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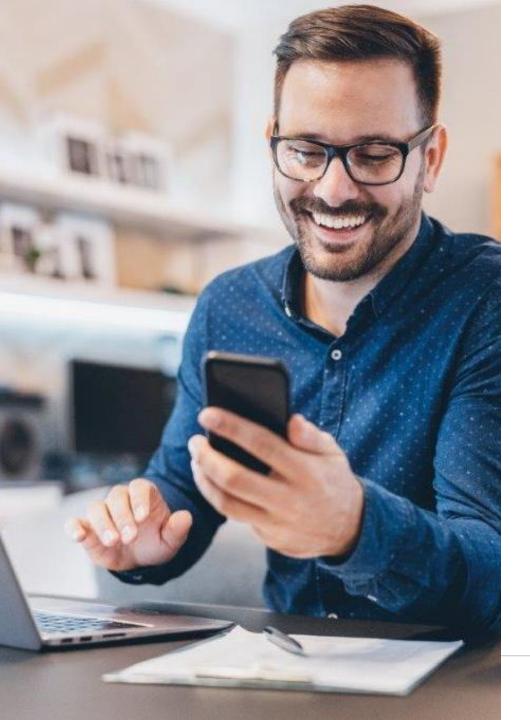
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## Q1 2022 Highlights

- → A performance slightly below expectations for the quarter:
  - Q1 2022 revenue decrease by -4.8% vs. Q1 2021, i.e. €-5.2 m
  - Customer base at 304k as at 31st March 2022 vs. 309k 31st December 2021
  - Flat ARPA at c.€1,360
  - Controlled churn rate<sup>1</sup> at 13.7% in Q1 2022, vs. 12.8% for the full year 2021 but significantly below Q1 2021 churn rate (16.7%)
- → Flat order backlog at €243m as at 31st March 2022
- > Secured revenue for 2022 of €286.2 million
- → 2022 Outlook confirmed and continued roll-out of the Strategic Plan



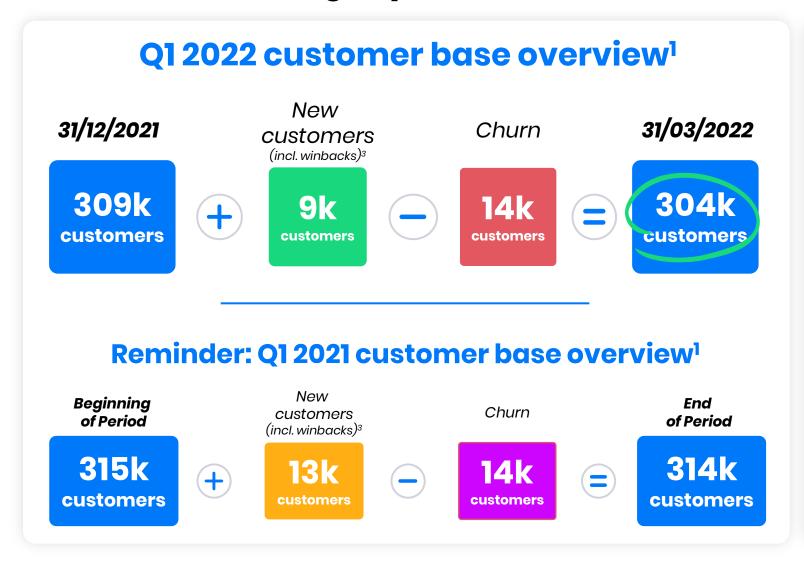


# **Business update**

# **Hervé Milcent**

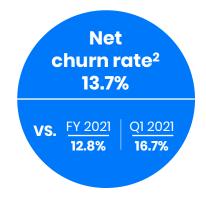
**Chief Executive Officer** 

# Customer base slightly down in Q1 2022 (-5k customers)



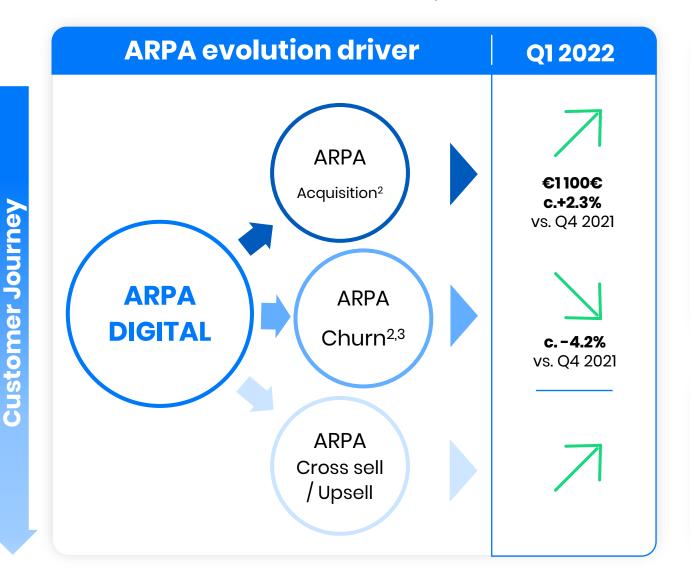
#### Customer base in Q1 2022

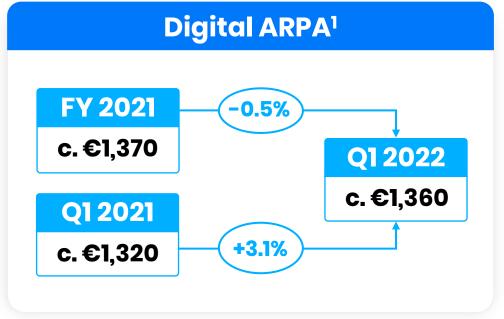
- 304k customers vs. 309k as at 31st December 2021
- Churn<sup>2</sup>:
  - decrease by -3pts vs. Q1 2021; but
  - slightly higher vs. 31 Dec 2021, as forecasted
- Churn rate management remains Solocal's top priority in 2022

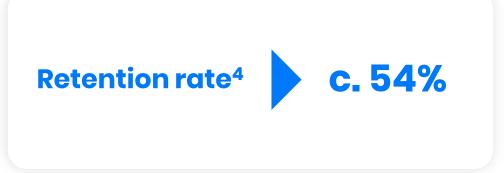




## Q1 2022: ARPA stable at c.€1,360

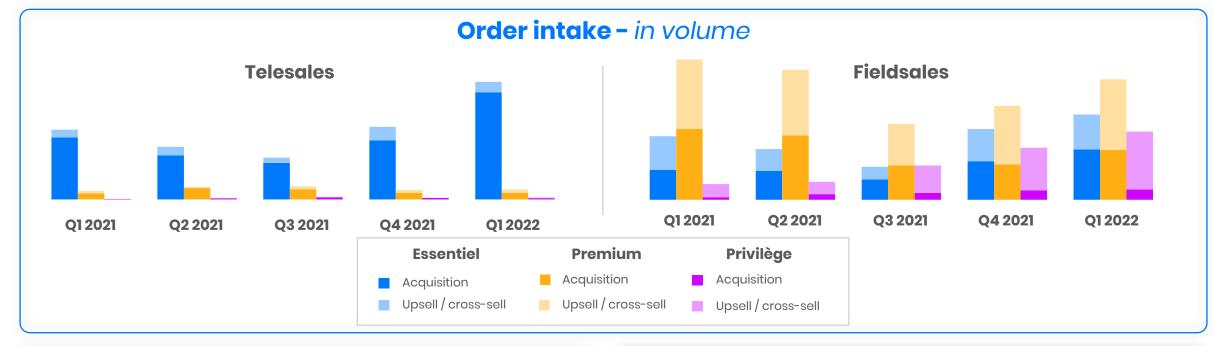








## Websites: commercial strategy is bearing its first fruits





- Strategy on websites starting to bear its fruits:
  - Telesales: mainly focused on acquisition via the "Essentiel" range of products
  - **Fieldsales:** hybrid strategy of **acquisition** (mainly Essentiel & Premium) + **upsell & cross-sell** on Premium & Privilège websites
- No compromise on quality of websites, which reflects into customer satisfaction ratings





# Q1 Revenue

# Olivier Regnard Chief Financial Officer

## Q1 2022 revenue decrease by -4.8% slightly below expected decrease

	Q4 2021	Q1 2022	Q1 2021	Change QoQ
Revenue (in million euro)	105.9	101.5	106.6	-4.8%
Subscription-based order intake (as a % of order intake) <sup>1</sup>	89%	96%	88%	+7 pts









### **Overview of Solocal revenue**

	Connect <sup>1</sup>	Websites <sup>2</sup>	Booster <sup>3</sup>	TOTAL
Q1 2022	€36.2m	€15.2m	€50.1m	€101.5m
Q1 2021	€31.1m	€15.7m	€59.9m	€106.6m
Change	+16.6%	-3.2%	-16.4%	-4.8%

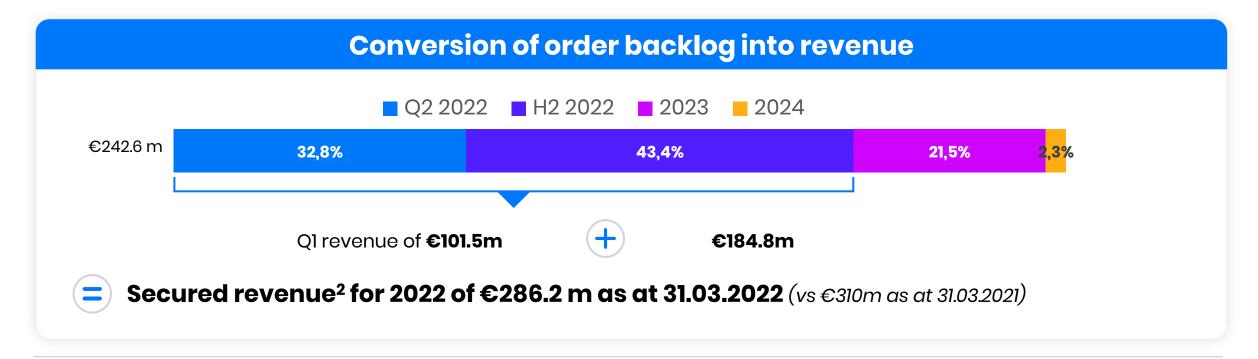


## Stable order backlog¹ of €243 m and €286 m of secured revenue for 2022

Reminder: Order backlog<sup>1</sup> as at 31.03.2021 is not fully comparable to order backlog as at 31.03.2022 because of change in order intake booking dates, due to change in business model (subscription mode)

	Dec 2021	March 2022	Change
Order backlog¹ (in € million)	243.5	242.6	-0.4%









# Strategic plan follow-up

# **Hervé Milcent**

**Chief Executive Officer** 

# Follow up strategic plan achievements over Q1 2022 (1/2)

**Performance management** A strengthened management 1 new Field sales Director at a local level 3 new Regional Directors hired • 85% of the weight of the compensation plan project focused on **new business** (acquisition & cross sell) **Compensation plan project** · New objectives for Managers HR • 1 dedicated HR manager for each region in charge of workforce planning, staffing, and career development partnership **Execution Regions** Optimization started **Business performance**  Better local coverage & ONGOING • Recruitment of ~78 hunters planned & ONGOING **Staffing** → As at end of Q1 2022: 140 hunters in the salesforce Goal at c. 190 hunters



# Follow up strategic plan achievements over Q1 2022 (2/2)

**Sales Campus**  Welcome process Targeted training Methods & tools Prospection plans with new optimized tools New methods & tools to support acquisition activity Data analytics



## Follow up strategic plan achievements over Q1 2022

#### PHYSICAL SUPPORT

#### For new customers

#### **Customer Success Manager**

- Systematic customer onboarding & more regular training
- A unique interlocutor, with steps from beginning to end of customer journey

#### For existing customers

#### **Customer Care Manager**

 to handle customer questions, requests & complaints according to Solocal standards



In progress

In progress

#### Backed by

#### phygital approach



300k + customers & prospects

# **TRUST**



#### **DIGITAL SUPPORT**

#### For all customers

- Easy access to performance in terms of digital exposure
- More impactful & comprehensible KPIs

#### In progress

#### New dashboards rolled-out



#### RELEVANCE & ACCURACY

#### **Enhanced performance**

- Optimized search engine for best results
- Quality scoring
- User generated content



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#### **USER EXPERIENCE**

#### **More transparency**

- Brand **new app**
- Professionals badges displayed
- PagesJaunes label to distinguish best professionals

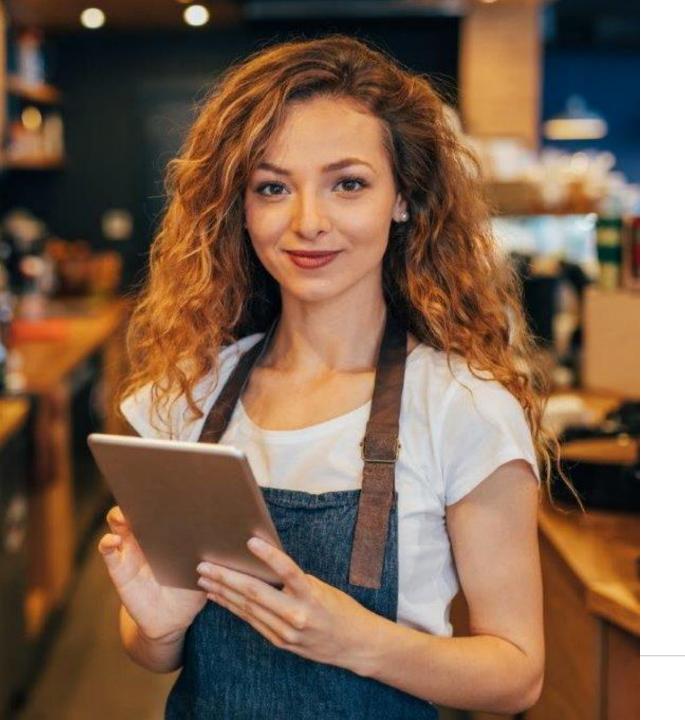




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# Conclusion

# **Hervé Milcent**

**Chief Executive Officer** 

## Wrap up

#### → 2022, a consolidation year:

#### Good momentum on operational KPIs:

- Flat ARPA stable vs. 31st December 2021
- Significant net churn controlled: 13.7% in Q1 2022 vs. 16.7% in Q1 2021
- Slight reduction in the customer base, a performance slighty below expectations

#### 2022 ambitions confirmed

- Revenue comparable to 2021
- EBITDA comparable to 2021
- Operating Free Cash Flow<sup>1</sup> comparable to 2021





# A&P