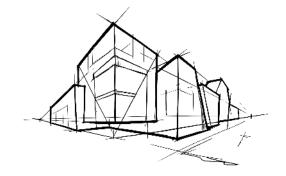


## Q1 2023 Financial results

11 May 2023





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## **Q1** highlights

Sales **866 MEUR** down 6% in reported figures

EBIT 104 MEUR up 2% Sales decrease in local currencies  $\sqrt{7\%}$ 

EBIT margin 12.0% up 1.0 percentage point

EBIT before Ukraine donation\* **117 MEUR** up 15%, with EBIT margin of 13.5%

\*) Excluding donation of 13.4 MEUR to the Foundation for Ukrainian Reconstruction

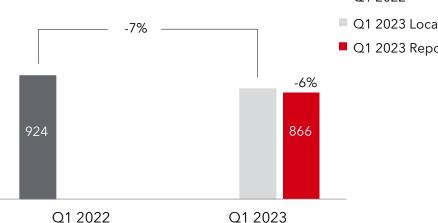
Free cash flow

-12 MEUR



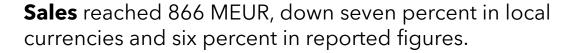
## **Q1** sales down seven percent in local currencies





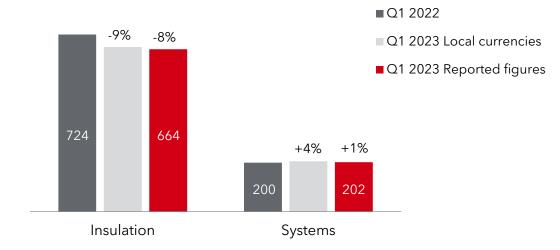
Q1 2022

2023 Local currencies Q1 2023 Reported figures



The decrease was driven by lower volume, which was partly offset by higher sales prices.

#### Net sales per business segment MEUR



**Insulation** segment sales reached 664 MEUR, down nine percent in local currencies mainly related to lower volume especially in Eastern Europe.

**Systems** segment sales reached 202 MEUR, up four percent in local currencies, with Rockfon performing well in the quarter.

## **Q1 regional sales development**

#### Growth in local currencies

Western Europe **4%**  $\checkmark$ five percent in reported figures

Eastern Europe and Russia **27%** ↓ 22 percent in reported figures

North America, Asia & others **4%** five percent in reported figures

#### Key developments

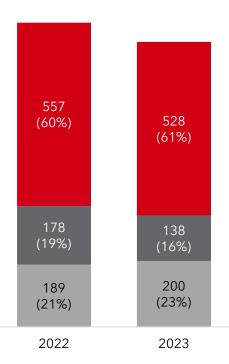
- In many markets, sales decreased compared to same period last year.
- United Kingdom, France, and Spain had a good quarter.
- Decrease driven by Poland and Russia.
- Sales decreased in most countries.

- Sales in North America drove the sales increase.
- Sales also increased in some markets in Asia.

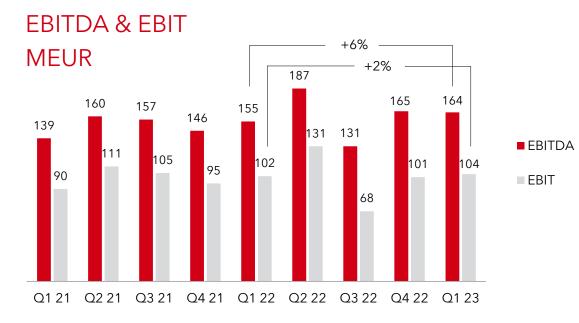
#### Geographic share of sales

MEUR, reported figures

Western Europe
Eastern Europe and Russia
North America, Asia and others



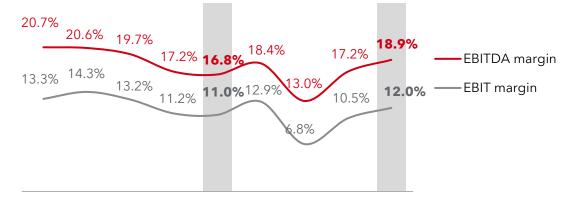
## **Q1 profitability improved**



#### **EBITDA** reached 164 MEUR, up six percent.

- EBITDA margin of 18.9 percent compared to 16.8 percent last year.
- Excluding the 13.4 MEUR donation to the Foundation for Ukrainian Reconstruction, EBITDA was up 14 percent with a margin of 20.5 percent.

EBITDA / EBIT margin (%)

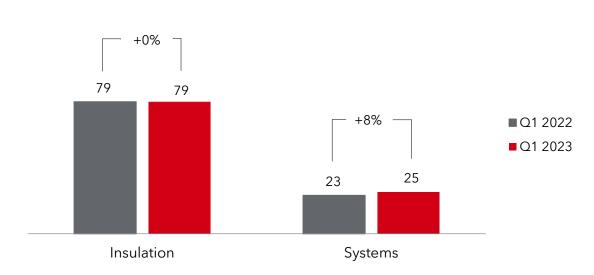


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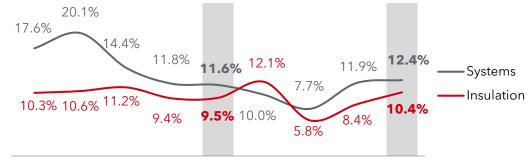
**EBIT** amounted to 104 MEUR, up two percent.

- Excluding the 13.4 MEUR donation to the Foundation for Ukrainian Reconstruction, EBIT was 117 MEUR with an EBIT margin of 13.5 percent.
- The margin recovery was driven by higher sales prices implemented during 2022 as well as stabilising input costs.

## **Q1 profitability by business segment**



EBIT margin (%)



Q1 21 Q2 21 Q3 21 Q4 21 Q1 22 Q2 22 Q3 22 Q4 22 Q1 23

**Insulation** EBIT at 79 MEUR, at level with last year.

- EBIT margin was 10.4 percent, up 0.9 percentage points compared to Q1 2022.
- Excluding the 13.4 MEUR donation to the Foundation for Ukrainian Reconstruction, EBIT margin in Q1 2023 was 12.1 percent, up 2.6 percentage points.

## **Systems** EBIT amounted to 25 MEUR in Q1 2023, up 2 MEUR.

 EBIT margin was 12.4 percent, compared to 11.6 percent in Q1 2022.

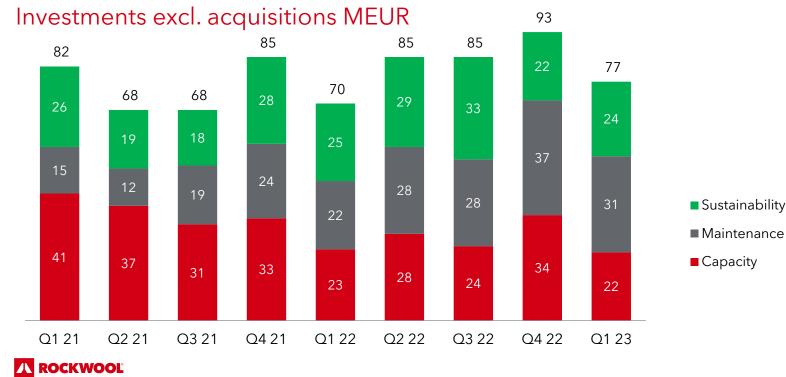
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EBIT MEUR

## **Q1** investment activities

**Investments** excluding acquisitions totalled 77 MEUR in Q1 2023, compared to 70 MEUR in Q1 2022.

 The sustainability investment for conversion to electrical melter in Flumroc (Switzerland), additional production capacity in Bohumin (Czech Republic), additional Rockpanel capacity in Roermond (Netherlands), and additional Grodan capacity in Toronto (Canada) were the largest individual projects.





#### Free cash flow MEUR

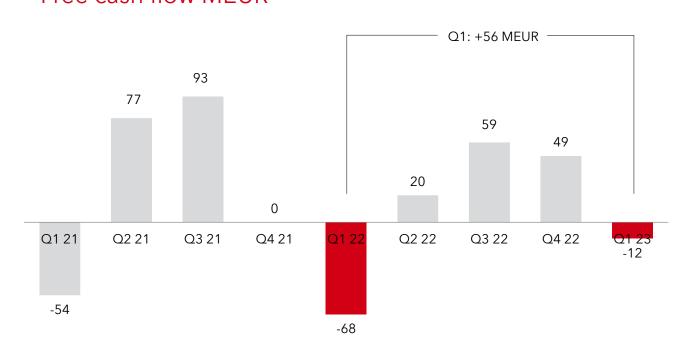
**Q1 free cash flow** was -12 MEUR, compared to -68 MEUR in Q1 2022.

**Q1** free cash flow

**Net working capital** was 13.3 percent (Q1 2022: 12.4 percent) of net sales and ended at 510 MEUR, an increase of 95 MEUR compared to Q1 2022.

This mainly reflects planned higher seasonal inventory compared to last year, where the high sales did not allow for inventory build-up.

**Net debt position** of 50 MEUR and unused credit facilities of 350 MEUR end of Q1 2023.





## **Outlook full year 2023**

## Sales

1

Sales **decline** of up to **10 percent** in local currencies.

## 2 EBIT

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EBIT margin **around 10 percent**, changed from previously between 8-10 percent.

### 3 Investment

Investment level **around 400 MEUR** excluding acquisitions.



## **Key figures for the Group**

MEUR	Q1 2023	Q1 2022	YoY (%)	FY 2022
Income statement				
Net sales	866	924	-6.2%	3 907
EBITDA	164	155	5.5%	638
EBIT	104	102	1.9%	402
Profit before tax	106	83	28.1%	358
Profit for the period	78	63	24.8%	273
Balance sheet				
Total assets	3 606	3 340	8.0%	3 428
Equity	2 616	2 455	6.6%	2 580
Equity ratio	72.6%	73.5%	-0.9pp	75.3%

## Questions?



# Thank you

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