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OVAB Europe / AssoDS Digital Signage Business Climate Index January/February 2014 Italy

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#### Improved business situation – conservative expectations



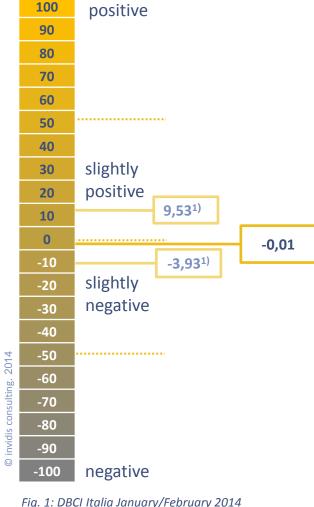


Fig. 1: DBCI Italia January/February 2014
1) DBCI Italia September/October ; November/December 2013

- The Digital Signage Business Climate Index Italy has slightly decreased in January-February 2014. The neutral rating of the index mirrowes the overal economic situation in Italy, i.e. a very slow recovery from a low level
- However the negative answers have significantly declined and the polled companies show an overal more satisfied business sentiment
- The Italian Digital Signage market is primarily held up by the restrictive investments, a high pricing pressure and bureaucratic hindering's

### **Additional Questions**

Between 20-50 job openings in 2013

#### Survey facts

- Participants: n=24
- Region: Italy
- Time frame: 7. 17. January 2014





# **Question:** How do you rate the current business situation for your products / services in the field of Digital Signage?



Fig. 2: DBCI Italia January/February 2014 "business situation", n=24



Increase of unchanged expectations indicate a slow start in 2014



### Question: What are your expectations for the next six months?

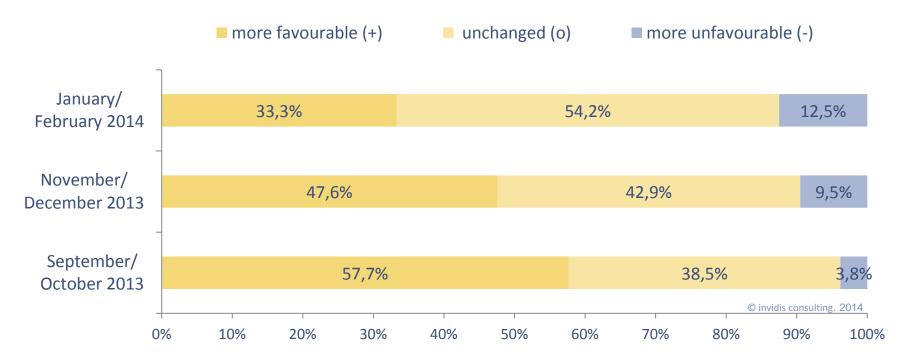


Fig. 3: DBCI Italia January/February 2014 "business expectations", n=24



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## **ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS**





#### Question: Did the number of employees in your company increase in 2013?

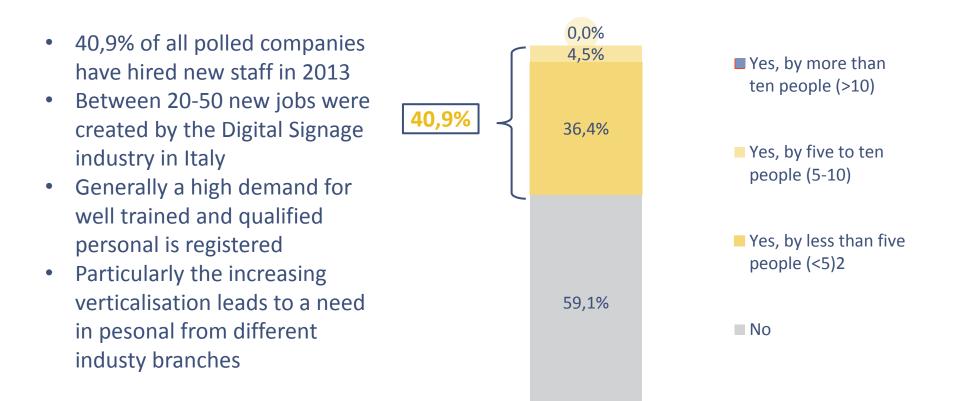
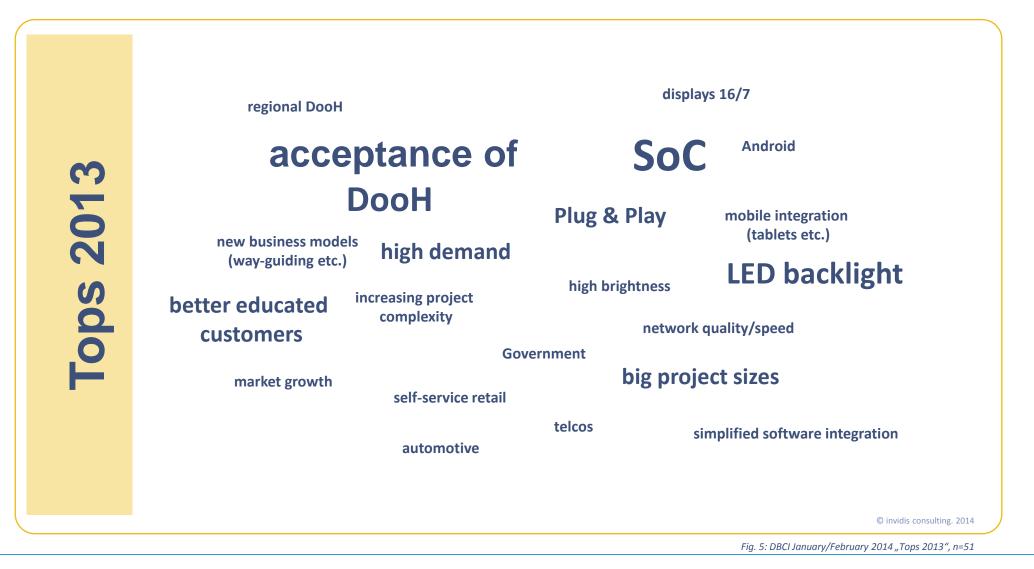


Fig. 4: DBCI Italia January/February 2014 "Digital Signage hirings 2013", n=22



#### DS market happy about SoC and high acceptance of DooH





3D and the pricing pressure are the biggest disappointments



Flops 2013

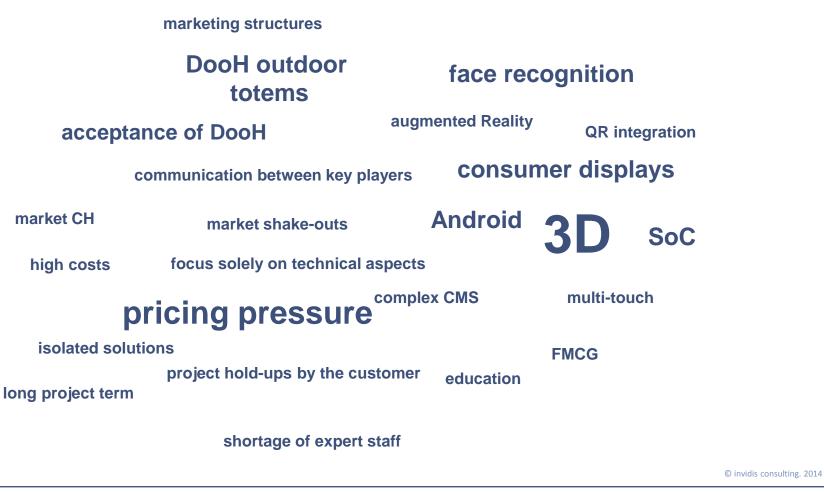


Fig. 6: DBCI January/February 2014 "Flops 2013", n=51



#### Mobile integration, interactivity and SoC on the agenda



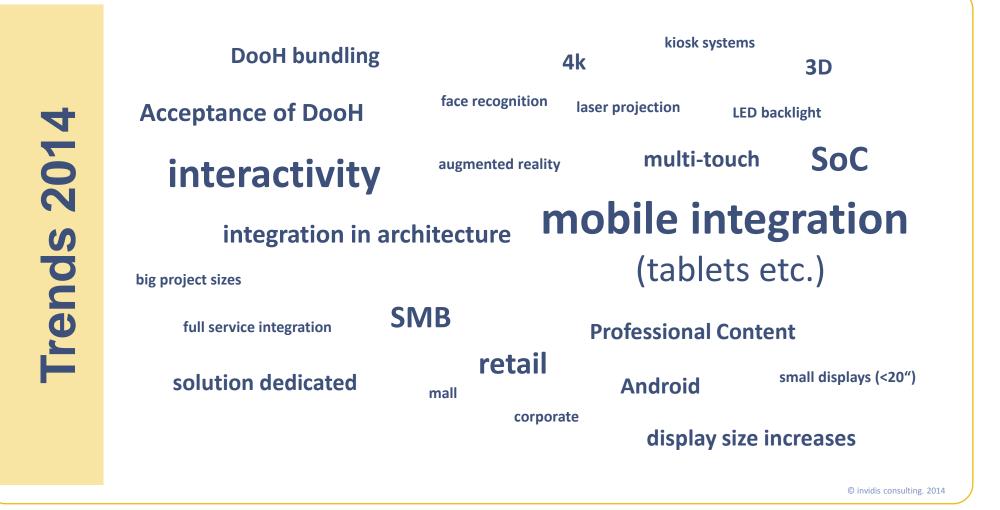


Fig. 7: DBCI January/February 2014 "Trends 2014", n=56

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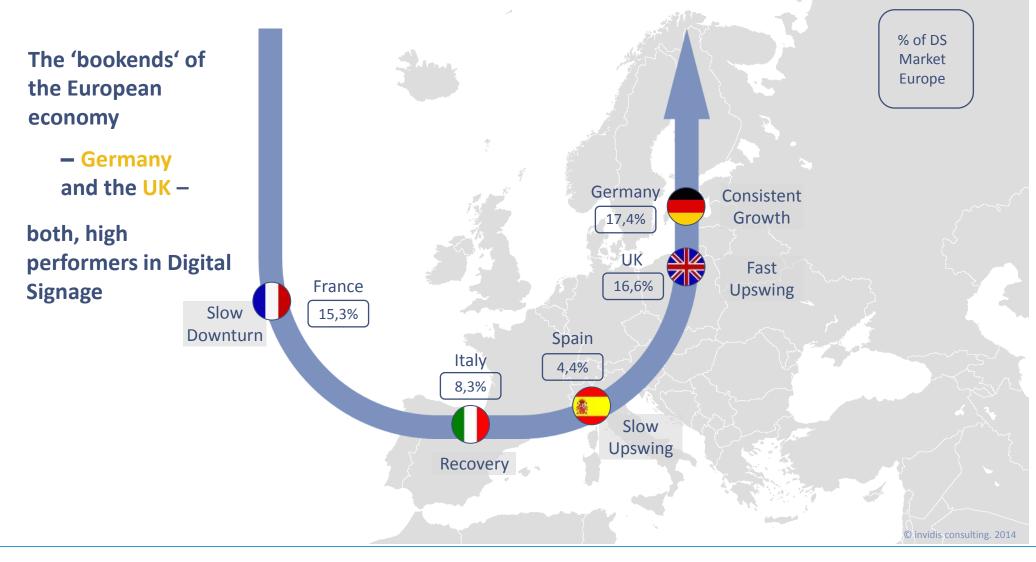




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- The next survey will take place in calendar weeks 10-11 of 2014.
- The next planned publication date will be the 22<sup>nd</sup> of March 2014.
- The DBCI is polled by invidis consulting and published in cooperation with OVAB Europe.
- If you are not yet part of the DBCI survey please contact us for further information.
- The DBCI will be extended to other markets in 2014. For further information please contact Daniel Russell.

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