

Shareholder Update on proposal to acquire/merge with Mataglobal GmbH

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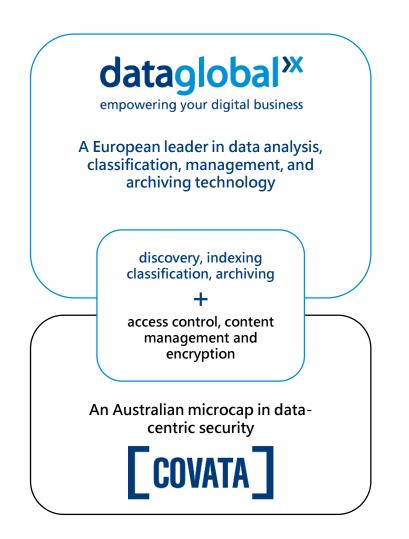




## Proposed merger

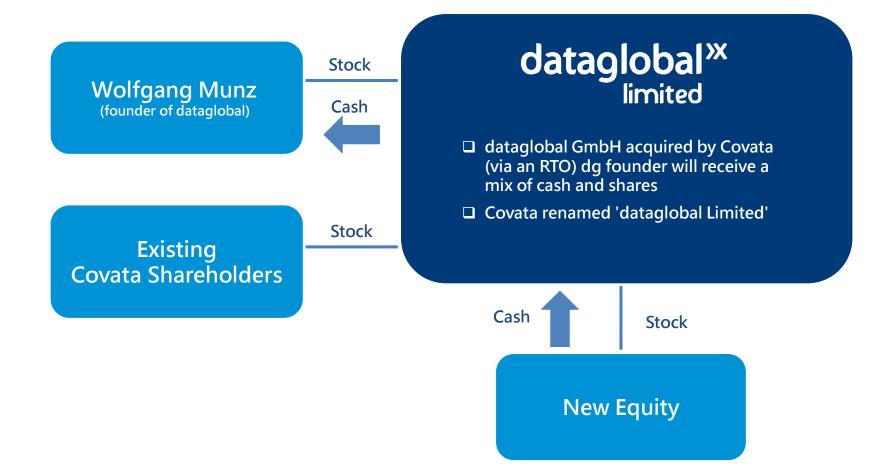
#### Merging Covata with dataglobal creates an exciting Content Services business

- Covata is an Australian listed microcap stock which owns and licenses to users two key products
  - □ SafeShare a secure file collaboration tool
  - Eclipse a data security and compliance solution for SharePoint, Office 365 and file servers
- On 30 January 2019 Covata announced it had entered into a transaction to acquire dataglobal GmbH
- dataglobal is a European leader in data analysis, classification, management, and archiving technology
- The acquisition will propel Covata into the lucrative global market place for Content Services giving it greater financial scale and global reach
- Post acquisition it is proposed that Covata Limited will be renamed dataglobal Limited





## Merger structure





## Merger Rationale

The merger creates value and opportunity for all stakeholders

<b>COVATA</b>	dataglobal <sup>XX</sup> empowering your digital business	Merged Company
1 Needs a transformational acquisition and scale	1 Capital for growth	<ul> <li>Capital</li> <li>Funding Enhanced Capital Market Profile</li> <li>Stronger, Diversified Register</li> </ul>
2 Access to European market entry platform	2 Access to Asia-Pacific market	<ul> <li>People</li> <li>Highly Experienced European Founder/CEO</li> <li>Increased Management Capability</li> </ul>
3 Quality lower cost development resource	dg and Covata CEOs share the same vision	<ul><li>Product</li><li>Content Services Platform</li><li>Agile Development Environment</li></ul>
4 Exit Covata legacy whilst preserving its IP	4 Founder succession and market exit potential	Growth <ul> <li>Scalable 3 year Growth Plan</li> <li>New Market Access</li> <li>Pricing Leverage</li> </ul>



## Merger benefits

#### The benefits that Covata sees in dataglobal are compelling

#### The business

- Client base of large global customers more than 450 customers
- Fast growing market segment content services market (70% of all new IT spend) – strong CAGR opportunity
- Customer retention long customer tenure, low churn (less than 1%)
- Higher quality recurring maintenance revenue – arguably better than SaaS
- Low historic spend on marketing / account management – opportunity to accelerate sales growth
- Dataglobal has displaced competitors in key clients

#### Macro and Industry

- Regulatory environment a key driver for Content Services uptake (GDPR)
- German and DACH economies proving to be very resilient
- DACH region and overall German IT market largest and most promising in Europe
- Growth in Content Services demand across all major industry sectors
- Acute focus in sensitive industries such as banking and finance on data integrity and security



# About dataglobal GmbH



## dataglobal – the story

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## who is dg

a European leader in software solutions for enterprise-wide content services, digital workplace and archiving

HQ – Heilbronn, Germany

## what it does

dg manages the most important data and information in 530 installations for over 450 enterprise customers, empowers their digital business as well as supporting governance and risk management

## how dg makes money

the business model is perpetual licensing with long term maintenance and service

The objective is to build a global leader in Content Services



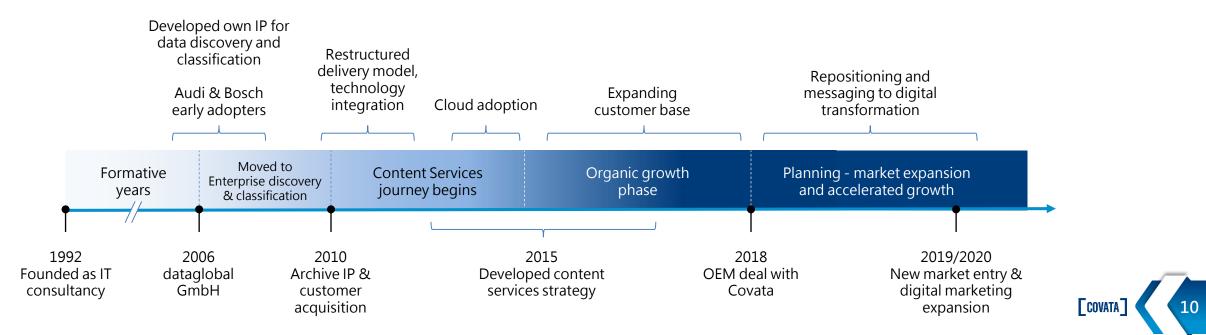
## Wolfgang Munz – CEO-designate 'dataglobal Limited'



#### dataglobal<sup>xx</sup>

empowering your digital business

- Wolfgang Munz is the founder and principal shareholder of dataglobal GmbH and is in charge of product strategy and development, with a degree in Engineering from the University of Nürnberg
- Wolfgang's goal is to be on the forefront of data management, providing state-of-the-art technology in data management and adding value to dataglobal's customers
- By recognizing trends and developing new technologies and with an uncompromising focus on product quality and customer satisfaction, dataglobal strives to stay one step ahead of the competition



## **Business Model and Growth**

#### The business and business model is agile, lean and efficient and leveraged for growth<sup>1</sup>



- Based in Heilbronn, Baden-Württemberg one of the leading economic and innovative regions in Germany and Europe (45 mins from Stuttgart)
- Over 450 large enterprise and government customers including in Germany, Switzerland, Austria, France but deployed in over 40 countries
- FY19 (31/3) revenue A\$7.3M (unaudited), > 60% recurring
- Leveraging agile development labs in Cluj (Romania) and Hamburg
- Excellent business processes and product Quality Assurance
- Very established DACH region distribution

**Effective Pricing** 

- Perpetual (upfront) licensing model plus ongoing maintenance typically 19-20% p.a. plus services
- Opportunity to leverage increased prices (5%-10%)

#### Loyal longstanding Customers

- No customer dependency (< 5% of revenue)</li>
- Focus on customer lifetime value (LTV) (avg life > 10 years with less than 1% churn p.a.)
- LTV:CAC > 4x

#### Multi-Channel strategy

- 50% direct and indirect sales
- Indirect through (30) localised IT consultants and distributors in DACH region

#### Agile development

Use of Cluj, Romania development facility (60-70% lower cost)

#### Best practice margins

- Gross margins >80% and expandable
- Net margin targets compelling



## dataglobal – high quality customers



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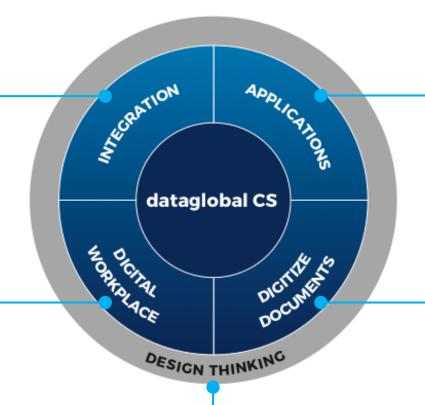
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## dataglobal-product platform

#### dataglobal Content Services leverages business information to drive digital transformation

our APIs integrate data sources with any enterprise application or business process

UI/UX enables mobile, secure and simple access to your enterprise information



email and file management across common platforms, e.g. SAP and Microsoft

quickly and reliably import any document to support your business processes

Rapid, user-driven and transparent design keeps ahead of the complexity and pace of enterprise problems



## **Customer references and use cases**

#### dataglobal has demonstrated it can displace competitors in key accounts



Swiss national food industry champion

Implementation of dataglobal Content Services archiving and digital workplace solution to improve operational efficiency and user and customer experience

> "We are completely satisfied with dataglobal's content services. We have a solution that has been making history in our field for 20 years now and that gives us a very good feeling for the future"

Rolf Schwab, Head of ICT, Zweifel Pomy-Chips AG



World market leader in tippers, tipping trailers, and elevator doors for passenger and freight elevators

XX Implementation of e-Mail Management and SAP-Archiving reducing system and maintenance costs and replacing and migration of e-mails already archived by CommVault and SAP data archived by OpenText

"The company-wide archiving originally planned under pure compliance and infrastructure aspects has meanwhile become an essential foundation for optimizing and digitizing our business processes"

Richard Lind, IT, F.X. Meiller GmbH & Co. KG



Universal Music Group (UMG), a major music label with the world's largest share of the music market

Archiving of approximately 55 million documents in the German archive and 18 million in the European archive, including SAP Finance and incoming invoices worldwide

Otto Fuchs is a global leader creating products in the aerospace, automotive and construction industries as well as in industrial engineering

Adtaglobal CS guarantees the preservation and archiving of 50 years of production data and replaced SER, a leading Germanbased content management service. dataglobal provides ongoing email management and SAP archiving



International logistics service provider with over 29,000 people at 610 locations worldwide

X Utilisation of email archiving allowing seamless transition from Lotus Notes to Microsoft Exchange

HAMBURG

Global leader in the international logistics service and container shipping sector.

Worldwide deployment of dataglobal CS for over 10 years

#### MARS

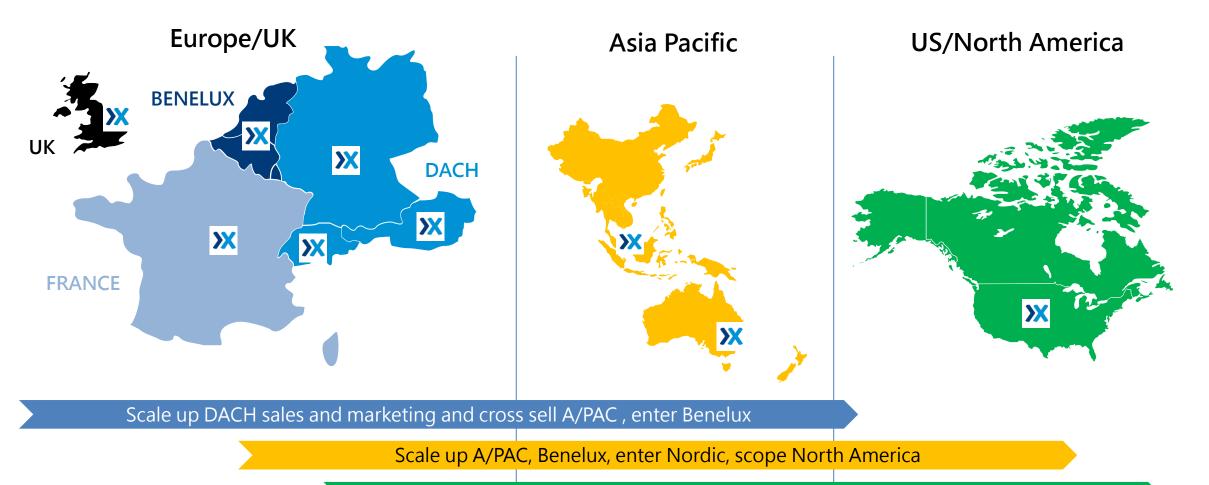
The seventh largest privately owned and unlisted company in the United States

 Data archiving for the group, 421 locations in 78 countries with over 75,000 employees



## 3-4 Year Market Growth plan

The growth opportunity beyond the DACH region is significant



Scale up Nordic, scope and enter North America

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# Market and Competition



#### dataglobal well positioned to be the disruptive champion

Market Trends	Market Drivers
Digital transformation is market hot button and where enterprise wallet is being allocated	Effective digital transformation requires data integrity, archival, security, retrieval and search
IDC: spending on digital transformation efforts, growing 42% YoY, to over \$1.7 trillion	Heightened European focus on information governance and regulation – GDPR

Total Market	Addressable <sup>1</sup>
<ul> <li>The Content Services (CS) market totalled \$9.6 billion, 15% CAGR</li> <li>2/3rds in North America and Western Europe</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>US\$5-7bn (includes ECM, EIM, IA)</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>The CS Platform market is 66% of the overall CS market — at \$6.4 billion</li> <li>Microsoft, OpenText and IBM retained the top three positions</li> </ul>	Immediately addressable estimated atUS\$2bn+

Sources: Gartner Magic Quadrant for Content Services Platforms Published 25 October 2018 (G00343925); IDC

#### Gartner. 2018 Magic Quadrant\*



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Indicative target positioning in the Content Services space



## **Competition and comparables**

#### dataglobal well positioned to displace incumbents

## Large ECM players

#### opentext

Open Text Corporation, Nasdaq listed, provides a platform and suite of software products and services that assist organizations in finding, utilizing, and sharing business information from any device.

Est revs US\$2.8bn EV US\$12bn

> Hyland creator of OnBase

Hyland is a developer of the ECM and process management software suite called OnBase

Thomas Bravo PE owned Est revs US\$500m+

#### Microsoft<sup>®</sup>

#### **Content Services**

Microsoft is moving from legacy enterprise content management (ECM). Their content services platform seeks to provide security, compliance and new content capabilities

mimecast<sup>®</sup>

specializing in cloud-based email

Exchange and Microsoft Office 365,

including security, archiving, and

Mimecast is a company

management for Microsoft

continuity services to protect

business mail

Est revs \$US300M Market cap US\$2.92bn Revenues ~A\$60m Market cap \$242m

in UK

## **M-Files**°

**Objective** 

Listed Australian based provider of

governance software solutions or

all levels of Government locally and

information and process

Information Management helps enterprises find, share, and secure documents and information. Ideal for regulatory compliance

Est revenues US\$72m Funding raised US\$76m

# NUXED

Niche players

US based software company providing a content management platform for business applications for companies across a wide range of vertical markets.

Est revs US\$14.5m Funding raised US\$37.9m



Alfresco helps teams share, manage and retain content across the extended enterprise

Est revs US\$87m Funding raised US\$92m but now acquired by Thomas H Lee partners

## **Relevant Multiples**

Company	Ticker	Revenue/ Enterprise Value
OpenText	NAS:OTEX	3.79
Вох	NYSE:BOX	4.5
Objective	ASX:OCL	4.5
Mimecast	NAS:MIME	9.7
M-Files Alfresco	VC/PE	n/a

#### dg acquisition at 2.8x



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