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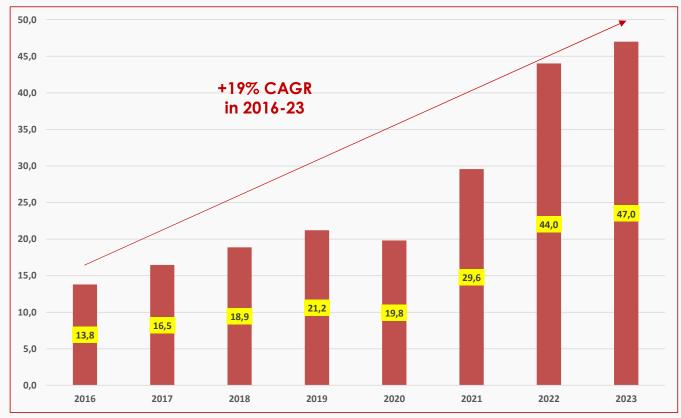
Bifire at a glance: Leader in innovative & fire-resistant building materials

- Bifire is a leading Italian producer of high-tech fire protection, cladding and thermal insulation materials
- All Bifire products are "fire-resistant", implying zero risk in case of accidental flames
- Its products contribute to CO2 emissions reduction, safety and better living standards
- Market drivers for growth are a) EU Directive ("Green Houses") setting decarbonisation targets, b) households' demand for green products, c) regulation on fire protection
- Bifire key competitive advantages are R&D, superior product quality and high level of service, all factors which translates in lower costs for clients
- Bifire relentless **ESG committment** is witnessed by Sustainability Report, Certifications, new "green" plants in Varedo e Seregno, photovoltaic system to be extended



In 2023 Bifire topped all-time high Growth in both Sales...

Total Revenues more than tripled over the past 8 Years (3.4x 2023/16) to € 47 million in 2023



Total Revenues in Euro million



... and Profitability with **EBITDA Margin exceeding 25%**

EBITDA rose by nearly 6x in 8 Years from € 2.1 million to € 12 million in 2023 (preliminary) with Margin up from 15% in 2016 to all-time high >25% in 2023



EBITDA in Euro million

EBITDA Margin is calculated on Total Revenues



2023 Preliminary Results: Sales & EBITDA Growth beats expectations



TOTAL REVENUES

ca 47 m +6.8% vs 44 m in 2022



EBITDA

ca 12 m +36% vs 8.8 m in 2022



NET FINANCIAL POSITION

ca 1.4 m cash positive vs 1.5 M cash positive in 2022



EBITDA MARGIN*

>25% vs 20% in 2022

Note: % Growth is Year on Year

(*) EBITDA Margin is calculated on Total Revenues



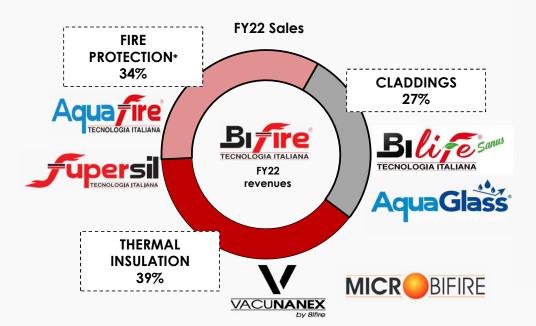




Business

Bifire: a Innovative player in thermal insulation and fire protection







HIGH TECHNOLOGY
AT THE CORE

PRODUCTION EXCELLENCY

FLEXIBILITY AND TAILOR
MADE APPROACH



Dry construction is a game changer: Bifire technology is key competive strength

BUILDINGS BUSINESS



INDUSTRIAL **BUSINESS**

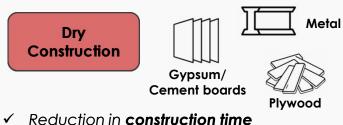




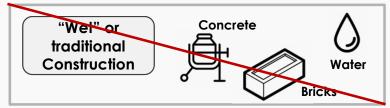




CONSTRUCTIONS



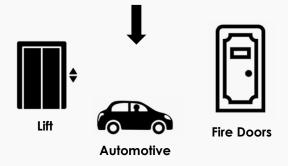
- Better thermal and sound insulation
- Moisture resistance and improved air quality
- ✓ Environmental friendly (e.g. easy recycling of materials during renovations)





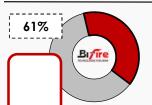


Used as a component in clients production processes





Fire protection and claddings systems represent the bulk of Bifire



ALL BIFIRE PRODUCTS ARE FIRE-RESISTANT

Aqua Tire

Fibre-reinforced lightweight cement board



Calcium fibrosilicate based board



Fiber-reinforced gypsum sheet for outdoor and indoor applications



Innovative panel of only 13 mm, completely NATURAL, based on expanded perlite

Addressing installers pain points while offering extremely high-quality & FIRE-RESISTANT products

Key Advantages

LIGHT WEIGHT

EASY TO CUT

EASY TO INSTALL

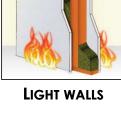
THICKNESS KEEPING HIGH FIRE **PROTECTION CAPABILITIES**

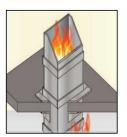


Main Applications



STRUCTURAL ELEMENTS



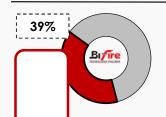


COUNTERTOP

AIR-DUCTS



Top performing thermal insulation products thanks to high technology



THERMAL INSULATION





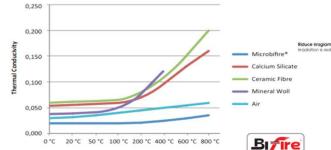
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Technology

Microbifire is a material derived from nuclear and aerospace technologies. It combines two features dramatically increasing its insulating capacity:

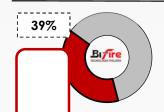
- **Microporous Structure**: its material is made up of micro-ionized cells from idle material (silicon dioxide). This allows for a strong reduction of energy dispersion caused by the collision among molecules. This in turn translates into a minimum heat transfer thus reducing the radiation of heat through a solid body.
- Radiation Opacity: thanks to the introduction of reflective and absorbent materials (opacifiers) which
 resist high temperature, this material reduces products radiation transparency, thus reducing heat
 conduction.

The lower the
Thermal
Conductivity, the
better the insulating
capacity of the
material





Vacuum technology allows to deliver best-in-class performances



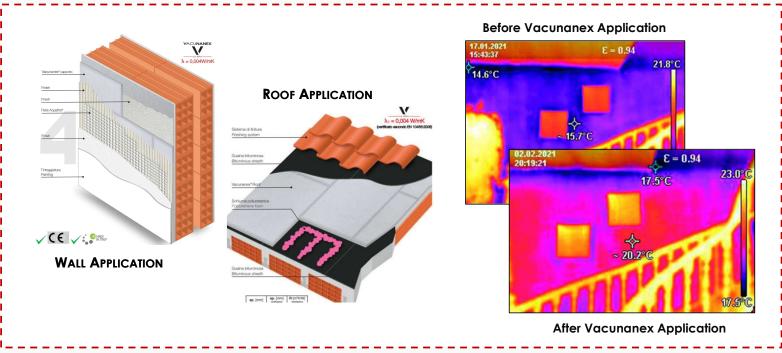
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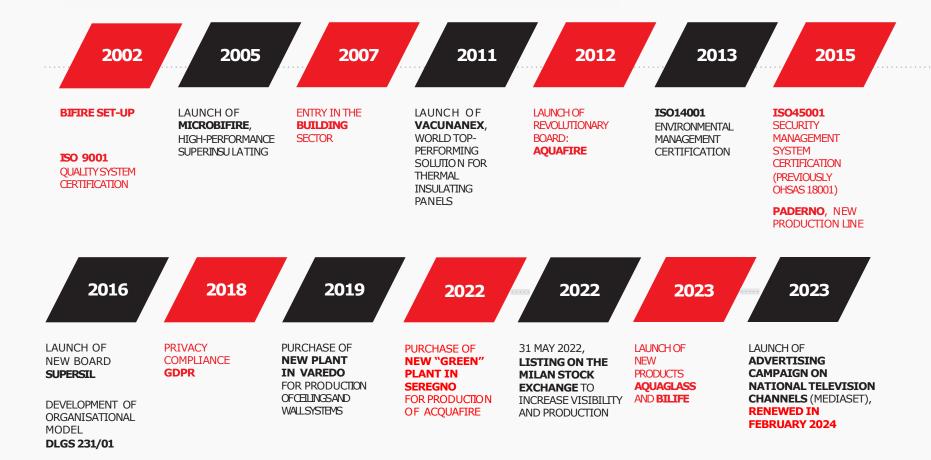
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Applications





Relentless New Products & Certifications set outstanding Innovation rate



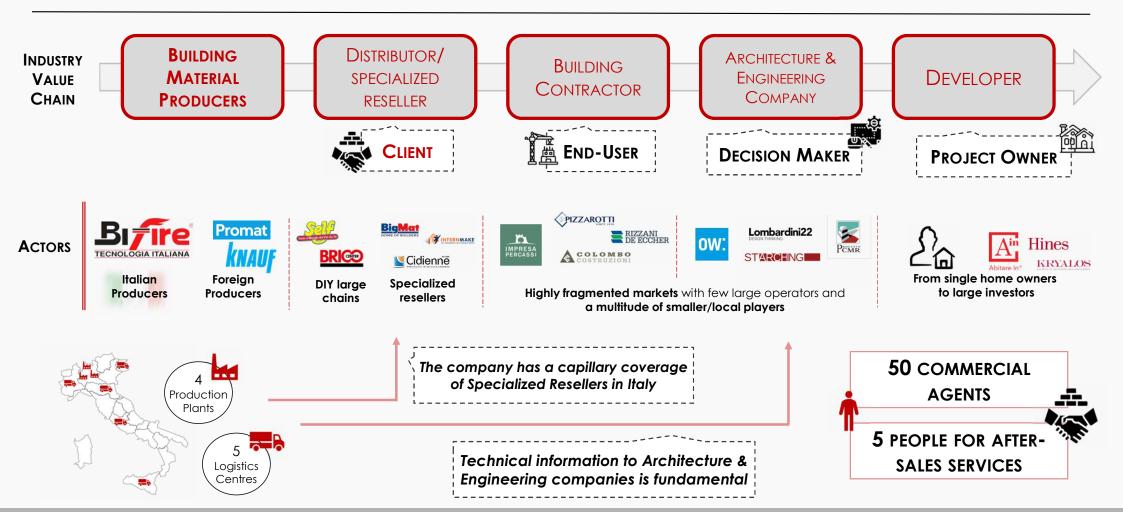






Market

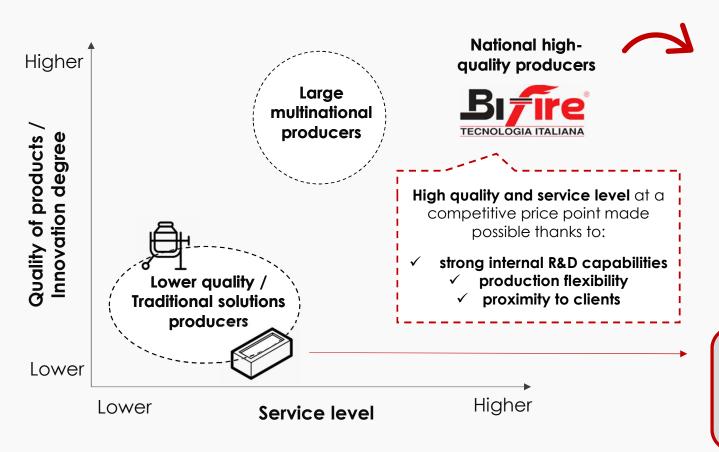
Key role in the renovation value chain: Bifire has tight control on crucial steps

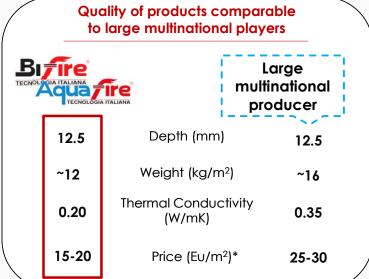




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Perfectly positioned among high-quality producers: a win-win combination

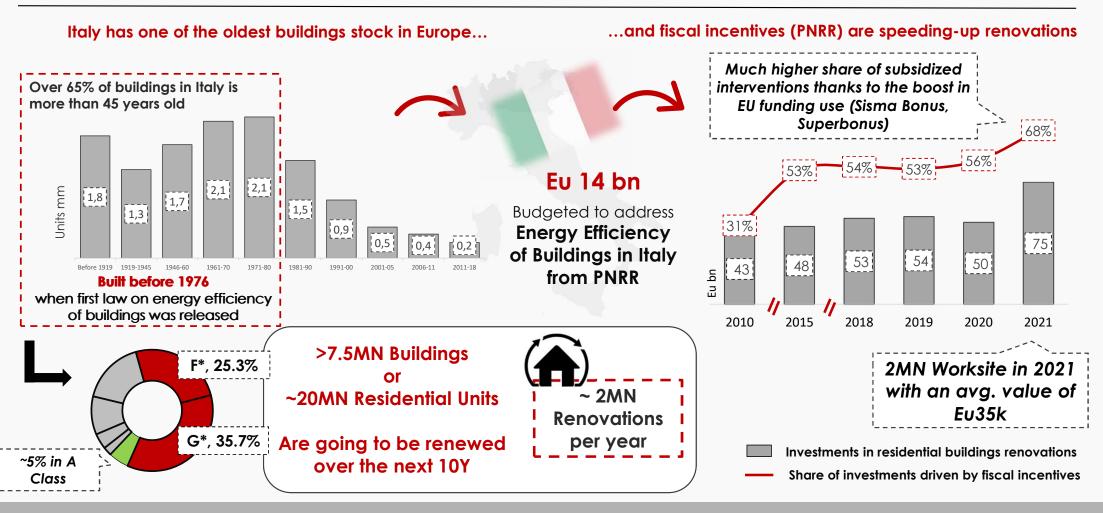




TRADITIONAL MATERIALS HAVE MUCH LOWER COST THAN INNOVATIVE PRODUCTS BUT BRINGS MUCH HIGHER APPLICATION COSTS (~30% HIGHER)



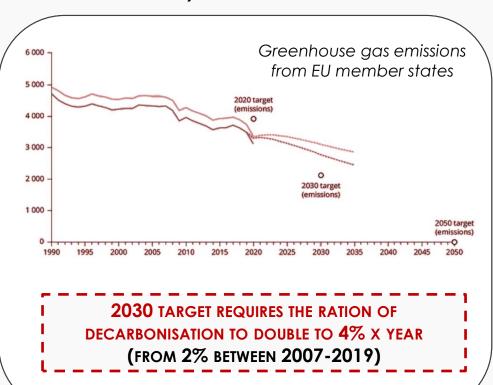
Italy is accelerating on renovation investments with PNRR boosting the trend



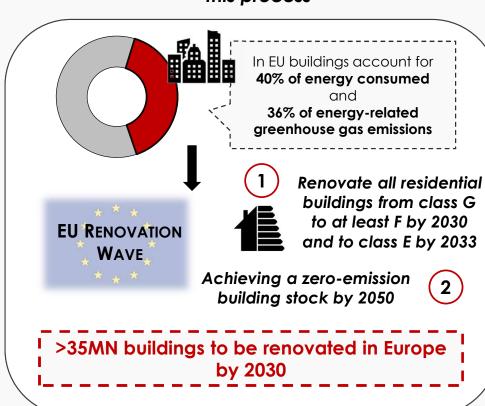


EU is setting ambitious decarbonization targets and buildings are key

EU has set ambitious targets for decarbonization by 2030 and 2050...



...and buildings renovation is a key milestone in this process







Track Record & 2023 Update





CEO comment: Excellent results in a very challenging market scenario

"We are proud of **Bifire excellent 2023 results** in an extremely challenging market scenario."

Our strategy is based on product innovation, superior performance and fire resistance.

Investments in production capacity allow us to exploit all growth opportunities offered by higher consumer demand for green products reducing CO2 emissions while allowing important energy cost savings.

DACH Countries are the next target for growth."

Alberto Abbo, Founder & CEO of Bifire





Bifire Achievements since Listing to date

31 May 2022

BIFIRE Listing on Euronext Growth Milan WITH THE AIM OF PUSHING GROWTH

July 2022

START WORK FOR THE Fourth Plant IN SEREGNO TO PRODUCE AQUAFIRE November 2022

APPROVAL OF Stock Grant,
FULLY COVERED BY Share
Buyback, TO RETAIN KEY PEOPLE

PARTICIPATE TO BAUSTOFF
Exhibition IN KOLN

April 2023

PRODUCTS
AquaGlass AND
Bilife AT BAU
Exhibition IN MUNICH

October 2023 to 2024

ADVERTISING
CAMPAIGN ON
MEDIASET TV
CHANNELS





New Fire Protection
rules in Italy: BIFIRE
PRODUCTS, I.E. VACUNANEX
AND AQUAFIRE ARE PERFECT
TO RESPOND TO THE
LEGISLATION REQUIREMENTS

September 2022

PARTICIPATE TO Live
Exhibitions IN ROME
AND LARGEST ITALIAN CITIES



March 2023

Approval of EU Green Houses Directive

PARTICIPATE TO
Klimahouse, START OF
Safety Village Tour

September 2023

START PRODUCTION IN THE **Third Plant** (VAREDO, BILIFE)

FIRST TESTS IN THE
Fourth Plant
(SEREGNO, AQUAFIRE)



Business update - First Advertising Campaign on Television Channels...

Bifire just renewed for 2024 its first advertising campaign on a <u>national scale</u> (Mediaset TV), launched in October 2023



https://www.bifire.it/it/vistointv



...is boosting Bifire Brand image while opening up new Sales opportunity

Very promising feedbacks from the TV campaign

- Large interest as shown by requests for info to the new dedicated call center
- New sales network of Authorized Dealers reached 61 units in the period
- Production plant for thermal insulation products
 (i.e. "Vacunanex") is running at full capacity





Sources: Management

ESG update – New Plants to enhance Sustainability: third in Varedo for Bilife...

In 2H 2023 Bifire has <u>started production</u> in the third plant in Varedo (MB) to expand its production capacity



The production process (with 100% re-utilisation of scraps) and the output are eco-friendly, thus enhancing Bifire's committment towards ESG

- The third production plant is dedicated to "Bilife Sanus" product, Bifire's innovative 13 mm panel very easy to install and very stable
- Bilife Sanus is 100% **natural**, **totally recyclable**, and definitely solves the problem of mold formation
- As for ALL Bifire products, Bilife Sanus is fireresistant thus enhancing the protection for utilizer



...and fourth plant in Seregno for Aquafire, also targeting DACH sales

Bifire is undergoing operational tests in the fourth plant in Seregno (MB) to further enlarge its production

The production process (with 100% re-utilisation of scraps) and the output are eco-friendly, thus enhancing Bifire's committment towards sustainability



- The new plant area exceeds 12.000 square metres (of which >10k sqm covered area)
- The fourth plant is devoted to "Aquafire" product, Bifire's innovative fibre-reinforced lightweight cement board ideal for both internal/outdoor applications
- As for ALL Bifire products, Aquafire is fireresistant thus enhancing the protection side
- Aquafire is especially targeting expansion in DACH countries



Business update - A new Branch Opening soon in Germany

Bifire is about to open its first direct branch in Munich:

This represents a key step in conquering not only the German but the whole <u>DACH area</u>



- Why Germany?
- The German market size is approx. 3x that of the Italian market
- Germany: 7.5 million sq. meters vs Italy's
 2.5 million sq. meters
- "Aquafire" panel size is fire-resistant, already compliant with the German market standards, therefore ready to be sold in DACH area

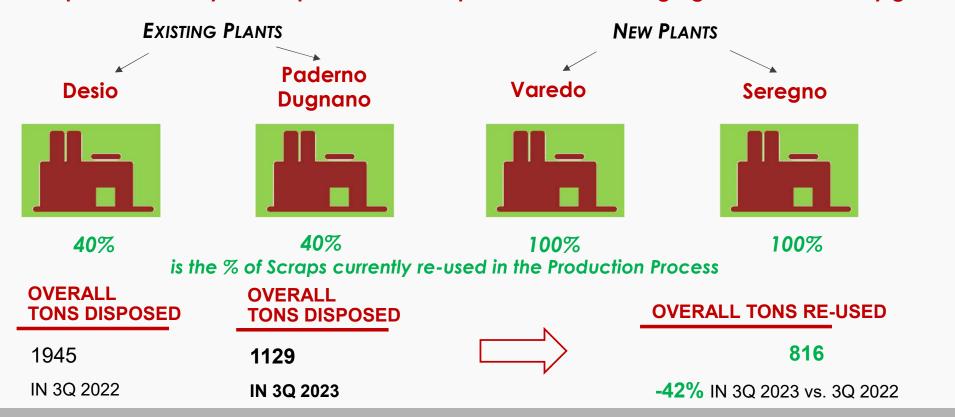


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ESG update - Bifire is re-using the production scraps in all its four plants

Expansion of production capacity combines with strong improvement in sustainability:

All Bifire plants currently re-use production scraps therefore allowing significant efficiency gains





Market update - Bifire is successfully competing in a challenging market...

MARKET SCENARIO:

BIFIRE ANSWERS:

CHANGE IN ITALIAN LEGISLATION + INTEREST RATES RISE

NEW PRODUCTS, ADVERTISING + FINANCIAL SOLIDITY

In Italy: End of Invoice Discount linked to Superbonus



- New high-tech quality products (Aquafire, Bilife)
 - Granting Top Clients Invoice
 Discount (on very large orders)

...pushing forward a great Opportunity for Growth Abroad and to Increase Penetration in Domestic Market

Bifire is increasingly targeting growth in DACH Countries



(also launching new products with specific size requirements)



 Launching new advertising campaign on a national scale (Mediaset TV channels)



...thanks to its **Key Strengths**: Innovation and Superior Product Quality

BIFIRE PRODUCTS ARE ALL FIRE-RESISTANT

Fire Protection/ Claddings

















KEY COMPETITIVE STRENGHTS

- Much lighter, easy to cut and to manage
 more convenient to install
- New products green and recyclable → reduce significantly CO2 emissions
- → Appealing texture does not need refining
 → lower construction costs
- ➤ Lower lead time → fast delivery implies huge savings for clients
- ➤ Superior insulating performance → <u>lower</u> <u>energy consumption</u> for final users



Market update - European Directive to boost growth in the mid-long term

NEW EU LEGISLATION:

"GREEN HOUSES"

All residential buildings must be in the "E"energetic class by 2030



BIFIRE STRONG COMPETITIVE EDGE

- New high-tech products (Aquafire, Supersil, Aquaglass and Bilife)
- Innovative & easy-to-install products

...representing a huge Growth Opportunity

In Italy >60% of residential buildings are in the "G" and "F" energetic class (>7 million buildings)



 Bifire is ready to exploit market growth both in Italy and abroad (DACH) thanks to <u>financial strength</u> and new production capacity









ESG Focus

ESG Achievements confirm Bifire strong commitment towards Sustainability



 Implemented for Full Year 2021 and 2022 Financial Report, the Sustainability Report was published ahead of Bifire listing on the Milan Stock Exchange (EGM)

Bifire Certifications:

- ISO 45001:2018 27 July 2015 and renewed on 23 July 2021
- ISO 9001:2015 28 October 2002 and renewed on 21 June 2021
- ISO 14001:2015 2 August 2013 and renewed on 2 July 2022

Photovoltaic system:

- Last year the 100 kWp photovoltaic system installed in Desio plant in 2020 covered about 5% of Bifire energy consumption
- Bifire is studying the implementation of an extensive investment plan
 to set up a photovoltaic system serving its plants with the aim of
 reducing scraps and strengthening its scope for circular economy









Key takeaways from 2022 Sustainability Report

- ▶ Bifire Mission: to create value for all Stakeholders Economic Value at € 44 million in 2022, with a 49% growth on the previous year
- > Supply Chain Responsibility: 64% of Purchases comes from Italian suppliers, of which 91% from Lombardy region
- Environmental Product Declaration (EPD) for Supersil Light, Aquafire and Supersil products: based on the Swedish Enviorondec regulations in compliance with ISO 14025:2006 standard
- ➤ Commitment to reduce Greenhouse gas emissions: based on Greenhouse Gas Protocol Bifire tons CO2 per employee (overall=scope 3) fell by 23% in 2022 to 63.5, from 82.1 in the previous year
- Recycling of materials in the production: set to increase from 4.3% in 2022 especially thanks to the new plant in Seregno
- > 99.55% of waste is recycled: Bifire is member of CO.NA.I. (Consorzio Nazionale Imballaggi)
- ➤ Human resources: average age of personnel is 46Y, with 6.75Y avg seniority. Out of 60 employees to date, 59 are on permanent contract, while 1 is a trainee



Sustainability Map based on GRI Standards





Tackling several Sustainable Development Goals





BETTER BUILDINGS

Solutions developed put energy efficiency as the main priority, in line with Governments policies



CUTTING EMISSIONS

Solutions developed reduce emissions from buildings and tackle climate change



HEALTHY LIVES

Solutions developed support creating comfortable and healthy indoor environments



FUEL POVERTY

Solutions developed
aims to reduce fuel
poverty as less
energy is needed for
home heating



URBAN RESILIENCE

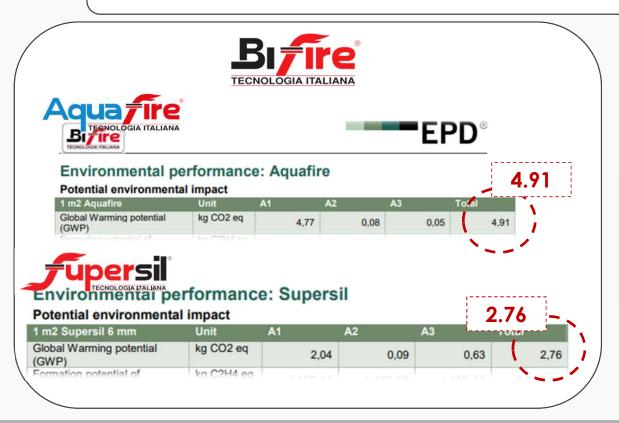
Solutions developed are critical to sustainable and future-proof urban development



Sources: Management

Significantly less harmful than traditional materials

According to publicly available Environmental Product Declaration (EPD), Global Warming Potential (GWP) of Bifire products is much lower than traditional materials (e.g. Gypsum, Concrete Briks)



TRADITIONAL MATERIALS





New plant in Varedo is a milestone in Bifire ESG Strategy...



Bifirehas started production totally green in its third plant Dedicated to a new innovative panel "Bilife Sanus", entirely recyclable







Recycled Paper





Perlite



The new production plant is active starting from 2H23

The production process entails 100% re-utilisation of scraps



Bilife Sanus is completely **NATURAL** and definitely solves the problem of mold formation. It naturally **regulates the** humidity in the rooms, improves the thermal and acoustic **comfort**, and aesthetically requalifies the walls





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...as well as the New plant in **Seregno** (both with scraps 100% re-used)

Bifire is starting production totally green in its fourth plant Dedicated to a new cutting-edge countertop "Aquafire"









Silica Sand



The new production plant will be active starting from 1H24





the lower impact on the indoor environment vs traditional materials (e.g. mineral wool)



Cement



Stock Grant plan covered by Share Buyback to enhance employees' loyalty

In November 2022 Bifire Shareholders' Meeting approved the Incentive plan for the 2022-2025 period



- The plan is covered by Share Buyback
- Beneficiaries are top Managers and eligible Employees (shares assigned in June and July 2023)
- The plan provides a significant incentive to achieve Bifire long-term targets
- It also enhances key people retention at the same time attracting new talents

"The incentive plan represents a very important step in Bifire growth path as it gives everyone in the team the opportunity to participate in our success achievements upon reaching specified performance milestones." commented Alberto Abbo, CEO of Bifire.











Organic Growth, Product innovation, Sustainability in the future of Bifire





Sources: Management

Why Bifire: an appealing "Green Stock" to build value in the long run





Back-up

- > 1H 2023 Financial Results
- Governance & Shareholding Structure



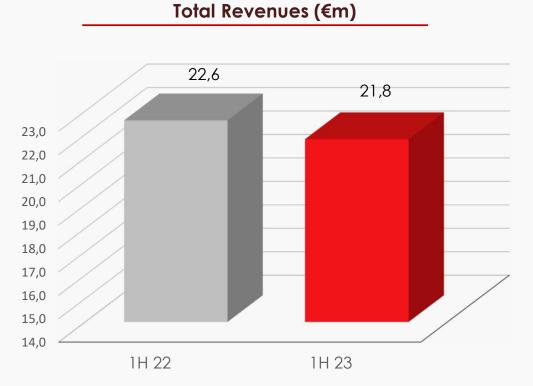


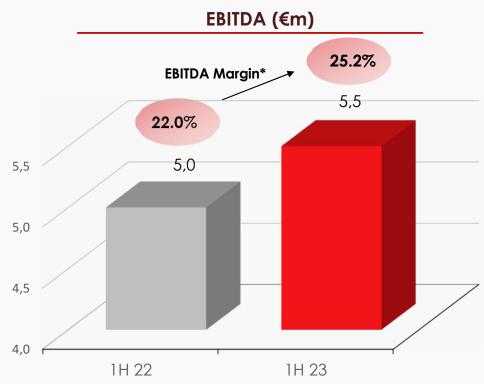
2023 Half Year Results





EBITDA margin* jumped to 25.2% vs. 20% in 1H 22 (20.0% in FY 22)

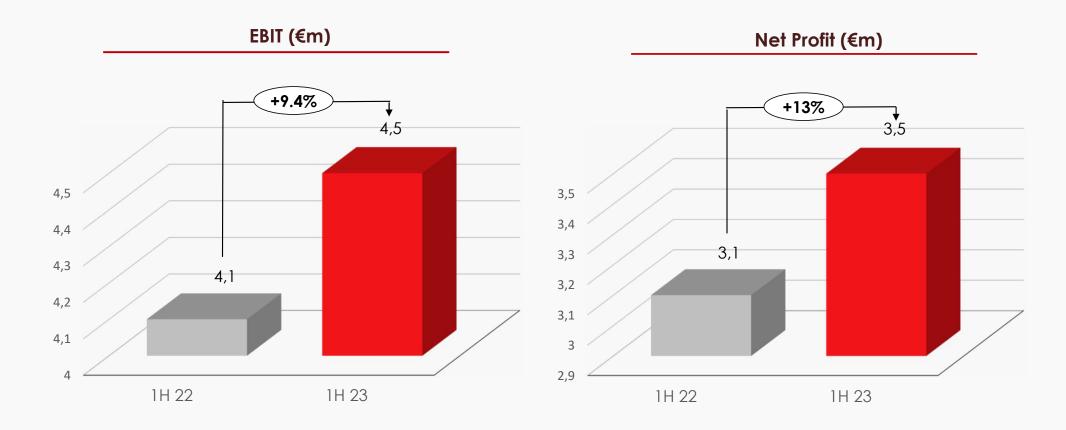




(*) EBITDA Margin is calculated on Total Revenues

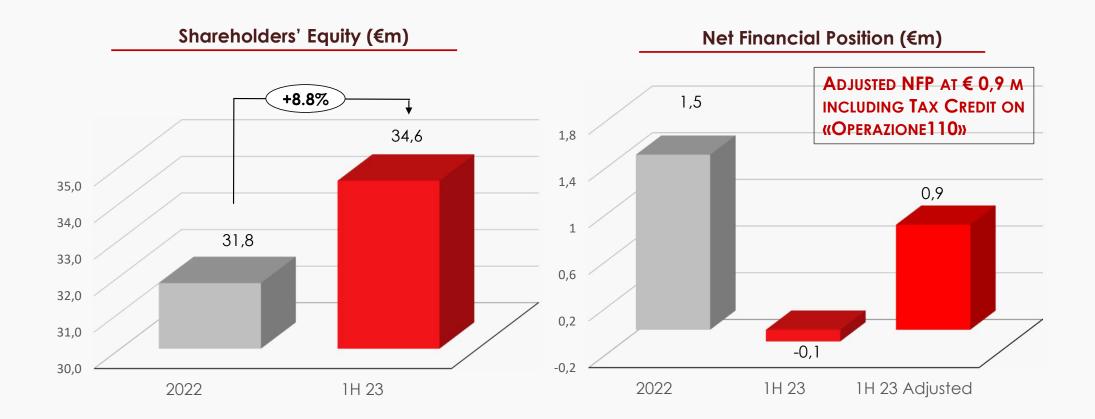


Strong increase in Profitability: EBIT +9.4%, Net Profit +13%





Rock solid Net Financial Position despite important investments for growth





2023 Half Year Results – Income Statement

Eur 000	30-J	lune-23	30-	June-22
Revenues from sales	20.395		21.767	
Other revenues	1.406		855	
TOTAL REVENUES	21.801	100,00%	22.622	100,00%
Purchases of raw materials Costs for services	-7.529 -6.090	-34,54% -27,93%	-7.685 -7.652	-33,97% -33,83%
Costs for use of third party assets	-475	-2,18%	-489	-2,16%
Various management charges	-95	-0,44%	-61	-0,27%
VALUE ADDED	7.612	34,92%	6.733	29,77%
Taxes and payroll costs	-2.117	-9,71%	-1.752	-7,74%
EBITDA	5.495	25,21%	4.982	22,02%
Depreciation and impairment losses	-968	-4,44%	-843	-3,73%
OPERATING RESULT (EBIT)	4.527	20,77%	4.138	18,29%
Financial Income and Expenses	-76	-0,35%	-40	-0,18%
PROFIT BEFORE TAXES	4.451	20,42%	4.098	18,12%
Income taxes	-961	-4,41%	-1.011	-4,47%
NET PROFIT	3.490	16,01%	3.087	13,65%



Source: Financial Report

2023 Half Year Results – Balance Sheet

Eur 000	30-June-23	31-December-22
A) NET NON CURRENT ASSETS	22.526	19.517
Intangible fixed assets	1.180	1.289
Tangible fixed assets	20.329	17.554
Financial fixed assets	1.017	674
B) NET WORKING CAPITAL	11.975	11.549
Inventory sotck	5.926	7.533
Receivables	13.312	11.008
Other receivables	737	1.361
Payables	-6.061	-7.466
Other payables	-2.154	-1.011
Others	215	124
C) GROSS WORKING CAPITAL	34.501	31.066
D) SEVERANCE PAY	-829	-744
E) NET INVESTED CAPITAL	33.672	30.322
Covered by		
F) EQUITY	-34.619	-31.800
G) NET FINANCIAL POSITION	-947	1.478
Medium and long-term debts	-4.430	-4.071
Short-term debts	-1.301	-1.214
Receivables from 110 Operation ml Receivables from 110 Operation ml	712 331	
Cash founds	5.635	6.763
H) TOTAL COVERAGE	-33.672	-30.322



Source: Financial Report

2023 Half Year Results – Cash Flow Statement

Eur 000	30-June-23	30-June-22
Net profit	3.489	3.087
Tax effect	3.469 962	1.011
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Passive interest	81	38
Plus/Minus asset alienation	61	57
Depreciation and impairment loses	970	819
Cash flow	5.563	5.012
Working capital changes		
Inventory sotck	1.587	-2.394
Receivables	-2.334	-3.965
Active Accruals and Prepayments	-546	-529
Passive Accruals and Prepayments	-1.404	1.413
Payables	-206	468
Total working capital charges	-2.903	-5.007
Free cash flow	2.660	5
Net Investments	-3.562	-2.819
Financial corrections	0	-210
Investments cash flow	-3.562	-3.029
Increase (decrease) in bank debts	86	-16
new financing	1.000	0
Loan repayments	-642	-589
other changes in equity	-670	7.943
Cash flow from financial activities	-226	7.338
Net Cash flow	-1.128	4.314
	11120	4.014
Cash founds at the beginning of the period	6.763	4.544
Cash founds at the end of the period	5.635	8.858
Net cash founds increase (decrease)	-1.128	4.314





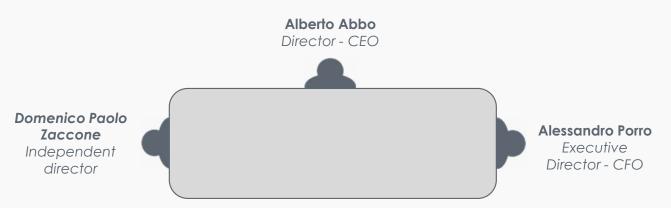
Governance & Shareholding Structure





Governance and Shareholding structure

Board of Directors



Board of Statutory Auditors

Independent Auditor

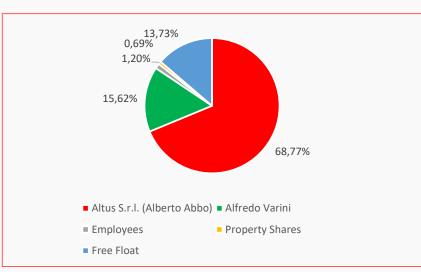
Francesca Sanseverino Chairman

Maurizio Moccaldi Ruggiero Statutory Auditor

Federico Mariscalco Inturretta Statutory Auditor



Shareholding Structure





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