(SDAX, Chemicals, ACT GR)



yoy Q1 2025e Q1 2024 Consensus

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Buy eur 119.00		Value Indicators: DCF: FCF-Value Potential 27:	EUR 118.62 122.63		3.0 4.0 2.0	Description: Alzchem is an integrated sp chemicals provider	ecialty
		Market Snapshot:	EUR m	Shareholders:		Key Figures (WRe):	2025e
		Market cap:	1,084.8	Freefloat	61.96 %	Beta:	1.2
Price	EUR 106.60	No. of shares (m):	10.2	LIVIA Corporate Dev. SE	22.99 %	Price / Book:	4.4 x
Upside	11.6 %	EV:	1,160.1	for two na GmbH	15.05 %	Equity Ratio:	43 %
		Freefloat MC:	672.1			Net Debt / EBITDA:	0.7 x
		Ø Trad. Vol. (30d):	4.86 m				

First Glance: Q1 slightly below expectations; FY 2025 outlook confirmed

- Q1 2025 results did not fully match expectations regarding sales and EBIT, but net profit was almost on par with consensus estimates.
- Volumes were down by -1.9%, prices were down by -2.2%, FX effects added 0.5% to Q1 2025 sales.
- Free cash flow, however, clearly beat last year's figure by 37.1% at EUR 36,416m.
- Once again, the group's results were driven by a favourable performance of the Specialty Chemicals segment.
- The Basic & Intermediates segment suffered from higher electricity prices in Germany, which can only be passed on to customers with a time lag.
- Basics & Intermediates 42.64 -13.5% 48.81 49.30 Other & Holding 7.53 -3,5% 8.19 7.80 **EBITDA Group** 27,36 29,94 24,91 28,3 9,8% EBITDA margin 18,9% 19,0% 16,6% 22,68 Specialty Chemicals 26.04 14.8% 27.61 thereof **Basics & Intermediates** 0.14 -92.2% 1.95 1,80 Other & Holding 0,31 -42,8% 0,49 0,54 Consolidation 0,87 -0,11 -0,11 n.m. EBIT Group 20,81 13,3% 22,94 18,38 20,60 14,40 Net profit 14,64 19,6% 15,97 12,24 EpS 1,44 20,0% 1,57 1,20 1,41

Q1 2025

144,68

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-3,6%

1,7%

Sales Group

Specialty Chemicals

thereof

The company confirmed its FY 2025 outlook of ca. EUR 580m in sales and ca. EUR 113m in EBITDA.

FY End: 31.12.

in EUR m

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Alzchem SDAX (normalised)

Sales	9.3 %	422.3	542.2	540.6	554.2	582.8	634.5	723.0
Change Sales yoy		11.3 %	28.4 %	-0.3 %	2.5 %	5.2 %	8.9 %	13.9 %
Gross profit margin		62.0 %	50.8 %	57.7 %	63.7 %	64.4 %	65.6 %	66.8 %
EBITDA	14.1 %	62.0	61.4	81.4	105.3	113.7	129.2	156.5
Margin		14.7 %	11.3 %	15.1 %	19.0 %	19.5 %	20.4 %	21.6 %
EBIT	15.5 %	37.6	35.9	55.5	79.0	86.6	95.1	121.8
Margin		8.9 %	6.6 %	10.3 %	14.2 %	14.9 %	15.0 %	16.8 %
Net income	17.9 %	27.6	30.1	34.6	54.1	60.8	67.3	88.7
EPS	17.9 %	2.72	2.96	3.40	5.31	5.97	6.62	8.72
EPS adj.	17.9 %	2.72	2.96	3.40	5.31	5.97	6.62	8.72
DPS	18.6 %	1.00	1.05	1.20	1.80	2.00	2.20	3.00
Dividend Yield		4.1 %	5.3 %	6.0 %	4.1 %	1.9 %	2.1 %	2.8 %
FCFPS		1.43	-3.23	5.12	7.29	3.11	7.87	7.73
6 FCF / Market cap		5.9 %	-16.3 %	25.5 %	16.6 %	2.9 %	7.4 %	7.2 %
% EV / Sales		1.0 x	0.7 x	0.6 x	1.0 x	2.0 x	1.8 x	1.5 x
EV / EBITDA		6.9 x	6.1 x	4.3 x	5.1 x	10.2 x	8.7 x	6.9 x
% EV / EBIT		11.3 x	10.5 x	6.3 x	6.8 x	13.4 x	11.9 x	8.9 x
P/E		8.9 x	6.7 x	5.9 x	8.3 x	17.8 x	16.1 x	12.2 x
P / E adj.		8.9 x	6.7 x	5.9 x	8.3 x	17.8 x	16.1 x	12.2 x
21 FCF Potential Yield	ł	7.9 %	10.1 %	13.1 %	11.7 %	5.6 %	6.9 %	8.9 %
GM Net Debt		179.8	174.8	145.9	86.1	75.3	42.5	-6.5
Q2 ROCE (NOPAT)		10.9 %	8.9 %	12.7 %	18.9 %	20.1 %	20.6 %	25.2 %
Q3 Guidance:	FY 2025: Sale	s ca. EUR 5	80m. EBITDA	ca. EUR 11	3m			

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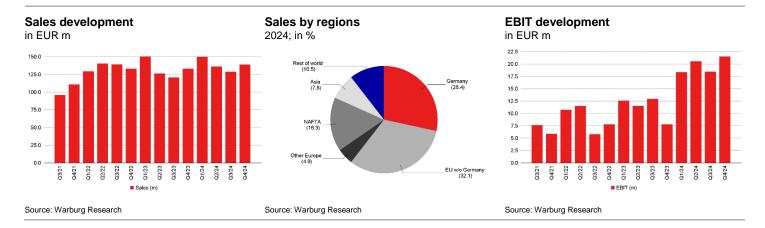
1 month: 6 months: Year to date: Trailing 12 months: **Company events:**

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Rel. Performance vs SDAX



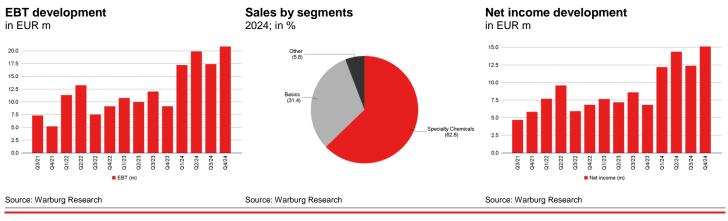


Company Background

- Alzchem goes back to the Bayerische Stickstoff-Werke GmbH (1908), which built a large calcium carbide and calcium cyanamide plant on the river Alz
- In 1939, Bayerische Kraftwerk AG and Donauwerke AG merged to form S
 üddeutsche Kalkstickstoffe AG, based in Trostberg. In 1978 company's name was changed to SKW Trostberg AG
- Merger of Degussa Hüls AG with Trostberg AG to form Degussa AG in 2000. Merger of the Alz locations Trostberg, Schalchen, Hart and Waldkraiburg into AlzChem Holding GmbH in 2006
- Takeover by bluO in 2009, conversion to Alzchem AG 2011. In 2019 the company heavily invested in the area of feed additives with the construction of a dedicated CreAMINO® production facility
- Alzchem is brought into the listed Alzchem Group AG (formerly Softmatic AG). Alzchem Group AG is the new parent company of the Alzchem Group. 2019 Commissioning of investment projects CreAMINO® and Nitrile

Competitive Quality

- Alzchem is a globally active, vertically integrated manufacturer of various chemical products of the calcium carbide/calcium cyanamide chain with a strategic focus on growth in the Specialty Chemicals business segment
- Alzchem's integrated manufacturing "Verbund" system enables efficiency gains in production. The company is the global leader or among the leading companies in its chosen fields of activity
- The company has four production facilities in Germany and one in Sweden that are complemented by two marketing companies in the US and in China allowing for global distribution of its products
- The company is benefiting from megatrends like sustainable energy production, population growth and increase in aging population. Its
 products offer attractive solutions that meet demand growth.
- Alzchem provides a highly diversified product portfolio ranging e.g. from dietary supplements, plant growth regulators to propellents, thus addressing a wide range of customer industries





DCF model														
	Detaile	d forecas	t period				-	Fransition	al period					Term. Value
Figures in EUR m	2025e	2026e	2027e	2028e	2029e	2030e	2031e	2032e	2033e	2034e	2035e	2036e	2037e	
Sales	582.8	634.5	723.0	744.7	767.0	789.2	811.3	833.2	854.9	875.4	894.7	912.6	929.0	
Sales change	5.2 %	8.9 %	13.9 %	3.0 %	3.0 %	2.9 %	2.8 %	2.7 %	2.6 %	2.4 %	2.2 %	2.0 %	1.8 %	1.0 %
EBIT	86.6	95.1	121.8	125.1	129.6	134.2	137.9	142.5	146.2	150.6	153.9	157.9	160.7	
EBIT-margin	14.9 %	15.0 %	16.8 %	16.8 %	16.9 %	17.0 %	17.0 %	17.1 %	17.1 %	17.2 %	17.2 %	17.3 %	17.3 %	
Tax rate (EBT)	28.0 %	28.0 %	28.0 %	28.0 %	28.0 %	28.0 %	28.0 %	28.0 %	28.0 %	28.0 %	28.0 %	28.0 %	28.0 %	
NOPAT	62.3	68.5	87.7	90.1	93.3	96.6	99.3	102.6	105.3	108.4	110.8	113.7	115.7	
Depreciation	27.1	34.1	34.7	35.0	35.3	35.5	36.5	36.7	37.6	37.6	38.5	38.3	39.0	
in % of Sales	4.6 %	5.4 %	4.8 %	4.7 %	4.6 %	4.5 %	4.5 %	4.4 %	4.4 %	4.3 %	4.3 %	4.2 %	4.2 %	
Changes in provisions	2.5	4.4	7.2	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.0	2.7	2.5	
Change in Liquidity from														
- Working Capital	7.6	10.2	17.1	5.3	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.0	4.7	4.4	4.0	
- Capex	100.0	100.0	35.0	29.8	30.7	31.6	32.5	33.3	34.2	35.0	35.8	36.5	37.2	
Capex in % of Sales	17.2 %	15.8 %	4.8 %	4.0 %	4.0 %	4.0 %	4.0 %	4.0 %	4.0 %	4.0 %	4.0 %	4.0 %	4.0 %	
- Other	0.8	-39.1	-29.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Free Cash Flow (WACC Model)	-16.5	35.9	107.0	93.3	95.9	98.5	101.3	103.9	106.7	109.2	111.7	113.9	116.1	107
PV of FCF	-15.7	31.7	87.7	70.9	67.6	64.4	61.5	58.5	55.7	52.9	50.2	47.5	44.9	612
share of PVs		8.03 %						44.50	0 %					47.47 %
Model parameter							Valuat	ion (m)						
Derivation of WACC:			Derivation	of Beta:			Preser	t values 20	037e	67	78			
								al Value		61				
Debt ratio	30.00 %		Financial S			1.20		ial liabilitie			51			
Cost of debt (after tax)	3.6 %		Liquidity (s	hare)		1.50		n liabilities		ç	97			
Market return	8.25 %		Cyclicality			1.00	Hybrid	·			0			
Risk free rate	2.75 %		Transpare	псу		1.50 1.00		y interest val. of inv	octmonto		2 0			
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11400	1.10 %		Dela			1.24	Equity	value		1,20		value per	Silare (El	110.02

Sensitivity Value per Share (EUR)

		Terminal C	Growth								Delta EBIT	-margin					
Beta	WACC	0.25 %	0.50 %	0.75 %	1.00 %	1.25 %	1.50 %	1.75 %	Beta	WACC	-0.8 pp	-0.5 pp	-0.3 pp	+0.0 pp	+0.3 pp	+0.5 pp	+0.8 pp
1.50	8.8 %	96.78	98.07	99.44	100.90	102.45	104.11	105.90	1.50	8.8 %	95.51	97.30	99.10	100.90	102.69	104.49	106.29
1.37	8.3 %	104.19	105.74	107.39	109.15	111.04	113.07	115.25	1.37	8.3 %	103.38	105.30	107.23	109.15	111.08	113.00	114.92
1.30	8.0 %	108.26	109.96	111.78	113.72	115.81	118.05	120.48	1.30	8.0 %	107.73	109.73	111.72	113.72	115.71	117.71	119.70
1.24	7.8 %	112.60	114.47	116.48	118.62	120.94	123.44	126.14	1.24	7.8 %	112.41	114.48	116.55	118.62	120.70	122.77	124.84
1.18	7.5 %	117.25	119.31	121.52	123.91	126.48	129.26	132.29	1.18	7.5 %	117.45	119.60	121.75	123.91	126.06	128.21	130.37
1.11	7.3 %	122.22	124.50	126.96	129.61	132.48	135.59	138.99	1.11	7.3 %	122.88	125.12	127.36	129.61	131.85	134.09	136.33
0.98	6.8 %	133.33	136.14	139.18	142.49	146.10	150.04	154.39	0.98	6.8 %	135.16	137.60	140.05	142.49	144.93	147.37	149.82

• The beta value reflects the limited liquidity of the shares (free float 61.96%),

In addition, transparency is reduced for structural reasons as Alzchem is positioned as a B2B company



Free Cash Flow Value Potential

Warburg Research's valuation tool "FCF Value Potential" reflects the ability of the company to generate sustainable free cash flows. It is based on the "FCF potential" - a FCF "ex growth" figure - which assumes unchanged working capital and pure maintenance capex. A value indication is derived via the perpetuity of a given year's "FCF potential" with consideration of the weighted costs of capital. The fluctuating value indications over time add a timing element to the DCF model (our preferred valuation tool).

in EUR m	20	21	2022	2023	2024	2025e	2026e	2027e
Net Income before minorities	27	7.8	30.2	34.8	54.2	61.0	67.5	88.9
+ Depreciation + Amortisation	24	1.5	25.5	25.9	26.3	27.1	34.1	34.7
 Net Interest Income 	-*	1.5	-2.5	-5.5	-3.2	-1.5	-0.8	2.2
 Maintenance Capex 	20	0.0	20.3	20.4	21.6	24.0	25.0	25.2
+ Other	(0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
= Free Cash Flow Potential	33	8.8	37.9	45.8	62.2	65.5	77.5	96.2
FCF Potential Yield (on market EV)	7.9	%	10.1 %	13.1 %	11.7 %	5.6 %	6.9 %	8.9 %
WACC	7.78	%	7.78 %	7.78 %	7.78 %	7.78 %	7.78 %	7.78 %
= Enterprise Value (EV)	42	5.3	375.2	350.6	533.7	1,160.1	1,127.3	1,078.3
= Fair Enterprise Value	433	3.9	487.0	589.1	799.5	842.0	996.0	1,236.5
- Net Debt (Cash)	-1().9	-10.9	-10.9	-10.9	-24.1	-61.4	-117.5
 Pension Liabilities 	96	6.9	96.9	96.9	96.9	99.4	103.8	111.1
- Other	(0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
 Market value of minorities 	(0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
 Market value of investments 	(0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
= Fair Market Capitalisation	347	7.8	401.0	503.1	713.4	766.7	953.5	1,242.9
Number of shares, average	10).1	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2
= Fair value per share (EUR)	34.	32	39.56	49.43	70.11	75.34	93.70	122.14
premium (-) / discount (+) in %						-29.3 %	-12.1 %	14.6 %
Sensitivity Fair value per Share (E	UR)							
10).78 % 22.	40	26.19	33.46	48.44	52.52	66.73	88.68
S	9.78 % 25.	56	29.73	37.75	54.26	58.65	73.98	97.68
8	3.78 % 29.	44	34.09	43.01	61.40	66.18	82.88	108.73
WACC	7.78 % 34.	32	39.56	49.43	70.11	75.34	93.70	122.14
6	6.78 % 40.	63	46.65	58.21	82.03	87.90	108.57	140.62
Ę	5.78 % 49.	13	56.19	69.75	97.69	104.40	128.09	164.85
2	1.78 % 61.	19	69.72	86.12	119.91	127.80	155.76	199.21

· Historical volatility of the value indication is due to cyclical operative development



Valuation							
	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025e	2026e	2027e
Price / Book	2.8 x	1.4 x	1.3 x	2.2 x	4.4 x	3.7 x	3.0 x
Book value per share ex intangibles	8.42	13.92	15.52	19.84	24.05	28.70	35.24
EV / Sales	1.0 x	0.7 x	0.6 x	1.0 x	2.0 x	1.8 x	1.5 x
EV / EBITDA	6.9 x	6.1 x	4.3 x	5.1 x	10.2 x	8.7 x	6.9 x
EV / EBIT	11.3 x	10.5 x	6.3 x	6.8 x	13.4 x	11.9 x	8.9 x
EV / EBIT adj.*	11.3 x	10.5 x	6.3 x	6.8 x	13.4 x	11.9 x	8.9 x
P / FCF	16.9 x	n.a.	3.9 x	6.0 x	34.3 x	13.5 x	13.8 x
P/E	8.9 x	6.7 x	5.9 x	8.3 x	17.8 x	16.1 x	12.2 x
P / E adj.*	8.9 x	6.7 x	5.9 x	8.3 x	17.8 x	16.1 x	12.2 x
Dividend Yield	4.1 %	5.3 %	6.0 %	4.1 %	1.9 %	2.1 %	2.8 %
FCF Potential Yield (on market EV)	7.9 %	10.1 %	13.1 %	11.7 %	5.6 %	6.9 %	8.9 %

Consolidated profit & loss



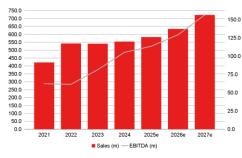
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Increase / decrease in inventory	10.0	22.2	-3.8	-5.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
Own work capitalised	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total Sales	432.3	564.4	536.8	548.9	582.8	634.5	723.0
Material expenses	170.7	288.9	225.1	195.7	207.3	218.2	240.3
Gross profit	261.7	275.5	311.7	353.3	375.5	416.3	482.6
Gross profit margin	62.0 %	50.8 %	57.7 %	63.7 %	64.4 %	65.6 %	66.8 %
Personnel expenses	132.2	137.1	145.6	160.5	169.0	186.0	210.9
Other operating income	11.4	24.2	13.9	17.3	18.4	20.0	22.8
Other operating expenses	78.8	101.1	98.5	104.8	111.3	121.1	138.0
Unfrequent items	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
EBITDA	62.0	61.4	81.4	105.3	113.7	129.2	156.5
Margin	14.7 %	11.3 %	15.1 %	19.0 %	19.5 %	20.4 %	21.6 %
Depreciation of fixed assets	24.5	25.5	25.9	26.3	27.1	34.1	34.7
EBITA	37.6	35.9	55.5	79.0	86.6	95.1	121.8
Amortisation of intangible assets	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Goodwill amortisation	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
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EBIT adj.	37.6	35.9	55.5	79.0	86.6	95.1	121.8
Interest income	0.0	0.0	0.3	2.2	3.3	4.1	4.6
Interest expenses	1.5	2.5	5.8	5.4	4.7	4.9	2.4
Other financial income (loss)	0.4	7.9	-1.8	-0.4	-0.5	-0.5	-0.6
EBT	36.5	41.3	48.2	75.3	84.7	93.8	123.5
Margin	8.6 %	7.6 %	8.9 %	13.6 %	14.5 %	14.8 %	17.1 %
Total taxes	8.7	11.1	13.4	21.1	23.7	26.3	34.6
Net income from continuing operations	27.8	30.2	34.8	54.2	61.0	67.5	88.9
Income from discontinued operations (net of tax)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Net income before minorities	27.8	30.2	34.8	54.2	61.0	67.5	88.9
Minority interest	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Net income	27.6	30.1	34.6	54.1	60.8	67.3	88.7
Margin	6.5 %	5.5 %	6.4 %	9.8 %	10.4 %	10.6 %	12.3 %
Number of shares, average	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2
EPS	2.72	2.96	3.40	5.31	5.97	6.62	8.72
EPS adj.	2.72	2.96	3.40	5.31	5.97	6.62	8.72
*Adjustments made for: Restructuring costs, value adjustme	. "						

Guidance: FY 2025: Sales ca. EUR 580m, EBITDA ca. EUR 113m

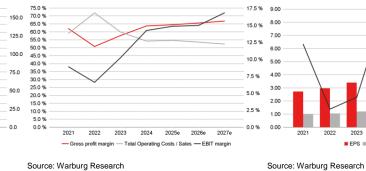
Financial Ratios

	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025e	2026e	2027e
Total Operating Costs / Sales	59.1 %	71.9 %	59.9 %	54.2 %	54.7 %	53.5 %	52.3 %
Operating Leverage	2.0 x	-0.2 x	-187.8 x	16.8 x	1.9 x	1.1 x	2.0 x
EBITDA / Interest expenses	41.6 x	24.4 x	14.0 x	19.7 x	24.1 x	26.5 x	65.9 x
Tax rate (EBT)	24.0 %	26.8 %	27.8 %	28.0 %	28.0 %	28.0 %	28.0 %
Dividend Payout Ratio	36.5 %	35.2 %	35.1 %	33.8 %	33.4 %	33.2 %	34.3 %
Sales per Employee	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.

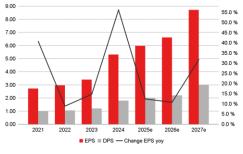
Sales, EBITDA in EUR m



Operating Performance in %



Performance per Share



Source: Warburg Research

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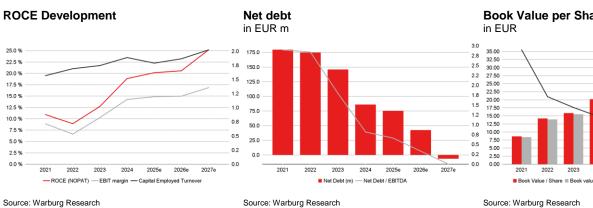
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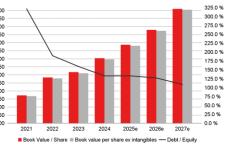
Consolidated balance sheet							
In EUR m	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025e	2026e	2027e
Assets							
Goodwill and other intangible assets	2.3	3.0	3.7	3.7	3.3	3.0	2.7
thereof other intangible assets	2.3	3.0	3.7	3.7	3.3	3.0	2.7
thereof Goodwill	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Property, plant and equipment	186.5	187.8	182.1	197.0	270.3	336.5	337.0
Financial assets	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other long-term assets	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Fixed assets	188.8	190.7	185.8	200.7	273.6	339.5	339.7
Inventories	86.7	122.4	107.5	101.2	106.6	113.0	123.4
Accounts receivable	40.8	55.7	75.2	78.9	83.0	90.4	103.0
Liquid assets	8.3	9.2	11.9	61.5	76.5	86.9	144.4
Other short-term assets	53.0	44.8	44.3	41.5	42.9	45.5	49.7
Current assets	188.8	232.1	238.9	283.2	309.1	335.7	420.5
Total Assets	377.7	422.9	424.7	483.8	582.7	675.1	760.3
Liabilities and shareholders' equity							
Subscribed capital	101.8	101.8	101.8	101.8	101.8	101.8	101.8
Capital reserve	-1.7	5.1	7.2	12.5	17.6	23.2	31.1
Retained earnings	-10.3	30.8	43.7	75.8	106.8	141.1	189.5
Other equity components	-2.1	6.3	9.0	15.6	21.9	29.0	38.9
Shareholders' equity	87.6	144.0	161.6	205.5	248.0	295.0	361.3
Minority interest	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.2
Total equity	89.6	145.9	163.6	207.5	250.0	297.1	363.5
Provisions	167.3	109.1	123.5	122.6	125.9	131.9	141.8
thereof provisions for pensions and similar obligations	140.0	90.1	100.3	96.9	99.4	103.8	111.1
Financial liabilities (total)	48.0	93.9	57.5	50.7	52.4	25.5	26.9
Short-term financial liabilities	10.5	66.4	8.8	9.6	9.9	10.5	10.5
Accounts payable	32.8	37.4	31.6	37.4	39.4	42.8	48.8
Other liabilities	39.9	36.5	48.5	65.7	115.0	177.8	179.3
Liabilities	288.1	276.9	261.1	276.4	332.7	378.0	396.7
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	377.7	422.9	424.7	483.8	582.7	675.1	760.3

Financial Ratios

	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025e	2026e	2027e
Efficiency of Capital Employment							
Operating Assets Turnover	1.5 x	1.7 x	1.6 x	1.6 x	1.4 x	1.3 x	1.4 x
Capital Employed Turnover	1.6 x	1.7 x	1.7 x	1.9 x	1.8 x	1.9 x	2.0 x
ROA	14.6 %	15.8 %	18.6 %	26.9 %	22.2 %	19.8 %	26.1 %
Return on Capital							
ROCE (NOPAT)	10.9 %	8.9 %	12.7 %	18.9 %	20.1 %	20.6 %	25.2 %
ROE	35.7 %	25.9 %	22.7 %	29.5 %	26.8 %	24.8 %	27.0 %
Adj. ROE	35.7 %	25.9 %	22.7 %	29.5 %	26.8 %	24.8 %	27.0 %
Balance sheet quality							
Net Debt	179.8	174.8	145.9	86.1	75.3	42.5	-6.5
Net Financial Debt	39.8	84.7	45.6	-10.9	-24.1	-61.4	-117.5
Net Gearing	200.7 %	119.8 %	89.2 %	41.5 %	30.1 %	14.3 %	-1.8 %
Net Fin. Debt / EBITDA	64.1 %	137.8 %	56.1 %	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Book Value / Share	8.6	14.2	15.9	20.2	24.4	29.0	35.5
Book value per share ex intangibles	8.4	13.9	15.5	19.8	24.0	28.7	35.2



Book Value per Share



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Consolidated cash flow statement

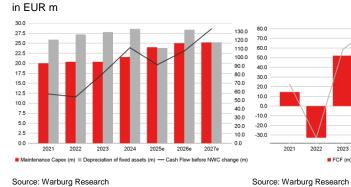


In EUR m	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025e	2026e	2027e
Net income	27.8	30.2	34.8	54.2	61.0	67.5	88.9
Depreciation of fixed assets	25.9	27.2	27.8	28.6	23.8	28.4	25.2
Amortisation of goodwill	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Amortisation of intangible assets	-1.4	-1.7	-1.9	-2.3	3.3	5.8	9.5
Increase/decrease in long-term provisions	-1.4	-1.7	-1.9	-2.3	3.3	5.8	9.5
Other non-cash income and expenses	6.6	-0.1	22.5	33.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Cash Flow before NWC change	57.4	54.0	81.3	111.3	91.3	107.4	133.1
Increase / decrease in inventory	-16.5	-37.9	9.6	-1.4	-5.5	-6.3	-10.5
Increase / decrease in accounts receivable	1.8	-19.9	-18.0	-4.3	-5.5	-9.9	-16.8
Increase / decrease in accounts payable	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.3
Increase / decrease in other working capital positions	0.3	-0.3	-0.1	-0.5	51.2	66.3	7.5
Increase / decrease in working capital (total)	-14.4	-58.2	-8.6	-6.1	40.3	50.3	-19.5
Net cash provided by operating activities [1]	43.0	-4.2	72.7	105.1	131.6	157.7	113.6
Investments in intangible assets	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Investments in property, plant and equipment	-28.5	-29.1	-20.6	-43.1	-100.0	-100.0	-35.0
Payments for acquisitions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Financial investments	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Income from asset disposals	0.1	0.6	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
Net cash provided by investing activities [2]	-28.5	-28.5	-20.5	-31.0	-100.0	-77.6	-35.0
Change in financial liabilities	-12.7	45.9	-36.4	-8.8	1.7	-26.9	1.4
Dividends paid	-8.0	-10.3	-10.9	-12.4	-18.4	-20.4	-22.5
Purchase of own shares	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Capital measures	-1.0	0.0	0.0	-1.5	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other	-1.9	-1.9	-1.9	-1.9	0.0	0.0	0.0
Net cash provided by financing activities [3]	-23.6	33.6	-49.2	-24.7	-16.7	-47.3	-21.1
Change in liquid funds [1]+[2]+[3]	-9.3	0.8	3.3	49.3	15.0	32.7	57.5
Effects of exchange-rate changes on cash	0.3	0.1	-0.3	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
Cash and cash equivalent at end of period	8.3	9.2	11.9	61.5	76.5	86.9	144.4

Financial Ratios

	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025e	2026e	2027e
Cash Flow							
FCF	14.5	-32.8	52.1	74.2	31.6	80.1	78.6
Free Cash Flow / Sales	3.4 %	-6.0 %	9.6 %	13.4 %	5.4 %	12.6 %	10.9 %
Free Cash Flow Potential	33.8	37.9	45.8	62.2	65.5	77.5	96.2
Free Cash Flow / Net Profit	52.7 %	-109.0 %	150.6 %	137.1 %	52.0 %	118.9 %	88.6 %
Interest Received / Avg. Cash	0.0 %	0.5 %	3.0 %	5.9 %	4.7 %	5.0 %	4.0 %
Interest Paid / Avg. Debt	2.7 %	3.5 %	7.7 %	9.9 %	9.2 %	12.5 %	9.1 %
Management of Funds							
Investment ratio	6.8 %	5.4 %	3.8 %	7.8 %	17.2 %	15.8 %	4.8 %
Maint. Capex / Sales	4.7 %	3.8 %	3.8 %	3.9 %	4.1 %	3.9 %	3.5 %
Capex / Dep	116.6 %	113.8 %	79.4 %	163.8 %	369.3 %	292.9 %	100.8 %
Avg. Working Capital / Sales	20.6 %	21.7 %	27.0 %	26.5 %	25.1 %	24.5 %	23.4 %
Trade Debtors / Trade Creditors	124.6 %	149.0 %	238.4 %	210.9 %	210.9 %	210.9 %	210.9 %
Inventory Turnover	2.0 x	2.4 x	2.1 x	1.9 x	1.9 x	1.9 x	1.9 x
Receivables collection period (days)	35	38	51	52	52	52	52
Payables payment period (days)	70	47	51	70	69	72	74
Cash conversion cycle (Days)	151	145	174	171	170	169	165

CAPEX and Cash Flow



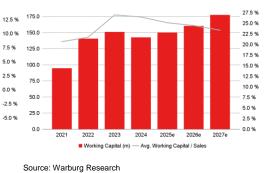


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FCF (m) - Free Cash Flow / Sales

Working Capital



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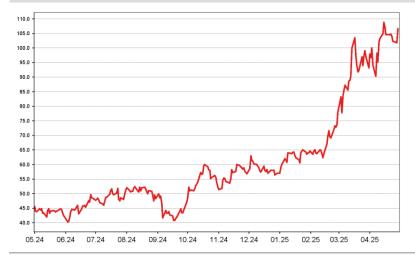
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Total	199	100

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