

# Yahsat

1Q 2022 Results Presentation

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## Agenda

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1Q 2022 Financial Overview

Discussion and Closing Remarks



## **Positive Momentum Continues in 1Q22**





## Strong financial performance



## Contracted Future Revenue exceeds USD 2.2 billion



## Robust cashflow generation



## Confident on growth outlook

- Revenue up 9.4% yearon-year
- Healthy EBITDA margin of 58.9%
- Up 8.6% since start of 2022 and > 47% since 1 January 2021
- Represents 5.4x annualized revenue, up from 5.0x at 31 December 2021

- USD 90.7 million
  Discretionary free cash
  flow
- Supports attractive dividend now paid semiannually
- On track to meet 2022 objectives
- FY2022 guidance range maintained

## **Good Operational Performance**



+25%







Awarded 5-year managed services mandate with UAE Gov't

\$247.5m Contracted revenue Launched IP-based radio comms solution Thuraya Push-to-Talk (PTT).



Partnered with Philippines' leading communications solutions provider



Strong year-on-year consumer broadband +24% revenue growth

Growth in consumer

subscriber base over

the last 12 months

Managed Solutions revenue up 26.0% y-o-y; revenue from Oil & Gas customers more than doubled



Stellar y-o-y revenue growth, up 45.4%



## **Delivering Our Strategy**

Diversify and expand commercial business

Invest and partner to diversify and grow

Further diversified across markets and industries: marine, military, humanitarian and other opportunities secured, spanning Asia, Africa and beyond

Expand core government business

Strengthen position as the UAE's flagship satellite operator

Strengthened our Government relationship with 5-year mandate; further vote of confidence in our teams and solutions



## **1Q 2022 Financial Highlights**





Excellent start to 2022 with stellar revenue growth



Especially strong performance in Managed Solutions and Mobility Solutions



Strong Profitability



Contracted future revenue continues to climb following award of Managed Services Mandate worth USD 247.5 million



Strong balance sheet allows capital allocation towards growth



Resilient business with robust cash flow generation

- √ 1Q22 revenue of USD 98.7 million, up 9.4% vs. 1Q 2021
- ✓ Managed Solutions and Mobility Solutions revenues up y-o-y by 26.0% and 45.4% respectively
- Adjusted EBITDA and Net Income up y-o-y by 6.8% and 26.4% respectively. Healthy adjusted EBITDA margin of 58.9%
- Contracted future revenue now ~ USD 2.2 billion, 5.4x 2021 revenue up 8.6% since start of year
- ✓ Low leverage at 0.4x Net Debt to Adjusted EBITDA
- ✓ Cash conversion of 97.6%. DFCF of USD 90.7 million





2022 revenue of USD 415-440 million and stable EBITDA



#### Committed to attractive and progressive dividend policy

2022 dividend of at least \$107.1\* million growing by a minimum of 2% per year

\*Half of 2022 dividend (interim) expected to be paid in October 2022, with remainder (final) expected to be paid in April or May 2023 (subject to approval by Board of Directors and Shareholders)

## **1Q 2022 Financial Highlights**



Financial Extracts (USDm)	1Q22	1Q21	YoY%		
Revenue	98.7	90.2	9.4%		
Cost of Revenue	(10.1)	(4.9)	-104.8%		
Staff costs	(21.1)	(20.0)	-5.3%		
Other operating expenses	(10.0)	(11.3)	11.7%		
Other Income	0.5	0.4	25.0%		
Adjusted EBITDA	58.1	54.4	6.8%		
Adjusted EBITDA Margin %	58.9%	60.3%			
Net Income (Profit attributable to the shareholders)	20.1	15.9	26.4%		
Net Income Margin %	20.4%	17.6%			
Cash and short-term deposits	478.2	400.3*	19.5%		
Discretionary Free Cash Flow	90.7	86.0	5.5%		

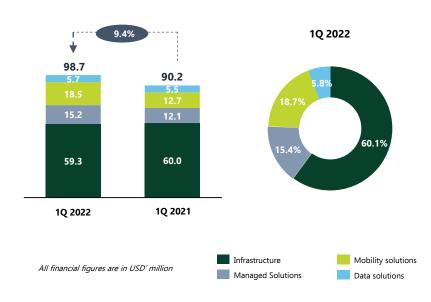
- **1Q22 revenue** up 9.4% vs. prior year, continuing strong momentum from 4Q21
- 1Q22 Adjusted EBITDA up 6.8% vs. prior year period
- Healthy EBITDA margin of 58.9%, slightly lower than prior due to change in sales mix (mainly Mobility Solutions)
- 1Q22 Net Income up 26.4% vs. prior year period lower finance costs following 2021 refinancing
- 1Q22 Net Income margin surpasses 20%
- 1Q22 Discretionary Free Cash Flow USD 90.7 million, cash conversion of 97.6% and a 19.5% increase in cash and short term deposits (since 31 December 2021) positions Yahsat well to meet its future dividend and capital expenditure commitments

<sup>\*</sup> At 31 December 2021

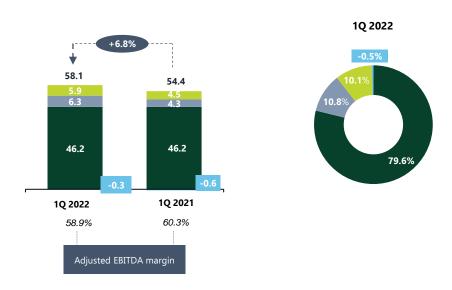
## **Financial Performance**



#### **Revenue by Operating Segment**



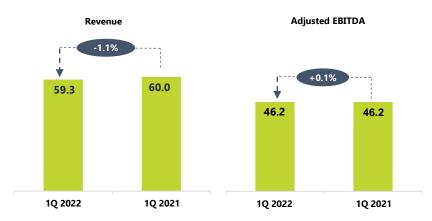
#### **Adjusted EBITDA by Operating Segment**



## **Operating Segment Performance**

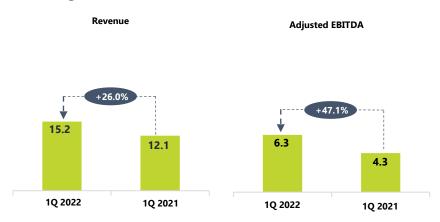


#### Infrastructure



- Revenue broadly stable with slight decline due to reallocation of certain C-band contracts (USD 1.2 million) to Managed Solutions and Data Solutions from 4Q21 onwards
- Strong Adjusted EBITDA maintained with margin of 78%
- Long term visibility of future cash flows contracted future revenue exceed USD 1.8 billion as at 31 March 2022 and include 15-year T4-NGS Capacity Services Agreement worth more than USD 700m which will support revenue growth from 2024 onwards (USD 47 million annually)
- RFP responses for two new satellites (Al Yah 4 and Al Yah 5), with a target launch by 2026, have been received and are currently being evaluated

#### **Managed Solutions**

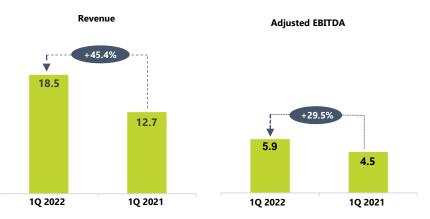


- Excellent start to 2022 with 1Q revenue up 26.0% vs prior year period
- Growth supported by continued reversal of project delays as well as strong Oil & Gas where 1Q revenue more than doubled compared to prior year period
- Healthy Adjusted EBITDA, up 47.1% with a margin of 41.3% (vs. 35.4% in prior year period)
- Business is well positioned to grow following recent award of a 5 year Managed Services mandate worth USD 247.5 million

## **Operating Segment Performance**

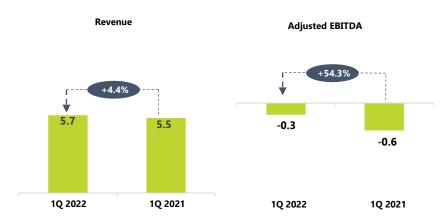


#### **Mobility Solutions**



- Very strong start to 2022 following a stellar performance in 4Q21
- 1Q22 revenue increased by 45.4% vs. prior year period with growth across both Service and Equipment
- Voice and Data grew at double digit %
- Equipment revenue climbed by more than 5x driven by 3-year distribution agreement secured in 4Q21
- Adjusted EBITDA rose 29.5% the margin of 31.8% was slightly lower than prior year period (35.7%) due to a higher proportion of equipment revenue

#### **Data Solutions**



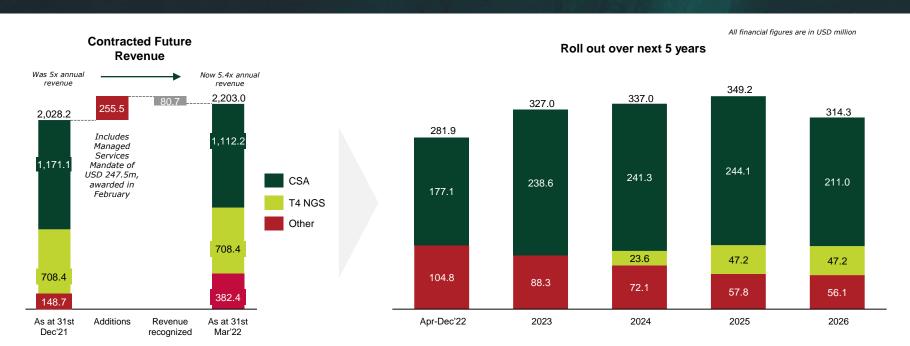
- Solid start to 2022 with revenue up 4.4% vs. prior year period despite winding down of capacity deal with Eutelsat
- Consumer subscriber base continues to ramp up, increasing 25% over the last 12 months, driven by expansion of Direct-to-market (D2M) model in South Africa
- Enterprise revenue grew at double digit % as cellular backhaul projects began to be rolled out
- OpEx fell by 8.2% with EBITDA loss halved to USD 0.3 million
- Business well positioned to grow in 2022 with a healthy pipeline of new deals and upward trajectory in subscriber base

All financial figures are in USD' million

### **Contracted Future Revenue**



Almost 90% of remaining projected revenue for 2022 (based on low end of guidance) are secured as at 31 March 2022



95% of contracted future revenue with highly rated counterparty (Abu Dhabi rating at AA by S&P, Aa2 by Moody's and AA- by Fitch)

## **Balance Sheet**



Balance Sheet	31 Mar 2022	31 Dec 2021
Fixed assets (satellite, ground systems and infrastructure, buildings)	872.3	904.4
Capital work in progress (including T4-NGS)	262.1	226.9
Cash and short-term deposits	478.2	400.3
Other assets	378.5	330.6
Total Assets	1,991.1	1,862.2
Borrowings	565.6	532.2
Other Liabilities	450.4	411.8
Total Liabilities	1,016.1	944.1
Equity attributable to the shareholders	899.9	841.4
Non-controlling interests	75.2	76.7
Equity	975.1	918.1
Total Liabilities & Equity	1,991.1	1,862.2

- Yahsat continues to maintain a strong and stable Balance Sheet
- T4-NGS project milestone payments are capitalized as incurred contributing to an increase in capital work in progress
- Draw down under BPI ECA started in 3Q21. As of 31 March 2022, USD 168.1 million was drawn
- Low leverage Net debt to Adjusted EBITDA 0.4x as at 31 March 2022

## **Cash Flow Underpins Dividend Policy**



#### Operating Cash Flow conversion

	1Q 2022	1Q 2021
Adjusted EBITDA	58.1	54.4
(-) Purchase of PPE (excl. capital WIP)	(1.0)	(1.6)
(-) Additions to Intangible assets	(0.4)	(0.0)
Operating FCF (excl. capital WIP)	56.7	52.8
Cash conversion**	97.6%	97.1%

#### Discretionary Free Cash Flow

	1Q 2022	1Q 2021
Net cash from operations	95.3	95.3
(-) Net non-satellite capital expenditure	(3.7)	(1.6)
(-) Net investment in an associate/subsidiary	-	(5.4)
(-) Net finance costs	(0.9)	(2.3)
Discretionary Free Cash Flow	90.7	86.0

#### Efficient business model enabling strong cash generation

- o Robust and attractive Adjusted EBITDA margins
- Low levels of maintenance CapEx
- o Negligible cash taxes
- o Light balance sheet model with very low leverage
- o Efficient working capital management

Strong Free Cash Flow Generation



### **Progressive dividend policy**

**2022 dividend of** *at least* \$107.1\* million growing by a minimum of 2% per year

<sup>\*</sup>Half of 2022 dividend (interim) is expected to be paid in October 2022, with remainder (Final) expected to be paid in April or May 2023 (subject to Board of Directors and Shareholder approval)

<sup>\*\*</sup>Defined as Operating FCF (excl. capital WIP) divided by adjusted EBITDA

## **Dividend Policy**



	2021	Final	2022 Interim		
Expected Payment	9 May	2022	October 2022		
Dividend	USD 52.5m	AED 192.7m	USD 53.5m	AED 196.6m	
Dividend per share	Cents 2.15	Fils 7.90	Cents 2.19	Fils 8.06	

Annual **dividend yield** of around **6.1%**\* (excluding growth in dividends)

- Final FY21 dividend payment of AED 192.7 million equal to 7.90 Fils per share paid on 9 May 2022
- Shareholders approved updated Dividend Policy, allowing payment of semi-annual dividends from 2022 onwards
- FY22 dividend expected to be at least 16.12
  Fils per share payable in two equal instalments
  (October 2022 and April / May 2023)
- Dividend expected to grow by at least 2% per year from FY22 onwards

<sup>\*</sup> Based on the share price of AED 2.64 per share as of market close May 10, 2022

## FY2022 Guidance



	GUIDANCE 2022
Revenue	USD 415 - 440 million
Adjusted EBITDA	Stable
Discretionary Free Cash Flow ('DFCF')*	USD 210 - 240 million
Capex and Investments**	USD 210 - 230 million

- Based on excellent 1Q22 performance Yahsat remains well on track to meet its 2022 Full Year Guidance
- Almost 90% of remaining projected revenue for 2022 are already contracted (based on low end of revenue guidance)
- Guidance projects full year revenue growth of 2% -8% vs 2021
- EBITDA to remain stable at around USD 240 million
- DFCF expected to cover 2022 dividend payments by circa 2x
- 2022 T4 CapEx (c. 85% of CapEx and Investments) more than fully funded by ECA and upfront payments, DFCF not expected to fund T4 CapEx.

<sup>\*</sup>Discretionary Free Cash Flow ('DFCF') is defined as net cashflow from operations less Maintenance and Development CapEx, Investments (defined below), taxes and net finance costs. DFCF excludes the T4 advance payment of USD 150 million due in June 2022

<sup>\*\*</sup>Investments' refer to investments in associates, net of any dividends received and capital returned



## **Closing Remarks**





Strong start to the year, continuing momentum seen in 4Q21



**Good trajectory** for solid performance going into 2022



**Signed new partnerships** with key national stakeholders adding to contracted future revenue backlog



Supported diversification of customer base and offerings



Laying new foundations for future expansion and growth, including Managed Services agreement with UAE Government and MoU with Group 42



Strong and well capitalized balance sheet



Progressive and attractive dividend policy, reflecting the Board of Directors' confidence in the financial strength of the business



## **Alternative Performance Measures**



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Alternative Performance Measure	Definition
Adjusted EBITDA	Earnings from continuing operations before interest, tax, depreciation, amortisation, impairment, fair value adjustments on investment property and share of results of equity-accounted investments
Operating Free Cash Flow	Adjusted EBITDA minus additions to intangible assets, development and maintenance related capital expenditure, excluding capital work-in-progress
Cash Conversion Ratio	Operating Free Cash Flow divided by Adjusted EBITDA
Discretionary Free Cash Flow' ('DFCF')	Net cashflow from operations less Maintenance and Development CapEx, Investments and net finance costs and excludes advances from customers on long term capacity contracts (e.g. T4-NGS).
Net Income margin	Net Income (profit attributable to the shareholders) divided by Revenue

## Who We Are



#### 8th

largest satellite operator in terms of revenue



#### 4 billion

people within mobile coverage



## Preferred partner

for satellite solutions to the UAE Government



#### No. 1

satellite broadband provider in Africa



#### 150+

countries covered by Yahsat and Thuraya satellites



#### 100+ million

viewers on Yahlive



#### 1 billion

people within broadband coverage



### 50%

of Emirati workforce

#### Yahsat's journey to date



## **Diversified Narrow and Wideband Frequency Portfolio**



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<sup>(1)</sup> Potential expansion Note: V/Q band excluded given current uses are limited to gateway uses. UHF also limited given its limited availability and market size

## **Fleet and Coverage - Overview**



#### Note

- Estimated end of life (EoL) based on the latest health reports and estimated remaining fuel life, assuming no significant anomalies occur
- . EoL for AY3 is 2027 but use of vehicle extension could extend to 2033
- · Information presented as of year-end 2020. Map excludes uplink beacon stations in UAE, Saudi Arabia and Qatar
- Brazil gateway / teleport owned and operated by the Group's HPE JV with Hughes