

HAULOTTE: 2024 First Quarter Sales

First-quarter 2024 sales of €157 million, down -19% year-on-year

(at constant exchange rates, excluding IAS29)

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Revenue by business line - excl. IAS 29 - in € millions	YTD Mar 2024	YTD Mar 2023	Var %
Equipment sales	134	172	-22%
Rental sales	5	6	-10%
Services	18	18	0%
Total	157	196	-20%

The changes presented below are at constant exchange rates, excluding the application of IAS29 (Argentina and Turkey hyperinflation)

2024 First Quarter Activity:

After a particularly dynamic 1st quarter 2023 that was largely stimulated by the supply difficulties encountered during previous semesters, the first 3 months of 2024 mark a return to normal investment cycles and a certain wait-and-see attitude from rental customers. In this context, Haulotte posted sales of €157 million in the first quarter of 2024, compared to €196 million in the same period last year, down -19% between the two periods.

In Europe, where the economic slowdown and high interest rates caused the main rental companies to adopt a cautious approach, first-quarter sales were down in the vast majority of markets, resulting in -28% in the first quarter.

In Asia-Pacific, Haulotte's sales remained stable at -3% in the quarter compared to the same period in 2023.

In North America, sales were down -9% compared to Q1 2023, but the aerial work platform business remains well oriented, albeit declining slightly by -5%, driven by a still significant backlog.

In Latin America, the start of the year was marked by a certain sluggishness, with sales down -26% on the previous year.

At the end of the first quarter of 2024, equipment sales were down -22% compared to the first quarter of 2023, rental business was down -8%, and service business was stable.

2024 Outlook:

In this more wait-and-see than expected environment, sales activity in the 2^{nd} quarter will be decisive in meeting the annual target of stable sales for 2024, and current operating margin (excluding foreign exchange gains and losses) close to +5% of sales.

Upcoming events:

General Annual Meeting: May 23, 2024

2024 Half-Year Results: September 10, 2024

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