

# Q1 2023 RESULTS

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# LEADERS IN END-TO-END CAPACITY SOLUTIONS FOR PASSENGER AND CARGO AIRLINES WORLDWIDE

#### Q1 2023 Revenue geography by clients: LOGISTICS & DISTRIBUTION Europe – 71.9%; Cargo charter Asia – 11.4%; Сгеw capacity training & Wet Lease Americas – 7.5%; recruitment SUPPORT SERVICES Group Charters Africa – 5.5%; On Board Courier ACMI Other – 3.8%. Spare parts & Private Jet Charters capacity Aircraft Maintenance (MRO) & Spare Parts engines Trade of an aircrafts with a lease attached Ground Handling & Fuelling Damp Lease MRO Passenger Aviation Training & Recruitment Cargo Charters charter Q1 2023 Human Humanitarian Airlifts capacity capital spread by Ground service, Aircraft fleet sourcing for the group geography: Fueling companies Aircraft Europe – 90.1%; trade & lease capacity Asia – 9.0%; Americas – 0.9%; Other – 0.0%. €285 m BB-/BB €23 m €405 m Cash and Short-term Deposits S&P / Fitch Ratings O1 2023 revenue **O1 2023 EBITDA** as of 31 March 2023 as of 13 October 2022 / 28 April 2023 2

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\* Net Debt definition is in Glossary

#### **KEY HIGHLIGHTS**





## **PASSENGER TRANSPORTATION SECTOR**

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#### Global

- Global passenger traffic exhibited strong growth in March, with industry-wide revenue passenger-kilometers (RPKs) increasing by 52% YoY and reaching 88% of March 2019 levels. Domestic RPKs were almost fully recovered, only 1% below pre-pandemic levels after growing 34% YoY. International RPKs increased 69% YoY, demonstrating resilient demand for air travel. The reopening of China and easing of travel restrictions has accelerated the recovery of domestic and international traffic.
- Compared to a year ago, available seat kilometers (ASKs) grew by 41% in March, which increased the industry-wide load factor by 6% to reach 81%. These load factor improvements were broad based and pushed the industry load factor close to its all-time high for the month of March.

#### Europe

- In April 2023, average daily flights grew slowly and reached 90% of the 2019 level.
- Intra-Europe flights are at -7% compared to the 2019 level, while non intra-Europe are 10% down basically because flows between Europe and Other Europe (incl. Russia) are at -68% compared to the 2019 level.
- Looking ahead, domestic and international ticket sales suggest that a full and sustained recovery is around the corner.



#### Europe flights since May 2021 as comparison with 2019

#### Traffic evolution between regions





Sources: IATA Economics, IATA Monthly Statistics, Eurocontrol

#### **GLOBAL CARGO SECTOR**

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- Global air cargo demand decreased in March, but at a slower rate than in February and January, with cargo tonne-kilometers (CTKs) falling by 8% YoY. This reflects a continued trend of improvement compared to the steep annual decline of -17% observed in January and double-digit decreases in earlier months.
- Air cargo capacity grew 10% YoY, primarily due to the increasing belly-hold capacity from passenger aircraft. As a result, cargo load factors fell to 46%, 9% lower than last year's load factors.
- China's reopening has helped its economic outlook and cargo traffic on Asia Pacific trade lanes, but its new export orders retreated in March after a slight improvement in February. Other major economies also saw contractions in their new export orders in March compared to February.

#### Cargo-tonne kilometres (CTKs) levels



Available cargo tonne-kilometres (ACTKs) Industry ACTKs (billions per month)



#### Freight Index (BAI)\*



Sources: IATA Economics, IATA Monthly Statistics, Baltic exchange \* - Baltic Exchange Air Freight Index (BAI)

#### **Q1 2023 KEY FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS**

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### **LOGISTICS & DISTRIBUTION**







#### **CASH AND DEBT POSITION**

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- IFRS16 in Passenger ACMI segment: €381 m
- IFRS16 in Cargo ACMI segment: €166 m
- IFRS16 in Support Services segment: €52 m
- Other lease liabilities: €31 m



**Cash and Debt dynamics** 



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### **INCOME STATEMENT (CUMULATIVE)**

#### Consolidated statements of comprehensive income

in € m	Q1 2023	Q1 2022
Revenue	404.8	317.1
Other income	0.8	0.7
Cost of services and goods purchased	(278.1)	(208.8)
Depreciation and amortisation	(42.0)	(21.7)
Employee related expenses	(85.8)	(66.1)
Other operating expenses	(21.9)	(17.3)
Impairment losses of financial assets	(0.1)	(9.3)
Other impairment-related expenses	0.0	(6.1)
Other gain/(loss) - net	3.5	19.7
Operating profit (loss)	(18.7)	8.3
Finance income	6.4	0.1
Finance cost	(24.2)	(18.3)
Finance costs – net	(17.8)	(18.2)
Share of profit (losses) of associates	0.0	0.0
Profit (loss) before income tax	(36.5)	(9.8)
Income tax	3.0	(3.2)
Profit (loss) for the period	(33.5)	(13.0)

\* Pro-forma definition is in Glossary

• Group ramped-up for the upcoming high season by incepting fleet by 49 new aircrafts Q1 2023 vs Q1 2022. This also caused increase in costs respectively:

- €18 m in Depreciation and amortisation;
- €13 m in Crew costs;
- €10,5 m in aircraft maintenance costs;
- €7 m in other aircraft operation costs.
- Profitability to improve significantly once ACMI high season starts in May;
- Other gains in Q1 2022 include 3 aircraft sales lease-back arrangements to our Cargo ACMI company;
- Most of aircraft fuel expenses €78 m in Q1 2023 vs €70 m in Q1 2022 are passed on to customers.

IFRS16 expenses							
in€m	FY 2019 pro-forma	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	Q1 2023		
Support services	(4.0)	(10.6)	(9.8)	(10.4)	(2.9)		
Logistics and Distribution	(79.1)	(78.8)	(48.3)	(97.4)	(40.8)		
Other	(0.4)	(2.9)	(2.5)	(2.8)	(0.8)		
TOTAL:	(83.6)	(92.3)	(60.6)	(110.6)	(44.5)		

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## **FREE CASH FLOW (CUMULATIVE)**

Key cash-flow drivers:

- **Operating activities** low season in ACMI sector;
- **Repayment of lease liabilities** payment for ACMI lease-in aircraft;
- Other investment activities sale of one office building in AeroCity campus.

Condensed consolidated statements of cash flows:	Q1 2023	Q1 2022
in€m		
Changes in working capital	11.2	23.4
Operating activities	(7.3)	19.8
Net cash generated from (used in) operating activities	3.9	43.2
Purchase of PPE and intangible assets	(36.6)	(21.6)
Other investing activities	19.7	2.9
Net cash generated from (used in) investing activities	(16.9)	(18.7)
Repayment of lease liabilities	(21.1)	(12.0)
Other financing activities	(5.0)	(0.5)
Net cash generated from (used in) financing activities	(26.1)	(12.5)
Increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(39.1)	12.0
Cash and short term deposits at the beginning of period	324.4	442.0
Cash and short term deposits at the end of period	285.3	454.0

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#### CAPEX

- Crew Training and Staffing investments in France flight training centre;
- **Cargo** acquisition of B737 for conversion to cargo;
- Passenger capitalized aircraft preparation and overhaul cost;
- Unallocated investments in AeroCity real estate campus – modern cluster of aviation companies in Vilnius.

Êm		Q1 2023
Support Services	Aircraft Maintenance, Repair and Overhaul (MRO)	2.0
	Aircraft Ground Handling, Fueling and Logistics	0.9
	Crew Training and Staffing	3.0
	Total as per subgroup	5.9
Logistics and Distribution	Passenger	9.4
	Cargo	12.2
	Total as per subgroup	21.7
Unallocated	Total as per subgroup	9.0
	TOTAL CAPEX	36.6
€m		Q1 2023
§Α		2.0

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