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# Recap: TAKKT's 2022 financial ambition and new strategy introduced in March

2022 Ambition





TAKKTs STRATEGY

**GROWTH** 

"Opportunity through customer focus via new division set-up"

**ONETAKKT** 

"Scalability and efficiency via integration"

**CARING** 

"Comprehensive approach with focus on customers, employees and the environment"

# 2022 financial targets achieved despite a challenging economic environment

**GROWTH** 

High single-digit organic sales growth

EURm 1,336.8 (+7.5%)



**EARNINGS** 



EBITDA between EUR 120 to 130 million

EURm 132.1 (+17.3%)



**CASH** 



FCF with stronger increase than EBITDA

EURm 70.4 (+35.8%)



Guidance and

target 2022

Results

# TAKKT strategy executed successfully in all three pillars

#### Growth

- ✓ I&P division integrated
- ✓ Cross-selling started
- ✓ Common e-com targets and performance metrics
- ✓ Smart pricing: Inflation
- ✓ Repositioning of Hubert and D2G initiated

#### **OneTAKKT**

- ✓ Build-up of Group functions
- ✓ Harmonization of tech platform initiated
- ✓ Network study for logistics footprint in Europe and US
- ✓ Supplier Days

## Caring

- ✓ Enkelfähig products make up 20% of order intake
- ✓ cNPS of 58 confirms customer satisfaction
- ✓ Diversity increased with 43% share of women in Extended Executive Team

Strong cash flow generation allows returns to shareholders and M&A at the same time

## **Cash generation**

- Good cash generation in 2022
- Very solid balance sheet with equity ratio above 60%

## **Share buyback**

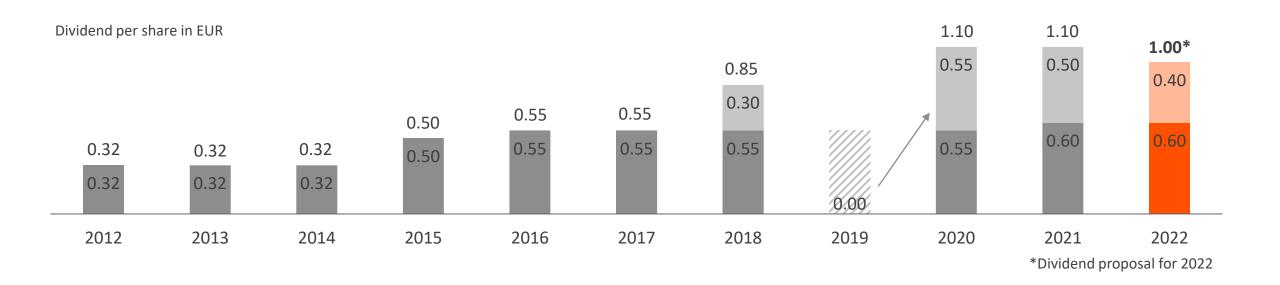
- Continuation of share buyback for up to EUR 25 million
- TAKKT bought back 520k shares for EUR 6.7 million until mid February

#### M&A

 Enough financial resources to increase focus on M&A and close several transactions in 2023 and the following years TAKKT proposes payment of special dividend due to solid balance sheet and good cash generation

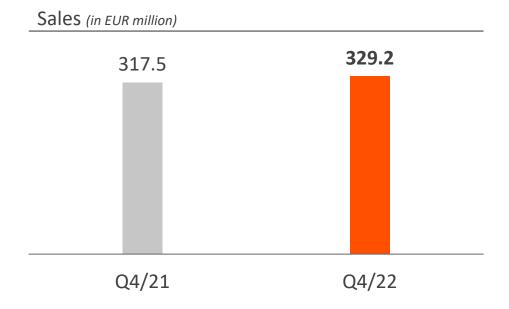
## **Dividend proposal**

- Management proposes payment of special dividend (EUR 0.40) in addition to base dividend (EUR 0.60)
- Dividend yield of 7% at current share price

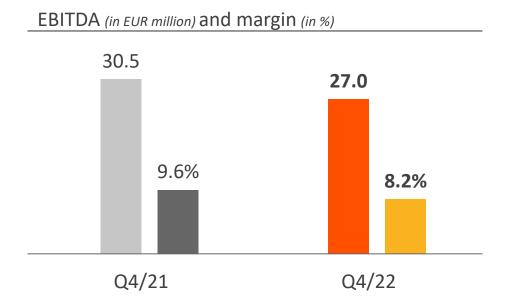


Financials Q4 and full year 2022

## Q4 2022: TAKKT Group



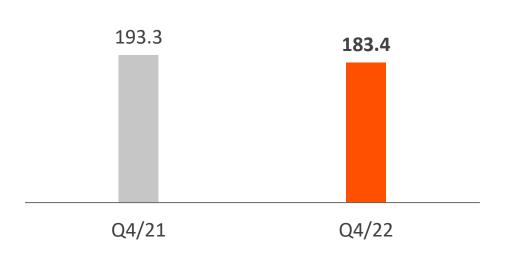
- Slow down in customer demand due to uncertain economic environment
- Sales increased by 3.7% due to positive effects from currency fluctuations (4.7%), primarily from a stronger US-Dollar
- Slight decline in organic sales with -1.0%



- EBITDA was EUR 27.0 (30.5) million, EBITDA margin at 8.2% (9.6%)
- Temporary negative effects on gross profit
- One-time expenses and gains with a positive net impact of around EUR 1 million (Q4/21: one-time costs of less than EUR 3 million)
- Increase in transformation costs

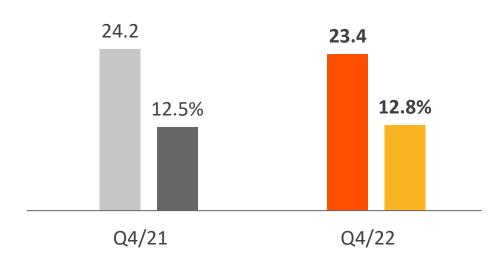
# Q4 2022: Industrial & Packaging

#### Sales (in EUR million)



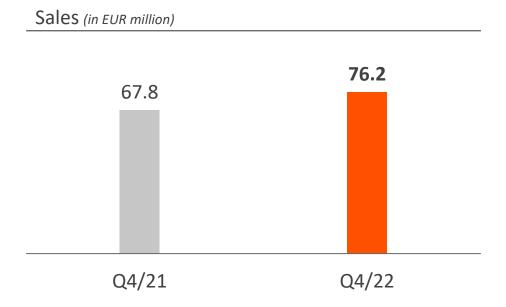
- Sales decrease by 5.1%
- Organic sales decline of 5.1%
- Double-digit sales decline in UK

#### EBITDA (in EUR million) and margin (in %)

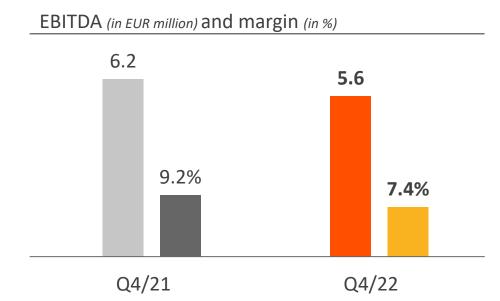


- EBITDA at EUR 23.4 (24.2) million
- EBITDA margin improved to 12.8% (12.5%), supported by a lower marketing cost ratio
- Gross profit margin only 30bp below prior year
- Negative one-time costs of around EUR 2 million in Q4/21

# Q4 2022: Office Furniture & Displays

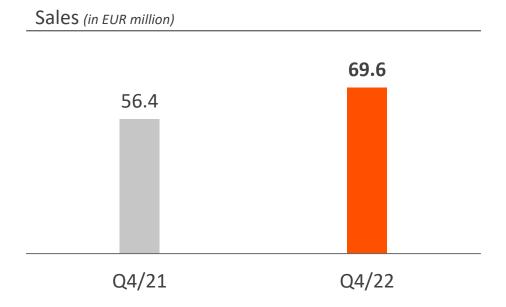


- Sales increase by 12.3% with positive contributions from currency fluctuations (+11.8%)
- Organic sales increase of 0.5%
- Good organic growth at Display2go, slight decline at NBF

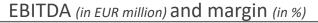


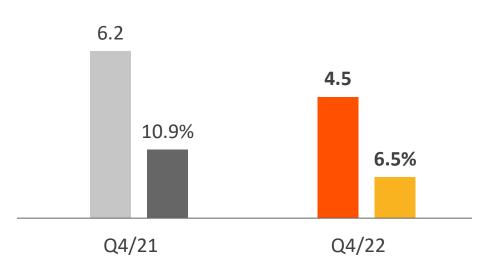
- EBITDA at EUR 5.6 (6.2) million, EBITDA margin at 7.4% (9.2%)
- D2G with substantially lower gross profit margin, partly due to positive effect from inventory valuation in Q4/21
- One-time gain of less than EUR 2 million in Q4/22 due to reversal of provision for sales tax risk

# Q4 2022: FoodService



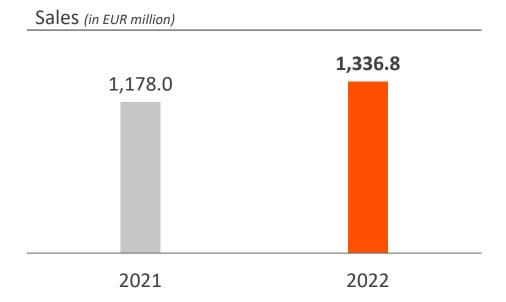
- Sales increase by 23.5%, positive currency effects from a stronger US-Dollar of 12.2%
- Strong organic sales growth of 11.3% with both business units achieving double-digit organic growth

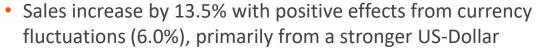




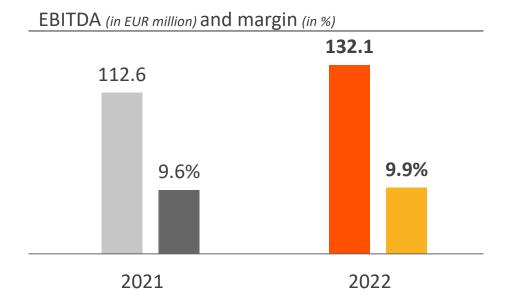
- EBITDA at EUR 4.5 (6.2) million, EBITDA margin decreased to 6.5% (10.9%)
- Gross profit negatively impacted by inventory obsolescence
- Negative one-time effects of less than EUR 1 million due to the organizational realignment

# 2022: TAKKT Group



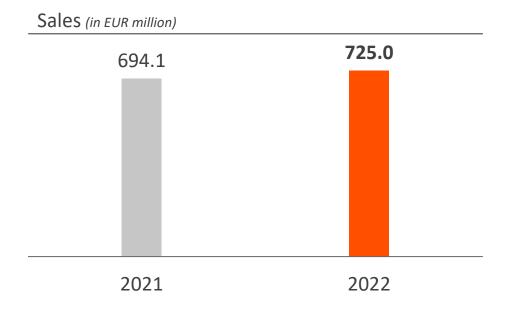


- Good organic sales growth of 7.5%
- Especially dynamic growth in both US divisions

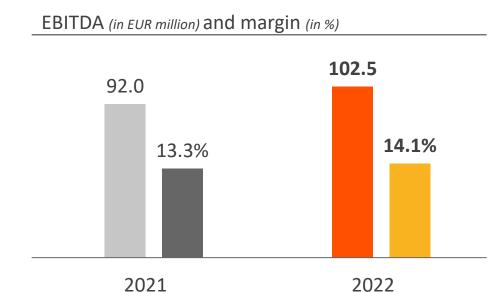


- EBITDA increased to EUR 132.1 (112.6) million, EBITDA margin improved to 9.9% (9.6%)
- Gross profit margin at 39.3% (40.2%), half of the decline due to structural effect (higher share of US business)
- Good operational leverage with lower marketing and personnel cost ratios
- One-time expenses and gains resulted in a negative impact of EUR 2.4 (6.1) million

# 2022: Industrial & Packaging

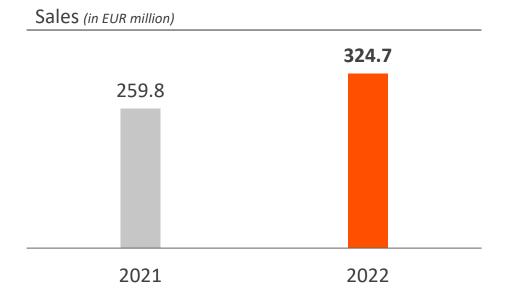


- Sales increase by 4.4%; positive currency effects of 0.7%
- Organic sales growth of 3.7%
- All regions with positive growth except for the UK; doubledigit growth in Eastern Europe

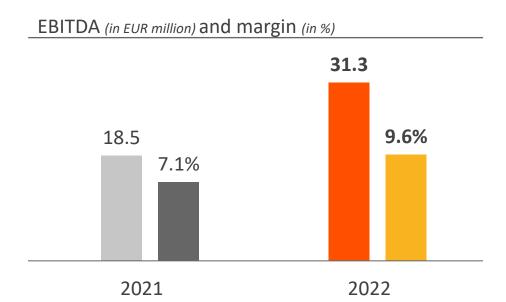


- EBITDA increased to EUR 102.5 (92.0) million
- EBITDA margin improved to 14.1% (13.3%)
- One-time costs of less than EUR 2 million in 2022 and 2021

# 2022: Office Furniture & Displays

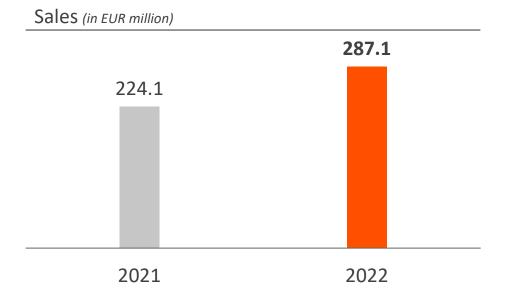


- Sales increase by 25.0% with positive effects from currency fluctuations (13.7%)
- Strong organic sales growth of 11.3%
- Both business units achieved double-digit organic growth



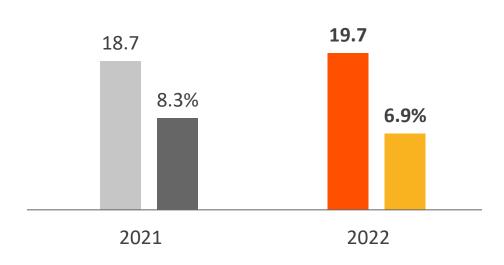
- Strong increase in EBITDA to EUR 31.3 (18.5) million, EBITDA margin improved significantly to 9.6% (7.1%)
- Increase in earnings driven by strong growth, recovery in displays business and one-time effects
- Reversal of a provision resulted in a positive impact of less than EUR 2 million (2021: one-time costs of around EUR 3 million)

## 2022: FoodService



- Sales increase by 28.1%, positive currency effects from a stronger US-Dollar of 13.2%
- Division achieved with 14.9% strongest organic growth in the Group
- Both business units with double-digit organic growth

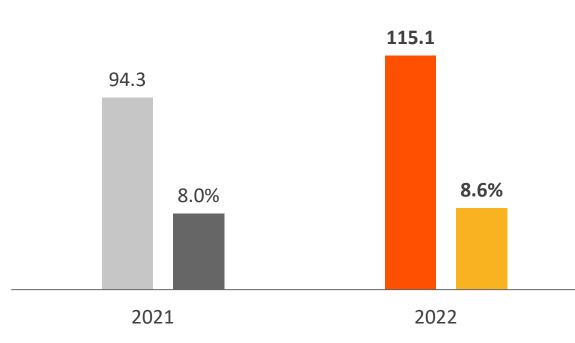
#### EBITDA (in EUR million) and margin (in %)



- EBITDA increased to EUR 19.7 (18.7) million, EBITDA margin at 6.9% (8.3%)
- Lower gross profit margin due to higher freight costs and inventory valuation
- Negative one-time effects of less than EUR 1 million due to the organizational realignment

## 2022: TAKKT cash flow





TAKKT cash flow with similar increase as EBITDA

in EUR million	2021	2022
Profit	57.0	59.3
+ depreciation	+38.7	+51.3
+/- deferred taxes expense/income	+2.7	+0.7
+/- other non-cash expenses/income	-1.4	+3.6
+/- result from non-cur. asset disposal	-2.8	+0.2
TAKKT cash flow	94.3	115.1
in EUR million	2021	2022
EBITDA	112.6	132.1
- financial result	-1.1	-4.9
- current taxes	-13.0	-15.9
+/- other non-cash expenses/income	-1.4	+3.6
+/- result from non-cur. asset disposal	-2.8	+0.2
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# Cash flow generation

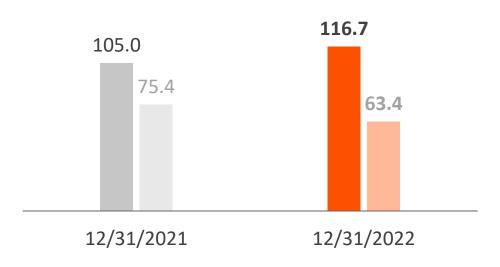
in EUR million	2021	H1/22	H2/22	2022
TAKKT cash flow	94.3	58.9	56.2	115.1
Change in net working capital as well as other adjustments	-38.0	-53.5	+22.8	-30.7
Cash flow from operating activities	56.3	5.4	79.0	84.4
Capital expenditure in non- current assets	-18.3	-6.9	-7.7	-14.6
Proceeds from disposal of non-current assets	+13.9	+0.2	+0.4	+0.6
Free TAKKT cash flow (for acquisitions, payout to shareholders and loan repayments)	51.9	-1.3	71.7	70.4

- Increase in net working capital, due to build up of inventories to improve product availability and of trade receivables following growth
- Capital expenditure comparably low
- Cash inflow from sale of investments of EUR 13.4 million in prior year
- Free TAKKT cash flow increased by more than EUR 70 million in H2

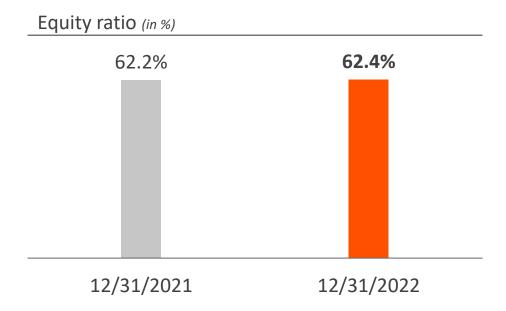
## Balance sheet

Net financial liabilities (of which lease liabilities)

(in EUR million)



 Slight increase in net financial liabilities, but still on a low level



• Equity ratio above the target corridor of 30 to 60 percent

First glance into 2023

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#### **Economic environment**

- Economic forecasts for 2023 with high degree of uncertainty
- Current assumptions:
  - Inflation remains high
  - Economy in EU and US with continuous headwind
  - Tight labor market
  - Improved product availability

### **Challenges and expectations**

- Economic uncertainty demands flexible approach and more frequent adjustments
- TAKKT expects a slow start to the year and then an improvement in the second half
- Cost headwinds from inflationary pressure (higher raw material and product costs, wage adjustments to compensate inflation)

#### **Key focus for TAKKT**

- Gross Margin:
  - Margin improvements from sourcing, pricing and discounting
  - Inflation: Continue to pass on higher prices
- Strict cost management
- Cash generation and actively managing net working capital
- Continue with strategy execution

# Summary: Continue with strategy implementation on Growth, OneTAKKT and Caring



Delivered on financial and strategic goals

Successful 2022



Bringing new worlds of work to life: Growth – OneTAKKT – Caring



Clear vision & strategy

Clear priorities 2023



Strong dividend commitment

**Outlook:** 

More details to come on March 28

Attractive dividend:
Proposal to pay out a dividend
of EUR 1.00 per share

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28. Annual report 2022 and analysts' conference

#### **April**

27. Quarterly statement 1/2023

## **Basic data TAKKT share**

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No. shares 65,610,331

Type No-par-value bearer shares

Share capital EUR 65,610,331

Listing September 15, 1999

Designated sponsors Hauck Aufhäuser Lampe, ODDO BHF

# Historic share price development (Xetra)



# Appendix: Organic sales growth

Organic growth	Q1/21	Q2/21	Q3/21	Q4/21	2021	Q1/22	Q2/22	Q3/22	Q4/22	2022
TAKKT Group	-3.3%	24.6%	12.1%	14.4%	11.4%	18.9%	6.8%	7.0%	-1.0%	7.5%
Industrial & Packaging*	3.6%	30.3%	13.5%	13.7%	14.5%	12.6%	5.8%	2.7%	-5.1%	3.7%
Office Furniture & Displays*	-14.8%	25.7%	13.7%	13.1%	8.1%	24.3%	11.8%	11.1%	0.5%	11.3%
FoodService*	-8.6%	10.8%	7.1%	18.6%	6.7%	35.6%	4.1%	13.7%	11.3%	14.9%

<sup>\*</sup> New division structure implemented at the beginning of 2022. The table shows the pro forma figures for 2021 in the new structure.

# Appendix: Structure of sales development

in %	Q1/22	Q2/22	Q3/22	Q4/22	2022
TAKKT Group in EUR	23.3%	13.0%	15.6%	3.7%	13.5%
organic	18.9%	6.8%	7.0%	-1.0%	7.5%
currency	4.4%	6.2%	8.6%	4.7%	6.0%
acquisition/divestment	-	-	-	-	-
Industrial & Packaging in EUR	14.0%	6.6%	3.8%	-5.1%	4.4%
organic	12.6%	5.8%	2.7%	-5.1%	3.7%
currency	1.4%	0.8%	1.1%	0.0%	0.7%
acquisition/divestment	-	-	-	-	-
Office Furniture & Displays in EUR	33.4%	26.1%	29.4%	12.3%	25.0%
organic	24.3%	11.8%	11.1%	0.5%	11.3%
currency	9.1%	14.3%	18.3%	11.8%	13.7%
acquisition/divestment	-	-	-	-	-
FoodService in EUR	45.1%	16.5%	31.1%	23.5%	28.1%
organic	35.6%	4.1%	13.7%	11.3%	14.9%
currency	9.5%	12.4%	17.4%	12.2%	13.2%
acquisition/divestment	-	-	-	-	-