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## Global player in Employee benefits and Engagement



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## Pluxee – A profitable growth story



Leading global provider of employee benefits and engagement solutions



Highly cash-generative and scalable B2B2C ecosystem serving +36m consumers



Operating in a large and growing market



Clear strategy powered by technology, talent and targeted  $M\bar{\&}A$ 



Leadership team committed to deliver profitable growth ambitions

### Large and growing employee benefits and engagement market

#### Key market facts

- Very large market opportunity
- Small & medium enterprises ∕ represent big untapped potential
- Meal & Food Benefit market penetrated at c. 25% overall
- ✓ 7% to 9% CAGR 23-26E Total Meal & Food direct market estimated to €53bn

Source: Company information.

Notes: (1) Meal & Food Benefit direct market: Aggregate BV captured by local or international Meal & Food Benefit providers. (2) Meal & Food addressable market: Aggregate BV of all companies that are eligible to provide Meal & Food services, incl. those that do not offer these services to their employees. (3) Total addressable Employee benefit and Engagement market: Aggregate BV of all companies that are eligible to provide employee benefits, incl. those that do not offer these services to their employees.



## Driving growth by addressing fundamental employer and employee needs



Source: Company information.

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## Strong long-term benefits for Public Authorities to sustain regulation

#### Regulatory framework rationale



Preserve the purchasing power of employees and citizens



Help companies attract and retain talent

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Stimulate local economy and create job opportunities



Formalize the informal economy contributing to tax collection, improving traceability of funds

#### Range of levers for Public Authorities



Strong tax  $\delta$  social incentives for both employers and employees



Maximum face value cap No cap decrease in deflation context



Stable and yet adaptable regulatory framework over time



Expansion of frameworks beyond Meal & Food Benefits

#### Push towards digitalization

Source: Company information.

## Full suite of employee benefits and engagement solutions

#### **Employee benefits**

#### 83% of FY 2023 revenues **17%** of FY 2023 revenues<sup>(2)</sup> Meal & Food Benefits Lifestyle Benefits<sup>(1)</sup> Employee Engagement and Reward & Recognition Ψq Ě цЪ R $\bigcirc$ Meal Gift Health & well-being Service Employee Engagement milestones recognition surveys Public benefits <u>مم</u> <u>ಹರಿ</u> സ്ത <del>CD</del> Holiday & culture Mobility Employee Voluntary Perks & Food wellness benefits **Discounts** From service provider to trusted HR partner Leveraging relevant expertise

Other products & services

Source: Company information as of Fiscal Year August 2023

Notes: (1) Including childcare, hybrid work, learning and development, uniform. (2) Including fuel and fleet management.

## Global footprint with strong market positions in every region



Source: Company information as of Fiscal Year 2023. Fiscal 2023 Revenues in millions of Euros and percentage of Total Revenues. Notes: (1) Countries where Pluxee is market leader in at least 1 vertical locally.

Rest of the world

## At the heart of a highly interconnected B2B2C ecosystem



# Digitalization of Pluxee's ecosystem driving further market growth



Sources:

(1) JobScan Report, 2022. (2) McKinsey "Consumer trends in digital payments", in the US in 2022. (3) Merchant Machine Report 2022.

### Highly cash generative and scalable business model



## Achieve ambitious strategy thanks to six key strategic initiatives



#### Elevate benefit offering

Address evolving client and consumer needs

#### Expand merchant engagement

Reinforce win-win partnership

#### Scale up existing presence

Address untapped opportunities in Engagement and Reward & Recognition

#### Acquire new clients

With focus on small and medium enterprises, through segmented sales and marketing strategy

#### Unlock full client potential

From existing clients through upselling and cross-selling



#### Drive profitability

Pursue efficiency gains and benefit from operating leverage

### Continued track record of outstanding growth



Sources: Company information. Fiscal year ending August, 31.

## Strong growth in business volumes driven by face value increases, portfolio growth and client acquisition



Note: (1) Portfolio growth defined as the business volume expansion resulting from the increase in employee consumers in existing client base.

Source: Company information. Fiscal year ending August, 31.

## Q1 FY 2024 trading update

### Q1 FY 2024 total revenues evolution

## Q1 FY 2024 total revenues breakdown and organic growth



Source: Company information. Fiscal year ending August 31. Figures including the application of hyperinflationary accounting to Turkey.

## **Demonstrated margin improvement**

### Continued expansion in recurring EBITDA margin



Tech and digital capabilities driving operational efficiency

One platform ecosystem allowing for cost optimization



Multi-country operating model enabling scale effect

Source: Company information. Fiscal year ending August, 31. Note: (1) Recurring Operating EBITDA / Operating Revenue.

### **Buoyant investment policy**



 Large investments made over the past three years, especially in IT and data systems

 Strong increase in capex in FY 2023 in order to support Pluxee's future growth strategy

Sources: Company information. Fiscal year ending August, 31.

Note: (1) Acquisitions of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets. Excluding disposals.

## Solid cash conversion

Cash conversion<sup>(1)</sup>



 Upward trajectory of Pluxee's cash conversion over the period

Sources: Company information. Fiscal year ending August, 31. Notes: (1) Recurring Free Cash Flow / Recurring EBITDA.

# Secured capital structure and financial profile

Net cash position as of August 31, 2023



Source: Company information. Fiscal year ending August, 31.

Notes: (1) Including bank overdrafts. (2) 1-year maturity (Oct-24) – (i) extendable twice for a period of 6 months each, (ii) EURIBOR-indexed variable rate + margin. (3) 5-year maturity (Oct-28) – (i) extendable twice for a period of 1 year each, (ii) EURIBOR or SOFR-indexed variable rate + margin.

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## Disciplined capital allocation enabling growth ambitions

#### Targeted and financially disciplined approach to growth strategy

Invest for growth

**2** Targeted and wellexecuted MδA

## **3** Attractive shareholder return

- Average annual capital expenditure of c.10% of revenues to support strategic growth initiatives
- ✓ Tech to remain a significant focus

- Focus on adding business volume, broadening offerings, enriching tech capabilities
- Leverage dedicated and wellexperienced M&A team
- ✓ Integrate highly skilled people fitting with Pluxee's culture and vision
- Realize synergies thanks to robust integration execution

- At least 25% dividend payout the Net Profit, from FY 2024 onwards
- Regular revisit of shareholder return based on unfolding of M&A pipeline always preserving strong investment grade rating

Source: Company information.

### Clear strategy to deliver ambitious financial results

absorbing standalone costs

 FY 2024
 Mid-term FY 2026

 Organic revenue growth objective<sup>(1)</sup>
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 Low double digit
 Organic revenue growth objective<sup>(1)</sup>

 Recurring EBITDA margin forecast<sup>(2)</sup>
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 At least stable,
 C.37% for FY 2026

Cash conversion objective<sup>(3)</sup> Above 70% on average over FY 2024-2026

At constant currency rates and perimeter

Source: Company information.

Notes: (1) Organic growth: The increase in revenue for a given period (the "current period") compared to the revenue reported for the same period of the prior fiscal year, calculated using the exchange rate for the prior fiscal year and excluding the impact of business acquisitions (or gain of control) and divestments. (2) Recurring EBITDA: Recurring Operating Profit (ROP), plus depreciation and amortization, minus lease payments; (3) Recurring cash conversion: Recurring Free Cash Flow divided Recurring EBITDA.

## Appendices



## Appendix 1 – 45 years of growth on a global scale

- Sustainable growth through-the-cycles
- Strong track record of constantly adapting to customer needs
- ✓ 90% digitalized business volume<sup>(1)</sup>
- Continued strategic and investment support from the Bellon family

Source: Company information. Note: (1) Cumulative value of benefits issued on behalf of clients.

### Milestones $\delta$ growth journey

Business volumes issued<sup>(1)</sup> evolution (€bn)

🕅 💾 Meal & Food Benefits 🛛 🌐 Geographical expansion



# Appendix 2 - Employee benefits regulation attractive for both employers and employees

Illustrative case of meal benefit 100% financed by employer<sup>(1)</sup>



#### Pluxee adapts its approach to grow in countries where opportunities exist regardless of regulatory framework

Source: Company information. Notes: (1) Illustrative figures: Precise calculation depending on each local regulatory framework, specific client and employee individual fiscal situation.

# Appendix 3 - Strong commercial engine to drive additional sales and client loyalty



# Appendix 4 - Scalable one-platform architecture covering stakeholders' journeys



 Cloud-native new assets

 Open APIbased architecture

 Common cybersecurity tools deployed

Fostering M&A ✓ integration

Source: Company information.

## Appendix 5.a - Prepaid business model highly cash-generative



## Appendix 5.b - Low-levered balance sheet after debt-pushdown

In€m	Aug-22	Aug-23	In€m	Aug-22	Aug-23			
Float (trade receivables, net)	1,194	1,029	Total value in circulo related payables	ation and 3,509	3,543			
			Short-term borrowin (including lease liab	508	1,254			
Restricted cash	960	936	Long-term borrowin (including lease liab	44	49		Net cash	
Current financial assets	663	542	Bank overdrafts	1	5		posi	tion
		•				_	Aug-22	Aug-23
Cash and cash equivalents	1,144	1,625					1,254	859
			Other liabilities	530	775			
Other assets	1,335	1,541	Total equity	704	→ 47			
Total assets	5,296	5,673	Total equity and liab	oilities 5,296	5,673			

Source: Company information. Fiscal year ending August, 31.

## Appendix 6 - Key business & financial terms (1/3)

#### **Client commissions**

Client commissions correspond to commissions billed to clients on business volume issued, when cards, digitally delivered services or paper vouchers are issued by the Group.

#### **Merchant commissions**

Merchant commissions correspond to commissions billed on business volume reimbursed to merchants when such cards, digitally delivered services or paper vouchers are reimbursed by the Group.

#### Take-up rate

Take-up rate corresponds to the ratio between operating revenue and business volume issued in Employee Benefits.

#### Float

The Float corresponds to the cash collected from clients in relation to the value loaded on cards or the issuance of digital solutions or paper vouchers, but not yet reimbursed to merchants.

#### **Restricted cash**

Restricted cash corresponds primarily to funds set aside to comply with regulations governing the issuance of digitally delivered services, cards and paper vouchers.

The funds remain the property of the Group but are subject to restrictions on their use. They may not be used for any purpose other than to reimburse affiliates and must be kept separate from the Group's unrestricted cash.

Restricted cash is invested in interest-bearing instruments.

#### Face Value

Face Value corresponds to the amount marked on the cards, digitally delivered services or paper vouchers issued by the Group.

## Appendix 6 - Key business δ financial terms (2/3)

#### **Cross-selling**

Cross-selling corresponds to an existing client ordering in a new product or service.

#### Net retention

Net retention = [(Full period impact of last year lost + Full period impact of last year cross-selling + Average face value growth + Portfolio growth + Cross-selling + Lost) / (BV of Y-1) + 1] excluding Public Benefits.

#### Portfolio growth

Portfolio growth corresponds to the increase in the number of employee/consumers from an existing client for a given product or service (based on number of employees, percentage of employee optin and number of working days).

#### **Total revenues**

Total revenues reported by the Group comprise (i) Operating Revenue and (ii) Float Revenue, which are defined as follows:

- Operating Revenue: revenue generated from (i) client commissions, which correspond to commissions billed to clients when digitally delivered solutions, cards and paper vouchers are issued by the Group and (ii) merchant commissions, which correspond to commissions billed to merchants when such products and services are reimbursed by the Group. Revenues from unspent or unreimbursed digital solutions, cards and paper vouchers are also recorded as Operating Revenue.
- Float Revenue: interest income generated from the investment of the Float. The Float corresponds to cash collected from clients in relation to the value loaded on cards or the issuance of paper vouchers and digital solutions, but not yet reimbursed to merchants.

#### Recurring operating profit

Recurring operating profit corresponds to Operating profit before "Other operating income" and "Other operating expenses".

## Appendix 6 - Key business & financial terms (3/3)

#### **Operating expenses**

The principal components of the Group's operating expenses include:

- Employee costs, which includes wages and salaries and other employee costs (primarily payroll taxes, but also including costs associated with defined benefit plans, defined contribution plans and share-based incentive plans accounted for in accordance with IFRS 2 "Share-based Payment");
- External processing costs;
- Management fees; and
- Other external costs, which mainly include professional fees and travel expenses

#### Depreciation, amortization and impairment

Depreciation, amortization and impairment include the following:

- Depreciation and amortization of intangible assets, property, plant and equipment and right-of-use assets relating to leases;
- Impairment of (i) intangible assets, property, plant and equipment excluding other unusual or non-recurring items representing material amounts classified in Other operating Expenses and (ii) right-of-use assets relating to leases; and

- Amortization and impairment of purchased intangible assets acquired through business combinations (primarily client relationships and trademarks)
- Depreciation, amortization and impairment does not include amortization and impairment included under Other operating income and expenses

#### Other operating income and expenses

Other operating income and expenses include the following:

- Restructuring and rationalization costs;
- Gains and losses arising from changes in the scope of combination;
- Acquisition-related costs incurred as part of business combinations;
- Past service costs arising from changes in post-employment benefit plans (if any);
- Material impairment of goodwill and non-current assets triggered by unusual events;
- Other unusual or non-recurring items representing material amounts

## Appendix 7 - Alternative Performance Measurement (APM)

#### **Business volume issued**

Business volume issued corresponds to the cumulative value of benefits issued by the Group on behalf of clients in the form paper vouchers, cards and digitally delivered services, and in respect of which commissions are charged to the client.

#### Organic growth

Organic growth corresponds to the increase in revenue for a given period (the "current period") compared to the revenue reported for the same period of the prior fiscal year, calculated using the exchange rate for the prior fiscal year and excluding the impact of business acquisitions (or gain of control) and divestments.

#### **Recurring EBITDA**

Recurring EBITDA is calculated by deducting the impact of amortization, depreciation and impairment of intangible assets, property, plant and equipment, and right-of-use assets relating to leases (as reported in the line "Depreciation, amortization and impairment" of the combined income statement) from the "Recurring operating profit" presented in the combined income statement.

#### Recurring free cash flow

Recurring Free Cash Flow is calculated as "Net cash provided by operating activities" as shown in the combined cash flow statement minus (i) Acquisitions of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets, (ii) Lease liabilities and (iii) Restatement of Other income and expenses on Net cash from operating activities.

#### Net financial debt (cash)

Net Financial Debt (Cash) consists of borrowings and lease liabilities, minus the cash and cash equivalents (net of overdraft) and current financial assets (including short-term loans due from Sodexo S.A. and its Pluxee subsidiaries).

#### Recurring cash conversion rate

Recurring Cash Conversion Rate consists of the ratio of Recurring Free Cash Flow on Recurring EBITDA. This APM measures the ability of the Group to convert its recurring EBITDA into cash.

#### Recurring Liquidity Generated by Operations (LGO)

Recurring Liquidity Generated by Operations corresponds to Recurring Free Cash Flow, as defined above, plus the "Change in restricted cash related to the Float"



### FY 2024 contemplated financial calendar

Date	Event
April 19, 2024	First half fiscal 2024 results
July 3, 2024	Third quarter fiscal 2024 revenues
October 31, 2024	Annual fiscal 2024 results
December 2024	Fiscal 2024 annual shareholders' meeting

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