

FINANCIAL RESULTS & BUSINESS HIGHLIGHTS

Q4 & FY 2024/25

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Q4 2024/25

Solid sales growth in the final quarter in challenging market environment, driven by surge in E-Com business - increased pressure on profitability.

KEY FIGURES

Group sales: +2.6%* to €981.9m

- Stores: +0.6%
- E-Com: +7.3%*

Adj. EBITDA: -11.4%

* excluding sold-off online pharmacy Disapo

FULL-YEAR 2024/25

Guidance achieved, with solid growth and doubled net income. Omnichannel remains winning model in beauty retail, also driving x-channel sales.

KEY FIGURES

Group sales: 3.5%* to €4.58bn

- Stores: +2.5%
- E-Com: +5.6%*

Adj. EBITDA margin: 16.8%

Net income: €175.4m (+108.7%)

Net leverage: 2.9x as of 30.09.25
(2.1x pre IFRS16)

* excluding sold-off online pharmacy Disapo

EXPECTATIONS

Guidance for FY 2025/26 based on economic and market conditions leading to higher consumer uncertainty.

GUIDANCE 25/26

Group sales: €4.65-4.80bn

Adj. EBITDA margin: ~16.5%

Net leverage: 2.5-3.0x

MARKET SITUATION: CHANGING ENVIRONMENT

The European premium beauty market continues to **structurally grow**, but at a **slower pace** than in recent years, and varying between countries.

In this new environment, **omnichannel is the winning model** as consumers adapt their shopping behavior to the channel-breaching retail offering.





CURRENT TRADING:
PEAK SEASON (OCTOBER - DECEMBER)

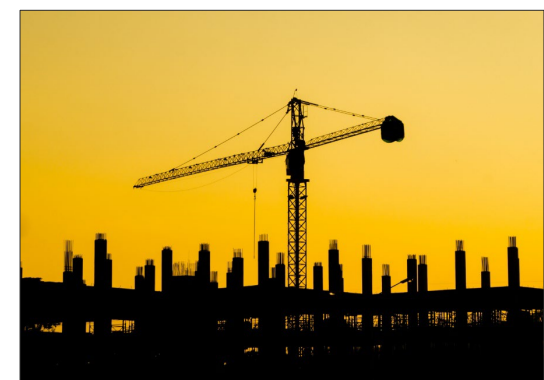
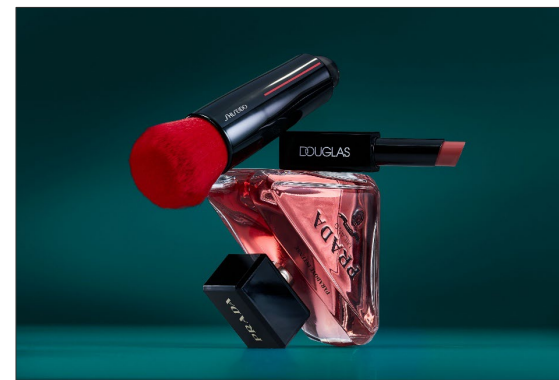
Solid start into the new financial year – more information will be provided in a **trading statement** on Q1 25/26 on **19 January 2026**.





We are considering to expand beyond continental Europe and evaluate a **market entry** in the growing **Middle East / GCC countries**.

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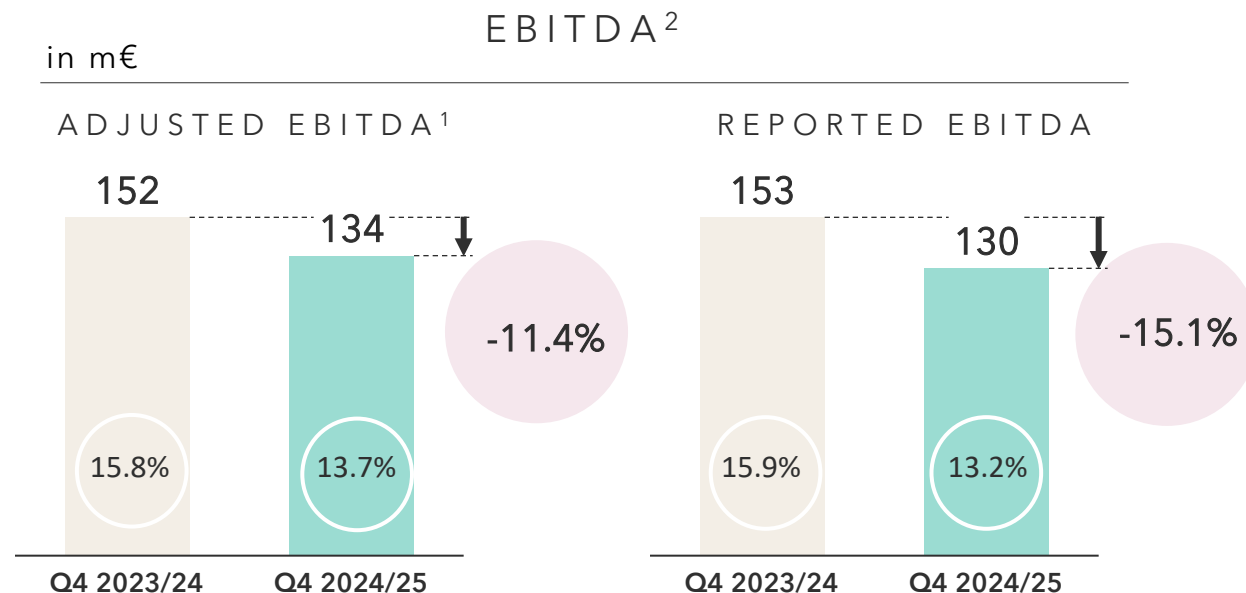
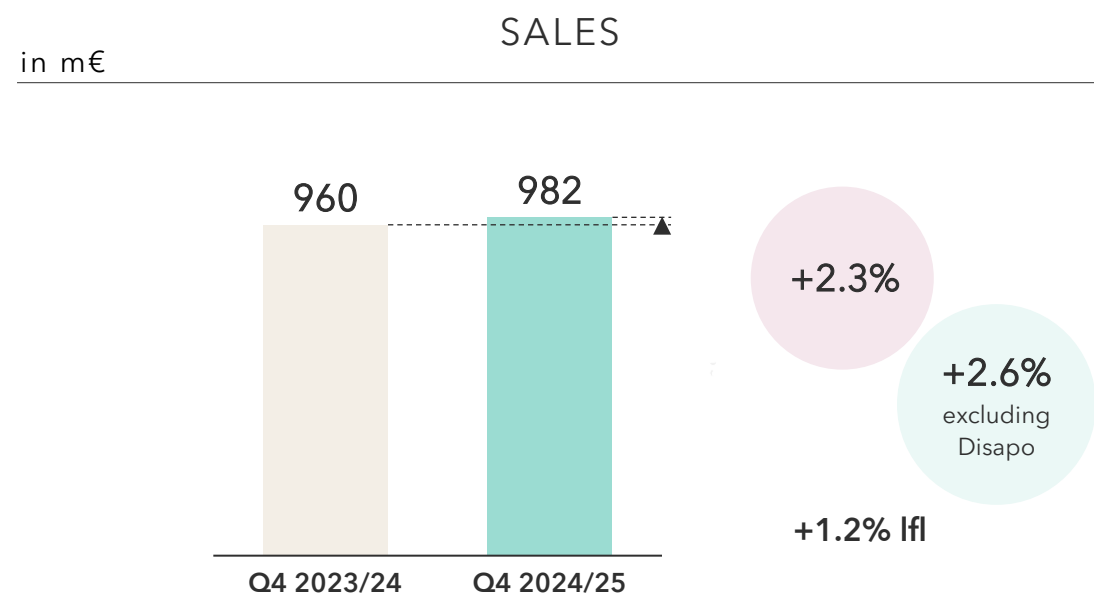


MARCO GIORGETTA, CFO

Q4 AND FULL-YEAR FINANCIALS

Q4 2024/25 Group Sales & EBITDA development

Further increase in sales, while a competitive environment weighs on profits



- Higher Q4 sales driven by E-Com (+7.3%, ex Disapo)
- Store sales increased by +0.6%
- Sales growth achieved in all five segments
- As from August 2025 no longer sales growth impact from sold off Disapo

- Lower reported and adjusted EBITDA
- Lower gross profit margin due to ongoing promotional environment
- Higher operating costs that could not be entirely offset by sales growth

¹For details on EBITDA adjustments see 41

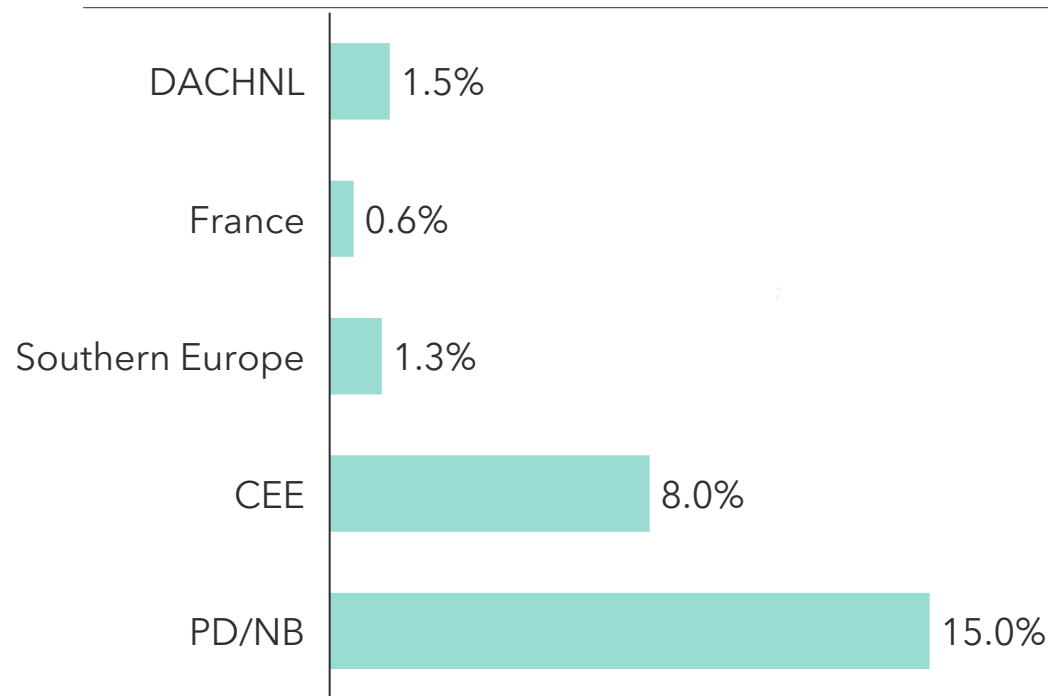
² Q4 PY impacted positively by releases of provisions and accruals during year-end closing

Q4 2024/25 Sales and EBITDA performance by segment

Positive sales growth across segments

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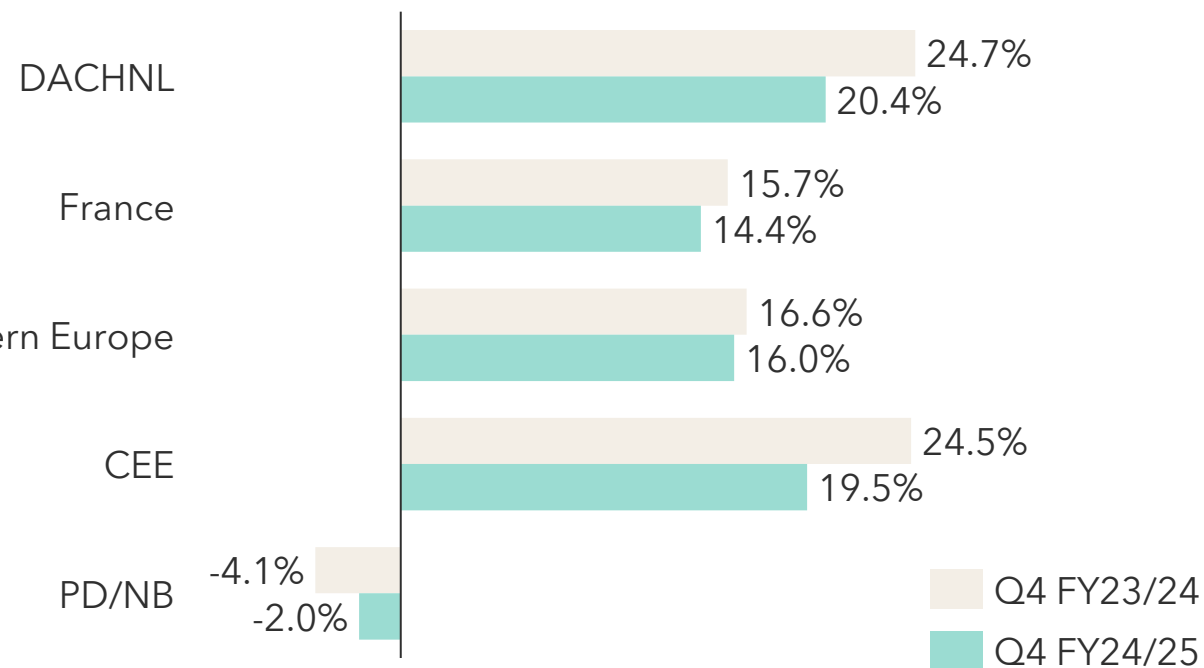
% YoY



- Fastest growth in CEE and PD/NB
- Despite subdued consumer environment, positive sales growth in FR

ADJ. EBITDA MARGIN

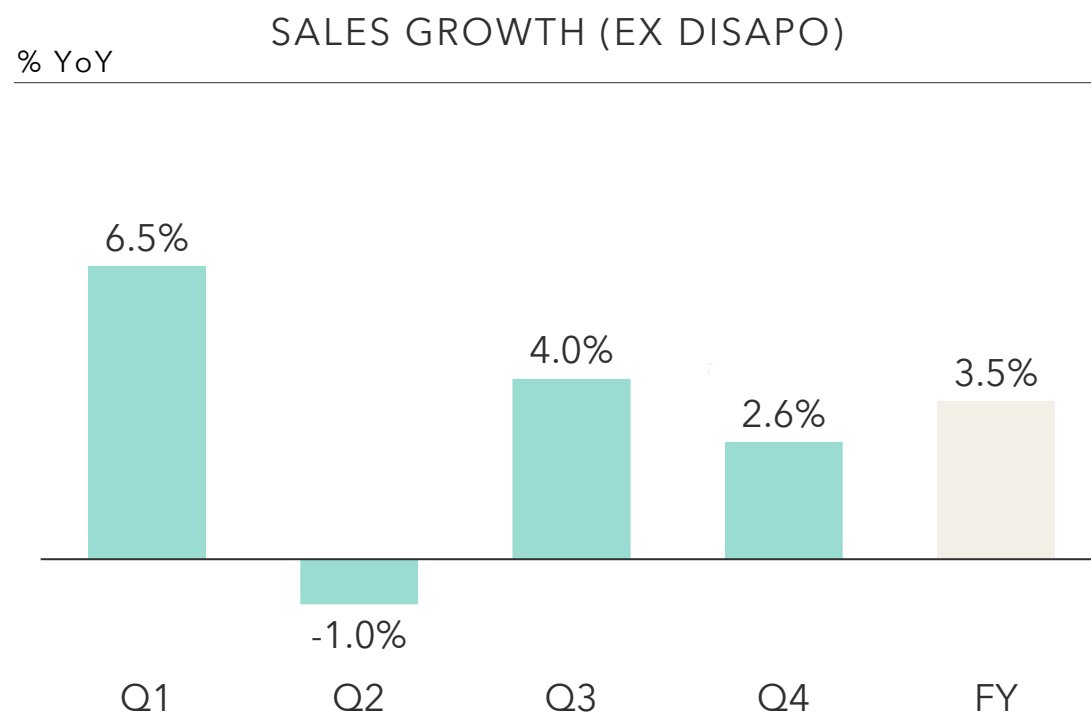
% of sales



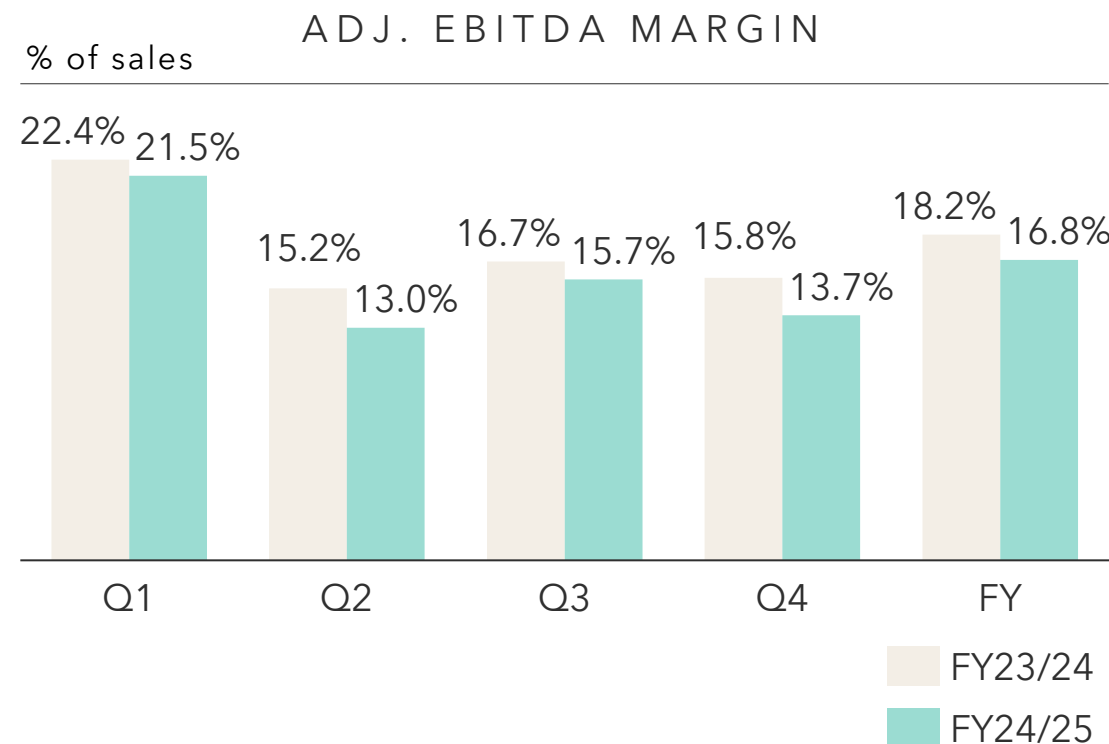
- Adj. EBITDA impacted by gross margin pressure from supplier bonuses and promotional activity as well as higher investment in the IT landscape and OWAC expansion

FY 2024/25: Performance by quarter

Volatility in market trends leading to swings in sales trend and margin investments



- Strong start in Q1 followed by a sudden slowdown in Q2
- Q3 showed signs of improvement, also supported by Easter shift
- Q4 remains at solid levels with FY at +3.5%



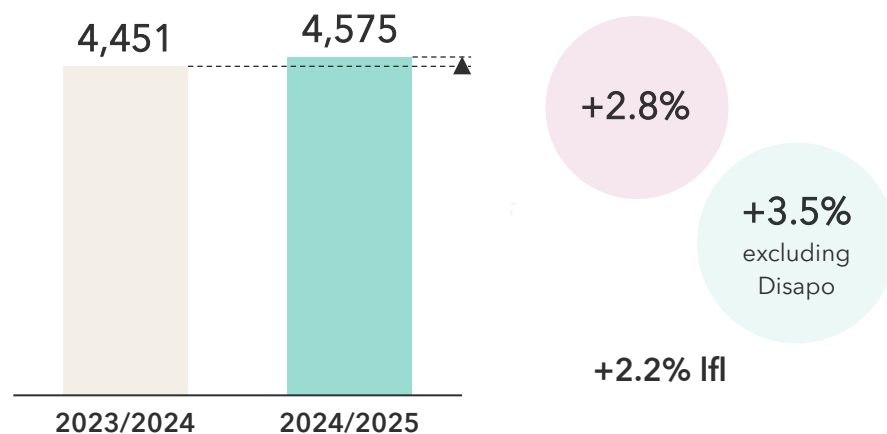
- Margin investment in all quarters to sustain sales growth
- Primarily driven by gross profit margin
- SG&A only slightly above PY as a % of NES in FY24/25

FY 2024/25: Group Sales and EBITDA development

Sales and adjusted EBITDA in line with company guidance

SALES

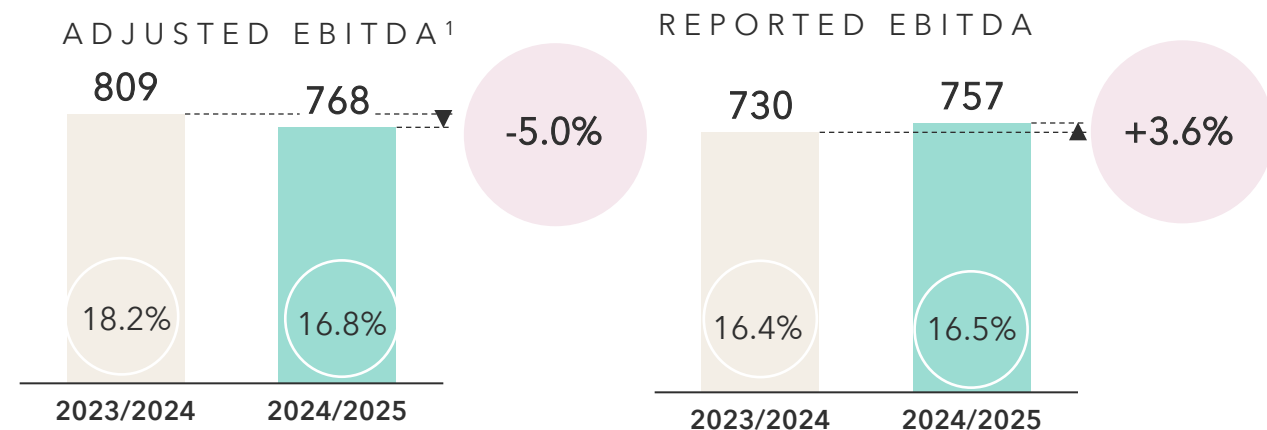
in m€



- After a strong first quarter, sales growth slowed on the back of lower market growth rates, notably in the DACHNL region and France
- Despite challenging market conditions, we realized our sales guidance as issued in March this year
- E-Com remained the main sales growth driver, together with the Central Eastern European segment

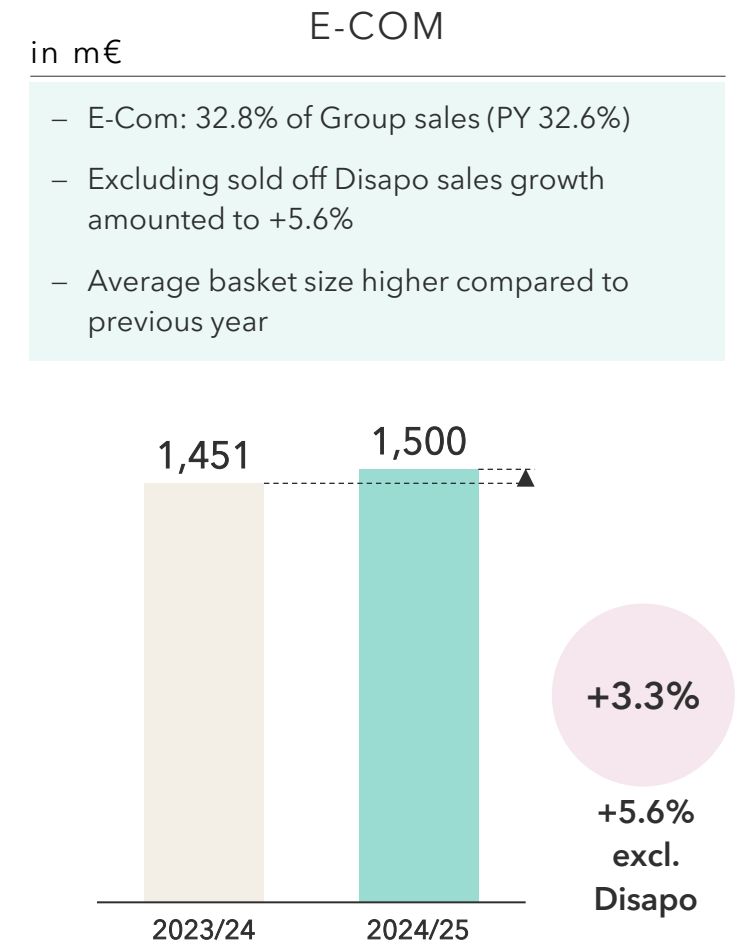
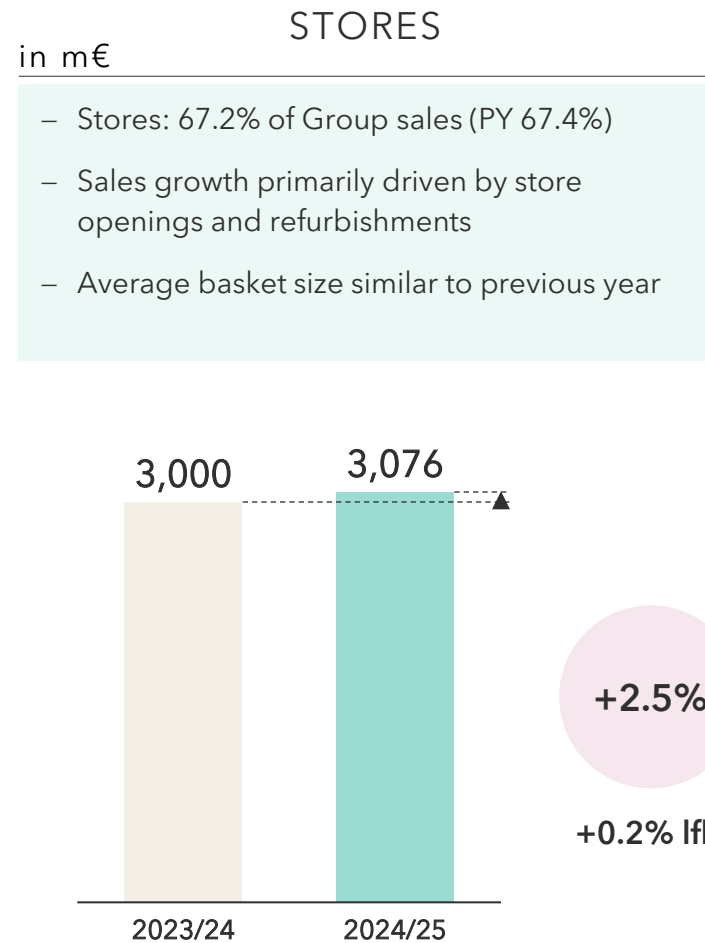
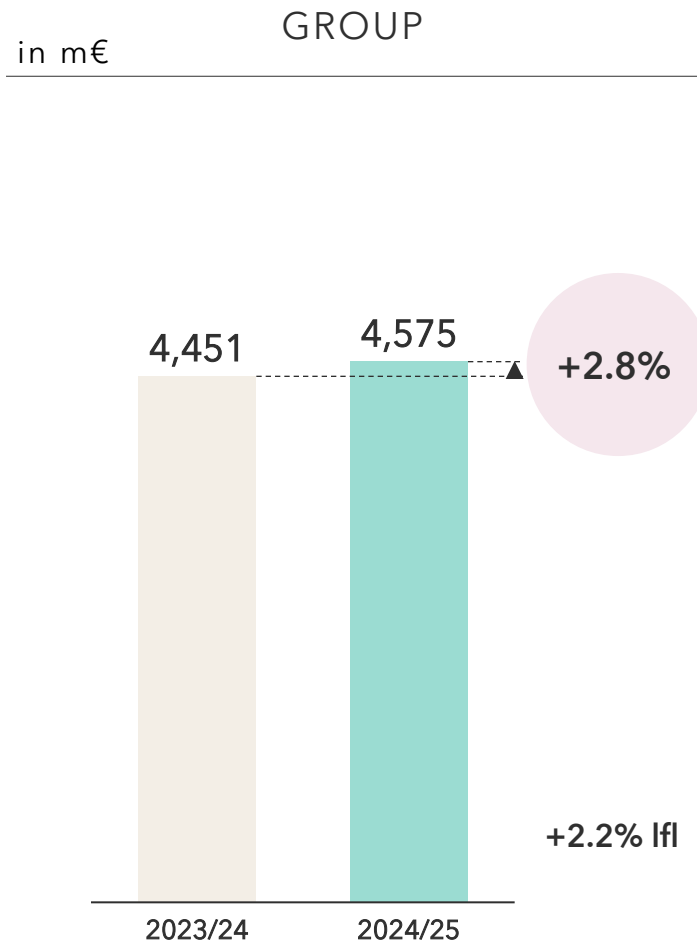
EBITDA

in m€



- A focus on cost savings, notably personnel expenses, helped us to limit the decrease in adjusted EBITDA
- IT costs continued to increase in the wake of our investments in our beauty card, logistics and tech stack
- Lower adjustments compared to the previous year resulted in a higher reported EBITDA

FY 2024/25: Sales increased in both channels



FY 2024/25: Strong increase in Net Income

in m€	2023/2024	2024/2025	Change
Net sales	4,451.0	4,575.3	2.8%
Costs of raw materials	-2,415.0	-2,539.3	5.1%
Gross profit	2,036.0	2,036.1	0.0%
Gross profit margin	45.7%	44.5%	-120bps
Net operating expenses	-1,305.7	-1,279.5	-2.0%
Reported EBITDA	730.3	756.5	3.6%
Adjustments	78.3	11.9	-84.8%
Adjusted EBITDA¹	808.6	768.4	-5.0%
Adjusted EBITDA margin¹	18.2%	16.8%	-140bps
Amortization/depreciation/impairment	-346.9	-388.0	11.9%
Reported EBIT	383.5	368.6	-3.9%
Financial result	-301.0	-133.0	-55.8%
Income taxes ²	1.6	-60.2	
Net income	84.0	175.4	108.7%

¹For details on EBITDA adjustments see 41

²Germany's Corporate Income Tax (CIT) reform will be advantageous for Douglas' corporate tax burden from 2028 onwards, all else being equal

13 ³ Corrected for this one-off, ETR pro-forma is at 31.3%

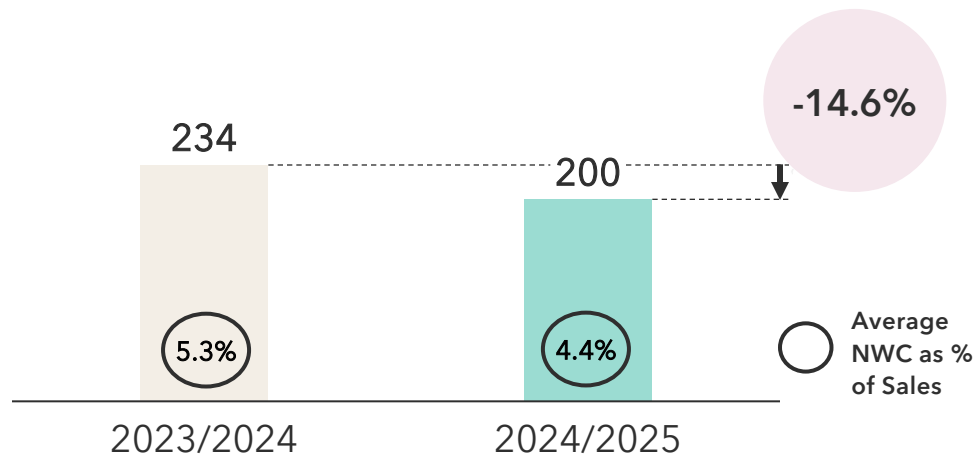
- **Gross profit margin:** Higher promotional pressure in a competitive environment; not reaching targets leading to lower suppliers' contributions
- **Net operating expenses:** high one-off IPO costs in PY. Main YoY deviations are lower net marketing costs and higher IT costs
- **D&A:** increase due to larger store base, store refurbishments and further OWAC rollout. Impact of impairments: €19.3m (PY: €15.0m). In total, D&A equal c. 8.5% of net sales
- **Financial result:** Lower debt and better interest rate margins contributed to significant reduction in the financial result
- **Taxes:** ETR of 25.5% benefits from DTL update from a one-off gain after applying CIT reduction legislation³
- **Net income:** improvement of EUR 91 million compared to last year; reported EPS of €1.63 (no dilution)

FY 2024/25: Average Net Working Capital now at 4.4% of sales

As of 30 September 2025

AVERAGE NET WORKING CAPITAL

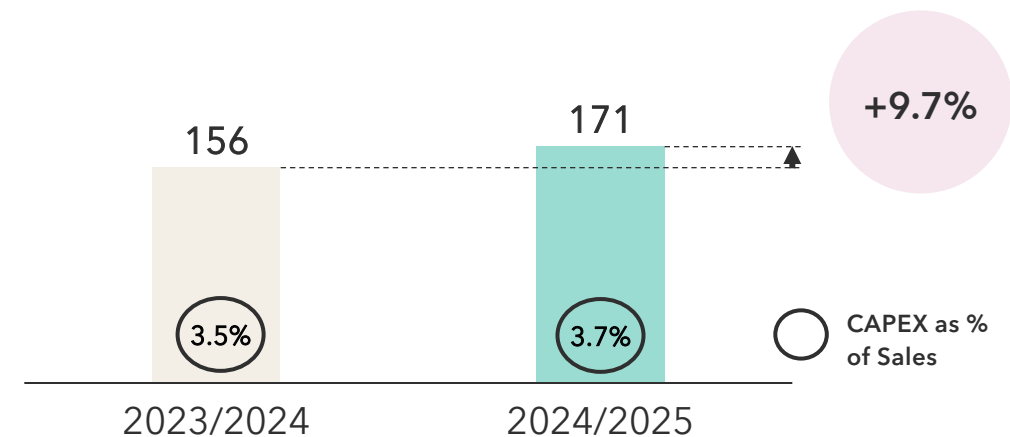
in m€



- Average inventory higher due to growth of our store network and higher input costs
- DIO nearly stable at 122 (PY: 123)
- Other short-term liabilities are higher thanks to roll-out of the supply chain financing program as from Q2 2024/25 (utilization as of Sep-25: €145m; impact on LTM average NWC: €75m)

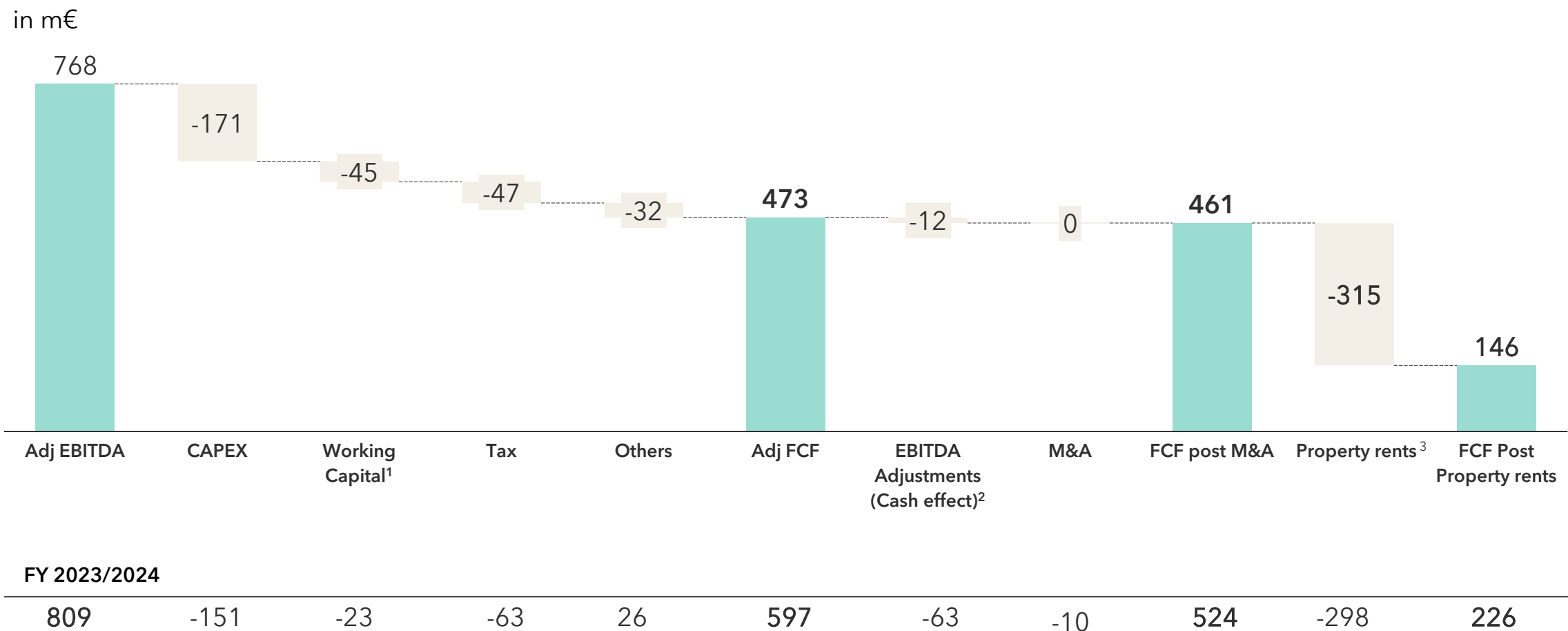
CAPEX

in m€



- Majority of capital expenditure spent in the Stores channel on store refurbishments and relocations (139 Stores) and store openings (90)
- Ongoing investment in further platform rollout, investments in the IT stack standardization and enhancement, as well as on various digital initiatives

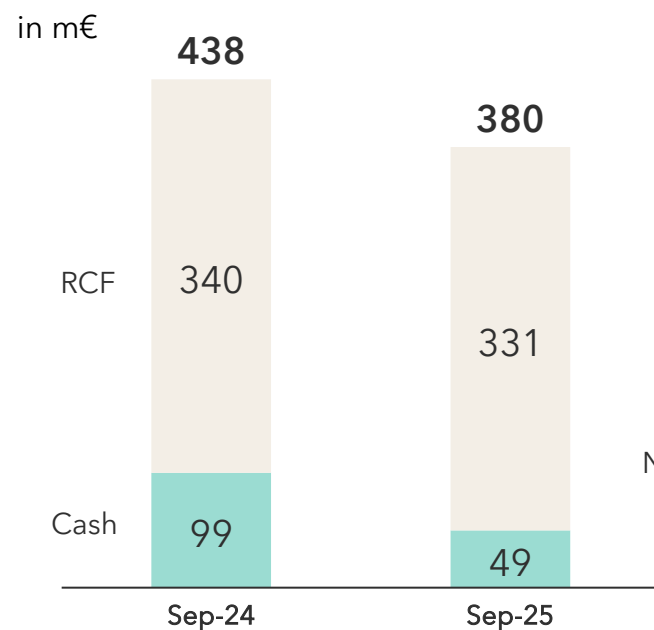
FY 2024/25: Free Cash Flow development



¹Excluding supply chain financing; for details on Net Working Capital development see page 42; ²For details on EBITDA adjustments see 40; ³Including finance cost component of leases for €61.4m (PY: €57.0m)

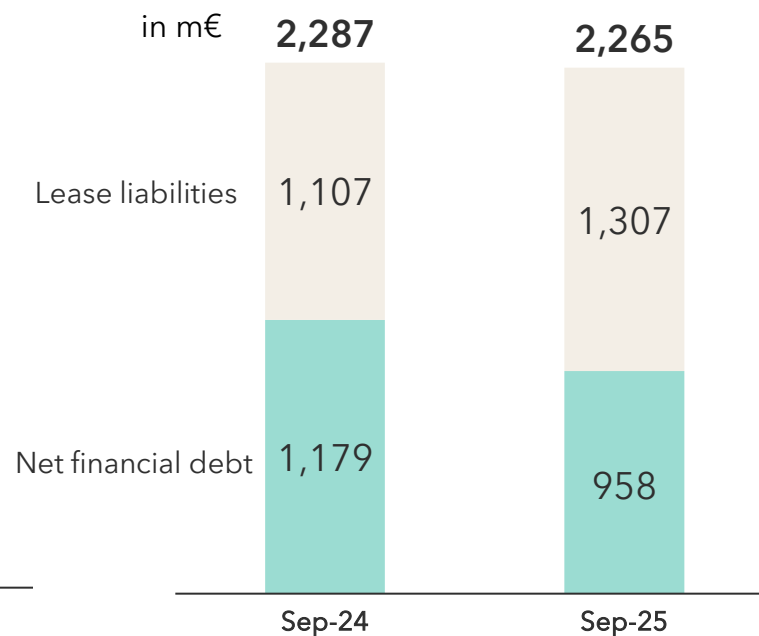
FY 2024/25: Sound financial structure

AVAILABLE LIQUIDITY



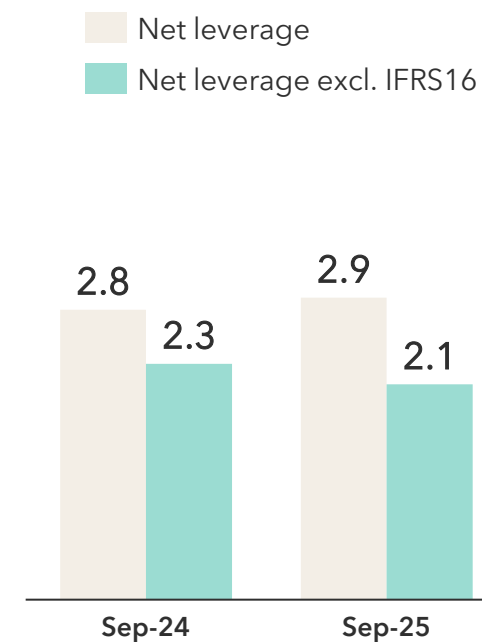
- Ample financial flexibility
- Bridge facility repaid in March 2025 led to better financing conditions

NET DEBT STRUCTURE



- Higher lease liabilities reflect stores openings and relocations, refurbishments, lease contract extensions and two new OWAC sites
- Net fin. debt lower thanks to cash generation and supply chain financing initiative

NET LEVERAGE¹



- Limited net leverage ratio increase to 2.9 (PY: 2.8) due to increase in IFRS 16-related lease liabilities

Outlook 2025/2026

DOUGLAS Group	2024/2025 reported	2025/2026 guidance
Net sales	€4.58bn	€4.65bn to €4.80bn
Adjusted EBITDA margin	16.8%	around 16.5%
Net leverage	2.9x	2.5x to 3.0x

- As key components to deliver net leverage, in FY25/26 we expect:
 - Average net working capital as a % of sales to be <4% (compared to 4.4% in FY24/25)
 - Capital expenditures (ex leases) to be around €150m (compared to €171m in FY24/25)



Mid-term Targets



Consistent sales growth

**Low- to mid-single-digit growth
considering premium beauty market
dynamics**

- E-Com growth
- Store expansion
- Selective geographic expansion¹
- Assortment enhancement
- CRM
- Pricing & Promotion



Sustained profitability

Stable adj. EBITDA margin

- Focusing on our operating model
- Cost Efficiency (SG&A)
- Corporate Brands & Exclusive Brands
- Retail Media



Continuous commitment on
deleveraging

**2.0 - 2.5x adj. EBITDA targeting
dividend payout**

- Conscious Capex Investments
- Balanced store refurbishments and new openings
- Up to 40% dividend payout ratio (as a base of the net income)



SANDER VAN DER LAAN, CEO

STRATEGY AND HIGHLIGHTS

Sharpened focus within our strategy

„Let it Bloom“ remains our guiding framework ...

1

Be the
**#1 BEAUTY
DESTINATION**
in all our
markets

2

Offer most
relevant and
distinctive
**RANGE OF
BRANDS**

3

Deliver most
customer friendly
OMNICHANNEL
experience

4

Build focused
and efficient
**OPERATING
MODEL**



Foundation: Grow our **CULTURE** and **VALUES**, lived by **US**

Sharpened focus within our strategy

... but now with a stronger emphasis on operational efficiency



Updates from four strategic initiatives



BRAND COMMUNICATION

#1 BEAUTY DESTINATION



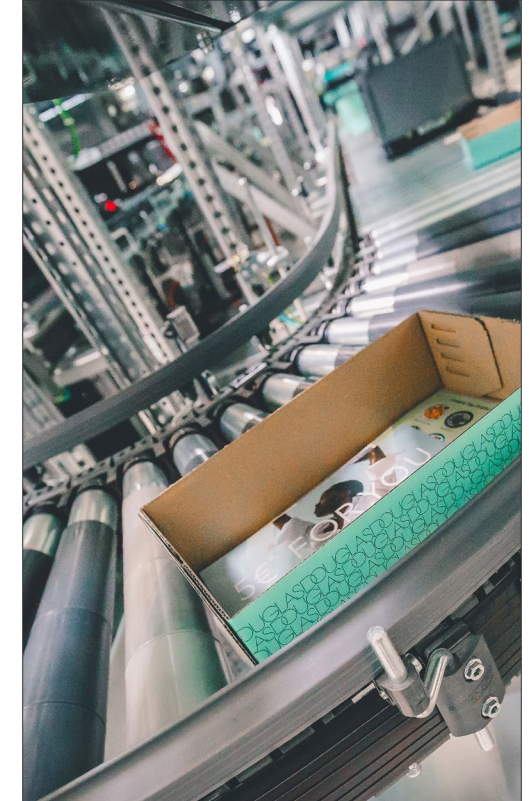
CATEGORY & BRANDS

RANGE OF BRANDS



STORE NETWORK DEVELOPMENT

OMNICHANNEL EXPERIENCE



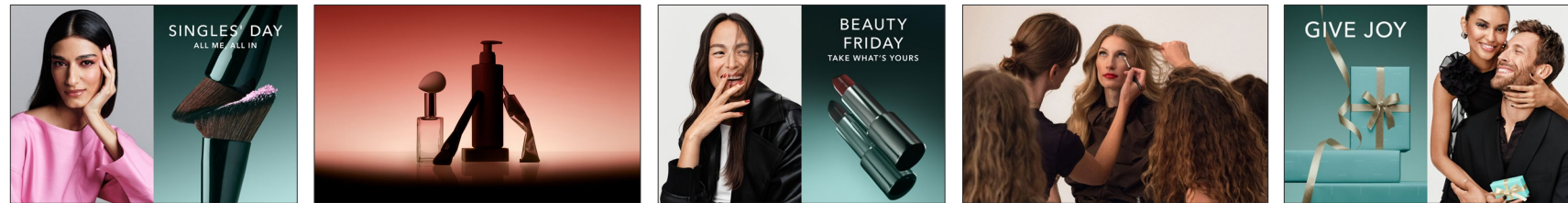
OWAC ROLLOUT (SUPPLY CHAIN)

OPERATING MODEL

We have launched a new brand campaign platform driving a coherent, inspiring brand image & story.

Brand Communication

WELCOME TO
BEAUTIFUL.



Video: „Welcome to Beautiful“



**SHOW
VIDEO**

We have opened 74 new own stores (net) and refurbished 139* existing own ones in the financial year 2024/25.

Store Network Development

* including relocations



OPENINGS
(own stores, net)

35

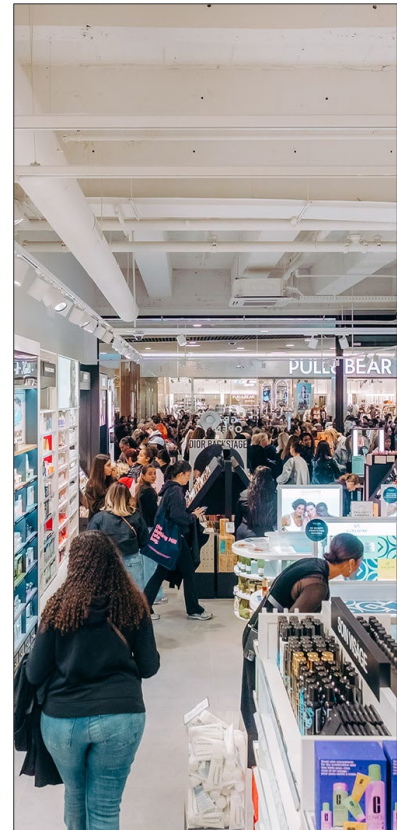
REFURBISHMENTS
(own stores)

36*

Q4

1,959
Stores

as of 30 September 2025
(incl. franchises)





We have expanded our offering of exclusive brands, positioning us as the retailer of choice.

Category & Brands



EXCLUSIVE BRAND LAUNCHES

5 (FY 2024/25)

3 (Q4)

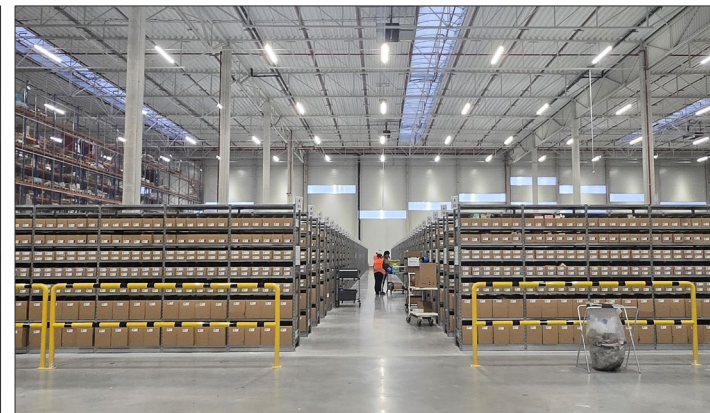




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OWACs
in operation

We signed the contract for the BENE OWAC and started operations in our new OWACs in Poland and Italy.

OWAC Rollout (Supply Chain)





SANDER VAN DER LAAN, CEO

WRAP-UP



SUMMARY

- **European premium beauty market transitioning** from highly dynamic post-pandemic growth **to a phase of rebalancing**: It continues to **structurally grow**, albeit at a slower pace
- “Let it Bloom” strategy sharpened towards efficiency; targeted investments in growth initiatives like IT & E-Com
- **FY 2024/25**: Solid overall growth and results within expectations - profitability impacted by customer behavior, e.g. price sensitivity, and promotional pressure, i.e. in Q4
- The DOUGLAS Group is **well positioned** to further grow as the omnichannel model continues to be winning model
- Solid start into the new financial year 2025/26

GUIDANCE FY 2025/26

Sales (€)	Adj. EBITDA margin	Leverage Ratio
4.65-4.80bn	~16.5%	2.5x - 3.0x

Video: „Christmas TVC“



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Q&A

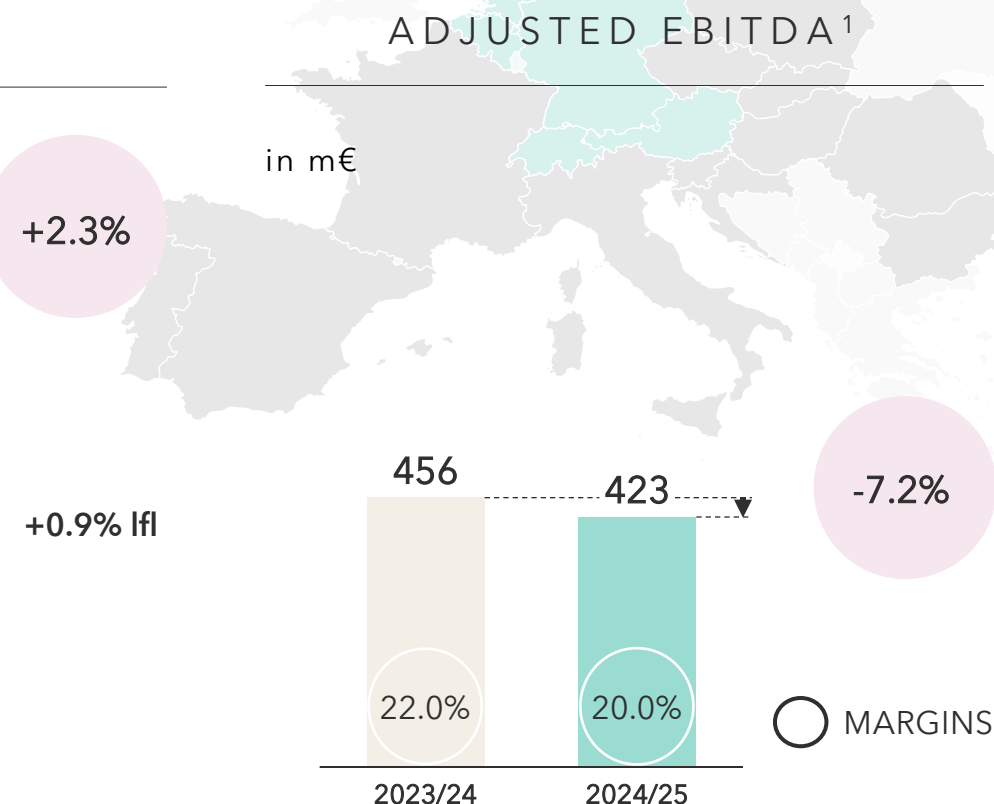
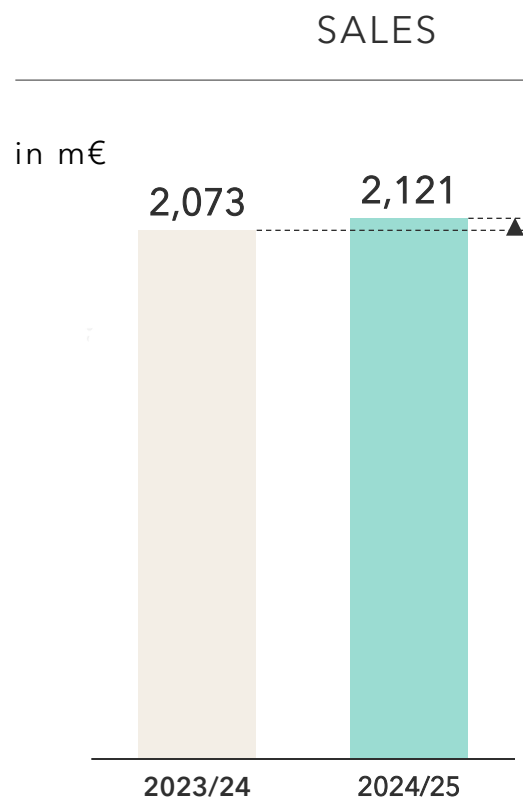


APPENDIX

DACHNL FY 2024/2025

Tougher trading environment weighs on overall performance

- Store sales increased by 1.4%, with a -1.3% lfl, reflecting tougher trading compared to a year ago
- E-Com sales increased by 3.6%, supported by a growing customer base and a higher average basket value
- Adjusted EBITDA decreased by 7.2%. This was largely due to a lower gross profit margin, the result of an intensified promotional environment
- Besides higher IT spend, other cost items as a percentage of sales were broadly in line with last year



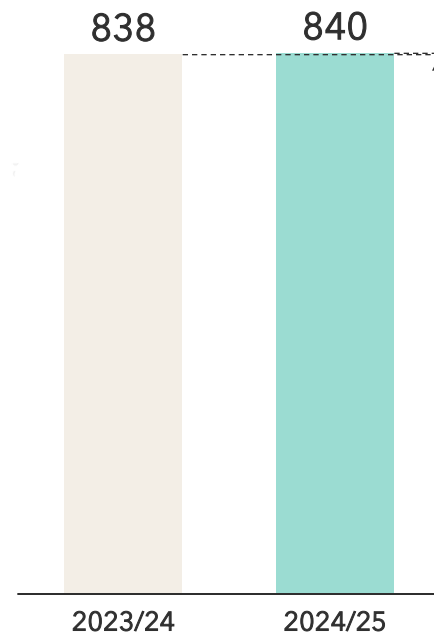
France FY 2024/2025

Continued market share gain in a declining market

- Store sales decreased by -0.4%, with a -1.9% lfl, reflecting tough trading conditions that started in the course of the first quarter
- E-Com sales increased by 2.9% helped by a higher average order value, while the number of orders was lower
- Lower adjusted EBITDA partly caused by a lower gross margin reflecting a sluggish French beauty market
- Personnel cost ratio in line with previous year. Strong increase in IT-costs due to rollout of E-Commerce platform. Marketing costs were lower compared to last year

SALES

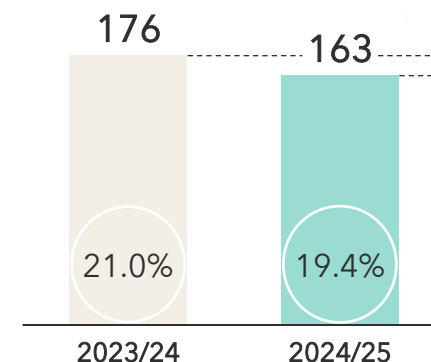
in m€



-0.7% lfl

ADJUSTED EBITDA¹

in m€

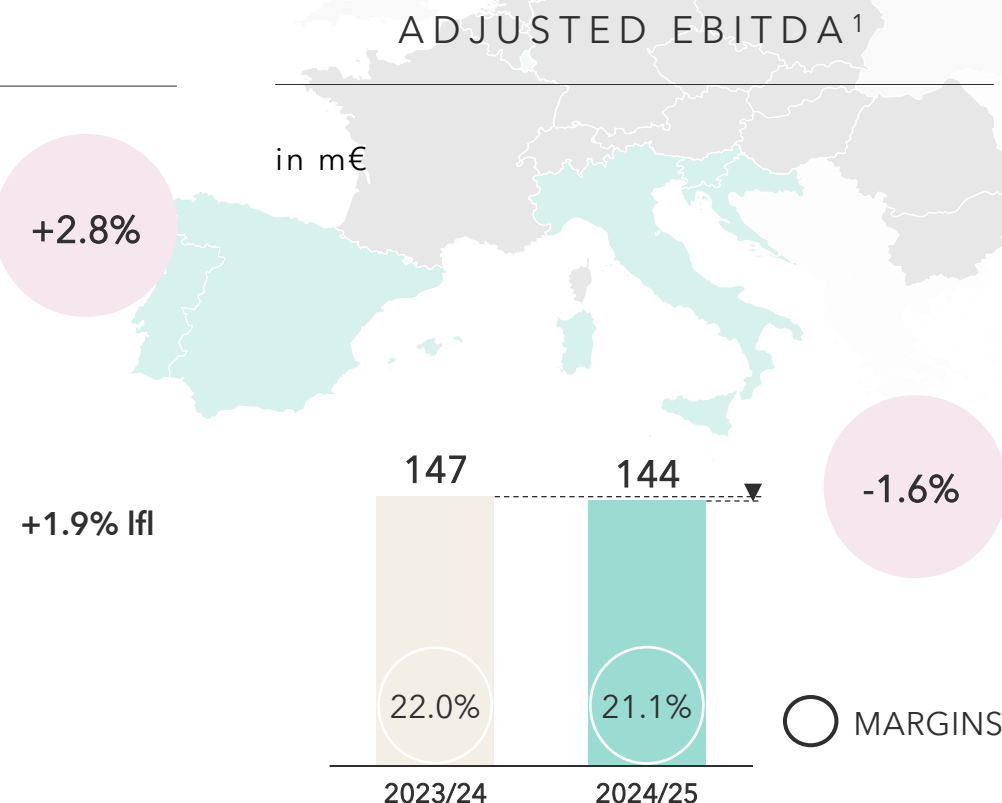
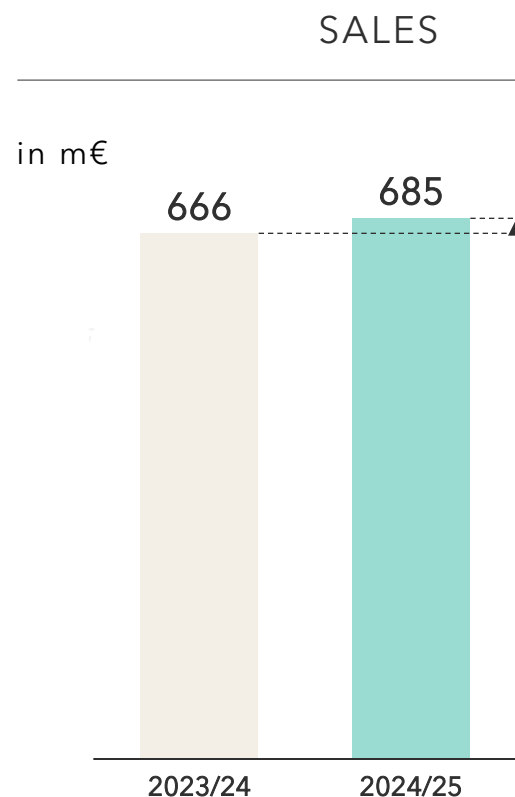


○ MARGINS

Southern Europe FY 2024/2025

Positive store sales growth outweighs lower E-Com sales

- Store sales increased by +3.4%, with +2.4% lfl, reflecting a robust consumer spending environment
- E-Com sales decreased by -0.7%. An average higher basket value was not enough to offset slightly lower customer numbers
- Sales performance was affected by supply chain challenges in run-up to new warehouse and operator switch in Italy
- Adjusted EBITDA slightly lower due to a decrease in gross profit margin and a strong increase in the IT expense ratio.



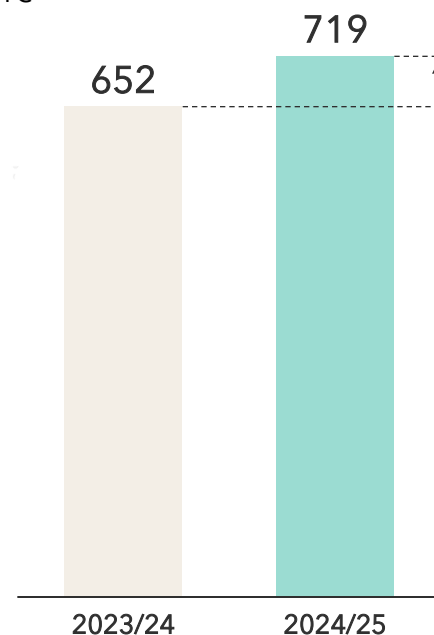
Central Eastern Europe FY 2024/2025

Strong double-digit sales growth continues

- Store sales increased by +8.5%, with a +4.3% lfl, reflecting the ongoing success of our expansion in the region
- E-Com sales increased by +16.5% thanks to a combination of more orders and a higher average order size
- Small decrease in adjusted EBITDA, reflecting a lower gross margin in stores.
- Personnel cost ratio was slightly higher due to wage increases and new store openings. IT costs in general and delivery costs connected to the new OWAC in Poland were also higher

SALES

in m€

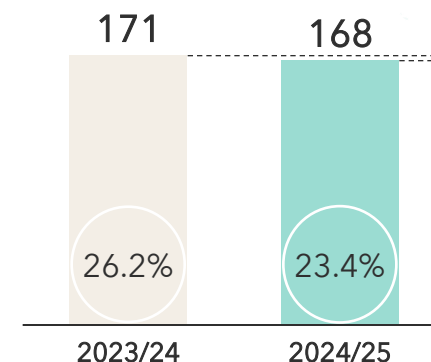


+10.3%

+7.3% lfl

ADJUSTED EBITDA¹

in m€

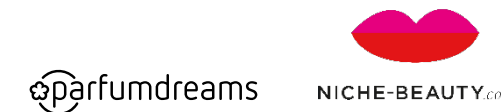


-1.9%

○ MARGINS

Parfumdreams/NICHE BEAUTY FY 2024/2025

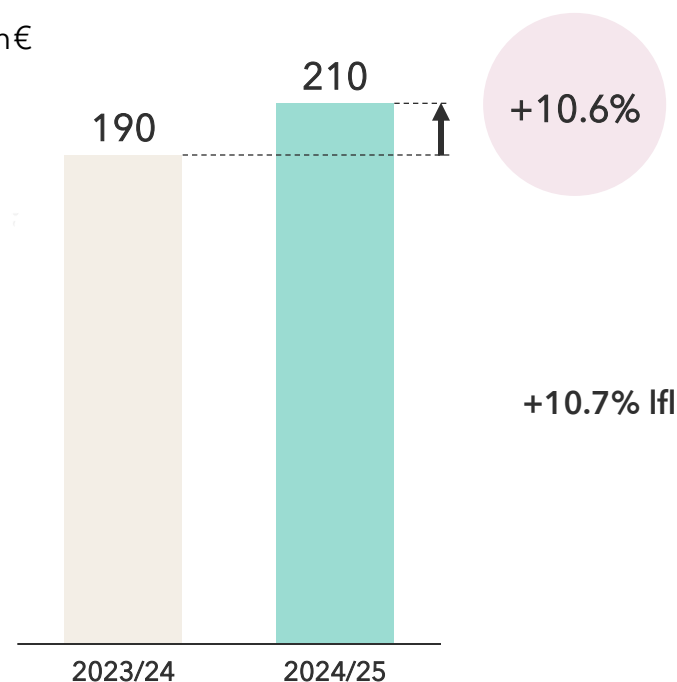
Strong performance in core markets



- Our brands Parfumdreams and NICHE BEAUTY realized strong sales growth of +10.6%
- Both the number of customers and the average order size increased
- Decrease in adjusted EBITDA due to increased level of promotions, higher marketing spend, and higher delivery costs related to the OWAC (Hamm) integration

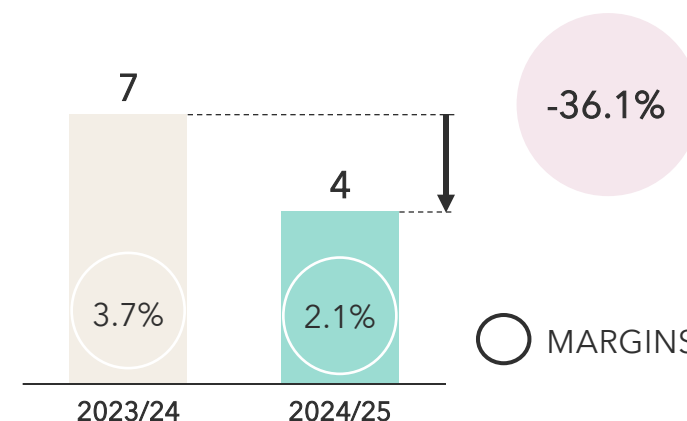
SALES

in m€



ADJUSTED EBITDA¹

in m€



P&L Q4 2024/2025

in m€	Q4 2023/24	Q4 2024/25	Change
Net sales	959.9	981.9	2.3%
Costs of raw materials	-519.1	-544.6	4.9%
Gross profit	440.7	437.3	-0.8%
Gross profit margin	45.9%	44.5%	-140bps
Net operating expenses	-287.8	-307.5	6.8%
Reported EBITDA	152.9	129.8	-15.1%
Adjustments	-1.4	4.5	n/a
Adjusted EBITDA¹	151.5	134.3	-11.4%
Adjusted EBITDA margin ¹	15.8%	13.7%	-210bps
Amortization/depreciation/impairment	-90.9	-102.6	12.8%
Reported EBIT	62.0	27.3	-56.0%
Financial result	-40.7	-35.4	-13.0%
Income taxes ²	50.5	22.2	-56.1%
Net income	71.8	14.1	-80.4%

¹For details on EBITDA adjustments see 41

38 ² Q4 income taxes influenced by seasonality and in PY year-end revaluation of tax loss carry forward impacted calculated tax rate.

Douglas Group like-for-like sales development

Quarterly overview

	Q4 2023/2024	Q1 2024/2025	Q2 2024/2025	Q3 2024/2025	Q4 2024/2025
DACHNL	13.2%	5.2%	-4.7%	1.1%	0.1%
France	0.0%	1.0%	-3.2%	-1.1%	-1.4%
Southern Europe	10.9%	5.7%	-1.0%	0.8%	-0.3%
Central Eastern Europe	12.8%	10.3%	4.6%	7.8%	4.4%
Parfumdreams/Niche Beauty	7.6%	9.3%	-0.8%	20.5%	15.3%
Group	10.1%	5.3%	-2.4%	2.6%	1.2%
Stores	8.6%	3.6%	-2.3%	-0.6%	-1.9%
E-Com	13.0%	8.3%	-2.5%	8.5%	7.3%

Selected Segmental KPIs

FY 2024/2025

REPORTED EBITDA

In m€	2023/2024	2024/2025
DACHNL	445.1	423.2
France	171.9	163.3
Southern Europe	147.2	140.8
Central Eastern Europe	169.7	166.1
PD/NB	8.0	4.5
Reconciliation to Group	-211.6	-141.3
Group	730.3	756.5

CAPEX

In m€	2023/2024	2024/2025
DACHNL	52.1	56.5
France	29.9	38.7
Southern Europe	20.3	19.3
Central Eastern Europe	29.9	28.3
PD/NB	3.0	4.4
Reconciliation to Group	20.7	23.8
Group	156.0	171.1

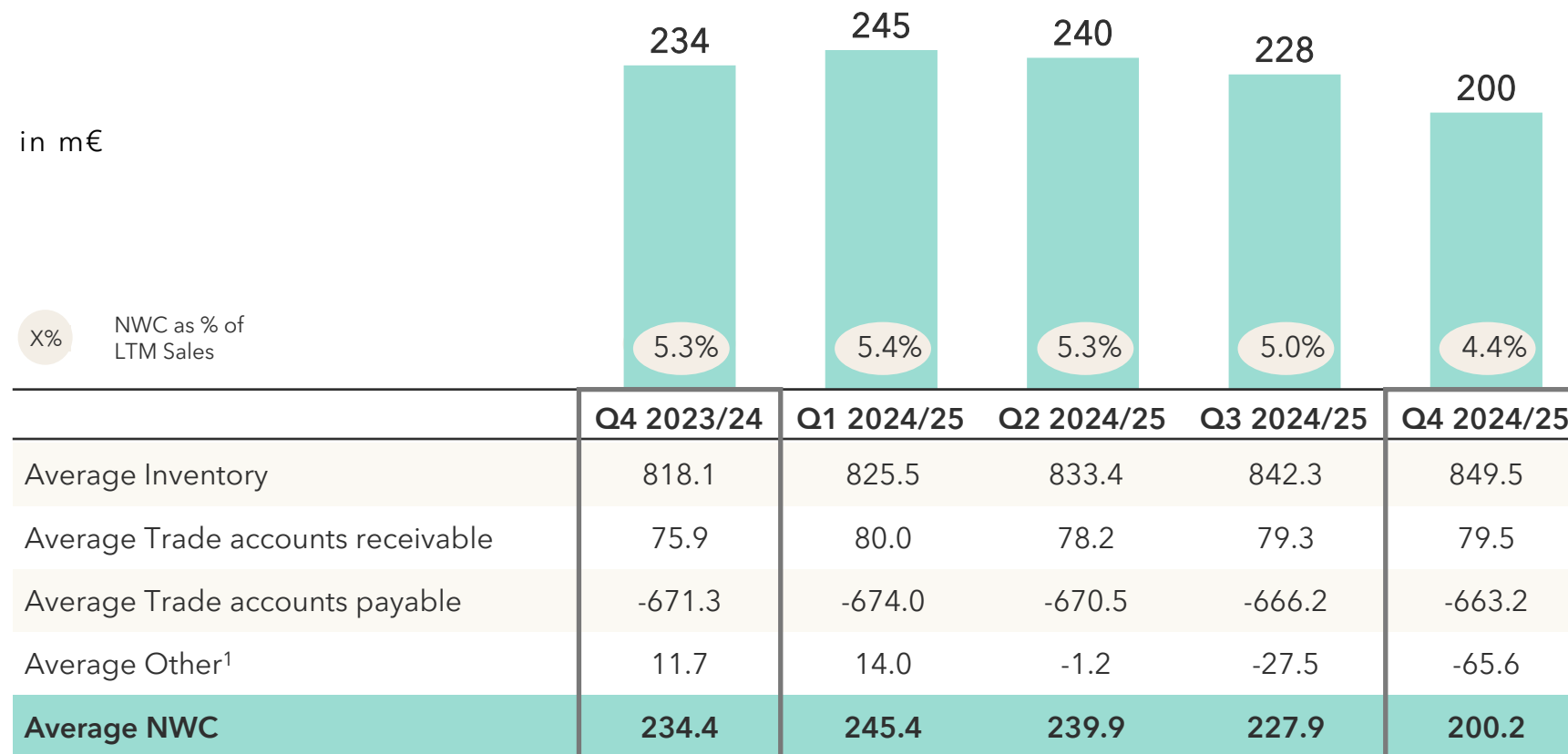
Adjustments to EBITDA

2024/2025

in m€	Q4 2023/2024	Q4 2024/2025	2023/2024	2024/2025
Reported EBITDA	152.9	129.8	730.3	756.5
M&A	-0.1	0.6	10.4	0.0
Restructuring	-0.1	-0.7	-1.7	-0.6
Strategic initiatives	1.7	6.6	17.3	14.5
Other	-2.9	-2.0	52.3	-2.0
Adjusted EBITDA	151.5	134.3	808.6	768.4

Development of Average Net Working Capital

As of 30 September 2025



¹ Incl. receivables from reimbursed marketing costs, bonus receivables, voucher liabilities. The average LTM values used for the supply chain financing program are zero for Q1 2024/2025 and before, €13.7m in Q2 2024/2025, €40.2m in Q3 2024/2025 and €75.5m in Q4 2024/2025.

Financing structure

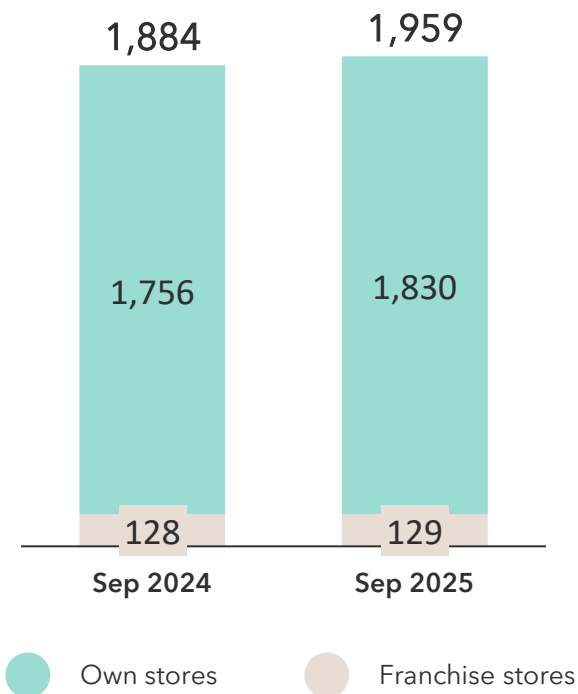
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Carrying amounts	m€	x Adj. EBITDA	Maturity	Pricing
Cash and Equivalents	49.4			
RCF (€350m Volume)	0		Mar 2029	E+2.00%
Term Loan	802.0		Mar 2029	E+2.25%
Promissory loan (Schuldscheindarlehen)	200.4		2028-2032	E+3.00%
IFRS 16 Liabilities	1,307.1			
Net Debt incl. IFRS 16 Liabilities	2,265.2	2.9x		

Store network across Europe

As of 30 September 2025

NUMBER OF STORES



DEVELOPMENT

	30 Sep 2024 30 Sep 2025
Store openings	93
Store closures	18
Total	75

Store openings:

24 stores in DACHNL (DE, AT, NL, CH, BE), 9 in France, 15 in SE (IT, PT, HR, SI), 42 in CEE (PL, BG, CZ, EE, HU, RO, SK), 2 franchise Stores in France and 1 franchise Store in the Netherlands

Store closures:

8 in DACHNL (DE, AT, NL), 3 in FR, 3 in SE (IT, PT), 2 in CEE (RO, LV) and 2 franchise stores in FR, driven by usual fluctuation in store network



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