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# Investor Presentation

MercadoLibre, Inc.



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Third Quarter 2023

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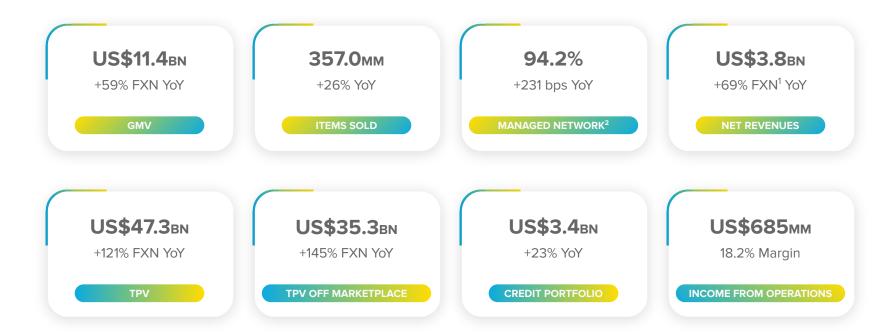
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### **Operational & Financial Highlights**

Third Quarter 2023



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> FX-Neutral basis (Please see shareholder letter for reconciliation to nearest GAAP measure)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Percentage of items sold that were shipped on our Managed Logistics Network

## Key Messages

Third Quarter 2023

- > Q3'23 was another quarter that showed our ability to deliver operating leverage as we scale on the back of continued strong growth, resulting in another record for quarterly Income from Operations of \$685mn, with a margin of 18.2%. We have achieved this whilst continuing to invest across the business.
- > Mexico stood out as the market with the fastest net revenue growth, which was up 66% YoY; Brazil also stood out as the market with the highest Direct Contribution growth, up 157% YoY. Together, these two markets accounted for 65% of Q3'23 Direct Contribution and 82% of incremental DC when compared with Q3'22.
- > **Gross Merchandise Volume** surpassed \$11bn on the back of accelerating sold items growth, which hit 26% YoY; all of our four largest markets posted faster YoY growth than Q2'23, with **Mexico reaching its highest sold items growth since Q1'21**.
- Mercado Pago's Total Payment Volume surpassed \$47bn; off-platform TPV growth accelerated in each of our three largest markets, with strong trends in Acquiring and Digital Account volumes.
- > Mercado Pago's credit originations grew 46% YoY and the portfolio reached \$3.4bn with strong profitability as the annualized NIMAL\* spread remained stable at 37%. We accelerated credit card issuance in Brazil and Mexico.



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## **Quarterly Highlights**

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### **Marketplace Highlights**

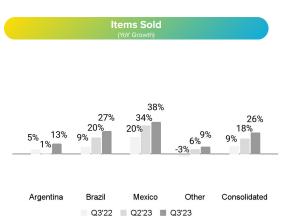
Momentum remains strong, with Items Sold growth accelerating across-the-board





Growth in Brazil continues to be broad-based, with all categories making a strong contribution to overall GMV growth of 28%.

 $\ensuremath{\mathsf{GMV}}$  growth in Brazil and Mexico continues to be driven predominantly by the increase in new buyers.



#### > Items sold accelerated for the fourth successive quarter

MercadoLibre sold an additional 73mn items YoY in Q3'23, accelerating significantly vs. the additional 50mn items sold in Q2'23.

Items sold growth is at its highest level since Q1'21 in Mexico and since Q4'21 in Brazil. Argentina also posted a step up in items sold growth despite a tough backdrop.



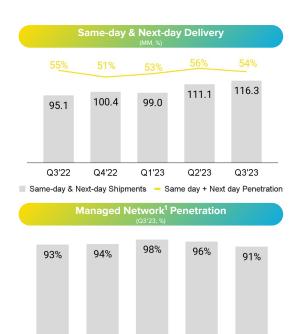
#### > Unique buyers grew by 18% YoY

Unique buyer growth hit its highest level since Q2'21. All major markets showed faster or stable YoY growth in unique buyers when compared to Q2'23. Mexico shows the highest rate of growth

Items sold per buyer ticked up, helped in part by Grocery returning to growth after lapping the introduction of higher free shipping thresholds in 2022.

### **Logistics Highlights**

Fulfillment penetration reaches a new record of 48% of shipments, growing in all geographies



Mexico

Chile

Colombia

Brazil

Argentina

#### > Over 115mn same-day & next-day shipments in Q3'23

Mercado Libre shipped almost 350 million items in Q3'23, growing at 27% year-on-year.

The number of shipments delivered same-day or next-day increased by 22% YoY and almost 5% QoQ. This represents small YoY and QoQ declines as a percentage of total shipments, due to buyers choosing slower shipping options and higher growth in regions that are further from our fulfilment centers. The percentage of our GMV shipped for free reached an all-time high.

Almost 80% of shipments were delivered within 48 hours across Latin America, with Chile and Colombia reaching new records.

#### > Ongoing improvements in our managed network in most geographic segments

Total Managed Network penetration reached 94.2%, a record level for Mercado Libre.

Fulfillment by MELI grew once again, and reached a record level accounting for 48% of shipments. All markets with fulfillment operations posted higher penetration year-on-year, with Brazil showing the most progress (up more than 10ppts YoY).

Meli Places has over 8,300 partner locations, which now handle more than 50% of returns, in addition to acting as first mile and last mile hubs.

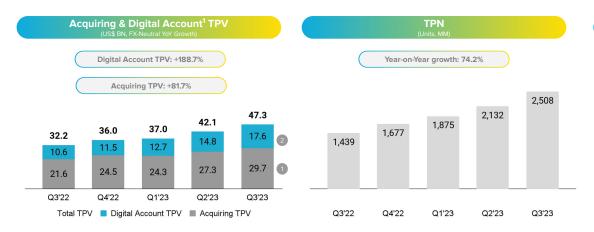
Our crowdsourcing solution for last mile, Mercado Envíos Extra, is now operating in 4 countries: Brazil, Mexico, Chile & Colombia.

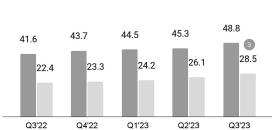
<sup>1</sup> Includes Fulfillment, Cross Docking & Flex

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### **Core Fintech Highlights**

#### Growth accelerated sequentially on a widespread basis





Unique Fintech Active Users<sup>2</sup> and Wallet Payers

Acquiring TPV accelerated growth in each segment

Triple-digit TPV growth (FX-neutral) in Online Payments, with all geographies accelerating, reaping the rewards of investments in product development and capitalizing on structural opportunities. Mexico and Chile's combined POS TPV surpassed Argentina for the second consecutive quarter. QR TPV also accelerated sequentially, showing encouraging growth in Brazil and in Chile.

2 Digital Account TPV growth continues to grow rapidly in all countries

With consolidated or increasing brand awareness, fuelled by campaigns and enhanced value proposition, our Digital Account TPV continues to deliver non-stop growth. Principality in Argentina, aggregated digital account offering in Brazil, strategic transportation alliances in Mexico and Chile, combined with product improvements, explain the uptick in Digital Account TPV across the board.

Unique Fintech Active Users increased by almost 3.5mn users sequentially, in-line with all-time-highs net user ads of

■ Unique Fintech Active Users ■ Wallet Payers

H1 2022.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Transfers to other external accounts are not considered payments volume

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Unique Fintech Users refers to the users who engage in at least one of the following services within the quarter: wallet payments online, in app or in store; transfers; withdrawals; consumer or merchant credit borrowers; card users; fintech sellers; and fintech active products such as asset management and insurtech users

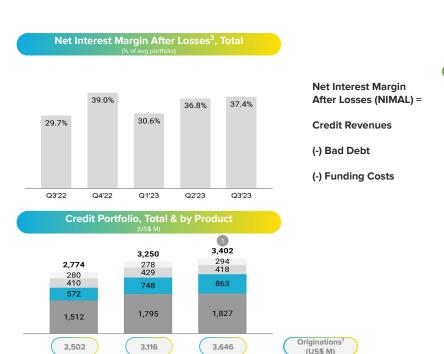
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In-store merchant On-line merchant Credit cards Consumer

### **Credits Highlights**

#### Consolidated profitability expansion with largely stable credit portfolio



Q3'23

> NIMAL reached 37.4% in Q3, showing an annual expansion with sequential stability. This can be explained by:

Steady portfolio growth on a sequential basis, similar to previous quarters, led by Brazil and Mexico, and partially offset by Argentina's portfolio compression due to FX and macro environment.

Revenue growth due to: increasing credit limits in Brazil for certain low-to-medium risk consumer cohorts and continued originations in the Mexican consumer book.

S (→) 3 Bad debt increase due to: higher originations in the Brazilian consumer book, continued increase in the pace of Brazil credit card issuance, and a small increase in delinquency in the Mexican consumer book. We have also accelerated the penetration of higher ticket, longer duration consumer products in Brazil.

		Exposure per User <sup>2</sup>	Duration (months)
	In-store Merchant	357	3.0
	Online Merchant	1.6k	5.1
1 💿	Credit Cards	206	2.4
100	Consumer	166	2.1

Originations include credit card TPV

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Exposure = Portfolio eop / Credit Active Users per book

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Net Interest Margin After Losses (NIMAL) = Revenues (interest from loans + late fees) net of provision for doubtful accounts and funding costs. Note: Interchange fee revenues from credit card is not considered Credit Revenues. Portfolio considered is annualized period average.

## **Credits Highlights**

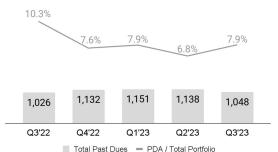
Broadly stable past dues thanks to improved asset quality and product and geography mix



Our <90-day NPL edged slightly higher quarter-on quarter, driven by our Consumer and our Credit Card books.

Our >90-day NPL trended downwards for the third quarter. Buckets from 90 to 360 dpd decreased sequentially in absolute terms, thanks to the write off of a large portion of the 270+ dpd from Q2 (all fully provisioned). The largest portion of the USD improvement in longer NPLs is now concentrated over 210 dpd, continuing the downward trend we commenced in 2022.





Our provision in Q3'23 was equivalent to 7.9% of the portfolio. The decrease in total past dues in dollar terms was due to continued prioritization of asset quality, and organic write off of previous cohorts.

#### Provision Coverage



Our conservative provisioning policy at inception and throughout the life of the loan ensures that we establish and retain high levels of coverage.

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<sup>1</sup>Provision for Doubtful Accounts

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## **Financial Metrics**

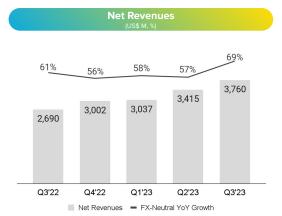
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### **Financial Highlights**

Margin expansion driven by cost dilution on the back of continued strong revenue growth

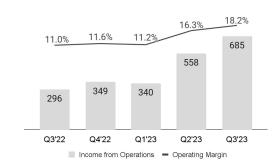


> Net revenue up more than \$1 billion year-on-year, growing at 40% in US dollars and 69% on a FX-neutral basis.

Commerce revenue reached \$2.1bn, growing at more than 76% YoY on an FX-neutral basis and 45% in USD.

Fintech revenues amounted to \$1.6bn, up 61% YoY on an FX-neutral basis and 33% in USD.

#### Income from Operations and Margin (US\$ M, % of Net Revenues)

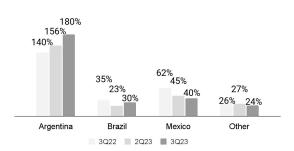


> Income from operations more than doubled, with a YoY margin gain of 7.2ppts

Continued strong growth alongside cost discipline led to operating leverage across several expense lines.

Brazil showed the highest profit (direct contribution) growth, followed by Mexico.

#### Consolidated Net Revenues per Quarter



> FX-neutral revenue growth remains strong in all of our geographic segments

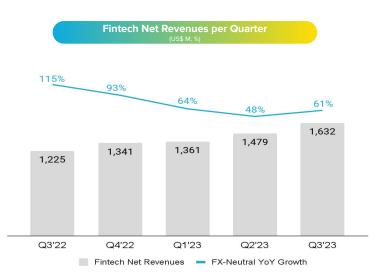
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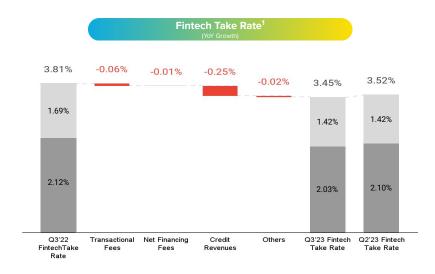
Commerce Revenue growth accelerated due to faster 3P GMV growth, a higher share of 1P and continued monetization efforts that drove the take rate higher



## **Financial Highlights**

Fintech Revenue growth remained high, but slowed as it lapped the 2022 peak of Credits growth





Other Fintech Revenues Credit Revenues

Fintech revenues are generated from payments fees. Regarding our Mercado Pago service, we generate payment fees attributable to: commissions representing a percentage of the payment volume processed that are charged to sellers in connection with off Marketplace platform transactions; commissions from additional fees we charge when a buyer elects to pay in installments through our Mercado Pago platform for transactions that occur either on or off our Marketplace platform; commissions from additional fees we charge when our sellers elect to withdraw cash; commissions that we charge from transactions carried out with Mercado Pago credit and debit cards; interest cash advances and fees from merchant and consumer credits granted under our Mercado Credit os obtaining, and revenues from the sale of mobile points of sale products and insurtech fees.

## **Net Revenue Breakdown by Products and Services**

#### Third Quarter & 9-month period 2023

3Q23 <sup>1</sup> & 3Q22 <sup>2</sup>	Brazil		Arge	Argentina		Mexico		ners	Total	
(US\$ M)	3Q23	3Q22	3Q23	3Q22	3Q23	3Q22	3Q23	3Q22	3Q23	3Q22
Commerce Services (a)	1,007	669	260	221	429	257	100	76	1,796	1,223
Commerce Products Sales (b)	204	111	50	69	70	54	8	8	332	242
Total Commerce Revenues	1,211	780	310	290	499	311	108	84	2,128	1,465
Fintech Services (c)	487	357	344	245	75	38	45	32	951	672
Credit Revenues (d)	304	287	171	139	195	115	2	1	672	542
Fintech Products Sales (e)	4	7	-	1	3	1	2	2	9	11
Total Fintech Revenues	795	651	515	385	273	154	49	35	1,632	1,225
Total Net Revenues	2,006	1,431	825	675	772	465	157	119	3,760	2,690
9M23 <sup>3</sup> & 9M22 <sup>4</sup>	Br	azil	Arge	entina	Me	xico	Otl	ners	To	tal
(US\$ M)	9M23	9M22	9M23	9M22	9M23	9M22	9M23	9M22	9M23	9M22
Commerce Services (a)	2,615	1,877	727	602	1,160	702	293	234	4,795	3,415
Commerce Products Sales (b)	552	344	158	198	212	161	23	29	945	732
Total Commerce Revenues	3,167	2,221	885	800	1,372	863	316	263	5,740	4,147
Fintech Services (c)	1,375	1,059	927	636	198	97	134	86	2,634	1,878
Credit Revenues (d)	808	833	502	347	489	291	5	2	1,804	1,473
Fintech Products Sales (e)	15	21	3	4	7	6	9	6	34	37
Total Fintech Revenues	2,198	1,913	1,432	987	694	394	148	94	4,472	3,388
Total Net Revenues	5.365	4.134	2.317	1,787	2.066	1.257	464	357	10.212	7,535

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Figures for the three month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>2</sup> Figures for the three month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>3</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 2023; <sup>4</sup> Figures for the nine month period ended September 30, 20

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## Margins

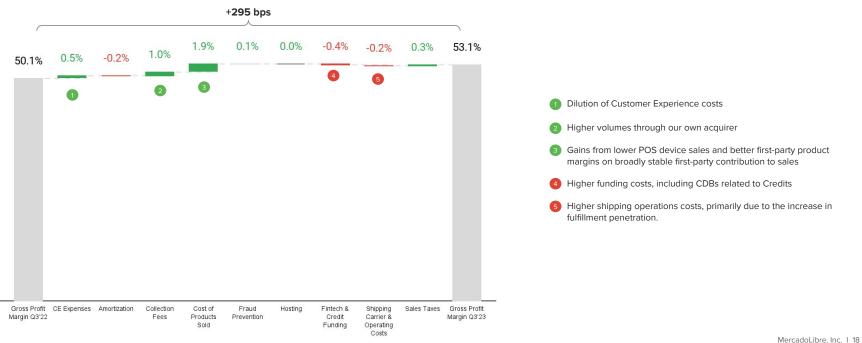
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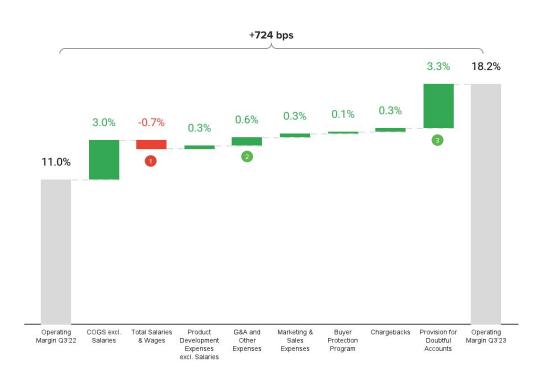
### **Gross Profit Margin**

Gross margin expansion driven by cost dilution and efficiency, as well as lower POS device sales



### **Income from Operations Margin**

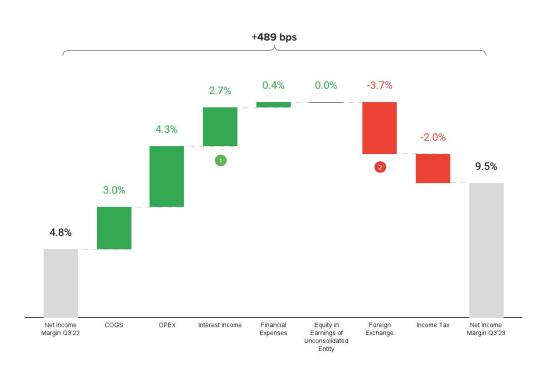
Strong margin gains on the back of operating leverage as the business continues to scale



- Higher Product Development expenses, partly due to increase in headcount.
- 2 Dilution of operating expenses, particularly G&A
- Better asset quality alongside limited growth in originations in the credit business, as well as dilution from other company revenue streams that grew at a faster pace than Credits.

### **Net Income Margin**

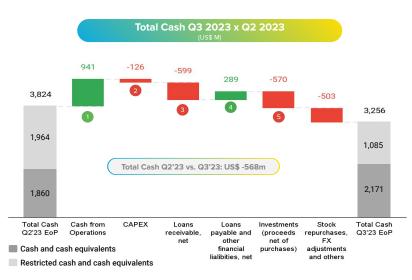
Strong Net Income margin expansion, driven by higher Income from Operations and margin expansion



- Higher interest income from balances stored in the MercadoPago wallet, particularly in Brazil and Argentina, and interest income on corporate cash balance
- 2 FX losses, primarily related to our share repurchase program in the Argentine market and, to a lesser extent, revaluation of assets & liabilities.

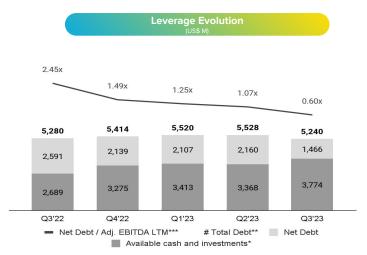
#### **Cash Flow & Leverage**

Available cash rose by US\$311M, resilient CFO and healthy leverage ratio





- 2 Continued investments in our managed logistics network
- Growth of the Total Credit Portfolio
- Higher third party funding for Credit Portfolio, partially offset by interest payments and FX fluctuations
- 5 Increase in short and long-term investments, both locally and in the US



#### > Cash flow from operations amounted to USD 941 MM, fuelled by robust quarterly income from operations.

 $Credit\ portfolio\ growth\ continues\ to\ be\ cautious\ but\ nonetheless\ delivers\ firm\ profitability.\ Funding\ strategies\ across\ all\ geographies\ remain\ unaltered.$ 

Leverage ratios continue in a downward trend, following an increase in available cash and ongoing partial exercise of the 2028 Convertible Notes

<sup>\*</sup> Cash and cash equivalents and total investments (excl. restricted BACEN securities, securitization transactions and equity securities held at cost)

<sup>\*\*</sup> Total loans payable and other financial liabilities plus total lease liabilities MercadoLibre, Inc. 1 21 
\*\*\* Adjusted EBITDA is calculated LTM

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## **Appendix**

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## **Operational & Financial Factsheet**

#### Third Quarter 2023

Volumes (US\$ M, %)		
GMV (FX-Neutral growth)	11,360	59.3%
Items Sold (units)	357	25.6%
Live Listings (units)	457	15.0%
Managed Network Penetration (%)	94.2%	+231bps
TPV (FX-Neutral growth)	47,256	121.2%
TPV ON (FX-Neutral growth)	11,973	60.8%
TPV OFF (FX-Neutral growth)	35,283	145.4%
TPV Acquiring (FX-Neutral growth)	29,708	81.7%
TPV Digital Account (FX-Neutral growth)	17,548	188.7%
TPN (units, mn)	2,508	74.2%
Assets Under Management <sup>2</sup> (US\$ growth)	5,548	331.8%
Credit Portfolio (us\$ growth)	3,402	22.6%
Merchant (Us\$ growth)	712	3.2%
Consumer (US\$ growth)	1,827	20.8%
Credit Card (US\$ growth)	863	50.9%

Users (MM)		
Unique MELI Active Users (units)	119.8	35.7%
Unique Marketplace Buyers (units)	50.3	18.4%
Unique Fintech Active Users (units)	48.8	17.3%
Unique Wallet Payers (units)	28.5	27.2%
Unique Asset Mgmt. Users (units)	26.2	34.4%
P&L (US\$ M, %)		
Net Revenue (FX-Neutral growth)	3.760	69.1%
Commerce Revenues (FX-Neutral growth)	2,128	75.7%
Fintech Revenues (FX-Neutral growth)	1,632	61.1%
Gross Profit (FX-Neutral growth)	1,995	84.6%
Gross Profit Margin (%)	53.1%	+295bps
Income from Operations (FX-Neutral growth)	685	193.6%
Operating Margin (%)	18.2%	+724bps

Cons. Net Revs. per Country <sup>1</sup> (USS M. %)		
Brazil	2,006	40.2%
Commerce	1,211	55.3%
Fintech	795	22.1%
Argentina	825	22.2%
Commerce	310	6.9%
Fintech	515	33.8%
México	772	66.0%
Commerce	499	60.5%
Fintech	273	77.3%
Other countries	157	31.9%
Commerce	108	28.6%
Fintech	49	40.0%
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Commerce	2,128	45.3%
Fintech	1,632	33.2%

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