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# Result for the first half of 2024/25.

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#### Headlines.

H1 2024/25 (April 1, 2024 to September 30, 2024).



**Revenue increase** of 3% to EUR 274.8 million.



**EBIT slightly negative** weighed down by deconsolidation effects. but operationally improved and, excluding one-off effects, positive.



**Previous year's figures** of limited comparability due to cash inflow from Germany.



Free cash flow positive, gearing and equity ratio improved.



Outlook 2024/25: **Revenue growth above** market growth and slight improvement in adjusted operating result (EBIT).

#### Revenues

**€ 274.8m** (+3.1% **7**)

H1 2023/24: € 266.4m



#### **Result for period** (attributable to equity holders)

€ -10.5m (<u>u</u>)

H1 2023/24: € 46.6m

#### **EBIT**

€ -0.7m (<u>u</u>)

H1 2023/24: € 73.9m<sup>1)</sup>

**EBIT** margin

H1 2023/24: 27.7%<sup>1)</sup>

*-0.3%* (≥)



# key data.

H1 2024/25.

April 1, 2024 to September 30, 2024





**Net debt** (Sept. 30, 2024)

€ 112.3m (+6.0% 7)

March 31, 2024: € 106.0m



Total assets (Sept. 30, 2024)

**€ 426.7m** (-3.8% **≥**)

March 31, 2024: € 443.7m

Free cash flow

€ 1.3m (<u>u</u>)

H1 2023/24: € 60.8m<sup>2)</sup>



Equity ratio (30. Sept, 2024)

**21.2**% (+2.4pp 7)

March 31, 2024: 18.8%

<sup>1)</sup> Adjustment previous year: reporting of losses from derivative financial instruments in finance costs 2) Adjustment previous year: From Q4 2023/24, the presentation of interest paid was included in the cash flow from financing activities, as the interest paid does not result directly from the cash flow from operating activities.



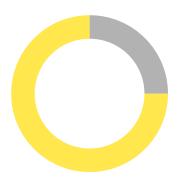
#### Revenue growth of 3% compared to previous year.

Revenues increased from € 266.4 million to € 274.8 million.



#### Segments.

Tolling grew by 9%, traffic management below previous year.



75% Tolling

€ 205m (**7** +8.6%)

25%

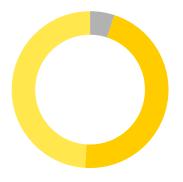
#### Traffic management

€ 70m (**u** -10.2%)



#### Regions.

Growth in regions EMEA and Americas, completed projects in APAC.



400/ EMEA

€ 136m (**>** +2.1%)

46%

**Americas** 

€ 127m (**>** +7.8%)

5%

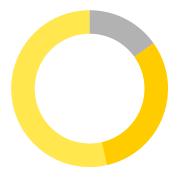
#### **APAC**

€ 13m (<u>></u> -21.7%)



#### Business types.

Increase in construction projects visible.



**54%** Operations

€ 147m (**>** +0.3%)

**15%** Components € 42m (**3** -0.9%)

#### Segments: Visible growth in tolling segment.

EBIT: previous year with several one-off effects; traffic management burdened by deconsolidation effects in the current half year.



#### Tolling segment.

All figures in € m unless otherwise stated.	H1 2023/24	H1 2024/25	+/-
Revenues	189	205	+9%
Implementation	51	57	+13%
Operations	100	110	+10%
Components	38	38	-1%
EBIT <sup>1)</sup>	65	3	-96%
EBIT margin <sup>1)</sup>	34%	1%	-33pp



#### Revenues in tolling segment by region.

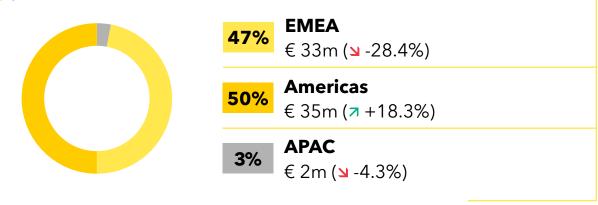




#### Traffic management segment.

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All figures in € m unless otherwise stated.	2023/24	2024/25		
Revenues	77	70		
Implementation	27	29	+8%	
Operations	47	37	-21%	
Components	4	4	+3%	
EBIT <sup>1)</sup>	9	-3	_	
EBIT margin <sup>1)</sup>	11%	-5%	_	

#### Revenues in traffic management segment by region.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1)</sup> Adjustment previous year: reporting of losses from derivative financial instruments in finance costs

### Significant operating improvement, but EBIT remains negative.

No further significant negative operational one-off effects in current financial year, but deconsolidation weighed on EBIT with a total of  $\in$  -6.9 million. Operational performance would be positive and improved without the non-operational effects.

All figures in € m unless otherwise stated		H1 2023/24	H1 2024/25	+/-
Revenues		266.4	274.8	+3%
Other operating income	0	72.4	8.9	-88%
Changes in finished and unfinished goods		1.9	-0.4	_
Cost of materials and other production services	02	2 -114.7	-100.9	-12%
Personnel expenses	03	-120.0	-126.3	+5%
Other operating expenses <sup>1)</sup>	0	31.0	-50.6	+63%
Proportional result of associates and joint ventures		8.1	1.6	-80%
EBITDA <sup>1)</sup>		83.1	7.1	-91%
Amortization, depreciation and impairment charge		-9.2	-7.8	-15%
EBIT <sup>1)</sup>		73.9	-0.7	_
EBIT margin <sup>1)</sup>		27.7%	-0.3%	_

#### **Key influencing factors in H1 2024/25:**

1 Deconsolidation of subsidiaries in Africa, Russia and Austria had a negative impact.

Negative operating currency effects.

**02** No further negative project margin adjustments in North America.

Personnel expenses increased due to salary increases, personnel growth in Austria and Spain as well as provisions for expected contract reductions in South Africa.

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#### **Result** attributable to equity holders of € -10.5 million.

One-off increase in profit for the period attributable to non-controlling interests due to deconsolidation.

All figures in € m unless otherwise stated	2	H1 023/24	H1 2024/25	+/-
EBIT <sup>1)</sup>		73.9	-0.7	_
Interest (net result)	01	-15.1	-3.4	-78%
FX (net result)		0.3	-1.6	_
Other (net result)	02	-0.3	-3.1	_
Financial result <sup>1)</sup>		-15.1	-8.1	-46%
Proportional results from associates and joint ventures from financial investments		-0.6	0.0	_
Result before income tax		58.2	-8.8	_
Income tax		-11.2	2.4	_
Result for the period		47.1	-6.4	_
Non-controlling interests	03	0.4	4.1	> +500%
Result attributable to equity holders		46.6	-10.5	_
Earnings per share (EPS) in €		3.59	-0.73	_

#### **Key influencing factors in H1 2024/25:**

Decrease in interest expenses due to lower financing volume and one-off costs in the previous year (restructuring of financing).

**@2** Hyperinflation adjustments (€ -1.7 million).

One-off increase in profit for the period attributable to non-controlling interests.

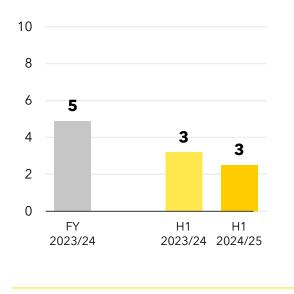
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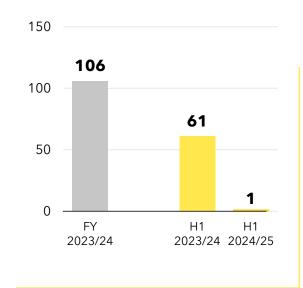
### Key financial figures show operational improvement.

Free cash flow positive, gearing and equity ratio improved.

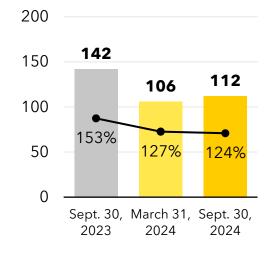
#### Net investment.



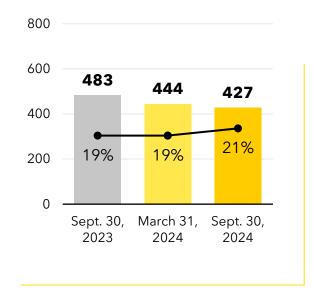
#### Free cash flow.1)



#### Net debt, gearing.



#### Total assets, equity ratio.



- Net investments slightly below previous year's level.
- Free cash flow positive at
  € 1.3 million; confirms financial
  recovery.
- Gearing stable after considerable reduction in the previous year.
- Equity ratio increased to 21.2%.

Adjustment previous year: From Q4 2023/24, the presentation of interest paid was included in the cash flow from financing activities, as the interest paid does not result directly from the cash flow from operating activities.

#### Outlook.

Financial year 2024/25.

Focus on costs and further reduction of net debt.



## Revenue growth above market growth.

Forecasted average annual market growth from 2024 to 2030: 7.5%<sup>1)</sup>



## Slight improvement in adjusted operating result (EBIT).

EBIT (adjusted) 2023/24: € 15.1m

1) Grand View Research





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