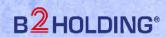
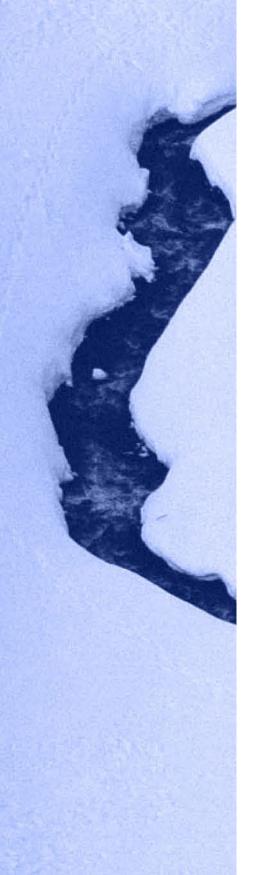
# **B2Holding ASA**

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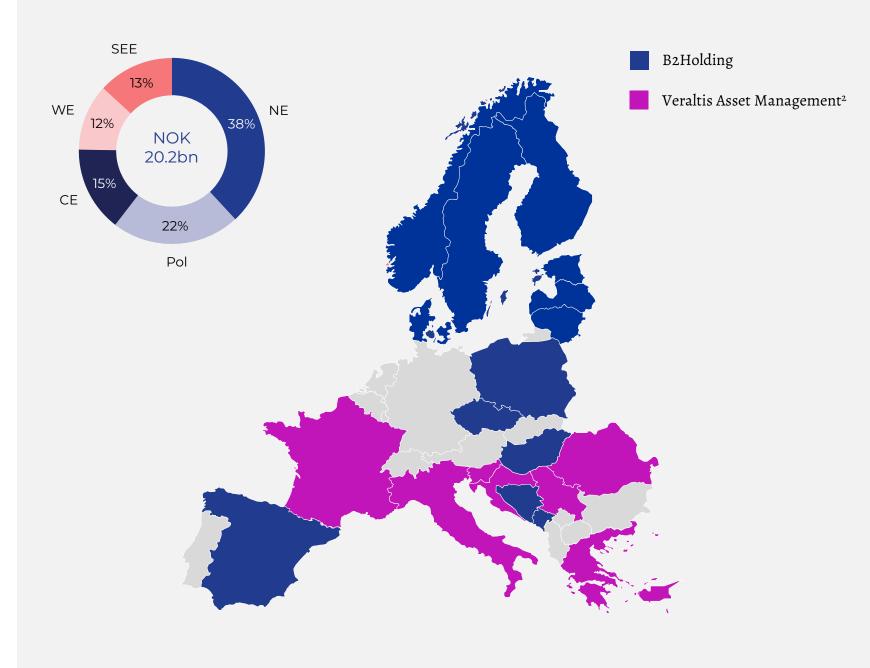




# This is B2Holding

NOKm	2022	2021	Δ%
Cash collections	5,161	4,857	6%
Cash EBITDA	3,996	3,779	6%
Net revenues	3,085	3,036	2%
Adjusted EBIT	1,334	1,333	0%
Adjusted EBIT %	43%	44%	-1 pp
Investments	2,600 <sup>1</sup>	1,202	116%
ERC	20,248	19,918	2%
#FTEs	1,885	1,979	-5%
Adjusted EPS	1.41	1.45	-3%

- Leading pan-European debt purchaser and credit management servicer headquartered in Norway and listed on the Oslo Stock Exchange under the ticker B2H
- Focus: Granular consumer NPLs, and retail and corporate secured NPLs, owned and serviced for JV partners



## **ESG** commitment showing results

Substantially improved the ESG Risk rating from Sustainalytics, ranking us at the top of our industry and within the top 1 % of rated companies globally

- On 21 December 2022, the ESG Risk Rating was improved from 9.3 to 8.7
- B2Holding is considered to be at negligible ESG risk:
  - Low exposure of material ESG issues such as Business Ethics, Data Privacy and Security and Product Governance
  - Material ESG risks have been managed through suitable policies, programmes or initiatives
- Improved the rating from E to C in The Governance Group's ESG 100 report on the largest companies on Oslo Stock Exchange
- B2Holding has reinforced its focus on sustainable development and mission to bridge the gap that defaulted debt represents in the credit chain between lenders and customers
  - European bank's ability to deal with NPLs is a priority for the ECB's Banking Supervision as it is vital for a functioning bank sector and hence the growth of the economy

ESG Risk rating

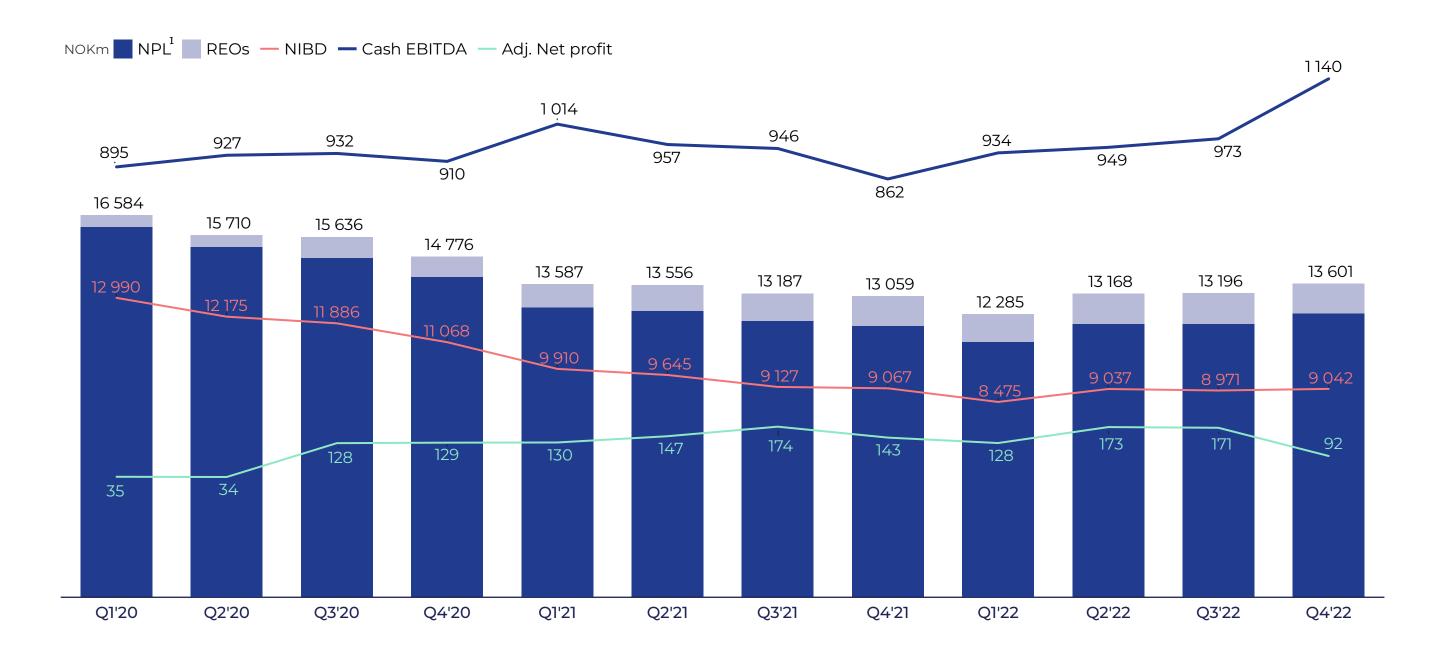
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Negligible Risk

Negligible	Low	Medium	High	Severe
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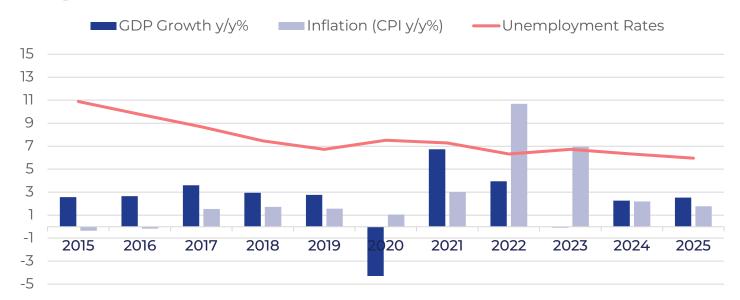
Universe	RANK (1 <sup>st</sup> = lowest risk)	PERCENTILE (1 <sup>st</sup> = lowest risk)	
Global Universe	115 / 15,613	2 <sup>nd</sup>	
<b>Diversified Financials</b> INDUSTRY	8 / 914	2 <sup>nd</sup>	
Consumer Finance SUBINDUSTRY	1/233	<b>]</b> st	

# Significant deleveraging and improved performance over last 3 years

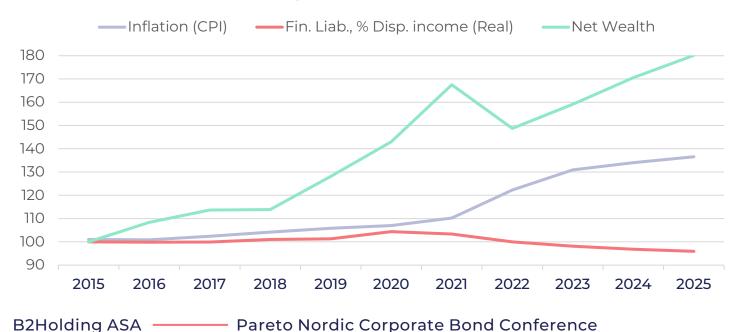


## The debt collection industry has proven resilient through cycles

## Long Term Macro Trends<sup>1</sup>



## Notable increase in disposable income<sup>2</sup>



#### Market trends:

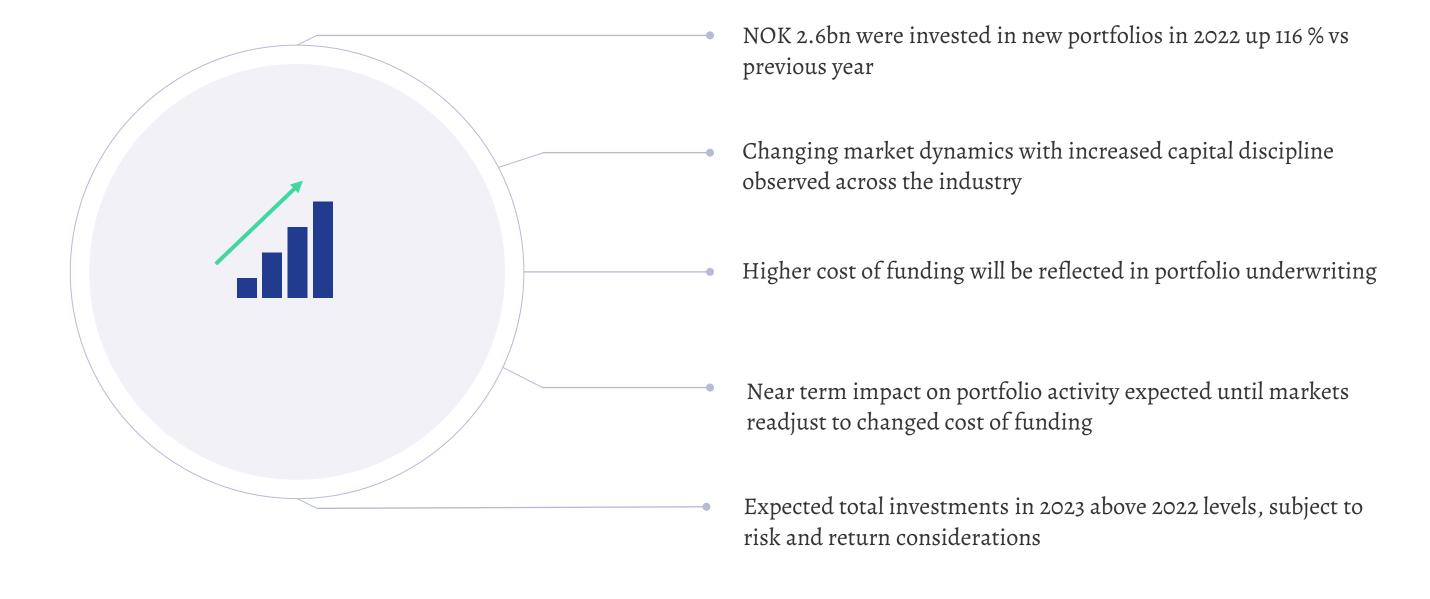
- Inflationary pressure expected to soften during 2023
- Low and uncertain GDP growth projections for 2023
- Softening, but resilient labour markets
- Improving macroeconomic environment expected from 2024

### Potential/expected impact in B2Holding markets:

- Portfolios have a lifetime of more than 10 years on average and are less affected by macroeconomic volatility short term
- Short term uncertainty reflected in pricing of new portfolios
- Worsening underlying credit quality expected to create new NPL volumes

<sup>1)</sup> Oxford Economics 24th Jan 2023, B2Holding countries 2) Oxford Economics, index 2015 base, B2Holding countries

# Maintaining capital discipline in changing market dynamics



## Last quarter highlights

- Continued strong performance in cash collections and secured recoveries
  - Unsecured collections at 101.4 % of the latest forecast
  - Secured cash collections of NOK 553m including REO sales of NOK 173m
- Strongest quarterly Cash EBITDA to date and close to NOK 4bn for the full year
- ERC growth after a period of deleveraging
- Proposed dividend and share buyback of NOK 0.62 per share (dividend NOK 0.20 and buyback of NOK 0.42)

## Yearly summary

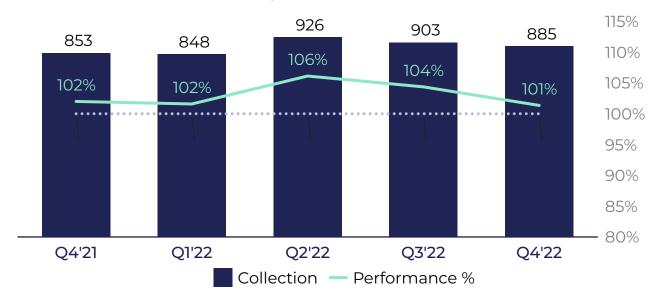
- Finalized reorganization of secured business
- Established Veraltis Asset Management master and special servicer
- More efficient and effective operations through utilization of data and analytics
- Group alignment through increased centralization
- Industry leader in ESG risk rating



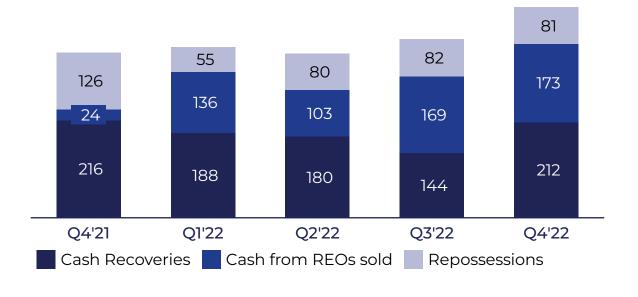
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## Collection Performance excl. JVs

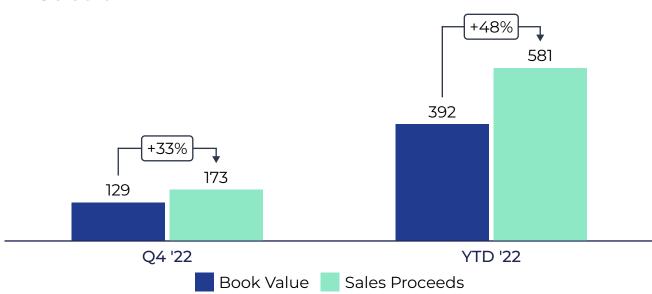
### **Unsecured collection performance**



#### Secured recoveries

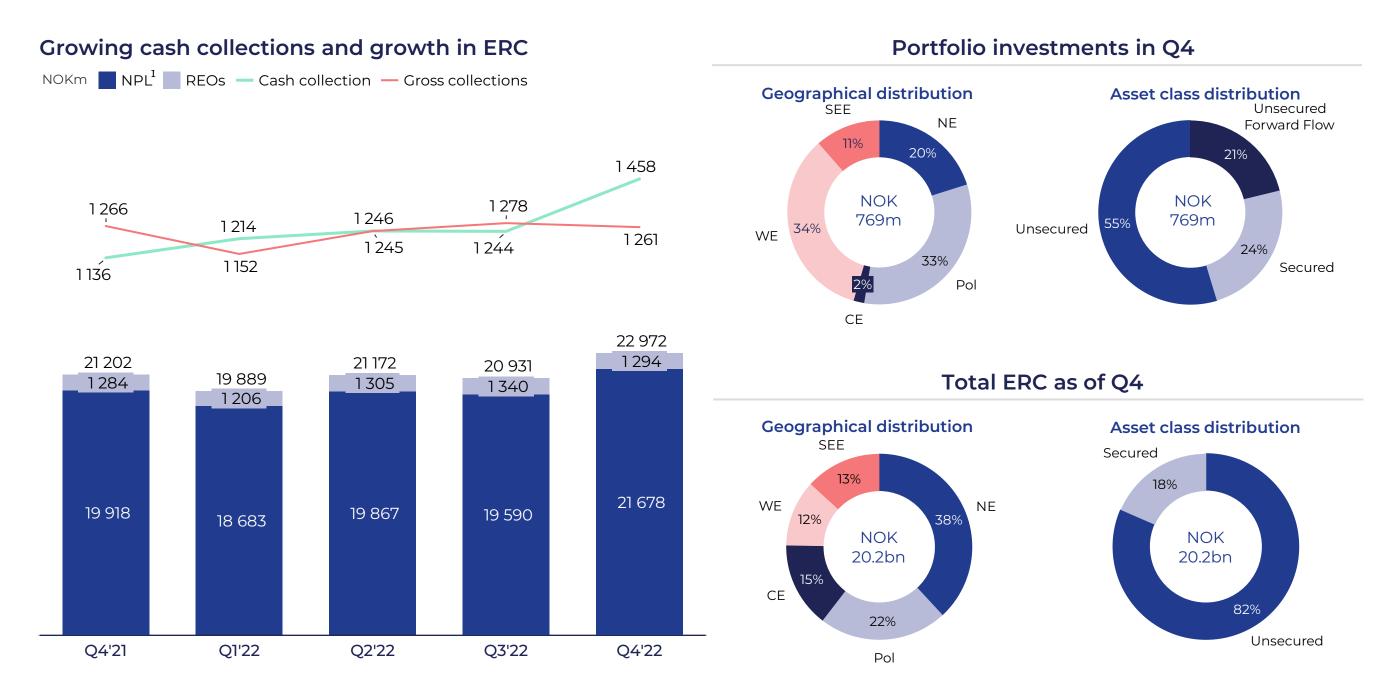


#### **REOs sold**

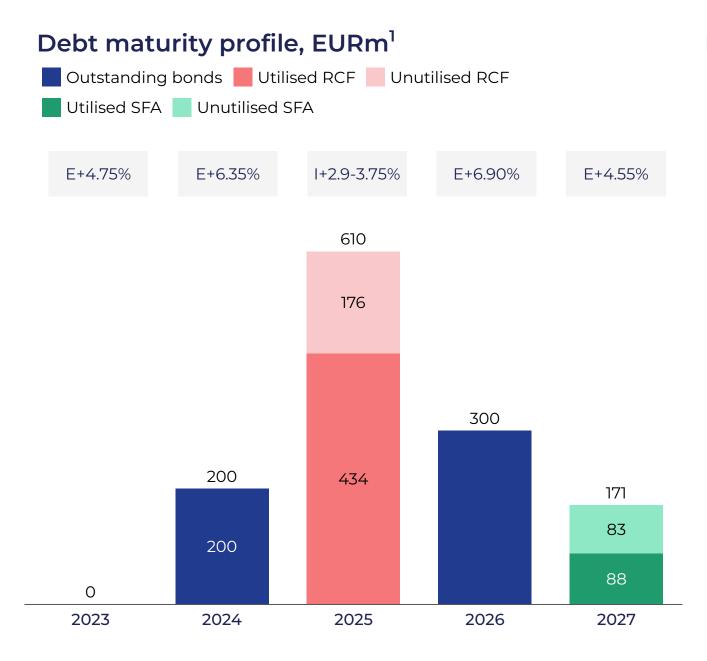


- Continued Unsecured overperformance 103.4 % for 2022 FY
- Secured cash collections up 26 % for 2022 FY
- REO sales above expectations at strong margins to book value

# Portfolio investments and Estimated Remaining Collections (ERC)



# Solid liquidity and low leverage ratio



## Healthy maturity profile

- Extensive bond refinancing completed
  - B2H03 fully repaid in October (EUR 145m)
  - EUR 150m tap issue in Jan/Feb
  - B2H04 called in February with full repayment in March (EUR 95m)
- Liquidity reserve around EUR 350m
- Leverage ratio 2.26x at year end increased to 2.37x in Jan'23

# Summary



# **Key takeaways**



Resilient collection performance and growth in cash metrics



Solid liquidity with leverage ratio of 2,3x at end of last quarter



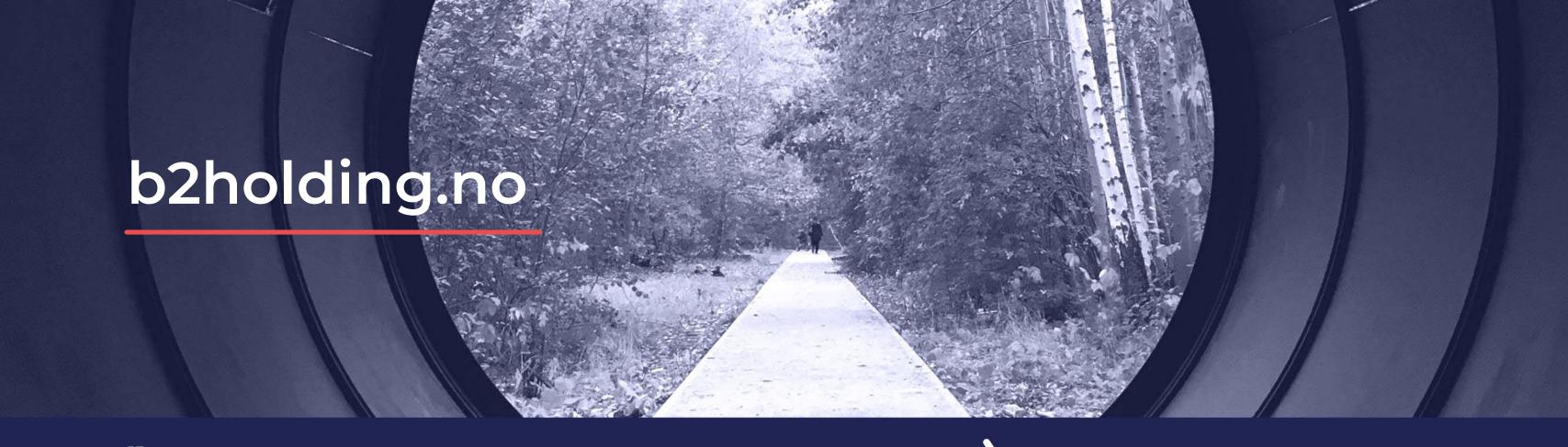
Continued focus on sustainability with improved ESG rating achieved



Increased investment pace and return to ERC growth



Deliver sustainable profitable growth while maintaining price and capital discipline



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