



# Q1 Interim Report January – March 2024

## Continued margin improvement in line with strategy

- Organic sales growth of 7 percent (12) in the first quarter
  - Technology and solutions had 7 percent real sales growth
- Operating margin reached 6.0 percent (5.8) in the first quarter, driven by North America. Ibero-America also supported
- Price and wage balance in the Group on par in the first quarter
- Operating cash flow was -15 percent (9) in the first quarter and net debt to EBITDA ratio was 2.9 (3.3\*)

*\*The comparative is adjusted and includes STANLEY Security's 12 months adjusted estimated EBITDA*





## Both business lines improved the operating margin compared to last year

Business line	Real sales growth		% of Group sales		EBITA margin		% of Group EBITA**	
	Q1 2024	Q1 2023	Q1 2024	Q1 2023	Q1 2024	Q1 2023	Q1 2024	Q1 2023
Security services	4	11	66	66	4.4	4.3	48	49
Technology and solutions	7	77*	32	32	10.2	10.1	55	56
Risk mgmt services and costs for Group functions	-	-	2	2	-	-	-3	-5
<b>Group</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

- Good underlying performance within security services, although hampered mainly by the airport security business
- Improvements also within technology and solutions, where cost benefits and operational scalability supported

\*Excluding STANLEY Security real sales growth was 13 percent in the first quarter of 2023

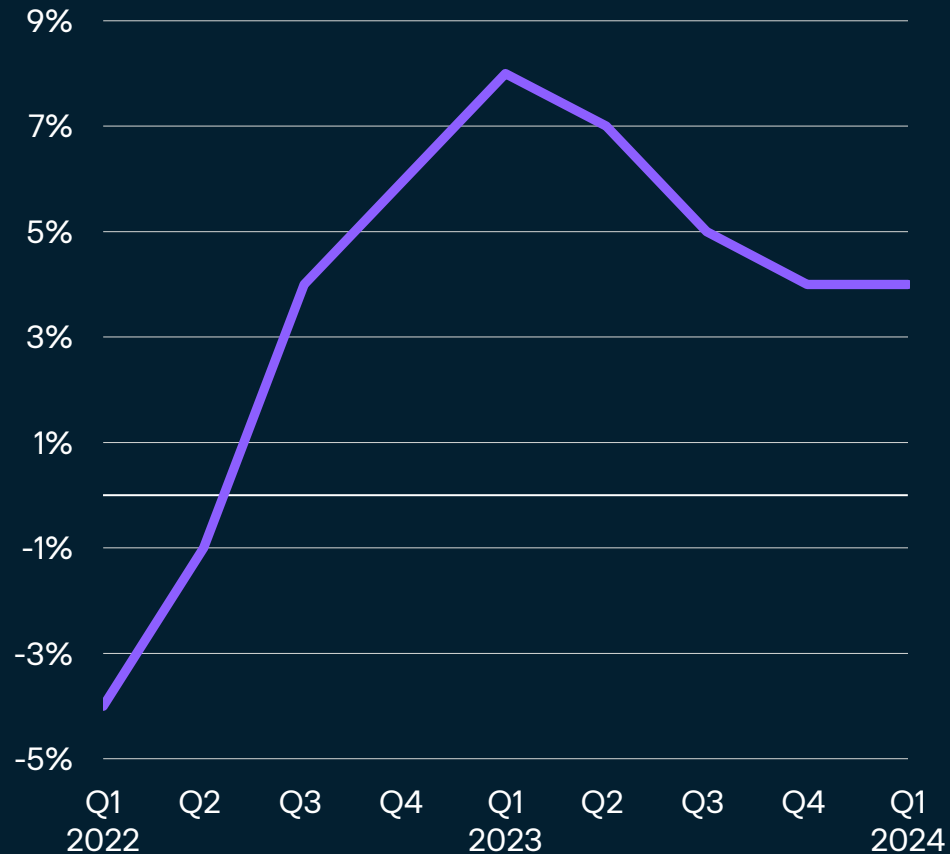
\*\*EBITA = operating income before amortization



## Securitas North America

# Organic sales growth driven by the Guarding and Technology business units

Organic sales growth



Organic sales growth 4% (8) in Q1

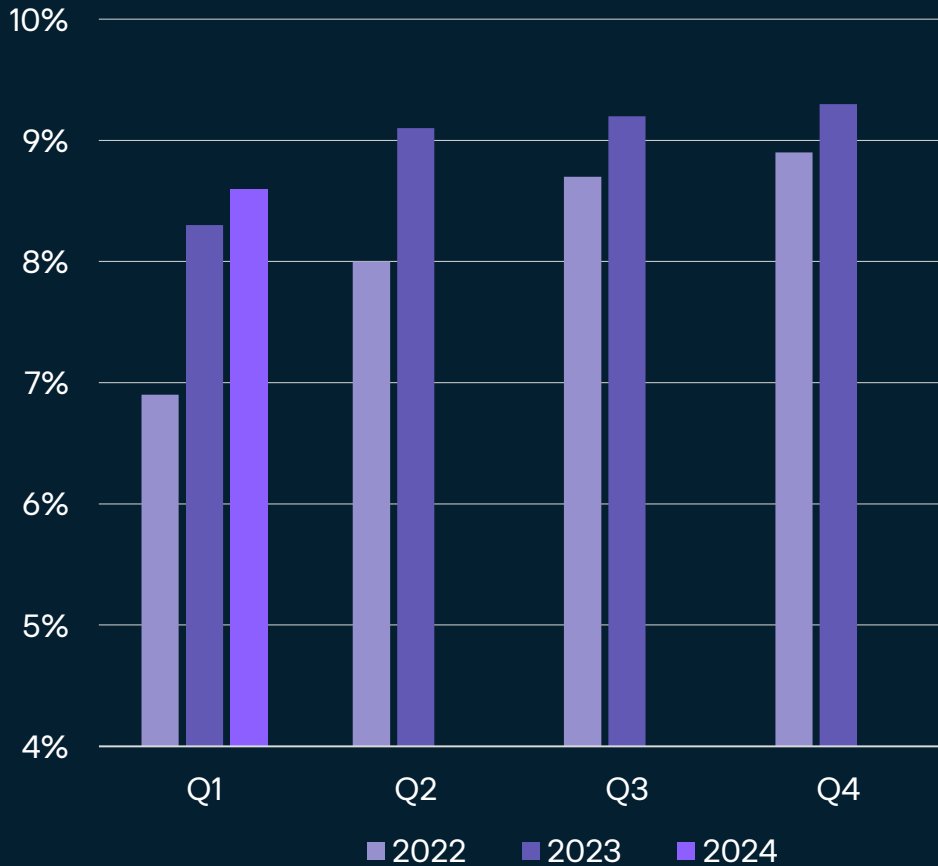
- Driven by good sales momentum and price increases
- The Technology business unit had good organic sales growth driven by installations and a solid order backlog
- A contract within airport security of MSEK 1 300 was terminated as of March 31, 2024, as previously communicated
- Technology and solutions sales represented 37 percent (36) of total sales in the first quarter
- Client retention rate 90 percent (87)



Securitas North America

# The strong margin uplift was driven by the Technology business unit

Operating margin



Operating margin 8.6% (8.3) in Q1

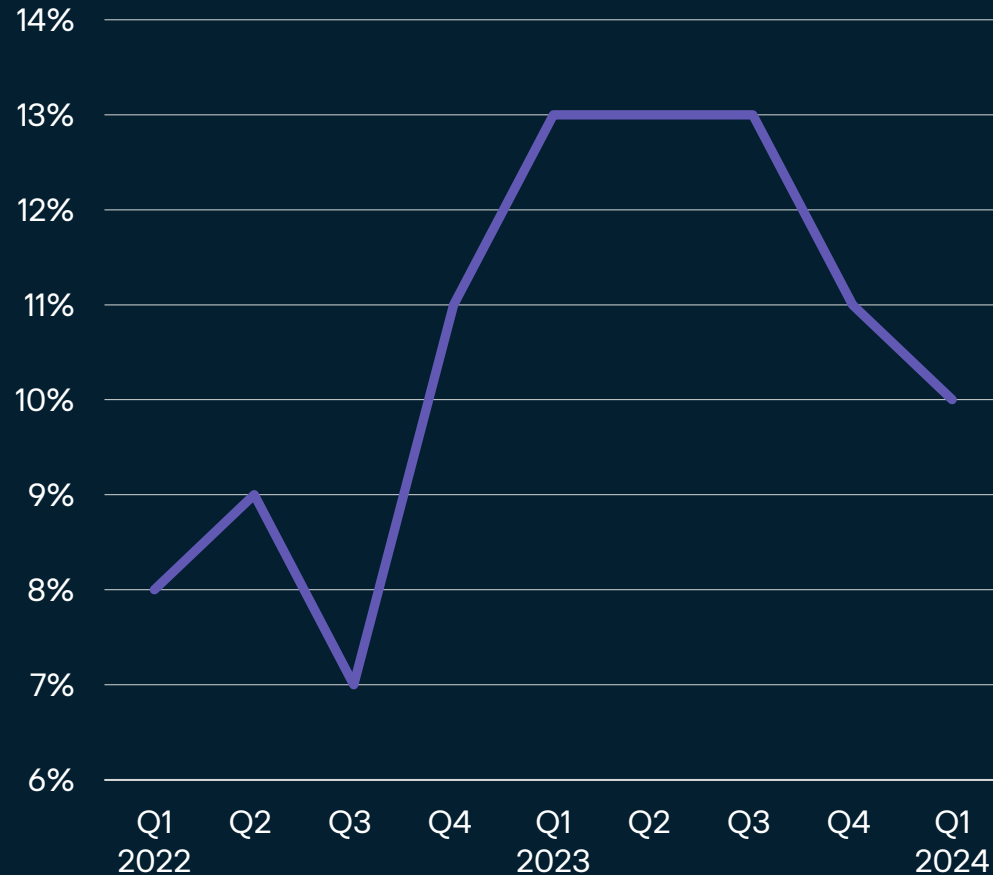
- The development was driven by the Technology business unit including cost synergies
- The operating margin in the Guarding business unit also improved
- We are winning more business at higher margins



## Securitas Europe

# Organic sales growth mainly driven by price increases and hyper-inflationary effects

Organic sales growth



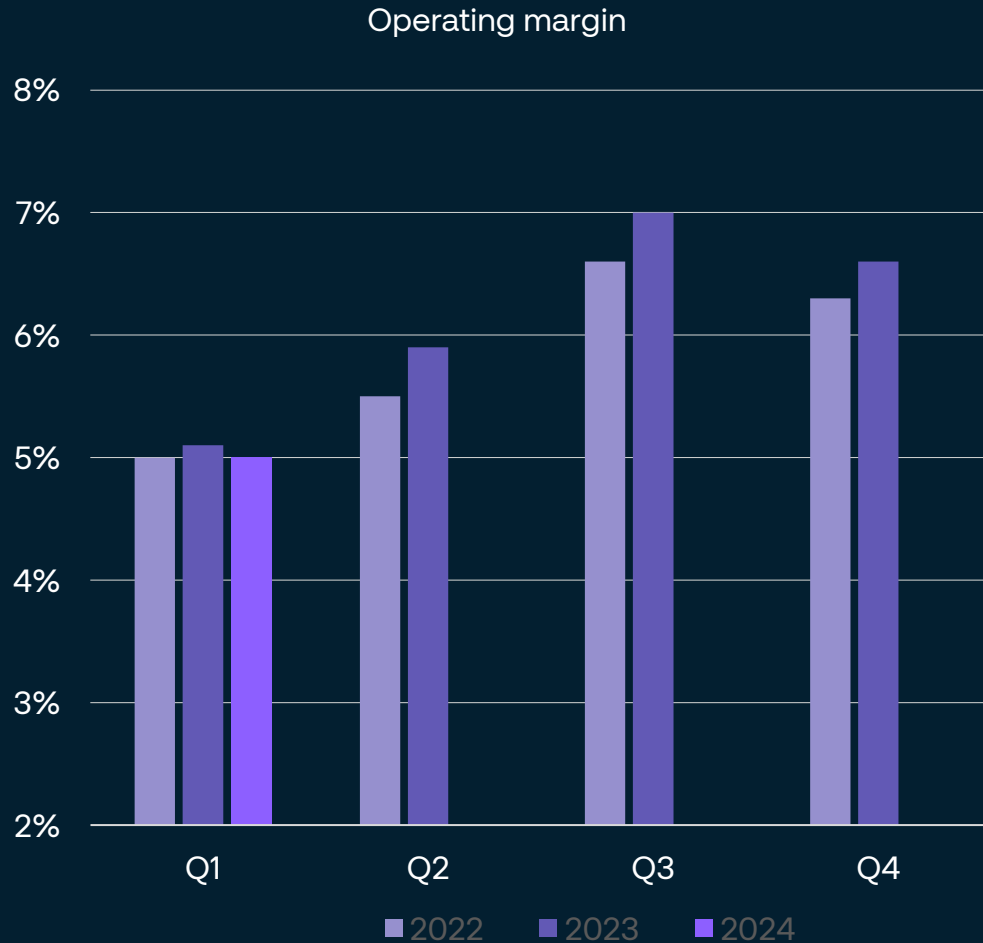
## Organic sales growth 10% (13) in Q1

- Price increases including impacts from the hyperinflationary environment in Türkiye behind organic sales growth
- Supported also by technology and solutions driven by installations and a solid order backlog within the technology business
- Technology and solutions sales represented 33 percent (33) of total sales in the first quarter
- Client retention rate 91 percent (91)



## Securitas Europe

# Operating margin decline due to a weaker quarter within the airport security business



Operating margin 5.0% (5.1) in Q1

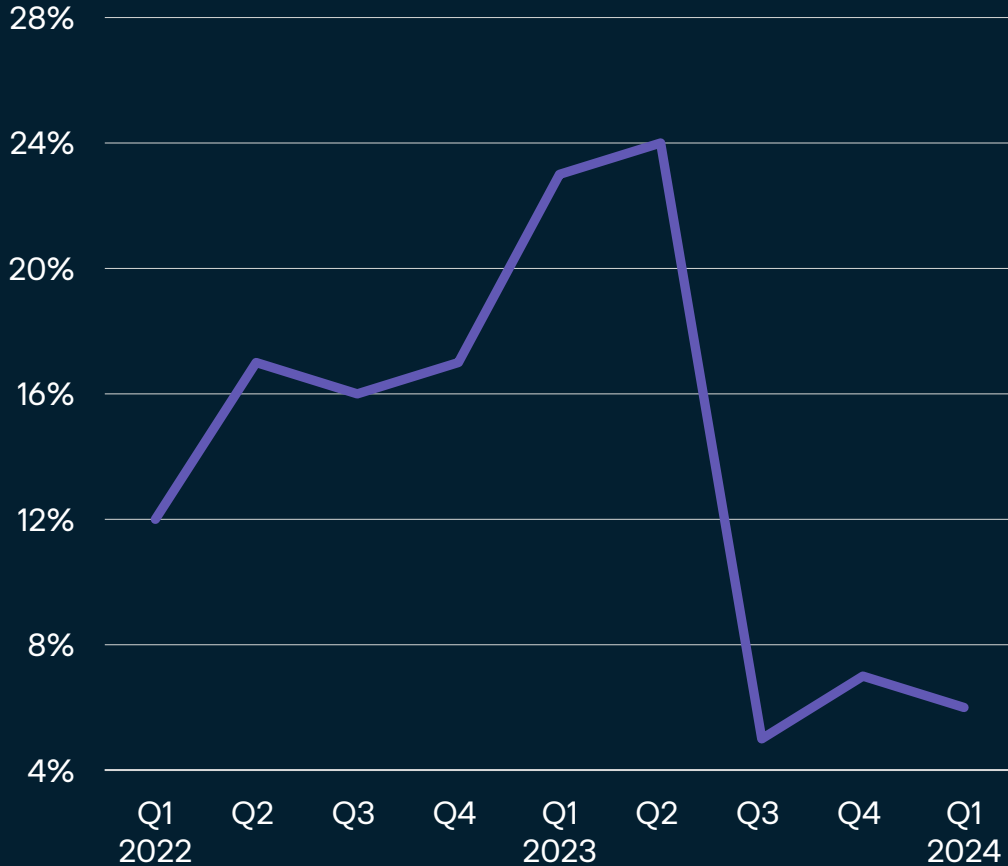
- The decline was driven by a weaker quarter within the airport security business
- The operating margin in technology was hampered due to the ongoing system and support transitions
- Excluding the airport security business, the operating margin within security services improved



Securitas Ibero-America

# The decline in organic sales growth is due to the divestment of Securitas Argentina in 2023

Organic sales growth



Organic sales growth 6% (23) in Q1

- Organic sales growth declined due to the divestment of Securitas Argentina
- Organic sales growth in Spain was 7 percent (6), supported by technology and solutions sales and price increases
- In Latin America, organic sales growth continued to be driven by price increases
- Technology and solutions sales represented 34 percent (31) of total sales in the first quarter
- Client retention rate 93 percent (91)

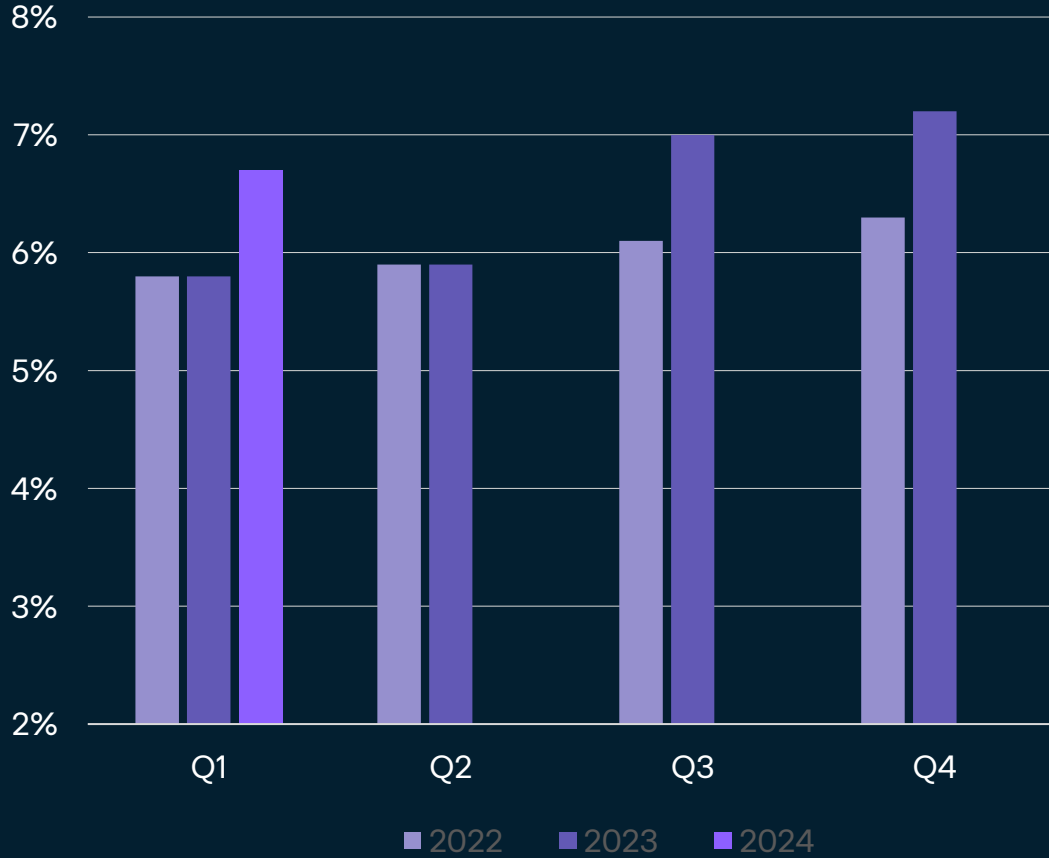




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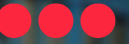
# The improved operating margin was driven by better margins within security services

Operating margin



Operating margin 6.7% (5.8) in Q1

— Improved margins in security services, positively impacted by the airport security business and by the divestment of Securitas Argentina



# Financials



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# Financial highlights

MSEK	Q1 2024	Q1 2023	FY 2023
<b>Sales</b>	<b>39 260</b>	<b>37 751</b>	<b>157 249</b>
<i>Organic sales growth, %</i>	7	12	9
<b>Operating income before amortization</b>	<b>2 357</b>	<b>2 180</b>	<b>10 247</b>
<i>Operating margin, %</i>	6.0	5.8	6.5
Amort. of acq.-related intangible assets	-151	-154	-620
Acquisition-related costs	-1	-1	-10
Items affecting comparability	-217	-281	-4 669
<b>Operating income after amortization</b>	<b>1 988</b>	<b>1 744</b>	<b>4 948</b>
Financial income and expenses	-554	-428	-2 115
<b>Income before taxes</b>	<b>1 434</b>	<b>1 316</b>	<b>2 833</b>
<i>Tax, %</i>	26.5	26.8	54.2
<b>Net income for the period</b>	<b>1 054</b>	<b>963</b>	<b>1 297</b>
<b>EPS, SEK</b>	<b>1.84</b>	<b>1.66</b>	<b>2.24</b>
<b>EPS, SEK before IAC</b>	<b>2.12</b>	<b>2.03</b>	<b>9.59</b>

- IAC of MSEK -217 (-281)
  - whereof MSEK -128 (-115) related to STANLEY Security
  - whereof MSEK -89 (-166) related to the transformation programs in Europe and Ibero-America
- Financial income and expenses MSEK -554 (-428)
  - whereof IAS 29 hyperinflation MSEK 32 (51)
- Tax rate of 26.5 percent (26.8)



# Significant reduction of items affecting comparability in 2024

## Items affecting comparability

FY 2023: BSEK -1.35

Q1 2024: MSEK -217

FY 2024: Estimate ~MSEK -550

### Transformation programs – Europe and Ibero-America, announced in Q4 2020

- Total program (adjusted for Cloud computing): MSEK -1 650 and CAPEX of MSEK -850
- IAC: FY 2021-22 MSEK -1 012, FY23 MSEK -686, Q1-24 MSEK -89, **FY24 estimated to approx. MSEK -150**
- CAPEX: FY 2021-22 MSEK -295, FY23 CAPEX MSEK -225, FY24 estimated to MSEK -100

### STANLEY Security acquisition, announced in Q4 2021

- Total program cost announced: MUS\$ -135 (approx. BSEK -1.5)
- IAC: FY 2021-22 MSEK -516, FY23 MSEK -662, Q1-24 MSEK -128, **FY24 IAC estimated to approx. MSEK -400**



## Limited impact from FX

MSEK	Q1 2024	Q1 2023	Change	
			Total, %	Real*, %
Sales	39 260	37 751	4	5
Operating income	2 357	2 180	8	9
EPS, SEK	1.84	1.66	10	10
EPS, SEK, before IAC	2.12	2.03	4	4

### FX SEK END-RATES

	Q1 2024	Q1 2023	%
USD	10.63	10.39	2.3
EUR	11.50	11.30	1.8



\* Including acquisitions and adjusted FX



# Cash flow

MSEK	Q1 2024	Q1 2023	FY 2023
<b>Operating income before amortization</b>	2 357	2 180	10 247
Investments in non-current tangible and intangible assets	-1 071	-947	-4 114
<i>CAPEX to sales, %</i>	2.7	2.5	2.6
Reversal of depreciation	904	878	3 556
Change in trade receivables	-921	-419	-2 986
Change in operating payables	-1 186	-1 480	1 477
Change in other net working capital	-445	-25	5
<b>Cash flow from operating activities</b>	<b>-362</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>8 185</b>
<i>Cash flow from operating activities, %</i>	-15	9	80
Financial income and expenses paid	-746	-518	-1 899
Current taxes paid	-251	-296	-1 348
<b>Free cash flow</b>	<b>-1 359</b>	<b>-627</b>	<b>4 938</b>

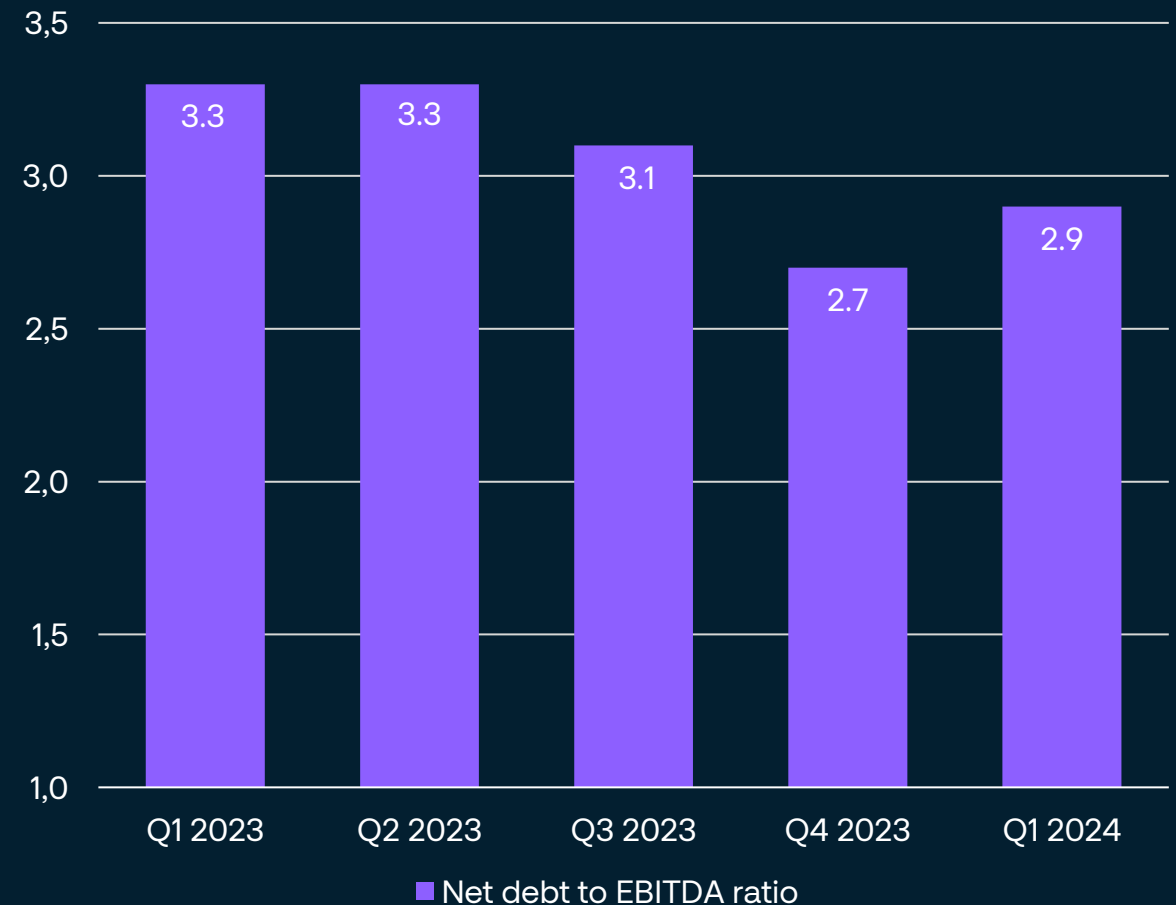
- First quarter seasonally the weakest cash flow quarter
- Operating cash flow weaker than last year as expected, strong 2023 NWC position and first quarter ending over Easter impacted negatively
- CAPEX <3% of Group sales annually in 2024
- Financial income and expenses paid were negatively impacted by increased annual bond coupon payments in the first quarter



## Net debt to EBITDA ratio remaining below 3.0x financial target

### MSEK

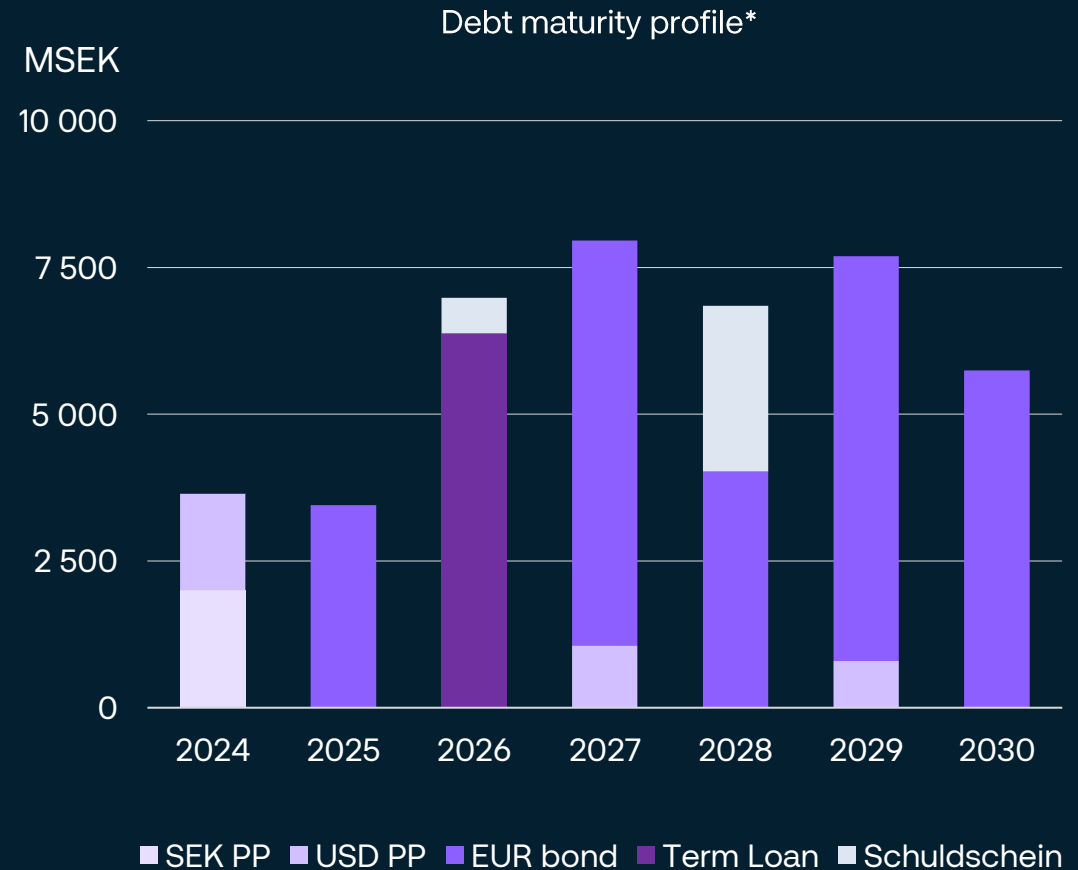
<b>Net debt January 31, 2024</b>	<b>-37 530</b>
Free cash flow	-1 359
Acquisitions/Divestitures	-10
Items affecting comparability	-290
Lease liabilities	23
<b>Change in net debt</b>	<b>-1 636</b>
Revaluation	45
Translation	-2 009
<b>Net debt March 31, 2024</b>	<b>-41 130</b>





# Financing overview

- Strong liquidity at end of the first quarter: BSEK 6.2
- MEUR 1 029 RCF matures in 2027 and is fully undrawn
- MEUR 500 Eurobond issued in February to refinance Q1 2024 maturities (MEUR 350 Eurobond and BSEK 1.5 SEK bond)
- S&P credit rating upgraded to BBB with stable outlook
- Remain committed to investment grade rating



\* MEUR 1 029 RCF fully undrawn, hence excluded from the maturity chart

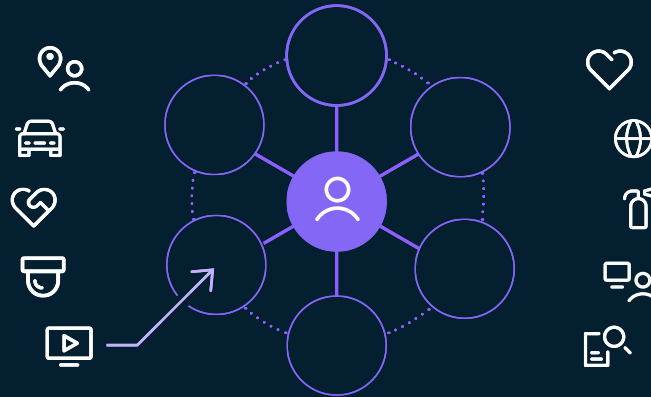




# Building the future Securitas



# We have established a unique position, with an unparalleled client offering to solve increasingly complex security needs



## Providing solutions globally

Global presence based on extensive local presence, #1-3 player in key strategic markets

## Unmatched client offering

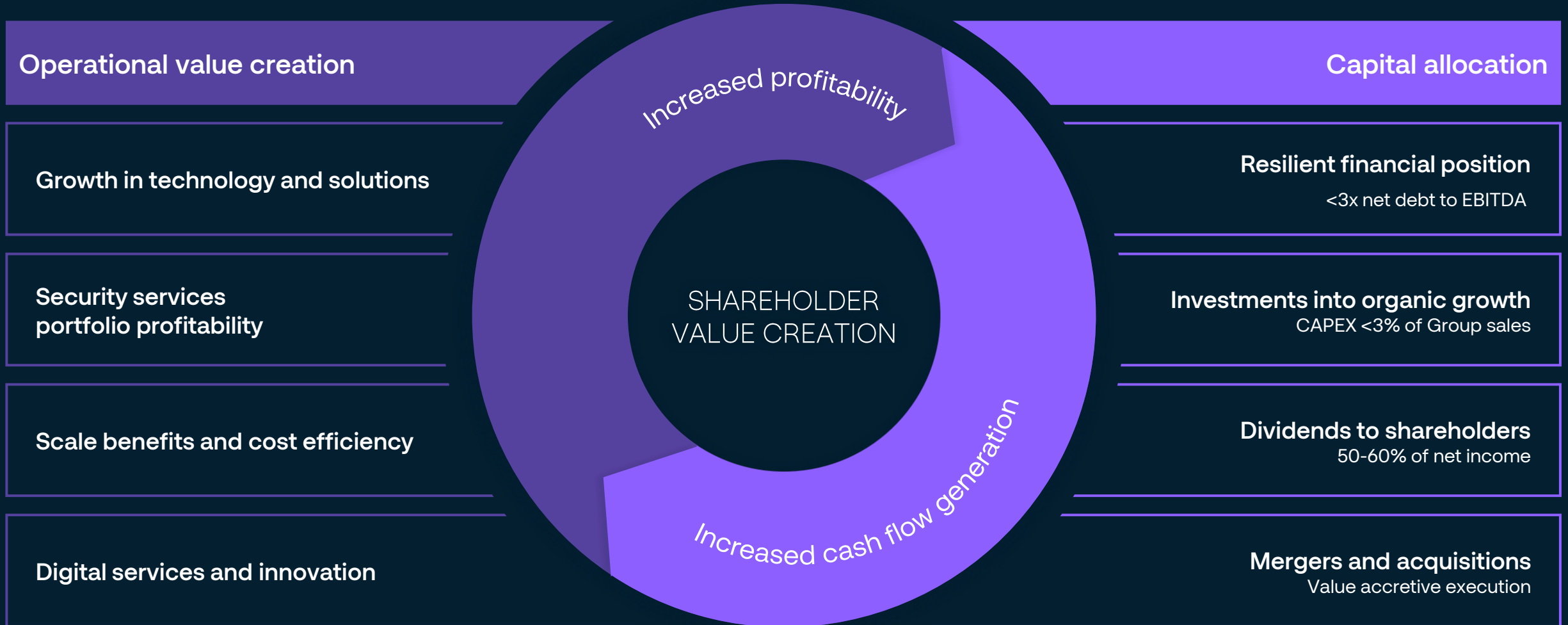
Bespoke offerings, combining people and technology in sustainable and world-leading security solutions

## Technology and innovation

Developing and partnering to offer industry-leading products and innovative solutions



# Shaping Securitas for long-term, sustainable shareholder value



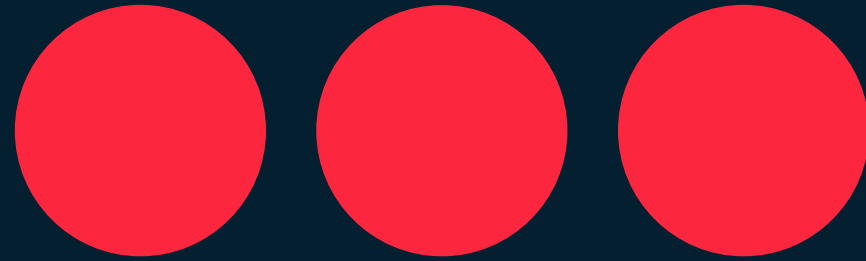
## Executing our strategy is driving performance

- The operating margin improved to 6.0 percent (5.8)
- Both business lines security services and technology and solutions improved the operating margin
- Price increases and wage cost increases on par
- Operating cash flow -15 percent (9)
- Net debt to EBITDA ratio 2.9 (3.3)
- Integration processes with STANLEY Security on track





The intelligent security solutions partner with world-leading technology and expertise



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