# Q4 2023 results

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### Signify reported Q4 23 sales of EUR 1.7 billion, CSG of -7.7% and an adj. EBITA margin of 12.1%



### **Adjusted EBITA** (in EURm & as % of sales)



### Key observations for Q4 23

- 124 million connected light points (Q3 23: 121 million) •
- I FD-based sales were 87% of total sales •
- Nominal sales decline of 12.3% (including FX impact of -4.9%) • to EUR 1,734m
- Comparable sales decline of 7.7%

- Adjusted EBITA margin increase of 190 bps to 12.1% •
  - Continued gross margin recovery •
- Net income of EUR 59m (Q4 22: EUR 86m) •
- Free Cash Flow of EUR 295m (Q4 22: EUR 364m) •



# Digital Solutions reported a CSG of -2.9% and an adj. EBITA margin of 12.4%



### **Adjusted EBITA** (in EURm & as % of sales)



### Key observations for Q4 23

- Comparable sales decline of 2.9% •
  - Continued strength in professional systems and • services
  - Softness in indoor professional and horticulture ٠ lighting

- Adjusted EBITA margin improved by 270 bps to 12.4% •
  - Gross margin recovery •



# **Digital Solutions highlights**

Winning the Prototype Phase of U.S. DoE's L-Prize competition



- Two winning prototypes
- The Generation Flex modular luminaire prototype delivers energy efficiency and light quality through flexible, circular design and sustainable materials
- Interact Next Gen connected lighting prototype increases energy savings and occupant experience, while reducing operational expenses

Upgrading the Nicola Ceravolo Stadium in Catanzaro to LED

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- Together with City Green Light adapting the lighting to Serie B standards and making it more sustainable
- Installed 110 Philips ArenaVision LED gen3.5 floodlights and 6 Philips UniFlood M G2 outdoor LED floodlights
- The floodlights can be connected to Interact Sports
- Energy savings of over 35%

Reducing carbon footprint by rethinking the classic Copenhagen street lamp



- The fittings will be produced in Bio-PE (polyethylene), a plant-based material with a lower carbon footprint
- The material does not compromise on either durability, appearance or functionality
- Carbon footprint reduction of over 50% compared with the old aluminum fitting

Modernizing the lighting in more than 200 Netto stores in Poland



- Replacing the old generation of LED fixtures with the modern and energy-saving Philips Maxos Fusion LED products resulted in 43% energy savings
- Integration of the lighting with the Interact system will increase energy savings by an additional 35%



# Digital Products reported a CSG of -9.4% and an adj. EBITA margin of 13.3%



### Adjusted EBITA (in EURm & as % of sales)



### Key observations for Q4 23

- Comparable sales decline of 9.4%
  - Continued weakness in consumer and OEM
  - Sequential improvement in consumer connected

- Adjusted EBITA margin decreased by 80 bps to 13.3%
  - Positive sales mix effect
  - Under-absorption of fixed costs



# **Digital Products highlights**

Introducing the WiZ A60 filament ultra-efficient smart bulb



- The WiZ A60 filament ultraefficient smart bulb is the most energy-efficient smart bulb
- This A-class rated smart light bulb consumes 40% less energy than standard LED and connected LED light bulbs
- With SpaceSense, two or more bulbs can act as motion sensors

Launching the new Philips Radii auto-linkable Ultra Efficient solar lights



- The new Philips Radii solar lights are automatically linked together and light up simultaneously when triggered by motion
- Powered by Ultra Efficient technology, the new solar lights can brighten your outdoor space for up to six nights on one charge

Introducing the batterypowered Secure camera



- The battery-powered Secure camera works with the whole Philips Hue collection
- Turn on lights when the camera detects motion and trigger alarms to deter intruders
- All recorded video and audio can only be seen by authorized users and is encrypted end to end

# Launching a new collection of 3D-printed pendants



- The new Spring Oasis collection from Philips MyCreation features two unique pendant lamps, made with materials recovered from used water jugs
- 50% of the pendant's outer shade is made from recycled water jugs



# Conventional Products reported a CSG of -29.6% and an adj. EBITA margin of 17.3%



### Sales (in EURm) & comparable sales growth (in %)

#### Adjusted EBITA (in EURm & as % of sales)



### Key observations for Q4 23

- Comparable sales decline of 29.6%
  - Structural decline exacerbated by the fluorescent bans in Europe

- Adjusted EBITA margin increased by 440 bps to 17.3%
  - Gross margin recovery



# Adjusted EBITA margin increased to 12.1%, mainly driven by the recovery of gross margin





# Working capital decreased to 6.9%, mainly due to lower inventories, lower receivables and other working capital items, partly offset by lower payables





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# Signify reported 2023 sales of EUR 6.7 billion, CSG of -8.3% and an adj. EBITA margin of 10.0%



### Sales (in EURm) & comparable sales growth (in %)

### Adjusted EBITA (in EURm & as % of sales)



### Key observations for 2023

- Connected lighting and growth platforms were 30% of total sales
- Nominal sales decline of 10.8% (including FX impact of -3.3%) to EUR 6,704m
- Comparable sales decline of 8.3%

- Adjusted EBITA margin of 10.0%, broadly in line with 2022
  - Gross margin improvement
  - Under-absorption of fixed costs
- Net income of EUR 215m (2022: EUR 532m incl. one-time effects of EUR 184m)
- Free Cash Flow of EUR 586m, 8.7% of sales (2022: EUR 445m)



### Digital Solutions and Digital Products contributing 91% to sales, 83% to Adj. EBITA and 88% to Free Cash Flow



Adj. EBITA contribution (in EURm)



Free Cash Flow contribution (in EURm)



Digital Products
 Digital Solutions
 Conventional Products



# Adjusted EBITA margin benefited from gross margin recovery in all divisions, offset by under-absorption of fixed costs – mainly in Digital Products



- High CSG comparison base
- Market share gains for professional connected systems
- Adj. EBITA margin expansion driven by gross margin recovery

- CSG decline driven by weakness in consumer and OEM businesses
- Adj. EBITA margin decline mainly due to lower volumes

 Adj. EBITA margin expansion driven by gross margin recovery



# **Brighter Lives, Better World 2025 – Q4 2023 results**

Doubling our positive impact on the environment and society					Q4 2023 Result	2025 Target
Better World	Climate action	13 CLIMATE T AFFORDABLE AND CLEAN ENERGY CLEAN ENERGY	Carbon reduction over value chain against Paris Agreement	0	On track	324 MT
	Circular economy	12 RESPONSIBLE CONSUMPTION AND PRODUCTION	Circular revenues	16%	33%	32%
Brighter Lives	Food availability Safety & security Health & well-being	11 SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES AND WELL-BEING AND WELL-BEING	Brighter lives revenues	16%	31%	32%
	Great place to work	8 DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH	Women in leadership positions	17%	29%	34%



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# Signify proposes a cash dividend of EUR 1.55 per share for 2023

### **Key observations**

- Proposed dividend<sup>1</sup> of EUR 1.55 per share, a year-on-year increase of 5 cents per share
- Dividend yield of 5.1% over the year-end share price of EUR 30.32
- Total cash dividend of EUR 196m
- Signify expects to further deleverage its gross debt and reduce its US pension liabilities in 2024

### **Capital allocation policy**

- Pay an increasing annual cash dividend per share year on year
- Signify remains committed to maintaining a robust capital structure and an investment grade credit rating
- Continue to invest in organic and inorganic growth opportunities in line with strategic priorities

### Dividend per share since IPO (in EUR)





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### Outlook



For 2024, Signify expects:

- An Adjusted EBITA margin improvement of up to 50 bps, including first benefits from the announced restructuring program
- Free cash flow generation of 6-7% of sales, including an incremental and non-recurring negative impact around EUR 150m related to the restructuring program and a reduction of US pension liabilities



### Introducing the new operating model





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# **Currency movements had a negative impact on sales and a positive impact on Adjusted EBITA margin**

Q4 23 Sales FX Footprint (% of total)



### **Key observations**

- Overall currency impact of -4.9% on sales, mainly from USD depreciation.
- Positive impact of 0.3% on the Adjusted EBITA margin.



# Net income decreased to EUR 59m, as higher Adjusted EBITA, lower financial expenses and lower income tax expense were offset by restructuring costs

### From Adjusted EBITA to net income (in EURm)

	Q4 22	Q4 23
Adjusted EBITA	202	209
- Restructuring	-47	-83
- Acquisition-related charges	-4	-5
- Other incidental items	15	-13
EBITA	166	108
Amortization	-29	-20
EBIT	137	89
Net financial income / expenses	-29	-18
Income tax expense	-22	-12
Results from investments in associates	0	0
Net income	86	59

### **Key observations**

1	<ul> <li>Non-recurring by nature and relate to:</li> <li>Impairment and other non-cash charges/gains related to operations in Russia and Ukraine</li> <li>A one-day FX loss from the devaluation of the Argentine peso by the Argentinian government</li> <li>Separation costs</li> <li>Transformation costs</li> <li>Real estate gains/loss</li> <li>Legal cases</li> <li>Incidental warranty costs</li> <li>Environmental provisions for inactive sites</li> <li>The discounting effect of long-term provisions</li> </ul>



# Free cash flow decreased to EUR 295m, mainly due to a lower inflow from working capital

### Free cash flow (in EURm)

	Q4 22	Q4 23
Income from operations	137	89
Depreciation and amortization	86	69
Additions to (releases of) provisions	41	107
Utilizations of provisions	-56	-46
Change in working capital	247	121
Net interest and financing costs received (paid)	-5	-1
Income taxes paid	-36	-23
Net capex	-36	-28
Other	-14	8
Free cash flow	364	295
As % of sales	18.4%	17.0%

### Key observations

- Free cash flow of EUR 295m
  - Lower inflow from working capital
  - Q4 last year benefited from a stronger reduction of inventories
- Restructuring payout of EUR 16m (Q4 22: EUR 11m)



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