

Q4 & FY 2023 Earnings

EARNINGS PRESENTATION

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Q4 & FY highlights



STRONG EXECUTION IN DYNAMIC ENVIRONMENT

- Q4 and FY revenue, adjusted EBITDA and adjusted EPS at high end of updated guidance
- Free Cash Flow conversion of >100% for FY, ~\$850M of debt paydown
- Leveraging Avantor Business System to offset headwinds facing the industry



ACTIONS TO DRIVE GROWTH AND PERFORMANCE

- Announced the transformation of our operating model aligned with our customers' needs
- Launched ~\$300M cost savings initiative¹
- Advanced growth strategy through continued focus on innovation



LOOKING AHEAD

- Market conditions remain stable, leading indicators trending favorably
- FY 2024 guidance reflects continuation of current market conditions; potential recovery upside
- Strong conviction in long-term positioning and performance

1. Annual gross cost savings at run rate in 36 months from Jan 1, 2024



Q4 & FY adjusted P&L

USD in millions, except per share data

	Q4'23	FY'23	COMMENTS
Reported Revenue	\$1,722.8	\$6,967.2	Q4 market conditions stable; inventory destocking and cautious spending continue to impact end market demand
Core organic growth	-4.8%	-5.2%	Biomaterials & higher education delivered strong year over year growth
Adj. Gross Profit	\$570.4	\$2,363.8	Unfavorable mix from continued headwinds in bioproduction and AT/AM
Adj. Gross Profit %	33.1%	33.9%	Continued volume-related under absorption
Adj. EBITDA	\$302.1	\$1,309.1	Results reflect lower gross profit and negative fixed cost leverage
Adj. EBITDA %	17.5%	18.8%	Persistent inflation partially offset by productivity and SG&A cost controls
Adj. Earnings Per Share	\$0.25	\$1.06	- Flow through of adj. EBITDA performance - Interest and tax expense in line with expectations
Free Cash Flow	\$201.0	\$723.6	- FCF conversion of >120% in Q4'23; >100% in FY'23 - Positive impact from working capital initiatives
Adj. Net Leverage	3.9X²	3.9X²	- Paid down ~\$850M of debt in 2023 - Adj. net leverage impacted by reduction in TTM adjusted EBITDA

Note: Organic growth is reported revenue growth excluding the impacts from changes in foreign currency exchange rates.

Core organic growth is organic growth net of COVID-19 impact.

1. Conversion: Free Cash Flow / Adj. Net Income.

2. Represents Adj. Net Leverage as of December 31, 2023.

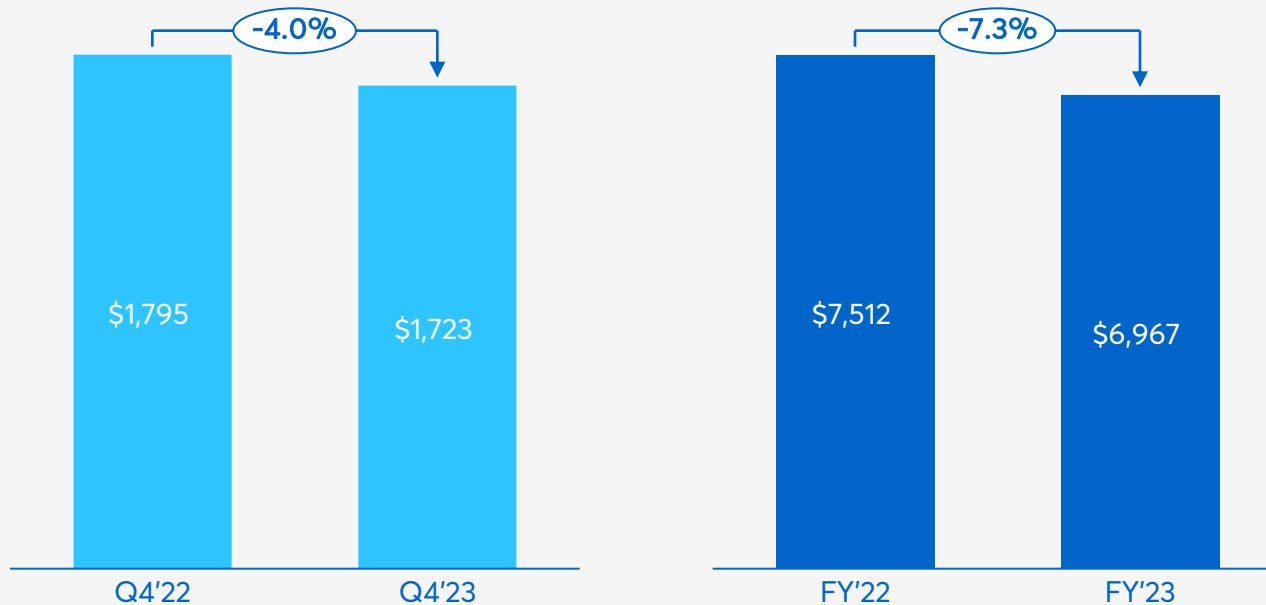
Q4 & FY revenue



Reported revenue in \$M

X.X%

Reported revenue growth



CORE ORGANIC GROWTH

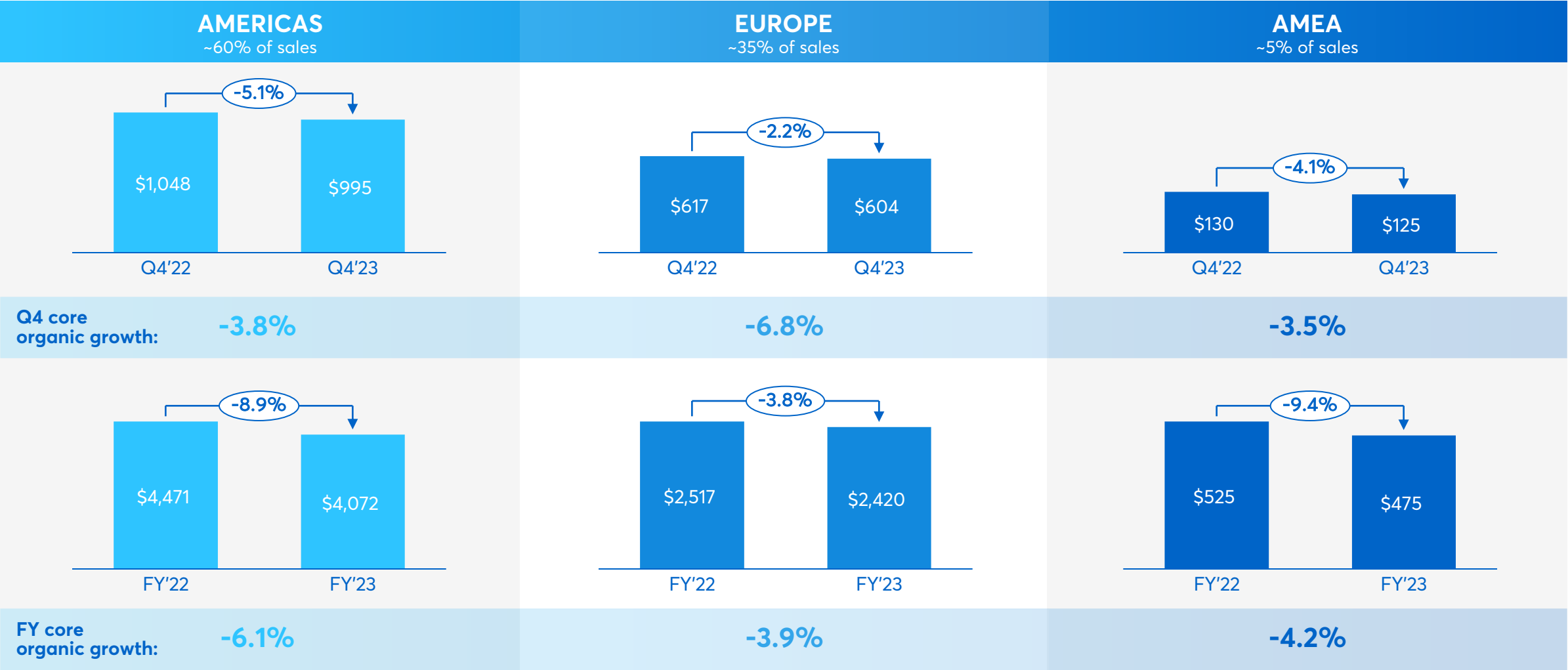
	Q4'23	FY'23
Core organic growth	-4.8%	-5.2%
COVID-19 impact	-1.1%	-2.6%
Organic growth	-5.9%	-7.8%
FX impact	+1.9%	+0.5%
Reported growth	-4.0%	-7.3%

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Q4 & FY revenue by region

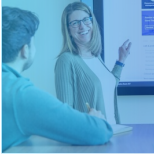
Reported revenue in \$M

(X.X%) Reported revenue growth



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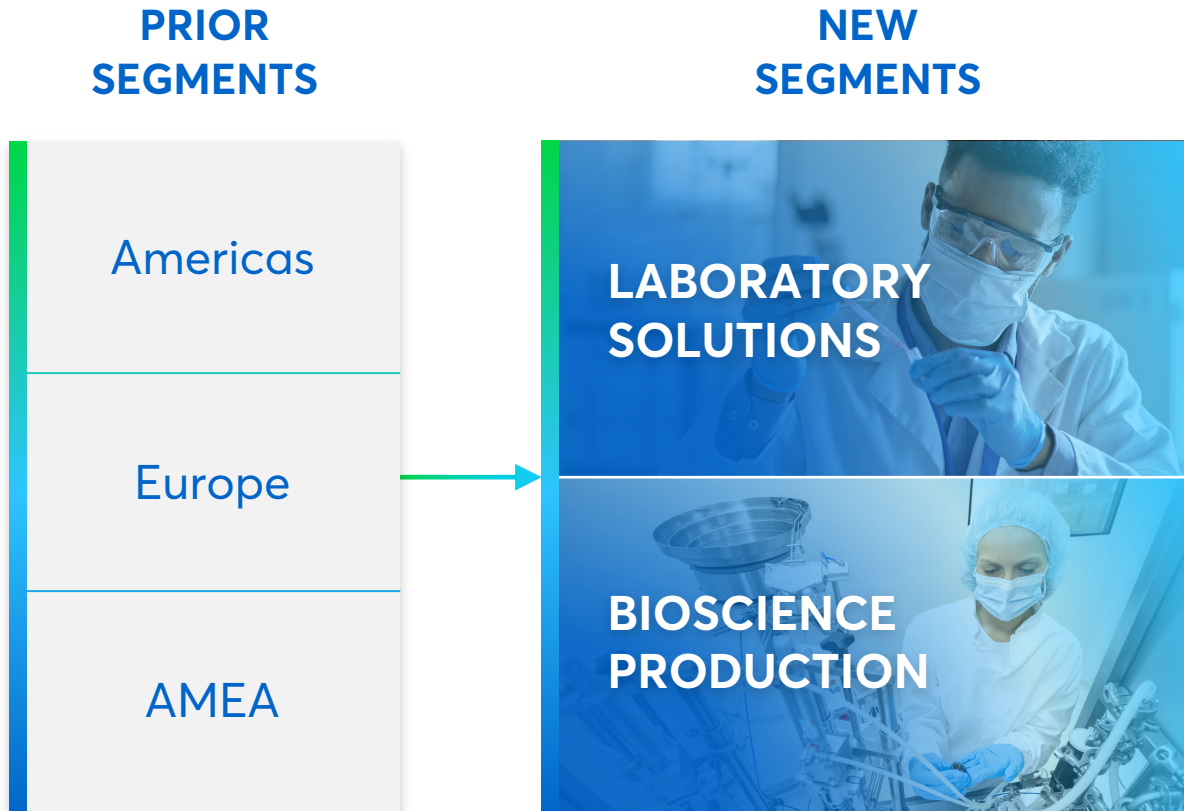
Q4 & FY core organic revenue growth

BY END MARKET					BY PRODUCT				
		% OF TOTAL SALES	Q4'23	FY'23			% OF TOTAL SALES	Q4'23	FY'23
	Biopharma	~50%	-HSD	-HSD		Proprietary materials & consumables	~37%	-HSD	-HSD
	Healthcare	~10%	-HSD	-MSD		Third-party materials & consumables	~36%	-MSD	-MSD
	Education & government	~13%	+MSD	+MSD		Services & specialty procurement	~14%	+HSD	+MSD
	Advanced tech & applied materials	~27%	-LSD	-MSD		Equipment & instrumentation	~13%	-HSD	-MSD

Note: LSD 1-3% / MSD 4-6% / HSD 7-9%. "% of total sales" based on FY 2023 reported revenue.

Q4'23 and FY'23 figures on this page reflect the core organic growth by end market and product. Organic growth is reported revenue growth excluding the impacts from changes in foreign currency exchange rates. Core organic growth is organic growth net of COVID-19 impact.

Transforming our operating model



Builds on strengths of our platform

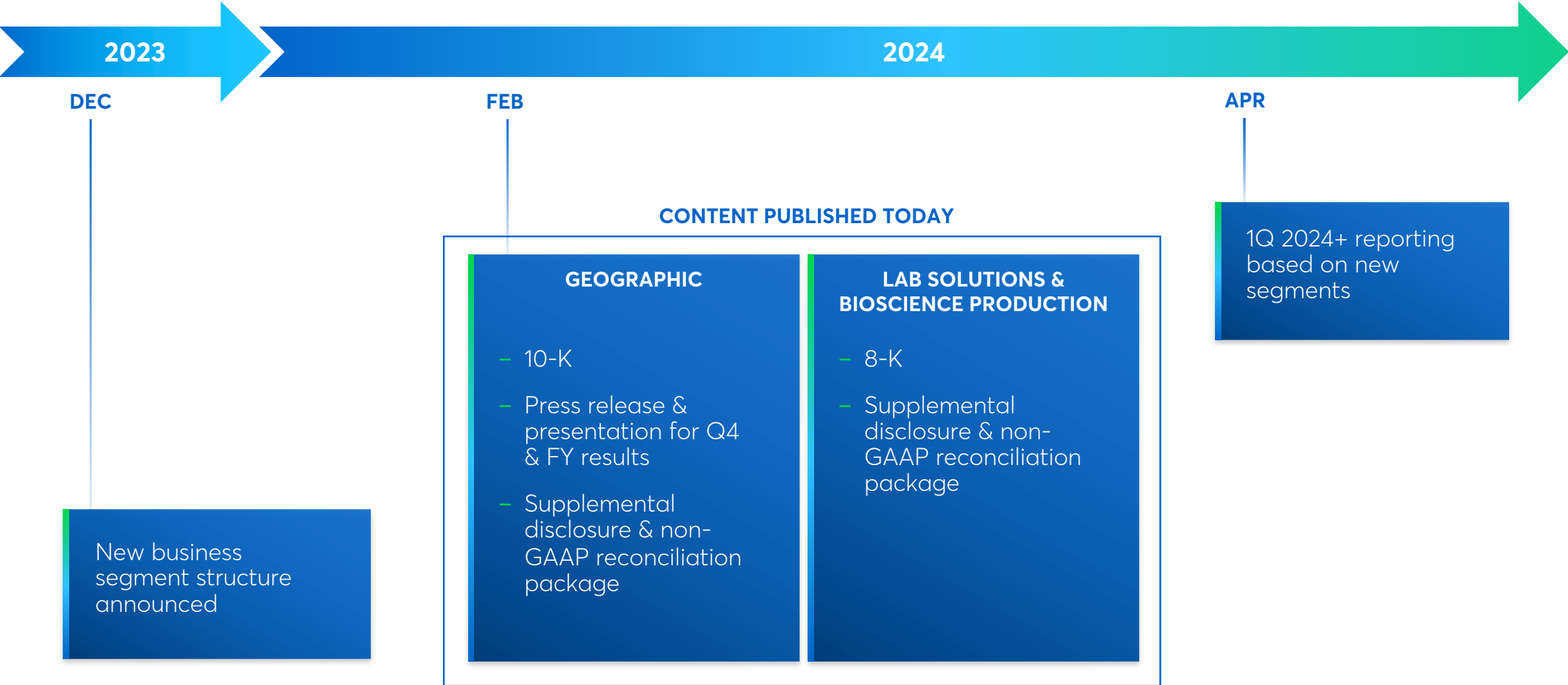
Sharpens focus around customers' lab and production needs

Streamlines accountability

Unlocks cost savings and operational efficiencies

Positions Avantor for long-term growth

New segment reporting timeline



FY 2024 guidance

ORGANIC REVENUE GROWTH

-2% to +1%

REPORTED REVENUE: \$6.85 to \$7.06B

REPORTED GROWTH: -1.7% to +1.3%

FX: +0.3%

ADJ. EBITDA MARGIN

17.4% – 17.9%

ADJ. EBITDA: \$1.19 to \$1.26B

ADJ. EPS

\$0.96 – \$1.04

ADJ. NET INTEREST EXPENSE: ~\$250M

ADJ. TAX RATE: ~22.5%

AVG DILUTED SHARE COUNT: ~680M

FREE CASH FLOW¹

\$600 – \$650M

FY 2024 guidance based on estimate for FY blended USD/EUR exchange rate of 1.08.
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1. Excludes one time cash costs associated with operating model transformation and cost savings initiative.

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