

# **ADP**

Overview and Strategy | Governance and ESG

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### We are the Pioneer and Global Leader of HCM

#### **Company Overview**

- Leader in Human Capital Management software and solutions
- 1M+ Clients | 140 Countries | 60,000+ Global ADP Associates
- Deliver payroll for over 41 million workers globally
  - 25M+ in the US (1 in 6 US workers); 15M+ outside the US
  - Moved \$3.1 trillion of US payroll and taxes on behalf of our clients and their employees in FY23
- Category leader in most of the markets in which we participate

| Financial Overview               |         |  |                   |  |  |  |
|----------------------------------|---------|--|-------------------|--|--|--|
| FY23 Revenue                     | \$18.0B | FY23 Adjusted EBIT <sup>1</sup>              | \$4.5B            |  |  |  |
| FY23 Client Revenue<br>Retention | 92.2%   | S&P Rating<br>Moody's Rating<br>Fitch Rating | AA-<br>Aa3<br>AA- |  |  |  |
| January 31, 2024<br>Market Cap   | \$101B  | Years of Consecutive<br>Dividend Increases   | 49                |  |  |  |





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<sup>2.</sup> Human Resource Outsourcing (HRO), Professional Employer Organization (PEO)

# Our Industry is Attractive

Our Market is Big

\$150B

Total addressable market

Payroll | Workforce Management | HR | Benefits Talent | HR Outsourcing | Analytics | Payments

Our Market is Growing

5-6%

Expected market growth in FY22 and beyond



# Our Market is Constantly Changing, and Change is Good

# **PRODUCT**

### Work

Global | Distributed | Dynamic | Legal

### Pay

Flexible | Early Wage Access | Card

#### HR

Employee-centric | AI/ML

#### Tech

Platform + App | Public Cloud | Consumer Grade

# PURCHASE

### **Pricing**

Transparent | Consumer-like

### **Decision Making**

More Research | Consultative Sales

### **Purchase Process**

Live | Digital | Omni

### **SERVICE**

### **Self-Service**

Guided | Intuitive | Al-assisted

### Channels

Text | Chat | Email | App

### **Expertise**

Business Outcomes | "Be-the-Expert"

# Our Portfolio is Strong and Diversified

# Our HCM Portfolio FY21 Revenue (\$15B total):

**\$2.5B** Small Business

\$2.4B Major Accounts

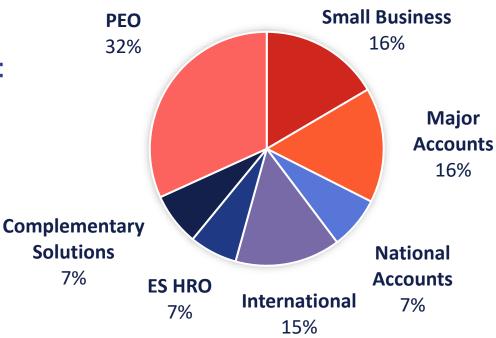
\$1.1B National Accounts

\$2.2B International

**\$1.0B** ES HRO

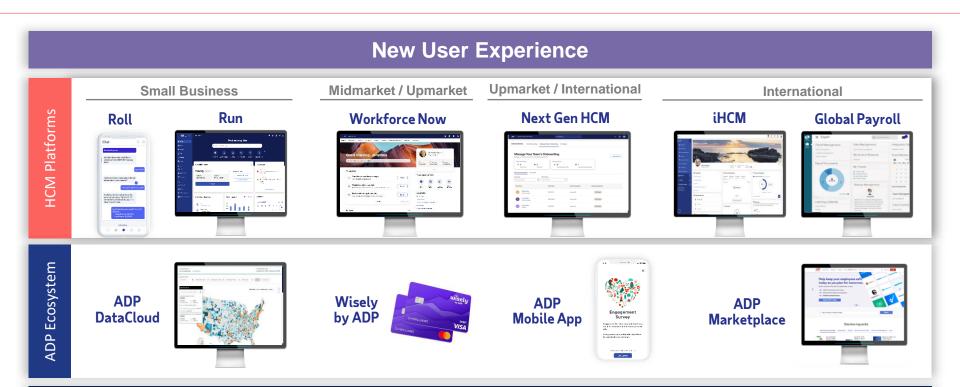
**\$1.1B** Complementary Solutions

\$4.8B PEO





# We are Innovating Across our Product Portfolio



### Digital Service and Implementation

# Distribution: Our Market Leadership Drives Scale Benefits

\$2B+
in worldwide new
business bookings

8.5K+
sellers, all
virtually enabled

170K+
new logos
sold annually

140 countries with sales coverage

50%+
of new logos sold
through partnership

800+
Marketplace apps
globally

# Service: We are Becoming More Digitally Enabled

A modern client and associate experience for satisfaction, speed and efficiency

#### Efficient onboarding



Digital tools that automate implementation processes

Early results

36%+

Run clients self-onboarding

#### Intuitive client self-service



Empowering clients to view data and complete tasks easily in-product

Early results

20%+

Reduction in service contacts per client last 5 years

#### Digital support



Automated or interactive, real-time digital support for faster resolution

Early results

34%+

Service requests supported digitally with ~20% fully contained

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# We Have Strengthened our Foundation in Several Key Ways

25%+

Increase in revenue per FTE

**↑30 pt** 

Average relationship NPS

8 Years

of consecutive Top HR Product Awards at HR Tech 20%+

Decrease in contacts per client

**↑40 pt** 

Average implementation NPS

40%+

Increase in total client count

92.2%

Record level retention in ES Segment in FY23

**50** bps

Average annual ES margin expansion, overcoming pressure related to Covid-19 and lower client funds interest

# We Take a Disciplined Approach to Capital Allocation

Organic reinvestment to drive both revenue and margins

**M&A** that meet our strategic goals

Return cash to shareholders balancing dividends and repurchases

- **Product:** \$1.2B invested in Systems Development & Programming in FY23
- **Go-To-Market:** Sales headcount, marketing, and channel partnerships
- Service: Digital transformation and Al
- Thoughtful and disciplined M&A approach; focus on transactions with high strategic value balanced against desire for simplification within ADP
- In FY18 invested ~\$615M to acquire Global Cash Card and WorkMarket; in FY19 invested ~\$120M to acquire Celergo
- Target dividend payout ratio is 55-60%
- 49 years of consecutive dividend increases
- Long-standing share repurchase program to return excess cash, averaging ~1% share count reduction per year over the past 10 years
- \$1B incremental debt issued in May 2021 to further supplement repurchases

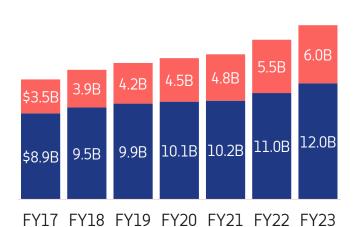
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### We Have Delivered Steady Revenue Growth

#### A history of consistent revenue growth...



■ Employer Services Segment



### ...including growing through headwinds related to COVID-19

|                   | 10-Year<br>CAGR <sup>1</sup><br>through<br>FY19 | FY20 | FY21 | FY22 | FY23 |
|-------------------|---|------|------|------|------|
| ES<br>Segment     | 5%  | 1%   | 1%   | 8%   | 10%  |
| PEO<br>Segment    | 14%   | 8%   | 7%   | 15%  | 8%   |
| Total ES<br>& PEO | 7%  | 3%   | 3%   | 10%  | 9%   |



<sup>1.</sup> Calculated using geometric average of annual growth rates to account for FY19 change in segment reporting

# We Issued Medium-Term Targets at our 2021 Investor Day

7 to 8%

**Revenue Growth** 

Organic Constant Currency; About 6% ES and 10 to 12% PEO Segment Growth

11 to 13%

Adjusted EPS Growth

Assuming 1% annual net share count reduction

**10 to 12%** 

**Adjusted EBIT Growth** 

Supported by approximately 75bps annual Adj. EBIT Margin expansion

13 to 15%

**Total Shareholder Return** 

Assuming 2% dividend yield

These objectives assume no significant impact from change in corporate tax rates, change in yield curve, M&A, or change in ADP multiple Targets announced at our November 15, 2021 Investor Day. This is not a reaffirmation of that outlook.





# Governance and ESG



# We Remain Focused on Being a Leader in ESG

# **Environment**

- Commitment to Net-Zero GHG Emissions by 2050
- Reducing Scope 1 & 2 GHG emissions 25.2% by 2025 and 50% by 2030
- Issued December 2023 GHG Update
- Executive compensation linked to environmental objectives

# ္ကို Social

- Commitment to an inclusive workplace
- Always Designing for People – all people
- Key HCM solutions also support financial wellness



Governance

- Refreshed board with diversity in experience and background
- Strong scores across ESG rating agencies



### Governance: Committed to Shareholder Engagement

We are committed to proactively engaging with shareholders; our Board is highly attuned to shareholder feedback, including governance & compensation best practices

#### Monitoring & Assessment

- Board and management review:
  - ✓ Annual meeting voting results
  - ✓ Investor feedback from IR & governance engagement
  - ✓ Trends and best practices across the governance, executive compensation, regulatory, and environmental & social landscape
- This review allows ADP to identify and prioritize topics for discussion



#### Outreach & Engagement

- ADP regularly meets with shareholders to actively gather feedback on a range of issues
- Fiscal Year 2023: We invited shareholders representing nearly half of our shares outstanding to discuss our strategy, corporate governance and executive compensation programs, and held meetings with shareholders representing over 30% of our shares outstanding





#### **Evaluation & Response**

- ✓ Board of Directors & key committees evaluate and discuss feedback from stockholders and key stakeholders
- ✓ ADP enhances disclosure and practices, as appropriate
- ✓ ADP updates governance practices and documents to align with best practices, and incorporates feedback, as appropriate

### Governance: Responsive to Shareholder Feedback

#### **Topics of Discussion**

#### Board & Governance

- Board composition, self-assessment, and refreshment process
- Governance practices and oversight structures (proxy access proactively adopted in Aug 2016)

#### Executive Compensation

- Compensation program and practices, including ADP's increase in focus on performance-based awards in LTI
- Performance metric selection and weighting, pay mix. and peer group selection

Enterprise risk management structure and how the

Board oversees the risk assessment process

#### Risk **Management**

Corporate Social Sustainability efforts and the underlying economic rationale for our ESG initiatives

### Responsibility

#### **ADP Actions Taken**

- Ongoing Board Refreshment: New Board members joined in May 2019, April 2020, November 2020 and February 2022; Committee chair and membership rotations (most recently in January 2024 and previously in 2018, 2019, 2020 and 2022)
- Reduced the % of the voting power of the company's outstanding shares required to call of special meeting of shareholders from 33% to 25% (August 2020)
- ✓ New FY'23 LTI design for executives, increasing focus on performance-based awards
- Compensation peer group refinements for FY'24, FY'22 and FY'18
- Amended the charter of our newly re-named compensation and management development committee to formalize its existing practice to review HCM matters such as workplace culture, engagement and diversity and inclusion (April 2021)
- Ongoing enhanced risk management disclosures in proxy statement including in the areas of cyber, privacy and HCM
- Issued fourth CSR report in March 2022 (aligned to SASB and GRI; includes EEO-1 disclosure)
- Pledged to achieve net zero greenhouse gas emissions by 2050; Introduced an environmental footprint objective into annual executive bonus plan starting with FY'22 (September 2021) and issued short- and medium-term Scope 1 and 2 GHG targets (August 2022)
- Announced enhanced financial disclosures at 2018 Investor Day, which began FY'19

### Governance: Leading with Best Practices

# ADP is committed to shareholder-friendly corporate governance practices that help to drive long-term value creation

- Proxy access right at 3% / 3 year ownership threshold (adopted August 2016)
- ✓ Independent, Non-Executive Board Chair
- Majority voting standard
- ✓ Shareholder ability to call special meetings
- ✓ Shareholder right to act by written consent
- ✓ No dual-class stock; one share, one vote
- ✓ No poison pill
- Active shareholder engagement to better understand investor perspective

- ✓ Annually elected Board; directors may be removed without cause
- ✓ Annual succession planning review
- ✓ Significant Board role in strategy and risk oversight
- ✓ Non-employee director pay limits and stock ownership requirements
- Annual Board assessment of corporate governance best practices
- Oversight of executive compensation by the Compensation Committee
- Executive sessions of independent directors held regularly

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### Governance: Best-in-Class Board With Balanced Skill Set

#### **Deliberate Board Composition**

#### Commitment to both continuity and fresh perspectives

- 4 of our 10 independent Directors have a tenure of 5 years or less<sup>1</sup>
- Average independent Director tenure of 6.6 years<sup>1</sup>, compared to an S&P 500 average of 7.8 years
- 42% (5 of 12) women; 25% (3 of 12) racially diverse

#### Director succession planning

- Conducted in the context of a skill set review
- Skill set used to identify and recruit Directors

#### The right set of skills and experience to set ADP's corporate strategy

- 8 of 10 independent Directors are current or former C-Suite of major public companies
- Leaders with significant technology experience (Peter Bisson, David Goeckeler, Linnie Haynesworth, Fran Katsoudas, Nazzic Keene, Tom Lynch, Bill Ready)

#### Independent mindset and focus on accountability to shareholders

- 10 of 12 Directors are independent
- All Board Committees are composed of independent Directors
- Committed to formal shareholder engagement program
- Ongoing board refreshment

#### Skill Set Aligns and Evolves With Corporate Strategy





Source: Spencer Stuart Board Index 2023

<sup>1.</sup> As of November 2023 (10 independent directors; 2 management directors)

<sup>2.</sup> Skill set matrix as of November 2023 (12 Directors)

### Compensation: Rigorous Approach

### Five Guiding Principles

- Emphasize variable, performance-based compensation to ensure that pay and performance are closely aligned
- Rigorous metric selection and goal-setting process to support ADP's financial, transformation, client satisfaction and ESG objectives
- Pay competitively to attract and retain executives critical to our long-term success
- Commitment to high standards of corporate governance and best practices
- Thoughtful design to minimize excessive risk-taking and to ensure high integrity

### Compensation Governance Ensures Alignment with Principles

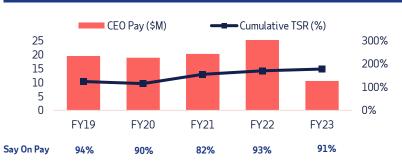
- Robust Clawback Policy applicable to cash and equity incentives
- Stock Ownership Guidelines for CEO (6x) & NEOs (3x)
- No option repricing
- Target pay levels generally benchmarked to median, with variation based on tenure and experience
- Regular peer group analysis (peer group refined for FY'24, FY'22 and FY'18 to enhance alignment with ADP strategy)
- Double-trigger change-in-control severance and equity vesting provisions
- Limited perquisites
- Anti-Hedging and Pledging Policy
- No tax-gross ups
- No dividends on unearned performance stock

# Compensation: Pay Closely Aligned to Performance

#### Balanced, Performance-Based Compensation Policy

- Designed to incentivize sustainable value creation
  - Thoughtful design to encourage strategic transformation while mitigating excessive risktaking
  - Approved by independent compensation committee using independent compensation consultant
  - CEO compensation was below Proxy Peer Median for FY19, near the median for FY20-FY21, slightly above the median for FY22 and below the median for FY23
  - Robust clawback policy allows for cash and stock recovery
- Emphasizes equity-based compensation to foster commonality of interest between management and shareholders

#### Strong Performance Alignment & Shareholder Support



Sources: Institutional Shareholder Services 2023 Report on ADP; ADP 2023 Proxy Statement.

#### Transformation, Client Satisfaction and ESG Objectives

- Transformation, Client Satisfaction and ESG objectives represent 20%, 10% and 10%, respectively, of the short-term incentive compensation for our executive officers
- Important leading indicators of our transformation, creation of long-term value and future success
- These objectives are measurable and pay out formulaically



#### Significant Pay at Risk



### Enterprise Risk Management

Board and key committees maintain disciplined risk assessment process to effectively pursue strategic goals



#### Compensation and Management Development Committee

 2 Operational (Talent Management)

#### **Audit Committee**

- 2 Operational
- 3 Digital & Technology
- 4 Financial
- 5 Legal & Compliance

#### Board

- 1 Strategic
- 2 Components of Operational
- 3 Components of Digital & Technology
- 4 Components of Financial
- 5 Components of Legal & Compliance

#### **Nominating Committee**

- 1 Strategic (Components of ESG)
- 5 Legal & Compliance (Corporate Governance)

### Corporate Social Responsibility Report

### Most Recent CSR Report Issued March 2022



- ✓ Commitment to Strong Governance, Ethics, and Compliance
- ✓ Associate Inclusion, Engagement and Wellness
- ✓ Client Betterment Through Innovation
- ✓ Community Engagement and Volunteer Involvement
- ✓ Environmental Sustainability