

Financial Presentation

Q2 2026

July 13, 2026



Strong momentum and progress in large account strategy in a market growing significantly faster than previously expected

REVENUE

	2026	Change
Q2	28.9 MUSD	+54.6%
6M	51.8 MUSD	+56.8%

Preparing the company for the next era of growth while delivering a record high quarter

GROSS MARGIN

	2026	2025
Q2	46.1%	48.6%
6M	47.0%	48.0%

Strong growth in Europe, driven by large account wins. Growth increasingly driven by indirect hyperscale and AI data center business. Yet another all-time high quarter in Americas

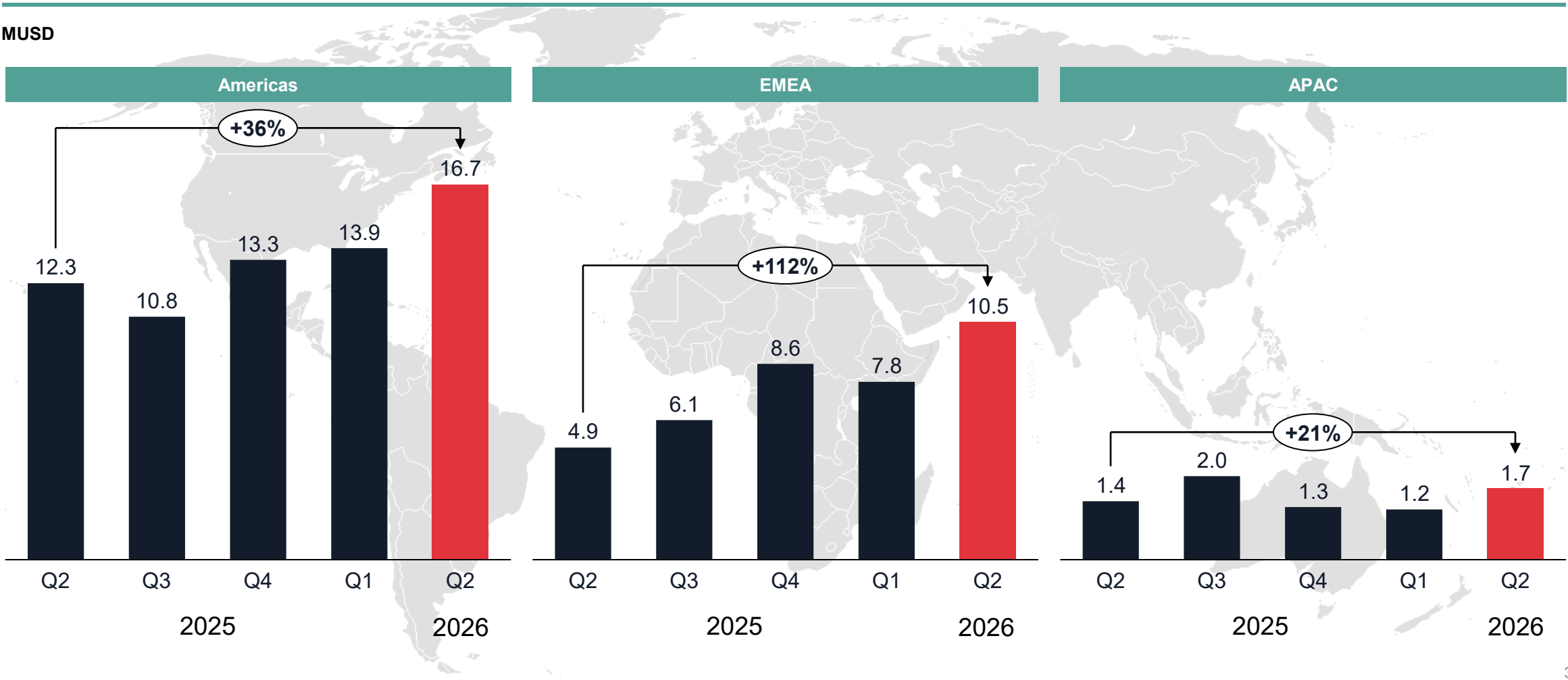
EBITDA MARGIN

	2026	2025
Q2	15.5%	13.7%
6M	13.8%	11.4%

Strong delivery performance in the second half of the quarter and growing profitability despite increased investments

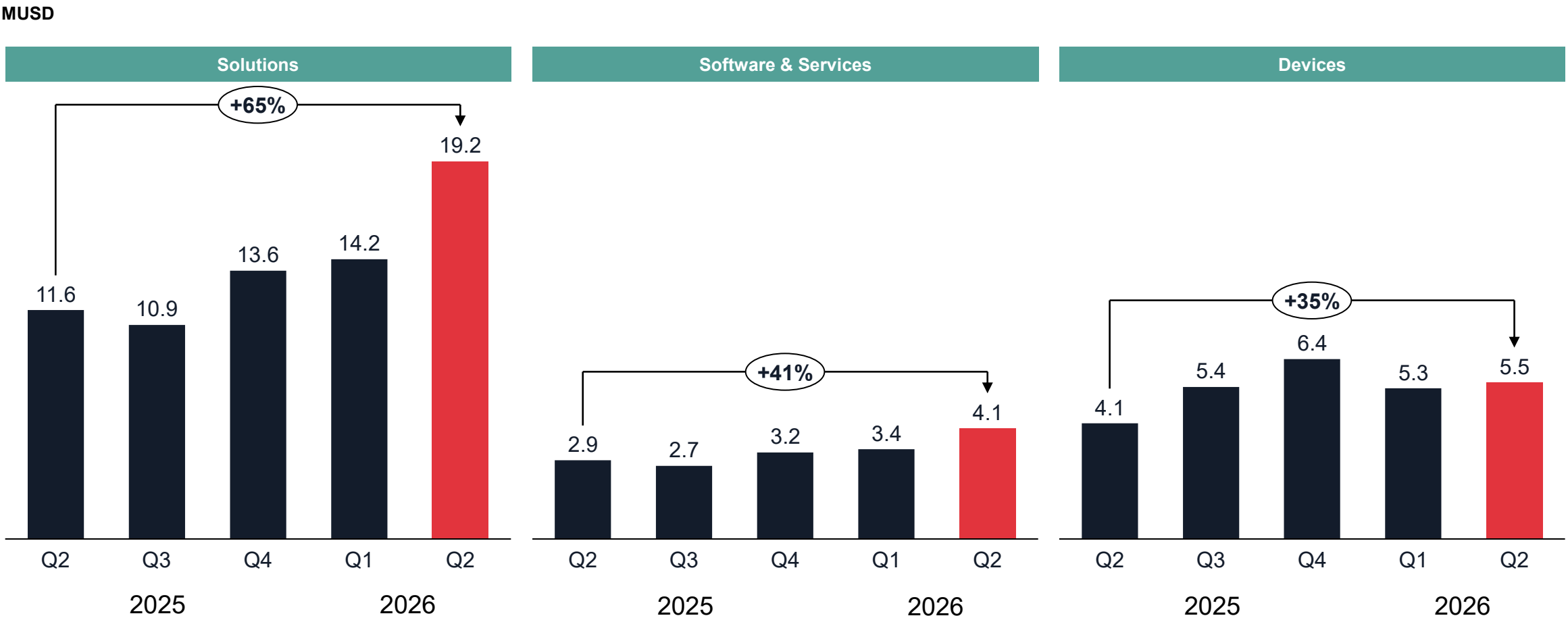
All-time high revenue in the Americas and EMEA. APAC still project dependent

Revenue per region and quarter – Last 5 quarters



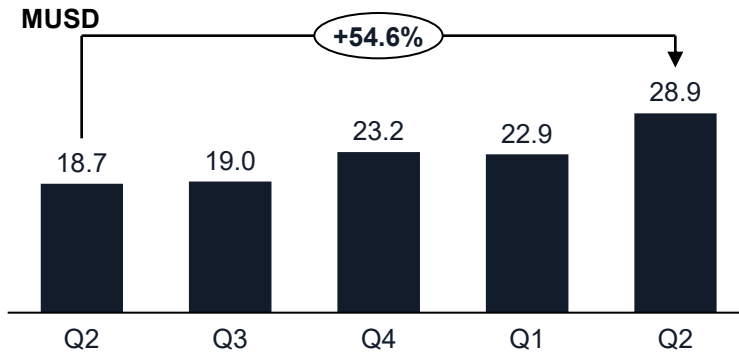
Strong growth in all business areas, with Solutions, Software & Services leading the way

Revenue per business area and quarter – Last 5 quarters

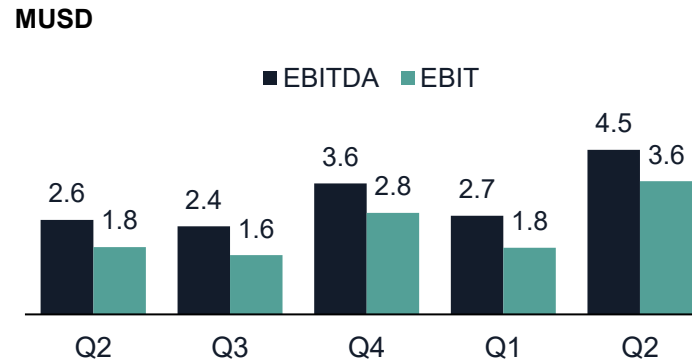


Summary of Q2 financial performance

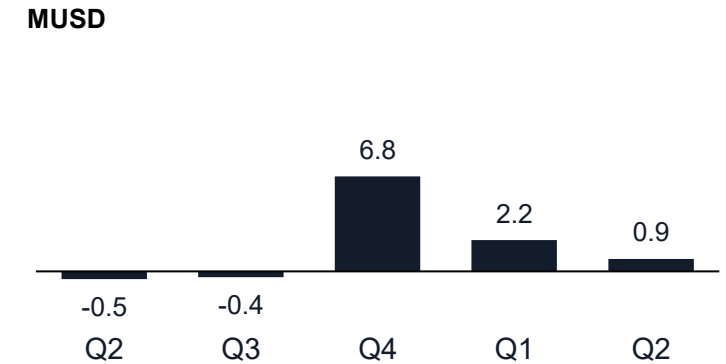
Revenue



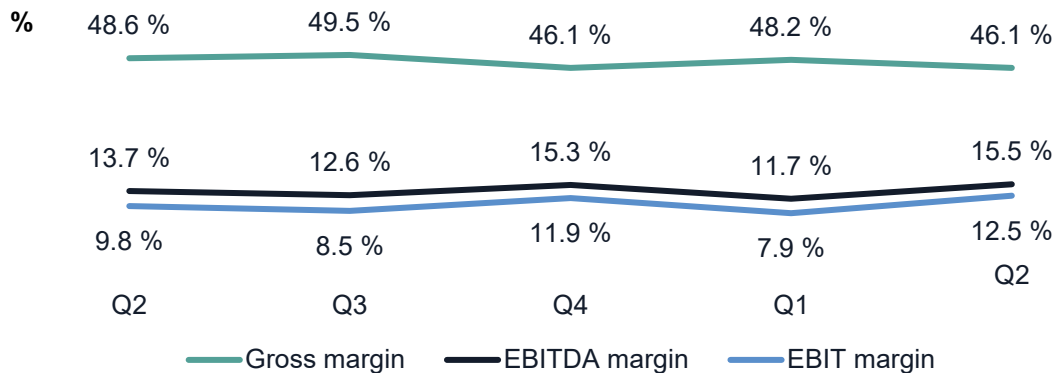
EBITDA & EBIT



Operating cash flow



Gross margin and EBITDA margin

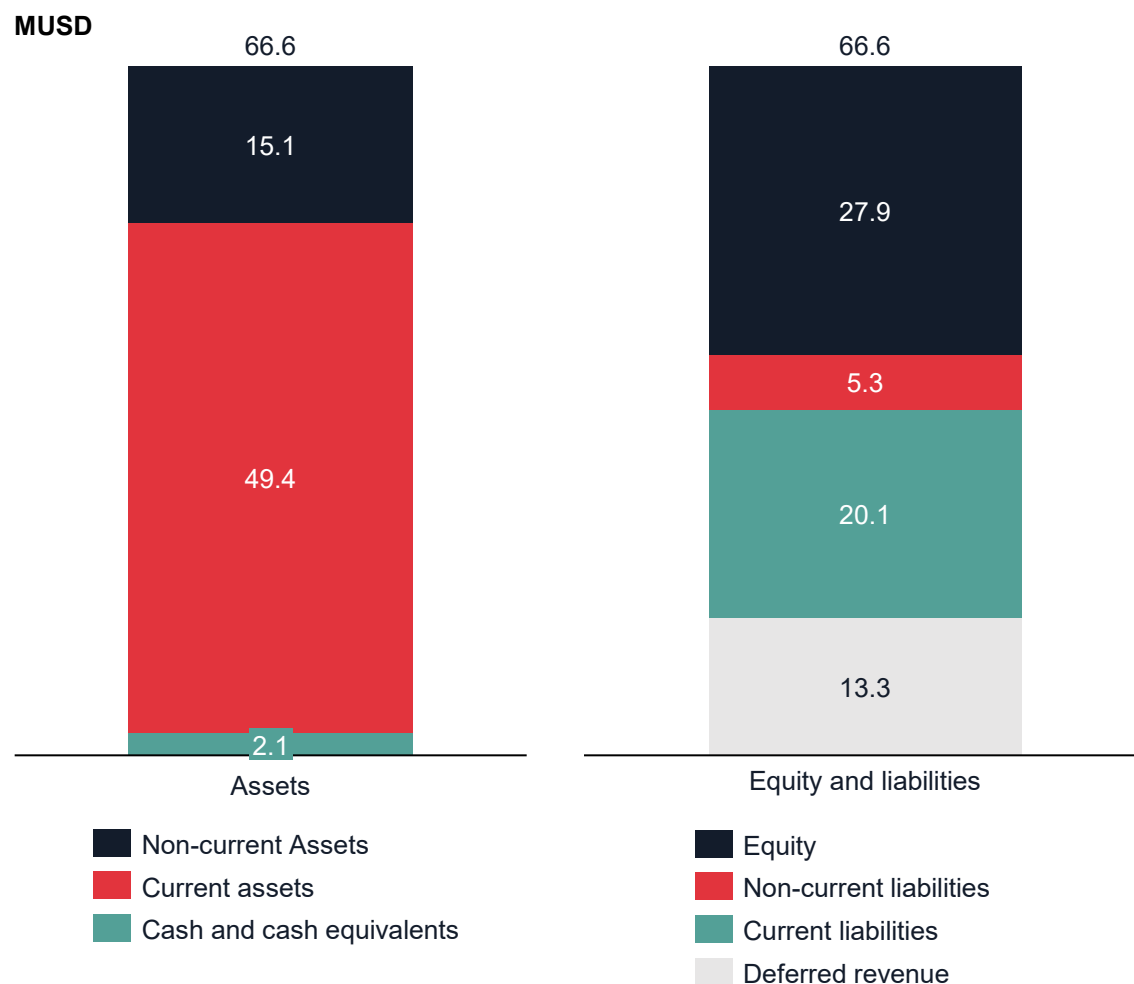


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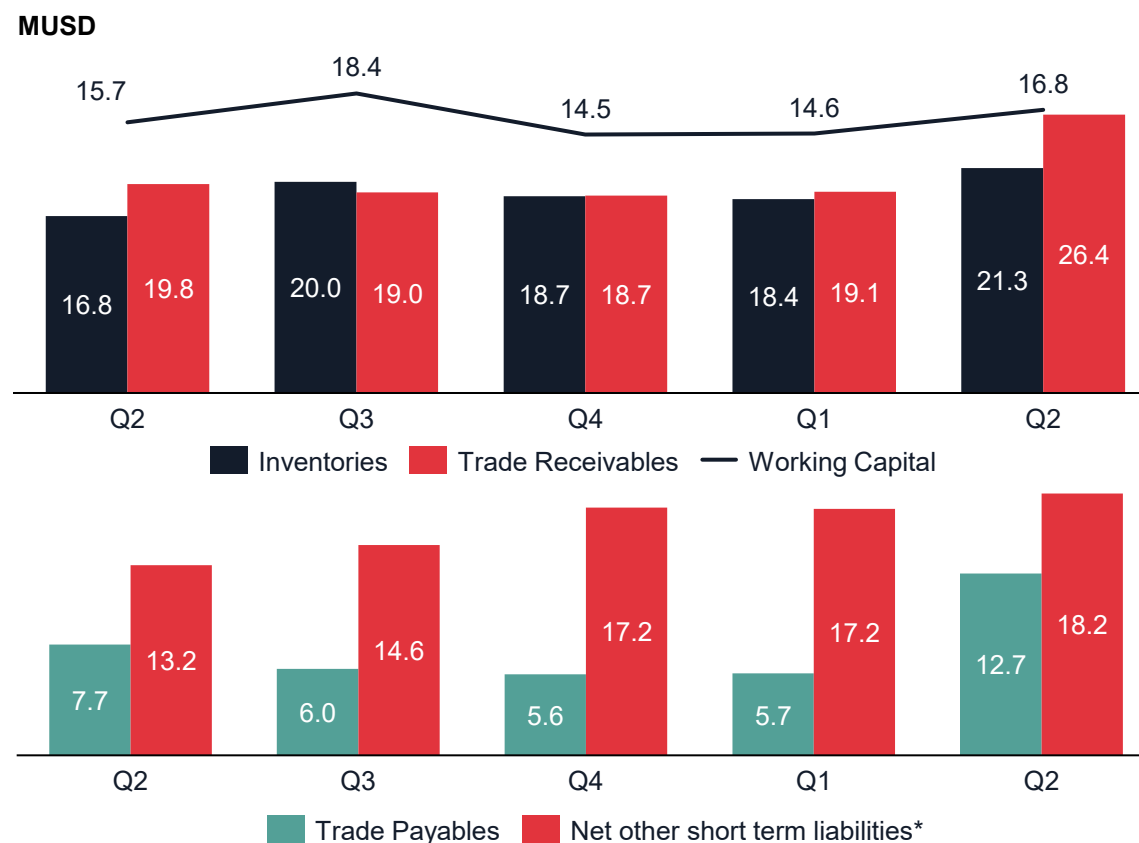
- Gross margin of 47.0% YTD and 46.1% in Q2 2026, compared with 48.6% in Q2 2025.
- Record EBITDA and EBIT, with positive operating cash flow despite a strategic inventory build-up
- Improved profitability despite continued investments to support future growth.

Strong financial position

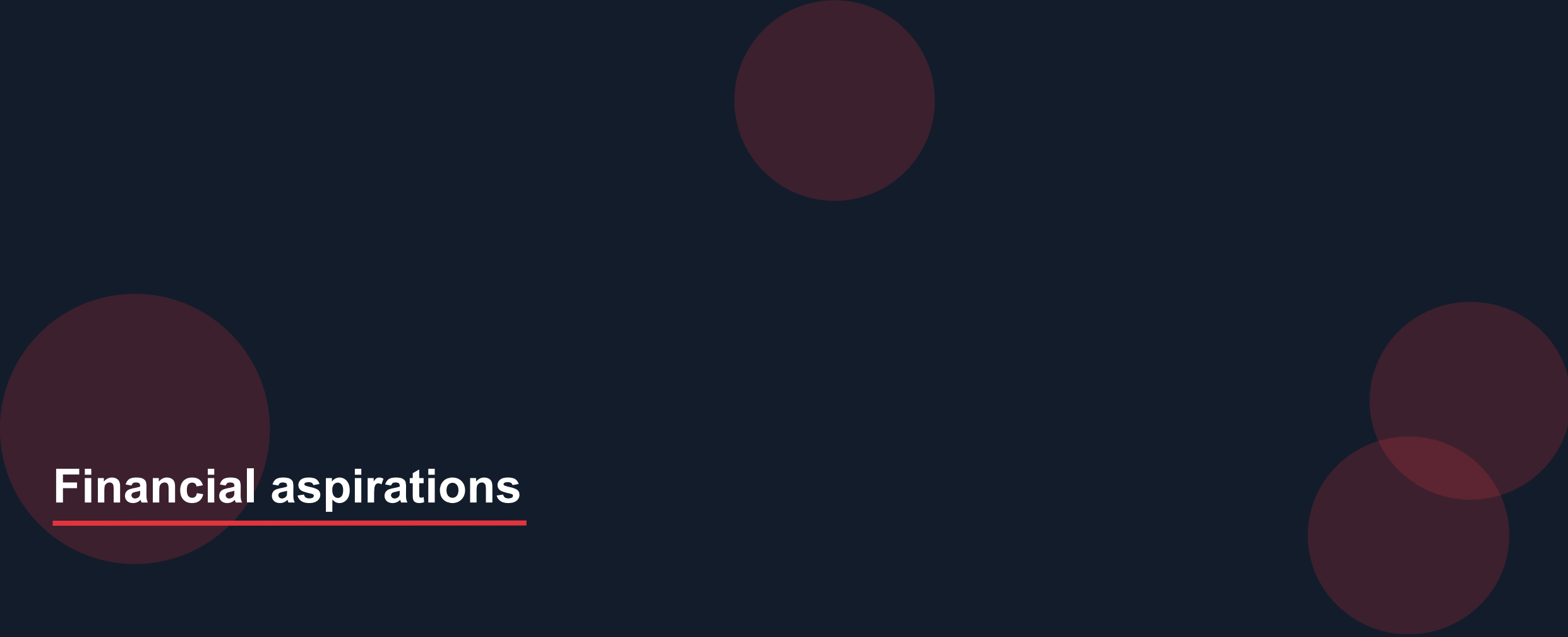
Balance sheet Jun 30, 2026



Working capital development past 5 quarters



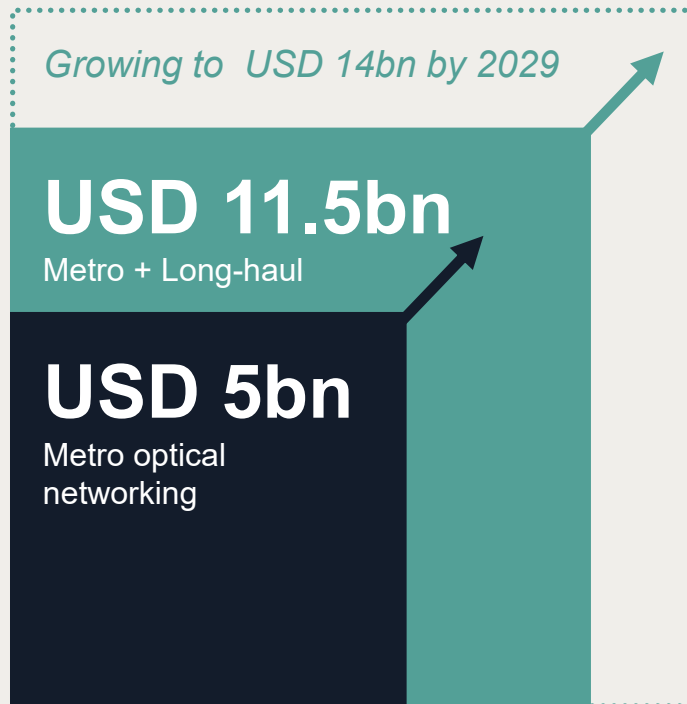
* Including deferred revenue of MUSD 13.3 (10.7)

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Financial aspirations

Targeted and disciplined product investments lead to more than a doubling of the TAM

Smartoptics addressable market*



Core investment areas



Top-three vendor in our target markets NA & EMEA, with clear financial aspirations supporting long-term value creation

STRONG TRACK RECORD, MOMENTUM AND ATTRACTIVE MARKET GROWTH



Leveraging structural tailwinds from bandwidth growth, accelerated by investments in AI training and inference



Ahead of peers in next-generation open and disaggregated optical networking, and AI-driven automation in networks



Well positioned to benefit from evolving customer requirements



Expanding into larger customers and adjacent market opportunities

THREE-PHASE ROADMAP



Invest

- AI-driven demand surge
- Optical capacity capex growth

Scale

- AI-enhanced operations
- Product and customer mix

Lead

- SW & automation transition driving customer retention and recurring revenue

MID-TERM FINANCIAL ASPIRATIONS

Revenue potential

USD 300-400m

>25% CAGR from 2026

EBIT margin

→16%

With upside potential

Profit and Loss Statement

Profit and Loss Statement Q2 2026

Amounts in USD 1 000	2026 Q2	2025 Q2	2026 YTD	2025 YTD
Total revenue and other operating income	28 862	18 672	51 775	33 027
Direct cost of sales	-15 566	-9 592	-27 445	-17 161
Employee benefit expenses	-6 661	-5 164	-13 336	-9 681
Other operating expenses	-2 168	-1 351	-3 850	-2 413
Total operating expenses	-24 394	-16 107	-44 631	-29 256
Depreciation	-643	-610	-1 306	-1 109
Amortization of intangible assets	-210	-126	-413	-244
Total depreciation and amortization	-853	-736	-1 720	-1 353
Operating profit/(loss)	3 615	1 829	5 425	2 420
Financial income	87	52	75	134
Financial expenses	-585	-69	-597	-114
Net foreign exchange gains (losses)	502	-1 187	-795	-1 691
Net Finance Items	4	-1 204	-1 317	-1 671
Profit/(loss) before income tax	3 619	625	4 108	749
Income tax	-837	-185	-1 091	-245
Profit/(loss) for the year	2 782	440	3 017	504
Shares outstanding (Basic)	98 045 519	98 045 518	98 045 518	98 045 518
Shares outstanding (Diluted)	98 045 519	98 045 518	98 045 518	98 045 518
Earnings per share (Basic) USD	0.028	0.004	0.031	0.005
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Earnings per share (Basic) NOK	0.272	0.039	0.295	0.050
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Balance Sheet

Balance Sheet Jun 30, 2026

Amounts in USD 1 000	2026 Q2	2025 Q2
Capitalized development cost	2 475	2 004
Other Intangible assets	574	691
Property, plant and equipment	3 982	3 521
Right of use assets	6 132	1 006
Deferred tax assets	1 925	1 573
Total Non Current Assets	15 088	8 795
Inventories	21 325	16 777
Trade receivable	26 396	19 824
Other current assets	1 664	1 481
Cash and cash equivalents	2 140	3 064
Total Current Assets	51 525	41 146
TOTAL ASSETS	66 613	49 941

Amounts in USD 1 000	2026 Q2	2025 Q2
Share capital	198	194
Share premium	15 006	14 752
Other paid in capital	-	-
Foreign currency translation reserves	- 129	265
Retained earnings	12 845	11 183
Total Equity	27 919	26 394
Lease liabilities (noncurrent portion)	5 268	349
Contract liabilities (noncurrent deferred revenue)	6 547	4 971
Other noncurrent liabilities	-	62
Total noncurrent liabilities	11 815	5 383
Lease liabilities (current portion)	889	718
Trade payable	12 657	7 708
Contract liabilities (deferred revenue)	6 733	5 710
Tax payable	1 999	248
Current Public duties payable	671	372
Other current liabilities	3 928	3 408
Total current liabilities	26 879	18 164
Total Liabilities	38 694	23 547
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	66 613	49 941

Cash Flow Statement

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Amounts in USD 1 000	2026 Q2	2025 Q2	2026 YTD	2025 YTD
Cash flows from operating activities				
Profit/(loss) before income tax	3 619	625	4 108	749
Adjustments for				
Taxes paid	-100	-302	-918	-977
Depreciation and amortization	853	736	1 720	1 353
Net interest expense	-9	17	16	-20
Change in inventory	-2 929	-1 895	-2 657	-4 162
Change in trade receivable	-7 325	-1 451	-7 678	41
Change in contract liabilities (deferred revenue)	-273	524	506	1 712
Change in trade payable	6 949	844	7 027	2 660
Change in other current assets and other liabilities	-16	303	892	654
Interest received	87	52	75	134
Net cash inflow from operating activities	856	-547	3 090	2 144
Net cash (outflow) from investing activities	-1 100	-512	-2 068	-1 521
Net cash inflow from financing activities	-6 829	-6 111	-7 324	-6 502
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	-7 073	-7 170	-6 302	-5 880
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of period	8 398	9 888	7 337	7 972
Effects of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	814	346	1 105	971
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of period	2 140	3 065	2 140	3 065

Thank you