### Bittium Corporation Carnegie Small Cap Technology Seminar

Bittium

Johan Westermarck March 19, 2024



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### Agenda

Recap 2023

**Business Update** 

- Medical Remote Monitoring and Diagnostics
- **Defense & Security** Resilient Tactical and Secure Communications
- Engineering Services for Wireless Embedded Solutions

Financials

Outlook for 2024

Q&A





Johan Westermarck

**Chief Executive Officer** 

#### **Previous Work History**

Citec Group Oy Ab, CEO, 2017-2023 Maintpartner Group Oy, CEO, 2012-2017 Maintpartner Oy, CEO, 2010-2012 Maintpartner Ab, CEO, 2009-2010 Eltel Group Oy, VP, Business Development, 2007-2008 Eltel Networks GmbH, CEO, 2006-2007 Eltel Group Oy, VP, Business Development, 2004-2006 Elcoteq Oyj, VP, Sales and Marketing, 2001-2004 Ahlstrom Machinery Oy: Regional Director, Service Business 1997-2001, Manager, Marketing Development 1995-1997, Project Engineer 1992-1995

#### **Positions of Trust**

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### 2023 – the Year of Changes

New management Updated strategy More independent Business Segments Efficient way of working with updated processes and practices Strong focus at all levels

Measures towards healthier cost structure



### Megatrends to Support Solid Foundation for Profitable Growth

#### **Geopolitical Uncertainty**

#### **Information Security**



Accelerating Technology Development and IoT Digitalization of Healthcare and Aging Population



# Business Highlights

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## World-Class Knowledge

Transforming passion for biosignals into superior technology products and services for healthcare professionals.

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### Medical Business Segment

#### The remote diagnostics market continues to grow

- Need for new home-based monitoring methods with faster and more efficient health data analysis
- Insurance policies related to treatment reimbursement affect the growth pace
- Medical device approval process can take more than a year
- Focusing on selected products and services ۰
- Cardiac continue close cooperation with the key customer in US, support • partner network sales

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- Sleep grow the business together with ResMed ۰
- Neuro continue piloting BrainStatus at intensive care stations •















**Seamless Communication Architecture Across the Battlefield** Superior waveform quality and secure wireless technology with integration to military-grade hardware and software

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#### Defense & Security Business Segment

- Geopolitical uncertainty and modern warfare
- Active NATO membership
- Dependency of states schedules and budgets
- Close cooperation with the Finnish Defence Forces
- Grow in the international defense markets with partners and system suppliers
  - ESSOR High Data Rate Waveform approved by NATO
  - Ongoing tactical communication system and product tenders ongoing
  - Ongoing discussions with international air defense and sensor system suppliers
- Increasing interest towards secure communication among authorities





#### World-Class Knowledge

### Radio know-how, life-cycle design competence, implementation of embedded and secure wireless products for various industries.





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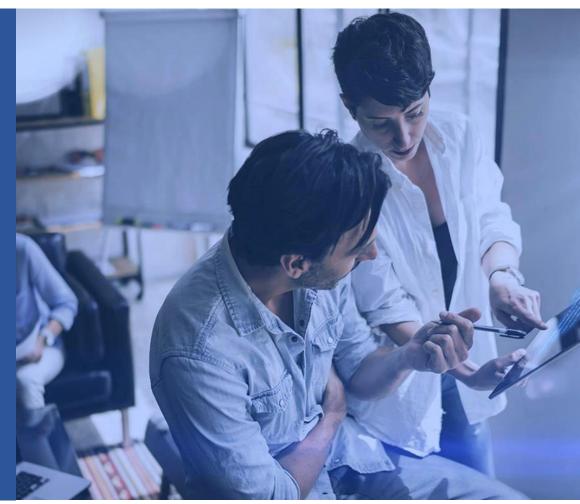


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### **Engineering Services Business Segment**

- Accelerating digitalization causes the need for wireless devices
- Our strengths:
  - Extensive know-how in wireless radio technologies
  - Design service coverage and product life cycle support
  - In-house laboratories enable wide product testing
- Despite the market "downturn" the demand for Bittium R&D services is at a good level
  - The accelerating digitalization in various industries increased the need for design services, especially in the Industrial IoT technology market
  - European companies' shifting their R&D work geographically to Europe, especially the device design
  - New customers outside of Finland i.e. in the transportation and professional tool markets
- Grow with key customers and partners



## **Financial Review**

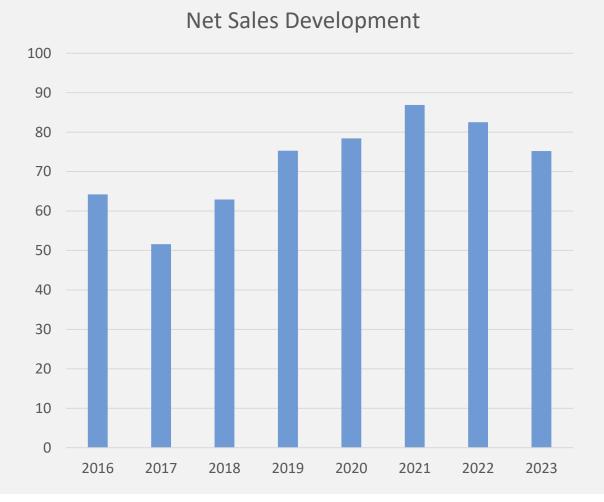




### Challenges in Growth and Profitability

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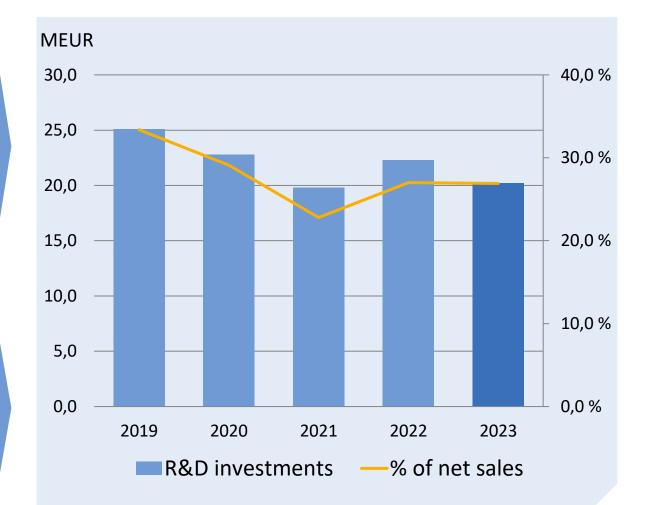


The operating result in 2023 was weakened by **non-recurring items of EUR 3.2 million in total**, including non-recurring costs of EUR 0.7 million related to changes negotiations and EUR 2.5 million of non-recurring write-down of inventory, scheduled in the fourth quarter.



#### R&D Investments

- Level of R&D investments decreased slightly
  - MEUR 20.2 equaling 26.9% of the net sales (MEUR 22.3 equaling 27.0% of the net sales)
  - MEUR 7.2 was capitalized (MEUR 6.6)
  - Depreciations of R&D investments were MEUR 5.6 (MEUR 5.9)
  - Total R&D costs and depreciations in the P&L was MEUR 18.6 (MEUR 21.5)
- The main focus in the R&D investments in 2023
  - Medical technology products
  - Tactical communication systems and radios
- According to updated strategy focus in R&D investments in 2024
  - Continuous improvement of competitiveness of the existing products and services



# Outlook 2024

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83,712

### Good Foundation for Profitable Growth

Updated strategy towards profitable growth Committed and highly skilled people World-class products and services Strong customer base Megatrends supporting the growth Solid foundation for profitable growth has been built



# Financial Outlook 2024

#### Net Sales

Bittium expects the net sales to be EUR 85 – 95 million (net sales EUR 75.2 million in 2023)

#### **Operating Result**

Bittium expects the operating result to be EUR 7.0 – 9.5 million (operating result EUR -4.3 million in 2023)

#### **More Information**

More information about Bittium's market outlook is presented on the company's internet pages at www.bittium.com.

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