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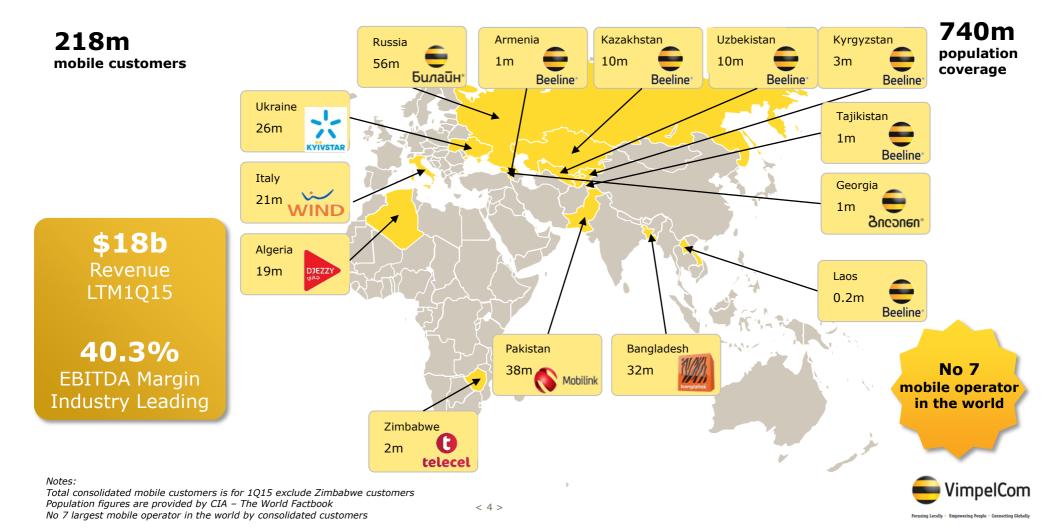
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# **Program**

Time	Russia analyst & investor site visit, July 9, Moscow	
08:30-09:00	Registration of participants	
09:00-09:45	Gerbrand Nijman – opening and VimpelCom Group	Head of IR VimpelCom Group
09:45-10:15	Mikhail Slobodin	CEO Russia
10:15-10:45	Anastasiya Orkina	CMO Russia
10:45-11:00	Sergey Rumyantsev	CSO Russia
11:00-11:10	Alexander Pyatigorsky	CDO Russia
11:10-11:25	Break	
11:25-11:55	Martin Skop	CTO Russia
11:55-12:25	Nikolai Ivanov	CFO Russia
12:25-13:25	Q&A	All presenters
13:25-14:25	Lunch	All participants
14:25-14:55	Visit MobioLab at HQ + movie Yaroslavl data center	All participants
14:55-15:10	Break	
15:10-17:30	Visit Know How store + street visit	Sergey Rumyantsev
17:30-20:00	"Turandot" Drinks and dinner	All participants

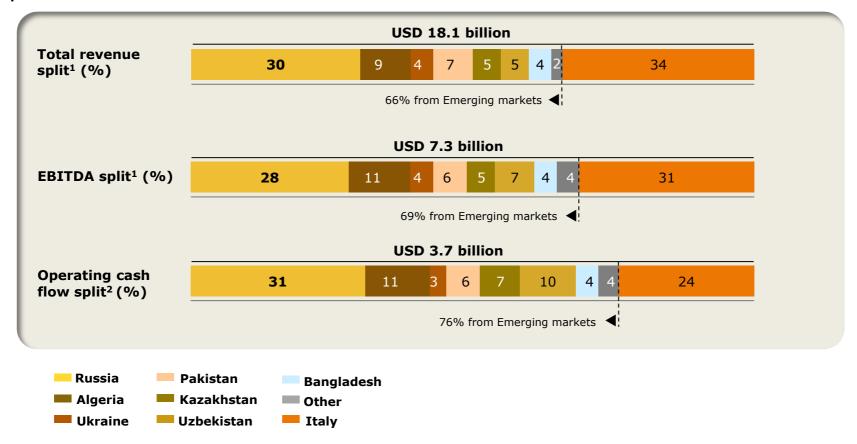


# VimpelCom - an international telecoms operator



# Geographically diversified leading mobile operator

Headquartered in Amsterdam



Total revenue and EBITDA for the LTM1Q15



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> EBITDA less CAPEX excluding licenses for the LTM 1Q15

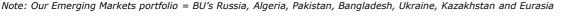
# **Attractive emerging markets portfolio**

#### 66% of revenue in emerging markets

Emerging market portfolio			
	LTM 1Q15		
Revenues	USD 12.3 bn		
EBITDA <sup>1</sup>	USD 5.0 bn		
CAPEX excl. licenses	USD 2.5 bn		
Operating Cash Flow <sup>1</sup>	USD 2.5 bn		
Leverage <sup>2</sup>	1.2		

- #1 or #2 market position in six out of seven of our major emerging markets:
  - #1 in 4 (UKR, ALG, PAK, UZB)
  - #2 in 2 (BAN, KAZ)
  - #3 in 1 (RUS)
- Strong cash flow generation
- Low leverage

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Net Debt / LTM 1Q15 EBITDA

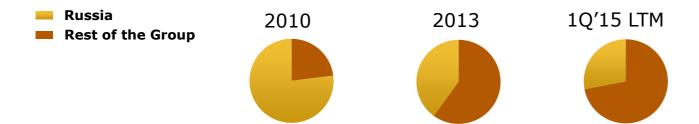




<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding one-off charges related to the Algeria resolution; Operating cash flow = EBITDA - CAPEX

# **Russia in the VimpelCom Group**

#### **EBITDA Breakdown** (%)

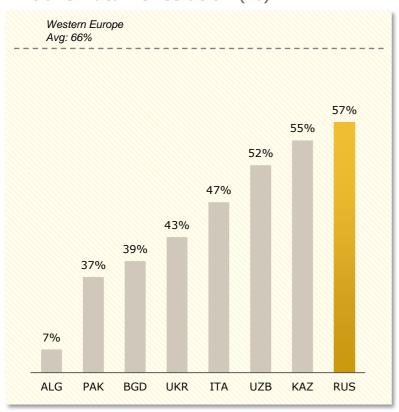


- Solid margins
- Robust cash flows
- Double digit data revenue growth
- Rational regulation
- Valuable links with other OpCos (e.g. Ukraine, Eurasia)

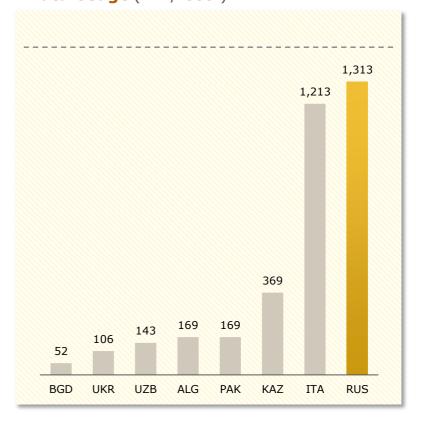


# Significant mobile data upside across portfolio





#### Data Usage (MB / User)



Notes

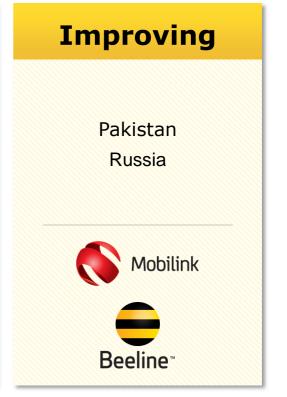
Based on Company estimates 4Q'14, where mobile data penetration = data users (number of sims with data subscribed tariff plans) / mobile customers



# Leading customer experience in 2014

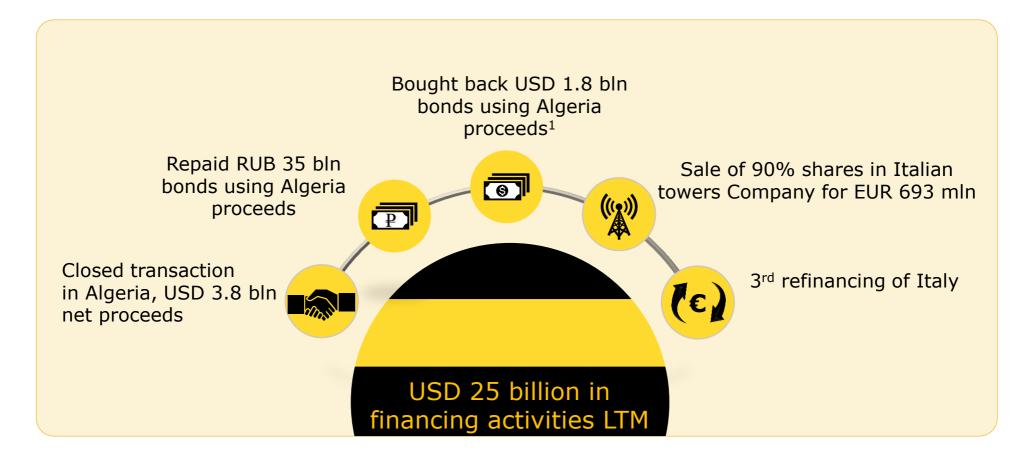








## **Capital structure optimization continues**



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> On April 2, the tender offer was settled and the bonds bought back were cancelled

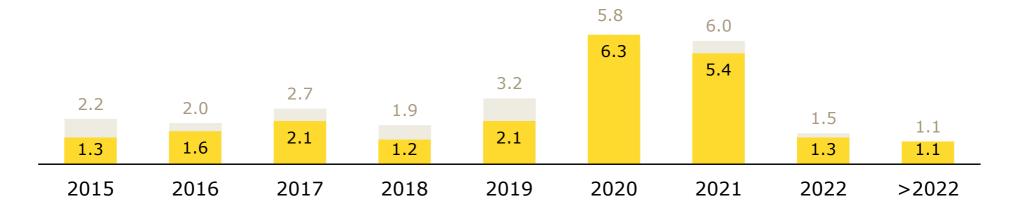


# Significantly improved debt maturity schedule

#### **Group debt maturity schedule**

(in USD billion)

- As at December 31, 2014
- As at March 31, 2015 Pro Forma<sup>1</sup>



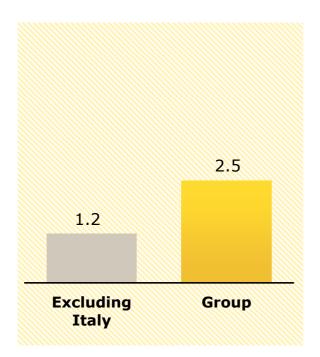


<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Maturity schedule at March 31, 2015 is pro forma for the outcome of the tender. Settlement of the tender and cancellation of the bonds was at April 2, 2015 < 11>

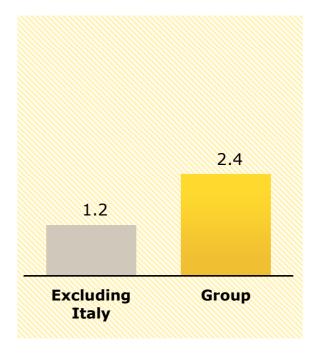
# FOREX impact on EBITDA offset by net debt reduction

#### **Net debt / EBITDA**

December 31, 2014



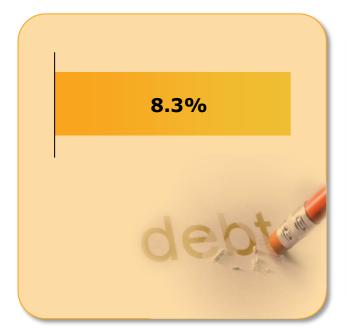
#### March 31, 2015





#### Substantial reduction in cost of debt

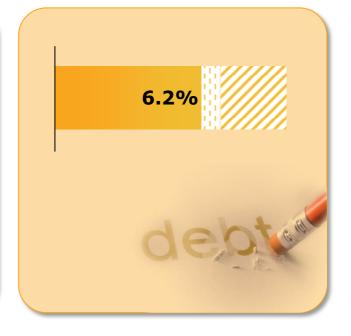
#### **Average cost of debt 1Q14**



#### Average cost of debt 4Q14



# Pro forma average cost of debt 1Q15<sup>1</sup>





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# Cash flow enhancing from financing improvements during 2014 - 1Q 2015

	Targeted potential A&I day Jan 2014	Expected savings
In-house finance company	USD 50 million	USD 20 million
Debt optimization	USD 150 million	USD 400 million
Gross debt reduction	USD 150 million	USD 280 million
Withholding tax saving	USD 50 million	
Total	USD 400 million per year	USD 700 million per year



# **Recent strategic highlights**

- Closed Algeria transaction
- Repaid USD 3.4 billion of debt
- Completed Italian tower sale
- Concluded 3<sup>rd</sup> and final stage of refinancing in Italy
- Launched 3G in Ukraine
- Launched 4G/LTE services in Georgia







## **Agenda**

- 1. Telecom environment in Russia
- 2. Beeline historical performance
- 3. Recent performance objectives
- 4. Objectives and key initiatives





#### Russia is not a single market, but 83 different local markets



- ▶ 83 regions
- ▶ 17 mln km²
- ▶ 146 mln pops
- ▶ 8 pops/ km<sup>2</sup>

#### Compared vs.



**Germany** France

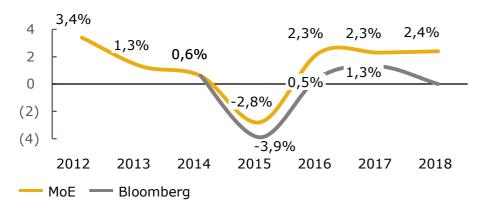
#### **Telecom market facts**

- SIM penetration >160%
- Average ARPU is USD 5.5
- 97% B2C is prepaid. No legal way to lock a customer into a long-term contract
- B2B is 100% postpaid
- National roaming
- Annual churn is 50%, only 2% of churn via MNP

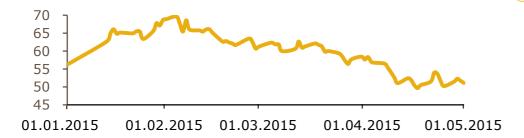


#### From macroeconomic decline to stabilization

#### **GDP Growth**



#### **USD/RUB** exchange rate



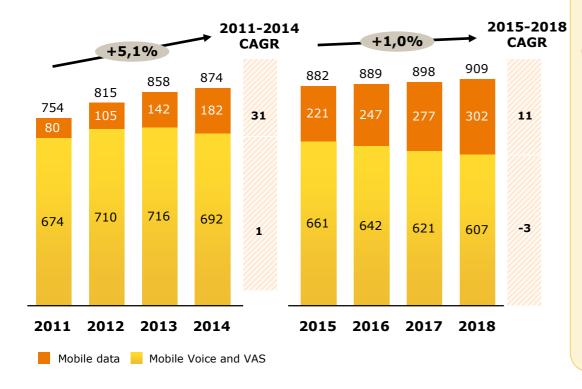
- Economic decline to bottom out in 2015
- Situation to gradually normalize from 2016 onwards with GDP growth around zero
- USD/RUB exchange rate stabilized around 50-55 level



### Telco market growth dependent on mobile data

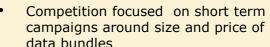
#### Russian mobile telecom market

(RUB billion; Latest estimates)





The traditional Russian telecom market has reached saturation, mobile data is the main growth driver





**Customers** 

Seeing increasing customer internet and OTT services adoption

Growth in internet usage through mobile devices



Technology focusing on 4G rollout

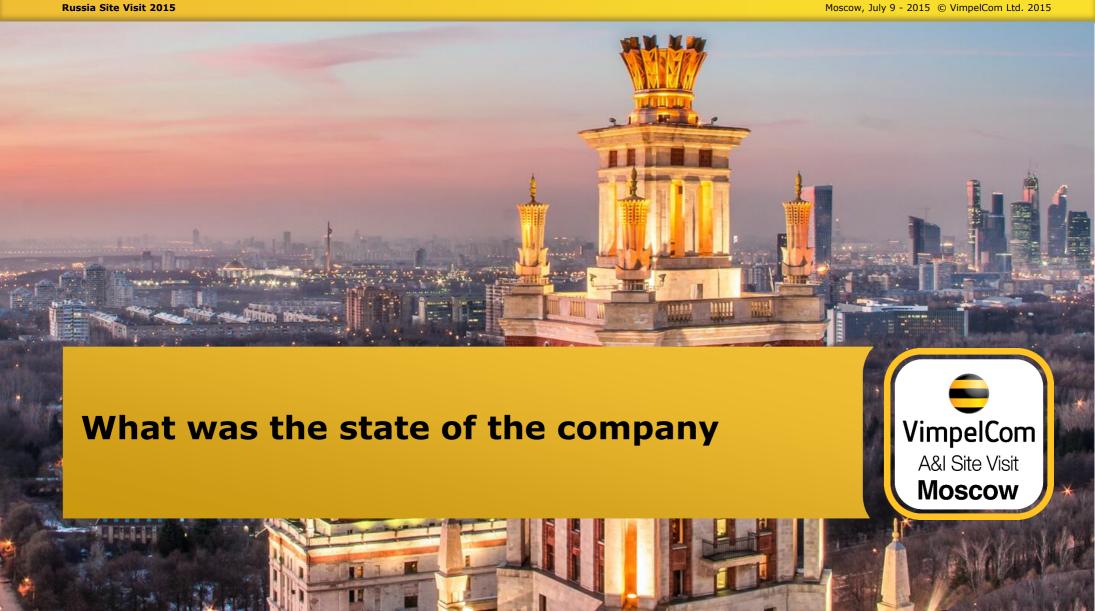
Tele2 actively upgrading existing 2G networks to 3G/4G



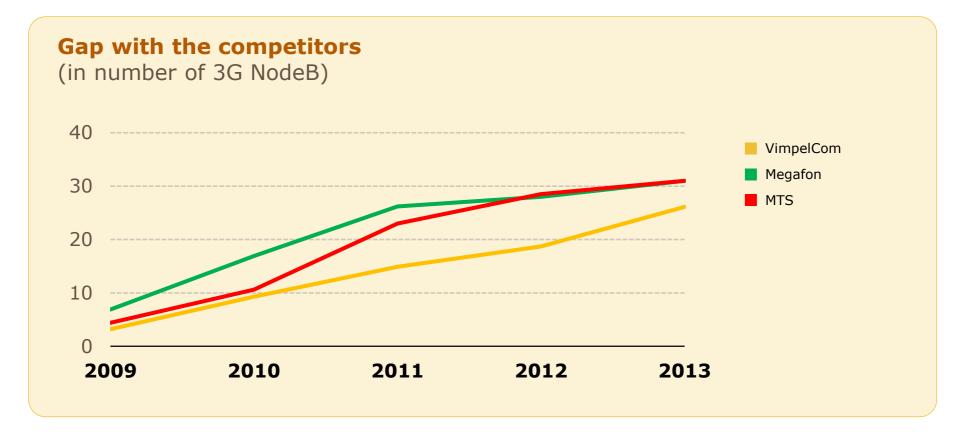
The regulator legalized network sharing in 2014, spectrum pooling expected to be allowed by end of 2015

Regulatory •

New LTE spectrum in 1.8 GHz and 2.6GHz bands will be auctioned in 2015



#### Underinvestment and lack of customer focus cost market share



## **Customer service was not at the heart of the Company**

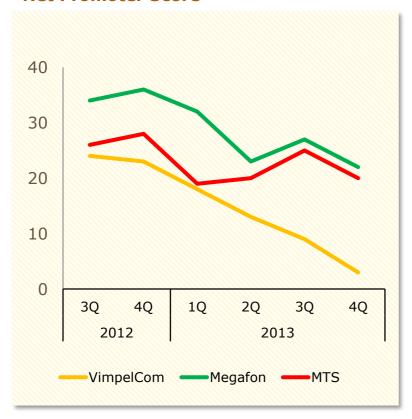
- Opaque and confusing pricing
- Terms of service frequently changed
- Share of unrequested services in company revenue reached 3.3%



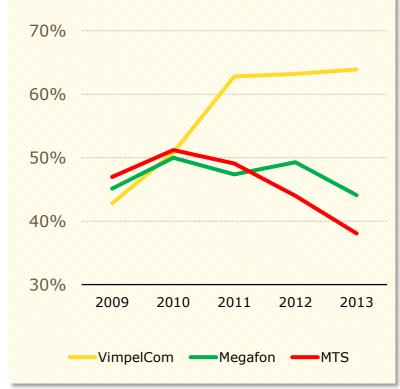


# Underinvestment impacted customer satisfaction and churn

#### **Net Promoter Score**



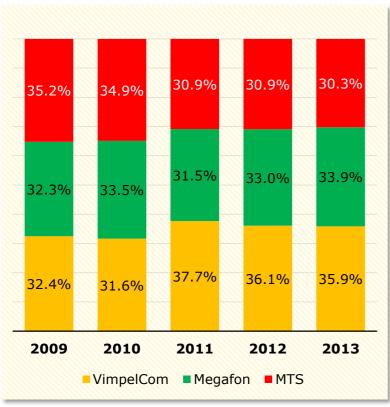
#### **Annual churn** (% of customer base)





## Beeline built the most sales-dependent business model

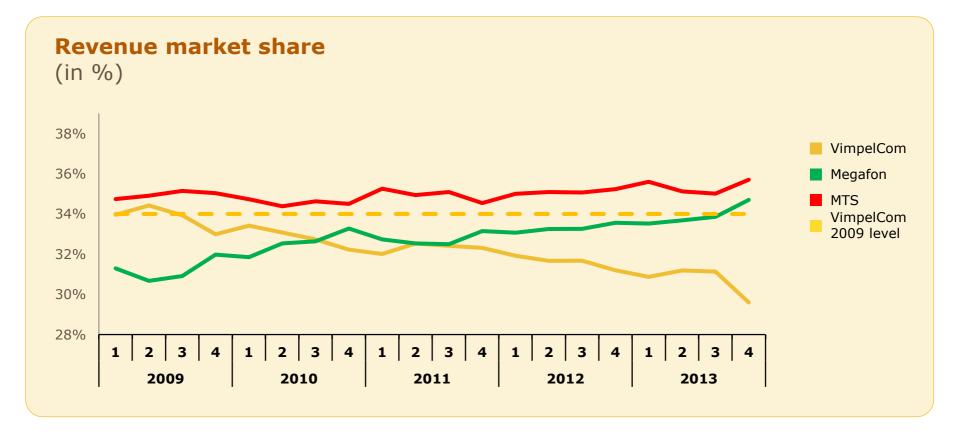


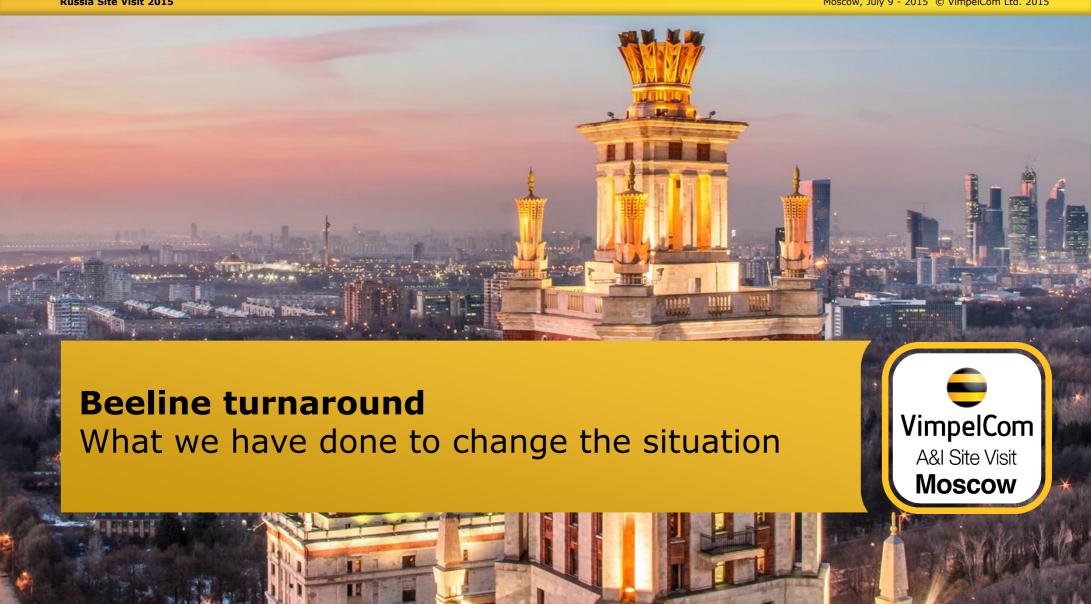


 Combination of high churn and underdeveloped distribution channel



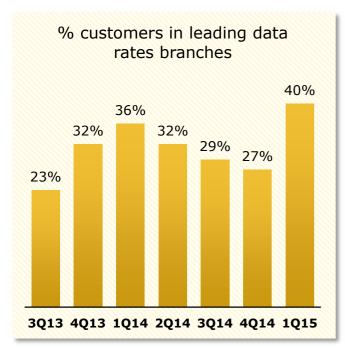
#### As a result Beeline lost market share



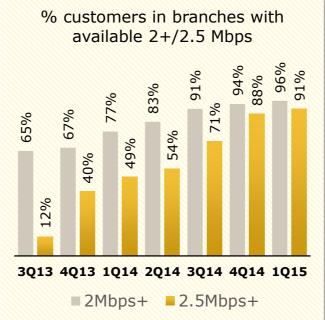


## **Focused on network quality**

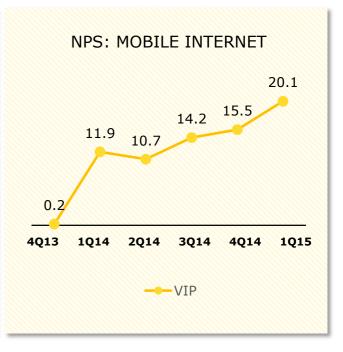
# We are speed leaders in 40% of branches



# More than 90% of customers have more than enough mobile data speed for online video streaming

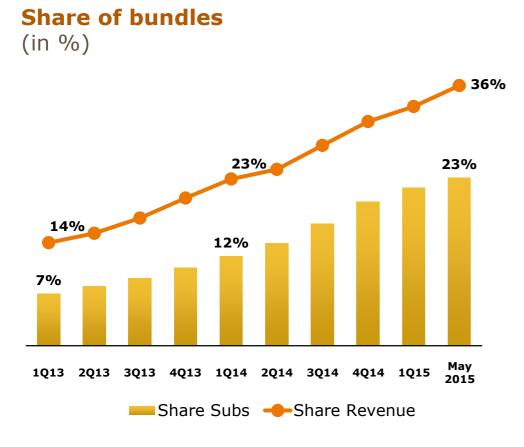


# Good growth NPS in mobile internet





# We have shifted our focus from Pay-As-You-Go voice plans to data oriented bundles

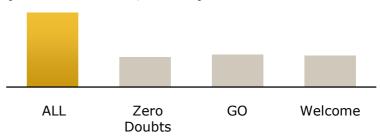


# Bundles have highest ARPU (ARPU, RUB)



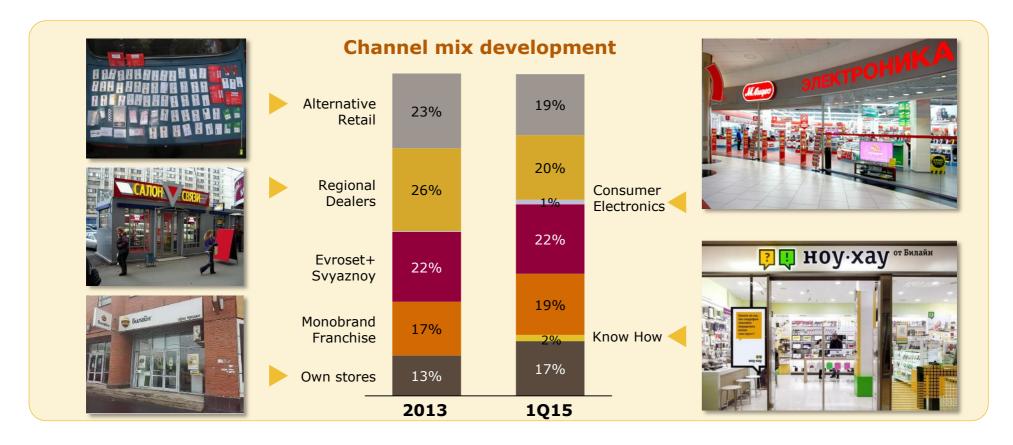
# And highest lifetime revenue

(LT Revenue, RUB)





#### Sales channel shifted from uncontrolled to controlled



# **Customer-centric transformation**



#### **Customer-centric transformation**

Transparency of content subscription costs and no unwanted contracts



Affordable smartphones



Most affordable data-roaming

Anti virus







Personalized offerings

SMS spam filter





Attractive bundles

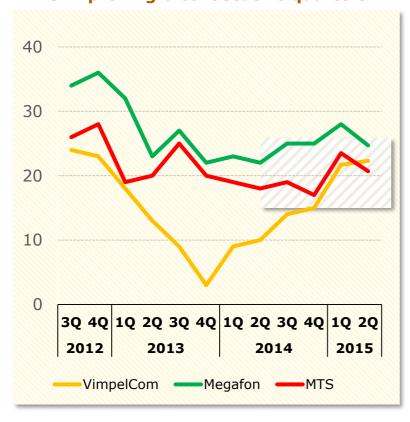


New products: shared data service

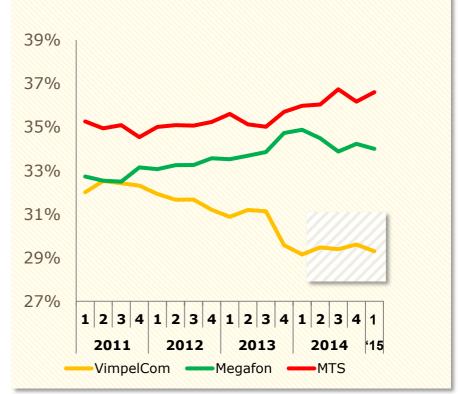


# **Improved performance**

#### **NPS** improving 6 consecutive quarters



#### **Revenue Market Share stabilized (%)**





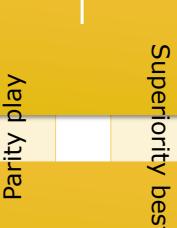
# We will deliver "Easy. Convenient. For you!"

# Price For You!

- Fair price / perceived parity in level of price in mobile
- Transparent charging, easy balance control

#### **Connectivity**

- Perceived parity in quality
- Decent and reliable network
- Fastest time to market



#### **Product**

- Simple and concise product offering
- CBM-powered Segment of One marketing
- Ubiquitous bundling

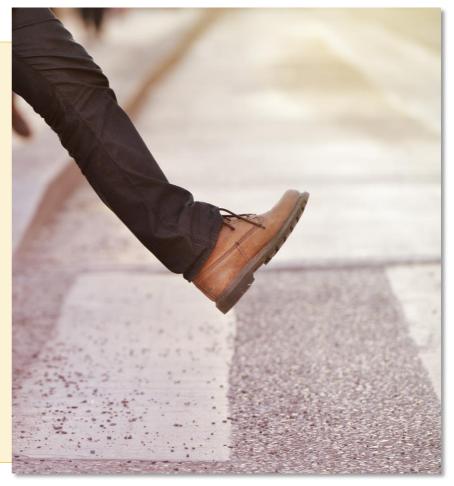
#### **Service**

- Fast, friendly, personalized and seamless service
- Best digital channels on the market



# **Key initiatives**

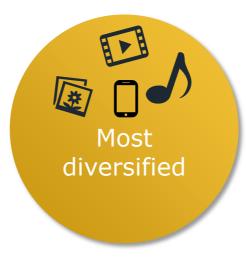
- Total bundlezation
- Best distribution
- Digital customer experience
- Quad Play
- Operational Excellence
- Mobile Financial Services
- Network sharing
- CIS evolution
- Media
- B2B: SME+ICT





# **Our aspirations**







# Best team and culture





#### **Crisis: people limit their spending**

63%

Cut down their expenses

43%

Save on footwear and clothes

31%

Postpone buying a number of products

45%

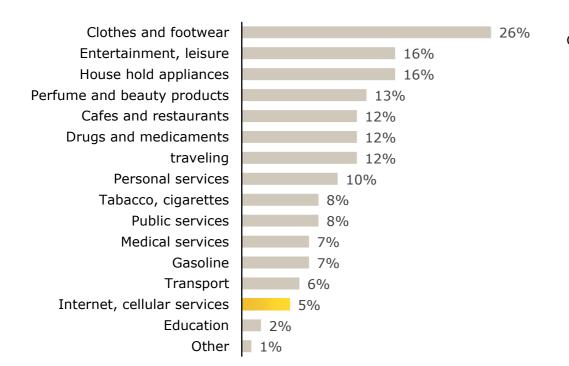
State deterioration of their material status



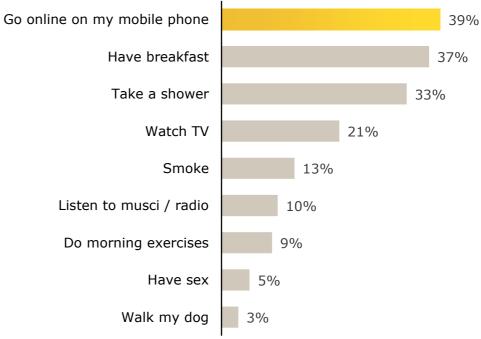
Source: FOM, 2015

#### Crisis takes toll on spending yet telecom services last to go

# Which non-food products and services you began to save more on?



#### First thing in the morning I\*...



\* Source: TNS, 2015

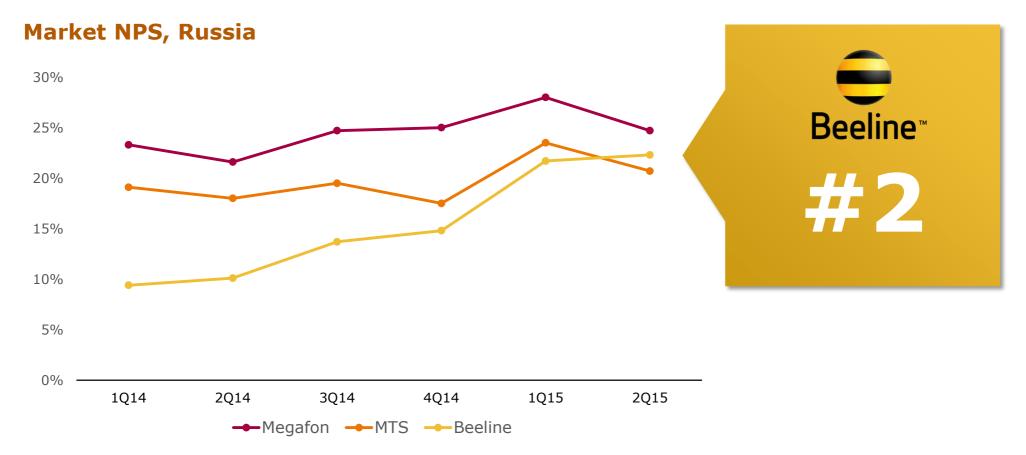


# **Beeline continues with its client-centric strategy**





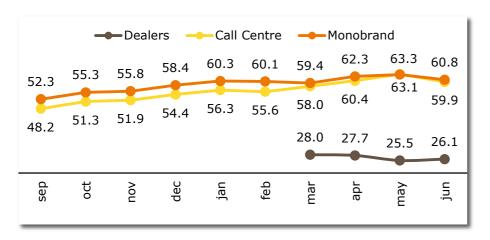
## **Catching up in NPS**

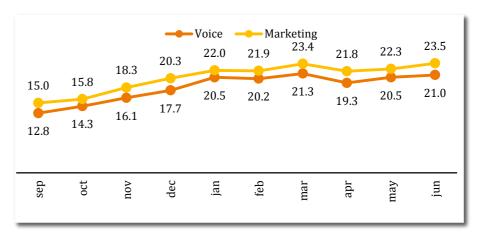


Source: NPS tracking, 2Q2015

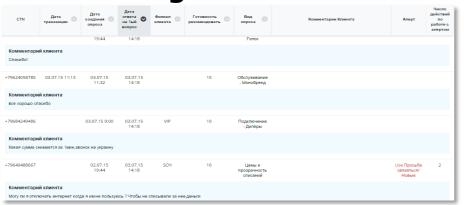


## Bottom up NPS measured and set as KPIs for all key touchpoints...





#### ..monitoring in real time

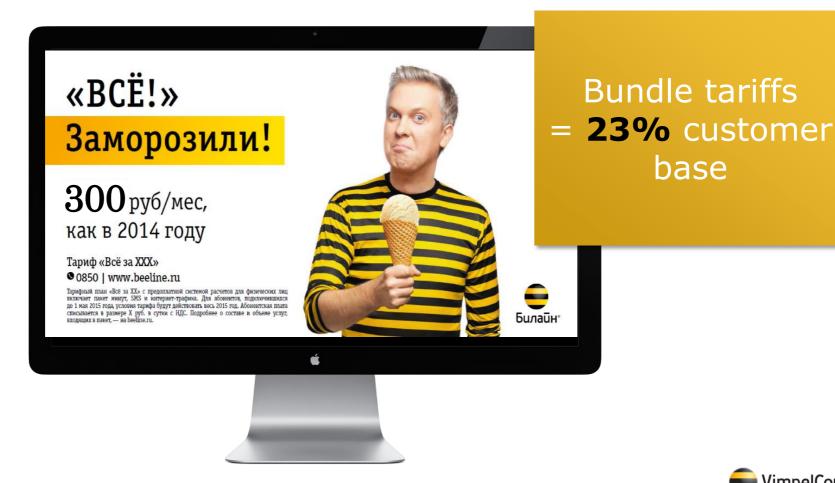


### ...and Kaizen-map creating



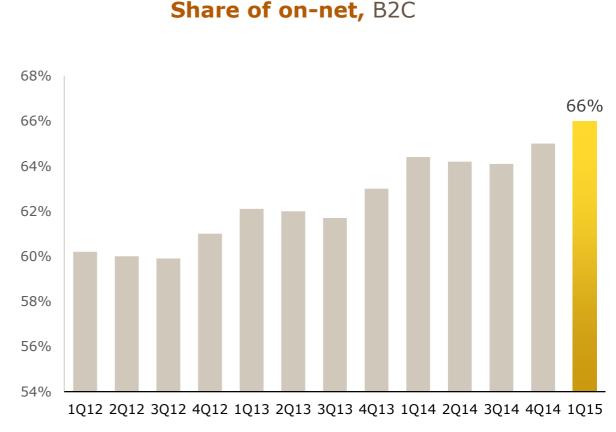


#### Leading in bundles in Russia: value for money



#### **Leading in bundles: Driving on-net traffic**





#### Leading in bundles: Beeline's unique post-paid offer

- Postpaid price plans users change operator
   4 times less often
- ARPU +4% comparing to same prepaid bundle





#### Entry level smartphones create new data usage



**RUB 990**Smartphone

Full price with prepaid bundle RUB 3,390



# Beeline leads product innovation in Russia



#### Freemium model: content offering



New episodes of "The Game of Thrones» first and free with "VSE!" RUB 600 + price plans

Partnership with Amediateka (Local equivalent of HBO GO)

Free subscription: RUB 1,000 but for our clients — free for 2 months



<sup>\*</sup> Game of Thrones 5th season

#### Freemium model: data for tablets

#### **Internet - forever!**



# Every 3rd

switches to additional bundles

43%

choose heavy volume data bundle

new go-to-market channels

#### **Shared data bundle**

- 72% clients connect tablets
- 11% clients connect 2 additional devices
- 60% new devices in Beeline base
- 60% users are ready to recommend SDB to their friends





#### **Personal Beeline**

# Не жди!

Набери **444 ©** и получи персональное предложение для тебя

Персональные предложения по акции доступны с 8 апреля по 7 сентября 2015 года абонентам «Билайн», пользующимся услугами связи более 3 дней, — физ. лицам пюбой системы расчетов и юр. лицам предоплатной системы расчетов. Звонок на номер 444 или 8-800-700-5-444 бесплатный при нахождении на территории РФ, кроме Республики Крым и г. Севастополя. Подробности — на сайте www.beeline.ru (18+)



More than 1,100,000 personalized offers



#### Capable CBM as a foundation for our marketing

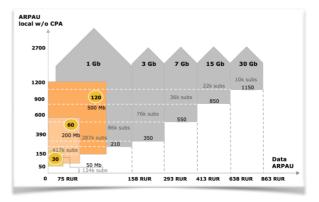
- Integrated customer lifecycle offers (incl. active archive tariffs migration)
- 2. Advanced up-sell strategy
- 3. Local offers for regional markets
- 4. Self-service CBM capability development

Saved customers 483k

Data and bundle sales: **730K** 

Active base Covered with offers: 70%





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#### **Superb Data quality: try for yourself - 1 week free**

2.1 mln of new data users

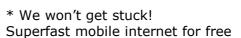
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За нами не зависнет!

Супербыстрый 4G мобильный интернет **бесплатно** 

**o**777





Нал. USD 18:08

57,10 / 57,95

#### Beeline data roaming brings best value in market

+263% increase year to year

+12% increase year to year

Мобильный интернет в роуминге выгоднее в 150 раз!



Эксперты назвали мобильного оператора с самыми низкими ценами на рочинг



**РБК** 

Полина Русяева, Виталий Акимов

Самые низкие цены на роуминг, включая голосовую связь и мобильный интернет, предлагает оператор «Вымпел-Ком», самые высокие — МТС. К такому выводу пришли аналитики Content Review







4G/LTE-roaming now in 48 countries!



#### **Push into Mobile Financial Services**



in 2015

Eunaühr

5254 1724 5678 9101

Paypass

CARDHOLDER MAME

WORLD

MOHED

#### **Key activities**

M-commerce

ATM cash withdrawal

«Beeline» card

Paypass

Insurance

Launched in monobrand

Micro loan payment (for mobile services)

Pilot for migrants



# Loyalty program: pay by card - talk free!





- ✓ Accrual 1.5% bonuses on each transaction
- ✓ Use bonus to pay for mobile equipment
- ✓ Free of charge and free SMS service

✓ 500K customer



#### 4G/LTE customer experience on 3G devices

4G-Routers RUB 799 (promo) Лови 4G торнадо на любом устройстве! 4G Wi-Fi роутер 799<sub>руб.</sub> При подключении услуг связи shop.beeline.ru Мобильный 4G Wi-Fi роутер «Билайн» позволяет одиовременно подключить к 4G до 10 Wi-Fi устройств, он предназначен для работы в сети «Билайн» и доступен абонентам Московского региона. 799 руб. стоимость роутера при покупке в комплекте с тарифом «Простой китериет» и подключенной опцией «Хайвей 30 ГБ» с абонектской плагой 1150 руб. в месяц, 1 руб, расходуется в счет оплаты будущих услуг связи. Попиля стоимость комплекта — 1950 руб. Стоимость роугера не в составе комплекта — 1950 руб. Цены с НДС. Подробнее: ● 071730, www.beeline.ru (18+). ОАО «ВампелЯон», ОГРИ 102770016638. Адрес. 127083, Билайн° Москва, ул. Восьмого Марта, д. 10, стр. 14.



# We capped unlimited data bundles and competitors followed

From unlimited to 30Gb

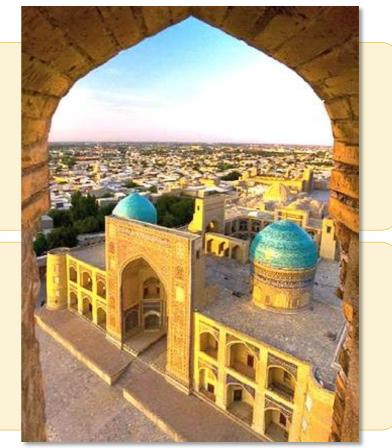




# Beeline leads in migrant services, leveraging best CIS footprint

3.9 min Customers

25% Smartphone users





## FTTB & IPTV coverage – we are the quad-play player



2.3 mln



1.05 mln



**RUB 491** 



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#### Local initiates in regions – increasing competitive advantage

\* Tablets from 3990 rub. Only in Beeline offices +200 mb forever

Планшеты

от 3990 руб.

Только в офисах «Билайн»

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«Билайн» — лидер по скорости

интернета в Санкт-Петербурге

beeline.ru

Повстречал знакомых львов,

загрузил пятьсот мегов





на смартфон

Обменяй старый мобильный на скидку в 2500 рублей на новый смартфон



\* Met familiar lions, loaded 500 mb"

Beeline – data speed leader in St.Petersburg

\* Closer to loved ones Phone calls without intercity-roaming within South and the North Caucases

#### Ближе к близким

Звонки без межгорода по всему Югу и Северному Кавказу

Тарифы «Билайн» | ● 0606

Предложение доступно в рамках тарифов «Вилайко для абонентов — физических лиц предоплатной системы расчетов и распространяется при пу шествиях по Волгоградской, Астраханской и Ростовской областии, Краснодарскому и Ставропольскому краям, республикам Адыгеи, Дагестан, Кабар

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\* Change your retro handset to smartphone Exchange your old phone for discount for a new smartphone







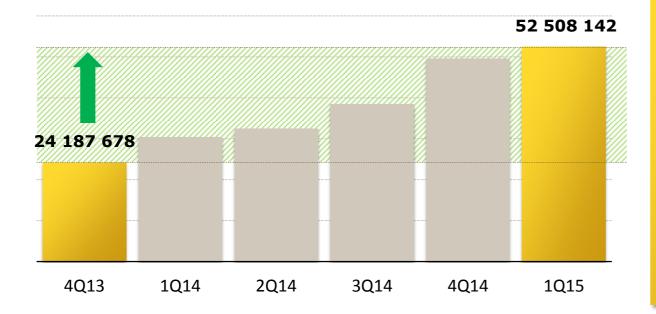
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# **Initial results**



#### Traffic, GB



Mobile data revenue up 18 percent YoY



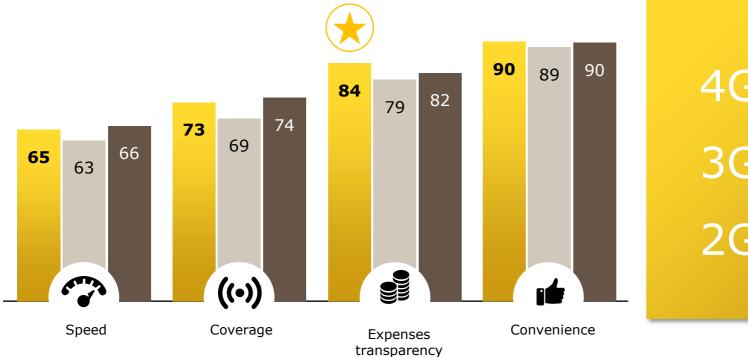
#### **Customer base increased 1.2 percent YoY**



## **Churn decreased 5 percent YoY**



#### Leading in mobile data perception

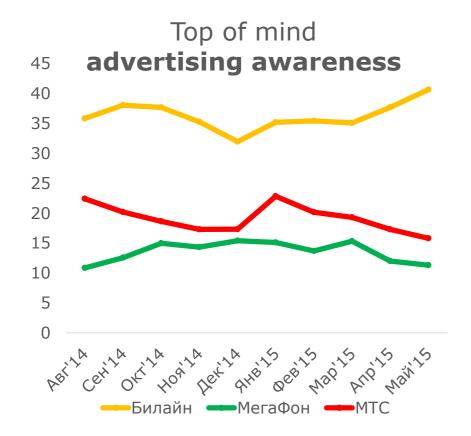


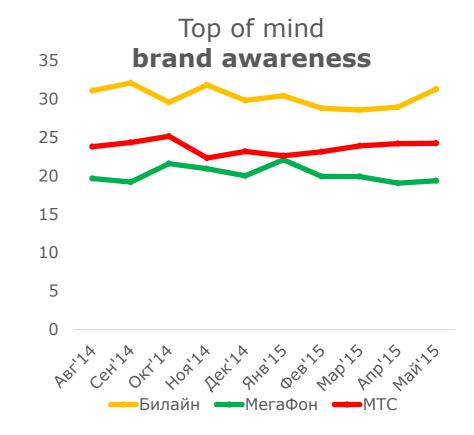
4G +70% 3G +12% 2G +6%





#### Beeline - #1 telecom brand in Russia

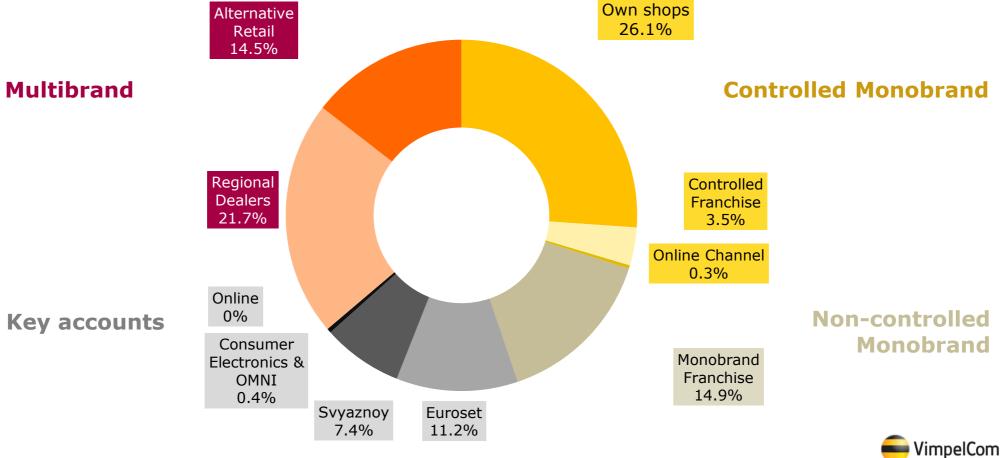




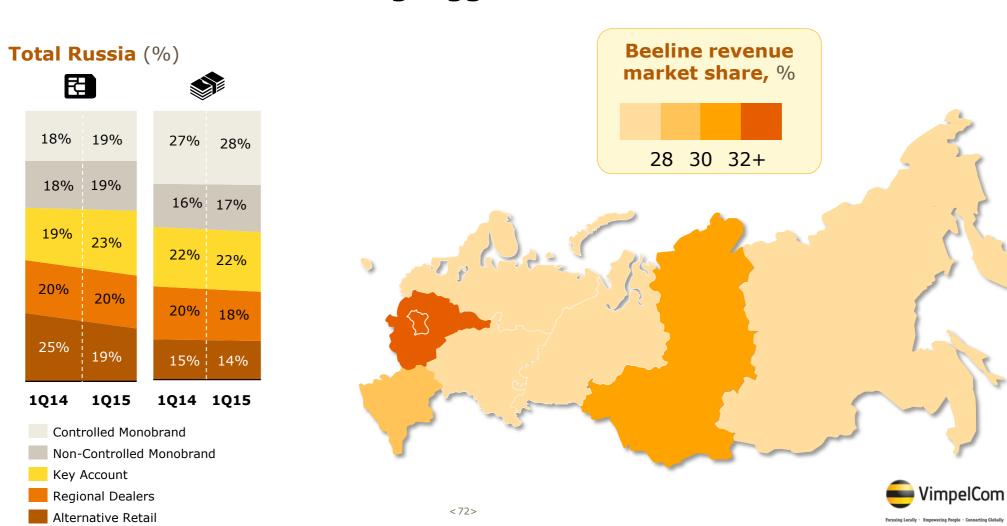




#### Russian mobile market distribution



#### Controlled channels taking bigger share



# Channel mix shifting towards controlled channels

- Own shops our main strategic focus, as highest ARPU and lifetime channel
- Whilst we build out more own shops, key accounts will provide revenue market share growth
- Regional dealers are under market pressure. We will only support the channel where we have a leading position
- In alternative retail we are cutting "bad" sales
- Consumer Electronics focus on Freemium



Channel mix in sales and revenue

# **Beeline shops**





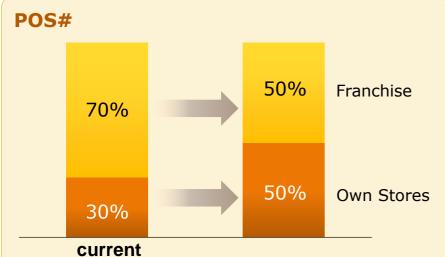


### **Building towards optimal store count**



We are opening

30 new stores per month



1 shop for **50 thousand people** 

We will cover **70-75% of population,** the rest will be covered by franchise



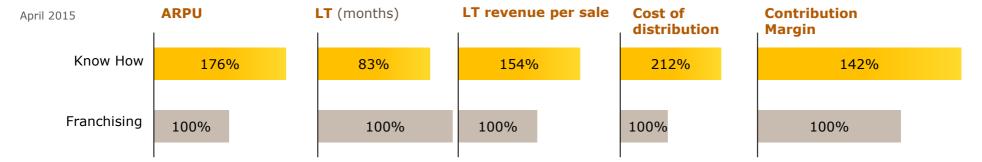
# Omni-channel is the main tool for overtaking competitors





### **Customer satisfaction in focus Daily report** 2014 - 2015 +13pp 62 60 57 52 49 **New service NPS** standards +26% 2Q14 3Q14 4Q14 1Q15 2Q15 Feedback work

# **Know-How multibrand franchise will be more efficient than classic franchise**





8% ARPU growth YoY in 1Q15



### **Multibrand franchise Know-How concept**

#### Total area ~40 m<sup>2</sup>

- ► Store **trade area 35** m²
- ▶ Warehouse 2 m²

In city centers (except Moscow and St-Pete)



Focus on **Bundles «SIM + Data device»** with Lowend devices

# Know-How concept



Unified offers for customers (by one supply chain)



Internet promotion, a navigation and image advertisement

Unified standards (by NPS control and single POS soft management)



Large assortment range by online shop window in each store



# **Closing ineffective franchising stores**











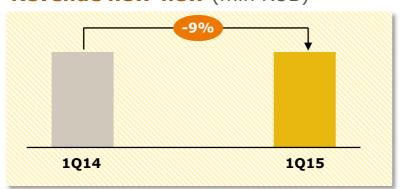




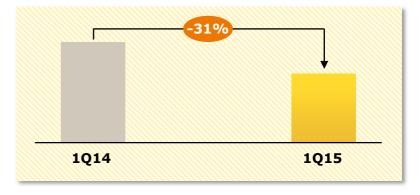
# **Cutting low quality sales in alternative retail**



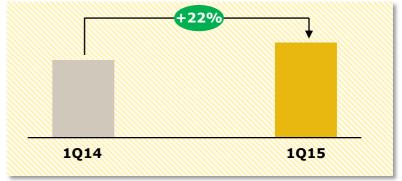
Revenue new-new (mln RUB)



**Active sales** (thousands customers)



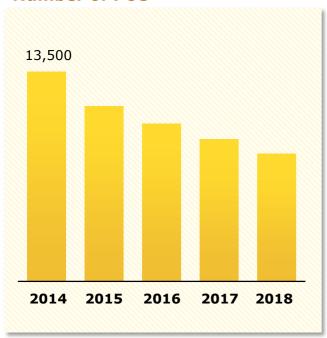
**ARPU** (RUB)





### Regional dealer market is decreasing due to crisis

#### **Number of POS**







- Device market drop, no credits, customers falling incomes, traffic decrease
- ▶ 16% of partners' sales points were closed
- SIM sales are decreasing



# **Growing consumer electronics channel**













#### Who

National electronics hypermarkets with both physical stores and online shops

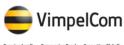
#### **#POS**

990 POS

#### **Share**

1% in sales, 1% in revenue of new customers





# Drive Consumer Electronics sales by launching regular products and "Freemium"

1. Regular products sales started at all CE stores across Russia



- 2. 183K Freemium SIM bundled with free tablets in MVideo campaign
- 3. 1Q15 Freemium total sales in CE 314K SIM bundled and 24% SIM registered:







# **Exploring new sales channels**

#### **Russian Post**

#### **Proposal concept:**

Main pool of tariffs exposed in 20,000+ branches in Russia



#### **New Channels**

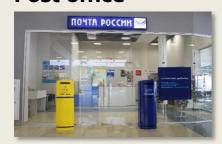
(banks, coffee houses, restaurants, cosmetics networks)

#### **Proposal concept:**

100% Freemium, one-off proposal by channel's specificity, focus on product's unique character



#### **Post office**



#### **Coffee houses**



#### **Banks**



#### Fast food



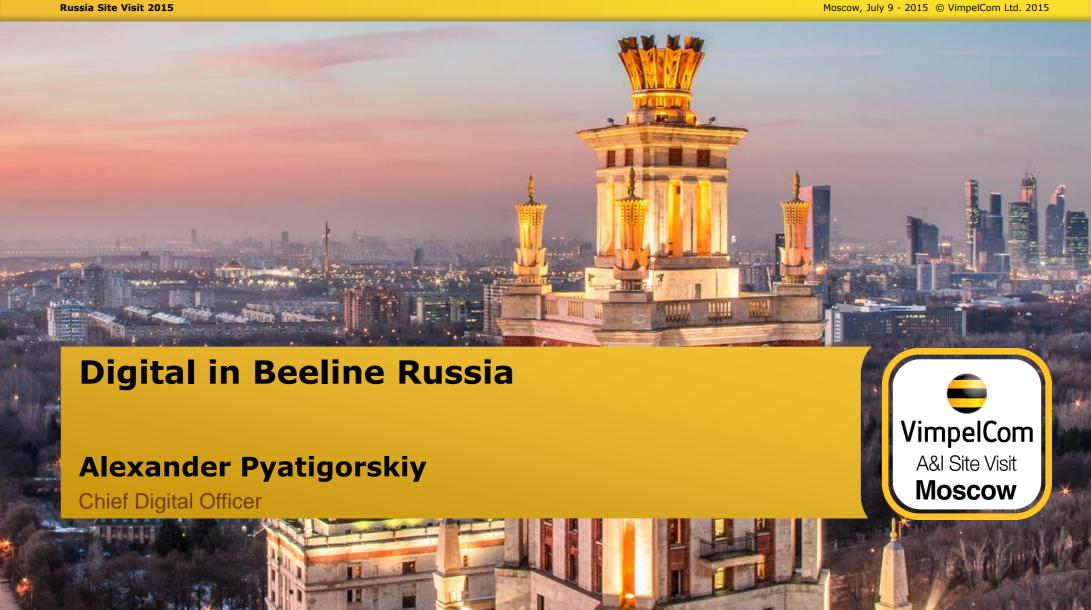


#### **Conclusion**

- Strategic focus on owned Beeline monobrand stores
- NPS improving
- Increasing efficiency of franchise channel, cutting low quality in alternative channel
- Expansion in new channels

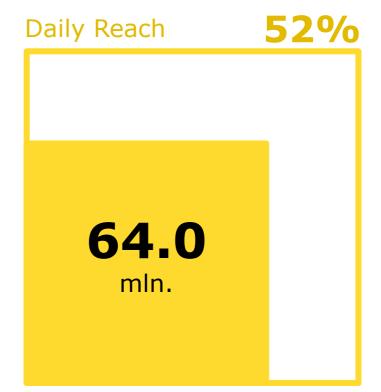






# Why Digital?





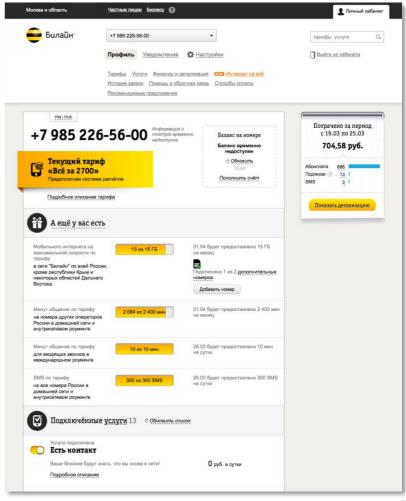


#### **Service**

App launched in March 2014
More then **10 mln** downloads

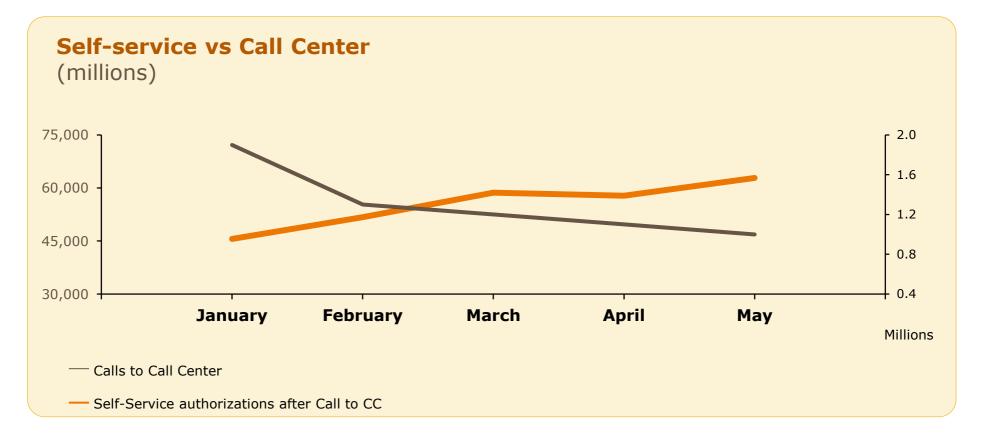
#### **Russia Telco App ratings**

	A		
Beeline	4	4,5	4
MTS	1,5	2,8	No
Megafon	2	3,5	No
Yota	3	3,9	No





#### **Self-Service instead of Call Center**

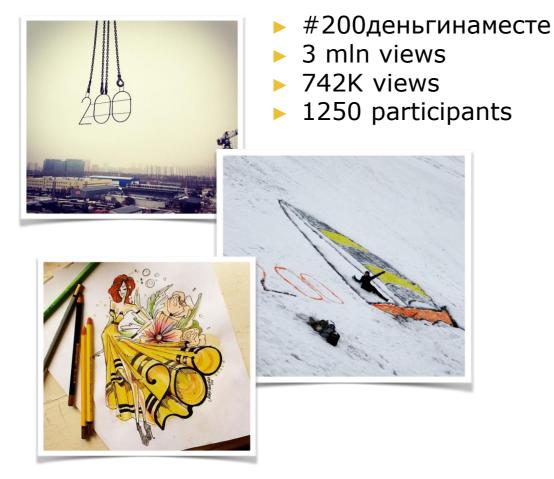


# Sale & Upsell





#### **Promotion & Advertisement**





- Programmatic buying
- Less money more result

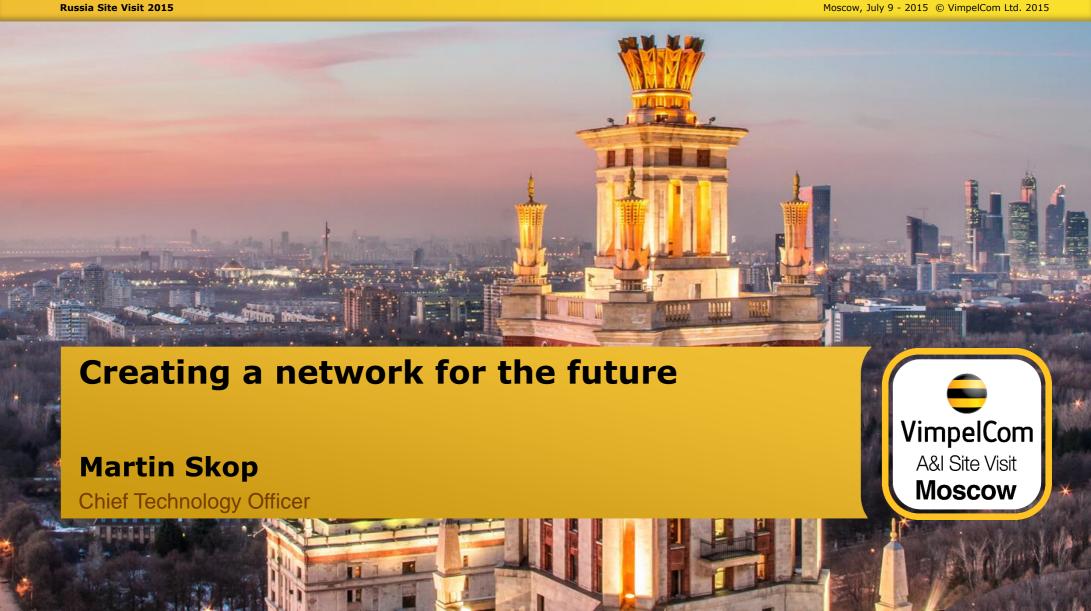


Просто. Удобно. Для тебя!









# **Creating a network for the future**

- 1. Overview of current network
- 2. Performance
- 3. Innovation
- 4. Future readiness
- 5. CAPEX evolution



#### **Overview of current network**

# **Complexity**



Focus on core location with the biggest influence:  $240 \rightarrow 7$ 

#### **Too many vendors**



Complex vendor map:  $5^+ \rightarrow 2-3$ 

Network operation in the biggest country is a challenge



Country with many core locations and cable infrastructure

Opportunity in business process improvement



Defined KPIs for key drivers e.g. number of purchase orders

**Spectrum situation** 

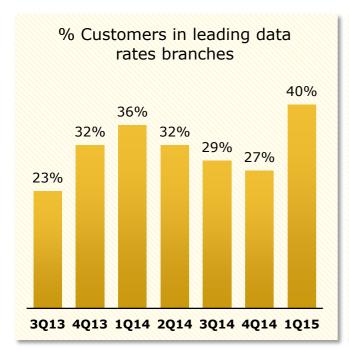


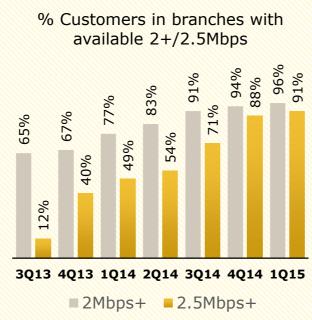
Spectrum availability in different regions -> cleaning program

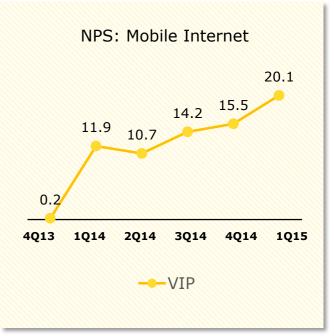


### **Improving network performance**

- In-house benchmarking: 40% of our customers live in areas where we are #1 in data speed
- Customer feedbacks: Net promoter score (NPS) is growing
- Cluster approach (A, B, C, D)









#### **Recent innovations**

4G/LTE active radio sharing

First



Voice over 4G/LTE

Voice First





# **Network transformation underway**

Voice

Data

Digital services

Voice Full HD

On-line
Digital
Services
"Fast Time-ToMarket"

# Data -Centric Network

"Always-Connected"
"Network Agnostic
Service"
FMCG-network



#### **Future**

Best customer experience

Design for the future

Smart rollout and investment process

**Operational Excellence** 



# Forward looking mobile strategy

- Good in voice
- Behind in 4G/LTE coverage
- Network needs modernising
- IT needs simplification
- Cost base too high



#### **Always On & Online**

- Seamless handover RAN/WiFi
- In key regions Fixed/Mobile (FMC)

#### **Technology**

- Simple, Lean, Fast
- Modern, reliable network & IT
- Share/partner everywhere
- Up-skilled & re-organised

Best Customer Experience

Smart rollout

Design for the future

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### **Provide best customer experience**

#### **Priority**

#### **Key initiatives**

# Best customer experience

#### Always best network where we are

- Always on with best KPI
- No preventable outages
- Best HD voice, best video
- Automated optimisation (SON)

#### Best customers get best service

- Prioritise smartphones
- Smart traffic management
- End to end quality of service
- Caching & application optimisation



### **Designed for the future**

#### **Priority**

#### **Key initiatives**

# **Design for the future**

- IMS services (VoLTE etc)
- Core site reduction
- New transmission architecture
- All IP transmission
- Radio modernisation
- Core virtualisation
- Disaster recovery & no single points of failure



#### A smart rollout

#### **Priority**

#### **Key initiatives**

# **Smart** rollout

#### **Focused network deployment**

- By branch priority (A, B, C, D)
- By geography locations
- Based on customer data

#### **Share everywhere**

- Active and passive everywhere
- Sharing program with MTS
- Spectrum sharing when will be available



# 4G/LTE-sharing with MTS



Estimated savings of 30-40% of construction costs



### **Fixed-line network strategy**

### **Priority**

### **Key initiatives**

# Fixed-line network

- Maximize our assets footprint
- Common core with mobile
- Cloud & virtualization, vCPE

TV

- Develop new OTT Product
- Plug & play IPTV solution



# Operational Excellence: focus on simplification while improving reliability

# **ZERO** Outage

- Focus on location with the biggest influence
- Routine for day to day tasks
- Train and repeat with our staff every day

# **Operational Excellence**

2 is better than 5

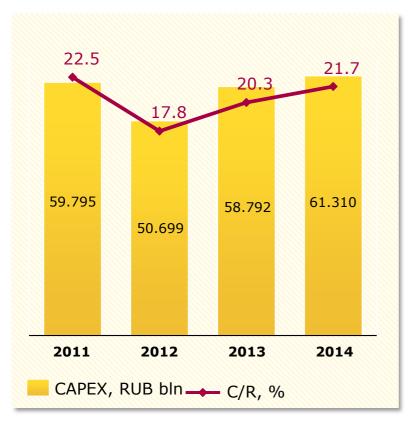
- Efficiency in our business processes
- Simplification of our infrastructure
- Selection of right partners and vendors

# Increasing automization

- Automatization minimizes human input
- Certified staff
- Defined KPIs purchase orders and process steps



# **CAPEX dynamics 2011-2014 with changing USD rate**



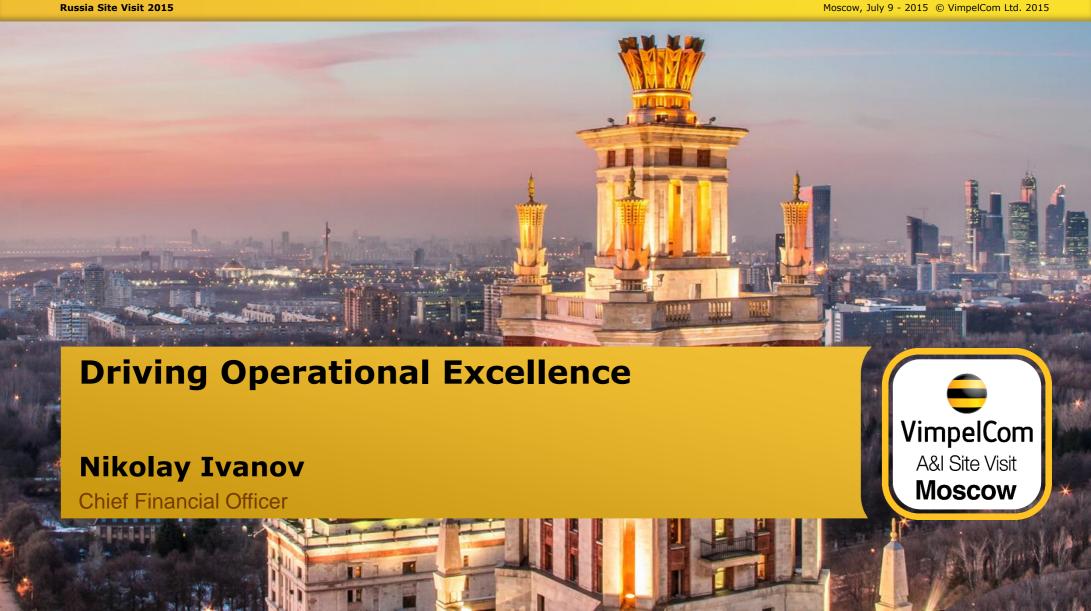




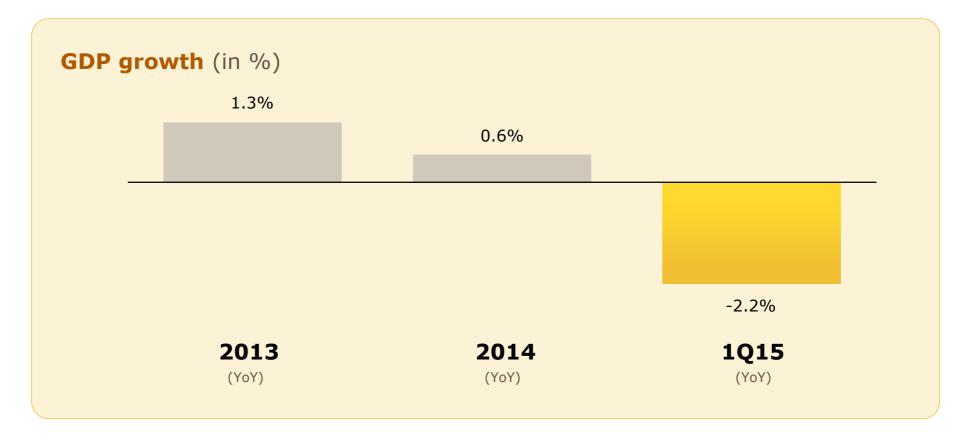
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- Customer Excellence
- Smart rollout and investment process
- Design for future
- Operational Excellence



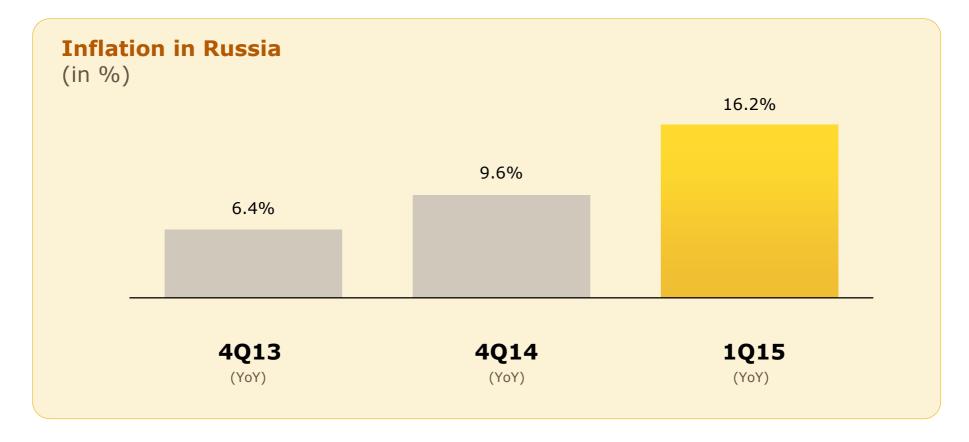


### **Challenging macro economy**





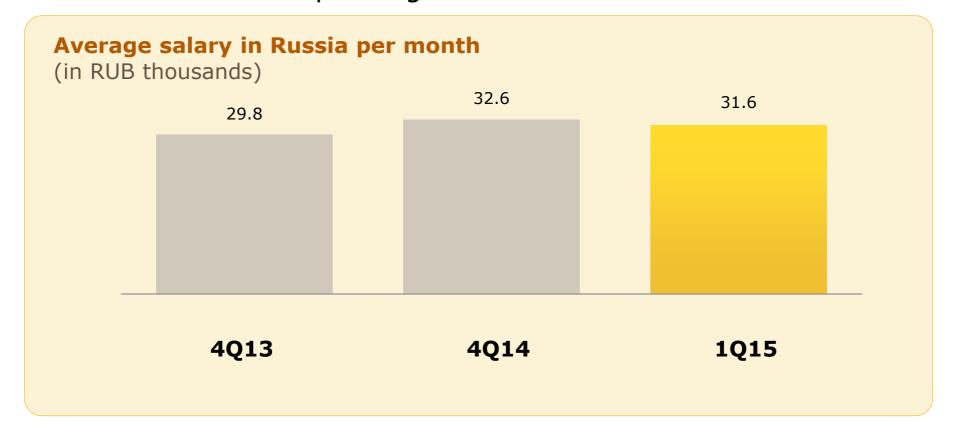
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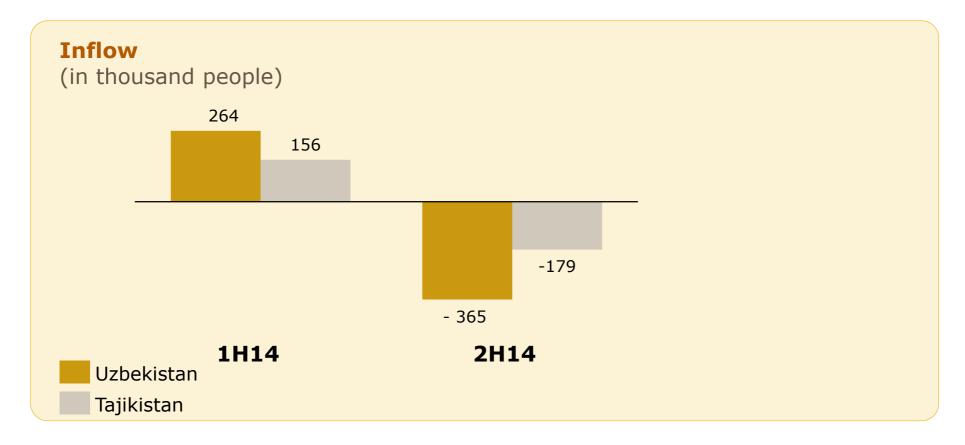
### Wage inflation at low level

Mobile share of overall spending at 1%

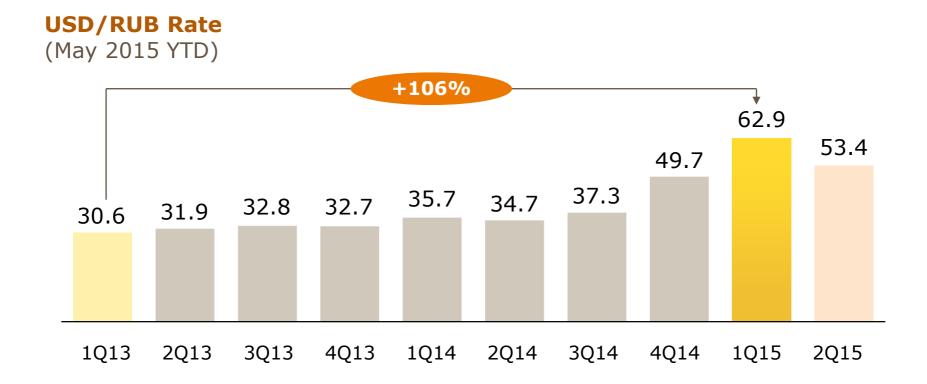




### Migration switched from net inflow to outflow

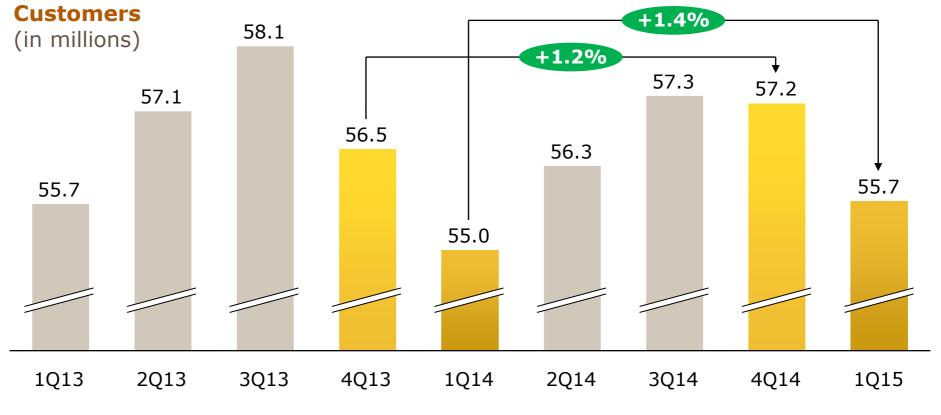


### Weak ruble beginning to stabilize

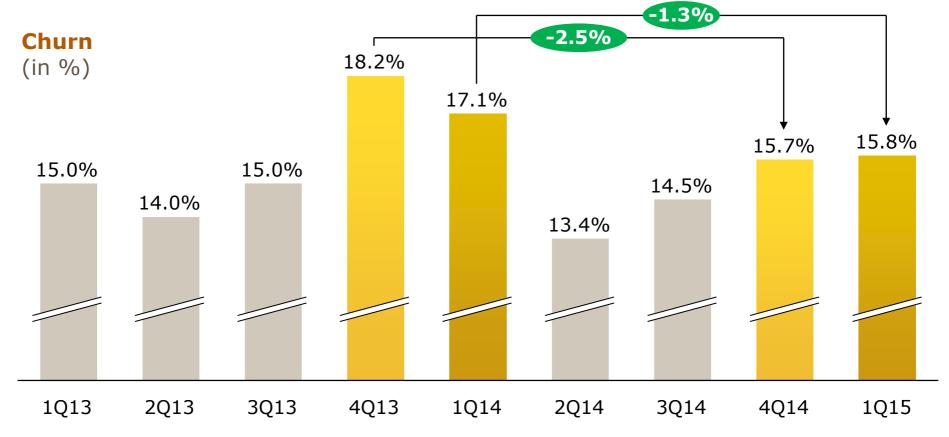




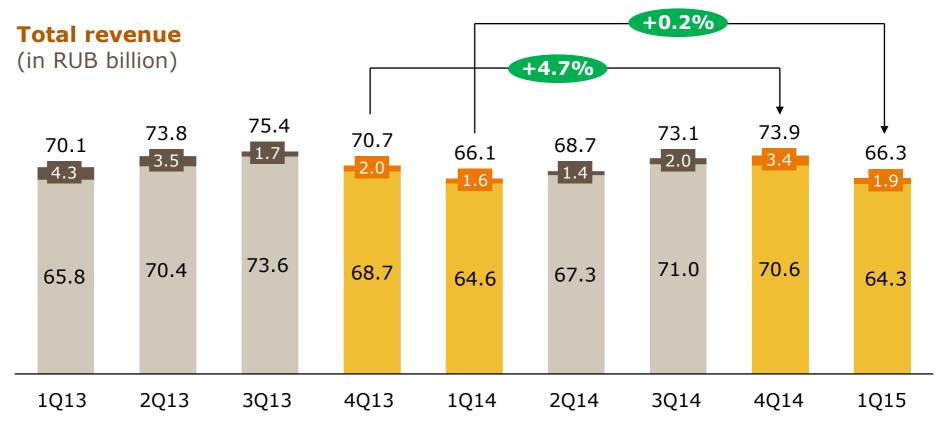
### **Customer base back to YoY growth**



### **Turnaround in quarterly churn**



### **Back to YoY revenue growth**

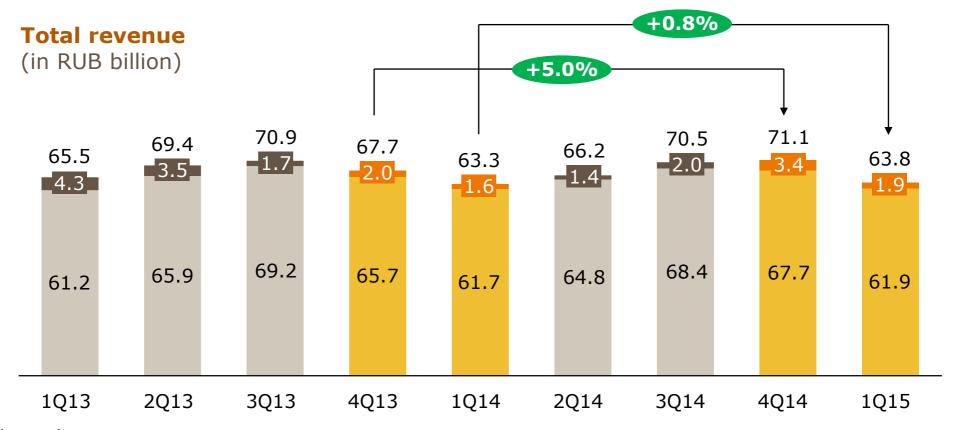


Non-main revenue

Service revenue

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### **Excluding content revenue growth even higher**



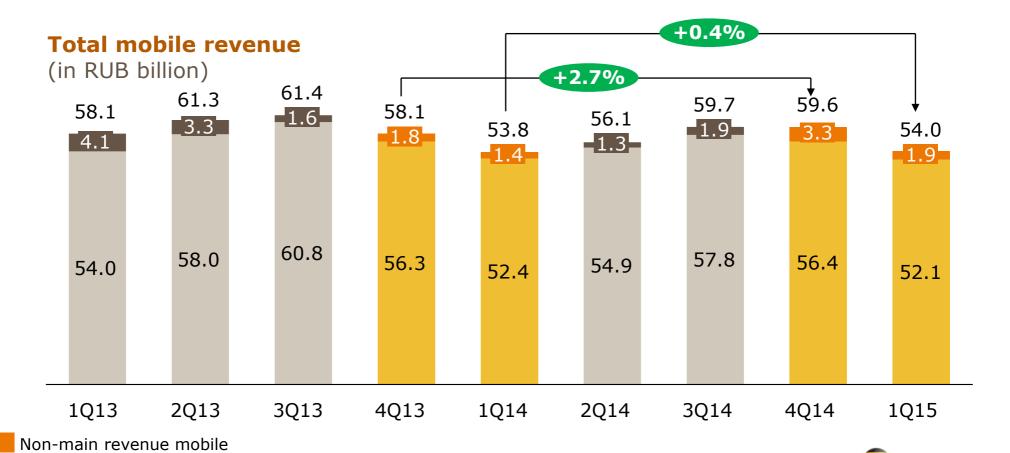
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Service revenue Mobile

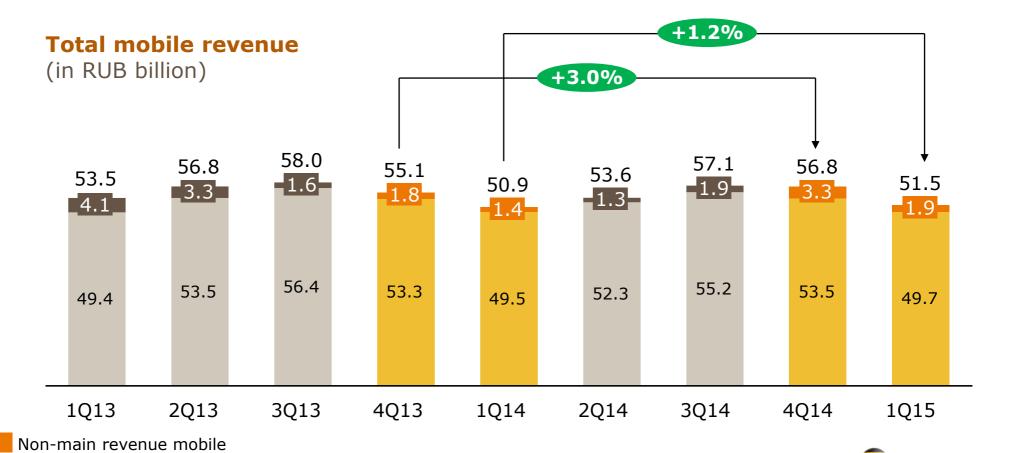
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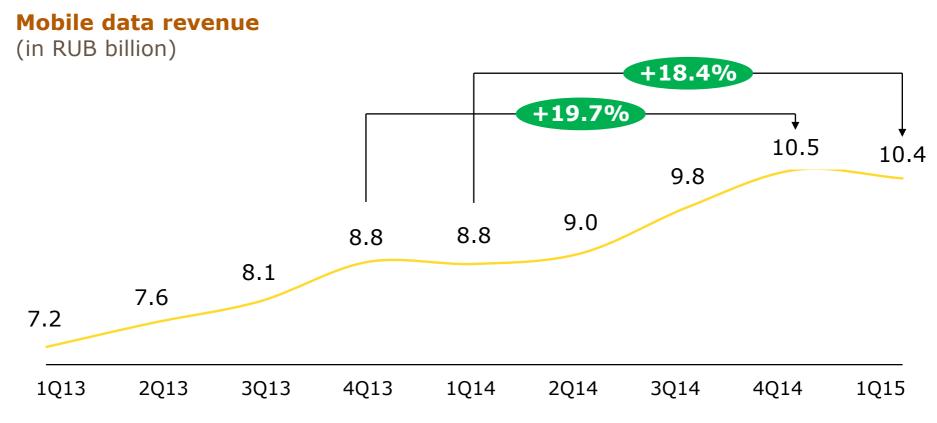
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Mobile Service revenue w/o content

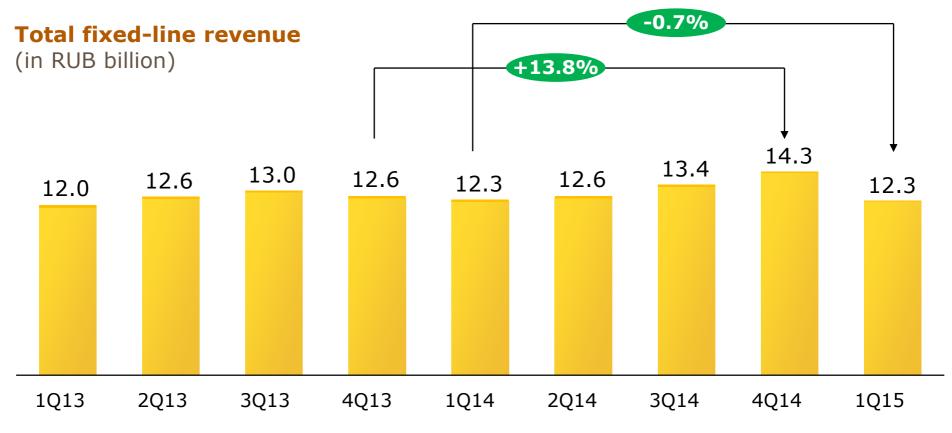
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### Mobile data revenue the growth engine

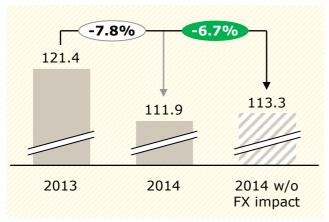


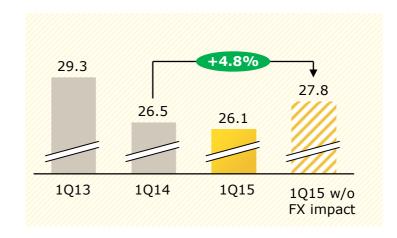
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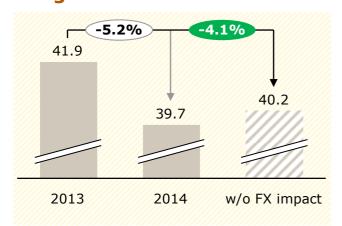
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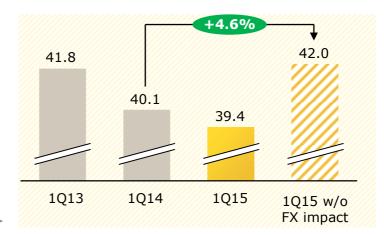
#### **EBITDA**





#### **EBITDA Margin %**





### Operational Excellence



# Cover all the value add elements: OPEX, CAPEX, Margins, Inventory, Cash

### Creating a continuous improvement culture

# Value generation not just cost reduction



# Long-term, not just short-term, targets and solutions

# Changing the mind set regarding traditional structures, processes and practices



# Go digital and use new technologies

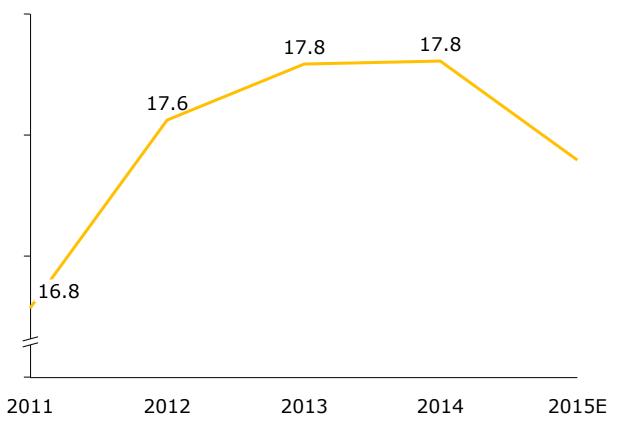


### Align personal and company goals



# Integrating efficiency targets with personal KPIs

### Site rental cost to decrease in 2015

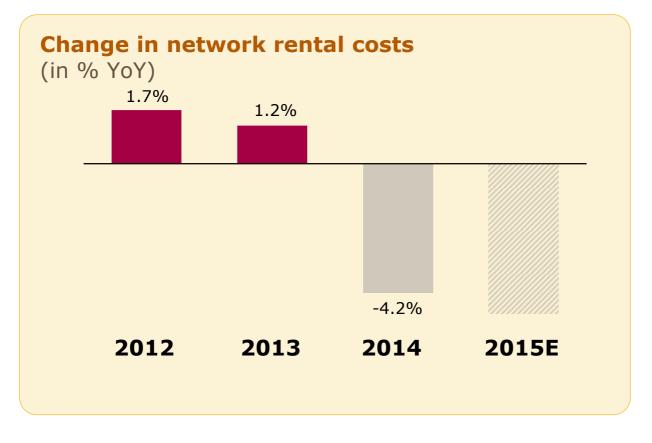


- Small cell usage
- Joint negotiations and rent seeking
- Optimization of equipment set
- Motivation program for employees
- Centralized negotiations (with monopolists)

Rent per mobile site, RUB (thousands)/month



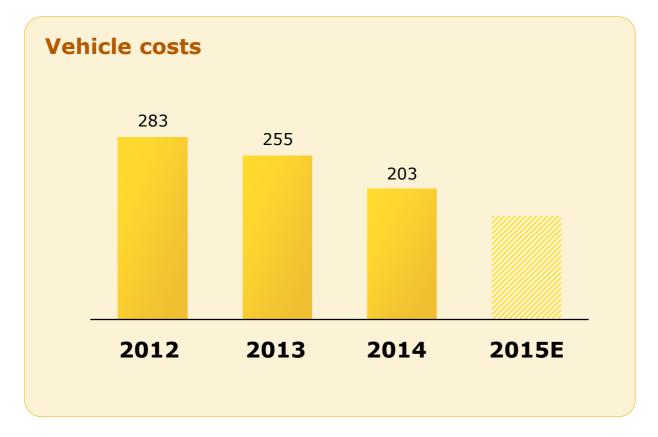
### Transportation network rental costs also decreasing



- Own network construction
- Joint construction and sharing
- Replacement of rented space channels by own space capacity
- Channel rent business process optimization
- IP-zation and SDH channel reduction



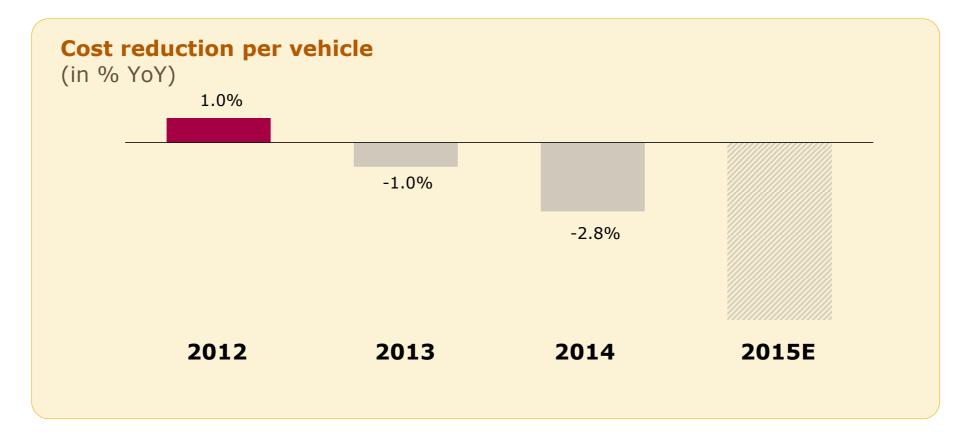
### Strong reduction in vehicle expenses



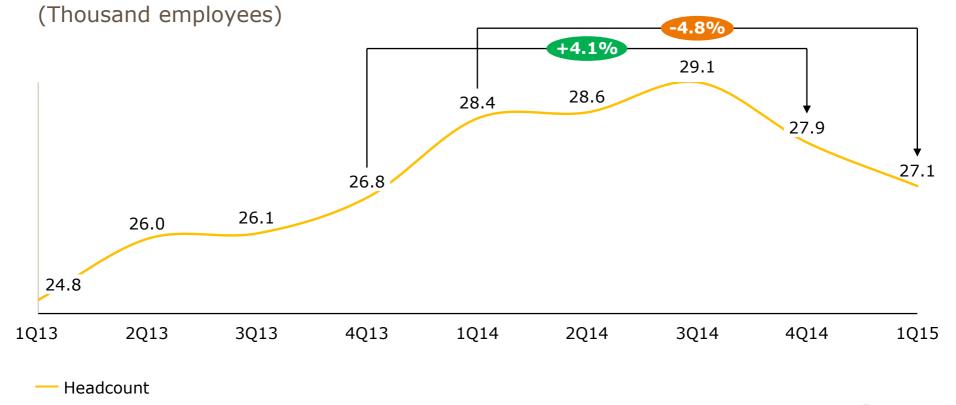
- Reduced the number of models
- Review the required number of vehicles
- New vehicle policy
- Started to use own GPS tracking system to optimize the number and usage of company's vehicles



### Cost per vehicle declining despite inflation



### Reducing headcount without impacting front office functions



### **Increasing efficiencies through Shared Service Centre project**



<sup>\*</sup> Based on number of FTE transferred and FTE reduced



### Three phased logistics optimization project leading to substantial savings

Phase 1 Phase 2 Phase 3 2015 2016 2014 Central warehouse Branches warehouses Regional warehouses optimization optimization optimization 35% estimated 57% estimated savings and Focus on the main FTE reduction over service quality business 3 year growth

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### **Improving capital efficiency**

- Increased level of accountability
- Improvement of quality of investment cases and decisions taken
- Greater focus on project management
- Focus on monitoring and post investments reviews
- Tighter control
- Optimization of investment portfolio
- Optimization of planning by strategic regions
- Network sharing and outsourcing
- Vendors strategy





### Strong working capital improvement

2012-2014 net working capital improved by RUB 3.1bn:

- Overall OPEX inventory decreased due to improvement of planning, logistics and obsolete inventory sale off
- Strict rules on advance payments: discounts versus advances
- 60 days of payment terms to all suppliers

Description	06.2012-12.2014	Effect
Days sales outstanding	-5%	Positive
Days in inventory	-66%	Positive
Days purchase outstanding	+15%	Positive
Days customer advances outstanding	+29%	Positive

### Ruble weakness related risks

#### Risks of ruble weakness

- Price increase
- Pricing and supply chain suppliers pass on currency risks to integrators
- Supplier bankruptcy
- Supply refusal





### **Adjusting to new reality**

- All currency risks are managed individually
- Fix prices in rubles
- Price reduction by discounts, direct contracts with modified logistics schemes, currency risk compensation (flexible discount)
- Transfer to currency corridors
- All cash outflows, linked to foreign currency, are hedged for the next 6 months using FX derivatives
- For the full year 2015 USD cash outflows have been hedged at a level of USD/RUB ~61



### **Conclusion**

- Macro environment expected to remain challenging
- Turnaround visible in YoY improvements
- Continued focus on operational efficiencies



