# Strategic Business Plan 2024-2026

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# Who we are





### This is Biesse



We are an international company that manufactures integrated lines, machines and components to process wood, glass, stone, polymer and composite.

Founded in Italy in 1969 and listed in the Euronext STAR segment of the Italian Stock Exchange, we support the business evolution of our customers in the furniture, housing & construction, automotive and aerospace sectors.

Today, 80% of our consolidated turnover is achieved abroad by an ever-growing worldwide network with 12 manufacturing sites and 20+ showrooms reaching over 160 countries.

Thanks to our rooted competence embodied by more than 4,400 employees, we empower the imagination of industry-leading companies and prestigious names in Italian and international design to make the potential of any material shine.





#### **VISION**

To simplify clients' manufacturing process, empowering their imagination to enhance people's everyday life.

#### **MISSION**

To provide clients with the most suitable solutions, committing our rooted competence to enable them to unleash the potential within any material.

#### **VALUES**

#### International natives

The sense of belonging without borders that enhances the peculiarities of individuals.

#### Insightful curiosity

A constant desire for discovery, which turns into intuition.

#### Genuine "maestria"/mastery

The original "know-how" which comes out from a genuine tradition.

#### Widespread transparency

The honesty of the people, the integrity of the company.

#### Heartfelt commitment

The adherence to a common project, lived and strengthened on a daily basis.

#### Respectful sight

The care for the environment, society, people.

# Our history in milestones



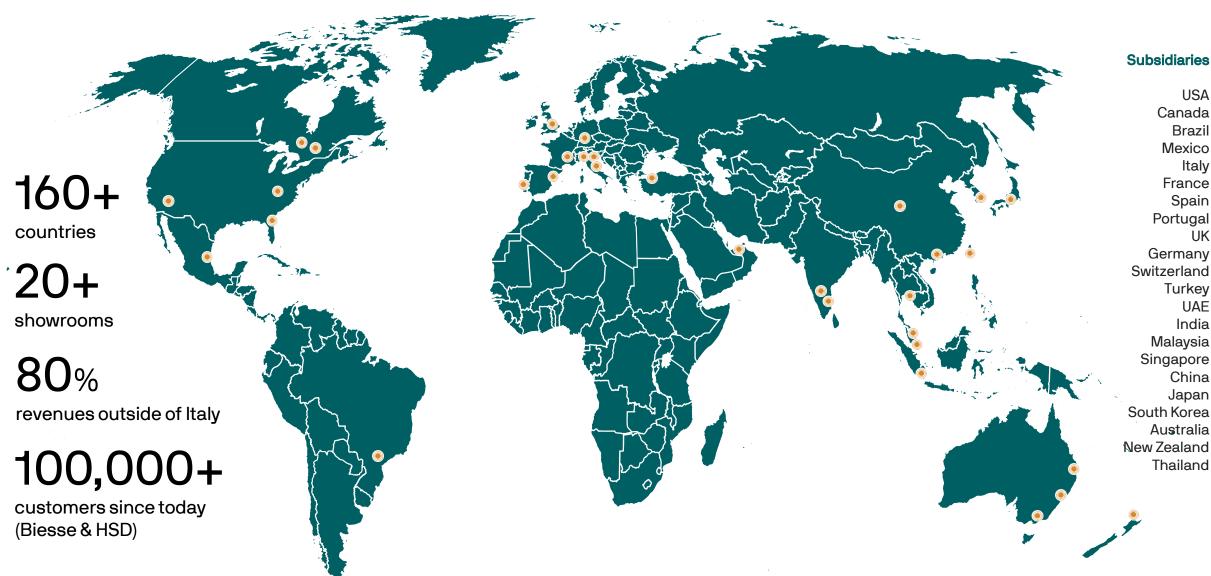
1969	Biesse is founded in Pesaro, Italy, to design, manufacture and distribute wood processing machinery.
1983	Biesse launched on the market Rover, a numerical control wood processing centre.
1987	A business sector dedicated to design, manufacture, and distribute glass and stone processing machines is born.
1989	The internationalization process starts with the opening of the first subsidiary abroad.

1991	The HSD business unit is established to design, manufacture and distribute electromechanical components.
2001	Biesse S.p.A. is listed on the STAR segment of the Italian Stock Exchange.
2008	Opening of the first foreign manufacturing site in Bangalore, India.
2017	Biesse develops and launches its own IIOT platform, making its technology 4.0 ready.
	Acquisition of Movetro and Montresor.

2018	Biesse publishes its first Sustainability Report.
2020	Start of the "One Company" project: new organization, new brand and product architecture, rationalization of production hubs.
2021	Acquisition of Forvet S.p.A.
2024	Acquisition of GMM Group, including Bavelloni and TechniWaterjet, manufacturing of machines for stone, glass, metal and tooling.

### International natives - Commercial sites





### The Brand and Product Architecture











The multi-material brands and their respective colors highlight the specifics of the business sectors in which we operate.

Biesse Wood, Biesse Glass, Biesse Stone and Biesse Materia guide the customer through the company's offering, expressing the distinctive characteristics of each business sector through the processed material.

Distinctive colors evoke the specific nature of each of the sectors and reinforce the concept of multi-materiality - an element that distinguishes Biesse from its competitors.

We design and manufacture WOOD processing integrated lines and machines for the furniture, window and door and building component industries.

We design and manufacture GLASS processing integrated lines and machines for the furniture, construction and automotive industries.





We design and manufacture STONE processing integrated lines and machines for the stone, furniture and building industries.

We design and manufacture solutions for the processing of technological, packaging, construction and visual communication MATERIALS.

## Biesse Components Mechatronics and Tools







HSD is the Biesse brand that designs, manufactures and distributes electrospindles, 2-axis milling heads and technologically advanced components for machining metal, alloys, composite materials and wood

It boasts a structure of 8,000 square meters organized according to the principles of "Just in time" production



#### DIAMUT BAVELLONI

Diamut and Bavelloni Tools are the Biesse brands that design, manufacture and distribute a complete range of tools for the machining of glass, natural and synthetic stone that can be used on CNC, automatic and semiautomatic machines

### **Sectors**







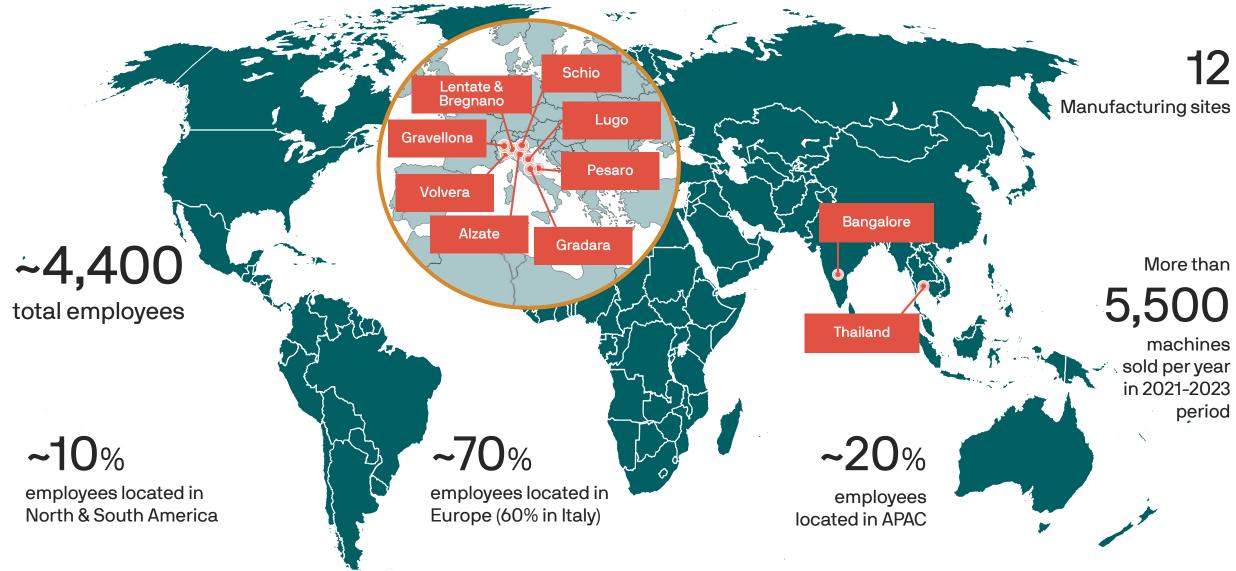


# Some of our prestigious customers

Cosentino Group Fiam Gruppo Lube Herman Miller Ikea Jeldwen Lago Marmi Fontanelli Nobia Oppein Rimadesio Saint-Gobain Saltoki **Tivitec** Veneta Cucine Wren Yatchline 1618

# Biesse presence worldwide





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## Planning for a more Sustainable future



The success of Biesse is also the result of the ability to recognize and evaluate its environmental and social impacts, to establish new collaborations, to involve employees and to build relationships of trust, honesty and integrity with customers and suppliers

Sustainability, therefore, stands at the base of every choice, in order to ensure the company's long-term growth and success

The 17 UN's Sustainable development Goals were adopted by all UN Member States in 2015, as part of the 2030 Agenda for sustainable development

They will guide Biesse's strategy, serving as a **guideline** to direct our efforts, establish objectives, and involve our partners







































# Sustainability high-lights for 2023



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Workplace safety management system of Biesse S.p.A. and Biesse India private Limited certified according to UNI ISO 45001:2018 standard

Support for social, cultural, artistic and sports initiatives in the community

Biesse India Private Limited has carried out several educational projects supporting children and teenagers



100% of electricity purchased from renewable sources with guarantees of origin for the Group's Italian companies

16,500 m2 of photovoltaic panels installed

Environmental management system of HSD S.p.A., Biesse S.p.A. and Biesse India Private Limited certified according to UNI ISO 14001:2015 standard

95% of purchases from local suppliers, as far as manufacturing plants in Italy and India are concerned

# People as key differentiator



#### **Change Management Program**

> To.Get.There: the Biesse Transformation Process to nurture the urgency of change, improving adaptability and never-ending learning capabilities

#### **Talent Strategy**

- Align employees on goals and strategy: Share strategic objectives and align rewarding policy
- Facilitate Change Management: Support organizational culture and values
- Enhance cross-functional collaboration: improve operational efficiency

#### To.Get.There



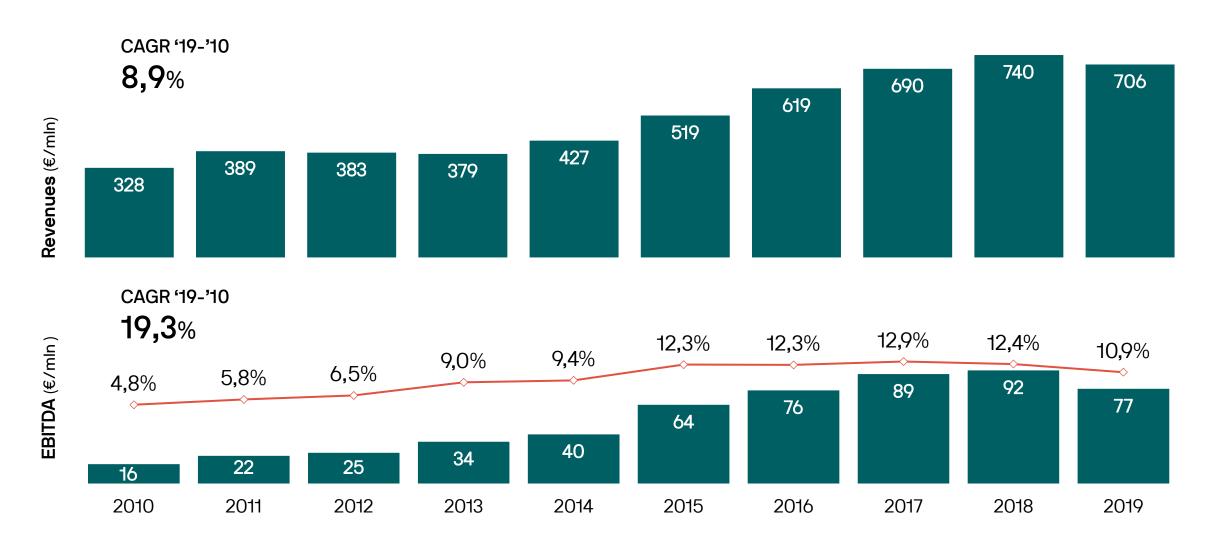
Enhance leadership and communication

Increase employee engagement and create awareness

Improve knowledge sharing and targets alignment

# A history of growth

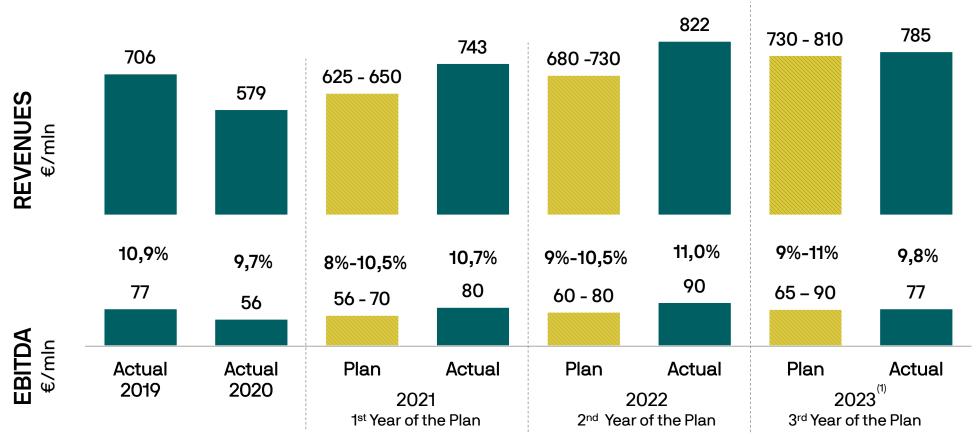




# Business Plan 2021-2023 successfully completed despite economic turmoil







CAGR '23-'20:

+10,7%

+11,2%

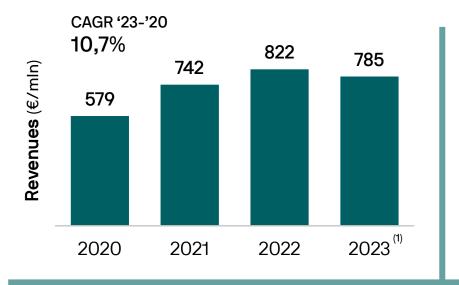
<sup>(1) 2023</sup>e data preliminary

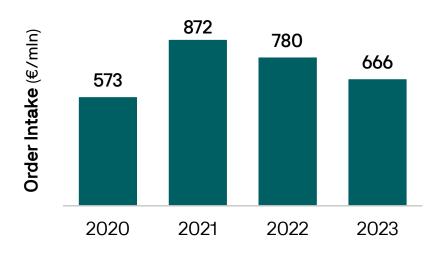
<sup>2)</sup> Plan presented in 2021 and available on https://www.biessegroup.com/en/biesse\_over\_the\_years/three\_years\_plan

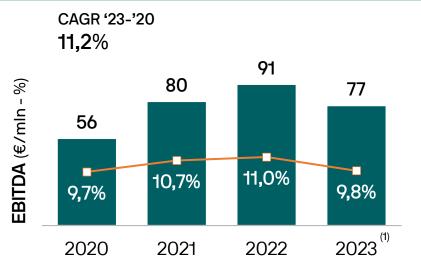
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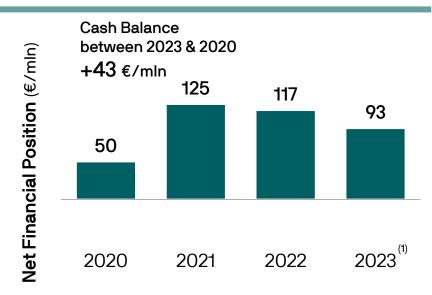


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- In the period 2021-2023 (post-pandemic) we reached a CAGR 10,7%, growing compared to prepandemic period
- From 2020 to 2023 we generated positive cash flow, with a balance of 43 million euros after dividends payment

### Markets revenues

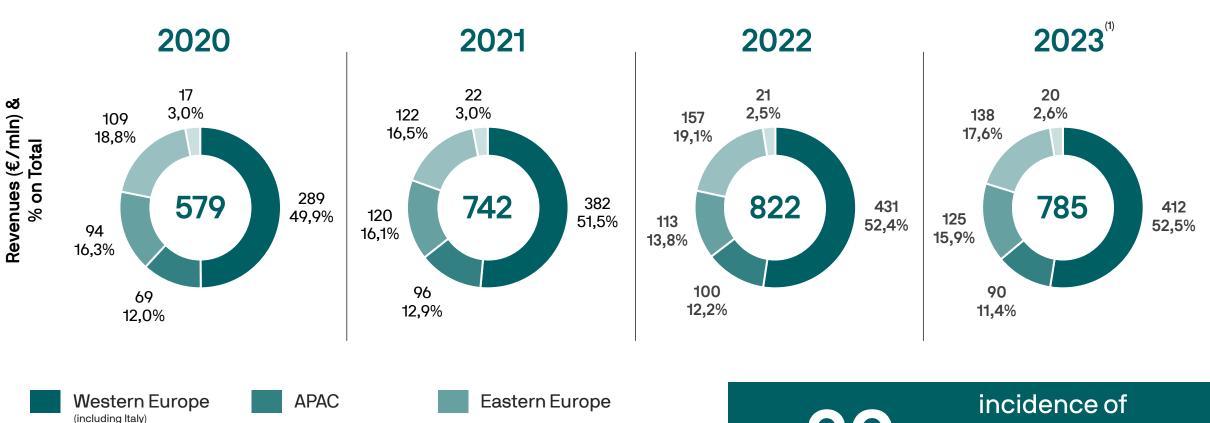
North America



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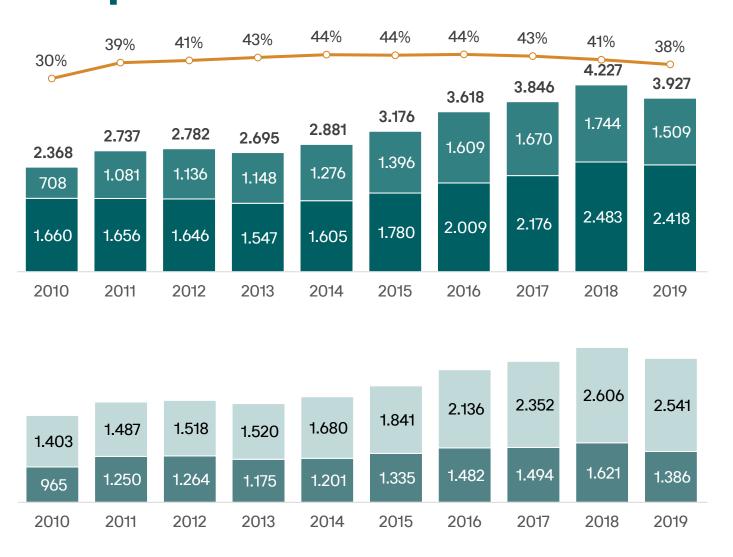
Revenues by geographical area 2020 - 2023 (€/mln - Incidence on Total)

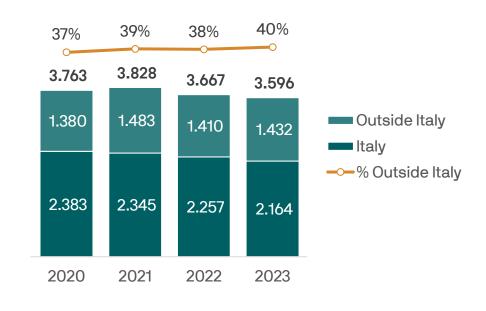
Rest of the World

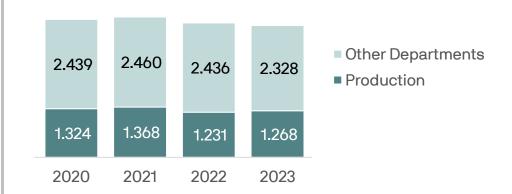


incidence of after-sale and parts on revenues in 2023

### People distribution (without temporary workers)







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## Macrotrends: uncertainty is the new certainty

Complexity as the new World paradigm

#### The impact of complexity

- Volatility: things change rapidly and unpredictably
- Uncertainty: challenging to predict future outcomes with precision
- Ambiguity: multiple interpretations or unclear situations



- Need for strategic flexibility and resilience in decision-making
- Importance of clarity and strategic communication in navigating complex scenarios

#### Nine ways in which the world is complex

- **1. Interconnected Systems:**Globalization & Regionalization
- 2. Technological Advancements: Automation & Al
- 3. Cultural Diversity

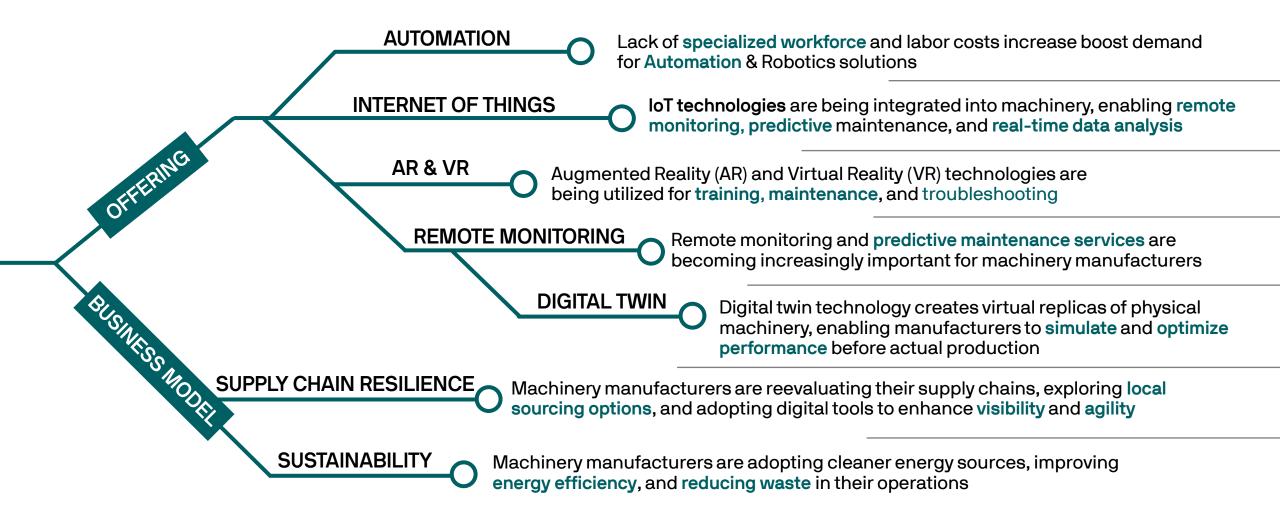
- 4. Economic Interdependencies
- **5. Environmental Factors:** Climate change
- **6. Political Dynamics:** Geopolitical tensions, international relations

- 7. Information Overload
- **8. Social Dynamics:** Growing and Ageing Population
- 9. Health Challenges: Global pandemics, emerging diseases and healthcare disparities

# Trends shaping our Industry



Machinery Companies are facing great challenges in coming years

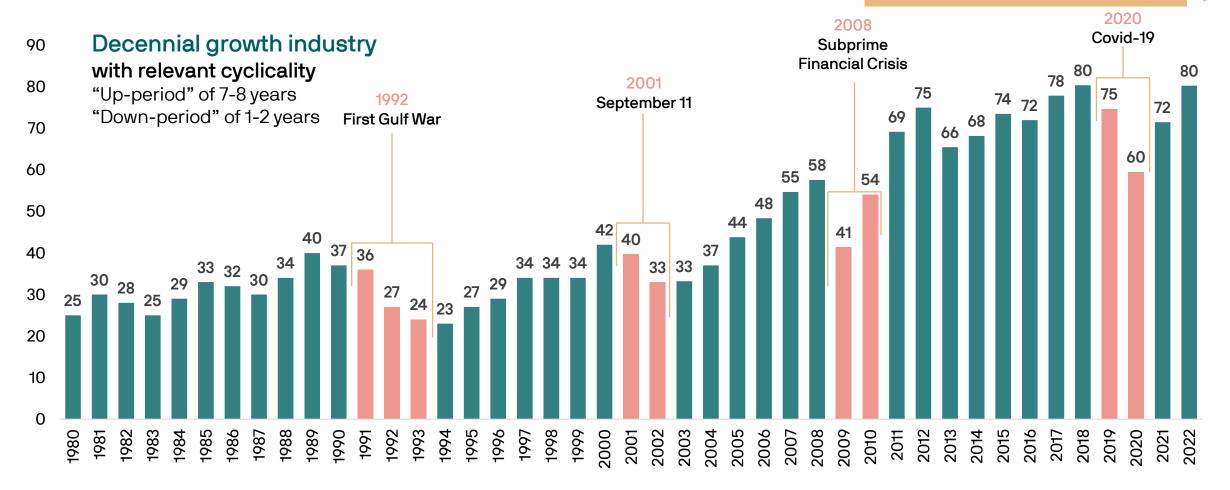


### The Machine Tools manufacturers market



Machine tools market production 1980 - 2022 (€/bln)

Expected slowdown in 2023-2025 due to global economic uncertainty



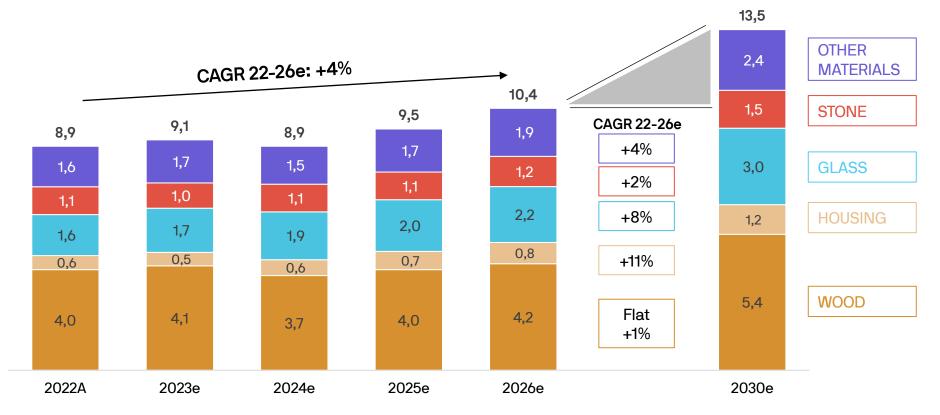
Source: KPMG elaboration on Machine Tool Builders' Association (VDW), CECIMO & Oxford Economics - Market Forecast

### Biesse's reference Market



Biesse reference machinery market 2022 – 2026e

(€/bln, CAGR) - Machines Sales excluding services & after-sales



- Expected Markets slowdown in 2024e after post-Covid recovery
- Woodworking machinery strongly affected by market slowdown in 2024e and 2025e
- Glass, Stone, Other Materials will experience a steady growth, especially glass working
- In long term view (2030)
  Glass, Stone and Other
  Materials working
  machinery markets will
  value more than
  woodworking

# Business Plan 2024-2026 strategic objectives

Creating a Company able to overpass the complexity, secure revenues and profit

### STRATEGIC OBJECTIVE

Building the Leader in Multi-Materiality, Stabilizing Turnover to enable future growth

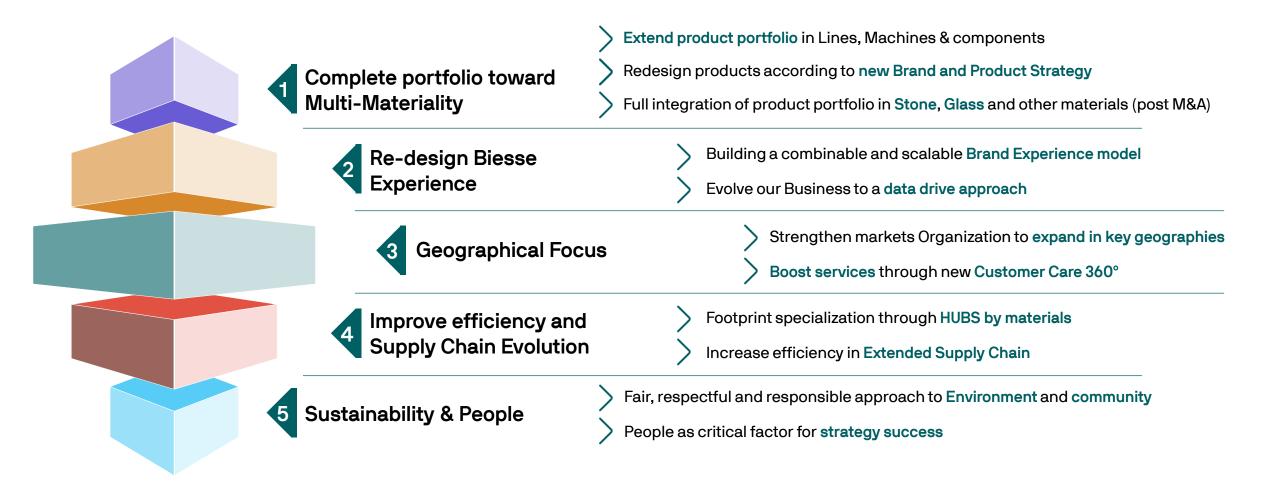
#### Biesse Objectives for 2024-2026 Plan

- > Focus on Key markets for long-term sustainable growth
- Solid decentralized international organization which is centrally governed
- Multi-regional Supply Chain
- Established Multi-Material sales organization
- Segmented machine product portfolio with an extended coverage
- Development of Integrated Lines and Components business for additional value creation
- Best organization structure and the right talents in a complex environment

# Strategy for Multi-Materiality leadership



2024-2026 Plan will enable the growth for the future years



# Complete portfolio | Extend our offering



Portfolio completion and integration will enable future growth

- > A dedicated global organization to support Markets & Services dedicated network in the markets
- A new dedicated Brand to provide a clear identity and value
- A new Software Architecture to simplify customer experience
- Defend market share and positioning among leaders of Biesse Wood
- > Develop Biesse Glass product portfolio, combining current Biesse Portfolio with Forvet & Bavelloni's portfolio
- Consolidate Biesse Stone (with GMM) leading position through clear geographical strategy
- Explore additional opportunities in **other materials** (Composite, Plastics, Light Alloy, etc)
- Secure and develop Parts business through Customer Care
- Electrospindles expansion in most valuable material segments (Wood & Metal)
- Develop Biesse Tool's product portfolio
- Expand markets share in high potential markets through Biesse network in the countries



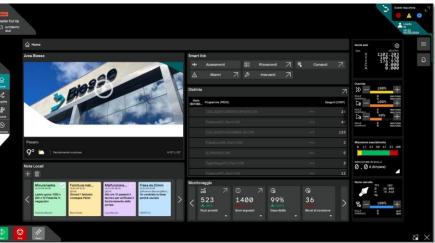
# Complete portfolio | Re-design Products



Introducing the "One Company" to the market with the Restyling Project

- Integrate the new Brand Architecture into the whole Biesse Machines Product portfolio
- Innovate product naming rules to set new clear standard for the market
- Update the Machines Product Catalogue
- Develop and sell with the machine dedicated service packages related to each machine









# Complete portfolio | Portfolio integration with GMM Group





GMM is leader in stone cutting & processing



Integration guidelines

Complete GMM product portfolio with Biesse products



Bavelloni is among leaders in flat glass edgebanding



Integration guidelines

Combine product portfolios to complete the offering



Techni Waterjet is growing in Metal cutting through Waterjet worldwide



Integration guidelines

Explore additional growth opportunities



# Biesse Experience | New Experience Model



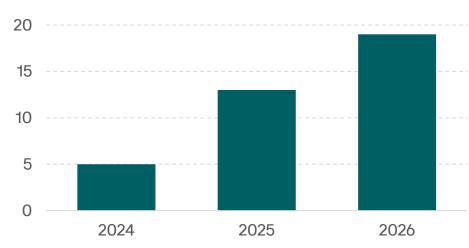
Renovate an integrated global network of showrooms

We will build a significant and memorable brand experience that allows the Biesse identity to be manifested across the main touchpoints (venues, showrooms, factories, exhibitions,...), elevating the Brand equity and making our Biesse Showroom become an experiential multi-material hub





#### Biesse Experience Hub roll-out plan (cumulated # new HUBS)











# Geographies | Expand in key geographies through Regional Model



Increasing the size of the Countries and looking at new growing markets



- Consolidate leading positioning in North America
- Expand Market Share in Central & South America



- Consolidate leading positioning in West Europe
- Expand market share in high growth market (Est Europe)
- > Defend Italy baseline



- Expand market coverage and growth in high potential markets
- Develop multi-material penetration



# Geographies | Improve Customer Lifetime value through Customer Care



- Provides consistency in customer centric "end to end" approach across all markets
- Delivers a best-in-class customer experience by maximizing efficiency and business simplicity
- > Provides **greater efficiency** on Customer claim management
- > Strengthens the markets and increase services revenues
- Represents a key requirement for organizational sustainability and roadmap for future growth





# Supply Chain | HUBS specialization



Evolution of the global manufacturing and sourcing footprint to guarantee sustained competitive advantage aligned to multi-material strategy and regional model





# Supply Chain | Boost Efficiency



Evolve Supply Chain towards a more effective industrial model

New market conditions require a different approach in managing procurement and sourcing processes, particularly a rationalization of the global supplier base

Rationalize supplier base and inbound logistics to reduce cost incidence and achieve our goals toward sustainability

Volatile market conditions and more complex competitive scenario require higher flexibility in operations

Embed versatility in our Supply Chain

Logistics in the post-pandemic world is become extremely critical and fragile.

Central coordination considering is becoming a key success factor to control costs and delivery

Secure outbound logistics through a worldwide organization with local logistics hubs

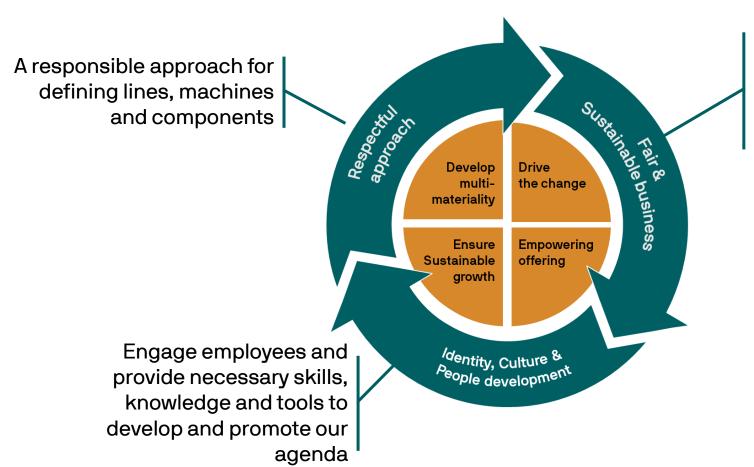
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### Sustainability | Biesse responsible approach



Three streams to help us to develop our vision



Ensuring security in the workplace and mitigation of environmental impacts along supply chain.

Promote a responsible environmental approach in our operations

### Biesse climate strategy and goals 2030<sup>1</sup>

-50% tonCO<sub>2eq</sub>

Absolute emissions reduction scope 1 & 2<sup>1</sup> by 2030 compared to base year 2019<sup>2</sup>

100%

Renewable energy by 2030

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## **Targets**



We settled achievable targets despite context complexity

EBITDA Margin 9 - 10% 2026e Target Range

> 2026e Target Range €/mln

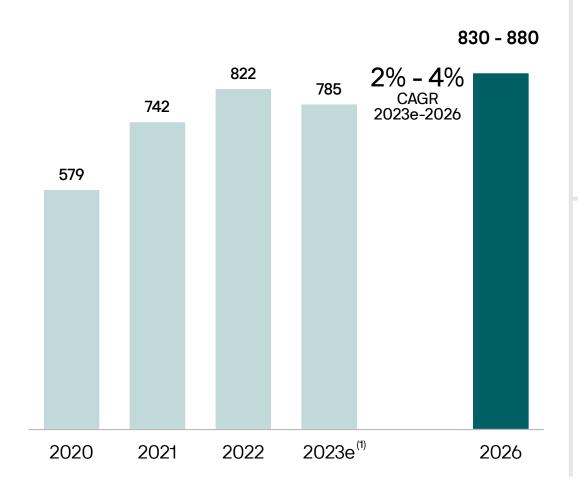
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### Key financials - Profit & Loss



Net revenues (€/mln)

Steady growth despite market slowdown

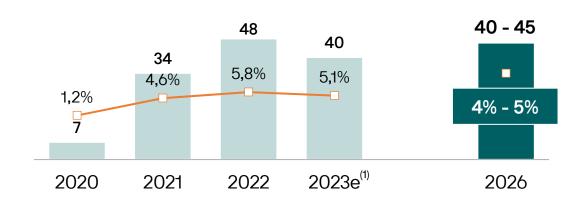


#### EBITDA & EBITDA margin (€/mln; % on net sales)

Maintain profitability in the uncertainty



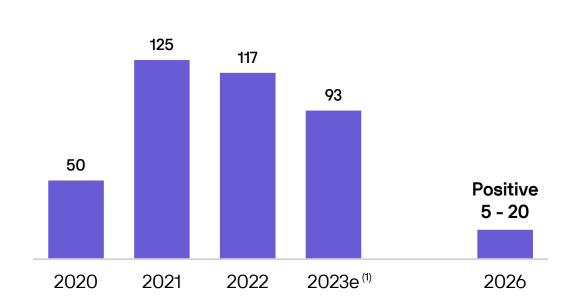
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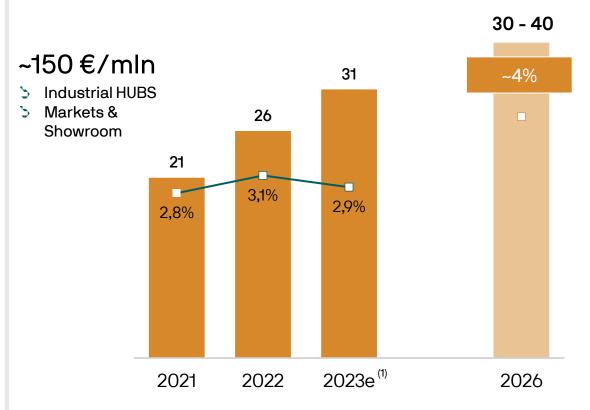
# Key financials - Balance Sheet



**Net Financial Position** (€/mln)



### CAPEX (€/mln; % on net sales) Ambitious Capex plan to evolve our operating model



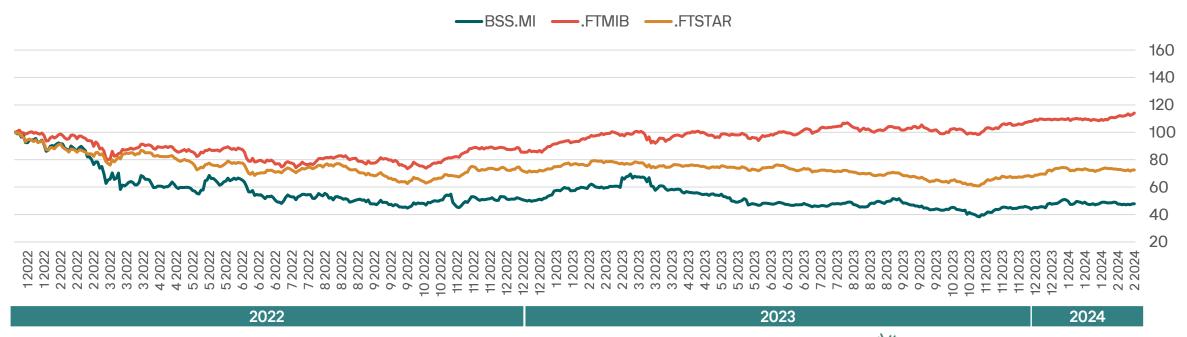
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### Stock performance & consensus







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BUY

Target Price: EUR 13.5 (from EUR 16.5)



#### 22 December 2023

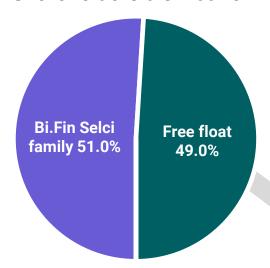
Buy	
Recommendation unchanged	
Share price: EUR	12.10
closing price as of 21/12/2023	
Target price: EUR	16.00
from Target Price: EUR	14.00

### Shareholder distribution

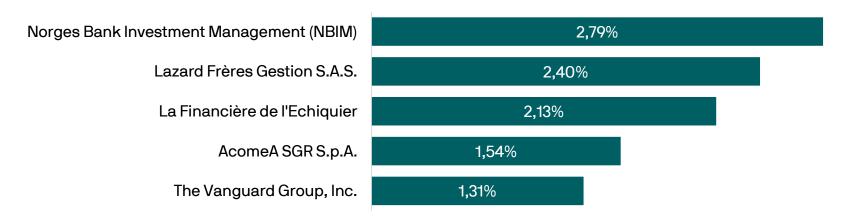
#### **Biesse Board of Directors**

- Giancarlo Selci (Founder President)
- Roberto Selci (C.E.O.)
- Massimo Potenza (co C.E.O.)
- Alessandra Baronciani
- Rossella Schiavini
- Federica Ricceri
- Ferruccio Borsani

#### Shareholders distribution



**Top 5 Shareholders** 



Source: Reuters - February 2024

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#### Alternative performance indicators

Management uses some performance indicators, which are not identified as accounting measures under the IFRS (non-GAAP measures), to better assess Biesse's performance. The criterion applied by Biesse to set these indicators might not be the same as that adopted by other groups, and the indicators might not be comparable with those set by the latter. These performance indicators, which were set in compliance with the Guidelines on performance indicators issued by ESMA/2015/1415 and adopted by CONSOB with its communication No. 92543 of 3 December 2015, refer to performance in the accounting period covered by this Business Plan and the previous years used for comparison. Performance indicators are to be regarded as complementary to and not a substitute for financial data prepared in accordance with IFRS. Hereafter is a description of the main indicators adopted.

#### Value Added

This indicator is defined as the Profit (Loss) for the year before income taxes, finance income and expense, exchange rate gains and losses, amortisation of intangible assets, depreciation of property, plant and equipment, impairment losses on fixed assets, allocations to provisions for risks and charges, costs and revenues arising from transactions that Management considers as non-recurring relative to Biesse's ordinary operations, as well as personnel expense.

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#### Adjusted EBITDA (Adjusted Earnings Before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation and Amortisation)

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#### Operating Profit or EBIT (Earnings Before Interest and Taxes)

This indicator is defined as Profit (Loss) for the year before income taxes, financial income and expenses, and foreign exchange losses and gains.

#### **Net Operating Working Capital**

This indicator is calculated as the total of Inventories, Trade receivables and Contract assets, net of Trade payables and Contract liabilities.

#### **Net Working Capital**

This indicator is calculated as the total of Net Operating Working Capital and other Current Assets and Liabilities, including Provisions for short-term risks and charges.

#### **Net Invested Capital**

This indicator represents the total of Current and Non-Current Assets, excluding financial assets, net of Current and Non-Current Liabilities, excluding financial liabilities.

#### Net financial position

This indicator is calculated in compliance with the provisions contained in Communication No. 5/21 of 29 April 2021 issued by Consob, which refers to the ESMA Recommendations of 4 March 2021.

