

Straker Ltd (STG): FY 25 Presentation

"To harness the power of human insight and artificial intelligence to drive unparalleled productivity."

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Our Management Objectives for the last 12 months

Strategic priorities to drive sustainable growth and innovation

1 Maintain Strong Balance Sheet

Ensure financial stability and flexibility to support ongoing operations and strategic initiatives

Invest in Al-Focused R&D

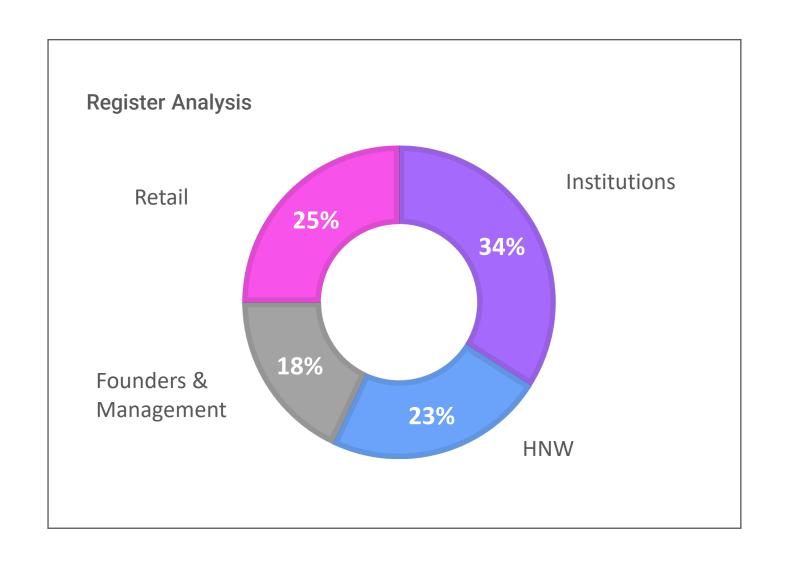
Accelerate development of proprietary AI technologies to maintain competitive advantage in the evolving market landscape

Develop New Market
Opportunities

Explore and establish new channels to market with recurring revenue streams and high customer retention

Solid Financial Base





\$44.9M

Revenue

FY25 Guidance \$43-45m

\$12.9M

Cash in bank

Strong liquidity position

Nil

Debt

Low leverage ratio

67.0%

Gross Margin

\$4.8M

Adj. EBITDA

\$3.4M

Operating Cash Flow

EV/EBITDA: 5.7*

\$7.6M

R&D Investment

Annual investment in R&D

^{*}Based on a share price of AU\$0.56 (15 May 2025) converted at an exchange rate of NZD/AUD 0.92

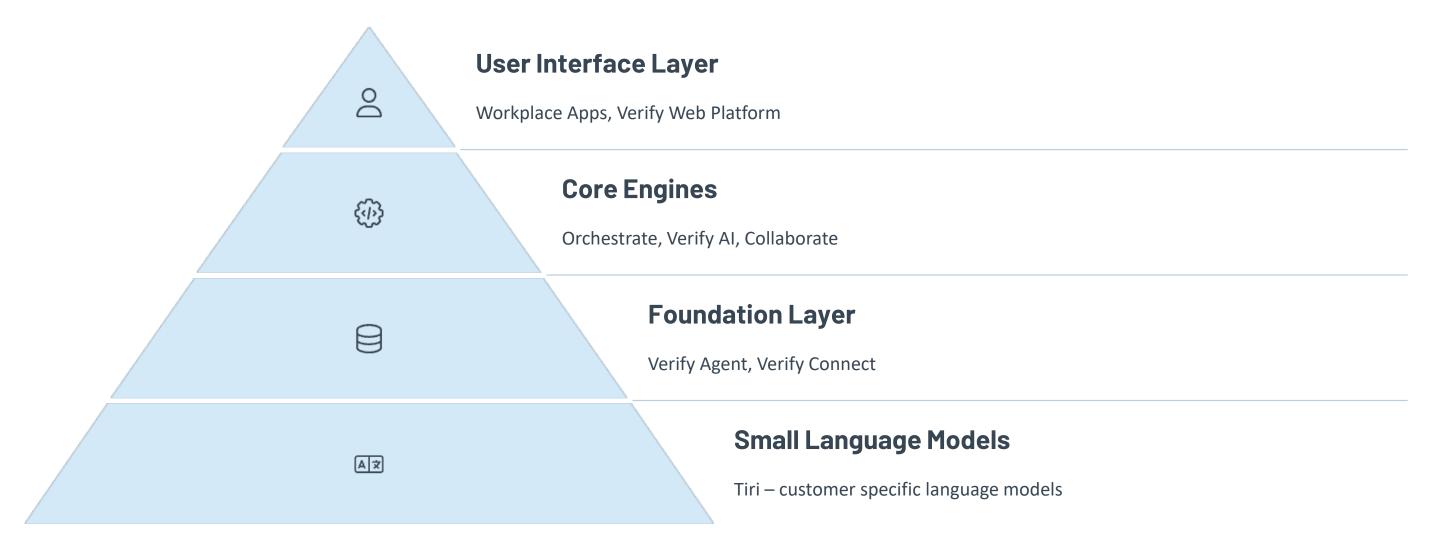
Strategic Objectives



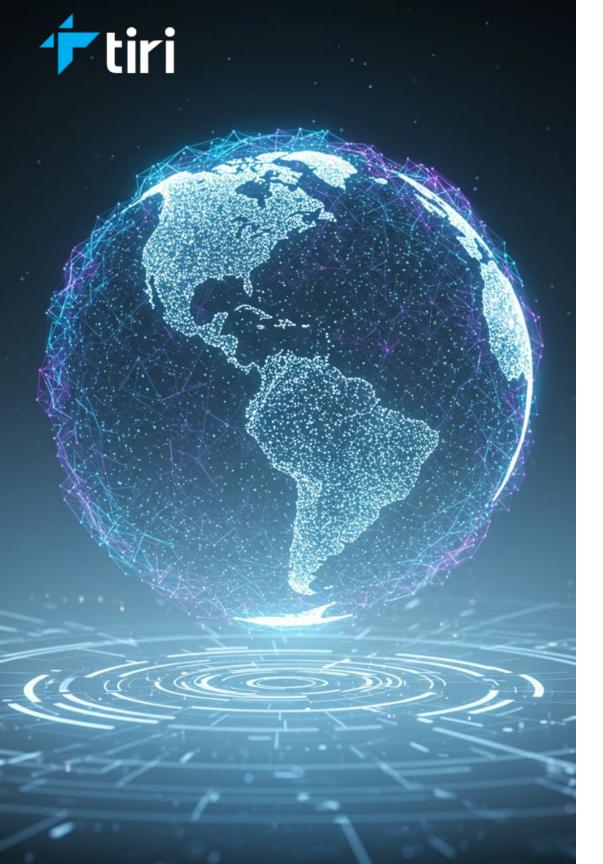
1. Al Innovation

R&D: Revolutionary Language Technology Platform

Innovation focused on an integrated AI translation stack to provide a complete solution from content ingestion to delivery.



A comprehensive stack that transforms content across platforms, languages, and workflows while maintaining quality and efficiency.



Tiri: Outperforming Large Language Models in Specific Applications

Development of Tiri

Straker's proprietary small language model engineered for specific language pairs and vertical domains.

Superior Performance

Better accuracy and efficiency compared to general-purpose large language models in targeted contexts.

Language-Specific Use Cases

Excels in specialized translations like Japanese to English financial documents.

Efficiency and Cost-Effectiveness

Smaller, focused model offers advantages in computational resources and speed.



VERIFY AI: Revolutionising Translation Efficiency

AI Translation

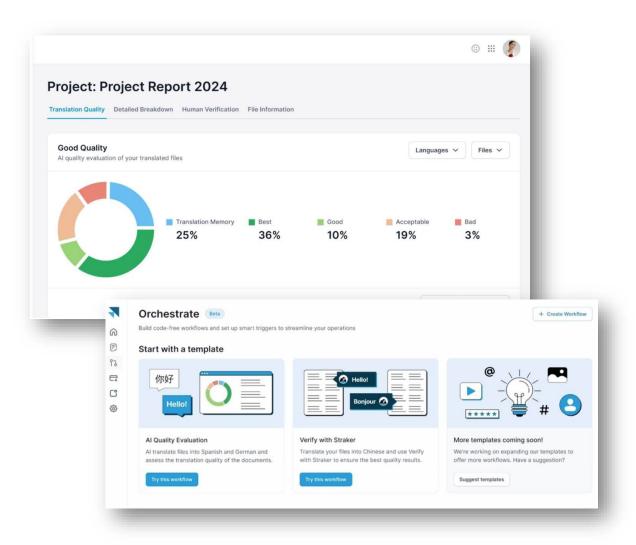
Tiri Al-powered translation
Post Al Quality Estimation

Human Verification

Translators focus on verification only

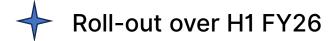
Business Impact

Higher margins, faster turnaround, lower cost for customers



SwiftBridge AI: Solving the complex problem of translating Japanese financial data using custom AI models

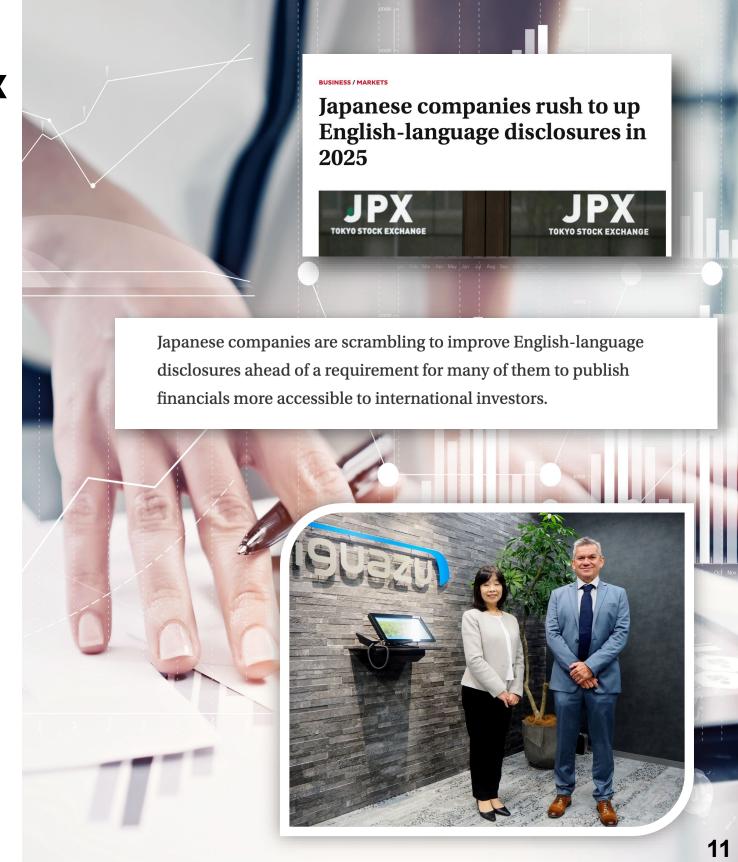


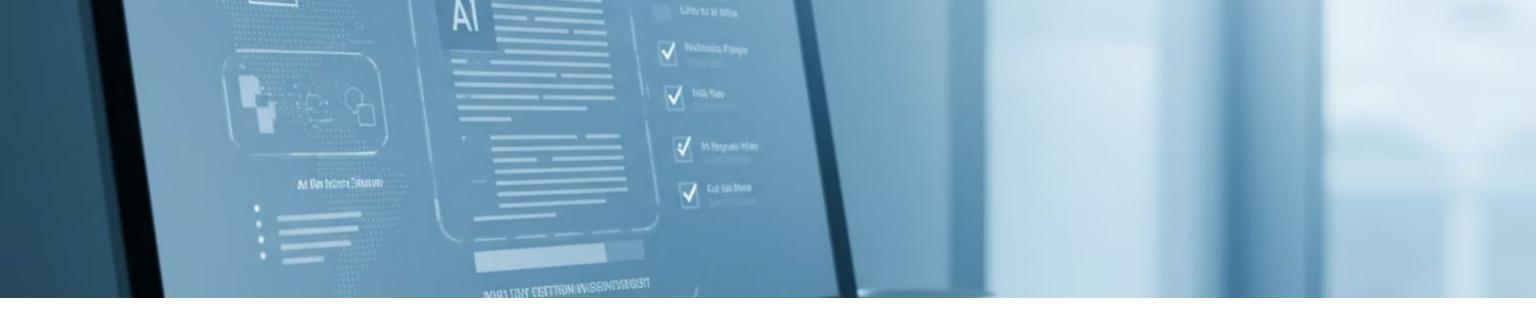


→ Built in partnership with IBM

Major technology distribution partner (Iguazu) signed with a 60 strong sales team active







The Journey to Al-Powered Language Leadership



2011-2022

Post-edit Translation and Automation

Present: Al Verify Translation

Al and human-in-the-loop Verification for Translation with Al Agent automation **Future: Al Verify anything**

Al and human-in-the-loop Verification
Across Multiple Industries with
Al Agent automation

Al Verification Across Multiple Industries (Future)

Industry	Al Verification Application	Market Potential
Healthcare	Medical content accuracy verification	High
Legal	Legal document Al verification	Very High
E-commerce	Product description verification	Medium
Media	Al-generated content verification	High
Education	Educational material verification	Medium





2. Grow Global Distribution Base

Al Innovator with Global Reach

Strategic Reach

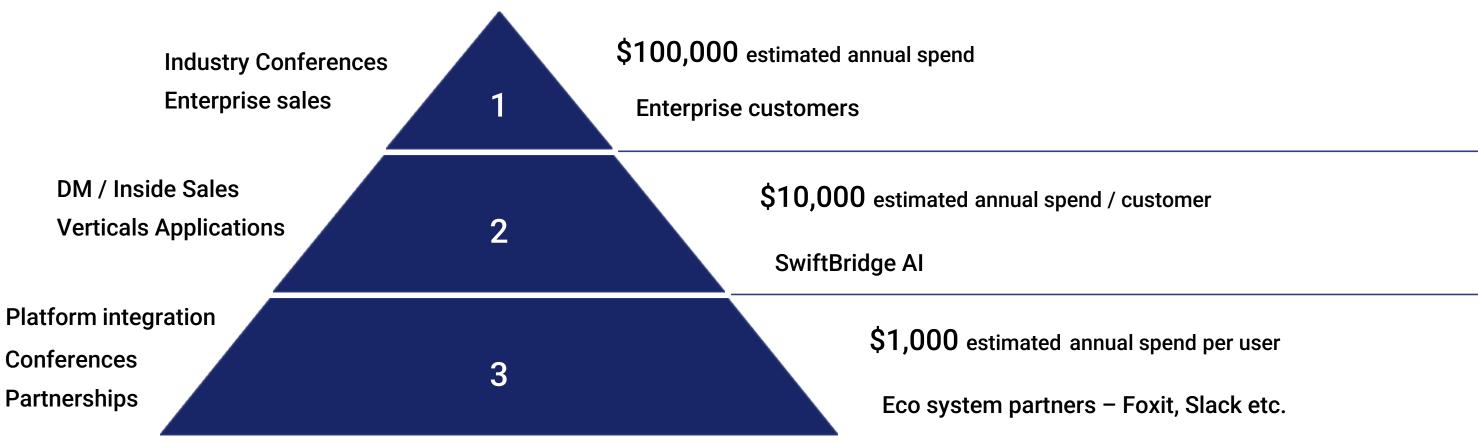
170 staff, 10 countries, channel and technology partnerships with IBM, Salesforce, Microsoft





Strategic Customer Acquisition for Scalable Growth

Our pathway to AI revenue Growth



Ecosystem Integration Opportunity

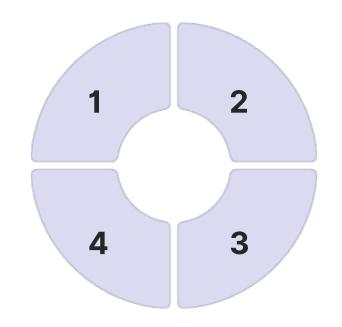
As hundreds of platforms integrate Al translation as a premium service, a significant premium + verification opportunity emerges.

Platform Integration

Hundreds of platforms now offering LLM translation as a premium service

Customer Expansion

Reach new markets through integration partnerships



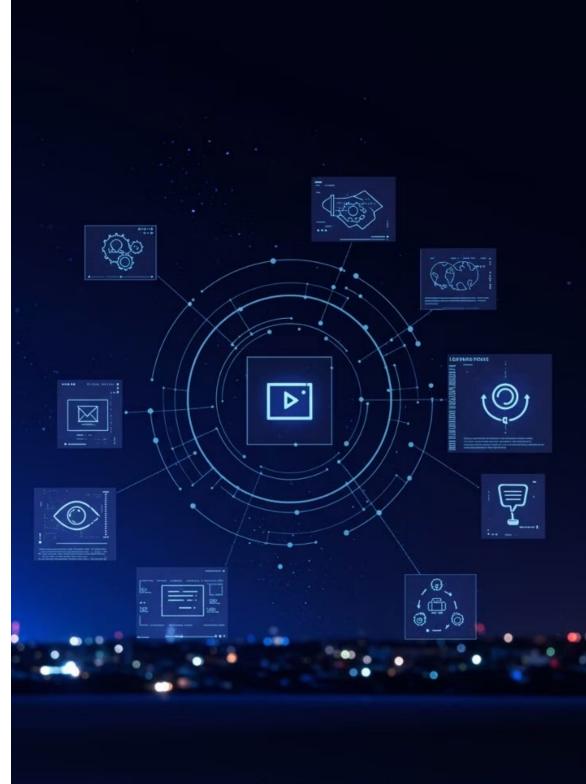
VERIFY AI Layer

Our solution serves as the next-tier premium verification service

New GTM Channels

Scalable ecosystem model creates recurring revenue streams

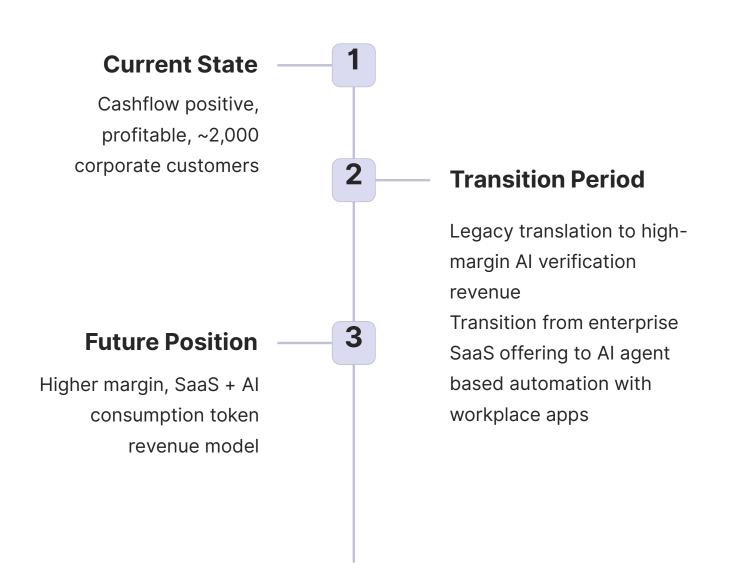
Each integration creates a potential revenue stream while expanding our market reach without proportional customer acquisition costs.

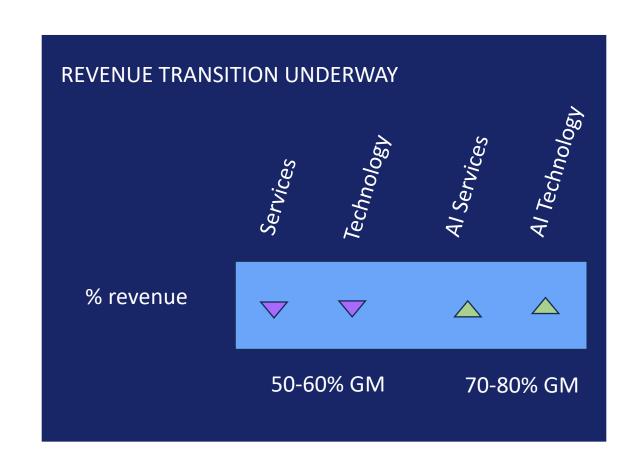


3. Transitioning to Al



Profitable Growth & Al-Driven Margin Expansion





Financial Results



DAVID INGRAM Chief Financial Officer



Financial Performance

	2025	2024	Char	nge
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	%
Revenue	44,863	50,014	(5,151)	-10%
Cost of sale	(14,819)	(18,093)	3,274	18%
Gross profit	30,044	31,921	(1,877)	-6%
Gross margin %	67.0%	63.8%	3.1%	5.0%
Other income	182	355	(173)	-49%
Capitalised software development	2,152	2,671	(519)	-19%
Underlying operating expenses*	(27,628)	(30,448)	2,820	9%
Percentage of operating revenue	61.6%	60.9%	0.7%	1.0%
Adjusted EBITDA	4,750	4,499	251	6%
Percentage of operating revenue	10.6%	9.0%	1.6%	18.0%
Acquisition & Restructure costs	(187)	(245)	58	24%
EBITDA	4,563	4,254	309	7%
Percentage of operating revenue	10.2%	8.5%	1.7%	20.0%
Amortisation of software development	(5,176)	(1,987)	(3,189)	-160%
Depreciation, and amortisation of right-to-use assets	(679)	(613)	(66)	-11%
Amortisation of acquired assets	(3,531)	(4,322)	791	18%
Impairment losses	(6,818)	(2,677)	(4,141)	-155%
Net finance income	1,142	2,874	(1,732)	-60%
Loss before income tax	(10,499)	(2,471)	(8,028)	-325%
Income tax credit	341	282	59	21%
Net loss after tax	(10,158)	(2,189)	(7,969)	-364%

Strong GM % reduced impact of revenue decline

Underlying operating expenses dropped 9%

Record Adjusted EBITDA, 10.6% of revenue

One-off impact of changing useful life assumption from 5 years to 3

All acquired intangible assets fully amortised in FY25

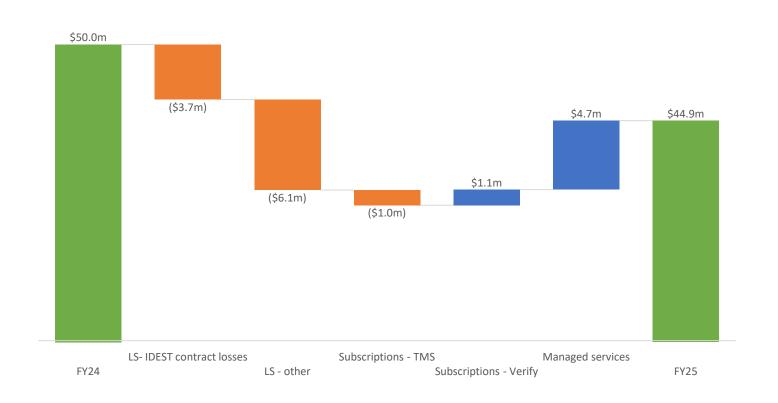
IDEST acquisition fully impaired in H1 FY25 due to 2 contracts ending; NAM CGU goodwill fully impaired

Mostly unrealised FX on intercompany loans

^{*}Underlying operating expenses are excluding depreciation, amortisation, acquisition & restructure costs, and impairment losses



Revenue analysis



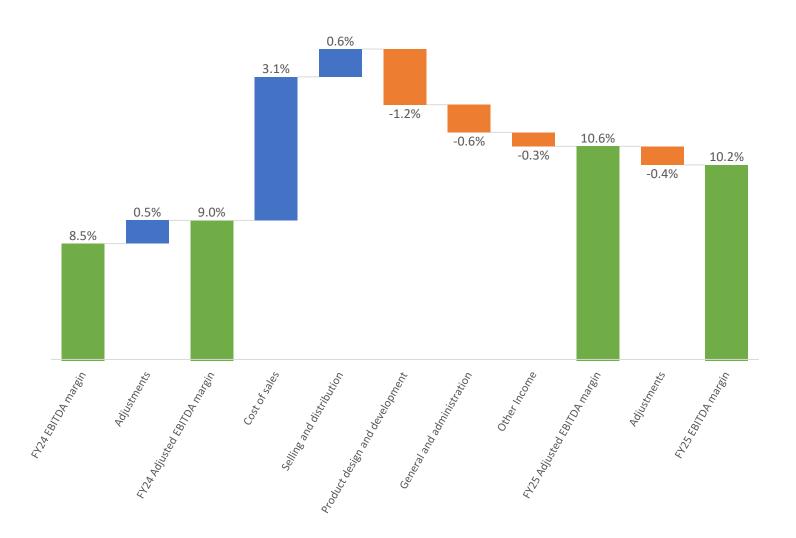
- Drop in Language Services (LS)
 - IDEST contracts ending in FY25 H1
 - Macro-economic and AI headwinds
- Initial **Verify** revenue
- Managed Services 1st full year of operation
- +1% constant currency impact

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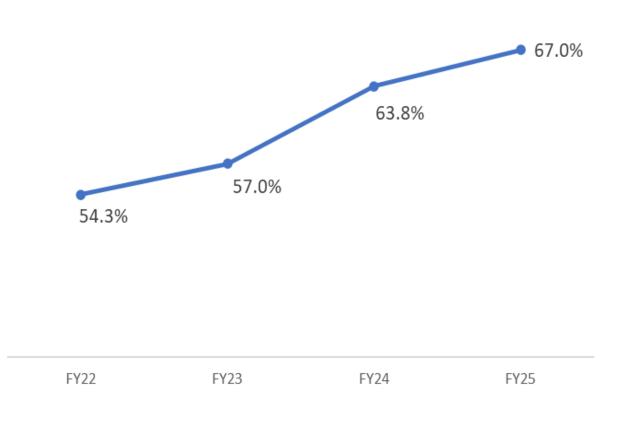


Progress on key metrics

Movement in EBITDA margin %¹



Gross Margin %



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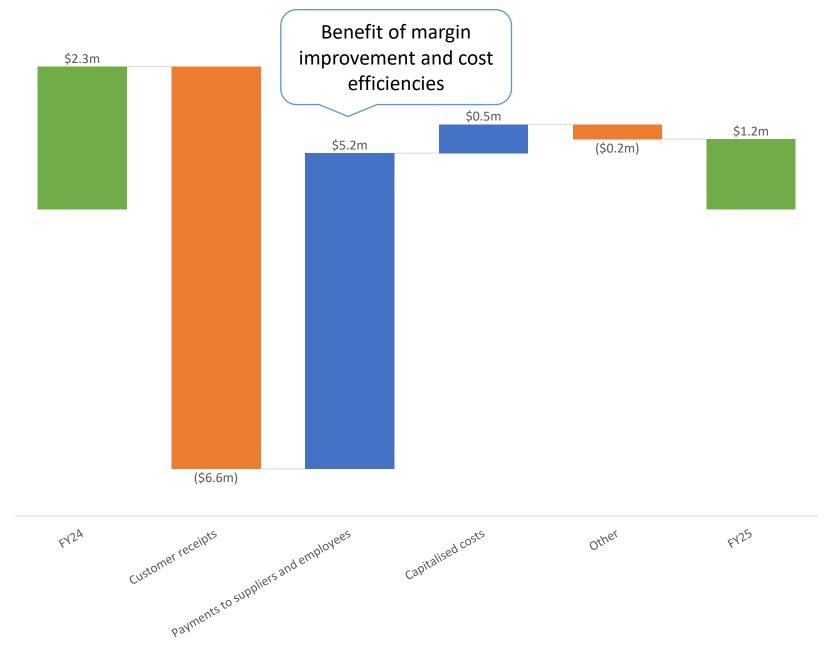
Strong balance sheet

	FY24	FY25	Δ ΥΟΥ	
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	
Cash and cash equivalents	12,165	12,915	750	
Working Capital	11,052	13,374	2,322	

- Cash position grew \$750k YOY
- Working capital strengthened to by 21% to \$13.4m
- Nil debt



Resilient free cash flow



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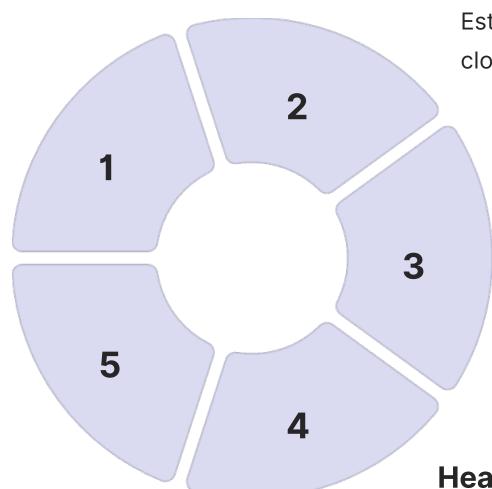
Investment Highlights

Proprietary Technology

Tiri & Tiri-X Al models with 15 years of data advantage

Large Market Opportunity

Operating in the US\$76B global language services market



Growth Infrastructure

Established presence in 10 countries, enterprise cloud setup with strategic partnerships in place

Al Revenue Growth

Transitioning to high-margin Alpowered services with product-market fit

Healthy Balance Sheet

Profitable, cashflow positive with strong financial position

Outlook & Management Priorities FY26



Strategic Financial Management

Maintain strong financial position while deploying capital toward high-growth Al initiatives.



Targeted R&D Investment

Commercialise existing innovations while exploring verification applications within the larger Al ecosystem.



Expansion in AI Ecosystem

Develop new channels to customers as Al reshapes the translation technology landscape.



Margin Optimization

Focus on high-margin Al services while navigating pressure on traditional business segments.



Operational Efficiency

Implement cost reduction initiatives using AI agents to streamline workflows and enhance productivity.



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