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Einhell Germany AG 2024

I COMBINED MANAGEMENT REPORT OF THE EINHELL GROUP AND EINHELL GERMANY AG

1. PREAMBLE

The combined management report published in the Annual Report 2024 comprises the Group management report and the management report of Einhell Germany AG. Unless otherwise stated, the report on performance and financial figures as well as the situation and the expected development relates to both the Group and Einhell Germany AG. Sections containing information on Einhell Germany AG only are identified as such. In the economic report, disclosures in accordance with the German Commercial Code (HGB) for Einhell Germany AG are presented in a separate section.

2. BUSINESS ACTIVITIES, STRUCTURE, MANAGEMENT AND GOALS OF THE EINHELL GROUP

2.1 General operations and business segments

Einhell Germany AG is one of the market leaders in the field of battery-powered tools and garden equipment and develops and markets solutions for the home, workshop and garden for do-it-yourself enthusiasts, hobby gardeners and professionals. The Company, which has its headquarters in Landau an der Isar, Bavaria, has been on the market for more than 60 years and has 49 subsidiaries in over 100 countries worldwide. The products are distributed via DIY stores, e-commerce and other distribution channels with high product expertise in the DIY market. Subsidiaries and selected business partners ensure the proximity to Einhell's globally operating customers. The product range includes hand-held power tools, stationary tools and accessories as well as lawn and garden care tools, irrigation and drainage solutions.

Einhell places special emphasis on the further development of its innovative Power X-Change battery platform, which already includes more than 300 battery-powered DIY and gardening

tools. Depending on the individual requirements, batteries with varying capacities are available and can be used to operate any device of the platform.

Since August 2021, Einhell has also been the "Official Home & Garden Expert" for FC Bayern Munich football club and uses its battery-powered tools to create the best possible conditions for the team in the Allianz Arena and at their training premises¹. The partnership with the record champion and two-time Triple winner underlines Einhell's ambition to further expand its leading role in the future. Einhell has also been a proud partner of the Mercedes-AMG PETRONAS F1 Team from January 2023, giving the brand even greater international appeal. Einhell supports the team with cordless power as its "Official Tool Expert", providing for maximum performance in the most prestigious motorsport discipline².

In addition to superior quality, excellent customer service and outstanding value for money, the Einhell brand stands for performance, durability, safety and cordless freedom of movement for DIY enthusiasts who want to tackle their own projects³. Customer satisfaction is our top priority⁴.

The subsidiaries comprise distribution companies mainly in Europe, but also in South America, Australia, South Africa and Canada, as well as trading companies in Asia. The Asian subsidiaries are also responsible for product sourcing, product processing and procurement. As production is currently mainly carried out in Asia, this is also where quality assurance takes place. In its global workforce, Einhell currently counts approx. 2,500 employees. Group revenue amounted to EUR 1,109.7 million in financial year 2024 (previous year: EUR 971.5 million). For the Einhell Group, revenue is always recognised at a point in time. There are no products and services for which revenue is recognised over a period of time.

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The Einhell Group divides its activities into the “Western Europe incl. D/A/CH”, “Eastern Europe”, “Overseas and Other Countries” and “Production and Sourcing Companies” segments. Operational responsibility for the respective cash-generating unit lies with the Board of Directors of Einhell Germany AG and the Managing Directors of the subsidiaries.

In line with the management approach, the “D/A/CH” segment was combined with the “Western Europe” segment in the year under review. The new segment is called “Western Europe incl. D/A/CH”.

The “Production and Sourcing Companies” segment contains the companies in China and Hong Kong, the new battery production company EINHELL Operations Kft. and the company in Vietnam. Einhell has numerous FOB direct customers in other countries and regions around the world that take the products to the local markets. For strategically important product areas such as batteries and chargers, Einhell has set up its own production facilities in order to control the production and value chain of these components. In addition to the Kunshan site in China, the Company has established its own production facility for batteries and chargers in Hungary.

2.2 Legal structure and management of the Group

a) Legal structure and changes to Group structure

Einhell Germany AG, Landau an der Isar, holds direct and indirect shareholdings in a total of 49 subsidiaries, each of which is a separate legal entity. It holds 100% of the shares in subsidiaries with a centralised or special function such as services, product sourcing/product processing, procurement/purchasing and quality control/quality assurance. The Group also usually holds all the shares in the global distribution companies.

In all consolidated subsidiaries where Einhell Germany AG does not hold all the shares, Einhell Germany AG has a direct or indirect majority shareholding.

With regard to the responsibilities of the Einhell Group companies, all activities that can be centralised are carried out at just one location.

Product processing, the search for factories, their auditing and certification, procurement, services, controlling, financing, IT and other administrative activities, for example, are carried out centrally by the Group companies in Germany and China. This organisational structure within the Group allows all distribution companies to focus on their core functions. Einhell is also in a position to press ahead with international expansion as each distribution company has a similar structure and the business model can be efficiently rolled out in additional countries. As organic growth offers great potential, the organisation and efficient development of the Einhell Group’s business model are among the management’s most important responsibilities.

The Group structure changed as follows during financial year 2024:

In May 2024, Einhell Germany AG sold all of its interests in Einhell Colombia S.A.S., in which it held 100% of the shares.

The former Einhell Uruguay S.A. was renamed Einhell Latam S.A. in financial year 2024. In addition, a new company was established in Uruguay, Itany S.A., in which Einhell Germany AG holds 100% of the shares.

Einhell Germany AG also acquired a 40% interest in the newly founded company Bavaria Stroy Tools GmbH, registered in Almaty, Kazakhstan.

b) Management and control

Responsibility for the business activities of the Einhell Group lies with the **Board of Directors** of Einhell Germany AG. This comprised four members at the time the annual financial statements, consolidated financial statements and management report were prepared. The Board of Directors manages, organises and monitors strategies and operational business processes for the whole Group. Responsibilities within the Board of Directors are allocated based on the departments assigned to the respective member.

The Chairman of the Board of Directors is responsible for sales, procurement, marketing, product management and corporate strategy.

The Chief Financial Officer is responsible for finance and accounting, tax, legal, internal audit, controlling, investor relations, human resources, maintenance and sustainability.

The Chief Technical Officer is responsible for technology, product development, quality control, supply chain management and production.

The Chief IT and Service Officer is responsible for IT, digitalisation and services.

The Board of Directors supervises the specialists and managers in the relevant departments and relies on the corresponding hierarchy of divisional and departmental management at Einhell Germany AG, and on Managing Directors and their specialists and managers in the subsidiaries. The Board of Directors seeks to ensure flat hierarchies and makes sure to maintain direct contact with employees and specialist staff in all divisions. Regular meetings of the Board of Directors and of individual departments, as well as divisional and cross-departmental meetings when required, ensure efficient communication and information flow to all responsible parties.

The **Supervisory Board** of Einhell Germany AG, which consists of three members, monitors and advises the Board of Directors in accordance with legal requirements and the provisions of the German Corporate Governance Code.

At regular meetings of the Supervisory Board, the Board of Directors provides information to the Supervisory Board about the Group's current situation, business transactions and corporate strategy.

The Supervisory Board also maintains ongoing lines of communication with the Board of Directors outside of regular meetings and ensures an adequate level of communication and informational flow between the Board of Directors and the Supervisory Board.

The composition of the Supervisory Board has changed in financial year 2024:

Supervisory Board	2024
Prof. Dr. Manfred Schwaiger	Chairman
Philipp Thannhuber	Deputy Chairman
Maximilian Fritz	Employee Representative

The previous Chairman of the Supervisory Board of Einhell Germany AG, Univ.-Prof. Dr.-Ing. Dr.-Ing. E.h. Dr. h.c. Dieter Spath, resigned from the Supervisory Board, effective from the end of the

Annual General Meeting on 28 June 2024. His successor on the Supervisory Board is Prof. Dr. Manfred Schwaiger.

c) Principles of the remuneration system for the Board of Directors

Members of the Board of Directors receive fixed and performance-based variable remuneration with short-term and long-term components. The individual performance-based components depend on factors such as consolidated net profit, segment earnings in the previous financial year, the development of the Group's asset structure and personal targets. On 22 April 2021, the Supervisory Board adopted a new remuneration system for the Board of Directors that was approved by the Annual General Meeting on 18 June 2021. The Annual General Meeting on 28 June 2024 approved the remuneration report for 2023. The evaluation system ensures transparent and sustainable accounting practices based on the Group's strategic priorities. A pre-defined cap limits the impact of extraordinary one-off effects on the variable remuneration component. Members of the Board of Directors privately hold shares in Einhell Germany AG. There are no share option programmes or similar schemes. An agreement is in place with one of the members of the Board of Directors stipulating that a proportion of the variable remuneration component must be used to purchase Einhell shares. If the employment contract is not extended after twelve years, members of the Board of Directors receive one year's salary plus the average management bonus paid over the last three years. If the employment contract is terminated before the twelve-year threshold, the proportional remuneration is calculated on a pro rata temporis basis. Commitments were made to pay a pension to the members of the Board of Directors in the form of annuity payments that can be paid out as soon as the respective Board member turns 60 or 62, respectively, and the amount of which is based on the Board member's years of service. More information on the Board remuneration is provided in the notes to the annual financial statements and the remuneration report that is available at www.einhell.com.

d) Personnel changes to the Board of Directors

There were no personnel changes to the Board of Directors in financial year 2024. The distribution of responsibilities among the Board members did not change.

2.3 Corporate strategy and management

The Board of Directors embarked on a structured strategy development process together with the heads of divisions and departments to define and communicate the objectives and values of the Einhell Group.

The Einhell Group's primary objective is to generate sustainable and profitable revenue and profit growth. Profitability takes priority over pure growth targets.

a) Strategy

The further development of the **EINHELL brand** continues to be our main strategic priority. The highly successful collaboration with the Mercedes-AMG PETRONAS F1 team that was initiated a few years ago is to be further developed in 2025. In addition, we will continue to expand our social media activities over the next few years. In this context, local trade businesses and the Company's own employees will act as ambassadors for the advertising campaign.

Product policy will remain another key focus of our strategy in 2025. Our Power X-Change platform will remain on the top of our agenda. We intend to expand the revenue share of the Power X-Change platform to more than 70% by financial year 2027. The Power X-Change platform will be expanded further in financial year 2025 and is to include more than 350 products by the end of 2025. For our relatively new "Einhell Professional" product line, we will be identifying which customers and distribution channels are to be prioritised. In addition, a special quality control system will be set up for these products. The Einhell Professional range is set to grow to around 117 products by the end of 2025.

Digital organisation will also remain a major target area for the Einhell Group. We will continue to implement our central ERP strategy

based on SAP S/4HANA in the coming years. In 2025, we will begin implementing the new ERP software at our subsidiary Hansi Anhai Far East Ltd, Hong Kong, China. In addition, we will initiate a preliminary project for the SAP S4/HANA rollout at Einhell Germany AG, Landau an der Isar. Moreover, Einhell Digital Greece I.K.E., Thessaloniki, Greece, will commence operations as a new IT nearshoring centre in the current financial year.

Sustainability is an important issue that we have been working on intensively for a number of years. As part of our strategy process, we have over the past few years started to gradually introduce a sustainability strategy. This strategy is to bundle ongoing and future projects, initiatives and activities and is to define clear responsibilities with quantifiable targets, measures to be derived on that basis and measurable key figures for effective sustainability management. The strategy addresses social, environmental and financial aspects in equal measures. In addition to analysing the carbon footprint of selected sites, the strategy focuses on occupational health and safety matters, social responsibility, resource efficiency and circular economy, the use and expansion of renewable energy and CO₂ reduction measures as well as compliance with our due diligence obligations along the value chain. With regard to our product range, the sustainability concept builds on the continuous expansion of our Power X-Change platform for battery-powered tools and equipment. By ensuring that all devices and batteries are compatible, more than 300 tools can now be operated with only one battery and charging station, reducing the use of resources considerably⁵.

In the mid-term, we plan to expand our **international distribution network** by adding a company in the US. So far, however, no suitable takeover candidate has been found. We are also currently analysing the markets in Saudi Arabia, the United Arab Emirates and Mexico in order to find suitable takeover candidates. In addition, we are seeking to establish sales partnerships in Egypt and South Korea.

⁵ Unverified statement

Following the successful establishment of **our own battery production** in Hungary, we aim to produce one million Power X- Change batteries there in the current financial year.

Efficient **supply chain management** is essential for Einhell. In 2025, we plan to increase the supply rate from China and the supply rate to our distribution subsidiaries. In addition, we strive to reduce total cycle time (TCT). Furthermore, we will continue to improve the rate of delivery to our customers and our ability to meet our customers' contractual delivery dates. Einhell further plans to resolve the minimum order quantity (MOQ) issue by bundling orders and implementing a picking process in the consolidation warehouse in China.

b) Management system

The internal management system of the Einhell Group is designed to support the implementation of the corporate strategy and associated long-term financial targets. Accordingly, the Group uses key performance indicators to measure profitable revenue and earnings growth. Profitability takes priority over pure growth targets.

The management system has not been changed compared to the previous year.

Management of the business activities of the Einhell Group is mainly based on the **financial performance indicators** revenue and earnings before taxes (EBT). These two key figures are the most significant performance indicators of the Einhell Group.

In addition to these financial performance indicators, Einhell Germany AG and the Group companies at a local level use additional **key performance indicators** such as gross profit margin and the main drivers of working capital, i.e. inventories and trade receivables, for management purposes. However, these indicators are subject to significant country-specific variations and should be interpreted in the context of each individual company. Inventories are analysed on an ongoing basis and monitored on the basis of stock turnover and inventory range with regard to possible impairment losses. Moreover, a sanity check is carried out on the order process for new goods,

involving checking and managing product availability and stock volumes. Trade receivables are constantly monitored on the basis of maturity structures and assessed by means of standardised evaluation criteria. Receivables are usually limited by the volume of the receivables insurance and managed by means of internally set limits. Accounts receivable targets are also subject to constant monitoring and are an important management parameter for the Group's working capital.

2.4 Product processing and quality management

a) Product processing

Product processing expenses amounted to EUR 12.1 million in financial year 2024 (previous year: EUR 11.1 million). 74 employees (previous year: 72 employees) were employed in this business unit. Product processing at Einhell is mainly sales-driven and customer-oriented. Therefore, cooperation with other departments, such as quality assurance, is important, as is communication with customers. Customer requirements are taken into account from the outset when new products and versions are designed. The customer is regarded as a partner. This allows the entire Einhell Group to consistently adapt to markets and made Einhell one of the fastest reacting companies in the sector⁶.

b) Quality management

Most of the Einhell product range is currently produced in China. Quality standards stipulated by the Einhell Group for the Chinese suppliers are determined based on customer requirements. Quality control and quality management comply with high standards⁷. The Einhell Group intends to further reduce its dependency on Chinese suppliers in the coming years and has taken important steps towards this goal in recent years as part of its second-source strategy.

In 2023, Einhell Germany AG acquired the Vietnamese company Swisstec Sourcing Vietnam JSC. The company is an established distributor of screws, fastening fixtures and a range of hand-held tools, whose main customers are European and Canadian DIY retail chains. Swisstec Sourcing

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Vietnam JSC also supplies accessories to kwb Germany GmbH.

EINHELL Operations Kft. in Hungary started battery production in the past financial year. In the current financial year, the plant is expected to produce one million batteries for the Power X-Change platform.

Since high priority is given to quality checks before shipping from China, this area is constantly monitored. In addition to rigorous shipping controls on site, there are also controls in place with regard to observance of customer-specific quality requirements, inspections of ongoing production and optimisation of manufacturer processes.

Supplier quality is optimised on an ongoing basis. Dependency on individual suppliers is avoided by maintaining an adequate number of suppliers and a broad distribution of orders. In order to create additional leeway for flexible procurement options, Einhell strives to further intensify its cooperation with select suppliers by forming strategic alliances in the field of product development.

2.5 Personnel and HR services

The number of employees rose in financial year 2024 compared to the previous financial year. On average, the Einhell Group had 2,515 employees (previous year: 2,309). Revenue per employee was EUR 441 thousand (previous year: EUR 421 thousand).

In accordance with the CSR Directive Implementation Act, which went into effect in April 2017, we disclose the concepts we have pursued in the past financial year with regard to key non-financial matters relevant to Einhell Germany AG. The Company decided to report on these matters in a separate non-financial report, which is not included in the management report. For further information about HR and social matters, please refer to our Corporate Social Responsibility Report, which is permanently available at <https://www.einhell.com/investor-relations/sustainability-reports/>.

3. ECONOMIC REPORT

3.1 General economic conditions

The 2024 financial year was characterised by high inflation rates, weak economic growth and the ongoing conflicts in Ukraine and the Middle East.

Prices for commodities and freight remained highly volatile over the course of 2024. Longer transit times were also a factor that had to be dealt with in the past financial year. Despite the military efforts of several countries, the Houthi group has not been deterred yet from attacking cargo ships in the Red Sea. Therefore, most of the container ships have been avoiding the strait between the Gulf of Aden and the Red Sea.

Difficult macroeconomic conditions, periods of bad weather and cautious consumer behaviour caused problems for the DIY sector in the 2024 financial year. These circumstances led to a slight decline in sales in the DIY sector in Germany. In spite of this difficult year for the DIY sector, Einhell has been able to achieve an excellent result thanks to its clear strategy and its consistent implementation over the long term.

The following figures on the GDP, inflation rate and the unemployment rate are based on figures published by the German Federal Statistical Office, Eurostat and the Austrian Economic Chamber.

a) Europe

Second only to North America/USA, the German market is one of the largest DIY markets worldwide and therefore of great significance for the Einhell Group.

About 50% of German DIY sales are generated by the large, well-known DIY chains⁸. A listing in these DIY chains is therefore extremely important for Einhell.

Consumer restraint, long stretches of bad weather and difficult conditions, particularly in the construction-related trades, caused sales in the DIY and construction sector in Germany to fall in 2024. Despite the persistently difficult macroeconomic conditions, with severe slumps in many retail sectors and unfavourable weather conditions, particularly for garden product ranges, DIY stores and garden centres have shown a relatively stable performance. The

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general trend was not reversed by the better weather in late summer, either. However, a positive trend emerged towards the end of the year, with slightly positive growth rates throughout the fourth quarter. Compared to the prior-year period, the nominal shortfall in revenue for the DIY retail sector amounts to 1.4%.

The German economy has contracted for a second year in a row. According to calculations by the Federal Statistical Office, the price-adjusted gross domestic product (GDP) in Germany declined by 0.2% in 2024 compared to the previous year. Macroeconomic and structural burdens stood in the way of better economic development in 2024. These burdens included increasing competition for the German export industry in important sales markets, high energy costs, a persistently high interest level and an uncertain economic outlook.

Consumer prices in Germany were on the rise at the end of the year. On average, consumer prices in Germany increased by 2.2% year-on-year in 2024. In the previous year, the annual inflation rate had still amounted to 5.9%. This means that the inflation rate is still above the target of 2.0%, while it has fallen significantly compared with the previous year.

The European economy has further lost momentum in the current financial year. The high cost of living and inflation rates as well as weak foreign demand are causing problems for national economies. The gross domestic product in the European Union increased by only 0.2% in 2024. GDP growth in the eurozone was 0.1% in 2024. In the Eastern and Western European markets that are important for the Einhell Group, the economic development was as follows:

WESTERN EUROPE

in %	2024	2023
Spain	3.1	2.7
France	1.1	1.1
UK	0.9	0.3
Italy	0.6	0.7

EASTERN EUROPE

in %	2024	2023
Croatia	3.4	3.1
Poland	2.8	0.1
Romania	1.9	2.1
Czech Republic	1.1	-0.1

Adjusted for seasonal effects, the unemployment rate in the eurozone was 6.3% in December 2024. The unemployment rate of 5.9% in the European Union was slightly lower than the level in the eurozone. According to Eurostat estimates, 12.978 million were unemployed in the European Union in December 2024, of whom 10.830 million in the eurozone.

According to Eurostat, the inflation in the European Union dropped to 2.7% in 2024, One year earlier, inflation was still at 3.4%. The European Central Bank is targeting a medium-term inflation rate of just under 2%.

b) Overseas and Other Countries

The Australian economy continues to tread water. Real per capita income has been falling for six quarters now, reducing consumer confidence in Australia. In addition, falling commodity prices are putting pressure on export growth. Australian commercial banks expect the economy to grow by around 1.5% in 2024. However, without the high population growth of over 2% in both 2023 and 2024, Australia's economic development would be in reverse gear.

The high level of immigration has traditionally been a significant driver of growth in the country, and the economy urgently needs more skilled workers. However, calls are growing louder among the population that there is a lack of affordable housing and that the infrastructure in the metropolitan regions is inadequate for the rapidly growing population.

Although Australia's inflation rate has fallen significantly in 2024, consumer spending is stagnating. Private households continue to suffer from a combination of high rents, high food prices and high interest rates, which make credit-financed purchases difficult. In addition, wages have been rising at a slower pace than prices.

Raw materials such as coal, iron ore and minerals make up a large part of Australia's export earnings. After soaring in 2022, prices have returned to pre-COVID-19 crisis levels. This is depressing income from the raw materials business and is, in some cases, leading to production cutbacks, for example in lithium or nickel. Export revenues are falling due to the drop in prices, weighing on GDP growth due to the negative net exports.

The following growth rates were achieved in Canada and in the South American countries where the Einhell Group is active in 2024.

in %	2024	2023
Argentina	-2.8	-1.6
Canada	1.3	1.5
Chile	2.5	0.2

3.2 Performance report

Significant revenue increase in the Einhell Group

The Einhell Group managed to increase its revenue by 14.2% compared to the previous year. Group revenue for financial year 2024 increased from EUR 971.5 million to EUR 1,109.7 million.

This means that the Einhell Group was able to exceed the forecast for financial year 2024. At the beginning of the year 2024, the Board of Directors had assumed an increase in revenue of approx. 6% to EUR 1,030 million.

In the first quarter, revenue of the Einhell Group exceeded the prior-year level. Revenue increased

REVENUE DEVELOPMENT BY SEGMENT

in EURk and %	2024		2023		Change	
Western Europe incl. D/A/CH	616,595	55.6	559,881	57.6	56,714	10.1
Eastern Europe	125,764	11.3	102,521	10.6	23,243	22.7
Overseas and Other Countries	287,684	25.9	256,819	26.4	30,865	12.0
Production and Sourcing Companies	79,656	7.2	52,304	5.4	27,352	52.3
Total	1,109,699	100.0	971,525	100.0	138,174	14.2

In line with the management approach, the "D/A/CH" segment was combined with the "Western Europe" segment in the year under review. The new segment is called "Western Europe incl. D/A/CH".

The results from the previous year were regrouped in line with the new structure.

REVENUE DEVELOPMENT BY DIVISION

in EURk and %	2024		2023		Change	
Tools	702,439	63.3	633,434	65.2	69,005	10.9
Garden & Leisure	407,260	36.7	338,091	34.8	69,169	20.5
Total	1,109,699	100.0	971,525	100.0	138,174	14.2

from EUR 249.9 million in the previous year's comparable quarter to EUR 269.5 million.

In the second quarter, revenue amounted to EUR 306.7 million, which clearly exceeded the prior-year level (EUR 276.0 million). The revenue growth was partly attributable to the increase in Power X-Change sales.

As the positive performance of the second quarter persisted, Einhell was able to achieve further year-on-year revenue growth in the third quarter. Revenue of EUR 263.1 million exceeded the prior-year level (EUR 229.9 million) by 14.4%.

In the fourth quarter, revenue again increased significantly compared to the prior-year quarter, rising by 25.4% from EUR 215.7 million to EUR 270.4 million.

The Einhell Group was able to achieve an excellent level of revenue in financial year 2024, and by the end of the year, it has even exceeded the forecast.

The regional development of revenue in financial year 2024 breaks down as follows:

The Einhell Group was able to increase revenue in all regions in financial year 2024.

The continued high demand for Power X-Change products is further driving the performance. These products now account for 50% of Group revenue (previous year: 44%).

4. EARNINGS

The Einhell Group continued to significantly increase its profitability in the 2024 financial year. In financial year 2024, the Einhell Group generated earnings before taxes (EBT) of EUR 98,481 thousand (previous year: EUR 75,397 thousand). The pre-tax margin is 8.9% (previous year: 7.8%). Earnings before taxes and PPA amount to EUR 100,117 thousand. This corresponds to a margin before taxes and PPA of

9.0%. The PPA effects result from the purchase price allocation relating to the acquisitions of Outillages King Canada Inc. and Surazinsano Co., Ltd.

The following table shows the development of earnings before taxes (EBT) by segment:

in EURk	2024	2023	Change
Western Europe incl. D/A/CH	54,463	39,569	14,894
Eastern Europe	11,456	7,494	3,962
Overseas and Other Countries	29,234	23,380	5,854
Production and Sourcing Companies	9,255	1,098	8,157
Reconciliation	-5,927	3,856	-9,783
Profit before income taxes	98,481	75,397	23,084

At the beginning of the 2024 financial year, the Einhell Group had expected an increase in revenue to about EUR 1,030 million and a pre-tax margin of approx. 7.8%.

Given the fact that the business performance clearly exceeded expectations from January to June 2024, the Board of Directors raised its forecast. The Einhell Group now expected revenue of EUR 1,030 million and a pre-tax margin of approx. 8.0%.

Following a 14.4% year-on-year increase in revenue in the third quarter of 2024, the forecast was revised upwards. The revenue forecast was lifted to EUR 1,070 million, and the pre-tax margin was raised to approx. 8.0% to 8.5%.

The new earnings before taxes (EBT) forecast with a margin of 8.0% to 8.5% was again exceeded at the end of the financial year.

The earnings performance benefited mainly from the increase in revenue. From the perspective of the entire Einhell Group, end consumer demand for Einhell products was very good in financial year 2024.

In the year under review, the **Western Europe incl. D/A/CH** region significantly exceeded the good revenue performance of the previous financial year. End customer demand for Einhell products was surprisingly high in this region, which had a positive impact on revenues. Particularly in Germany, Portugal, Spain, the UK

and Switzerland, revenue increased significantly over the previous year, Total income in the Western Europe region incl. D/A/CH was 37.6% higher than in the previous year, primarily due to significantly higher revenues.

In the 2024 financial year, Einhell was able to further increase its market share of battery-powered tools in the Power X-Change family. This is underlined by current market data from Germany. In terms of units sold, Einhell is still one of the top three sellers of power tools, along with competitors Bosch and Makita. In the garden tools market, Einhell continued in 2024 to rank first in the field of cordless devices with the most units sold, ahead of Bosch and Makita.

In the **Eastern Europe** region, revenue was also significantly above the prior-year level. Earnings also increased in the region in 2024. Einhell Turkey was able to achieve excellent revenue and earnings levels in the past financial year. The companies with the highest revenue in this region are Einhell Turkey, Einhell Croatia and Einhell Poland.

Revenue in the **Overseas and Other Countries** region also exceeded the prior-year level. Einhell Australia was able to further increase both revenue and earnings in 2024. The subsidiary in Canada was unable to match the previous year's revenue level. As a result, earnings were also down on the previous year. The company in

Canada is in the transition phase from its legacy product range to the Einhell range with the Power X-Change platform. This is in line with Einhell's market strategy in Canada. This phase requires planned investments in marketing and sales. The companies in South America were able to exceed the revenue and earnings achieved in the previous year. Again, the region generated positive results.

The **Production and Sourcing Companies** segment that includes the Asian sourcing companies was able to expand its contribution to consolidated net profit in the financial year under review. Revenues were significantly higher than in the previous year, mainly because some Group customers placed more orders via our sourcing companies in the past financial year. Revenue and earnings of EINHELL Operations Kft. and Swisstec Sourcing Vietnam JSC are for the first time fully consolidated from January to December in financial year 2024.

Personnel expenses climbed by EUR 16,490 thousand to EUR 146,106 thousand. This is partly due to the increased headcount in line with the corporate strategy, in particular in the business areas required to implement the overall strategy.

Other operating expenses increased by 12.6% year-on-year to EUR 202,403 thousand. This increase is mainly due to higher marketing expenses. The increase in marketing expenses is in line with the corporate strategy that aims to further strengthen the Einhell brand. The objective is to further expand the high market shares reached in previous years.

The financial result improved by EUR 2,930 thousand to EUR -2,737 thousand. The financial result mainly comprises the interest result of EUR -1,637 thousand (previous year: EUR -4,576 thousand) and the gains/losses from currency translation/currency hedging amounting to EUR -1,100 thousand (previous year: EUR -1,091 thousand).

Tax expenses amounted to EUR 34,157 thousand in financial year 2024 (previous year: EUR 23,836 thousand). The higher tax expense is attributable to improved earnings before taxes (EBT). In addition, it includes effects from tax audits.

Consolidated net income after profits attributable to minority shareholders increased

from EUR 50,491 thousand to EUR 65,070 thousand in the 2024 financial year.

5. ASSETS AND FINANCIAL POSITION

The material items in the statement of financial position for financial years 2024 and 2023 are as follows:

Assets and financial position

in EURk	2024	2023	Change
Fixed assets	135,424	128,302	7,122
Goods inventories	455,634	363,577	92,057
Trade receivables	175,841	149,833	26,008
Cash and cash equivalents	119,102	99,445	19,657
Equity	444,277	354,947	89,330
Liabilities to banks	98,880	109,076	-10,196
Trade payables	266,867	154,291	112,576

Total assets increased by EUR 164,744 thousand or 20.3% to EUR 974,813 thousand.

5.1 Investments and non-current assets

Investments amounted to EUR 18,304 thousand in financial year 2024 (previous year: EUR 14,063 thousand), not including acquired intangible assets and right-of-use assets from the adoption of IFRS 16. Most of the investments pertain to land and buildings in company assets, plant and office equipment and assets under construction.

Depreciation and amortisation amounted to EUR 20,118 thousand in 2024 (previous year: EUR 16,207 thousand). This includes depreciation of EUR 8,766 thousand (previous year: EUR 7,161 thousand) due to the application of IFRS 16.

5.2 Current assets

Inventories increased from EUR 363,577 thousand to EUR 455,634 thousand as at the reporting date. Inventories increased compared to the previous year, mainly due to higher planned revenues.

Trade receivables increased to EUR 175,841 thousand on the reporting date (previous year: EUR 149,833 thousand).

5.3 Financing

The financial requirements of the Einhell Group, which also vary greatly depending on the season, are driven in particular by the level of inventories and trade receivables. Stock turnover rates of inventories and the maturities of trade receivables play a major role here and have a significant impact on the financial requirements.

The Einhell Group's funding derives, on the one hand, from the equity that was provided by its shareholders when the Company was founded and the subsequent capital increases and retained earnings that are set aside in reserves. In addition, the Einhell Group procures debt capital in the form of loans and short-term borrowings as well as, to some extent, supplier loans. Loans are predominantly denominated in EUR. Supplier loans are mainly in CNY or USD. Anticipated cash flows from the payment of supplier liabilities in foreign currencies are largely hedged with the corresponding hedge transactions.

Owing to the very healthy and solid financing structure of the Einhell Group – the Einhell Group traditionally has an excellent equity ratio that currently stands at 45.6% – the Board of Directors does not anticipate any problems with current business operations, nor does it foresee any financing problems for future business volume in connection with the further expansion of the Group.

In financial year 2018, Einhell Germany AG took out long-term loans of EUR 25.0 million from three different banks. The loans are subject to a subsidy programme provided by the German development bank KfW and have a term of ten years. The first repayments were made in June 2020, the last are to be made at the end of March 2028. The loan agreements also contain a financial covenant. This covenant refers to the interest cover ratio. The interest rates are fixed and do not include any variable components. Einhell Germany AG complied with this covenant in financial year 2024.

Einhell Germany AG took out promissory note loans totalling EUR 75.0 million in financial year 2021. The maturities are five years for a tranche of EUR 50.0 million and seven years for a tranche of EUR 25.0 million. The promissory note loans do not require any collateral or covenants and

are due upon maturity. The interest rates are fixed and do not include any variable components.

Einhell Germany AG took out a long-term loan from a bank in the amount of EUR 7.5 million in financial year 2023. The loan is granted in connection with a subsidy programme provided by KfW and has a term of six years. The first repayment was made in December 2024 and the last is due in September 2029. The loan will be used for the new office building. Einhell will receive repayment grants totalling a maximum of EUR 0.95 million if the building achieves the planned energy efficiency standards. In this case, the repayment grants will reduce the term of the loan accordingly. The loan agreement contains a financial covenant. This covenant refers to the interest cover ratio. The interest rates are fixed and do not include any variable components. Einhell Germany AG complied with this covenant in financial year 2024.

5.4 Liquidity

As at the reporting date, the Group had approx. EUR 280.7 million in largely unsecured credit lines including the public KfW loans at its disposal for the operating business. Overall, the Einhell Group had credit balances of EUR 119,102 thousand with banks, and liabilities from debt capital to banks in the amount of EUR 98,880 thousand on the reporting date.

The Group uses effective cash pooling and a cash concentration system to optimise cash management and reduce debt capital to the greatest possible extent. This means that the balances of the different Group companies' bank accounts are transferred to a master account of Einhell Germany AG. As a consequence, only the balance of the master account has to be covered by borrowings on the capital market.

The subsidiaries participating in the cash pooling scheme therefore do not need to make investment or borrowing transactions on the capital markets, but simply have receivables or liabilities with Einhell Germany AG. This procedure serves to protect credit lines provided by banks and optimises the interest result. All Einhell Group companies are currently included in the cash pooling, as far as this is legally possible and feasible.

Einhell and two international banks started at the end of 2022 to set up a supply chain financing model in Asia on a CNY currency basis. As part of this finance model, suppliers can call up the invoice amounts from the participating banks in advance. In return, these suppliers grant Einhell an extended payment term. This extended payment term leads to a significant improvement

in the Einhell Group's liquidity situation. At the same time, liquidity bottlenecks at suppliers can be avoided.

The summarised cash flow statement shows the development of the financial position in financial year 2024:

in EURk	2024	2023	Change
Cash flow from operating activities	70,003	211,680	-141,677
Cash flow from investing activities	-21,056	-18,900	-2,156
Cash flow from financing activities	-29,222	-102,760	+73,538
	19,725	90,020	-70,295
Changes from currency translation	-68	-1,237	+1,169
Net decrease/increase in cash and cash equivalents	19,657	88,783	-69,126
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	99,445	10,662	+88,783
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	119,102	99,445	+19,657

Cash flow from operating activities deteriorated year-on-year. In financial year 2024, the expansion of inventories had a noticeable negative impact on the operating cash flow.

Cash flow from financing activities includes mainly repayment of loans (EUR 9,428 thousand) and the dividend distribution.

The cash flow from investing activities mainly refers to capital expenditure for payments to acquire fixed assets (EUR 18,304 thousand) and for the acquisition of new shares in already consolidated companies (EUR 2,372 thousand).

Cash and cash equivalents increased from EUR 19,657 thousand to EUR 119,102 thousand as at the reporting date. The share of cash and cash equivalents in total assets amounts to 12.2% (previous year: 12.3%).

5.5 Equity/debt capital

The Einhell Group has a strong equity ratio of 45.6% (previous year: 43.8%). Net cash in financial year 2024 amounts to EUR 20,222 thousand (previous year: net debt of EUR 9,631 thousand).

The Einhell Group's debt capital increased to EUR 530,536 thousand (previous year: EUR 455,122 thousand).

6. OVERALL ECONOMIC SITUATION

2024 was a challenging year globally. Longer-term crises, such as the Middle East conflict or the war in Ukraine, affect all kinds of areas. The effects of the crises are felt both on the procurement and on the sales markets. End consumers are unsettled and cost increases are difficult to pass on to retailers.

All in all, the Einhell Group is trying to position itself in a challenging overall market, to implement its strategy as best as possible in the individual regions and to win new listings in order to be well prepared and to benefit from the more positive environment when the economy recovers. The three main strategic pillars (i) the international development of the Einhell brand; (ii) the expansion of the successful Power X-Change battery platform; and (iii) the further international expansion are fully intact and will continue to be pursued.

7. CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY (CSR)

The European Parliament and the EU member states adopted a directive in 2014 to expand the reporting of large, publicly traded companies, banks, financial services providers and insurance companies (CSR Directive). The directive's

objective is, in particular, to increase transparency with regard to environmental and social aspects of companies in the EU. This concerns disclosures of environmental, social and employee matters as well as with regard to the respect of human rights and combating corruption and bribery for both the Einhell Group and Einhell Germany AG.

Non-financial group statement

The non-financial group statement, which must be submitted in accordance with Sections 315b, 315c German Commercial Code (HGB) as well as Sections 289 b-e German Commercial Code (HGB) is made available in the form of a non-financial report on the Einhell website at <https://www.einhell.com/investor-relations/sustainability-reports/>. It includes information on the business model and disclosures on environmental, social and employee matters, on the respect of human rights and on combating corruption and bribery. The non-financial report is not included in the combined management report.

8. OPPORTUNITIES AND RISK REPORT

The risk management system of the Einhell Group seeks to identify and evaluate opportunities and risks at an early stage to be able to apply the required measures to exploit opportunities and limit any negative consequences on the business performance. This is aimed at ensuring the existence of the Group as a going concern and creating long-term value by improving business decisions. The Einhell Group defines risk as any event that could negatively impact the achievement of operating or strategic objectives. The management decides on a case-by-case basis whether the risk is transferred (e.g. via insurances), recognised in the statement of financial position (e.g. via provisions, impairments) or deliberately accepted.

8.1 Description of the risk management and significant characteristics of the internal control and risk management system for Group accounting processes as per Section 315 (4) German Commercial Code (HGB)

a) Description of risk management process

The risk management process in the Einhell Group is split into two stages. The first stage is the decentralised recognition of risks in subsidiaries and the various departments of Einhell Germany AG by the risk officers appointed by the Board of Directors. They are responsible for risk identification and assessment. The critical aspect here for the Einhell Group is identification, since no risk planning can be undertaken for risks that have not yet been identified. In the Einhell Group, risks are identified by linking a bottom-up and a top-down approach. This means that centrally determined risks must be assessed. In addition, the Einhell subsidiaries and the heads of department in the Group are called upon to identify and assess specific risks for their relevant functional areas and departments. The identified risks are evaluated by multiplying the probability of the damage occurring and the maximum amount of damage. The evaluation focuses on net risk, i.e. the risk that remains after various preventative measures have been taken. The second step comprises risk consolidation, analysis and control by risk managers and corporate management.

Einhell uses various methods of risk management. Risk avoidance means that risks, and associated opportunities, will not be taken. Another management method minimises risks, for instance by using organisational methods, and is therefore also referred to as risk reduction. A further method is transferring risk by means of insurance, contracts with suppliers etc. The remaining risks are deliberately borne by the Einhell Group. In this regard, it is necessary to weigh up whether the risk is in proportion to the opportunity.

Risks are constantly monitored and reported on a quarterly basis. The most important risks are also discussed at meetings of the Board of Directors. Opportunities are not recorded separately in the risk management system.

b) Elements of the internal control and risk management system

The internal control system of the Einhell Group includes all principles, processes and measures to ensure the effectiveness, economy and validity of its accounting, and ensure compliance with applicable legal regulations.

The internal control system comprises integrated process controls and internal control systems.

The domestic controlling, investment controlling, finance, internal audit, Group accounting and legal departments constitute the internal control system of the Einhell Group. The Einhell Group companies make a forecast in the relevant financial year to budget the following financial year. Based on differentiated revenue planning, the corresponding items in the statement of financial position, the statement of income and cash flows are budgeted. These projected figures are collated for the Group into a budgetary statement of income.

The actual figures from the individual companies are processed on a monthly basis. As a result, a complete consolidated statement of income is devised that compares the budgeted and actual figures and allows for their analysis. The development of inventories, margins etc. is also reported for all companies on a monthly basis. The comparison is discussed with the members of the Board of Directors and with the managers of the separate divisions and companies. The analysis of the budgeted and actual figures permits relevant measures to be developed and implemented.

The internal monitoring system is comprised of measures that are integrated into the processes and measures that are independent of the processes. In addition to automated IT process controls, manual controls also form an important part of integrated process measures which are, for example, also carried out by the internal audit department. The Supervisory Board, the Group auditors and other audit bodies are involved in carrying out process-independent controls within the Einhell Group.

The audit of the consolidated financial statements by the Group auditor is the main process-independent control measure with respect to Group accounting processes.

c) Important regulatory and control activities to ensure propriety and reliability of Group accounting

The internal control measures aimed at propriety and reliability of Group accounting ensure that transactions are fully recorded in compliance with statutory requirements and the stipulations of Einhell's articles of association as well as in a timely manner.

They also ensure that inventory-taking is carried out in a proper manner, and that assets and liabilities are properly recognised, measured and shown in the consolidated financial statements. The rules also ensure that the accounting documentation provides reliable and transparent information.

The control activities to ensure propriety and reliability of Group accounting comprise example analyses of circumstances and developments on the basis of specific key figure analysis. The separation of administration, implementation, invoicing and authorisation functions and the fact that they are performed by different persons reduces the likelihood of wilful contravention. It also ensures, for instance, that changes to the IT systems used for the underlying bookkeeping in Group companies are subject to full and timely logging of bookkeeping transactions in the relevant reporting period. The internal control system also guarantees that changes in the economic or legal circumstances of the Einhell Group are recognised and that new or amended statutory regulations for Group accounting are applied.

The International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) provide standardised accounting and valuation principles for the companies in Germany and other countries that are included in the Einhell consolidated financial statements. In addition to general accounting principles and methods, there are also regulations regarding the statement of financial position, statement of income, notes, management report, cash flow statement and segment reporting in place that comply with the legal requirements in the EU.

The Einhell accounting policies also stipulate concrete formal requirements regarding the consolidated financial statements. As well as determining the companies included in the consolidation, they also include detailed rules about the elements of reporting packages to be

prepared by Group companies. The formal requirements also cover the mandatory application of standardised and complete sets of templates. The Einhell accounting principles also contain concrete rules about presentation and handling of Group billing transactions and any resulting reconciliation.

At Group level, specific control activities to ensure propriety and reliability of Group accounting comprise the analysis and correction (where necessary) of the individual financial statements prepared by Group companies. Central implementation of impairment tests for the cash-generating units identified by the Group allows for the application of uniform and standardised measurement criteria. The preparation and aggregation of further data for the preparation of external information in the notes and management report, including significant events after reporting date, is also carried out at Group level.

8.2 Description of risks

To be able to effectively measure and control the identified risks, we evaluate them on the basis of the parameters "incidence rate" and the "effect on EBT" in the case of occurrence. Here, we rely on empirical data and forward-looking assumptions.

Since 2017, operating earnings of the Einhell Group have more than doubled. In order to take this significant increase in earnings into account, the threshold values for the risk classes ("impact on earnings") were adjusted for the first time since 2017. The adjustment was made on the basis of a strategic decision by the management and reflects the changed economic viability of the Group. As part of this reorganisation, the percentage loss values of the individual risk classes were defined on the basis of the average result from ordinary activities of the last two years and the budget.

The following table shows all the risk categories we have identified with their potential effects on EBT and the incidence rate. This enables us to take suitable risk mitigation measures at the level of individual risks.

The Einhell Group does not expect any major changes in risks in 2025. Some risks were adjusted since the previous year in line with current trends and expectations.

Possible current effects on earnings of risks after taking measures

Possible effects concerning:	effects on earnings		incidence rate	
	-	2025 +	2025	
Environment & Industry				
Political risks	□□□■		rare	23%
Industry risks	□□□□■		rare	17%
Sustainable risks	□□□□■		probable	66%
Company-specific risks				
Procurement risks	□□□■		rare	13%
Sales market risks	□□□□■		rare	14%
Strategic and expansion risks	□□□□■		improbable	7%
Liability risks, Legal risks	□□□□■		rare	12%
IT risks	□□□■		rare	19%
Human resources risks	□□□□■		rare	16%
Other risks	□□□□■		improbable	8%
Finance				
Financial, interest and currency risks	□□□□■		rare	28%
Default risks	□□□□■		improbable	8%
Liquidity risks	□□□□■		improbable	2%
Tax risks	□□□□■		rare	15%

Effects on earnings:

□□□□■	< 12.5 million €
□□□■	≥ 12.5 million € < 20.5 million €
□□■	≥ 20.5 million € < 28.5 million €
□■	≥ 28.5 million € < 41.0 million €
■	≥ 41.0 million € < 82.0 million €
■	≥ 82.0 million €

Incidence rate:

≥ 0 % < 10 %	improbable
≥ 10 % < 50 %	rare
≥ 50 % < 70 %	probable
≥ 70 %	very probable

Possible current effects on earnings of risks after taking measures

Possible effects concerning:	effects on earnings		incidence rate	
	-	2024 +	2024	
Environment & Industry				
Political risks	□□□■		rare	29%
Industry risks	□□□□■		rare	12%
Company-specific risks				
Procurement risks	□□□■		rare	30%
Sales market risks	□□□□■		rare	13%
Strategic and expansion risks	□□□□■		improbable	9%
Liability risks, Legal risks	□□□□■		rare	10%
IT risks	□□□■		rare	15%
Human resources risks	□□□□■		rare	13%
Other risks	□□□□■		improbable	2%
Finance				
Financial, interest and currency risks	□□□□■		rare	42%
Default risks	□□□□■		rare	19%
Liquidity risks	□□□□■		improbable	2%
Tax risks	□□□□■		rare	21%

Effects on earnings:

□□□□■	< 12.5 million €
□□□■	≥ 12.5 million € < 20.5 million €
□□■	≥ 20.5 million € < 28.5 million €
□■	≥ 28.5 million € < 41.0 million €
■	≥ 41.0 million € < 82.0 million €
■	≥ 82.0 million €

Incidence rate:

≥ 0 % < 10 %	improbable
≥ 10 % < 50 %	rare
≥ 50 % < 70 %	probable
≥ 70 %	very probable

Sales market risks

The Einhell Group sees sales market risks arising mainly from the general development of demand in the sector, its own unit sales and revenue volumes and bad debt losses. Where possible, the Einhell Group uses trade credit insurance to counter credit risk. Innovative products that meet customer requirements in terms of design, functionality and value for money diminish the risk of a reduction in sales volume. This risk is being countered with the incremental introduction of two clearly defined product lines. Two customers accounted for more than 10% of the Einhell Group's revenue in the past financial years. Nevertheless, the management has not identified any risk of dependency on these customers. The sales market risk has changed only moderately compared to the previous year and is therefore assessed to be similar.

Procurement risks

Procurement is a primary process in the Einhell business model and plays an important role for risk management within the Einhell Group. The objective of procurement is to ensure that products are acquired on time, are of sufficient quality and are reasonably priced.

One important factor is the suppliers. As the Einhell Group maintains long-term relationships with its suppliers, price and sourcing risks are minimised. With constant quality checks, suppliers are integrated into the quality control system of the Einhell Group. The Einhell Group is not dependent on individual suppliers. Einhell started to implement a second source strategy several years ago, which is still being optimised.

Einhell is continuously trying to reduce the dependency on China and to diversify its pool of suppliers. With its own battery production in Hungary, the Einhell Group is now able to source batteries from outside of Asia, which is an important strategic achievement. The Group made a first step to diversify the pool of suppliers by establishing local sourcing structures in Vietnam.

In order to optimise procurement planning, purchase quantities are regularly coordinated with the sales departments, reconciled and planned via an online order system. We also use disposition software that improves the coordination between procurement and sales in

determining quantities and further consolidates orders. In order to enhance the transparency of order processing over the entire supply chain from the supplier to the national warehouses, we work with an implemented transport management system.

Where possible, the Einhell Group counters risk of price increases, such as from changes in commodity prices, by concluding the corresponding procurement and sales agreements, i.e. by reflecting changes in procurement prices on the sales side with a minimal time lag. A corresponding product mix, a broad customer base and a strong procurement structure support this process.

To minimise the supplier default risk, both the procurement and project management teams work with the finance department to develop joint hedging concepts.

The Einhell Group believes that the procurement risk for financial year 2025 is similar to the previous year.

IT risks

Information and communications systems are the basis for many business processes of the Einhell Group. The subsidiary iSC GmbH operates a centralised IT service centre that is responsible for the implementation of the Group's international strategy. Given the rising speed and complexity of digitalisation, the dependency on IT systems also continues to increase. Resulting risks, such as the non-availability of systems or data, or unauthorised access, can never be fully eliminated and have a tremendous impact on business operations if an incident occurs. The Group takes diverse and innovative measures to minimise the likelihood of such risks occurring (incidence rate) to the greatest possible degree. Great importance is attached to the realisation of uniform international IT standards that are designed to ensure the effectiveness, efficiency and continuity of IT processes within a framework of corporate and statutory requirements.

A fixed part of these standards is the implementation of suitable measures within the area of physical security, use of high-performance and reliable hardware components, operation of carefully selected infrastructure and business applications, and

provision of high-quality services and processes for the operation and further development of the entire information and communications structure. The organisation of IT processes is designed around an ITIL process framework.

Required specialist expertise, such as in the area of local compliance requirements, is provided by qualified service partners, for whom the scope and extent of performance is contractually defined and who work closely with the IT organisation. Applications are operated in line with their criticality for business operations in highly dependable system environments and are subject to adequate business continuity mechanisms. IT-based precautions that are regularly checked and updated, in conjunction with the use of qualified staff and corresponding roles and legal concepts, ensure the best possible protection for confidential data.

The Einhell Group's IT strategy is closely linked to the business strategy and is subject to regular controls and adjustments to take account of the business environment. In order to protect itself as much as possible against cyberattacks, the Einhell Group continuously invests in the security of its IT systems and trains its employees accordingly.

The risks related to artificial intelligence (AI) also affect the Einhell Group due to their highly dynamic nature. Companies face particular challenges in the area of AI. We generally distinguish between two types of risk: those arising from the provision of data to external models and those arising from the use of the results of these models. The Einhell Group intends to promote the use of AI systems where they are suitable for improving and speeding up processes. In this context, the Einhell Group has recently published a Group policy on the use of artificial intelligence (AI).

Liability risks, legal risks

Liability risks arise for the Einhell Group mainly in connection with product liability. The main procurement market for Einhell products is the People's Republic of China. In order to ensure quality locally, a quality management system has been set up in China, which directly monitors supplier production and implements process controls. Our own quality control officers monitor rules and regulations on an ongoing basis. The remaining risk for product

liability claims is covered by economically sensible and appropriate insurance. Product liability claims are classified and efficiently processed on the basis of a clear organisation and procedural structure. In addition, liability risks also include risk in connection with corruption. This risk is determined for each company based on the international corruption index.

This creates clear lines of responsibility and communication that are supported by written documentation of recall plans and checklists. This system also involves external specialist offices and experts.

The Einhell Group is exposed to legal risks. These may arise from conclusion of inter-company agreements with suppliers, customers and other business partners. Einhell is further exposed to various different international legal systems during the negotiation and conclusion of contracts. This applies in particular to the conclusion of corporate contracts, for example in the event of business incorporation, and patent agreements and similar contracts that are designed to protect the intellectual property of Einhell.

Einhell tries to minimise such risks by having its own legal department in Germany and by constantly checking and monitoring legal circumstances in China. Our own staff carries out coordination and checks, and seeks advice from external specialists from the relevant jurisdiction or legal system on a case-by-case basis.

Personnel risks

The Group has a number of instruments in place to counter economic risks, such as changes in the market or competitive environment, which help us to react flexibly to fluctuations in the order situation, particularly seasonal fluctuations. This includes working time accounts that are filled by working overtime and reduced by taking the corresponding leave. Another instrument for reacting more flexibly to fluctuations are temporary workers. All these measures help the Einhell Group to maintain a stable permanent workforce while reacting to changes in the order situation.

The professional expertise and individual commitment of our employees are important

prerequisites for the success of the Einhell Group. Our strategic and holistic personnel development approach offers employees attractive opportunities for further training and career development.

In addition to offering vocational training on the basis of a dual system (part school, part practical work), we also offer dual university courses to ensure we have young talent to source from. We provide extensive and highly specific qualification measures to address risks resulting from fluctuation and loss of experience when older employees retire.

It remains difficult to source suitable staff, but the situation has eased somewhat over the past year. Depending on the countries, the Einhell Group will continue to introduce various measures to raise our attractiveness as an employer.

Financial, interest and currency risks

The continuing growth of the Einhell Group is also associated with financing risks. The Einhell Group manages financing risks by combining short-term and long-term financing strategies.

It uses mainly conventional lines of credit that were only partially utilised in financial year 2024. Cash and cash equivalents, as well as equity, stood at very good levels in the reporting year. As the Einhell Group mainly has long-term financing agreements with fixed interest rates, no significant negative effects are expected from an increase in interest rates.

The financial planning of the Einhell Group for the next five years is continuously adjusted to the current planning budget. This ensures that the further growth of the Group is financially secured.

The Einhell Group is also expanding its netting system and cash pool that was set up jointly by the parent company and its subsidiaries. Subsidiaries are financed almost exclusively by inter-Group loans. This reduces the risk of non-transparent and inefficient loan structures in the Group. The parent company has set up internal credit lines for the subsidiaries, the amount of which is determined by the budget and the expected business volume of the corresponding subsidiaries.

Risks from interest rate changes and fluctuations are managed, if required, with derivative financial instruments such as non-current interest swaps and interest caps. No need was identified in financial year 2024 to enter into interest rate derivatives. Risks from currency fluctuation are mainly managed by using standard currency futures. The risk of currency fluctuation in procurement is covered where possible by hedging transactions in the form of currency futures and options. Currency hedging is carried out pursuant to IAS/IFRS regulations regarding hedge accounting for the individual hedge periods.

Please see the notes to the consolidated financial statements, section 6. RISK REPORT AND FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS for more information on interest, financial and currency risks.

Default risk

Einhell's corporate policy is to minimise default risk both from customers and suppliers by using instruments that are customary in international practice. This helps Einhell to evaluate default risks of the ordering company for each order based on the relevant economic situation. To counter the risks associated with new customers and high-risk countries in particular, Einhell sometimes uses letters of credit. In the offer phase, the sales and finance departments jointly decide on what collateral is required and adjust these requirements when the orders are placed. Einhell also uses external information from banks and credit agencies to support the assessment of risk. To minimise the supplier default risk, both the procurement and project management teams work with the finance department to develop joint hedging concepts.

The maximum default risk corresponds to the carrying amount of the receivables. Trade receivables pertain to DIY chains, specialist retailers and discounters and amount to EUR 175,841 thousand (previous year: EUR 149,833 thousand).

Where possible, the Einhell Group uses trade credit insurance to counter credit risk. Due to the stable development of the sector, we see a slightly lower risk of non-payment of receivables.

As the derivatives are acquired from reputable financial institutions, the Group expects that the maximum default risk from derivatives is limited to the derivatives' positive market value.

As at the reporting date, bank deposits totalled EUR 119,102 thousand (previous year: EUR 99,445 thousand). These assets are held at first-rate, reputable banks.

The Einhell Group counters price and supply risks in supply markets by maintaining long-term supply relationships, which are constantly subjected to quality management.

Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the possibility that a company will no longer be in a position to meet its financial obligations (such as repayment of financial liabilities or payment of orders). The Einhell Group limits this risk by using effective management of net working capital and cash and traditional credit lines from reputable banks. At the reporting date, the Group had approx. EUR 280.7 million in (mostly unsecured) credit lines at its disposal for the operating business (previous year: EUR 283.5 million). The Group also keeps a constant eye on the financial markets for financing opportunities in order to secure the financial flexibility of the Einhell Group and limit excessive refinancing risks.

The Einhell Group believes that the liquidity risk for financial year 2025 is just as low as in the previous year.

Tax risks

In many countries, the Group is subject to the respective national tax provisions. Risks may arise from changes to local tax law or legal rulings and disparate interpretations of existing provisions. These risks can thus affect our tax expenses and income as well as tax receivables and liabilities.

General economic and sector risks

The Einhell Group is subject to general risks from the global economy and specific risks for the building supplies, specialist retail and DIY store sector.

Political risks

The Einhell Group is subject to global economic risks from its international operations. These can take the form of political and economic risks. Political decisions in the countries in which the

Einhell Group operates today can affect the stability and economies of these countries. Also, policies in the countries in which the Einhell Group hopes to expand its operations can affect its business strategy. The risk also extends, for example, to the currency policies of countries, import and customs duties regulations or armed conflicts. The same also applies to procurement countries where Einhell sources its products. The Einhell Group seeks to keep abreast of general political risks by way of Group management maintaining close contacts with responsible local managers in order to constantly keep up to date with current developments. The Einhell Group also pursues a strategy of limiting investment in non-current assets, such as real estate, in such countries. This gives the Group maximum flexibility to react to unfavourable developments and to be able to have current assets available to take appropriate action in any country at any given time.

Due to current political events, the Einhell Group estimates the political risks in 2025 to be slightly higher than in the previous year.

Sector risks

With respect to sector risks, the Einhell Group is subject to developments in the DIY sector and specialist retail as well as e-commerce in the relevant countries. It is also subject to the effects of behaviour and growth of competitors.

Changes in the sector, such as market concentration of customers, may therefore affect Einhell's business. Einhell seeks to minimise dependence on such factors by expanding its strong international market position. The establishment of a strong product range and customer-friendly service allows Einhell to strengthen its position with customers, even during changes in market concentration. Strategy changes by competitors may also affect the Einhell Group. New competitors may be in a position to take over market shares from Einhell, or existing competitors may affect the Group's market position. Einhell seeks to counter such changes by establishing a relatively broad product range, extending from Tools to Garden & Leisure, and also driving its international expansion. It is very hard to find a competitor in the market that offers a comparable product range while

maintaining an international presence comparable to Einhell's⁹.

Sustainability risks

Sustainability risks are a newly identified risk category, arising in particular from regulatory requirements, sanctions and costs in connection with measures to reduce greenhouse gas emissions. These factors can significantly influence the cost structure of our products and lead to competitive disadvantages that have a negative impact on our market opportunities. This could have an adverse effect on our profitability and revenue performance.

We consider the probability of these risks to be high, given the regulatory changes already announced and foreseeable developments. However, as we have already proactively integrated many of these factors into our budget planning, we expect a comparatively low loss. We strive to further minimise the potential impact by taking early action and continuously monitoring regulatory and market developments.

Strategic and expansion risks

Risks are also associated with implementing the Einhell Group strategy. They can result, for instance, from the fact that resources or elements required to implement the strategy are not available at a particular time or run up against realisation problems. The reasons for this could be related to personnel or technology issues.

The establishment and acquisition of subsidiaries also carries fundamental risks. Einhell seeks to counter these risks by conducting an extensive investigation of the target country before it begins to identify new sales areas. This includes an assessment of sales environment and market potential. The Group also begins to search for suitable managing directors and specialised staff at an early stage. With respect to infrastructure, Einhell selects a standard approach for each new sales subsidiary that is compatible with the internal processes and IT infrastructure. This reduces the risks associated with setting up a new subsidiary.

Risks also result from acquisitions of the Einhell Group. The Group mitigates these risks by carrying out due diligence on potential acquisitions. The due diligence reviews are carried out by internal staff from our investment control department, the legal department and, in individual cases, other Einhell Group departments, supported by external advisors.

Other risks

In addition to the risks described above, some external factors are unforeseeable and may have consequences that are very difficult to control. Such factors may, if they actually occur, impact the further development of the Einhell Group. These risks include natural hazards, epidemics and terrorist attacks.

9. FORECAST REPORT

The global economy has certainly been put to the test in recent years. The COVID-19 pandemic, the outbreak of geopolitical conflicts and extreme weather events have disrupted supply chains and caused energy and food crises. Although the global economy has proven resilient overall, there are uneven developments in the regions, particularly between the advanced and developing economies. While most advanced economies have almost returned to the levels of economic activity expected before the pandemic, emerging and developing economies are showing longer-term scars, with continued large production losses and prolonged inflation. They also remain more susceptible to spikes in commodity prices, such as those that followed Russia's invasion of Ukraine in violation of international law.

In 2024, however, there were signs that imbalances were gradually being reduced. Goods prices have stabilised and some are even falling. However, price inflation for services remains high in many countries, which is partly due to rapid wage increases. This has led some central banks to delay easing their monetary policy, particularly in countries with high borrowing costs and high refinancing needs. The global outlook is therefore largely determined by fiscal and monetary policy decisions, their international implications and the ability of

⁹ Unverified statement

governments to implement overdue structural reforms.

Price inflation will initially continue in 2025, albeit at a lower level than in the previous year. As the year progresses, inflation is expected to stabilise. Together with an increase in real wages, this should also have a positive impact on consumer spending power.

Because of the high brand awareness for Einhell products, sustained and stable customer relationships and long-term listings as well as a highly attractive product range, the Board of Directors is looking ahead with optimism¹⁰. We expect consumer demand to remain strong in the 2025 financial year, with order volumes from retailers remaining at a high level. Einhell's significantly improved market presence and visibility in recent years will help us to continue to generate dynamic revenues in the listed markets.

The GDP values, which are presented below, have partially been estimated and are based on data published by the Federal Statistical Office, the International Monetary Fund, the EU Commission and the Austrian Federal Economic Chamber.

9.1 Expected development in the Western Europe incl. D/A/CH region

in %	2025	2024
GDP Germany	0.3%	-0.2%

The **German** gross domestic product (GDP) has fallen by 0.2% y-o-y in 2024.

The German federal government is forecasting GDP growth of 0.3% for the current year. The export-orientated industry in particular is suffering from the high pressure to adapt. Increased energy costs and the requirements of the transition to a CO₂ neutral economy as well as the consequences of demographic change are causing problems for the industry. In addition, German companies are increasingly confronted with protectionist tendencies and growing competition from emerging economies such as China on the global markets. And private consumption is also likely to be weaker than the forecasts made in the middle of last year led us

to expect, and is no longer an independent driver of the expected economic recovery.

In its economic outlook, the EU Commission has forecast 1.3% growth for the **eurozone** in the current year. The European economy is slowly recovering according to EU Economic Affairs Commissioner Gentiloni. He goes on to say that reducing debt on the one hand and boosting growth on the other is a balancing act for the EU countries.

Economists expect the inflation rate in Germany to remain above the two percent mark for the time being in 2025. The rise in the CO₂ price for petrol, heating oil and gas, among other things, is likely to push up consumer prices. According to many economists, the rise in the price of the subsidised rail pass Deutschland-Ticket will also drive inflation.

The European Commission expects an average inflation rate of 2.1% in the eurozone in 2025. This would mean that the ECB's inflation target of 2.0% would be reached again within two years for the first time since the Russian invasion of Ukraine and the resulting massive impact on Europe's energy policy.

The DIY store sector in Germany is not expecting any major leaps in sales in 2025. However, a small increase seems quite possible. Sales in the German DIY market & DIY stores are expected to total around EUR 53.90 billion in the current year.

The high demand from end consumers for Einhell tools and garden equipment led to rising revenues and earnings in the Western Europe incl. D/A/CH region in the 2024 financial year. We expect the positive trend to continue in 2025, also given that Einhell was able to further increase its market share in financial year 2024. Overall market and channel distribution has been further improved in 2024 and provides for excellent opportunities in 2025. Negative effects on consumer behaviour, such as interest rate increases by the European Central Bank (ECB), are currently unlikely. Moreover, inflation is expected to stabilise in 2025.

¹⁰ Unverified statement

9.2 Expected development in the Eastern Europe region

Poland's economy developed positively in 2024 thanks to strong private consumption. Rising salaries, low unemployment and new public funds for families are stimulating consumer spending. Poland is again likely to be one of the European Union's growth drivers in 2025, with economic growth of 3.6%. **Croatia** was one of the fastest growing economies in the past year. Strong consumption coupled with high investment spending – both private and public – form the foundation of the economic momentum. The EU Commission anticipates a slight economic slowdown in 2025. According to the International Monetary Fund, **Turkey's** economic growth could slow to 2.6% in 2025 as a result of a tighter monetary policy, as momentum appears to be slowing in key sales markets such as the European Union.

Although inflation in the Eastern European countries has also eased somewhat, end consumers are still suffering from the persistently high price levels for everyday consumer goods. This has an impact on the demand for products that are not necessarily required for everyday use, which includes DIY products. Nevertheless, we continue to expect good overall demand in this area.

9.3 Expected development in the Overseas and Other Countries region

In 2024, economic growth in Australia has still not really recovered. Thanks to high population growth in the last two years, economic output has nevertheless increased. Australia's commercial banks expect 2.5% growth for 2025.

The Australian DIY market only just managed to buck the global decline in 2024. In particular, the bricks-and-mortar retail sector, which continues to dominate the Australian market, benefited from the continued stability of the Australian economy¹¹. However, we expect the Australian market to be challenging in the 2025 financial year. Inflation is also persisting in Australia and end consumers are suffering from the general rise in prices. This will have a certain impact on the demand for non-essential products.

¹¹ Unverified statement

The following economic growth rates are expected in Canada and the South American countries, in which the Einhell Group is active:

in %	2025	2024
GDP Argentina	5.0	-2.8
GDP Canada	2.0	1.3
GDP Chile	2.4	2.5

In South America, inflation leads to trends that resemble the situation in Europe. Inflation erodes the purchasing power of end consumers and generally hampers revenue growth for market participants.

9.4 Expected development in the Production and Sourcing Companies segment

The development in the Production and Sourcing Companies segment in 2025 will be similar to the one in 2024. Einhell has numerous FOB direct customers in other countries and regions around the world that take the products to the local markets. Raw material prices and logistics processes are currently stable. For strategically important product areas such as batteries and chargers, Einhell has set up its own production facilities in order to control the production and value chain of these components. In addition to the Kunshan site in China, the Company has established its own production facility for batteries and chargers in Hungary. Following the start of production in 2024, this production site will be optimised and further accelerated in 2025. The production companies are already working with the SAP S/4HANA ERP system.

9.5 Expected development in the markets relevant to the Einhell Group

a) Expected general development in 2025

The expected development in 2025 will be influenced by many different factors. The inflation trend going forward will be the crucial factor in determining whether end consumer demand for non-essential goods picks up or remains relatively weak. According to forecasts, inflation will rise slightly in the first half of the

year and then stabilise, but it is difficult to predict at the moment whether this scenario will actually materialise. Therefore, all forecasts are fraught with a high degree of uncertainty.

The geopolitical situation continues to be a determining factor for the development of the economy. The new US-administration brings considerable challenges for all states. It is not possible to predict future developments with any certainty in this respect. The wars in Ukraine and the Middle East are also still ongoing, and further negative developments are possible at any time. This means for the economy that geopolitical issues and risks, particularly as they relate to supply chains, sales markets and investment, require increased attention.

b) Expected development of the financial markets

Risk factors will continue to affect the markets in 2025. The ongoing Russia-Ukraine war, the Middle East conflict and rising inflation rates will also weigh on 2025. Inflation will stabilise around the 2.0% mark this year.

As a result, the Einhell Group expects that there will be further interest rate cuts by the Fed and the ECB in the course of 2025. The ECB will first be observing the impact of interest rate changes on the eurozone economy. In particular, the European Central Bank will monitor wage developments to ensure that rising labour costs do not prevent inflation from achieving the ECB's medium-term inflation target of 2%.

China faces major challenges in 2025. Trade relations between the USA and China remain a critical factor for China's economic prospects. Tariff increases on Chinese goods can have a significant impact on economic growth in China. China could possibly mitigate this effect by easing its monetary policy and initiating a controlled currency devaluation. Boosting domestic consumption will therefore be a high priority in 2025. In addition, targeted measures to promote consumer spending are expected to strengthen the competitiveness of Chinese brands. This would lead to domestic brands gaining market share over foreign products.

However, according to the IMF, the weaknesses that contributed to the recent increase in volatility over the past year are still in place. These include the mismatch between economic

uncertainty, coupled with market volatility, on the one hand, and stretched equity valuations, particularly in the technology sector, on the other.

Revised market expectations with regard to US monetary policy have halted the appreciation of the US dollar against the currencies of the major advanced economies. However, the devaluation pressure in the emerging and developing countries remains high. Many of these economies that started raising interest rates earlier also started easing earlier, which has led to a narrowing of the gap between their policy rates and those of the United States. For some emerging and developing countries with high short-term external financing requirements, the yield premiums ("spreads") on government bonds have increased since April, which poses an additional challenge.

Although only a few of these countries are in distress – defined as spreads of more than 1,000 basis points – their heavy reliance on short-term external financing shows their vulnerability to sudden currency fluctuations.

c) Expected development of the sales markets

The global DIY market has grown considerably in recent years and is expected to continue to grow in the coming years. The growing popularity of DIY products among consumers and the significant increase in the introduction of innovative technologies are likely to drive growth in the DIY market over the next few years. In addition, social media platforms and e-commerce further contributed to boosting market growth.

The geopolitical situation continues to be a determining factor for the development of the sales markets. The newly elected US administration under President Trump and the ongoing conflicts in Ukraine and the Middle East are influencing the global economic outlook. The impact on consumer demand will continue to be felt. This will also continue to affect the DIY product sector.

d) Expected development of the procurement markets

There were no major difficulties in the procurement markets for DIY products in financial year 2024. The supply bottlenecks that

we had seen in previous years, have disappeared. The raw material situation and the availability of production and freight capacity were sound in 2024.

Since tensions in the Red Sea first erupted a year ago in December 2023, the Iranian-backed Houthis have fired missiles and drones at several ships transiting the Red Sea from northern Yemen. Despite the military efforts of several countries, the Houthi group has not been deterred from attacking cargo ships in the Red Sea. More than a year later, the major shipping companies continue to avoid the region in order to minimise the risks of an attack. Shipping companies will probably continue to avoid Africa or use the Panama Canal as an alternative route until the tensions in the Red Sea are resolved. This results in delays of around 14 days compared to normal transit times due to the diversion of ships around the southern tip of Africa.

The Board of Directors expects this situation to continue in the current financial year. Supply chain management has been adapted to these new challenges. The longer transit times by sea will also be factored into logistics scheduling decisions in 2025.

e) Expected development of the Einhell Group

For the financial year 2025, the Einhell Group expects revenue of approx. EUR 1,160 million and a pre-tax margin of 8.5% to 9.0%.

in EUR million	2025 (Plan)		2024 (Actual)	
	REVENUE	EBT	REVENUE	EBT
Western Europe incl. D/A/CH	620	50	616.6	54.5
Eastern Europe	141	14	125.7	11.5
Overseas and Other Countries	301	31	287.7	29.2
Production and Sourcing Companies	98	7	79.7	9.2
Reconciliation	0	-2	0	-5.9
Total	1,160	100	1,109.7	98.5

For the **Western Europe incl. D/A/CH** region, the Einhell Group anticipates revenue of EUR 620.0 million, which is at the previous year's level. Furthermore, we expect slightly lower earnings before taxes (EBT) of approx. EUR 50.0 million. We expect the companies in this region

to repeat last year's strong revenue and earnings performance in financial year 2025. New customers were acquired in the UK in 2024, which should have a positive impact on Einhell UK's business performance in the current financial year. Furthermore, we were able to start a co-operation with a large French retail chain that is active in several Western and Eastern European countries. This will have a positive impact on the revenue development in the region.

In **Eastern Europe**, we expect revenue growth year-on-year of approx. 12% and a slight increase in profit margins. In this region, we expect Einhell to increase revenue and earnings in the respective countries by expanding existing business relationships. In Turkey, we will continue to expand the e-commerce segment in 2025 and expect revenues to increase here. Einhell Poland is developing favourably under the new Managing Director. This positive development is expected to continue in financial year 2025. The new co-operation with a French retail chain, which also has a presence in Eastern Europe, will also have a positive impact on revenue in this region.

In the **Overseas and Other Countries** region, we expect revenue of EUR 301.0 million in financial year 2025 (previous year: EUR 287.7 million). Earnings in the current financial year are also expected to be slightly higher than in the previous year. In Australia, we are making great progress with the Power X-Change range, which is becoming increasingly popular with end customers. In Canada, we are continuing to move away from legacy product lines towards the Einhell Power X-Change range. Einhell will continue this strategic approach in Canada to ensure the future long-term success of the local subsidiary. The economic situation in Argentina remains difficult, but the measures taken by the new government appear to be having the first positive effects on the economy. Einhell's market presence in Argentina is very good and, combined with a stabilising economic situation, the local subsidiary is expected to become profitable in 2025. The subsidiary in Chile was able to reduce its high inventories and the associated high costs in 2024. This cost reduction should continue to have a positive impact in the current financial year.

In the **Production and Sourcing Companies** segment, we expect revenue growth and a slight decline in margins. The development of the sourcing companies' direct sales to FOB customers depends on the purchasing and scheduling decisions of the customers, who can either place orders with them or decide to place their orders with the local distribution company. EINHELL Operations Kft. in Hungary will increase its battery production in financial year 2025. In the current financial year, the plant is expected to produce one million batteries for the Power X-Change platform. EINHELL Operations Kft. is not expected to make a positive contribution to the Group until the 2027 financial year at the earliest.

f) Expected investments

Einhell will continue to invest heavily in product development and brand development in 2025, in order to further improve its product range, further expand its market-leading position with Power X-Change and further establish the Einhell brand worldwide¹². The Power X-Change platform will continue its growth trajectory in 2025.

The Einhell Group will continue to invest in the expansion and maintenance of the Group's entire infrastructure in the coming years. At the Landau site, investment will be lower this year than in the previous year. At the same time, there will be a higher level of investment in the production and sourcing companies in China, Vietnam and Hungary, for example in production lines or laboratories/test facilities.

Einhell also continues to invest heavily in IT. The implementation of SAP S/4HANA, which is already underway, will continue in 2025 at our subsidiary Hansi Anhai Far East Ltd. in Hong Kong, China. In addition, we will initiate a preliminary project for the SAP S/4HANA rollout at Einhell Germany AG, Landau an der Isar.

The potential acquisition of new subsidiaries would mean further major investments, depending on whether it is possible to acquire interests in new companies in the target markets.

As in the previous year, the total amount of planned investments in the Einhell Group is approximately EUR 22.0 million.

g) Expected financial situation

Efficient liquidity management remains a top priority of the Einhell Group in financial year 2025. We concentrate on constantly forecasting cash flows from operating activities, as this is our main source of liquidity. Liquidity is forecast by means of a liquidity plan that covers a period of twelve months. Another update was made to the financial planning for the next five years. Long-term financing of the Einhell Group is secured with a promissory note loan and the KfW loans of EUR 92.2 million.

Among other financial measures, Einhell Germany AG took out a long-term loan of EUR 7.5 million in financial year 2023. The loan is granted in connection with a subsidy programme provided by KfW and has a term of six years. The loan will be used for the new office building. Einhell will receive repayment grants totalling a maximum of EUR 0.95 million if the building achieves the planned energy efficiency standards. In this case, the repayment grants will reduce the term of the loan accordingly.

For additional short-term working capital financing, Einhell continues to draw on short-term credit lines provided by its principal banks, which are sufficiently available.

Einhell and two international banks started at the end of 2022 to set up a supply chain financing model in Asia on a CNY currency basis. As part of this finance model, suppliers can call up the invoice amounts from the participating banks in advance. In return, these suppliers grant Einhell an extended payment term. This extended payment term leads to a significant improvement in the Einhell Group's liquidity situation. At the same time, liquidity bottlenecks at suppliers can be avoided.

9.6 Summary of expected developments

Outlook for financial year 2025

After last year's exceptionally strong demand for Einhell products and the resulting positive revenue and earnings performance, we expect a continuation of this trend in financial year 2025.

¹² Unverified statement

Over the past few years, the Einhell Group has been able to win new customers in a number of countries who have added the Einhell brand to their listings. Einhell is focused on continuously improving its global presence in target markets and distribution through all relevant sales channels. This provides an excellent basis for solid revenue growth in the current financial year¹³.

Given the international crises, the risks of inflation and recession and the still unresolved international trade conflicts with the risk of new reciprocal trade, financial and other sanctions, negative effects on the Einhell Group's revenue and earnings cannot be ruled out. Further risks for the Einhell Group arise from a weakening of the sector economy and a change in end customer behaviour. In addition, changes in the political and financial environment in individual markets may result in unforeseeable challenges for the Einhell Group.

9.7 Forward-looking statements, assumptions, uncertainties and assessment methods

The statements made in the combined management report of the Einhell Group and Einhell Germany AG contain forward-looking statements and assumptions. These always bear an element of uncertainty and are based on estimates and assumptions made in order to arrive at a forecast. The Einhell Group hereby advises that the forward-looking assumptions and estimates may in retrospect turn out to be incorrect.

Einhell exercises great care with respect to assumptions when making forecasts that are subject to uncertainty. However, the risk from incorrect estimations cannot be excluded.

Einhell proceeds as follows in order to control planning and forecast uncertainties during planning of budgetary figures. First, Einhell plans revenue. The revenue plans are drawn up in detail for each Group company based on product groups. Revenues are also budgeted at customer group level and checked against product groups for plausibility. In the same way, gross profit margins for each Group company are forecast at product group level and

customer group level. Detailed costs are derived from revenue plans on the basis of type of cost and cost centre or reporting entity. Costs are checked for plausibility on the basis of the prior-year figures and checked for adequacy on the basis of relation to net revenues. Specific assumptions are made with respect to changes in costs, such as increases in salaries or changes in freight costs. General uncertainties related to market developments, price trends for important commodities or the development of other important cost categories are estimated and budgeted according to the principles of commercial prudence.

Supplementary provisions as per Section 289a and Section 315a German Commercial Code (HGB) for certain stock corporations are included in the notes to the consolidated financial statements under Note 2.9 Equity.

10. BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT OF EINHELL GERMANY AG

The annual financial statements of Einhell Germany AG were prepared in accordance with the provisions of the German Commercial Code (HGB). Einhell Germany AG acts as the parent company of the internationally positioned Einhell Group and is responsible for the strategic orientation. The management of Einhell Germany AG is integrated into Group management. Management is primarily based on the financial performance indicators of revenue and earnings before taxes and income from investments.

10.1 Results of operations

Einhell Germany AG generates its revenues with the sale of products for DIY end consumers and professional craftsmen for use in the home, garden and for leisure purposes. Einhell supplies DIY stores and other distribution channels with a wide range of DIY products. In addition, Einhell Germany AG receives payment from its subsidiaries for product processing and marketing. The charging-on of related costs resulted in revenue of EUR 16.6 million (previous year: EUR 8.1 million) in financial year 2024.

¹³ Unverified statement

Einhell Germany AG exceeded the forecast revenue figure of EUR 370 to 375 million in the 2024 financial year. Strong consumer demand had a positive impact on the revenue performance of Einhell Germany AG.

Revenue significantly above prior-year level

In the year under review, Einhell Germany AG generated revenue of EUR 430.6 million (previous year: EUR 373.3 million). Revenue was generated in the following regions:

REVENUE DEVELOPMENT

in EURk and %	2024		2023		Change	
	Revenue	%	Revenue	%	Revenue	%
Domestic	354,459	82.3	309,864	83.0	44,595	14.4
Western Europe	25,839	6.0	23,893	6.4	1,946	8.1
Eastern Europe	21,999	5.1	20,907	5.6	1,092	5.2
Overseas and Other Countries	2,334	0.6	3,360	0.9	-1,026	-30.5
Production and Sourcing Companies	25,939	6.0	15,307	4.1	10,632	69.5
Total	430,570	100.0	373,331	100.0	57,239	15.3

REVENUE DEVELOPMENT BY DIVISION

in EURk and %	2024		2023		Change	
	Revenue	%	Revenue	%	Revenue	%
Garden & Leisure	200,336	46.5	167,999	45.0	32,337	19.2
Tools	230,234	53.5	205,332	55.0	24,902	12.1
Total	430,570	100.0	373,331	100.0	57,239	15.3

Both the Tools and the Garden & Leisure segment managed to exceed the forecast.

Personnel expenses above prior-year level

Personnel expenses increased by EUR 6.3 million from EUR 45.2 million to EUR 51.5 million. This increase is mainly due to an increase in the number of employees.

Other operating expenses above prior-year level

Other operating expenses rose by EUR 5.1 million from EUR 106.8 million to EUR 111.9 million. This increase was mainly due to marketing expenses.

Income from investments

Income from investments (including the relevant write-ups and write-downs on interests in affiliated companies) developed as follows compared to the previous year:

in EUR million	2024	2023	Change
Income from investments	31.6	21.0	10.6
Income from profit transfer agreements	6.5	4.2	2.3
Expenses from the transfer of losses	-0.5	-0.7	0.2
	37.6	24.5	13.1
Write-ups on financial assets	4.6	0.0	4.6
Impairment of financial assets	-4.7	-8.3	3.6
	-0.1	-8.3	8.2
Expenses from the increase or income from the reduction of write-downs on receivables from affiliated companies	-5.5	-3.5	-2.0
	-5.5	-3.5	-2.0
Income from investments	32.0	12.7	19.3

Impairments of financial assets amounted to EUR 4.7 million in financial year 2024. These referred to kwb Germany GmbH and Surazinsano Co., Ltd. Impairment of receivables from affiliated companies was recognised for kwb Germany GmbH.

Earnings and net income exceed prior-year level

The Company generated net income of EUR 59.5 million (previous year: EUR 21.8 million) in 2024. Earnings before taxes (EBT) and income from investments increased from EUR 18.9 million to EUR 43.4 million. This means that the forecast for the financial year of EUR 21.0 million to 22.0 million was significantly exceeded.

PROFIT AND LOSS STATEMENT

1 January to 31 December (in EUR million)	2024	2023	Change	%
Revenue	430.6	373.3	57.3	15.3
Other income	11.4	11.4	0.0	0.0
Cost of materials	-239.1	-218.7	-20.4	-9.3
Personnel expenses	-51.5	-45.2	-6.3	-13.9
Scheduled depreciation	-3.6	-3.2	-0.4	-12.5
Other operating expenses	-111.9	-106.8	-5.1	-4.8
Operating profit	35.9	10.8	25.1	232.4
Financial result	39.5	20.8	18.7	89.9
Profit before income taxes	75.4	31.6	43.8	138.6
Income taxes	-15.8	-9.7	-6.1	-62.9
Earnings after tax	59.6	21.9	37.7	172.1
Other taxes	-0.1	-0.1	0.0	0.0
Net income	59.5	21.8	37.7	172.9

10.2 Financial performance and net assets

Investments

Investments amounted to EUR 16.7 million in financial year 2024 (previous year: EUR 35.7 million). Of this amount, EUR 8.5 million relates to increases in share capital in subsidiaries and EUR 0.3 million to the acquisition of an investment. The remaining investments of EUR 7.9 million comprise investments of EUR 0.5 million in intangible assets including advance payments, EUR 1.1 million in land, land rights and buildings including buildings on third-party land, EUR 0.1 million in technical equipment and machinery, EUR 0.7 million in other equipment, operating and office equipment, and EUR 5.5 million in advance payments and assets under construction.

Increase in inventories

Inventories increased from EUR 133.2 million to EUR 173.9 million as at the reporting date.

Trade receivables

Trade receivables increased from EUR 25.4 million to EUR 28.5 million as at the reporting date.

Increase in receivables from affiliated companies

Receivables from affiliated companies increased from EUR 89.7 million to EUR 103.7 million compared to the previous year. Receivables from affiliated companies comprise both trade receivables and receivables from loans granted.

Decrease in provisions

Other provisions decreased by EUR 3.3 million from EUR 35.6 million to EUR 32.3 million. This decline is mainly due to provisions for purchase

price adjustments and a provision for contingent losses on derivatives.

Development of liabilities

Trade payables rose by EUR 6.4 million from EUR 12.5 million to EUR 18.9 million. Liabilities to affiliated companies increased by EUR 28.5 million to EUR 137.1 million. This includes trade payables and also liabilities from borrowing.

Increase in equity

Equity increased by EUR 48.7 million or 19.3% to EUR 300.8 million (previous year: EUR 252.1 million) in financial year 2024. The change in equity resulted from the dividend distribution of EUR 10.8 million approved on 28 June 2024 and from net income of EUR 59.5 million. The equity ratio of Einhell Germany AG as at 31 December 2024 is 50.5% (previous year: 48.1%).

Financial management principles and objectives

Einhell Germany AG's funding derives, on the one hand, from the equity that was provided by its shareholders when the Company was founded and the subsequent capital increases and retained earnings that are set aside in reserves. In addition, Einhell Germany AG procures debt capital in the form of loans and short-term borrowings as well as, to some extent, supplier loans. Loans are predominantly denominated in EUR. Supplier loans are mainly in CNY or USD. Anticipated cash flows from the payment of supplier liabilities in foreign currencies are largely hedged with the corresponding hedge transactions.

Owing to the very healthy and solid financing structure of Einhell Germany AG, the Board of Directors does not anticipate any problems with current business operations, nor does it foresee any financing problems for future business volume in connection with the further expansion.

In financial year 2018, Einhell Germany AG took out long-term loans of EUR 25.0 million from three different banks. The loans are subject to a subsidy programme provided by the German development bank KfW and have a term of 10 years. The first repayments were made in June 2020, the last are to be made at the end of March 2028. The loan agreements also contain a financial covenant. This covenant refers to the interest cover ratio. The interest rates are fixed

and do not include any variable components. Einhell Germany AG complied with this covenant in financial year 2024.

Einhell Germany AG took out promissory note loans totalling EUR 75.0 million in financial year 2021. The maturities are five years for a tranche of EUR 50.0 million and seven years for a tranche of EUR 25.0 million. The promissory note loans do not require any collateral or covenants and are due upon maturity. The interest rates are fixed and do not include any variable components.

Einhell Germany AG took out a long-term loan from a bank in the amount of EUR 7.5 million in financial year 2023. The loan is granted in connection with a subsidy programme provided by KfW and has a term of six years. The first repayment is due in December 2024 and the last in September 2029. The loan will be used for the new office building. Einhell will receive repayment grants totalling a maximum of EUR 0.95 million if the building achieves the planned energy efficiency standards. In this case, the repayment grants will reduce the term of the loan accordingly. The loan agreement contains a financial covenant. This covenant refers to the interest cover ratio. The interest rates are fixed and do not include any variable components. Einhell Germany AG complied with this covenant in financial year 2024.

The Group uses effective cash pooling and a cash concentration system to optimise cash management and reduce debt capital to the greatest possible extent. This means that the balances of the different Group companies' bank accounts are transferred to a master account of Einhell Germany AG. As a consequence, only the balance of the master account has to be covered by borrowings on the capital market. The subsidiaries participating in the cash pooling scheme therefore do not need to make investment or borrowing transactions on the capital markets, but simply have receivables or liabilities with Einhell Germany AG. This procedure serves to protect credit lines provided by banks and optimises the interest result. All Einhell Group companies are currently included in the cash pooling, as far as this is legally possible and feasible.

The Board of Directors declares that all land and buildings of Einhell Germany AG are free from

third-party collateral. Transfers by way of security or comparable third-party rights do not exist. All inventories and receivables are also free from third-party collateral.

The summarised cash flow statement shows the development of the financial position in financial year 2024:

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

in EUR million	2024	2023	Change
Cash flow from operating activities	-21.5	95.3	-116.8
Cash flow from investing activities	35.6	-1.3	36.9
Cash flow from financing activities	-13.8	-18.8	5.0
Net increase/decrease in cash and cash equivalents	0.3	75.2	-74.9
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period	75.8	0.6	75.2
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period	76.1	75.8	0.3

As in the previous year, cash and cash equivalents comprise cash in hand and bank balances.

MATERIAL ITEMS IN THE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

as at 31 December 2024 (in EUR million)	2024	2023	Change	%
Fixed assets	202.5	194.6	7.9	4.1
Inventories	173.9	133.2	40.7	30.6
Trade receivables	28.5	25.4	3.1	12.2
Receivables from affiliated companies	103.7	89.7	14.0	15.6
Cash and cash equivalents	76.1	75.7	0.4	0.5
Equity	300.8	252.1	48.7	19.3
Other provisions	32.3	35.6	-3.3	-9.3
Liabilities to banks	92.2	100.1	-7.9	-7.9
Liabilities to affiliated companies	137.1	108.6	28.5	26.2

10.3 Headcount

In financial year 2024, Einhell Germany AG had an average headcount of 533 employees (previous year: 490).

and did not take or refrain from taking any measures that would have disadvantaged Einhell Germany AG.”

10.4 Report on the relations with affiliated enterprises

The majority of the shares in Einhell Germany AG are held by Thannhuber AG. A report pursuant to Section 312 of the German Stock Corporation Act (AktG) was prepared on Einhell Germany AG's relationships with affiliated companies, which is concluded with the following statement: “During the period under review, Einhell Germany AG did not enter into any legal transactions with Thannhuber AG, or in the interest or at the request of Thannhuber AG,

10.5 Risks and opportunities

The business development of Einhell Germany AG is generally subject to the same opportunities and risks as the business development of the Einhell Group. Einhell Germany AG generally participates in the risks and opportunities of its subsidiaries and investments in accordance with its respective interest.

In its capacity as the parent company of the Einhell Group, Einhell Germany AG is responsible for providing funding to its subsidiaries. The refinancing of Einhell Germany AG is ensured by borrowing from banks. Einhell Germany AG as well as its subsidiaries benefit from the favourable refinancing conditions.

The risk of a claim arising from contingent liabilities is considered to be low. This assessment is based on the fact that the subsidiaries of Einhell Germany AG have sufficient equity or credit lines available to ensure that the obligations entered into can be met.

Einhell Germany AG has not issued any letters of comfort for the benefit of either subsidiaries or third parties.

As the parent company of the Einhell Group, Einhell Germany AG is integrated into the Group-wide risk management system. For more information, please refer to section 8. OPPORTUNITIES AND RISK REPORT of the Einhell Group.

The description of the internal control system for Einhell Germany AG in accordance with the provisions of Section 289 (5) German Commercial Code (HGB) is provided under section 8.1 Description of the risk management and significant characteristics of the internal control and risk management system for Group accounting processes as per Section 315 (4) German Commercial Code (HGB) in the combined management report.

10.6 Outlook 2025

Einhell Germany AG expects revenue of approx. EUR 415 to EUR 420 million in financial year 2025. A share of 53.4% is expected for the "Tools" division and a share of 46.6% for the "Garden & Leisure" division. Earnings before

taxes and income from investments are expected to range between EUR 26 million and 27 million in 2025.

In its function as the parent company of the Einhell Group, the future business development of Einhell Germany AG also depends on the development of the operating companies of the Einhell Group. For information on the macroeconomic and market development, please refer to the FORECAST REPORT of the Einhell Group.

11. RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Responsibility Statement of the Board of Directors pursuant to Section 289f and Section 315d of the German Commercial Code (HGB) is available on the website of Einhell Germany AG (<https://www.einhell.com/investor-relations/corporate-governance/>).

Einhell Germany AG applies corporate governance practices to ensure compliance with legal regulations that go beyond statutory requirements. In particular, Einhell Germany AG observes various policies and procedural rules that are aimed at all Group employees and are

designed to avoid risks resulting from non-compliance with legal provisions.

For example, compliance with legal requirements preventing insider trading is ensured by publication of insider trading rules governing trading with securities for executive body members and employees who have access to insider information. Corporate governance practices with regard to compliance are constantly monitored and amended.

The provisions of the new European Market Abuse Directive, which came into force in 2016, were implemented consistently in the Group.

Landau a. d. Isar, 31 March 2025

Einhell Germany AG

The Board of Directors

Andreas Kroiss

Jan Teichert

Dr. Markus Thannhuber

Dr. Christoph Urban

II CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

ASSETS		31.12.2024	31.12.2023
	Note	EURk	EURk
Intangible assets	(2.2)	49,006	47,907
Property, plant and equipment	(2.1)	67,117	62,588
Right-of-use assets	(2.1)	19,301	17,807
Non-derivative financial assets	(2.3)	4,574	4,634
Derivative financial assets	(2.7)	1,388	4
Other non-financial assets	(2.8)	6,274	4,990
Deferred tax assets	(2.4)	12,747	23,253
Non-current assets		160,407	161,183
Inventories	(2.5)	455,634	363,577
Trade receivables	(2.6)	175,841	149,833
Non-derivative financial assets	(2.3)	1,648	1,459
Derivative financial assets	(2.7)	14,890	7,786
Income tax receivables	(3.10)	1,283	1,755
Other non-financial assets	(2.8)	45,529	24,624
Contract assets		479	407
Cash and cash equivalents		119,102	99,445
Current assets		814,406	648,886
Total assets		974,813	810,069

EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		31.12.2024	31.12.2023
	Note	EURk	EURk
Subscribed capital	(2.9)	11,323	9,662
Capital reserve	(2.9)	26,677	26,677
Retained earnings	(2.9)	406,544	347,513
Other reserves	(2.9)	-13,050	-42,903
Equity of shareholders of Einhell Germany AG		431,494	340,949
Non-controlling interests	(2.10)	12,783	13,998
Equity		444,277	354,947
Employee benefits	(2.11)	7,695	8,090
Provisions for other risks	(2.12)	504	550
Liabilities from debt capital	(2.13)	87,621	92,237
Non-derivative financial liabilities	(2.14)	10,750	18,542
Derivative financial liabilities	(2.16)	2,377	21,454
Lease liabilities	(2.18)	12,910	12,604
Other non-financial liabilities	(2.19)	3	2
Deferred tax liabilities	(2.4)	5,590	5,156
Non-current liabilities		127,450	158,635
Employee benefits	(2.11)	33,244	26,177
Provisions for other risks	(2.12)	21,737	19,096
Income tax liabilities	(3.10)	14,620	8,117
Liabilities from debt capital	(2.13)	11,259	16,839
Non-derivative financial liabilities	(2.14)	37,002	40,694
Derivative financial liabilities	(2.16)	2,890	17,297
Trade payables	(2.17)	266,867	154,291
Lease liabilities	(2.18)	6,975	5,623
Other non-financial liabilities	(2.19)	7,693	7,632
Contract liabilities	(2.15)	799	721
Current liabilities		403,086	296,487
Total equity and liabilities		974,813	810,069

III CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT

	Note	31.12.2024	31.12.2023
		EURk	EURk
Revenue	(3.1)	1,109,699	971,525
Changes in inventories	(3.2)	5,700	0
Other own work capitalised	(3.3)	1,591	731
Other operating income	(3.4)	12,903	18,774
Cost of materials	(3.5)	-657,775	-583,665
Personnel expenses	(3.6)	-146,106	-129,616
Depreciation and amortisation	(3.7)	-20,118	-16,207
Other operating expenses	(3.8)	-202,403	-179,795
Impairment losses pursuant to IFRS 9	(2.6)	-2,273	-683
Financial income	(3.9)	8,739	8,469
Financial costs	(3.9)	-11,476	-14,136
Financial result	(3.9)	-2,737	-5,667
Profit before income taxes		98,481	75,397
Income taxes	(3.10)	-34,157	-23,836
Earnings after tax		64,324	51,561
Thereof share of minority shareholders	(2.10)	-746	1,070
Thereof share of shareholders of Einhell Germany AG in consolidated net profit/loss		65,070	50,491
Earnings per ordinary share	(3.11)	5.74	4.45
Earnings per preference share	(3.11)	5.76	4.47

IV CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

	Note	31.12.2024 EURk	31.12.2023 EURk
Consolidated net profit		64,324	51,561
Unrealised gains (previous year: losses) from currency translation		2,648	-8,238
Unrealised gains (previous year: losses) from derivative financial instruments used for hedging purposes		27,162	-42,215
Items of other comprehensive income that were or can be reclassified to profit or loss		29,810	-50,453
Unrealised gains from financial instruments at fair value through other comprehensive income		38	36
Remeasurement of employee benefits		31	-384
Items of other comprehensive income that will not be reclassified to profit or loss in future periods		69	-348
Other comprehensive income, after tax		29,879	-50,801
thereof share of other comprehensive income attributable to non-controlling interests, after tax		26	67
thereof share of other comprehensive income attributable to shareholders of Einhell Germany AG, after tax		29,853	-50,868
Consolidated comprehensive income		94,203	760
thereof share of consolidated comprehensive income attributable to non-controlling interest	(2.10)	-720	1,137
thereof share of consolidated comprehensive income attributable to shareholders of Einhell Germany AG		94,923	-377

V CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

	Note	31.12.2024 EURk	31.12.2023 EURk
Cash flows from/used in operating activities			
EBT		98,481	75,397
+ Depreciation and amortisation of intangible assets and property, plant and equipment	(3.7)	20,118	16,207
- Interest income	(3.9)	-2,763	-1,867
+ Interest expenses	(3.9)	4,401	6,443
+/- Other non-cash expenses and income		4,191	-3,852
Operating profit before changes in net working capital		124,428	92,328
+/- Decrease/increase in trade receivables		-27,148	-5,375
+/- Decrease/increase in inventories		-93,576	116,977
+/- Decrease/increase in other assets		-23,576	3,193
+/- Increase/decrease in non-current liabilities		-783	793
+/- Increase/decrease in current liabilities		8,328	-4,869
+/- Increase/decrease in trade payables		112,686	31,320
Cash flows generated from operating activities		100,359	234,367
- Taxes paid		-27,147	-17,949
+ Interest received		1,214	1,853
- Interest paid		-4,423	-6,591
Net cash from/used in operating activities		70,003	211,680
Cash flows from/used in investing activities			
- Payments to acquire fixed assets		-18,304	-14,237
- Payments for acquisition of consolidated companies less cash and cash equivalents acquired		-2,372	-4,714
+ Proceeds from disposal of assets		88	51
- Payments associated with disposal of consolidated companies		-154	0
- Payments for acquisition of investments		-314	0
Net cash used in investing activities		-21,056	-18,900
Cash flows from/used in financing activities			
+ Proceeds from taking out loans		0	7,453
- Payments for repayment of loans		-9,428	-91,487
- Dividend payments to shareholders of Einhell Germany AG		-10,820	-10,820
- Dividend payments to non-controlling interests		-495	-612
- Payments for redemption portion of lease liabilities		-8,479	-7,294
Net cash used in financing activities		-29,222	-102,760
Changes to cash and cash equivalents due to currency exchange		-68	-1,237
Net decrease/increase in cash and cash equivalents		19,657	88,783
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of reporting period		99,445	10,662
Cash and cash equivalents at end of reporting period		119,102	99,445

Additional details are shown in the note 5 to the consolidated financial statements

VI CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

in EURk						Other reserves			Equity of shareholders of Einhell Germany AG	Share of non-controlling interests	Total equity
	Note	Subscribed capital	Capital reserve	Retained earnings	Currency translation reserve	Reserve for financial instruments FVOCI	Remeasurement reserve pursuant to IAS 19	Derivative financial instruments			
1 January 2023		9,662	26,677	311,226	-13,618	22	-278	21,840	355,531	11,305	366,836
Consolidated net profit		-	-	50,491	-	-	-	-	50,491	1,070	51,561
Unrealised gains/losses		-	-	-	-8,305	36	-551	-61,713	-70,533	67	-70,466
Deferred taxes on unrealised gains/losses		-	-	-	-	-	167	19,498	19,665	-	19,665
Comprehensive income		-	-	50,491	-8,305	36	-384	-42,215	-377	1,137	760
Dividends	(2.9)	-	-	-10,820	-	-	-	-	-10,820	-612	-11,432
Other changes		-	-	-3,385	-	-	-	-	-3,385	2,168	-1,217
31 December 2023		9,662	26,677	347,513	-21,923	58	-663	-20,375	340,949	13,998	354,947
Consolidated net profit		-	-	65,070	-	-	-	-	65,070	-746	64,324
Unrealised gains/losses		-	-	-	2,622	38	62	39,868	42,590	26	42,616
Deferred taxes on unrealised gains/losses		-	-	-	-	-	-31	-12,706	-12,737	-	-12,737
Comprehensive income		-	-	65,070	2,622	38	31	27,162	94,923	-720	94,203
Dividends	(2.9)	-	-	-10,820	-	-	-	-	-10,820	-495	-11,315
Changes due to share split		1,661	-	-1,661	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other changes		-	-	6,442	-	-	-	-	6,442	-	6,442
31 December 2024		11,323	26,677	406,544	-19,301	96	-632	6,787	431,494	12,783	444,277

VII NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. PRINCIPLES AND METHODS

1.1 Reporting company

Einhell Germany AG is a public limited company (Aktiengesellschaft) under the laws of the Federal Republic of Germany. The Company is registered in the Commercial Register of the Local Court (Amtsgericht) in Landshut under number HRB 2171; its registered office is at Wiesenweg 22, 94405 Landau an der Isar, Germany.

Einhell Germany AG and its subsidiaries manufacture and sell manually operated, petrol powered and electronic tools, electrical tool accessories, metal and plastic products for DIY, garden and leisure activities, as well as air-conditioning and heating products.

On 31 March 2025, the Board of Directors released the consolidated financial statements to be passed on to the Supervisory Board and approved them for publication.

1.2 Basis of preparation

The consolidated financial statements of Einhell Germany AG and its subsidiaries (the Einhell Group) were drawn up in accordance with Section 315e of the German Commercial Code (HGB) (consolidated financial statements in accordance with international accounting standards). They are also consistent with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) and their interpretations, as applicable in the European Union.

Standards applied

The accounting and valuation methods used in the consolidated financial statements are in accordance with the IFRSs applicable in the EU as at 31 December 2024. The Group applied the following standards and amendments to standards to be adopted for the first time from 1 January 2024.

- Amendments to IAS 1 “Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-Current” (incl. delay of effective date) and “Non-current Liabilities with Covenants”; effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2024.

- Amendments to IFRS 16 “Lease Liability in a Sale and Leaseback”; effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2024.
- Amendments to IAS 7 and IFRS 7 “Supplier Finance Arrangements”; effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2024.

These changes have no impact on the Group’s statement of financial position and income statement. The new disclosure requirements introduced by the amendments to the standards have been integrated into the notes accordingly.

Standards and interpretations not applied earlier than mandatory

The IASB has issued the following standards, interpretations and amendments to existing standards, for which the application was not mandatory as at 31 December 2024 and which have not been applied prematurely by the Einhell Group. The Einhell Group does not currently plan a premature adoption of standards, interpretations and amendments.

The following standards, interpretations and amendments to existing standards are not applicable within the EU until they have been adopted under the prescribed EU procedures (endorsement process).

- Amendments to IFRS 9 and IFRS 7 “Classification and Measurement of Financial Instruments”; effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2026.
- Amendments to IFRS 9 and IFRS 7 “Contracts Referencing Nature-dependent Electricity”; effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2026.
- Amendments to IAS 7, IFRS 1, IFRS 7, IFRS 9 and IFRS 10 “Annual Improvements to IFRS Accounting Standards-Volume 11”; effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2026.
- IFRS 18 “Presentation and Disclosure in Financial Statements”; effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2027.
- IFRS 19 “Subsidiaries without Public

Accountability: Disclosures"; effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2027.

Apart from the changes resulting from the introduction of IFRS 18, we do not expect any material effects on net assets, financial position and results of operations as presented in the consolidated financial statements. IFRS 18 replaces IAS 1 with regard to the presentation of financial statements. Among other changes, it introduces a new disaggregation in the statement of income into operating, investing and financing categories without changing any recognition or measurement requirements. The effects on the presentation of the financial statements and the disclosures in the notes are being analysed and will be implemented as at the mandatory date of first-time application. We do not plan to apply the new regulations prematurely.

The following provisions have already been endorsed in EU law in compliance with the standard EU process.

- Amendments to IAS 21 "Lack of Exchangeability"; effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2025.

We do not expect any material effects on net assets, financial position and results of operations as presented in the consolidated financial statements.

Presentation

The presentation in the statement of financial position differentiates between current and non-current assets and liabilities. Assets and liabilities are classified as current if they are due within one year. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognised as non-current line items.

The consolidated statement of income is prepared using the total cost method.

For clarity and comprehensibility of the consolidated financial statements, individual items in the statement of financial position and the statement of income have been summarised. These line items are listed separately in the notes to the consolidated financial statement.

1.3 Functional currency and reporting currency

The consolidated financial statements of Einhell Germany AG are presented in euro (EUR). Unless otherwise stated, figures are given in EUR thousands (EURk). Amounts are rounded up or down where applicable. There may be minor deviations due to rounding of totals and the calculation of percentage figures.

1.4 Principles of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements comprise Einhell Germany AG and its subsidiaries for which Einhell Germany AG fulfils the respective criteria pursuant to IFRS 10. These companies are included in the consolidated financial statements from the time when control is gained. In turn, subsidiaries are no longer included in the consolidated financial statements if the criteria for control are no longer met.

The financial statements of the subsidiaries included in the consolidation were prepared using standard accounting and valuation policies pursuant to IFRS 10. The reporting date of all consolidated companies is 31 December, which is the same as the reporting date of the parent company.

Capital consolidation is carried out using the purchase method by offsetting investment book values with the pro rata newly valued equity of the subsidiary at the time of gaining control (IFRS 10). Remaining asset-side balances are recognised as goodwill.

Within the consolidated group of companies, intra-group profits and losses, revenues, other expenses and income, all receivables and liabilities and provisions are eliminated. The income tax effects of consolidation transactions are recognised through profit or loss, and appropriate deferred taxes are recognised.

1.5 Basis of consolidation

The companies included in the consolidation are Einhell Germany AG and a further 49 (previous year: 49) fully consolidated companies.

Einhell Germany AG, Landau a. d. Isar, prepares the consolidated financial statements for the smallest and for the largest group of companies.

The financial statements are published in the company register.

Equity investment in Kazakhstan

In the first six months of 2024, Einhell Germany AG acquired a 40% interest in the newly founded company Bavaria Stroy Tools GmbH, registered in Almaty, Kazakhstan. The shares in this company are recognised at fair value through other comprehensive income in accordance with IFRS 9, as Einhell Germany AG has neither control nor significant influence due to the fact that the remaining shares are held by a single shareholder.

Restructuring in Uruguay

In November 2024, the previous Einhell Uruguay S.A. was renamed Einhell Latam S.A. while the purpose of the company remains unchanged. The company maintains a central supply warehouse for South American customers in order to optimise the complex import handling in some of the South American countries.

The company Itany S.A. headquartered in Montevideo, Uruguay was founded in October 2024. This company takes over the distribution of Einhell products in Uruguay.

Sale of Einhell Colombia S.A.S.

As at 31 May 2024, Einhell Germany AG sold 100% of its interest in Einhell Colombia S.A.S. At the time of the sale, the consideration received amounted to:

in EUR million	31.05.2024
Consideration received in cash	0.4
Future consideration	1.5
Total consideration	1.9

The future consideration is due in three fixed instalments within one year, the last of which is payable in December 2025. They are recognised under current financial assets.

The most important items included in the consolidated financial statements at the time of acquisition are as follows:

in EUR million	31.05.2024
Property, plant and equipment	0.1
Inventories	1.5
Receivables and other assets	1.5
Bank deposits and cash and cash equivalents	0.6
Amounts from currency translation recognised directly in equity	-0.1
Liabilities	1.1
Net assets divested	2.7

The disposal loss from the deconsolidation of Einhell Colombia S.A.S. is as follows:

in EUR million	31.05.2024
Total consideration	1.9
Net assets divested	-2.7
Amounts from currency translation recognised directly in equity	-0.1
Disposal loss	-0.9

The EUR 0.9 million loss resulting from the sale is recognised in the statement of income in the other expenses item.

The subsidiaries consolidated in the consolidated financial statements are listed in section 8. LIST OF SHAREHOLDINGS of the notes to the consolidated financial statements. The subsidiaries iSC GmbH, Landau a. d. Isar and ECommerce System GmbH, Landau a. d. Isar use the exemptions pursuant to Section 264 (3) German Commercial Code (HGB).

1.6 Currency translation

The foreign investments within the consolidation group are financially, economically and organisationally autonomous. They are therefore regarded as economically independent foreign entities. Their functional currency is their relevant local currency.

The functional currency of the companies in Hong Kong was changed in the financial year under review. The companies have been reporting in Chinese currency (CNY) from the beginning of 2024. The main local currency (HKD) is increasingly being replaced by the CNY. As local law already permits reporting in Chinese currency and the local HKD is no longer relevant,

the currency in the Hong Kong companies was changed.

In the individual financial statements of the companies in the Einhell Group, all foreign currency transactions are converted from the local currency into the reporting currency at the rate of exchange applicable at the time of the transaction. Monetary foreign currency holdings as at the reporting date are valued at the daily exchange rate on the reporting date. Currency translation differences resulting from the settlement of monetary transactions or the measurement of monetary line items of a company at exchange rates that vary from the exchange rates during the period or in financial statements in which they were originally valued, are recognised through profit or loss in the period in which they arose.

Financial statements of foreign subsidiaries are converted at the exchange rates applicable at the end of the year for the assets and liabilities in the statement of financial position, and at average rates of exchange during the reporting year for the statement of income. Equity is converted at the exchange rates valid at the time of the transaction. All resulting currency translation differences are recognised in other comprehensive income and shown in the adjustment from currency translation item (part of other reserves).

Since Argentina meets the criteria of a hyperinflationary economy under IAS 29, the financial statements of Einhell Argentina and the comparative figures for earlier periods were adjusted due to changes in the general purchasing power of the functional currency. The historical cost method was used for the financial statements. The overview below shows the index prices valid at the reporting date as well as changes in the index ("IPC Nacional Empalme IPIM") during the current and the previous period:

in %	2024	2023
January	4,261.5324	1,202.9790
February	4,825.7881	1,282.7091
March	5,357.0929	1,381.1601
April	5,830.2271	1,497.2147
May	6,073.7165	1,613.5895
June	6,351.7145	1,709.6115
July	6,607.7479	1,818.0838
August	6,883.4412	2,044.2832
September	7,122.2421	2,304.9242
October	7,313.9542	2,496.2730
November	7,491.4314	2,816.0628
December	7,694.0075	3,533.1922

The effect of the application of IAS 29 on profit or loss amounts to EUR -3,730 thousand in the 2024 financial year (previous year: EUR - 2,123 thousand).

Since financial year 2022, the criteria according to IAS 29 also apply to the subsidiary in Turkey. The historical cost method was used for the financial statements.

The overview below shows the index prices valid at the reporting date as well as changes in the index (Tüketici fiyat endeksi "TÜFE") during the current and the previous period:

in %	2024	2023
January	1,984.0200	1,203.4800
February	2,073.8800	1,241.3300
March	2,139.4700	1,269.7500
April	2,207.5000	1,300.0400
May	2,281.8500	1,300.6000
June	2,319.2900	1,351.5900
July	2,394.1000	1,479.8400
August	2,453.3400	1,614.3100
September	2,526.1600	1,691.0400
October	2,598.9100	1,749.1100
November	2,657.2300	1,806.5000
December	2,684.5500	1,859.3800

The effect of the application of IAS 29 on profit or loss amounts to EUR -3,102 thousand in the 2024 financial year (previous year: EUR - 1,285 thousand).

The following exchange rates apply to the most important currencies for the Einhell Group:

in %		Reporting date rate		Average	
		31.12.2024	31.12.2023	2024	2023
Australia	AUD	1.6719	1.6217	1.6399	1.6285
China	CNY	7.5556	7.8414	7.7863	7.6591
Hong Kong	HKD	8.0401	8.6311	8.4430	8.4676
UK	GBP	0.8267	0.8677	0.8466	0.8699
Switzerland	CHF	0.9379	0.9305	0.9526	0.9717
Canada	CAD	1.4890	1.4581	1.4819	1.4596
USA	USD	1.0351	1.1052	1.0821	1.0816

1.7 Accounting and valuation principles

Acquired and self-developed intangible assets

Acquired and self-developed intangible assets are capitalised pursuant to IAS 38 if there is an associated future economic benefit from these assets and the costs of the assets can be determined with certainty. The assets are recognised at acquisition or manufacturing cost and amortised over their expected useful life. The period of use is usually three to five years.

Development expenses and product processing costs are recognised in the period in which they arise. This does not include project development costs that fully meet the following criteria:

- The product or process is clearly defined, and relevant costs can be clearly allocated and determined with reliability.
- The technical feasibility of the product can be proven.
- The Group intends and is able to either market the product or process, or to use it for its own purposes.
- The assets will generate a future economic benefit (i.e. existence of a market for the product or evidence of product use by the company for internal purposes).
- There are sufficient technical, financial and other resources available to complete the project.

The costs are capitalised as soon as the above criteria are fulfilled for the first time.

Costs recognised as expenses in prior financial years may not be capitalised retrospectively. Other than development costs, there are no self-

developed intangible assets. Capitalised development costs are amortised on a straight-line basis over their expected useful life. Usually, the depreciation period does not amount to more than five years. The realisable amount of capitalised intangible assets is estimated whenever there are indications of impairment of the asset or indications that impairment losses recognised in previous financial years no longer exist.

Goodwill

Goodwill from company acquisitions is the difference between the purchase price and the pro-rated equity (measured at fair value) at the time of the purchase. Goodwill is not systematically depreciated, but is allocated to cash generating units and tested annually for impairment. When the carrying amount of the net assets of a cash generating unit exceeds the realisable value, an impairment is recognised in accordance with the provisions of IAS 36. The cash generating units are the individual companies.

Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment is measured at cost less scheduled depreciation and extraordinary depreciation whenever required. Depreciation is normally recognised on a straight-line basis in line with the expected useful life. Depreciation is recognised on the basis of the following ranges of expected useful life:

	Useful life
Buildings	10-33 years
Technical equipment and machinery	3-20 years
Other equipment, operating and office equipment	1-18 years

Leases

Lease liabilities for lease contracts are measured at the present value of the remaining lease payments in accordance with IFRS 16 and discounted using the incremental borrowing rate. Payments for any non-lease components that might be included in lease contracts are included in the calculation of the lease liability unless they refer to real estate leases. The subsequent measurement of lease liabilities is based on the effective interest rate method. Right-of-use assets are recognised in line with

the lease liability at the commencement date and adjusted for special payments such as initial direct costs; subsequently, they are depreciated over their useful lives on a straight-line basis and, whenever required, written down. Usually, the useful life equals the term of the lease contract. Lease modifications and reassessments of lease liabilities are recognised by adjusting the corresponding right-of-use asset without any impact on profit or loss.

The Group uses a number of practical expedients when applying IFRS 16 to leases. Specifically, the Group:

- recognises neither right-of-use assets nor lease liabilities for leases, the term of which ends within 12 months of their commencement date,
- recognises neither right-of-use assets nor lease liabilities for leases, the underlying asset of which is of low value (<USD 5,000), e.g. IT equipment.

Leases for intangible assets are not recognised in accordance with IFRS 16; they are classified in accordance with IAS 38.

For further details about lease obligations, see section 7.1 Leases.

Inventories

Inventories comprise raw materials and supplies and goods. Inventories are valued at acquisition cost determined in accordance with the weighted average method. Inventory and sales risks resulting from reduced merchantability are taken into account by recognising impairments. Impairments are recognised on the net realisable value of inventories whenever this value falls below acquisition costs.

Finished goods are also recognised in the inventories item. All acquisition and production costs incurred to manufacture the product are included in the measurement. Impairments are recognised if the net realisable value falls below the acquisition costs.

Financial assets

When a financial asset is recognised for the first time, it is classified and measured as follows:

- at amortised cost
- FVOCI debt instruments (investments in debt instruments that are measured at fair value with changes recognised through

other comprehensive income)

- FVOCI equity investments (equity investments that are measured at fair value with changes recognised through other comprehensive income)
- FVTPL (at fair value with changes in value recognised through profit or loss)

A financial asset is measured at amortised cost if both of the following conditions are met:

- it is held within a business model whose objective is to hold financial assets to collect their contractual cash flows, and
- the contractual terms of the financial asset give rise, on specified dates, to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

A debt instrument is designated at FVOCI if both of the following conditions are met:

- it is held within a business model whose objective is to hold financial assets in order to collect contractual cash flows and sell financial assets, and
- the contractual terms of the debt instrument give rise, on specified dates, to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

On initial recognition of equity instruments that are not held for trading, the Group has the irrevocable option to recognise subsequent changes in the fair value of the investment through other comprehensive income. This choice must be made for each investment.

All financial assets that are not measured at amortised cost or FVOCI are measured at FVTPL.

Financial assets that are held or managed for trading and whose changes in value are assessed by means of their fair value are measured at FVTPL.

Financial assets – Subsequent measurement

Financial assets at FVTPL are subsequently measured at fair value. Net gains and losses, including any interest or dividend income, are recognised in profit or loss. Please refer to section 6.5 Foreign currency risk for derivatives that were designated as hedging instruments.

Financial assets at amortised cost are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method. The amortised cost is adjusted for impairment losses. Interest income, foreign exchange gains and losses and impairments are recognised in profit or loss. Gains and losses resulting from derecognition are recognised in profit or loss.

Debt instruments at FVOCI are subsequently measured at fair value. Interest income that is calculated using the effective interest rate method, foreign exchange gains and losses and impairments are recognised in profit or loss. Other net gains and losses are recognised in other comprehensive income. On derecognition, the cumulated other comprehensive income is reclassified to profit or loss.

Equity investments at FVOCI are subsequently measured at fair value. Dividends are recognised as income in profit or loss unless the dividend is clearly covering some of the costs of the investment. Other net gains or losses are recognised in other comprehensive income and are never reclassified to profit or loss.

The Group derecognises a financial asset when the contractual rights to collect the cash flows from the financial asset expire or when the Group transfers the rights to collect the cash flows in a transaction that also transfers substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the financial asset. A financial asset is also derecognised when the Group neither transfers nor retains substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership but transfers control of the asset.

Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents includes in particular cash in hand, checks and bank deposits with an original maturity of up to three months. The cash and cash equivalents item corresponds with the corresponding item in the consolidated statement of cash flows.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities

Pursuant to IAS 12 "Income Taxes", deferred tax assets and liabilities are set aside for temporary differences between the carrying amounts shown in the consolidated statement of financial position and the tax values of assets and liabilities. This also applies to tax losses carried forward and tax credits if such can be

determined with reasonable certainty. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognised in the amount of the probable tax burden or relief in future financial years. The basis is the tax rate at the time of realisation. Tax consequences of profit distributions are normally not taken into account until the resolution for disbursement of profits is passed. The value of deferred tax assets is adjusted whenever it is no longer probable that they will be realised. Actual taxes and deferred taxes must be taken directly to equity or credited if the tax refers to line items that are credited or charged directly to equity in the same or another reporting period. Deferred tax liabilities and assets are only offset if they relate to taxes levied by the same taxation authority.

Adjustment from currency translation

The adjustment from currency translation results from the conversion of annual financial statements of consolidated companies whose functional currency varies from the reporting currency of the Group. The consolidated companies are economically independent foreign entities. Currency translation differences from monetary line items that are essentially net investments of the company in an economically independent foreign entity are recognised in the consolidated financial statements as equity until the corresponding net investment is sold. Upon sale of the corresponding assets, the pro rata adjustment from currency translation is recognised as income or expense in the same period in which the gain or loss from the disposal of the asset is recognised.

Non-controlling interests

The percentage of equity allocated to non-controlling interests (minority shareholders) is recognised under equity in the statement of financial position. The allocable consolidated net profit and allocable other comprehensive income is recognised separately in the consolidated statement of income or in the consolidated statement of comprehensive income. Non-controlling interests include the share of minority shareholders in the fair value of identifiable assets and liabilities at the time the affiliated company is acquired. Changes result from capital increases in which minority shareholders participate, distributions, changes in exchange rates and shares of minority shareholders in profits.

Employee benefits

Employee benefits are set aside in accordance with IAS 19 using the Projected Unit Credit Method for defined benefit plans based on pension obligations for retirement, invalidity and surviving dependants.

The pension provisions shown in the statement of financial position on the reporting date equal the defined benefit obligations offset against the fair value of plan assets. Pursuant to IAS 19.8, plan assets include assets of long-term funds independent of the reporting company that have been set up to settle employee benefits. Actuarial gains or losses are recognised in other comprehensive income in the year they occur.

Provisions for other risks

Provisions for other risks are set aside if there is an obligation to a third party and when the outflow of resources is probable and may be reliably estimated. The amount set aside as a provision is the best possible estimate of the potential liability at the reporting date. Provisions with an original term of more than one year are recognised at their settlement amount discounted to the reporting date. Provisions are checked on a regular basis and amended where there is new information or circumstances have changed.

Provisions for warranties and guarantees are set up at the time the products are sold. The measurement of warranty expenses recognised as a liability is based largely on historical values.

If there is an expectation that expenses necessary to meet an obligation for which a provision has been set aside will be reimbursed either in part or in full by a third party, the reimbursement will be recognised when it is as good as certain that the company will receive the reimbursement.

Financial liabilities

Financial liabilities are designated and measured at amortised cost or at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL). A financial liability is designated at FVTPL if it is classified as held for trading.

Financial liabilities at FVTPL are measured at fair value, and net gains or losses, including interest expenses, are recognised in profit or loss.

Other financial liabilities are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective

interest rate method. Interest expenses, currency translation differences and gains and losses resulting from derecognition are recognised in profit or loss.

The Group derecognises financial liabilities when the contractual obligations have been fulfilled, cancelled or have expired. The Group further derecognises financial liabilities if their contractual terms are changed and the cash flows of the amended liability have changed significantly. In this case, a new financial liability is recognised at fair value on the basis of the amended provisions. On derecognition of a financial liability, the difference between the carrying amount of the repaid liability and the compensation paid is recognised in profit or loss.

Financial assets and liabilities are offset and recognised in the statement of financial position as a net amount if the Group currently has a legally enforceable right of set-off in this respect and the Group intends either to settle on a net basis or to realise the financial asset and settle the financial liability simultaneously.

Derivative financial instruments and hedge accounting

In the Einhell Group, derivative financial instruments are only used to hedge the currency risk resulting from the operating business. They hedge against risks from fluctuations in cash flows, and are allocated to the risk associated with a specific asset or liability or with the risk of a planned transaction.

Upon initial recognition and at each subsequent reporting date, derivative financial instruments are measured at fair value. The fair value of tradeable derivatives corresponds to the positive or negative market value. If there is no market value available, they are calculated on the basis of generally accepted actuarial methods, such as discounted cash flow or option pricing models. Derivatives are recognised as assets if their fair value is positive and as a liability if the fair value is negative. Derivative financial instruments are recorded in the Treasury system on the day of trading.

The fair value of currency futures is determined on the basis of the exchange rates applicable on the currency futures market at the reporting date. For all the above instruments, the fair values are additionally validated by the financial

institutions that provided the Group with the relevant contracts.

If the provisions of IAS 39 on hedge accounting are met, the Einhell Group designates and documents the hedge as a cash flow hedge from this point on. A cash flow hedge secures highly probable future payment flows or fluctuating payment inflows or outflows in connection with a hedged asset or liability as recognised in the statement of financial position. Documentation of hedge accounting includes the aims and strategy of risk management, the type of hedge relationship, hedged risk, designation of the hedge instrument and the underlying transaction as well as a description of the method of measuring efficacy. Hedge accounting allows for effective estimation of risk compensation for changes in the fair value or payment flows in relation to the hedged risk and regularly checks that the hedge remains effective throughout the reporting period for which the hedge is designated.

The after-tax effective portion of changes in the fair value of derivative financial instruments that are allocated to a cash flow hedge are initially recognised in other comprehensive income. Upon receipt of the goods, they are reclassified to acquisition costs. The goods are therefore effectively recognised at their hedging rate. The hedge-ineffective portions of fair value changes are recognised directly in consolidated net profit.

For reasons of simplification and in accordance with the IFRS Standards, the Einhell Group continues to apply the provisions of IAS 39 to derivative financial instruments.

Revenue recognition

Revenue is recognised in accordance with the agreed Incoterms when the power of disposal is transferred to the customer. For contracts with customers that allow returns, revenue is recognised to the extent that it is highly probable that no material adjustment will have to be made to the cumulative revenue recognised. The amount of revenue recognised is therefore adjusted for expected returns estimated on the basis of historical data. In these cases, a reimbursement liability and an asset for the right to retrieve the products are recognised. The asset for the right to retrieve the products is measured at the previous carrying

amount of the product less expected costs of retrieval. The Group reviews its estimates of expected returns at each reporting date and updates the amounts of assets and liabilities accordingly.

Interest income and expenses

Interest income and expenses includes interest income from cash and cash equivalents and interest expenses for liabilities. Interest income and expenses are recognised on a pro rata temporis basis in accordance with contractual arrangements where applicable.

Income taxes

Current income taxes are calculated on the basis of the relevant national taxable result for the year and national tax regulations. They also include current taxes for the year and any adjustments for tax payments or credits for other years that have not yet been assessed. The change in deferred tax assets and liabilities is reflected in income taxes. Changes to be recognised in other comprehensive income are an exception to this rule.

1.8 Estimates and assessments in accounting

The consolidated financial statements contain a certain amount of estimations, assessments and assumptions. These may have an impact on the amount and recognition of carrying amounts of assets and liabilities, disclosure of contingent receivables and liabilities at the reporting date and the disclosed income and expenses for the reporting period. Important circumstances affected by such estimations, assessments and assumptions are explained below. Actual results may differ from these estimations, assessments and assumptions; any changes may have a significant effect on the consolidated financial statements.

Fair value measurement

Several accounting methods and disclosures of the Group require that the fair values of financial and non-financial assets and liabilities are measured.

The fair value measurement of an asset or a liability is, to the extent possible, based on observable market data. Depending on the input factors used in the valuation models, the fair values are classified to different levels of the fair value hierarchy:

Level 1: Quoted prices (unadjusted) on active markets for identical assets and liabilities;

Level 2: Input other than quoted market prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (i.e. as price) or indirectly (i.e. based on price);

Level 3: Valuation parameters for assets or liabilities that are not based on observable market data.

With regard to the fair value measurement with non-observable input factors (Level 3), the Group monitors the key input factors on a regular basis and performs valuation adjustments. If information provided by third parties, such as price quotes provided by service agencies, is used to measure fair values, the Group checks the data provided by the third party in terms of whether it meets the requirements under IFRS, including the level in the fair value hierarchy to which this information is to be classified.

If the input factors used to measure the fair value of an asset or a liability can be allocated to different levels of the fair value hierarchy, the measurement of all fair values is classified at the lowest input factor level on which the valuation is based.

The Group records possible reclassification between different levels of the fair value hierarchy at the end of the reporting period in which the changes have occurred.

Further information on the assumptions underlying the measurement of fair values is provided in section 6. RISK REPORT AND FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS.

The measurement of the put liabilities recognised in connection with the acquisition of the company in Canada and the company in Thailand is based on estimates. Specifically, the measurement depends on the future EBT or EBIT performance of the companies. These changes in value, however, do not affect the future consolidated net profit as they are recognised directly in retained earnings without any effect on profit or loss.

Impairment of cash generating units

Estimates are made as part of impairment tests for non-financial assets in order to determine the realisable amount of a cash generating unit.

The main assumptions refer to future cash inflows and outflows for the planning period and for subsequent periods. The estimations refer mainly to future market shares and growth in the respective markets. Impairment tests were conducted for all companies with goodwill in 2024. The realisable values of nearly all companies that were tested significantly exceed net asset values of the Group's cash generating units. Only our subsidiary in Thailand had to recognise impairment losses.

Pension obligations

Discount factors are also to be taken into account in determining the present value of defined benefit pension obligations. Discount factors are determined on the basis of returns that can be generated in the relevant markets at the reporting date on first-rank fixed interest corporate bonds. The amount of the discount factors has a significant influence on the financing status of pension plans. Further material assumptions and the corresponding sensitivity analyses are listed in section 2.11 Employee benefits.

Income taxes

Estimates of future taxable income and the time at which deferred tax assets are to be realised are used as a basis for calculating deferred tax assets. This includes taking into account planned profits from operating activities, effects on income from the reversal of taxable temporary differences and realisable tax strategies. As future business developments are uncertain and the Group has limited control over these developments, the assumptions made in connection with the recognition of deferred tax assets are made with a significant degree of uncertainty. On every reporting date, the Einhell Group evaluates the recoverability of deferred tax assets on the basis of planned taxable income in financial years to come. If it is unlikely that taxable income will be available against which the deductible temporary difference can in fact be offset, the value of the deferred tax assets is adjusted accordingly.

Claims and risks from legal action

Einhell Germany AG and its subsidiaries face risks from several legal proceedings and claims. In our opinion, potential liabilities that may result from these will not have a sustained effect on the Group's net assets, financial position and results of operations.

Leases

In order to determine the term of a lease when accounting for leases in accordance with IFRS 16, it may be required to exercise discretion when assessing whether or not unilateral termination or extension options will be exercised. The Group takes all factors into account that may create an economic incentive for the lessee to exercise, or not to exercise, the respective option.

Discretion is also used to determine the discount rate that, in addition to the base rate,

also includes a credit margin that depends on the creditworthiness.

2. NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

2.1 Changes in non-current assets

Changes in non-current assets (not including other non-current assets and deferred tax assets) are shown in the following table.

in EURk	I. Intangible Assets			II. Property, plant and equipment				III. Right-of-use assets			Total
	Acquired intangible assets	Self-developed intangible assets	Acquired goodwill	Land and buildings in company assets	Technical Equipment and machinery	Other equipment, operating and office equipment	Assets under construction	Right-of-use assets for land and buildings in company assets	Right-of-use assets for technical equipment and machinery	Right-of-use assets for other equipment, operating and office equipment	
Acquisition and manufacturing cost											
As at 01.01.2024	47,591	7,678	23,535	54,984	30,624	39,361	3,386	26,321	530	6,093	240,102
Additions	4,661	438	-	1,296	1,485	4,476	5,948	7,186	102	2,416	28,008
Changes in basis of consolidation	-5	-	-	-	-	-310	-	-16	-	-	-331
Disposals	-1,218	-	-	-118	-996	-1,434	-99	-2,930	-334	-1,782	-8,910
Reclassifications	-13	-	-	395	283	-254	-520	-	-	110	-
Currency translation difference	227	-	532	141	172	-228	-5	-157	3	-46	638
As at 31.12.2024	51,243	8,116	24,067	56,699	31,567	41,611	8,709	30,404	301	6,791	259,507
Depreciation and amortisation											
As at 01.01.2024	21,220	7,052	2,625	25,664	10,852	29,251	-	11,974	440	2,723	111,800
Additions	2,926	318	1,256	1,398	2,219	3,234	-	6,948	77	1,741	20,118
Changes in basis of consolidation	-5	-	-	-	-	-209	-	-13	-	-	-227
Disposals	-996	-	-	-24	-467	-594	-	-3,697	-338	-1,718	-7,833
Reclassifications	-	-	-	101	-29	-121	-	-	-	49	-
Currency translation difference	23	-	1	119	143	-70	-	23	2	-15	225
As at 31.12.2024	23,168	7,370	3,882	27,259	12,718	31,490	-	15,235	181	2,780	124,083
Net carrying amount as at 31.12.2024	28,075	746	20,185	29,439	18,849	10,120	8,709	15,170	120	4,011	135,424
Acquisition and manufacturing cost											
As at 01.01.2023	40,671	7,767	20,389	52,705	30,639	36,488	858	25,767	479	5,083	220,846
Additions	2,259	485	3,530	2,372	345	5,556	3,048	4,615	79	2,419	24,706
Changes in basis of consolidation	6,585	-	-	-	37	86	51	577	-	8	7,344
Disposals	-1,643	-573	-8	-1	-93	-1,802	-	-3,919	-29	-1,363	-9,431
Reclassifications	58	-	-	-67	-	580	-570	-	-	-	-
Currency translation difference	-338	-	-375	-25	-304	-1,547	-1	-719	1	-53	-3,363
As at 31.12.2023	47,591	7,678	23,535	54,984	30,624	39,361	3,386	26,321	530	6,093	240,102
Depreciation and amortisation											
As at 01.01.2023	20,366	7,330	2,579	24,849	8,790	29,463	-	10,610	408	2,460	106,855
Additions	2,539	295	54	1,245	2,284	2,628	-	5,496	60	1,605	16,207
Changes in basis of consolidation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Disposals	-1,638	-573	-8	-1	-20	-1,803	-	-3,829	-29	-1,320	-9,222
Reclassifications	51	-	-	-341	-	290	-	-	-	-	-
Currency translation difference	-98	-	-	-88	-201	-1,327	-	-303	1	-23	-2,039
As at 31.12.2023	21,220	7,052	2,625	25,664	10,852	29,251	-	11,974	440	2,723	111,800
Net carrying amount as at 31.12.2023	26,371	626	20,910	29,320	19,772	10,110	3,386	14,347	90	3,370	128,302

2.2 Intangible assets

Acquired and self-developed intangible assets

Acquired intangible assets mainly include intangible assets acquired in the course of company acquisitions.

When Einhell Australia Pty Ltd. (formerly Ozito Industries Pty Ltd.) was acquired, the Ozito brand was capitalised at EUR 3.3 million. This acquired brand is not depreciated on a straight-line basis as its useful life is unlimited. There is no foreseeable limit to the time period, in which the brand will bring the Company economic benefits. The brand is allocated to the same cash generating unit as the goodwill of the acquired Australian company and is tested for impairment annually together with the goodwill.

Along with the acquisition of Outillages King Canada, Inc., the customer base as well as several trademark rights were capitalised. The customer base was valued at EUR 6.2 million and is amortised over seven years. In addition, several trademark rights totalling EUR 6.3 million were capitalised. The highest value in proportion to the rest is attributable to the King Industrial brand worth EUR 5.0 million with an unlimited useful life, i.e. this trademark is not subject to scheduled amortisation. There is no foreseeable limit to the time period, in which the brand will bring the Company economic benefits. The remaining trademark rights acquired in this transaction have a value of EUR 1.3 million and will be amortised over three to five years. The customer base and trademark rights are allocated to the same cash generating unit as the goodwill of the acquired Canadian company and are tested for impairment annually together with the goodwill.

In the course of the acquisition of Surazinsano Co., Ltd, the customer base as well as several trademark rights were capitalised. The customer base was valued at EUR 3.0 million and is amortised over seven years. In addition, several trademark rights totalling EUR 3.4 million were capitalised. The highest value in proportion to the rest is attributable to the Zinsano brand worth EUR 2.9 million with an unlimited useful life, i.e. this trademark is not subject to scheduled amortisation. There is no foreseeable limit to the time period, in which the brand will bring the Company economic benefits. The remaining trademark rights acquired in this transaction

have a value of EUR 0.5 million and will be amortised over six to eight years. The customer base and trademark rights are allocated to the same cash generating unit as the goodwill of the acquired Thai company and are tested for impairment annually together with the goodwill.

Self-developed intangible assets mainly comprise expenses arising from the development of self-developed software and new products that are amortised over the expected life cycle of the product. Expenses for product processing amounted to EUR 12,098 thousand (previous year: EUR 11,081 thousand) in financial year 2024, none of which were capitalised in the year under review or the previous year. Furthermore, development costs amounting to EUR 438 thousand (previous year: EUR 485 thousand) were incurred for self-developed software that is to support the optimisation of service processes within the Einhell Group. These development costs were fully capitalised. 74 people were employed in the field of product processing in financial year 2024 (previous year: 72).

Goodwill and impairment

Goodwill pertains to the following companies:

in EURk	2024	2023
Einhell Australia Pty Ltd. (formerly Ozito Industries Pty Ltd.), Melbourne/Australia	5,077	5,234
Outillages King Canada Inc., Dorval/Canada	2,594	2,649
Einhell Turkey Dis Ticaret Anonim Sirketi, Istanbul/Turkey	2,883	2,239
Einhell Holding Gesellschaft m.b.H., Wels/Austria	2,181	2,181
Einhell-Unicore s.r.o., Karlovy Vary/Czech Republic	2,331	2,378
Swisstec Sourcing Vietnam JSC, Thu Dau Mot, Binh Duong/Vietnam	1,900	1,870
Einhell Finland Oy, Tampere/Finland	1,810	1,810
Surazinsano Co., Ltd., Samutprakarn Province/Thailand	397	1,541
Einhell Romania SRL, Judetul Ilfov/Romania	855	855
Einhell South Africa (Pty) Ltd, Cape Town/South Africa	158	153
Mould Star (Pty) Ltd, Cape Town/South Africa	0	0
	20,186	20,910

Goodwill refers to companies that directly helped the Group to enter new markets or gain market shares.

Goodwill of Einhell Holding Gesellschaft m.b.H. is derived from the takeover of Einhell Croatia

d.o.o., which is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Einhell Holding Gesellschaft m.b.H.

In accordance with IAS 21.47, goodwill in non-euro countries must be translated at the exchange rate on the reporting date, which results in changes in the goodwill in non-euro countries in financial year 2024.

The recoverability of goodwill is verified in the scope of an annual impairment test. An impairment is recognised if the realisable amount falls below the carrying amount of the respective cash generating unit. The realisable amount is derived from future cash flows as the value in use. Determination of the cash flows is based on economic planning with a planning horizon of five years. We analysed economic developments in the markets relevant for the Einhell Group and took these findings into account.

The cash flow forecasts contain specific estimates for five years and a terminal growth rate thereafter. The terminal growth rate was determined on the basis of the Board of Directors' estimates for the average long-term annual EBIT growth rate and amounts to 1.25% (previous year: 1.25%). The estimate is in line with the assumption that a market participant would make.

The planned EBIT was estimated on the basis of past experience. Revenue growth was forecast on the basis of the average growth rate over the last few years and the estimated revenue volume and price increases in the next five years.

The discount rate is determined on the basis of the weighted cost of equity and borrowed capital. The following discount rates (before tax) were applied to calculate the impairment of goodwill for the companies listed below:

in %	2024	2023
Einhell Australia Pty Ltd. (formerly Ozito Industries Pty Ltd.), Melbourne/Australia	11.97	12.95
Einhell Turkey Dis Ticaret Anonim Sirketi, Istanbul/Turkey	17.90	24.61
Einhell Holding Gesellschaft m.b.H., Wels/Austria	12.31	14.86
Einhell-Unicore s.r.o., Karlovy Vary/Czech Republic	11.83	12.61
Outillages King Canada Inc., Dorval/Canada	11.54	12.51
Einhell Finland Oy, Tampere/Finland	11.18	12.20

The following parameters were used to determine the cost of equity:

in %	2024	2023
Base rate	2.50	2.75
Market risk premium	7.00	7.00

The base rate was adjusted to the current interest rate level. The market risk premium is multiplied with the beta factor derived from a peer group analysis.

A country-specific risk premium is additionally considered in the calculation of the discount rate for each individual cash generating unit (CGU), meaning that an individual discount rate is calculated for every CGU.

The impairment test for Surazinsano Co., Ltd. revealed that the goodwill arising in 2023 due to the acquisition of the company was impaired by EUR 1,256 thousand; the reason for the impairment is that the goodwill is no longer considered to be 100% recoverable due to future plans.

In the 2023 financial year, an impairment loss of EUR 54 thousand was recognised on the goodwill of Mould Star due to the impairment test.

2.3 Non-derivative financial assets

in EURk	2024	2023
Non-current	4,574	4,634
Current	1,648	1,459
	6,222	6,093

The non-current non-derivative financial assets consist of shares in a money market fund that

serves to hedge pensions, holiday and flexible time entitlements recognised at fair value. Income from the fund amounts to EUR 38 thousand (previous year: EUR 36 thousand). The expected yield on securities is 1-2% p.a.

The non-current assets item includes the right to deliver contractually agreed fixed delivery volumes over a longer period of time.

The current non-derivative financial assets include commission receivables, supplier debits and advance payments on travel expenses.

2.4 Deferred taxes

Deferred tax assets and liabilities of the company are as follows:

in EURk	Deferred tax assets		Deferred tax liabilities		Net amount	
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2024	2023
Acquired/self-developed intangible assets and property, plant and equipment	-1,131	-210	-2,473	-4,871	-3,604	-5,081
Current assets	6,972	6,429	-357	-561	6,615	5,868
Other financial assets at fair value	-28	9,272	-3,406	0	-3,434	9,272
Provisions for pensions	15	-231	-165	110	-150	-121
Provisions for other risks	3,921	3,611	-6	173	3,915	3,784
Other liabilities	25	356	817	-7	842	350
Tax losses carried forward	2,973	4,026	0	0	2,973	4,026
	12,747	23,253	-5,590	-5,156	7,157	18,097

The deferred taxes on hedge accounting, securities measured at fair value through other comprehensive income and the remeasurement of pensions – which are shown under deferred taxes on other financial assets – are exclusively recorded in other comprehensive income.

Deferred taxes with respect to the above line items mainly result from the following circumstances:

- Capitalisation and amortisation of development costs.
- Higher tax depreciation of property, plant and equipment leads to tax valuations falling below the carrying amounts.
- The measurement of trade receivables is different from the measurement for the tax base.
- Financial assets accounted for at fair value have different tax values and carrying amounts, because remeasurement is only carried out for accounting purposes and not

for tax purposes.

- The measurement of pension provisions is different from the measurement for the tax base.
- In some local financial statements of foreign subsidiaries, deferred expenses may not be deducted for tax purposes until they occur, whereas they can be recognised in profit or loss in the financial statements over a longer period of time.
- Capitalisation of deferred taxes from tax losses carried forward of subsidiaries.

2.5 Inventories

in EURk	2024	2023
Raw materials and supplies (at acquisition cost)	7,092	2,859
Finished goods (at acquisition cost less impairment)	441,288	360,209
Finished goods (at manufacturing cost less impairment)	5,827	0
Advance payments	1,427	509
	455,634	363,577

The inventories recognised in the financial year as expenses correspond to the expenses for raw materials and supplies and purchased goods shown in cost of materials (see section 3.5 Cost of materials).

For the first time, inventories from in-house production are recognised in the financial year under review. The change in inventories can be found in section 3.2 Changes in inventories.

As at the reporting date, impairment losses of EUR 9,781 thousand (previous year: EUR 10,241 thousand) were recognised on inventories. The Group's inventories in Canada and Vietnam are assigned as collateral up to a value of EUR 12,992 thousand (previous year: EUR 12,359 thousand) as at the reporting date. In financial year 2024, inventory write-downs of EUR 8,478 thousand (previous year: EUR 11,349 thousand) were recognised through profit or loss in the statement of income.

2.6 Trade receivables

Trade receivables refers to amounts owed by customers for goods sold or services rendered in the usual course of business. Usually, they must be paid within one year and are therefore classified as "current". At initial recognition, trade receivables are recorded at the amount of the unconditional consideration. If they contain significant financing components, however, they must be recognised at fair value. The Group holds trade receivables in order to collect contractual cash flows and subsequently measures them at amortised cost by applying the effective interest rate method.

Changes in impairments

in EURk	2024	2023
Amount at the beginning of the year	1,601	1,533
Reversal of value-adjustments	-598	-517
Impairments for bad debts	2,273	683
Amounts received for receivables written off	-174	-117
Currency translation difference	-87	19
Amount at the end of the year	3,015	1,601

The Group's methods for recognising and calculating impairments are described in more detail in Note 6.2 Default risk.

2.7 Derivative financial assets

in EURk	2024	2023
Non-current derivative financial instruments included in hedge accounting	1,388	4
Non-current financial assets measured at fair value through profit or loss	0	0
	1,388	4

in EURk	2024	2023
Current derivative financial instruments included in hedge accounting	12,720	6,701
Current financial assets measured at fair value through profit or loss	2,170	1,085
	14,890	7,786

Unrealised gains/losses from derivative financial instruments included in hedge accounting are taken directly to equity after deduction of deferred taxes (further information on derivative financial assets is provided in section 6. RISK REPORT AND FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS).

2.8 Other non-financial assets

in EURk	2024	2023
Non-current	6,274	4,990
Current	45,529	24,624
	51,803	29,614

The other non-current assets item consists mainly of VAT receivables amounting to EUR 35,029 thousand (previous year: EUR 16,612 thousand). The highest VAT receivables are recognised at our sourcing companies in China and at Einhell Germany AG.

2.9 Equity

Subscribed capital

In order to increase the liquidity of the shares and thereby achieve a positive effect on the stock market, the Annual General Meeting resolved on 28 June 2024 to carry out a 1:3 share split.

The share split of Einhell Germany AG took place on 6 August 2024. As a result of this measure, the notional value per share of the share capital would have fallen below 1 euro. Consequently, the share capital was increased from company funds so that the new notional value per share amounts to 1 euro. No new shares were issued.

As at 31 December 2024, the share capital breaks down as follows:

	2024 Amount	2024 EUR
Ordinary shares		
Ordinary bearer shares (no-par) each with a notional interest in share capital of EUR 1.00	6,283,200	6,283,200
Preference shares		
Non-voting preference bearer shares (no-par), each with a notional interest in share capital of EUR 1.00	5,040,000	5,040,000
Total share capital	11,323,200	11,323,200

This increased the number of no-par value shares by 7,548,800 and the total share capital by EUR 1,660,736 to EUR 11,323,200.

As at 31 December 2023, the share capital broke down as follows:

	2023 Number	2023 EUR
Ordinary shares		
Ordinary bearer shares (no-par) each with a notional interest in share capital of EUR 2.56	2,094,400	5,361,664
Preference shares		
Non-voting preference bearer shares (no-par), each with a notional interest in share capital of EUR 2.56	1,680,000	4,300,800
Total share capital	3,774,400	9,662,464

All shares are fully paid up. The dividend proposal for Einhell Germany AG amounts to EUR 16,859,136.00 for financial year 2024 (previous year: EUR 10,820,096.00). The distribution amount corresponds to a dividend of EUR 1.50 per preference share (previous year: EUR 0.97) and EUR 1.48 per ordinary share (previous year: EUR 0.95). The previous year's figures per share have been adjusted in line with the ratio of the share split to improve comparability.

A minimum of EUR 0.05 per share must be paid out to the holders of preference shares and has preference over the dividend to ordinary shareholders. The dividend per preference share is EUR 0.02 higher than the dividend per ordinary share. If the net profit in one or several financial years does not suffice to pay a dividend of EUR 0.05 per preference share, the missing amounts will be paid without interest from the net profit of subsequent financial years after the minimum preference share dividend for these financial years has been paid and before distribution of a dividend for ordinary shares. There are no distributions from minimum dividends outstanding. The preference shares do not carry any voting rights. All shares are of equal rank with regard to residual assets of the Company. The ordinary shares hold voting rights in the Annual General Meeting.

Capital reserve

The capital reserve consists of premiums on the issue of shares.

Retained earnings and consolidated net profit

This item includes the Group's accumulated net profit from previous years less dividend payments. The Annual General Meeting on 28 June 2024 resolved to pay a dividend in the total amount of EUR 10,820,096.00. Dividend payouts are based on the profit for the year that is available pursuant to German commercial law provisions.

Due to the share split on 6 August 2024, EUR 1,660,736 was reclassified from retained earnings to share capital. The other changes in retained earnings are mainly caused by the change in value of put liabilities.

Capital management

The capital management of the Group has the objective to safeguard the going concern of the Group in the long term and generate attractive returns for the shareholders. Capital management instruments include the distribution of dividends. In its capital management activities, the Group complies with the statutory regulations on capital maintenance. The articles of association state no capital requirements.

Equity in the statement of financial position amounted to EUR 444,277 thousand on 31 December 2024 (previous year: EUR 354,947 thousand), while the equity ratio amounted to 45.6% as at 31 December 2024 (previous year: 43.8%). The Einhell Group is working towards an equity ratio of around 50% in the long term.

For short-term financing, the Einhell Group relies on its credit lines with banks, whereas a KfW loan was taken out for medium to long-term financing.

Einhell Germany AG furthermore took out promissory note loans totalling EUR 75.0 million in financial year 2021. The maturities are five years for a tranche of EUR 50.0 million and seven years for a tranche of EUR 25.0 million. The promissory note loans do not require any collateral or covenants and are due upon maturity. The interest rates are fixed and do not include any variable components.

The aim is to achieve a balanced maturity profile and to optimise debt financing conditions.

2.10 Non-controlling interest

in EURk	2024	2023
1 January	13,998	11,305
Capital contributions	0	3,510
Disposals	0	-1,342
Dividends	-495	-612
Unrealised gains/losses from currency translation (= share in other comprehensive income)	26	67
Share in consolidated net profit	-746	1,070
31 December	12,783	13,998

The share of minority interests in total assets is relatively small. In Group equity, the share amounts to approximately 3% (previous year: 4%). Minority interests are not measured at fair value.

The shares of other shareholders in the subsidiaries Outillages King Canada Inc., Dorval/Canada and Surazinsano Co., Ltd., Samutprakarn Province/Thailand are relevant for the Einhell Group. The share held by minority shareholders in either company is 33.33%. The total amount of other shareholders' shares breaks down as follows as at 31 December 2024:

in EURk	31.12.2024	31.12.2023
Outillages King Canada Inc.	8,408	8,388
Surazinsano Co., Ltd.	3,613	3,563
Other	762	2,047
Total	12,783	13,998

The following tables show the financial information for the minority shares in the two relevant companies. The figures are based on a 100% share in the companies. They include the effects of the purchase price allocation from the realisation of hidden reserves (including goodwill) and their amortisation. Goodwill in Thailand was impaired in the 2024 financial year. There is no pro-rata allocation to minority interests.

in EURk	Outillages King Canada Inc.	
	31.12.2024	31.12.2023
Notes to the consolidated statement of income		
Revenue	30,650	36,548
Earnings after tax	416	2,103
Earnings after tax attributable to minority interests	139	701
Notes to the statement of financial position		
Non-current assets	13,006	14,810
Current assets	21,359	23,014
Non-current liabilities	745	2,149
Current liabilities	6,966	8,880

in EURk	Surazinsano Co., Ltd.	
	31.12.2024	31.12.2023
Notes to the consolidated statement of income		
Revenue	10,051	8,180
Earnings after tax	-1,502	242
Earnings after tax attributable to minority interests	-94	77
Notes to the statement of financial position		
Non-current assets	6,652	7,837
Current assets	12,941	12,317
Non-current liabilities	1,273	1,308
Current liabilities	6,832	6,717

As in the previous year, no dividends were distributed to the minority shareholders of our Canadian or Thai subsidiaries.

The amount of cash and cash equivalents at Outillages King Canada Inc. has not changed significantly in financial year 2024 (as in the previous year). Cash and cash equivalents at Surazinsano Co., Ltd increased by EUR 467 thousand (previous year: EUR - 3,832 thousand).

2.11 Employee benefits

Benefits resulting from pension obligations are based on the length of employment. The obligations comprise both benefits from pensions that are already being paid and rights to future pension payments.

Current and former members of the Board of Directors as well as a small number of employees of Einhell Germany AG and iSC GmbH, who entered the companies prior to 1993, have vested pension rights in the form of a direct benefit commitment. The defined benefit obligations are based on individual contractual stipulations. No entitlement to a universal benefit plan can be derived based on the entry date. The individual pension entitlement is defined based on a fixed pension amount in euro per year of employment. The Company took out reinsurance to cover the basic entitlements. The ultimate responsibility for the pension obligations lies with the Company. Einhell Schweiz AG is required to enter an affiliation contract with a pension fund to comply with statutory requirements. By law, the pension fund has to cover at least the occupational pension.

The discount factor for the obligations of the German companies used for future beneficiaries is 3.45% (previous year: 3.20%), while the interest rate used for pensioners is 3.45% (previous year: 3.20%). A discount rate of 1.00% (previous year: 1.50%) was used for Switzerland. As in the previous year, the rate for pension progression for commitments with adjustment guarantee was 3.00%. No rate of compensation increase was available for non-salary based obligations and for commitments without adjustment guarantee. The salary trend assumed for Switzerland is 1.00% (previous year: 1.00%). The mortality in connection with the obligations in Germany was determined on the basis of the Heubeck mortality tables (Heubeck-Richttafeln RT 2018 G), while the mortality in Switzerland is based on the BVG 2020 Generationentafeln.

The defined benefit obligations (DBO) developed as follows in financial year 2024:

in EURk	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
1 January	6,045	5,152	6,948	7,234	6,180
Current service expense (personnel expenses)	186	148	259	277	246
Interest expense (personnel expenses)	146	163	56	36	53
Actuarial losses and gains from changes in financial assumptions	131	497	-2,213	-536	646
Pension payments	3	-267	-31	-237	41
Payments from employees	88	82	77	69	65
Other changes	0	76	-27	0	0
Currency translation difference	-12	194	83	105	3
31 December	6,587	6,045	5,152	6,948	7,234

Plan assets developed as follows in financial year 2024:

in EURk	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
1 January	2,929	2,683	2,494	2,319	1,964
Interest income	0	0	0	0	0
Other changes	573	82	134	98	354
Currency translation difference	-9	164	55	77	1
31 December	3,493	2,929	2,683	2,494	2,319

in EURk	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Present value of defined benefit obligations	6,587	6,045	5,152	6,948	7,234
less fair value of plan assets	-3,493	-2,929	-2,683	-2,494	-2,319
Net obligations	3,094	3,116	2,469	4,454	4,915

Actuarial gains and losses refer primarily to changes in the discount rate. Expenses from obligations regarding employee benefits are shown in personnel expenses. The pension provisions shown in the statement of financial position on the reporting date equal the defined benefit obligations offset against the fair value of plan assets.

The expected return on plan assets is 1-2%.

Plan assets comprise

in EURk	2024	2023
Pension funds	719	689
Qualified insurances	2,774	2,240
	3,493	2,929

The fair value was determined on the basis of observable market prices (Level 1).

Future payments

Benefits to be paid in the future are estimated as follows:

in EURk	from plan assets
2025	153
2026	161
2027	168
2028	176
2029	184
	842

There were no significant changes compared to the previous year.

Employer payments for plan assets will amount to around EUR 250 thousand in the next year (previous year: EUR 237 thousand).

In Germany, the weighted average term of the two defined benefit obligations for pensions is 14.8 years (previous year: 15.4 years) or 13.6 years (previous year: 14.2 years) respectively, while in Switzerland it is 16.2 years (previous year: 15.5 years).

Sensitivity analysis for benefit obligations

Sensitivity analyses are usually performed using the following parameters:

- Actuarial interest rate
- Salary trend
- Rate for pension progression
- Life expectancy

The existing benefit obligations of Einhell Germany AG are not linked to salary, making a calculation on the basis of the salary trend obsolete, as the defined benefit obligations remain unchanged if the salary trend rises or falls by 0.25%. The guaranteed adjustment of current benefits for existing pension obligations by 3% is fixed and not linked to the inflation rate. Therefore, a change in the rate for pension progression by +/-0.25% has no effect on the obligation, likewise rendering a sensitivity analysis obsolete, as the DBO remains unchanged.

Therefore, the sensitivity analysis only refers to the actuarial interest rate and life expectancy, whereby the latter only applies to obligations regarding future pension payments as a longer life expectancy has no effect on capital commitments.

in EURk		2024
Einhell Germany AG		
Actuarial interest rate +0.5%	3.95% future beneficiaries, 3.95% pensioners	2,988
Actuarial interest rate -0.5%	2.95% future beneficiaries, 2.95% pensioners	3,459
Life expectancy +1 year		3,355
iSC GmbH		
Actuarial interest rate +0.5%	3.95% future beneficiaries, 3.95% pensioners	65
Actuarial interest rate -0.5%	2.95% future beneficiaries, 2.95% pensioners	75
Life expectancy +1 year		72
Einhell Schweiz AG		
Actuarial interest rate +0.25		3,180
Actuarial interest rate -0.25		3,445
Salary trend +0.25		3,330
Salary trend -0.25		3,284
Life expectancy +1 year		3,355
Life expectancy -1 year		3,260

in EURk		2023
Einhell Germany AG		
Actuarial interest rate +0.5%	3.70% future beneficiaries, 3.70% pensioners	3,001
Actuarial interest rate -0.5%	2.70% future beneficiaries, 2.70% pensioners	3,495
Life expectancy +1 year		3,382
iSC GmbH		
Actuarial interest rate +0.5%	3.70% future beneficiaries, 3.70% pensioners	68
Actuarial interest rate -0.5%	2.70% future beneficiaries, 2.70% pensioners	78
Life expectancy +1 year		75
Einhell Schweiz AG		
Actuarial interest rate +0.25		2,618
Actuarial interest rate -0.25		2,826
Salary trend +0.25		2,737
Salary trend -0.25		2,699
Life expectancy +1 year		2,752
Life expectancy -1 year		2,685

The sensitivity analyses are isolated analyses of the respective effects, while all other assumptions remain constant.

Risks

Risks from benefit obligations arise from the investment in plan assets. These risks might entail the requirement to pay additional capital into the plan assets to be able to meet current and future pension obligations.

Demographic/biometric risks

A large share of the benefit obligations pertains to life-long benefits and pensions for surviving dependants. Early retirement or longer benefit payments may lead to higher pension expenses and higher pension payments than previously anticipated.

The Einhell Group does not take any specific measures to balance out any potential risks that might arise. Given the overall amount of commitments, pension obligations are no major risk for the Einhell Group, and therefore no further reinsurance is needed.

In addition to pension obligations, the following employee benefits exist:

in EURk	2024	2023
Long-term employee benefits	4,601	4,975
Short-term employee benefits	33,244	26,177

The long-term employee benefits include commitments by Einhell Germany AG towards some members of the Board of Directors, whose entitlements accrue on a pro-rata basis over the term of their office. The entitlements each become fully vested after a maximum period of 12 years. The amount of the entitlement is based on the annual salary plus the average bonus of the last three years. Payment is expected as from the date the employee leaves the company. The obligation is measured on the basis of the current business planning.

2.12 Provisions for other risks

in EURk	Warranty and guarantees	Others	Total
1 Jan 24	12,407	7,239	19,646
Utilisation	6,174	2,866	9,040
Reversals	292	810	1,102
Additions	8,098	4,816	12,914
Currency translation effects and other changes	-302	125	-177
31 Dec 24	13,737	8,504	22,241

in EURk	Warranty and guarantees	Others	Total
31 Dec 24			
Non-current		504	504
Current	13,737	8,000	21,737
31 Dec 23			
Non-current		550	550
Current	12,407	6,689	19,096

Miscellaneous other provisions mainly comprise provisions for agreements with customers. The interest effect from discounting non-current provisions with a remaining term of more than one year is immaterial.

The non-current provisions also include provisions of Einhell Italia for compensation payments for free sales agents.

2.13 Liabilities from debt capital

in EURk	2024	2023
Non-current		
Loans, secured	0	0
Loans, unsecured	87,621	92,237
	87,621	92,237

in EURk	2024	2023
Current		
Loans and overdrafts, secured	6,643	7,639
Loans and overdrafts, unsecured	4,616	9,200
	11,259	16,839
thereof non-current loans maturing in the short term	4,616	3,498
thereof loans and overdrafts maturing in the short term	6,643	13,341

Liabilities from debt capital are secured by collateral totalling EUR 18,995 thousand (previous year: EUR 17,371 thousand). This refers mainly to assets of the subsidiaries in Canada, Turkey and Vietnam that were furnished as security.

The Einhell Group has conventional lines of credit at its disposal that were only partially utilised in financial year 2024. Cash and cash equivalents, as

well as equity, stood at very good levels in the reporting year.

In financial year 2018, Einhell Germany AG took out long-term loans of EUR 25 million from three different banks. The loans are subject to a subsidy programme provided by the German development bank KfW and have a term of 10 years. The first repayments were made in June 2020, the last are to be made at the end of March 2028. The loan agreements also contain a financial covenant that must be met each year. This covenant refers to the interest cover ratio. The interest rates are fixed and do not include any variable components. Einhell Germany AG complied with this covenant in financial year 2024.

Einhell Germany AG took out promissory note loans totalling EUR 75 million in financial year 2021. The maturities are five years for a tranche of EUR 50 million and seven years for a tranche of EUR 25 million. The promissory note loans do not require any collateral or covenants and are due upon maturity. The interest rates are fixed and do not include any variable components.

Einhell Germany AG took out a long-term loan from a bank in the amount of EUR 7.5 million in financial year 2023. The loan is granted in connection with a subsidy programme provided by KfW and has a term of six years. The first repayment was made in December 2024 and the last is due in September 2029. The loan will be used for the new office building in Landau. Einhell will receive repayment grants totalling a maximum of EUR 0.95 million if the building achieves the planned energy efficiency standards.

In this case, the repayment grants will reduce the term of the loan accordingly. The loan agreement also contains a financial covenant that must be met each year. This refers to the interest cover ratio. The interest rates are fixed and do not include any variable components. Einhell Germany AG complied with this covenant in financial year 2024.

At the end of the year, the carrying amount of the liabilities from debt capital subject to the financial covenants totalled EUR 12,621 thousand (previous year: EUR 17,236 thousand) for non-current liabilities and EUR 4,616 thousand (previous year: EUR 3,498 thousand) for current

liabilities. The Group believes that there is no risk that the covenant will not be met in the future.

2.14 Non-derivative financial liabilities

in EURk	2024	2023
Non-current	10,750	18,542
Current	37,002	40,694
	47,752	59,236

Non-derivative financial liabilities include the following purchase price liabilities (contingent consideration and put liability):

	2024	2023
Outillages King Canada, Inc.,	7,528	12,530
Einhell South Africa (Pty) Ltd	0	1,604
Einhell Polska Sp.z o.o.	478	478
Swisstec Sourcing Vietnam JSC	104	1,900
Einhell Finland OY	105	344
SURAZINSANO Co., Ltd	2,691	4,559
	10,906	21,415

Of the purchase price liabilities, EUR 10,402 thousand (previous year: EUR 18,143 thousand) are classified as non-current.

In addition to these liabilities, current non-derivative financial liabilities include customer compensation totalling EUR 19,872 thousand (previous year: EUR 16,431 thousand) and liabilities from outstanding invoices in the amount of EUR 10,834 thousand (previous year: EUR 9,973 thousand).

2.15 Contract liabilities

Contract liabilities include repayment obligations from customer contracts amounting to EUR 799 thousand (previous year: EUR 721 thousand). These liabilities refer to the Group's obligation to take back delivered goods in the following year. The Group's right to reclaim goods, in turn, was recognised under "contract assets".

2.16 Derivative financial liabilities

in EURk	2024	2023
Non-current derivative financial instruments included in hedge accounting	2,377	21,454
Non-current financial liabilities measured at fair value through profit or loss	0	0
	2,377	21,454

in EURk	2024	2023
Current derivative financial instruments included in hedge accounting	1,789	14,343
Current financial liabilities measured at fair value through profit or loss	1,101	2,954
	2,890	17,297

Unrealised gains/losses from derivative financial instruments included in hedge accounting are taken directly to equity after deduction of deferred taxes.

2.17 Trade payables

in EURk	2024	2023
Non-current	0	0
Current	266,867	154,291
	266,867	154,291

The Group has concluded a supply chain finance (SCF) agreement. Under this agreement, a bank undertakes to pay the participating supplier amounts for invoices owed by the Group and receives payment from the Group at a later date. The main purpose of this agreement is to enable efficient payment processing and to allow willing suppliers to receive payments from the bank before the due date of the invoice.

The agreements were concluded with HSBC and Deutsche Bank. To date, the supply chain finance model has only been implemented at the Chinese companies.

Supply chain liabilities in trade payables

in EURk	31.12.2024	01.01.2024
Amount included in trade payables	123,920	57,026
of which already received by suppliers from the participating bank	30,743	16,491

Payment due dates

	31.12.2024	01.01.2024
Liabilities that are part of the agreement	120 days after invoice date	120 days after invoice date
Liabilities that are not part of the agreement	30-60 days after invoice date	30-60 days after invoice date

2.18 Lease liabilities

The adoption of IFRS 16 results in lease liabilities in the following amounts as at 31 December 2024:

in EURk	2024	2023
Non-current	12,910	12,604
Current	6,975	5,623
	19,885	18,227

2.19 Other non-financial liabilities

in EURk	2024	2023
Non-current	3	2
Current	7,693	7,632
	7,696	7,634

Other non-financial liabilities mainly include other tax liabilities.

3. NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF INCOME

in EURk and %	2024		2023		Change	
Western Europe incl. D/A/CH	616,595	55.6	559,881	57.6	56,714	10.1
Eastern Europe	125,764	11.3	102,521	10.6	23,243	22.7
Overseas and Other Countries	287,684	25.9	256,819	26.4	30,865	12.0
Production and Sourcing Companies	79,656	7.2	52,304	5.4	27,352	52.3
Total	1,109,699	100.0	971,525	100.0	138,174	14.2

3.1 Revenue

The Einhell Group mainly generates revenue from selling manually operated, petrol-powered and electronic tools, electrical tool accessories, metal and plastic products for DIY, garden and leisure activities, and air-conditioning and heating products.

The Einhell Group only generates revenue from contracts with customers in accordance with IFRS 15.

For the Einhell Group, revenue is always recognised at a point in time. There are no products and services for which revenue is recognised over a period of time.

63% of revenue (previous year: 65%) was contributed by the Tools segment, while the Garden & Leisure segment contributed 37% (previous year: 35%).

The geographic allocation of the below-stated revenue by segment is based on the registered office of the invoicing party.

The distribution companies are classified by region. The production and sourcing companies were allocated to a separate segment, irrespective of geographical location.

This year, the D/A/CH and Western Europe segments were merged into one segment. The figures for the previous year were adjusted accordingly.

This division of the Einhell Group continues to reflect its internal management and reporting structures. The figures for the previous year were reclassified accordingly.

Business activities of the Einhell Group focus exclusively on the distribution of goods.

3.2 Changes in inventories

The changes in inventories in 2024 amount to EUR 5,700 thousand (previous year: 0).

Changes in inventories refer to Einhell Electro Machinery Technology Co. Ltd. (China) and EINHELL Operations Kft. (Hungary), which took up operations in 2024.

The companies produce chargers and batteries.

	2024	2023
Finished products 1 January	0	0
Changes in inventories	5,700	0
Currency translation difference	127	0
Finished products 31 December	5,827	0

3.3 Other own work capitalised

Own work capitalised amounts to EUR 1,591 thousand in the financial year (previous year EUR 731 thousand) and mainly refers to the development of own software solutions.

3.4 Other operating income

in EURk	2024	2023
Income from the reversal of provisions	1,102	3,310
Commission income	1,544	1,006
Income from costs charged to suppliers (waste disposal, freight)	445	353
Income from the receipt of receivables that had been written off and from the reversal of the allowance for doubtful receivables	772	118
Proceeds from disposal of fixed assets	231	98
Income from damage compensation	227	200
Income from PV plant	454	553
Benefits in kind	530	502
Release of advertising subsidies	960	4,225
Income from the reversal of accounts payable	969	4,288
Reduction of earn-out liabilities	2,016	1,036
Other income	3,653	3,085
Total	12,903	18,774

3.5 Cost of materials

in EURk	2024	2023
Expenses for raw materials and supplies and purchased goods	657,609	583,454
Expenses for purchased services	166	210
Total	657,775	583,665

3.6 Personnel expenses

in EURk	2024	2023
Wages and salaries	125,725	110,871
Social security contributions	13,134	12,026
Employer contribution to pension insurance	6,377	5,954
Expenses for old-age pensions	870	765
Total	146,106	129,616

Number of employees (annual average)

	2024	2023
Western Europe incl. D/A/CH	1,079	1,054
Eastern Europe	276	254
Overseas and Other Countries	715	597
Production and Sourcing Companies	445	404
Total	2,515	2,309

The allocation is in line with the segment reporting structure. The D/A/CH segment was combined with the Western Europe segment.

The figures for the previous year were adjusted accordingly.

3.7 Depreciation and amortisation

in EURk	2024	2023
Amortisation of intangible assets (without goodwill)	3,244	2,834
Goodwill impairment	1,256	54
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	6,852	6,157
Depreciation of right-of-use assets according to IFRS 16	8,766	7,161
Total	20,118	16,207

3.8 Other operating expenses

in EURk	2024	2023
Expenses for buildings including maintenance of fixed assets	4,553	3,515
Legal and consulting expenses	6,319	5,248
Expenses for external stock keeping	16,399	17,964
Expenses on freight outward	35,257	31,760
Advertising expenses	76,063	65,857
Logistics costs	3,001	2,847
Commission expenses	4,037	4,946
Fleet expenses	2,629	2,245
Product-related technical expenses/service expenses	2,579	2,339
Additions to warranty and guarantee provisions/other provisions	3,387	689
Expenses for hardware and software as well as office equipment	7,454	5,638
Insurance expenses	3,040	2,534
Travel costs	3,973	4,092
Communication expenses	921	1,006
Fees and contributions	2,246	1,806
Waste disposal costs	3,675	3,664
Office supplies	727	663
Other taxes	1,764	1,256
Share in administrative costs	3,368	2,985
Temporary workers	1,824	1,038
Expenses associated with deconsolidation	940	0
Expenses for hyperinflation	6,832	5,878
Miscellaneous other operating expenses	11,415	11,826
Total	202,403	179,795

3.9 Financial result

in EURk	2024	2023
Interest income	2,764	1,867
Interest expenses	-4,401	-6,443
Expenses/income from currency translation/hedging	-1,100	-1,091
Financial result	-2,737	-5,667
thereof expenses/income from derivatives not subject to hedge accounting	-2,188	-1,505

3.10 Income taxes

in EURk	2024	2023
Actual tax expenses	34,781	20,142
Deferred taxes	-624	3,694
Total	34,157	23,836

In measuring a capitalised asset for future tax relief, the probability of recovery of the anticipated tax relief is also taken into account. Deferred taxes for hedge accounting and securities that are measured at fair value through other comprehensive income are only recognised in other comprehensive income. Deferred tax assets on such changes in the fair value amount to EUR -28 thousand (previous year: EUR 9,272 thousand), while the corresponding deferred tax liabilities come out to EUR 3,406 thousand (previous year: EUR 0 thousand).

In order to implement Council Directive (EU) 2022/2523 on ensuring a global minimum level of taxation for multinational enterprise groups and large-scale domestic groups in the Union, Germany has passed the "Mindeststeuergesetz" (Minimum Tax Act, OECD Pillar-II). Other countries in which Einhell Germany AG operates, particularly in the European Union, have also enacted or are in the process of enacting similar legislation to ensure a global minimum level of taxation. Einhell Germany AG falls within the scope of the Minimum Tax Act, which may result in actual tax charges for the first time in the reporting year.

Based on our analysis, we assume that minimum taxes will only be levied for a few countries. The resulting minimum tax burden is in the mid five-digit range. As the impact is minimal, no Pillar II

tax expense has been recognised in 2024. In accordance with IAS 12.4A, no deferred taxes are recognised in connection with the global minimum taxation.

The subsidiaries capitalised deferred taxes from loss carryforwards of EUR 2,973 thousand (previous year: EUR 4,026 thousand). Loss carryforwards that are classified as non-recoverable, because either no profit is expected or they cannot be carried forward, are not included in the calculation of deferred tax assets. In 2024, no deferred taxes were recognised for loss carryforwards of EUR 16,524 thousand (previous year: EUR 11,439 thousand).

The temporary differences between the IFRS carrying amounts of interests in subsidiaries and the tax-related values of such interests (so-called outside basis differences) that could result in deferred taxes amount to EUR 7,680 thousand as at the reporting date (previous year: EUR 6,912 thousand) and did not give rise to the recognition of deferred taxes as the Einhell Group is able to control their reversal and they will not reverse in the foreseeable future.

The reconciliation of the income tax amount with the theoretical amount that would have been applicable if the relevant tax rate in the Company's country of domicile had been applied, is as follows:

in EURk	2024	2023
Expected tax expenses	29,544	22,619
Tax expenses/income from intra-Group income/expenses	189	-583
Goodwill impairment	377	16
Other non-tax-deductible expenses	3,114	5,138
Differing foreign tax rates	-3,214	-2,445
Tax-free income	975	-1,219
Current losses without deferred taxes/utilisation of loss carryforwards without deferred taxes	479	1,504
Changes in loss carryforwards	817	-544
Taxes of previous years	1,876	-650
Reported tax expenses	34,157	23,836

The table shows the reconciliation of tax expenses anticipated in the financial year with the respective reported tax expenses. The anticipated tax expense is calculated by multiplying earnings before taxes with the

domestic total tax rate applicable in the financial year of 30.0% (previous year: 30.0%).

3.11 Earnings per share

Earnings per share are calculated by dividing the earnings share of Einhell Germany AG's shareholders by the weighted average number of ordinary and preference shares outstanding in the financial year.

A three-for-one share split was carried out at Einhell Germany AG in the 2024 financial year, which changed the number of shares in circulation without a corresponding change in resources. Earnings per share for both the reporting period and the comparative period 2023 are therefore calculated on the basis of the shares in circulation after the share split in order to ensure comparability with the 2024 financial year.

In 2024 and 2023, there were no dilution effects on the number of shares. Therefore, diluted earnings per share equal the basic earnings per share.

The articles of association of Einhell Germany AG stipulate that preference shareholders are entitled to a dividend that is EUR 0.02 higher than the dividend paid out to the holders of ordinary shares.

Number of shares or in EURk	2024	2023
Ordinary shares basic/diluted	6,283,200	6,283,200
Preference shares basic/diluted	5,040,000	5,040,000
Earnings after tax	64,324	51,561
Non-controlling interests	-746	1,070
Earnings after tax and non-controlling interests	65,070	50,491
thereof earnings attributable to ordinary shares basic/diluted	36,051	27,961
thereof earnings attributable to preference shares basic/diluted	29,019	22,530
Earnings per ordinary share basic/diluted	5.74	4.45
Earnings per preference share basic/diluted	5.76	4.47

4. SEGMENT REPORTING

The allocation of distribution companies to the individual regions is based on the relevant Group company's registered office. Companies regarded as homogenous based on their company structure, sales market and customer structure were bundled in segments. The production and sourcing companies were allocated to a separate segment.

Internal reporting reflects these structures and is presented to the Board of Directors and the Supervisory Board on a regular basis.

The D/A/CH segment was combined with the Western Europe segment in the year under review. This is in line with internal reporting.

The results from the previous year were regrouped in line with the new structure.

The reconciliation item almost exclusively comprises consolidation effects.

2024 in EURk	Revenue by invoicing party	Revenue by invoice recipient	EBT	Depreciation and amortisation
Western Europe incl. D/A/CH	616,595	676,576	54,463	8,865
Eastern Europe	125,764	133,588	11,456	1,093
Overseas and Other Countries	287,684	299,535	29,234	6,347
Production and Sourcing Companies	79,656	0	9,255	3,813
Reconciliation	0	0	-5,927	0
Einhell Group	1,109,699	1,109,699	98,481	20,118

The Western Europe incl. D/A/CH segment achieved a strong performance. The companies in Germany generated revenue of EUR 389,792 thousand. The companies with the strongest revenue in this segment besides the German companies are Einhell SAS (France) with revenue of EUR 61,447 thousand, Einhell Italia s.r.l. with EUR 35,965 thousand, Einhell UK Ltd. with EUR 35,277 thousand and Comercial Einhell S.A. (Spain) with EUR 32,439 thousand.

The strongest companies in the Eastern Europe segment in terms of revenue were the subsidiaries in Turkey (EUR 37,840 thousand) and Croatia (EUR 16,643 thousand).

Revenue in the Overseas and Other Countries segment was generated primarily by the subsidiaries in South America, Australia and Canada.

The largest contribution to revenue and earnings was made by Einhell Australia Pty Ltd. (formerly Ozito Industries Pty Ltd.) with revenue of EUR 197,527 thousand, mostly generated in Australia. Revenue in the Production and Sourcing Companies segment is largely generated by the sourcing companies in Hong Kong (EUR 71,123 thousand). It is generated through direct FOB sales to third parties.

Two customers accounted for more than 10% each of the Einhell Group's revenue in financial year 2024. One of these customers accounts for revenue of EUR 186,902 thousand, which is allocated to the Overseas and Other Countries segment. Revenue of EUR 191,151 thousand was generated with another customer; this is allocated to all of the different segments.

2024 in EURk	Financial result	Interest income	Interest expenses	Non-current assets (excl. deferred tax assets)
Western Europe incl. D/A/CH	2,546	10,353	-6,305	82,981
Eastern Europe	-5,043	716	-5,656	13,395
Overseas and Other Countries	-1,873	3,283	-4,780	36,575
Production and Sourcing Companies	1,819	1,410	-676	14,709
Reconciliation	-186	-12,999	13,016	0
Einhell Group	-2,737	2,763	-4,401	147,660

The share of non-current assets pertaining to Germany is EUR 70,804 thousand. The countries with the highest other assets are Canada with

EUR 12,852 thousand, Australia with EUR 12,897 thousand and China with EUR 10,761 thousand.

2024 in EURk	Inventories	Depreciation of inventories
Western Europe incl. D/A/CH	292,816	7,307
Eastern Europe	61,297	470
Overseas and Other Countries	83,811	674
Production and Sourcing Companies	38,470	27
Reconciliation	-20,760	0
Einhell Group	455,634	8,478

2023 in EURk	Revenue by invoicing party	Revenue by invoice recipient	EBT	Depreciation and amortisation
Western Europe incl. D/A/CH	559,881	597,577	39,569	8,109
Eastern Europe	102,521	108,662	7,494	991
Overseas and Other Countries	256,819	265,286	23,380	4,606
Production and Sourcing Companies	52,304	0	1,098	2,501
Reconciliation	0	0	3,856	0
Einhell Group	971,525	971,525	75,397	16,207

The companies in Germany in the Western Europe segment including D/A/CH generated revenue of EUR 340,206 thousand in 2023. The companies with the strongest revenue in this segment besides the German companies are Einhell SAS (France) with revenue of EUR 61,206 thousand, Einhell Italia s.r.l. with EUR 36,584 thousand, Einhell UK Ltd. with

EUR 30,602 thousand and Comercial Einhell S.A. (Spain) with EUR 30,442 thousand.

The strongest companies in the Eastern Europe segment in terms of revenue were the subsidiaries in Turkey (EUR 24,462 thousand) and Croatia (EUR 15,028 thousand).

Revenue in the Overseas and Other Countries segment was generated primarily by the

subsidiaries in South America, Australia and Canada. The largest contribution to revenue and earnings was made by Einhell Australia Pty Ltd. (formerly Ozito Industries Pty Ltd.) with revenue of EUR 169,157 thousand, mostly generated in Australia. Revenue in the Production and Sourcing Companies segment is largely generated by the sourcing companies in Hong Kong. It is generated through direct FOB sales to third parties.

Two customers accounted for more than 10% each of the Einhell Group's revenue in financial year 2023. One of these customers accounts for revenue of EUR 162,158 thousand, which is allocated to the Overseas and Other Countries region. Another customer accounts for revenue of EUR 182,769 thousand, which is allocated to all of the different segments.

2023 in EURk	Financial result	Interest income	Interest expenses	Non-current assets excl. deferred tax assets
Western Europe incl. D/A/CH	11	9,701	-9,045	74,528
Eastern Europe	-2,841	226	-2,987	11,436
Overseas and Other Countries	-1,954	1,847	-3,926	39,575
Production and Sourcing Companies	-683	673	-1,009	12,391
Reconciliation	-200	-10,580	10,524	0
Einhell Group	-5,667	1,867	-6,443	137,930

The share of non-current assets pertaining to Germany is EUR 63,107 thousand. The countries with the highest other assets are Canada with

EUR 14,809 thousand, Australia with EUR 13,685 thousand and China with EUR 8,637 thousand.

2023 in EURk	Inventories	Depreciation of inventories
Western Europe incl. D/A/CH	231,412	8,600
Eastern Europe	43,028	1,271
Overseas and Other Countries	89,521	1,478
Production and Sourcing Companies	14,712	0
Reconciliation	-15,096	0
Einhell Group	363,577	11,349

5. NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

The consolidated statement of cash flows shows the development of cash flows by inflows and outflows in connection with operating, investing and financing activities.

Cash and non-cash changes in liabilities from debt capital:

2024 in EURk	Liabilities to banks	Lease liabilities	Liabilities from debt capital
1 January	109,076	18,227	127,303
Cash changes	-9,428	-8,479	-17,907
Non-cash changes	0	9,703	9,703
Changes from currency translation	-310	434	124
Changes in basis of consolidation	-458	0	-458
31 December	98,880	19,885	118,765

2023 in EURk	Liabilities to banks	Lease liabilities	Liabilities from debt capital
1 January	191,147	18,094	209,241
Cash changes	-84,034	-7,775	-91,809
Non-cash changes	0	7,113	7,113
Changes from currency translation	0	195	195
Changes in basis of consolidation	1,963	600	2,563
31 December	109,076	18,227	127,303

6. RISK REPORT AND FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

6.1 Financial risk management

The Einhell Group operates internationally and is thus exposed to market risks from changes to interest rates (section 6.3 Interest risks) and exchange rates (section 6.5 Foreign currency risks). The Group uses derivative financial instruments to manage these risks. The guidelines used for managing the associated risks are implemented with the approval of the Board of Directors by a central Treasury department working in close cooperation with the Group companies. The Einhell Group monitors the current market environment to assess these risks.

We do not see any additional need for impairment on non-financial assets because of

climate or environmental effects as there is no dependency in this respect.

6.2 Default risk

Default risks arise from cash and cash equivalents and contractual cash flows from debt instruments that are recognised at amortised cost or at fair value through other comprehensive income. We do not expect any material default risks from these items in the statement of financial position. The carrying amount is the maximum default risk.

Derivatives are acquired from reputable financial institutions; therefore, the Group expects that the maximum default risk from derivatives is covered by their positive market value.

The Einhell Group's most significant exposure to default risks refers to its creditor relationships with wholesale and retail customers (outstanding trade receivables).

Risk management

To minimise the supplier default risk, the procurement and project management teams work with the finance department to develop joint hedging concepts that are constantly validated and improved whenever required.

Einhell's corporate policy is to minimise default risk from customer receivables by using instruments that are customary in international practice. These help Einhell evaluate the default risks of the ordering company for each order based on the relevant economic situation. To counter the risks associated with new customers and high-risk countries in particular, Einhell sometimes uses letters of credit. In the offer phase, the sales and finance departments jointly decide on what collateral is required and adjust these requirements when the orders are placed. Einhell also uses external information from banks and credit agencies to support the risk assessment process whenever this is expedient.

The maximum default risk corresponds to the carrying amount of the receivables. Trade receivables pertain to DIY chains, specialist retailers and discounters and amount to EUR 175,841 thousand (previous year: EUR 149,833 thousand). In financial year 2024, there were no significant receivables for which new terms of payment were agreed. The payment terms vary from country to country and range from 30 to 180 days.

Collateral

For some trade receivables, the Group may request collateral in the form of sureties or letters of credit, which the Group can rely on

under the terms of the contract if the contracting party defaults on its payment.

Impairment of financial assets

The Group classifies each receivable in terms of its default risk.

in EURk	Default risk categories	2024	2023
Trade receivables	1	180,798	150,511
Trade receivables with impaired creditworthiness	2	2,496	923

Impairments of trade receivables are always measured at the amount of the expected credit loss over the term of the contract. In order to determine the expected credit loss, the receivables are allocated to different bands that reflect the time they have been past due.

Whenever this is required, the rates thus determined are multiplied by scaling factors in order to account for the differences between economic conditions.

When estimating expected credit losses, the Group takes into account appropriate and reliable information that is relevant and available without any unreasonable effort or cost. This includes both quantitative and qualitative information and analyses based on the Group's past experience and well-founded assessment, including forward-looking information.

The following table contains information on the default risk and the expected credit losses for trade receivables as at 31 December 2024.

2024 in EURk	Loss rate	Gross carrying amount	Impairment	Creditworthiness impaired
Low risk	0.05%	168,210	91	No
Medium risk	1.56%	4,644	73	No
Below average	4.47%	7,944	355	No
Loss	100.00%	2,496	2,496	Yes
		183,294	3,015	

2023 in EURk	Loss rate	Gross carrying amount	Impairment	Creditworthiness impaired
Low risk	0.13%	138,767	187	No
Medium risk	1.97%	3,012	59	No
Below average	4.95%	8,732	432	No
Loss	100.00%	923	923	Yes
		151,434	1,601	

The maximum default risk corresponds to the carrying amount of the receivables. 87% (previous year: 84%) of total gross receivables are not yet due as at the reporting date.

The creditworthiness of trade receivables is deemed impaired if there are indications that they cannot be expected to be paid beyond any doubt. This is the case, for instance, if there are concrete signs of non-payment, such as insolvency.

The Group considers financial assets, save for trade receivables, to be in default if

- it is unlikely that the debtor will be able to pay its credit obligation in full to the Group without the Group having recourse to measures such as the realisation of collateral (if any); or
- the financial asset is more than 360 days past due as, based on past experience, it is highly unlikely that the payment will be made.

6.3 Interest risk

The interest risk of the Einhell Group stems mainly from interest-bearing financial liabilities.

The existing KfW loans and the promissory note loan with a volume of approx. EUR 92 million are long-term and have fixed interest rates. Group management decided not to hedge the interest risks of the short-term financing arrangements as key interest rates are expected to be lowered in 2025.

The Group is exposed to a cash flow risk from balance sheet items (cash and cash equivalents and liabilities from debt capital) that are subject to variable interest rates. A change in the market interest rate of 1% would have an effect on the interest result as at the reporting date of EUR 1,125 thousand (previous year: EUR 861 thousand).

6.4 Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the possibility that a company will no longer be in a position to meet its financial obligations (such as repayment of financial liabilities or payment of orders). The Einhell Group limits this risk by using effective management of net working capital and cash and traditional credit lines from reputable banks. At the reporting date, the Group had approx. EUR 280.7 million in mostly unsecured credit

lines at its disposal for the operating business (previous year: EUR 283.5 million). The Group also keeps a constant eye on the financial markets for financing opportunities in order to secure the financial flexibility of the Einhell Group and limit excessive refinancing risks.

The following table shows all contractual payments as at 31 December 2024 for repayments, redemptions and interest for non-current financial liabilities recognised in the statement of financial position.

2024 in EURk	2026	2027- 2029	2030 ff.
Non-current liabilities to banks	55,267	33,581	0
Purchase price and other liabilities	122	11,063	0
Lease liabilities	6,197	5,561	1,152

2023 in EURk	2025	2026 - 2028	2029 ff.
Non-current liabilities to banks	5,332	87,713	1,134
Purchase price and other liabilities	1,105	19,254	0
Lease liabilities	5,261	7,256	787

The risk associated with the cash flows shown in the table is limited to cash outflows. Trade payables and other financial liabilities result mainly from financing operating assets (such as property, plant and equipment) and from investments in working capital (such as inventories and trade receivables). These asset values are taken into account in the effective management of the total liquidity risk. Risk management was extended and strengthened by implementing a Group-wide, Excel-based risk management information system.

Current liabilities are not shown separately as they were paid in 2025 and the effect of discounting is immaterial. The payment obligations thus basically equal their carrying amounts.

Cash inflows and outflows from foreign exchange contracts

2024 in EURk	Total	of which non-current
Cash inflows with positive market values	546,357	31,765
Cash outflows with positive market values	524,524	29,279
Cash inflows with negative market values	202,868	87,352
Cash outflows with negative market values	202,295	83,793
Total cash inflows	749,225	119,117
Total cash outflows	726,819	113,072

2023 in EURk	Total	of which non-current
Cash inflows with positive market values	353,733	1,810
Cash outflows with positive market values	345,895	1,770
Cash inflows with negative market values	1,084,384	604,866
Cash outflows with negative market values	1,103,901	614,454
Total cash inflows	1,438,117	606,676
Total cash outflows	1,449,797	616,224

Sensitivities are specified in section 6.5 Foreign currency risk.

6.5 Foreign currency risk

Due to the international nature of its operations, the Einhell Group is exposed to currency risk. To manage and minimise this risk, the Einhell Group uses derivative financial instruments, whose remaining maturities did not exceed three years in either the current or the prior financial year. The foreign currency risk management system of the Einhell Group has been successfully operated for several years.

Fluctuations in exchange rates can lead to undesirable and unpredictable earnings and cash flow volatility. This affects each company in the Einhell Group that trades with international partners in a currency that is not the functional currency (the relevant national currency). Within the Group, this applies in particular to procurement, which is usually denominated in

USD and CNY. Einhell products, in contrast, are mainly sold in the relevant national currency. Planned purchases in USD and CNY are mostly hedged, so there is no concentration of risk here.

Companies in the Einhell Group are forbidden to buy or sell foreign currencies for speculative purposes. Intra-Group financing or investments are, where possible, made in the relevant national currencies or using currency hedges via the parent company. The currency futures that are recognised at fair value through profit or loss mainly pertain to such currency hedges taken out by Einhell Germany AG to hedge internal loans.

The Group designates currency futures to hedge currency risk from procurement transactions and applies a hedging ratio of 1:1.

Given the short-term nature of the USD and CNY payment terms, the USD and CNY exposure from financial instruments pertains mainly to derivative financial instruments. An exchange rate fluctuation of 10% would lead to a currency translation gain or loss before tax of EUR 55,034 thousand or EUR -69,540 thousand, respectively, which, under cash flow hedge accounting, would be recognised in other comprehensive income.

Currency translation gains and losses are calculated on the basis of the exchange rates and the interest rates for the respective currency on the reporting date. This data is used to compute notional market values, which are then compared with the market values as at the reporting date.

2024 Currency	in EURk	Change in exchange rate +10%	Change in exchange rate -10%
CNY		-68,247	53,483
USD		-1,438	1,729
Other		145	-178
Total effect		-69,540	55,034

2023 Currency	in EURk	Change in exchange rate	Change in exchange rate
		+10%	-10%
CNY		-108,518	86,442
USD		-4,565	3,744
Other		91	-112
Total effect		-112,992	90,074

The derivative financial instruments are basically only used to hedge the procurement of goods. A 10% change in exchange rates for derivative financial instruments that are not shown under hedge accounting would result in pre-tax exchange rate gains or losses of EUR 8,112 thousand or EUR - 7,265 thousand, respectively.

2024 Currency	in EURk	Change in exchange rate	Change in exchange rate
		+10%	-10%
CNY		-8,947	10,237
USD		-716	809
Other		2,398	-2,934
Total effect		-7,265	8,112

2023 Currency	in EURk	Change in exchange rate	Change in exchange rate
		+10%	-10%
CNY		-11,337	9,391
USD		554	-792
GBP		1,202	-1,468
AUD		333	-436
Other		991	-1,212
Total effect		-8,257	5,483

The nominal volume of derivative financial instruments is equivalent to the total of gross purchase price and sales price amounts (not offset against each other) agreed between the parties and is therefore not a reliable indicator for Group risk from the use of derivative financial instruments. Risks and opportunities are reflected in the market value, which is equivalent to the cash value of the derivative financial instruments at the reporting date.

Positive and negative market values of derivative financial instruments

2024 in EURk	Gross amount shown	Offsetting amount	Net amount shown
Derivatives with positive market values	16,278	0	16,278
Derivatives with negative market values	5,267	0	5,267

2023 in EURk	Gross amount shown	Offsetting amount	Net amount shown
Derivatives with positive market values	7,790	0	7,790
Derivatives with negative market values	38,751	0	38,751

The table shows the potential effects of the offsetting of financial assets and financial liabilities that are based on legally enforceable master netting arrangements or similar contracts. Einhell may only offset financial assets and financial liabilities as per IAS 32 if it has a legal right of set-off and Einhell actually intends to settle on a net basis.

Financial instruments with a positive market value from cash flow hedge

in EURk	Nominal volume		Market value	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
Long-term currency futures	31,764	1,810	1,388	4
Short-term currency futures	387,935	311,172	12,720	6,701
	419,699	312,982	14,108	6,705

Financial instruments with a negative market value from cash flow hedge

in EURk	Nominal volume		Market value	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
Long-term currency futures	87,352	602,316	2,377	21,454
Short-term currency futures	81,744	376,024	1,789	14,343
	169,096	978,340	4,166	35,797

The underlying transactions refer to contracted and planned purchases. Most of the cash flows are expected within a period of 24 months and are recognised in the acquisition cost of inventories. Ineffectiveness resulting from cash flow hedges is immaterial to hedge accounting due to the short-term nature of the hedge

transactions. The main reasons for ineffectiveness of these hedging relationships are:

- the effect of counterparty and Group credit risk on the fair value of forward foreign exchange contracts, which is not reflected in the change in fair value of the hedged cash flows attributable to changes in foreign exchange rates;
- changes in the timing of hedged transactions.

The changes in the reserve for cash flow hedges is illustrated in the statement of changes in equity.

Cash flow hedging

The Group mainly controls and monitors market risks through its operating business activities and uses derivative financial instruments whenever required.

The Group held the following instruments to hedge against currency translation risks as at 31 December 2024:

2024	Maturity	
	Up to one year	More than one year
Hedge against material currency translation risks		
Currency futures		
Net risk in EURk	514,569	119,117
Hedge against material currency translation risks	Delta reporting date rate vs. hedging rate in %	
CNY	-8% to 3%	-8% to -3%
USD	-11% to 7%	0%
GBP	-1% to 0%	
AUD	0%	

2023	Maturity	
	Up to one year	More than one year
Hedge against material currency translation risks		
Currency futures		
Net risk in EURk	469,818	606,676
Hedge against material currency translation risks	Delta reporting date rate vs. hedging rate in %	
CNY	-8% to 11%	-1% to 3%
USD	-6% to 43%	0%
GBP	0%	
TRY	-18% to -1%	

6.6 Market values and carrying amounts of financial instruments

Pursuant to IFRS 9, financial instruments (assets and liabilities) are allocated to different measurement categories. The allocation to a particular measurement category determines whether the financial instrument is measured at its fair value. The following table shows the carrying amount and fair value for the individual categories and the measurement category in the statement of financial position. The fair values are provided by banks or determined on the basis of generally accepted measurement models. The initial recognition parameters used in these models are the relevant observable market prices at the reporting date, such as volatilities and forward rates, and interest rates. For current assets and liabilities, the carrying amounts provide a good indication of the fair value.

The following table shows the carrying amounts and fair values of financial assets and financial liabilities including their levels in the fair value hierarchy. It does not include any information on the fair values of financial assets and financial liabilities that were not measured at fair value if the carrying amount provides an appropriate approximation to the fair value.

2024	CARRYING AMOUNT							FAIR VALUE			
in EURk	Measurement at FVTPL is mandatory – others	Contingent consideration at fair value	Fair value – hedging instruments	Financial assets at amortised cost	FVOCI – equity instruments	Other financial liabilities	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Financial assets measured at fair value											
Currency futures for hedging purposes			14,108				14,108		14,108		14,108
Hedging derivatives not subject to hedge accounting	2,170						2,170		2,170		2,170
Non-derivative financial assets					664		664		664		664
	2,170	0	14,108	0	664	0	16,942	0	16,942	0	16,942
Financial assets not measured at fair value											
Trade receivables				175,841			175,841				
Non-derivative financial assets				5,558			5,558				
Cash and cash equivalents				119,102			119,102				
	0	0	0	300,501	0	0	300,501	0	0	0	0
Financial liabilities measured at fair value											
Currency futures for hedging purposes			4,167				4,167		4,167		4,167
Hedging derivatives not subject to hedge accounting	1,101						1,101		1,101		1,101
Contingent consideration		209					209			209	209
	1,101	209	4,167	0	0	0	5,477	0	5,268	209	5,477
Financial liabilities not measured at fair value											
Loans and overdrafts (secured, unsecured)						98,880	98,880		91,621		91,621
Trade payables						266,867	266,867				
Non-derivative financial liabilities (without consideration)						47,543	47,543		45,989		45,989
	0	0	0	0	0	413,290	413,290	0	137,610	0	137,610

2023	CARRYING AMOUNT							FAIR VALUE			
in EURk	Measurement at FVTPL is mandatory – others	Contingent consideration at fair value	Fair value – hedging instruments	Financial assets at amortised cost	FVOCI – equity instruments	Other financial liabilities	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Financial assets measured at fair value											
Currency futures for hedging purposes			6,705				6,705		6,705		6,705
Hedging derivatives not subject to hedge accounting	1,085						1,085		1,085		1,085
Non-derivative financial assets					343		343		343		343
	1,085	0	6,705	0	343	0	8,133	0	8,133		8,133
Financial assets not measured at fair value											
Trade receivables				149,833			149,833				
Non-derivative financial assets				5,750			5,750				
Cash and cash equivalents				99,445			99,445				
	0	0	0	255,028	0	0	255,028	0	0	0	0
Financial liabilities measured at fair value											
Currency futures for hedging purposes			35,798				35,798		35,798		35,798
Hedging derivatives not subject to hedge accounting	2,953						2,953		2,953		2,953
Contingent consideration		2,673					2,673			2,673	2,673
	2,953	2,673	35,798	0	0	0	41,424	0	38,751	2,673	41,424
Financial liabilities not measured at fair value											
Loans and overdrafts (secured, unsecured)						109,076	109,076		95,105		95,105
Trade payables						154,291	154,291				
Non-derivative financial liabilities (without consideration)						56,563	56,563		52,830		52,830
	0	0	0	0	0	319,930	319,930	0	147,935	0	147,935

Net gains and net losses from financial instruments include measurement results, expenses from impairment, results from currency translation and interest, and any other effects on profit or loss in connection with financial instruments. The item Contingent consideration recognised at FVTPL includes the earnings effects from the earnout liabilities of Einhell Finland Oy, Swisstec Sourcing Vietnam JSC and Surazinsano Co., Ltd.

Net gains and net losses from financial instruments

in EURk	2024	2023
Financial assets and liabilities for which measurement at FVTPL is mandatory	-2,188	-1,505
at amortised cost	-1,132	-3,264
Financial assets	1,282	562
of which interest result	2,764	1,867
Financial liabilities	-2,414	-3,826
of which interest result	-3,483	-5,496
Contingent consideration recognised at FVTPL	1,740	929

Fair value measurement

a) Valuation techniques and material, unobservable input factors

The following table shows the valuation techniques that were used to measure Level 2 and Level 3 fair values as well as the material, unobservable input factors that were applied:

FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS MEASURED AT FAIR VALUE			
Type	Valuation technique	Material, unobservable input factors	Relation between material, unobservable input factors and measurement at fair value
Contingent consideration	Discounted cash flows: The valuation model considers the present value of expected payments, discounted for a risk-adjusted discount rate.	Forecast annual EBT as per the most recent adopted business planning (up to approx. EUR 2,005 thousand p.a.; previous year: EUR 4,405 thousand p.a.) multiplied by a contractually defined factor.	The estimated fair value would rise/fall if: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> the annual average revenue growth rate were higher/lower the EBT margin were higher/lower the risk-related discount rate were lower/higher A change in the annual revenue growth rate automatically entails a change in EBT in the same direction.
Equity investments	Market comparison method: The valuation model is based on price quotes by brokers. Similar contracts are traded on an active market, and the price quotes reflect actual transactions for similar instruments.	N/A	N/A
Currency futures	Forward rate pricing: The fair value is determined by using forward rates quoted on the reporting date and net cash value calculations that are based on yield curves with strong creditworthiness in the corresponding currencies.	N/A	N/A

FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS NOT MEASURED AT FAIR VALUE			
Type	Valuation technique	Material, unobservable input factors	Relation between material, unobservable input factors and measurement at fair value
Loans and overdrafts (secured, unsecured)	Discounted cash flows	N/A	N/A
Non-derivative financial liabilities (without contingent consideration)	Discounted cash flows: The valuation model considers the present value of expected payments, discounted at a risk-adjusted discount rate.	Forecast annual EBT as per the most recent, adopted business planning multiplied by a contractually defined factor.	The estimated fair value would rise/fall if: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the annual average revenue growth rate were higher/lower • the EBT margin were higher/lower • the risk-related discount rate were lower/higher A change in the annual revenue growth rate automatically entails a change in EBT in the same direction.

b) Reclassifications between Level 1 and Level 2

In 2023 and 2024, no reclassifications were performed in either direction.

c) Level 3 fair value measurements

There were no reclassifications from or to Level 3.

Reconciliation of Level 3 fair value measurements:

Contingent consideration in EURk	2024	2023
1 January	2,673	1,183
Earnout payment Einhell South Africa (Pty) Ltd	0	-114
Adjustment of earnout liability Einhell South Africa (Pty) Ltd	0	-290
Loss of Einhell South Africa (Pty) Ltd. recognised in borrowing expenses	0	-25
Earnout payment Mould Star (Pty) Ltd	0	-28
Adjustment of earnout liability Mould Star (Pty) Ltd	0	-35
Loss of Mould Star (Pty) Ltd recognised in borrowing expenses	0	-3
Earnout payment Einhell Finland Oy	-10	0
Adjustment of earnout liability Einhell Finland Oy	-229	-344
Loss of Einhell Finland Oy recognised in borrowing expenses	0	0
Addition earnout liability Swisstec Sourcing Vietnam JSC	0	2,321
Earnout payment Swisstec Sourcing Vietnam JSC	-714	0
Adjustment of earnout liability Swisstec Sourcing Vietnam JSC	-1,102	-309
Loss of Swisstec Sourcing Vietnam JSC recognised in borrowing expenses	20	-112
Addition of earnout liability Surazinsano Co., Ltd.	0	240
Loss of Surazinsano Co., Ltd recognised in borrowing expenses	0	-117
Adjustment of earnout liability Surazinsano Co., Ltd.	-429	306
31 December	209	2,673

7. OTHER NOTES

7.1 Lease contracts

The Einhell Group has only entered into lease contracts in which it is the lessee.

The Group rents primarily warehouses and office buildings. The term of the leases is based on the agreements in the lease contract. Depending on the contract, lease payments are renegotiated after expiration of definite terms in order to reflect market rents. Some lease contracts provide for additional rent payments based on changes in local price indices. Certain lease agreements prohibit the Group from entering into subleases.

The warehouse and office leases were mostly concluded as combined leases of land and buildings.

In addition, the Group leases vehicles and IT hardware with contractual terms of between one and five years.

For lease contracts that are either short term and/or refer to leases of low-value assets, the Group has not recognised any right-of-use assets or lease liabilities.

Additional information on the right-of-use assets recognised in the statement of financial position is provided in the statement of assets (see section 2.1 Changes in non-current assets). A maturity analysis of lease liabilities is provided in section 6.4 Liquidity risk.

Amounts recognised in the statement of income

in EURk	2024	2023
Lease contracts according to IFRS 16		
Interest expenses	772	480
Expenses for short-term leases	20	33
Expenses for leases of low-value assets	0	18

Amounts recognised in the cash flow statement

in EURk	2024	2023
Total cash outflow for lease contracts	9,271	7,775

Extension options

Some leases contain extension options that can be exercised by the Group up to one year before the end of the non-cancellable lease term. Wherever possible, the Group aims to include extension options when concluding new leases in order to ensure operational flexibility. The extension options are usually only exercisable by the Group and not by the lessor. The Group assesses on the commencement date whether the exercise of extension options is reasonably certain. The Group reassesses whether it is reasonably certain that an extension option will be exercised if a significant event or significant change in circumstances occurs.

The Group has recognised potential future lease payments as lease liabilities, provided that the extension options are likely to be exercised.

7.2 Other financial obligations

The other financial obligations from orders outstanding amounted to EUR 192,830 thousand as at the reporting date (previous year: EUR 182,768 thousand).

7.3 Corporate Governance Code

The Board of Directors and the Supervisory Board of Einhell Germany AG have made the declaration of compliance prescribed by Section 161 of the German Stock Corporation Act (AktG) and made this permanently available to shareholders on the Group's website at www.einhell.com.

7.4 Related party disclosures

On 24 October 2002, Thannhuber AG, Landau a. d. Isar, submitted a notification pursuant to Section 21 (1) of the Securities Trading Act (WpHG) that its share of voting rights in Einhell Germany AG had exceeded the 75% threshold on 13 October 2002. Thannhuber AG is therefore the controlling shareholder of Einhell Germany AG. The following shareholdings and interlocking directorships exist between Thannhuber AG and Einhell Germany AG:

- Philipp Thannhuber (Deputy Chairperson of the Supervisory Board of Einhell Germany AG) is a shareholder and member of the board of Thannhuber AG.

- Dr. Markus Thannhuber (member of the Board of Directors of Einhell Germany AG) is a shareholder and chairman of the supervisory board of Thannhuber AG.

In financial year 2024, Philipp Thannhuber and Dr. Markus Thannhuber received remuneration for their activities in the corporate bodies of Einhell Germany AG.

Other related parties are the members of the Supervisory Board and the Board of Directors of Einhell Germany AG.

The transactions of group companies with the related parties are, without exception, related to the ordinary business activities of the parties involved and were concluded at arm's length conditions, i.e. conditions that are also granted to other third-party manufacturers.

A report pursuant to Section 312 of the German Stock Corporation Act (AktG) was prepared on Einhell Germany AG's relationships with affiliated companies, which is concluded with the following statement: "During the period under review, Einhell Germany AG did not enter into any legal transactions with Thannhuber AG, or in the interest or at the request of Thannhuber AG, and did not take or refrain from taking any measures that would have disadvantaged Einhell Germany AG."

7.5 Remuneration of the Board of Directors and the Supervisory Board

Remuneration of key management personnel comprises:

in EURk	LONG-TERM	
	2024	2023
Non-performance based components	0	0
Performance-based components	0	0
Decrease in other entitlements	-398	-34
	-398	-34

in EURk	SHORT-TERM	
	2024	2023
Non-performance based components	1,458	1,434
Performance-based components	12,034	9,443
Increase in other entitlements	0	0
	13,492	10,877

The additions to pension provisions amount to EUR 88 thousand (previous year: EUR 76 thousand). The final balance of the defined benefit obligations for active members of the Board of Directors amounts to EUR 1,534 thousand (previous year: EUR 1,489 thousand).

Members of the Board of Directors receive fixed and performance-based variable remuneration of a short-term nature. The performance-based components depend on consolidated net profit, segment earnings in the previous financial year, growth of Group assets and personal targets. The members of the Board of Directors hold shares in Einhell Germany AG.

Pension provisions for this group of persons totalling EUR 13,633 thousand (previous year: EUR 11,970 thousand) were recognised in liabilities. EUR 3,707 thousand thereof (previous year: EUR 4,106 thousand) refer to commitments by Einhell Germany AG towards some members of the Board of Directors, whose claims accrue on a pro-rata basis over the term of their office. The entitlements each become fully vested after a maximum period of 12 years.

Pension provisions of EUR 1,353 thousand (previous year: EUR 1,418 thousand) were set aside for former members of the Board of Directors. Pension benefits in the amount of EUR 133 thousand (previous year: EUR 129 thousand) were paid out to former members of the Board of Directors during the year under review.

The total remuneration of the Supervisory Board amounted to EUR 224 thousand (previous year: EUR 203 thousand) in the past financial year.

No loans or share options or similar arrangements were granted to members of the Board of Directors or the Supervisory Board.

7.6 Auditor fees

Fees for the auditor Rödl & Partner GmbH Wirtschaftsprüfungsgesellschaft, Nuremberg entered as expense amount to EUR 345 thousand in the year under review (previous year: EUR 255 thousand). The fees pertain to the audits of the annual accounts and the consolidated financial statements. Fees of EUR 12 thousand (previous year: EUR 13 thousand) were recognised for other services related to the audit of the system for compliance

with requirements resulting from Section 20 (1) of the Securities Trading Act (WpHG).

7.7 Events after the reporting date

After the balance sheet date, a new company was founded in Greece on 20 January 2025.

Einhell Digital Greece IDIOTI KEFALAIOUCHIKI ETERIA is an IT service provider offering software development, IT operations and IT support as well as business services from Greece for companies of the Einhell Group.

Einhell Germany AG owns 51% of the shares in this company. The remaining 49% of the shares are held by a minority shareholder. Due to the low level of shareholdings, minority interests are not material.

On 29 January 2025, the newly founded Einhell Latam S.A.S. (based in Bogotá, Colombia) was acquired. Einhell Germany AG owns 100% of the shares in this company. The company will serve the Latin American market.

No further events took place after the reporting date that could have a significant impact on net assets, financial position and results of operations.

8. LIST OF SHAREHOLDINGS

31 December 2024	Capital share in %	Equity in EURk	Net income in EURk
iSC GmbH, Landau a. d. Isar/Germany	100.0	1,167	8
Hansi Anhai Far East Ltd., Hong Kong/China	100.0	973	810
HAFE Trading Ltd., Hong Kong/China	100.0	1,497	-518
Hans Einhell China (Chongqing) Co. Ltd., Chongqing/China	100.0	2,260	45
Hansi Anhai Youyang Import & Export Co. Ltd., Chongqing/China	100.0	2,314	1,944
Hans Einhell (Shanghai) Trading Co., Ltd., Shanghai/China	100.0	3,619	2,278
Einhell Österreich Gesellschaft m.b.H., Vienna/Austria	100.0	2,728	1,681
Einhell Portugal – Comércio Int., Lda., Arcozelo/Portugal	100.0	6,830	761
Einhell Nederland B.V., Breda/Netherlands	100.0	1,184	59
Einhell Italia s.r.l., Milan/Italy	100.0	18,447	1,923
Comercial Einhell S.A., Madrid/Spain	100.0	15,011	1,899
Einhell Polska Sp. z o.o., Wroclaw/Poland	100.0	5,585	948
Einhell Hungaria Kft., Budapest/Hungary	100.0	4,775	546
Einhell Schweiz AG, Elsau/Switzerland	100.0	5,600	2,121
Einhell UK Ltd., Wirral/UK	100.0	8,167	1,649
Einhell Bulgaria OOD., Varna/Bulgaria	67.0	1,266	475
Einhell Croatia d.o.o., Sveti Križ Začretje/Croatia	100.0	10,912	3,124
Einhell BiH d.o.o., Vitez/Bosnia	66.7	4,029	1,014
Einhell d.o.o. Beograd, Belgrade/Serbia	100.0	1,986	59
Einhell Romania SRL, Judetul Ilfov/Romania	100.0	3,157	195
Svenska Einhell AB, Malmö/Sweden	100.0	16	-2
Einhell Holding Gesellschaft m.b.H., Wels/Austria	100.0	14,041	6,535
Einhell-Unicore s.r.o., Carlsbad/Czech Republic	100.0	2,284	79
Einhell Turkey Dis Ticaret Anonim Sirketi, Istanbul/Turkey	100.0	10,177	2,459
Anxall Hellas A.E., Athens/Greece	100.0	2,497	251
Einhell Chile S.A., Santiago/Chile	100.0	9,100	606
Einhell Nordic AS, Lystrup/Denmark	51.0	-1,872	-2,623
Einhell France SAS, Villepinte/France	100.0	21,150	4,728
Einhell Argentina S.A., Buenos Aires/Argentina	100.0	5,677	260
kwb Germany GmbH, Stuhr/Germany	100.0	2,459	-1,359
Einhell LLC, St. Petersburg/Russia	100.0	7,247	-192
Hans Einhell Ukraine LLC, Kiev/Ukraine	100.0	1,833	203
Einhell Holding Australia Pty. Ltd., Melbourne/Australia	100.0	24,356	12,248
Einhell Australia Pty Ltd., Melbourne/Australia	100.0	47,325	20,871
ECOMMERCE System GmbH, Landau a. d. Isar/Germany	100.0	2,994	0
ECOMMERCE System s.r.o., Prague/Czech Republic	90.0	211	-5
Einhell South Africa (Pty) Ltd, Cape Town/South Africa	100.0	1,420	-280
Mould Star (Pty) Ltd, Cape Town/South Africa	100.0	215	-23
Einhell Electro Machinery Technology Co. Ltd., Kunshan City/China	100.0	17,451	2,344

Einhell Latam S.A., Montevideo/Uruguay ¹⁴	100.0	861	183
Einhell US Holding Inc., Dover/USA	100.0	105	0
Einhell Canada Holding Ltd., Vancouver/Canada	100.0	18,026	-7
Outillages King Canada INC., Dorval/Canada	66.7	17,652	1,255
Einhell Finland Oy, Tampere/Finland	100.0	801	-868
Suomen Einhell Oy, Tampere/ Finland	100.0	28	0
Swisstec Sourcing Vietnam JSC, Thu Dau Mot, Binh Dong/Vietnam	100.0	1,652	-26
EINHELL Operations Kft., Budapest/Hungary	100.0	2,564	-614
Surazinsano Co., Ltd, Samutprakarn Province/Thailand	66.7	6,338	149
Iltany S.A., Montevideo/Uruguay	100.0	90	-6

Non-consolidated minority interest:

Bavaria Stroy Tools GmbH, Almaty, Kazakhstan ¹⁵	40.0	209	-106
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The figures for equity and earnings correspond to the figures shown in the annual financial statements that are all uniformly prepared in accordance with IFRS. Equity figures in foreign currency are converted at the exchange rate on the reporting date, while earnings figures are converted at the average rate.

9. CORPORATE BODIES

9.1 The Board of Directors

In financial year 2024, the Board of Directors of Einhell Germany AG comprised:

- **Andreas Kroiss, Linz/Austria (Chairman)**
Sales and distribution, procurement, marketing, product management and corporate strategy
- **Jan Teichert, Metten**
Finance and accounting, tax, legal, internal audit, controlling, investor relations, human resources, maintenance and sustainability
- **Dr. Markus Thannhuber, Landau a. d. Isar**
Technology, product development, quality control, supply chain management and production
- **Dr. Christoph Urban, Dingolfing**
IT and services

Andreas Kroiss is Managing Director of KA-Invest GmbH, Linz.

Dr. Markus Thannhuber is the Chairman of the Supervisory Board of Thannhuber AG, Landau an der Isar and Managing Director of MAPHITHA 2 GmbH, Landau a. d. Isar.

Dr. Markus Thannhuber is a member of the Supervisory Board (Verwaltungsrat) of Sparkasse Niederbayern-Mitte.

Dr. Christoph Urban is the Chairman of the Supervisory Board of VR-Bank Ostbayern Mitte eG, Straubing.

¹⁴ previously Einhell Uruguay S.A.

¹⁵ The company was founded in 2024. The figures for 2024 are provisional and have not been audited.

9.2 Supervisory Board

In financial year 2024, the Supervisory Board of Einhell Germany AG comprised:

Professor Dr.-Ing. Dr.-Ing. E.h. Dr. h.c. Dieter Spath, Sasbachwalden

Chair (until 28 June 2024)

- President and Chairman of the Board of TÜV Rheinland Berlin Brandenburg Pfalz e.V., Cologne

Prof. Dr. Manfred Schwaiger, Gauting

Chair (from 28 June 2024)

- Professor of Business Administration and Director of the Institute for Market-Oriented Management at the Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich
- Dean of Studies of the Faculty of Business Administration
- Member of the Advisory Board of Focus Real Estate GmbH, Munich

Philipp Thannhuber, Wallersdorf

Deputy Chairman

- Managing Director of Comedes GmbH, Wallersdorf
- Managing Director of WOTOX GmbH, Landau a. d. Isar
- Managing Director of MAPHITHA Verwaltungs GmbH, Landau a. d. Isar
- Managing Director of MAPHITHA 2 GmbH, Landau a. d. Isar
- Member of the Board of Directors of Thannhuber AG, Landau a. d. Isar

Maximilian Fritz, Wallersdorf - Haidlfing

Employee Representative

- Chair of the Works Council

Professor Dr.-Ing. Dr.-Ing. E.h. Dr. h.c. Dieter Spath is a member of the following supervisory boards and administrative boards:

- LIEBICH & PARTNER Management- und Personalberatung AG, Baden-Baden, Chairman of the Supervisory Board (until 13 April 2024)
- Bausch + Strobel SE & Co. KG, Ilshofen, Chairman of the Supervisory Board
- Zeppelin GmbH, Garching, Member of the Supervisory Board
- TÜV Rheinland AG, Cologne, Member of the Supervisory Board

Prof. Dr.-Ing. Dr.-Ing. E.h. Dr. h.c. Dieter Spath resigned from the Supervisory Board during the Annual General Meeting on 28 June 2024. Prof. Dr. Manfred Schwaiger was appointed as a member of the Supervisory Board by the Annual General Meeting and subsequently elected as the Chairman of the Supervisory Board by the Supervisory Board.

Landau a. d. Isar, 31 March 2025

Einhell Germany AG
The Board of Directors

Andreas Kroiss

Jan Teichert

Dr. Markus Thannhuber

Dr. Christoph Urban

Unqualified Report by the Independent Auditor

To Einhell Germany AG, Landau a. d. Isar

Report on the audit of the consolidated financial statements and of the combined management report

Opinions

We have audited the consolidated financial statements prepared by Einhell Germany AG, Landau an der Isar, and its subsidiaries (the Group) comprising the consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 December 2024, the consolidated income statement, the consolidated statement of comprehensive income, the consolidated statement of cash flows and consolidated statement of changes in equity for the financial year from 1 January to 31 December 2024 as well as the notes to the consolidated financial statements including material information on the accounting policies applied. We further audited the combined management report of Einhell Germany AG, Landau an der Isar for the financial year from 1 January to 31 December 2024. In accordance with German legal requirements, we have not audited the contents of those parts of the combined management report that are included in the "Other information" section of our audit opinion.

In our opinion, on the basis of the knowledge obtained in the audit,

- the accompanying consolidated financial statements comply, in all material respects, with the IFRSs issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (hereinafter "IFRS Accounting Standards") as adopted by the EU, and the additional requirements of German commercial law pursuant to Section 315e (1) German Commercial Code (HGB) and, in compliance with these requirements, give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities, and financial position of the Group as at 31 December 2024, and of its financial performance for the financial year from 1 January to 31 December 2024, and the group management report as a whole provides an appropriate view of the Group's position.
- this combined management report is consistent in all material respects with the consolidated financial statements, complies with German legal requirements and appropriately presents the opportunities and risks of future development. Our audit opinion on the combined management report does not cover the contents of those parts of the combined management report that are included in the "Other information" section.

Pursuant to Section 322 (3) Sentence 1 German Commercial Code (HGB), we declare that our audit has not led to any reservations relating to the legal compliance of the consolidated financial statements and of the combined management report.

Basis for the opinions

We conducted our audit of the consolidated financial statements and of the combined management report in accordance with Section 317 German Commercial Code (HGB) and the EU Audit Regulation (No 537/2014, hereinafter referred to as "EU Audit Regulation") and in compliance with German Generally Accepted Standards for Financial Statement Audits promulgated by the Institute of Public Auditors in Germany (IDW). Our responsibilities under those requirements and principles are further described in the "Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the consolidated financial statements and of the combined management report" section of our auditor's report. We are independent of the Group entities in accordance with the requirements of European law and German commercial and professional law, and we have fulfilled our other German professional responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. In addition, in accordance with Art. 10 (2) f) of the EU Audit Regulation, we declare that we have not

provided non-audit services prohibited under Art. 5 (1) of the EU Audit Regulation. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinions on the consolidated financial statements and on the combined management report.

Key audit matters in the audit of the consolidated financial statements

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgement, were of most significance in our audit of the consolidated financial statements for the financial year from 1 January to 31 December 2024. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the consolidated financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon; we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

Recoverability of goods

Reasons for definition as a key audit matter

Goods amounting to EUR 441.3 million are recognised in the inventories item of the consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 December 2024; this includes impairments in the amount of EUR 9.8 million. The value of goods, which are initially measured at acquisition cost (including ancillary costs of acquisition), must be adjusted if their expected net realisable value no longer meets the acquisition cost. Discretionary leeway must be exercised in order to determine the net realisable values that form the value ceiling. The net realisable value is based, in part, on forward-looking estimates regarding the amounts that are likely to be realised when selling the goods.

The risk in connection with the financial statements is that goods might be overvalued if the need to recognise impairments was not identified.

Our audit approach

Our audit activities comprised, as a first step, obtaining an understanding of the process steps and internal controls implemented for the calculation of the expected net realisable values. We selected the selling prices underlying the calculation of the net realisable value on the basis of sales prices prevailing directly after the reporting date. In addition to making a random selection, we also applied risk-based considerations in selecting the underlying selling prices. We also assessed the company's inventory coverage analyses and verified whether the value adjustments recognised are appropriate. We verified the arithmetical accuracy of the calculations for determining the net realisable value and for determining the impairment amounts for inventories based on a deliberately risk-oriented selection as well as a random selection.

Reference to related information

For the accounting and valuation methods applied in the financial year with regard to inventories, please refer to items "1.7 Accounting and valuation principles" and "2.5 Inventories" in the notes to the consolidated financial statements as well as section "2.3 b) Management system" in the combined management report.

Other information

The legal representatives and the Supervisory Board are responsible for the other information. The other information section includes the following parts of the combined management report, the contents of which were not audited:

- the non-financial group statement referred to in section "7. Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR)" in the combined management report,

- the Group's combined corporate governance statement referred to in the section "Corporate Governance Statement" in the combined management report,
- non-mandatory information contained in the combined management report that is designated as unaudited.
- the assurance pursuant to Section 297 (2) sentence 4 German Commercial Code (HGB) on the consolidated financial statements and the assurance pursuant to Section 315 (1) sentence 5 German Commercial Code (HGB) on the combined management report and
- the other parts of the annual report, with the exception of the audited consolidated financial statements and the components of the combined management report the contents of which were audited, and our audit opinion.

The legal representatives and the Supervisory Board are responsible for the combined corporate governance statement. The Supervisory Board is responsible for the report of the Supervisory Board. The legal representatives are responsible for the other information.

Our opinions on the consolidated financial statements and the combined management report do not cover the other information, and consequently we do not express an opinion or any other form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the consolidated financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information referred to above and, in so doing, to consider whether the other information

- is materially inconsistent with the consolidated financial statements, the audited contents of the combined management report or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or
- otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there has been a material misstatement of such other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

Responsibilities of the legal representatives and the Supervisory Board for the consolidated financial statements and the combined management report

The legal representatives are responsible for the preparation of consolidated financial statements that comply, in all material respects, with the IFRSs as adopted by the EU and the additional applicable requirements of German commercial law pursuant to Section 315e (1) German Commercial Code (HGB), and that the consolidated financial statements, in compliance with these requirements, give a true and fair view of net assets, financial position and results of operations of the Group. Furthermore, the legal representatives are responsible for such internal controls as they determine necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatements, whether due to fraud (e.g. fraudulent financial reporting and misappropriation of assets) or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, the legal representatives are responsible for the assessment of the Group's ability to continue as a going concern. They are also responsible for disclosing, as applicable, matters related to the continuation of the Group as a going concern. In addition, they have responsibility for accounting on the basis of the going concern principle, unless there is the intention to liquidate the Group or to discontinue operations or there is no realistic alternative.

The legal representatives are also responsible for preparing the combined management report, which as a whole provides an accurate picture of the Group's position, is consistent in all material respects with the consolidated financial statements, complies with German law and adequately depicts the opportunities and risks related to the future performance. Furthermore, the legal representatives are responsible for the precautions and measures (systems) which they have deemed necessary to enable the preparation of a combined management report in accordance with German statutory requirements and to provide sufficient suitable evidence for the statements in the combined management report.

The Supervisory Board is responsible for overseeing the Group's accounting process for the preparation of the consolidated financial statements and the combined management report.

Responsibility of the statutory auditor for the audit of the consolidated financial statements and the combined management report

Our objective is to obtain reasonable assurance as to whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatements, whether due to fraud or error, and whether the combined management report as a whole provides an accurate picture of the Group's position and, in all material respects, is in accordance with the consolidated financial statements and the findings of our audit and German statutory provisions, and accurately depicts the opportunities and risks related to the future performance, and to issue an audit report that includes our audit opinion on the consolidated financial statements and the combined management report.

Reasonable assurance represents a high degree of certainty, but no guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Section 317 German Commercial Code (HGB) and the EU Audit Regulation as well as the German Generally Accepted Standards for Financial Statement Audits promulgated by the German Institute of Public Auditors (IDW) will always reveal a material misstatement. Misstatements may result from fraud or error and are considered material if it could reasonably be expected that they will, individually or collectively, influence the economic decisions of addressees made on the basis of these consolidated financial statements and the combined management report.

During our audit we exercise professional judgement and due scepticism. Moreover,

- we identify and assess the risks of material misstatements arising from fraud or error in the consolidated financial statements and the combined management report, plan and perform audit procedures in response to these risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to form the basis for our audit opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations or the override of internal controls;
- we obtain an understanding of the internal control system relevant to the audit of the consolidated financial statements and the arrangements and measures relevant to the audit of the combined management report that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an audit opinion on the effectiveness of these systems;
- we express an opinion on the appropriateness of the accounting policies used by the legal representatives and the reasonableness of the accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the legal representatives;
- we draw conclusions about the appropriateness of the going concern principle applied by the legal representatives and assess, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether there is material uncertainty in connection with events or circumstances that could raise significant doubts about the Group's ability to continue as a going concern. If we come to the conclusion that there is

material uncertainty, we are obliged to draw attention to the relevant information in the consolidated financial statements and the combined management report in our audit report or, if this information is inadequate, to modify our auditor's opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or circumstances may cause the Group to cease to continue as a going concern;

- we express an opinion on the presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements as a whole, including the disclosures, and assess whether the consolidated financial statements present the underlying transactions and events such that the consolidated financial statements give a true and fair view of the net assets, financial position and results of operations of the Group in accordance with the IFRS applicable within the EU and the additional requirements of German law in accordance with Section 315e (1) German Commercial Code (HGB);
- we obtain sufficient suitable audit evidence for the accounting information of the companies or business activities within the Group to enable us to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements and the combined management report. We are responsible for guiding the audit of the consolidated financial statements, its supervision and execution. We have sole responsibility for our audit opinions;
- we assess the consistency of the combined management report with the consolidated financial statements, its compliance with the law and the picture it portrays of the Group's position;
- we carry out audit procedures on the forward-looking statements presented by the legal representatives in the combined management report. Based on sufficient, appropriate audit evidence, we retrace in particular the significant assumptions underlying the forward-looking statements made by the legal representatives and assess the appropriate derivation of the forward-looking statements from these assumptions. We do not issue a separate audit opinion on the forward-looking statements and the underlying assumptions. There is significant unavoidable risk that future events could differ materially from the forward-looking statements.

We discuss with those charged with governance issues subjects such as the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any material deficiencies in the internal control system that we identify during our audit.

We make a statement to those charged with governance that we have complied with the relevant independence requirements and discuss with them all relationships and other matters that can reasonably be expected to affect our independence, and, where relevant, discuss the measures taken and safeguards applied to remedy any threats to auditor independence.

From the matters that we discussed with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were most significant in the audit of the consolidated financial statements for the current period under review and are therefore considered key audit matters. We describe these matters in the auditor's report, unless laws or other statutory provisions prohibit a public disclosure of such information.

Other statutory and regulatory requirements

Assurance report on the electronic reproductions of the consolidated financial statements and the combined management report prepared for the purpose of disclosure in accordance with Section 317 (3a) German Commercial Code (HGB)

Assurance conclusion

We have performed an assurance engagement in accordance with Section 317 (3a) German Commercial Code (HGB) to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the electronic reproduction of the consolidated financial statements and the combined management report (hereinafter the "ESEF documents") contained in the file provided Einhell_Germany_AG_KAuKLB_ESEF_2024-12-31.zip

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and prepared for publication purposes complies in all material respects with the requirements of Section 328 (1) German Commercial Code (HGB) for the electronic reporting format ("ESEF format"). In accordance with German legal requirements, this assurance engagement only extends to the conversion of the information contained in the consolidated financial statements and the combined management report into the ESEF format and therefore relates neither to the information contained in this reproduction nor any other information contained in the above-mentioned electronic file.

In our opinion, the reproduction of the consolidated financial statements and the combined management report contained in the above-mentioned electronic file and prepared for publication purposes complies in all material respects with the requirements of Section 328 (1) German Commercial Code (HGB) for the electronic reporting format. We do not express any opinion on the information contained in this reproduction nor on any other information contained in the above-mentioned file beyond this reasonable assurance conclusion and our audit opinion on the accompanying consolidated financial statements and the accompanying combined management report for the financial year from 1 January to 31 December 2024 contained in the "Report on the audit of the consolidated financial statements and of the combined management report" above.

Basis for the assurance opinion

We conducted our assessment of the reproduction of the consolidated financial statements and the combined management report contained in the above-mentioned electronic file in accordance with Section 317 (3a) German Commercial Code (HGB) and the IDW Assurance Standard: Assurance in accordance with Section 317 (3a) German Commercial Code (HGB) on the Electronic Reproduction of Financial Statements and Management Reports Prepared for Publication Purposes (IDW PS 410 (06.2022)). Our responsibility in accordance with this standard is further described in the section "Auditor's responsibility for the audit of the ESEF documents". Our audit firm has applied the IDW Standard on Quality Management: Requirements for Quality Management in Audit Firms (IDW QMS 1 (09.2022)).

Responsibility of the legal representatives and the Supervisory Board for the ESEF documents

The legal representatives of the company are responsible for the preparation of the ESEF documents including the electronic reproduction of the consolidated financial statements and the combined management report in accordance with Section 328 (1) sentence 4 item 1 German Commercial Code (HGB) and for the markup of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with Section 328 (1) sentence 4 item 2 German Commercial Code (HGB).

In addition, the legal representatives of the company are responsible for the internal controls they consider necessary to enable the preparation of ESEF documents that are free from material non-compliance with the requirements of Section 328 (1) German Commercial Code (HGB) for the electronic reporting format, whether due to fraud or error.

The Supervisory Board is responsible for overseeing the preparation process of the ESEF documents as part of the financial reporting process.

Auditor's responsibility for the assessment of the ESEF documents

Our objective is to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the ESEF documents are free from material non-compliance with the requirements of Section 328 (1) German Commercial Code (HGB), whether due to fraud or error. During our audit we exercise professional judgement and due scepticism. Moreover,

- we identify and assess the risks of material non-compliance with the requirements of Section 328 (1) German Commercial Code (HGB), whether due to fraud or error, design and perform assurance procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain assurance evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to form the basis for our assurance conclusion.
- we obtain an understanding of the internal control system relevant to the assessment of the ESEF documents in order to design assurance procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing a conclusion on the effectiveness of these controls.
- we evaluate the technical validity of the ESEF documents, i.e. we check whether the electronic file provided containing the ESEF documents meets the requirements of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/815 on the technical specification for this electronic file applicable on the reporting date.
- we evaluate whether the ESEF documents enable an XHTML reproduction with content equivalent to the audited consolidated financial statements and the audited combined management report.
- we evaluate whether the markup of the ESEF documents with Inline XBRL technology (iXBRL) in accordance with Articles 4 and 6 of the Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/815 as amended on the reporting date provides an appropriate and complete machine-readable XBRL copy of the XHTML reproduction.

Other disclosures in accordance with Article 10 of the EU Audit Regulation

We were appointed as statutory auditors of the consolidated financial statements by the Annual General Meeting on 28 June 2024. We received our mandate from the chairman of the Supervisory Board on 5 November 2024. We have been continuously acting as statutory auditors of the consolidated financial statements of Einhell Germany AG, Landau an der Isar, since financial year 2020.

We state that the audit opinions contained in this auditor's report are consistent with the additional report to the Supervisory Board in accordance with Article 11 of the EU Audit Regulation (audit report).

Other matters – use of the auditor's report

Our audit report should always be read in conjunction with the audited consolidated financial statements and the audited combined management report as well as the audited ESEF documents. The consolidated financial statements and combined management report converted into ESEF format, including the

versions to be published in the company register, are merely electronic reproductions of the audited consolidated financial statements and the audited combined management report, and do not replace them. The ESEF note and our audit opinion contained therein in particular may only be used in conjunction with the audited ESEF documentation provided in electronic form.

Responsible statutory auditor

The statutory auditor responsible for the audit is Jendrik Thies.

Nuremberg, 31 March 2025

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