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# Dun & Bradstreet Investor Day

February 22, 2023





# Agenda

8:30 a.m.

## Registration & Refreshments

9:00 a.m.

## Introduction

- Bryan Hipsher, Chief Financial Officer

9:05 a.m.

## Company Overview

- Anthony Jabbour, Chief Executive Officer

9:20 a.m.

## North America Strategy

- Ginny Gomez, President, North America

9:40 a.m.

## International Strategy

- Neeraj Sahai, President, International

10:00 a.m.

## Refreshment Break

10:20 a.m.

## Data & Technology Panel Discussion

- Gary Kotovets, Chief Data & Analytics Officer  
- Mike Manos, Chief Technology Officer

Moderator: Bryan Hipsher

10:40 a.m.

## Financial Overview

- Bryan Hipsher

11:00 a.m.

## Executive Q&A

- Anthony Jabbour  
- Bryan Hipsher

11:30 a.m.

## Demos & Refreshments



# Dun & Bradstreet Product Showcase

1 Master Data Management

2 Digital Marketing

3 D&B Hoovers

4 D&B Finance Analytics

5 D&B Risk Analytics (ESG Intelligence)

6 D&B Risk Analytics (Supply Chain Intelligence)

7 Small Business



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# Igniting Global Commerce

Anthony Jabbour

Chief Executive Officer





# We deliver trusted insights so organizations can ignite global commerce



Our Mission is to deliver a **global network of trust**, enabling clients to transform **uncertainty into confidence**, **risk into opportunity** and **potential into prosperity**

For **almost 200 years**, companies have trusted Dun & Bradstreet to deliver timely answers that matter most

**\$2.2B**

FY 2022  
Adj. Revenue

**39%**

FY 2022 Adj.  
EBITDA Margin

**96%**

2022 Revenue  
Retention

**93%**

of Fortune 500  
are Clients

**200K**

Clients globally

**256**

Countries and  
territories in  
Data Cloud

**508M**

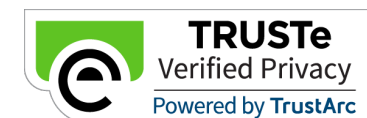
Total Businesses  
in Data Cloud



D&B ESG Intelligence

ESG Overall Ranking

1





# Our Executive Team

## Today's Presenters



**Anthony Jabbour**

*Chief Executive Officer*



**Bryan Hipsher**

*Chief Financial Officer*



**Ginny Gomez**

*President, North America*



**Neeraj Sahai**

*President, International*



**Mike Manos**

*Chief Technology Officer*



**Gary Kotovets**

*Chief Data & Analytics Officer*



**Michele Caselnova**

*Chief Sustainability & Communications Officer*



**Peter Horowitz**

*Chief Strategy Officer*



**Rich Kulesa**

*Chief Risk Officer*



**Joe Reinhardt**

*Chief Legal Officer*



**Roslynn Williams**

*Chief People Officer*



# Best-in-Class Proprietary Data Powers Differentiated Decisioning and Analytics Capabilities

## TRADITIONAL DATA

- Private Data - Third-Party Vendors, Clients
- Public Records
- National Tax Registries
- Social Networks
- Business Websites
- Custom Research
- Public Registries
- Chamber of Commerce
- Insolvency Records
- Financial Filings & Statements

## ALTERNATIVE DATA

- Foot Traffic
- Geospatial
- Consumer
- Shipping
- Social
- Climate
- Utility
- Real Estate

## ANALYTICS

- Business Health Risk
- Supply Chain
- ESG
- Fraud
- Delinquency Consumer
- Business Disruption
- Critical Supplier

## MASTER DATA MANAGEMENT

- Entity Resolution
- Cleansing
- Normalizing
- Enriching

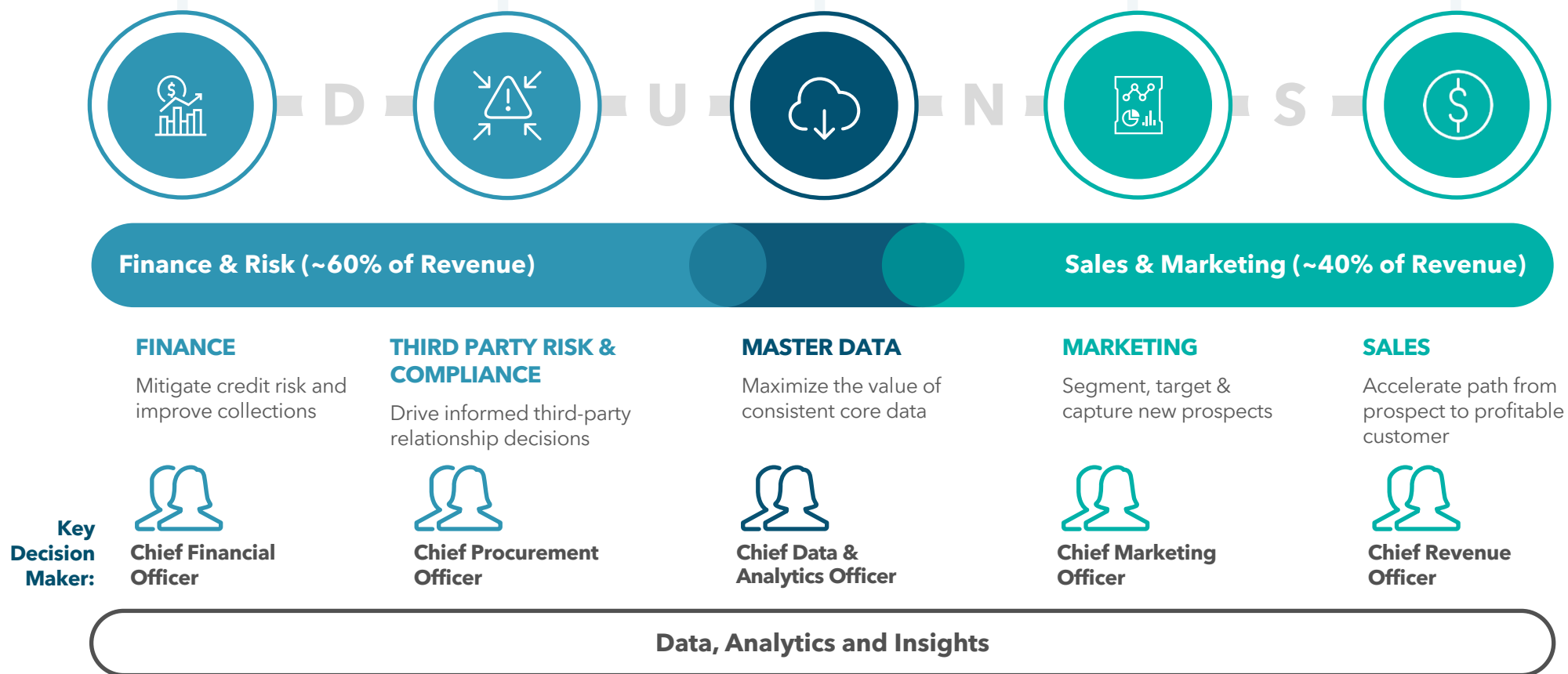






# Comprehensive, End-to-End Solutions

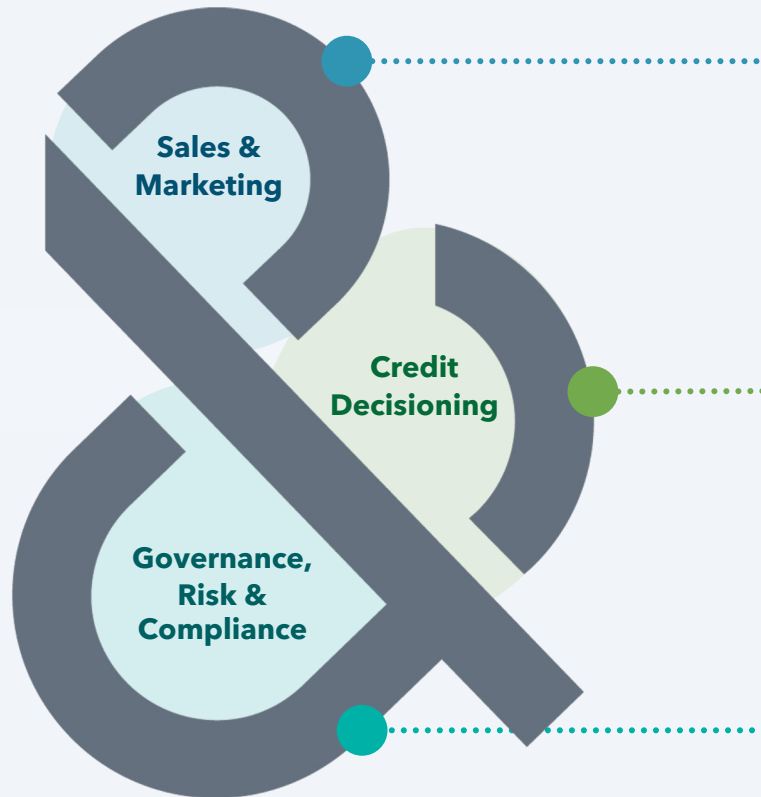
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# We have a large Total Addressable Market

\$90 Billion Total Addressable Market<sup>1</sup>



## Who could I do business with?

### Key Growth Drivers:

- Increasing need to **reach specific segments** with targeted messages
- **Critical need for MDM** in providing an **accurate view of the customer**
- **Intent data** to understand planned **purchasing decisions**

## Who should I do business with?

### Key Growth Drivers:

- Growing recognition of **analytics and data-informed credit decisioning**
- **Growth in data creation**, including from non-traditional data sources
- Improving **analytical capabilities** to better **synthesize available data**

## Who can I do business with?

### Key Growth Drivers:

- Continually **evolving regulatory landscape**
- Outsourced and automated **compliance** functions
- Increased **investor scrutiny** and focus on **corporate responsibility**



# Enhancing Technology, Data & Analytics

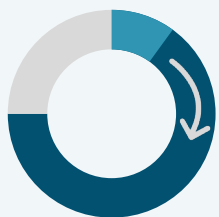
## Where we were...

- Minimal investment
- Various API strategies, duplicative solutions led to confusion
- Slow to process data
- Limited ability to scale solutions
- Existing core common data set not distributed/available to all solutions

## What we did...

- Simplified data supply chain complexity by 30%, increasing throughput 10X across 100s of products
- Created global consistency in data quality governance with robust market standard practices
- 40% growth of business coverage and 8x improvement of contact data coverage
- Evolved scores and indices to leverage ML and AI capabilities

## How do we know?

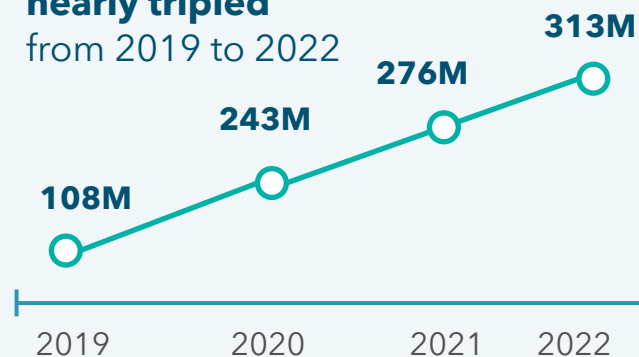


Reduced the number of data quality issues reaching our clients by **7x**



Contact coverage of key decision makers grew from 7M to **58M** globally

## UBO coverage nearly tripled from 2019 to 2022





# Developing Innovative Solutions

## Where we were...

- Little innovation or differentiation
- Slow migration strategy
- Sub-optimal contract structure
- Few global solutions in International markets

## What we did...

- Shifted investment focus to innovation in 2021
- Upgraded platforms and migrated over 20k clients
- Selected strategic partners for co-innovation
- Localized and expanded global solutions

### How do we know?

**15%**

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Vitality Index



**100**

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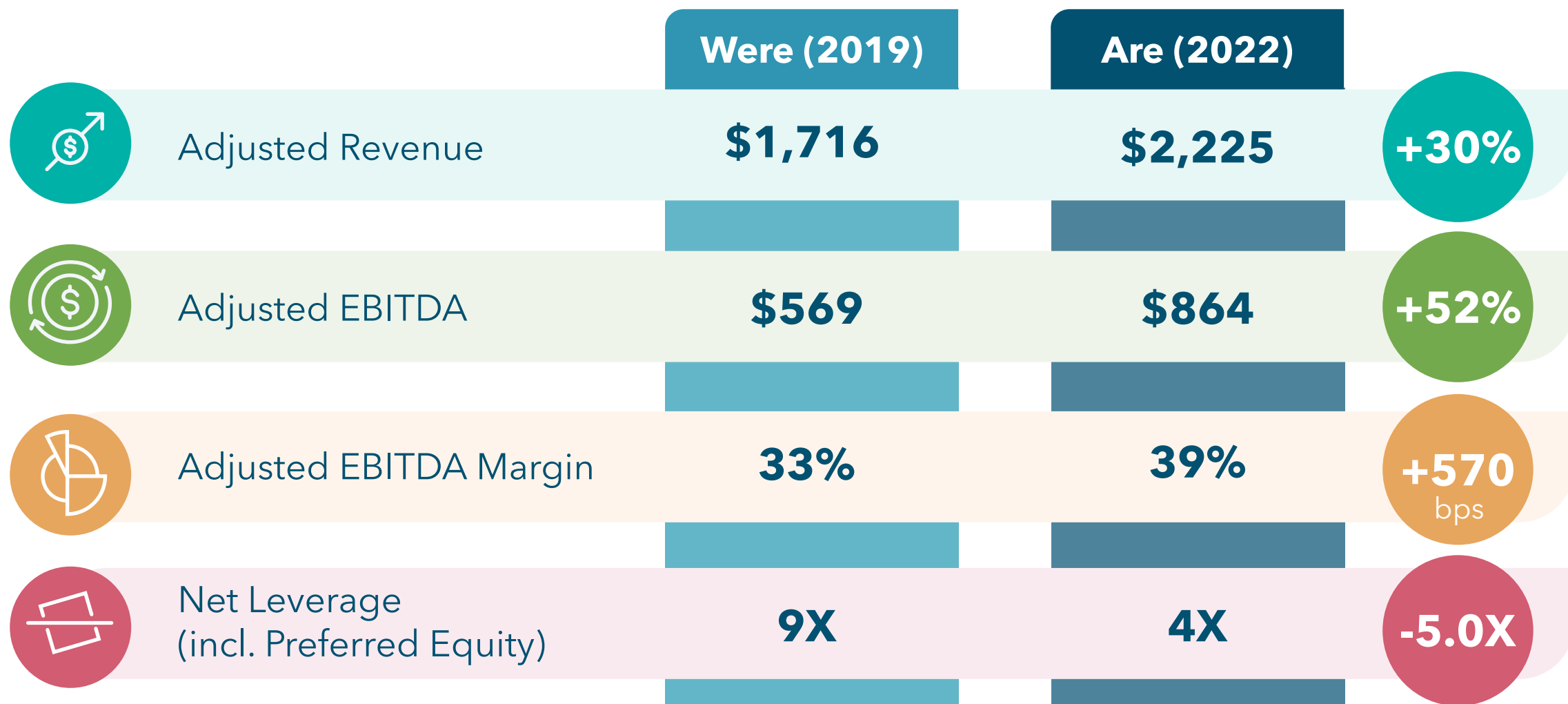
New Solutions



**60% Growth YOY** in  
4+ Year Contracts



# Where we were, where we are...



Great Results in Turbulent Markets

(1) "Were (2019)" represents results for the year ended December 31, 2018  
(2) Refer to Appendix for a reconciliation of GAAP to Non-GAAP financial measures



# What's Next... Macro Trends Underpin our Growth Strategies



## Digital Transformation

Accelerating adoption of online channels to engage customers and prospects



## Supply Chain Disruption

Increasing macroeconomic and geopolitical disruption require better supply chain planning and execution



## Growing Regulatory & Privacy Considerations

Fast-changing regulations, including AI, technology, privacy and data risks, lead to need for more insights

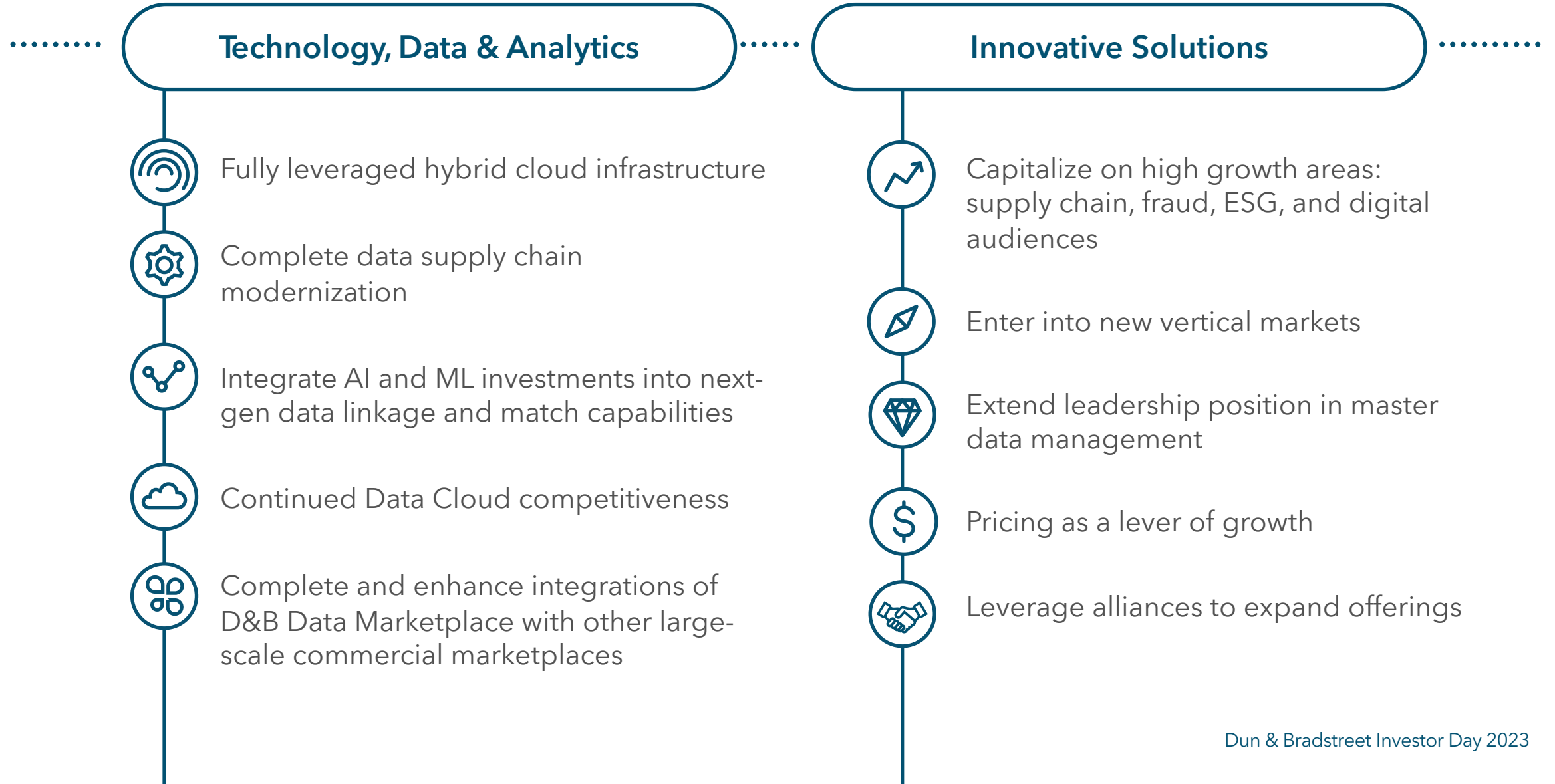


## Environmental, Social & Governance

Increasing focus by clients, driven by pressure from shareholders and customers



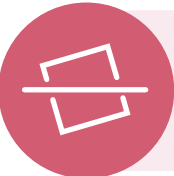


# What's next... Technology, Data, Analytics & Innovation





# What's next... Strengthening Financial Profile

Targets	
 Organic Revenue Growth	<b>Mid to High Single Digit</b>
 Adjusted EBITDA Margin	<b>Low 40's</b>
 Net Earnings Growth	<b>High Single to Low Double Digit</b>
 Leverage Reduction	<b>-0.5X to -1X</b>





# Dun & Bradstreet Key Takeaways

## Proven Track Record:

- ✓ Clear global vision and strategy
- ✓ Significant operational efficiency gains
- ✓ Strengthened data and technology foundation to deliver accelerated growth
- ✓ Revitalized product innovation



## Confidence Ahead:

- \$ Accelerating Revenue Growth
- ↗ Expanding Margins
- ↘ Reducing Leverage and Strengthening Balance Sheet
- > Disciplined Capital Allocation
- 🧭 Ability to Anticipate Change, Pivot and Respond Quickly

# Igniting Commerce North America

Ginny Gomez

President, North America





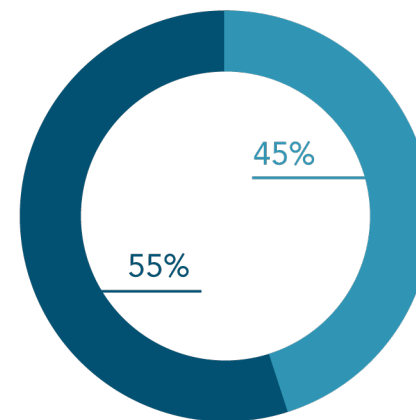
# North America Highlights

- Diverse portfolio balanced across:
  - Products and solutions
  - Client segments
  - Verticals
- Deeply entrenched in 95% of Fortune 100
- Growing segment of small businesses
- Strong client retention rates at 96%
- Longevity of top 200 clients is 19-years

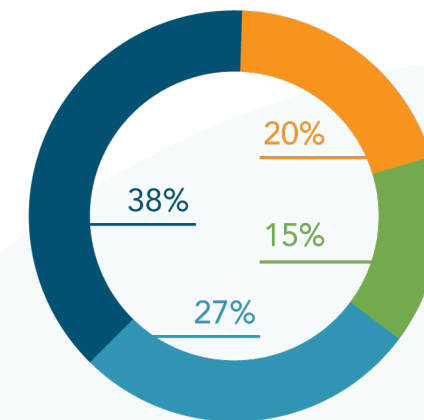


## Key Takeaway

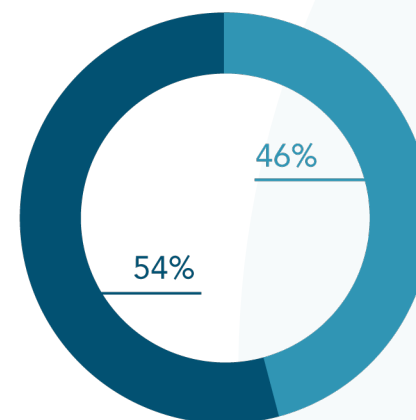
- Executing on growth agenda through product innovation and GTM execution; delivered 50+ products in 2022
- Enterprise sales growth 8%



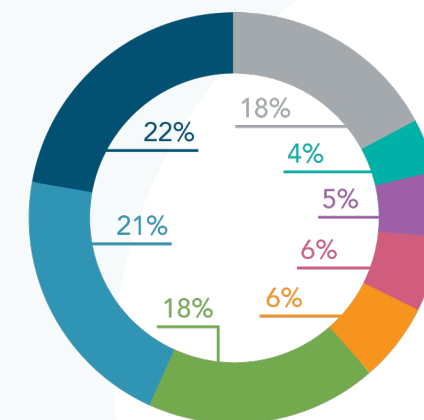
- Finance & Risk
- Sales & Marketing



- Mega
- Large
- Medium
- Small



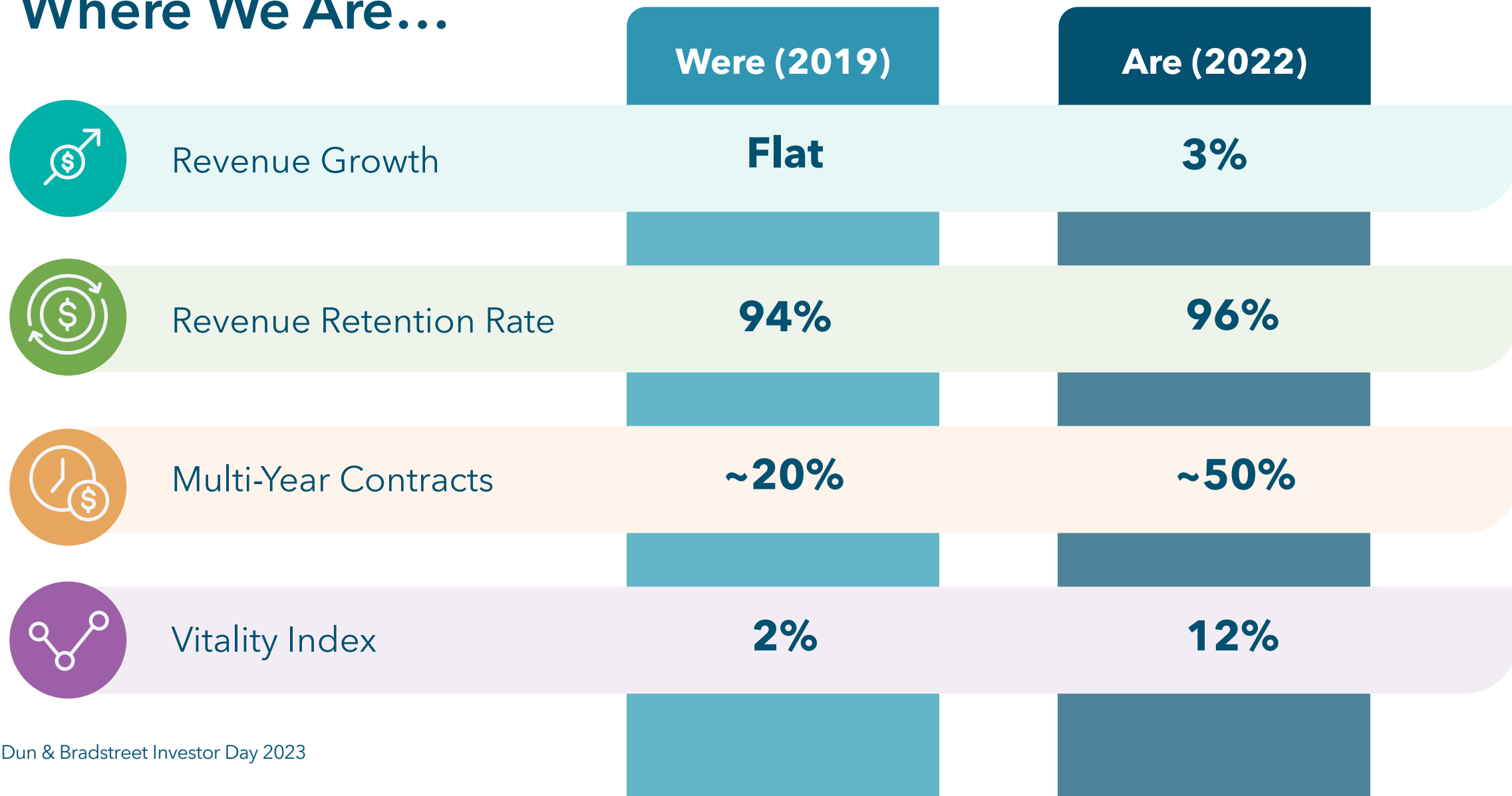
- Multi-Year Contracts
- Single Year Contracts



- Technology
- Financial Institution
- Business Services
- Telecom
- Government
- Manufacturing
- Transportation
- Other



# North America Accomplishments: Where We Were & Where We Are...

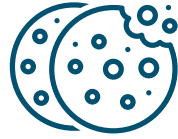




# Tailwinds for North America Growth



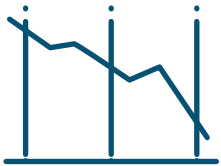
Accelerate use of **digital audiences** through “always on” activation endpoints



Become the “persistent identifier” in **post-cookie world**



Expand illumination of **supply chains** and associated risks



Underwrite with trusted data during **economic uncertainty**



Capitalize on new and expanding use cases regarding **sustainability and climate risk**

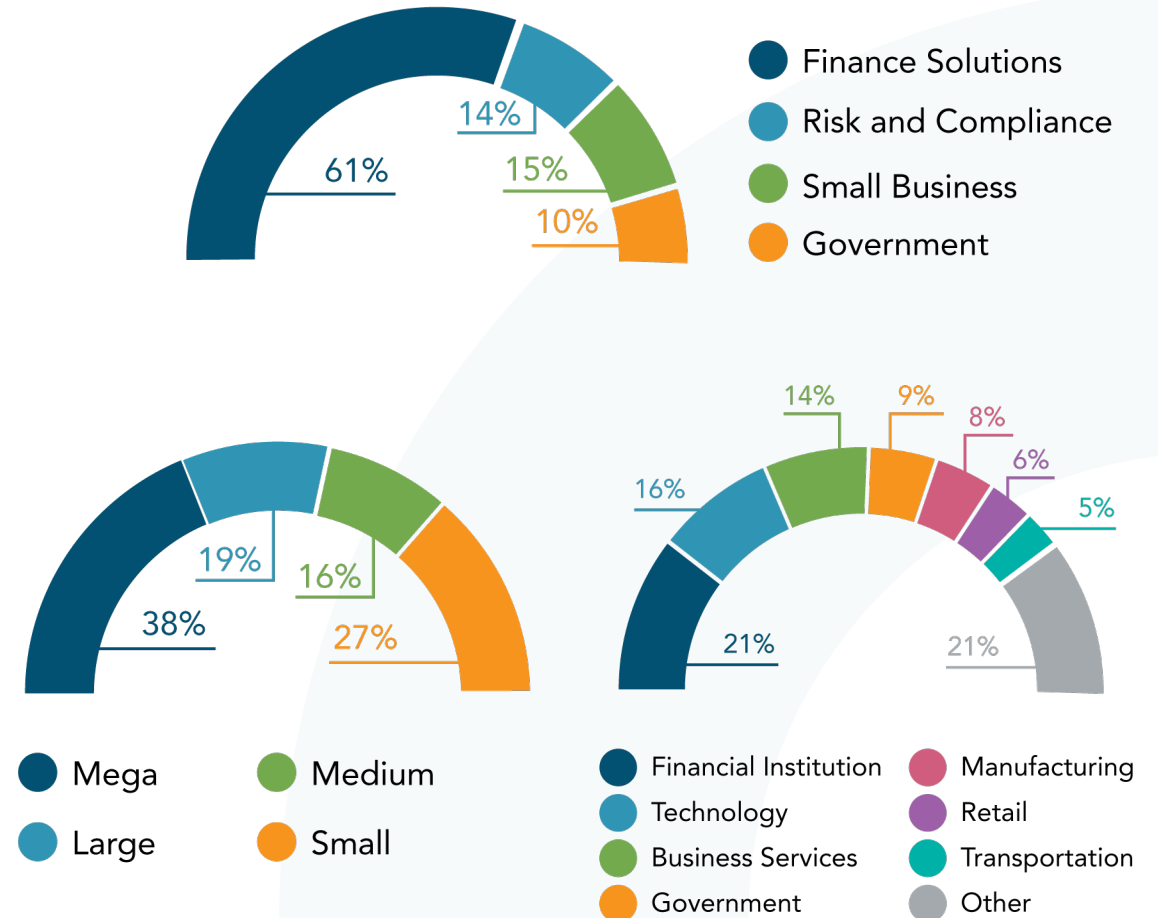


Capture growth from 53% **increase in new business applications** (2019 – 2021)



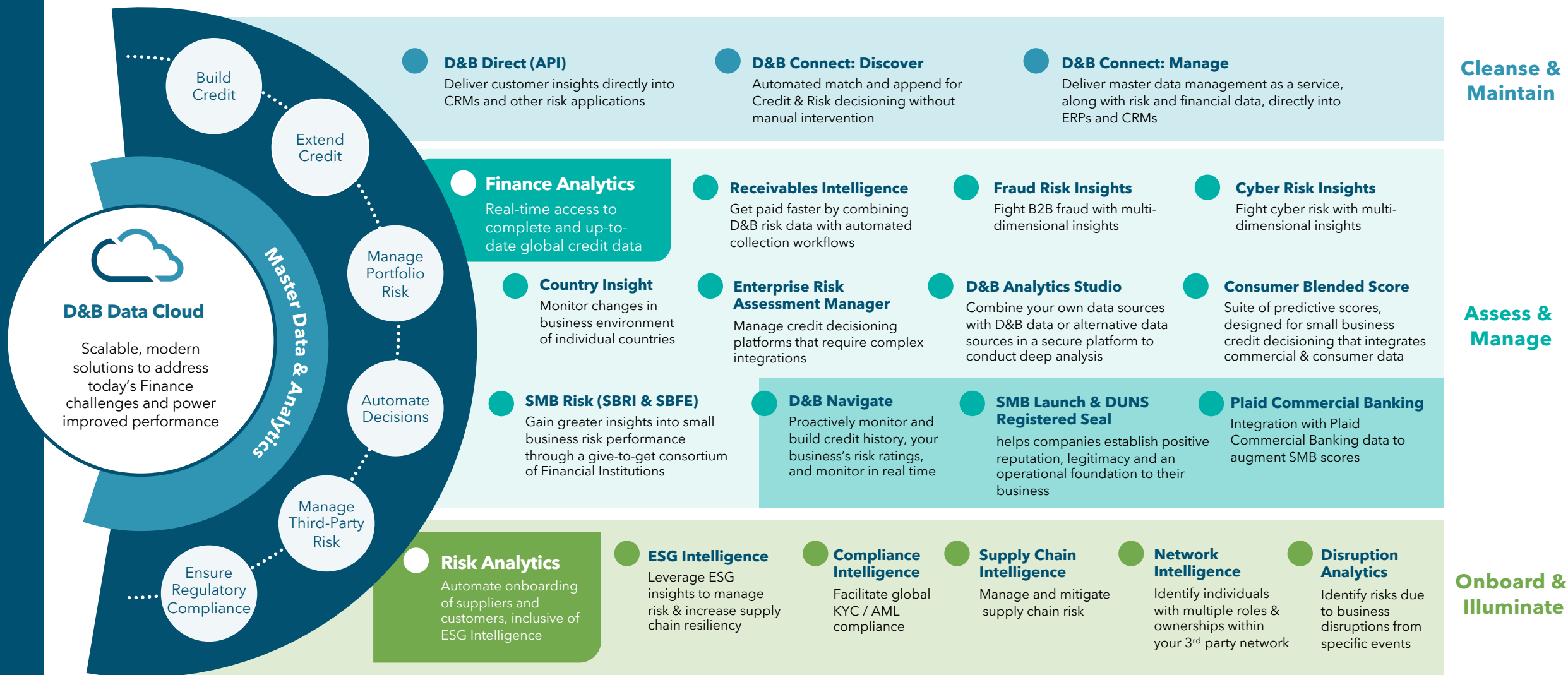
# North America – Finance & Risk Solutions

- ✓ **Largest solution**, Finance, highly integrated into client workflows, mission critical data and decisioning
- ✓ **Fastest growing solution**, Risk and Compliance, newest solution suite with 8 quarters of double-digit growth
- ✓ **Small Business** is evolving through growing in new offerings, eCommerce channel and partner marketplace
- ✓ **Government** has dedicated solutions for defense, civilian and intelligence primarily in finance and risk





# Comprehensive Suite of Finance & Risk Solutions













# New Market Opportunities to Fuel Growth

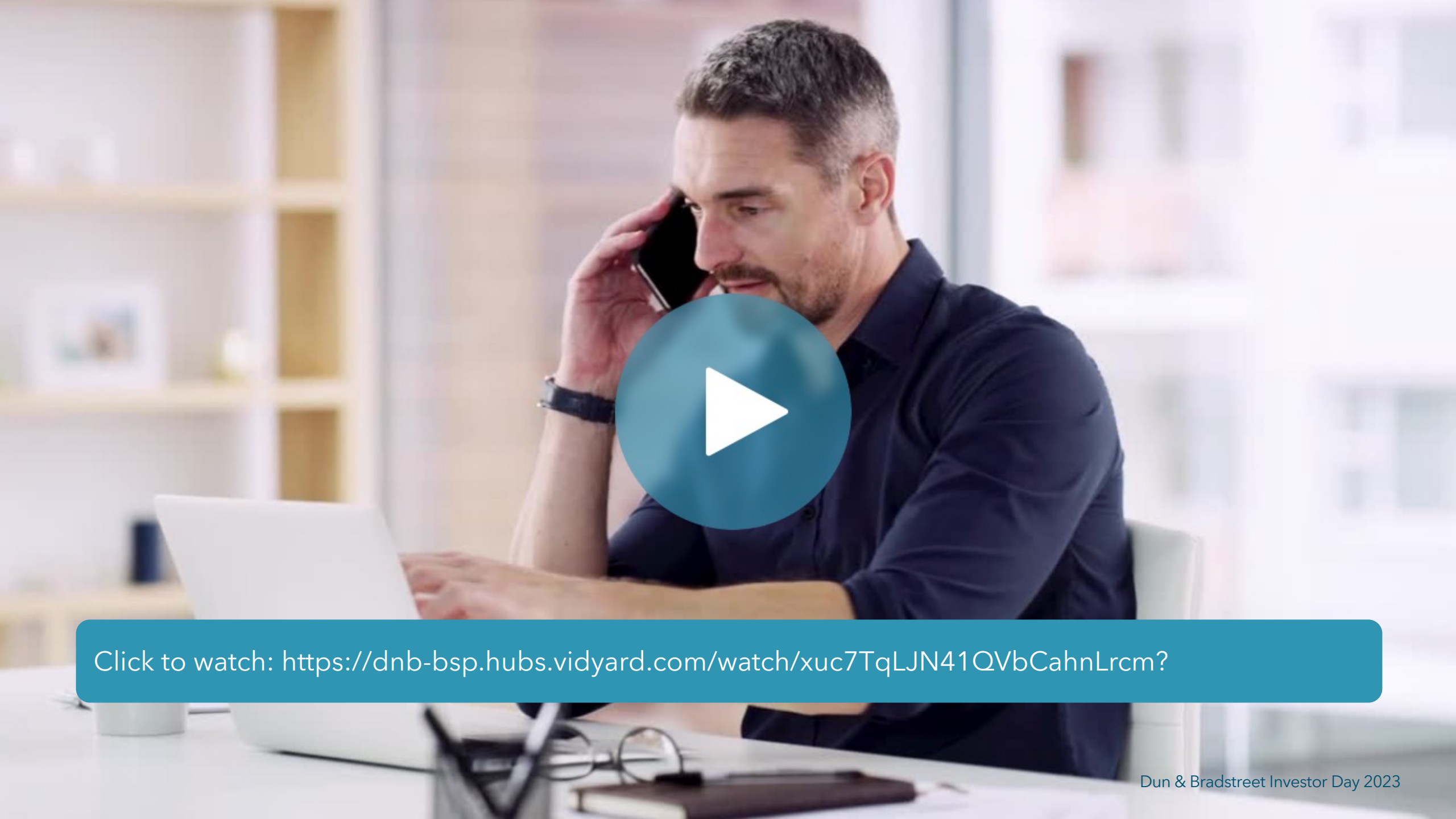


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- **Alternative credit assets** such as activity signals, cash flow data and blended scores are modernizing credit lending
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2 Outsell's Leadership Community, ESG Data Platforms Segment View 2022  
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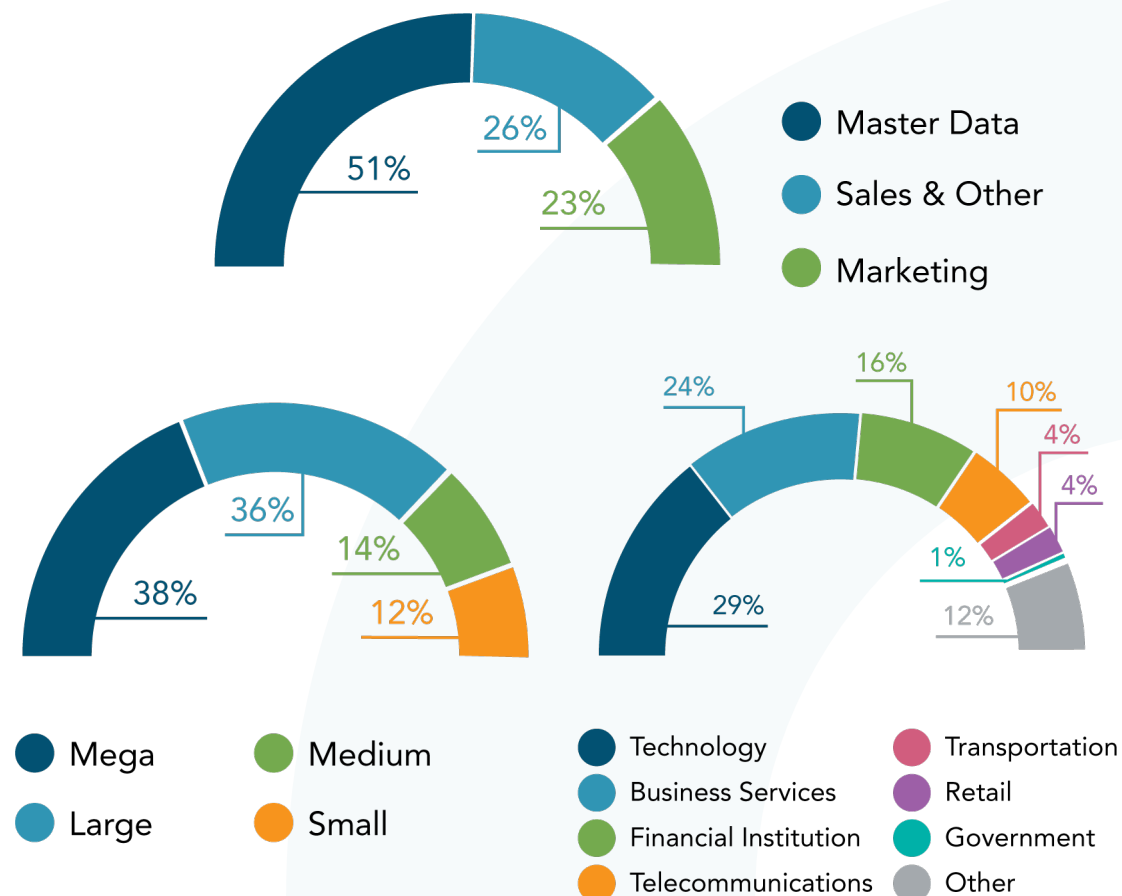
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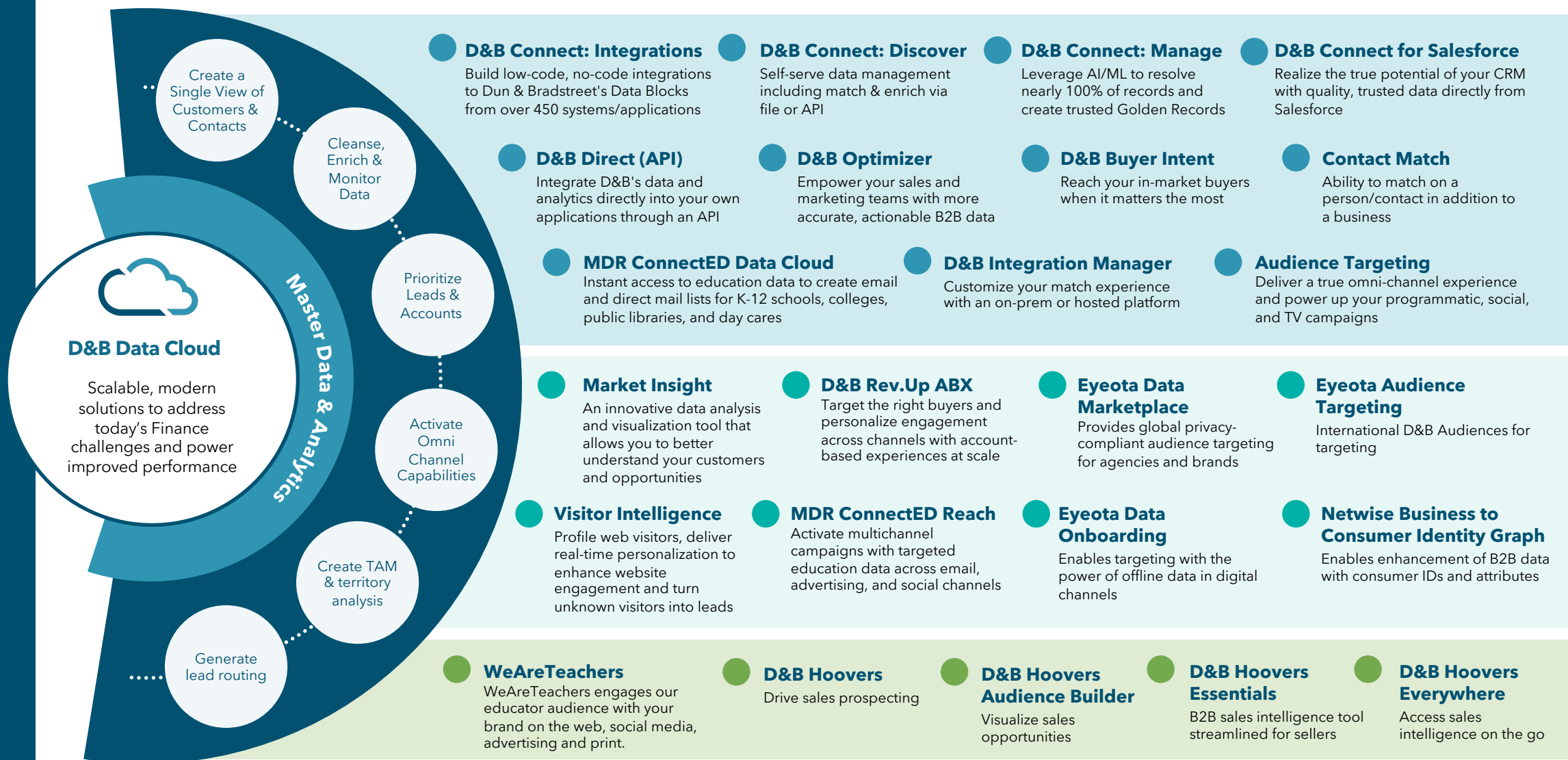
# North America Sales & Marketing Solutions

- ✓ Sales & Marketing spans the entire **revenue generation** lifecycle
- ✓ **Largest solution**, Master Data Management, represents over half the revenue, growing high single digits
- ✓ **Fastest growing solution**, Digital Audiences, leveraging Eyeota acquisition, and growing double-digits
- ✓ **Transformation** of Sales Acceleration and other legacy solutions from underinvested in assets to growth opportunities (i.e., D&B Hoover's) through expanded data coverage, GTM improvements and new products add-ons





# Comprehensive Suite of Sales & Marketing Solutions





# New Market Opportunities to Fuel Growth



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	Rev Ops <sup>2</sup>	\$5.0B	15% (2022 - 2026)
	Master Data <sup>3</sup>	\$14.2B	4.3% (2022-2026)

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# Client Spotlight: **IBM**

## Driving Efficiency and Compliance across the organization

IBM is a leading global hybrid cloud, AI and business services provider, helping clients in more than 175 countries capitalize on insights from their data, streamline business processes, reduce costs and gain the competitive edge in their industries.

### Client Challenges

- Identification of State and Government owned entities for compliance purposes
- Connecting master data sources into a relational view
- Identification of market growth opportunity

### D&B + IBM Value-Add and Outcomes

- Leveraging the D-U-N-S® Number to drive improved efficiencies with demand creation, customer onboarding, and supplier evaluation
- Improved customer segmentation with Government regulations relating to State and Government owned entities
- Co-development opportunities, leveraging best-in-class IBM technology with D&B's data

### Data & Solutions Used



Master Data



Analytics



Corporate Hierarchy







Beneficial Ownership





## Where We are Going...

		Targets
	Revenue Growth	<b>Mid-Single Digit</b>
	Revenue Retention Rate	<b>High 90's</b>
	Multi-Year Contracts	<b>~60%</b>
	Vitality Index	<b>&gt;20%</b>



# North America Key Takeaways

## Proven Track Record:

- ✓ Greatly improved revenue, more than doubled multi-year contracts
- ✓ Increased vitality index from almost zero to mid-teens
- ✓ Expansion of large enterprise clients, won new ones



## Confidence Ahead:

- \$ Smart stewards of capital resulting in 100+ new products
- 📍 Migrated 18k clients to modern platforms
- 🔖 Trusted, leading position in MDM anchors clients to the D-U-N-S
- 📈 Innovation and execution is fueling the vitality index, client retention and growth

# Igniting Commerce International

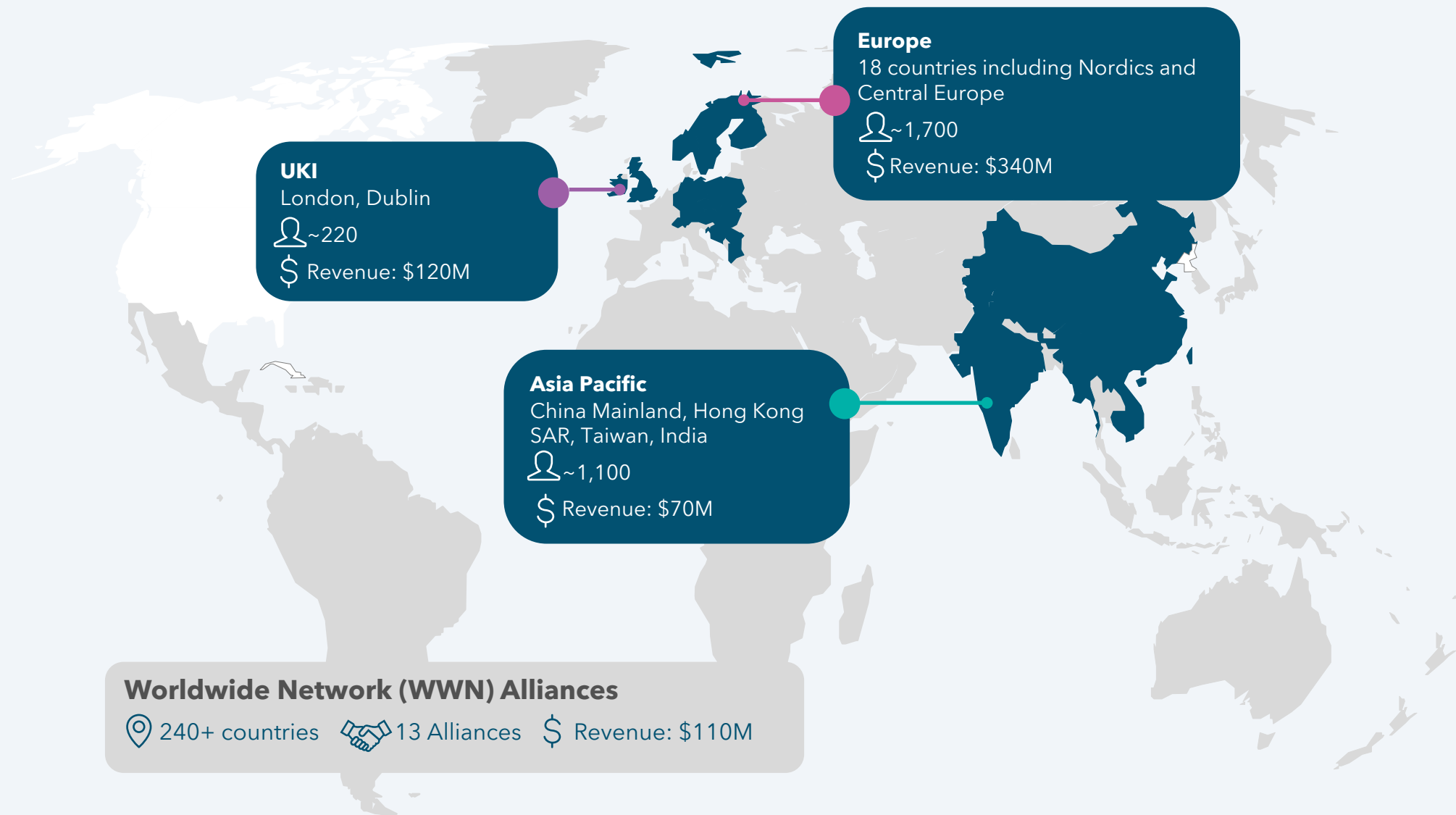
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# How We Are Organized





# International Growth Drivers



## Client centric segmentation

Drive **enterprise sales** by leveraging our leading data, global scale, and new solutions

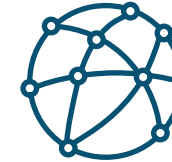
Better serve **SMBs** through new products and platforms



## Best of breed solutions

Launch **globalized offerings** that are localized with **market-specific interfaces and data** sets

**Upgrade customers** to modern platforms and sunset legacy offerings



## Leading global data coverage

Secure **rich, relevant and timely data**

Provide **actionable, predictive insights**

## Established Strong Momentum



**11%** Enterprise sales CAGR



Launched **>100** products



Increased business coverage **~73%**  
Expanded UBO coverage **320%**



Developed **ESG Seal** and expanded **DUNS Registered Seal**

**\$60M**

Upgraded **>\$60M** of Europe revenue onto modern solutions since Bisnode acquisition

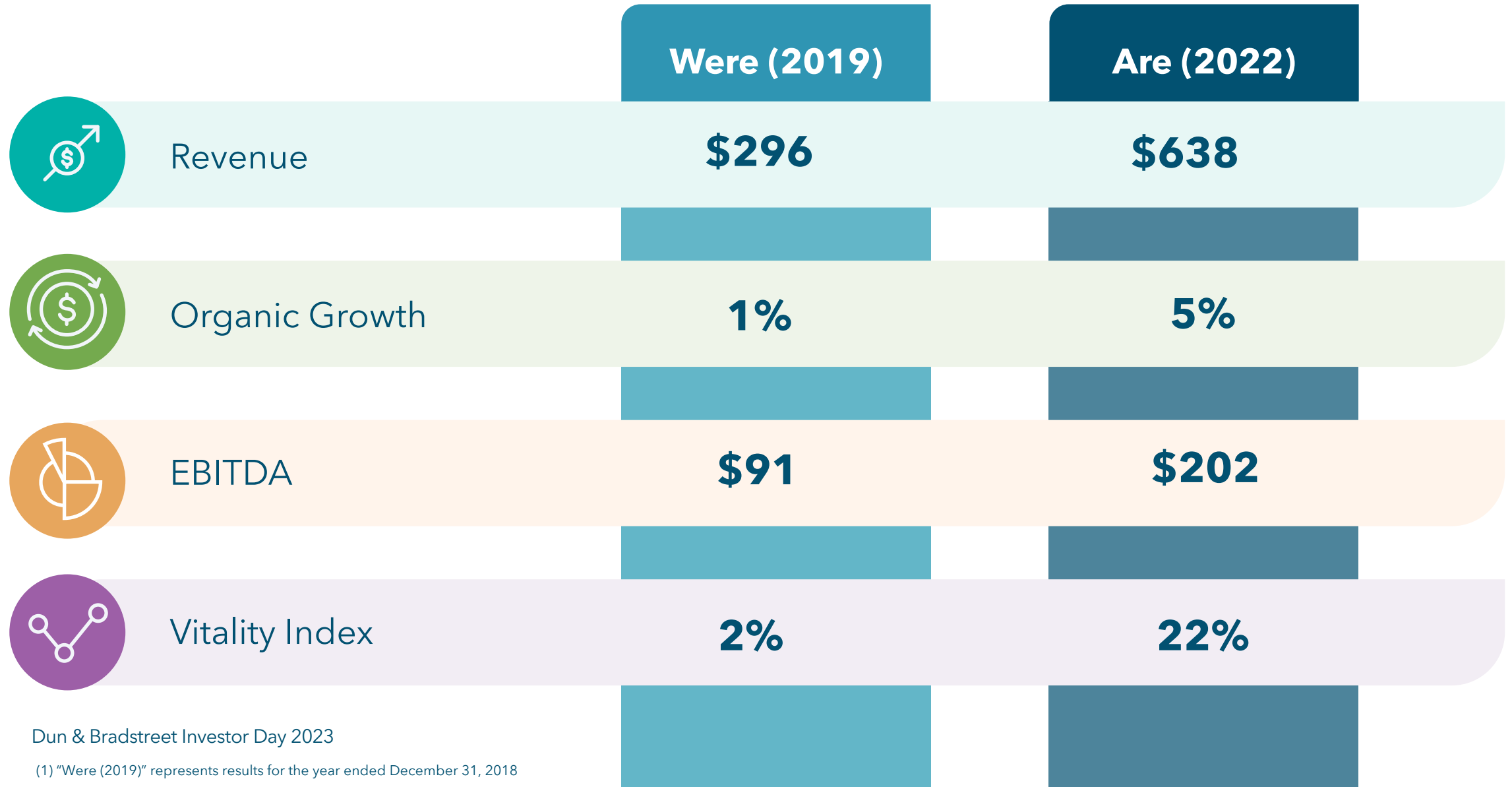
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Released **90+** Analytic Scores

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# Strong Track Record of Execution





# UKI Highlights



## Client Franchise

- 16% enterprise sales growth in 2022
- Retention: High-90s



## Go-to-Market

- Focus on vertical specialists to serve enterprises, supplemented by field and inside sales teams
- Partnership program driving new revenue streams and distribution channels



## Product

- Full range, diversified
- 3 launches in 2022: Risk Analytics with ESG, D&B Hoovers with enhanced contacts



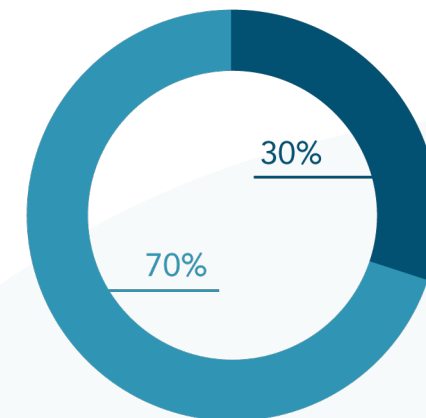
## Data

- Full commercial coverage
- Ingesting new data sets, e.g., banking data
- Launching consumer blended score in 2023

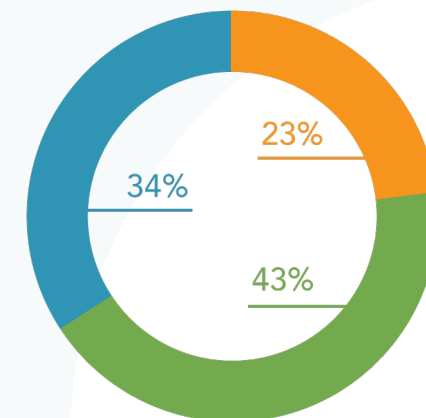


## Key Takeaway

- Furthest along in executing strategy; delivering high single digit growth
- Model for broader Europe franchise



- Finance & Risk
- Sales & Marketing



- Large
- Medium
- Small



# Europe Highlights



## Client Franchise

- 12% Enterprise sales growth in 2022
- ~90% retention rate



## Go-to-Market

- Shifting from country-specific field teams to vertical-focused pan-European teams
- Introduced solution specialists to accelerate x-sell and new customer acquisition



## Product

- Upgrading legacy solutions to modern platforms
- Migrated >11K clients to new solutions
- >30 products launched in 2022, including Finance Analytics, Optimizer



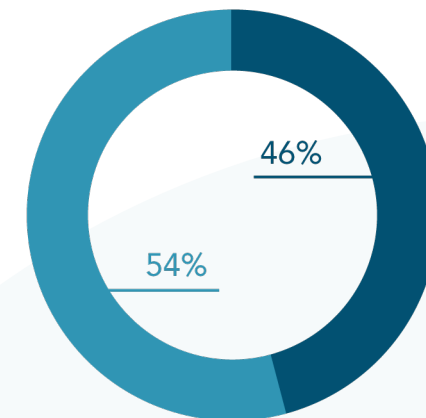
## Data

- High commercial coverage
- Implemented proprietary data quality framework to expand global consistency

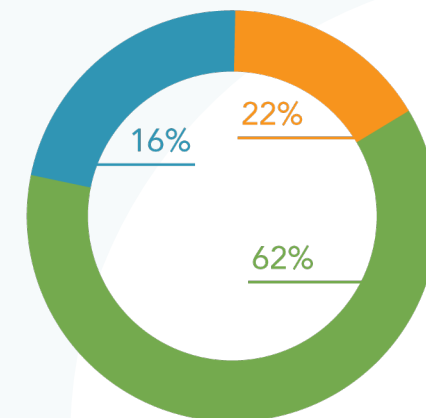


## Key Takeaway

- Tremendous progress since acquisition
- Focus areas above have accelerated organic revenue growth to >3% in 2022, with significant opportunities ahead



- Finance & Risk
- Sales & Marketing



- Large
- Medium
- Small





# Asia Pacific Highlights



## Client Franchise

- 19% Enterprise sales growth in 2022
- ~80% retention rate



## Go-to-Market

- Historically, heavy SMB concentration; successfully initiated vertical-enterprise channel to accelerate growth



## Product

- Aggressively rolled out global offerings since 2019
- 8 launches in 2022, including Finance Analytics, D&B Connect



## Data

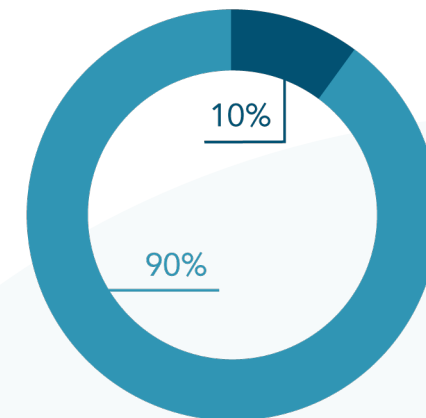
Progress since 2019:

- Expanded coverage by 85M DUNS
- Scaled UBO data from 16M to 162M

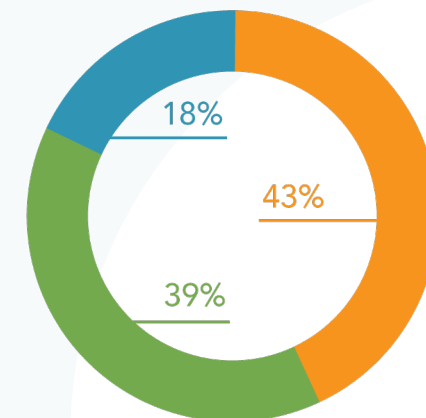


## Key Takeaway

- Large, rapidly maturing markets
- Focused execution driving high single digit growth with significant upside



- Finance & Risk
- Sales & Marketing



- Large
- Medium
- Small



# Worldwide Network Highlights



## Client Franchise

- 15% product royalty revenue growth in 2022
- Collaborative approach to wins from major multinational clients



## Go-to-Market

- Focused on driving WWN sales of D&B solutions
- Providing product specialist and sales support



## Product

- Aggressively rolled out global offerings since 2019
- 10 launches in 2022 including: Finance Analytics, Risk Analytics, Data Blocks



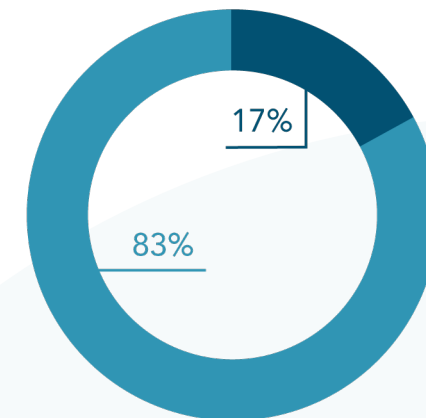
## Data

- 52% growth in business coverage from 140M to 213M (2019 to 2022)
- Tech and Supply Chain enhancements accelerating data throughput and timeliness

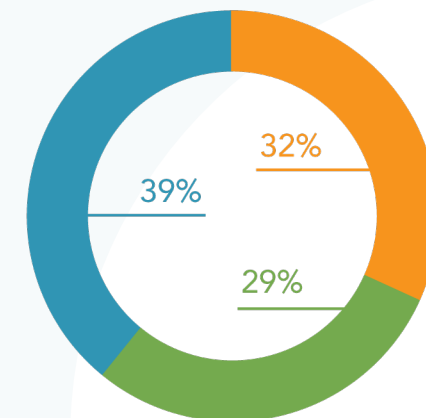


## Key Takeaway

- Transformed franchise to be growth driver for Dun & Bradstreet
- Accelerated direct revenues from product royalties and indirect revenues from committed data improvements



- Finance & Risk
- Sales & Marketing



- X-Border Data
- Product
- Other



# Client Solution Spotlight

## Enabling digital transformation at scale

D&B has been a strategic vendor with a tier one global bank, supporting primarily their commercial banking and investment banking services.

### Client Challenges

- Understand external data to drive growth and risk mitigation strategy
- Understanding complex global corporate data across many geographies
- Enhance Frontline's ability to use data & analytics for lead identification

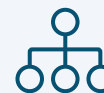
### Value-Add and Outcomes

- Use of D&B core data assets (DUNS) to identify, resolve, and enrich internal data with external datasets
- Identify untapped relationships across company hierarchies and across International borders
- Used to supplement MDM data across business-critical application layer to Relationship Managers
- Use of D&B Data Assets to help with regulatory reporting obligations to the Prudential Regulatory Authority in the UK

### Data & Solutions Used



Firmographic



Corporate Hierarchy







Beneficial Ownership



D&B Hoovers



# Where We are Going...

Targets	
 Revenue Growth	<b>Mid-to-High Single Digit</b>
 EBITDA Margin	<b>Mid-to-High 30's</b>
 Product Launches	<b>&gt;10 / year</b>
 Vitality Index	<b>&gt;25%</b>



# International Key Takeaways

## Proven Track Record:

- ✓ More than doubled in size – revenues / EBITDA / geographic coverage
- ✓ Won large enterprise new business accounts
- ✓ Accelerated organic growth to mid-single digits



## Confidence Ahead:

- \$ Supplementing successful enterprise model with SMB e-commerce platform
- 📍 Upgrading clients to recently launched modern solutions; releasing new global products
- ⊕ Maintaining leading data and analytics
- ! Continuing to drive an engaged and high-performance culture

# Refreshment Break

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# Data & Technology: Panel Discussion

Gary Kotovets, Chief Data & Analytics Officer

Mike Manos, Chief Technology Officer



# Financial Overview

Bryan Hipsher

Chief Financial Officer








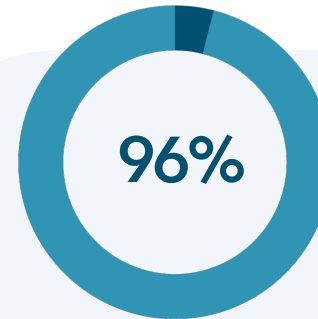




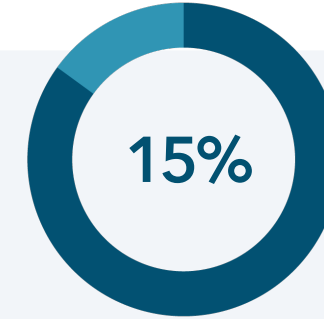
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## Business Characteristics

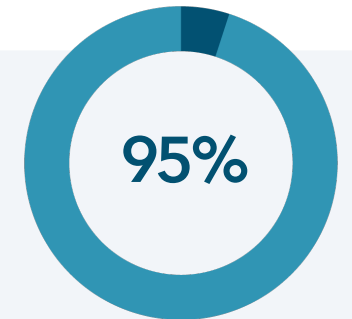
-  Single Data Cloud; Expanding Solution Set
-  Global blue chip client base
-  Subscription-based revenue model with strong renewal rates
-  Mission-critical data deeply embedded in workflows
-  Scalable cost structure



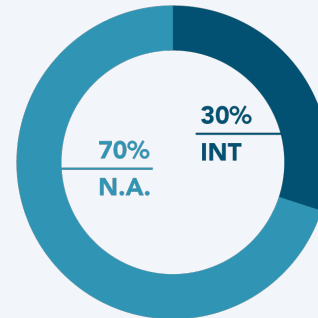
Gross Retention



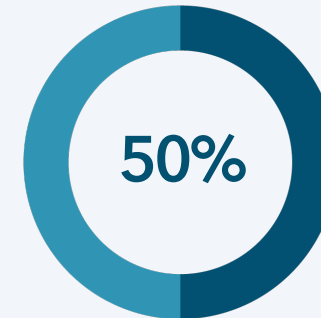
Vitality Index



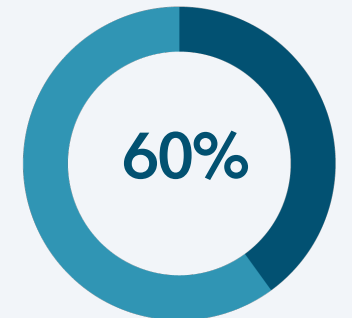
Recurring Revenues



Geographic Balance



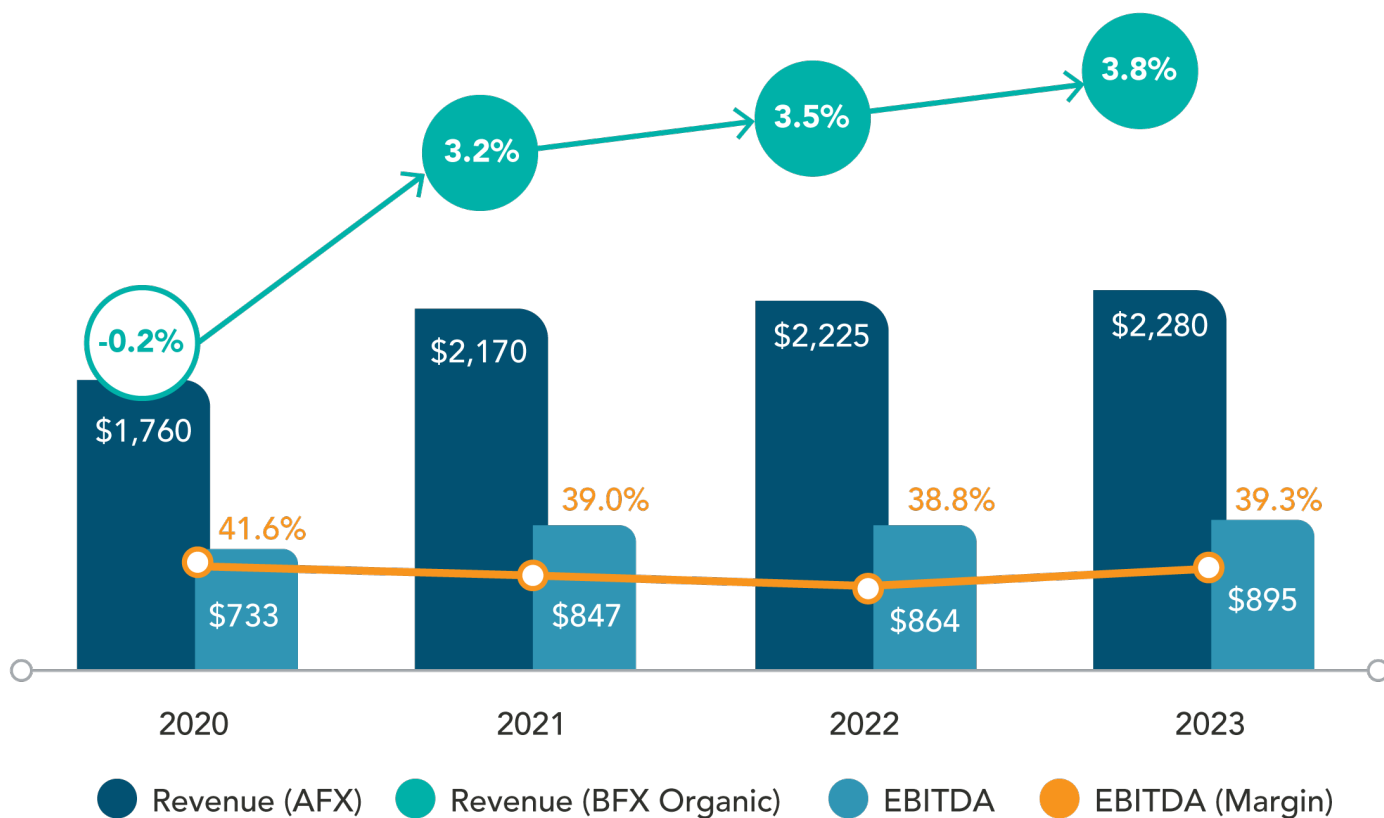
Revenue under Multi-year Contracts



Contribution Margins



# Historical Trend – Total Company



## Organic Revenues

- Accelerated from flat to 3.5% in 2022 (4.4% adjusted for impact of GSA contract)

## Adjusted Revenues

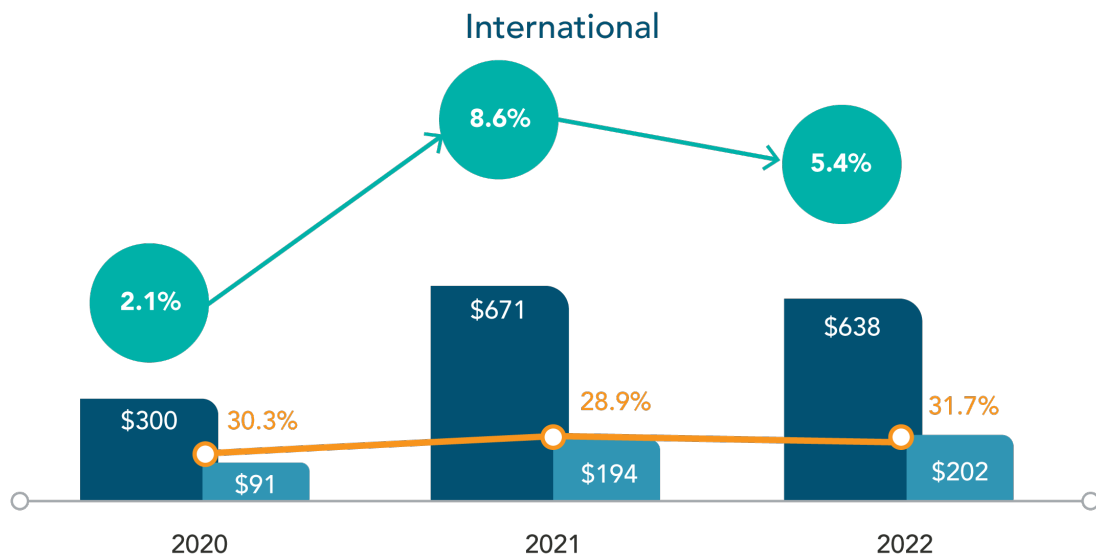
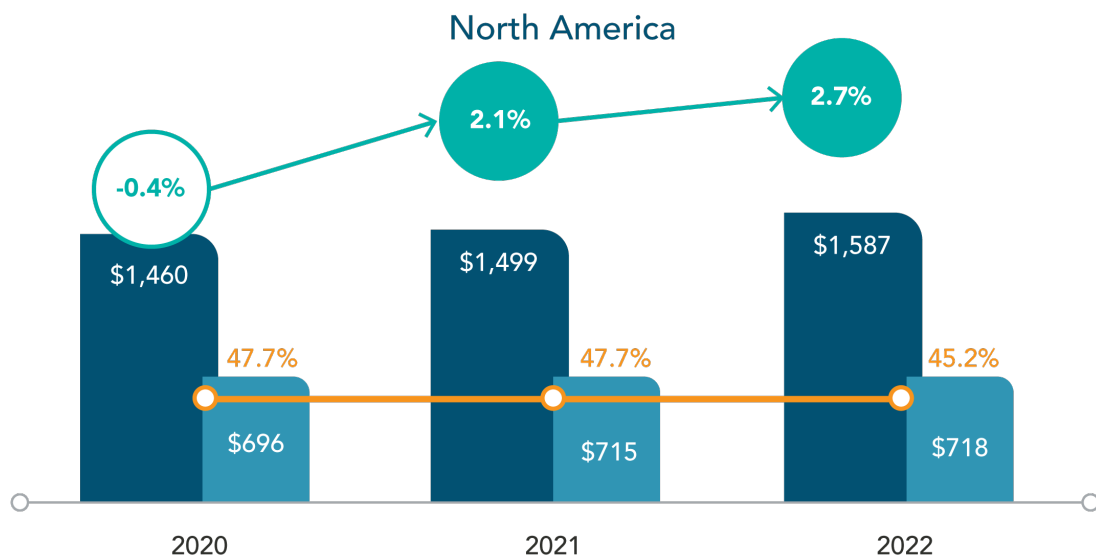
- Bisnode acquisition January 2021
- Eyeota and Netwise in November 2021
- Strengthening US dollar in 2022 impacted revenue growth, before the effect of foreign exchange revenues increased 5.5%

## Adjusted EBITDA %

- Strong Organic Margin Expansion
- Bisnode, Eyeota and NetWise acquisitions diluted margins in 2021 and 2022 respectively



# Historical Trend - Segments



● Revenue (AFX) ● Revenue (BFX Organic) ● EBITDA ● EBITDA (Margin)

## North America

### Organic Growth driven by

- Better Retention
  - Core Enhancement to Data Assets
  - User Improvement in Key Platforms
- Cross Sell and Upsell of Existing Solutions
- Pricing

## International

### Organic Growth driven by

- Reorganization and focus on international as a growth engine
- Localization of New Solutions
- New Logo Additions
- Product Migrations
- 2022 Includes Bisnode as Organic



# Revenue Growth Bridge

3-4.5%

2023 Guidance

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Mid-Term Growth

5-7%

North America Mid-Single Digit & International Mid to High-Single Digit Growth

## Base Growth

- Gross Retention - 96%
- Pricing ~2%
- Cross Sell 2 to 3%
- New Logos 1 to 2%
- Differentiated New Solutions 1 to 2%

## Price Increases

- Pricing power due to mission-critical solutions
- Incremental ability to raise prices as platform migration and upgrades occur (i.e., Bisnode)

Incremental Growth Contribution: **1 to 2%**

## New Logos

- Continue to acquire new clients and limit churn of existing clients
- Leverage enhanced coverage from new sales organization to win accounts in all market segments

Incremental Growth Contribution: **1 to 2%**

## Develop Innovative Solutions

- Continued focus on solution innovation
- Natural extensions to serve additional needs of clients
- Engaging clients
- Leveraging secular trends

Incremental Growth Contribution: **1 to 2%**

## Cross-Sell / Upsell

- Broad suite of solutions to sell into existing client base
- Master Data Management can create bridge throughout organization
- Solution per customer in medium and small businesses is ~1

Incremental Growth Contribution: **0 to 1%**



# Mid-Term Targets – Total Company



## Revenue

5 to 7 percent growth



## Adjusted EBITDA Margin

+50 to 100 basis points



## Adjusted EPS

High Single to Low Double Digit percent growth



## Capex Spend

6 to 7 percent of Revenues



## Net Debt Leverage

3.0X to 3.5X



## Free Cash Flow

80+ percent of Adjusted Net Income



# Capital Allocation Priorities

- Continue to Invest in the Business  
⋮
- Repay Debt  
⋮
- Pursue Targeted Acquisitions  
⋮
- Dividends  
⋮
- Share Repurchases

Q&A

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# Dun & Bradstreet Investor Day

February 22, 2023





# Appendix



# Non-GAAP Financial Measures:

In addition to reporting GAAP results, we evaluate performance and report our results on the non-GAAP financial measures discussed below. We believe that the presentation of these non-GAAP measures provides useful information to investors and rating agencies regarding our results, operating trends and performance between periods. These non-GAAP financial measures include adjusted revenue, organic revenue, adjusted earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization ("adjusted EBITDA"), adjusted EBITDA margin, adjusted net income and adjusted net earnings per diluted share. Adjusted results are non-GAAP measures that adjust for the impact due to certain acquisition and divestiture related revenue and expenses, such as costs for banker fees, legal fees, due diligence, retention payments and contingent consideration adjustments, restructuring charges, equity-based compensation, and other non-core gains and charges that are not in the normal course of our business, such as costs associated with early debt redemptions, gains and losses on sales of businesses, impairment charges, the effect of significant changes in tax laws and material tax and legal settlements. We exclude amortization of recognized intangible assets resulting from the application of purchase accounting because it is non-cash and not indicative of our ongoing and underlying operating performance. Recognized intangible assets arise from acquisitions, primarily the Take-Private Transaction. We believe that recognized intangible assets by their nature are fundamentally different from other depreciating assets that are replaced on a predictable operating cycle. Unlike other depreciating assets, such as developed and purchased software licenses or property and equipment, there is no replacement cost once these recognized intangible assets expire and the assets are not replaced. Additionally, our costs to operate, maintain and extend the life of acquired intangible assets and purchased intellectual property are reflected in our operating costs as personnel, data fee, facilities, overhead and similar items. Management believes it is important for investors to understand that such intangible assets were recorded as part of purchase accounting and contribute to revenue generation. Amortization of recognized intangible assets will recur in future periods until such assets have been fully amortized. In addition, we isolate the effects of changes in foreign exchange rates on our revenue growth because we believe it is useful for investors to be able to compare revenue from one period to another, both after and before the effects of foreign exchange rate changes. The change in revenue performance attributable to foreign currency rates is determined by converting both our prior and current periods' foreign currency revenue by a constant rate. As a result, we monitor our adjusted revenue growth both after and before the effects of foreign exchange rate changes. We believe that these supplemental non-GAAP financial measures provide management and other users with additional meaningful financial information that should be considered when assessing our ongoing performance and comparability of our operating results from period to period. Our management regularly uses our supplemental non-GAAP financial measures internally to understand, manage and evaluate our business and make operating decisions. These non-GAAP measures are among the factors management uses in planning for and forecasting future periods. Non-GAAP financial measures should be viewed in addition to, and not as an alternative to our reported results prepared in accordance with GAAP.

Our non-GAAP or adjusted financial measures reflect adjustments based on the following items, as well as the related income tax.

## **Adjusted Revenue**

We define adjusted revenue as revenue to include a revenue adjustment due to the timing of the completion of the Bisnode acquisition in 2021 and deferred revenue purchase accounting adjustments 2019, 2020 and 2021. Management uses this measure to evaluate ongoing performance of the business period over period. In addition, we isolate the effects of changes in foreign exchange rates on our revenue growth because we believe it is useful for investors to be able to compare revenue from one period to another, both after and before the effects of foreign exchange rate changes. The change in revenue performance attributable to foreign currency rates is determined by converting both our prior and current periods' foreign currency revenue by a constant rate.

## **Organic Revenue**

We define organic revenue as adjusted revenue before the effect of foreign exchange excluding revenue from acquired businesses for the first twelve months. In addition, organic revenue excludes current and prior year revenue associated with divested businesses. We believe the organic measure provides investors and analysts with useful supplemental information regarding the Company's underlying revenue trends by excluding the impact of acquisitions and divestitures.

## **Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA Margin**

We define adjusted EBITDA as net income (loss) attributable to Dun & Bradstreet Holdings, Inc. excluding the following items:

- depreciation and amortization;
- interest expense and income;
- income tax benefit or provision;
- other non-operating expenses or income;
- equity in net income of affiliates;
- net income attributable to non-controlling interests;
- purchase accounting deferred revenue adjustments;
- dividends allocated to preferred stockholders;
- equity-based compensation;
- restructuring charges;
- merger, acquisition and divestiture-related operating costs;
- transition costs primarily consisting of non-recurring expenses associated with transformational and integration activities, as well as incentive expenses associated with our synergy programs; and
- other adjustments primarily related to non-cash charges and gains, including impairment charges and adjustments as the result of the application of purchase accounting mainly related to the deferred commission cost amortization associated with the Take-Private Transaction and revenue adjustment associated with the Bisnode acquisition. In addition, other adjustments also include non-recurring charges such as legal expense associated with significant legal and regulatory matters.

We calculate adjusted EBITDA margin by dividing adjusted EBITDA by adjusted revenue.



# Non-GAAP Reconciliation: Adjusted Revenue

(\$ IN MILLIONS)	YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31,				
	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
GAAP Revenue	\$1,716.4	\$1,617.7	\$1,738.7	\$2,165.6	\$2,224.6
Revenue adjustment due to the Bisnode acquisition (1)	-	-	-	4.6	-
Purchase accounting deferred revenue adjustment (2)	-	138.9	21.1	0.2	-
Adjusted Revenue	\$1,716.4	\$1,756.6	\$1,759.8	\$2,170.4	\$2,224.6

(1) Adjustment related to the timing of the completion of the Bisnode acquisition for the year ended December 31, 2021.

(2) Deferred revenue purchase accounting adjustments recorded in accordance with GAAP related to the Take-Private Transaction and acquisitions.



# Non-GAAP Reconciliation: Adjusted EBITDA

(\$ IN MILLIONS)	YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31,				
	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Net income (loss)	\$288.1	\$(749.7)	\$(180.6)	\$(71.7)	\$(2.3)
Depreciation and amortization	88.7	498.2	537.8	615.9	587.2
Interest expense - net	52.5	306.2	270.4	205.7	191.0
(Benefit) provision for income tax - net	81.6	(145.8)	(112.4)	23.4	(28.8)
EBITDA	\$510.9	\$(91.1)	\$515.2	\$773.3	\$747.1
Other income (expense) - net	3.3	239.5	11.6	(14.9)	(13.9)
Equity in net income of affiliates	(2.8)	(4.7)	(2.4)	(2.7)	(2.5)
Net income (loss) attributable to the non-controlling interest	6.2	7.2	4.9	5.8	6.4
Purchase accounting deferred revenue adjustment	-	138.9	21.1	0.2	-
Dividends allocated to preferred stockholders	-	114.0	64.1	-	-
Equity-based compensation	10.8	23.4	45.1	33.3	66.0
Restructuring charges	25.4	52.4	37.3	25.1	20.5
Merger and acquisition-related operating costs	11.6	213.1	14.1	14.1	23.4
Transition costs	0.3	32.6	31.9	11.6	24.4
Other adjustments (1)	2.9	(17.7)	(10.4)	1.5	(7.9)
Adjusted EBITDA	\$568.6	\$707.6	\$732.5	\$847.3	\$863.5
Adjusted EBITDA Margin (%)	33.1%	43.5%	41.6%	39.0%	38.8%

(1) Adjustments for 2019, 2020, 2021 and 2022 were primarily related to non-cash purchase accounting adjustments for deferred commission assets associated with the Take-Private Transaction and non-recurring legal reserve adjustments related to the FTC matter in 2022 and 2021. Adjustments for 2018 were primarily related to non-recurring legal matters.