

# Full year results presentation

for the year ended 31 July 2024

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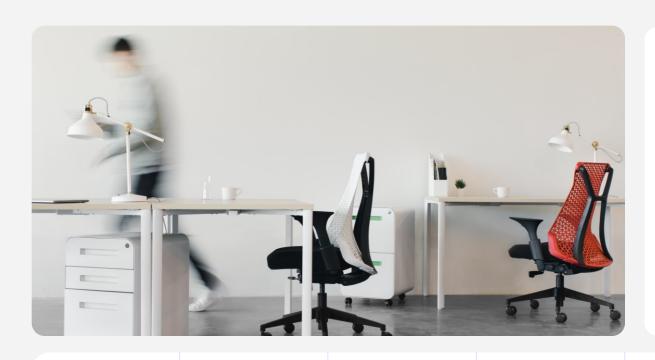
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# Powering the world's largest community of flexible, tech driven spaces.

### **Our Business**



Helping our customers deliver digitally enabled buildings and spaces since 2006















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### Highlights







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Performance ahead of expectations

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Successful **transition to pure-play SaaS model** supports scalable,
sustainable growth

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On track to be **EBITDA profitable** in FY25

### essensys Strategic Progress

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All customers now on our pure-play SaaS product, essensys Platform

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Momentum with strategic customers driving revenue visibility and quality of earnings

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Site growth across all regions

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Success in **retaining and growing** strategic customers

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Streamlined organisation supports better decision-making, collaboration and drive towards profitability



### essensys Investment Case

Structural shift in the global office market driven by new world of hybrid working is creating long term opportunity



Transition to pure play SaaS model to deliver continued improvements to gross margins with lower barriers to entry for customers

A market leader in software and technology that overcomes complexity of operating large, multi-tenant portfolios

Developing new product capabilities that help our customers drive occupancy, increase yield and lower operating costs

Working with global leaders in commercial real estate & flexible workspaces



## Financial Review



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FY24

### Financial highlights

Revenue, EBITDA and cash ahead of expectations, reflecting progress with strategy

£20.3m

ARR at year end +5%\*

£24.1m

Total Revenue -2%\*

£(0.9)m

Adjusted EBITDA 86% improvement vs. last year £3.1m

Cash balance



<sup>\*</sup> At constant currency

### Shift in model supports scalable, sustainable growth

£'M	FY24	FY23	% CHANGE	% CHANGE (CONSTANT CURRENCY)
ARR	20.3	20.0	+2%	+5%

Recurring Revenue	20.2	20.9	-3%	-1%
Total Revenue	24.1	25.3	-4%	-2%
ARR as % Total Revenue	84%	79%		



ARR Growth of 5%\*, driven by strategic customer expansion



Recurring revenue decline of -1%\*, driven by UK & Europe -8%\*, offset by North America +2%\* and APAC +60%\*



Total Revenue decline of -2%\* due to reduction in non-strategic customers & lower non-recurring revenue

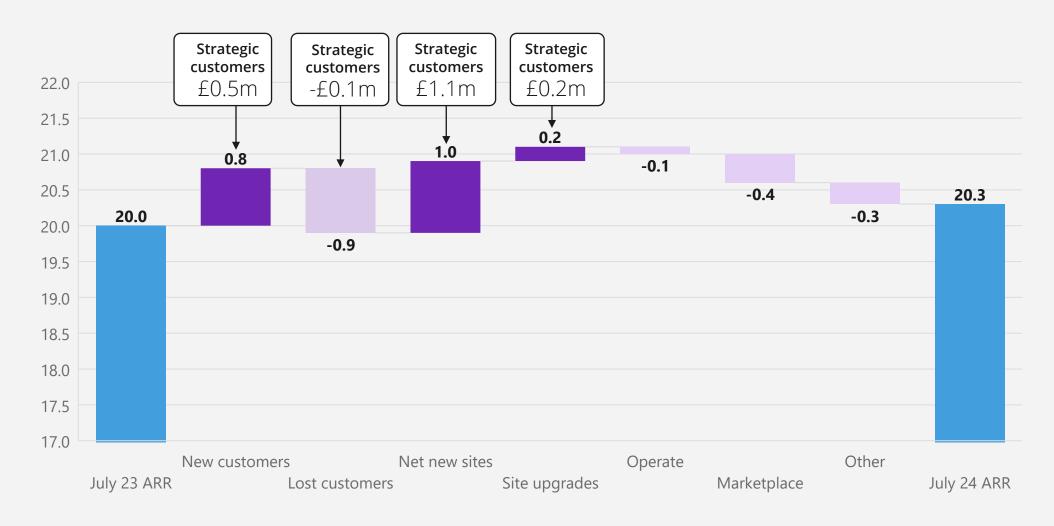


ARR as % revenue now 84%, reflecting emphasis on recurring revenue and increased quality of customer base

<sup>\*</sup> At constant currency

### Momentum with strategic customers...

ARR bridge July 2023 to July 2024 (£m)



### ...is improving revenue quality

Strategic customer performance (£m)

£'M	FY24	FY23	% CHANGE
ARR	16.7	15.5	+8%

Recurring Revenue	16.1	14.8	+9%
Total Revenue	19.8	18.7	+6%
ARR as % Total Revenue	84%	83%	

- ARR Growth of 8%\*, driven by 9% increase in total volume of cohort
- 11 new customers, contributing £0.5m of ARR
- Net Revenue Retention of 111% shows ability to grow existing base
- Total Revenue growth of 6% held back by non-recurring revenue (-5%) due to customer capital constraints
- ARR from strategic customers now 82% of total ARR (FY23: 77%), reflecting focus on this cohort

### Cost savings underpin improving financial results

YEAR ENDED 31 JULY	FY24	FY23
TOTAL REVENUE	24.1	25.3
Cost of sales	(10.4)	(10.4)
GROSS PROFIT	13.7	14.9
Gross margin %	57%	59%
Operating expenses	(14.4)	(21.2)
ADJUSTED EBITDA	(0.9)	(6.3)
Adjusted EBITDA margin	-3%	-25%
Exceptional costs	(0.2)	(2.6)
Share option charge	0.4	(0.6)
Depreciation, amortisation & impairment	(4.7)	(6.0)
Finance charges (net)	(0.1)	0.1
LOSS BEFORE TAX	(5.5)	(15.5)
Tax	2.2	(0.2)
LOSS AFTER TAX	(3.3)	(15.7)



Gross profit decrease of 8%, driven by reduced revenue, with margin pressure relating to hardware installations

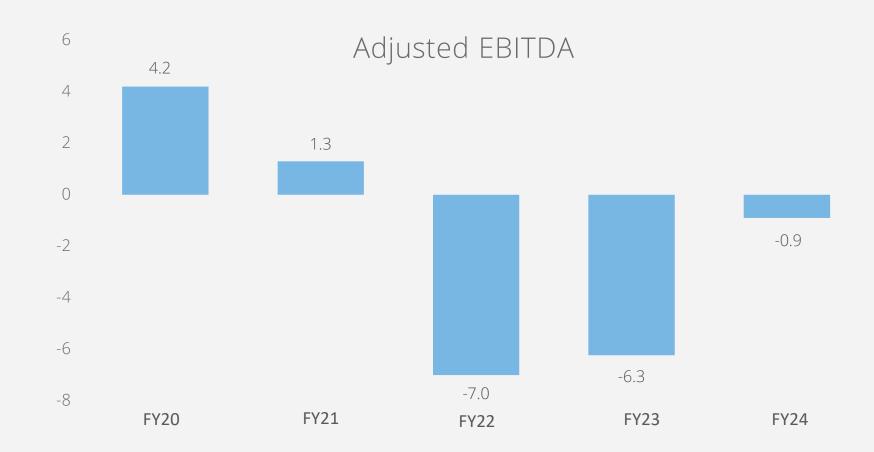


Operating expenses reduced by £6.6m (31%) vs. prior year, driven by cost savings achieved by Group re-organisation



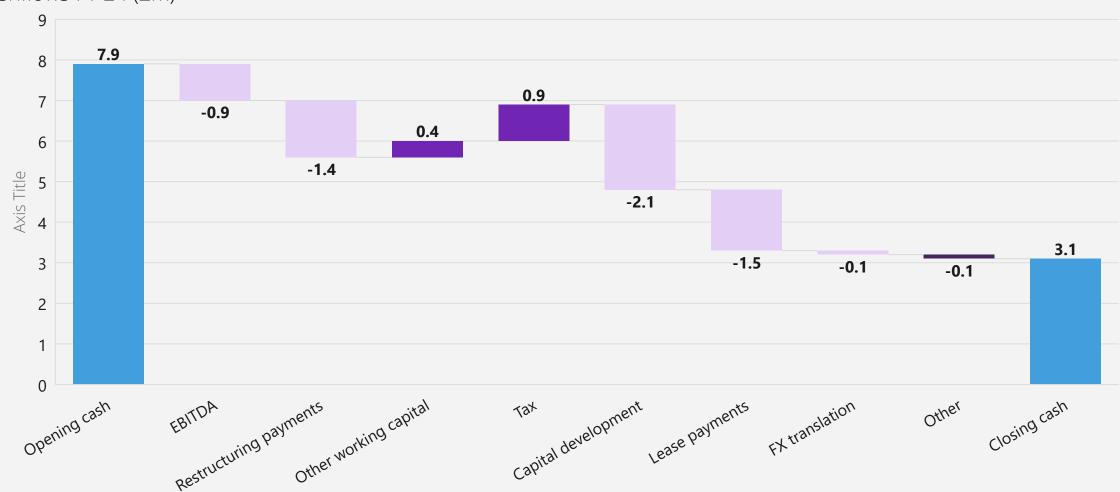
£9m annualised cost savings delivered, £1m more than initially identified

### Progress towards profitability



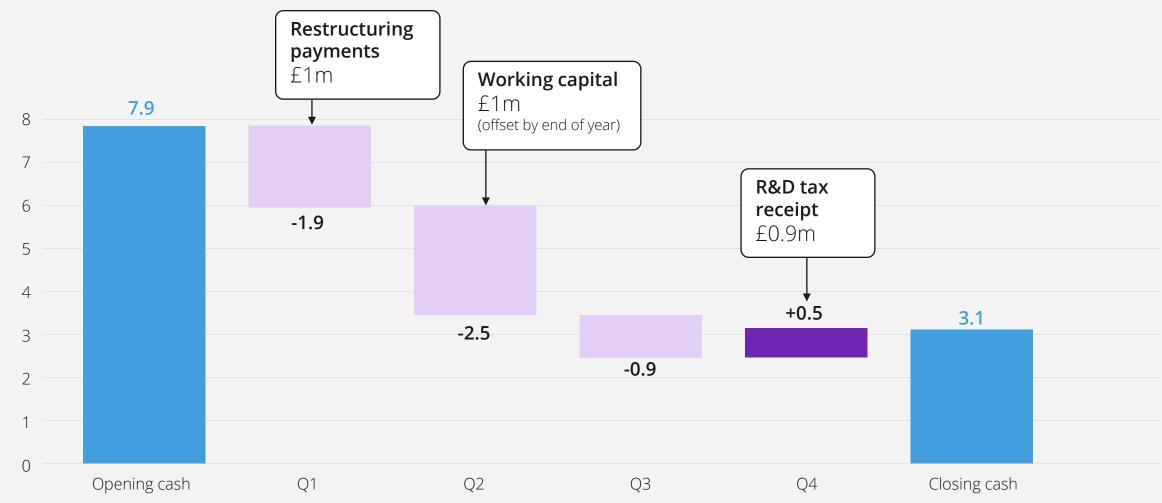
### Cash outflows significantly reduced

Cashflows FY 24 (£m)



### H2 FY24 shows path to run rate cash generation in FY25

FY24 Cash burn by quarter (£m)



## Operational Review



### Operational highlights FY24







Operating model aligned with

Focus on **strategic customers driving evolution** of customer base

**Pure play SaaS** transition lowering barriers to entry and adoption

strategic customer focus and pure play solution

### Benefits of simplified

### operating model

Simplified operating structure enables better decision-making, collaboration and focus on strategic customers

**savings** delivered through reorganisation in FY23

£9m annual cost



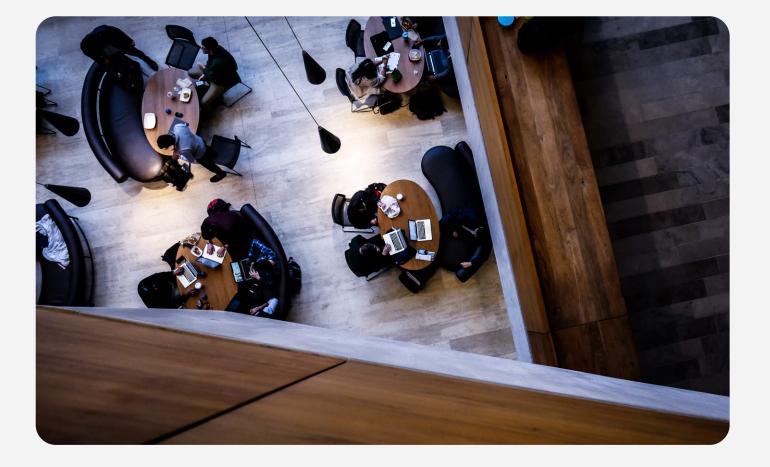
Focus on product innovation; 30% of total headcount dedicated to research and development

We are **better placed to support** our customers' growth plans





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### Landing and expanding high value strategic customers

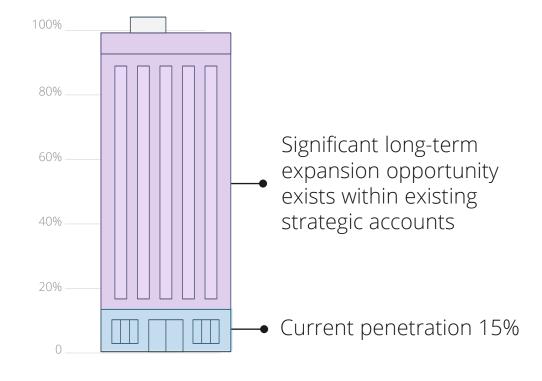
Improving quality of customer base

9%
Growth in strategic customers

82% Of ARR and total revenue (FY23: 77%)

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Net revenue retention (FY23 : 108%)

93% Gross Revenue Retention (FY23:83%)

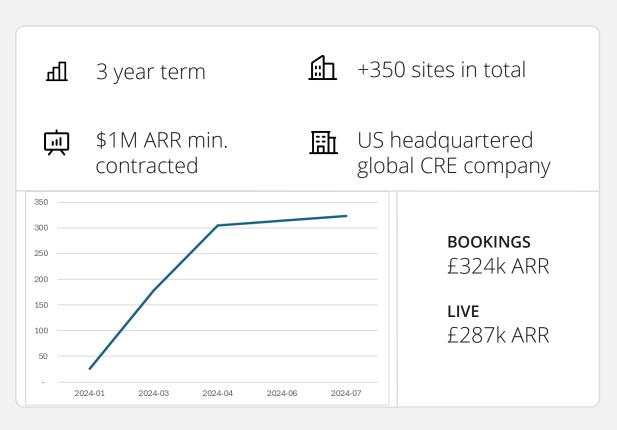


+11 New strategic customers added in FY24

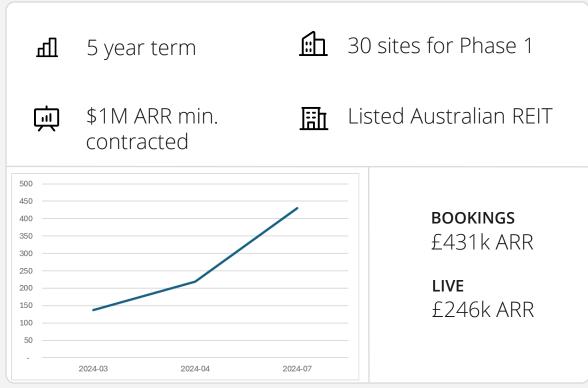


### Milestone customer expansions

### **United States**



### **Australia**



### Evolution of office market creating long term structural growth opportunity



93%

Premium buildings command a 93%+ premium in net rent vs. lower-tier buildings<sup>2</sup>

9%

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Premium buildings have 9%+ higher occupancy rates vs. lower-tier buildings<sup>2</sup>

30%

Organisations have increased space sharing by 30% since 2021 due to hybrid work<sup>3</sup>

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44%

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Use of collaboration space has increased by 44% since 2021<sup>3</sup>

Utilisation is key in new world of hybrid working

Premium outperforms

Headwinds remain

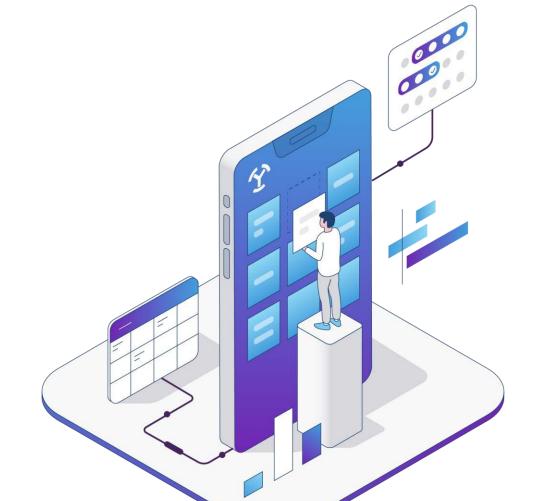
<sup>1</sup> CBRE, Is this what is known as bifurcation in the office market?, 2023  $\,$ 

<sup>2</sup> Brookfield, The Misunderstood U.S. Office Market, 2024

<sup>3</sup> CBRE, 2023-2024 CBRE Global Workplace & Occupancy Insights, 2023



# Product Development



### A Digital Experience and Intelligence platform

### essensys Platform

#### Access

Manage occupiers, spaces and digital services



#### Intelligence

Real-time insights deliver deep understanding of space utilisation and occupier experience



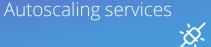
#### Experience

Powerful automation engine delivers seamless in-building experiences



#### Next-gen design

API first platform
Serverless microservices
architecture



#### Customer migrations now complete

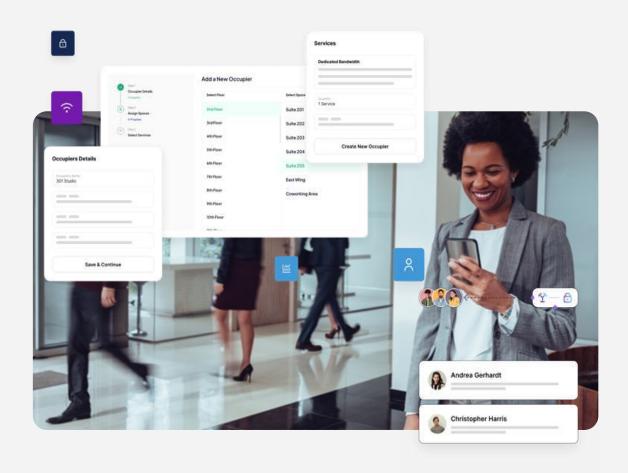


Pure play proposition

Simple onboarding

In-product upgrades

### Access



### Manage and control access to spaces and services with powerful identity and role-based rules and permissions

- Instant or scheduled **onboarding & offboarding of tenants** allocate spaces, assign services and
  grant access quickly & easily using powerful
  workflow automations
- Ensure **only trusted users** can access your digital environment with personalised user permissions
- Keep your business & customers **secure** with enterprise-grade security & compliance

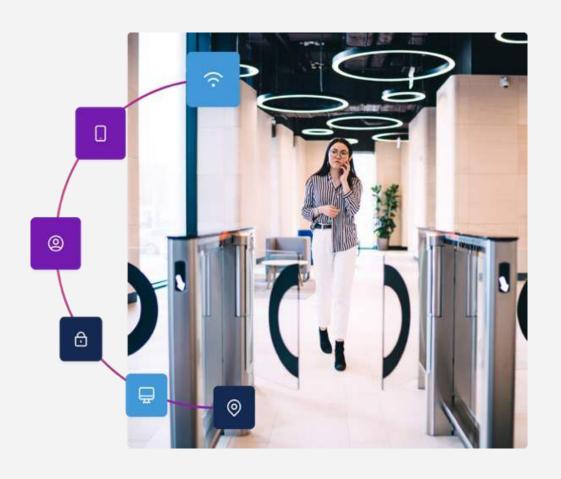
### Intelligence



### Powerful insights into the relationship between buildings, spaces and users

- Get **high-resolution**, **high-fidelity insights** pulled from multiple proprietary datasets with Intelligence Engine
- Understand **how spaces are used** by who, how often, when & more with space utilisation insights
- Quantify & measure the Digital Experience from a user's perspective with DX insights
- ✓ Identify trends, risks & opportunities, & improve performance with actionable insights

### Experience



### Frictionless, digital-first journeys throughout the tenant lifecycle.

- Create a **network of connected spaces** where users can seamlessly move throughout & between spaces, safely & securely
- Reep users well-connected as they roam without connectivity blackspots or issues
- Make your **spaces easy-to-use**, with powerful automation & integrations to deliver frictionless journeys
- Provide **digital-first journeys** that let users access & book with your spaces using their smartphone

### Outlook



### Well placed to capture the long-term opportunity

On track for **positive adjusted EBITDA** in FY25
and **run-rate cash generation** by year-end.

Continued improvement in revenue mix as customers adopt our pure-play SaaS solution essensys Platform. Sales **bookings expectations supported**by strategic customer
expansions and new
opportunities.

We remain **confident in the long-term** structural
growth opportunity in the
office and flexible
workspace market









Our vision is to power the world's largest community of flexible, tech driven spaces.

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