



Dürr AG proposes unchanged dividend of €0.70

Bietigheim-Bissingen, March 27, 2025 — Dürr AG plans to pay out a dividend of €0.70 per share, unchanged from the previous year. The key factor behind this is the increase in free cash flow to €157 million in 2024 (+21%). This provides sufficient scope to keep the dividend consistent, despite a slight year-on-year decline in Group earnings after tax (-7%). The Supervisory Board has agreed to the Board of Management's proposal today. The annual general meeting is due to vote on the dividend on May 16.

"The Dürr Group performed solidly in the difficult environment of 2024. Thanks to the strong automotive business, we were able to largely offset the expected decline in earnings at HOMAG. In addition, we achieved a very high level of free cash flow. We are using this as an opportunity to provide a consistent payout to our shareholders", said Dr. Jochen Weyrauch, CEO of Dürr AG.

The dividend proposal results in a total payout of €48.4 million. The payout ratio based on Group earnings after tax increased from 44.0% in the previous year to 47.4%. This puts it above Dürr AG's usual range of 30% to 40% of earnings after tax.

Images for this press release can be found here.

The Dürr Group is one of the world's leading mechanical and plant engineering firms with particular expertise in the technology fields of automation, digitalization, and energy efficiency. Its products, systems, and services enable highly efficient and sustainable manufacturing processes – mainly in the automotive industry and for producers of furniture and timber houses, but also in sectors such as the chemical and pharmaceutical industries, medical devices, electrical engineering, and battery production. In 2024, the company generated sales of €4.7 billion. The Dürr Group has around 20,000 employees and 139 business locations in 33 countries. As of January 1, 2025, the former divisions Paint and Final Assembly Systems and Application Technology were merged to form the new Automotive division. Since then, the Dürr Group has been operating in the market with four divisions:

Automotive: painting technology, final assembly, testing and filling technology

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- Industrial Automation: automated assembly and test systems for automotive components, medical devices, and consumer goods as well as balancing technology solutions and coating systems for battery electrodes
- Woodworking: machinery and equipment for the woodworking industry
- Clean Technology Systems Environmental: air pollution control and noise abatement systems

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