# EMBRACER\* GROUP

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# **Embracer Group**

# An Ecosystem for Entrepreneurial Companies in Gaming and Entertainment



Our global presence as of today



EMBRACER GROUP HQ Karlstad, Sweden

**OPERATIVE GROUPS** 

12

**TOTAL HEADCOUNT** 

14 900+

**INTERNAL STUDIOS** 

130

Countries with Embracer Group offices/studios

For more details and information about our global presence please visit: embracer.com/about/locations



Source: as of September 21, 2022 | \* Formerly known as Koch Media



# Embracing and empowering great entrepreneurs

#### The Embracer model works, here is a few key learnings and a recap of the last years:

**Long-term mindset matters.** We are on a long journey to build something substantial and sustainable. 106 out of 108 entrepreneurs that joined since 2016 are still part of the family.

**Scale matters.** The larger and more diverse our ecosystem has become –the more it makes sense to join. The synergies, collaborations, and opportunities we offer are unique. The ecosystem has grown from 370 to more than 13,800 great people since IPO 2016.

**Freedom rocks.** We firmly believe in letting leading entrepreneurs, creators, and other management make their own decisions.

**Diversity**. Accept and endorse the fact that people are different and there are many ways to succeed. We are all different and that is strength.

**Culture is important.** Endorse and support local company cultures. Show respect for others. Think inclusion rather than exclusion.

**Create friends and partnerships.** Our strategy is to be a business partner to the industries and work together with leading companies, brands and platforms.

**Manage your risks.** Diversification is important. We have grown from 1 to 11 Operative Groups since 2016. No single IP is estimated to generate more than 5% of group revenues. 200+ games = lower risk. We should be brave and take more risks in product development. This pays off over time.

**Growth is fun.** It's fun to grow and make more and greater things. Reinvesting our profits into the business will enable us to have superior growth.



and we just got started! Our ambition is to continue the same strategy over the coming years at the same pace as before – both organically and by adding more new entrepreneurs.

Source: as of June 30 2022



# Our operative groups & selected studios + IPs

	PC / Console Games							Mobile Games		Tabletop	Tabletop Entertainment & Services	
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### Growing our ecosystem during the year

**NEW FAMILY MEMBERS JOINED US DURING FY 21/22** 

























































































































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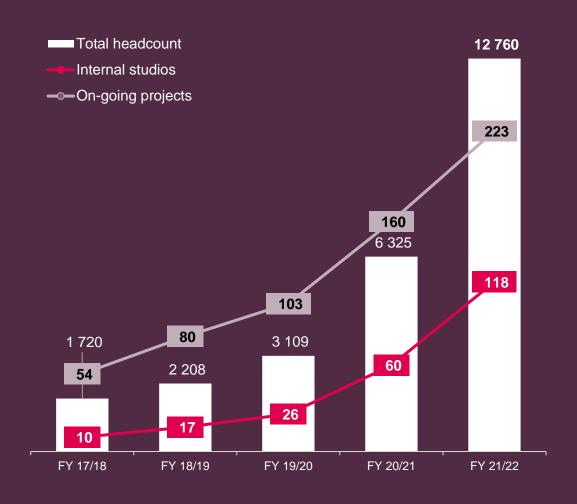


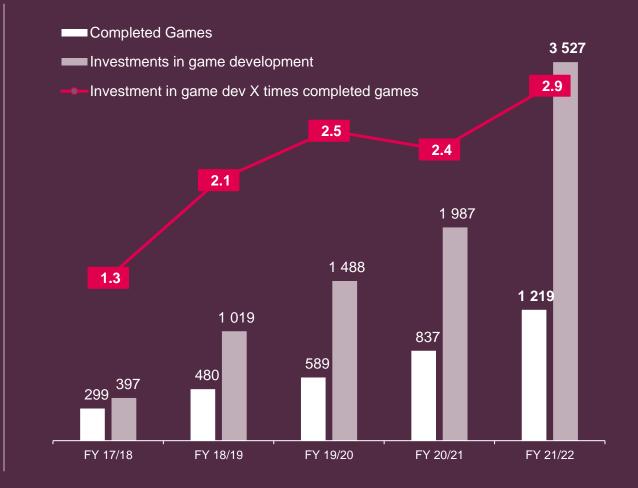




# Operational growth

# Investment growth





## Embracing the transmedia strategic direction since Sep-21

#### Why?

- Building IP value more personality and character for a world deepens the relationship and visibility with fans
- Tabletop games, comic books and TV/film are very efficient channels to build IP – while gaming is the best channel to monetize it
- We see a strong connection between these different forms of entertainment

MMO

#### How?

- Building a transmedia company, creating an even stronger ecosystem based on a diversified IP-portfolio, new technologies and services complementing our core gaming business – from creation and execution to distribution.
- Cross-fertilize IPs and strengthen licensing partnerships across gaming categories, different content formats, and platforms.

#### What?

- This integrated approach together with our decentralized model builds resilience and has proven to be attractive for both organic growth and growth by acquisition.
- Embracer Group is well positioned to grow faster than the market in each of these segments thanks to our IPs, our operative groups, and the investments we have made in recent years.
- A unique spread of risk within gaming gives us a strong starting point for stable, profitable growth.



Transmedia acquisitions

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DARK HORSE MEDIA

CRYSTAL DYNAMICS



September 2022

September 2021

Added to portfolio

TICKET TO RIDE

TOMB RAIDER



**ORD** RINGS



• COMICS

**TABLETOP** 



### Examples of successful transmedia expansion

### Video Games to TV series



Video Games to Movies



Video Games to Comics



Video Games to Tabletop



TV series to Video Games





Movies to Video Games





Comics to Video Games





Tabletop to Video Games

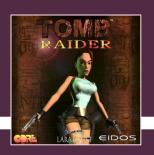




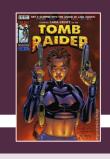
# Examples of transmedia execution within the group

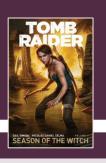


(88m units sold since 1996)













Video games

Movies

Comics

Books

**Animated Pictures** 

**Tabletop Games** 















Video games

Comics

Books

Tabletop Games

Movie (announced)

Spin-off











Tabletop Game

Video Game

TV Series (announced)

Cross-media

# Examples of internal IPs with transmedia potential



















































## Change of listing Venue to regulated market

The project for changing listing venue is progressing according to time plan, where we have the ambition to be ready for listing at the regulated Nasdaq Stockholm Main Market by the end of 2022, provided that certain milestones are reached as planned.

#### Rationale

- · Broader shareholder base with increased liquidity.
- Company will be better known worldwide; listing on Nasdaq Stockholm gives an extra stamp of quality.
- Allows for share buy-back programs.
- Valuable governance and control structures, including ESG, which will continue to develop the group's existing structures.

#### About

- Large project involving 12 operative groups and ~300 legal entities in ~50 jurisdictions.
- Seven project workstreams, 140+ activities in action plan and 53 milestones.
- Key milestones include; Transition to IFRS reporting, Financial Manual update, Proforma preparations for prospectus, legal and tax DD, stock exchange audit, documentation and monitoring of control activities (incl IT), prospectus, dataroom, steering documents, policies, instructions, guidelines.



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