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# Robust organic growth and earnings performance

## Financial Highlights

### Net sales was 5,105 (2,874) MSEK

- Reported net sales grew by 77.6%
- Organic growth was 20.5%, of which SMB 17.9%, LCP 23.7% and B2C 7.9%

### Gross profit was 758 (434) MSEK

- Gross margin of 14.8% (15.1%) (proforma 14.0%)

### Adjusted EBITA was 229 (101) MSEK

- Adjusted EBITA margin of 4.5% (3.5%)

### Items affecting comparability of -37.9 (8.9) MSEK

### EBIT was 154 (84.5) MSEK

### Earnings per share of 0.65 (0.75) SEK

### Cash flow from operating activities before changes in working capital was 201 (110) MSEK

### Leverage of 3.4x (2.6x) including the 12-month earnings effect for Centralpoint and excluding the effects of IFRS 16

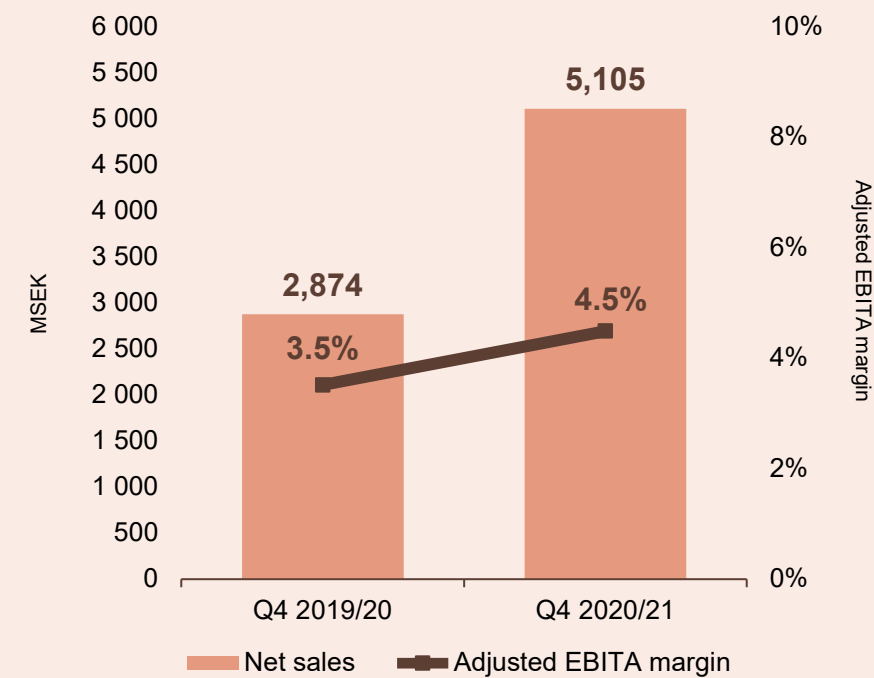
### The Board proposes a dividend of 2.21 (2.20) SEK per share, totalling 250 (195) MSEK

## Operational Highlights

### Acquisition of Benelux based Centralpoint completed and consolidated on June 3

### Fully subscribed rights issue of approximately 1,200 MSEK

Net sales and adjusted EBITA margin



# Financial development – SMB

## Strong sales growth and improved profitability

### Net sales growth in SMB of 36.7% y/y

- Organic growth of 17.9%

### Segment result increased to 170 (105) MSEK

- Segment margin of 9.8% (8.3%)

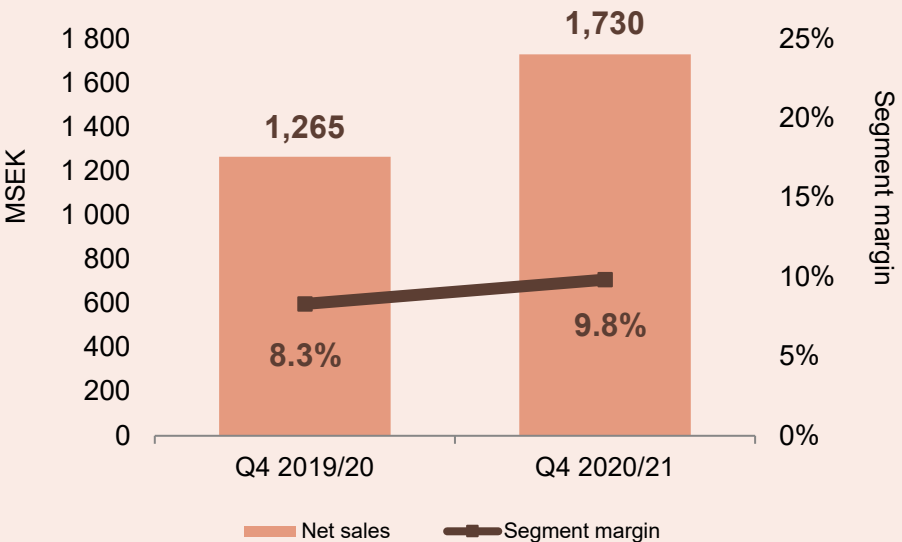
### Strong development in online core business

- Continued healthy development within hardware sales
- Solid demand in all customer groups within the segment
- Weak development of consulting and project-related services, but gradually improved during the quarter
- Geographically, sales were strongest in Norway and Finland

### Strong margin improvement

- Higher volumes and a dynamic pricing model
- Acquisition of Centralpoint
- Strong sales trend in private label products
- Earlier initiated cost reductions generates profitability improvement
- Impacted by lower share of high margin project-related income and advanced hardware
- Software and services sales grew by 15.2% but declined to 22.5% (26.7%) as share of sales for the segment, mainly due to strong growth in hardware sales

Net sales and segment margin



MSEK	Q4 2020/21	Q4 2019/20	Organic growth	Q4 y/y growth
Net sales	1,730.0	1,265.3	17.9%	36.7%
Segment result	170.1	105.0	–	62.0%
Segment margin	9.8%	8.3%	–	–

# Financial development – LCP

## Strong growth development and improved margin

### Net sales growth in LCP of 118.5% y/y

- Organic growth of 23.7%

### Segment result increased to 230 (90) MSEK

- Segment margin increased to 7.1% (6.1%)

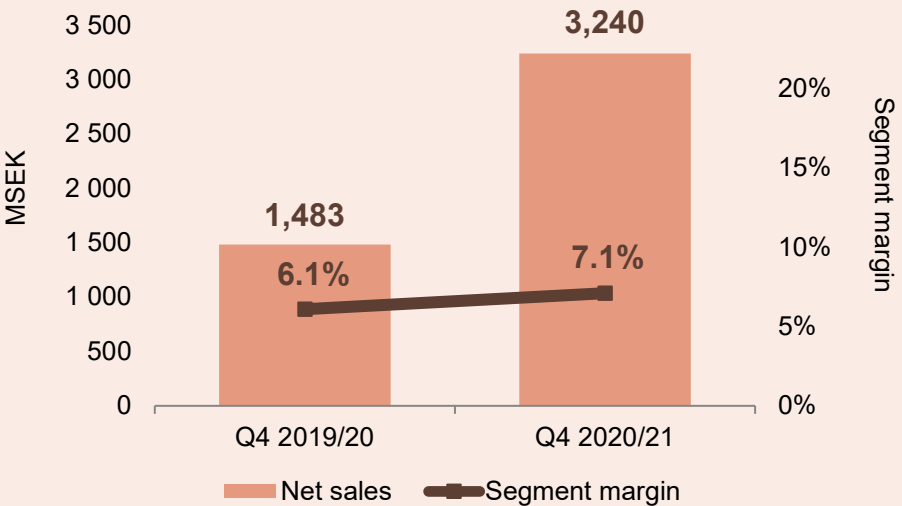
### Sales driven by acquisition and organic growth

- Sales to the public sector displayed a strong trend, despite continued component shortages and long delivery times
- Sales to larger companies performed strongly and were impacted to a lesser degree by the market situation
- Strong sales development in Sweden and Finland

### Maturing portfolio and scale lift margin

- Acquisition of Centralpoint
- Improved margins in major framework agreements for the public sector as the contracts mature
- Strong sales performance generates scale benefits
- Good cost control

Net sales and segment margin



MSEK	Q4 2020/21	Q4 2019/20	Organic growth	Q4 y/y growth
Net sales	3,239.9	1,483.0	23.7%	118.5%
Segment result	230.0	90.4	–	154.4%
Segment margin	7.1%	6.1%	–	–

# Financial development – B2C

## Positive margin development in the consumer segment

### Net sales growth in B2C of 7.6% y/y

- Organic growth of 7.9%

### Segment result improved to 11.4 (7.0) MSEK

- Segment margin at 8.5% (5.5%)

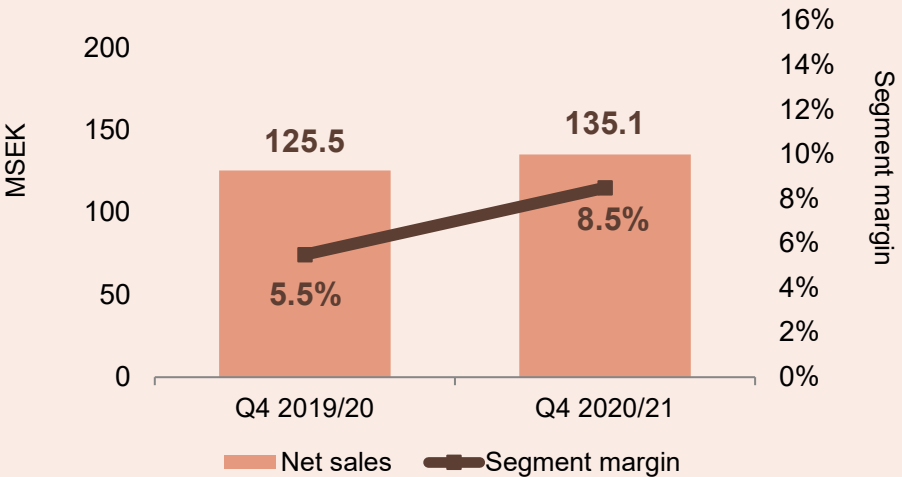
### Positive segment growth

- Continued healthy demand for such basic hardware as mobile phones and computers
- Strong sales performance in Norway

### Strong margin improvement

- Continued focus on margin ahead of volume
- Dynamic pricing model and a flexible cost base

Net sales and segment margin



MSEK	Q4 2020/21	Q4 2019/20	Organic growth	Q4 y/y growth
Net sales	135.1	125.5	7.9%	7.6%
Segment result	11.4	7.0	-	64.2%
Segment margin	8.5%	5.5%	-	-

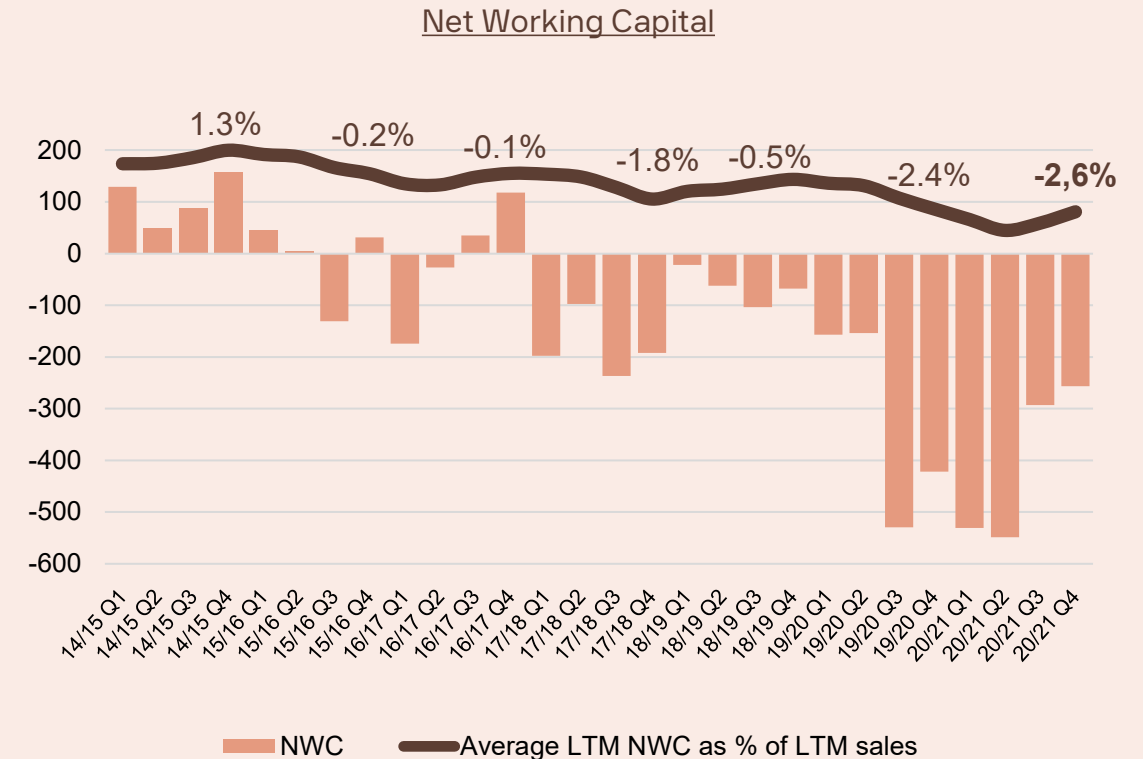
# Net working capital and Leverage

## Negative net working capital

- Net working capital was -256 MSEK (-422)
- Inventory increased in the quarter, mainly attributable to Centralpoint (approx. 400 MSEK) and larger purchases made due to the risk of extended delivery times
- Accounts receivable higher than last year, mainly attributable to Centralpoint (735 MSEK) and increased business volumes
- Accounts payable higher, mainly attributable to Centralpoint (1,128 MSEK)
- Tax liabilities and other current liabilities increased, mainly attributable to Centralpoint (approx. 180 MSEK)
- Robust business model – even tighter relationship in turbulent times

## Leverage temporary above the target range

- Net debt in relation to adjusted EBITDA in the past 12-month period, including the 12-month effect of Centralpoint, (excluding effects from IFRS 16), was 3.4x (2.6x at the end of 2019/20)
- Leverage increased substantially in the beginning of June when closing the acquisition of Centralpoint, partly reduced by the rights issue in August of 1,187 MSEK
- Net debt amounted to 4,211 MSEK (1,940)



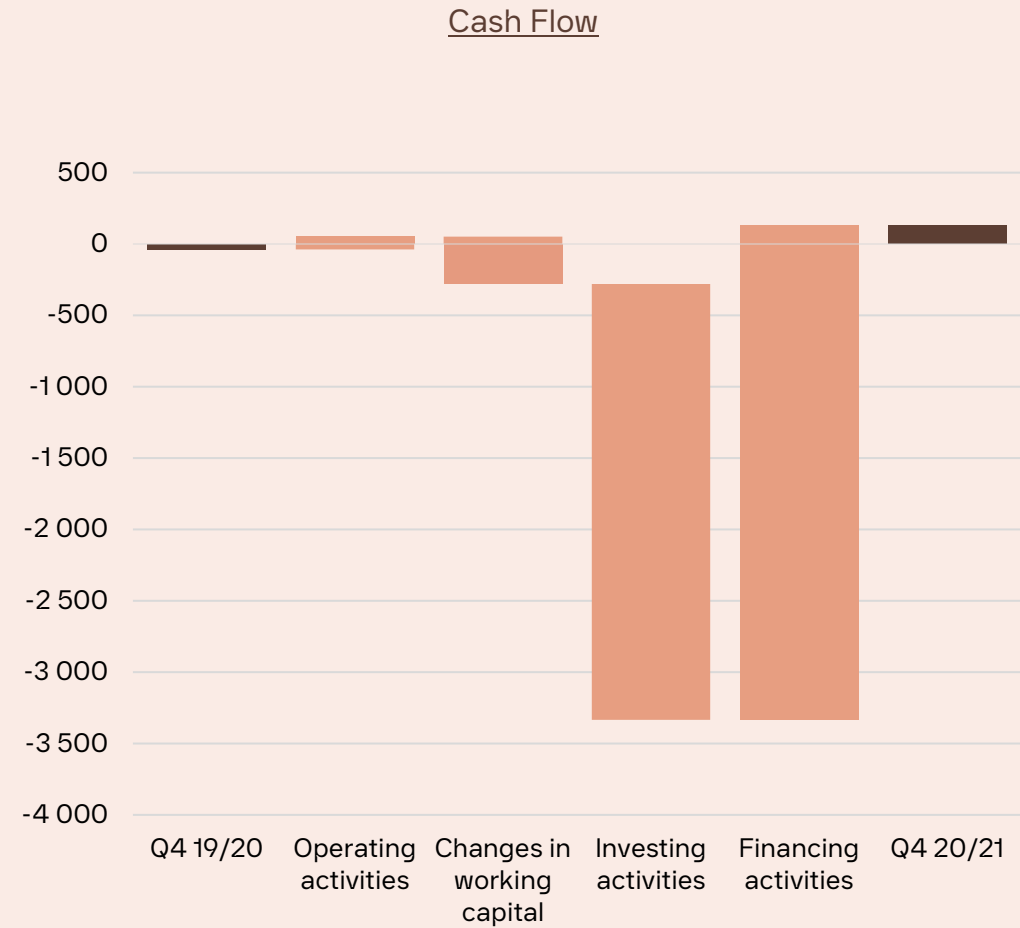
# Cash flow and Investments

## Strong underlying cash flow generation

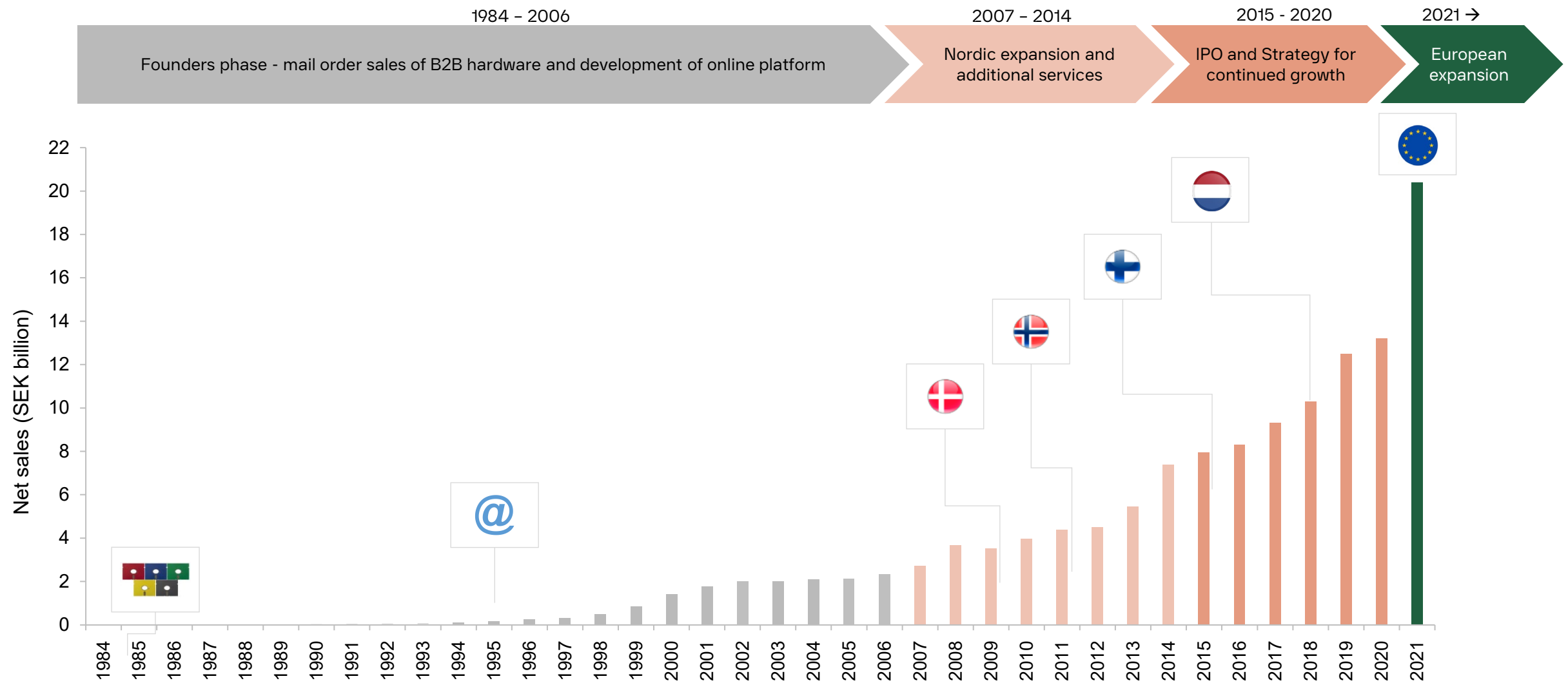
- Cash flow for the quarter was 130 (-38) MSEK
- Cash flow from operating activities, before changes in working capital, was 201 (110) MSEK
- Cash flow from changes in working capital was -423 (-90) MSEK, mainly as a result of higher accounts receivable and inventory levels, offset by higher accounts payable
- Cash flow from investing activities was -3,072 (-19) MSEK, primarily attributable to the acquisition of Centralpoint
- Cash flow from financing activities was 3,424 (-39) MSEK, mainly attributable to new loans raised of 3,537 (73) MSEK in combination with the rights issue of 1,187 (-) MSEK and repayment of loans of 1,229 (73) MSEK

## Low investment needs

- Total investments amounted to 54.5 (30.6) MSEK, of which Centralpoint 13,6 MSEK
- Capex related to IT development increased to 15.1 (6.1) MSEK, of which Centralpoint 6,2 MSEK
- Investments in tangible and intangible assets increased to 24.4 (7.3) MSEK, of which Centralpoint 7,4 MSEK. 5.9 (4.2) MSEK has affected cash flow
- Investments in assets related to service provision decreased slightly to 14.9 (17.1) MSEK, of which 9.3 (10.7) MSEK has affected cash flow



# Entering the next chapter



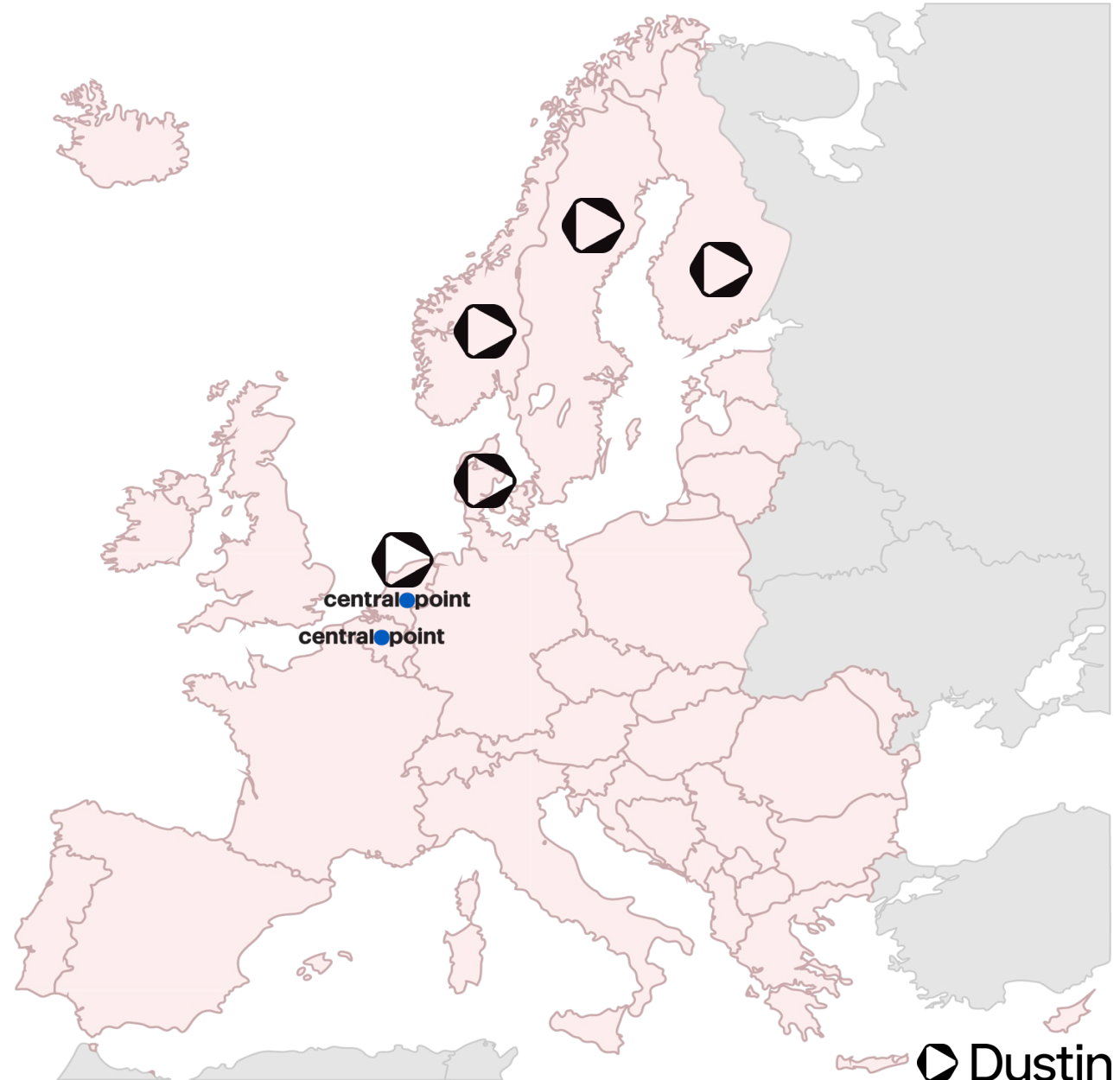
## A leader in the Nordics entering Benelux and...



- ~1,700 co-workers
- ~14.2 BSEK in revenue
- ~690 MSEK in adjusted EBITA
- ~450,000 customers



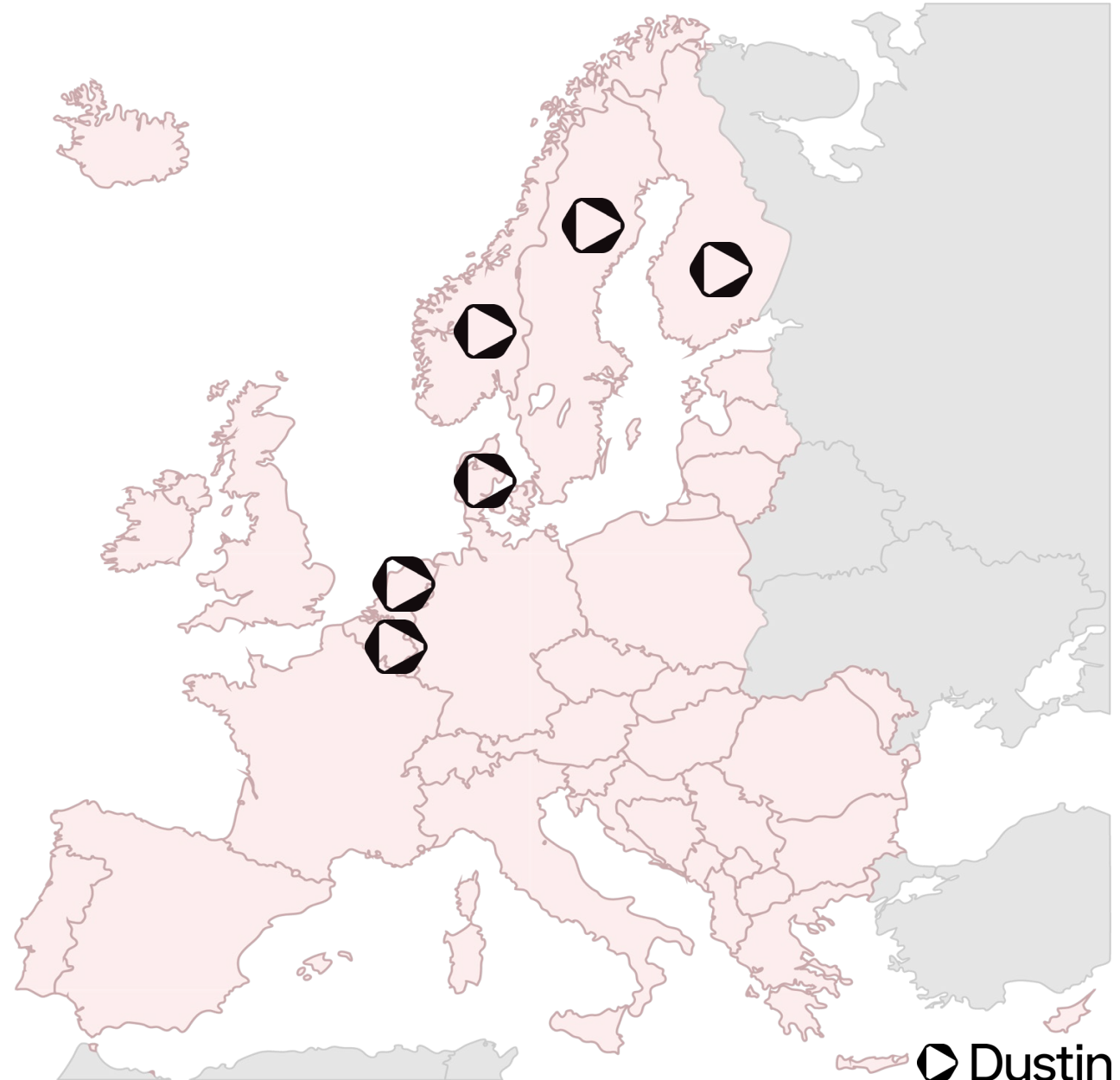
- ~700 co-workers
- ~7.4 BSEK in revenue
- ~330 MSEK in adjusted EBITA
- ~50,000 customers



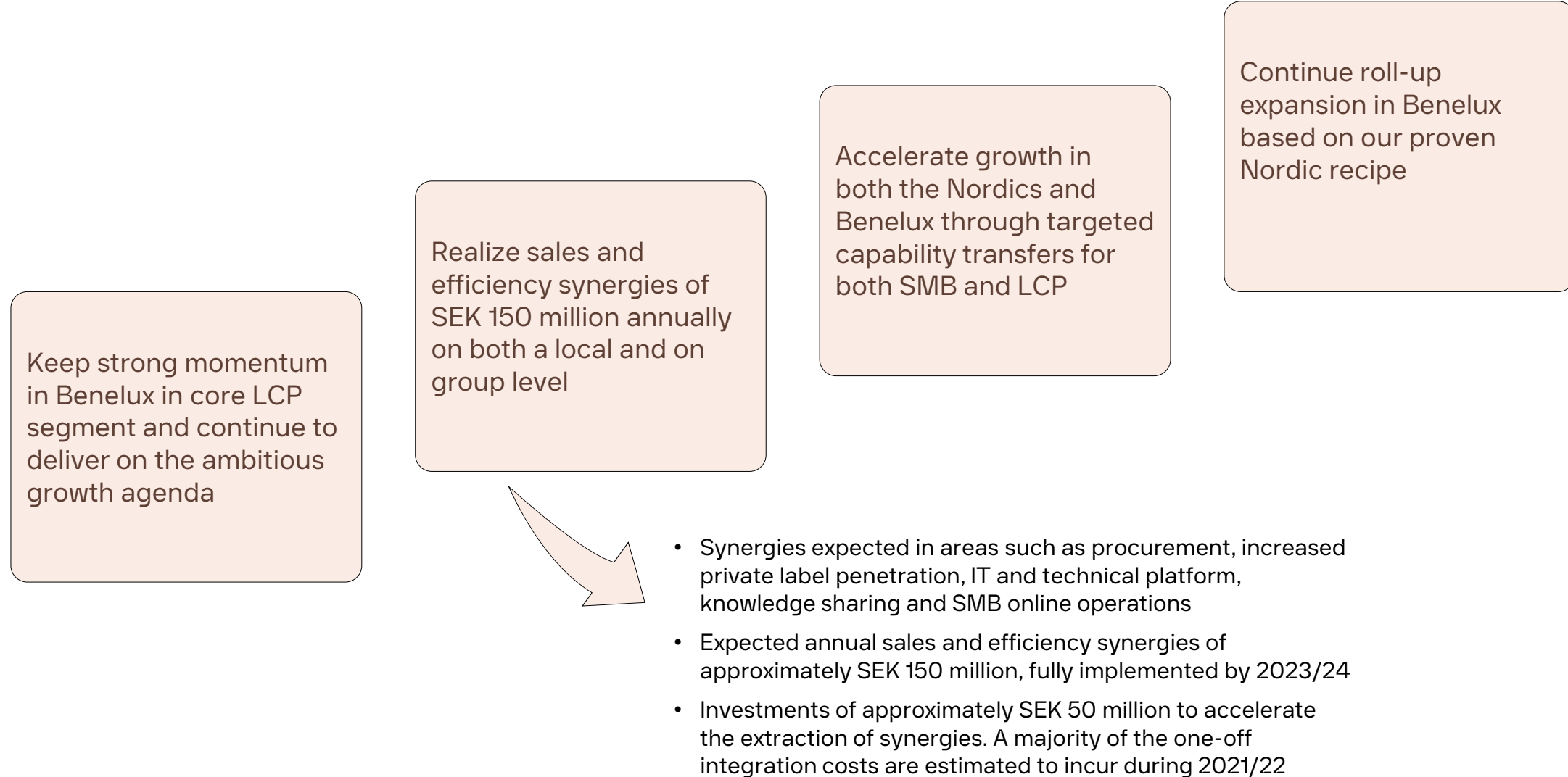
...paving the way for a European IT-powerhouse



- ~2,400 co-workers
- ~21.7 BSEK in revenue proforma
- ~1,030 MSEK in adjusted EBITA proforma
- ~500,000 customers
- 8th largest EMEA IT-partner and reseller



## Attractive value creation agenda to speed up ability to achieve long-term targets



# Our 2030 commitments

The international community recognizes that three of the main challenges for our society and our planet are *climate change*, *resource use*, and *social inequality*.

As a response we have launched our 2030 commitments.

Commitments to keep things moving.



Climate impact  
Zero carbon emissions  
across the value chain

0 CO<sub>2</sub>



Circularity  
To be fully circular

100%



Social Equality  
With our colleagues, customer,  
partners and suppliers

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## Our achievements in 2020/21:

Climate impact	Circularity	Social Equality
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Total emissions in Scope 1, Scope 2 and broader Scope 3 of 933,000 tons of CO2, where our comparable Scope was reduced by 36% in 2020/21</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Circularity in the business of 18.3 percent of our reported net sales in 2020/21</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Conducted the planned 10 activities for social equality in the value chain</li></ul>

## Well positioned for life post the pandemic

- Accelerated market trends with increased digitalisation and distinct changes in customer behaviour with higher demand for hardware to cater for dual office situation
- Increased IT service demand among larger SMBs and corporates as official restrictions are easing in most markets.
- Increased demand for availability online as well as for mobility, security, cloud services and remote management both in the Nordics and Benelux.
- Extensive experience of providing managed IT services and products to help customers take their necessary steps and use of tools to become more digital
- Robust business model – even tighter relationship in turbulent times
- Well positioned to meet the demand based on our strong position in the value chain, ensuring good access to hardware and enabling strong margin development



# Summary of the financial year 2020/21

## Robust organic growth and earnings performance

### **Net sales grew 20.3% to 15,878 (13,195) MSEK**

Group organic net sales growth of 9.6% in constant currency  
Organic growth in SMB of 11.6%, LCP of 8.0% and B2C of 8.8%

### **Gross margin at 15.6% (15.5%)**

Higher volumes, increased sales of private labels and an active pricing model has offsetting low project-related revenues with a high margin, and a changed customer mix with the acquisition of Centralpoint

### **Adjusted EBITA increased to 759 (517) MSEK**

Adjusted EBITA margin of 4.8% (3.9%)

### **EBIT was 576 (387) MSEK**

### **Earnings per share before dilution at SEK 3.82 (3.04)**

### **Cash flow from operating activities before changes in working capital of 714 (547) MSEK**

Leverage of 3.4x (2.6x) in the past 12-month period including the 12-month earnings effect for Centralpoint (excl IFRS 16)

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## Operational Highlights

Acquisition of Benelux based Centralpoint

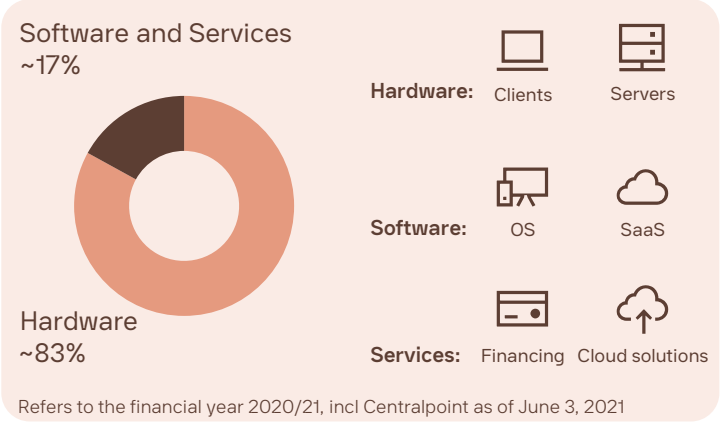
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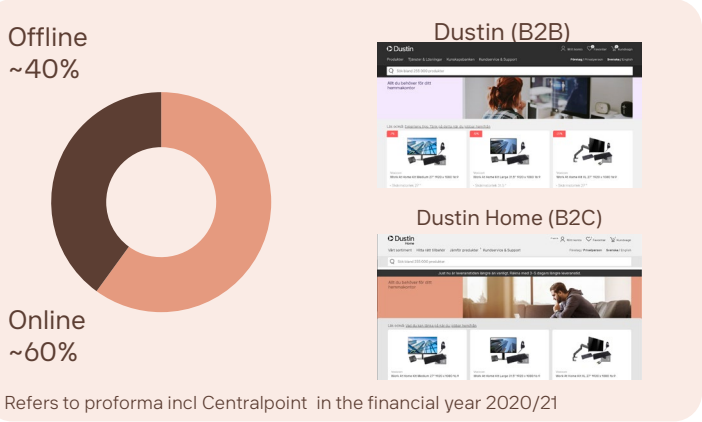
Corporate presentation

# Dustin at a glance

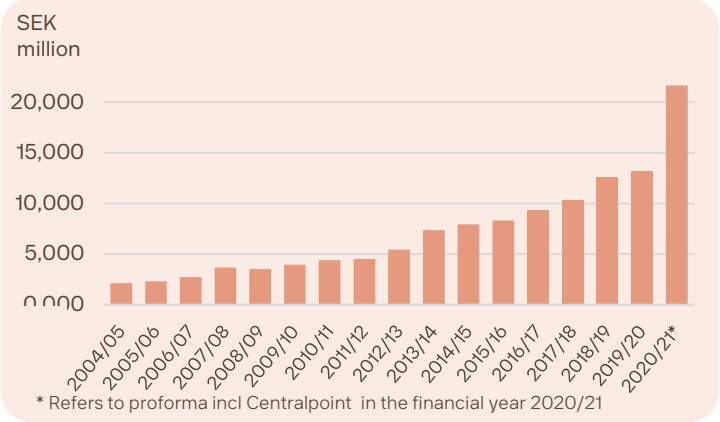
255,000 hardware and software products...



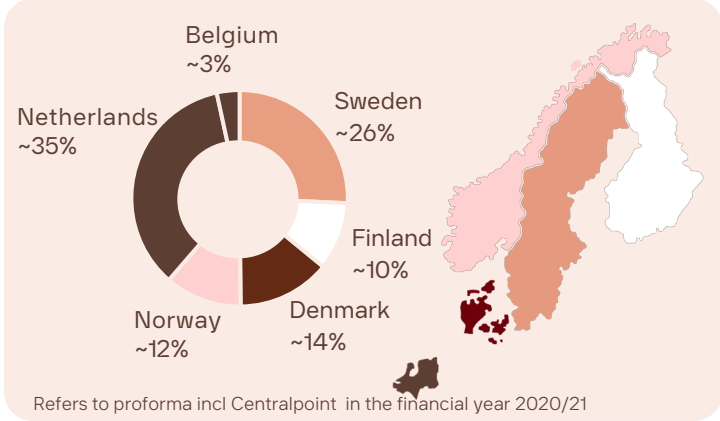
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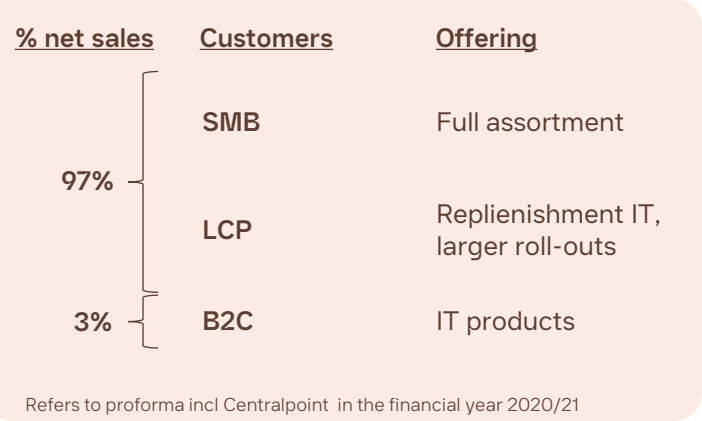
Net sales



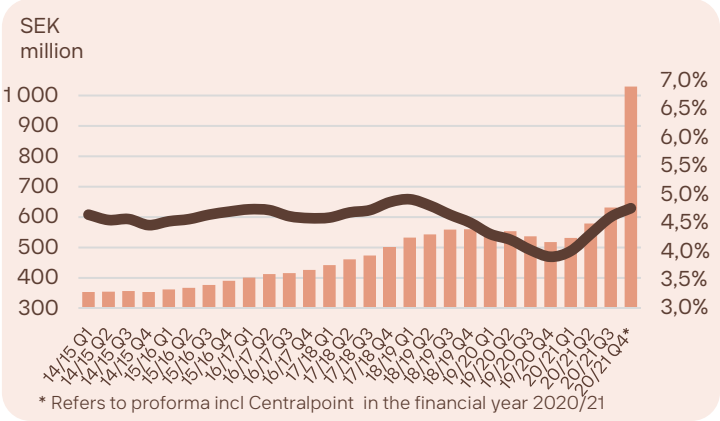
...across the Nordics and Benelux...



...to B2B customers

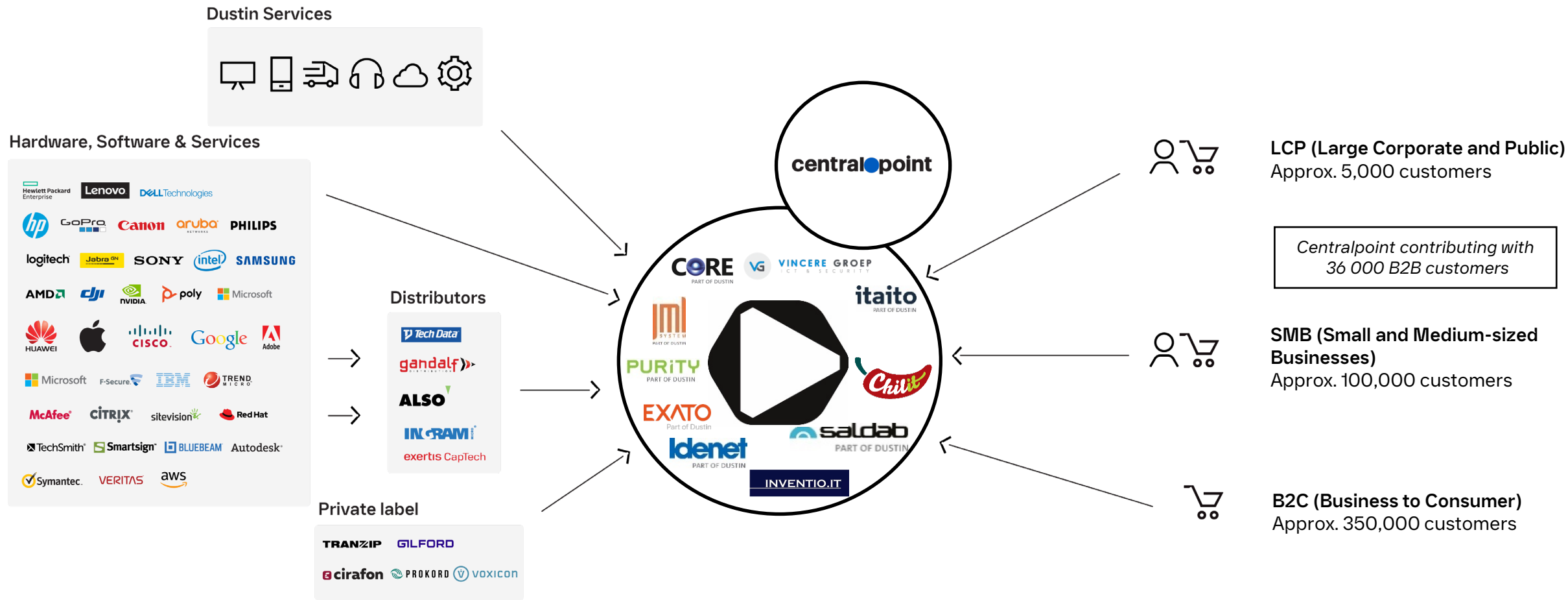


Adjusted EBITA and margin, R12\*\*



\*\* R12 refers to 12 month rolling

# Dustin – the aggregator and destination

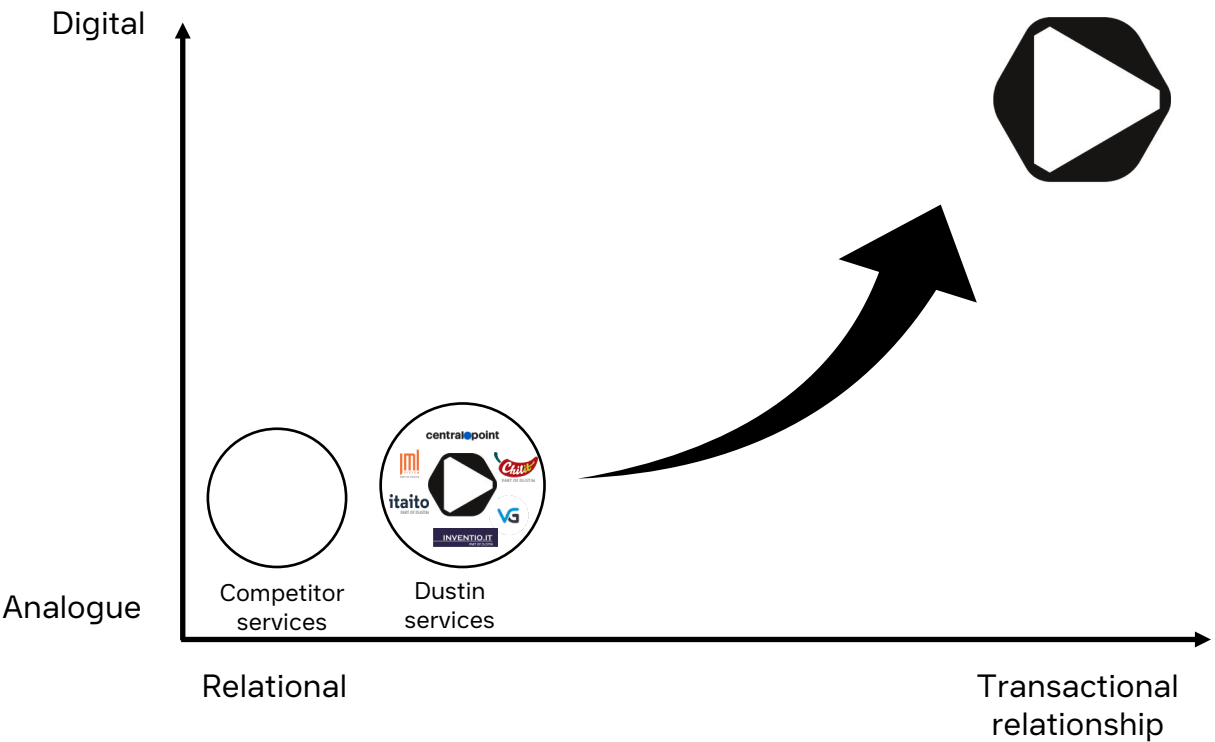


A large number of suppliers ... > ... need an aggregator to interact with ... < ... a large number of customers

# Our opportunity in services

## Opportunities and strengths

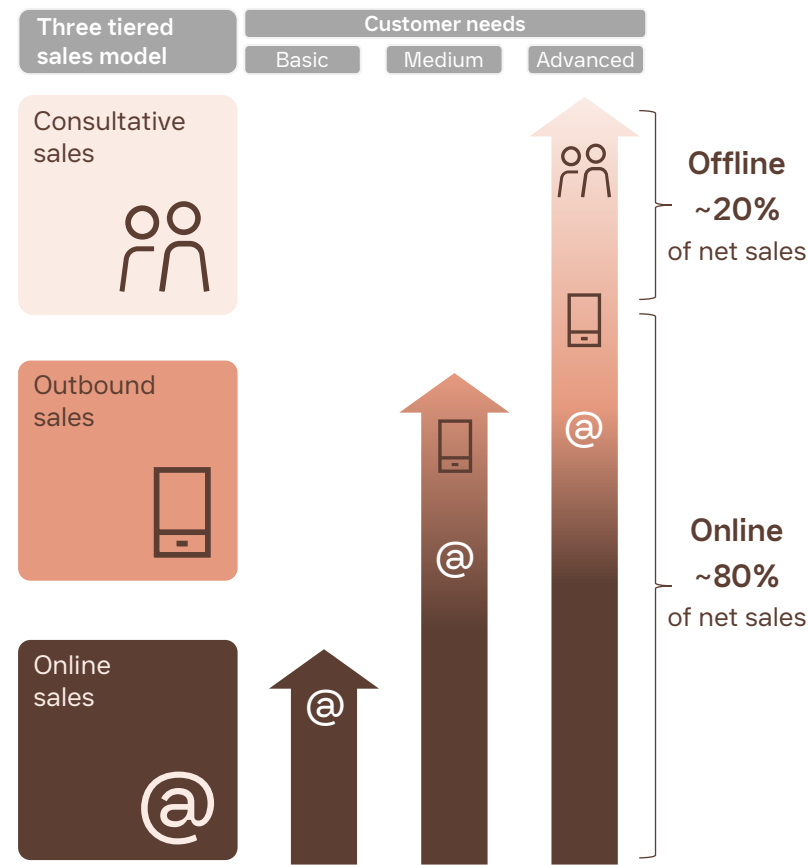
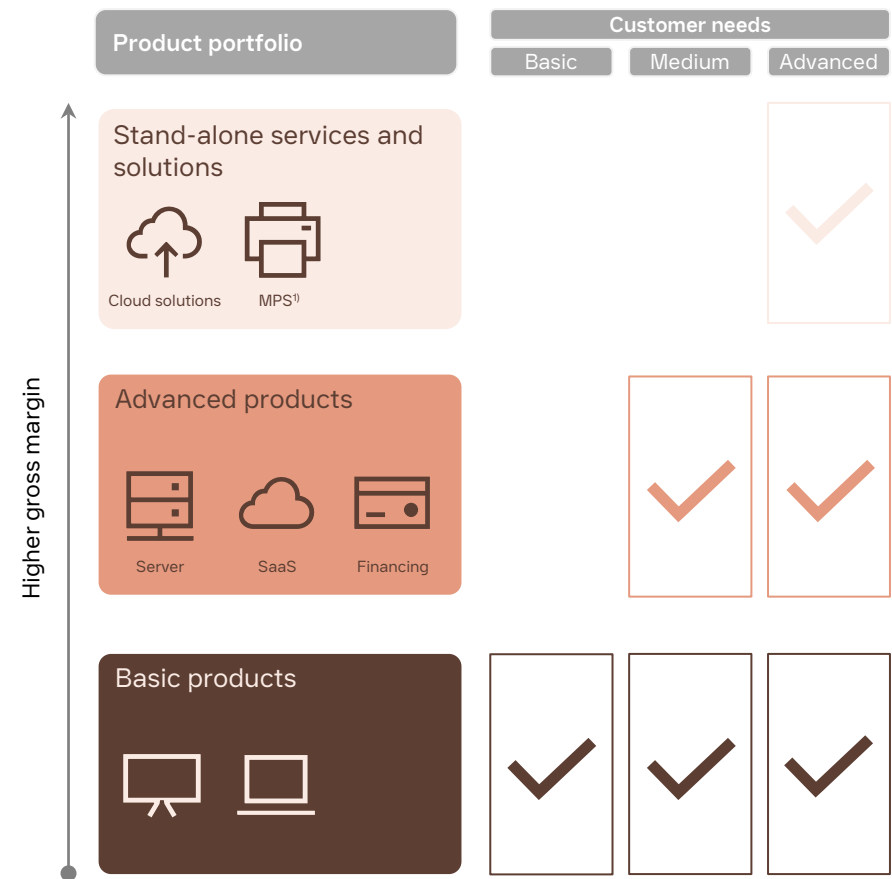
- Services are primarily sold in a relational, analogue, non-standardised and non-scalable way
- Strong demand in access anytime and anywhere is pushing digital and online behaviour - accelerated by rapid change in behaviour due to the coronavirus
- Opportunity to utilise our strong digital and low cost sales model to sell and deliver services online
- Trusted partner with strong reputation and strong online presence
- A unique - digital - relationship to 100,000+ customers



## Our way forward

- The standardisation of our service offering creates an opportunity for economies of scale through central and efficient production, distribution, operation and monitoring and support as volumes increase
- Integration of acquired companies enable cross-selling opportunities through Dustin sales force and customer base
- Recurring revenues will exceed growth in ordinary business due to market dynamics and low market penetration
- Services enables long term customer relationship, and the recurring and scalable nature allows strong focus on winning new business

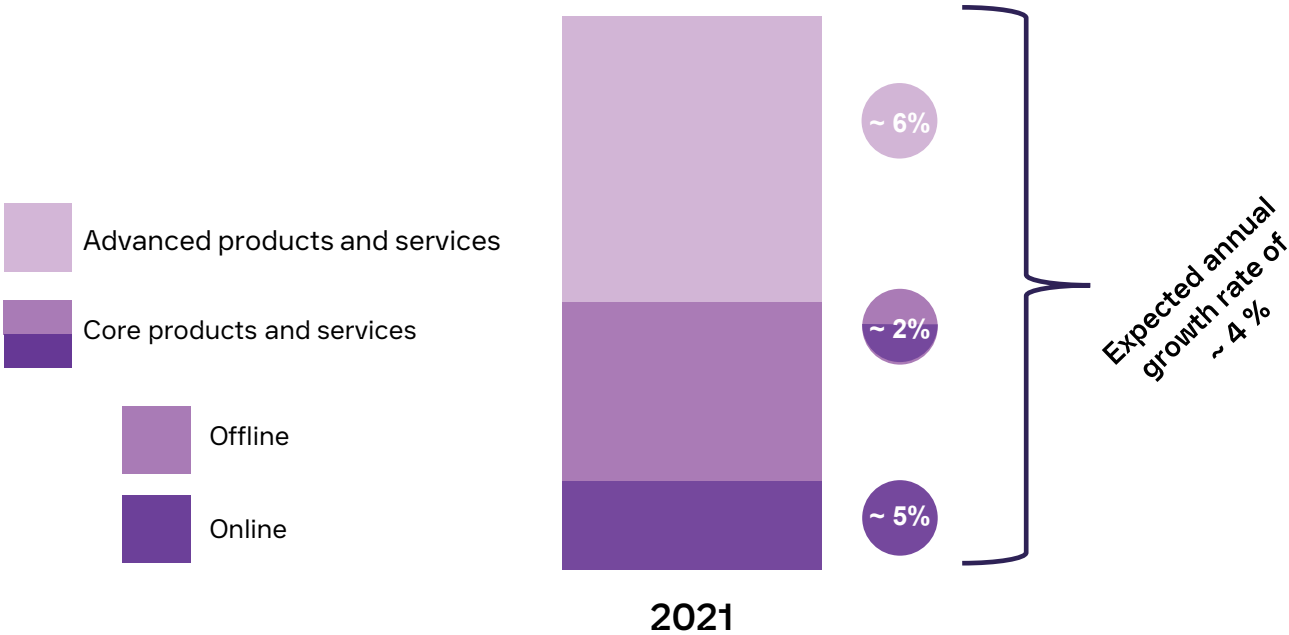
# Multi-channel approach to drive growth and margins



# High growth position in a large market

## Large and fragmented addressable market

**Addressable B2B market in the Nordic and Benelux market ~ SEK 300 billion**



## Key market trends

- ✓ Increased share of sales online
- ✓ Increased demand in mobility, cloud and security
- ✓ Rising demand for sustainable IT
- ✓ Digitalisation increases importance of IT in organisations

## Dustin share of addressable market

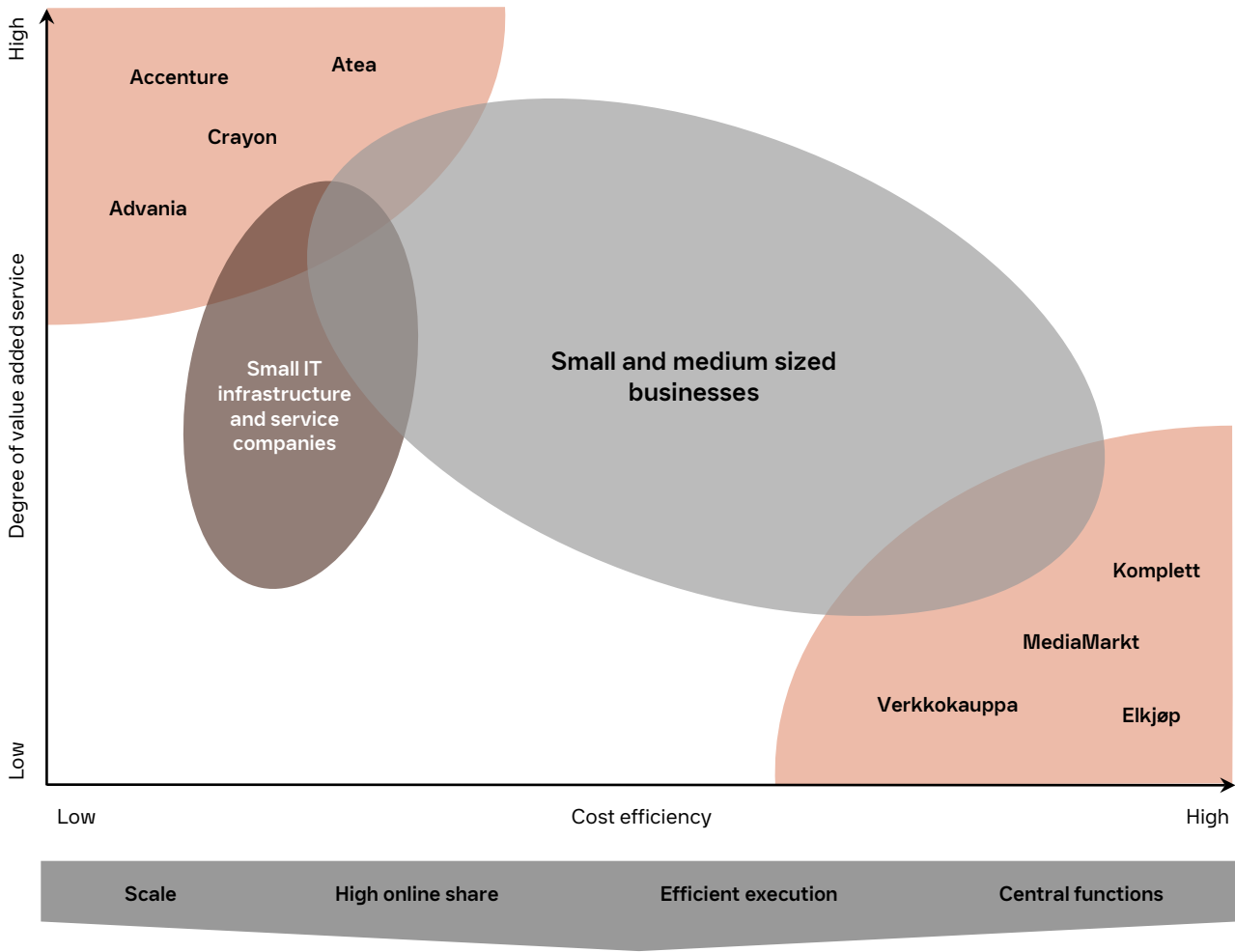
- ✓ Market share Nordics ~7%
- ✓ Market share Benelux ~5%

\*Compound Annual Growth Rate  
Note: Market data based on calendar year. The addressable market refers to hardware sales to the B2B segment and selected parts of software and services to the customer group small and medium enterprises.  
Source: Dustin's estimates based on market data from IDC and market analysis from a senior advisor.

# A unique position in the SMB segment

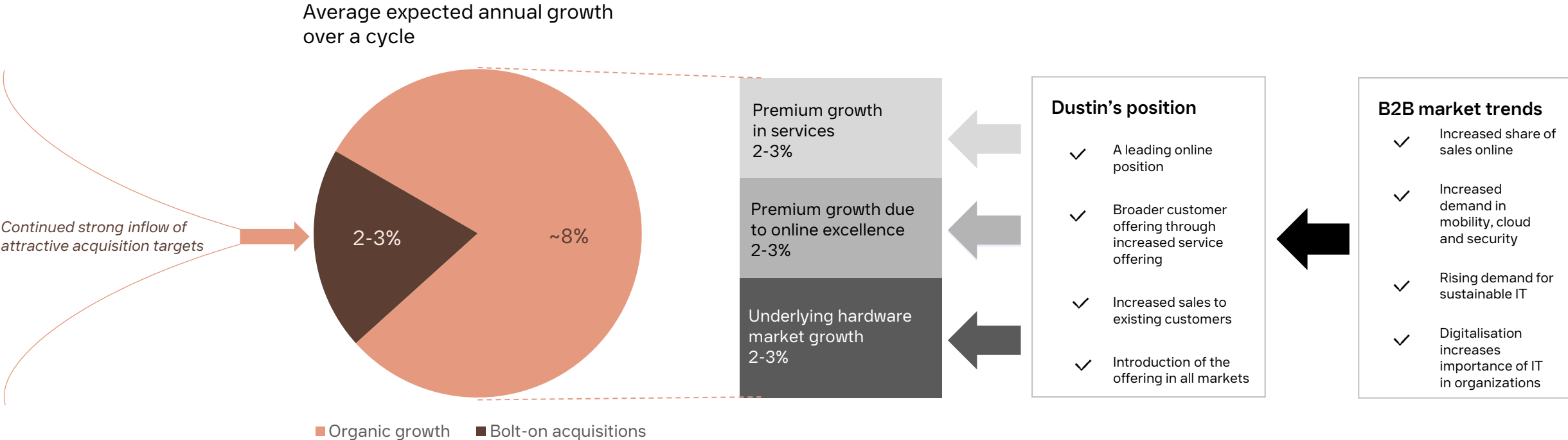


- ☐ Dustin's focus areas
- ☐ Non SMB related services



# Positioned to outgrow the market supported by strong market trends

Total growth over a cycle of ~10% of which organic ~8% and bolt-on acquisitions 2-3%

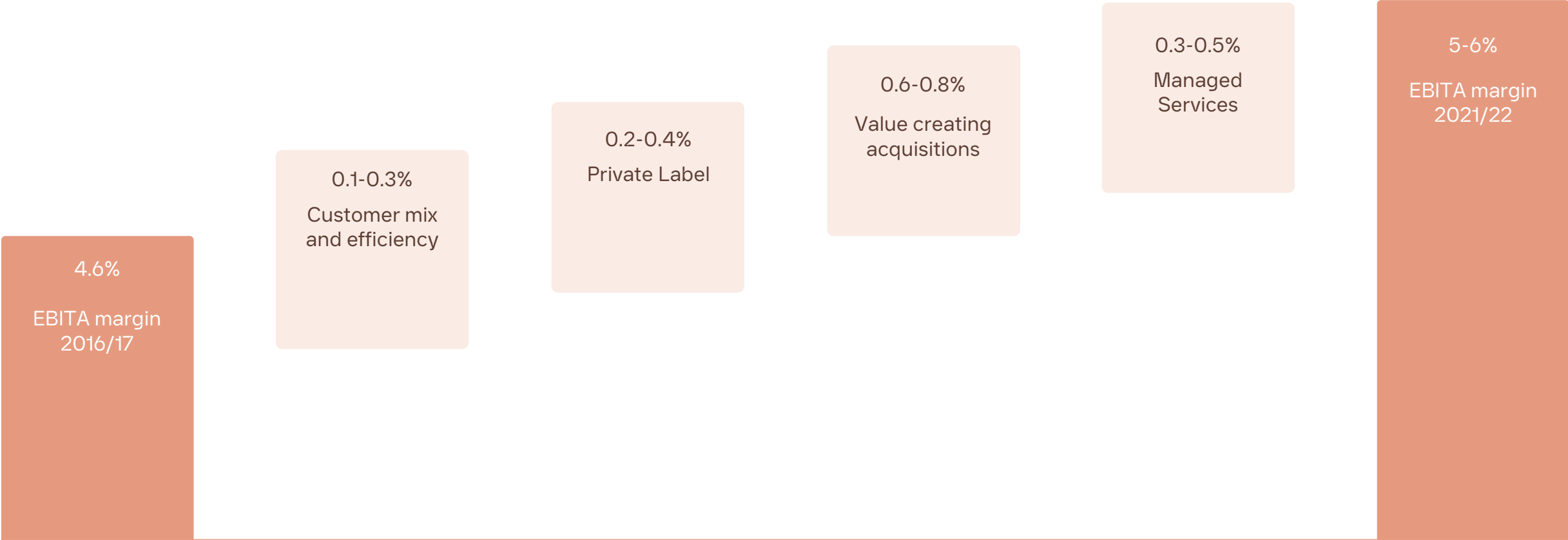


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# Our five-year plan to increase growth



# Our five-year plan for margin expansion



# Our financial targets – promise to our shareholders

GROWTH	Dustin’s target is an average annual organic growth rate of 8 per cent over a business cycle. In addition to this, Dustin intends to grow through acquisitions.
MARGIN	Dustin’s target is to increase the adjusted EBITA margin over time, and to achieve an adjusted EBITA margin of between 5 and 6 per cent in the medium term.
CAPITAL STRUCTURE	Dustin’s capital structure should enable a high degree of financial flexibility and provide scope for acquisitions. The company’s net debt target is a 2.0-3.0 multiple of adjusted EBITDA for the past 12-month period.
DIVIDEND POLICY	Dustin’s dividend payout target is 70 per cent of net profit. However, the company’s financial position, cash flow, acquisition opportunities and future prospects should be taken into consideration.

# Our 2030 commitments



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Commitments are designed to redefine the impact of our business, how we behave and how we act.

To find new radical ideas, innovations and solutions we promise to collaborate with those around us, work together and bring in different perspectives.

An action to enable responsible, circular and climate neutral IT solutions in a collaborative and transparent manner. Making an impact at scale.

A commitment to keep things moving.

# Our mission, vision, guiding direction and promise

Mission	To provide the right IT solution, to the right customer and user.  At the right time. At the right price.
Vision	To help our customers stay in the forefront
Guiding direction	Enabling the circularity movement
Promise	We keep things moving

Thank you

 Dustin