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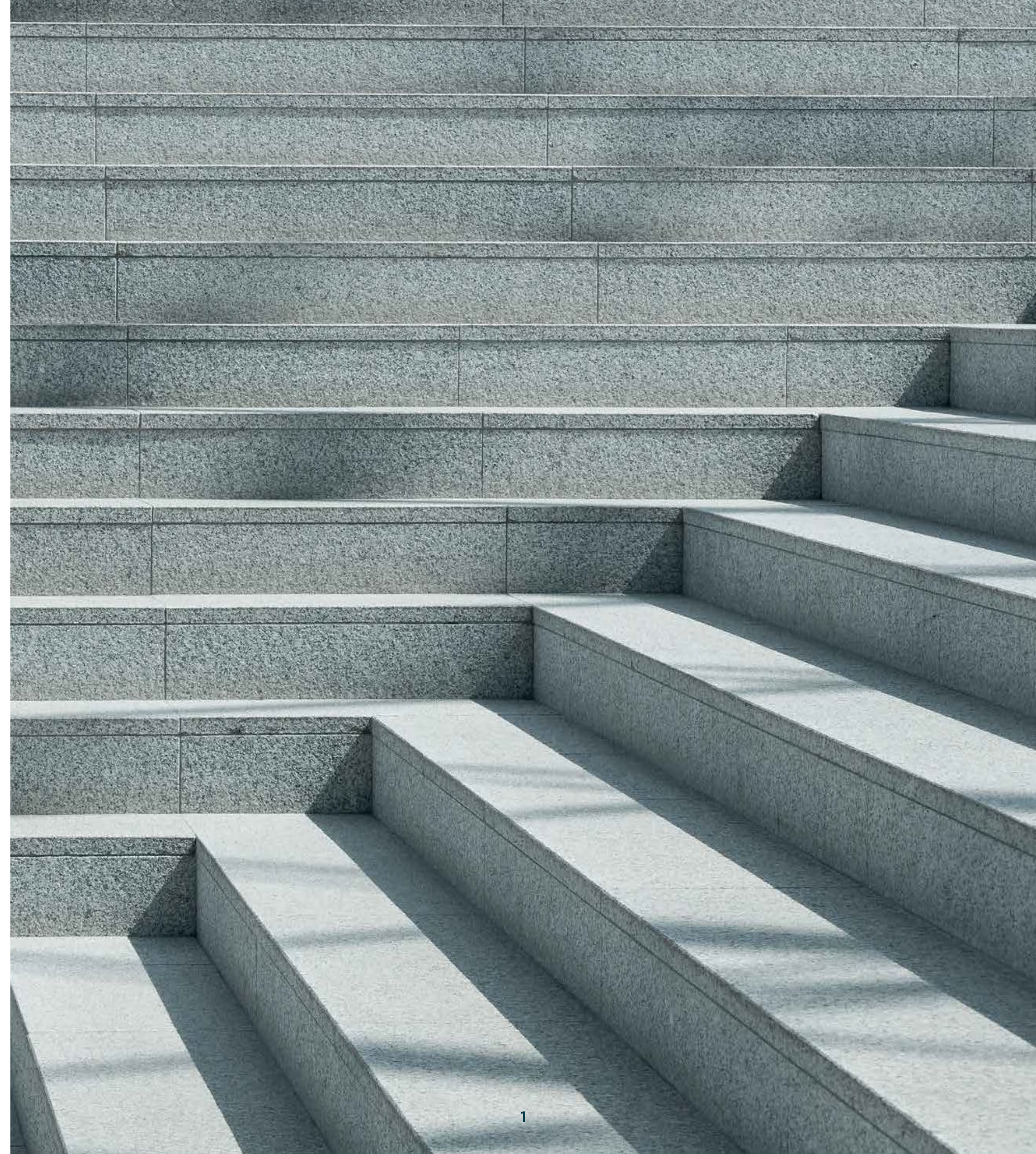
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1.0_ LETTER TO STAKE HOLDERS



Dear Readers,

For over 40 years, Vimec has been passionately dedicated to creating solutions that break down architectural barriers, enabling thousands of people worldwide to move freely and safely every day. For us, inclusion and accessibility mean offering everyone the opportunity to live without limitations by integrating innovative technologies that meet the diverse needs of our users.

We offer a broad range of products, including stairlifts for both residential and public buildings, as well as mini elevators for apartments. In 2023, we have refined our approach by placing greater emphasis on design. This shift has allowed us to create products that not only address mobility needs but also blend seamlessly with their installation environments. An example of this evolution is the new V6, the winner of the Good Design Award, along with our expanded line of home lifts that merge functionality with aesthetic appeal.

Our success stems from the **dedication and talent** of the people who make up the Vimec family. Our philosophy, “**People at the Center,**” reflects our ongoing commitment to creating an inclusive and stimulating work environment that meets the needs of all employees. We are particularly proud of the recognition received in 2023 with the **Great Place To Work** certification and our 4th place ranking among the Best Workplaces for Blue-collar Workers. These achievements are a testament to our continuous effort to provide a workplace where every team member can fully develop their skills and contribute to our shared success.

Our social commitment, which has always been central to Vimec’s mission, extends beyond our core business. We are deeply rooted in our Italian community and maintain a strong connection with the local area. We have donated a mobile stairlift to the “U. SABBADINI” Foundation and collaborated with “Il Bettolino”, a local cooperative for social support. On a global scale, we tackle international challenges by supporting the Solvatten project to provide clean drinking water and the Chalna Physiotherapy Center in Bangladesh.

From an environmental perspective, 2023 has marked significant progress. We have undertaken **the renovation of our buildings**, with a particular focus on sustainability criteria. Notably, the installation of a **photovoltaic system** is a major step forward in increasing our use of renewable energy. These actions reflect our dedication to more responsible ecological practices. We will continue to explore ways to enhance our sustainability efforts, ensuring our operations remain as environmentally friendly as possible.

Thank you for your continued support and trust in Vimec. Together, we can build a more accessible, inclusive, and sustainable future for everyone.

Elisabetta Senes,
CEO



We improve people’s quality of life and help create a world without barriers.
Our vision

Elisabetta Senes

2.0_ VIMEC AT A GLANCE

150.000+
INSTALLATIONS
WORLDWIDE

43
YEARS OF
HISTORY

65
SERVED
COUNTRIES

2.1_COMPANY PROFILE

At home and in places open to the public, Vimec takes people's mobility to the next level. For over 40 years, the company has been dedicated to creating solutions that overcome architectural barriers, including step lifts, stairlifts, and mobile stairlifts.

Founded in 1980 in Luzzara, located between Mantova and Reggio Emilia, Vimec is deeply rooted in the excellence of Made in Italy. Its headquarters and manufacturing facilities remain in the same area, reflecting a strong connection to the local community. By favoring local suppliers to support community employment and collaborating with small local craft businesses, Vimec significantly contributes to the regional economy.

In 2017, the company was acquired by Latour Industries AB and became part of the Swedish investment group Latour. Today, Vimec is a leader in the Italian market and is recognized as a well-established international presence. The company has commercial branches in Spain, France, the United Kingdom, Germany, and Poland, and is also present in Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Latin America, China, Russia, and the Czech Republic.

Vimec's ability to create a wide range of customized solutions, adapting products to fit clients' spaces, sets it apart. The company's slogan, "Designed for life," reflects its focus on the individual in the design and production processes, offering functionality and finishes that can be upgraded over time. Innovation is at the heart of the company, with ongoing investments in research and development to better meet the needs of its customers and their families. In 2023, Vimec invested over €1.9 million in research and development, representing 2.7% of its revenue.

Vimec provides comprehensive support for product installation and maintenance through its direct agents in the domestic market and a widespread network of international distributors. The company maintains close relationships with these distributors, ensuring continuous training and updates to guarantee constant customer support.

Legality and business ethics are the foundation of all Vimec's activities.

The company has implemented the 231 Organisational, Management and Control Model to ensure corporate integrity and transparent management of its operations. Within this framework, Vimec has adopted a Code of Ethics that outlines the fundamental principles guiding every business decision, such as legality, fairness, transparency, and the protection of human resources.

The Code of Ethics also emphasizes the importance of privacy, workplace safety, and social responsibility. To further reinforce these values, Vimec has established a whistleblowing channel, ensuring that any reports of irregularities are handled with seriousness and discretion, promoting an honest and safe work environment.

MISSION

We create design solutions to facilitate the lives of our customers, thanks to a complete range of products for vertical mobility.

VISION

We improve people's quality of life and help create a world without barriers.

VALUES

Passion: we have a genuine passion to improve the lives of our customers through our work;

Integrity: we act in an open, transparent and honest way, with a long-term perspective to respect stakeholders and the environment;

Commitment: we are ambitious and always strive to offer our customers the best shopping experience, through high-quality products and services.

2.2 _ A HISTORY SPANNING OVER 40 YEARS



1980

VIMEC (Villastrada Meccanica) was founded by four partners in Villastrada (MN) to operate as a mechanical workshop for third parties with five employees.

1983

The first model of stairlift (V1) was created.

**1985
/1995**

Production increased from 100 to 2,300 units, and the workforce grew to 100 employees. The facility was relocated to its current site in Luzzara (RE).

1996

Vimec obtained the UNI EN ISO 9001 certification.



**1998
/2001**

The headquarters were expanded, and production reached 4,500 units with 140 employees.

**2001
/2002**

Vimec expanded its carpentry department (5,500 m² covered for a total of 12,000 m²) and its assembly department (7,500 m² covered for a total of 19,500 m²).

2006

Branches were opened in France, Spain, the United Kingdom, and Poland.

2017

Vimec was acquired by the Latour Investment Group (Sweden).

**2020
/2021**

Vimec achieved UNI EN ISO 14001 certification. 140,000 machines were installed worldwide.

2023

An extraordinary year for the number of systems produced and sold.

2.3_ OUR PRODUCTS

Vimec's strength lies in its ability to develop tailored products that address the specific mobility needs of its users while meeting the aesthetic and technological expectations of a constantly evolving market.

In addition to the functionality and accessibility that have always defined its products, Vimec is now placing enhanced attention on aesthetics and design in its new models.

This approach not only enhances the user experience but also ensures that the products blend seamlessly into clients' homes and public spaces.

Vimec's products are divided into two main categories: Vimec Accessibility and Vimec Homelift.

vimec ACCESSIBILITY

vimec homelift



vimec ACCESSIBILITY

Vimec Accessibility is the product line focused on designing, manufacturing, and installing **customized solutions to support individuals with mobility needs, both at home and in public spaces.** This encompasses a range of innovative devices designed to ensure accessibility and safety.

STAIR LIFTS

Ideal for elderly individuals, these chairs allow them to continue living safely in their own homes without having to change their daily routines.

SLOPING FOOTBOARDS

Stairlifts with a platform, installed along the staircase, ideal for people with mobility impairments who use a wheelchair.

LIFTS FOR COMMERCIAL ENVIRONMENTS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

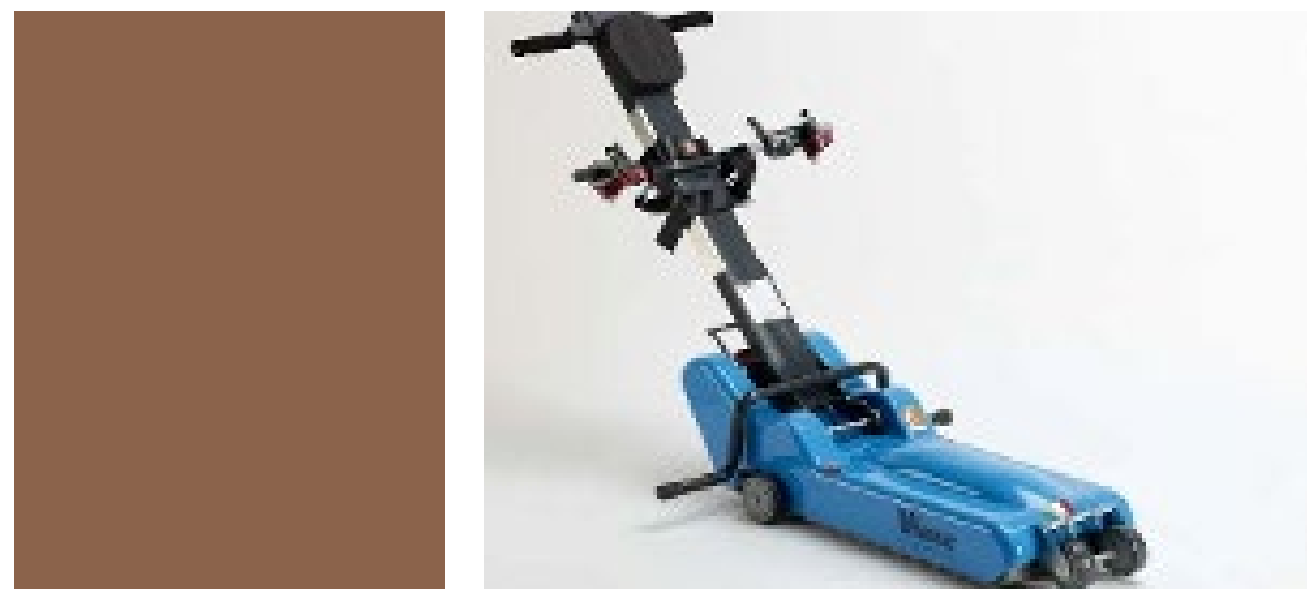
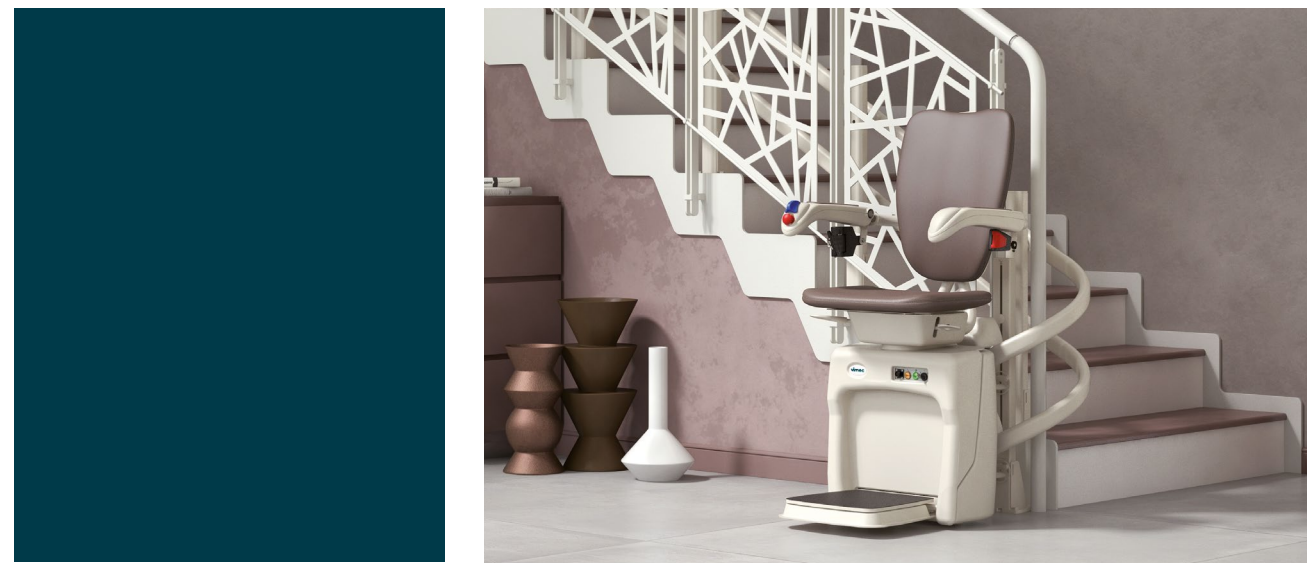
Similar to elevators but with a lower speed, these lifts are designed for restaurants, schools, banks, stores, and offices, facilitating vertical mobility.

MOBILE STAIR LIFTS

Portable devices requiring a trained operator, allowing individuals to overcome architectural barriers, both in private and public environments, while seated or in their own wheelchair.

STEP LIFTS

Lifting platforms designed to overcome small vertical differences, from a few steps up to three meters, enhancing accessibility in various settings.





vimec homelift

Vimec Home Lift is the brand line dedicated to lifts for residential spaces, designed to enhance accessibility and home comfort. Vimec Home Lift products, known for their Italian design and quality, offer a wide range of customizable features to meet each client's need.

The advanced technology integrated into Vimec Home Lift products enables the delivery of tailored solutions with continuous upgrade possibilities to meet customer requirements.

Vimec provides an app and an online configurator that allow users to personalize their Home Lift by selecting from various combinations of walls, doors, LED lighting,

and more while seeing a real-time preview of the finished product.

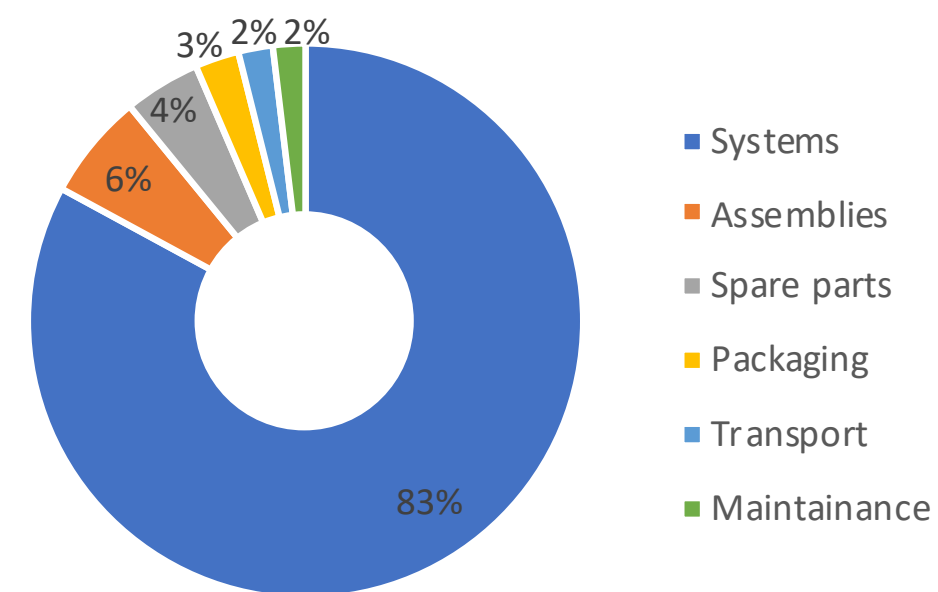
This technology, combined with excellence in design, installation, and support, ensures a completely customized and safe vertical mobility experience while maintaining **high aesthetic and functional standards.**

2.4_2023 FINANCIAL RESULTS

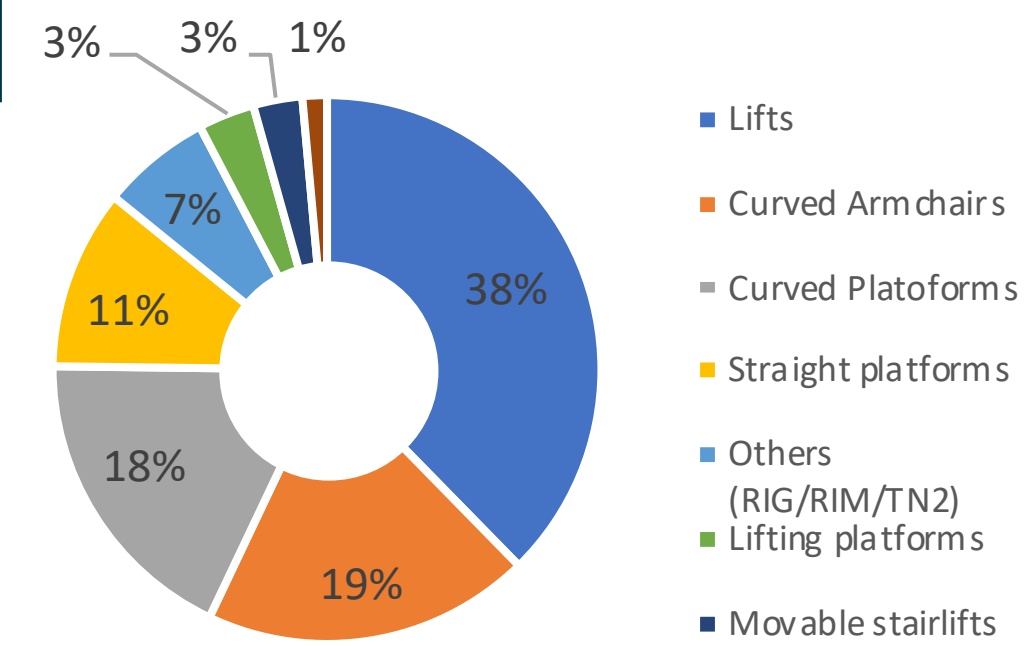
In 2023, Vimec's revenue was €69,746 million, reflecting an 11% growth compared to the previous year.

	2021	2022	2023
SALES	€48.367mIn	€62.777mIn	€69.746mIn

BREAKDOWN OF TURNOVER



TYPES OF PRODUCTS



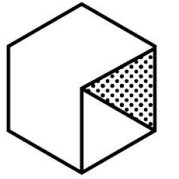


2.5_AWARDS AND CERTIFICATIONS

In 2023, Vimec's V6s platform stairlift received two prestigious awards: the Good Design Award and the Archiproducts Design Award.

The **Good Design® Award**, established in 1950 by the Chicago Athenaeum Museum of Architecture and Design and the Metropolitan Arts Press Ltd., is the world's oldest design award. Founded by prominent architects such as Eero Saarinen, Charles and Ray Eames, and Edgar Kaufmann Jr., the award is renowned for its rigorous selection process and prestigious jury, composed of internationally acclaimed design professionals, architects, and critics. The Good Design Award celebrates innovative and high-quality design, recognizing excellence in the fields of design and architecture.

The **Archiproducts® Design Award** is one of the most significant global awards for architecture and design. This award distinguishes the most innovative and original solutions in the world of design and architecture, supporting and promoting excellence in the sector through its leading online platform, Archiproducts.



archiproducts®
DESIGN AWARDS



CERTIFICATIONS



As defined by DPR 59 of March 13, 2013, the Unified Environmental Authorization (AUA) encompasses and replaces 7 environmental permits, to streamline bureaucratic processes in the environmental sector and make procedures more efficient.



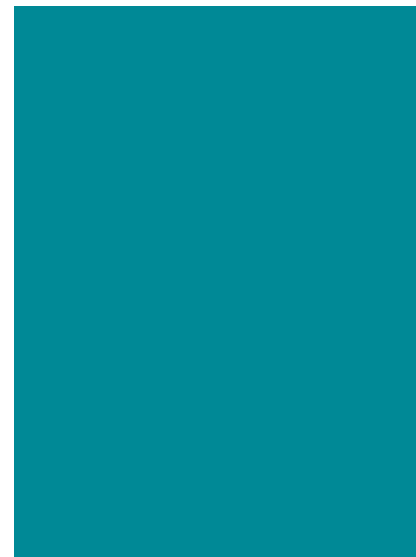
ISO 9001 certification confirms that the company has implemented a Quality Management System that ensures operational efficiency and customer satisfaction. It guarantees adherence to high standards in the production of products and services through continuous improvement of business processes.



ISO 14001 certification confirms that the company has implemented an effective Environmental Management System aimed at reducing the environmental impact of its activities and continuously improving its environmental performance. It ensures compliance with environmental regulations and demonstrates a commitment to sustainable practices, such as waste management and control of pollutant emissions.



The Best Workplaces ranking and relative certification are promoted by Great Place To Work, a renowned HR research and consulting company. They are based on a rigorous assessment of workplace environments through employee feedback and are globally recognized as indicators of excellence in human resources management.



3.0 _ PEOPLE

“People at the Center” has always been Vimec’s guiding philosophy, reflecting the company’s dedication to the well-being of its employees. This approach is centered on creating a fair and supportive work environment where everyone can grow personally and thrive professionally. Vimec’s mission focuses on strengthening trust between the company and its employees, promoting work-life balance, and providing opportunities for professional development.

170
EMPLOYEES

65%
OF EMPLOYEES
ARE UNDER 50

40%
WOMEN IN
LEADERSHIP
ROLES

+86%
INCREASE IN THE
AVERAGE TRAINING
HOUR PER EMPLOYEE
COMPARED TO 2022

**Gender Equality
Management System**
AIMED AT OBTAINING
THE RELATED CERTIFICATION

**Best
Workplaces
for Blue Collar**
(4° PLACE IN THE
ITALIAN RANKING)

3.1_“GREAT PLACE TO WORK”

In 2023, Vimec achieved the Great Place to Work certification and secured fourth place in the Best Workplaces for Blue Collar 2023 ranking.

Certified companies can compete for the **Best Workplaces™ ranking**, which identifies and honors the best companies to work for, categorized by industry and size. Being included in this ranking brings prestige and provides a benchmark for improving internal practices. Ranked companies are recognized as leaders in creating excellent work environments and promoting innovative employee management practices.

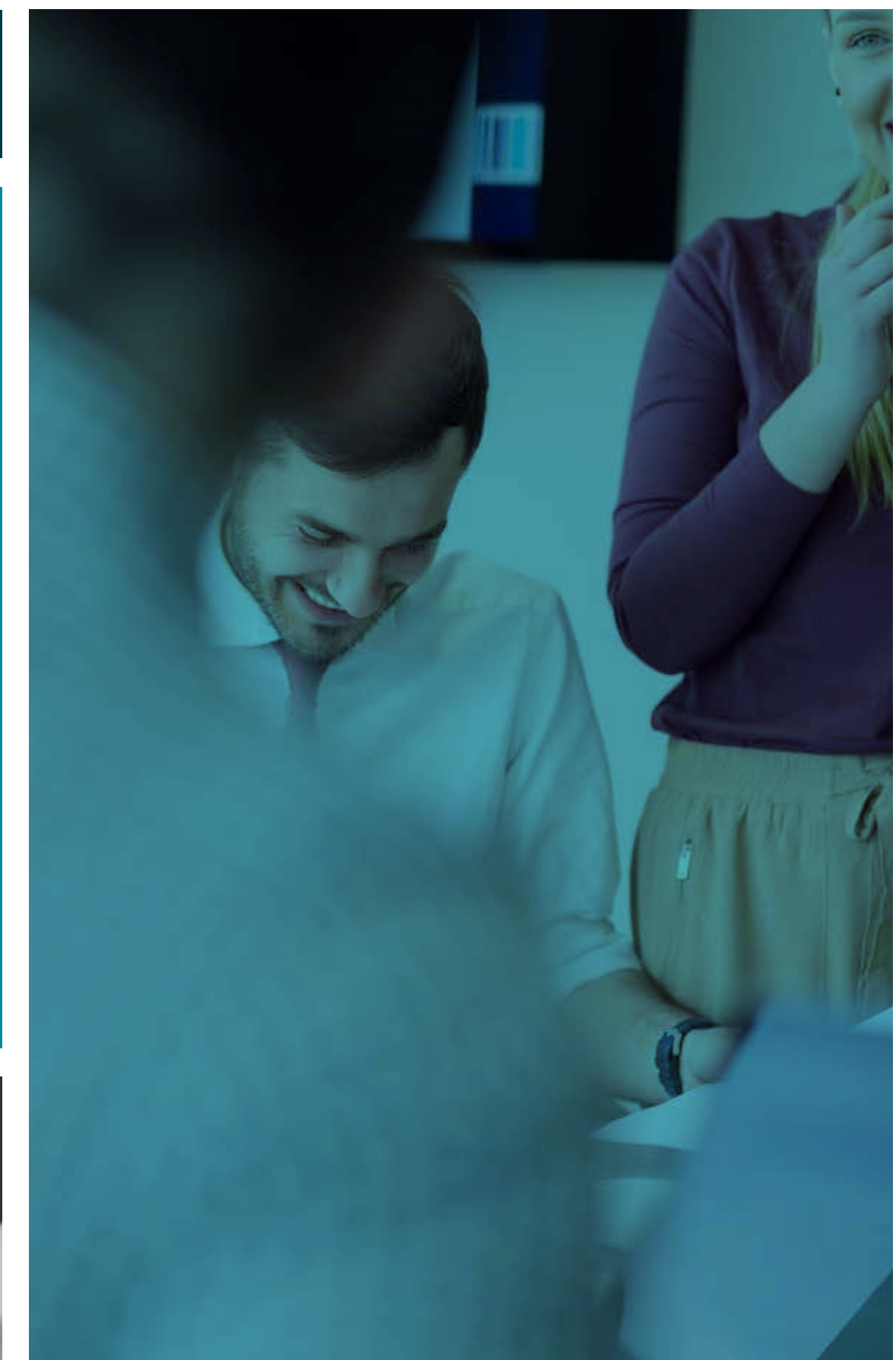
In pursuing the Great Place to Work certification, Vimec has identified **several strengths**, including **attention to employees’ personal issues, a welcoming work environment, and opportunities for team bonding**. This effort is supported by the Team Experience, a group of volunteers dedicated to fostering colleague relationships, advancing proposals for enhancing interpersonal connections both inside and outside the company and promoting activities for workplace well-being.

Additionally, Vimec has organized a workshop with Great Place To Work to address areas for improvement. This led to the creation of dedicated teams focused on developing middle management, enhancing customer centricity, and increasing employee engagement across all business areas.



Great Place To Work® is a global organization that certifies and awards companies with the best organizational cultures.

The certification attests to the excellence of the work environment, based on values such as trust, respect, fairness, pride, and teamwork. This recognition is earned through a rigorous process, which includes anonymous employee surveys and an assessment of company practices.



3.2_ THE COMMITMENT TO GENDER EQUALITY

Vimec recognizes the importance of equity, diversity, and inclusion as key elements for the company's success and the well-being of all its members, ensuring that everyone feels valued, respected, and supported. To realize this commitment, the company has adopted a **Gender Equality Management System, compliant with the National Practice UNI/PDR 125:2022.**

In this context, Vimec has developed a **Gender Equality Policy**, reflecting the company's ongoing dedication to implementing measures that ensure fairness across all areas of the organization and equal opportunities for career and professional development.

The policy focuses on personnel management, reinforcing the principle of equity in all company phases, such as selection, role assignment, performance evaluation, promotion and career advancement, compensation, and termination.

Training courses and communication initiatives are in place to raise awareness among staff about inclusivity and diversity, aiming to maintain a welcoming and respectful corporate environment.

Specifically, Vimec has introduced measures to ensure fair representation in leadership roles and promote a corporate culture that values everyone's contributions. On a broader scale, the policy includes periodic monitoring and updating of all company practices to prevent any form of discrimination.

In 2023, this distinctive approach to diversity enabled Vimec to embark on the path to obtaining the Gender Equality Certification, expected in 2024.

_DIVERSITY

	2022			2023			Δ 22-23
	Women	Men	Total	Women	Men	Total	%
Total employees	31	128	159	41	129	170	+7%
Management	1	3	4	2	3	5	+25%
White collar	26	61	87	31	63	94	+8%
Blue collar	4	64	68	8	63	71	+4%

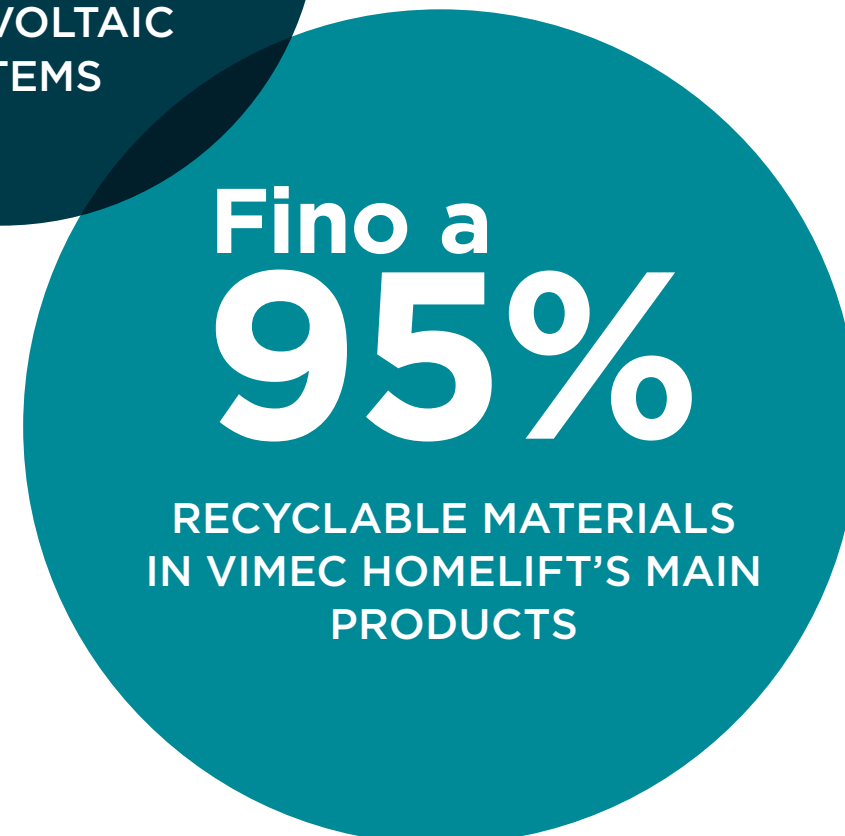
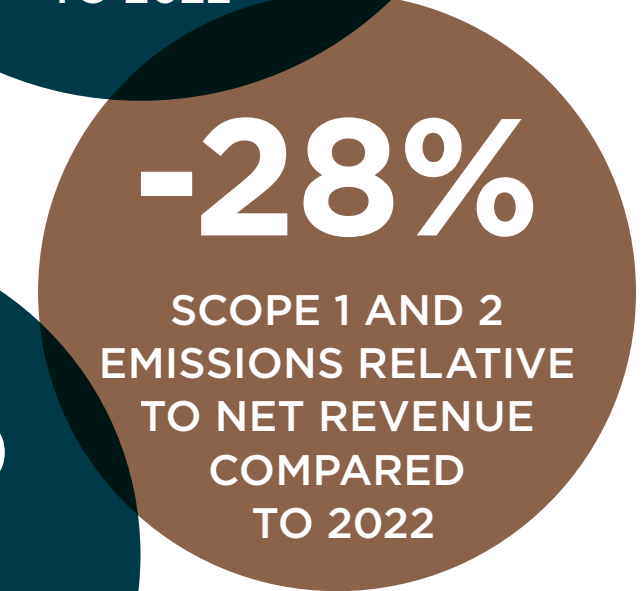
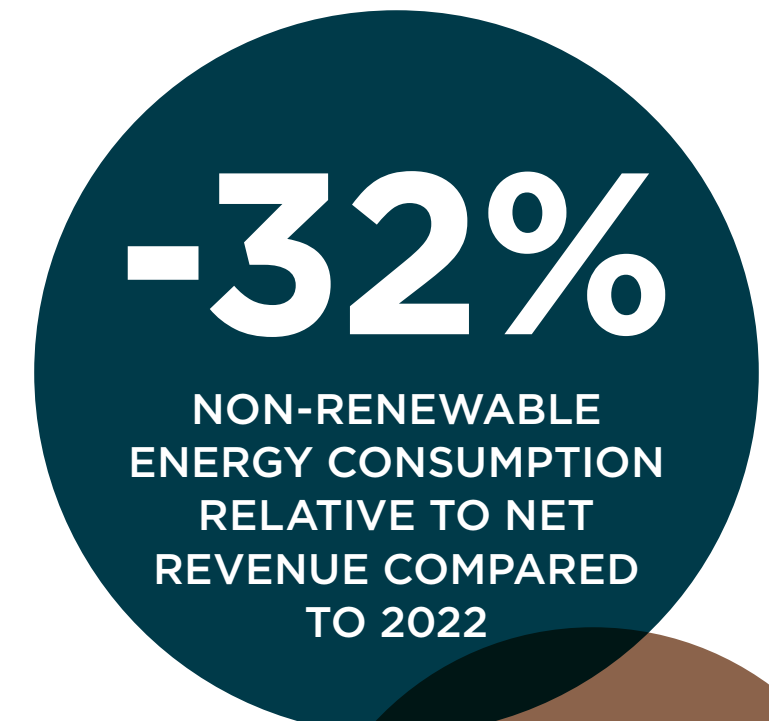
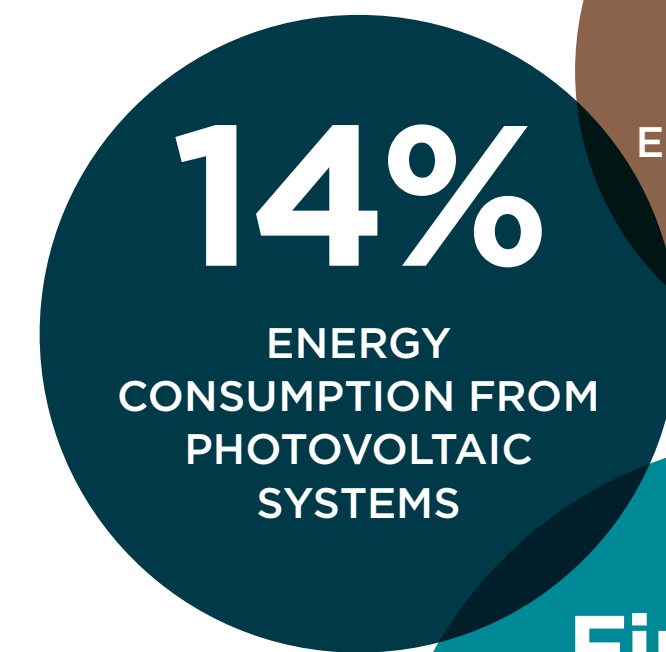
	2022				2023				Δ 22-23
	<30 y/o	30-50 y/o	>50 y/o	Total	<30 y/o	30-50 y/o	>50 y/o	Total	%
Total employees	7	92	60	159	14	97	59	170	-2%
Management	0	2	2	4	0	1	4	5	+100%
White collar	5	46	36	87	9	50	35	94	-3%
Blue collar	2	44	22	68	5	46	20	71	-9%

_TRAINING

	2022			2023			Δ 22-23
	Women	Men	Total	Women	Men	Total	%
Total training hours	268	814	1.082	591	1.560	2.151	+99%
Management	24	72	96	24	168	192	+100%
White collar	244	587	831	511	860	1.371	+65%
Blue collar	0	155	155	56	532	588	+279%
	Women	Men	Total	Women	Men	Total	%
Training hours per employee	8,6	6,4	6,8	14,4	12,1	12,7	+86%
Management	24,0	24,0	24,0	12,0	56,0	38,4	+60%
White collar	9,4	9,6	9,6	16,5	13,7	14,6	+53%
Blue collar	0,0	2,4	2,3	7,0	8,4	8,3	+263%

4.0_ PLANA NET

Vimec stands out for its strong commitment to environmental protection, **focusing on reducing CO₂ emissions throughout its operations** by increasingly using renewable energy and implementing other energy efficiency measures. At the same time, the company is continually working to **improve the sustainability of its products**, aiming to make them more energy-efficient and designed according to circular economy principles.



4.1_ OUR CARE FOR THE ENVIRONMENT

In 2023, Vimec initiated the renovation of its company buildings, completing the project in the first half of 2024, with significant gains in energy efficiency.

Indeed, a major highlight was the installation of two photovoltaic systems for self-consumption. The first system, consisting of 310 modules at 410WP each, has a total capacity of 130KW. The second, with 440 modules at 410WP, offers 180KW. These systems became operational in March 2023, representing a €280,000 investment and reducing CO₂ emissions by approximately 261 tons annually.

Vimec's increased use of renewable energy is part of its broader efforts to enhance the sustainability of its production processes. One notable initiative is the adoption of **a full-electric tube bending machine**, powered by energy generated from the company's own solar panels.

This machine, crucial for crafting custom stairlift tracks, represents a significant step toward lowering greenhouse gas emissions in manufacturing. Additionally, **Vimec replaced all lighting in its production**

facilities with LED lamps, a €100,000 investment that will reduce CO₂ emissions by 100 tons annually and lead to a €130,000 saving each year.

Beyond manufacturing, Vimec is committed to sustainable logistics practices. The company has implemented groupage, a practice that consolidates shipments from nearby suppliers into a single delivery, significantly reducing transportation trips, costs, and CO₂ emissions.

As of May 2024, this approach has cut shipping costs by €2,615 per month.





ENERGY CONSUMPTION

	2022		2023		Δ 22-23	
	MWh	MWh/mln€*	MWh	MWh/mln€*	% su MWh	% su MWh/€*
Energy consumption from fossil fuels:	2.634	42	1.988	28,5	-30%	-32%
Gasoline	344	5,5	314	4,5	-9%	-18%
Diesel (stationary combustion + company fleet consumption)	134	2,1	80	1,1	-41%	-46%
Natural gas (methane)	1.548	24,7	1.250	17,9	-19%	-27%
Electricity, heat, steam, or cooling from fossil fuels	608	9,7	345	4,9	-43%	-49%
Energy consumption from renewable sources:	0	0,0	313	4,5	-	-
Renewable energy self-produced from photovoltaics	0	0,0	313	4,5	-	-
Total energy consumption	2.634	42,0	2.302	33,0	-18%	-21%
Share of fossil fuel consumption	100%	0,0	86%	0,0	-14%	-22%
Share of renewable energy consumption	0%	0,0	14%	0,0	-	-

*sales

EMISSIONS

	2022		2023		Δ 22-23	
	tCO ₂ eq	tCO ₂ eq/mln€*	tCO ₂ eq	tCO ₂ eq/mln€*	% tCO ₂ eq	% tCO ₂ eq/mln€*
Scope 1 gross GHG emissions	4.004	63,8	3.232	46,3	-19%	-27%
Scope 2 gross GHG emissions (location-based)	191,52	3,1	108,675	1,6	-43%	-49%
Scope 2 gross GHG emissions (market-based)	253,8	4,0	157,7	2,3	-38%	-44%
Total Scope 1 and 2 GHG emissions (location-based)	4.195	66,8	3.340	47,9	-20%	-28%
Total Scope 1 and 2 GHG emissions (market-based)	4.258	67,8	3.389	48,6	-20%	-28%

*sales



4.2_TOWARDS INCREASINGLY SUSTAINABLE PRODUCTS

Vimec not only aims to improve the energy efficiency of its production processes but is also dedicated to designing products that adhere to principles of sustainability and recyclability.

The Home Lift E20 embodies a clear example of such commitment to sustainable design. This model is crafted using certified, recyclable materials, with a reduced environmental impact.

95% of the materials used are recyclable, and the control buttons panel is **entirely made of recycled wood**, also featuring fire and water resistance certification.

This approach not only improves the product's energy efficiency but also ensures its durability, thus contributing to a lower environmental impact.

5.0_ PRO SPE RITY

€1.9
MLN

INVESTMENT IN
R&D IN 2023

6.350+

INSTALLED
PRODUCTS
IN 2023

600+

INSTALLED
PRODUCTS IN
LOCAL HEALTHCARE
AND OTHER PUBLIC
FACILITIES

5.1_ WE CARE FOR OUR CLIENTS

Improving the quality of life of Vimec's end users lies at the core of Vimec's mission, which focuses on supporting personal mobility in both private and public spaces.

This commitment is reflected in the production of tailored solutions, designed to meet the specific needs of each client, as well as in the ongoing effort to enhance service and maintenance offerings.

In 2023, Vimec installed over 6,350 products, reaching a broad range of customers across B2B and B2C channels.

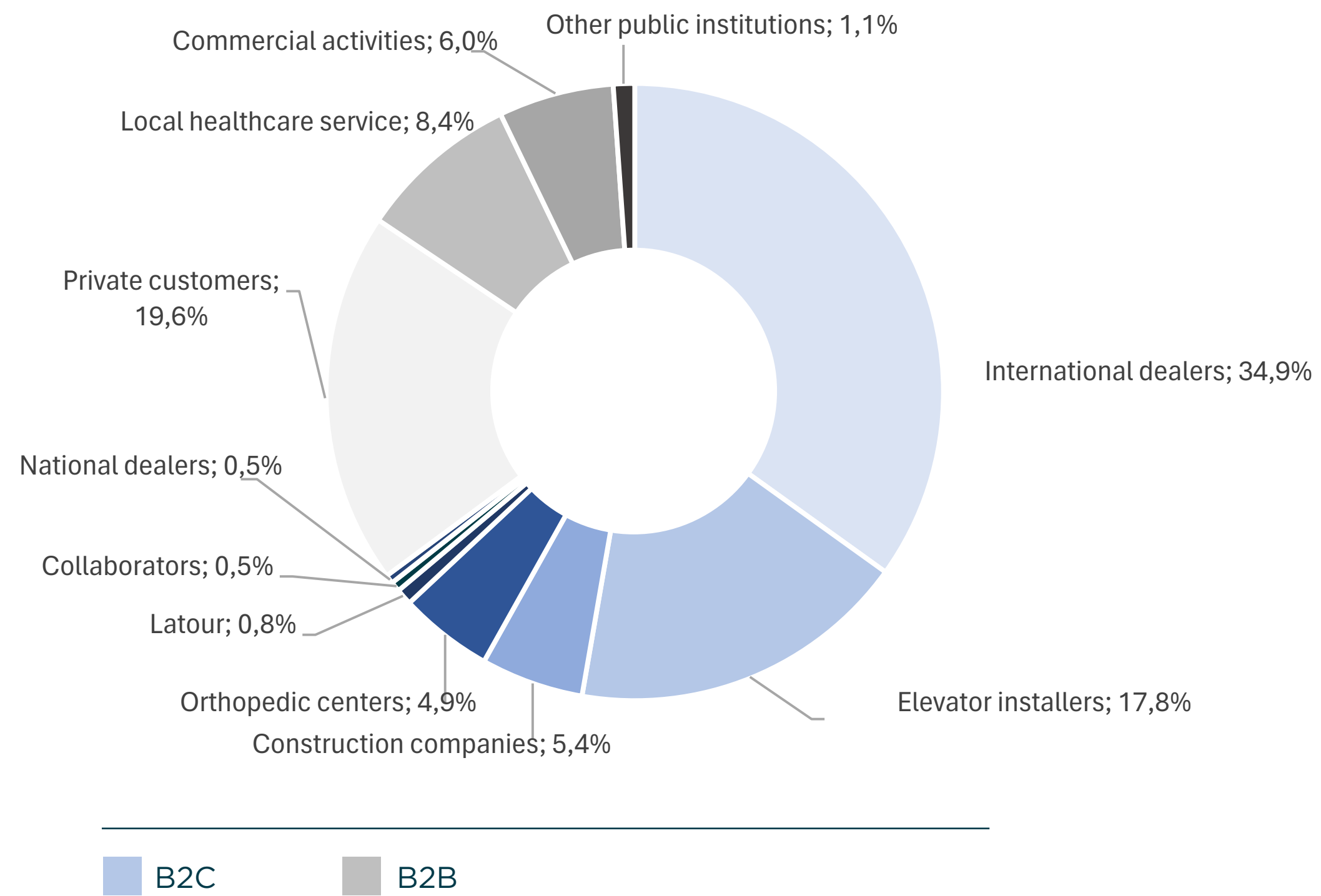
In Italy, the company directly serves private customers through its own installers and collaborates with a large network of third-party distributors. Vimec also works with national **public institutions** like hospitals and healthcare facilities, completing over 600 installations in 2023.

At the international level, Vimec primarily distributes its products through B2B channels, recognizing the strategic importance of its business partners as core elements of its client ecosystem.

The company maintains close relationships with a global network of distributors and external installers, focusing on continuous training and updates. These initiatives ensure that installers are always equipped with the latest expertise and best practices, providing a seamless experience for end consumers and ensuring that every stage—from consultation to installation—meets Vimec's high standards.

VIMEC CLIENT ECOSYSTEM

Percentage of order volume based on client type





ALWAYS
CLOSE TO
PEOPLE'S
NEEDS



The introduction of a dedicated customer service team constitutes one of the 2023 key initiatives.

The team was created to effectively integrate customer feedback into the company's business process and decisions, thereby continuously enhancing products and the purchasing experience. Vimec's customer service stands out for its meticulous attention to detail and ongoing support.

The customer service representatives proactively engage with each end client, contacting them at three critical stages in the purchasing process: **at the time of order**, to ensure all information is clear and the process is smooth; **during the preparation for system shipment**, to update the customer on the order status and prepare them for the product's arrival; **and one to two weeks post-installation**, to confirm proper system functionality and customer satisfaction.

Vimec also conducts **biannual interviews** with customers who purchased a system between 12 and 24 months prior. This initiative aims to assess long-term satisfaction and maintain customer engagement well after the purchase.

Typically, about 60-70% of the customers from the past four months respond to these surveys. During these interviews, information is collected on:

- How customers first learned about Vimec.
- Their satisfaction levels with the consultant, the product, and the service.
- Their primary reasons for choosing Vimec.
- A score from 1 to 10 to rate Vimec.

The findings from these interviews are used to calculate the **Net Promoter Score (NPS)**, a prominent customer satisfaction benchmarking tool.

It measures the likelihood of customers recommending the company to a friend or acquaintance. The NPS is determined by the **percentage difference** between **'promoters'** (who give scores of 9 or 10) and **'detractors'** (who give scores from 0 to 6). Those giving scores of 7 or 8 are considered 'passives', meaning they are moderately satisfied but only moderately loyal; Vimec solicits these customers for feedback on how the company could improve to earn a higher score (9-10). For 2023, Vimec's NPS is **31%**.

5.2_A COMPREHENSIVE COMMITMENT

Vimec's products are designed to enhance accessibility for individuals with mobility challenges, promoting social equality and improving quality of life. This philosophy extends beyond Vimec's core business, to include Vimec's commitment to local communities through various social and collaborative initiatives, as well as its engagement with global challenges.

From local care...

Vimec places significant emphasis on the interests of local communities, actively incorporating them into its strategy. **The company closely collaborates with local cooperatives to promote both economic and social development within these areas.** Vimec's initiatives not only support meaningful local projects but also strive to create opportunities for sustainable economic growth in the surrounding communities.

A notable example is the recent **donation of a T09 Roby stairclimber to the U. Sabbadini Foundation in Villastrada (MN).** This donation resulted from an internal challenge at Vimec, where employees nominated deserving institutions. The most popular nominations were selected

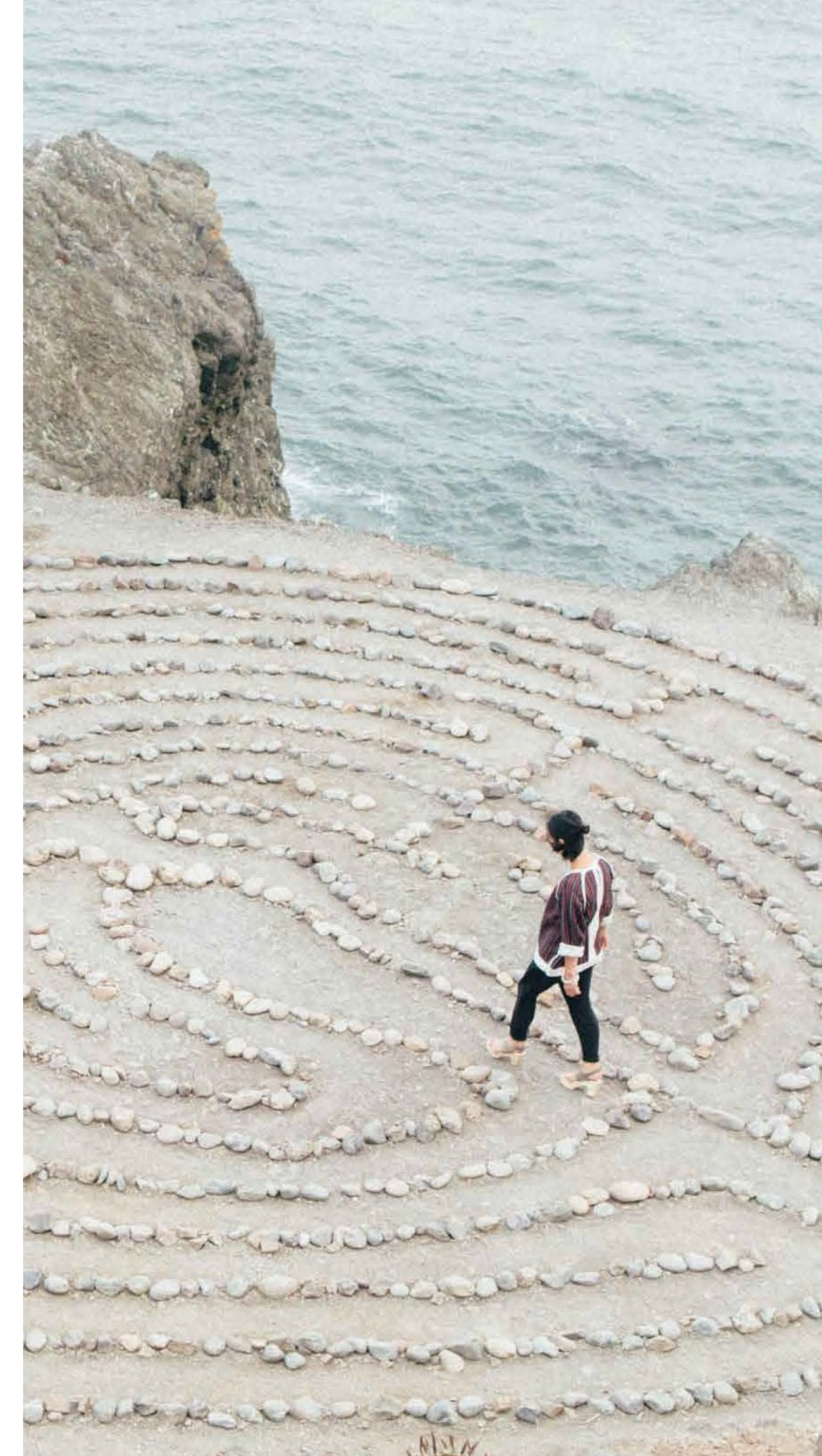


through a vote and rewarded. The addition of the stairclimber enhances the mobility of residents at the U. Sabbadini nursing home, allowing them to move within the facility with the support of a trained escort, thereby improving both their safety and quality of movement.

Vimec's commitment to its local community extends beyond its core business. Continuing its efforts from previous years, in 2023, Vimec supported the Social Cooperative "Il Bettolino," founded in 1989 by Cooperativa Muratori Reggiolo s.c. in collaboration with AUSL and the Municipal Administrations of Bassa Reggiana. "Il Bettolino" operates in the municipalities of Boretto, Brescello, Gualtieri, Guastalla, Luzzara, Novellara, Poviglio, and Reggiolo,

focusing on human promotion and social integration for disabled and disadvantaged individuals through activities in agriculture, industry, commerce, and services. Among their joint initiatives, Vimec collaborated on creating greeting cards for Valentine's Day and International Women's Day.

Vimec also supports the "**Madrelingua Inglese**" project at the Istituto Comprensivo di Luzzara. This initiative brings native English-speaking teachers into the classroom to enrich the educational experience of students. Additionally, to celebrate Vimec's anniversary, the Social Sustainability Team organized a cleanup activity along the Po riverbank. This event included a scenic route near the riverbank huts, enriched by stories from the "Amici del Po," and was conducted in collaboration with the Municipality of Luzzara.





... to addressing global challenge

In addition to its focus on local communities and its own region, Vimec is committed to addressing global challenges. In 2023, the company continued its collaboration with **Solvatten**, which aims to tackle the issue of access to clean drinking water in extremely impoverished communities. Solvatten produces portable water purifiers that use solar energy to transform contaminated water into safe, warm water. This device purifies 10 liters of water in about two hours, meeting WHO standards. Thanks to this initiative, 3,288 Solvatten units have been distributed, benefiting approximately 18,000 people.

Furthermore, Vimec donated funds to **support the Chalna Physiotherapy Center in Bangladesh**, a facility providing free physiotherapy assistance to those in need, along with necessary mobility aids. Three physiotherapists offer personalized rehabilitation programs in collaboration with volunteer Italian physiotherapists. In 2023, the center helped 21 individuals, including children with cerebral injuries, adults who had suffered accidents, and people affected by strokes, many of whom were housed in the mission's family homes.



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