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Investment Story



Market leader in resilient fiber-based consumer packaging

Drive efficiency and innovation to increase market share in sustainable folding cartons and papers

Diversified market and product **portfolio**

Combine organic growth and acquisitions

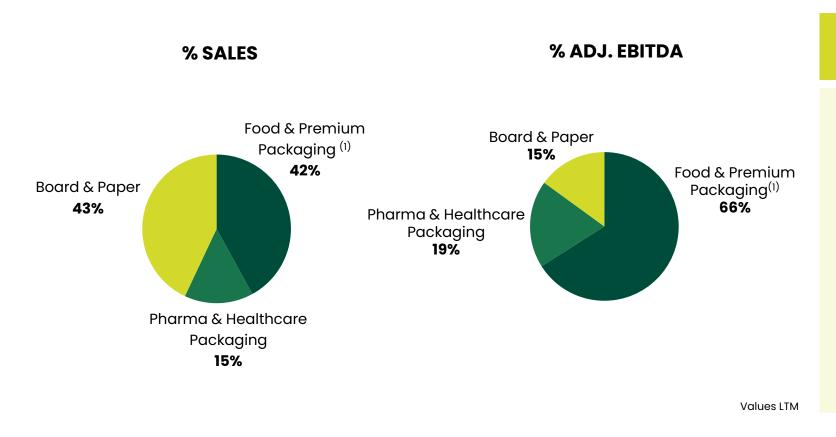
Adhere to a solid financial policy

Long-term orientated core shareholder and management

MM Group in facts and figures



We are a leading global producer of folding cartons and cartonboard with an attractive offer in kraft and uncoated fine papers, operating in three divisions.



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EUR 4.0 BILLION

SALES

387 adj. EBITDA (in millions of EUR)

3.1 million tonnes cartonboard. paper and pulp produced

14.865 employees worldwide in

AAA CDP - Rating leadership status climate rating Disclosure Insight Action

4.8 ROCE (in %)

4.0 billion volume of packaging produced in m²

70 locations

58%

of shares core shareholder families (syndicate)

Operating as independent divisions



MM Board & Paper sells 84 % of cartonboard to external customers.



MM Board & Paper

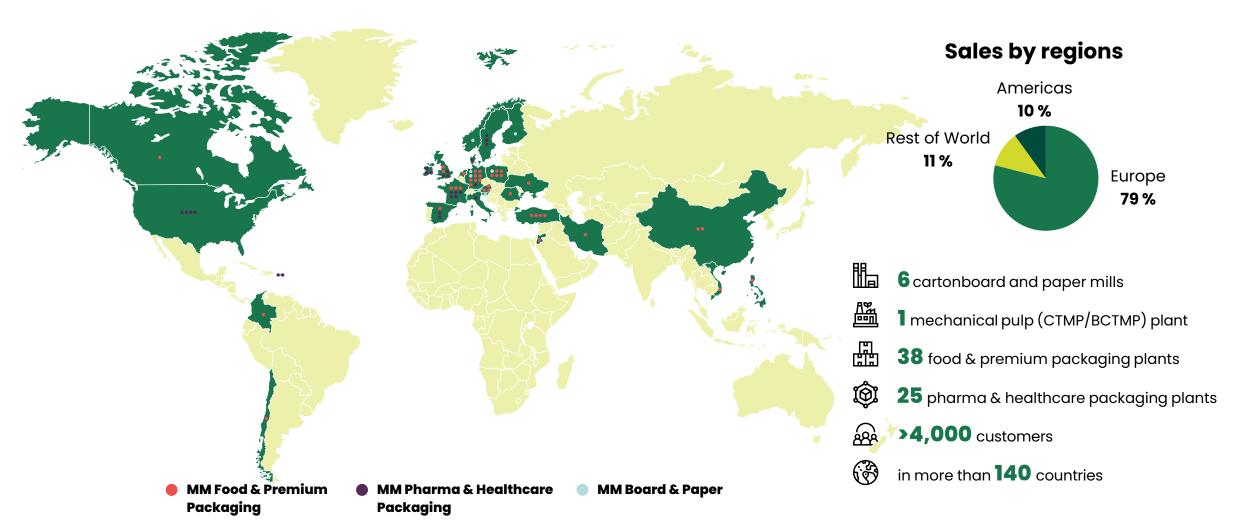
sells 1.5 million tonnes of cartonboard

MM Food & Premium Packaging and MM Pharma Packaging

buy 0.6 million tonnes of cartonboard, thereof more than one third internally (1)

International footprint close to our customers





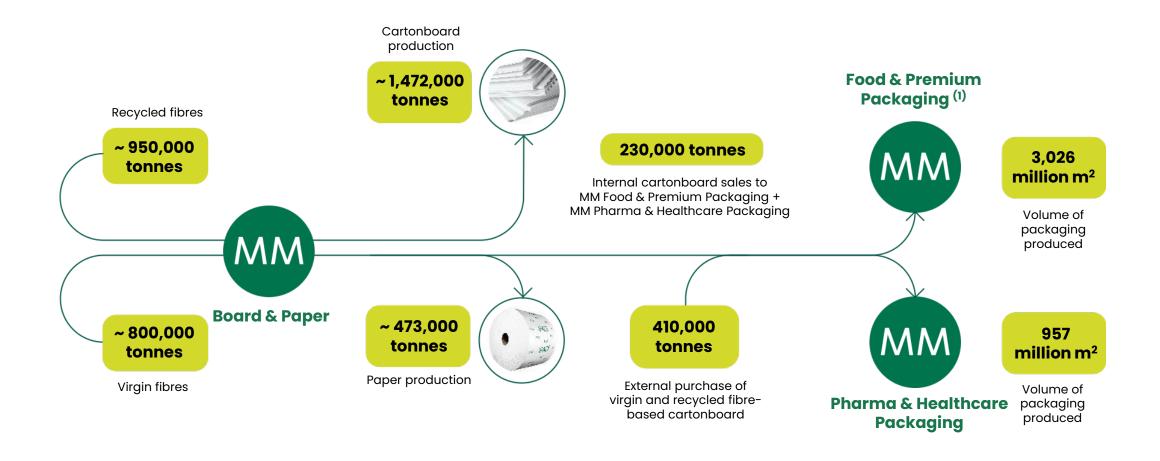




2. Business Structure

Business Structure





Long-term partnerships

with industry leading companies



























































3. Strategy

Strategic transformation for more competitiveness



Launch of strategic investment programme 2020-2023 for Board & Paper and Packaging divisions:

- Cost reductions
- Quality
- Innovation
- Sustainability

Closing Hirschwang board mill

Stenghtening activities in virgin fibre-based cartonboard and expansion product portfolio:

- Acquisition of virgin fiber board & paper mill <u>Kotkamills</u>, Finland
- Acquisition of integrated pulp and paper mill <u>Kwidzyn</u>, Poland

Sale of smaller virgin fibre mills Eerbeek and Baiersbronn Expanding in the resilient and profitable **pharma** & healthcare market:

 Acquisition of <u>EssentraPackag</u> <u>ing</u> and Eson Pac

Sale of Packaging sites in Russia

Discontinuation of production at smaller cartonboard machine in Kolicevo

Major investment programme in the Frohnleiten, Neuss and Kolicevo board mills executed

Successful execution of profit & cash protection programme











MM - Fit for the Future



Most important goals and challenges 2025 and beyond



Leading in Consumer Packaging

- iii Focus on cash generation enhancing earnings
- Targeted price increases, securing and expanding volumes (quality, service, sustainability)
- Continuation of **profit & cash protection programme**; previous measures particularly evident in 2025 further cost reduction and productivity enhancement measures throughout the Group
- Investment in increasing the share of sustainable, renewable energy
- Focus on market leadership in core competences (folding cartons and cartonboard)
- Cost, technology & innovation leader driven by a strong asset and employee base
- **Continuous structural optimisation**
- Special **growth focus** on **Pharma & Healthcare** division (organic / medium-term acquisitive)
- Strengthening **MM as an attractive employer** junior staff, talent management and succession planning
- ! We expect headwinds also in 2025





4. Development Q1-3/2024

Q1-3/2024 MM Group Highlights

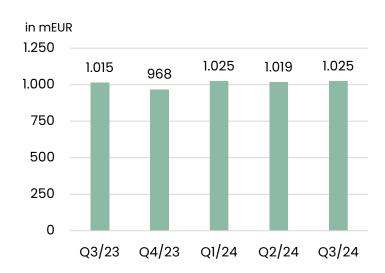


- 3rd quarter affected by annual maintenance downtime at Board & Paper
- Packaging divisions with continued solid performance
- Board & Paper despite significant volume increase affected by lower prices and higher costs
- Effects of targeted cartonboard price increases and consistent cost savings expected by 2025
- Consumer restraint continues in end markets

MM Group Quarterly Overview

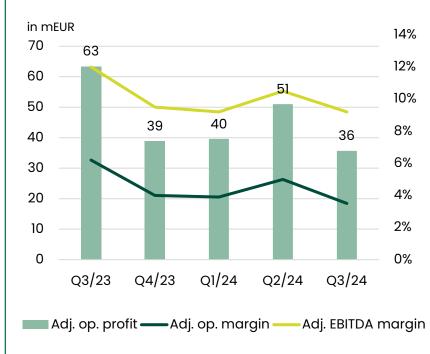




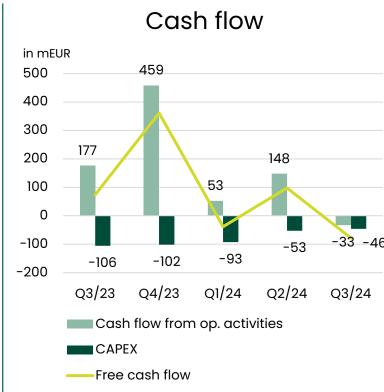


 Q3 sales increased slightly due to higher volume

Adj. operating profit



- Results below Q2 2024 and the previous year's figure
- Manly due to planned annual maintenance at B&P (-25 mEUR Q3 impact)



- Q3 Cash flow from operating activities and free cash flow down due to working capital
- Lower CAPEX after major investments in 2023

MM Group Q1-3/2024 Results



(consolidated in mEUR, IFRS)	Q1-3/2024	Q1-3/2023	+/-
Sales	3,068.8	3,196.5	- 4.0 %
Adjusted EBITDA ¹⁾ Adjusted EBITDA margin	295.7 9.6 %	358.7 11.2 %	- 17.6 % - 159 bp
Adjusted operating profit ¹⁾ Adusted operating margin (%) Operating profit	126.3 4.1 % 126.3	190.4 6.0 % 159.8	- 33.7 % - 184 bp - 21.0 %
Return on capital employed ²⁾ (%)	4.8 %	8.4 %	- 361 bp
Profit before tax Income tax expense	70.9 (18.6)	118.9 (27.7)	- 40.4 %
Profit for the period Net profit margin (%)	52.3 1.7 %	91.2 2.9 %	- 42.7 %
Earnings per share (in EUR)	2.54	4.50	- 43.6 %
Cash flow from operating activities Free cash flow	167.6 (18.8)	327.3 8.8	- 48.8 % n.m.
Capital expenditures	191.3	323.5	- 40.9 %
Depreciation and amortisation ³⁾	169.4	168.2	+ 0.7 %

⁾ adjusted for material one-off effects (material defined as impact on operating profit of more than EUR 10 million)

²⁾ The calculation is based on the adjusted result figure and refers to the average of the last 12 months.

³⁾ incl. impairment on property, plant and equipment and intangible assets

MM Consolidated Balance Sheet

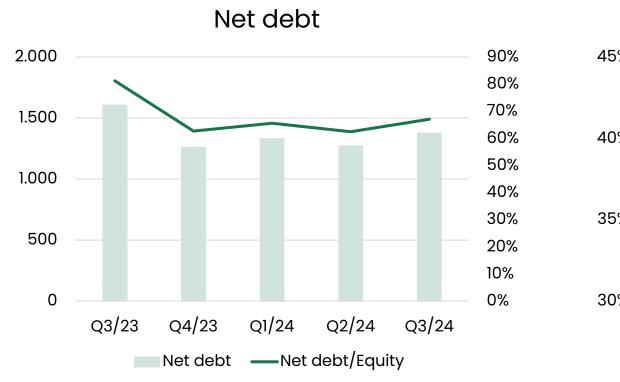


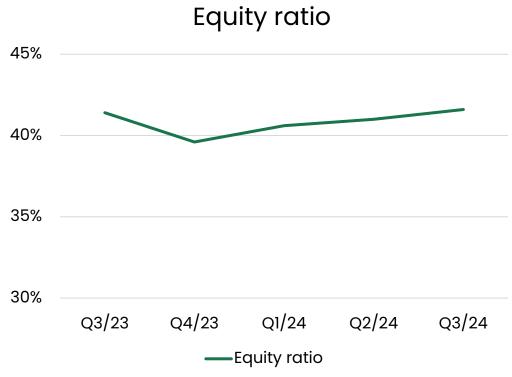
(consolidated in mEUR, IFRS)	Sep. 30, 2024	Dec. 31, 2023
Non-current assets Current assets Total assets	3,209.5 1,738.8 4,948.3	3,159.0 1,917.9 5,076.9
Equity Liabilities Total equity and liabilities	2,057.5 2,890.8 4,948.3	2,012.4 3,064.5 5,076.9
Total funds available to the Group	519.7	757.5
Equity ratio (in %) Net debt	41.6 %	39.6 %
Net debt/Adjusted EBITDA ¹⁾ Net debt/Equity (in %)	1,380.2 3.6 67.0 %	1,261.9 2.8 63.0 %
Capital employed	3,410.6	3,546.3

¹⁾ The calculation is based on the adjusted EBITDA of the last twelve months.

Stable Group balance sheet



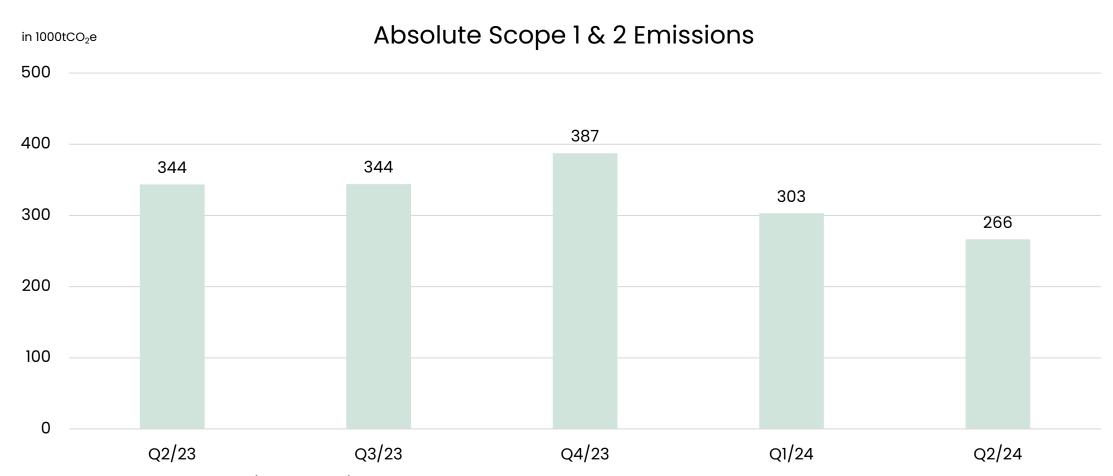




MM Group Carbon Footprint



Considerable 23% reduction 1st HY 24 vs. 1st HY 23 (569,294 tCO₂e /737,926 tCO₂e)



MM Group ESG targets





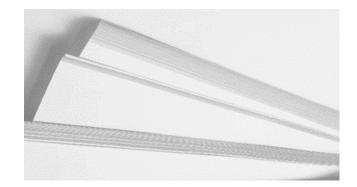
Decarbonisation

Reduction of direct and indirect greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions to mitigate global warming to below 1.5°C:

- · Reduce GHG emissions from operations (scope 1 and 2) 50.4 % by 2031 (base year: 2019)*
- Reduce GHG emissions from the value chain (scope 3) 58.1 % per Euro value added by 2031 (base year: 2019)*
- Increase annual sourcing of renewable and/or low-carbon electricity from 15.6% in 2019 to 95%
- · Committed to Net Zero by 2050

by 2031 and 100% by 2050

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Raw materials

- · Profound understanding of impacts and risks concerning biodiversity
- 100 % responsible sourced wood based raw materials by 2030
- 75 % reduction of waste to landfill intensity till 2030
- 99 % process residues utilisation (recycling/reuse/incineration with energy rec.) rate by 2030
- 30 % reduction of process waste per saleable ton by 2030



Water**

- Profound understanding of impacts and risks concerning water usage
- MM is committed to continue treating 100% of the process water.
- Achieve ≥ 90 % efficiency for water consumption by 2025
- Improve the use of process water (excl. cooling water) by 30 % per saleable ton until 2030
- · All Board & Paper production sites are third party certificated by 2030



Leading in Consumer Packaging

MM Food & Premium Packaging¹⁾





Leading global producer of folding cartons



We continuously work towards enhancing and innovating our range of fibre-based products, aiming to surpass our customers' expectations by providing sustainable packaging solutions for their products.

42% of Group sales

#1

Producer of folding cartons in Europe

3.1 billion

of packaging produced in m² (LTM)

38
production sites
worldwide

6,880

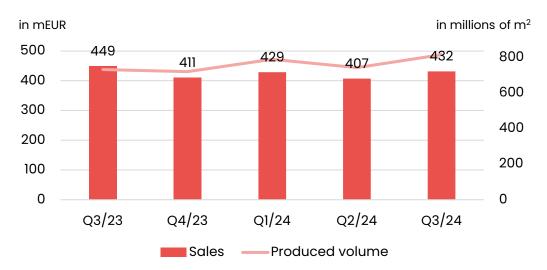
employees worldwide

as of Sep. 30, 2024

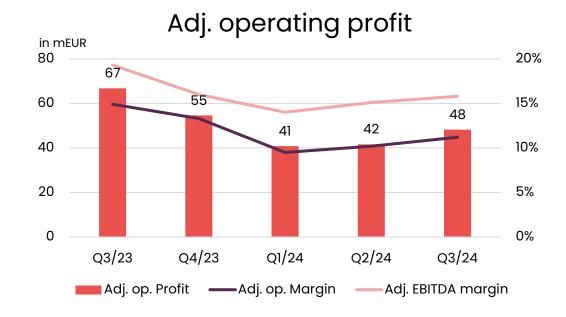
MM Food & Premium Packaging Quarterly Overview







 Solid performance due to new business with innovative products



- Solid adj. operating margin of roughly 11 %
- Effective cost reductions and productivity increases

MM Food & Premium Packaging Q1-3/2024 Results

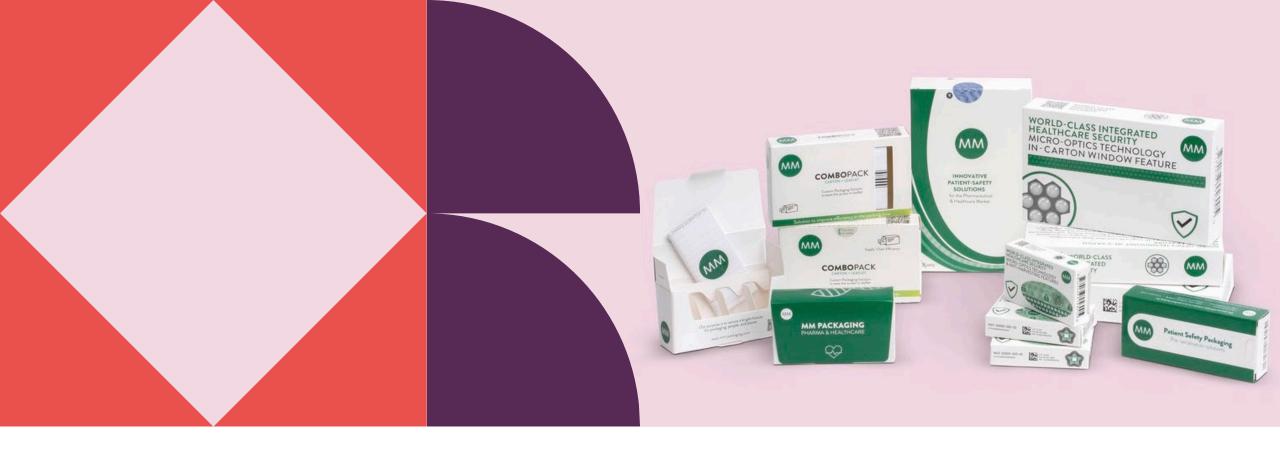


(consolidated in mEUR, IFRS)	Q1-3/2024	Q1-3/2023	+/-
Sales ¹⁾	1,267.5	1,370.3	- 7.5 %
Adjusted EBITDA	189.6	216.9	- 12.6 %
Adjusted operating profit Adusted operating margin (%) Operating profit	130.6 10.3 % 130.6	160.3 11.7 % 144.0	- 18.5 % - 140 bp - 9.3 %
Capital employed ²⁾ Return on capital employed ²⁾ (%)	1,180.5 15.7 %	1,300.0 16.4 %	- 9.2 % - 74 bp
Cash flow from operating activities Free cash flow	147.8 100.9	223.8 126.6	- 33.9 % - 20.4 %
Produced volume (in millions of m ²)	2,341	2,309	+ 1.4 %
Employees	6,880	6,829 ²⁾	
Capital expenditures	47.5	101.4	
Depreciation and amortisation	58.8	56.5	

¹⁾ incl. interdivisional sales

²⁾ The calculation of the previous year's figure is based on the average of the last nine months.

³⁾ as of December 31, 2023



Leading in Consumer Packaging

MM Pharma & Healthcare Packaging





Leading producer of secondary pharma packaging



MM Pharma & Healthcare Packaging is a market leader in Europe and US with strong position in GLP-1 analoga. Our offering from a global production network includes folding cartons, leaflets and labels.

15% of Group sales

#1

producer of secondary pharma packaging in Europe and the US

0.9 billion

of packaging produced in m² (LTM)

25
production sites
worldwide

3,659

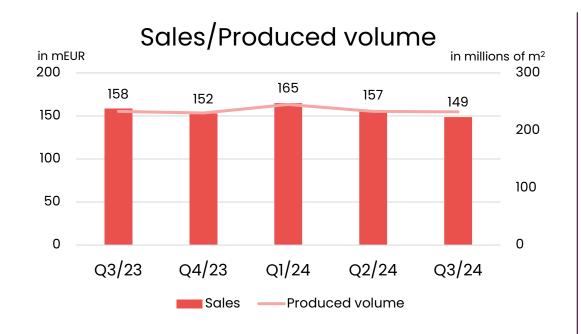
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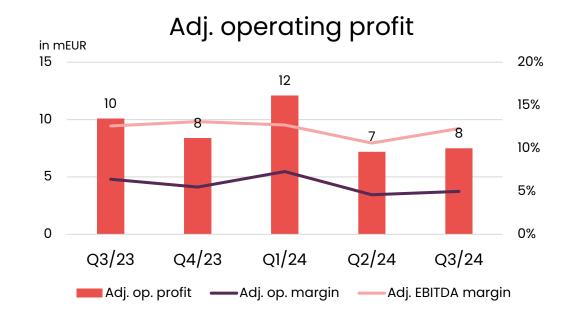
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MM Pharma & Healthcare Packaging Quarterly Overview





 Sales impacted by continued subdued demand due to reduction of industry inventories



 Slight improved profits held back due to current destocking and extra costs from starting up new machines

MM Pharma & Healthcare Packaging Q1-3/2024 Results



(consolidated in mEUR, IFRS)	Q1-3/2024	Q1-3/2023	+/-
Sales ¹⁾	470.2	501.3	- 6.2 %
Adjusted EBITDA	55.9	55.1	+ 1.4 %
Adjusted operating profit	26.8	25.7	+ 4.2 %
Adusted operating margin (%)	5.7 %	5.1 %	+ 57 bp
Operating profit	26.8	11.4	+ 134.3 %
Capital employed ²⁾	414.3	411.4	+ 0.7 %
Return on capital employed ²⁾ (%)	8.5 %	8.3 %	+ 13 pb
Cash flow from operating activities	32.8	26.4	24.6 %
Free cash flow	(12.2)	(9.9)	+ 23.1 %
Produced volume (in millions of m ²)	710	727	- 2.4 %
Employees	3,659	3,679 ²⁾	
Capital expenditures	47.0	36.5	
Depreciation and amortisation	29.2	29.4	

¹⁾ incl. interdivisional sales

²⁾ The calculation of the previous year's figure is based on the average of the last nine months.

³⁾ as of December 31, 2023



Leading in Consumer Packaging

MM Board & Paper





Europe's largest cartonboard producer



We produce virgin fibre cartonboard, recycled cartonboard, packaging papers, saturating kraft, liner, barrier cartonboard, uncoated fine paper and pulp.

6

cartonboard mills in 5 countries

mechanical pulp mill

10

board & paper machines

3.1 million

tonnes cartonboard, paper and pulp produced (LTM) **≈110**

export countries

4,326

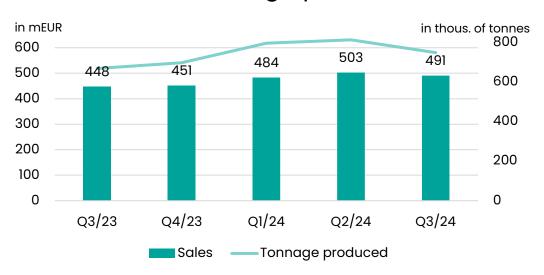
employees

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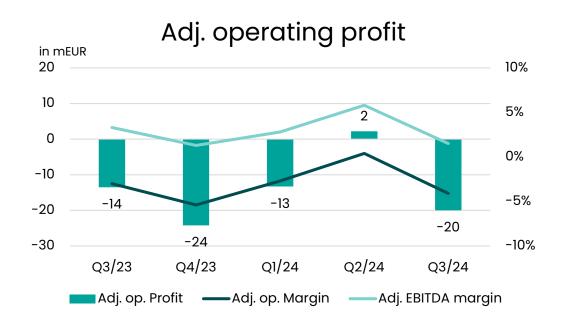
MM Board & Paper Quarterly Overview



Sales/Tonnage produced



- Significant increase in tonnage produced
- · Lower average selling prices weigh on sales



 Adj. operating margin decreased due to planned annual maintenance downtime

MM Board & Paper Q1-3/2024 Results



(consolidated in mEUR, IFRS)	Q1-3/2024	Q1-3/2023	+/-
Sales ¹⁾	1,477.3	1,467.7	+ 0.7 %
Adjusted EBITDA	50.2	86.7	- 42.1 %
Adjusted operating profit Adusted operating margin (%) Operating profit	(31.1) -2.1 % (31.1)	4.4 0.3 % 4.4	n.m. - 241 bp n.m.
Capital employed ²⁾ Return on capital employed ²⁾ (%)	1,815.8 -3.0 %	1,846.6 5.0 %	-1.7 % - 802 bp
Cash Flow aus der Geschäftstätigkeit Free cash flow	(13.0) (107.5)	77.1 (107.9)	n.m. -0.4%
Tonnage produced (in thous. of tonnes) Cartonboard Paper	2,354 1,346 363	1,998 1,086 352	+ 17.8 % + 23.9 % + 2.9 %
Pulp ³⁾	645	560	+ 15.3 %
Market pulp Internal pulp	84 561	46 514	+ 85.4 % + 9.1 %
Employees	4,326	4,579 ⁴⁾	
Capital expenditures	96.8	185.6	
Depreciation and amortisation	81.4	82.3	

¹⁾ incl. interdivisional sales

²⁾ The calculation is based on the average of the last twelve months.

³⁾ Chemical pulp and CTMP

⁴⁾ as of December 31, 2023





5. Outlook

Outlook



- Subdued market dynamics to continue
- Focus on securing and expanding volumes
- Targeted price increases in Board & Paper take effect mainly in 2025
- Consistently executed profit & cash protection programme to enhance earnings and cash generation
 Majority of cost savings expected to materialise in 2025
- Capital expenditures of around EUR 250 million in 2024
- MM Board & Paper expected to return to a slightly positive result in the 4th quarter
- Optimised asset base, consistent measures to strengthen competitiveness and a solid financial base
 - well positioned for ongoing market weakness and structural changes





6. Appendix

MM Group Quarterly Overview



(consolidated in mEUR, IFRS)	Q1/2023	Q2/2023	Q3/2023	Q4/2023	Q1/2024	Q2/2024	Q3/2024
Sales	1,122.1	1,059.3	1,015.1	967.9	1,025.0	1,018.9	1,024.9
Adjusted EBITDA	133.6	103.7	121.4	91.5	94.5	107.2	94.0
Adjusted operating profit Adusted operating margin (%) Operating profit	78.7	48.3	63.4	38.8	39.6	51.0	35.7
	7.0 %	4.6 %	6.2 %	4.0 %	3.9 %	5.0 %	3.5 %
	61.6	42.4	55.8	37.8	39.6	51.0	35.7
Capital Employed Return on capital employed (%)	3,309.3	3,449.8	3,558.0	3,546.3	3,515.0	3,455.2	3,410.6
	16.0 %	11.7 %	8.4 %	6.5 %	5.4 %	5.6 %	4.8 %
Profit before tax Income tax expense	49.0	28.2	41.7	17.8	18.0	33.2	19.7
	(14.1)	0.2	(13.8)	(19.9)	(7.1)	(6.7)	(4.8)
Profit for the period Net profit margin (%)	34.9	28.4	27.9	(2.1)	10.9	26.5	14.9
	3.1 %	2.7 %	2.7 %	-0.2 %	1.1 %	2.6 %	1.5 %
Earnings per share (in EUR)	1.71	1.41	1.38	-0.14	0.52	1.30	0.72
Cash flow from operating activities Free cash flow	67.2	82.9	177.2	458.9	52.5	148.1	(33.0)
	(28.6)	(36.3)	73.7	361.0	(38.5)	97.9	(78.2)
Capital expenditures	96.4	121.4	105.7	101.8	92.8	52.7	45.8

MM Food & Premium Packaging Quarterly Results



(consolidated in mEUR, IFRS)	Q1/2023	Q2/2023	Q3/2023	Q4/2023	Q1/2024	Q2/2024	Q3/2024
Sales ¹⁾	483.0	438.3	449.0	410.9	428.9	407.0	431.6
Adjusted EBITDA	62.2	67.9	86.8	65.6	60.1	61.3	68.2
Adjusted operating profit	43.7	49.8	66.8	54.6	40.8	41.6	48.2
Adusted operating margin (%)	9.0 %	11.4 %	14.9 %	13.3 %	9.5 %	10.2 %	11.2 %
Operating profit	28.0	49.1	66.9	55.8	40.8	41.6	48.2
Capital employed ²⁾	1,196.1	1,258.0	1,300.0	1,272.2	1,243.0	1,210.1	1,180.5
Return on capital employed ²⁾ (%)	14.6 %	14.9 %	16.4 %	16.9 %	17.1 %	16.9 %	15.7 %
Cash flow from operating activities	65.0	70.3	88.5	194.6	47.3	71.9	28.6
Free cash flow	34.5	38.1	54.0	175.9	25.8	58.9	16.2
Capital expenditures	31.1	34.0	36.3	21.5	23.1	13.8	10.6
Produced volume (in millions of m ²)	845	734	730	718	787	741	813

¹⁾ incl. interdivisional sale

²⁾ The calculation is based on the average of the last three, six and nine months respectively.

MM Pharma & Healthcare Packaging Quarterly Results



(consolidated in mEUR, IFRS)	Q1/2023	Q2/2023	Q3/2023	Q4/2023	Q1/2024	Q2/2024	Q3/2024
Sales ¹⁾	174.1	169.1	158.1	152.3	164.8	156.8	148.6
Adjusted EBITDA	17.1	18.1	19.9	19.9	21.0	16.6	18.3
Adjusted operating profit	7.3	8.3	10.1	8.4	12.1	7.2	7.5
Adusted operating margin (%)	4.2 %	4.9 %	6.4 %	5.5 %	7.3 %	4.6 %	5.0 %
Operating profit	5.9	3.1	2.4	6.2	12.1	7.2	7.5
Capital employed ²⁾	367.7	394.7	411.4	405.0	408.9	409.3	414.3
Return on capital employed ²⁾ (%)	8.0 %	7.9 %	8.3 %	8.4 %	9.5 %	9.2 %	8.5 %
Cash flow from operating activities	(7.8)	9.6	24.6	49.8	19.8	15.0	(2.0)
Free cash flow	(15.1)	0.1	5.1	17.3	(5.0)	6.2	(13.4)
Capital expenditures	7.3	9.5	19.7	32.6	24.9	10.0	12.1
Produced volume (in millions of m²)	249	245	233	230	245	233	232

¹⁾ incl. interdivisional sales

²⁾ The calculation is based on the average of the last three, six and nine months respectively.

MM Board & Paper Quarterly Results



(consolidated in mEUR, IFRS)	Q1/2023	Q2/2023	Q3/2023	Q4/2023	Q1/2024	Q2/2024	Q3/2024
Sales ¹⁾	521.2	498.1	448.4	451.4	483.5	502.7	491.1
Adjusted EBITDA	54.3	17.7	14.7	6.0	13.4	29.3	7.5
Adjusted operating profit Adusted operating margin (%) Operating profit	27.7 5.3 % 27.7	(9.8) -2.0 % (9.8)	(13.5) -3.0 % (13.5)	(24.2) -5.4 % (24.2)	(13.3) -2.7 % (13.3)	2.2 0.4 % 2.2	(20.0) -4.1 % (20.0)
Capital employed Return on capital employed ^(%)	1,745.5 20.8 %	1,797.1 12.3 %	1,846.6 5.0 %	1,869.1 -1.1 %	1,863.1 -3.3 %	1,835.8 -2.7 %	1,815.8 -3.0 %
Cash flow from operating activities Free cash flow	10.0 (48.0)	3.0 (74.5)	64.1 14.6	214.5 167.8	(14.6) (59.3)	61.2 32.8	(59.6) (81.0)
Capital expenditures	58.0	77.9	49.7	47.7	44.8	28.9	23.1
Tonnage produced (in thous. of tonnes)	688	644	666	696	795	812	747
Cartonboard	374	356	356	386	450	465	431
Paper	114	113	125	121	126	119	118
Pulp ²⁾	200	175	185	189	219	228	198
Market pulp	23	10	13	23	32	33	19
Internal pulp	177	165	172	166	187	195	179

¹⁾ incl. interdivisional sales

²⁾ Chemical pulp and CTMP



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