Telkom SA SOC Ltd

Annual Results Presentation

For the year ended 31 March 2022

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Tough trading environment



Economic volatility

- Weak GDP growth
- Rising interest rates
- Rising energy and fuel costs
- Ongoing loadshedding

Competitive landscape

- Increased intensity in the mobile sector
- Pricing adjustments in the postpaid market
- Market consolidation

Social instability

- Looting in certain parts of the country
- Russia/Ukraine War
- High unemployment rate

Stabilising regulatory environment



Auction outcome

	Existing	Auction	Effective
3500Mhz	28Mhz	22Mhz	50Mhz
2300Mhz	60Mhz	-	60Mhz
2100Mhz	30Mhz	-	30Mhz
1800Mhz	24Mhz	-	24Mhz
800Mhz	-	20Mhz	20Mhz
700Mhz	-	-	-
Total	142Mhz	42Mhz	184Mhz

ICASA Settlement

- Licensing unassigned spectrum by 30 June 2022
- New Information Memorandum to promote competition
- New Auction to be concluded within the next financial year

Competition Tribunal Withdrawal

- ICASA agreement
 - Study secondary spectrum market
 - Develop of an adequate regulatory framework





Openserve stabilised as the business evolves to NGN



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↑52.7%	↑38.4%	16.6%	↓ 0.4%	↓ 0.3%↑	• 18.0%
Homes passed with fibre	Homes connected with fibre	Fixed broadband traffic	Revenue growth/ Revenue	EBITDA growth/ EBITDA	Capex growth/ Capex
840k	389k	1 665 petabytes	R13.4bn	R4.2bn	R3.5bn

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Swiftnet continues to commercialise its portfolio





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Mobile Revenue Growth in line with industry





BCX performance under pressure, some clawback in H2



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Financial overview

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Group financial performance





*Excludes the impact of VSP, VERP and S189 costs of R270 million and the related tax impact of R76 million in the comparative year

Revenue headwinds



Revenue headwinds offset by strong cost control



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**Total cost includes direct and operating expenses

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Focused effort remains to contain mobile direct expenses



Direct expenses Direct expenses Rbn Rm Mobile revenue 485 867 Costs to serve* / mobile 91 service revenue ratio 33.7% 27.7% 30.0% 11 084 С С С 11 20.8 19.6 4.3% 48.2% 39.1% 40.0% 5.2 (R473m) 8.3 7.3 L. FY20 FY21 FY22 FY21 Cost of handset, Payments to Sales, incentives FY22 equipment and other operators and logistical directories costs

Mobile cost efficiency ratios

Strong cost control and finance charges drive earnings growth





Earnings improvement driven by:

- Lower finance charges mainly due to lower and stable interest rates as well as the settlement of the SARS liability in the prior year.
- Favourable foreign exchange hedging position.

Continued acceleration of Fibre rollout and monetisation



Capex investments allocation



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Spectrum and capex negatively impact cash flow performance



Free cash flow (FCF) movement			
Rm	FY22	FY21	%
Cash generated from operations	9 886	14 383	(31.3)
Repayment of lease liability	(1 076)	(856)	(25.7)
Interest received	235	332	(29.2)
Finance charges paid	(1 188)	(1 291)	8.0
Taxation paid	(764)	(2 194)	65.2
Cash generated from operations before dividend paid and received	7 093	10 374	(31.6)
Spectrum acquisition	(1 142)	-	(100.0)
Cash paid for capital expenditure	(8 031)	(8 311)	3.4
Free cash flow	(2 080)	2 063	(200.8)
Free cash flow excluding spectrum*	(938)	2 063	(145.5)

Decline in Free Cash Flow driven by:

- Lower revenues
- Increase in handset sales despite R1 billion in handset financing
- Increase in handset purchases
- Settlement of Q4 FY21 capex in H1.
- Spectrum payment

Healthy balance sheet post spectrum funding

Rm	FY22	FY21	%
Cash balances	3 239	5 002	(35.2)
Interest bearing debt	11 932	10 866	(9.8)
Opening balance	10 866	12 005	9.5
Net funding raised/(repaid)	(193)	(1 132)	(83.0)
Spectrum funding	1 150	-	(100.0)
Other	109	7	(1 457.1)
Lease liabilities	5 374	4 972	(8.1)
Opening balance	4 972	4 775	(4.1)
IFRS16 lease liability raised	402	197	(104.1)
Net debt*	14 067	10 836	(29.6)
Net debt/EBITDA times	1.2	0.9	(0.3)
Net debt/EBITDA times excluding spectrum funding	1.1	0.9	(0.2)
Average cost of debt (%)	6.5	6.2	(0.3)

46% FY20 54% 50% FY21 50% 53% FY22 47% Fixed Floating



* Net debt increase is mainly attributable to the decrease in cash balances and refinancing of R1 150 million relating to spectrum

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Capital allocation prioritises growth



Ø O	Sources of Capital	 Operational cashflow Debt issuance - adequate debt capacity Value unlock proceeds Opportunistic property disposal 			
Ŕ	Uses of Capital	 Prioritise growth to ensure sustainability of the business Hurdle for organic growth: WACC + 2-3% 	\rightarrow	Optimal Performance	Total Shareholder Returns
	Shareholder returns	 Remains a key component Dividend policy at the end of FY23 			

Spectrum took priority in line with capital allocation framework

Financial framework to drive sustainable growth



• Includes spectrum but excludes corporate action

• Base year FY2022



Group PIVOT strategy





Strategic imperatives to enhance value





adjacent opportunities

 Adjacent businesses allow us to access new sources

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Partnerships are critical to enable the Telkom Group strategy



Partnership objectives		Role of partnerships in driving Strategic themes				
	Access to O capabilities	Expanding & strengthening value proposition	 Access to new product & service offerings: Cloud and cybersecurity services 5G and IoT use cases New offerings in Content, FinTech, EdTech, MedTech 			
1		Driving digitisation/ modernizing tech stack	 Partnerships provide insights and access to different technologies and digital platforms 			
	Growth	Enabling advanced capabilities	 Access to new network capabilities e.g., private networks, Hyperscaler powered networks Access to new cloud / IT capabilities 			
Т	Scale	Efficiencies	 Opportunities to augment & drive network & infrastructure efficiencies Procurement efficiencies 			
1		Market expansion	Go to market capabilities e.g., channels, salesforce, bundling			

Our ESG strategy

ESG Vision	Кеу	y Focus Areas	ESG Commitments
Me deliver	E	Operational Efficiencies	 Become Carbon Neutral by 2035 Achieve Net Zero by 2040
We deliver the Future of	Environ- ment	Digital Planet	 Enable responsible water consumption and energy usage by deploying utilities monitoring IoT devices for our business and government customers
Converged ICT solutions to create	c	Investing with Purpose	 Impact 100,000 lives through SMME spend by 2025 Impact 30 000 lives through digital literacy by 2023 Grow our female talent pool for senior management positions and demonstrate intent-to-action
sustainable economic,	S Social	Digital Services	 Bridge the digital divide through our educational, entertainment and financial services platforms Grow SA's business segment by providing our digital solutions to businesses and government
environmental and social	mental	Empowered Communities	 Improve digital inclusion for South Africans by providing internet access over Telkom's wide-spread mobile and fixed wireless broadband network
value for <i>all</i>	Governance	Business Stewardship	 Promote fair and ethical practices towards our customers and within the organisation Enhance contract simplification and billing transparency



Demonstrating our ESG commitment

Key Focus Areas			What we've been f	ocused on	
E Environ- ment	Operational Efficiencies Digital Planet	SBTi Set science based targets and pathway to Net Zero 	E-waste ~2000 tonnes recycled 	Water Consumption down 5% y.o.y. 	Buildings Optimised HVAC roll-out underway
S Social	Investing with Purpose Digital Services Empowered Communities	 ICT solutions New products: eMarketPlace for SMBs insurance policies payment solutions 60% ↑ y.o.y. in fixed broadband connections Homes passed up 52.7% 	 Skills ~2000 participants in FTTX and FTTH prog. 103 graduates in Advanced Management Leadership prog. Awarded ~200 bursaries in digital and data science fields 	Employees Dedicated learning platform >3000 modules 10% participants in FLDP were promoted Largest y.o.y. improvement in Net Sentiment**	CSI • Futuremakers: supported 2 500 enterprises, creating 27 000* jobs since 2015 • Township Innovation: ~50 local businesses • Telkom Foundation: psychosocial support for ~650 000 people
Governance	Business Stewardship	Data security Retained ISO/IEC 27001:2013 certification 	Health & Safety LTIFR improved by 50% to 0.07 	Covid-19 • Vaccination drive in partnership with DisChem	Hybrid model • Telkom grant for employees who are telecommuters

* Indirect and direct jobs

**Reputational and Operational Net Sentiment relative to other local wireless network providers

BU strategic focus areas

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- Accelerate mobile growth
- Drive high-speed fibre broadband adoption
- Expand the network
- Drive E-commerce and Fintech



- Converged
 Communication
- Cloud platform services
- Digital platform services

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• Modernise the network

- Commercialise the network
- Transform service
 delivery

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• Increase tenancy on existing portfolio

- Acquire strategic sites and build new towers in line with MNO demand
- Expand range of products and services offering

• Optimise utilization on existing Data Centre

Gyro

 Real Estate Portfolio segmentation and development of viable projects with prospective investment prospective



InfraCo, present significant value unlock opportunities

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	5 960	Full portfolio of towers	~ 2.5mill	Premises covered by Fibre ready Nodes		10	Data Centres Carrier Neutral	
ets	3 916	Productive Portfolio	839 691	Fibre to the home		3 out of 4	Certified Tier 4 data centres in SA	
Tower assets	→ 2675	Growth Towers: 1 or less tenants	46.3%	Connectivity Rate		Size	~11 MW IT ~ 6500m ²	
Tov	→ 1 241	Mature Towers: 2 or more tenants	NOC	World Class Managed Services Operation Centre		78%	Occupancy rate	
	42%	Anchor tenancy (Mobile and Openserve)	Тор 3	Undersea landing stations in South Africa				

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Rationale for strategic options



Value unlock



- Affirm valuation of Swiftnet and Group
- Potential sale proceeds to reinvest in the business
- Enhance EV/EBITDA and/or PE ratio

Scale & capabilities

- Be part of a bigger M&T portfolio
- Opportunity to access markets outside South Africa
- Opportunity to tap into operational synergies and more advanced expertise/capabilities



- Increase in tenancy and sustainable revenue
- Spectrum and 5G present new growth opportunities
- Increased financial contribution to Group

BCX Strategic Equity Partner (SEP)



Attributes

- similar aspirations to and alignment to BCX future growth strategy
- a comprehensive and complementary product portfolio and solutions
- a presence in industries in which BCX has ambitions to grow
- a significant geographical presence or ambitions to enter new markets where BCX has a solid footing



- System integrator with capabilities mainly in digital solutions
 - IOT, data analytics and automation
 - Cloud Consulting

Key strategic priorities



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Annexure Detailed BU performance

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Telkom *Consumer*

10.5% growth in mobile subscribers 42.4% increase in 4.5G integrated sites

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Solid performance against strong prior year





Monetisation of broadband traffic




Ongoing network investment





2.6% decline in Revenue to R15.3 bn1.9% decline in Operating expenses to R 13.1 bn

Exception growth in Cybersecurity, IoT Solutions, Innovation and Technology

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Financial performance under pressure





Converged comms nearing stabilisation





IT remains under pressure







46.3% FTTH connectivity rate

16.6% growth Fixed line broadband data consumption

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Stable financial performance





¹ Segment lead approach

Fixed broadband evolution





Accelerated investment in fibre





¹ Since FY2021 Homes Connected measure as per the FCGA Definition of Terms

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4.4% Revenue growth (at 70.4% EBITDA margin)

5.9% Increase in productive portfolio

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Commercialised productive portfolio





Notes:

- 1: Net decommissioned comprising of: -591 sites Decommissioned; +83 additional sites through additional database clean-up/adjustments
- 2: 243 New Towers includes 74 towers completed in FY21 and 169 towers started and completed in FY22. FY21 previously not included as they were awaiting power.

Productive portfolio growth

(# of sites)



Notes:

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Strong earnings performance





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Highly cash generative and lowly geared balance sheet



