088
Adj. Net profit	1,826	2,346	+28.5%	7,940
Net profit	-1,035	4,182	+504.2%	17,788
Adj. EPS (in €)	0.37	0.48	+30.3%	1.60
Free cash flow AL <sup>1</sup>	4,352	4,030	-7.4%	16,141
Cash capex <sup>1</sup>	3,348	4,017	+20.0%	16,591
Net debt excl. leases (AL)	93,746	99,316	+5.9%	93,746
Net debt incl. leases (IFRS 16)	132,279	137,327	+3.8%	132,279

FY/23 benefitted from gains in asset sales e.g. Towers

Change

+3.4%

+3.9%

+6.2%

+2.8%

+18.3%

-37.0%

+19.3%

+18.7%

-3.8%

+5.9%

+3.8%

115,769

96,537

43,021

14.476

9,397

11,209

19,156

15,962

99,316

137,327

1.90

FY 24 Includes 7 cents tailwind of non-recurring EPS.

Decrease in capex driven by TMUS. Ex US capex up by €0.2 bn

Impacted by +€6.2 bn of currency effect

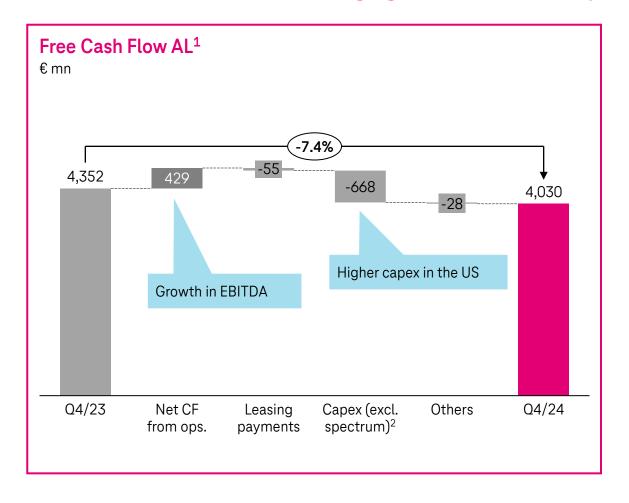
¹Free cash flow AL before dividend and before spectrum investments. Cash capex before spectrum investment. Spectrum: FY/24: €3,209 mn FY/23: €1,275 mn; Q4/24: €785 mn Q4/23: €816 mn.

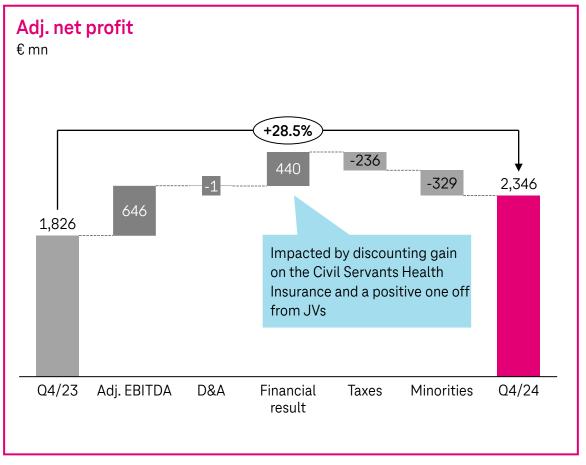
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### FCF AL and adj. net profit

# Q4 FCF AL reflecting growth in adj. EBITDA and higher capex in the US

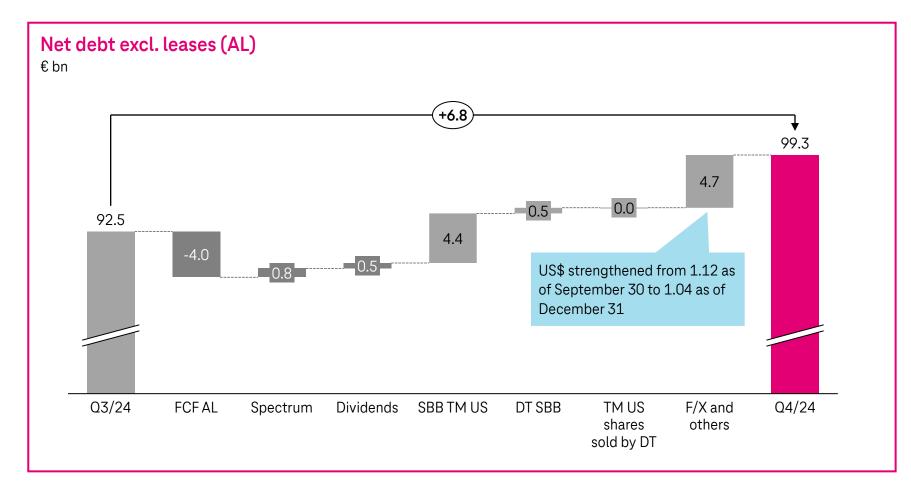


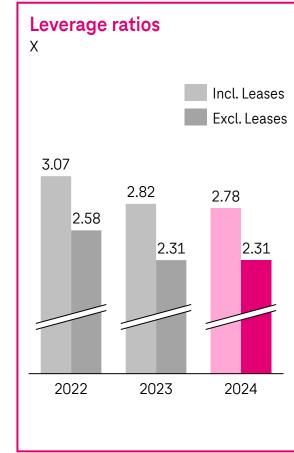


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### **Net debt**

### leverage slightly above 2.75x guardrail due to f/x



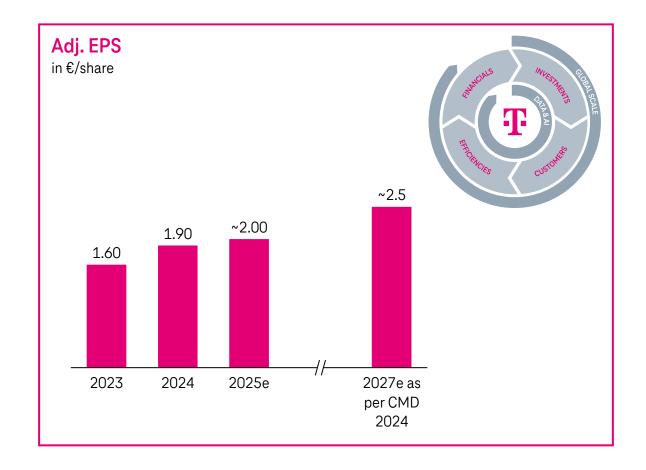


# Q4 2024 results

Main takeaways

# FY/24 Key messages consistent reliable growth

- Ongoing strong commercial and financial performance
- >20 mn European homes passed with fiber
- Raised 2024 guidance achieved
- 2025 guidance consistent with CMD growth ambitions at all levels
- Management continuity and evolution
- Delivering on shareholder returns (2024 TSR 38%)



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Subject to necessary approvals.

# **Q4 2024 results**Appendix

# **Organic growth rates**

In %	Q4/24 over Q4/23	FY/24 over FY/23
Group revenues	+4.3	+3.3
Group service revenue	+2.8	+3.7
Service revenue DT ex US	+1.3	+2.9
Group Adj. EBITDA AL	+5.2	+6.0
Adj. EBITDA AL DT ex US	+0.7	+3.3
Group adj. Core EBITDA AL <sup>1</sup>	+5.4	+6.5

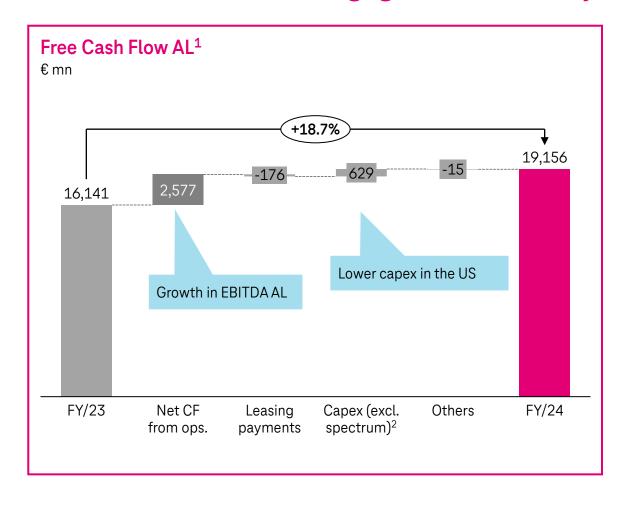
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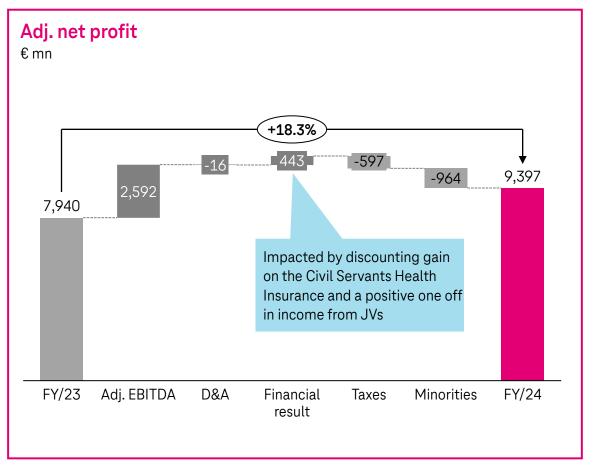
This view is different to the consolidated financial statements of DT where Group Development is treated as a discontinued operation. For more details, please refer to the back-up to this presentation, respectively the interim report of DT, both available at www.telekom.com/en/investor-relations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> adj. EBITDA AL excl. TMUS handset leases.

### FCF AL and adj. net profit

### FY FCF AL reflecting growth in adj. EBITDA and lower capex in the US

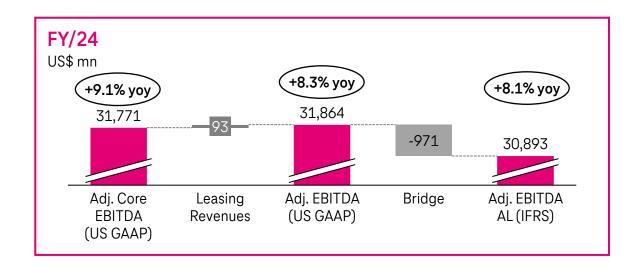


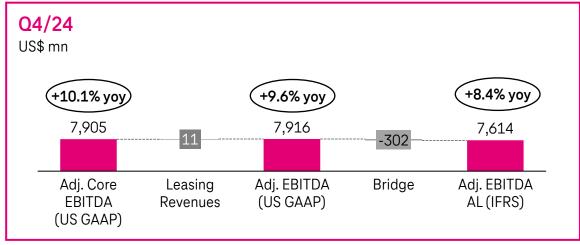


<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Free cash flow and FCF AL before dividend payments and spectrum investment. <sup>2</sup> Spectrum: FY/24: €3,209 mn FY/23: €1,275 mn.

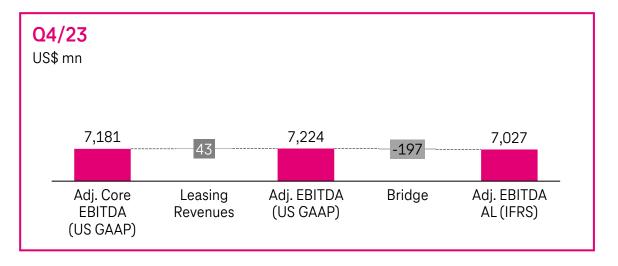
### **TMUS**

### **EBITDA** reconciliation



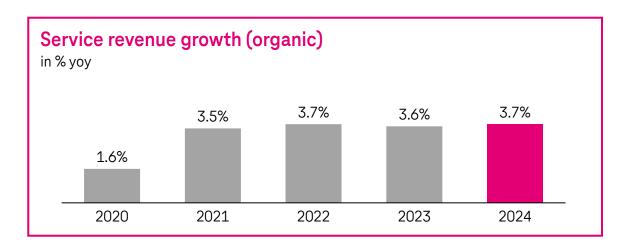


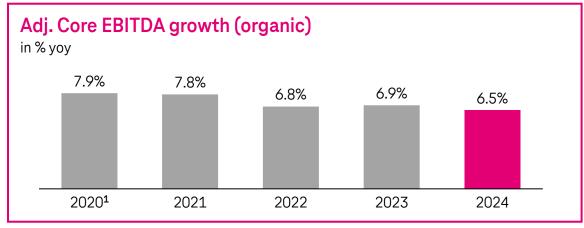


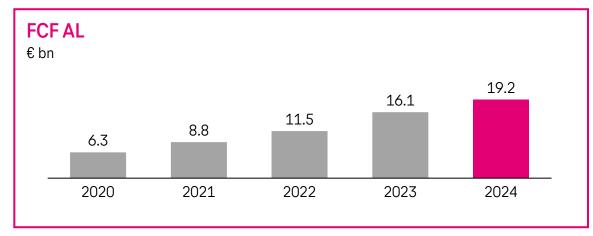


### **DT Group**

# consistent financial growth over the last 5 years





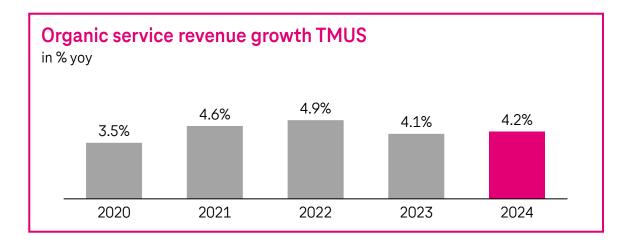


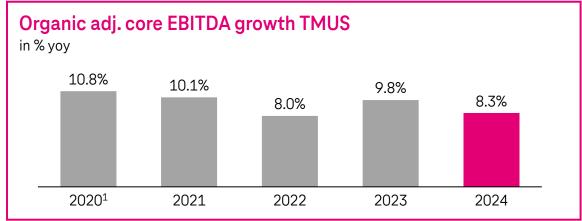


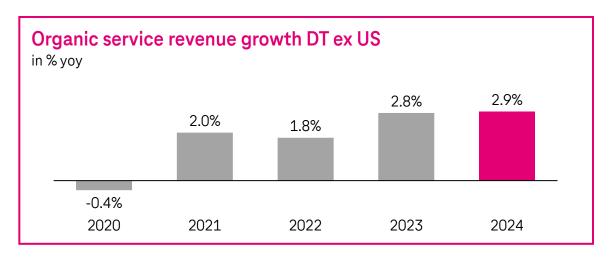
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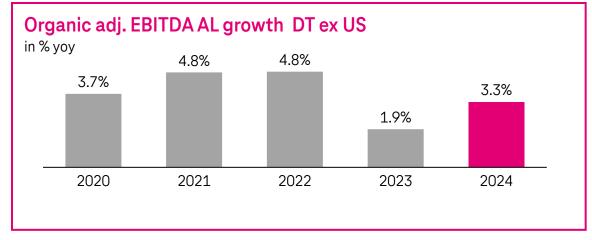
# DT Group ex US & TMUS financials

# growth on both sides of the Atlantic





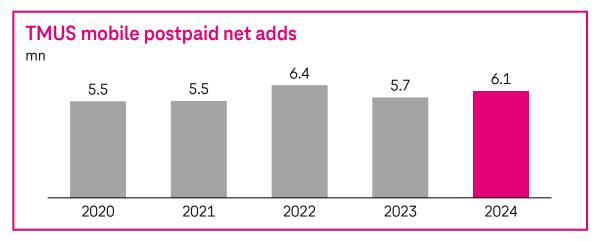


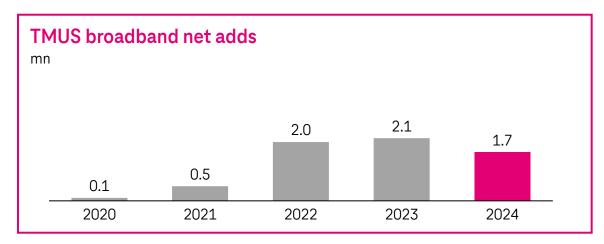


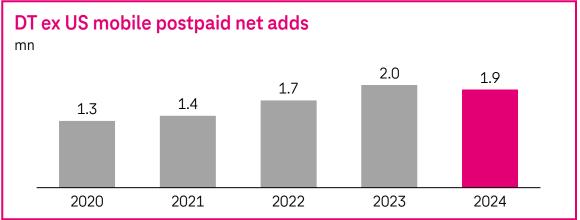
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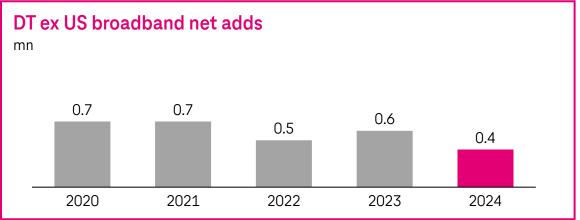
### **DT Group**

# consistent customer growth over the last 5 years









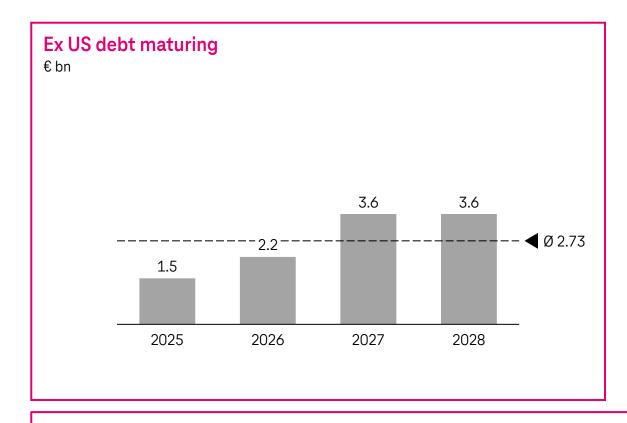
# FCF AL excl. US<sup>1</sup> delivered on guidance

€bn	FY 2023	FY 2024
Adj. EBITDA	15.5	16.0
Leasing opex	-1.3	-1.5
Adj. EBITDA AL	14.1	14.5
Cash Capex	-7.5	-7.7
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets	+0.1	+0.1
Special Factors Cash	-0.9	-1.0
Interest ex leasing	-0.7	-0.9
Cash Taxes	-1.2	-1.3
Other (working capital etc.)	-0.4	-0.2
FCFAL	3.5	3.5

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Includes cash returns related to tower transaction. Excludes TMUS dividend receipts.

### **Financials**

### maturity profile covered by strong liquidity reserve





- Additional US\$1.5 bn of outstanding TMUS shareholder loans (to be repaid by 2028 at the latest)

# **Balance sheet** solid across the board

€bn	31/12/2023	31/03/2024	30/06/2024	30/09/2024	31/12/2024
Balance sheet total	290.3	295.2	296.0	288.6	304.9
Shareholders' equity	91.2	93.2	92.4	92.4	98.6
Net debt excl. leases (AL)	93.7	94.5	97.1	92.5	99.3
Net debt excl. leases (AL)/adj. EBITDA AL <sup>1</sup>	2.31	2.30	2.32	2.18	2.31
Net debt incl. leases (IFRS 16)	132.3	133.1	135.1	128.7	137.3
Net debt incl. leases IFRS 16/adj. EBITDA <sup>1</sup>	2.82	2.81	2.81	2.64	2.78
Equity ratio	31.4%	31.6%	31.2%	32.0%	32.3%

### Comfort zone ratios

Rating: A-/BBB	
Leverage ≤ 2.75x Net debt IFRS 16/Adj. EBITDA	
25 – 35% equity ratio	
Liquidity reserve covers redemptions of the next 24 months	

### **Current rating**

Fitch:	BBB+	stable outlook
Moody's:	Baa1	positive outlook
S&P:	BBB+	stable outlook

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Ratios for the interim quarters calculated on the basis of previous 4 quarters.

### **Guidance 2025**

## compared to consensus

€bn	Guidance 2025 in € @ 1.08	Guidance 2025 in € @ 1.06 (Cons. f/x)	Consensus in € @ 1.06
Adj. EBITDA AL Group	~44.9	~45.5	46.0
thereof ex US	15.0	15.0	15.0
thereofTMUS	~29.9	~30.5	31.0
FCFAL	~19.9	~20.3	20.4
thereof ex US	3.6 <sup>1</sup>	$3.6^{1}$	3.6
thereofTMUS	~16.3	~16.7	16.82
Adj. EPS in €	~2.00		2.10

US GAAP guidance is in line with consensus.

¹ Includes €0.1 bn of cash returns related to tower transaction. ² Calculated by using the DT pre-results Group consensus of €20,375 bn and subtracting ex US contribution of €3,596.

# Outlook 2025/26 as per annual report 2024 (1/2)1

€bn	2024 pro forma	2025e	2026e
Revenue Group	115.9	Increase	Increase
Germany	25.7	Slight increase	Slight increase
US (in US\$)	81.3	Increase	Increase
Europe	12.3	Increase	Increase
Systems Solutions	4.0	Slight increase	Slight increase
Service Revs Group	96.7	Increase	Increase
Germany	22.5	Slight increase	Slight increase
US (in US\$)	66.3	Increase	Increase
Europe	10.2	Increase	Increase
Systems Solutions	3.9	Slight Increase	Slight Increase
Adj. EBITDA AL Group	43.0	~44.9	Strong Increase
Germany	10.5	10.8	Increase
US (in US\$)	30.9	32.3	Strong increase
Europe	4.4	4.6	Increase
Systems Solutions	0.4	0.4	Increase

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See annual report 2024 for additional details.

# Outlook 2025/26 as per annual report 2024 (2/2)1

€bn	2024 pro forma	2025e	2026e
Cash Capex Group	16.0	~17.1	Stable
Germany	4.8	Stable	Slight increase
US (in US\$)	8.9	Increase	Stable
Europe	1.9	Slight increase	Slight increase
Systems Solutions	0.2	Stable	Stable
FCF AL Group	19.2	~19.9	Increase
Adj. EPS in €	1.90	~2.00	Strong increase
Net debt/adj. EBITDA	2.78x	≤2.75x	≤2.75x

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See annual report 2024 for additional details.

### Investor + Analyst Webcast with Q&A session

The conference call will be held on February 26 at 14:00 CET, 13:00 GMT, 08:00 EST, 05:00 PST, 22:00 JST

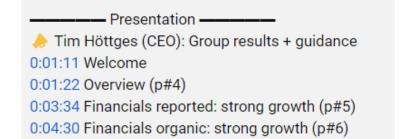
DT Participants: <u>Tim Höttges</u> (CEO), <u>Christian Illek</u> (CFO), <u>Hannes Wittig</u> (Head of Investor Relations)





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