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Agenda



- Company overview
- FY23 & Q4 FY23 financial highlights
- Q4 FY23: business highlights
- Outlook and priorities
- Appendices



**XPON is a marketing
technology company.**

**Our mission is to
modernise marketing and
customer experience.**



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**XPON's products
and services create
a better ROI for
businesses by:**

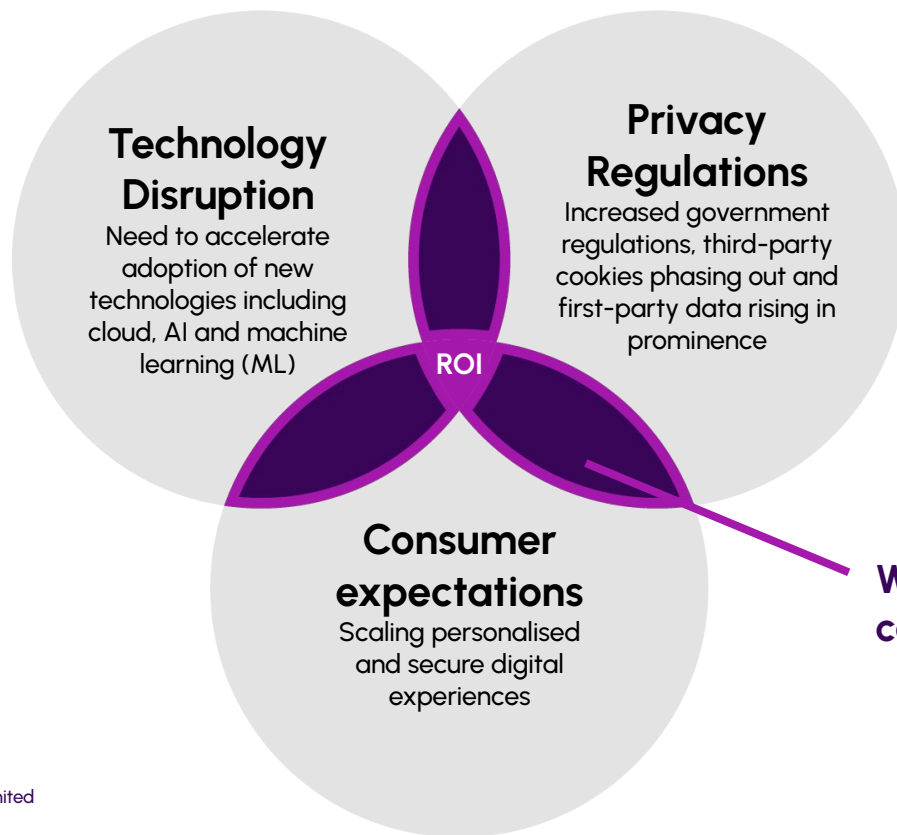


Improving targeting and measurement to increase **marketing** effectiveness



Using data and technology to deliver more personalised and profitable **customer experiences(CX)**

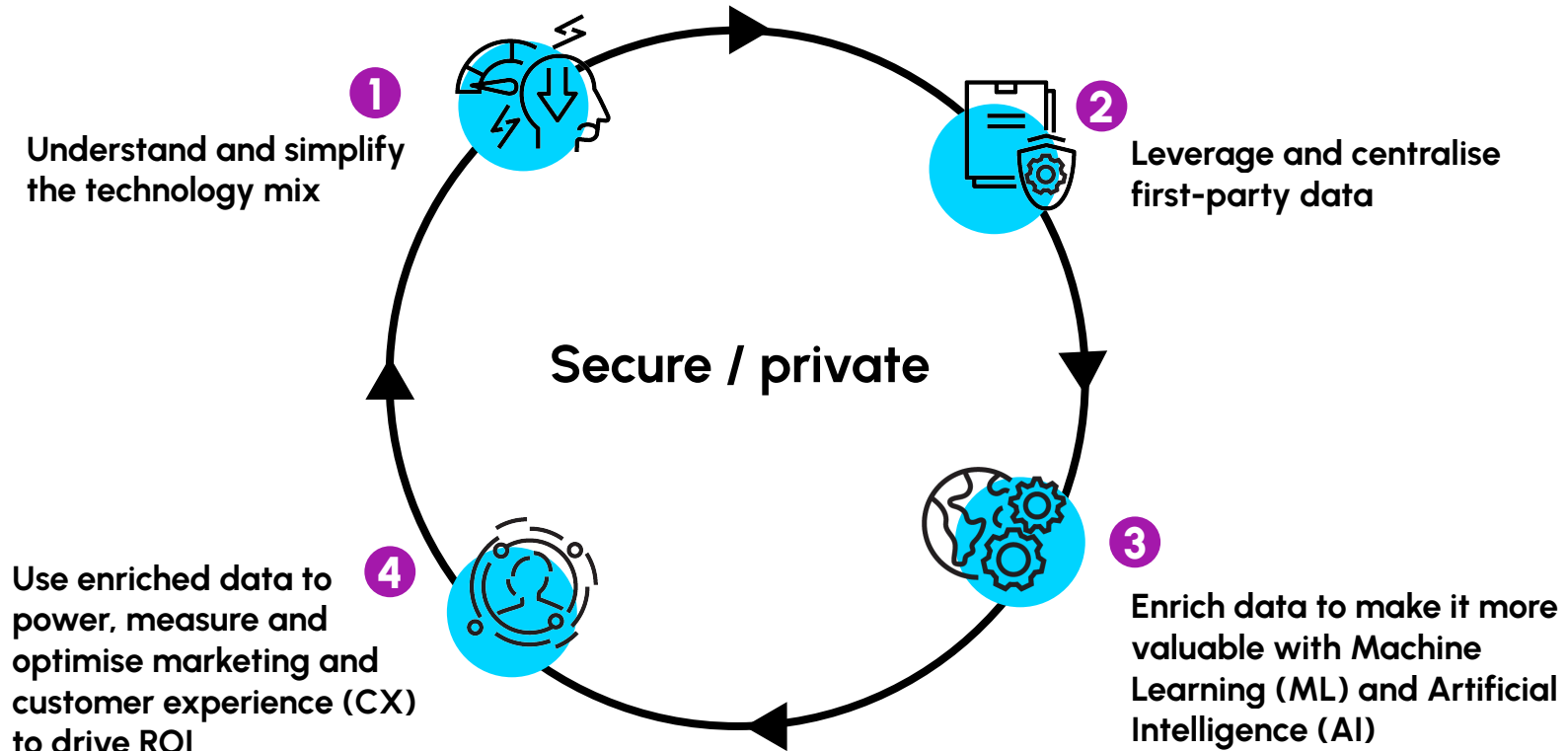
Businesses face increasing complexity in achieving marketing ROI due to:



We help simplify the complexity and maximise ROI



How we help customers improve their marketing ROI





**Our products
are supported
by services to
ensure secure
and effective
value creation
for customers**

Products



XPON's cloud-based platform that centralises customer data, enriches it with Machine Learning (ML) and AI, and allows rapid and simple activation of more profitable marketing programs.



XPON's Extended Reality (XR) publishing tool that enables quick creation of 360-degree content and immersive digital experiences.



Scalable platform that provides computing, storage, analytics, Machine Learning (ML) and Artificial Intelligence (AI) capability tailored for Marketing and CX.



Online advertising and analytics platform and tools for business to manage media spend more effectively.

Services



Project services

Consulting to help businesses use our technology products, including implementation, training, digital transformation project services, and end user CX readiness services.



Managed services

Enablement and support to accelerate product uptake and continued value realisation of our technology products.



Client snapshot

Businesses like these partner with us to achieve better marketing and customer experience ROI. Currently 53 recurring and 38 non recurring customers*.

Financial services	Retail & travel	Media & entertainment	Non-profit	Education	Other

*Excludes 112 phased out small business customers and 29 dormant non recurring customers.

Example Marketing client



Products: Licence / usage fees (recurring revenue)

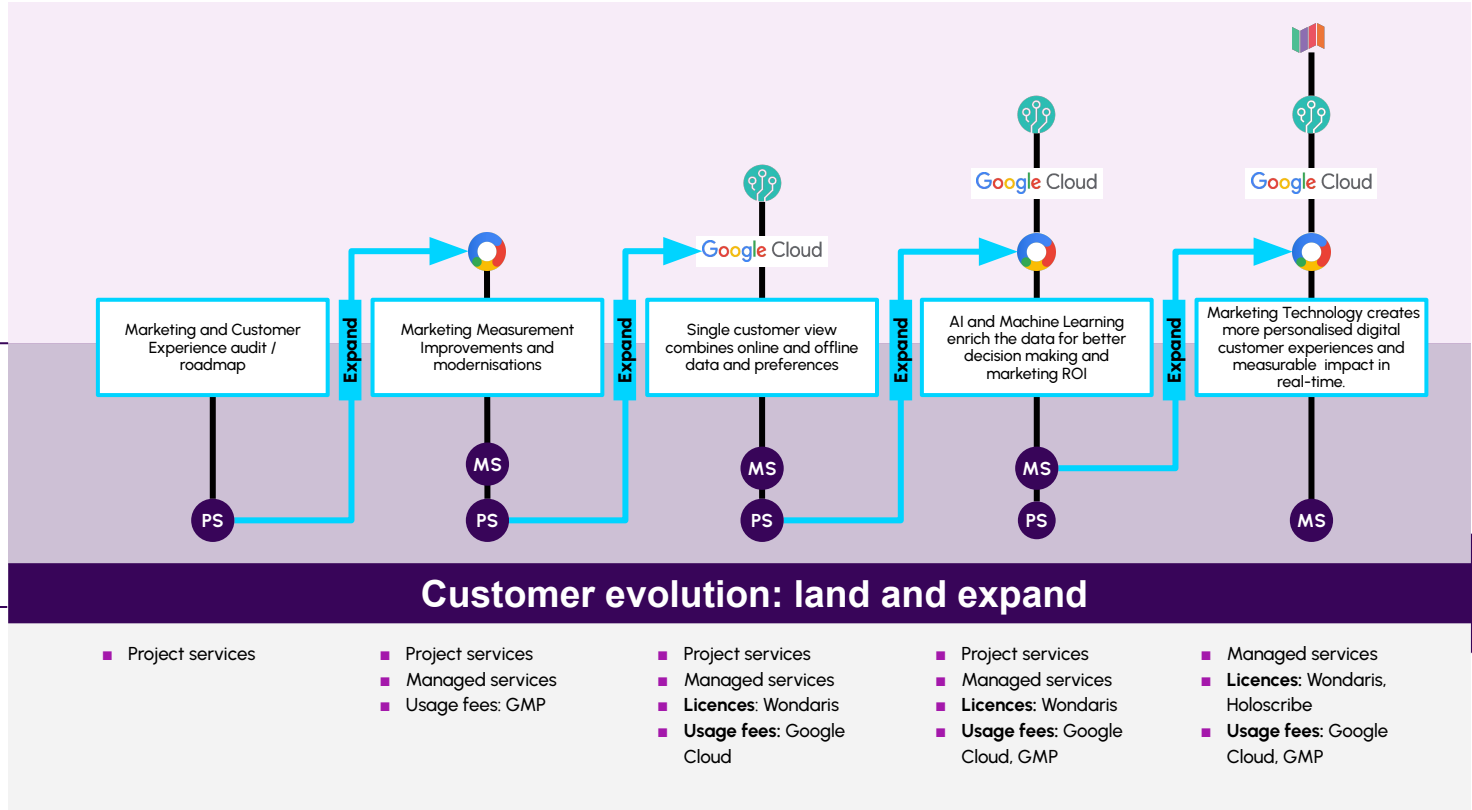


Services

Project Services (PS) non recurring revenue

Managed Services (MS) recurring revenue

XPON revenue



- Project services

- Project services
- Managed services
- Usage fees: GMP

- Project services
- Managed services
- Licences: Wondaris
- Usage fees: Google Cloud

- Project services
- Managed services
- Licences: Wondaris
- Usage fees: Google Cloud, GMP

- Managed services
- Licences: Wondaris, Holoscribe
- Usage fees: Google Cloud, GMP

Example Customer Experience client

The client, a global business of trusted brands in specialist markets across more than 30 countries, engaged XPON to **plan, design, and develop a centralised video content application** to acquire customers and grow revenue from content subscriptions.

Solution components: Land and Expand

XPON Products/ Services mix (Revenue type)

Marketing and customer experience audit / roadmap

Project services

Custom development (Content management system)

Project services

Having landed and established the client relationship, XPON has further expanded its product and service offering over time.

Integrations with existing tech infrastructure including eCommerce capability

Project services

Scalability to bring on additional brands quickly

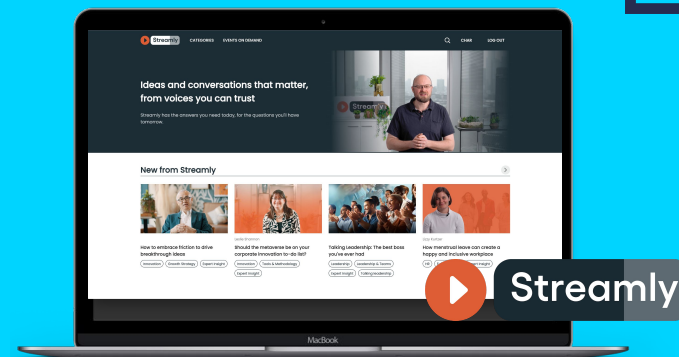
Project services

Continuous improvement and ongoing platform maintenance

Managed services

Integrate Wondaris to create smart audiences for better targeting and subscriber engagement

Licenses



XPON worked with the client to develop Streamly, the business video marketplace that allows brands to distribute specialist knowledge through video content. Streamly helps the client:

- Attract and convert more paid subscriptions to increase revenue
- Deliver more personalised experiences to increase engagement, retention and revenue from subscribers
- Use Wondaris-powered audiences to cross-sell and upsell opportunities to increase revenue per subscriber
- Allow publishers to monetise their content
- Drive ROI across the marketing spectrum



FY23 & Q4 FY23 financial highlights



Key financial metrics ^{1,4}

FY23

\$15.1m ↑ 13%

REVENUE

\$10.4m ↑ 22%

GROSS PROFIT

69% ↑ 4ppt

GROSS PROFIT MARGIN

Q4 FY23

\$2.4m ↓ 35%

REVENUE

\$1.6m ↓ 36%

GROSS PROFIT

66% — 0ppt

GROSS PROFIT MARGIN

\$4.4m ²

CASH

\$(0.8)m ³

NORMALISED NET OPERATING
CASH FLOW

6 qtrs ³

NORMALISED QUARTERS OF
FUNDING AVAILABLE

Note:

1. Key metrics have not been subject to review by auditors

2. Cash - closing balance for period ended 30 June 2023

3. Excluding one-off restructuring costs incurred in Q4 FY23 of \$0.6m (cash impact)

4. Metrics are compared as follows: a) FY23 compared to FY22 b) Q4 FY23 compared to Q4 FY22



Q4 FY23: Business highlights

- Implemented more streamlined organisational structure to drive towards profitability and realign the cost base to market conditions
 - estimated annualised cost savings of at least \$3m
 - \$0.7m¹ in one-off restructuring costs
- Landed 5 new customers and expanded 7 existing customers
- Maintained customer satisfaction with Net Promoter Score (NPS) of 88
- Strong team engagement recorded with Employee Satisfaction score of 90.2 for the year
- Lisa Young started as CFO on 15 May 2023, taking over from Leanne Wolski
- Appointment of Commercial Director, UK (commencing in August 2023)
- New Machine Learning (ML) models added to Wondaris, including “propensity to buy”

Note:

1. \$0.7m in one-off restructuring costs on a P&L basis (\$0.6m cash impact in Q4 FY23)



App modernisation revenue

App modernisation projects help our customers migrate from legacy applications onto cloud-based, scalable platforms which allow them to leverage AI and Machine Learning (ML) capabilities of today's marketing technology.

- In FY23 App modernisation accounted for \$5m in revenue.
- When included in XPON's calculation of ARR, it equated to approximately \$9m¹ of future annualised recurring revenue.
- From Q4 FY23 App modernisation no longer meets XPON's recurring revenue criteria and is no longer included in the calculation of the ARR metric.

App modernisation will continue to be a driver of our Customer Experience (CX) offering. It is expected to generate ongoing non-recurring revenue and remain a meaningful contributor to the achievement of our FY24 cash flow break-even target.

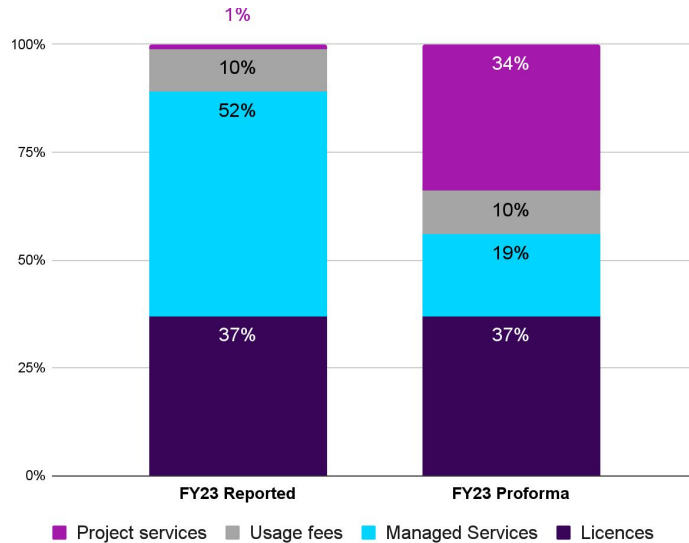
Note:
1. as at 31 March 2023



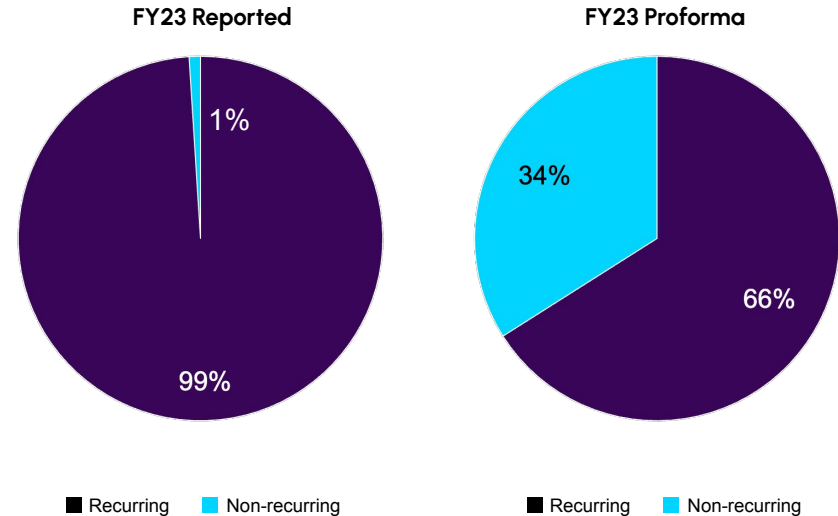
Revenue mix update^{1,2}

Proforma impact of reclassification of non-recurring app modernisation revenue for FY23:

Revenue by type



Recurring vs. non-recurring revenue



Note:
1. Adjusted revenue classification methodology to commence 1 July 2023.
2. Detailed breakdown provided in Appendix.

Q4 FY23 Business metrics ^{1,2}



Average monthly revenue per customer

\$14.8k ↓ 9%

Lifetime Value per customer

\$1.7m ↓ 3%

Annualised recurring revenue (ARR)

\$9.4m ↓ 41%

Average monthly customer retention rate

99.4% ^{0%}

Customer acquisition (CAC)

\$95k ↑ 109%

CAC payback

8 months ↑ 100%

Revenue per FTE³

\$179k ↑ 62%

Note:

1. All metrics relate to recurring revenue customers with the exception of Revenue per FTE, CAC and CAC Payback

2. Prior corresponding period metric movements are presented on a like for like basis (ie SME customers removed from PY comparative) and metrics are under adjusted revenue classification criteria

3. Industry benchmarks are \$160-\$210k per year

Growth pillars



Strengthen existing solutions, may include strategic acquisitions



Expand value creation, product adoption from existing customers



Leverage sales & marketing capacity



Expand channel relationships



Extend Wondaris platform ecosystem



Outlook and priorities FY24

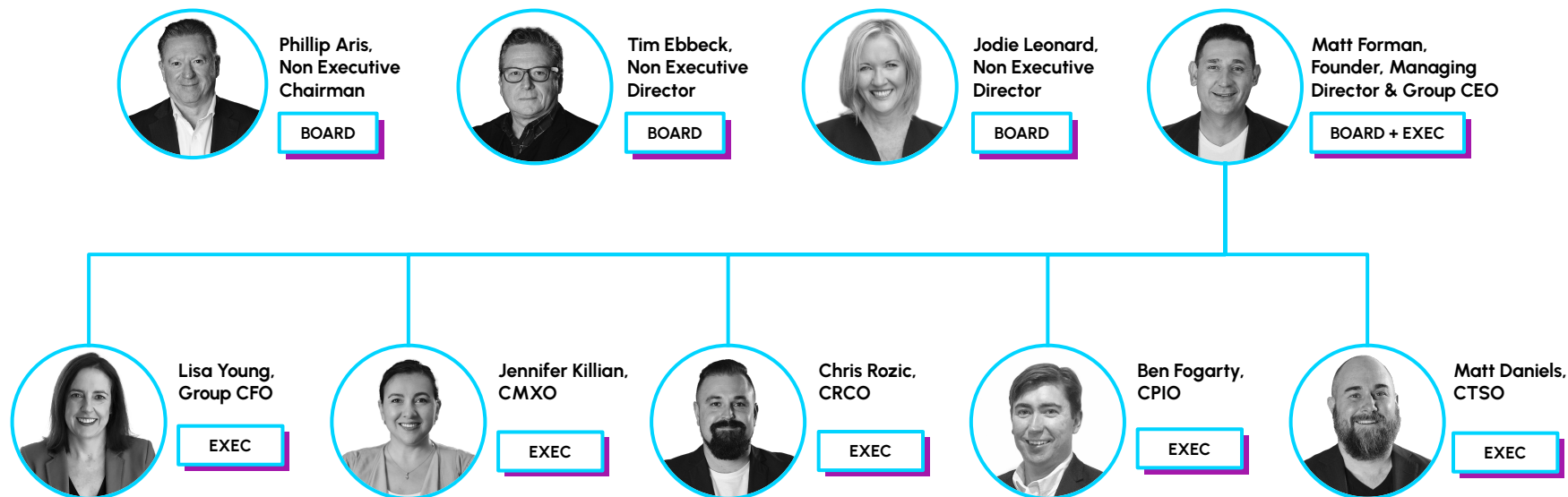
XPON priorities for sustainable growth in FY24:

- On target to achieve cash flow break-even in FY24
 - recurring revenue and non-recurring project services revenue to drive outcome
- Focussed cost management to maintain alignment with market conditions and drive towards profitability
- Continued focus on customer acquisition in key customer segments to drive high margin recurring revenue
- Ongoing investment in AI and ML enhancements and integrations to extend the Wondaris ecosystem
- Maintain high monthly customer retention rate and service quality (measured by NPS)
- Maintain strong corporate culture and high employee satisfaction
- Leverage Google channel partnership to further validate and grow new customer segments

Appendices



Appendix 1: Leadership Team



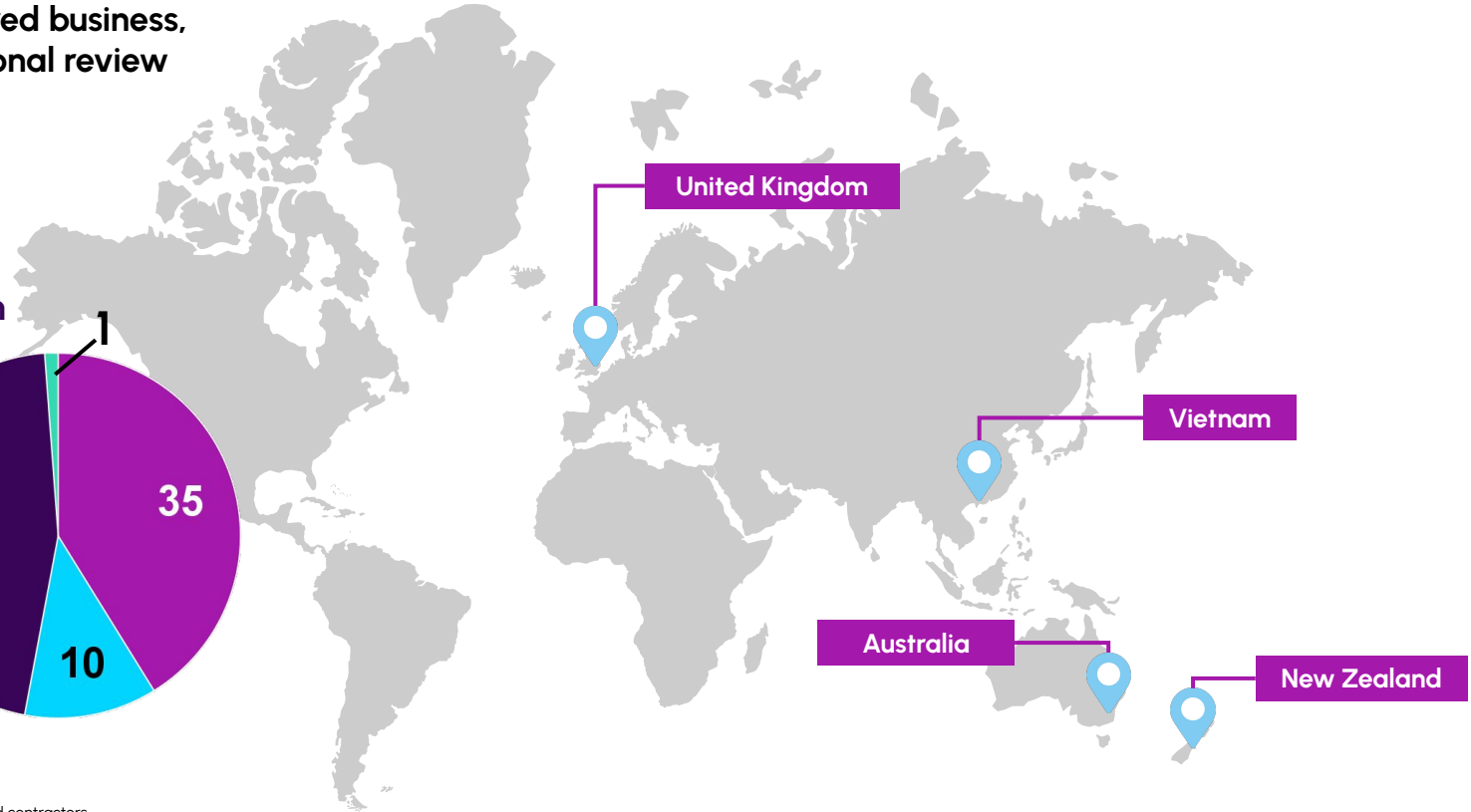
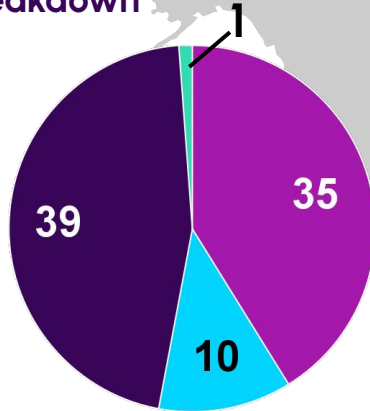


Team footprint

XPON's restructured business,
following operational review

Team breakdown

- Vietnam
- UK
- Australia
- New Zealand



Note:
As at 30 June 2023, excludes on-demand contractors.



Centralised data from any of the public cloud vendors, including GCP, AWS, Azure and Snowflake, either via the pre-built connectors or businesses' existing integration stack

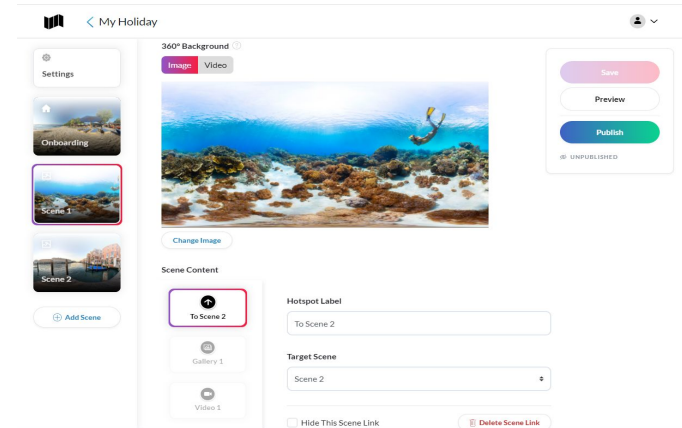
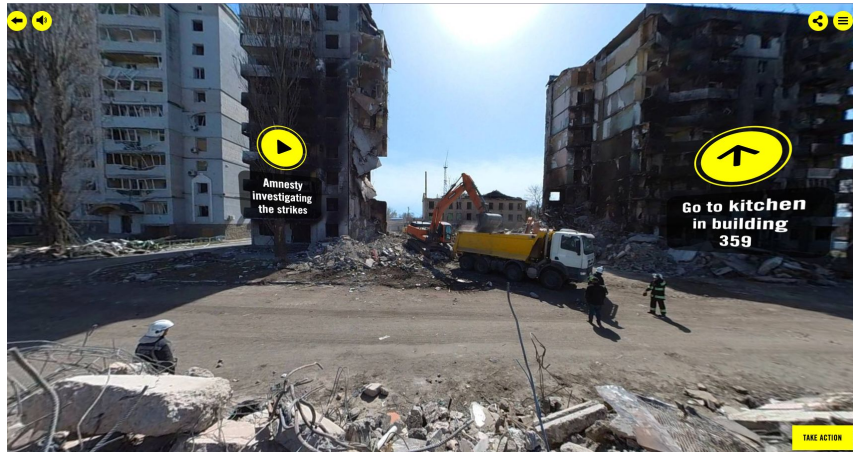
Enriched with ML and AI, data insights managed with ISO-certified standards to deliver a privacy-safe, infinitely scalable 1st party data solution

High-value audiences are activated easily through automated workflows, to deliver highly-personalised customer experiences for better campaign conversion rates



Holoscribe

- Content creators and collaborators **rapidly and easily publish** rich extended reality (XR) and 360 experiences to **any channel** via web interface
- Polls, quizzes and engagement tools offer consumers **personalised experiences and create actionable insights** on segmentation
- **Native integration** with Wondaris for data automated activations.



- Holoscribe users average **+9 mins average dwell time** compared to 4.5 min on standard websites
- More than **8 million consumer** sessions delivered through the platform since 2018.
- **Users interact with more than 80%** of content once they enter a Holoscribe experience

Revenue segmentation^{1,2}



Revenue	FY21	FY22	FY23		HI FY22	+/-	H2 FY22	+/-	HI FY23	+/-	H2 FY23	+/-	
	(Full Year)	(Full Year)	+/-	(Full Year)									
Licences	\$2,114	\$3,765	78%	\$5,556	48%	\$1,776	N/A	\$1,989	12%	\$2,776	40%	\$2,780	0%
Managed Services	\$2,533	\$7,183	184%	\$7,903	10%	\$3,086	N/A	\$4,097	33%	\$5,298	29%	\$2,604	-51%
Usage Fees	\$303	\$1,388	358%	\$1,505	8%	\$714	N/A	\$674	-6%	\$772	15%	\$734	-5%
Project Services	\$489	\$974	99%	\$106	-89%	\$585	N/A	\$389	-34%	\$29	-93%	\$78	171%
Total Revenue	\$5,439	\$13,310	145%	\$15,070	13%	\$6,162	N/A	\$7,149	17%	\$8,875	24%	\$6,196	-30%
<i>App Modernisation contribution to Managed Services</i>	\$1,357	\$4,703	247%	\$5,010	7%	\$1,985	N/A	\$2,717	37%	\$3,585	32%	\$1,425	-60%

App Mod revenue included here



App Mod will be included here from FY24



Note:

1. Revenue as stated in FY21, FY22 & HI FY23 audited accounts
2. FY23 Full year figures have not yet been subject to review by auditors



Appendix 2: Glossary

Annualised Recurring Revenue (ARR): represents monthly contracted recurring revenue multiplied by 12. An annualised measure of the revenue that XPON expects to earn from its customers on a repeatable basis. This metric shows the impact of new customer contracts less any churn from customers leaving or downgrading their contracts.

Year-on-Year (YoY) ARR Growth Rate (%): shows the change in XPON's ARR over a rolling 12-month time frame. This metric demonstrates the impact of the acquisition of new customers, the retention of customers and the expansion of existing customer contracts less any churn from customer's leaving or downgrading their contracts over a 12-month time frame.

Average Revenue Per Customer (ARPC): calculated as annual revenue for recurring customers for the last 12 months divided by the number of customers at that time (and divided by 12 to get a monthly view).

Monthly Customer Retention Rate: the percentage of customers that are retained on a monthly basis and are not lost due to customer churn over the last 12 months (and divided by 12 to get a monthly view).

Customer Lifetime Value (LTV): LTV per customer is the gross profit expected on average from a recurring customer over their lifetime. This is calculated by taking the average customer lifetime (1 minus the monthly retention rate to get monthly churn, then 1 divided by churn) multiplied by ARPC, multiplied by the gross margin percentage for the last quarter. Total LTV represents the total gross profit XPON expects to receive from its current recurring customer base by taking the average LTV per customer and multiplying it by the number of recurring customers.

Customer Acquisition Costs (CAC): calculated by total customer acquisition costs spent on acquiring customers over the last 12 month period divided by the number of customers acquired during the period. It includes 80% of the salary costs of all sales & marketing team members and 100% of sales commissions, advertising costs, costs for customer marketing activities and resources.

CAC Payback: the average number of months that it takes for XPON to receive back its customer acquisition costs.

GTM: Go-to-market, meaning the strategy by which XPON wins business.

Recurring Revenue: revenue realised from the sale of software licences, managed service subscriptions and usage fees.

Non Recurring Revenue: revenue realised from the sale of one-off project services, onboarding and implementation fees.

Revenue per FTE: represents total revenue over the last 12 months divided by the FTE count at the end of the period.



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