

Summary FY 2021 preliminary results



Net revenue increased to €3,510 million – fully in line with our growth targets despite cyclical headwinds.









EBITDA increased to **€2,043 million**.

Development in FY 2021

Fully in line with our guidance

Net revenue | €m **EBITDA** | €m Cash EPS¹)|€ +11% +9% **CAGR CAGR** 3,510 6.98 3,214 6.07 2,936 +10% 5.64 2,043 1,869 1,678

2020

2019

2021

Note

FY 2021 results in line with our annual guidance:

Net revenue: ~ €3.5 bn
 EBITDA: ~ €2.0 bn

FY 2021 in line with our Compass 2023 mid-term guidance:

- CAGR: ~10% growth for net revenue, EBITDA and Cash EPS
- Successful execution of M&A agenda
- Growth becoming less dependent on cyclicality

Recurring net revenue share:

Increase to 55%

2020

2019

2021

2019

2020

2021

Successful execution of M&A agenda in 2021

M&A focus areas

Data & analytics

- Index and analytics
- ESG



Trading & clearing

- Commodities
- Foreign exchange
- Fixed income

Fund services



Developments in 2021

• Integration of ISS: business well on track, with prospects of double digit net revenue growth.

 Majority stake in Crypto Finance: foundation for building an independent, transparent, and highly scalable regulated ecosystem for digital assets.

 Acquisition of remaining stake in Clearstream Fund Centre: business on track to deliver continued strong organic net revenue growth.

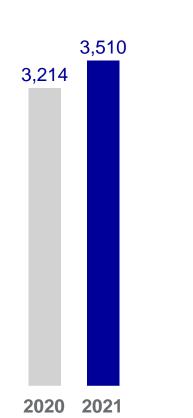
Preliminary Group financials

FY 2021

Net revenue | €m

7 +9%

7 +2% (organic)



EBITDA | €m

7 +9%

1,869

2020

7 +6% (organic)

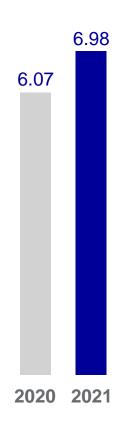
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2021

Cash EPS¹) | €

7 +15%

7 +12% (organic)

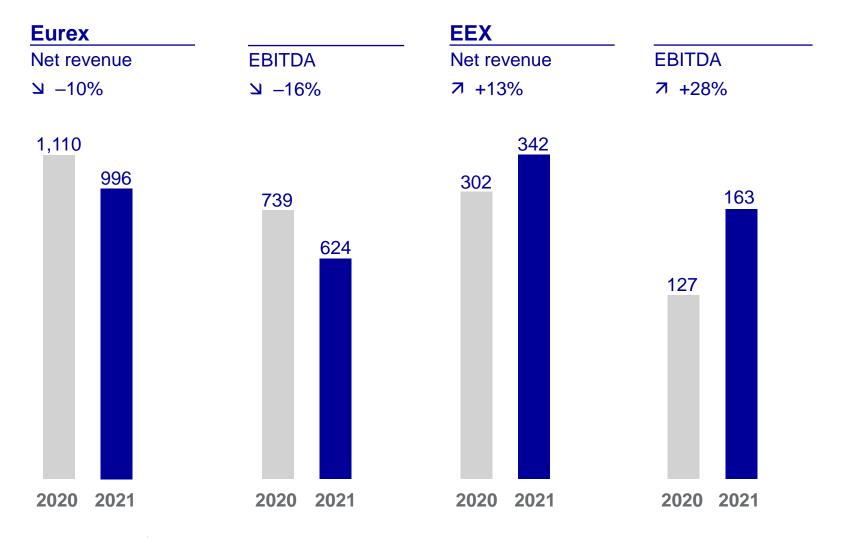


Note

- Secular net revenue growth of 6% with contribution from all segments
- EBITDA increase by 9% with contribution from VC portfolio
- EPS increase by 15%

Development of segment financials (I/IV)

FY 2021 | €m



Business activity

Eurex:

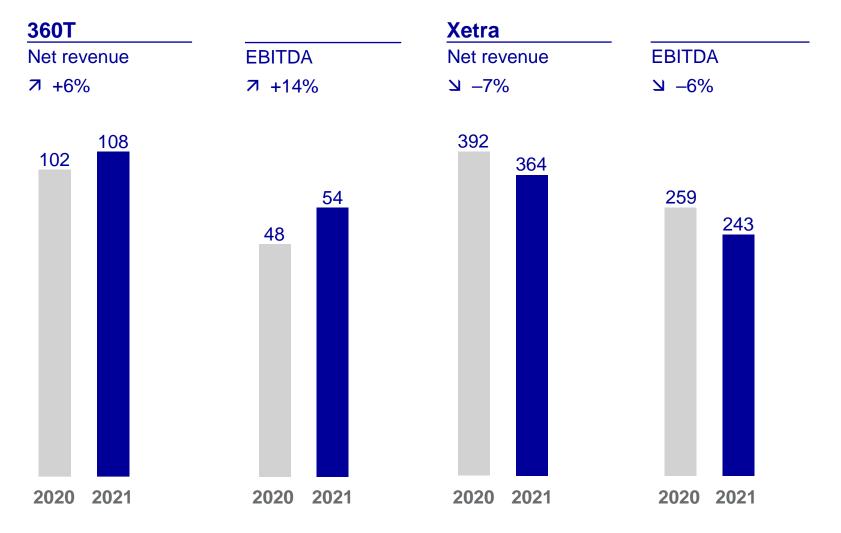
- Cyclical decline in index derivatives
- Continuing secular growth

EEX:

- Secular growth in renewable energy
- Growth due to substantial need for hedging

Development of segment financials (II/IV)

FY 2021 | €m



Business activity

360T:

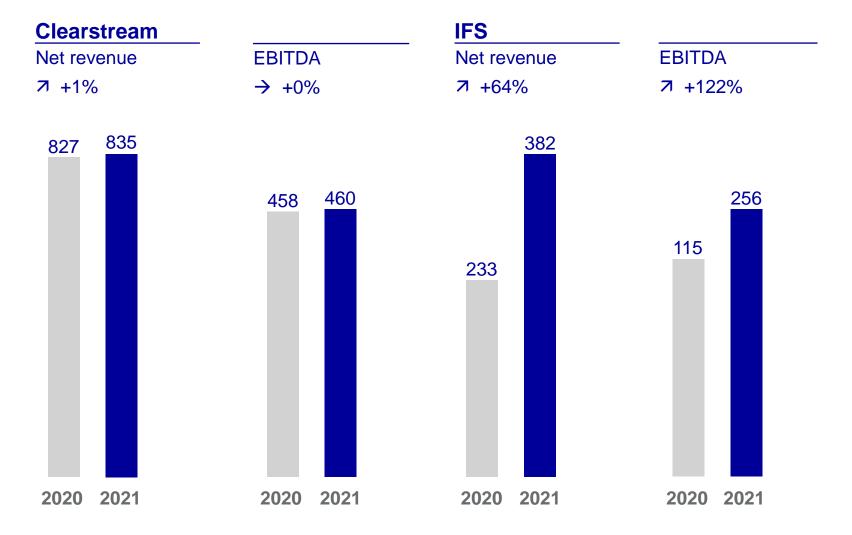
FX trading benefits from electronisation

Xetra:

- Cyclical decline in trading
- Growth in listing

Development of segment financials (III/IV)

FY 2021 | €m



Business activity

Clearstream:

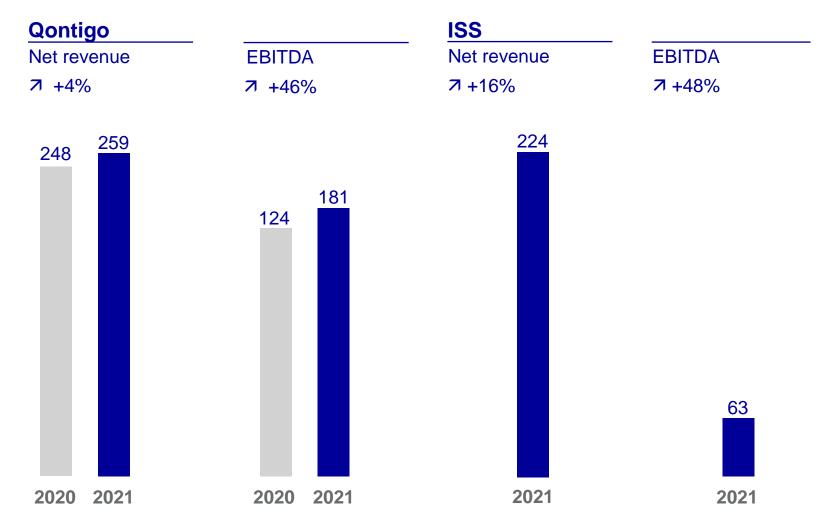
- Growth in custody and settlement
- Launch of digital platform D7

IFS:

- Complete acquisition of Clearstream Fund Centre
- Organic growth: +28%
- Long-term growth market

Development of segment financials (IV/IV)

FY 2021 | €m



Business activity

Qontigo:

- Positive effects through Exchange Traded Funds (ETFs)
- Reform of DAX index

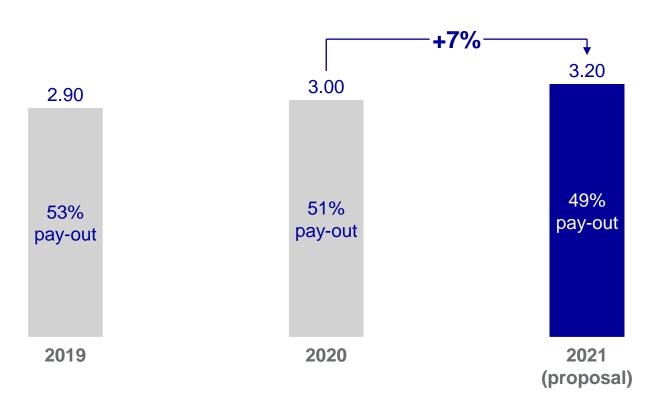
ISS:

Growth in ESG analytics

Dividend proposal

FY 2021

Dividend per share and pay-out | €

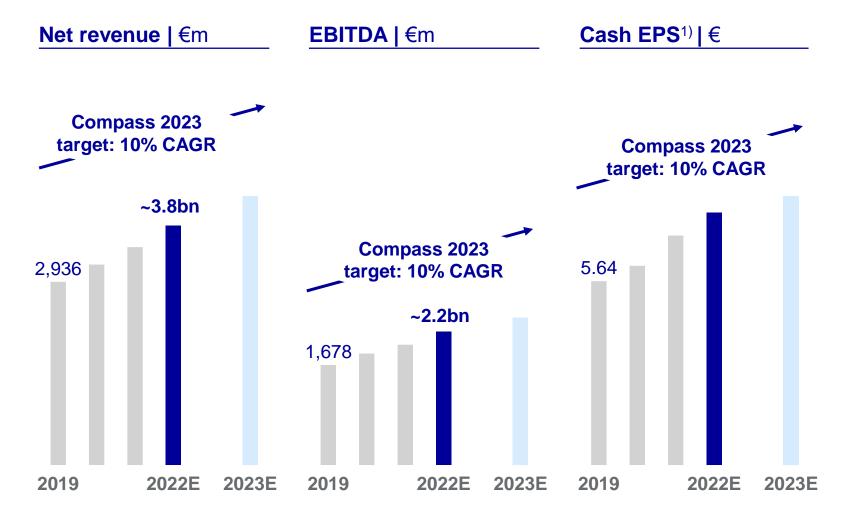


Capital management policy

- Deutsche Börse aims to distribute 40%–60% of annual net profit to shareholders in form of the regular dividend.
- Remaining free cash is planned to be reinvested into the business to support the Group's M&A strategy.

Outlook

FY 2022



Note

Compass 2023 mid-term plan targets 10% growth CAGR for:

- Net revenue (5% secular + 5% M&A)
- EBITDA
- Cash EPS

2022 guidance:

- Net revenue: ~ €3.8 bn
- EBITDA: ~ €2.2 bn

New segment reporting (Q1/2022):

- Reducing complexity
- Highlighting growth areas

We have made significant progress with the implementation of our Compass 2023 strategy since 2019

Strong secular growth

Strong secular net revenue growth with +6% CAGR since 2019.

Over-delivering on M&A

Successful execution of M&A initiatives since 2019 and thus **over-delivering on the Compass 2023 M&A targets.**

Increase of data & analytics exposure

Strengthening data & analytics proposition (Axioma & STOXX) and positioning Deutsche Börse as a top 3 global ESG data provider (ISS); recurring revenue share increased to 55%.

Expansion into fintech space

Expansion into **new asset classes** (e.g. Crypto Finance) and **digital/tech investments** (e.g. digital post-trade platform D7).

Active portfolio management

Portfolio clean up (with the sale of non strategic assets) and funding for fintech **minority investment portfolio** increased.

Key focus going forward is continued execution of Compass 2023

Compass 2023

Secular growth



Key focus areas and strategy enhancements

- Consistently deliver on Compass 2023 secular growth and M&A targets in line with our 10% CAGR "growth formula".
- Benefit from emergence of some cyclical tailwinds in 2022/23.

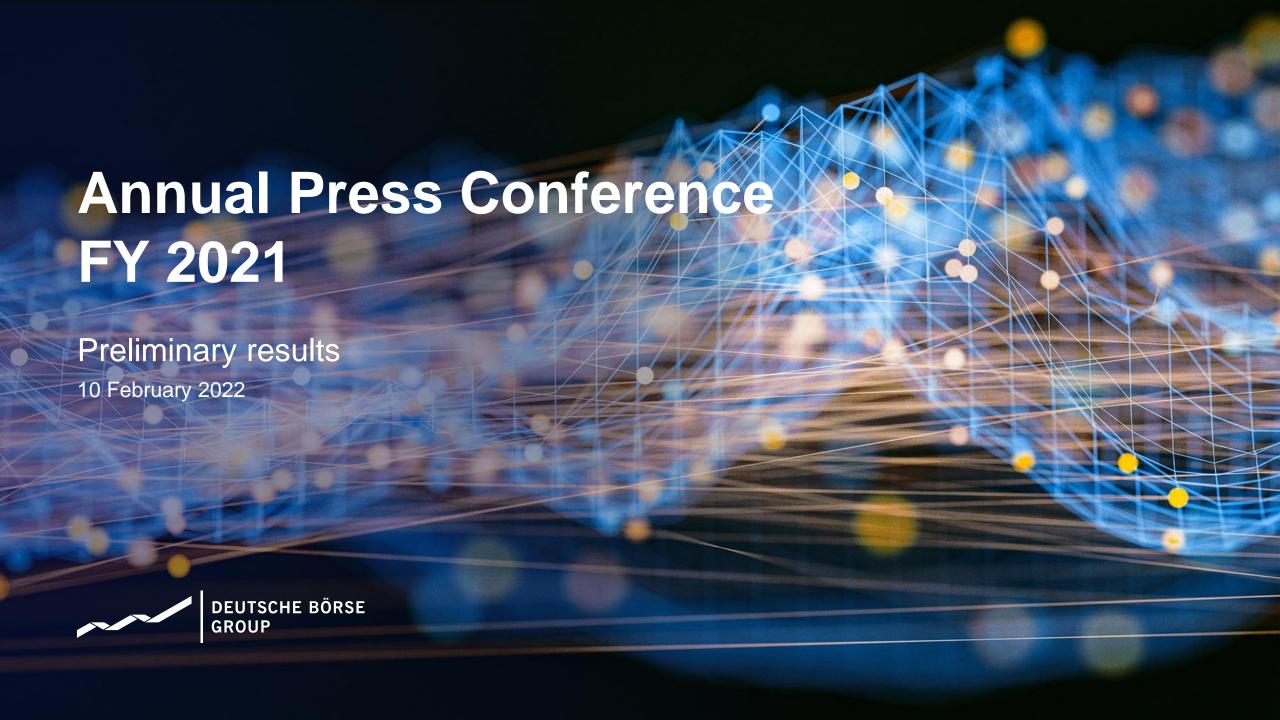
 New Clearstream set-up, with Securities Services and Fund Services becoming separate entities/businesses.

 Further increased focus on ESG by supporting the market in the transition towards sustainable economies and improving our corporate ESG footprint.

Increased focus on ESG is reflected in our KPI dashboard

Key non-financial KPIs

Performance indicator	Target	Achievement 2021
ESG ratings (MSCI, S&P, Sustainalytics)	>90th percentile	95th percentile
CO ₂ emission	Net zero until 2025 (-100% vs. 2019)	−66% vs. 2019
ESG net revenue growth	>10% growth	+210% growth
System availability (Customer-facing IT)	>99.5%	>99.9%
Employee satisfaction	>71.5%	75%
Women in leadership positions	>20%	21%



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