

**COMARCH** Strategy

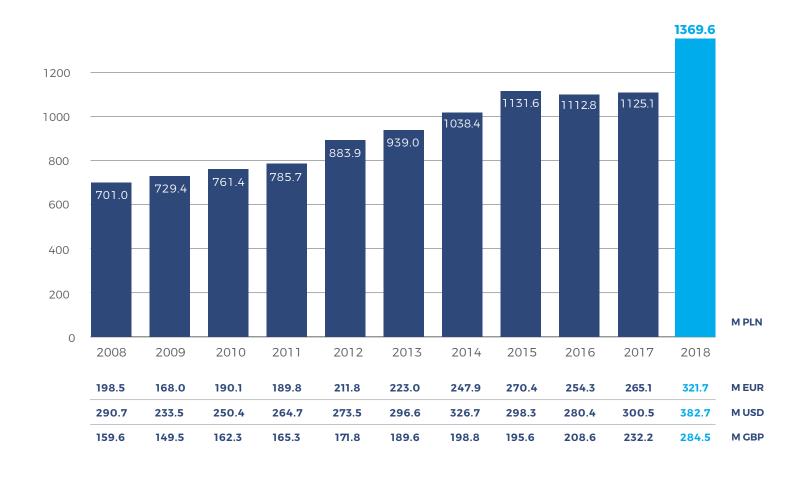
## **COMARCH INCEPTION**

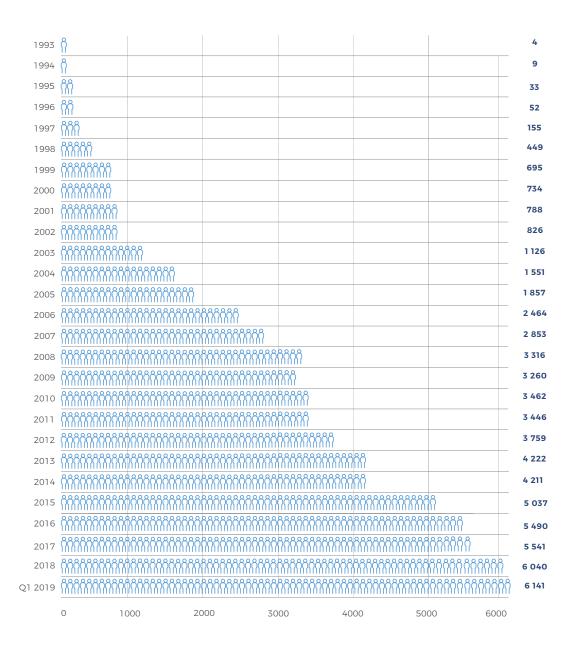
- Comarch is a global IT challenger established in 1993 by Professor Janusz Filipiak as a Cracow university spin-off
- Comarch developes application software products
- 26 years from inception Comarch now employs more than 6000 people worldwide and has revenues approaching 400 million USD
- In this presentation we briefly present management principles and strategies which enabled that growth



# **COMARCH GROWTH OVER THE YEARS**

#### **REVENUES**





# COMARCH GROWTH OVER THE YEARS

NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES IN THE COMARCH GROUP

## LONG TERM MANAGEMENT

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#### **COMARCH STRATEGY PILLARS**



Principle of balanced growth: Short term profits versus long term investment



Extensive R&D and development of own software products



Lean and mean organization



Annual redefinition of strategies based on current company status and changes in business environment



Diversification of Comarch offer with respect to products, industries, and regions



Efficient delivery of products and projects



Sustained investment in human resources



Conservative finance management

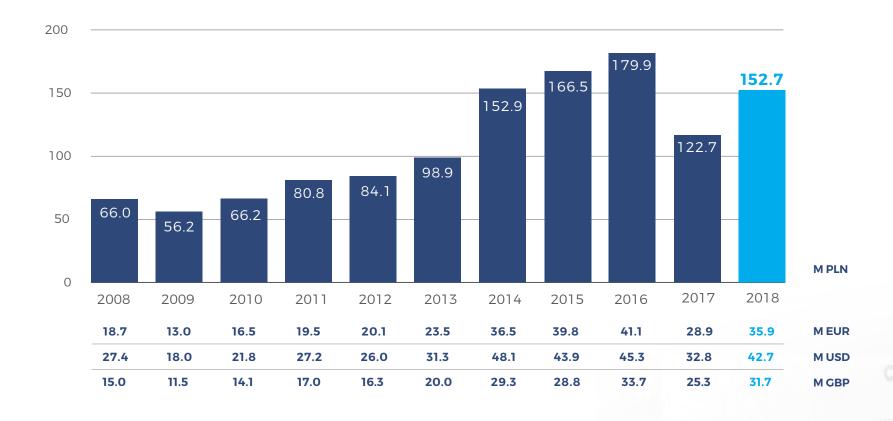


### **BALANCED GROWTH**

- The very basic objective of Comarch is defined as a balanced growth
- Growth is mainly achieved by sustained organic development of company assets, people, products, technology, and market reach
- Organic growth is supported with minor acquisitions to obtain new innovative products, increase market scope, and develop new business models
- Annual budgets assume a predefined level of EBITDA
- If during a year a financial surplus is obtained, it is used to increase R&D investment and expand the reach of Comarch offer.

The company is not oriented toward quarterly or annual profit maximization

# **EBITDA**



# **EXTENSIVE R&D AND DEVELOPMENT OF OWN SOFTWARE PRODUCT**

 Since inception, Comarch has always been based on strong R&D and the development of its own products

 At the moment, the company's product portfolio comprises more dozens of product lines for a spectrum of industries

 Many of those products have been covered in the Gartner, Forrester, Frost&Sullivan and other analytical reports



# **EXTENSIVE R&D AND DEVELOPMENT**OF OWN SOFTWARE PRODUCT

#### REVENUES FROM SALES OF PROPRIETARY SOFTWARE AND HARDWARE



# TRULY LEAN AND MEAN ORGANIZATION

- Reporting hierarchies are very simple and they do not overlap
- Responsibility and trust are fully delegated to heads of organizational units management processes are clearly defined
- Bonuses are based strictly on individual, measurable performance
- All management procedures are kept very simple



# **CONSERVATIVE FINANCE MANAGEMENT**

- Comarch has always had a surplus of cash
- Loans were never taken to finance working capital
- Mortgages are taken to finance the development of office space and data center infrastructure
- But even with those mortgages taken into account, Comarch has significantly more cash then debt

# **CONSERVATIVE FINANCE MANAGEMENT**

**CASH BY END OF THE YEAR** 



# **CONSERVATIVE FINANCE MANAGEMENT**

**TOTAL ASSETS** 





# **GEOGRAPHICAL DIVERSIFICATION OF COMARCH OFFER**

33 Peru

Lima

**SUBSIDIARIES** 

94

**OFFICES** 

**CITIES** 

COUNTRIES

CONTINENTS

ON

6



1 Poland

Białystok, Bielsko-Biała, Częstochowa, Gdańsk, Gliwice, Katowice, Kielce, Krakow HQ, Lublin, Łódz, Płock, Poznań, Rzeszów, Tarnów, Toruń, Warszawa

2 Albania **55** Tirana

**3** Austria

Innsbruck, Vienna

4 Belgium Brussels

5 Finland

Espoo 6 France

Montbonnot Saint Martin, Lille

7 Germany

Berlin, Bremen, Dresden, Düsseldorf, Hamburg, Hannover, Munich, Münster

8 Italy Milan

9 Luxembourg

Strassen

10 Russia

11 Spain Madrid

12 Sweden Stockholm

13 Switzerland Arbon, Zug

14 The Netherlands Rotterdam

**15** UK London

16 Ukraine Kiev, Lviv

19 Malaysia

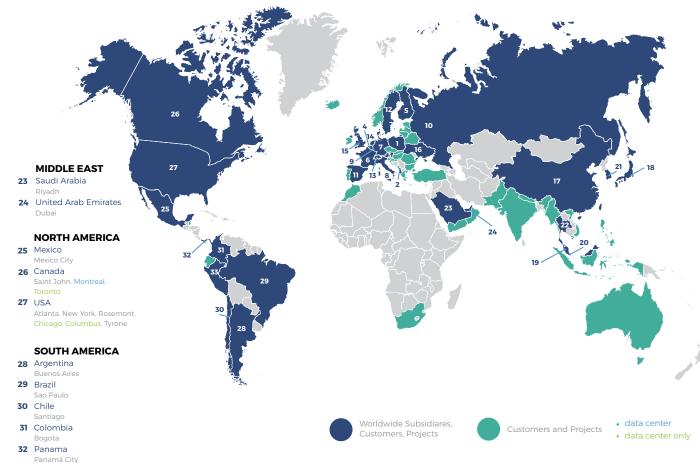
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**ASIA** 17 China 18 Japan Tokyo

Kuala Lumpur 20 Singapore

21 South Korea Seoul

Bangkok



## **RECENT ACHIEVEMENTS**

# At present, Comarch delivers IT projects to customers in one hundred countries on six continents

We are very proud of having a solid customer base in the USA

Comarch always attempts to be at frontiers of technology development as it is demonstrated by two recent most innovative projects:

- 5G network management system developed for Telco operator LGU+ in Korea
- Deployment of the first IoT network in Japan (for Sumitomo corporation)



# **RESILIENCE**

- Most of presented management principles may be found in other companies but, uniquely,
  Comarch has executed them strictly over the past 26 years
- More precisely, strategies have been executed by a unique selection of Comarch managers
- They exhibit persistence and strong psyche when coping with repeatable adversities



# **CONCLUDING REMARK**

- Data shown in this presentation refer to the past
- They were given to illustrate values of adopted management principles and strategies
- We are going to apply them now and in the future to further develop Comarch offer

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