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## **Cleansing document**

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### Trading update – FY24 Outturn

#### Quant expects to generate Adjusted EBITDA of c. EUR 9.5m to c. EUR 10.0m in the period to December 2024, reflecting higher margin contracts and



#### Commentary

#### **Net Sales**

 Revenue in FY24 is forecast to be lower than FY23 because of the impact of previously announced lost contracts

#### Adj. EBITDA

 Adj. EBITDA is however forecast to grow reflecting the strong performance in Jan – Sept, higher margin contracts and the impact of cost savings from the reorganisation of operations in the Americas and at HQ

#### CFADS

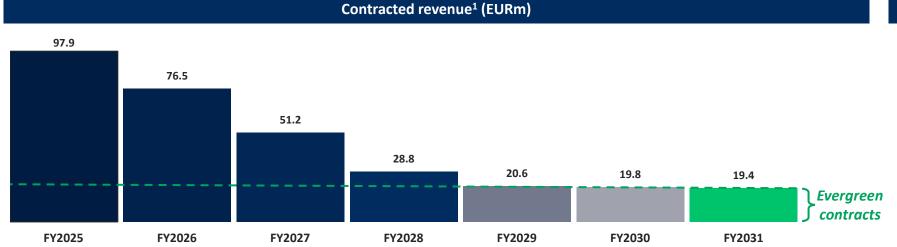
• The business expects working capital to be negative in FY24 driven by the impact of advance funding of new business and the timing of certain payments, however this is mitigated by the utilisation of invoice discounting

#### Portfolio Value

 Overall portfolio value in December 2024 reflects the impact of the previously announced termination of Quant's contract at Arauco's Constitucion plant, mitigated by other actual and forecast contract wins and renewals over the period

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### Quant continues to have significant levels of contracted revenue



**Gross margin of contracts** 

#### Commentary

#### **Contracted revenue**

- Quant has a significant portion of its revenue for future years already contracted, e.g. EUR 97.9m in FY25.
- It also continues to benefit from several evergreen contracts - contracts without a specified contract end date - representing c. EUR 19.4m of annual revenue

#### Contract gross margin

**16.3%** 

Avg. Gross Margin

- Over the last two years the business has been actively transitioning to a highermargin business model, reducing its exposure to lower-margin and unprofitable contracts
- This approach has improved average gross margin per contract to 16.3%



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45%

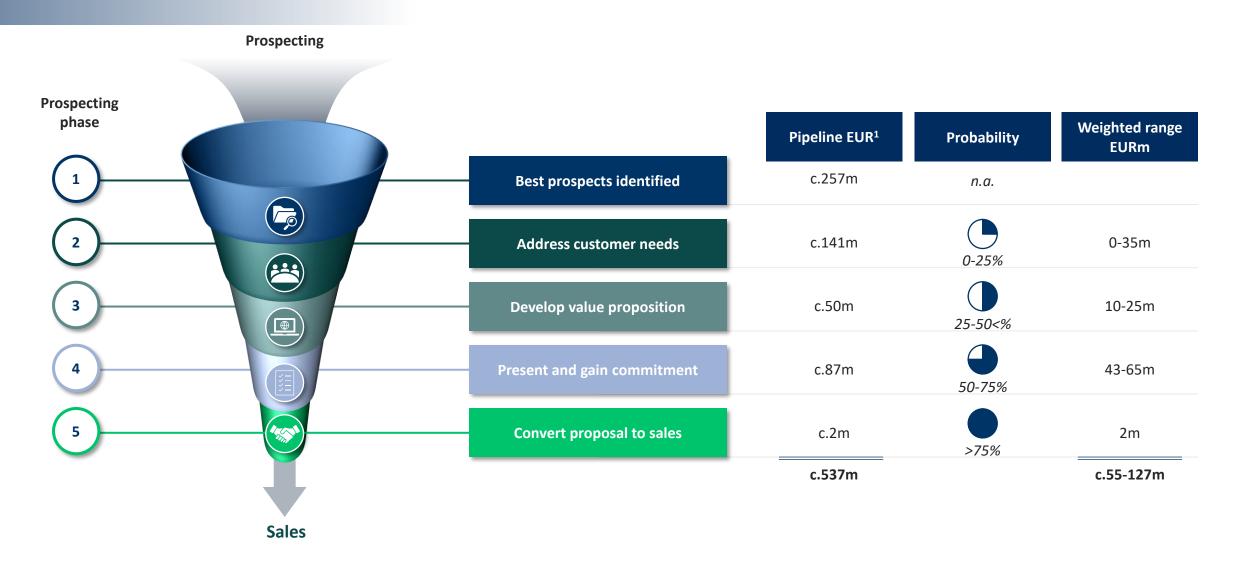
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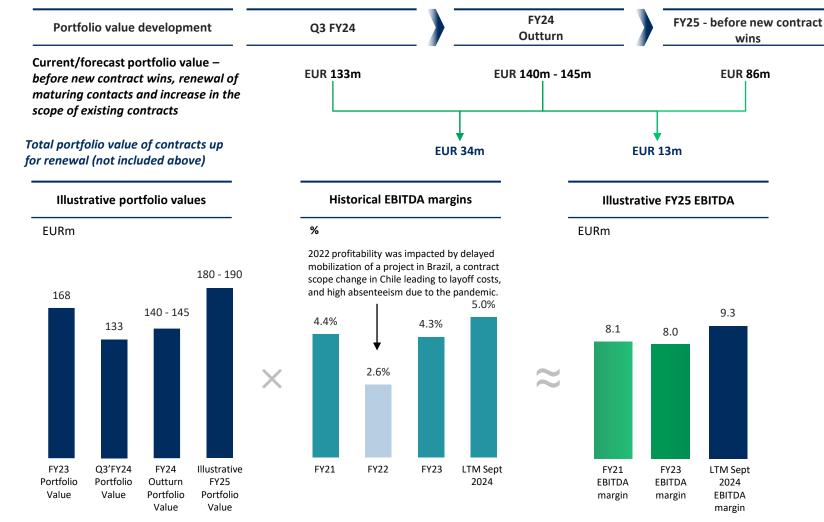
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## Sales pipeline growth supported by key sales team hires



### FY24 Outturn and FY25 guidance



#### Commentary

#### Portfolio value

- FY24 portfolio value has been impacted by the previously announced contract terminations. However, actual and forecast new contract wins and renewals is expected to result in a portfolio value of **EUR 140m to EUR 145m** by December 2024
- The business has already secured EUR 86m contracted portfolio value through to FY25 and is forecast to secure a number of new contract wins (reflecting the strength of its sales pipeline) and contract renewals
- Quant remains committed to growing its portfolio value to EUR 200m over the medium term

#### **EBITDA**

 Based on historical EBITDA margins a portfolio value of EUR 180m to EUR 190m in FY25 would imply an Adj. EBITDA of c. EUR 8.0m to EUR 9.3m

#### CFADS

 The business expects FY25 CFADS to be similar to the FY24 Outturn however the company may also receive an arbitration award in connection with a dispute with a former customer – the final quantum and timing of any award is yet to be determined

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