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# Direct subscriber momentum and improvement of our fundamentals in H1...

**Revenue in line with expectations** 

€267.1m, +1.3% at constant exchange rate, despite strong comparison base in H1 24

Solid direct subscriber momentum

QoQ acceleration of the direct subscriber base at 5.3 million (Global +5.5% LFL, France +8.2% LFL)

Strong profitability improvement

Positive Adj. EBITDA¹ at €2.1m compared to €(5.0)m in H1 24

Positive Free Cash Flow<sup>2</sup>

€1m Free Cash Flow<sup>2</sup>

**Solid financial position** 

€60m cash position at end of June 2025

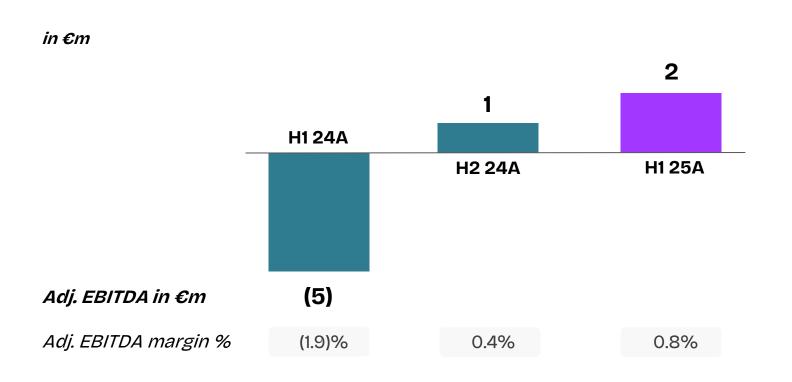


Adjusted gross profit and Adjusted EBITDA are non-IFRS measures

<sup>2.</sup> Free cash flow: Adjusted EBITDA - change in working capital - capex - leases and net interests.

# ...which confirms path towards FY25 profitability

### Positive adj. EBITDA for the second consecutive time after H2 24



+€7m year on year adj. EBITDA improvement between H1-24 and H1-25

**Positive adj. EBITDA** in 2025 driven by:

- Margin expansion
- Optimization of marketing
- Continued strict cost control

# H12025 Business Highlights

# New strategic cycle reminder: Creating new ways to experience music, driving value for the entire ecosystem

Delivering across all strategic priorities



#### **Fans**

Innovating core B2C app with customization, control

Social xp & sharing

Direct fan connection with artists



### **Artists**

Fair artist remuneration & transparency

Leading Al-driven solutions for artist rights and content protection



### **Partners**

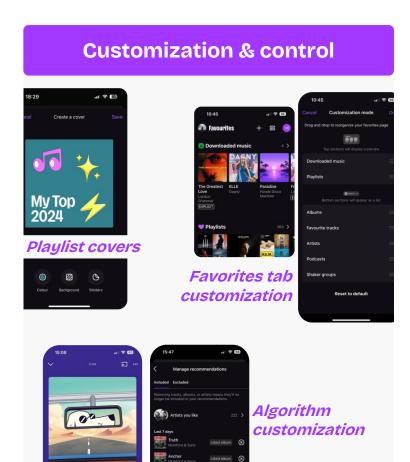
Expanding existing distribution models

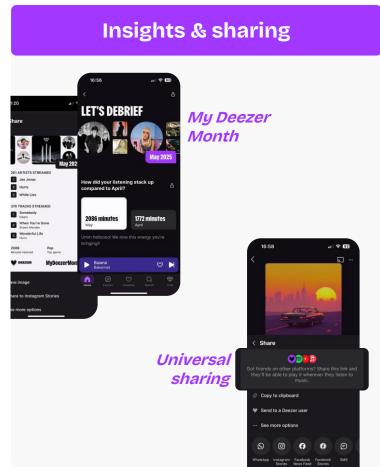
Music as a service solution

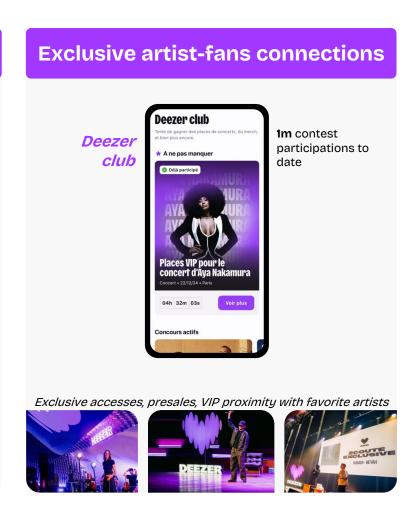
Ensuring cost control to achieve financial target of a positive adjusted EBITDA in 2025



# Building foundations of Deezer's Zillenials differentiation with early results: +8% subs growth in FR







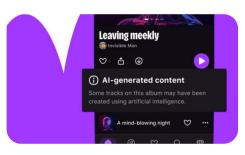


# Deeply committed to more transparency in music streaming pioneering AI solutions & systems



World's first update to publishing rights remuneration

Introduced ACPS for publishing rights remuneration since streaming introduction



World's first AI tagging system for music streaming

All albums with Al generated now clearly tagged to give music fans full transparency 18% of all music uploaded on a daily basis are 100% AI-generated (+20k tracks)

DEEZER ROLLS OUT AI TAGGING SYSTEM TO FIGHT STREAMING FRAUD; SAYS UP TO 70% OF STREAMS FROM FULLY AI-GENERATED TRACKS ARE FRAUDULENT

"WE'VE DETECTED A SIGNIFICANT UPTICK IN

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Deezer starts labeling Algenerated music to tackle streaming fraud

Aisha Malik <sup>—</sup> 9:25 AM PDT · June 20, 2025





Deezer Becomes First Streamer to Tag Al Music—18% of All Uploaded Music Is Now Al

♣ Ashley King ⊙ June 19, 2025



**TechCrunch** 





# New and extended partnerships across key markets

### **Distribution Partnerships**

Strengthen long-term distribution partnerships & new SMB focused acquisition machine









New signings

**DEEZER** 

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### Music-as-a-service

New types of partners across different verticals with the tech, content & expertise to bring the power of music everywhere

SONOS



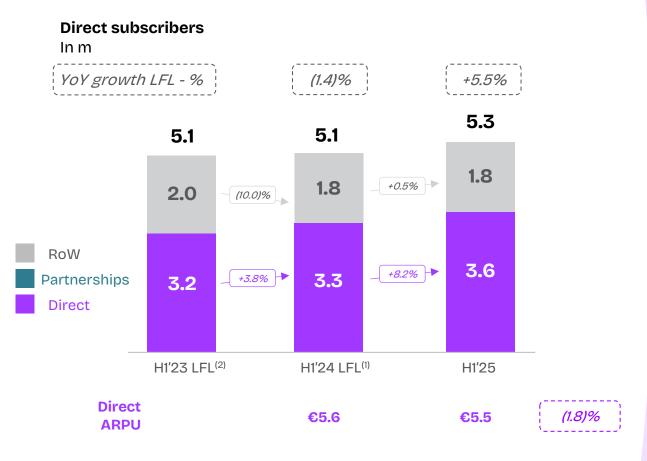
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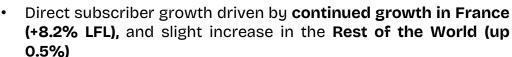
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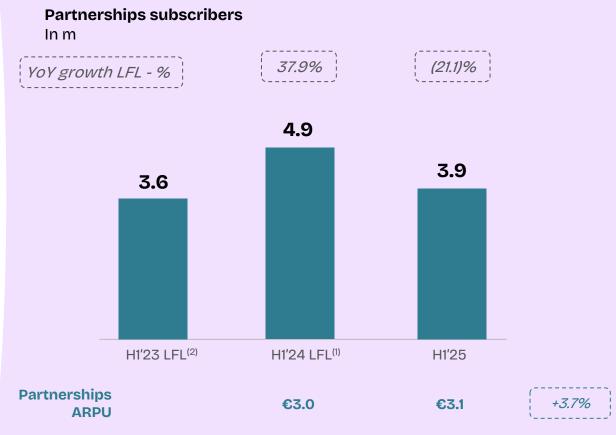
# H12025 Financial Results



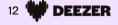
# 9.2m subscribers: Direct subscriber growth accelerating and driven by FR, Partnerships impacted by Meli







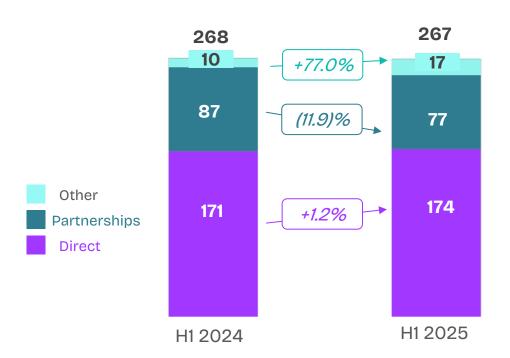
- Decline in **partnerships subscriber base (-21.1%)** due to **conversion of MeLi+** promo cohorts to Premium offers
- ARPU growth driven by better mix



# Revenue up 1.3% at constant currency, in line with expectations

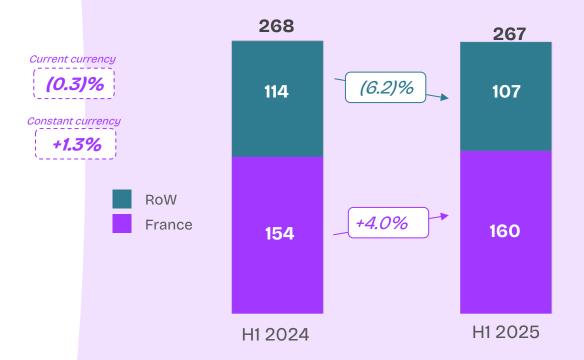
Total Revenue by segment





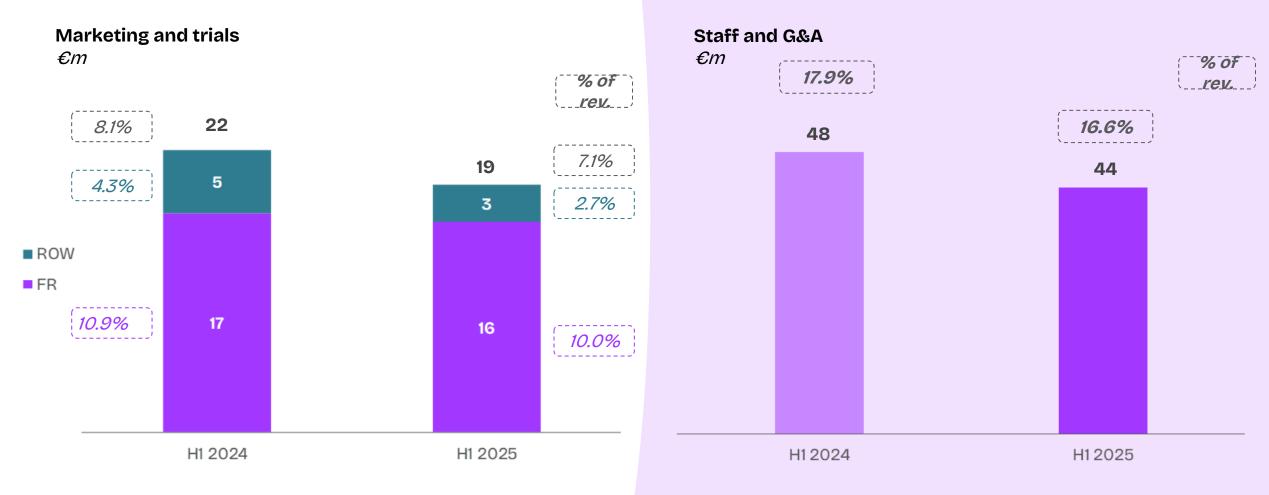
- Direct: driven by continued subscriber growth in France offset by offer mix effect
- Partnerships: Conversions of MeLi+ promo cohorts to Premium offers, partly offset by the progressive ramp up of other partnerships

### Total Revenue by geography *In €m*



- France: continued expansion of Deezer's Direct subscriber base (+8.2% at end June 25 on a like-for-like basis)
- RoW: Conversions of MeLi+ promo cohorts to Premium offers, partly offset by the good performance of white labeling solutions with hardware / media partners

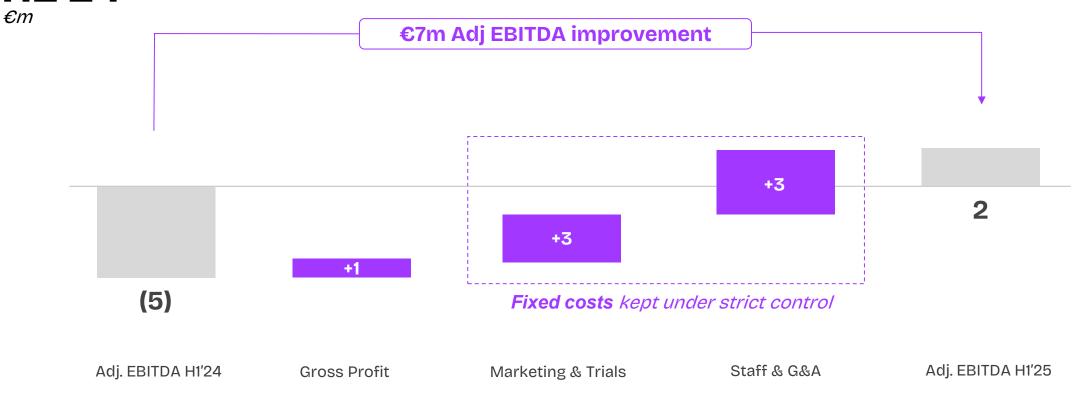
# Strong discipline in operating expenses, lowered by €6m YoY



Marketing expenses lowered by €3m YoY

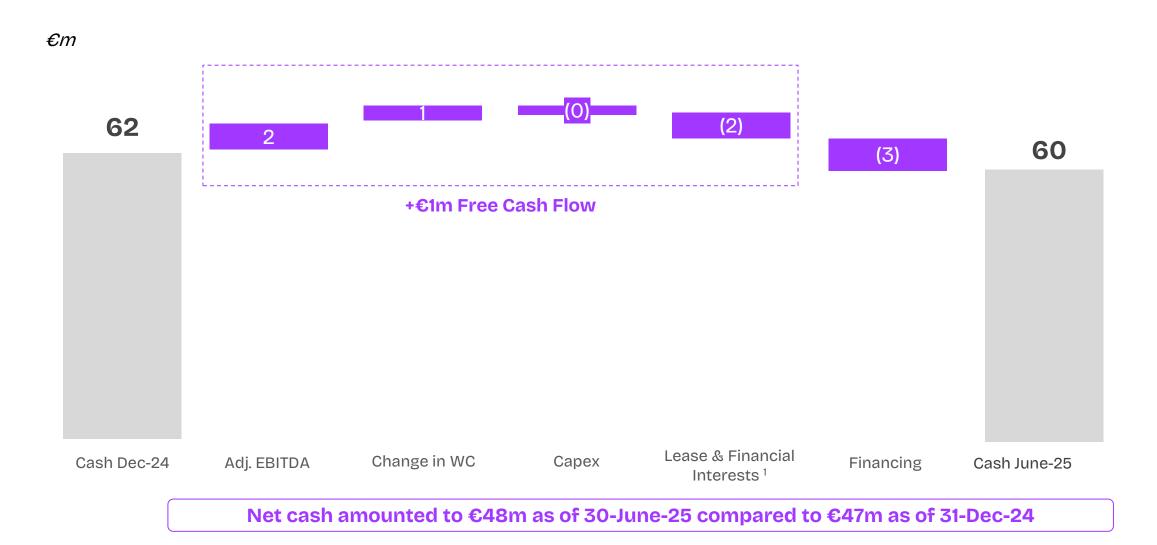
Staff and G&A expenses lowered by €3m YoY

# Significant improvement in fundamentals with positive Adj. EBITDA for second consecutive time after H2'24



Strong improvement in Adjusted EBITDA driven by increase in gross profit and strict cost control

# Robust cash position of €60m at end-June 25



# Outlook **DEEZER**

# **Confirmation of financial targets for FY25**

Revenue flat to slightly declining year over year

Positive adjusted EBITDA

Positive Free Cash Flow<sup>1</sup> for second year in a row

Disciplined approach, reinforcing our path to sustained full year profitability while preparing for future long-term profitable growth



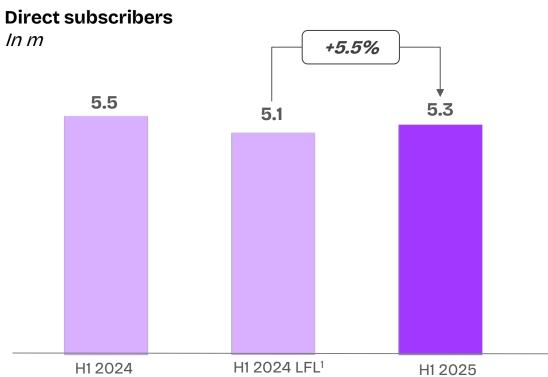


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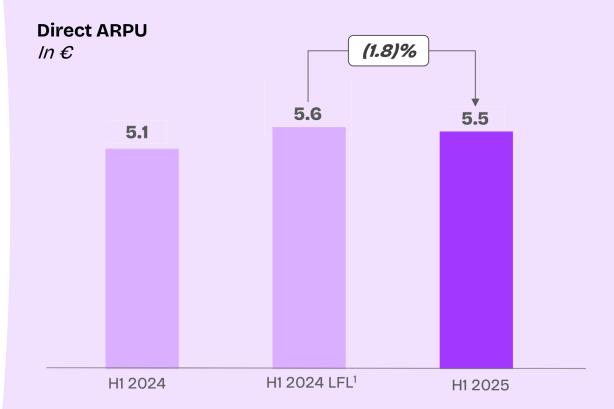




# Direct: Strong momentum in subscriber growth in France







• Slight decrease in Direct ARPU due to mix effects

# Partnerships: Impact of Meli+ on subscribers. Increased ARPU

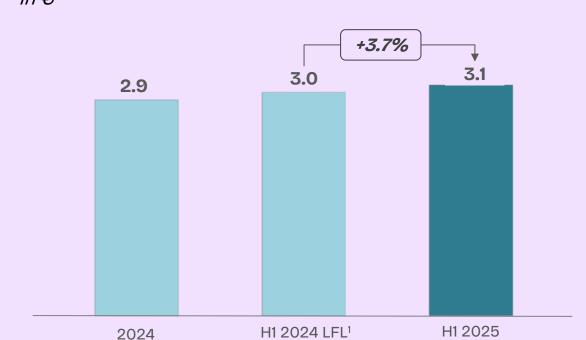
#### Partnerships subscribers

*In m* 



• (1.0)m partnerships subscribers (-21.1% YoY), reflecting the conversions of MeLi+ promo cohorts to Premium offers partly offset by the progressive ramp up of the RTL+ partnership.

# Partnerships ARPU In €



• ARPU increase by 3.7% due to better mix

# **Key financial indicators**

In € million	H1 2025	H1 2024	Change YoY	Change at constant FX
Total revenue	267.1	267.9	(0.3)%	+1.3%
By segment				
Direct	173.6	171.5	+1.2%	+1.9%
Partnerships	76.5	86.9	(11.9)%	(8.4)%
Other	17.0	9.6	+77.0%	+78.4%
By geography				
France	160.2	154.0	+4.0%	+4.0%
Rest of World	106.9	113.9	(6.2)%	(2.4)%

	H1 2025	H1 2024 LFL <sup>1</sup>	Change LFL	H1 2024
Total subscribers <sup>2</sup>	9.2	10.0	(7.6)%	10.5
Direct	5.3	5.1	+5.5%	5.5
o/w France	3.6	3.3	+8.2%	3.7
o/w Rest of World	1.8	1.8	+0.5%	1.8
Partnerships	3.9	4.9	(21.1)%	5.0
ARPU (in €/month excl. VAT)				
Direct	5.5	5.6	(1.8)%	5.1
Partnerships	3.1	3.0	+3.7%	2.9

### Reconciliation of non-IFRS financial indicators and FCF

In € million	H1 2025	H1 2024
Gross profit	62.8	55.1
License agreements non-recurring expenses	2.7	9.4
Adjusted gross profit	65.5	64.5

In € million	H1 2025	H1 2024
Operating loss	(7.0)	(21.2)
Gross profit adjustments	2.7	9.4
Depreciation and amortization	3.5	3.7
Share-based expenses	0.7	1.2
Other non-recurring expenses	2.2	1.8
Adjusted EBITDA	2.1	(5.0)

In € million	H1 2025	H1 2024
Adjusted EBITDA	2.1	(5.0)
Change in working capital requirement	1.2	21.8
Capital expenditure	(0.4)	(1.1)
Leases <sup>1</sup>	(1.9)	(1.2)
Others	-	(7.4)
Free cash flow	1.0	7.3

### **Consolidated statement of income**

Six months ended 30 June

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(in thousands of euros)	2025	2024
Revenue	267,052	267,921
Cost of revenue	(204,251)	(212,787)
Gross Profit	62,801	55,134
Product and development	(15,057)	(16,426)
Sales and marketing	(28,602)	(31,728)
General and administrative	(26,159)	(28,192)
Operating loss	(7,018)	(21,212)
Finance income	1,529	2,240
Finance costs	(1,022)	(1,197)
Financial result - Net	507	1,043
Loss before income tax	(6,511)	(20,169)
Income tax expense	(1,203)	760
Share of loss of equity affiliates	158	-
Net loss for the period	(7,556)	(19,410)
Of which attributable to owners of the parent	(7,556)	(19,268)
Non-controlling interests	-	(141)
	Six months o	ended 30 June
(in thousands of euros)	2025	2024
Net loss per share attributable to owners of the parent		
Basic	(0.06)	(0.16)
Diluted	(0.06)	(0.16)
Weighted-average ordinary shares		
Basic	123,613,344	121,637,681
Diluted	123,613,344	121,637,681

# Consolidated statement of financial position (1/2)

(in thousands of euros)	30 June 2025	31 December 2024
Assets		
Goodwill	7,487	7,487
Intangible assets	377	444
Property and equipment	3,207	3,947
Right-of-use assets	13,161	15,039
Non-current financial assets	5,293	5,473
Other non-current assets	668	668
Total non-current assets	30,193	33,058
Trade and other receivables	68,656	63,916
Other current assets	22,273	25,108
Cash and cash equivalents	59,804	62,056
Total current assets	150,733	151,080
Total assets	180,926	184,138

# Consolidated statement of financial position (2/2)

(in thousands of euros)	30 June 2025	31 December 2024
Equity and liabilities		
Share capital	1,236	1,236
Share premium	483,955	483,955
Treasury shares	(585)	(354)
Consolidated reserves	(725,834)	(700,410)
Net loss	(7,556)	(25,889)
Equity attributable to owners of the parent	(248,784)	(241,462)
Non-controlling interest reserves	-	-
Total equity	(248,784)	(241,462)
Provision for employee benefits	779	697
Lease liabilities	9,083	12,593
Financial liabilities	4,375	8,359
Total non-current liabilities	14,237	21,649
Provisions	17,596	17,156
Lease liabilities	5,590	4,121
Financial liabilities	7,191	6,388
Trade payables and related accrued expenses	319,259	310,201
Tax and employee-related liabilities	29,581	27,792
Deferred income	35,660	37,449
Other liabilities	596	844
Total current liabilities	415,473	403,951
Total liabilities	429,710	425,600
Total equity and liabilities	180,926	184,138

# Consolidated statement of cash flows (1/2)

	Six months ended 30 June	
(in thousands of euros)	2025	2024
Operating activities		
Net loss	(7,556)	(19,410)
Adjustments for:	3,455	3,735
- Depreciation and amortization (excluding those related to current assets)	3,400	3,733
- Provisions	510	1,413
- Share-based compensation expense	808	8,017
- Gains and losses on disposals	(132)	886
- Share of loss of equity affiliates (net of dividends distributed)	-	-
- Discounting profits and losses	11	8
- Net debt costs (including interest on lease liabilities)	(667)	(1,403)
- Income tax paid	1,203	(760)
Changes in working capital:		
- (Increase)/decrease in trade receivables and other assets	(1,955)	13,517
- Increase/(decrease) in trade and other liabilities	8,607	4,878
Income tax paid	(1,180)	(274)
Net cash flows from/(used in) operating activities	3,104	10,607
Investing activities		
Purchases of property and equipment and intangible assets	(526)	(1,070)
Release of the escrow account and other	-	(467)
Proceeds from the disposal of intangible and tangible assets	77	-
Proceeds from the disposal of non-current financial assets	337	457
Impact of changes in the scope of consolidation	-	(1,865)
Net cash flows used in investing activities	(112)	(2,945)

# Consolidated statement of cash flows (2/2)

	Six mont	hs ended 30 June
(in thousands of euros)	2025	2024
Financing activities		
Increase in share capital and share premium (net of costs)	-	-
Repayments on short-term debt	(3,179)	(3,913)
Repurchases of ordinary shares	(231)	(11)
Proceeds from issuance of long-term debt	-	-
Repayment of lease liabilities	(2,530)	(2,581)
Net interest paid (including finance leases)	665	1,398
Other cash flows relating to financing activities	-	-
Net cash flows from/(used in) financing activities	(5,275)	(5,107)
Effect of foreign exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	30	(1,086)
Change in net cash position	(2,253)	1,469
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period	62,057	63,605
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period	59,804	65,075
Change in net cash position	(2,253)	1,470