IVE Group Limited (ASX:IGL)

## FY24 Results Presentation

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### Key highlights

#### Financial performance

- > All key profit metrics up on a strong pcp with solid margin expansion
- > NPAT/margin higher but impacted by increased net finance costs
- > Strong uplift in operating cash flow gearing below target

#### Operational updates

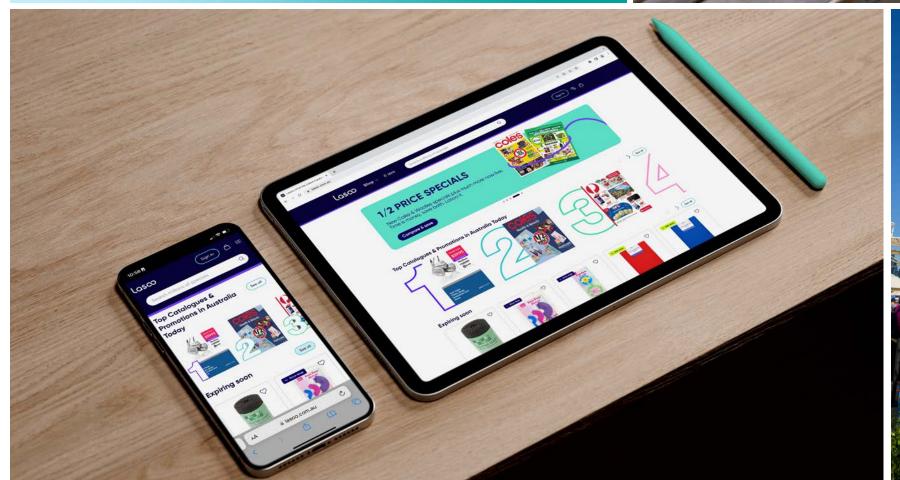
- > Ovato full year run-rate synergies in FY25
- > Sustainability initiatives on-track

#### **Growth initiatives**

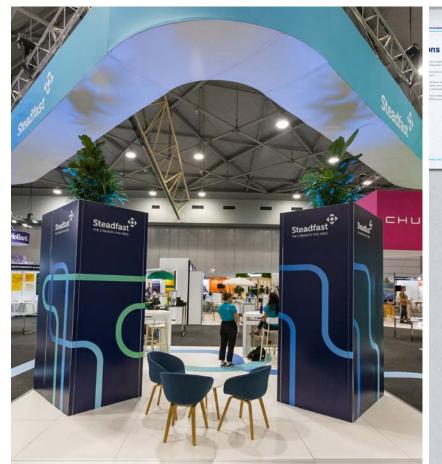
- > Packaging
- cornerstone acquisition of JacPak
- no change in expected cost and revenue synergies
- implementation of organic expansion plans
- > Creative and Content expansion acquired independent creative agency, Elastic Group
- > Apparel live trialing for a major international food retailer and a number of significant RFPs in train
- > Ongoing investment in Lasoo given proof of concept and better than expected performance

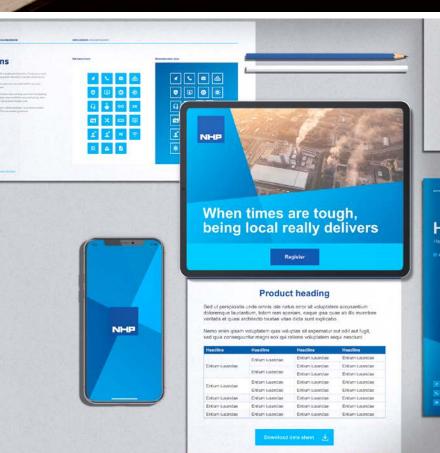
















### Financial performance dashboard<sup>1</sup>

Strong performance (versus record PCP) with Ovato integration and JacPak acquisition completed

\$969.9m

\$127.8m 17.5% on PCP

 **EPS (NPAT) 28.0**个5.8% on PCP

EPS (NPATA<sup>2</sup>)
30.2¢
16.1% on PCP

MATERIAL GROSS PROFIT MARGIN

个0.3% on PCP

46.7%

45.1% PCP

OPERATING CASH FLOW TO EBITDA

114.0%

65.7% PCP

**NET DEBT** 

\$131.0m cash on hand

\$48.8m

FULLY FRANKED FINAL DIVIDEND

8.5¢
PER SHARE

Stable on PCP

**IFRS NPAT** 

\$27.6m

个61.0% on PCP

<sup>1</sup> The underlying financial results are on a non-IFRS basis, exclude various non-operating items (refer Appendix A) and are not audited or reviewed

<sup>2</sup> NPATA - NPAT excluding amortisation of acquired customer contracts

### Financials



### Profit and loss<sup>1</sup>

	FY24 \$m	FY23 \$m	Variance %
Revenue	969.9	967.4	0.3
Material profit	452.6	435.9	3.8
% of revenue	46.7%	45.1%	3.6
EBITDA	127.8	119.0	7.5
% of revenue	13.2%	12.3%	7.2
Depreciation and amortisation	47.6	47.8	(0.3)
EBIT	80.2	71.2	12.7
Net finance costs	17.4	13.3	31.1
NPBT	62.8	57.9	8.4
Income tax expense	19.8	18.2	8.4
NPAT	43.0	39.7	8.4
% of revenue	4.4%	4.1%	8.2
NPATA <sup>2</sup>	46.4	42.7	8.8
% of revenue	4.8%	4.4%	8.8
EPS (NPAT) cents	28.0	26.4	5.8
EPS (NPATA) cents	30.2	28.5	6.1

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#### Revenue

- > Revenue up 0.3% to \$969.9m
- > Includes incremental revenue from Ovato (acquired 13 September 2022) and JacPak (acquired 31 October 2023)
- > Base revenue<sup>1</sup> down ~4% relative to a strong pcp, largely due to softer 2H FY24 economic conditions (which impacted our CX & Data and Commercial Printing businesses)
- > Solid organic revenue growth in Brand Activations, 3PL and Fulfilment while catalogue and magazine (including Ovato acquired) revenues were in-line with expectations

#### Material gross profit margin (MGM)

- > MGM improved to 46.7% from 45.1% pcp
- > Reflects commercial initiatives including some input cost relief as well as exiting lower margin revenue following closure of WA production
- 1 Excluding acquisitions and normalised for the decision to cease production in WA which reduced revenue by \$15m

#### Underlying earnings

- > EBITDA increased 7.5% to \$127.8m
- > Incremental Ovato and JacPak contribution partly offset by increased energy and Group costs (largely IT, compliance and ESG related)
- > EBITDA margin improved to 13.2% from 12.3% pcp
- > Net finance costs increased due to higher interest rates and JacPak acquisition funding

#### Non-operating items

Non-operating items of \$23.0m pre-tax included:

- > \$13.1m of restructuring costs primarily relating to completion of Ovato integration;
- > \$5.8m Lasoo operating loss consistent with guidance; and
- > \$2.0m of acquisition costs primarily relating to JacPak

FY25 non-operating items expected to be around \$2.5m

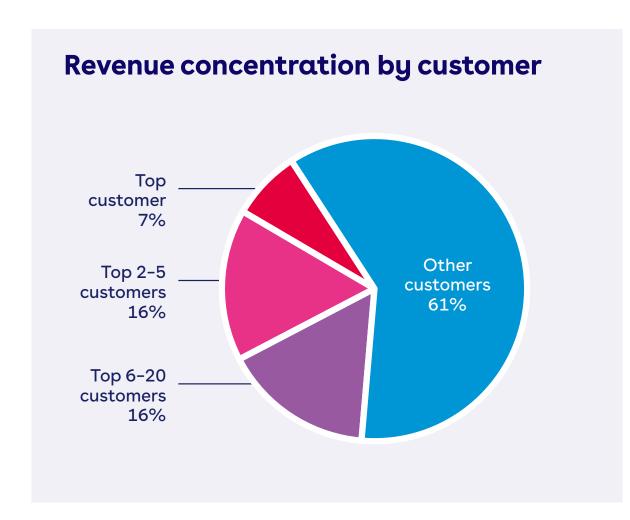


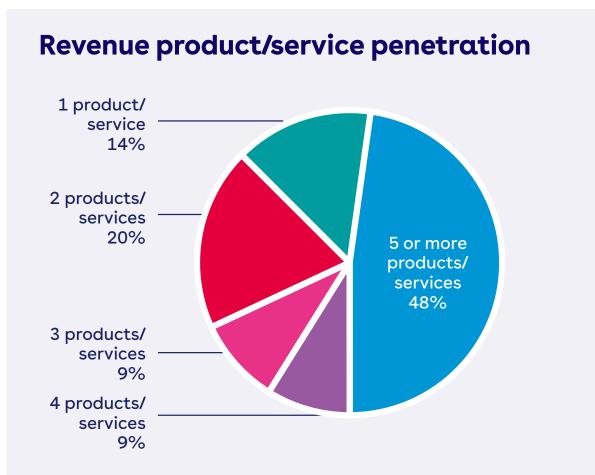






### Customer diversity and longevity

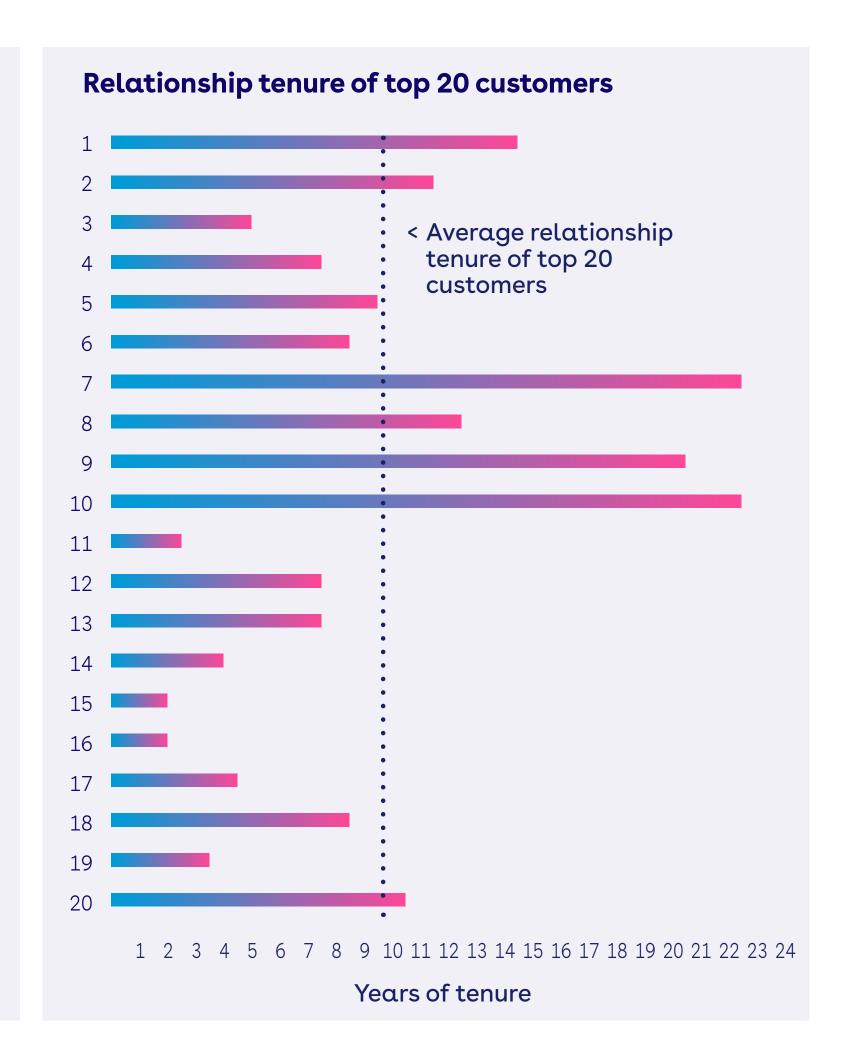




#### Revenue sector analysis

	%
Retail	51.4
White goods, electronics,	18.5
furniture, clothing	
Supermarkets	17.7
Health / personal products	13.1
Food / beverage	2.0
Financial / Corporate Services	8.7%
Publishing	6.2%
Media	4.1%
Government	3.1%
Health	2.4%
Tourism / Entertainment	2.1%
Manufacturing	1.6%
Trade	1.5%
Other <sup>1</sup>	18.9%
Total	100.0%

1. Other includes telecommunications, charity/notfor-profit, manufacturing, service, advertising agency, education, broker, associations, automotive, transport, utilities, IT, property, building/construction.



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### Balance sheet

#### Net debt in-line with/better than expectations

Net debt	FY24 \$m	FY23 \$m
Loans and borrowings <sup>1</sup>	179.8	169.1
Less cash	48.8	44.9
Net debt	131.0	124.2

<sup>1</sup> Loans and borrowings are gross of facility establishment costs and exclude AASB 16 right of use liabilities impacts

- > Cash at bank \$48.8m
- > Net debt increased modestly to \$131.0m JacPak acquisition funding largely offset by strong increase in operating cash flow
- > At 1.3x pre-AASB 16 EBITDA (or 1.0x post-AASB 16 EBITDA), net debt is below target level of 1.5x and broadly unchanged from 30 June 2023
- > Undrawn debt capacity of \$50.0m (excluding acquisition facility)

### Capital expenditure

Continued investment to ensure market leading asset base

Capital expenditure	FY24 \$m	FY23 \$m
Investment and maintenance	11.2	13.9
Lasoo platform enhancement	1.4	1.0
Ovato	3.4	1.6
Total	16.0	16.5

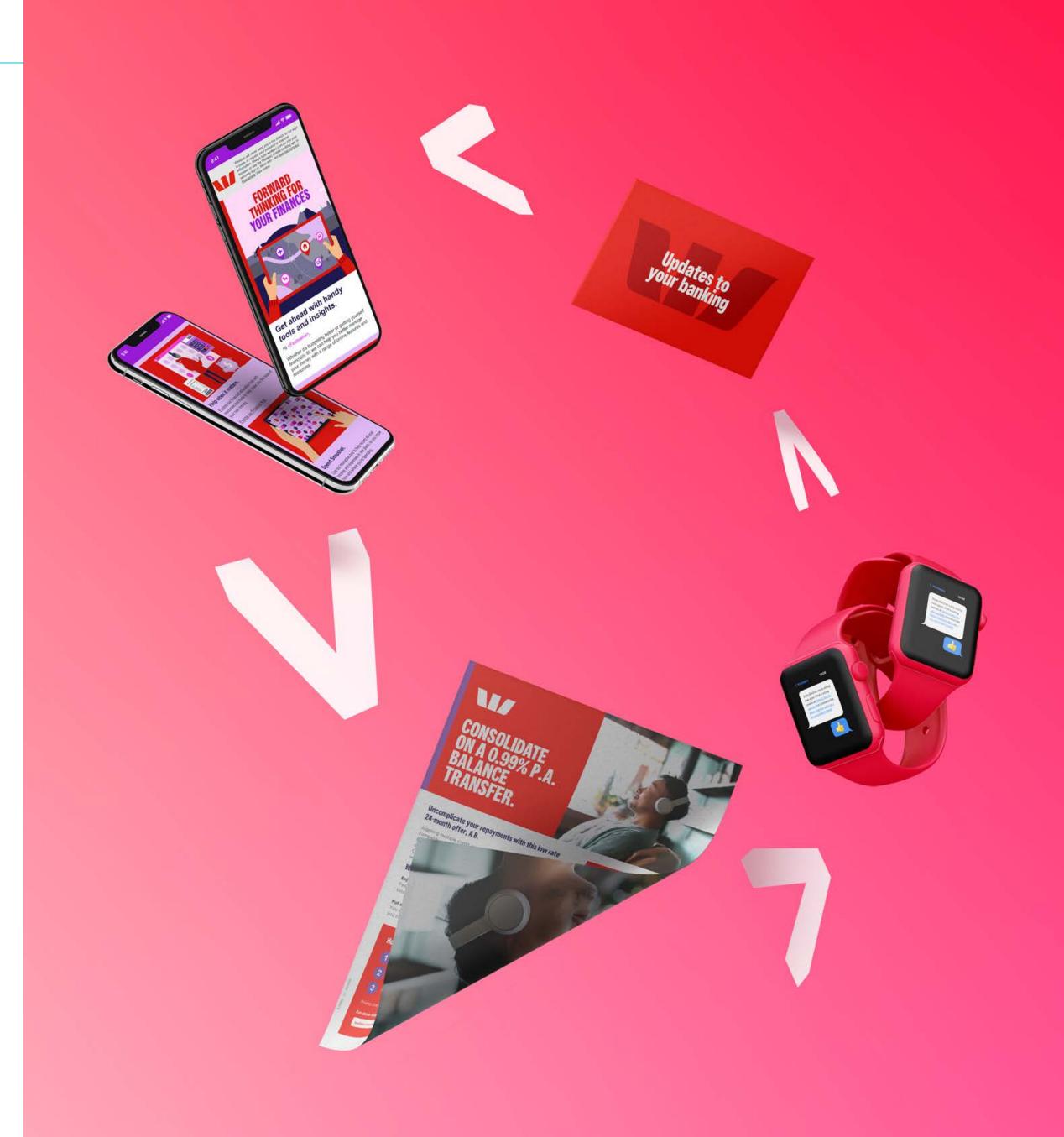
- > Capital expenditure was \$16.0m, with \$3.4m relating to the Ovato integration and \$1.4m relating to Lasoo which included customer experience enhancements
- > Investment and maintenance capital expenditure included \$2.8m relating to deposits placed on equipment to facilitate packaging expansionary plans at IVE's Sydney commercial printing facility
- > Capital expenditure is expected to be around \$24.5m in FY25, including \$11.0m relating to the packaging capacity build-out (net of disposal proceeds)

### Cash flow and dividends

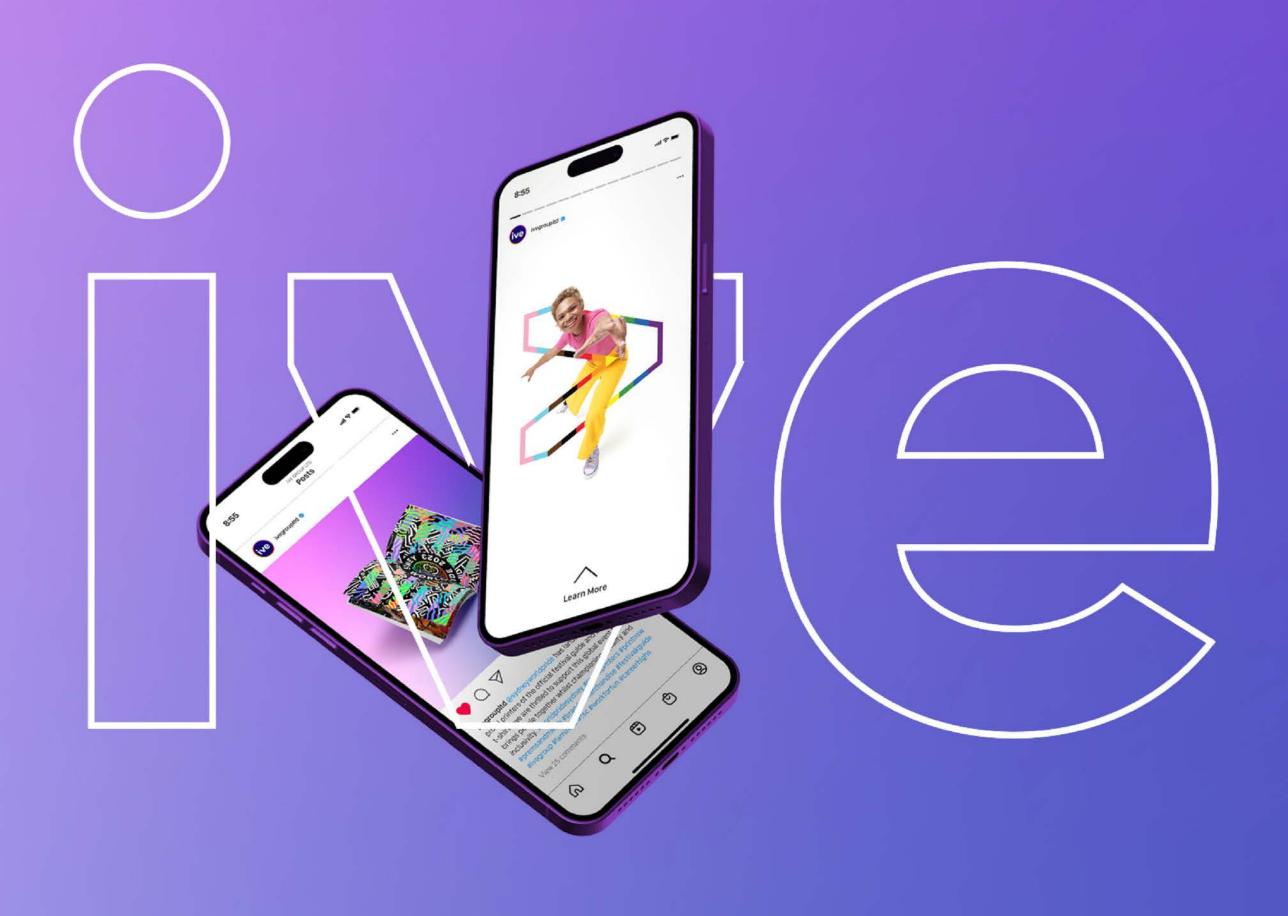
Improved operating cash flow with normalisation of working capital

Cash flow and dividends	FY24 \$m	FY23 \$m
EBITDA	127.8	119.0
Movement in NWC/non-cash items in EBITDA	18.0	(40.8)
Operating cash flow	145.8	78.2
Operating cash conversion to EBITDA	114.0%	65.7%
Dividend per share	18.0¢	18.0¢

- > Operating cash conversion to EBITDA up to 114.0% from 65.7% pcp
- > Primarily due to normalisation in working capital following the Ovato transaction, supported by improved supply chain certainty
- > The Board declared a fully franked dividend of 8.5¢ps, stable on pcp giving rise to a stable FY24 fully franked dividend of 18.0¢ps
- > FY24 payout ratio of 65%



### Growth initiatives

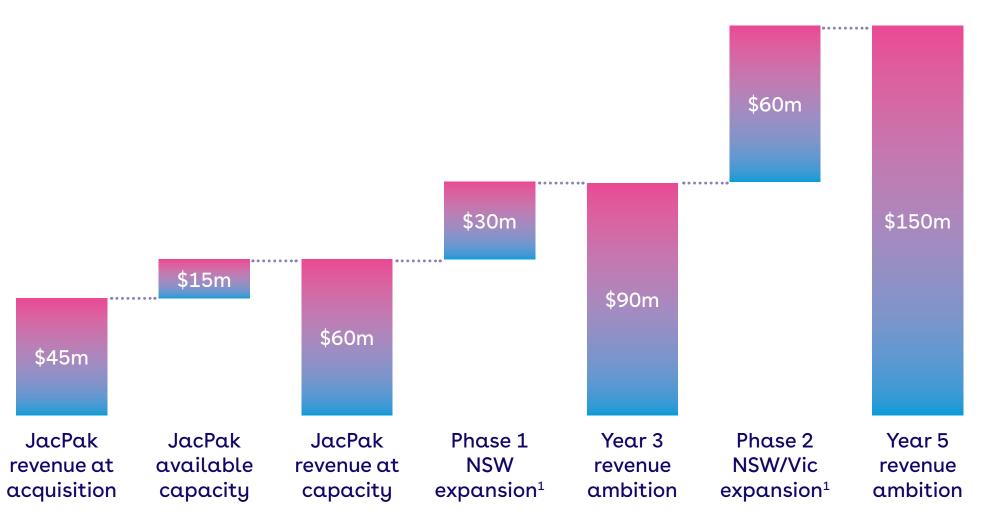


### Packaging

- > Acquired Melbourne based folding carton producer, JacPak, on 31 October 2023
- > JacPak contributed revenue of \$28.3m during FY24 which was broadly in-line with annual revenue expectations of around \$45m (considering seasonality and transfers to IVE's Victorian printing operations)
- > No change to expected synergies cost savings of \$2.4m locked-in with \$15m of available capacity for organic revenue growth
- > The Group has been encouraged by a number of new business wins since taking ownership of JacPak
- > IVE intends servicing national brands through packaging operations in both Victoria and NSW, supported by our national logistics network:
- in Victoria, JacPak (IVE Packaging) will continue to operate as a standalone business with annual revenue capacity of \$60m
- in NSW, IVE intends expanding its Sydney commercial printing site capability (with the addition of die cutting and gluing equipment) to also support the efficient production of folding carton packaging
- > The standalone JacPak facility coupled with the Sydney expansion will result in total packaging revenue capacity of around \$90m pa
- > For Phase 2, additional investment would add a further \$60m to capacity resulting in the Group achieving its stated ambition of generating annual packaging revenue of around \$150m pa over 5 years



#### Packaging revenue ambition



<sup>1</sup> Additional capital expenditure required

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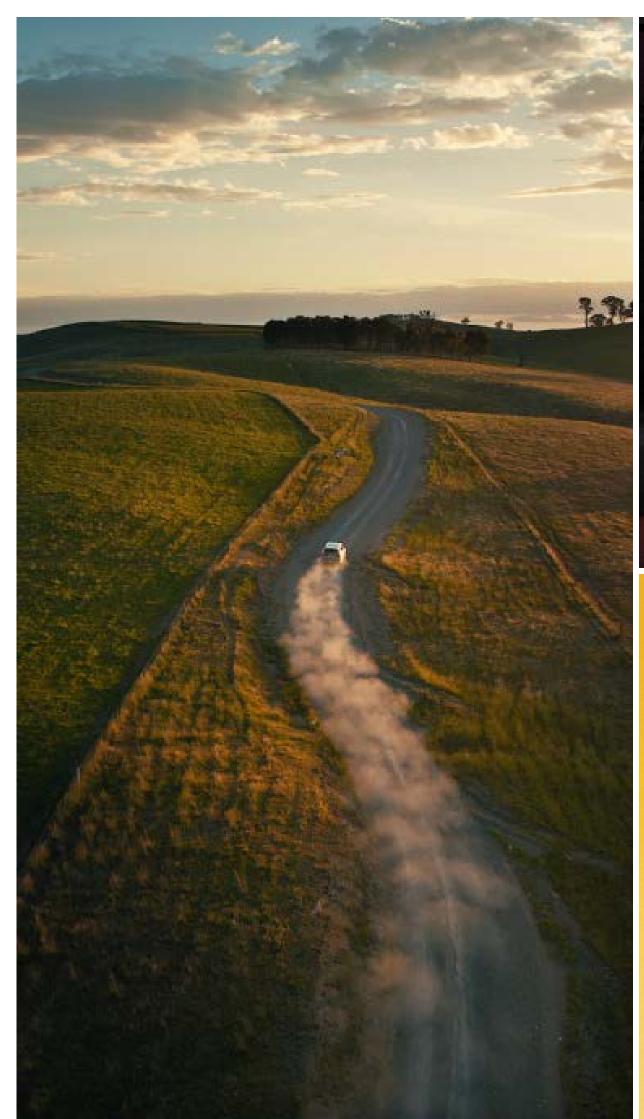


### Creative and Content

- > Fragmentation of the media landscape and proliferation of marketing channels has significantly increased the type, volume and frequency of content required for effective omni-channel marketing
- > IVE is upscaling its Creative and Content business to capture additional share of customer wallet and to access new revenue streams, markets and customers
- > Initial focus has been on talent and capability expanding the breadth and depth of service offering across strategy, creative, content production and technology
- > To accelerate that expansion, IVE acquired Elastic Group, an independent creative agency that specialises in video content creation and visual communications Elastic's Sydney and Melbourne operations (including 40 staff) relocated and integrated
- > Elastic retains an impressive portfolio of customers across automotive, pharmaceutical, government, sports & entertainment, food & beverage, finance and property
- > IVE now has an unrivalled in-house marketing services offering, providing customers with a streamlined and simplified way of producing ideas and content for every marketing channel

Introducing Elastic:

Elastic Reel 2024









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### CREATIVE, CONTENT & INTEGRATED SOLUTIONS

IVE has invested in new skills and capabilities that, when combined with our existing offering, enables us to help brands connect with their targeted consumers across every possible touch-point

#### CONTENT







# Lasoo – warrants ongoing investment with key metrics demonstrating strong growth

#### Annualised GTV<sup>1,2</sup>

\$16m

1 7% on Nov '23 guidance

↑ 280% PCP

Average basket size (ABS)<sup>1</sup>

\$229 1 48% PCP Unique monthly active users (MAU)<sup>1</sup>

335,000 181% PCP



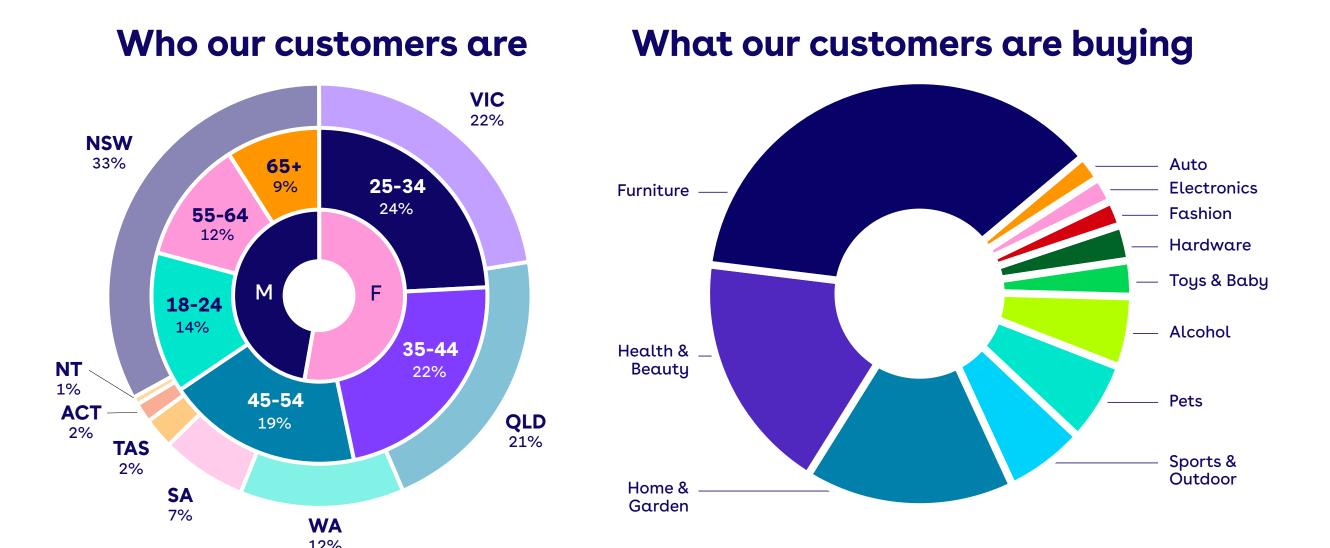
213 10% PCP



- > In June 2024, Lasoo generated an annualised GTV of \$16m, ahead of previously advised expectations of \$15m and well above the original business case
- > Given proof of concept and better-than-expected performance, the Group will continue to invest in Lasoo to further enhance customer experience and significantly scale the business
- > Lasoo is now expected to scale to an annualised GTV of over \$150m and break even during FY28 (versus \$50m GTV and break even during FY26 in the previous business case)
- 1 As at June 2024
- 2 Gross transaction value



### Lasoo – customer and retailer metrics



#### What our customers are saying





14 June 2024

28 May 2024



I had purchased a number of household furniture and will remain a loyal customer looking out for those special deals. Great pricing as well. Totally wrapped with them. Packaged with care to reduce any damage during transit. Received everything in great condition.

I'm heading on website now to purchase a

king size bed 😊

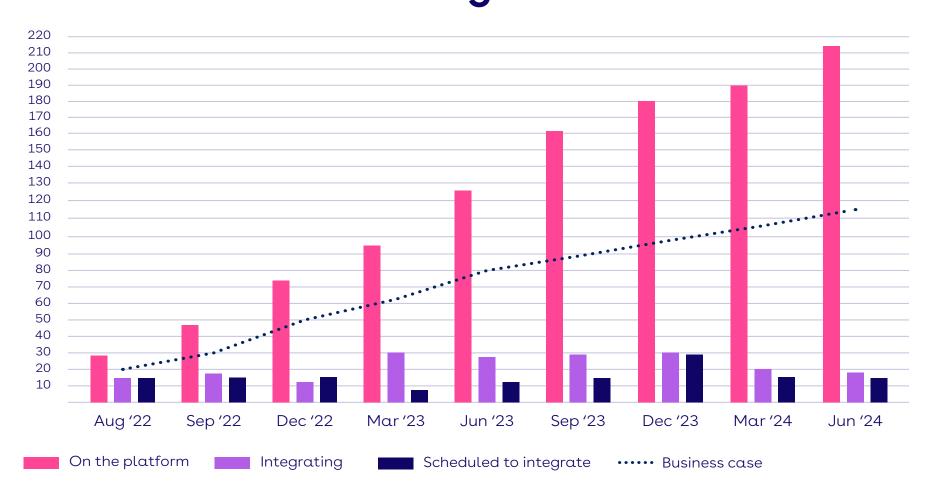
I was very pleased...

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★ ★ ★ ★ ✓ Werified

I was very pleased with my recent purchase of a mattress with Lasoo – prompt service & quick delivery. The whole experience went smoothly & I am delighted with the mattress – wasn't sure how a 'bed in a box' would turn out but I followed the instructions & it went like clockwork! The quality & sleep experience has surpassed my expectations, all at an affordable price.

#### Lasoo retailer onboarding momentum



#### Over 200,000 SKUs live on Lasoo

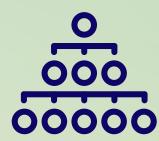


## Sustainability





### Sustainability achievements in FY24



Appointed Chief People & Sustainability Officer



Established ESG Working Groups



Improving measurement & reporting capabilities



Publicly launched our Sustainability Strategy



Trained 170 client-facing teams on Sustainability



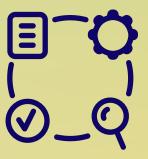
62 employees received mental health first aid officer training



Commenced 7-year partnership with Iberdrola for the generation of renewable electricity



Became a signatory to the Australian Packaging Covenant



Commenced preparation of our Reconciliation Action Plan

## FY25 outlook and guidance





### FY25 outlook and guidance<sup>1</sup>

- > Underpinned by the diversity of the business and the expected emergence of the full run-rate of Ovato synergies and an incremental contribution from JacPak, the Group's FY25 underlying earnings guidance range is as follows:
- > NPAT \$45m \$50m
- > NPAT guidance excludes:
- Lasoo operating loss similar to FY24; and
- Restructure and integration costs of around \$2.5m
- 1 Outlook and guidance is subject to risks as outlined in the Risk Management Framework on pages 27-29 of IVE's 2024 Appendix 4E

- > As part of a continual review of capital management options, the Group's dividend is expected to be held steady at 18.0¢ps:
  - Reflecting the already substantial dividend payout/yield; and
  - To preserve cash to pay down senior debt and/or other capital management options
- > While diversification (typically through acquisition) remains a core element of IVE's growth strategy, there is presently nothing on the Group's radar with senior debt expected to reduce in FY25
- > With a strong balance sheet and numerous organic growth initiatives in train, the business is well positioned for continued profitable growth
- > Notwithstanding macroeconomic headwinds, FY25 trading has commenced strongly







## Appendices





## Appendix A

#### IFRS Profit and Loss

	FY24 \$m	FY23 \$m	Variance %
Revenue	972.8	970.2	0.3
Material profit	454.5	437.4	3.9
% of revenue	46.7%	45.1%	3.6
EBITDA	107.1	90.6	18.2
% of revenue	11.0%	9.3%	17.9
Depreciation and amortistation	49.9	52.9	(5.7)
EBIT	57.2	37.6	51.8
Net finance costs	17.4	13.3	31.1
NPBT	39.7	24.3	63.2
Income tax expense	12.1	7.2	68.3
NPAT	27.6	17.1	61.0
% of revenue	2.8%	1.8%	60.5
NPATA	31.0	20.2	53.8
% of revenue	3.2%	2.1%	53.4
EPS (NPAT) cents	18.0	11.4	57.1
EPS (NPATA) cents	20.2	13.5	50.1

#### IFRS to underlying NPAT reconciliation

	FY24 \$m
IFRS NPAT	27.6
Restructure and integration costs	13.1
Acquisition costs	2.0
Software as a service expense	0.8
Lasoo	5.8
Other	1.3
Pre-tax non-operating items	23.0
Tax effect of adjustments	(7.7)
Underlying NPAT	43.0

## Appendix B

#### IVE Group Limited Balance Sheet

	FY24 \$m	FY23 \$m
Current Assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	48.8	44.9
Trade receivables, prepayments and other	147.4	146.6
Inventories	80.4	98.7
Current tax receivable	_	1.2
Assets held for sale	_	1.1
Total Current Assets	276.6	292.4
Non-Current Assets		
Deferred tax assets	15.5	19.3
Property, plant and equipment	111.6	107.0
Property, plant and equipment (ROUA)	105.5	122.2
Intangible assets and goodwill	155.1	133.6
Other (lease receivable)	0.6	0.9
Total Non-Current Assets	388.2	382.9
Total Assets	664.8	675.3
Current Liabilities		
Trade payables and provisions	164.9	167.2
Loans and borrowings	3.0	3.6
Lease liability (ROUA)	32.3	36.7
Total Current Liabilities	200.2	207.5
Non-Current Liabilities		
Trade payables and provisions	14.4	14.6
Loans and borrowings	170.8	157.2
Lease liability (ROUA)	84.8	102.4
Total Non-Current Liabilities	270.1	274.2
Total Liabilities	470.3	481.7
Net Assets	194.6	193.6
Equity		
Share capital	167.7	167.7
Reserves	3.9	2.8
Retained earnings	23.0	23.1
Total Equity	194.6	193.6







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