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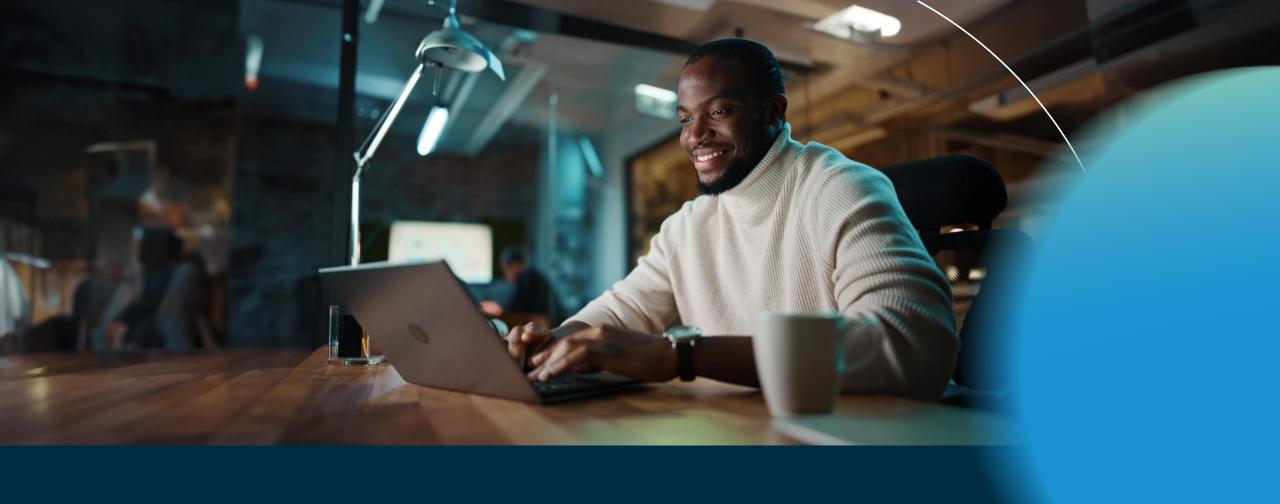


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# 1H25 Highlights

# 1H25 Highlights - AUD(\$m)

1H Group EBITDA \$77.4m

**EBITDA CAGR FY23-25** 

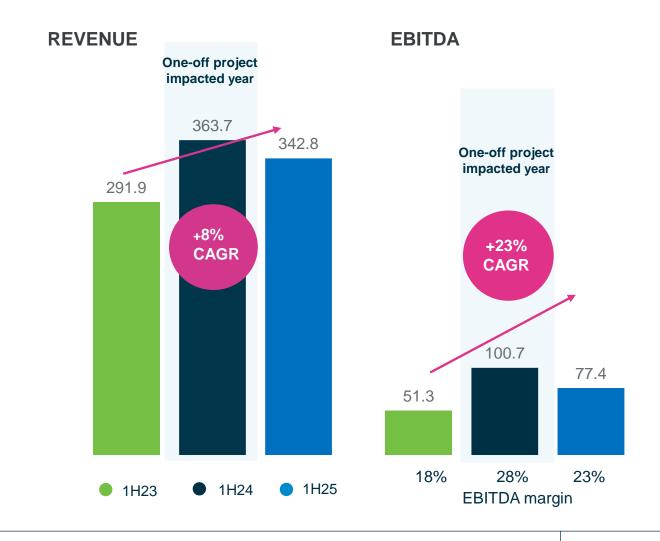
**Revenue CAGR** 

+8%

**EBITDA CAGR** 

+23%

- RoW in line with long-term targets
- Strong Capital Management
  - ✓ No debt, strong cash generation
  - √ \$52.3m returned to shareholders in 1H





# **Strategic Goals - our commitment**



#### RoW (NA, ANZ, Asia)

### Long term sustainable profit growth

- ✓ Grow market share
- ✓ Increase revenue per transaction, focus on Sleep Space
- ✓ Productivity gains through automation to better service customers



#### **Europe**

### **Transition year – focus on BAU**

- ✓ Continued focus on growing corporate share, leveraging regional technology advantage
- ✓ Long term balance between Corporate and Government segments



#### **Global Goal**

## **Doubling FY24 EPS in 5 years**

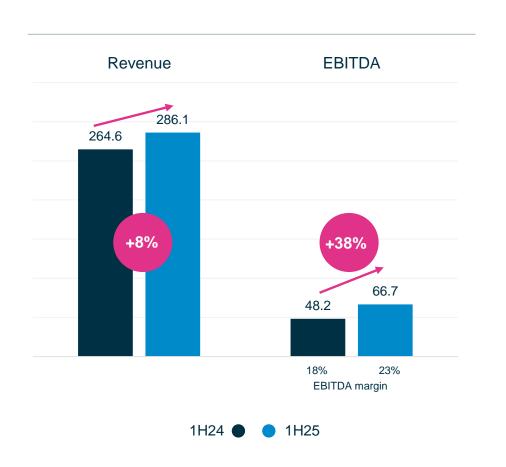
- ✓ Capital management program to optimise shareholder returns through ROI on Capex, Share buy-back, dividends
- ✓ Executive team to support long term growth and key objectives



# 1H25 Rest of World ex EU overview - AUD(\$m)

# RoW underscores effective strategy execution







# **1H25 Key Metric execution**

conversion of incremental revenue to EBITDA (RoW1)

How?

High adoption of proprietary technology

Strong gains in automation, ML and AI

#### **Customers** win



Efficient cost base drives incremental profit, not customer revenue

Revenue earned from Customer TTV lower than benchmark peers

High staff engagement, client satisfaction



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Rest of World (ROW) includes North America, ANZ, & Asia

# 1H25 Europe Overview – AUD(\$m)

## **Year in Transition**



Transitioning from one-off FY24 project work as previously announced

## 38.6% 1H margin

despite reduced govt spend, carrying c80 staff transitioning from servicing one-off projects to service record corp. client wins commencing 2H

Now sole provider of UK Govt TMC travel services framework (previously 1 of 3)

## **Strong BAU growth FY23-FY25**

REVENUE CAGR

**EBITDA CAGR** 

+12%

+13%





# **Global Executive Leadership Team**



Jamie Pherous Managing Director



James Spence Global CFO



**Ana Pedersen**Global CCO



**Eleanor Noonan**Global COO

**Strategic Global Appointments** 

**Joel Bailey** Chief Technology Officer





**Darren Toohey**Chief Sales and Customer Officer



Larry Lo Asia Chief Executive Officer



**Greg McCarthy**ANZ Chief
Executive Officer



Anita Salvatore NA Chief Executive Officer



Michael Healy EU Chief Executive Officer





# 1H25 Regional Overview

# ANZ - AUD(\$m)

## **Highlights:**



1H EBITDA

1H margin uplift

**+53%** 23% → 30%

Atlas, automation gains

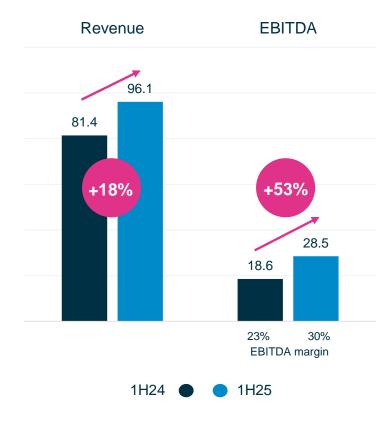
1H revenue

+18%

**New wins, returning** clients

Sleep Space

#### **1H25 RESULTS**





# North America – AUD(\$m)

## **Highlights:**



1H EBITDA

1H margin uplift

**+49%** 14% → 19%

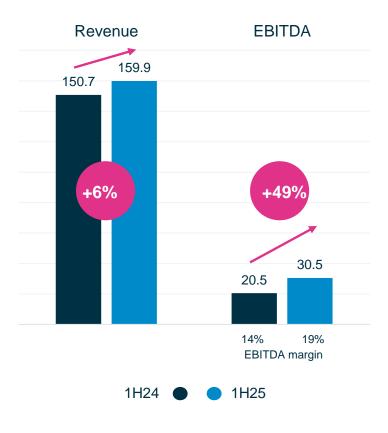
Atlas, automation, on-line penetration

1H revenue

+6%

**Lightning OBT uptake** doubled + = lower rev. yield, higher profit contribution

#### **1H25 RESULTS**







# Asia – AUD(\$m)

## **Highlights:**



1H Revenue

1H EBITDA

**-7%** 

-15%

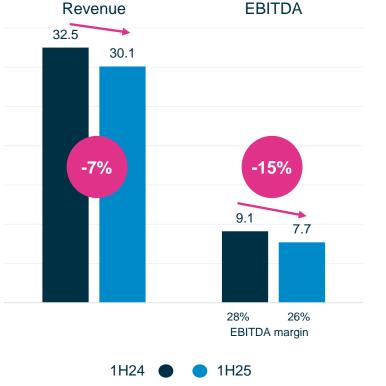
## 25% Price deflation

impacted supplier revenue, EBITDA (remnant of COVID)

**Ticket prices steadying** 

Strong corporate client wins partially off-set deflation
11% transaction growth in 1H

#### **1H25 RESULTS**





# Europe – AUD(\$m)

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# **Financial Overview**

James Spence, Global CFO

# **1H25 Key Financials**

Reported AUD(\$m)	1H25	1H24	%
Revenue and other income	342.8	363.7	<b>↓</b> 6%
Underlying EBITDA <sup>1</sup>	77.4	100.7	↓23%
Underlying PBT <sup>1,2</sup>	52.4	79.1	↓34%
Effective tax rate	23.9%	25.3%	↓140bps
Underlying NPAT attributable to owners of CTM <sup>3</sup>	38.7	57.9	↓33%
Statutory NPAT attributable to owners of CTM	28.5	49.4	<b>↓</b> 42%
Underlying EPS³, cents basic	27.0c	39.6c	↓32%
Statutory EPS, cents basic	19.9c	33.8c	<b>↓</b> 41%
Dividend unfranked (interim declared)	10c	17c	<b>↓</b> 41%

Transition costs (AUD\$m) pre-tax	1H25
Project Atlas as previously flagged c\$7m	6.9
Integration	0.2
Total transition costs 1H25, pre-tax	7.1

Reconciliation - underlying NPAT to Statutory NPAT (AUD\$m)	1H25	1H24	%
Underlying NPAT	38.7	57.9	(33%)
Less: Client relationship amortisation <sup>4</sup>	(5.0)	(5.5)	n.m.
Less: Transition items <sup>4</sup>	(5.2)	(3.0)	n.m.
Statutory NPAT, attributable to owners of CTD	28.5	49.4	( <b>42%)</b>



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding pre-tax transition costs of \$7.1m. (1H24: \$4.1m)

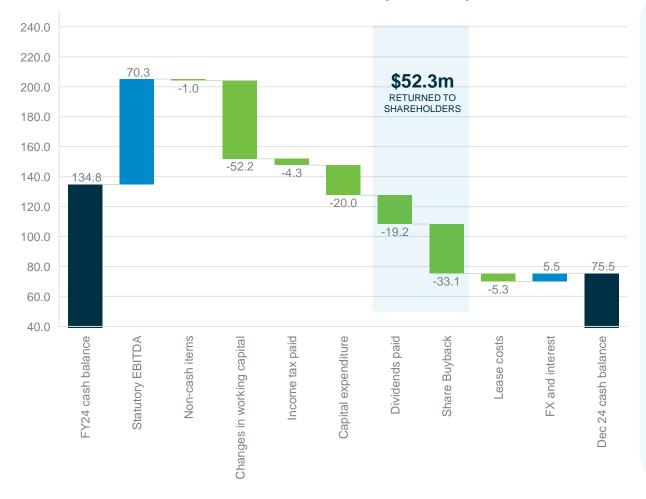
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Excluding pre-tax client amortisation, a non-cash item of \$6.9m (1H24: \$7.5m)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Excluding post-tax transition costs of \$5.2m (1H24: \$3.0m), client relationship amortisation, a non-cash item of \$5.0m (1H24: \$5.5m)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Post-tax

# **Cash Flow Summary**

#### CTM YTD Dec 24 Cash movement (AUD\$m)



25%

1H operating cash conversion<sup>1</sup>

Unfavourable timing of fixed supplier payment cycle in 1H

Expect full year cash conversion 1H Capex ~\$20m

~80-90%

favourable timing of supplier payment cycle in 2H25

~\$52.3m returned to shareholders in the

returned to shareholders in the form of dividends and share buybacks in 1H24

Reduction vs PCP (-\$1.9m) driven by cost discipline and focus on ROI;

Investment in proprietary technology continues; Lightning, Sleep Space and Scout/Automation



Continued investment in core CTM products



## **Capital Management and Balance Sheet**



#### **Dividends**

- Dividends continue in line with policy (50% of NPAT)
- FY25 interim dividend of 10cps to be paid on 4 April 2025

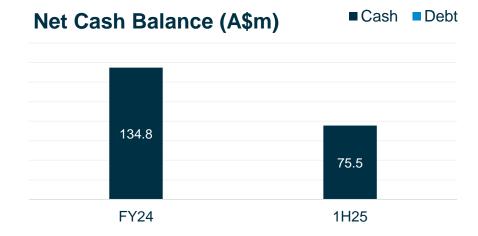


- Cash balance \$75.5m
- No debt
- \$100m unused debt facility (matures in July 2025; to be refinanced in 2H25)



## **Share buyback**

- A total of 4.4m shares bought to date for \$59m (~3% of total shares outstanding) at an average price of \$13.45
- \$33.1m spent in 1H25 at an average price of \$12.15, following \$26.1m during FY24 at an average price of \$15.55
- Shares on issue reduced to 141.9m
- Buyback program continues subject to Board discretion and market conditions
- Up to \$100m of shares can be bought under the program during FY25
- Reflects confidence in medium-term outlook versus current share price weakness



#### **Buyback spend (A\$m)**







# FY25 & FY26 Target Metrics

# **FY25 Target Metrics - Progress**

METRIC	FY25 TARGET <sup>1</sup>	STATUS	COMMENTARY
RoW (ANZ, NA, Asia)			>80% Global Revenue
Revenue growth <sup>2</sup>	~+10%	ON	<ul> <li>Sleep Space global roll-out continuing in 2H25, client win momentum</li> </ul>
EBITDA Margin (+450bps)	~27.5%	TRACK	<ul> <li>Expect normal 2H skew to both revenue and profit margin</li> <li>ANZ and NA cycling off strong 2H24 comps, significant 2H25 rebound in Asia</li> </ul>
<b>EUROPE</b> - Transition year			<20 % Global Revenue
Revenue growth <sup>2</sup>	~-24%	LIDDATES	<ul> <li>Previously flagged "at risk " due to unknown govt spend reduction, carrying c80 staff during transition to service new work commencing 2H. Now updated</li> </ul>
EBITDA Margin	~43%	UPDATED	<ul> <li>Expect strong 4Q:</li> <li>1) record new corporate wins transacting against a fixed cost base</li> <li>2) positive impact of becoming sole provider for the UK Government TMC services framework (previously a panel of 3) in January 2025</li> </ul>
GROUP METRICS			
CAPEX	~\$42m	UPDATED	<ul> <li>Expect reduced spend to ~\$42m from ~\$48m due to increased ROI focus</li> </ul>
Transition Costs	~\$7m	ON TRACK	<ul> <li>Atlas project completion, benefits playing out in EBITDA margin uplift</li> </ul>
Group Costs	\$23m	ON TRACK	<ul> <li>Inclusive of one-off senior executive retirement costs of \$1.4m</li> </ul>
GROWTH METRICS			
New Client Wins	\$1.0b	ON TRACK	<ul> <li>\$880m TTV @14 Feb 2025 with EU &amp; NA leading the way</li> </ul>
Client Retention	97%	ON TRACK	



<sup>1.</sup> As presented in the FY24 results release and October 2025 AGM

<sup>2.</sup> Growth target relative to FY24

# **FY26 Indicative Target Metrics**

METRIC	FY26 TARGET
Revenue growth	~+10%
EBITDA Margin (~ +250bps)	~ 30%
Capex	~ \$40m

Bottom up long-term plan updated Jan25

#### **Consolidated CTM FY26 financial targets- rationale:**



### ~10% revenue growth on FY25

- Current win rate supports 10% growth target
- EU transition year complete, back to LT growth and expected to be a significant contributor in FY26
- · Rebuilt and focused sales teams with global coordination driving new wins
- · Various initiatives already supporting yield growth e.g. Sleep Space



## **EBITDA** margin ~30% (+ ~250 bps)

- Strong operating leverage
- Margin growth driven by scale, on-going automation and productivity projects, EU trajectory
- > 50% incremental revenue conversion to continue in line with 5-year plan



## Capex ~\$40m

• Disciplined focus on ROI (FY24: \$48m)



# **Summary - Delivering on Strategic Goals**





### Long term sustainable profit growth

- ✓ Grow market share: 1H25; revenue +8%, EBITDA +38%, high client and staff satisfaction
- ✓ Increase revenue per transaction, focus on Sleep Space: ANZ proof of success; 1H Rev +18%
- ✓ Productivity gains through automation to better service customers: 1H margin expansion 18% to 23%

#### **Europe**



#### Transition year - focus on BAU

- ✓ Continued focus upon growing corporate share: **EU record corporate client wins. Promising 4Q**
- ✓ Long term balance between Corporate and Government segments : Expect strong 4Q25, FY26

#### **Global Goal**



## **Doubling FY24 EPS in 5 years**

- ✓ Capital management program to optimise shareholder returns through ROI on Capex, Share buyback, dividends. Since strategy announcement; share buy-back \$59.2m, dividends \$77.2m¹
- ✓ Executive team to support long term growth and key objectives. **Built team aligned to strategy**
- ✓ FY26 indicative targets; revenue ~ +10%, EBITDA margin ~30% ( ~ +250 bps), CAPEX ~\$40m



## **Glossary**

Al Artificial Intelligence

Atlas Project to globalize 4 regional IT support departments into 1

BAU Business As Usual

bps Basis points (1% = 100bps)

CTM regions ANZ – Australia and New Zealand, NA – North America, EU – UK and Europe, Asia – Asia

EBITDA Earnings before Interest, Tax, Depreciation, Amortisation. EBITDA excludes one-off acquisitions, integration costs and other transition items.

EPS Earnings per share

FTE Full time equivalent employee

ML Machine Learning

NPAT Net Profit after Tax

PBT Profit before Tax and client acquisition amortisation

p.c.p Previous corresponding period

RoW Rest of World regions; ANZ, NA, Asia excluding Europe

ROI Return on investment

Sleep Space CTM's proprietary Accommodation content and aggregation tool

TMC Travel Management Company

TTV Total Transactional Value, an unaudited amount

Underlying Excludes one-off acquisitions, integration costs, other transition items, and client amortisation

UK Govt TMC Travel Framework Travel framework sole provider to Lot 1, the Travel Management Services framework partition

Y.T.D. Year to Date



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