#### H1 2023 Results Presentation

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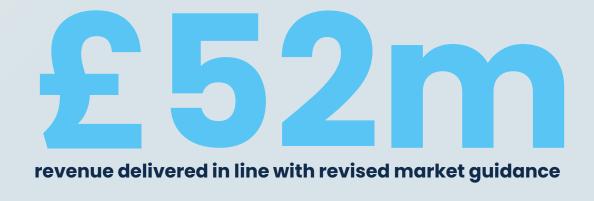


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## The semiconductor industry downturn persisted in H1





#### The industry downturn is stabilising

Pockets of recovery in H2 2023, further improvement expected in 2024



#### Focus for H2 2023





## H1 2023 Financial Performance



Neil Rummings Interim Chief Financial Officer



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#### Financial highlights

	Reported	Adjusted <sup>2</sup>	Adjusted at constant currency
Revenue	£52.0m	£52.0m	£49.4m
LBITDA <sup>1</sup>	(£7.9m)	(£5.7m)	(£7.0m)
LBIT <sup>1</sup>	(£19.6m)	(£17.4m)	(£18.6m)
Operating cashflow	£2.4m	£4.3m	N/A
Net (debt) / funds	(£44.4m)	£5.3m	



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> LBITDA and LBIT are non-IFRS measures, may be calculated differently and therefore not directly comparable to other companies <sup>2</sup> Adjustments include restructuring costs, CEO recruitment costs, CFO severance costs and share-based payment charges

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Adjusted net funds is calculated as cash less borrowings but excluding lease liabilities and fair value gains/losses on derivative instruments

#### Segmental revenue - Wireless



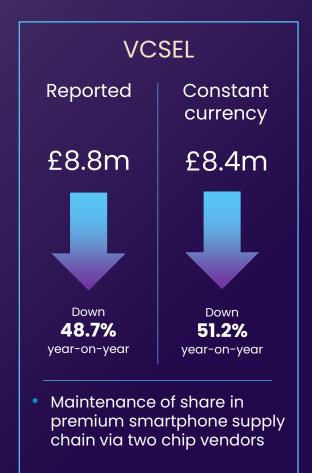






#### Segmental revenue - Photonics

# Total Photonics Reported Constant currency £28.0m £26.6m Down 27.2% year-on-year Down 30.8% year-on-year





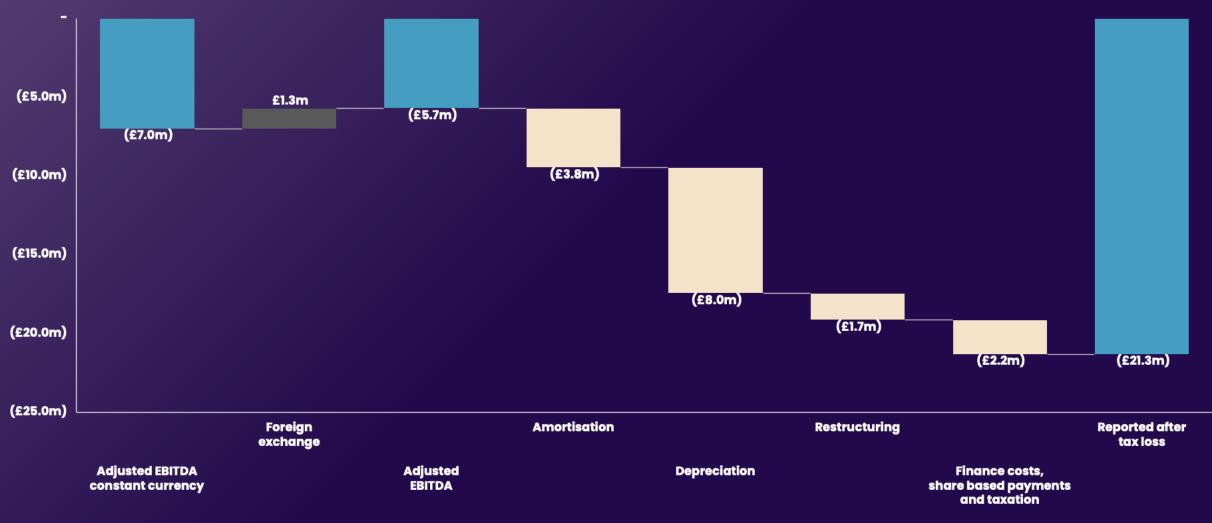


#### Segmental revenue - CMOS++





#### EBITDA bridge





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#### Cost management

- Optimised manufacturing asset utilisation
- Headcount reductions delivering c.10% in year savings, while retaining key skills for growth
- Reduction in non-labour costs to deliver greater than 20% in year savings



#### **EBITDA** bridge



#### Cash management

- £29.7m net proceeds from equity fundraise
- Refinancing of \$35m HSBC
   Revolving Credit Facility with extension of term to May 2026
- Controlled working capital management with £9.7m of cash released to the business in H1



#### H1 2023 capex, cashflow and net funds

Adjusted net funds

£5.3m
As at
30 June 2023

(HI 2022: £6.7m net debt)

 Repayment of Revolving Credit Facility Cashflow

£4.3m

Adjusted net operating cashflow

£2.4m

Reported net operating cashflow

- Equity fund raise of £29.7m (net)
- Period end cash and cash equivalents of £12.3m

Investment in intangibles

£1.7m



Down **25.4%** (HI 2022: £2.3m)

 Investment in IP protection and IT systems Capitalised technology development

£1.6m



1.5% (H1 2022: £1.6m)

 Continued investment in market-led R&D PP&E capex cashflow

£5.2m



**38.2%** (HI 2022: £3.8m)

 Investment in GaN capacity for high growth power and display markets



#### Current trading and outlook

The current temporary semiconductor industry downturn is stabilising, with continued pockets of recovery expected in H2 2023, albeit more slowly than anticipated at the time of the FY 2022 results

Improvement is expected in 2024 as the supply chain normalises and customer demand recovers

The Group anticipates double digit revenue growth in H2 2023 versus H1 2023, and expects to be profitable at an adjusted EBITDA level for FY 2023



#### Strategic update



Americo Lemos Chief Executive Officer



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#### Building a resilient business

Manage the temporary downturn

Invest for growth Improve profitability

Deliver 3X revenue by 2027



#### Building a resilient business

Manage the temporary downturn

Diligently manage costs to deliver significant savings in H2

Improving operational efficiencies



Capacity investment to meet customer R&D demand for GaN Power

Technology investment to defend and diversify business – next gen Connect and Sense, microLED, GaN Power

Expanding customer pipeline driven by three market-led business units



Structurally reshaping cost base

Retaining key skills for growth while optimising headcount

Ongoing review into global footprint optimisation to improve operational efficiency and profitability



### We remain focused on delivering our strategic goals

Increase revenue 21/

Over 30% **EBITDA** margin by 2027



#### Appendix 1



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#### **Summary financials**

£'million	H1 2023 (£'m)	H1 2022(£'m)
Revenue	52.0	86.2
Sales, general & administrative costs	16.4	16.5
Adjusted EBITDA <sup>1</sup>	(5.7)	12.3
Adjusted EBIT	(17.5)	(1.4)
Reported EBIT	(19.6)	(7.4)
Reported loss before tax	(21.5)	(8.5)
Reported loss after tax	(21.3)	(8.3)
Adjusted cashflow from operations	4.3	8.3
Reported cashflow from operations	2.4	6.2
Capital expenditure <sup>2</sup>	5.2	3.8
Adjusted net funds/(debt) <sup>3</sup>	5.3	(6.7)
Reported net debt	(44.4)	(61.7)
Cash and cash equivalents	12.3	15.4
Reported Diluted EPS	(2.57p)	(1.03p)
Adjusted Diluted EPS	(2.30p)	(0.36p)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Adjustments include impairment of intangible assets, restructuring costs, CEO recruitment costs and share-based payment charges.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Capex stated is Property, Plant and Equipment cash capex

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Adjusted net funds/(debt) is calculated as cash less borrowings but excluding lease liabilities and fair value gains/losses on derivative instruments

#### Adjusted income statement items

	2023	2022
Share based payments	(£0.5m)	(£1.1m)
Share based payments – CEO recruitment	(£0.0m)	(£0.0m)
Costs of executive director changes	(£0.5m)	(£0.2m)
Impairment – other intangibles	-	(£3.4m)
Restructuring*	(£1.2m)	(£1.3m)
Restructuring – profit on disposal of PPE	<u>-</u>	£0.0m



#### **Balance sheet**

#### As at 30 June 2023

£'million	H1 2023	H1 2022
Intangible assets	35.1	99.6
Property, plant & equipment	121.6	127.0
Right of use assets	38.9	43.4
Total current assets	75.4	103.3
Current liabilities*	(35.7)	(50.4)
Bank borrowings due within 1 year	(6.1)	(14.9)
Lease liabilities due within 1 year	(7.1)	(5.3)
Total non-current liabilities*	(2.0)	(2.8)
Bank borrowings due after 1 year	(0.8)	(7.2)
Lease liabilities due after 1 year	(42.8)	(48.4)
Net Assets	176.4	244.3

<sup>\*</sup> Excludes bank borrowings and lease liabilities highlighted separately



#### Net (debt) / funds bridge





