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## **2024 Annual Results**

March 2025



# 01 Operating Performance

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## **Despite Slight Increase in Net Profit, Turnover Decreased Due to Various Factors**



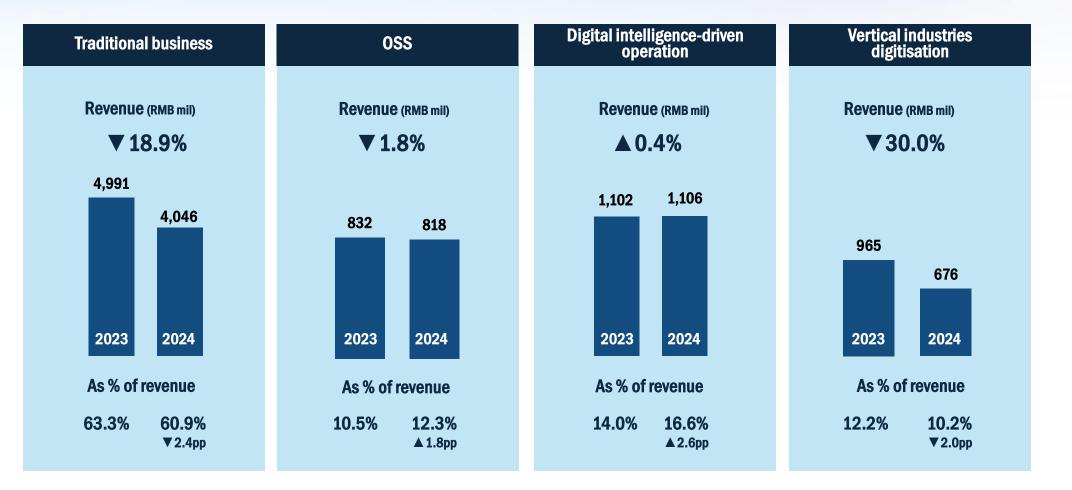
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Operating revenue	Revenue from new business	Gross profit	Gross profit margin	Net profit	Net profit margin	Earnings per share	Dividend per share	
6,646 mil	<b>2,599</b> mil	<b>2,484</b> m <b>16.5%</b> yoy	il 37.4%	516 mil	<b>7.8</b> %	<b>0.60</b> кмв	<b>0.412</b> HKD Incl: dividend for the year of HKD	

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## **Despite Slight Increase in Net Profit, Turnover Decreased Due to Various Factors** (cont'd)



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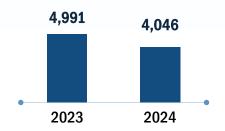
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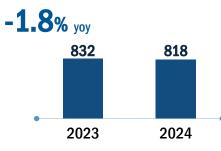
## **Decline in Traditional Business & Slight Decline in OSS Business**

**Revenue from traditional business** (RMB mil)

-18.9% yoy



## Revenue from OSS business (RMB mil)



As slowed down the growth in the telecommunications industry, reduced investment from operator customers, resulting in continued negative impact on traditional business

#### Significant cost reduction in traditional business to ensure profitability

- The organisational structure of traditional business has transformed from an olive structure to a pyramid structure, and the cost of delivery declined significantly
- · Leveraging the internal empowerment of new tools such as AI/large model to achieve the goal of cost reduction and increase efficiency

Continues to strengthen AI integration and use innovative means to alleviate the downward pressure on traditional business

Accelerate implementation of AI empowerment

Al large model related projects 100+

Breakthrough in expanding new customers and overseas markets

- Obtained large-scale model projects from multiple provincial economic divisions for Mobile
- Undertook multiple construction projects of mobile large-scale model bases for Mobile
- Won the Mobile full-model integration service platform provincial project
- Obtained China Telecom Research Institute's integrated network Al communication and computation project
- Won Unicom's self-intelligent network deputy driver/large model/intelligent body
- Obtained AI projects from China Unicom's Software Research Institute

- Achieved breakthroughs in the HKT project and reached cooperation to jointly expand the global market
- Undertook projects from operators in Southeast Asia
- China Unicom's OSS market has achieved breakthroughs in many provinces
- China Mobile's OSS market has achieved breakthroughs in many provinces
- Contracted the first billing project of a satellite operator
- Won the air-ground HTS project of an operator's Satellite Company



Introduced DeepSeek V3, R1 base model, in-depth attention to the intelligent business support system

• Yuansi large model product system full-stack adapted to DeepSeek and put into operation, achieving the closed loop of "domestic large model + arithmetic power + large model service + vertical scene", and achieved excellent results in more than 50 scenes in communication and other industries.

Smart customer services

Smart sales & marketing



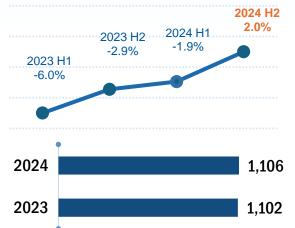
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## Steadily Rebound in Digital Intelligence-driven Operation Business

## Revenue from digital intelligence-driven operation business (RMB mil)

+0.4% yoy



Proportion of Revenue from Results-based and Commission-based Charging models

+1.4pp yoy



Digital Intelligence-driven Operation Business Achieved Significant Growth in

Automobile, Consumer, Finance and Other Industries

	🖚 Automobile	Consumer	Finance	Telecommunications Industry
2024 112	Continued to provide <b>digital</b> intelligence platforms and precision marketing services for	Provided scenario data services such as market capacity monitoring, store location,	Provided accurate <b>data platform</b> and operation services for banks, consumer finance, internet finance,	Continued to provide <b>operation products</b> and services such as inventory operation and value operation for China Mobile,
2024 H2 2024 H1 -1.9%	automobile travel industry chain customers, creating solutions and services such as lead rating, results-based marketing, and new media marketing middle platforms	customer segmentation, etc., for customers in the sectors of FMCG, commerce, tobacco, culture and tourism, gas, provided digital marketing system infrastructure for customers in consumer industry	r insurance companies, fintech companies, etc.	China Unicom, China Telecom, China Broadcast Network and other telecommunications operators, helping customers to generate revenue
1,106	Orders increased by	Orders increased by	Orders increased by	Business mix continued to optimise
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In-depth cooperation with Volcano Engine:

Provided core ISVs with "data firewheel" through Volcano Engine, Hi-Agent and other products in the automobile, consumer, as well as general industries, and became their outstanding partner of the year

Further collaboration with Tencent and Wecom:

Built a full lifecycle private domain operation platform based on enterprise WeChat and created an integrated online and offline operation system

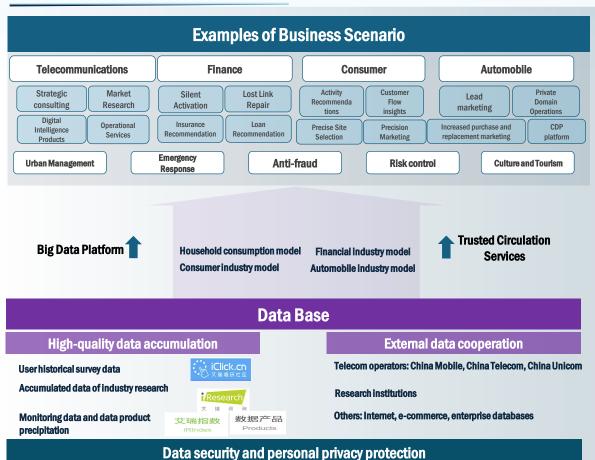
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## Continued to Focus on Key Industries, Become Leading Enterprise in Results-based Charging Model

Provide customers from telecommunications, automobile, consumer, and finance with business insight products as well as products and services of digital intelligencedriven operation business based on the integration, modelling and analysis of its own data as well as data from external sources such as operators and the Internet

#### **Business Model: Pay for Performance**



#### **Benchmark Cases**

#### Automobile

- Dongfeng Zhuolian Intelligent Customer Service
- Customer Data Platform for an automobile brand
- Traffic Operation Platform for an automobile brand
- Big data marketing service for an automobile brand

#### Consumer

- Business district insight services of a leading international sportswear brand
   Insight service for a well-known international amusement brand
- Crowd survey for a tobacco company
- · Perimeter analysis & visitor analysis for a famous commercial project
- SCRM of China Resources Gas Enterprise Micro-private domain
- Ticketing and digital marketing services platform for a large indoor venue Digital marketing service membership platform for a large-scale alcohol enterprise

#### Finance

Cross-selling financial products to existing customers for a state-owned bank
Marketing and rating membership system for an insurance company
Marketing and rating membership system for a consumer finance company
Private domain operation for a fintech company

#### Others

Specialised research services for a leading e-commerce company
Consulting services for a famous international e-commerce company
Specialised research service for a leading online education company
Research services on educational products for a university business school

#### **Future Goals**

Leveraging its comprehensive advantage of "Data Resource Aggregation + Industry Scenario Insights + AI", strive to become a domestic leading enterprise in results-based charging models

#### Capability Advantages

**Business scenarios** 

**Model capabilities** 

**Data capabilities** 

On the basis of in-depth strategic cooperation with leading internet enterprises e.g. Volcano Engine, Lingyang, and operators, the Company will increase Al investment to become a robust engine for the customers' digitisation growth

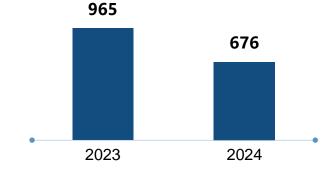


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## Focused on Quality Development in Vertical Industries Digitisation Business, Pace of Development Refocused

**Revenue from Vertical Industries Digitisation Business** (RMB mil)

-30% yoy



- The project timing of the Company's single extra-large order has brought about revenue fluctuations
- Leveraging its mature order quality access procedure, the Company precisely identified and proactively gave up highrisk and large-scale government and enterprise orders exceeding RMB 1 billion

**Continuously Focus on Two Major Sectors** 

#### Field of 5G Private Network and Application: Dedicated to Becoming a Leading Enterprise

- Combined 5G private network with AI, the Company will further promote 5G private network products and application-related solutions in the fields with advantages e.g. nuclear power, new energy, mining, etc. and continue to expand market share
- Actively expanded sectors e.g. power grid, petroleum and petrochemical, airport, port, etc., and promoted 5G private network products and applications related solutions

#### Field of Large Model Application and Delivery: Dedicated to Becoming a Leading Enterprise

- Deepened strategic cooperation with leading foundational large model vendors such as Alibaba Cloud and Baidu Cloud, collaboratively developed the large model application and delivery market
- Continued to improve its large model delivery platform, tools, methodologies, etc., and consolidate its core competence in large delivery scale, high quality control and cost optimisation, committing itself in becoming a leading enterprise in large model application and delivery

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## **Energy Industry Market Coverage Expansion, Become Leading Enterprise in 5/6G Private Networks**

	Market Potential	_	Progress in 2024		Benchmark Cases	Future Goals
Nuclear power	<b>102 units</b> Units in operation: 58 Units under construction: 27 Approved but not yet constructed: 17	>	Nuclear Power 5G Coverage 6 base stations 25 units	Cumulative delivery of 5G private network as of the end of 2024	<ul> <li>Signed 5G private network project for units 3 and 4 of Xudabao Nuclear Power Plant</li> <li>Signed CNNC Isotope 5G and smart management and control project</li> <li>Signed "sea, land and air" integrated intelligence project of China Guangdong Nuclear Power Ningde Nuclear Power Plant</li> <li>The largest power 5G private network in the PRC has been completed and commenced at Qinshan Nuclear Power</li> <li>Completed project acceptance at Hainan Nuclear Power Base</li> </ul>	Become a Leading Enterprise in the 5/6G Private Network & AI RAN Field Industry Leading Nuclear New Mining
New energy	5,000 Wind Power Stations + 7,500 Photovoltaic Power Stations	>	New Energy Wireless Private Network Coverage 200+ Stations New energy business expanded to 6 provinces, covering a total of 15 provinces	50 sets Core network 21,000 units + base stations	<ul> <li>Contracted for CGN New Energy for 5G and offshore wind power industrial control communications in multiple provinces</li> <li>Obtained 5G and smart station projects in multiple provinces from State Energy, Datang, State Power Investment Corporation, etc</li> <li>5G private network smart wind farms have been commercialized in 15 provinces including Hebei, Qinghai, Inner Mongolia, Guangdong, Guangxi, Anhui, and Jiangsu</li> <li>700MHz 5G private network case won the first prize of the 2024 "Blooming Cup" and the "Best Industry Solution Award" at the Network X 2024 European Communications Exhibition.</li> </ul>	
Mining	<b>1,000+</b> Intelligent Mining	>	Newly bid <mark>5</mark> coal mining customers, cumulative no. of customers over <b>10</b>	Incl: In 2024, new energy deliveries up 60%+ yoy	<ul> <li>Won bidding for the intelligent construction of China Coal Science and Technology</li> <li>Won the intelligent construction of Zhengzhou Coal Group</li> <li>Won the intelligent transportation of a mining open-pit in China Coal, and other projects</li> <li>Compiled the standards for the intelligent mining park for a state- owned energy group</li> </ul>	Industry Expansion         Power network       Petroleum & petrochemical       Airport       Port         Image: Colspan="3">Image: Colspan="3">Operations         Power network       Petroleum & petrochemical       Airport       Port         Image: Colspan="3">Image: Colspan="3">Operations         Image: Colspan="3">Image: Colspan="3">Operations         Power network       Petroleum & petrochemical       Airport       Port         Image: Colspan="3">Image: Colspan="3">Operations       Image: Colspan="3">Operations       Port         Image: Colspan="3">Image: Colspan="3">Image: Colspan="3">Operations       Port         Image: Colspan="3">Image: Colspan="3">Image: Colspan="3">Image: Colspan="3">Operations       Port         Image: Colspan="3">Image: Colspan="3">Image: Colspan="3">Image: Colspan="3">Image: Colspan="3"       Port         Image: Colspan="3">Image: Colspan="3"       Image: Colsp



## Cooperation with Foundational Large Model Manufacturers, Become Leading Enterprise in Large Model Application and Delivery

#### Progress in 2024

## **30**+ cases of large model

#### Strategic Cooperation with Foundational Large Model Companies

- (-)阿眃
- Join hands with Alibaba Cloud to develop the large model service alliance
- Built a deep partnership with Alibaba Cloud for 8 years
- Alibaba Cloud's designated large model business service delivery partner, shortlisted for Alibaba Cloud's 7 procurement framework agreements, and jointly established a large model innovation center with Alibaba Cloud



2024 APSARA CONFERENCE AsiaInfo became the 1st unit of Alibaba Cloud's "Government and Enterprise Industry Foundation Model Innovation Center"

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• Promote the cooperation of core business from two dimensions of product, R&D line and delivery line

#### **Benchmarking Cases**

- Electric power company equipment dynamic knowledge operation analysis system and report generation large model project
- CNNC unified OCR capability platform procurement research project
- PetroChina large model project
- Zhejiang University of Science and Technology brain project
- Xuhui district digital community 2.0 project
- Schneider large model project
- ASV large model project
- Jiangsu Electric Power marketing and sales office intelligent terminal large model
- Southern Airlines human resource center product capability design
   project

Business Opportunity: Current Business Opportunity Customer Reach Energy, electric power, aviation, tobacco, finance, government affairs, medical care, etc.



#### **Future Goals**

#### Become a Leading Enterprise in Large Model Application and Delivery



## **Cloud and Digital Intelligence Products Highly Recognised** by the Industry

Domestic patents

International patents



Cumulative no. of applications: 568

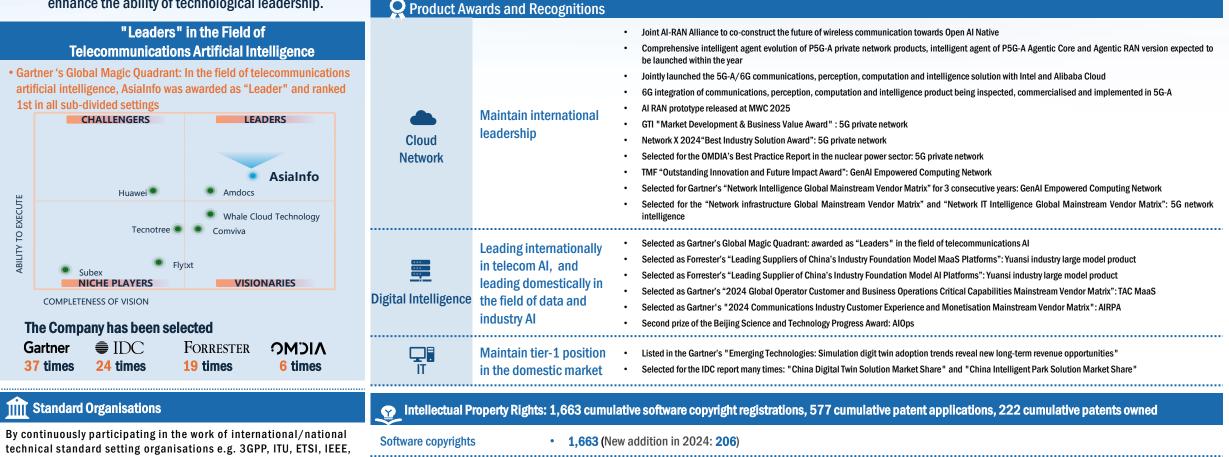
Cumulative no. of applications: 9

(New addition in 2024: 144)

(New addition in 2024: 1)

In 2024, the R&D investment amounted to RMB905 million, accounting for 13.6% of the total revenue, and the Company will continue to strengthen R&D and innovation and

enhance the ability of technological leadership.



219 (New addition in 2024: 96)

3 (New addition in 2024: 1)

technical standard setting organisations e.g. 3GPP, ITU, ETSI, IEEE, TMF, O-RAN, etc., the proportion of international standards of the Company increased gradually and from being a follower to a driver, the Company newly joined the setting of a total of 330 international/domestic standards, including 60 new ones in 2024

## **Full Efforts to Achieve Performance Rebound**

### 2025

#### **Reduce Costs and Enhance Efficiency**

- Robust operation and highquality development
- Significant cost reduction in traditional business to ensure profitability
- Focus on the development of three growth engines, namely, large model application and delivery, 5G private networks and applications, and digital intelligence-driven operation

- Cost Control in traditional business, labor force structure transition from an olive structure to a pyramid structure
- Utilise large models and other technical tools to increase internal empowerment, and implement the application of "productivity tools" to enhance efficiency

#### **Performance Rebound**

Basic Business in the	Large Model	5G Private Network and	Digital Intelligence-driven
Telecommunications Industry	Application and Delivery	Application	Operation
Strengthen traditional business with innovative means, and reduce costs and enhance efficiency to ensure profitability	Expand cooperation with leading foundational large model vendors, strive to become the industry leading enterprise	Continue to expand market coverage, strive to become an industry leader	Expand the scale of results-based charging models, and strive to become an industry leader

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## 02 Financial Performance

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## **Financial Overview**

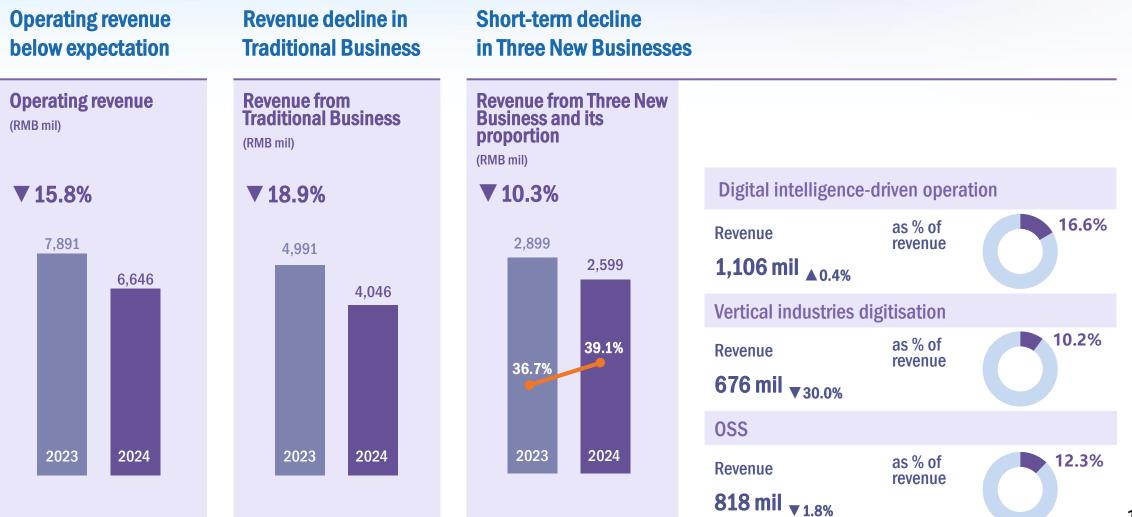
RMB'000	2024	2023	Change (%)
Operating revenue	6,645,689	7,890,620	(15.8%)
Incl: Revenue from Three New Business	2,599,463	2,899,138	(10.3%)
As % of operating revenue	39.1%	36.7%	2.4pp
Gross profit	2,483,910	2,975,236	(16.5%)
Gross margin (%)	37.4%	37.7%	(0.3pp)
Operating expenses	(1,765,316)	(2,045,473)	(13.7%)
Other incomes or losses	(132,823)	(291,000)	(54.4%)
Income tax expenses	(70,081)	(126,451)	(44.6%)
Net profit	515,690	512,312	0.7%
Net profit margin (%)	7.8%	6.5%	1.3pp
Earnings per share (RMB)	0.60	0.58	3.4%
Net cash generated from operating activities	(103,545)	581,502	(117.8%)

In 2024, as impacted by assessment indicators of major customers, receivables significantly declined in short term. In 2025, receivables in January and February increased by 30% yoy. Such impact would be gradually alleviated along with the optimisation of assessment indicators.

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## **Cost Reductions from Operators and Proactively Tightened Expansion of Vertical Industries**

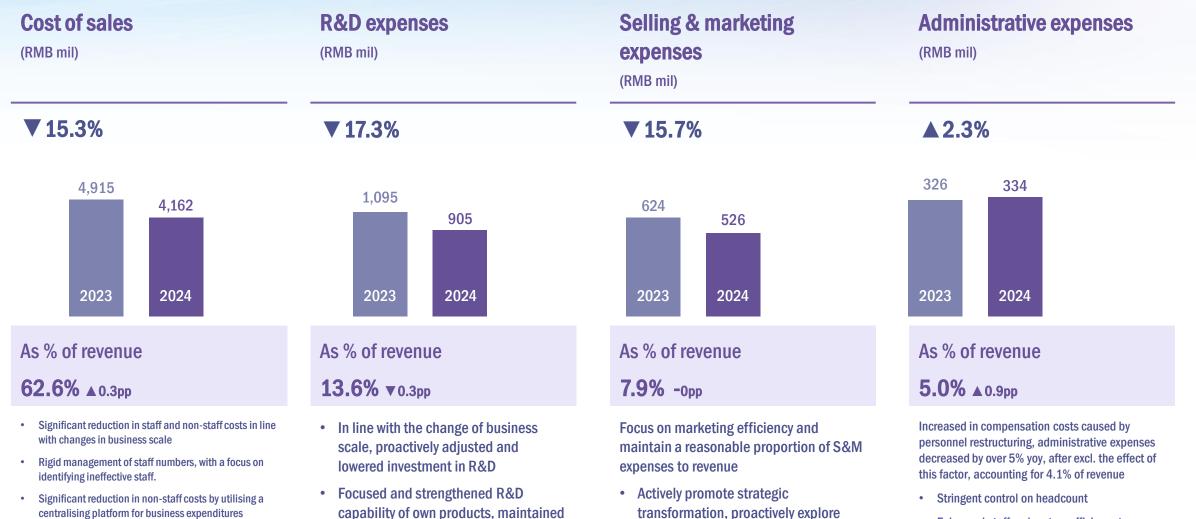


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## Further Intensified Cost Reduction and Efficiency Enhancement Initiatives, Overcome Downward Pressure of Business



markets and continuously enhance

sales system of New Business

moderate investment in R&D

Maintained cost investment in key vertical industries

business

 Enhanced staff and system efficiency to maintain a relatively low proportion of revenue

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### Mature and Refined Operation and Management System

#### **Order quality assessment procedure**

Constructed a defence line against risk control of orders Precisely identified and gave up high-risk and large-scale government and enterprise orders exceeding 1 billion

- Summarized a set of order quality assessment procudure, involving 20 categories, with a total of 70+ points and risk thresholds
- Solidified in the business opportunity and order management system to realise regular order quality front management
- In the face of the current business downturn, tightened the order quality risk thresholds, reasonably controlled the risk warning, precisely identified and gave up high-risk and largescale government and enterprise orders exceeding RMB 1 billion

- Flexible and effective staff cost control mechanism Staff cost reduced by more than 15%
- The staff cost control mechanism, which is closely linked to the business performance forecast, has been put in place and optimised year by year, and is both flexible and mandatory
- Adopted color-card rules, with clear and concise control requirements
- Responded to the current situation of business downturn and effectively ٠ controlled annual staff costs, with annual staff costs decreasing by more than 15% year-on-year.

#### Centralised control mechanism for all official expenditures

One-stop official consumption platform with embedded management rules

#### **Reduced official expenditures by more than 15%**

Built and optimised the one-stop official platform year by year with front-loaded business management and financial management rules to strengthen the authenticity. necessity and reasonableness of official expenditures

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	One-stop official consumption platform						
	Third-party platform-based providers						
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#### Order quality assessment procedure

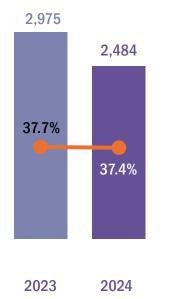
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## **Maintained Stable Profitability**

**Gross profit & gross profit margin** (RMB mil)

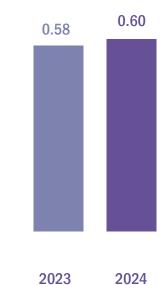


**Net profit & net profit margin** (RMB mil)



### **Earnings per share** (RMB)

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## **Appendix 1: Summary of Consolidated Income Statement**

RMB'000	2024	2023	Change	Change (%)
Operating revenue	6,645,689	7,890,620	(1,244,931)	(15.8%)
Incl: Revenue from Three New Business	2,599,463	2,899,138	(299,675)	(10.3%)
Cost of sales	(4,161,779)	(4,915,384)	753,605	(15.3%)
Gross profit	2,483,910	2,975,236	(491,326)	(16.5%)
Selling & marketing expenses	(526,225)	(624,273)	98,048	(15.7%)
Administrative expenses	(333,843)	(326,286)	(7,557)	2.3%
R&D expenses	(905,248)	(1,094,914)	189,666	(17.3%)
Other incomes or losses	(132,823)	(291,000)	158,177	(54.4%)
Income tax expenses	(70,081)	(126,451)	56,370	(44.6%)
Net profit	515,690	512,312	3,378	0.7%



## **Appendix 2: Summary of Consolidated Balance Sheet**

RMB'000	2024/12/31	2023/12/31	Change	Change (%)
Current assets	7,638,575	8,398,630	(760,055)	(9.0%)
Incl: Trade and notes receivables	2,065,075	1,513,032	552,043	36.5%
Contract assets	2,931,980	3,105,931	(173,951)	(5.6%)
Prepayments, deposits and other receivables	318,974	265,114	53,860	20.3%
Inventories	274,752	101,530	173,222	170.6%
Restricted bank deposits	200,747	172,848	27,899	16.1%
Bank deposits, financial assets measured at fair	1,825,098	3,221,996	(1,396,898)	(43.4%)
value				
Non-current assets	2,861,391	2,885,902	(24,511)	(0.8%)
Incl: Goodwill	1,932,246	1,932,246	-	-
Intangible assets	78,035	70,903	7,132	10.1%
Right-of-use assets	232,614	255,772	(23,158)	(9.1%)
Current liabilities	3,461,615	4,289,824	(828,209)	(19.3%)
Incl: Trade and notes payables	1,103,714	993,618	110,096	11.1%
Contract liabilities	294,475	212,913	81,562	38.3%
Deposits received, accrued expenses and other	1,640,373	2,655,547	(1,015,174)	(38.2%)
payables				
Non-current liabilities	397,152	394,309	2,843	0.7%
Equity	6,641,199	6,600,399	40,800	0.6%

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