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MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRMAN AND CEO OF ACTIA GROUP

Though 2022 might not have been the year of the greatest challenges, it is undoubtedly the year in which our teams successfully overcame the many challenges of an increasingly complex and demanding environment.

The year 2022 started on the same note as 2021, with the same pressure on the availability of many components and, new development, very significant and sometimes brutal price increases by our suppliers.

The year 2022, unfortunately, also meant the resurgence of war at Europe's gates with the conflict in Ukraine, its consequences in Eastern Europe and major impacts on energy, raw materials and food. This in turn led to a new inflationary surge with widespread cost increases, rapid changes in interest rates and currency instability with a strongly depreciated euro against the US dollar.

Major geopolitical uncertainties and an increasingly tangible climate crisis fuelling global instability continued to plague 2022.

Finally, 2022 (though we tend to forget it) was also marked by the persistence of Covid-19, particularly in China, with successive lockdowns, including a 2-month lockdown in Shanghai followed by a spectacular business recovery in the same country, at least for our local team, even while all our subsidiaries had to deal with absenteeism.

We found this context very "athletic", especially as it followed 2 years already fraught with difficulties.

Our collective response met these many challenges:

From a financial point of view, we first of all carried out two disposals to concentrate our strengths on our electronics business, preserve our capacity to serve our historical markets and support our customers by safeguarding our production and investment capacities.

We also raised a bond loan under the France Relance (France Relaunch) plan, which is a complex administrative process and, at the end of the year, we prepared for the transfer of the listing of our shares from segment C of Euronext to Euronext Growth Paris. This transfer, which took place on 2 February 2023, positions us on a stock market that is better suited to the ETI (mid-market company) that we are.

In 2022, we resumed our investments in infrastructure: we completed the industrial unit of our subsidiary ACTIA Tunisie, opened our subsidiary in Japan and prepared for setting up a new operations in Egypt.

Finally, our R&D efforts continued at a steady pace. We can highlight key structuring programmes in the fields of new electronic vehicle architectures (“Software Define Vehicle”), central computers (“High Power Computer”) and, more prosaically, major redesigns. These redesigns allow us to progressively free ourselves from stresses and excessive applications of quotas on generations of computers that no longer benefit from our suppliers’ investment programmes.

In terms of operations, 2022 recorded very strong growth for our businesses in ACTIA’s historical segments: commercial, industrial and special vehicles. This growth allowed us to absorb the widely publicised termination of the telematics contract for Volvo Car and the impact of the two disposals.

The year 2022 also marked a strengthening of ACTIA’s positioning in two new markets, micromobility and “New Space”, which should contribute significantly to the development of the Group’s operations in the years to come.

We also recruited many new staff in a highly competitive environment, with more than 340 new hires, to continue to brace for the future and meet our commitments.

Finally, the Group continued to deploy its Corporate Social Responsibility actions. ACTIA’s rise in the GAIA rankings is further evidence of our commitment to this issue. Our action is becoming increasingly structured thanks to the implementation of a dedicated team. One of the first actions of this team was to build a collaborative approach to Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) that is shared at all levels of the Group, from family shareholders to employees to directors. We also embarked on another complex issue: building a tool to assess the carbon footprint of an electronic board and its lifecycle, where data does not exist.

It was therefore a particularly intense year and I can once again testify to the extent to which ACTIA’s men and women can be proud of the work they have accomplished. We have a committed, competent team and the results are evident: business grew by 12%, EBITDA was strong at 8% of the revenue from continuing operations, debt fell and equity increased.

ACTIA Group has thus emerged stronger from these successive crises, always faithful to the company’s human project, aligned with an ambition spurred on by a team spirit, driven by a sense of responsibility, the commitment of each individual and shared efforts.

Jean-Louis Pech
Chairman and CEO
ACTIA Group



STATUTORY AUDITORS

⊙ **KPMG AUDIT** – KPMG S.A. Department – Rue Carmin – BP 17610 – 31676 LABEGE Cedex

Appointed at the Combined Ordinary and Extraordinary General Meeting of 30 May 2018, for a term of office of six financial years that will expire at the end of the Annual General Meeting in 2024 called to approve the financial statements for the financial year ending 31 December 2023.

Date of commencement of first term of office: Combined Ordinary and Extraordinary General Meeting of 26 May 2000

⊙ **BMA** – 11, rue Laborde – 75008 PARIS

Appointed at the Combined Ordinary and Extraordinary General Meeting of 28 May 2019, for a term of office of six financial years that will expire at the end of the Annual General Meeting in 2025 called to approve the financial statements for the financial year ending 31 December 2024.

Date of commencement of first term of office: Combined Ordinary and Extraordinary General Meeting of 28 May 2019.



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2.1 LEGAL INFORMATION

2.1.1 LEGAL AND COMMERCIAL NAME

Legal name: ACTIA Group

2.1.2 REGISTRATION PLACE AND NUMBER AND LEGAL ENTITY IDENTIFIER

The issuer is registered in the Toulouse Trade and Companies Register under no. 542 080 791.

The ACTIA Group's NAF code is 6420Z, corresponding to the activities performed by a holding company.

Its LEI number is 969500UPP3G1EYL1UI19.

2.1.3 DATE OF INCORPORATION AND TERM

Article 5 of the Articles of Association

"The Company was incorporated on 27 September 1907.

The Company's term, initially set at fifty years from 27 September 1907, the date of its incorporation, was extended, by a resolution of the Extraordinary General Meeting of 18 December 1956, for 99 years, from 27 September 1957, unless dissolved before that or extended by the Extraordinary General Meeting".

2.1.4 REGISTERED OFFICE AND LEGAL FORM

Registered Office: 5, rue Jorge Semprun – TOULOUSE (31400)

Legal form: French limited liability company with a Board of Directors

Share Capital: €15,074,955.75

Legislation governing the issuer's activities: French law

Country of origin: France

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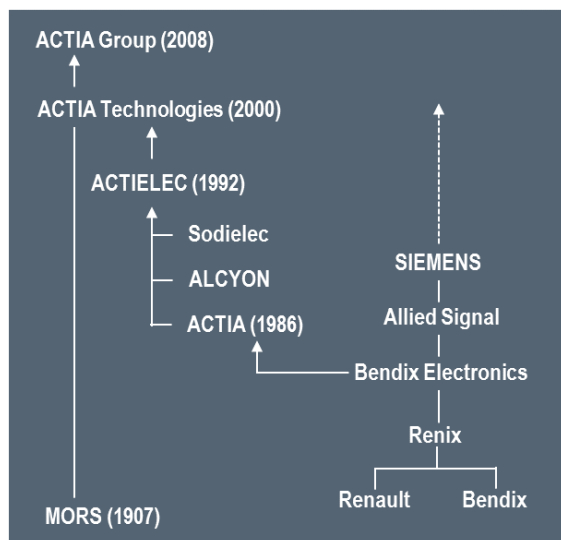
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2.2 HISTORY

ACTIA Group originated from the acquisition in 1986 by ACTIA, a French limited corporation (Société Anonyme), created for this purpose, of the “Special Products” Division of Bendix Electronics S.A., itself originating from Renix S.A., a joint venture created in the early 1970s by Renault and Bendix to invent a solid-state electronic ignition, a precursor of embedded electronics for light vehicles.

The original ACTIA S.A. management team included Louis Pech and Pierre Calmels, well-known figures in the Toulouse region, and Eric Chabrerie, a business leader from the automotive industry. The Pech and Calmels families currently hold management positions via the Chairmanship and General Management of ACTIA Group S.A., and hold the majority of the share capital and voting rights, directly and indirectly.

To lay foundations for future growth, in a first phase of development ACTIA S.A. acquired majority interests in regional companies such as ALCYON Production System S.A. (Electronics Manufacturing) and SODIELEC S.A. (Telecoms). The Group as it exists today was essentially in place in 1991. It had 315 employees, consolidated revenue of €26.8 million and had self-financing capacity of €1.2 million.



In 1992, following the very rapid development of ACTIA S.A. and its subsidiaries, through a legal reorganisation, the role of holding company was transferred to ACTIELEC S.A., created for this purpose, and the industrial entities were organised by sector according to their recognised areas of expertise:

- ⊙ ACTIA S.A., the company at the head of the Automotive Division;
- ⊙ SODIELEC S.A., the company at the head of the Telecoms Division;
- ⊙ ALCYON Production System S.A., the company at the head of the Electronics Manufacturing Division.

The Group continued to develop its business through internal growth and several company acquisitions and creations, especially internationally, including:

- ◎ 1989: MEIGA (France);
- ◎ 1990: AIXIA, renamed ACTIA 3E (France) and ACTIA UK (UK);
- ◎ 1991: TEKHNE, renamed ACTIA Muller UK (UK), liquidated in 2014;
- ◎ 1992: VIDEO BUS, renamed ACTIA Systems (Spain) and ATAL, renamed ACTIA CZ initially, and then ATAL again after the sale of the Vehicle Inspection & Garage Equipment business in April 2022 (Czech Republic);
- ◎ 1993: ACVIBUS, renamed ACTIA de Mexico (Mexico) and I+Me, renamed ACTIA I+Me and then ACTIA IME (Germany);
- ◎ 1994: ACTIA INC (USA), liquidated in 2022, and DATENO S.A. (France);
- ◎ 1996: ATON Systèmes, renamed ACTIA PCs (France);
- ◎ 1997: ACTIA Do Brasil (Brazil) and CIPI, renamed CIPI ACTIA (Tunisia);
- ◎ 2000: ACTIA Italia (Italy), Advanced Technology Inc., renamed ACTIA Corp. (USA), BERENISCE SAS (France), ACTIA Nederland (the Netherlands) liquidated in 2020, merger of ACTIELEC S.A. and MORS S.A., a listed company, and creation of MORS Technologies and of OCEANO Technologies;
- ◎ 2001: ACTIA Polska (Poland) and EBIM S.A. (France);
- ◎ 2002: ACTIA India (India) and merger of ALCYON Production System and ACTIA;
- ◎ 2003: ACTIA China (China), LUDICAR, renamed ACTIA Muller España (Spain), acquisition of MULLER Bem (France) and MEIGA/BERENISCE SAS/MULLER Bem merge to become ACTIA Muller;

- ⊙ 2004: NIRA Components A.B., renamed ACTIA Nordic (Sweden) and merger of DATENO/MORS Technologies (originating from MORS)/EBIM into SODIELEC;
- ⊙ 2005: ARDIA, now ACTIA Engineering Services (Tunisia);
- ⊙ 2008: ACTIA Tunisie (Tunisia);
- ⊙ 2015: Merger of ACTIA Automotive and ACTIA Muller;
- ⊙ 2017: Market-IP, now ACTIA Telematics Services (Belgium), merger of ACTIA Systems (Spain) and ACTIA Muller España (Spain);
- ⊙ 2018: ACTIA Africa (Tunisia) and ACTIA Electronics (USA);
- ⊙ 2019: ACTIA Japan;
- ⊙ 2020: ACTIA EMS (Sweden), ACTIA Power (France), ACTIA Power France.
- ⊙ 2021: ACTIA Power US, ACTIA Power Deutschland (Germany) and the formation of the Power Division;
- ⊙ 2022: Sale of the Vehicle Inspection & Garage Equipment business on 21 April 2022 and sale of the Power Division on 1 August 2022, liquidation of ACTIA INC (USA).

Following the merger of MORS S.A. and ACTIELEC S.A. on 26 May 2000, the Group was renamed ACTIELEC Technologies. On 15 September 2008, the Extraordinary and Ordinary General meeting approved the change of the Company's name to **ACTIA Group** to organise it under the single banner ACTIA. On that basis, since 2008, the ACTIA brand has been integrated into the company names of Group entities, and namely its main subsidiaries ACTIA S.A. and SODIELEC S.A., companies heading the Automotive and Telecoms Divisions, and renamed ACTIA Automotive S.A. and ACTIA Telecom S.A., respectively.

In 2022, the Vehicle Inspection & Garage Equipment business was sold on 21 April including the business held by ACTIA Automotive S.A., the Chartres site and 30% of the shares of its subsidiary ACTIA CZ, renamed ATAL again (Czech Republic).

In addition, the Power Division, comprising ACTIA Power and its subsidiaries ACTIA Power France, ACTIA Power Deutschland and ACTIA Power US, was sold on 1 August 2022.

Finally, at the end of 2022, the liquidation of ACTIA INC (USA) was completed and the creation of a subsidiary in Egypt was launched.

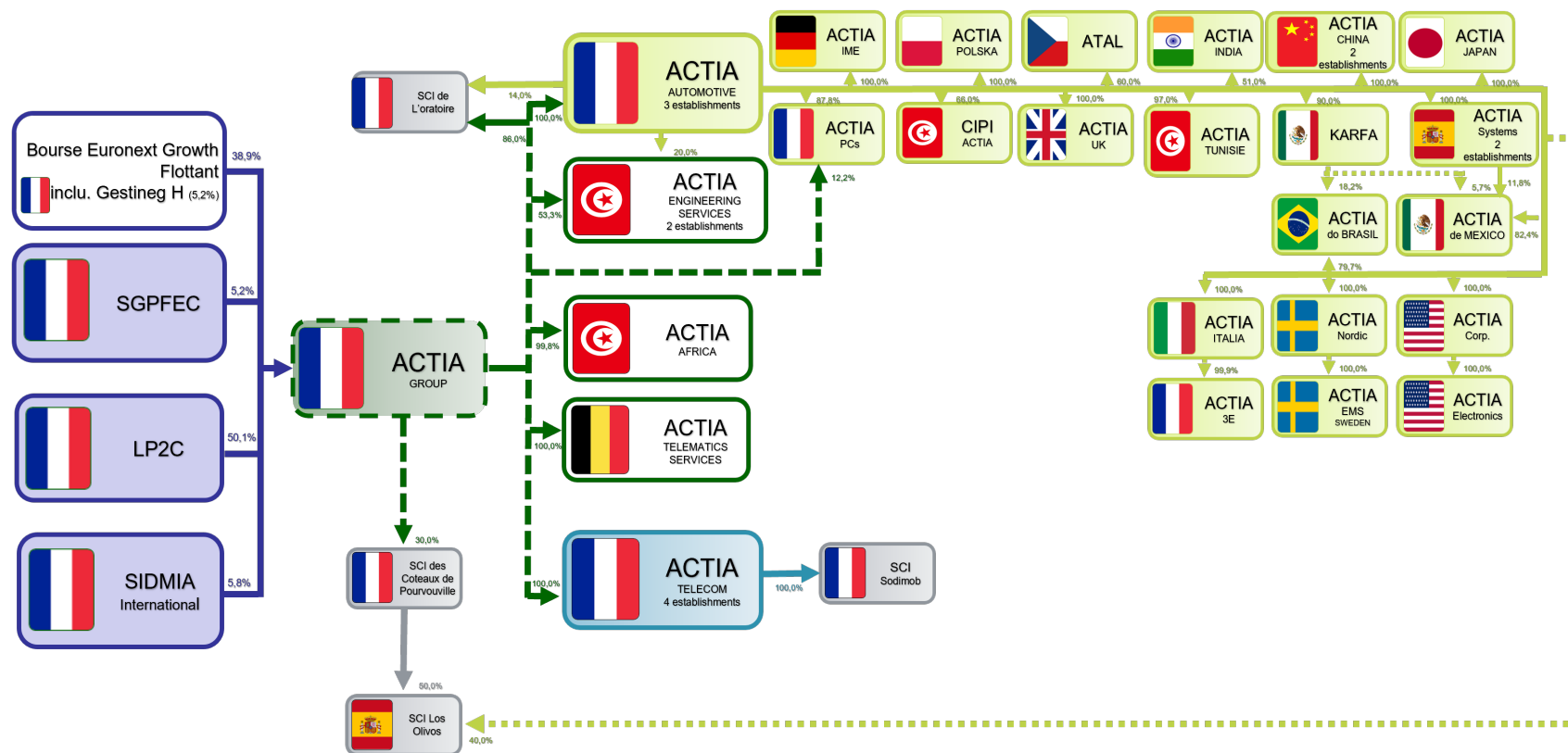


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3.1 ORGANISATIONAL STRUCTURE

The Group's organisational chart on 31 December 2022 was as follows:



3.2 SCOPE OF CONSOLIDATION

This chapter is covered in Note 3.2 “Consolidated companies” in the notes to the consolidated financial statements.

3.3 BRIEF OVERVIEW OF THE GROUP

ACTIA Group is the publicly traded company of the Group. The “Notes” to the separate financial statements in § 8.2.3 provide a clearer explanation of its role and balance sheet structure.

The Group is organised as follows:

- ⊙ **LP2C S.A., a holding company**, the Group’s reference shareholder, which is in charge at Group level of:
 - setting general policy and leading the general strategy and ACTIA Group’s fundamental orientations;
 - determining operating strategy and the development of the subsidiaries;
 - capturing all possible synergies, for the benefit of both ACTIA Group taken as a whole and within each of its subsidiaries, strengthening the Group’s corporate image, supporting its growth, optimising the services delivered to its customers, capitalising on its experience and expertise, mobilising the competencies of its employees and driving its development;
 - setting the general policy for external growth through the development of existing sites, the creation of new sites, acquiring stakes in existing or future companies;
 - setting guidelines in the area of human resources so that these accompany and support the strategies and performance of the subsidiaries;
 - guiding and coordinating the Research & Development activities of the subsidiaries with a view to improving their performance and creating synergies, as a function of the expertise developed by each of the Group’s member companies;
 - defining and coordinating actions in crisis situations;
 - and defining communication guidelines to ensure consistency across the subsidiaries.

Furthermore, it provides various services and support at Group level in the following areas:

- administrative, legal, accounting and financial;
- quality;
- communication;
- human resources;
- real estate;
- internal Group management and procedures;
- business development.

- ⊙ A financial holding company, **ACTIA Group** completes this range of support services in the following areas:
 - administrative, legal, accounting and financial;
 - communications;
 - human resources;
 - information systems;
 - purchasing;
 - real estate;
 - internal Group management and procedures;
 - business development;
 - technology

These dealings result in regulated agreements, the scope and financial details of which are set out in § 4.9.10 “Special report of the Statutory Auditors on regulated agreements”.

- ⊙ Two **divisions** specialised respectively in:
 - design, manufacture and diagnostics for embedded electronic systems for small and medium-sized production runs for the **Automotive Division**;
 - design, manufacture and in-service support of hyper-frequency professional equipment for the **Telecoms Division**.

A third **Power Division**, which brings together vehicle electrification activities, was structured during the 2021 financial year so as to be set up as of 1 January 2022. This division was sold to Plastic Omnium on 1 August 2022.

3.4 DIVIDENDS

In 2023, ACTIA Group will offer its shareholders a distribution of dividends of 0.12 euro per share, in line with the Group's consolidated results and in accordance with its policy for Shareholders' Equity, as described in §Note 15: "Shareholders' equity" in the notes to the consolidated financial statements.

It should also be noted that the dividend distribution policy extends to all Group companies that are included and which receive a percentage that takes into account the capital expenditure needs of the subsidiaries, legal considerations, and constraints arising from the financial position.

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4.1 PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

On 23 May 2023, we will call an Ordinary General Meeting as required by statute and pursuant to the provisions of the Company's Articles of Association, to report on the Company's activities during the financial year ended 31 December 2022, to present the reports of the Board of Directors and the Statutory Auditors, and approve the financial statements in respect of this financial year, the appropriation of earnings and the agreements covered by Articles L.225-38 et seq. of the French Commercial Code.

4.1.1 AGENDA OF THE ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING

- ⊙ Approval of the separate financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2022 and approval of non-tax-deductible expenses;
- ⊙ Approval of the consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2022;
- ⊙ Appropriation of earnings for the period and declaration of the dividend;
- ⊙ Special report of the Statutory Auditors on regulated agreements and approval of the new agreements entered into with LP2C mentioned therein;
- ⊙ Special report of the Statutory Auditors on regulated agreements and approval of the other new agreements mentioned therein;
- ⊙ Annual fixed amount to be allocated to members of the Board of Directors
- ⊙ Grant of authority to the Board of Directors for the purchase of Company shares in accordance with the procedures provided for under Article L22-10-62 of the French Commercial Code, duration of the authorisation, purposes, procedures and maximum amount;
- ⊙ Powers to carry out formalities

4.1.2 DRAFT RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions will be submitted to the General Meeting for approval during this meeting:

RESOLUTION I: APPROVAL OF THE SEPARATE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2022 - APPROVAL OF NON-TAX-DEDUCTIBLE EXPENSES

After taking note of the reports submitted by the Board of Directors and the Auditor concerning the business year ending on 31 December 2022, the General Meeting approved the separate financial statements closed on that date as presented, showing a profit of €10,648,215.78.

The General Meeting specially approved the total amount of expenses and charges referred to in Article 39, paragraph 4 of the French General Tax Code, amounting to €1,245, as well as the corresponding tax.

RESOLUTION II: APPROVAL OF THE CONSOLIDATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDING ON 31 DECEMBER 2022

After taking note of the reports submitted by the Board of Directors and the Statutory Auditors concerning the consolidation exercise ending on 31 December 2022, the General Meeting approved the consolidated accounts drawn up on that date as presented, showing a profit of €19,949,998 for the Group.

RESOLUTION III: APPROPRIATION OF EARNINGS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDING 31 DECEMBER 2022

On a proposal from the Board of Directors, the General Meeting decided to appropriate the earnings for the financial year ending 31 December 2022 as follows:

Origin

"Retained Earnings" account on 31 December 2022	€13,474,054.75
Earnings for the financial year: profit of	€10,648,215.78

Appropriation

To the "Retained Earnings" account, which will stand at	€21,710,277.61	
Paid in the form of dividends	€2,411,992.92	
TOTAL	€24,122,270.53	€24,122,270.53

The General Meeting noted that the gross dividend per share was fixed at €0.12.

When it is paid out to natural persons who reside and pay tax in France, the dividend is either subject to a single fixed contribution of 12.8% of the value of the gross dividend (article 200 A of the French General Tax Code), or, if expressly chosen by the taxpayer, as a definitive, all-encompassing option, taken into consideration for income tax as per the progressive tax scale after, notably, an abatement of 40% (Articles 200 A, 13, and 158 of the French General Tax Code). In addition, dividends are subject to social contributions at the rate of 17.2%.

The dividend coupon will be detached on 13 June 2023.

Dividends will be paid on 15 June 2023.

It is noted that if, on the ex-dividend date, the Company holds some of its own shares, the amounts corresponding to the unpaid dividends owing to these shares will be allocated to the retained earnings account.

In accordance with the provisions of Article 243 bis of the French General Tax Code, the Assembly notes that it was reminded that the Company has distributed the following dividends and earnings during the last three financial years:

For the financial year	Earnings eligible for a rebate		Earnings not eligible for a rebate
	Dividend	Other revenue distributed	
2019	€3,014,991.15* , i.e.: €0.15 per share	-	-
2020	0	-	-
2021	0	-	-

* Including the amount of the dividend corresponding to shares held by the company itself, unpaid and allocated to the retained earnings account.

RESOLUTION IV: SPECIAL REPORT OF THE STATUTORY AUDITORS ON REGULATED AGREEMENTS - APPROVAL OF THE NEW AGREEMENTS ENTERED INTO WITH LP2C MENTIONED THEREIN

Ruling on the special report of the Statutory Auditors on regulated agreements with which it was presented, the General Meeting approved the coordination agreement and the assistance and services agreement entered into with the leading holding company LP2C which are mentioned therein.

RESOLUTION V: SPECIAL REPORT OF THE STATUTORY AUDITORS ON REGULATED AGREEMENTS - APPROVAL OF THE OTHER NEW AGREEMENTS MENTIONED HEREIN

Ruling on the special report of the Statutory Auditors on regulated agreements with which it was presented, the General Meeting approved the new agreements mentioned therein.

RESOLUTION VI: ANNUAL FIXED AMOUNT TO BE ALLOCATED TO MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The General Meeting decided to raise the annual fixed amount to be allocated to the Board of Directors from €34,000 to €40,000.

This decision will be applicable to the current period and remain in force until superseded by a new decision.

RESOLUTION VII: AUTHORISATION TO BE GIVEN TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO ALLOW THE COMPANY TO BUY BACK ITS OWN SHARES UNDER THE SCHEME LAID DOWN IN ARTICLE L22-10-62 OF THE FRENCH COMMERCIAL CODE.

The General Meeting, having taken note of the Board of Directors' report, authorised the latter, for a period of eighteen months, in accordance with Articles L22-10-62 et seq. and Articles L225-210 et seq. of the French Commercial Code, to buy back, either once or on several occasions as required, company shares, within the limit of a maximum number of shares not exceeding 2% of the number of shares comprising the total share capital on the day of this Meeting, adjusted if necessary to take account of any increase or reduction of share capital that may occur during the period throughout which the programme runs.

This authorisation cancels the authorisation granted to the Board of Directors in the ordinary 10th resolution of the General Meeting held on 24 May 2022.

Acquisitions may be made in order to:

- ⊙ stimulate the secondary market or liquidity of ACTIA Group shares via an investment services provider through a liquidity contract in conformity with the practice authorised by the regulations, it being understood that, in this framework, the number of shares taken into account for calculation of the aforementioned maximum amount corresponds to the number of shares purchased, less the number of shares resold;
- ⊙ maintain them or subsequently use them for payment or exchange as part of possible merger, spin-off, acquisition or external growth operations;
- ⊙ cover stock option plans and/or schemes offering free stock options (or similar) to Group employees and/or corporate officers including Economic interest groupings and affiliated companies, as well as any allocation of shares in the framework of a Company or Group Savings Plan (or similar), as part of a company profit-sharing scheme and/or any other scheme involving the allocation of shares to Group employees and/or corporate officers including Economic Interest Groupings and affiliated companies;
- ⊙ cover securities giving rise to the allocation of company shares in the framework of the regulations in force.

These shares may be purchased by any means, including via block orders, whenever the Board of Directors considers said transaction to be appropriate.

Unless the General Meeting grants prior authorisation, the Board of Directors will not be entitled to make use of this authorisation during a tender offer launched by a third party seeking to purchase company shares, and this restriction will apply until the end of the offer period.

The Company does not intend to use stock option mechanisms or derivatives.

The maximum share purchase price is fixed at 8 euros per share. In the case of an operation involving share capital, namely, division or grouping of shares or free allocation of stock options, the amount stipulated above shall be adjusted in the same proportions (multiplying coefficient equal to the ratio between the number of shares comprising the share capital before the operation and the number of shares after the operation).

The maximum amount of the operation thus is fixed at €3,215,984.

The General Meeting grants full powers to the Board of Directors to carry out these operations, determine the conditions and procedures related thereto, enter into any agreement and carry out all formalities.

RESOLUTION VIII: POWERS TO CARRY OUT FORMALITIES

The General Meeting grants all powers to persons who hold an original copy, copy or extract of this meeting report to carry out all the filing and posting formalities required by law.

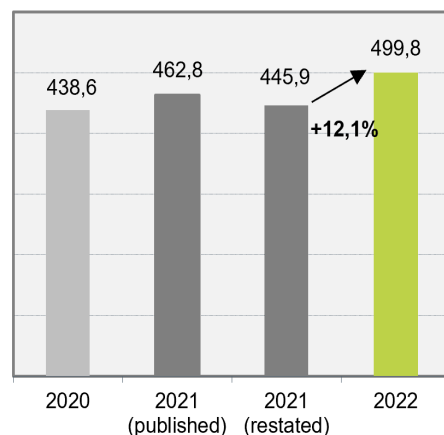
4.2 SELECTED FINANCIAL INFORMATION FOR THE PERIOD

The following tables and charts represent audited figures. For the year 2021, the Power Division data was adjusted to reflect the growth of continuing operations.

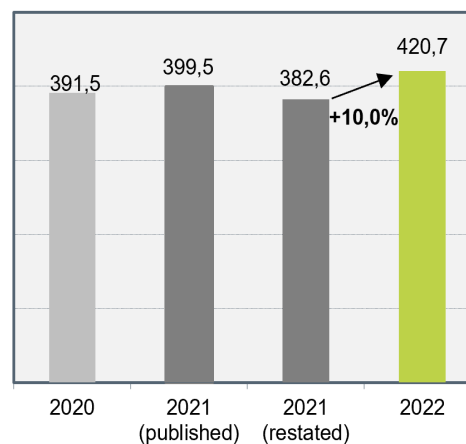
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4.2.1 KEY FIGURES

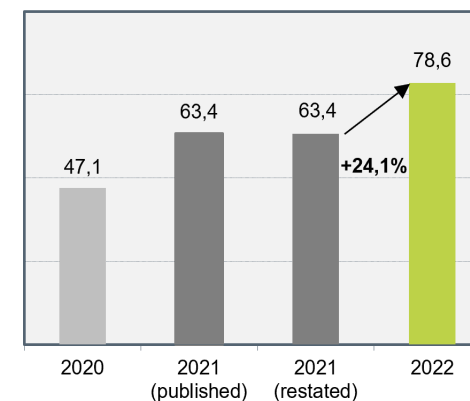
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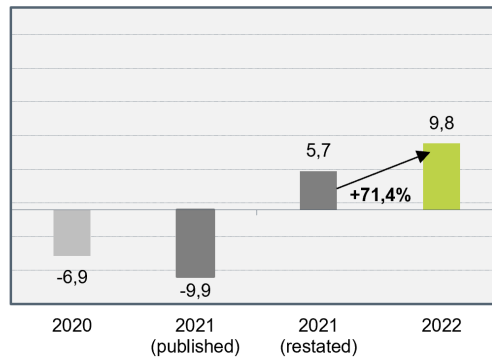
Revenue contribution from the Automotive Division (M€)



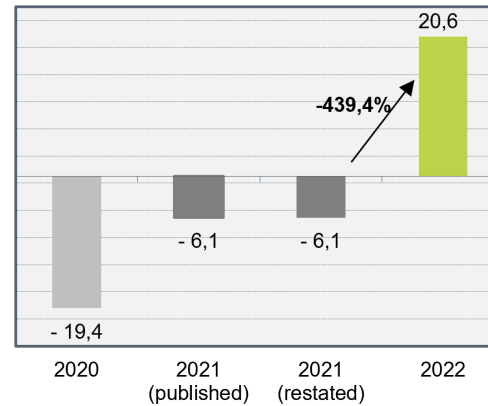
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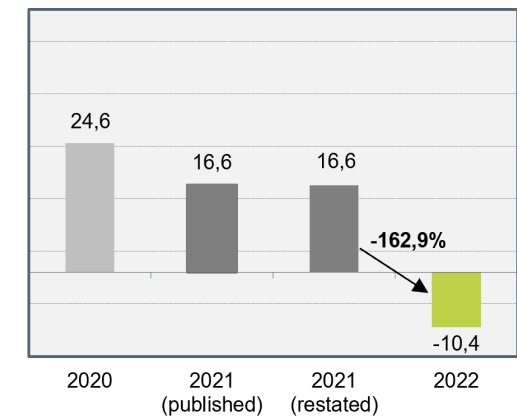
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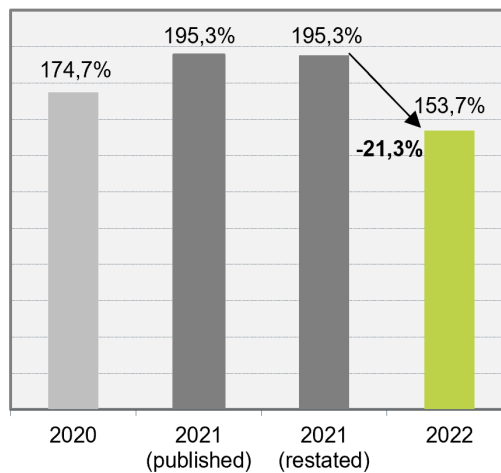
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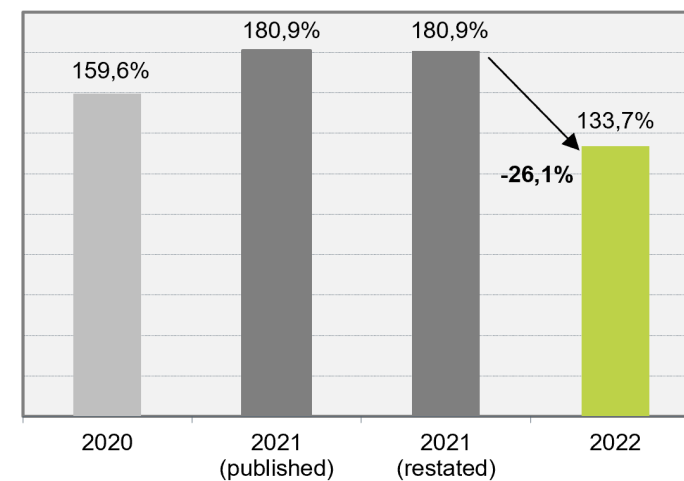
Operating cash flow (M€)



Gearing (debt to equity) (%)



Gearing excl. the collateralization of receivables (%)



Details of how the debt ratio is calculated are set out in Note 14 "Financial liabilities" in the notes to the consolidated financial statements.

4.2.2 CONSOLIDATED RESULTS

The consolidated financial statements of our Group show revenue up by 12.1% to €499.8 million, and profit attributable to the Group of €19.9 million compared with <€6.4> million in 2021.

Consolidated results for the 2022 financial year break down as follows:

Consolidated Group results (€K)	2022	2021 adjusted*	2021 published	2020
Revenue	499,831	445,910	462,839	438,593
Current operating income	9,565	4,469	<11,241>	<7,248>
Operating income	9,822	5,729	<9,921>	<6,857>
Financial Result	<7,721>	3,772	3,592	<12,379>
Net income from continuing operations (A)	1,782	10,025		
Net income from discontinued operations	18,835	<16,099>		
Income for the period	20,617	<6,074>	<6,074>	<19,441>
✓ attributable to Group shareholders	19,950	<6,379>	<6,379>	<19,043>
✓ Non-controlling interests	667	306	306	<398>
Tax (B)	<399>	430	160	<308>
Impairment of goodwill (C)	0	0	0	0
Interest and financial costs (D)	<5,004>	<3,763>	<3,921>	<3,706>
Change in value of hedging instruments (E)	<4,059>	8,377	8,377	<8,703>
Depreciation (F)	<29,589>	<30,923>	<32,826>	<30,928>
EBITDA from continuing operations = (A)-(B)-(C)-(D)-(E)-(F)	40,833	35,904		
EBITDA from discontinued operations	19,032	<13,768>		
EBITDA¹	59,865	22,136	22,136	24,203

* Adjusted to take account of the reclassification of the Power division under 'discontinued operations'.

We will ask shareholders to approve these consolidated financial statements.

¹ EBITDA: Net income + taxes + goodwill amortisation + interest and financial costs + depreciation allowances +/- change in value of derivatives

4.2.3 BRIEF OVERVIEW OF THE GROUP'S POSITION DURING THE 2022 FINANCIAL YEAR

The information used to prepare the consolidated financial statements is provided in Note 2 "Accounting policies," in the notes to the consolidated financial statements.

After a 2021 financial year marked by the shortage of electronic components, which appeared at the beginning of 2021 and which only worsened during that financial year and has not improved significantly since, 2022 was also impacted by the aftermath of the health crisis, which could still shut down entire regions such as China in the second quarter, by the war in Ukraine, with the major consequence for ACTIA being the collapse of the euro against the US dollar and the emergence of inflation in all countries where ACTIA and its suppliers are present.

Thanks to its multi-year contracts, ACTIA was able to record growth of 12.1% to reach €499.8 million in revenue, despite the sale of the Garage Equipment and Vehicle Inspection businesses and the Power Division, and the end of the telematics contract for Volvo Car, which represented up to 23% of the Group's revenue. It should be noted that this growth is the result of the increase in volumes, even if ACTIA was not able to deliver all of its orders due to shortages and the price effect, as the Group was able to negotiate an increase in its prices for the first time in its history to compensate for the cost hikes incurred.

In 2022, international sales accounted for 63.8% of the consolidated revenue, down from 69.2% in 2021 due to the resumption of operations in the Aeronautics field and the start of the Syracuse IV programme for the Telecoms Division.

AUTOMOTIVE DIVISION

The Automotive Division (84.2% of the Group's revenue) increased by 10.0% to €420.7 million, excluding the sale of the Garage Equipment and Vehicle Inspection businesses.

The Original Equipment Manufacturer field accounted for 74.2% of the Automotive Division's revenue, up 6.9% for the year, despite the planned termination of the telematics contract for Volvo Car. As the termination of the contract had been known for many years, preemptive measures were taken by seeking to diversify both among existing customers and in new segments, such as rail and satellite. Thus, OEM customers made a significant contribution to the replacement of this contract, generating more than €60 million in additional revenue over the year 2022. All customer segments grew with the exception of the Light Vehicle segment, which led to the discontinuation of Volvo Car telematics in the first half of 2022. This business growth was achieved even though the difficulties in sourcing components were not resolved during the period.

Aftermarket accounted for 7.5% of the revenue of the Automotive Division, down by 22.3%, with the sale of Garage Equipment and Vehicle Inspection. Still holding 60% of the shares of its subsidiary ACTIA Cz, renamed ATAL in 2022 with the arrival of the new shareholder holding 30% of the shares, the ACTIA Group is still active in the field of gas analysers. Fleet management therefore became the main activity in this field and reported an increase of 11.4% in 2022, with the resumption of investments by Bus & Car fleet managers (+39.7%), although falling short of the level prior to the health crisis. The Rail segment also grew (+15.3%), exceeding the volume of business of the Light Vehicle fleet management segment.

Manufacturing - Design & Services activities accounted for 14.7% of the Automotive Division's revenue, up 42.7%. The home automation segment, with new references entering production, and the aeronautics segment recorded strong growth during the year with the recovery in business activity.

The geographical breakdown of sales reflects the division's growth, with the termination of the telematics contract for Volvo Car impacting sales in the euro zone (-5 points at 46.8%) to the benefit of France (+3.2 points at 27.4%), driven by home automation and aeronautics. The international share of revenue was 72.6% for the Automotive Division, which was still largely predominant. America's share was 14.5%, while Asia's share declined to 7.8%, as the long lockdown in the second quarter affected the domestic market.

EBITDA¹ rose sharply (+47.8%) to €22.7 million for the year, compared to €15.3 million in 2021, i.e. 5.4% of Automotive revenue compared to 4.0% the previous year. Operating profit amounted to €7,747,000, i.e. 1.8% of revenue compared to 0.5% in 2021, with the valuation of hedging instruments penalising its financial result (-€4.1 million compared to +€8.4 million in 2021).

This improvement in the result stems from several actions carried out by ACTIA, despite the persistent difficulties in the economic environment, namely:

- ☉ Continuing to assert ACTIA's guiding principles, whereby the identification of profitable technological niche markets provides a way of keeping customer confidence, holding on to the markets we already have and progressively renewing the portfolio of products and services;

¹ EBITDA: Net income + taxes + goodwill amortisation + interest and financial costs + depreciation allowances +/- change in value of derivatives

- ⊙ Managing the continued supply shortages of certain electronic components, including active components such as microprocessors and memories, with close contacts with the customers. As these components are essential to ACTIA's production activity, procurement uncertainties continued to seriously disrupt industrial activity, leading to planning difficulties. In addition, since the shortage was worldwide, demand from vehicle manufacturers was itself impacted, reducing the visibility on schedules. Finally, and paradoxically, the shortage of certain essential components led to high stocks of other components, which remained on hold. ACTIA maintained the crisis organisation set up in 2021 in order to protect the industrial flow as much as possible, to keep all customers informed transparently and as quickly as possible, and to work rigorously to find solutions.
- ⊙ Maintaining R&D efforts, in particular in the programmes won and for the redesign of certain so-called "off-the-shelf" products in order to adapt to the changes in procurement, as well as in the Power Division, in preparation for the sale carried out on 1 August 2022, which had heavily impacted the division's income statement until that date;
- ⊙ Negotiating an overall price increase, for the first time in ACTIA's history, where Moore's Law allowed for a portion of the gains to be passed on to customers retroactively. The inflation that affected all resource items (materials, salaries, transport), combined with a changing euro/US dollar exchange rate that was very unfavourable to procurement in dollars, was passed on to customers, enabling the profitability of continuing activities to be maintained.

TELECOMS DIVISION

With a 24.1% increase over the 2022 financial year, the Telecoms Division generated revenue of €78.6 million, the equivalent of 15.7% of Group sales. This was the best year ever for the division, which was able to take full advantage of its multi-year contracts in each of its segments, despite the tensions in the procurement of components. With procurements made well ahead of the programmes, the SatCom business was better protected and grew by 43.0%, with a good business volume on current contracts and the start of deliveries for the French Syracuse IV programme. The Energy segment continued to grow (+5.7%), but was unable to deliver normally, as difficulties in the procurement of components severely disrupted its production. After the year 2021 when manufacturers were strongly impacted by shortages, thus slowing down their programmes, the Railway segment was able to resume its growth (+14.4%), though it remained sensitive to components.

With a strong contribution from French customers for its Energy and Rail business areas and with the start of the Syracuse IV programme, international revenue continued to decline and represented only 17.4% of the division's business in 2022. Egypt, which accounted for nearly 50%, now accounted for 10.0% of the revenue, with a few more deliveries pending and the gradual implementation of In-Service Support.

In this context, the division stabilised its EBITDA¹ of €5.8 million, i.e. 7.4% of Telecoms revenue, compared with 9.3% in 2021. It had to move up a notch to ensure the growth of its revenue, in particular by adding 37 people to its workforce and widely using subcontracting to offset recruitment difficulties. Operating profit amounted to €2,550,000, or 3.2% of revenue compared to 4.5% in 2021.

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After a particularly chaotic 2021, procurement difficulties continued into 2022, with no visibility on a return to balance between supply and demand.

ACTIA's consolidated revenue stood at €499.8 million, up 12.1% taking into account the adjustment of the Power Division sold on 1 August 2022. With an increase of €53.9 million compared with 2021, the business growth more than absorbed the termination of the Volvo Car telematics contract and the sale of Vehicle Inspection and Garage Equipment, although it was unable to deliver all customer orders due to tensions in procuring components. Impacted by cost inflation since the health crisis, the Group was able to convince its customers to accept a price hike, though volume growth accounted for only part of the growth recorded.

Manoeuvring between very strong customer demand, resources that were still limited (shortage of components leading to price increases and procurement delays, a tight job market and recruitment difficulties) and a general increase in prices linked to the conflict in Ukraine, which also had an unfavourable impact on the euro/US dollar exchange rate, ACTIA was able to protect its expected profitability over the year thanks to the increase in its prices and the sale of the resource-intensive Power Division, and this despite a production backlog that was estimated at €10 million as of 31 December 2022.

With a consumption rate up slightly to 54.8% (53.8% in 2021), the cost of materials and supplies increased by 15.4% (+€37.2 million) due to the dual impact of business growth and price hikes linked to the shortage of components. The increase in the EUR/USD exchange rate alone is estimated to have had an impact of more than €5.5 million in 2022. Part of this increase was re-invoiced to customers, in particular when it came to finding substitute components or when the increase imposed by the supplier was disproportionate. Still benefiting from French government aid (€1.5 million compared to €2.5 million in 2021), personnel costs rose to €126.5 million compared to €122.7 million in 2021 after adjustment (+3.1%), including salary increases to limit

staff turnover and the burden of inflation for employees, and a slight increase in R&D capital expenditure (+8.0%). The analysis of changes in personnel costs is complicated by the share of the personnel of the Vehicle Inspection & Garage Equipment activities sold up to end April 2022 and by hiring difficulties across the world, resulting in a net increase in subcontracting and temporary work expenses (+€8.2 million), in order to overcome these difficulties while limiting firm contracts. Thus, the headcount increased by 218, without however meeting the Group's needs. More than one hundred positions remain open for recruitment to date, in all professions, though engineering professions are predominant. External expenses increased by €15.0 million (+29.0%), with an increase in subcontracting purchases (+33.0%), transport costs (+21.0% mainly due to business growth) and, more exceptionally, due to the disposals and related fees.

The constant renewal of the business portfolio aimed at maintaining diversification in the various segments imposed a sustained pace in the Research & Development programmes. R&D costs adjusted for Power Division expenses increased to €80.3 million from €74.1 million in 2021. They reflect an intense sales activity with major programmes won requiring significant developments but better supported by customers, and the need to resume the development of own products in order to adapt them to procurement constraints. As a result, the re-invoicing rate remained stable at 42.2%, as in 2021. The rate of R&D expenditure as a proportion of sales was 16.1%, as in 2019 (a comparable year in terms of activity), with a decrease in the capitalisation rate (17.1% compared to 23.1%), reflecting the improved support of customers in covering expenses for the development of their products. The development of the projects won that will ensure the activity over the next few years therefore remains substantial but weighs less on ACTIA. Thus, charges recognised in the income statement represented 7.7% of revenue compared to 8.9% in 2019. The Research Tax Credit decreased from €6.5 million to €5.0 million, reflecting the efforts made in product redesign.

As a result, the Group generated EBITDA of €59.9 million. Adjusted for discontinued operations, it amounted to €40.8 million, or 8.2% of revenue, stable compared to 2021 adjusted. After taking into account depreciation allowances of €29.6 million (-4.3% compared to 2021 adjusted), the operating income from continuing operations stood at €9.6 million, up €5.1 million. The Group's headcount increased from 3,511 at the end of 2021 (excluding the Power Division's workforce) to 3,729 at the end of 2022 (+5.8%), with hiring picking up in the second half of 2021. That said, the profiles sought remain difficult to recruit, because our professions are still under pressure.

The level of interest and financial charges at €5.0 million (+33.0%) reflects the change in interest rates on the financial markets as well as the cost of French State guaranteed loans. The activation of State-Guaranteed Loans in 2020 (€41.4 million) and 2021 (€49.9 million), with the final release of €1 million being made at the beginning of 2022, the setting up of Recovery Bonds for €18 million in April 2022 and the use of short-term variable rate lines increased the

average gross interest rate from 1.41% at the end of 2021 to 1.95%, without yet having the full-year effect of the cost of the 2021 State Guaranteed Loans and Recovery Bonds. It may be recalled that, when granted, these PGE loans only bear the cost of the state guarantee, since the interest rate is 0% for the first year. The Group's decision to opt for payback over 5 years affected the cost, because the guarantee fees increase over time and interest is invoiced according to the cost of the resource by the banks. As the EUR/USD exchange rate changed sharply at the beginning of the 2022 financial year with a stronger US dollar and the euro catching up slightly during the financial year, the valuation of hedging instruments generated a capital loss of €4.1 million against a gain of €8.4 million at 31 December 2021. Currency hedging instruments enabled the Group to purchase USD at an average exchange rate of 1.078 over the period compared to 1.179 in 2021, generating a slight improvement compared to the average exchange rate on the spot market (1.054). On the other hand, the EUR/USD exchange rate fell from 1.1326 to 1.0666 in 12 months, with low points in the autumn reaching 0.96, thus confirming the protective tunnel effect put in place by ACTIA.

The new requirements of IFRS 16 do not lead to any significant variation compared with last year.

These elements brought the net income for the period to €20.6 million, including €18.8 million for discontinued operations and €1.8 million for continuing operations, compared to €10.0 million in 2021, after taking into account a tax expense of €0.4 million compared to income of €0.4 million at the end of 2021.

The Group's operations generated an overall cash outflow of €14.5 million during the year, compared with a generation of €9.1 million at the end of 2021. The Working Capital Requirement was strongly impacted by the constitution of surplus stocks (+€38.0 million), the shortage of a component leading to the stockpiling of correctly delivered items, but also by the difference in customers payment terms (on average 115 days, +2 days compared to 2021) compared to suppliers payment terms (on average 98 days, -1 day compared to 2021). This difference had a particularly strong impact during periods of growth. Investments, which stood at €24.6 million compared to €20.5 million in 2021, remained under pressure to meet the challenge of a financial year greatly disrupted by electronic component shortages. Trade-offs were made in R&D in order to prioritise programmes related to contracts and items in production, to ensure equipment is maintained. In terms of real estate, the construction of the new production facility for ACTIA Tunisie, suspended in 2020 due to the health crisis, was completed during 2022. It was then operational by the end of the year and will ensure the growth of the Energy (Telecoms Division) and Micromobility (Automotive Division) businesses. The sale of the Garage Equipment & Vehicle Inspection businesses and the Power Division brought in €61.9 million in cash, which was used to finance the working capital requirement for the year. The implementation of new medium-term loans, including Recovery Bonds (€18.0 million), contributed €38.7 million.

On the balance sheet, the stocks of €210.6 million at the end of 2022 increased by €47.4 million (+29.0%), after adjusting the Power Division's stocks at 31/12/2021. Trade receivables, which could not be adjusted, amounted to €159.8 million, up by €15.0 million and trade payables amounted to €104.5 million (+€12.1 million). The working capital requirement had an impact of €33.2 million on the financial position.

At year end 2022, the net debt decreased by €13.1 million to €208.7 million (-5.9%), impacted by the increase in stocks. Medium-term loans and leases amounting to €73.6 million were repaid during the year along with early repayments following the disposal, with the first repayments of the state-guaranteed loans (PGE) granted in 2021 starting in the summer. At the end of the reporting period, only 49.6% of the short-term lines of credit that were mostly renewed in 2022 had been used, compared to 33.0% on 31 December 2021. The level of use of the deconsolidating factoring contract by our Swedish subsidiary decreased by 73.6% compared to 2021, due to the significant drop in customer invoicing due to the end of the telematics contract. The request to suspend covenants on 31 December 2022 was accepted by all the banking partners. Excluding the capitalisation of receivables, gearing was 133.7% compared with 180.9% at the end of 2021. The Group only mobilised 9.5% of its receivables and leverage was 3.49 compared with 10.02 as of 31 December 2021. The available cash was €48.4 million compared to €56.6 million at the end of 2021.

For 2022, Free Cash Flow stood at €1.6 million compared to <€2.6 million> in 2021.

While the Group is structured to absorb the strong growth stemming from its commercial successes, the ongoing health crisis and the shortage of electronic components are delaying the expected growth and masking the effectiveness of the initiatives deployed by ACTIA to optimise its operations.

SUBSIDIARIES AND DEALINGS IN EXISTING INTER-COMPANY HOLDINGS

In 2022, ACTIA continued to pursue the sale of non-strategic businesses which were completed during the year.

It should also be noted that the decision was made in 2020 to close our ACTIA India subsidiary further to disagreements about governance with our minority shareholder. To date, this closure is not yet effective due to the disruptions caused by the health crisis and the transformation of the project towards a sale of shares at net book value.

Finally, ACTIA decided to launch the creation of a subsidiary in Egypt to support both its commercial development and its R&D needs. The procedure remains ongoing at the date of this document.

☉ Disposals of non-strategic businesses

In order to focus its resources on embedded electronics for mobility and energy management and to strengthen its financial structure, ACTIA Group completed two operations to sell non-strategic businesses in 2022.

The first operation concerns the sale of the **Vehicle Inspection & Garage Equipment** business of the Automotive Division: after consultation with the Social and Economic Committee (CSE), the Board of Directors of our subsidiary ACTIA Automotive authorised the sale of its Garage Equipment and Vehicle Inspection business to the BASE Group. This sale also included the real estate site in Chartres, France, and 30% of the shares of its subsidiary ACTIA Cz in the Czech Republic, a specialist in gas analysers, a subsidiary renamed ATAL. The BASE industrial project is based on the MULLER brand owned by the ACTIA Group and thus transferred during the sale. This business employed 115 people for the Automotive Division and represented an estimated revenue of €21 million in 2021. The operation took effect on 21 April 2022.

The second operation concerns the sale of the **Power Division**: in its meeting of 28 March 2022, the ACTIA Group Board of Directors authorised the proposed sale of the shares of its Power Division to Plastic Omnium. This disposal gives the means to the Power Division, whose structure was finalised on 31 December 2021 and which specialises in vehicle electrification, to continue its development within Plastic Omnium, in synergy with the activities of their New Energies and Clean Energy divisions. The operation took effect on 1 August 2022 and involved 200 employees for an annual revenue of €16.9 million in 2021. This disposal enabled ACTIA to focus its investments on embedded electronics for mobility and energy management. It should be noted that the final sale price is currently being determined by arbitration, which is expected to be completed at the end of the second quarter of 2023, and therefore after the Board of Directors approves the accounts and this document is published.

The other Group subsidiaries and holdings require no particular comments, and further information is provided in Note 3 "Scope of consolidation" in the notes to the consolidated financial statements.

4.2.4 DEBT SITUATION

ACTIA Group S.A. took new medium-term financing of €3.2 million and a bond issue for €18.0 million for the 2022 financial year.

At 31 December 2022, the Company had no commercial paper in place. Furthermore, this structure does not benefit from the possibility of financing its receivables as it is entirely dedicated to the Group and affiliated companies.

At **Group** level, debt decreased by 5.9% as a result of the disposals carried out during the year. The desire to keep the level of debt under control was hampered by the growth in WCR due to the components crisis, which generated a very strong increase in stocks (+€61.1 million in two years). Debts and associated ratios changed as follows:

(€m)	2022	2021	2020
Income	1.8	<6.1>	<19.4>
+ Taxation	0.4	<0.1>	0.3
+ Financial interest	5.0	3.9	3.7
+ Net depreciation	29.6	32.8	30.9
- Impairment of goodwill	0	0	0.0
+/- Impact JV financial instruments	4.1	<8.4>	8.7
EBITDA¹ from continuing operations	40.8		
EBITDA¹	59.9	22.1	24.2
including IFRS 16	6.0	5.9	4.7
Gross debt	257.1	278.4	256.2
including IFRS 16	21.3	20.7	18.8
Cash	48.3	56.6	53.4
Net liabilities	208.8	221.8	202.8
Shareholder equity	135.8	113.6	116.1
Leverage from continuing operations	5.11		
Leverage	3.49	10.02	8.38
Gearing	1.54	1.95	1.75
Real estate liabilities	11.4	22.9	24.2
Net liabilities excluding real estate	197.5	198.9	178.6
Leverage excluding real estate	3.30	9.0	7.38
Gearing excluding real estate	1.45	1.75	1.54
Liabilities related to the capitalisation of receivables	27.2	16.3	17.5
Net liabilities excluding the capitalisation of receivables	181.7	205.5	185.3
Leverage excluding capitalisation of receivables	3.03	9.30	7.65
Gearing excluding capitalisation of receivables	1.34	1.8	1.6
Net liabilities excluding real estate and capitalisation of receivables	170.3	182.6	161.1
Leverage excluding real estate and capitalisation of receivables	2.84	8.26	6.66
GEARING EXCLUDING REAL ESTATE AND CAPITALISATION OF RECEIVABLES	1.25	1.61	1.39

¹ EBITDA: Net income + taxes + goodwill amortisation + interest and financial costs + depreciation allowances +/- change in value of derivatives

This information is presented in Note 14 “Financial liabilities” in the notes to the consolidated financial statements.

At year end 2022, net debt, at €208.7 million, decreased by only €13.1 million (<5.9%>), impacted by the increase in stocks. Medium-term loans amounting to €73.6 million were repaid during the year, with the first repayments of the state-guaranteed loans (PGE) granted in 2021 starting in the summer and a full year for those granted in 2020.

Furthermore, it should be noted that cash in hand reached €48.4 million as of 31 December, and the limited use of short-term lines of credit stood at 49.6% of their full potential, giving the Group flexibility. The level of use of the deconsolidating factoring contract by our Swedish subsidiary decreased by 73.6% compared to 2021, due to the significant drop in customer invoicing following the end of the light vehicle telematics contract.

It should also be noted that the balance sheet presentation does not take the valuation of the real estate assets into account. As presented in para. 4.7.1 “Major existing or planned tangible assets”, the appraised value in 2018 was €38.0 million (value weighted by the holding rate excluding equity-consolidated companies) whereas the net book value was €25.9 million at constant scope.

The request to suspend covenants on 31 December 2022 was accepted by all the banking partners. Excluding the capitalisation of receivables, gearing was 133.7% compared with 180.9% at the end of 2021. The Group only mobilised 9.5% of its receivables and leverage was 3.49 compared with 10.02 as of 31 December 2021.

4.2.5 OFF-BALANCE SHEET COMMITMENTS

This information is detailed in Note 27 “Off-balance-sheet commitments” and Note 28 “Encumbered assets” in the notes to the consolidated financial statements.

4.3 BUSINESS OVERVIEW

ACTIA Group remains organised around two sectors:

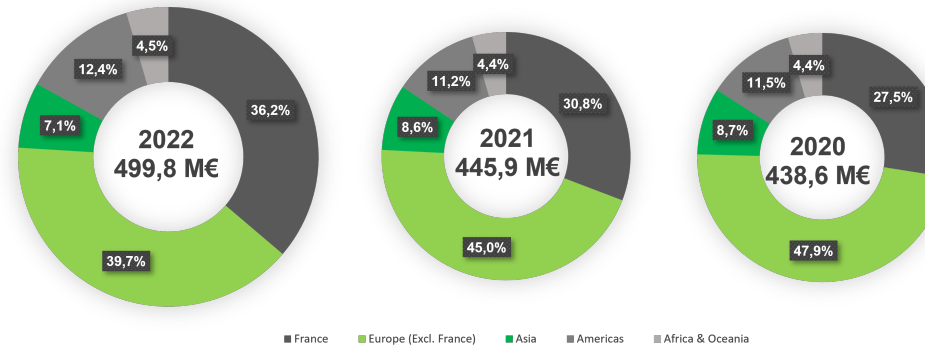
- ⊙ Automotive Division
- ⊙ Telecommunications Division

which are described below.

Over a number of years, the two divisions have developed their own technologies and specific know-how. There is a synergy in the rail and public transport sectors, where offerings common to the two divisions are proposed combining telecommunications equipment with different systems developed by the Automotive Division. These markets are now tangible.

Furthermore, these synergies also provide benefits in the area of energy and satellites where the abilities of our two divisions make it possible to respond to the rapidly changing nature of these sectors.

With a strong international presence, the Automotive Division contributes to the widespread availability of products across all continents. In parallel, the Telecoms Division also built up a strong international business over time by winning international calls for tender.



As regards the international breakdown of revenue, 2022 was marked by strong growth in France, exceeding €180 million, resulting in particular from very good business in the Telecoms Division and the recovery in the aeronautics sector. The share of the rest of Europe decreased, with the scheduled termination of an ACTIA Nordic contract for light vehicle telematics. In percentage terms, Europe excluding France thus fell from 45.0% in 2021 to 39.7% in 2022. Asia's share also decreased from 8.6% to 7.1%, reflecting the same contract discontinuation, although the Chinese subsidiary's own business grew substantially. America's share increased from 11.2% to 12.4%, while Africa-Oceania's share was stable (4.5% compared to 4.4%).

Two key events in 2022 represented a change in scope during the year within the Automotive Division:

1. The sale of the Garage Equipment and Vehicle Inspection business to Base;
2. The sale of the Power Division related to vehicle electrification, with ACTIA Power SAS and its subsidiaries, to Plastic Omnium.

To conclude the business overview, it should be noted that operations in 2022 were disrupted in all segments due to difficulties in the procurement of electronic components. The financial consequences of these difficulties were:

- ⊙ The non-achievement of certain revenues;
- ⊙ Increased costs, passed on to customers as far as possible under commercial agreements;
- ⊙ An increase in stocks.

4.3.1 AUTOMOTIVE DIVISION

The Automotive Division consists of three business units, for three different markets:

- ⊙ The **OEM** (Original Equipment Manufacturers) business unit for vehicle manufacturers;
- ⊙ The **Aftermarket** business unit;
- ⊙ The design and production of circuit boards for third parties and associated services grouped together in the Manufacturing-Design & Services business unit (**MDS**).

Combining expertise in embedded electronics with know-how in electronic manufacturing, this division has been growing since its inception through business with manufacturers of automobiles, heavy vehicles, buses and coaches, and specialist vehicles (handling, agriculture, construction, etc.), and also in the fields of electric vehicles, aeronautics, and rail.

The Automotive Division's contribution to Group results was as follows:

Contribution of the Automotive Division (€K)	2022	2021 adjusted*	2021 published	2020
Revenue	420,713	382,551	399,480	391,480
Current operating income	7,835	723	<14,986>	<7,672>
Operating income	7,747	2,086	<13,563>	<7,138>
Net income from continuing operations (A)	2,004	7,868		
Net income from discontinued operations	<13,651>	<16,099>		
Income for the period	<11,648>	<8,230>	<8,230>	<18,647>
Tax (B)	<598>	<925>	<656>	158
Impairment of goodwill (C)	0	0	0	0
Interest and financial costs (D)	3,393	2,668	2,827	2,583
Valuation of hedging instruments (E)	4,059	<8,377>	<8,377>	8,697
Depreciation (F)	26,258	27,869	29,772	28,091
EBITDA¹ from continuing operations (A+B+C+D+E+F)	35,116	29,104		
EBITDA ¹ from discontinued operations	<12,545>	<13,768>		
EBITDA¹	22,662	15,336	15,336	20,882

¹ EBITDA: Net income + taxes + goodwill amortisation + interest and financial costs + depreciation allowances +/- change in value of derivatives

*Adjusted to take account of the reclassification of the Power division under 'discontinued operations'.

These figures are presented in accordance with Note 20 "Operating segments" in the notes to the consolidated financial statements.

The Automotive Division (84.2% of Group sales) recorded a revenue increase of 10.0%.

Furthermore, the Group's management control reporting systems provide a breakdown for sales between the three business units:

Operating segment (€K)	2022	2021 adjusted*	2021 published	2020
OEM	312,292	292,072	309,184	304,652
Aftermarket	31,679	40,763	42,844	42,731
MDS	61,842	43,339	47,439	44,097
Other	14,896	6,378		
TOTAL	420,709	382,551	399,468	391,480

*Adjusted to take account of the reclassification of the Power division under 'discontinued operations'.

OEM BUSINESS UNIT

☉ ACTIA products and solutions

ACTIA's business is diversified in terms of its customer base, product portfolio and geographic coverage. In each of these cases, the Group is supported by cutting edge expertise to ensure its competitive position in all its target segments.

In the OEM market, the main products and services may be broken down as described below.

Electronic architecture and multiplexing

One of the Group's areas of excellence is designing and manufacturing electronic systems connecting all embedded electrical and electronic parts of a vehicle. These products consist of calculators generating a number of inputs and outputs to control all embedded components and supply them with electricity.

This type of system is referred to as multiplexed because the devices designed by ACTIA constitute nerve centres compared to a design where all the electrical components are connected to the battery and their control system by individual wires. Multiplexing offers considerable benefits:

- ☉ for facilitating the design of new vehicles;
- ☉ for production savings;
- ☉ for facilitating diagnostics and operational safety.

ACTIA® also provides software tools to customise and configure the systems. In addition, the sale of its equipment is accompanied by a significant level of support for customers who are not necessarily specialists in electronics.

The multiplexing range of ACTIA is a benchmark product in the world of vehicles for professionals. In the bus and coach segment, in particular, it constitutes the standard equipment that forms the basis of the vehicle's electronic system for several major manufacturers and ACTIA has developed the ACTIMUX system, which constitutes the third generation of generic multiplexed architecture. In the special vehicles segment, the ACTIWAYS range provides control solutions offering a high level of security. A technological trend in these products is to incorporate an ever-increasing level of operational safety and cybersecurity, which responds to the demand for ever more complex and automated systems, including autonomous driving. Another trend is the increase in intrinsic performance, measured in computing capacity, communication rates or memory sizes. It also reflects the increasing complexity of automotive systems, which include advanced driver assistance, entertainment, tracking and possibly artificial intelligence functions.

Instrumentation and driver's seat systems

This range includes instrument displays, dashboards and complete driver's seat systems for all types of professional vehicles. In current electronic architecture, this device often acts as the central or master computer which controls the multiplexed architecture computers. In this respect, the dashboard is a genuine computer with ever-increasing processing power and software functions. PODIUM 2, a driver's seat system for buses and coaches, is a benchmark solution in Europe as well as in China.



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Evolution of the technology has made it possible to offer the market new functions:

- ⊙ more modular dashboards that can be configured as needed;
- ⊙ dashboards made more flexible through the increasingly intensive use of screens;
- ⊙ hosting advanced software features for safer, more intuitive and greener driving.

Audio and video systems

In this area, ACTIA supplies professional solutions for:

- ⊙ CCTV (video) surveillance;
- ⊙ infotainment broadcasting systems for mass transit passengers to provide information and entertainment such as music, films, radio, Internet, and video-on-demand. In this area, 2022 marked the launch of the ACTiVi range, which is a state-of-the-art connected platform for on-board audio and video.

Telematics systems

ACTIA has strong technological legacy know-how in the field of telematics based on over 15 years of experience in both professional and light vehicles. Furthermore, ACTIA has expert knowledge of the constraints related to mandatory certification of systems in most parts of the world, especially in the field of system security.

Based on this knowledge, ACTIA develops telematics platforms including global positioning systems (GPS) and telecommunications (GSM, GPRS), a calculator and memory, with the entire system connected to the electronics networks of the vehicle. These features make it possible to deploy a range of functionalities for the driver or fleet manager, including:



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- ⊙ connectivity for the driver and passengers;
- ⊙ optimisation of vehicle and driver performance, for example in terms of eco-driving;
- ⊙ safety, with automated emergency calls (E-call);
- ⊙ diagnostics and maintenance;
- ⊙ cybersecurity.

Electromobility

ACTIA's activities in power electronics applied to the electrification of trains and buses, constituting a "Power" business, were sold in 2022 to the Plastic Omnium Group. The products and services concerned were:

- ⊙ engineering services to electrify vehicles;
- ⊙ the design of power components, including inverters that power electric engines;
- ⊙ the design and manufacture of batteries for heavy vehicles.

Micromobility

ACTIA used all its skills in the field of mobility to meet the requirements of a market that is expanding very rapidly: the electric bicycle.



ACTIA has developed an electrical assistance solution for comfortable pedalling for maximum pleasure and minimum effort.

Comfort is guaranteed by the electronic and software control of the electric motor, which provides both smart and progressive electrical assistance, and flexibly and intuitively adapts to the cyclist's needs at all times. High-precision ACTIA torque sensors are at the heart of an optimised management algorithm. These intelligent sensors allow progressive assistance according to the effort made by the user, providing smooth pedalling for a jolt-free ride. Fitted with these sensors, the motor torque makes the motor extremely reliable.

ACTIA's E-bike kits have a wide range of power and torque performances to serve a varied customer base with very different requirements, for users cycling:

- ⊙ in town or in the countryside,
- ⊙ on cycle paths and trails (MTB),
- ⊙ in the mountains of southwestern France, or on Mediterranean beaches.

ACTIA has solutions for cyclists with high expectations.

ACTIA offers customers both hub and crank drive motors.

- ⊙ **Crank drive or "mid-drive" motor**, centrally positioned on the strength training/assistance axis, and with a built-in torque sensor, this motor is acclaimed for its comfort and feel.
- ⊙ **Hub or "wheel" motors**, controlled using the latest electronic and software technologies, are excellent value for the performance they provide. They are considered an outsider on the market.

For the battery, ACTIA also uses the latest generation of cells, the same as are used by the major American electric car manufacturer. This high-performance battery technology is a sign of quality, safety and lifespan, providing more than 1,100 charge/discharge cycles.

As an expert in vehicle connectivity, ACTIA makes good use of its knowledge to support the connectivity of its electric bikes. This means the Group is able to include the connectivity and software component from the entry level upwards. This connectivity enhances safety and the user experience, offering various services:

- ⊙ Dynamic bike data dashboard (speed, assistance, battery status, distance travelled, etc.),
- ⊙ geolocation and tracking/saving routes and performances,
- ⊙ remote diagnostics and predictive maintenance,
- ⊙ monitoring the cyclist's performance and health (e.g., heart rate),
- ⊙ locking and theft alarms,
- ⊙ sending a distress signal and remotely blocking electric assistance,
- ⊙ wireless software updates, etc.

Vehicle diagnostics

ACTIA engineers possess expertise in electronic diagnostics. This covers the collection, preparation and exploitation of technical data for the electrical and electronic systems of a vehicle.

On this basis, we offer manufacturers three types of services:

- ⊙ a *digital diagnostics chain*, making it possible to manage the data cycle from the engineering service that designed the vehicle right up to diagnostics systems that communicate with the vehicle in repair workshops. In addition to providing the necessary design tools, ACTIA is also able to offer development services to create specific software systems, as well as provide assistance for creating, formatting and managing the data that the manufacturer needs;
- ⊙ complete systems for vehicle diagnostics on assembly lines. These systems are known as “*End of Line*.” These include equipment for communicating with the vehicle incorporating specialised software contributing to the process of validating the proper functioning of the manufactured vehicle. Furthermore, the system’s operation increasingly involves downloading software applications embedded in the vehicle. The service proposed by ACTIA is not limited to the system but also covers installing and commissioning it on the automobile production line;
- ⊙ “*Aftermarket diagnostic*” systems for the brand’s workshops consisting of Vehicle Connection Interfaces (VCI) and a diagnostic tool for rugged PCs or tablets. This application includes a knowledge base provided by the automaker and may use model or case-based (experience) reasoning to diagnose a breakdown and assist in the repair. In addition, services may be proposed to support these products in the form of hotlines, training teams and monitoring equipment.

In the field of diagnostics in general, ACTIA is a key player in process digitisation and makes extensive use of advanced IT techniques, such as cloud technologies for data storage and remote access.



⊙ The market

The OEM market is 100% “Business to Business” focused. It is made up of highly sophisticated technical products which are often developed to specific instructions provided by a given customer. OEM customers tend to be multinational, so much so that sales to one customer cover several European countries or even several regions of the world.

As for the vehicle segments involved, multiplexing, initially focused on buses and coaches, is now used in all industrial vehicles, particularly high end and military vehicles, and rail.

With the driver's seat products with which it can be combined and increased research on safety, respect for the environment and comfort, and the control and optimisation of costs, growth areas are concentrated in the developed markets of Europe, the United States and Asia. ACTIA has also developed solutions better suited to the needs of emerging countries.

The telematics market covers all vehicle types including light vehicles which naturally involves very significant production volumes, but in more difficult competitive conditions.

The audio and video products (Infotainment) tend to be successful either in Europe or Latin America where travel by road is more widely used by people than air or rail.

Diagnostic solutions can be applied to all types of vehicles, from light to heavy vehicles, including motorbikes.

To conclude, the OEM markets covered by ACTIA include the entire road and rail sectors while at the same time addressing the needs of special vehicles (agricultural and construction machinery, handling equipment, etc.).

🕒 **Customers**

OEM customers consist of companies who design and manufacture vehicles which always have specific requirements. Consequently, these markets are based on specifications created by the customers. These markets are generally subject to allocation by tender and a single supplier will be selected, due partly to development costs.

The vehicle manufacturers cover a very large range of customers:

- Small production runs: planes, military vehicles, agricultural machinery, trains and tramways;
- Medium-sized production runs: buses, coaches, special vehicles, boats, bikes;
- Long production runs: light vehicles and trucks.

Business volumes vary significantly with runs ranging from dozens of parts for planes to several hundred thousand parts for light vehicles.

ACTIA is the supplier of standard equipment to several major manufacturers including Volvo AB (Volvo Trucks, Renault Trucks, UD Trucks, Mac Trucks, etc.), CNH Industrial, Scania and Marcopolo.

In the field of services, especially diagnostics, its customer base includes large OEMs such as Stellantis as well as medium-sized manufacturers.

🕒 **Competitors**

The big-name customers with large revenues tend to purchase these products and solutions based on their own specifications, through a call for tender process.

ACTIA is therefore in competition with the other electronic equipment manufacturers. Depending on the specific area, these might be specialised SMEs, such as Stoneridge in the field of embedded electronics but also, as is often the case, large integrated groups such as Bosch, Continental, LG or Samsung.

In the field of diagnostics, various major service providers exist, including Bosch, DSA and KPIT.

🕒 **Business**

In 2022, the OEM business experienced a slight growth in revenue from €292.1 to €312.3 million, i.e. an increase of 6.9%. This increase would have been even greater had it not been for the shortages of electronic components and the end of the telematics contract for Volvo Car.

The situation presents a contrasting picture from segment to segment. Indeed, the Light Vehicles segment shrank significantly (<38.3%>), reflecting the end of life of the VCM product. However, this effect was again more than offset by gains in other major segments, such as trucks (+15.3%), off-highway (+42.1%) and buses and coaches (+25.7%). These areas remain the cornerstones of ACTIA's strengths. The rail segment consolidated the solid growth of the previous years and gained a further 4.6%, reflecting the delay in certain programmes such as Grand Paris.

Geographically, the effects stem from the relative share of each segment of activity. OEM activity was stable in Europe (+0.1%), declined in Asia (<3.6%>) and grew strongly in America (+32.5%).

AFTERMARKET BUSINESS UNIT

The Aftermarket business unit groups together the activities for automotive customers that are not manufacturers, i.e.:

- Aftermarket networks;
- Transport equipment lessors and operators;
- Fleet managers.

🕒 The ACTIA solutions®

Certain products presented in the Aftermarket sector are of the same type as those proposed to OEM manufacturers. These nevertheless consist of products distributed under the ACTIA brand rather than systems developed specifically within the framework of tenders according to the specifications of a given manufacturer. The equipment concerned includes:

- Telematics systems (TGU-R, iCAN®);
- Physically embedded systems (PCCAR) and Intelligent or smart Human Machine Interaction (IHMI) screens;
- Embedded communication systems (AES);
- On-board audio and video systems.

Some hardware and software is specific to the Aftermarket segment, corresponding to the needs of that segment.

Multi-make diagnostic systems

Experts of the Aftermarket business unit maintain an up-to-date proprietary knowledge base for the electric and electronic configuration and operation of the main car models. This knowledge base allows ACTIA to market diagnostics systems covering different brands of vehicles to be used in repair workshops through its Multi-Diag range.

This product covers about 90% of multi-make vehicles sold in Europe (internal sources). Considered by industry professionals to be one of the best products on the market, the Group has applied all its know-how to making a very complex tool simple. The Group also distributes a range of multi-make diagnostic tools specifically designed for trucks, buses and utility vehicles.



Multi-Diag

Vehicle fleet management solutions

ACTIA offers vehicle management and remote diagnostics systems and services. These are based on embedded equipment and cloud-based solutions.

The embedded equipment is an electronic unit connected to the on-board computer that also provides remote connection, sometimes by Wi-Fi, or more often by GSM. For buses and trucks, ACTIA proposes the TGU-R solution.



iCAN

For light vehicles, the iCAN product is in its second generation. This compact box facilitates the management of fleets of light or utility vehicles of all sizes and all makes. This moderately priced, easy-to-install unit brings together all of ACTIA's expertise and features:

- a level of professional quality;
- recognition of the vehicle and an automatic configuration ensuring easy installation of the iCAN product;
- access to reliable operating data of the vehicle based on a multiple diagnostics approach.

In all cases the on-board communications unit relates to a management information system platform. For this cloud-based feature, ACTIA proposes several complementary solutions, by providing:

- the onboard communicating unit which extracts information from the vehicle's internal communication networks;
- the Cloud-based "middleware" software, which is used to configure embedded devices, as well as to centralise and store the data uploaded;
- the results display platform, with functions for creating reports and alerts.

These systems provide multiple benefits for operators, passengers and the environment.

For passenger transport, needs related to developing intermodal passenger transport solutions are multiplying with central transit hubs, real-time passenger information, single transit passes, internet and mobile phone ticketing and optimised connections. ACTIA is also positioned as a provider of innovative solutions for measuring and reducing vehicle consumption, measuring and improving passenger comfort and preventive maintenance for vehicles.

Freight transport is demanding in terms of both safety criteria and regulations governing driving times, traceability and deadlines. The number of projects to reduce CO₂ emissions is increasing. With personnel, fuel, the vehicle and maintenance representing the main costs, productivity is sought at every level. Connected systems offer solutions in these different areas.

Finally, the Group has developed an embedded information technology solution built around "EasyTach" services that has opened up the market of managers of transport fleets for goods.

Workshop and vehicle inspection equipment

ACTIA has developed a range of inspection and repair equipment for light vehicles, utility vehicles and trucks. The main tools for garages are equipment for the verification of wheel alignment (4G system, by 3D imaging analysis), wheel balancing, gas analysers, car lifts and other garage equipment, as well as devices and software for vehicle inspection centres around the world.

These activities were sold in 2022 to the BASE Group, while retaining a 60% stake in its subsidiary ACTIA Cz, renamed ATAL, a specialist in gas analysers.

☉ The market

The diagnostics market demands continuous adaptation to keep pace with the sustained growth in the amount of embedded electronic equipment in vehicles along with their constant renewal. With embedded electronics occupying an increasingly important place in the vehicle ecosystem, diagnostic functions are a strategic issue for manufacturers. They require the highest levels of quality and service to give their aftermarket network a competitive edge.

Furthermore, express repair service networks and independent garages required to adapt to changes with respect to both vehicles and regulations, European in particular, today represent a large market for the range of Multi-Diag 360 solutions.

The Group has taken steps to develop ergonomic tools with the right capacity to carry out general maintenance operations, while also offering a range of complementary services.

Lastly, in the public transport fleet sector, ACTIA continues to lead efforts to achieve Europe-wide standardisation through the ITxPT (Information Technology for Public Transport) label. A large part of the range has obtained this certification, which is increasingly a condition imposed by transport operators when they purchase new vehicles or equipment.

Customers

For multi-make diagnostics, ACTIA is now focusing on partnerships with major accounts, first and foremost the Distrigo network (Stellantis Group), with a view to international expansion and collaboration with complete service offers.

For vehicle fleets, the customers are the transport operators themselves (bus, coach and truck operators). ACTIA is thus the leader in France in the telemetry segment for urban buses. They may also be integrators, i.e. companies that use ACTIA solutions as complementary equipment and software applications to offer operators specialised functions. Finally, the iCAN product provides a way to approach the market for rental companies and managers of major fleets.

Competitors

Competition is divided into compartmentalised markets such as manufacturers, independent garages and repair service networks.

In all cases, the main barrier to entry is the level of technological sophistication and in consequence the high cost of developing a new system, which can run into millions of Euros. Sharing R&D for technological building blocks makes it possible to maintain the quality and performance of products at a lower cost. This gives the Group a competitive advantage.

ACTIA's competitors include:

- for multi-make diagnostics, Swedish, German and Italian companies;
- the fleet segment is highly competitive and ACTIA occupies a position focusing on market niches. For equipment, key players include TomTom, Transics, Masternaut, etc. For data processing, numerous players coexist, including large generalists, data specialists, and small, opportunistic competitors.

Business

In 2022, the Aftermarket business represented €31.7 million in revenue, down 22.5% compared to 2021, due to the sale of the Vehicle Inspection and Garage Equipment businesses to the BASE Group on 21 April 2022.

Sales to fleet managers continued to grow (+11.4%), in particular with the upturn in investments by Bus & Car fleet managers (+39.7%), although falling short of the level prior to the health crisis. The Rail segment also grew (+15.3%), exceeding the volume of business of the Light Vehicle fleet management segment.

MANUFACTURING-DESIGN & SERVICES BUSINESS UNIT

Products

The MDS business unit designs and manufactures boards and electronics systems for third parties. ACTIA focuses on its expertise in segments for embedded electronics, on behalf of automakers and system developers, including in highly demanding sectors such as rail and aerospace, and also for other manufacturing companies which require a cutting-edge circuit board production tool.



ACTIA manufacturing capabilities meet the most stringent quality criteria in the automotive sector (medium-sized and long production runs) as well as the aeronautics, railway and healthcare sectors (small production runs), meeting its own needs while still being open to some customers, thus enabling it to stay closely in touch with the market.

ACTIA has four own production facilities for the manufacture of electronic boards, located in Toulouse-Colomiers (France), Tunis (Tunisia), Detroit-Romulus (USA) and Linköping (Sweden).

ACTIA offers services ranging from the design to the manufacturing, testing and integration of circuit boards.

Drawing on its know-how as a technology specialist, buyer and producer, ACTIA also offers services related to the lifecycle of electronic components:

- monitor systems, their obsolescence and *procurability*;
- propose alternative solutions on a predictive basis;
- make any necessary changes;
- carry out functional validations;
- manage documentation.



ACTIA's customers benefit from the multiple certifications of its entities, particularly in the field of quality: ISO TS 16949 (automotive), IRIS (railway), NADCAP and Part 145 (aeronautics), etc.

⊙ The market

ACTIA addresses the market for small and medium-sized production runs, with facilities able to meet the most stringent quality criteria.

Focused on its own products, the Group is strengthening services to automotive, aeronautic, railway or even home automation and healthcare sector customers in order to satisfy their requirements in terms of both cost and quality, and to apply these standards to its own products.

In the area of services related to electronic components, the market is concentrated on companies with products and equipment having very long lifecycles with replacement costs that are much higher than the cost of In-Service Support, particularly in the nuclear and civil and military aeronautic sectors.

⊙ Customers

Electronics manufacturing services are offered to all industrial operators looking for high quality, small, medium-sized and long production runs. The Toulouse site services in particular the aeronautics industry, railway and healthcare segments. The Tunisian sites produce medium-sized and long production runs and are more specifically focused on the automotive and home automation sectors.

In the field of services related to electronic components, our main customers are major industrial users of systems with very long lifecycles (up to 30 years or more).

⊙ Competitors

Electronic manufacturing is a sector where large industrial structures based in Asia reign supreme. Production in Europe is focused on speciality products. It is a dynamic and concentrated sector.

In all these cases, ACTIA plays its specialist card, thanks to its own capacity to design complex systems.

⊙ Business

With its qualitative and quantitative investments over the past years, ACTIA has gained the loyalty of its major customers who entrust it with the production of new products. This reflects the Group's excellent level of equipment, which meets the market constraints, particularly at the moment with the tensions in the procurement of electronic components.

In 2022, the business grew strongly again (+42.7%) and reached €61.8 million. The aerospace segment as well as the industry was the driving force behind this growth.

OTHER BUSINESS UNITS

The Group's various operations include system and software development services for third parties. These services are growing steadily and represented significant revenue of €14.9 million in 2022.

The main customers are large companies active in the electronics sector. With respect to competition, the sector is dominated by large digital service companies (DSCs).

4.3.2 TELECOMS DIVISION

The Telecoms Division operates in three markets:

- ⊙ SatCom;
- ⊙ Energy;
- ⊙ Rail.

The Telecoms Division's contribution to Group results was as follows:

Contribution of the Telecoms Division (€K)	2022	2021	2020
Revenue	78,603	63,052	47,087
Current operating income	2,186	2,940	818
Operating income	2,550	2,874	785
Net income for the period (A)	1,942	2,085	396
Tax (B)	351	531	119
Impairment of goodwill (C)	0	0	0
Interest and financial costs (D)	240	251	266
Valuation of hedging instruments (E)	0	0	5
Depreciation (F)	3,287	3,002	2,795
EBITDA¹ (A+B+C+D+E+F)	5,820	5,869	3,582

¹ EBITDA: Net income + taxes + goodwill amortisation + interest and financial costs + depreciation allowances +/- change in value of derivatives

These figures are presented in accordance with Note 20 "Operating segments" in the notes to the consolidated financial statements.

The Group's management control provides us with the following overview of changes in revenue between the three business units:

Operating segment (€K)	2022	2021	2020
SatCom	40,432	28,272	20,844
Energy	23,864	22,578	13,916
Rail	14,307	12,502	12,327
TOTAL	78,603	63,352	47,087

The Telecoms Division (15.7% of Group sales) recorded a revenue increase of 24.1%.

SATCOM BUSINESS UNIT

⦿ Products

Using technologies developed in the power amplifier and signal processing sector, the Telecoms Division has established itself in the field of satellite telecommunications Earth stations, creating complete, easily transportable systems that meet the needs primarily of the military sector for armed forces deployed in foreign theatres of operation and also of civilian telecommunications markets.

The Group also offers related products, such as amplifiers, transmission/reception sub-assemblies and supervision software for ground stations to various operators and systems manufacturers. The Group is therefore positioned as a leading systems manufacturer for the complete integration (hardware and software) of satellite communications systems.



⦿ The market

The traditional market is domestic. For 20 years now, the Group has supported the different programmes of the French defence procurement agency (DGA) relating to the military telecommunications segment, through multi-year contracts. These also include In-Service Support for stations for periods of more than 10 or 15 years after delivery. To address the domestic market, the Group either chooses to enter into partnerships with the big French systems manufacturers (AIRBUS, THALES), or offers its services and products directly to the different entities within the Armed Forces Ministry (STAT, DIRIS). In 2020, and then in 2021, the Group confirmed its position as a recognised partner of the French Armed Forces after it was selected by the prime contractor for the Syracuse IV system (THALES)

Addressing these same telecommunications needs, the Group has also developed relations at the European level, winning its first contract with NATO in 2008, which has been regularly supplemented by annual amendments.

Building on its expertise, the Group is increasingly targeting international markets, with a particular commercial focus on North Africa and the Middle East. The Group notably won a tender in Egypt to develop and deliver a complete ground segment, thanks to continued relationships forged with the Egyptian Navy. In the United Arab Emirates, it won a contract to supply the operator Yahsat with Satcom systems equipping aircraft of the Emirates Air Force.

The market can open up to civilian applications from time to time when international events require strengthening local infrastructure to support mass dissemination or to support a country developing new infrastructure.

⦿ Customers

In the field of military procurement, the customers are the armed forces of the countries in question, either through direct contracts (Egypt, NATO), or indirectly through other leading systems manufacturers (THALES, AIRBUS).

In the civilian, commercial or radio and TV fields, the customers are the telecoms operators (ORANGE, EUTELSAT, ARABSAT, NILESAT, YAHSAT) or integrators, both in France and abroad, as well as the scientific agencies (CNES, ESA) or leading systems manufacturers.

The customers are approached based on the successes already achieved in France and export markets.

There are increasing numbers of opportunities with customers in the Middle East looking for an alternative to American products. The ability to deal with export licence and 'dual-use item' classification issues has become an essential part of our drive for international growth.

⊙ Competitors

The competitive picture is very complex, especially in the satellite telecommunications sector, due to the size of the competing companies, the projects and political issues for a strategic sector.

In the area of integration of Earth stations, competition is represented by major telecommunications groups. For example, THALES is a customer in France and is often also a competitor in export markets.

In the area of equipment, the main competitors are American (CPI, XICOM) and fluctuations in the EUR/USD rate can have a significant effect on these companies. Spain is also a new player as, with support from Europe, it has developed a highly competitive space telecommunications industry (ACCORDE for amplifiers, INDRA for stations).

In the area of the installation of fixed stations, the Group faces companies like Metracom in France, Vertex in Germany, Pals in Turkey, S3 in the United Kingdom, Datapath in Sweden and Indra in Spain.

⊙ Business

In 2022, the SatCom Division's revenue was €40.4 million, a record for this business unit. At €26 million, military sales in France accounted for just over 60% of this performance. Revenue from the main customer for the financial year amounted to €20.6 million, with the production of two types of products: stations in a package (Flyaway) and transportable stations in a Shelter (HGC: large capacity hubs). These contracts are part of the DGA Syracuse IV programme.

Revenue from the military procurement business in France is still strengthened by annual activities of In-Service Support contracts for stations delivered to the DGA, either under the Comcept programmes (Ka-band), or the Syracuse III programme (X-band) with positive feedback about the operation of our stations. At the end of 2022, the Group began negotiations for the new In-Service Support contract for Syracuse IV stations to be concluded in the second half of 2023.

ACTIA also continued the production of new generation liquid-cooled naval amplifiers for the French Navy's ships and the supply of new solid state power amplifiers (SSPA) to equip the French Navy's submarines.

In 2022, the Group successfully crossed the detailed design milestone in the Naval stations programme for the Egyptian Navy. The production of these terminals and the installation on board the ships will be carried out in 2023.

ENERGY BUSINESS UNIT

⊙ Products

With experience of more than 40 years in control units and the supervision of electricity networks, the Group provides a full range of equipment for electrical power transmission and distribution operators.

The Group accordingly proposes a complete range of products and systems adapted to smart grid networks in France and international markets, including:

- remote control systems;
- digital command and control unit systems for HV/MV source substations;
- high capacity managed stations (RTU);
- solutions for Microgrid networks (management of renewable energies and digitisation of the networks)
- event recorders;
- communications gateways;
- boxes for managing low-voltage networks (smart substations);
- IP, radio, 4G, LTE-M modems, etc.;
- remote protection for renewable energies (photovoltaic, wind turbines);
- turnkey solutions: control rooms, telecommunications networks, etc.



ACTIA also develops a range of solutions for telecommunications network infrastructure for 4G and 5G mobile phone services as well as fibre optic deployment.

While proposing optimal solutions in terms of functional needs, ACTIA combines a production and logistics process adapted to rapid response and seasonal deployment requirements.

Today, this offer ranges from simple electrical powering products up to complex and comprehensive turnkey systems for the creation of a global broadcasting site incorporating significant innovations and an integrated ecological approach.

The range of products includes:

- outdoor units;
- low-voltage power supply systems;
- continuous power supply systems.

🕒 The market

New digital technology related to the digitisation of power networks (Smartgrids), integration of renewable energies, strengthening of networks so that operators can meet the future requirements of electric vehicles and decarbonisation solutions.

The increasing needs arising from the deployment of the 5G and fibre optic networks offer the Group recognition in the field thanks to its responsiveness, adaptability and the quality of service it offers. It is still primarily a domestic market due to the significant need for proximity, but it is challenging due to very competitive pricing by foreign companies.

The two main markets are:

- Mobile telephony;
- Higher Internet speeds;
- Digitisation of electrical networks;
- Command and control of source and MV/HV/LV substations;
- Communicating units for the metering market;
- SCADA (electrical network supervision systems).

🕒 Customers

Customers are primarily companies or operators in which the state, directly or indirectly, has a varying interest, and which manage national energy networks. ACTIA's customers are primarily present in French-speaking markets. They include:

- in the French market: ENEDIS, RTE, EDF, SNCF;
- in export markets: Burundi electricity provider, ONCF and ONE in Morocco, Togo, Niger, Benin, Luxembourg;
- a strong position in the segment for island networks (Tahiti, Mayotte, Reunion, etc.).

Concentrated on the French telephony market, the main customers are: SFR, Bouygues and Orange. We are now positioned in the very competitive 5G market with the deployment of the Outdoor BCUBE technology for Bouygues Telecom.

Partners

As it operates in a technological niche, the Group also works in partnerships to meet its customers' needs. The main partners are:

- Siemens for the PCCN contract for digital substation equipment (ENEDIS);
- ICE for the Electre (RTE) market.

Competitors

Our competitors are generally French or foreign companies that are considerably larger than our Group, such as SCLE (Bouygues Télécom) General Electric Grid, Schneider, Cahors, etc. Certain major groups may also be both competitors and partners as, for example, Siemens for the digital control centre (PCCN) contract for digital substation equipment.

Our main competitors in the telephony sector are either integrators or sheet metal manufacturers based in France, or international telecommunications equipment producers (Asia and Eastern Europe) which offer "telecoms equipment + infrastructure" packages. The super-fast broadband market (4 and 5G) with Bouygues Telecom is shared with our competitor TLTI.

Business

The ENERGY business unit continued to grow in 2022 (+5.7%) though it remained sensitive to the smooth procurement of components. The Telecoms Division fully met the challenges of energy transition and Smartgrids. ACTIA regularly adds to its equipment range by addressing various markets: SCADA, control-command of HV/MV substations, management of LV substations and smart metering. Thus, the year 2022 saw the development of the R#SPACE programme for RTE and the supply of a new-generation IP box in LTE-M for ENEDIS.

In the telephony sector, the Telecoms Division is currently delivering products to power GSM 4G and 5G telephony sites for Bouygues Telecom and Altice SFR.

RAIL

Products

Based on its expertise in the development of rail safety products, its knowledge of radio- and high-frequency transmissions and thanks to its ability to produce and maintain high-quality small production run products, ACTIA has concentrated its rail business at the Millau (Aveyron) and Montpellier (Hérault) sites.

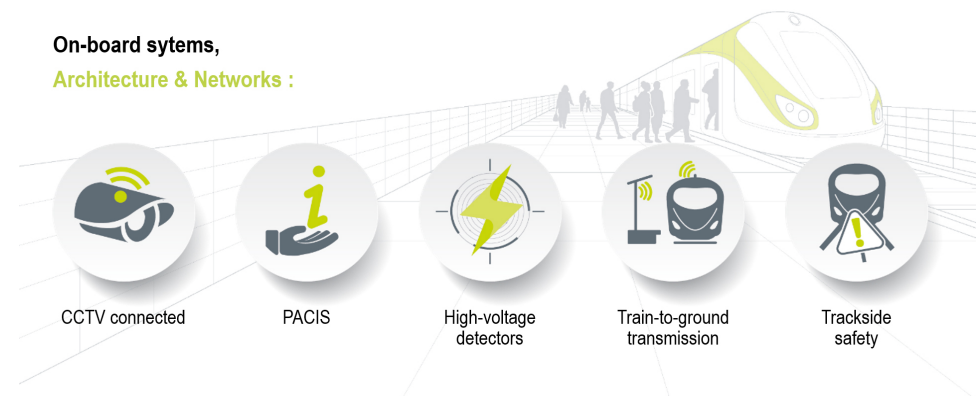
Pursuing the development of the rail business, the Group decided to organise it more broadly around the dual French/Spanish hub, thus benefiting from an R&D team specialising in the rail sector with over 60 people, supported by the Group's Tunisian Design Office, and a far larger sales force. As a result, ACTIA Telecom now designs and supplies electronic systems and equipment for trams, metros and trains and systems for trackside safety.

The various solutions consist of:

- on-board, real-time video-surveillance systems, either autonomous or supervised from trackside, retrovision systems with analysis and video processing solutions;
- visual and audio information systems (Public Address, intercom, speaker systems, amplifiers, etc.);
- visual information systems for passengers, including monitors, LEDS and LCD displays, dynamic route maps, servers and ground applications, etc. jointly developed with ACTIA Systems in Spain;
- secure, wireless announcement systems (SIL4) for trackside workers;
- specific train to trackside transmission systems adapted to all types of transport environment;
- high-voltage detection equipment and relays.

On-board systems,

Architecture & Networks :



☉ The market

The development of the rail market is driven by urban development and the resulting public transport challenges but also network repairs (ageing infrastructure). Rail, with the lowest carbon impact among means of transport, fuels the determination of the local authorities to develop this transport facility for both people and goods. In addition, the growing awareness of environmental issues also encouraged the development of rail transport as a more environmentally friendly alternative to road or air transport.

In addition to new rolling stock, there is also a need to renovate older rolling stock by handling obsolescence and adapting it to the new expectations of the transport authorities and users.

Evolving passenger needs, increasing safety challenges and the requirement for operators to optimise circulation flows is driving a growing demand for the systems proposed by ACTIA in terms of passenger information, high-definition video surveillance and associated security systems (retrovision, remote control systems and video analysis and processing). The functions and applications of these communicating systems extend from train to trackside in a single, coherent system.

For infrastructure, the need for network repairs, the challenges with respect to competitiveness and worksite safety, combined with the requirement to maintain traffic, result in demand for trackside safety systems. Within this framework, ACTIA Telecom provides innovative, rapid implementation and secure wireless announcement systems (SIL4 compliant).

☉ Customers

For equipment embedded in rolling stock, the customers are manufacturers and regional, national and urban transport operators.

For trackside safety, the customers are the transport operators and managers of the rail network and announcement systems or rail maintenance and works companies.

The manufacturers ALSTOM (metro, urban trains, trains) and SIEMENS (automatic metro) and the operators SNCF and RATP are currently the main customers of the Telecoms Division, but the opening up of the market to international competition with contracts for ONCF (Morocco) and the synergies with ACTIA Systems should make it possible to achieve stronger positions with manufacturers such as CAF, or even acquire new customers like the manufacturers STADLER and HITACHI.

The merger of Bombardier Transport with Alstom has opened doors for our customer at international level. Its development on certain international markets, especially in regions where ACTIA has a subsidiary, can usher in new opportunities and new growth drivers.

The French transport operators SNCF and RATP have numerous projects in the pipeline to which ACTIA could make a high-profile contribution.

☉ Competitors

There are several types of competitors for the supply of video-surveillance and passenger information systems:

- Suppliers of products;
- Suppliers from service companies (manufacturing, engineering);
- Systems manufacturers focused more on the market for operators.

The competitors in the market for announcement systems are European. Barriers to entry are high in the European market with stringent requirements and rigorous standards such as SIL4 safety certification resulting in significant entry costs and approval delays.

☉ Business

The year 2022 was marked by the consequences of the health crisis and difficulties in the procurement of electronic components, which impacted the business, with our customers postponing deliveries to 2023 and 2024. Despite this tense environment, the business unit grew by 14.4% compared to 2021, with a steadily swelling order book. The winning of new contracts with SNCF and Alstom consolidated the growth of the short- and medium-term business.

ACTIA acquired the software and support R&D activity from Hymatom in 2021. This helped to consolidate ACTIA's position in ground-based hypervision for video surveillance and improve skills in the development of ground-based applications in the mobility segments while benefiting from the dynamics of the long-established activity in urban safety, AI and Smart Cities.

The R&D effort continued unabated, for both the development and adaptation of current solutions, and the preparation of tomorrow's innovations developed internally.

4.3.3 GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT THE SUBSIDIARIES

This information is presented in Note 3.2 “Consolidated companies” in the notes to the consolidated financial statements.

4.3.4 COMPETITIVE POSITION

Generally speaking and for the entire Group, ACTIA’s share in the European or world market for embedded electronics and telecommunications is quite modest. This is because ACTIA’s strategy is to identify and develop niche markets for specialised applications. As a result, the Group has a foothold in a diverse range of sectors, and is in a strong position in certain niche areas, without having a dominant competitive position within a whole sector. Likewise, it is impossible to present a relevant market share for ACTIA, because there is no official source that meets our characteristics.

With regard to customer portfolio, the niche strategy also means that it is not possible to obtain a homogeneous breakdown or calculate our position within an entire market segment. Only by doing that could we make relevant comparisons with competitors. As it stands, our competitors only compete with certain products developed by ACTIA and vice versa, because the Group does not claim to market the full offer marketed by its competitors.

In general, market data is difficult to obtain. For example, in our OEM business, ACTIA Group has strong global penetration in the multiplexing field for buses and coaches, but specific data quantifying the “number of buses and coaches” likely to use this technology does not exist. The number of buses and coaches manufactured worldwide can be found but the multiplexing technology only targets top-of-the-range buses and coaches. In addition, certain countries such as China and India now incorporate these technologies and the market share that they represent now and in the near future is not known, all the more so given that these are fast-growing markets. Relevant statistics can be found but they are only partial. As such, they do not make it possible to produce quantitative data for the worldwide market in which the Group operates.

Whenever it was possible to do so, we provided information for each division in § 4.3.1 “Automotive Division” and 4.3.2 “Telecoms Division”.

4.3.5 FACTORS MATERIALLY AFFECTING OPERATING INCOME

The table presented below represents audited figures.

	2022			2021 Adjusted*			2021 Published			2020
	First half-year	Second half-year	TOTAL	First half-year	Second half-year	TOTAL	First half-year	Second half-year	TOTAL	TOTAL
Revenue (excluding Group)	248,483	251,348	499,831	216,306	229,604	445,910	225,455	237,384	462,839	438,593
of which, Automotive	213,813	206,900	420,713	189,200	193,350	382,551	198,349	201,131	399,480	391,480
of which, Telecoms	34,635	43,968	78,603	27,110	36,242	63,352	27,110	36,242	63,352	47,087
Current operating income	3,343	6,222	9,565	2,749	1,720	4,469	<2,852>	<8,389>	<11,241>	<7,248>
of which, Automotive	3,033	4,802	7,835	1,601	<877>	724	<4,000>	<10,987>	<14,986>	<7,671>
of which, Telecoms	978	1,208	2,186	264	2,676	2,940	264	2,676	2,940	818
% Current operating income/Revenue	1.3%	2.5%	1.9%	1.3%	0.7%	1.0%	<1.3%>	<3.5%>	<2.4%>	<1.7%>
of which, Automotive	1.4%	2.3%	1.9%	0.8%	<0.5%>	0.2%	<2.0%>	<5.5%>	<3.8%>	<2.0%>
of which, Telecoms	2.8%	2.7%	2.8%	1.0%	7.4%	4.6%	1.0%	7.4%	4.6%	1.7%
Operating income	3,462	6,360	9,822	3,086	2,643	5,729	<2,488>	<7,432>	<9,921>	<6,857>
of which, Automotive	2,727	5,020	7,747	2,012	74	2,086	<3,562>	<10,001>	<13,563>	<7,138>
of which, Telecoms	1,417	1,134	2,550	225	2,649	2,874	225	2,649	2,874	785
% Operating income/Revenue	1.4%	2.5%	2.0%	1.4%	1.2%	1.3%	<1.1%>	<3.1%>	<2.1%>	<1.6%>
of which, Automotive	1.3%	2.4%	1.8%	1.1%	0.0%	0.5%	<1.8%>	<5.0%>	<3.4%>	<1.8%>
of which, Telecoms	4.1%	2.6%	3.2%	0.8%	7.3%	4.5%	0.8%	7.3%	4.5%	1.7%
Income from continuing operations	3,567	<1,785>	1,782	4,183	5,842	10,025				
of which, Automotive	3,538	<1,534>	2,004	3,669	4,199	7,868				
of which, Telecoms	1,072	870	1,942	<25>	2,111	2,085				
Income from discontinued operations	<11,086>	29,921	18,835	<5,625>	<10,474>	<16,099>				
of which, Automotive	<11,086>	<2,565>	<13,651>	<5,625>	<10,474>	<16,099>				
of which, Telecoms	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Net income	<7,519>	28,136	20,617	<1,442>	<4,632>	<6,074>	<1,442>	<4,632>	<6,074>	<19,441>
of which, Automotive	<7,548>	<4,099>	<11,648>	<1,956>	<6,274>	<8,230>	<1,956>	<6,274>	<8,230>	<18,647>
of which, Telecoms	1,072	870	1,942	<25>	2,111	2,085	<25>	2,111	2,085	396

*Adjusted to take account of the reclassification of the Power division under 'discontinued operations'.

The major structural factors affecting income are as follows:

- ⊙ Level of demand from OEM customers, reflecting their production level;
- ⊙ Pace of projects with R&D developments;
- ⊙ Production capability utilisation rate;
- ⊙ The USD-Euro exchange rate (tempered by hedging instruments), with a very large share of component purchases in USD and a low level of invoicing in this currency;
- ⊙ in the medium term, renewal of the product portfolio through customer calls for tender.

The **major economic factor** influencing the income is the impact of **shortages of electronic components** essential to ACTIA's production activity. Since the end of 2020, constraints and then shortages have affected the supply of many active components (microprocessors, memories), as well as other components occasionally. This has led to multiple operational difficulties:

- ⊙ Increasingly longer delivery lead times, often reaching a year or more;
- ⊙ Existing contracts have been terminated, and even orders received have been postponed or even cancelled;
- ⊙ Price increases of 10-15% or more for high-demand items;
- ⊙ Many customers reduced their requirements for products manufactured by ACTIA, due to their own difficulties in procuring raw materials.

The consequences for producers like ACTIA were as follows:

- ⊙ Longer lead times for delivery to customers;
- ⊙ Difficulties in meeting scheduled deadlines;
- ⊙ Industrial planning disrupted, forcing sub-optimal production rates;
- ⊙ Additional logistics costs to set up alternative supply chains;
- ⊙ Large stocks of components, with shortages freezing the use of other products, which are piling up waiting to go into production.

In early 2021, in response to a new major risk, ACTIA immediately set up a resilient organisation to monitor the situation in real-time, create alternative solutions and maintain close contact with customers at all times. ACTIA set up a crisis unit, led by Jean-Louis Pech, Chairman and CEO, bringing together buyers, procurement staff, sales staff, members of the design office, production and legal departments, tasked with making the best decisions based on discussions with customers and suppliers. The aim was to keep the effect of this shortage to a minimum. This organisation continued in 2022.

Thus, the Group continued to maintain a close and permanent operational dialogue with its customers in order to find pragmatic solutions to difficulties, by limiting their operational and financial impact.

In 2022, the impact of the Covid-19 crisis was limited to operations in China, which slowed down significantly in the second quarter.

The war in Ukraine had mainly indirect effects for ACTIA, due to cost inflation, particularly energy costs, and the collapse of the euro against the US dollar.

The Group had no major business linked to Ukraine or Russia (€1.4 million in revenue in 2021 including Belarus). ACTIA is not dependent on Russian supplies and has not identified any strategic suppliers in the area.

Significant and rapid fluctuations in the EUR/USD exchange rate in 2022 had a major impact, valued at more than €5.5 million, on our purchases. Hedging tools limited the impact of the collapse of the euro, with the EUR/USD exchange rate falling from 1.1326 to 1.0666 in 12 months, with low points in the autumn of 2022 reaching 0.96, thus confirming the protective tunnel effect put in place by ACTIA. As the EUR/USD exchange rate changed sharply during the 2022 financial year with a stronger US dollar and the euro catching up slightly at the end of the financial year, the valuation of hedging instruments generated a capital loss of €4.1 million against a gain of €8.4 million at 31 December 2021, recorded by the Automotive Division. Currency hedging instruments enabled the Group to purchase USD at an average exchange rate of 1.078 over the period compared to 1.179 in 2021, generating a slight improvement compared to the average exchange rate on the spot market (1.054).

Faced with increasingly sensitive and highly volatile financial markets, ACTIA negotiated with its international customers to set up partial invoicing in euros and thus generate a natural hedge.

4.4 TREND-RELATED INFORMATION

4.4.1 SIGNIFICANT EVENTS AFTER THE END OF THE REPORTING PERIOD

With regard to the difficulties in the procurement of electronic components, the trend at the beginning of 2023 shows a relative normalisation of procurements. However, the return to normalcy will be slow, as the production chain is dependent on all its components and not just on the average trend.

In financial terms, ACTIA had €48.4 million in cash at 31 December 2022, meaning it was able to meet its short-term repayment obligations. Nevertheless, in a context still beset with uncertainty and with growth requiring a lot of WCR for ACTIA, the Group's management decided to improve the use of its under-utilised trade receivables (less than 10%), by implementing factoring solutions in its subsidiaries that invoice major accounts and reverse factoring when these major accounts offer it. This will reduce the difference in payment times between customers and suppliers.

Finally, during the publication of its results at the end of March 2022, ACTIA announced the implementation of a plan to transform the Group's segmentation leading to the emergence of four divisions by the end of 2024.

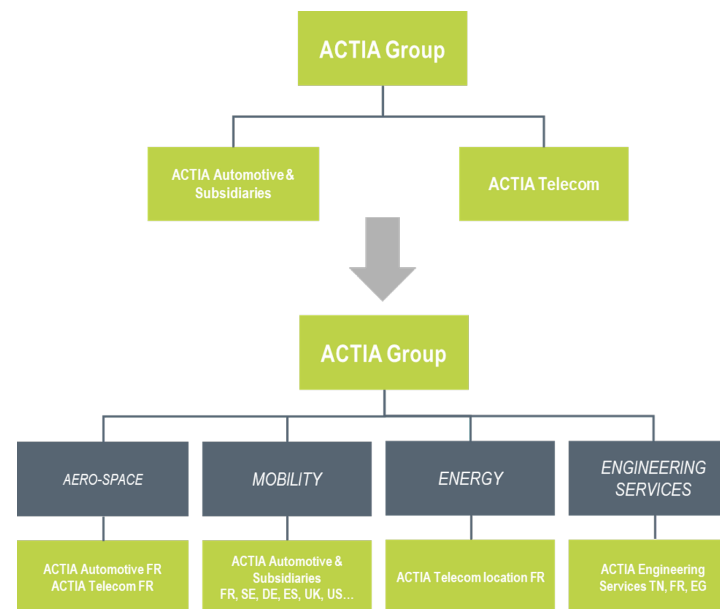
4.4.2 TARGETS – PERFORMANCE AND OUTLOOK

SALES PERFORMANCE

Bolstered by a solid order book and its portfolio of multi-year contracts, ACTIA is aiming for revenue of more than €800 million by the end of 2025, despite the impact of the disposals carried out during 2022. For the year 2023, without envisaging any significant improvement in procurements, ACTIA could register a growth of more than 15% compared to 2022.

Despite its complex environment, ACTIA relies on different markets that address environmental and societal issues to ensure its sustainability. Partnerships in place for many years, with customers, suppliers and banking partners, also provide a solid framework which secures the Group's future.

The disposals made in 2022 and the good level of business improved its profitability, although the pressure on the WCR persisted due to the tensions in the components market.



OUTLOOK

ACTIA has always shown its ability to adapt and its high degree of resilience, as it constantly repositions itself on new, profitable markets. As the commercial successes of the year translate into revenue approximately 3 to 4 years later, the cornerstone of multi-year contracts promises a significant increase in revenue in the long term. As planned for many years, the end of the VCM contract was thus absorbed as early as 2022.

In the coming years, the challenge for the Group will be to renew its revenue by ramping up several customer / market pairs, so as to maintain a situation whereby no single customer accounts for more than 10% of consolidated revenue.

⦿ Automotive Division

ACTIA is pursuing its strategy based on know-how developed over a period of more than 35 years during which it has gradually expanded across the value chain. This is a niche strategy in which ACTIA focuses on specialised applications, for example, diagnostics, vehicle power management, vehicle communications inside vehicles and with the outside, electromobility, etc.



Thanks to its dual expertise in IT and micro-electronics, ACTIA also provides complete data-based solutions, from physical collection in the vehicle through to processing and visualisation on IT platforms.

- Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) Business Unit

ACTIA's strategy for automakers is based on supplying advanced systems, built on the Group's technological platforms and adapted to customer specifications. These systems integrate equipment and software on an open architecture and modular basis in order to better address all the constraints faced by users. By developing a partnership approach with customers, ACTIA will continue to promote its capacity to tailor products and/or systems to their specific needs.

Launched during the health crisis, the micromobility business unit made its first deliveries in 2022. With its strengths in connectivity, safety and battery optimisation, it is expected to grow quite rapidly. However, as this is a competitive and start-up business, it is risky to announce a target in terms of market share.

- Aftermarket:

ACTIA substantially refocused its Aftermarket business unit following the sale of the Garage Equipment and Vehicle Inspection businesses, concentrating on on-board equipment for the aftermarket, multi-make diagnostics and connected services, which are directly related to its OEM business. However, the Aftermarket business still offers little visibility as sales do not have the benefit of multi-year contracts, unlike the OEM segment.

In the field of fleet management, data processing allows an exception to this configuration, since subscriptions account for a large share of business and the renewal rate is high. It will continue to develop, in particular by relying on telematics to link the vehicle to its environment. Boosted by the fleets already in place, ACTIA is capitalising on its growing revenue.

- Manufacturing-Design & Services or "MDS":

The design, industrialisation and production of systems on behalf of third parties helps to ensure that the industrial facilities remain at the cutting edge of technology with the right costs for the market.

It now accounts for more than 12% of the consolidated revenue, but ACTIA remains selective in this area so as not to undermine the responsiveness of the industrial chain for its own needs, while ensuring the best level of service to its customers.

ACTIA won new customers, particularly in the field of satellite constellations, while the aeronautics segment recovered significantly in 2022 after two difficult years due to the pandemic. Home automation continued to grow steadily, uninterrupted by Covid-19, demonstrating the advantage of diversification and the quality of the industrial tool adapts to the rapid changes in the sector.

🕒 Telecoms

In a persistent difficult economic context in 2022 marked by the shortage of components, the Telecoms Division managed to consolidate its outlook for 2023 and the subsequent years, on both national and international markets.

- SatCom:

With In-Service Support for ground systems and networks for the DGA, this business unit should see good recurrent business in its traditional markets for several years to come.

Thanks to its positioning on national markets, with the Syracuse IV programme in particular, and the continuity of international programmes, especially in the naval field in Egypt, the SatCom Division is set to consolidate its level of business over the years to come.

- Energy:

Thanks to the transition towards digital energy networks, which is forecast to continue over the coming years, ACTIA is building the growth of its business in this sector, which could do away with the major constraints in the procurement of components as early as 2023. In the medium term, technological progress will continue and ACTIA will consolidate its business through its constant efforts in R&D.

In the telephony sector, with the start of 5G deployment in France, business in 2023 should be at the same level as 2022.

- Rail:

Continuation of the sustained sales activity combined with the commercial successes of the past years is driving the development of the production and R&D activity. This has led to considerable growth in this sector, thanks also to the trusting relationships developed with major manufacturers and operators within the framework of public tenders for investments or renewals in Europe. The acquisition of the Hypervision CCTV business in 2021 and R&D efforts strengthen the potential for innovation and improve the competitive positioning of the business.

PRIORITIES FOR 2023

The Group's main areas of focus remain unchanged, as they are long-term in nature.

ACTIA confirms its positioning as a high-technology company in some very competitive areas. As a consequence, the Group will maintain its efforts in R&D, in order to remain technologically relevant, and its commercial efforts to enlarge the customer base and markets, while supporting the transformation of its businesses through innovation and the agility required to meet the challenges of mobility, regulatory constraints, energy transition and the environment. The renewed importance of the development of software and services as items integrated into the electronic equipment produced by ACTIA should be noted, and it is also a source of revenue in its own right.

With a robust order book, the most important priority for ACTIA in 2023 will be to maintain the high agility of its teams in the face of disruptions in the procurement of electronic components. The challenge is twofold: ensure the production line and, at the same time, manage the decrease in component stocks that have been mechanically piled up due to shortages of certain component references. Looking ahead, ACTIA is striving to turn this crisis into a learning opportunity to make the Group more resilient for the benefit of its customers.

Also on the subject of internal processes, ACTIA is exploring various internal coordination and improvement programmes, in the area of product and market management, as well as in the technological area with the ACTIA Cross Border Engineering programme for structuring R&D and developing engineering activities. The Group is building a new approach to the design of its products in order to better respond to the challenges of sustainability and repairability, enabling it and its customers to better measure the impact of the solutions provided.

In terms of tools, the project to implement the new ERP in the main structures of the Automotive Division is being transformed with the definition of new requirements that have arisen as a result of the components crisis, in order to meet the need for greater agility in supply management and production facility planning.

The planned business growth is also supported by a significant recruitment plan in the countries where ACTIA is present. This is also a challenge because technical skills are in high demand worldwide.

Finally, the Group's General Management, with the support of the CSR Committee, launched a survey among its family shareholders, its Board of Directors and all of its employees to determine ACTIA's driving SDOs for the coming years.



Our environmental model

Our environmental model shapes our activities in-depth:

- We contribute to our customers' carbon footprint reduction goals.
- We design and manufacture solutions for eco-responsible mobility and better energy management.
- 100% of our industrial sites are ISO 14001 certified.

4.5 STRATEGY

The diversity of ACTIA's activities is united by a shared mission:

"To meet the technological and industrial challenges of innovative, value-creating and sustainable electronics for each of our customers:

ELECTRONICS MOVING FORWARD".



This mission is based on strongly held **values**, which shape the Group's personality:

- ⊙ **Innovation:** ACTIA is a technology company with the resources and methods to create complex products and projects.
- ⊙ **Operational agility:** as a mid-market company, ACTIA stands out for its service-mindedness and its ability to reduce complexity to create value for its customers.
- ⊙ **A people-centred company:** respect for people and professional ethics take precedence over all other considerations.

In line with these foundations, ACTIA's **strategic vision** is:

- To be the leader or benchmark player internationally in the desired Strategic Business Areas (SBAs) and improve the awareness of a strong brand;
- To expand across the value chain to maintain its margins and reinforce the consistency and competitiveness of our offers;
- To be opportunistic and smart in a changing world;
- To remain independent in its strategic choices.

The Group is experiencing sustained growth over the long term. It is forging ahead to serve customers who are global champions in their field, with leading suppliers and against large competing groups in the electronics and software industries.

ACTIA takes into account the major factors in its environment, including:

- ⊙ Awareness of global environmental issues: ACTIA is ideally placed to provide solutions to the numerous challenges in order to achieve sustainable and safe mobility. This trend is reflected in increasingly precise international regulations that ACTIA supports.
- ⊙ The legal environment and the spate of regulations both nationally and internationally: some regulations are making it more complicated to run an industrial company, but they are ushering in a more ethical and sustainable business world.
- ⊙ The technological environment: advances in microelectronics make systems of previously unthinkable performance, safety and complexity a reality. ACTIA implements new techniques such as cybersecurity and operational safety management methods, the advent of 5G, new generation power electronic components, etc.
- ⊙ The competitive environment: in a world where suppliers, customers and competitors are increasingly concentrated, ACTIA must remain uncompromising in its technological potential, the quality of its solutions and its service-mindedness, but also expand its ecosystem and develop partnerships.
- ⊙ The social and economic environment: ACTIA is in touch with the world. It has long had a presence in emerging countries, including in the form of technological bases (China, Tunisia, Mexico, Brazil).

4.5.1 KEY SUCCESS FACTORS

Our key success factors can be broken down into four groups. They help to define our action plans:

- ⊙ **Efficiency**, an essential component of our competitiveness;
- ⊙ **Quality**, the essential cornerstone underlying all Group development;
- ⊙ **Innovation**, an essential component of our strategic approach;
- ⊙ **Safety** of our activities, against a difficult competitive backdrop.

Development projects

Improvement projects



⊙ Key success factor – **EFFICIENCY**

- Pursuing the efforts undertaken and improving our productivity and profitability;
- Optimising costs thanks to our vertical integration in the way we use our production facilities;
- Pursuing our investment policy: high performance, competitive and international industrial capacity, R&D based on selected technological bricks, human capital, etc.;
- Digitisation of the business and improvements to our organisation in support of growth, progressing in terms of maturity, enhancing our agility and simplicity;
- Protecting and motivating human resources to obtain even greater efficiency and develop teamwork;
- Training and developing our internal resources;

- Improving our Purchasing performance:
 - Seeking value from our positions in the markets,
 - Better coordination of purchasing and technologies,
 - Better integration of risk analysis.
- ⊙ Key success factor – **QUALITY**
 - Improving total quality;
 - Satisfying the requirements of the targeted fields;
 - Adapting to changes in ever more demanding certifications;
 - Improving our dashboards to assist management;
 - Improving customer quality.

ACTIA is in a process of continuous improvement with a LEAN approach that favours formalised and applied processes.

For the Group's specialisation in electronic equipment a total quality approach has been implemented, recognised by several **certifications**:

- ISO 9001: Quality management systems;
- ISO TS 16949: Quality management systems – automotive industry;
- ISO 14001; Environmental management systems;
- EN 9100 and EN 9110: Quality management systems – aeronautics/aerospace and defence;
- ISO TS 22163 (IRIS): Quality management systems – railway industry standard;
- NADCAP: Aerospace standard for suppliers of electronic printed circuit boards;
- PART 145 - FAA - TCAA: maintenance and repair approval;
- ISO 45001; Total Quality according to Appendix V of the R&TTE directive (Telecom);
- ISO 27001; Information Security Management System;
- ISO 17025: Competence of testing and calibration laboratories;
- CMMI DEV V1.2: Process improvement for better products.



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Management is consequently based on the principle of a learning organisation open to new technologies, managing technological advances and ongoing training throughout the careers of employees.

☉ Key success factor - **INNOVATION**

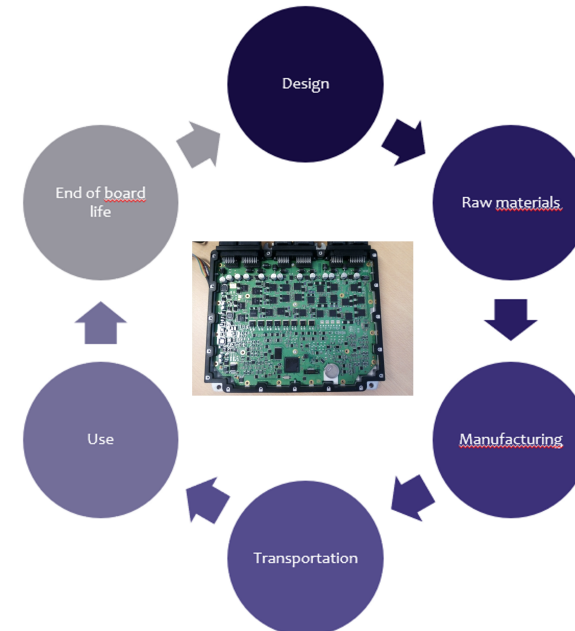
- Creating and developing the conditions for innovation and teamwork;
- Selecting the key programmes, business intelligence in strategic areas;
- Contributing to making our offers the best;
- Strengthening the industrial property policy, particularly for patents;
- Building a portfolio of key technologies and securing into key strategic partnerships.

☉ Key success factor - **SAFETY**

- Pursuing our efforts to strengthen safety and our risk management culture:
 - Legal;
 - Technical;
 - Organisational and IT.
- Guarantee the safety, security and resilience of products and systems.

Despite increased complexity and threats that could potentially affect the use of different products and systems, ACTIA must guarantee a very high level of safety and security through intelligent connected systems, while participating in the process of building confidence between the consumer, manufacturers and the networks.

However, these success factors can only be achieved by structuring an **eco-design** solution, supported by all the teams, to meet the environmental challenges, to which ACTIA is committed, and by relying on the Group's **human capital**. Invested locally, ACTIA's social model is built on training to develop skills, talents and autonomy, on inclusion to welcome differences and promote diversity, and on improving the quality of life at work to co-build an enriching collective and individual experience.



With regard to its own operation, and in the light of the Covid-19 crisis and the electronic component supply crisis, ACTIA revamped its operating methods to move towards **RESILIENCE**, i.e. the ability to cope with crises. This particularly strengthened the “nervous system” that constitutes the chain of information and operational decision-making.

4.5.2 STRATEGIC PRIORITIES

ACTIA's core business is designing and manufacturing **embedded systems**. Such systems are divided into four constituent parts:

- ⊙ An electronic part produced on a printed circuit board on which electronic components are mounted (on-board computers, memories, resistors, inductors, capacitors, etc.);
- ⊙ A software application installed on the electronic memory board;
- ⊙ An electrical energy power supply source;
- ⊙ A mechanical assembly comprised as a minimum of a box and sometimes screens, controls or other control instruments.

To design and produce its offers, ACTIA is therefore organised around:

- ⊙ Design offices staffed by engineers and highly qualified technicians to design the software, electronic, electrical and mechanical systems making up the embedded systems;
- ⊙ Manufacturing facilities for producing all equipment, downloading software and monitoring the quality of the corresponding system.

The embedded systems make it possible to process external data obtained from sensors, analyse and synthesise the data and provide instructions to the actuators (for example electrical engines, valves, etc.).

ACTIA uses raw materials in the form of electronic components (on-board computers, memories, resistors, inductors, capacitors, etc.) mechanical units (base, top, front) making up the boxes and items capable of providing electrical power at the desired current and voltage levels and the parts used as interfaces (screens, buttons, etc.).

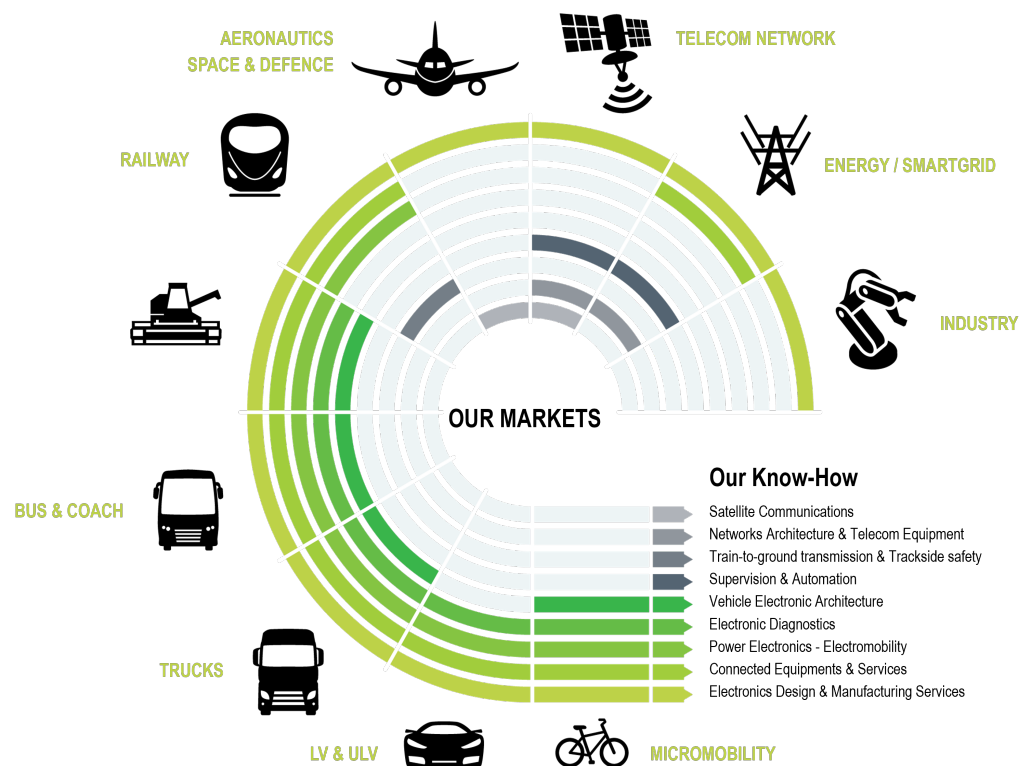
ACTIA also uses intangible materials, and namely software.

The products thus sold are generally mounted on board vehicles, whether these are cars, industrial vehicles (trucks, buses, coaches, tractors, construction machinery, etc.), boats, military vehicles, trains, planes, etc. Embedded systems are present in all of our vehicles and a car today has much more computing power than most passenger aircraft which were, for the most part, designed in the early 1980s.

The aim is therefore to “embed smartness” in vehicles, via four challenges that constitute the major strategic thrusts of the Group:

- ⊙ **Connectivity:** as an expert in embedded systems designed for demanding environments, ACTIA ensures the connectivity of all types of vehicles thus providing access to a large number of connected services;
- ⊙ **Safety:** both within and outside the Company, safety is built into our processes, our quality standards and our products;
- ⊙ **Mobility:** the transportation of people and goods lies at the heart of the technological challenges that ACTIA rises to on a daily basis. We are committed to connected, sustainable and safe mobility;
- ⊙ **The environment:** ACTIA works consistently to ensure the development of sustainable mobility – anti-pollution systems, electric powertrains, eco-friendly driving – and encourages eco-responsible behaviour: carpooling, use of electric vehicles and so on. The objective is to reduce the environmental footprint of products and services (reducing consumption of resources, particle emissions, sound emissions, dismantling aircraft, etc.), developing new approaches for monitoring and managing the environment, taking into account new applications;

Our markets & know-how:



Lastly, concerning these strategic issues, ACTIA strives to provide solutions for the full lifecycle of the vehicle.



4.5.3 STRATEGIC BUSINESS AREAS

Our growth priorities to become a leader or benchmark player are managed through Strategic Business Areas (SBAs):

SBA = product line x market segment.

The missions and responsibilities of the **Strategic Business Areas** (SBAs) are:

- ⊙ To implement the strategy and associated challenges;
- ⊙ To define the product road maps, their series lives and sales action plans and region sales.

The Strategic Business Areas guarantee the match between offer and demand at international level. Each department includes Product Groups which can be labelled as PLCs (Product Line Centres) at Group level:

The **Product Line Centres** are created at the Group level. Their missions and responsibilities are to:

- ⊙ Manage the PLC business plan at the Group level;
- ⊙ Express requirements, coordinate the development of the products and services;
- ⊙ Establish the road map for its product ranges;
- ⊙ Provide a competition watch (benchmarking);
- ⊙ Be responsible for and lead the global marketing plan and sales effort (international) with all Group companies;
- ⊙ Manage the products from cradle to grave (marketing, sales, development, series life, aftermarket).

The **SBAs** are client-focused and work with business line-oriented functions via a matrix organisation:

- ⊙ Technology and Innovation;
- ⊙ Services;
- ⊙ Industrial Operations;
- ⊙ Purchasing;
- ⊙ Support functions, that is: Human Resources, Finance, Information Systems, Legal Affairs, Strategy, Communications, International Affairs, Quality.

The strategic plan is implemented in all of the departments based on this organisation:

- ⊙ Product/Market (SBA):
 - Sales development and action plan,
 - Coordination with Group development plans (Group coordination, PLC, front office, AKAM, etc.),
- ⊙ Technology and means of production:
 - Technology road map (key technologies and skills),
 - Production road map (to ensure production performance),
 - Shared tools, methods, etc. to work together effectively,
- ⊙ Support services:
 - Human resources development and management,
 - Purchasing,
 - Quality,
 - Contracts, Legal Protection.

VEHICLE ELECTRONIC ARCHITECTURE (VEA) SBA

This department addresses the vehicle manufacturer market (OEM), regardless of the strategic products we are selling to it. This structure corresponds to a product line-oriented approach:



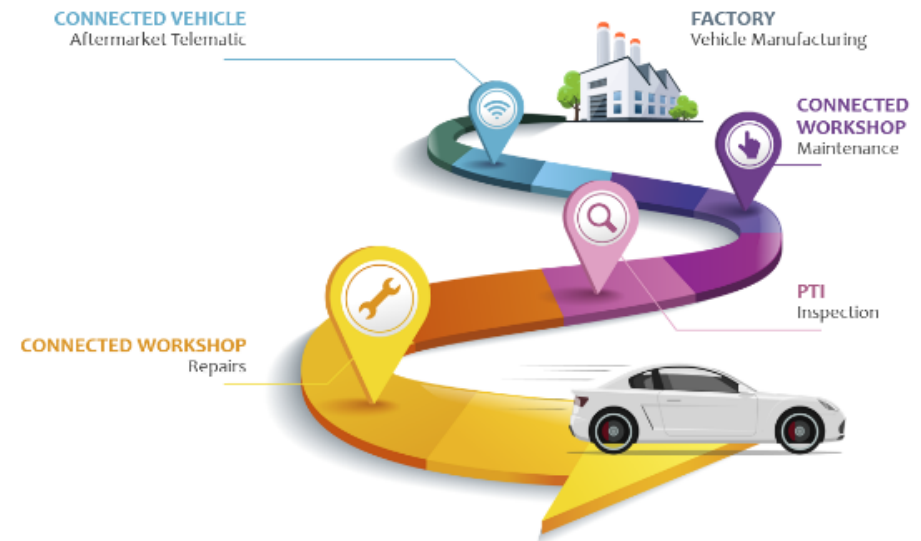
The VEA SBA must meet the main strategic challenges and drivers. A number of these challenges will require breaking down new technological barriers or increasing the scope of innovation initiatives focusing on selected priority areas, and namely:

- ⊙ Developing new applications and associated services. New applications have already been identified in the areas of mobility, particularly urban mobility, agriculture, the digital divide, etc.
- ⊙ Improving the efficiency and attractiveness of transportation systems;
- ⊙ Improving the performance of industrial vehicles: Multiplexing - Smart Power - ARM - Linux;
- ⊙ Designing new architectures and innovative configurations: Standardisation - Openness - Flexible solutions - Ethernet;
- ⊙ Optimising and improving the driver's working environment: Driver's seats - Eco-driving - Operating support systems - Embedded climate control systems;
- ⊙ Exploiting new technologies to develop new applications: Understanding behaviour – Multimodal (combining several types of transport) - ITS (Intelligent Transport System) – GIS (Geographical Information Systems).

VEHICLE LIFECYCLE MANAGEMENT (VLM) SBA

This department captures the potential of the VLM market through the synergies created by our expertise:

- ⊙ Connected diagnostics;
- ⊙ Connected workshop;
- ⊙ Connected vehicles.



The VLM SBA must meet the main strategic challenges and drivers in this field. This SBA guides innovation for new priority services such as:

- ⊙ Developing new applications and associated services. New applications have already been identified in the area of connected vehicles, in particular to address safety and environmental issues;
- ⊙ Enhancing the performance of on-board diagnostics in industrial vehicles: ExVE, OBD, etc.;
- ⊙ Designing new architectures and innovative configurations: Standardisation - Openness - Cloud;
- ⊙ Optimising and improving the environment, diagnostic tools:
- ⊙ Rolling out and automating supervision, diagnostics and maintenance: Safety - Dependability - Autonomous behaviour – Management of electric vehicles;
- ⊙ Exploiting new technologies to develop new applications: Multimodal (combining several types of interface) - ITS (Intelligent Transport System) – IS (Information Systems).

MANUFACTURING – DESIGN & SERVICES (MDS) SBA

The department's goal is to increase production capacity and quality.



The MDS SBA relies on a production system that meets the most stringent quality criteria, both in the automotive field (medium-sized and long production runs) and in aeronautics and rail (small, complex production runs).

Organised around four production centres (France, Tunisia, the United States and Sweden), the Group is able to meet all internal production needs in line with the highest quality standards, as well as the needs of customers for whom the management of quality and technological developments is a strategic factor.

In this way the SBA offers a series of services ranging from the design to the manufacturing, testing and integration of circuit boards.

Additional assistance may also be proposed for the long-term maintenance of complex electronic systems. Indeed, a team of experts manages an observatory for the obsolescence of components.

DAS MICROMOBILITY

The latest addition to our business is DAS Micromobility, which offers specific solutions for electrifying vehicles with limited power, such as bicycles or cargo bikes. It is based on the common foundations of ACTIA know-how:

- ⊙ Expertise in mechatronics;
- ⊙ Know-how in embedded electronics;
- ⊙ Software development capacity, both for the embedded part and in consumer and cloud applications.

4.5.4 PRODUCTION CONTROL

ACTIA organises the industrialisation of its products around electronics factories and assembly and integration workshops, particularly in France, Tunisia, Germany, China, Sweden and the United States.

To guarantee the capacity of its design offices for innovation while maintaining optimal productivity, its tools are supported by an engineering and process engineering expertise laboratory for Group proprietary processes.

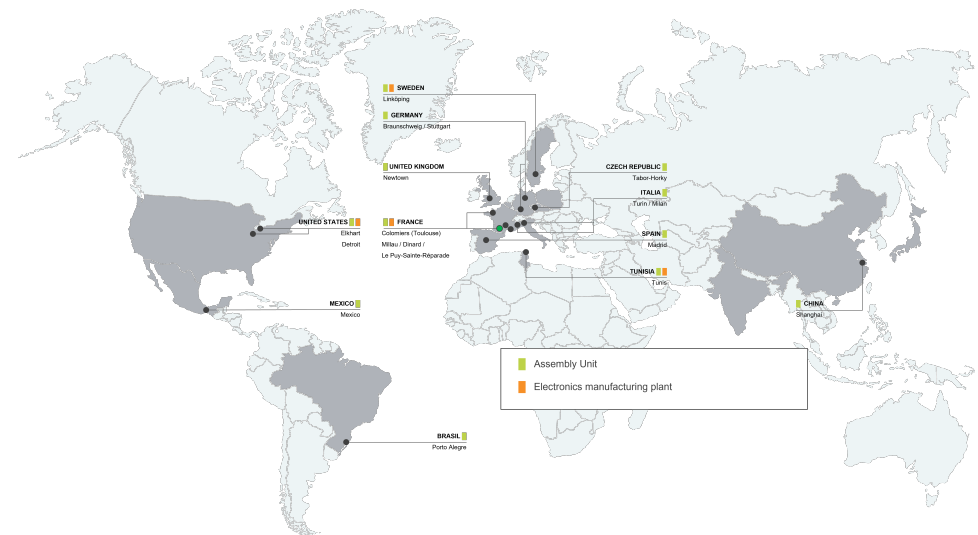
By regularly investing in new production capabilities over the past few years, ACTIA Group has been able to support its recent revenue growth. Ever aware of the latest technological advances, the production equipment is regularly replaced, thus ensuring a high level of performance and an increase in capacity. The technological and innovative aspects of the Industry 4.0 ("smart factory") approach and digitisation are part of the upgrade plans to be rolled out over the next few years. The Group is building its approach with shared equipment and processes for medium and large production runs in order to build a response adapted to the needs of its customers, for greater proximity.



Some fundamental challenges still remain, such as the ongoing modernisation of the ERP system and the digitisation of processes. During the years of the health crisis, capacity was maintained in order to be able to respond immediately to the sharp acceleration in growth at the end of the shortage of components.

Intensive discussions are under way in the Group between the operational units, with a view to:

- ⊙ Deploying standards and best practices, especially within the Automotive Division;
- ⊙ Putting in place a Group industrialisation team;
- ⊙ Organising digitisation projects.



4.5.5 RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT IN VERY HIGH TECHNOLOGY

Since its creation, ACTIA Group's strategy has been focused on research and development to develop innovative solutions and sources of differentiation for its customers.

ACTIA has a growth strategy based above all on intelligence with work organised around lines of action such as:

- ⊙ Excellence in project execution with new development methods and tools, systematic simulations and automation of validations, knowledge management, a network of external experts, an expanded Design Office, etc.;
- ⊙ Focusing on a modular and scalable design with technological building blocks structured around:
 - A modular architecture in terms of software, electronics and mechanics,
 - Modules that are validated and are able to be reused;
 - Taking into account changes in customer needs, changing market demand and the emergence of new technologies.
- ⊙ Making sustainable development a priority through an eco-design approach;
- ⊙ Thinking globally to express an innovative vision of systems and services by:
 - Imagining and validating the electronic architectures of tomorrow's vehicles, their maintenance and in-service support;
 - Designing specifications for and developing new products;
 - Developing and selling related services.
- ⊙ Relying on the local environment in all countries where ACTIA is present.

The Group's structure has made it possible to put in place centres of excellence in specific fields which ACTIA can rely on to respond to its customers' expectations with such centres being located in France, Germany, Sweden, Spain and Tunisia.

The Group is capable of implementing local strategies in support of R&D, for example:

- ⊙ In France, with the use of innovation support (CIR, participation in national innovation programmes - France 2030 - in particular) and the establishment of a complete eco-system with the main public and private innovation players (research laboratories, competitiveness clusters and sectoral clusters, start-up incubators and accelerators, major suppliers of technological solutions);
- ⊙ In Tunisia, the close relationship with engineering schools and research laboratories and the setting up of an incubation structure for innovative start-ups - ACTinCube;
- ⊙ In China, the establishing of partnerships with the ecosystem constituted by the public authorities, vehicle manufacturers and technological partners, making use of support for innovation;
- ⊙ By being agile and capable of moving fast thanks to its industrial integration;
- ⊙ By taking into account the safety requirements in all proposed solutions;
- ⊙ By having sufficient financial resources to undertake joint investments.

The Group invests heavily in R&D with more than 1,200 engineers and technicians employed throughout the organisation.

Through a governance process involving the CEOs and financial, commercial and technical directors, and validated by the Board of Directors, the major R&D programmes are selected and will provide the foundations of tomorrow's strategy for each business unit.

The health crisis brought forward the launch of the "ACTIA Cross Border Engineering" programme. The goal of the latter is to build an extended design office, resulting in lower outsourcing costs and, above all, drawing on a company-wide skills map that enables us to optimise the work produced, share common tools and determine training needs and skills to be recruited, thereby preparing the Group for its future needs. This new organisation will provide support to skills management and enhance the Group's attractiveness.

4.5.6 TECHNOLOGICAL ENVIRONMENT

In response to these growing markets and challenges, in particular technological challenges, in the sectors in question, the Occitanie region today occupies a specific, original and key position. It represents the leading French region in terms of R&D effort (3.7% of its GDP), and the second French region in terms of foreign investment in R&D (source: AD'OCC economic development agency).

In this unique local context, ACTIA is integrated within this remarkably dynamic process of structuring and organising players engaged in the Occitanie region and on a national scale.

This active engagement as a stakeholder is exemplified in particular by our participation in the following:

Type of relation:	Description
Relationship by market segment	<p>Aeronautics – Space – Embedded systems: TOMPASSE, The Subsidiary's Regional Strategic Committee</p> <p>Rail: FIF, CS2F</p> <p>MOBILIANS, an employers' organisation that defends the interests of companies in the automotive distribution and services sector in France</p> <p>Automotive: PFA, SIA, FIEV</p> <p>Workshop and diagnostic equipment: GIEG</p> <p>Electronic manufacturing: PLEIADE (WE Network)</p> <p>Digital: La Mêlée, IOT Valley, Digitalplace</p>
Relations with clusters	<p>Aerospace Valley, a world-class competitiveness cluster (aeronautics, space and embedded systems)</p> <p>Agri Sud-Ouest Innovation – Agricultural, agro-food and agro-industry competitiveness cluster, RobAgron the market for innovative robots</p> <p>Energy: Capénergie, Smart Occitania</p> <p>TOTEM: Cluster for intelligent and sustainable mobility</p> <p>CARA, European Cluster for Mobility Solutions (formerly LUTB)</p>
Relations and technology	<p>IRT Saint-Exupéry in Toulouse (aeronautics and space)</p> <p>Institut 3IA ANITI- Artificial and Natural Intelligence Toulouse Institute</p> <p>INSA Foundation</p> <p>Projects with CEA-Tech in Toulouse, CEA Leti and CEA Liten in Grenoble</p> <p>Group Obsolescence: AFNOR/UTE, PRECONOB</p> <p>Projects with CNRS - LAAS</p> <p>Projects with the Ecole des Mines of Albi (IMT)</p> <p>Projects with TTT - Toulouse Transfer Tech</p> <p>IRIT - Toulouse Institute for Computer Science Research</p>

The Group is involved in several projects within the framework of national programmes such as France Relance, France 2030, and regional and European programmes.



In this respect, ACTIA is involved in the following innovation programmes:

- The EFIBA (Emergence of the Autonomous Bus Industry) project, which will lead to advances in the field of autonomous mobility;
- The NeVeOS project, which aims to develop a new electronic architecture diagnostic solution for vehicles, hosted on high-performance computers;
- The ACTIA in Space project to accelerate ACTIA's diversification into sectors other than automotive;
- The Colomiers 5.0 project to give impetus to the Transformation of the Colomiers manufacturing plant;
- The PREMS project, for the experimentation of new assembly processes for power electronics components.

4.6 INVESTMENTS

The total capital expenditure for tangible and intangible assets capitalised by the Group amounted to €32.9 million, compared with €28.9 million in 2021.

4.6.1 TANGIBLE

The details of capital expenditure on property, plant and equipment during the period are set out in Note 5 “Tangible assets” in the notes to the consolidated financial statements.

As the year 2022 remained complex due to the Group’s financial situation and the global geopolitical environment, ACTIA continued to limit its investments in its means of production to the renewal of ageing equipment and to the various items of equipment that improve the productivity and flexibility of our means of production. As happens every year, equipment was purchased for specific programmes such as test benches and interfaces, as well as tooling.

The notable tangible investment in 2022 consisted of the resumption of the construction of the plant for ACTIA Tunisie (6,700 m² in Tunis), dedicated to integration services. The construction work had been suspended in the spring of 2020, pending confirmation of the start-up of new programmes such as micromobility. Given a growing demand in the field of home automation,

the need to integrate the Telecoms Division in the field of Energy and the prospects of launching production on micro-mobility in 2023, the building was completed in the first half of 2022. Production has shifted to the new site during the summer. It should be pointed out that this site replaces the use of a rented property.

With regard to IT equipment, of which around one quarter is usually renewed per financial year on average in the Group, the action was maintained, with the replacement of the existing stock by laptops rather than desktops, as staff were regularly asked to work from home. Launched in 2017, the digitisation investment programme continued despite delays in the setting up of the new ERP for the Automotive Division. The project evolved with the definition of new requirements that arose with the components crisis, in order to meet the need for greater agility in supply management and production facility planning. With the strong growth of its business over the last 3 years, the Telecoms Division is also embarking on the change of its ERP.

4.6.2 INTANGIBLE

The details of capital expenditure on intangible assets over the period are set out in the notes to the financial statements, in Note 4: “Intangible assets”. These items relate mainly to research and development.

In 2022, R&D expenditure amounted to €80.3 million, up compared to 2021 (+8.3%, from €74.1 million adjusted for the Power Division’s expenditure), close to the 2019 amount (€83.2 million). This level of expenditure reflects both the trade-offs that have continued to be made to mitigate the impacts of the health crisis and component shortage, and the high demand resulting from contracts won in recent months / years. Therefore, continued priority was given to the support

needs of customer programmes in connection with the latest commercial successes and the first production launches. It also involved re-designs, particularly for our own products, in order to maintain performance and production capacity in the face of difficulties in procuring components. The rate of re-invoicing of R&D costs therefore stabilised at 42.2% as in 2021, despite better support for customers’ needs.

Thus, managing its efforts to the best of its resources, the ratio of R&D expenditure as a percentage of revenue stood at 16.1%, compared with 17.3% in 2021.

This area continues to be of strategic importance, since it enables the Group to maintain a high level of technical sophistication. Information provided by the Group's management control function and presented below summarises trends in this area:

In €K	2022	2021	2020
Total cost of R&D	80,301	80,158	75,964
Cost of R&D services sold	33,879	33,810	28,128
R&D capitalised during the financial year	13,727	12,715	13,892
Expensed during the period (A)	32,695	33,633	33,945
Amortisation during the period of capitalised R&D (B)	13,572	15,948	14,072
Research tax credit recognised under income in the period and grants (C)	7,647	8,012	6,453
Impact of R&D on the income statement (A) +(B) – (C)	38,620	41,569	41,563
Headcount	1,342	1,182	1,080

Total R&D costs include payroll costs of the engineers and technicians that work on R&D projects as well as costs that may be incurred for services subcontracted.

It should be noted that the Group invests heavily in R&D. R&D-related costs account for between 13 and 18.0% of its consolidated revenue. Offering specific solutions to its customers, based on recognised expertise and innovation, a portion of certain specific developments may be carried out by customers.

Furthermore, a portion of this work has benefited from research tax credits, grants and/or repayable advances. Adjusted for the Power Division's 2021 expenditure, the expenditure for implementing new innovative solutions for customers, in particular within the framework of the France Relance programmes, increased by +8.3%, as the Group continued to benefit from government aid (CIR and subsidies).

The portion of capitalised R&D costs in 2022 was 17.1% compared to 15.9% in 2021, a slight increase without reaching the levels prior to the health crisis (23.1% in 2019), with the choice to focus efforts on developments linked to contracts won and product redesign. This year, the capitalisation is equivalent to the amortisations recorded, which amounted to €13.6 million.

In addition, the weight of R&D borne by the Group in its income statement, excluding the portion invoiced to customers and government subsidies, decreased to 7.7% of revenue compared to 9.0% in 2021. However, the expenditure for the year remained stable (without adjustment for the Power Division). This reflects the Group's ongoing effort to remain at the top of its game while at the same time striving to limit the impacts on its income statement during this difficult period, without, however, putting pressure on its future profitability.

At the divisional level, the breakdown is as follows:

AUTOMOTIVE DIVISION

Figures presented in these tables are derived from the management control reporting systems.

R&D expenditure in 2022 totalled €64.7 million compared with €68.0 million in 2021, breaking down as follows:

In €K	2022	2021	2020
Cost of R&D services sold	23,431	26,188	20,794
R&D capitalised during the financial year	13,104	11,913	12,956
Expensed during the period	28,208	29,911	28,773
Headcount	1,199	1,074	1,006

The analysis of each line cannot be carried out accurately without being able to adjust all the Power Division items in the 2021 R&D expenditure. However, overall expenditure of the Power Division in 2021 amounted to €6.0 million, which allows us to calculate a +4.5% increase in R&D expenditure for the Automotive division excluding Power. With the resumption of developments such as the redesign of boards for its own products, the share of the cost of R&D sold is now only 36.2% of expenditure compared to 38.5% in 2021. Maintaining partial coverage of R&D expenses by customers is a major asset for the Group in the partnership relationship, as the customers agreed to better fund in advance the development of their custom products.

TELECOMS DIVISION

Figures presented in these tables are derived from the management control reporting systems.

R&D expenditure in 2022 totalled €15.6 million compared with €12.1 million in 2021, breaking down as follows:

In €K	2022	2021	2020
Cost of R&D services sold	10,448	7,622	7,334
R&D capitalised during the financial year	623	802	935
Expensed during the period	4,487	3,722	5,172
Headcount	143	108	74

The level of re-invoicing in this division rose further this year, jumping to 67.2% (62.8% in 2021), benefiting from better support from its customers for export markets and the military telecommunications and energy programmes. The level of R&D expenditure rose sharply last year (+28.1%) with the development of new generation products in all its market segments. The Telecoms Division also recorded a recovery in R&D subcontracting expenditure (+€3.5 million) to offset recruitment difficulties, despite an increase in the headcount by 35 people, to meet the needs of multi-year contracts won.

4.6.3 COMMITTED FUTURE INVESTMENTS

On the date this document was issued, the Group had budgeted a certain number of investments relating to its normal operating activities. In a complex economic environment, ACTIA continued to be careful about its investment choices to make sure it does not put a strain on its future while still keeping its expenditure under control.

The Group undertakes multi-year R&D projects aimed to develop our product and service offering so that it remains at optimal levels by anticipating market needs. The investment programme includes:

- ⊙ 6th generation **telematics units** with the opening of new markets for small connected objects dedicated to the special machines and motorbikes markets;
- ⊙ **Connected services for fleet management** in markets where ACTIA has robust business knowledge (buses & coaches, light vehicles, etc.);
- ⊙ **Control command ECUs** for original equipment to make further inroads into the truck market and meet future requirements and regulations in terms of cybersecurity and operational safety;
- ⊙ **Dashboard displays** to finish revamping our Buses & Coaches offering and expand it to the construction machinery market. ACTIA is also developing a programme to respond to new trends in electronic vehicle architectures integrating high computing capabilities as well as the perception of the environment through vision and artificial intelligence;
- ⊙ **Multi-make and manufacturer diagnostic tools** to ensure coverage of the automotive fleet as well as the latest electronic functions offered to users. ACTIA is also investing in this area to promote dematerialisation while complying with the latest major standards;
- ⊙ **Digital control centres** for power grids and wireless connectivity for remote metering.

The Group has also been working for several years to change the Automotive Division's ERP, and will continue this effort in 2023. In 2023, the Telecoms Division will also launch the upgrade of its ERP system. As usual, IT equipment will continue to be partly renewed this year, with emphasis on the purchasing of mobile equipment to make it easier for staff to work from home.

Concerning the means of production, the level of commitment will be limited to the replacement of end-of-life equipment to increase capacity and productivity, and meet the production needs for new products requiring specific tooling in France, Tunisia and the United States. Indeed, the production facility must be at the level expected by customers and ready to handle the strong growth in production rates when the component market returns to the appropriate level to match supply and demand. It will also involve completing the equipment for the Swedish site, to bring it into line with the high standards of the Group and its short-run customers. Similarly, ACTIA Systems (Spain) will develop a short-run production line to better meet its prototyping and small production needs (railway).

In response to the growing need for R&D resources, the ACTIA Engineering Services site in Tunis will be expanded and a building will be constructed in Sfax.

Finally, as part of its commitment to decarbonisation through the use of renewable energies, several photovoltaic development programmes are being set up in France, Germany and Tunisia, with shade solutions for car parks. Land will also be acquired in Tunisia to produce solar energy on a larger scale. Though we are not electricity-intensive, ACTIA strives to contribute to the development of renewable energies in the countries where the Group is present.

4.7 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

4.7.1 MAJOR EXISTING OR PLANNED TANGIBLE ASSETS

O: Direct or indirect owner (SCI wholly owned by the Group); T: Tenant; t: tenant of an SCI partially owned by the Group.

Name	Site	Business sector	Type of interest
ACTIA Group	Toulouse	Holding company	t (1)
AUTOMOTIVE			
ACTIA Automotive	Toulouse	Electronic studies and marketing	t (1)
	Colomiers	Electronics manufacturing	O (2)
	Toulouse	Logistics	T
	Chartres	Sales promotion and technical support for the Diagnostic and Connected Vehicle business lines	T
ACTIA PCs	Maisons Alfort	Electronics research & manufacturing	T
ACTIA 3E	Le Bourget du Lac	Electronics research & manufacturing	T
ACTIA Systems	Getafe, Madrid (Spain)	Research and manufacturing of audio and video equipment	t (3)
	Getafe, Madrid (Spain)	Research and power electronics	T
	Linares (Espagne)	Electronics research & manufacturing	T
ACTIA de Mexico	Mexico City (Mexico)	Manufacturing and distribution of audio and video equipment	T
ACTIA do Brasil	Porto Alegre (Brazil)	Electronics research & manufacturing	T
ACTIA UK	Newtown (United Kingdom)	Electronics research & manufacturing	P
ACTIA Italia	Torino (Italy)	Electronics research & manufacturing	P
	Rho (Italy)	Logistics	T
ACTIA IME	Braunschweig (Germany)	Electronics research & manufacturing	O/T
ACTIA Corp.	Elkhart - Indiana (USA)	Electronics research & manufacturing	P
ACTIA Electronics	Romulus - Michigan (USA)	Electronics manufacturing	P
ACTIA Polska	Piaseczno (Poland)	Electronic studies and marketing	T
CIPI ACTIA	Tunis (Tunisia)	Electronics manufacturing	P
ACTIA Tunisie	Tunis (Tunisia)	Electronics manufacturing	P
ACTIA India	New Delhi (India)	Electronics research & manufacturing	T
ACTIA China	Shanghai (China)	Electronics research & manufacturing	T
	Wuhan (China)	Electronics research & design	T
ACTIA Nordic	Sollentuna (Sweden)	Electronics research & manufacturing	T
	Linköping (Sweden)	Electronics research & design	T
ACTIA EMS Sweden	Linköping (Sweden)	Electronics research & manufacturing	T
ACTIA Japan	Tokyo (Japan)	Marketing, sales and technical support	T
ATAL	Tabor (Czech Rep.)	Electronics research & manufacturing	P

Name	Site	Business sector	Type of interest
TELECOMS			
ACTIA Telecom	Toulouse	Head office	O (1)
	Saint-Georges-de-Luzençon	Electronics research & manufacturing	O (4)
	Dinard	Electronics research & manufacturing	O/T
	Puy-Sainte-Réparate	Electronics research & manufacturing	P
	Vendargues	Studies for supervision solutions	T
OTHER			
ACTIA Engineering Services	Tunis (<i>Tunisia</i>)	Electronics research & design	P
	Sfax (<i>Tunisia</i>)	Electronics research & design	T
ACTIA Africa	Tunis (<i>Tunisia</i>)	Marketing, sales and technical support	T(5) ¹⁾
ACTIA Telematics Services	Namur (<i>Belgium</i>)	Electronics research & design	T

⁽¹⁾ SCI des Coteaux de Pouvoirville

⁽²⁾ SCI de l'Oratoire

⁽³⁾ SCI Los Olivos

⁽⁴⁾ SCI Sodimob

⁽⁵⁾ ACTIA Engineering Services

It should be noted that the core assets are owned by the Group. As these assets were not measured at the time of the adoption of IFRS at the end of 2004, they continue to be carried at their historic cost in the consolidated financial statements.

For the purpose of improving the disclosure of information, it has been decided to retain the services of independent firms of appraisers to measure the value of these assets on a regular basis. The Group's real estate assets were valued at the end of the 2018 financial year. Their total assessed value was €61.3 million gross on average. When weighted for ownership, the average value was €43.8 million. Since this valuation, the Group has sold a building worth €1.6 million in France and constructed various buildings for a total value of €6.4 million.

Independently of the equity accounted companies and therefore in comparison to an assessed value of €36.0 million, the net carrying amount of the assets directly owned by the Group was €25.9 million.

In accordance with the option adopted by the Group, in order to ensure that its accounts are not impacted by fluctuations in the real estate market, which does not represent its core business, and in accordance with IFRS, ACTIA Group will not perform accounting procedures to re-measure these assets in the consolidated financial statements. From a strategic standpoint, the Group has always considered that real estate assets constitute tools made available to it within the framework of its industrial activities.

Property assets considered strategic relate to, above all, manufacturing activities. The French production site of ACTIA Automotive S.A. located in Colomiers is thus 100% owned by the Group through SCI de l'Oratoire. The second circuit board production site located in Tunis (Tunisia) is entered in the assets of our CIPI ACTIA subsidiary, which is 65.8% owned by the Group.

Concerning the integration site also located in Tunis, ACTIA Tunisie became the owner of its site which it finished construction in the first half of 2022. It shifting its production during the summer, thus ending the lease it occupied. The third production site, located in Romulus (Michigan, USA) belongs to its parent company ACTIA Corp. which is wholly owned by the Group. Finally, the last production site, in Sweden, which for the moment only deals with short production runs with limited resources, is a tenant.

The heavy industrial equipment at the French production site is generally financed through finance leases, whereas equipment in Tunisia and the United States is either financed through medium-term bank loans or is self-funded, because this solution for the financing of plant is not available through the local banks.

The Group's production is now organised around the four facilities in France, Tunisia, the United States and Sweden. As a result, the Group benefits from greater flexibility in the way it organises its production using the same types of equipment, testing tools and procedures. Capital expenditure is coordinated between the different sites in order to increase capacity while improving quality and reducing the length of production cycles, currently disrupted by shortages.

In 2022, the **Colomiers facility** (France) had the following activities:

- ⊙ Electronics manufacturing;
- ⊙ Support services.

While the year 2021 was marked by sustained business, which grew though disrupted by shortages, the year 2022 did not see any notable improvement. However, it saw the arrival of new customers at the end of the year in the field of satellite constellations and the restart of the aeronautics sector. The persistent tensions in the procurement of electronic components continued, primarily affecting microprocessors. This crisis continued to undermine the entire supply chain with strong impacts on the profitability and efficiency of the factory, due to alternating shutdowns and restarts of various production lines resulting from shortages, generating an inflation of concurrent operations, and a strong increase in stocks.

By adapting constantly, the site began its transformation to prepare for the increase in space activities and the arrival of associated equipment, which required extension work within the production facility (enlargement of the burn-in area). In order to overcome hiring difficulties and organise its own training for new staff, an area will also be specifically dedicated to training.

In 2022, our **Tunisian sites** experienced an upturn in business activity despite the component crisis. They had to adapt their working method to serve customers as soon as they received missing items. For this, they have been working 24/7 since October 2021 to limit the crisis for our customers. Replacing a CMS line and commissioning the integration site allow us to prepare for the ramp-up in production rate.

Finally, the **American site** was again affected by recruitment difficulties, particularly for sales staff, in order to develop production for third parties while awaiting the ramp-up of the first ACTIA production runs.

All our manufacturing sites proved their ability to take ownership of their emergency plans, as well as their resilience and agility in adapting to the new circumstances.

The **Telecoms Division sites** are owned by ACTIA Telecom directly or via SCI Sodimob, which is 100% held by the Group.

The Group has made sure that the rents applied by these last two structures correspond to market rates, with the intervention of an expert from outside the Group upon signature of the leases. The latter are reviewed in accordance with the rental cost index published by the French office of statistics (INSEE) and its Spanish equivalent.

Two sites, considered non-strategic, are partly owned by the Group, partly by management and partly by non-controlling shareholders. These consist of buildings (offices and workshops) used by our Spanish subsidiary, held via SCI Los Olivos, for which the breakdown of capital is as follows:

Breakdown of the share capital of SCI Los Olivos	%
SCI Les Coteaux de Pouvoirville	50.0%
ACTIA Systems	40.0%
Natural persons	10.0%
TOTAL	100.0%

In France, the office buildings housing the head offices of ACTIA Group S.A., ACTIA Automotive S.A. and ACTIA Telecom S.A are fully owned by SCI Les Coteaux de Pouvoirville, the shareholding structure of which is as follows:

Breakdown in the share capital of SCI les Coteaux de Pouvoirville	%
ACTIA Group	30.0%
LP2C	50.1%
Natural persons	19.9%
TOTAL	100.0%

4.7.2 ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT RESULTING FROM THE USE OF THESE FIXED ASSETS

This information is presented in § 5.5.3 “Fight against climate change” of Chapter 5 “Sustainable development” approved by the Board of Directors.

4.8 CERTIFICATION OF GROUP COMPANY QUALITY SYSTEMS AT 31 DECEMBER 2022

The Group meets numerous regulatory standards and regularly renews its certifications, as summarised in the table below:

Company	ISO 9001 Quality management systems	ISO TS 16949 Quality management systems – automotive industry	ISO 14001 Environmental management systems	EN 9100 Quality management systems – aeronautics/ space and defence	ISO 27001 Information security management systems	ISO 45001 Occupational health and safety management systems
ACTIA Automotive SA	Certified	Certification of the Toulouse sites	Certified	Certification of the Toulouse sites	Certified	
ACTIA 3E	Certified					
ACTIA PCs	Certified					
ATAL	In the process of certification					
ACTIA Italia	Certified					
ACTIA IMe	Certified			Certified		
ACTIA Systems	Certified		In the process of certification		Certified	
ACTIA Nordic	Certified	Certified	Certified			
ACTIA UK	Certified					
ACTIA Telematics Services	Certified				Certified	
ACTIA China	Certified	Certified	Certified			
ACTIA do Brasil	Certified					
ACTIA de Mexico	Certified					
ACTIA Electronics	Certified	Certified	Certified			
ACTIA Corp.	Certified					
CIPI ACTIA	Certified	Certified	Certified			In the process of certification
ACTIA Engineering Services	Certified				Certified	In the process of certification
ACTIA Tunisie	Certified	Certified	Certified			
ACTIA Telecom	Certified		Certified		In the process of certification	Certified

Other certifications:

- ⊙ ACTIA Telecom: IRIS (ISO/TS 22163: Quality management systems - railway industry standard);
- ⊙ ATAL: QMS approval;
- ⊙ ACTIA Automotive:
 - in Toulouse: EN 9110 (aircraft repair); PART 145 (aeronautical scope); IRIS (ISO/TS 22163: quality management systems - railway industry standard); NADCAP (electronic board manufacturing processes - aeronautics);
- ⊙ ACTIA Engineering Services: ISO 17025.

4.9 INFORMATION ABOUT THE ISSUER

The separate financial statements of ACTIA Group S.A. show revenue of €2.2 million, a decrease of 32.8% compared to 2021, which had reported an exceptional increase of 39.0%.

As part of the sale of the Power Division, ACTIA Group put in place additional internal and external resources to meet the exceptional requirements for structuring and managing this disposal. Invoicing by LP2C to ACTIA Group stood at €300,000 for the reporting period, for the exceptional costs incurred by LP2C for the sale of the Aftermarket and Power Divisions.

Recording a capital gain with the sale of shares of ACTIA Power SAS, the holding company of the Power Division, the net income amounted to €10,717,000 compared to a profit of €759,000 for the previous financial year.

Highlights of the 2022 separate financial statements are presented below:

Net income (€K)	2022	2021	2020
Net revenue	2,195	3,269	2,352
Operating revenue	3,563	4,366	3,375
Operating expenses	6,064	4,307	4,676
Operating income	<2,502>	59	<1,301>
Financial result	1,536	927	2,951
Non-recurring items	12,308	<198>	7
NET INCOME	10,648	759	1,640

We will ask shareholders to approve these separate financial statements.

ACTIA Group S.A. does not have its own operating activities, except for the financial holding company. All functions exercised on behalf of its subsidiaries or the investment holding company are invoiced to the entities concerned on the basis of actual cost plus a margin of 15% corresponding to management fees. These amounts invoiced do not cover all statutory auditing expenses, communications, tax and legal consulting services, and other expenses related to the Company's status as a listed company that cannot be allocated to all subsidiaries under existing legal and regulatory provisions. Only services specified in support agreements and described in § 3.3 "Brief overview of the Group" are invoiced.

The Company's operating loss therefore stems from costs incurred as a publicly traded company and its role as a holding company involving external interventions in legal and tax matters, communications, statutory auditing for separate and consolidated financial statements, etc. that by themselves represented a cost of €356,800 for the financial year, compared to €301,200 in 2021.

The main highlights of the reporting year resulted from the sale of the Power Division, with a significant portion of fees.

4.9.1 HIGHLIGHTS

Over the past financial year, ACTIA Group's efforts mainly focused on the sale of the Power Division and supporting the management of the component crisis. The Group's parent company also initiated its transfer from Euronext to Euronext Growth, which was completed in early February 2023.

No other significant event affected the holding structure during the reporting period.

4.9.2 APPROPRIATION OF EARNINGS

In accordance with the law and our Articles of Association, the following appropriation of earnings for the period ended 31 December 2022 will be proposed at the General Meeting:

Origin

"Retained Earnings" account on 31 December 2022	€13,474,054.75
Earnings for the financial year: profit of	€10,648,215.78

Appropriation

To the "Retained Earnings" account, which will stand at	€21,710,277.61	
Paid in the form of dividends (i.e. €0.12 per share)	€2,411,992.92	
TOTAL	€24,122,270.53	€24,122,270.53

4.9.3 PREVIOUS DIVIDEND DISTRIBUTIONS

Pursuant to the provisions of Article 243 bis of the French General Tax Code, dividends paid out by the Company over the past three financial years are disclosed below:

For the financial year	Earnings eligible for a rebate		Earnings not eligible for a rebate
	Dividend per share *	Other revenue distributed	
2019	€3,014,991.15*, i.e.: €0.15 per share		
2020	€0		
2021	€0		

* Including the amount of the dividend corresponding to shares held by the company itself, unpaid and allocated to the Retained earnings account.

4.9.4 DEBT SITUATION

For the 2022 financial year, ACTIA Group took new medium-term financing to the tune of €3.2 million and was able to raise a new bond issue for a total of €18 million, as part of the French government's guaranteed Recovery Bonds.

We underscore the fact that ACTIA Group does not benefit from the possibility of financing its receivables as they are entirely dedicated to the Group. Details of the debt level of ACTIA Group S.A. are provided in the notes to the separate financial statements, in § note 3.10 "Debts".

4.9.5 NON-TAX DEDUCTIBLE EXPENSES (ARTICLE 39-4 OF THE FRENCH GENERAL TAX CODE)

The General Meeting will be asked to approve the total amount of expenses covered by Article 39-4 of the French General Tax Code, namely the sum of €1,245, relating to surplus depreciation on company cars.

Due to the tax consolidation agreement between the parent company, ACTIA Group, and its subsidiaries ACTIA Automotive and ACTIA Telecom, there is no tax payable for the year ended 31 December 2022.

4.9.6 EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYMENT

ACTIA Group S.A. is the Group's holding company. As of 31 December 2022, it had 12 employees to handle its holding company functions.

To date, as indicated in § 5.4.1 "Our employees", no feeling of discrimination was recorded either in the Group or in the holding company and no cases of gender inequality were reported.

4.9.7 ANALYSIS OF ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

At closure of the accounts for the period, payables with regard to ACTIA Group S.A. suppliers (excluding provisions for supplier invoices not received) were broken down as follows, expressed according to due date:

Invoices due and received but not paid on 31/12/2022

IN €	0 days (indicative)	1 to 30 days	31 to 60 days	61 to 90 days	91 days or more	Total (1 day and more)
(A) AGEING BUCKETS						
Number of invoices	36					32
Total of all invoices, excluding VAT	1,220,246	14,218	652,151	123,288	209,082	998,739
% of the total amount of purchases for the financial year, excluding VAT	23.54%	0.27%	12.58%	2.38%	4.03%	19.27%
(B) INVOICES NOT INCLUDED IN (A) FOR DEBTS AND RECEIVABLES IN DISPUTE OR NOT RECOGNISED						
Number of invoices excluded						0
Total amount of invoices excluded						0
(C) REFERENCE PAYMENT TERMS USED (CONTRACTUAL OR LEGAL TIME LIMITS)						
Payment terms used to calculate late payments				X Contractual terms: Based on the general terms and conditions of sale of our suppliers		
				Legal terms		

At year end, the aged trial balance for accounts receivable was as follows:

IN €	0 days (indicative)	1 to 30 days	31 to 60 days	61 to 90 days	91 days or more	Total (1 day and more)
(A) AGEING BUCKETS						
Number of invoices	123					119
Total of all invoices, excluding VAT	1,808,926	545	4,847	170,324	1,630,141	1,805,857
% of the total amount of purchases for the financial year, excluding VAT	36.94%	0.01%	0.10%	3.48%	33.29%	36.88%
(B) INVOICES NOT INCLUDED IN (A) FOR DEBTS AND RECEIVABLES IN DISPUTE OR NOT RECOGNISED						
Number of invoices excluded						0
Total amount of invoices excluded						0
(C) REFERENCE PAYMENT TERMS USED (CONTRACTUAL OR LEGAL TIME LIMITS)						
Payment terms used to calculate late payments			Contractual terms X Legal terms: 30 days end of month			

4.9.9 FINANCIAL RESULTS OVER THE PAST FIVE YEARS

In Euros	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
FINANCIAL POSITION AT YEAR END					
Share Capital	15,074,956	15,074,956	15,074,956	15,074,956	15,074,956
Number of shares issued	20,099,941	20,099,941	20,099,941	20,099,941	20,099,941
Number of convertible bonds	0	0	0	0	0
RESULTS FROM OPERATIONS					
Sales excluding tax	2,195,422	3,268,899	2,352,361	2,301,500	1,712,968
Earnings before tax, depreciation, amortisation and provisions	15,343,740	<238,514>	1,666,838	2,772,682	3,093,994
Income tax	693,928	29,165	17,333	27,391	40,722
Earnings after tax, depreciation, amortisation and provisions	10,648,216	758,956	1,639,673	2,737,515	2,219,272
Earnings distributed	2,411,993	0	3,014,991	2,009,994	2,411,993
EARNINGS PER SHARE					
Earnings after tax but before depreciation, amortisation and provisions	0.73	<0.01>	0.08	0.14	0.15
Earnings after tax, depreciation, amortisation and provisions	0.53	0.04	0.08	0.14	0.11
Dividends allocated to each share	0.12	0	0.15	0.10	0.12
PERSONNEL					
Number of employees (average headcount)	8	8	11	9	8
Payroll for the financial year	869,238	975,144	1,277,597	891,360	953,523
Sums paid out in respect of employee benefits in the financial year (social security, social action, etc.)	347,097	421,112	540,030	393,098	375,186

4.9.10 SPECIAL REPORT OF THE STATUTORY AUDITORS ON REGULATED AGREEMENTS

To the Annual General Meeting of ACTIA Group S.A.,

In our capacity as Statutory Auditors of your Company, we hereby present to you our report on regulated agreements.

The terms of our assignment do not require us to identify such other transactions, if any, but to communicate to you, based on information provided to us, the principal terms and conditions of those agreements and commitments brought to our attention or discovered in the performance of our assignment and the interests thereof for the Company, without expressing an opinion on their merits. It is your responsibility, pursuant to Article R. 225-31 of the French Commercial Code, to assess the interest of these agreements and commitments with a view to their approval.

In addition, we are required, where applicable, to inform you in accordance with Article R. 225-31 of the French Commercial Code concerning the implementation, during the year, of the agreements and commitments previously approved by the General Meeting of Shareholders.

We performed procedures that we considered necessary in accordance with the professional guidelines of the French National Institute of Statutory Auditors (Compagnie Nationale des Commissaires aux Comptes) relating to this assignment. These procedures require that we ensure that the information provided to us is consistent with the relevant source documents.

Agreements submitted for approval to the Shareholders' Meeting

Agreements not previously authorised, subsequently authorised but not justified

Pursuant to Articles L. 225-42 and L.823-12 of the French Commercial Code, we inform you that the following agreements were not authorised previously by your Board of Directors.

It is our responsibility to inform you of the circumstances that explain why the authorisation procedure was not followed.

With Actia Automotive, Actia China, Actia Corp, Actia IME and Actia UK

Nature and purpose: Agreement under the TSA (Transitional Services Agreement) for services rendered to Plastic Omnium's e-Power division.

Parties concerned:

- ⊙ Actia Automotive: Marine Cadelon and Jean-Louis Pech
- ⊙ Actia China: Catherine Mallet, Marine Cadelon and Jean-Louis Pech
- ⊙ Actia Corp: Catherine Mallet, Jean-Louis Pech and Jean-François Calmels
- ⊙ Actia UK: Catherine Mallet, Jean-Louis Pech and Jean-François Calmels

Procedures: as part of the negotiations for the sale of the Power Division between ACTIA Group and Plastic Omnium Auto Inergy, a Transitional Services Agreement (TSA) was signed on 1 August 2022 to support Plastic Omnium Auto Inergy during a specified transitional period for the migration of e-Power structures. This TSA was negotiated for a total amount of €535,000 excluding VAT, which was distributed among the contributing subsidiaries of ACTIA Group during the TSA period:

- ⊙ ACTIA Group S.A., for its own participation: €27,000;
- ⊙ ACTIA Automotive: €274,500;
- ⊙ ACTIA China: €5,000;
- ⊙ ACTIA IME: €41,000;
- ⊙ ACTIA Corp. : €174,000;
- ⊙ ACTIA UK: €13,500

The contributing subsidiaries invoice Actia Group S.A. under this Transitional Services Agreement (TSA).

We inform you that the procedure for prior authorisation of your Board of Directors for this agreement was not followed by omission.

We inform you that your Board of Directors, at its meeting of 19 December 2022, decided to authorise this agreement after the fact, but this authorisation does not include the reasons justifying the benefit of the agreement for the company as provided for in Article L. 225-38 of the French Commercial Code.

Sums invoiced for the previous financial year: at 31 December 2022, the amounts invoiced excluding VAT each of the subsidiaries contributing to Actia Group was:

Companies	TSA agreement
ACTIA Automotive	€228,758.35
ACTIA China	€4,100.00
ACTIA Corp.	€145,000.00
ACTIA IME	€34,166.68
ACTIA UK	€13,570.00
TOTAL	€425,595.03

Agreements previously approved by the General Meeting

Agreements approved in prior years and which remained in effect during the period under review

In accordance with Article R.225-30 of the French Commercial Code, we have been informed that the following agreements, already approved by the Annual General Meetings in prior years, remained in effect during the period under review.

With LP2C S.A.

Nature and purpose: Coordination agreement.

Parties concerned: Marine Candelon, Catherine Mallet, Jean-Louis Pech and Jean-François Calmels

Procedures: LP2C invoices an annual total amount of €370,000 for all the Group companies, broken down according to the added value of the previous year. The coordination agreement is agreed for a period of five years as of 1 January 2018 and is automatically renewable for consecutive twelve-month periods.

Sum invoiced for the previous financial year: at 31 December 2022, the total amount invoiced by LP2C to Actia Group was € 1,000 excl. VAT.

Nature and purpose: Assistance and service agreements.

Parties concerned: Marine Candelon, Catherine Mallet, Jean-Louis Pech and Jean-François Calmels

Procedures: LP2C assistance and services agreement for each of the LP2C subsidiaries and sub-subsidiaries for the recurring services LP2C provides to the Group, including:

- ⊙ Administrative, legal, accounting and financial assistance
- ⊙ Quality support;
- ⊙ Communications support;
- ⊙ Human resources support;
- ⊙ Real estate support;
- ⊙ Support for Group management and internal procedures;
- ⊙ Business development support;

The arrangements for setting the remuneration excluding VAT of the services provided are as follows: LP2C receives a fee set on the basis of a provisional budget drawn up at the start of the year. The amount is set based on the direct and indirect costs actually incurred by LP2C, plus a margin of 15%.

The assistance agreement is agreed for a period of five years as of 1 January 2018 and is automatically renewable for consecutive twelve-month periods.

Sum invoiced for the previous financial year: at 31 December 2022, the total amount invoiced by LP2C to Actia Group was €298,984 excluding VAT.

Nature and purpose: Assistance and specific services agreement

Parties concerned: Marine Candelon, Catherine Mallet, Jean-Louis Pech and Jean-François Calmels

Procedures: The specific services which Actia Group provides to LP2C are for accounting and executive secretarial services. The procedures used to set the amounts invoiced, excluding VAT, for the services rendered by Actia Group are as follows: in exchange for the services provided, Actia Group receives from LP2C a fee set on the basis of a provisional budget established at the start of the financial year. The amount is set based on the direct and indirect costs actually incurred by Actia Group, plus a margin of 15%.

The assistance agreement is agreed for a period of 5 years as of 1 January 2018 and is automatically renewable for consecutive twelve-month periods.

Sum invoiced for the previous financial year: at 31 December 2022, the total amount invoiced by Actia Group to LP2C was €59,872 excluding VAT.

With the subsidiaries listed below

Nature and purpose: Assistance and service agreements.

Parties concerned:

- ⊙ Actia Automotive: Marine Candelon, Laura Pech, Jean-Louis Pech
- ⊙ Actia 3E: Catherine Mallet, Marine Candelon and Jean-Louis Pech
- ⊙ Actia Telecom: Catherine Mallet, Marine Candelon, Jean-François Calmels and Jean-Louis Pech
- ⊙ Actia PCs: Catherine Mallet, Marine Candelon and Jean-Louis Pech
- ⊙ SCI Les Coteaux de Pouvoirville Catherine Mallet and Marine Candelon
- ⊙ SCI de l'Oratoire Catherine Mallet and Marine Candelon
- ⊙ SCI Sodimob Jean-Louis Pech
- ⊙ Actia Systems: Catherine Mallet, Marine Candelon, Jean-Louis Pech and Jean-François Calmels
- ⊙ SCI los Olivos: Catherine Mallet, Marine Candelon and Jean-Louis Pech
- ⊙ Actia UK: Catherine Mallet, Jean-François Calmels and Jean-Louis Pech
- ⊙ Actia Italia: Catherine Mallet, Marine Candelon and Jean-Louis Pech
- ⊙ Actia Polska: Jean-Louis Pech
- ⊙ Actia Nordic: Catherine Mallet, Jean-François Calmels and Jean-Louis Pech
- ⊙ KARFA: Jean-Louis Pech
- ⊙ Actia do Brasil: Catherine Mallet, Jean-François Calmels and Jean-Louis Pech
- ⊙ Actia de Mexico: Catherine Mallet, Jean-François Calmels and Jean-Louis Pech
- ⊙ Actia Electronics: Catherine Mallet, Jean-François Calmels and Jean-Louis Pech
- ⊙ Actia Corp: Catherine Mallet, Jean-François Calmels and Jean-Louis Pech
- ⊙ Actia China: Catherine Mallet, Marine Candelon and Jean-Louis Pech
- ⊙ Actia India: Catherine Mallet and Jean-Louis Pech
- ⊙ CIPI ACTIA: Marine Candelon, Catherine Mallet, Jean-François Calmels and Jean-Louis Pech

- ⊙ Actia Engineering Services: Catherine Mallet, Jean-François Calmels and Jean-Louis Pech
- ⊙ Actia Tunisie: Marine Candelon, Jean-François Calmels and Jean-Louis Pech
- ⊙ Actia Telematics Services: Jean-Louis Pech
- ⊙ Actia Africa: Catherine Mallet, Jean-François Calmels and Jean-Louis Pech
- ⊙ Actia Power: Catherine Mallet, Marine Candelon, Jean-Louis Pech and Jean-François Calmels
- ⊙ Actia Power France: Jean-Louis Pech
- ⊙ Actia Power US: Jean-Louis Pech and Jean-François Calmels
- ⊙ Actia Japan: Jean-Louis Pech

Reasons justifying the benefits for the Company: As part of the overall reorganisation, this Actia Group assistance and services agreement is implemented for each of the subsidiaries and sub-subsidiaries to cover the ongoing services Actia Group provides to the Group. The interests of Actia Group are shared by the subsidiaries of the Group which, therefore, increase their effectiveness and profitability through these operations. At the ACTIA Group level, the arrangements result in a reduction in overall management costs by creating economies of scale for fixed costs and, therefore, in greater effectiveness and profitability. The subsidiaries benefit from the reduced costs, therefore enabling them to focus their energies on their core business and improve their economic performance.

The recurring services provided by Actia Group to the Group include:

- ⊙ Administrative, legal, accounting and financial assistance, as well as the provision of current account advances;
- ⊙ Communications support;
- ⊙ Human resources support;
- ⊙ Information systems support;
- ⊙ Purchasing support;
- ⊙ Real estate support;
- ⊙ Support for Group management and internal procedures;
- ⊙ Business development support;
- ⊙ Technology support.

Procedures: in exchange for the services provided, ACTIA Group receives from each of the subsidiaries and sub-subsidiaries a fee based on a provisional budget established at the start of the financial year. The amount is set based on the direct and indirect costs actually incurred by Actia Group, plus a margin of 15%.

The assistance agreement is agreed for a period of 5 years as of 1 January 2018 and is automatically renewable for consecutive twelve-month periods.

Sums invoiced for the previous financial year: at 31 December 2022, the amounts invoiced excluding VAT by Actia Group was:

Companies	Assistance and service agreements	Current account interests	Current account debit balance
ACTIA Automotive	€597,064.00	€560,603.73	€38,703,209.80
SCI Oratoire	€6,507.00		
SCI Pourvoirville	€6,153.00		
ACTIA 3E	€5,764.00		
ACTIA PCs	€7,634.00		
ACTIA Telecom	€249,130.00	€11,441.48	€2,911,197.80
ACTIA Telematics Services	€13,164.00		
ACTIA Nordic	€66,537.00		
ACTIA Polska	€6,359.00		
ACTIA Italia	€36,065.00		
ACTIA Systems	€33,054.00		
ACTIA UK	€17,144.00		
ACTIA Africa	€7,306.00	€1,613.72	€150,000.00
ACTIA Tunisie	€3,413.00		
ACTIA China	€32,072.00		
CIPI ACTIA	€31,176.00		
ACTIA Electronics	€18,341.00		
ACTIA do Brasil	€66,342.00		
ACTIA de Mexico	€49,764.00		
ACTIA Corp.	€33,168.00		
ACTIA Engineering Services	€278,258.00	€3,370.93	€270,904.56
ACTIA Power	€13,877.00	€197,511.55	€1,123.27
ACTIA Power France	€21,342.00	€541.24	
ACTIA Power US	€6,127.00	€231.13	
ACTIA Japan	€2,107.00		
TOTAL	€1,607,868.00	€778,006.28	€42,036,435.43

With ACTIA Automotive

Nature and purpose: Guarantee for an Airbus contract.

Parties concerned: Marine Candelon, Laura Pech, Jean-Louis Pech

Reasons justifying their interest in the company / Procedures:

Airbus requested a first-demand full guarantee for all Actia Automotive rights and obligations from Actia Group in 2017. The guarantee covers financial, judicial, legal and civil liability.

Under the contract, Actia Automotive can be held liable up to the amount of the contract which, in 2022, was close to €14,399,000. Actia Automotive has taken out special insurance for aeronautical products, for a maximum amount of €200,000,000 per claim, it being understood that Actia Group cannot be held liable for any sum in excess of that amount. With respect to civil liability, Actia Group will be required to activate the insurance in the event of the failure of its Actia Automotive subsidiary.

If Actia Automotive activates its insurance in the event of an accident, the guarantee granted to our subsidiary will be outside of the normal framework of the guarantees invoiced by the Company as the insurance charge for the policy is entirely paid for by Actia Automotive.

Amount invoiced during the past year: this guarantee did not result in any invoicing by your company during the financial year.

Nature and purpose: Guarantee for an Airbus contract.

Parties concerned: Marine Candelon, Laura Pech, Jean-Louis Pech

Reasons justifying their interest in the company / Procedures:

Actia Automotive signed a contract with Airbus for the design, development, manufacturing, supply and maintenance of avionics equipment. As part of the contract, Airbus requested that Actia Group provide a full first demand guarantee for all Actia Automotive rights and obligations. The guarantee covers financial, judicial, legal and civil liability.

Under the contract, Actia Automotive can be held liable up to €200,000,000. Actia Automotive has therefore taken out special insurance for aeronautical products, for a maximum amount of €200,000,000 per claim, it being understood that Actia Group cannot be held liable for any sum in excess of that amount. With respect to civil liability, Actia Group will be required to activate the insurance in the event of the failure of its Actia Automotive subsidiary.

If Actia Automotive activates its insurance in the event of an accident, the guarantee granted to your subsidiary since 2007 will be outside of the normal framework of the guarantees invoiced by the Company as the insurance charge for the policy is entirely paid for by ACTIA Automotive.

Amount invoiced during the past year: this guarantee did not result in any invoicing by your Company during the financial year.

With ACTIA Telecom

Nature and purpose: Authorisation to pledge securities.

Parties concerned: Catherine Mallet, Marine Candelon, Jean-François Calmels and Jean-Louis Pech

Reasons justifying their interest in the company / Procedures: pursuant to the €3.5 million loan granted to your subsidiary for seven years by a French bank in 2016, your Board authorised as collateral the pledging of Actia Telecom shares held by your company up to 120% of the financing based on the minority buyback value, i.e., €12.20 per share, for a total of 344,262 shares. This authorisation is valid until 21 July 2023.

Amount invoiced during the past year: this authorisation did not result in any invoicing by your company during the 2022 financial year.

With ACTIA Automotive

Nature and purpose: Assistance and services agreement between Actia Automotive, as service provider, on behalf of Actia Group companies concerning recurring services provided by Actia Automotive to Actia Group companies.

Parties concerned: Marine Cadelon, Laura Pech, Jean-Louis Pech.

Procedures: the recurring services provided by Actia Automotive to Actia Group companies include:

- ⊙ Administrative, legal, accounting and financial assistance;
- ⊙ Quality support;
- ⊙ Communications support;
- ⊙ Human resources support;
- ⊙ Information systems support;
- ⊙ Purchasing support;
- ⊙ Real estate support;
- ⊙ Support for Group management and internal procedures;
- ⊙ Business development support;
- ⊙ Technology support.

Labège, 28 April 2023

KPMG S.A.

Mathieu Leruste
Partner

The arrangements for setting the remuneration excluding VAT of the services provided are as follows: Actia Automotive receives remuneration on the basis of a provisional budget drawn up at the start of the year, which is adjustable at the end of the period. The amount is set based on the direct and indirect costs actually incurred by Actia Group, plus a margin of 15%.

Any re-invoicing of services provided by external parties is subject to a margin of 3% as a contribution to Actia Automotive's overheads as a service provider.

The assistance agreement is agreed for a period of five years as of 1 January 2018 and is automatically renewable for consecutive twelve-month periods.

Reasons justifying the benefits for the Company: Actia Automotive's interests coincide with those of Actia Group companies and the latter can, therefore, improve their effectiveness and profitability through these arrangements. At the ACTIA Group level, the arrangements would result in a reduction in overall management costs by creating economies of scale for fixed costs and, therefore, in greater effectiveness and profitability. The subsidiaries will benefit from the reduced costs, therefore enabling them to focus their energies on their core businesses and improve their economic performance.

Sum invoiced for the previous financial year: at 31 December 2022, the amount invoiced by Actia Automotive to Actia Group was €179,707 excluding VAT.

Paris, 28 April 2023

BM&A

Eric Seyvos
Partner

4.10 MAJOR SHAREHOLDERS

4.10.1 BREAKDOWN OF THE SHARE CAPITAL AND VOTING RIGHTS

The identity of those persons directly or indirectly holding the thresholds of 1% of the capital or voting rights at General Meetings or a multiple of this fraction up to 5% inclusive, as well as the thresholds of 10% - 15% - 20% - 25% - 30% - 33.33% - 50% - 66.66% and 95% of the share capital or voting rights at General Meetings on the dates cited, are given below.

SHARE CAPITAL AND VOTING RIGHTS AT 31 DECEMBER 2022

	Number of shares % of share capital		Gross voting rights		Net voting rights	
LP2C	10,077,510	50.14%	20,093,676	62.12%	20,093,676	62.15%
Natural persons - Pech and Calmels families	6,052	0.03%	11,904	0.04%	11,904	0.04%
SUBTOTAL PECH AND CALMELS FAMILIES	10,083,562	50.17%	20,105,580	62.15%	20,105,580	62.18%
SIDMIA International	1,171,848	5.83%	2,343,696	7.25%	2,343,696	7.25%
Natural persons - Thrum family	213	0.00%	426	0.00%	426	0.00%
THRUM FAMILY SUBTOTAL	1,172,061	5.83%	2,344,122	7.25%	2,344,122	7.25%
TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS' AGREEMENT	11,255,623	56.00%	22,449,702	69.40%	22,449,702	69.43%
SGPFEC	1,037,141	5.16%	2,074,282	6.41%	2,074,282	6.42%
GESTINEG H	1,045,000	5.20%	1,045,000	3.23%	1,045,000	3.23%
Public	6,746,812	33.57%	6,764,117	20.91%	6,764,117	20.92%
Treasury shares	15,365	0.08%	15,365	0.05%	0	0.00%
TOTAL	20,099,941	100.00%	32,348,466	100.00%	32,333,101	100.00%

SHARE CAPITAL AND VOTING RIGHTS AT 31 DECEMBER 2021

	Number of shares % of share capital		Gross voting rights		Net voting rights	
LP2C	10,077,510	50.14%	20,093,676	62.12%	20,093,676	62.15%
Natural persons - Pech and Calmels families	6,052	0.03%	11,904	0.04%	11,904	0.04%
SUBTOTAL PECH AND CALMELS FAMILIES	10,083,562	50.17%	20,105,580	62.15%	20,105,580	62.18%
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TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS' AGREEMENT	11,255,623	56.00%	22,449,702	69.40%	22,449,702	69.43%
SGPFEC	1,037,141	5.16%	2,074,282	6.41%	2,074,282	6.42%
Jean-Charles Normand	224,467	1.12%	224,467	0.69%	224,467	0.69%
Public	7,567,536	37.65%	7,584,962	23.45%	7,584,962	23.46%
Treasury shares	15,174	0.08%	15,174	0.05%	0	0.00%
TOTAL	20,099,941	100.00%	32,348,587	100.00%	32,333,413	100.00%

SHARE CAPITAL AND VOTING RIGHTS AT 31 DECEMBER 2020

	Number of shares % of share capital		Gross voting rights		Net voting rights	
LP2C	10,016,166	49.83%	20,032,332	61.81%	20,032,332	61.84%
Natural persons - Pech and Calmels families	67,396	0.34%	134,592	0.42%	134,592	0.42%
SUBTOTAL PECH AND CALMELS FAMILIES	10,083,562	50.17%	20,166,924	62.23%	20,166,924	62.26%
SIDMIA International	1,171,848	5.83%	2,343,696	7.23%	2,343,696	7.24%
Natural persons - Thrum family	213	0.00%	426	0.00%	426	0.00%
THRUM FAMILY SUBTOTAL	1,172,061	5.83%	2,344,122	7.23%	2,344,122	7.24%
TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS' AGREEMENT	11,255,623	56.00%	22,511,046	69.46%	22,511,046	69.49%
SGPFEC	1,037,141	5.16%	2,074,282	6.40%	2,074,282	6.40%
Public	7,791,223	38.76%	7,807,148	24.09%	7,807,148	24.10%
Treasury shares	15,954	0.08%	15,954	0.05%	0	0.00%
TOTAL	20,099,941	100.00%	32,408,430	100.00%	32,392,476	100.00%

GROSS OR THEORETICAL VOTING RIGHTS:

This is the total number of voting rights, including those attached to shares deprived of voting rights, namely those held in treasury.

Net voting rights or rights exercisable in General Meetings: shares held in treasury are not recorded.

LP2C is equally owned by the Pech and Calmels families.

SIDMIA International is held by the Thrum family.

The shareholders' agreement between the Pech, Calmels and Thrum family shareholder groups covers all the shares held by the companies. The shares not included at the outset of the agreement do not represent a sufficiently material percentage to be detailed. It should be noted that the agreement does not have an expiry date. The main provisions of this agreement are described in § 4.10.3 "Shareholders' agreement".

To the best of the Company's knowledge, there are no other shareholders not mentioned in the above table that hold 5% or more of the share capital or voting rights of ACTIA Group S.A.

Voting rights are described in detail in Article 11 of the Articles of Association "Rights and obligations related to ordinary shares - Voting", which can be consulted on the company website www.actia.com.

CROSSING OF THRESHOLDS

ACTIA Group has been informed of the crossing of the thresholds below in the past three years:

- ⊙ On **11 February 2021**, the Limited Liability company LP2C informed ACTIA Group that it had crossed the 50% company share capital threshold (AMF notification 221C0346), without modifying the ownership percentage of the shareholders' agreement;
- ⊙ On **4 December 2021**, Charles-André Normand informed ACTIA Group that he had crossed the 1% company share capital threshold;
- ⊙ On **6 April 2022**, the Limited Liability company GESTINEG H informed ACTIA Group that it had crossed the 5% company share capital threshold (AMF notification 222C0782);
- ⊙ On **27 December 2022**, Charles-André Normand informed ACTIA Group that he had dropped below the 1% company share capital threshold;
- ⊙ Finally, on **2 February 2023**, SCI SERAC informed AMF that it had crossed the 5% company share capital threshold (AMF notification 223C0254).

OTHER SECURITIES GRANTING ENTITLEMENT TO THE SHARE CAPITAL

There are no other shares or securities of any nature convertible or exchangeable for shares.

MARKET IN ACTIA GROUP SHARES

Since 2 February 2023, ACTIA Group S.A. has been traded on Euronext Growth Paris, ISIN Code FR0000076655.

During 2022, the total volume of ACTIA Group shares traded was 2,643,010 compared to 5,659,705 in 2021 and 6,104,872 in 2020, representing an average daily trading volume of 10,205 shares over 259 trading days compared with 21,937 shares in 2021 and 23,754 in 2020.

In 2022, the share price trading range was as follows:

- ⊙ Highest: €4.77 on 09 September 2022;
- ⊙ Lowest: €2.88 on 07 March 2022;
- ⊙ And a close on 30/12/2022 of: €4.17.

The number of ACTIA Group shares traded dropped sharply compared to 2021, with a decline of 53.3%. Despite this low volume, the stock closed up 17.2% on 31 December 2021, compared to a decline by 20.5% of the CAC Small index.

Trading in liquidity contract shares stood at 145,443 shares purchased and 142,252 shares sold for the whole of 2022. These daily flows contributed to optimising the day-to-day and intra-day trading activity for the share by reducing sharp fluctuations.

It should be noted that ACTIA is one of the 1,135 companies evaluated and ranked according to their degree of involvement in non-financial transparency and CSR performance (governance, human capital, environment and relations with external stakeholders), making up the **GAIA Index**, a benchmark stock market index for mid-cap companies in terms of sustainable development. ACTIA Group entered the ranking in 2015 and has remained on the index ever since, as shown in the summary table below:

Ranking	2019	2020	2021	2020-2021 trend	Benchmark
GOVERNANCE	51	50	59	↗	54
Risk of dilution of minority shareholders	50	83	83	=	69
Composition of the governance bodies	56	39	67	↗	54
Functioning of the governance bodies	50	42	50	↗	67
Compensation of officers and directors	75	75	75	=	55
Business ethics	60	60	60	=	48
CSR policy and non-financial issues	22	34	44	↗	45
SOCIAL	45	51	54	↗	40
Characteristics and social policy	63	50	50	=	48
Working conditions	25	50	50	=	45
Skills development	50	58	58	=	37
Equal opportunities	25	25	50	↗	38
Health & safety	65	65	60	↘	31
ENVIRONMENT	55	57	56	↘	43
Environmental policy and management system	50	50	50	=	45
Energy and GHG	36	55	50	↘	43
Water	100	75	92	↗	14
Waste	81	69	56	↘	40
Biodiversity	50	50	50	=	2
EXTERNAL STAKEHOLDERS	71	71	83	↗	58
Supplier relations	63	63	88	↗	47
Relationship with customers, civil society and product responsibility	100	100	100	=	55
Cybersecurity	60	60	67	↗	74
Overall score	53	54	59	↗	48

The benchmark carried out by Gaïa gives the following results for ACTIA:

- ⊙ National ranking: ACTIA is ranked 179th out of 400 companies;
- ⊙ Sectoral ranking (Technology sector): ACTIA is ranked 41st out of 157 companies;
- ⊙ Classification by revenue category: ACTIA is ranked 65th out of 281 companies.

In addition, the Group's General Management is concerned about this issue and has set up a dedicated CSR team, led by the CSR Committee created within the Board of Directors.

On 3 April 2023, ACTIA Group was included in the following stock indices:

INDEX	ACTIA Group weighting in the index	ENT PEA-PME 150	0.22%
EN G ALL SHARES GR	0.31%	ENT PEA-PME 150 GR	0.22%
EN G ALL SHARES NR	0.31%	EN TECH CROISS GR	0.35%
EN GROWTH ALLSHARE	0.31%	EN TECH CROISS NR	0.35%
EN HELIOS SP AS GR	0.01%	EN TECH CROISSANCE	0.35%
EN HELIOS SP AS NR	0.01%		
EN HELIOS SPACE AS	0.01%		

The following table summarises trading activity and trends for the ACTIA Group share for the last three years:

	Performance		Volatility	
	ACTIA Group	CAC MID & SMALL	ACTIA Group	CAC MID & SMALL
2020	<36.89%>	<1.29%>	36.20%	13.48%
2021	34.19%	16.49%	43.34%	21.43%
2022	14.24%	<13.86%>	35.92%	14.24%

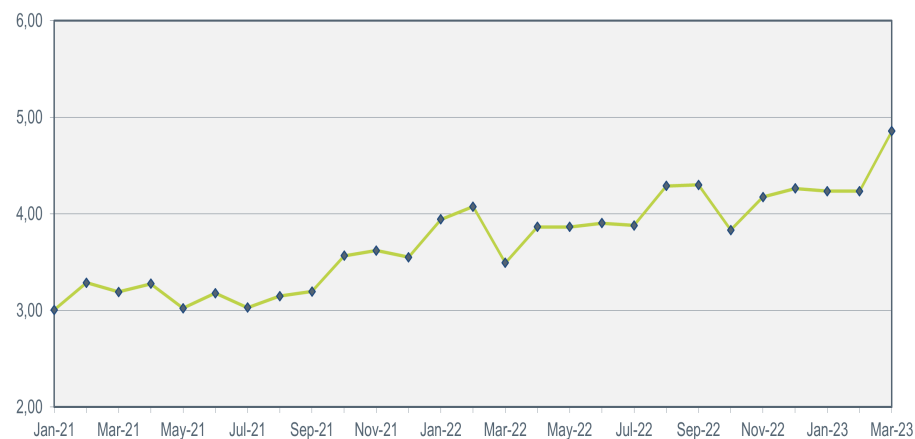
CLOSING PRICES AND TRADING VOLUMES FROM 1 JANUARY 2020 TO 31 MARCH 2023 (CLOSING PRICE IN EUROS)

2023	High	Low	Average	Trading volume
Jan-23	4.35	4.10	4.23	369,760
Feb-23	4.76	3.95	4.23	335,056
March-23	5.12	4.69	4.86	302,942

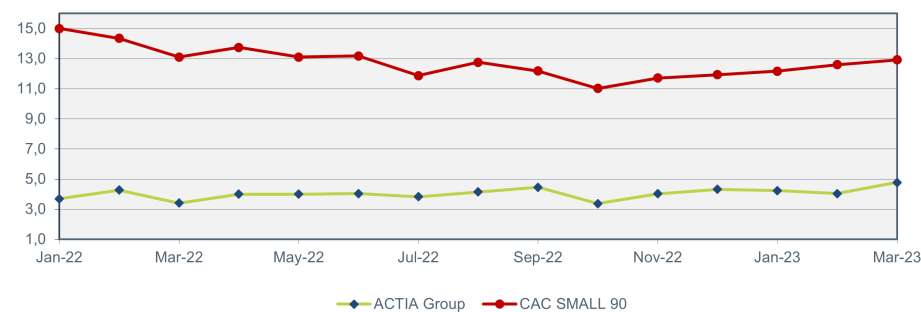
2022	High	Low	Average	Trading volume
Jan-22	4.54	3.53	3.94	489,127
Feb-22	4.34	3.47	4.07	205,221
March-22	4.15	2.88	3.49	193,098
Apr-22	4.00	3.68	3.86	140,593
May-22	4.05	3.69	3.86	142,835
June-22	4.07	3.65	3.90	122,505
July-22	4.06	3.66	3.88	164,648
August-22	4.53	4.07	4.29	280,044
Sept-22	4.77	3.33	4.30	314,979
Oct-22	4.23	3.35	3.83	221,954
Nov-22	4.38	3.89	4.17	167,792
Dec-22	4.43	4.14	4.26	200,214

2021	High	Low	Average	Trading volume
Jan-21	3.36	2.67	3.00	840,790
Feb-21	3.73	2.75	3.28	1,051,841
March-21	3.50	2.81	3.19	879,097
Apr-21	3.44	3.12	3.27	448,042
May-21	3.19	2.83	3.02	301,698
June-21	3.56	2.99	3.18	334,275
July-21	3.19	2.86	3.03	187,872
August-21	3.24	3.03	3.15	148,945
Sept-21	3.39	2.99	3.20	292,541
Oct-21	3.83	3.24	3.56	366,252
Nov-21	3.92	3.20	3.62	398,430
Dec-21	3.70	3.15	3.55	409,922

Share price trends
(average monthly closing price in euros)



Share price trends since 1 January 2022
(closing price on first day of the month)



4.10.2 CONTROL AND OWNERSHIP

Information about holding and voting rights is provided in § 4.10.1 “Breakdown of the share capital and voting rights”. It shows that the Group is majority owned and controlled, directly and indirectly, by the Pech and Calmels families, the families of the Group’s founders, Louis Pech and Pierre Calmels, via LP2C.

Details of the membership of the Board of Directors are given in § 7.1.2 “Membership of the Board of Directors and General Management”. The Pech and Calmels families hold the positions of Chairman and CEO, Jean-Louis Pech (son of Louis Pech), Deputy Chief Executive Officers, Catherine Mallet (daughter of Louis Pech) and Marine Candelon (daughter of Pierre Calmels), Jean-François Calmels (son of Pierre Calmels) and Director, Laura Pech (grand-daughter of Louis Pech). Of the five other members of the Board, three are fully independent and ensure effective governance for the Group. Two Directors representing the employees, Martine Chupin and Marie-Louise Ribaut, were elected on 23 March 2021, in accordance with the legal and statutory provisions.

The founding families have in this way ensured the continuity of the Group while maintaining independent governance within the Board.

4.10.3 SHAREHOLDERS’ AGREEMENT

A shareholders’ agreement was signed by the families of Louis Pech and Pierre Calmels, on the one hand, and Günther Thrum, on the other hand, on 11 December 2000.

The parties agreed to act in concert with respect to ACTIA Group S.A. primarily with regard to:

- ⊙ A commitment to consult prior to all Board Meetings and all General Meetings;
- ⊙ A commitment to maintain the division of seats on the Board;
- ⊙ A commitment to maintain their interests so that the parties to the agreement may hold a minimum voting rights percentage in the Company;
- ⊙ A commitment to consult prior to any disposal by any of the signatories of all or part of their interest (including unregistered holdings);
- ⊙ A reciprocal preemptive right between the two groups of shareholders;

- ⊙ In the event of a tender offer that either party wishes to accept, all the parties undertake to consult for the purpose of making decisions by mutual agreement in order to be able to carry out the proposed transaction without jeopardising the basis of this agreement with respect to maintaining control of ACTIA Group and the pursuit of its industrial strategy;
- ⊙ In the event that for whatever reason ACTIA Group shares are no longer listed on a regulated market, and the “Pech and Calmels” shareholder group wishes to dispose of all or part of its ACTIA Group shares and such disposal is likely to cause it to lose control (40% of the voting rights) of ACTIA Group, it must offer the shareholders of the “Thrum” group the option of disposing of all their ACTIA Group shares at the same price and on the same payment terms as those obtained from the buyer.

As of 31 December 2022, this agreement covered a total of 11,255,623 shares (56.0% interest) and 22,449,702 voting rights (69.43% control).

4.10.4 COMMITMENTS TO RETAIN SHARES

With the exception of the above-cited shareholders’ agreement, there are to the best of our knowledge no lock-up arrangements on ACTIA Group S.A. shares.

4.10.5 SHARE OR ASSET PLEDGES

To the knowledge of the Company, no share of the Company is pledged as at 31 December 2022.

4.10.6 TREASURY SHARES

Information about this paragraph is presented in Note 3.7 “Treasury shares” of the notes to the separate annual financial statements.

4.10.7 TRADING IN COMPANY SHARES

To the knowledge of the Company, the Corporate Officers did not carry out any transactions on the Company's shares during the 2022 financial year.

4.10.8 SHARE BUYBACK PROGRAMME UNDER WAY

In accordance with the provisions of Article L22-10-62 of the French Commercial Code and Article 241-2 of the General rule of the French financial markets authority, we hereby provide information about the share buyback programme under way within the company.

During the Ordinary General Meeting of 24 May 2022, the company shareholders authorised the Board of Directors to purchase or sell company shares for a period of 18 months, in the framework of a share buyback programme. The maximum purchase price was fixed at 8 euros per share, and the number of shares to be acquired was not allowed to exceed 2% of the number of shares comprising the total share capital.

The liquidity contract managed by Portzamparc changed as follows over the financial year:

- ⊙ Number of shares purchased during the financial year: 145,443;
- ⊙ Number of shares sold during the financial year: 145,252;

- ⊙ Average purchase price: €3.97;
- ⊙ Average sales price: €4.02;
- ⊙ Trading costs: €12,058;
- ⊙ Number of shares registered in the Company's name at the close of the financial year: 12,037;
- ⊙ Value of the securities at the average purchase price: €47,738;
- ⊙ Par value for each purpose: the totality of the share buyback programme was used to support the secondary market or the liquidity of the stock through a market maker (French PSI) under a liquidity agreement complying with the French Financial Markets Association (AMAFI) Code of Ethics as recognised by the AMF;
- ⊙ Number of shares used: none;
- ⊙ Any re-allocations: none;
- ⊙ Portion of the share capital they represent: 0.06%.

4.10.9 AUTHORISATION TO IMPLEMENT A SHARE BUYBACK PROGRAMME

Under the seventh resolution, we propose that the Board of Directors be granted an authorisation, for a period of eighteen months, to buy back, either once or on several occasions as required, company shares, up to a maximum number of shares not exceeding 2% of the number of shares comprising the total share capital on the day of the General Meeting, adjusted

if necessary to take account of any increase or reduction of share capital that may occur during the period throughout which the programme runs.

This authorisation would cancel the authorisation granted to the Board of Directors in the ordinary 10th resolution of the General Meeting held on 24 May 2022.

Acquisitions may be made in order to:

- ⊙ Stimulate the secondary market or liquidity of ACTIA Group shares via an Investment Services Provider through a liquidity contract in conformity with the practice authorised by the regulations, it being understood that, in this framework, the number of shares taken into account for calculation of the aforementioned maximum amount corresponds to the number of shares purchased, less the number of shares resold;
- ⊙ Maintain them or subsequently use them for payment or exchange as part of possible merger, spin-off, acquisition or external growth operations;
- ⊙ Cover stock option plans and/or schemes offering free stock options (or similar) to Group employees and/or corporate officers including Economic interest groupings and affiliated companies, as well as any allocation of shares in the framework of a Company or Group Savings Plan (or similar), as part of a company profit-sharing scheme and/or any other scheme involving the allocation of shares to Group employees and/or corporate officers including Economic interest groupings and affiliated companies;

- ⊙ Cover securities giving rise to the allocation of Company shares in the framework of the regulations in force.

These shares may be purchased by any means, including via block orders, whenever the Board of Directors considers said transaction to be appropriate. Unless the General Meeting grants prior authorisation, the Board of Directors will not be entitled to make use of this authorisation during a tender offer launched by a third party seeking to purchase Company shares, and this restriction will apply until the end of the offer period.

The Company does not intend to use stock option mechanisms or derivatives.

We propose that you set the maximum purchase price at 8 euros per share. In the case of an operation involving share capital, namely, division or grouping of shares or free allocation of stock options to shareholders, the amount stipulated above would be adjusted in the same proportions (multiplying coefficient equal to the ratio between the number of shares comprising the share capital before the operation and the number of shares after the operation). The maximum amount of the operation would thus be fixed at 3,215,984 euros.

The Board of Directors would be vested with all powers to take all actions required for said purpose.

4.10.10 GROUP SAVINGS PLAN (PEG) AND INTERNATIONAL GROUP SAVINGS PLAN (PEGI)

There is no PEG or PEGI.

4.10.11 PERCENTAGE OF SHARE CAPITAL HELD AT THE END OF THE REPORTING PERIOD

As of the balance sheet date, there was no employee ownership in the share capital of ACTIA Group S.A. as per the terms of Article L225-102 of the French Commercial Code.

4.11 CONCLUSION

The Board of Directors asks all shareholders to vote in favour of the proposed resolutions.

The Board of Directors

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In line with a sustainable development approach and the desire to make a positive contribution to the world, ACTIA was once again recognised and awarded in 2022 by the GAÏA Index, the benchmark Sustainable Development Index for mid-caps. Ranked 65th out of 281 companies evaluated in its revenue category, ACTIA Group confirms its involvement in the CSR approach.

The 2021 ECOVADIS silver medal was not sought in 2022.



5.1 THE ACTIA BUSINESS MODEL

5.1.1 OUR IDENTITY

As a family-owned mid-market company, the co-founders and their families directly or indirectly hold more than 50% of the Group's share capital and 62% of the voting rights, which ensures the long-term nature of the Company and a consistency of approach, in terms of both company culture and strategy.

5.1.2 OUR VALUES

ACTIA's strategic positioning reflects a very precise mission:

To meet the technological and industrial challenges of innovative, value-creating and sustainable electronics for each of our customers:

ELECTRONICS MOVING FORWARD

It corresponds to a strategic vision:

- ⊙ To be the leader or benchmark player internationally in the desired Strategic Business Areas (SBAs) and improve the awareness of a strong brand;
- ⊙ To expand across the value chain to maintain our margins and reinforce the consistency and competitiveness of our offers;

- ⊙ To be opportunistic and smart in a changing world;
- ⊙ To remain independent in our strategic choices.

Based on our values:

- ⊙ **Innovation:** ACTIA is a technology company with the resources and methods to create complex products and projects.
- ⊙ **Operational agility:** as a mid-market company, ACTIA stands out for its service-mindedness and its ability to reduce complexity to create value for its customers.
- ⊙ **A people-centred company:** respect for people and professional ethics take precedence over all other considerations.

Thanks to its values and innovation abilities, ACTIA has established itself despite very strong global competition from international groups.

Developing a committed and sustainable business model, ACTIA implements a CSR approach co-built by all stakeholders through:

- ⊙ Responsible governance:
 - Family governance with long-term objectives,
 - Ethical governance and regulatory compliance: Code of Ethics, Anti-corruption Code, whistleblowing system, compliance with the labour law, human rights, responsible purchasing policy, etc.
 - Governance that guarantees the business plan, its legibility for stakeholders and its sustainability.

5.1.3 OUR BUSINESS MODEL

The ACTIA business model is based on the goal of making a positive contribution to the world, externally in the fields of mobility, virtuous agriculture, energy and telecommunications, and internally through the development of the wealth of talent that comprises it, based on its expertise in its two main areas of focus: design and production.

To retain and develop its human and industrial capital, ACTIA's strategy revolves around two pillars that form the drivers of its growth:

- ⊙ Clearly identified positioning and key success factors:
 - Entrepreneurial spirit and a sense of responsibility that drive the Group and underpin its culture;
 - The pursuit of operational excellence in terms of both manufacturing facilities and the design process, which is evidenced by very large numbers of certifications in France and internationally;
 - The ability to adapt and act faced with rapidly changing markets and technologies;
 - Risk management which is expressed, in particular, by addressing very diverse market segments using the same technology with different lifecycles.

- ⊙ A social model:
 - A Group on a human scale that respects its teams, their safety, their health and their development,
 - A Group invested locally for a positive societal impact in its areas of operation,
 - Commitments in action: training to develop skills, talents and autonomy; inclusion to welcome differences and promote diversity; quality of life at work to co-build a collective and individual enriching experience; development of partnerships for a positive local impact.
- ⊙ An environmental model:
 - A contribution to our customers' carbon footprint reduction objectives,
 - Design and manufacture of solutions for eco-responsible mobility,
 - A commitment: All of our industrial sites are ISO 14001-certified.
- ⊙ A growth strategy based on:
 - Niches in which ACTIA is either acknowledged as a market leader or has the means to become one;
 - Rising in the value chain to gradually deploy a more comprehensive range of systems and complete solutions;
 - A high capacity for innovation and Research & Development.

ACTIA is mobilising its strengths in a highly competitive and constantly changing environment.

Our entrepreneurial culture encourages us to innovate. Our mid-sized organisation ensures our agility, innovation and people-centred mindset.

From products to systems and systems to networks, ACTIA's strategy is to expand across the value chain by offering its customers an increasingly comprehensive range of fully developed solutions based on clearly identified niche markets in which ACTIA then builds a leadership position.

ACTIA DESIGNER & MANUFACTURER OF QUALITY ELECTRONIC SYSTEMS



5.2 SCOPE OF CONSOLIDATION

CSR disclosures on social, societal and environmental data are based on the financial consolidation reporting scope as stated in Note 3.2 “Consolidated companies” in the notes to the consolidated financial statements.

☉ The reporting scope is systematically updated to reflect changes in the Group structure.

The Power Division was not included in the 2022 scope as the business was sold on 1 August 2022. ACTIA Japan is also not included in the scope as the subsidiary has only one employee.

The data covers all of the Group’s subsidiaries, with the exception of those that have no activities requiring resources and have no (or very few) employees of their own, as shown in the following table:

Name	Country	Business lines	Comments
SCI Los Olivos	Spain	Real estate	No headcount
KARFA	Mexico	Administration of holdings	No headcount
ACTIA India	India	Electronics research & manufacturing	In the process of being closed down
SCI Sodimob	France	Real estate	No headcount
SCI de l’Oratoire	France	Real estate	No headcount
ACTIA Japan	Japan	Electronics research & manufacturing	Non-significant headcount
SCI Les Coteaux de Pourville	France	Real estate	No headcount
Power Division		Electronics research & manufacturing	Sale of the business on 01/08/22

It should be noted that these companies may benefit from resources shared with other Group companies, and that the data in question is included in the figures for the latter.

In the interest of clarity, the information in the report is aggregated by segment:

- ☉ Automotive France;
- ☉ Automotive Europe (excl. France);
- ☉ Automotive Tunisia;
- ☉ Automotive rest of the world;
- ☉ Total Automotive;
- ☉ Telecoms (France);
- ☉ Total France;
- ☉ Total Group.

The tables have been produced according to the following methodology:

	Automotive France	Automotive Europe	Automotive Tunisia	Automotive Rest of the World	Telecoms	ACTIA Group S.A.
Total Automotive	X	X	X	X		
Total France	X				X	X
Total Group	X	X	X	X	X	X

Note that in all of the tables and charts:

- ⊙ The “Europe” information does not include France, as the information is detailed apart;
- ⊙ The figures in the following tables and charts are derived from data in the management control system.

5.3 MAIN RISKS AND CHALLENGES

ACTIA is a responsible family-owned company with a long-term vision. Concerned and attentive, ACTIA is witnessing the changes happening around it. These developments include the ongoing climate change as well as transformations in the society, in consumers and in our customers. These changes entail risks which are reviewed each year in the light of the current situation.

Therefore, risk mapping is updated jointly by the Group’s General Management, the CSR Department and the Risk Management Committee in order to take stock of the major risks for the Group. No major societal risk was reported for this reporting period.

This mapping is planned to be shared again with all Group subsidiaries in 2023.

To date, this mapping has highlighted the following risks and challenges for the Group, with the key points to be monitored, i.e.:

- ⊙ Talent recruitment and retention: this is still a very pressing concern for ACTIA. In countries with a flexible job market such as China and the United States, some employees, once trained, do not show a great deal of loyalty to the Company and move on to the best offer. On a smaller scale, this trend is also present in Europe in certain professions, such as software engineering, where demand for these skills has increased significantly due to digitisation. The same holds true in Tunisia where major international groups have headhunted and hired employees of our design office. In addition to the induction and

training costs covered by the Group, the situation can lead to problems in terms of sharing key know-how and impact the Group’s business and, therefore, its results, in a more or less permanent way;

- ⊙ The safety of our employees, in particular by monitoring accidents in the Group and the implementation of the necessary prevention plans;
- ⊙ The fight against absenteeism, with monitoring of the associated indicators and policies;
- ⊙ Skills management, via training monitoring and employee career management tools. In countries where there is full employment or where there are skills shortages, for example software engineers, the recruiting of employees can be difficult, all the more so because the Group is often on the lookout for skills that are in high demand;
- ⊙ Vigilance in terms of the fight against pollution, mainly through the management of waste and water consumption;
- ⊙ Climate change, with tracking and preventive measures in terms of energy consumption. In addition, in 2022, ACTIA initiated its carbon footprint calculation process (Scope 3) through a very precise calculation of the carbon equivalent of an electronic board, a product that is emblematic of the Group’s production. This study was shared with some customers who showed a great interest in our work. This first step should enable us to calculate the Group’s total footprint, in order to set decarbonisation targets in line with the Paris agreements and develop action plans for the coming years.

5.4 OUR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY APPROACH

5.4.1 OUR EMPLOYEES

5.4.1.1 Respect for Human rights

All entities within the Group actively promote the application of and compliance with the core conventions of the International Labour Organisation, namely respecting the right of freedom of association and collective bargaining, eliminating discrimination in employment and professional life, abolishing forced labour and the effective abolition of child labour.

Within this framework, CIPI ACTIA, the Tunisian subsidiary, has been a partner of the United Nations Global Compact since 2006. The purpose of the Global Compact is to encourage companies around the world to adopt a socially responsible attitude by committing to taking on board and promoting a number of principles regarding human rights, international labour standards and the fight against corruption. Signing the Global Compact is a deliberate act by the Company. In fact, the member companies commit to making progress every year in each of the four areas covered by the Global Compact and must submit an annual report called Communication on Progress (COP) explaining the progress they have made.

Finally, the entities using the services of subcontractors declare that the latter take care to comply with the core conventions of the International Labour Organisation.

5.4.1.2 Headcount

Given that ACTIA operates in a global environment which is constantly changing, its on-going growth depends on its ability to attract and retain the best talent, in particular to meet the new technology challenges arising within the Group's business lines.

In addition, special emphasis is now being put on structuring the induction and training process for new employees. Support tools for the employees have been implemented in several Group subsidiaries with, in particular, a new employee induction programme and actions to address quality of life at work, the fight against all forms of discrimination and the promotion of gender equality.

Although headcount had been rising constantly until 2019 in keeping with the growth of the Group, it fell due to the pandemic in 2020. It started to rise again in 2021 to meet the significant demand for activity and the years to come. The 1.2% increase in 2022 seems low, but it reflects the disposals carried out by the Group: Garage Equipment and Vehicle Inspection businesses (115 people) and the Power division (179 people).

Therefore, the evolution of the situation over the last three years is as follows:

- ⊙ 2020: 3,652 people, i.e. <5.2%>;
- ⊙ 2021: 3,685 people, i.e. +0.9%;
- ⊙ 2022: 3,729 people, i.e. +1.2%.

The breakdown of staff at year-end for the last three financial years is presented below:

Breakdown of staff at year-end	Automotive France	Automotive Europe	Automotive Tunisia	Automotive Rest of the World	Total Automotive	Telecoms	Total France	Total Group
2020	907	627	1,344	459	3,337	301	1,222	3,652
2021	865	633	1,430	419	3,347	330	1,203	3,685
2022	709	577	1681	384	3351	367	1087	3729
% change	<18.0%>	<8.4%>	+17.6%	<8.4%>	+0.1%	+11.2%	<9.6%>	+1.2%

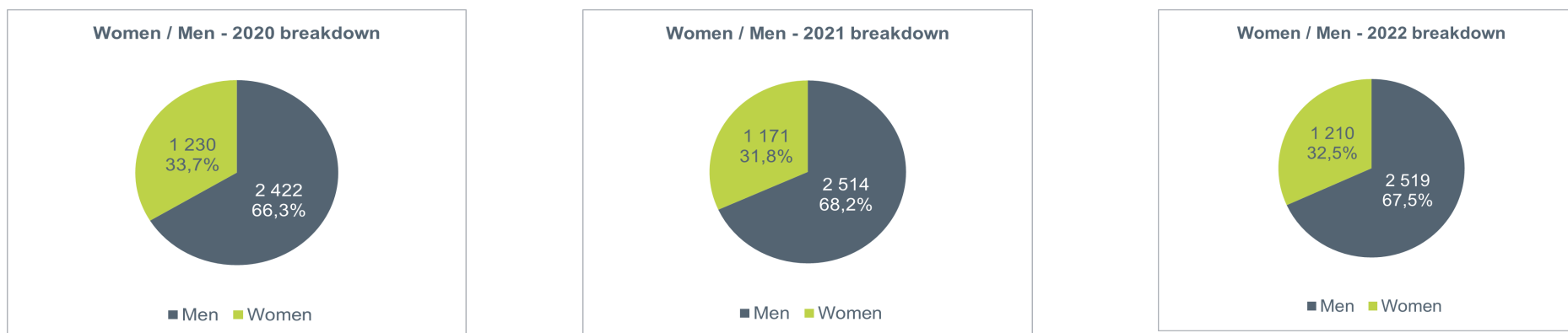
These numbers include open-ended employment contracts (CDI: contract with no fixed term that can only be terminated by dismissal, resignation, retirement, an amicable departure or any other voluntary departure by the employee), the fixed-term employment contracts (CDD: contract entered into for a pre-determined period), and apprenticeship contracts and work-study contracts that are included in fixed-term contracts.

There was a clear decrease in Automotive France, Automotive Europe and Automotive Rest of the World following the sale of the Power division (France, Germany and the United States) and Vehicle Inspection (France) in 2022.

Tunisia confirmed its strong growth with +17.6% workforce in 2022, in particular in the Design office.

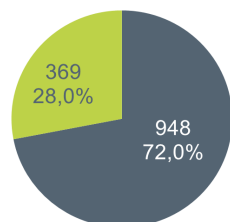
5.4.1.2.1 GENDER BREAKDOWN

In 2022, the gender breakdown showed an average of 32.5% women, slightly up from the previous year. The low percentage of women employees at ACTIA is due to the difficulty of finding candidates who have the technical skills required by the Group. At the Tunisian production site, for example, the decrease in the number of women is due to the retirement of the more largely female staff in manual integration jobs. These jobs have been replaced by technical jobs to support the technological development of the processes, where it is difficult to find female candidates.



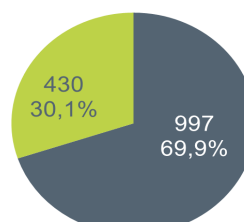
The graphs below present the breakdown of management and non-management staff by gender.

2020 Management staff breakdown



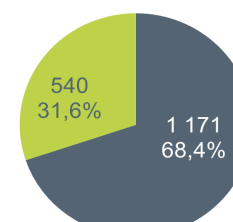
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2021 Management staff breakdown



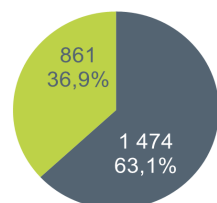
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2022 Management staff breakdown



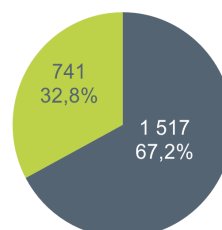
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Breakdown by gender: non-management staff in 2020



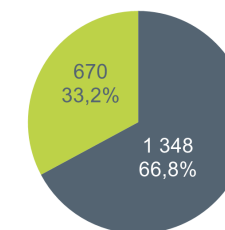
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Breakdown by gender: non-management staff in 2021



■ Male non management ■ Female non management

Breakdown by gender: non-management staff in 2022



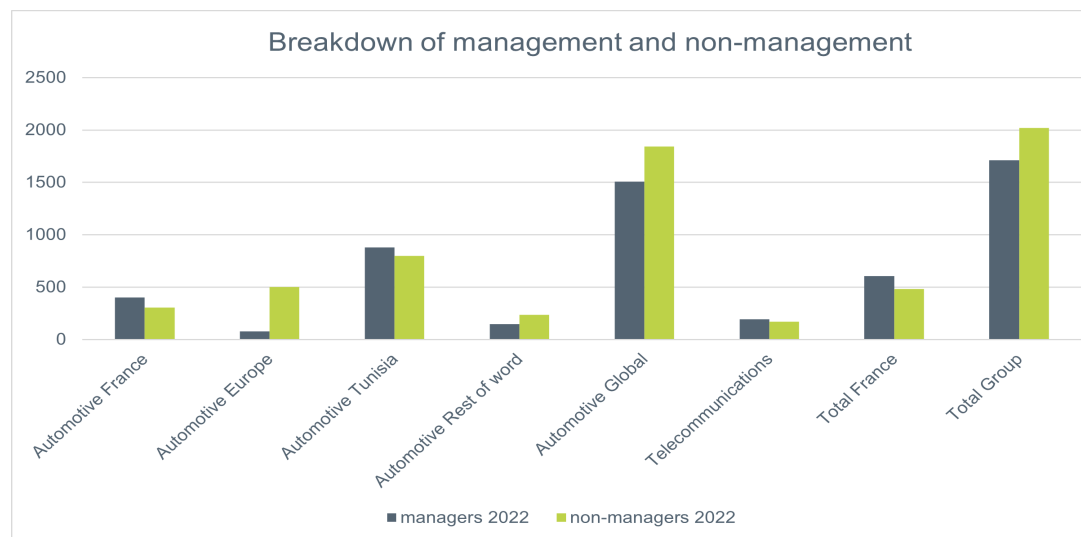
■ Male non management ■ Female non management

This year again, the percentage of women in management positions is lower than that of women in non-management positions. But the representativeness of women in management positions increased again with 31.6% of the overall management headcount at the end of 2022, compared to 30.1% at the end of 2021.

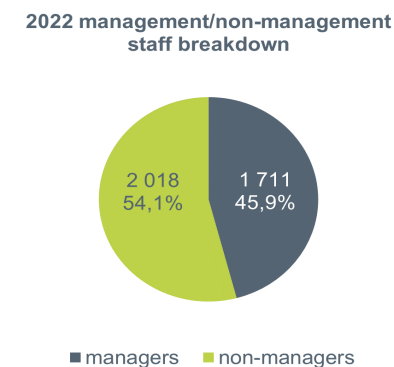
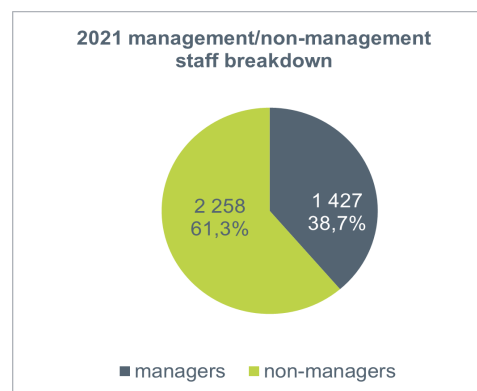
Given the persistent lack of women candidates for these types of positions, the Group finds it difficult to hire women managers.

Within the governance bodies, women accounted for 34.8% of Board members, all subsidiaries included, and for 55.6% in France. They accounted for 25.7% (up by 2 points) of the members of Group management committees and 31.3% (down by 1 point) in France. Women are still better represented on French executive bodies and on Group executive committees than in the management category.

5.4.1.2.2 BREAKDOWN OF MANAGEMENT AND NON-MANAGEMENT STAFF



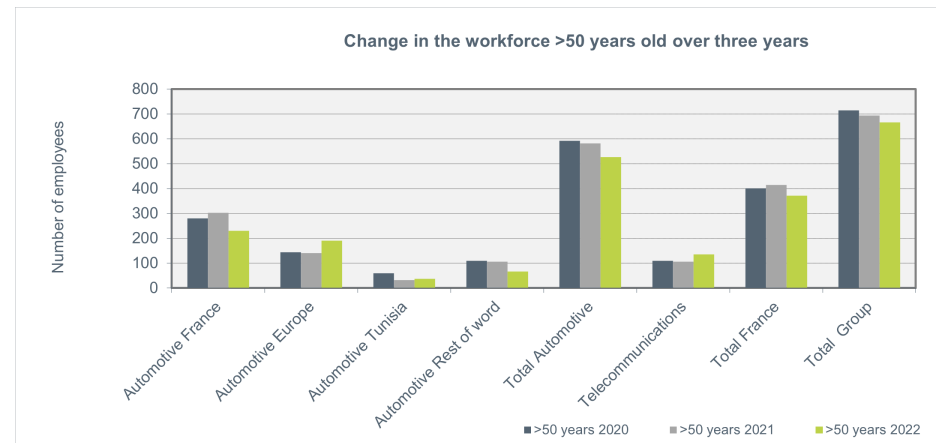
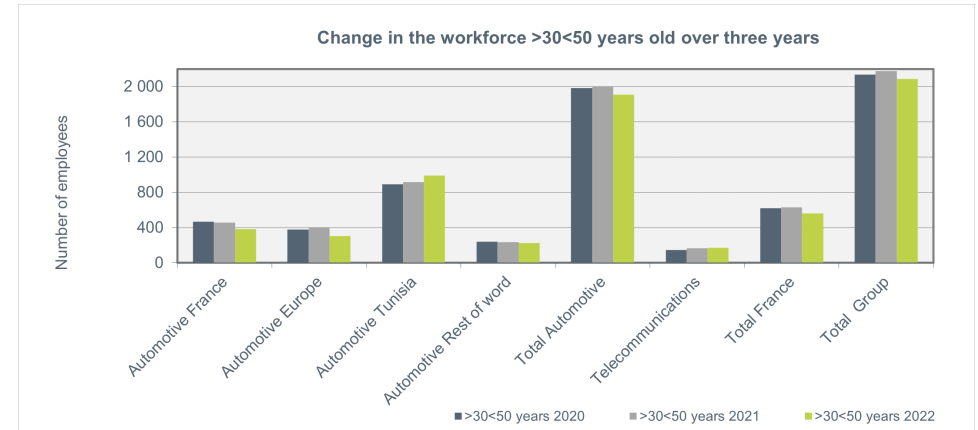
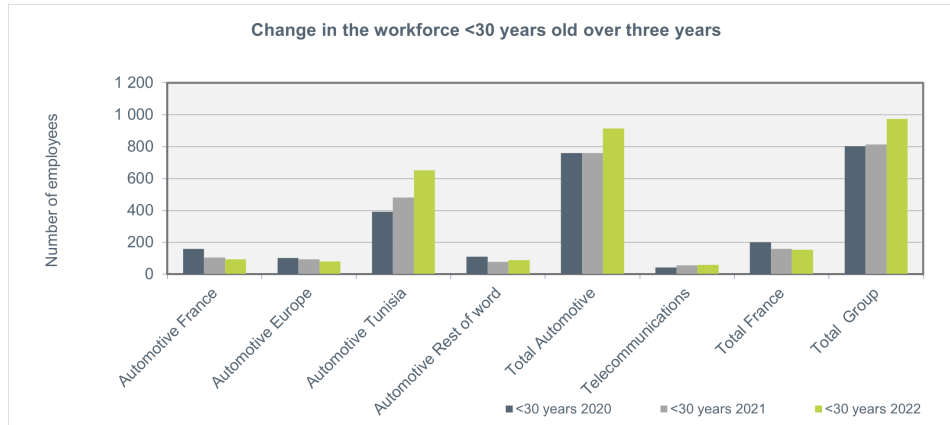
Change in workforce over 3 years is as follows:



At the end of the year, managers represented 45.9% of the Group's headcount, a significant increase compared to the previous year. The recovery in business and therefore in R&D, as well as the increase in more technical professions linked to the automation of production lines, are the reasons for these figures.

5.4.1.2.3 BREAKDOWN BY AGE

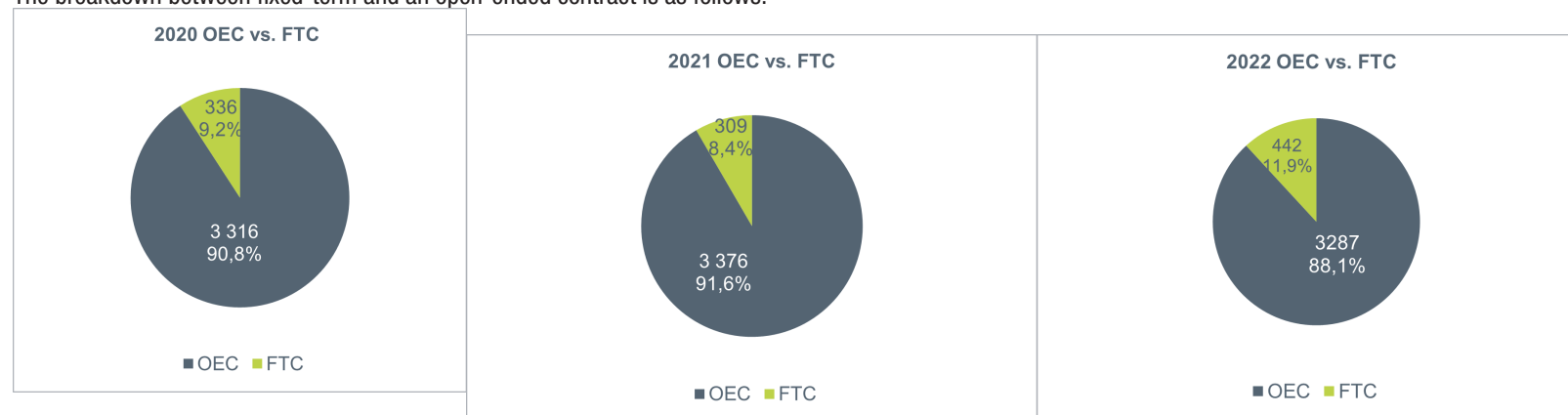
This changed as shown below:



5.4.1.2.4 BREAKDOWN BETWEEN OPEN-ENDED AND FIXED-TERM EMPLOYMENT CONTRACTS

With 59.8% of hires being given open-ended contracts (down by 10.2%), the Group continued to favour mostly long-term recruitments in order to develop the skills needed for its business. However, the share of fixed-term employment contracts in the overall workforce rose (+41.2%), for the first time in six years. This can be explained both by the strong need for growth and the low labour market supply, and by the new attitude of young recruits who no longer wish to be part of a long-term process.

The breakdown between fixed-term and an open-ended contract is as follows:



As a direct consequence, people with a fixed-term employment contract now account for 11.9% of the headcount, compared to 8.4% in 2021 and 9.2% in 2020.

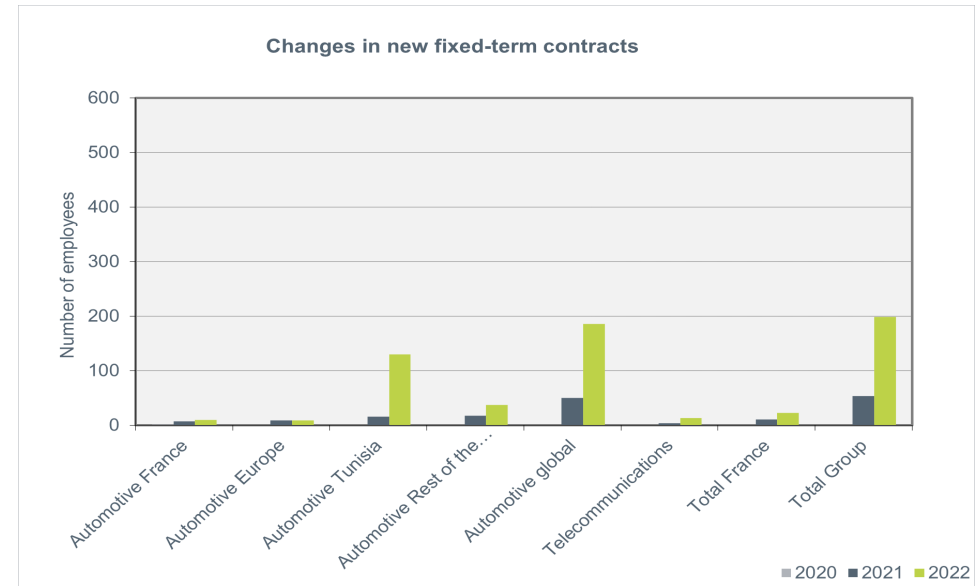
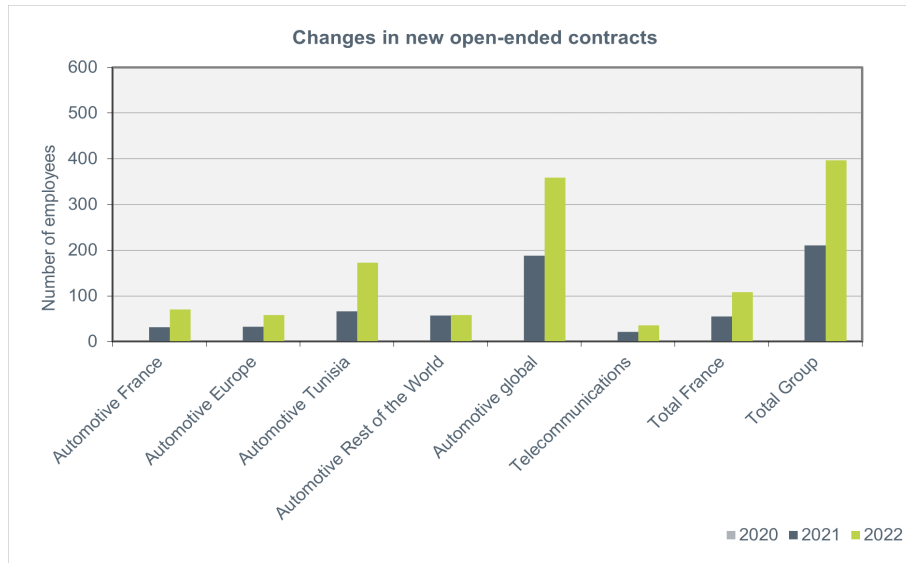
Furthermore, ACTIA has also observed changes with respect to its average headcount. This indicator enables the establishment of profitability analysis ratios for the companies.

The Group's average headcount was stable in 2022 (-26) because the very strong increase in the workforce in Tunisia masks the drop in ACTIA Automotive's headcount due to the sale of the Power Division and the Vehicle Inspection and Garage Equipment businesses.

Average headcount	Automotive France	Automotive Europe	Automotive Tunisia	Automotive Rest of the World	Total Automotive	Telecoms	Total France	Total Group
2020	912	633	1,363	504	3,412	298	1,222	3,722
2021	889	642	1,358	448	3,338	311	1,210	3,659
2022	717	562	1,611	388	3,279	344	1,071	3,633
% change	<19.3%>	<12.5%>	18.6%	<13.4%>	<1.8%>	+10.6%	<11.5%>	<0.7%>

5.4.1.2.5 HIRES

In 2022, there was a clear upturn in hiring (+337 compared to 2021) due to the strong rebound in economic activity for ACTIA after the pandemic-driven lockdown in 2020. However, faced with the shortage of components, ACTIA tried to balance the growth of its workforce between a growing need for resources linked to a sharply increasing order book and R&D resources and crisis management requiring human resources, and profitability under pressure.



The use of fixed-term employment contracts accounted for 40.2% of hires, up from 33.4% the previous financial year. Fixed-term employment contracts were mainly used for hiring 293 people in Tunisia (78.1% of the Group's fixed-term employment contracts)

Furthermore, 44 fixed-term employment contracts signed before 2022 were converted into open-ended contracts during the year and 117 fixed-term employment contracts predating the financial year were renewed in 2022.

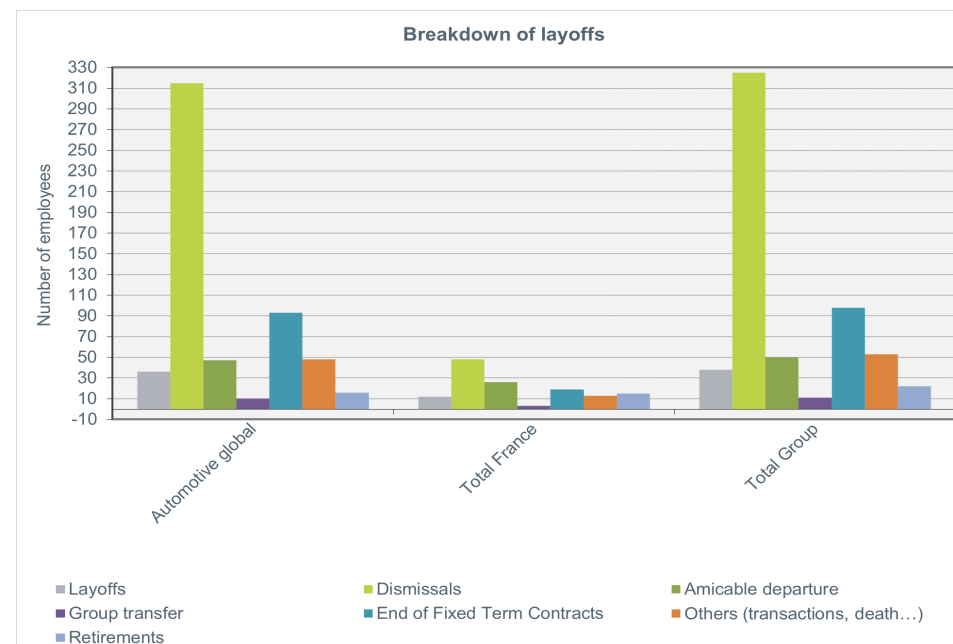
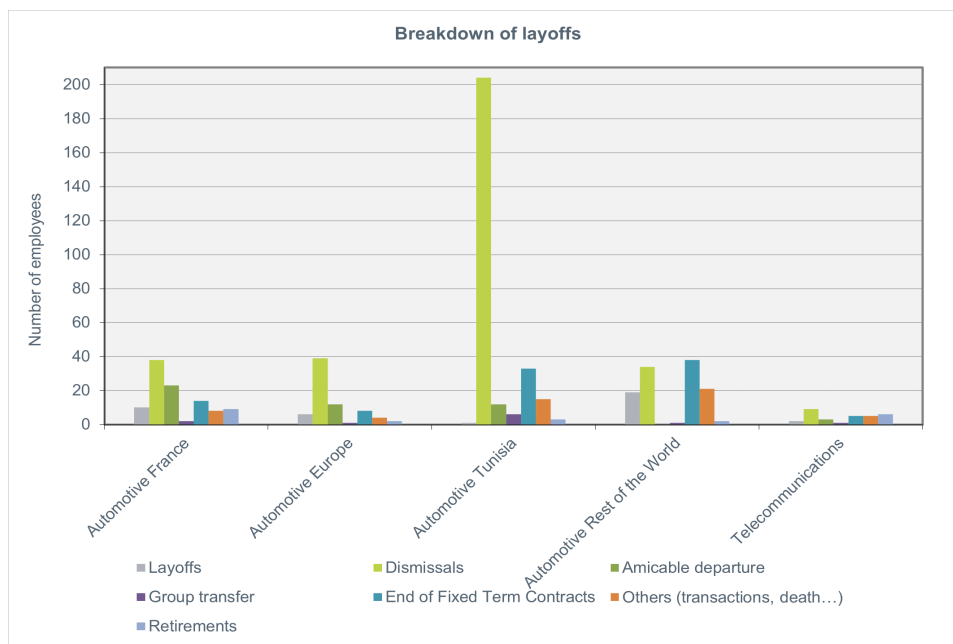
The Group continued to experience difficulty hiring. There are multiple recurring reasons for this: high levels of recruiting, a shortage of candidates with the skills specifically sought after, sites located outside of big urban areas, etc.

The use of temporary staff accounted for 7.2% of Group jobs, with 267 temporary staff compared to 153 last year. This type of contract clearly played its role during the health crisis, which still continued to cause disruptions in 2022 with regular absences from work due to illness or contact with cases. France, Sweden and Tunisia were the main countries that used this type of contract. It should be noted, however, that not all offers to convert temporary positions into open-ended employment contracts are accepted by the persons in question, especially in France.

ACTIA also makes use of subsidised contracts (apprenticeships, work-study contracts, etc.) in those countries where they are permitted by local regulations. Specifically, the Group employed 82 people on subsidised contracts in 2022, a figure that was 9.3% up on the previous period, especially in France which represents 85.0% of the Group's subsidised contracts. In 2022, these contracts generated 17 hires, compared to 10 in 2021.

In 2022, the Group took in 258 students on work placements as part of training with a formal qualification. This represents an increase of 79.2% compared to 2021. In addition, it should be noted that 60 of interns were hired following their internship, compared to 35 in 2021. Tunisia is a large contributor for this type of subsidised contract with a formal qualification. The strong tie with schools, especially engineering schools, continues to ensure future hires while providing for an immersion training period beforehand.

5.4.1.2.6 LEAVERS



During the financial year, 641 people left the company, a highly stable figure compared to 2021. It should be noted, however, that the employees affected by the disposals do not appear in the departures.

More specifically, 39 people were made redundant, mainly at the international level (71.2%).

In contrast to previous years, there were very few redundancies during the year (7.7% of departures).

Resignations increased by 55.7% for the period and involved 327 employment contract terminations, probably related to the impacts of the pandemic on the job market. The area most affected by this type of departure was Tunisia (62.4%), a result of high mobility which continues to exist in this country.

There were 50 amicable departures over the period, of which 52.0% in France.

In addition, 22 people retired, France still accounting for most retirements within the Group (68.2%).

5.4.1.2.7 EMPLOYEE TURNOVER

ACTIA uses the following definition to account for turnover:

$$\frac{[(\text{number of open-ended contract departures during year N} + \text{number of new employees with open-ended contracts during year N})/2]}{\text{Headcount as of 31 December of year N-1}}$$

Turnover rate	Automotive France	Automotive Europe	Automotive Tunisia	Automotive Rest of the World	Total Automotive	Telecoms	Total France	Total Group
2020	4.8%	7.2%	5.2%	18.2%	7.7%	8.0%	5.6%	7.7%
2021	9.9%	10.3%	13.7%	17.3%	12.5%	9.5%	10.0%	12.3%
2022	10.3%	13.7%	17.5%	16.7%	14.9%	13.7%	12.5%	14.8%
change / 2021	+0.5%	+3.9%	+3.8%	<0.6%>	+2.5%	+4.2%	+2.5%	+2.6%

There was a slight decrease in the turnover rate in 2022.

In Tunisia, ACTIA Engineering Services experienced a sharp increase of more than 50.0% due to the high but constant level of departures and the very strong growth in hiring. This figure is masked by a 57.4% drop in CIPI ACTIA's turnover.

ACTIA is doing its best to reduce this turnover and retain its talents, in particular by strengthening career management within the Group and paying particular attention to the quality of life at work. ACTIA is also striving to establish itself outside capital cities in order to attract less volatile staff.

5.4.1.3 Talent management

5.4.1.3.1 TRAINING

An annual training plan is in place in most the Group's entities.

These plans are developed based on:

- ⊙ Annual employee performance assessment meetings;
- ⊙ Strategic workforce planning;
- ⊙ Discussions with employee representatives or the site manager.

Though the training hours per employee had fallen in 2020 due to Covid-19, they increased in 2022 without however reaching the 2019 level, as the complicated health conditions still persisted. In France, support for training during the Long-term part-time working hours (2021 and 2022) was particularly useful in making up for the delay incurred in 2020.

These indicators are evidence of the ACTIA's desire to be proactive about the performance level of its employees in order to maintain a high level of expertise within the Group.

The number of training hours in relation to the average 2022 headcount expressed in Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) increased to 17 hours per employee, compared with 13 hours for the previous year and 8 hours for 2020. With this volume of hours, ACTIA is returning to its pre-pandemic training levels.

The training policy for the main French subsidiary, ACTIA Automotive, and at Group level, is primarily implemented based on the strategic priorities set out by management through:

- ⊙ Upskilling to be able to follow the technological roadmap of all the core functions in electronics and software;
- ⊙ The development of projects and skills: project management, change management;
- ⊙ Support for industrialisation and production: Lean method, new equipment, testing tools, MSA methods;
- ⊙ Continuity in support for customer certifications and quality standards, as well as in safety and risk prevention.

5.4.1.3.2 SKILLS MANAGEMENT

ACTIA has gradually implemented skills management at a worldwide level, providing mobility within the Group while maintaining a responsible compensation policy. ACTIA created the ACTIA Academy training tool which works hand in hand with career management. Originally implemented in Tunisia in the Design Office, the tool will be gradually rolled out across the Group to help retain the teams. Unfortunately, the health crisis delayed the roll-out, because Human Resources teams had to focus their full attention on managing the consequences of the pandemic and a very strong need for recruitment.

At the same time, in-depth work is also being done on the employer brand to illustrate the family company values ACTIA has implemented since its creation.

5.4.1.3.3 PROMOTION OF DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION

Diversity:

The Group is present in 16 countries and diversity is a reality, part of the daily life of the teams via the collaborative work environment developed by the Group and, therefore, during meetings and joint actions, in a range of areas including research, sales, management, and inter-departmental functions. The breakdown of the Group's 3,729 employees in terms of country is as follows:

- ⊙ 96.6% are of the same nationality as the subsidiary;
- ⊙ For employees who do not have the same nationality as the subsidiary:
 - 1.4% are EU nationals,
 - 2.0% come from other countries.

This breakdown varies very little country by country and remains relatively stable from one year to the next. Equal opportunity is ensured within each organisation and internal mobility within the Group is gradually being put in place, particularly for the ACTIA Engineering Services design office. The Group reinforced support for internal mobility, especially through its communication; opportunities for mobility are henceforth monitored at the time of performance appraisals and the Group would like to see an increase in the figures, along with specific support for individuals. In 2022, ACTIA recorded 59 internal mobility actions, 41 of which concerned managers, down by 24.4% compared with 2021 (78 mobility actions). The Group is hampered by different local regulations with regard to labour law whenever it attempts to promote international mobility.

Disability:

In 2022, 68 disabled workers were employed within ACTIA, on the rise since 2021. As some local regulations impose quotas, legally 86 jobs should be held by disabled workers across the Group. In order to make up for the balance, the sites in France continue to make use of outsourcing to vocational support centres (CAT). This outsourcing represented the equivalent of 9 people and, unfortunately, was not sufficient to cover the shortfall in 2022. The Group was obliged to pay a total fine of €48,500 for non-compliance with its obligations in this area, sharply down compared to 2021 (-45.2%). Some people in France still refuse to benefit from the status of disabled worker, and that is why ACTIA continues to raise the awareness of its employees to the need to accept disabilities.

ACTIA thus organised a "DUODAY" week in the autumn of 2022, during which Group volunteers welcomed people with disabilities to present their work to them. The event was a great success in the company. Employees were also able to attend the online training sessions: "Inclusion of disability at work".

ACTIA also created the "**Tous Cap**" committee, which meets regularly to organise practical measures and to consider the changes in attitudes within our structure. This involves changing perceptions about disabilities in the workplace, including on a managerial level.

5.4.1.4 Gender equality

Gender equality is a value deeply enshrined in ACTIA's culture and the company has had a proactive policy in place for many years to ensure gender equality, particularly in terms of compensation. As part of this policy, a study is conducted once a year in order to correct any gaps.

This index is based on 5 criteria established by the French government:

- ⊙ Pay gap indicator;
- ⊙ Increase rate gap indicator;
- ⊙ Promotion rate gap indicator;
- ⊙ Return from maternity leave indicator;
- ⊙ Highest pay indicator.

For the year 2022, ACTIA Automotive and ACTIA Telecom had an overall score of **83** and **88** points, respectively.

For ACTIA Automotive, we recorded a very strong increase (calculation was difficult for 2021 due to the lack of an indicator) from 68 to 83.

For ACTIA Telecom, the indicator rose by two points, bringing this division closer to the highest possible score.

For the Group as a whole, the percentage of women in management increased by one and a half points to 31.6%.

Compensation policy

ACTIA's compensation policy is based on equal pay for women and men from the moment of hiring, supporting an inclusive and fair recruitment process.

This principle has been a priority for many years. It can be complemented by a dedicated envelope for rebalancing salaries and regular reviews to ensure compliance with this policy.

A balance and shared responsibility for parenthood

ACTIA accepts requests for part-time work from all employees, both women and men, who wish to take advantage of this benefit to better reconcile their private and professional lives.

The importance of gender diversity in the workplace

ACTIA Automotive has 28.9% women, while ACTIA Telecom has 20.7% women. It should be noted that the national average (France) in the Metallurgy sector is 22.4%.

This under-representation can be explained by the fact that some occupations in the industry are still "gendered". For example, there are still not enough women in engineering and technical occupations, and this starts with the choice of educational orientation. Some support functions, on the other hand, are highly represented by women and men are few and far between.

Career development and promotion

ACTIA supports its employees equally in the development of their skills. Thus, employees benefit from the same opportunities for professional development, career advancement, grade levels and access to positions of responsibility.

ACTIA is focusing on four key areas to promote gender diversity and professional equality:

- ⊙ Recruitment, to ensure that all applications are equally considered,
- ⊙ Pay, to guarantee the principles of equality throughout professional careers,
- ⊙ Professional training, to ensure equal skills development opportunities,
- ⊙ Professional promotion, to offer men and women the same opportunities in terms of jobs, career development and access to management positions, and ensure they are employable.

Visible actions in favour of gender equality are implemented, in particular by promoting the work-life balance. The Group offers employees a range of options, including:

- ⊙ Flexitime (one or more days per month);
- ⊙ Home-working (for longer periods, in certain specific situations);
- ⊙ Shift to part-time work, which is carefully studied and analysed on a case-by-case basis;
- ⊙ Flexibility with regard to working hours (clock-in/clock-off times).

5.4.1.5 Health & Safety

As a real priority for the Group, personal safety is managed through the following actions:

- ⊙ Detailed identification, analysis and management of risks;
- ⊙ Implementation of prevention, surveillance, protection and first aid systems;
- ⊙ Training of first aiders;
- ⊙ Raising awareness of personnel.

The health crisis led to the lockdown of Shanghai in 2022, but ACTIA China was operating at near-normal capacity. However, foreigners could not visit the country, disrupting relations with this subsidiary.

In France, the health crisis began to fade away, causing sickness leave, but health measures and home-working have now become part of everyday life.

Certain tools (Yammer, home-working, video conferences) introduced at the height of the crisis are now part of the way employees work.

Fire safety and electrical installation standards are met by all subsidiaries. Subsidiaries that do not perform the inspections themselves benefit from this service specifically provided for under their leases.

The Group therefore has 86 people playing an active role in the prevention and the protection of the physical and mental health of employees, as well as their safety and the improvement of working conditions, especially with a view to facilitating access for women to all jobs while addressing problems related to maternity, adapting and refitting work stations to facilitate access for the disabled to all jobs and to help ensure that they remain in employment throughout their working lives.

Changes to these indicators over the period in question were as follows:

Frequency of occupational accidents with lost working days	Automotive France	Automotive Europe	Automotive Tunisia	Automotive Rest of the World	Automotive	Telecoms	France	Group
2020	6.4	3.7	2.0	2.3	3.5	0.0	4.8	3.2
2021	8.8	4.8	3.6	1.1	4.6	6.1	7.9	4.7
2022	4.5	6.3	4.6	0	4.4	7.6	5.5	4.6

5.4.1.5.1 OCCUPATIONAL ACCIDENTS

In 2022, 31 occupational accidents occurred resulting in lost working days; accidents occurring while commuting have been excluded from this figure in order to be in full compliance with the indicators used in France and thus report reliable information. This is a slight increase (+3.3%), which reflects the resumption of on-site activity by employees. These accidents accounted for 214 lost working days, a decrease of 23.7% compared to 2021. In addition, 57 lost working days were recorded in 2022 due to occupational accidents that occurred in previous periods, the consequences of which continued into the new financial year.

The Group has put in place monitoring of the following indicators based on current standards:

- ⊙ Frequency, which corresponds to the number of occupational accidents, excluding while commuting, occurring over the year and resulting in lost working days x 1,000,000/total number of hours worked during the year;
- ⊙ Severity, which includes the total number of lost working days resulting from accidents occurring during the year or in prior years, excluding while commuting, x 1,000/total number of hours worked during the year;
- ⊙ Frequency index, which corresponds to the number of occupational accidents, excluding while commuting, occurring during the year resulting in a lost working day x 1,000/average Group headcount.

Severity of occupational accidents with lost working days	Automotive France	Automotive Europe	Automotive Tunisia	Automotive Rest of the World	Automotive	Telecoms	France	Group
2020	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.1
2021	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1
2022	0.03	0.12	0.02	0.0	0.04	0.07	0.04	0.04

Frequency index	Automotive France	Automotive Europe	Automotive Tunisia	Automotive Rest of the World	Automotive	Telecoms	France	Group
2020	9.9	6.3	3.7	4.0	5.9	0.0	7.4	5.4
2021	13.5	7.8	6.6	2.2	8.1	9.6	12.4	8.2
2022	7.1	12.5	9.3	0.0	8.5	11.6	8.5	8.5

The Group recorded no cases of occupational illness.

Ever mindful of the health of its employees, our subsidiary ACTIA Engineering Services in Tunisia has even put in place an ambitious health-related action plan covering:

- ⊙ The fight against cancer through World Cancer Day, with input from the occupational health department and collection of funds to be donated to the “Tunisian cancer association”, along with the organisation of a “pink October” day and awareness-raising via video conference;

- ⊙ Organisation of various activities outside of working hours, such as music and football clubs, and running sessions;
- ⊙ Organisation of various Team building activities, such as lunches and breakfast get-togethers, when the health situation allows such events to go ahead.

5.4.1.5.2 ABSENTEEISM

Sick leave accounted for 28,754 lost working days in 2022, up by 13.0%, 9,120 of which were in France.

Sick days remained very high in Tunisia (CIPI ACTIA) where the year 2022, just like 2021, was severely impacted by Covid-19. The breakdown by division and by employee is given in the following table:

Number of days of sick leave per employee	Automotive France	Automotive Europe	Automotive Tunisia	Automotive Rest of the World	Automotive average	Telecoms	Average France	Average Group
2020	7.6	8.6	6.4	0.9	6.3	3.6	6.6	6.1
2021	7.2	7.7	8.9	0.8	7.1	5.5	6.7	7.0
2022	9.6	7.8	9.3	0.7	8.1	5.1	8.1	7.8
Change / 2021	+2.4	+0.1	+0.4	<0.1>	+1.0	<0.4>	+1.4	+0.8
% change	+33.3%	+1.4%	+5.0%	<15.4%>	+13.7%	<7.1%>	+20.1%	+12.2%

Within the Group, there is a return-to-work policy, even if it is not systematically documented. The policy means a close working relationship with the occupational health department on issues such as workstation design, the examination of specific jobs and pre-return-to-work visits, the organisation of meetings during sick leave to prepare for the return, a formal interview to identify the causes and characteristics of the illness and how best to prevent the recurrence of sick leave.

A crisis and training line to help manage psychosocial risks exists within ACTIA Automotive.

Improving the quality of life in the workplace is an important issue for ACTIA. The concierge service made available to the employees is one of the tools that facilitates the work-life balance and its range of services is being added to all the time. There are also many other initiatives under way at other sites that aim to facilitate quality food service, organise on- or off-site sporting activities or provide relaxation rooms for the employees.

5.4.1.5.3 PROMOTING PHYSICAL ACTIVITY AND SPORTS

In the Toulouse subsidiary, many sports associations offer several activities to employees throughout the year. Employees can do Pilates on site using the infrastructure provided (room, changing rooms), or enjoy outdoor activities such as golf, mountain biking, skiing, football, petanque and many others.

In 2022, the French subsidiaries also took part in a connected walk for the association “Les Apprentis d’Auteuil”.

The Design office in Tunisia also has a football and running club. It participates in various competitions and has two agreements with sports centres.

5.4.1.5.4 HUMAN RESOURCES

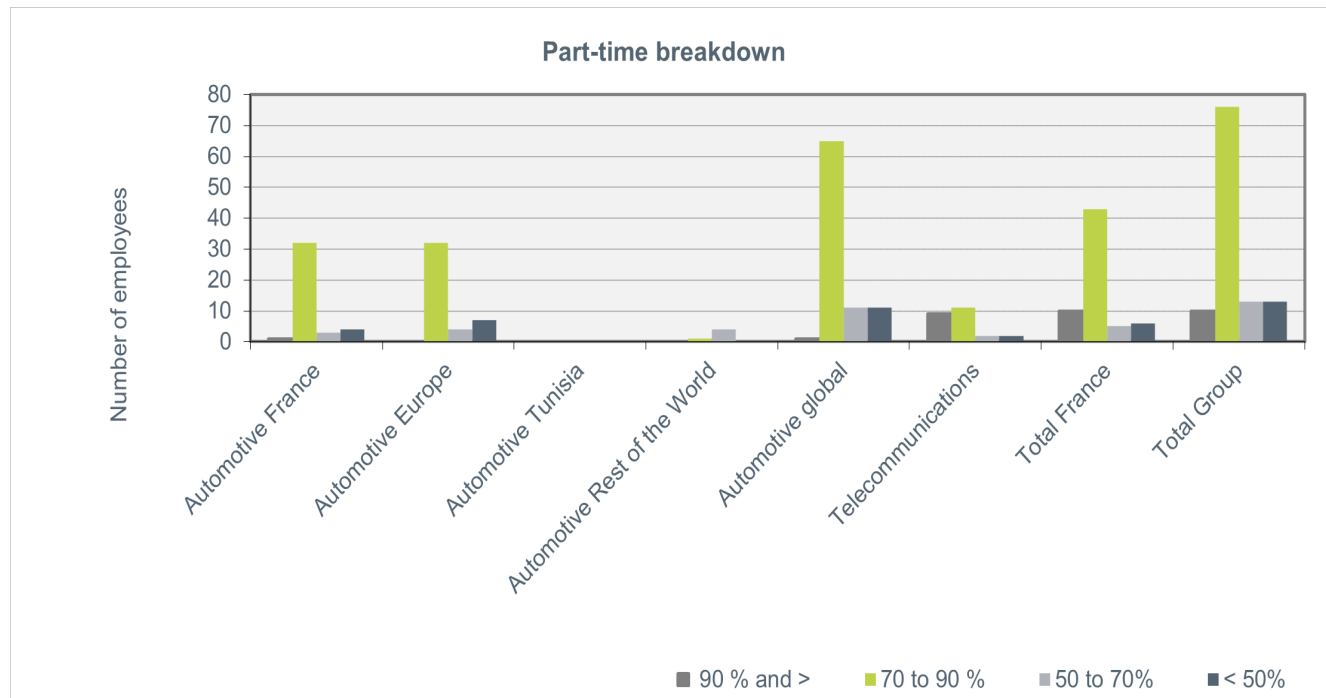
Working hours

In the majority of countries where the Group is present, the working week consists of five days. Only the Mexican subsidiary, in accordance with local regulations, operates according to six-day working weeks.

It should be noted that in France, management and equivalent positions are employed on the basis of 218 working days per year, which is the maximum legally authorised; the other employees benefit from the full-time, legally applicable 35-hour working week on an annualised basis.

As for circuit board manufacturing plants, the Colomiers site in France generally operates according to two 8-hour shifts and can operate on three 8-hour shifts if required to meet specific production demand. With respect to the Tunisian site of CIPI ACTIA, a significant number of production lines are organised on a shift work basis (two or three 8-hour shifts, even four 8-hour shifts since 2022) depending on production volumes, performance and/or the workload of the production facilities. These production sites can have a six-day working week.

Group-wide, there were 112 part-time employees compared to 132 in 2021. Of these, 59.8% were women. The part-time breakdown is shown in the graph below:



Down compared to 2021, the overall volume of overtime hours stood at 83,890 hours, 90.3% of which were worked by non-management staff, compared with 93,152 hours in 2021. It should be borne in mind that managerial staff with a fixed-rate employment contract (no specified number of working hours) are not included in the calculation. The production sites in Tunisia put in 65.6% of the overtime hours in order to limit the impact on our customers, reflecting the difficulty of organising production while managing shortages.

Labour relations

All the Group's French facilities are subject to the national Metallurgy industry collective bargaining agreement. The two Tunisian circuit board production sites are covered by the collective bargaining agreement for the electricity and electronics industry. It should be noted that this notion of collective bargaining does not exist in all countries where the Group operates.

62.2% of the Group's staff work in entities where trade unions are present. This percentage went up very slightly by one point.

There are 96 employee representatives.

All ACTIA employees periodically receive information from management via different media depending on the subsidiary. Bulletin boards are systematically used, along with email, meetings and internal newsletters. Employees at all facilities are informed of Company results and targets. Since the first lockdown, the main French subsidiary has set up a means of ensuring regular communication with all of its employees, namely, a dedicated Yammer network. The latter provides a specific framework for communication, via an extended network when required, to reach out to people working a long way from their usual place of work (lockdown, home-working, illness, and so on).

In addition to measures imposed by local legal obligations, the following benefits are offered:

- ⊙ Health: supplementary healthcare scheme for 67.0% of employees ⁽¹⁾;
- ⊙ Luncheon vouchers for 59.7% of employees;
- ⊙ Maternity (maternity bonus) for 27.8% of employees;
- ⊙ Supplementary pension scheme for 22.7% of employees (up 76.4%).

⁽¹⁾ Data excluding France where supplementary health insurance is mandatory.

84.8% of employees, depending on the entity, are also eligible for various bonuses such as: “13th month” bonus, one-off bonuses, funeral expenses, marriage allowances, travel insurance benefits, supra-legal bonuses for quality, attendance, behaviour, productivity and other bonuses.

With respect to annual compensation, trends for the last three financial periods are presented below:

Average salary expense	Automotive France	Automotive Europe	Automotive Tunisia	Automotive Rest of the World	Total Automotive	Telecoms	Total France	Total Group
2020	57,270	54,395	11,295	26,934	33,884	60,938	59,110	36,436
2021	61,311	56,342	12,474	32,057	36,553	65,910	64,934	39,326
2022	67,333	59,293	14,087	33,000	35,712	65,742	67,329	38,792
% change	9.8%	5.2%	12.9%	2.9%	< 2.3%>	< 0.3%>	3.7%	< 1.4%>

The average salary expense corresponds to gross payroll, increased by social charges as presented in the accounting of each subsidiary, divided by average headcount.

The strong increase for Automotive France is partly explained by a lower use of Long-term part-time working (APLD).

The increase in 2022 also results from the recovery of economic activity with an upturn in hiring and higher salaries in Tunisia and the United States to try to reduce the turnover.

Furthermore, the percentage of social charges in relation to the gross salary breaks down as follows:

Social security/ Payroll	Automotive France	Automotive Europe	Automotive Tunisia	Automotive rest of the world	Total Automotive	Telecoms	Total France	Total Group
2020	42.0%	28.1%	15.0%	23.0%	31.3%	42.7%	42.2%	32.9%
2021	42.5%	28.3%	15.0%	31.6%	32.5%	45.8%	43.3%	34.3%
2022	47.1%	29.4%	14.9%	31.3%	32.9%	46.6%	46.8%	35.0%

With regard to the weight of social security / payroll, it should be noted that social contributions remain exceptionally high in France compared to other countries. The decrease in social contributions seen since 2020 is partly due to government-run furlough schemes which took over the payment of social contributions for the periods concerned, depending on the country.

5.4.1.5.5 PROFIT SHARING

The following table summarises amounts expensed by the Group in connection with profit sharing and/or incentive scheme agreements signed by the different subsidiaries:

Profit sharing (€K)	Automotive France	Automotive Europe	Automotive Tunisia	Automotive rest of the world	Total Automotive	Telecoms	Total France	Total Group
2020	0	133	0	177	310	0	0	310
2021	0	124	0	0	124	0	0	124
2022	0	226	0	0	226	0	0	226

Incentive scheme (€K)	Automotive France	Automotive Europe	Automotive Tunisia	Automotive rest of the world	Total Automotive	Telecoms	Total France	Total Group
2020	56	420	0	189	665	0	56	665
2021	0	48	0	444	492	0	0	492
2022	0	52	0	846	899	323	323	1,222

For both profit sharing and incentive schemes, procedures of application vary from one company and country to the next, according to local regulations.

5.5 OUR ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSIBILITY APPROACH

The Group is not subject to any specific environmental regulatory constraints with regard to its activities.

The environmental management systems put in place at the certified facilities, regulatory monitoring and the resulting follow-up processes ensure that they remain in compliance with regulations.

The sites of ACTIA Automotive and ACTIA Telecom (France), ACTIA IME (Germany), ACTIA Nordic (Sweden), CIPI ACTIA and ACTIA Tunisie (Tunisia), ACTIA Electronics (USA) and ACTIA China (China) are ISO 14001-certified. Therefore, 66.6% of the Group headcount is covered by a clearly defined and fully validated environmental policy. Companies certified under ISO 14001 follow all the regulations applicable to their businesses and their facilities, including national and local rules (for example, in France the French local urban planning rules or PLU). ACTIA Systems (Spain) has started this certification process, which should be completed in 2023.

Through its proactive policy, the Group has been taking this aspect into account for many years and is making every effort to progress in this area by managing the end of the lifecycle of this potentially polluting waste. It has also adopted an eco-friendly policy at the office (posters, printers calibrated to print when a badge is swiped).

5.5.1 MANAGING WATER RESOURCES

Apart from the production sites, water consumption is mainly for domestic purposes. In the factories, water is used in a number of ways:

- ⊙ Humidification of the air in workshops where circuit boards are produced, in order to reduce the risk of electrostatic discharges (ESD), combined with permanent control of the temperature;
- ⊙ Washing machines made available to the maintenance service to clean equipment.

The Group has already implemented a number of measures to ensure the responsible use of water resources:

- ⊙ Working on equipment in a closed circuit;
- ⊙ Recycling water for the washing machines to avoid any risk of pollution.

The Group's total water consumption was 38,747 m³, up by 32.4% compared to 2021. Average daily consumption per employee increased to 28L per employee per day compared to 21L in 2021. This increase is due to the increased presence of employees on site.

This year there was a sharp increase in water consumption, particularly in Tunisia, at the production site. ACTIA Tunisie moved to a site three times larger than its previous one. ACTIA Engineering Services design office increased its headcount by 35%.

Overall, water consumption is regularly monitored by the Group, which makes it possible to analyse all variances and contributes to improved awareness.

It should be noted that certain subsidiaries still do not have access to their water consumption figures, as the information is included in local rental costs: for these entities, the Group continues to take into account estimated water consumption based on the national or industry average, depending on the available information. This includes two French subsidiaries (44 people), representing 1.2% of the Group's headcount.

Water consumption at all facilities is drawn from the drinking water system.

In relation to the number of employees, water consumption across all sites in 2022 was close to 10.3 m³ per annum per employee, up by 36.7% for the year, fuelled by the resumption of activity in 2022 and a reduced use of home-working:

Water consumption per employee (in m ³ per year per employee)	Automotive France	Automotive Europe	Automotive Tunisia	Automotive rest of the world	Total Automotive	Telecoms	Total France	Total Group
2020	8.4	5.4	10.9	6.7	8.6	4.8	7.4	8.2
2021	9.1	7.2	7.6	6.4	7.7	5.9	8.2	7.6
2022	12.5	11.3	10.6	11.0	11.1	6.4	10.5	10.7
% change	+38.1%	+57.3%	+40.1%	+72.2%	+43.6%	+8.3%	+28.5%	+41.7%

5.5.2 WASTE MANAGEMENT

Waste from all operations consists primarily of packaging materials (cardboard boxes, pallets, plastic covers, etc.), office waste and manufacturing waste, with 6.6% falling under the category of “hazardous industrial waste” or HIW. This waste is not eliminated or treated on-site. Instead, it is temporarily stored in areas designated and equipped for each type of waste (skips, compactors, holding tanks, etc.) before being properly removed to approved disposal facilities for recycling, recovery or treatment.

Existing recycling arrangements at the sites concerns all types of packaging: cardboard, paper, plastics as well as metals; batteries are also recovered through a specific waste separation collection process at several facilities. For the sites with waste separation and collection, a recovery strategy is encouraged, as opposed to energy recovery, whenever possible.

The following actions have been taken to reduce and recycle waste:

- ⊙ Installation and rental of storage containers and equipment destined for processing waste, and compacting certain categories of waste;
- ⊙ Production methods taking into account environmental considerations, by recovering and reusing raw materials in the process, seeking to reduce the use of plastic packaging, waste, reducing the environmental impact of the product, and incorporating environmental requirements in the manufacturing documentation;

- ⊙ Reducing and recovering waste from production, recycling and treatment of electrical and electronic waste;
- ⊙ Recycling and reprocessing cardboard, paper and soiled packaging;
- ⊙ Setting up a “zero paper” objective;
 - By the Toulouse production unit, where several steps had already been taken with the centralisation of databases, an action to open up the process sheets, routing sheets and the gradual deployment of screens in the workshop;
 - In Spain, where all the workshops are now paperless; to achieve the objective, screens were installed to make it possible to monitor the steps in the manufacturing process, with actions taken on the portal, the skills matrices and the control units in the factory to achieve “zero paper”.
 - Incentivising employees to comply with the instructions for paper (reasonable usage, sorting of paper, recycling, incentives not to print out emails, etc.);
- ⊙ Keeping up the raw material recovery rate.

Also, the active waste separation collection policy is already in place at most facilities and covers 84.6% of all employees worldwide. The rate of coverage for French sites remained at 100% in 2022.

An increasing number of sites have formal reporting systems for tracking the quantity of waste produced and/or recycled. In 2022, the subsidiaries producing a complete or partial qualitative or quantitative report on the amount of their waste represented 80.0% of the Group's headcount. Based on assessments performed, it is possible to provide the following (partial) summary on recycling:

Quantity of waste produced by type of recycling (tonnes)	Automotive France	Automotive Europe	Automotive Tunisia	Automotive rest of the world	Total Automotive	Telecoms	Total France	Total Group
Recovery	174.1	19.9	112.7	26.7	333.4	17.4	191.5	350.8
Energy recovery	135.6	17.6	8.7	0.0	161.9	9.6	144.2	171.5
Controlled disposal	4.6	0.0	86.4	95.4	186.5	0.0	4.6	186.5
Special treatment*	5.5	0.0	9.9	0.0	15.4	0.0	5.5	15.4
Unknown treatment	0.0	14.3	3.8	0.1	18.9	0.0	0.0	18.9
TOTAL	319.7	51.9	221.6	122.8	716.1	27.0	346.7	743.0
% HIW** / waste	5.4%	28.2%	12.6%	1.3%	8.6%	4.2%	5.2%	8.43%
% waste recovered / waste	96.8%	72.4%	54.8%	21.7%	69.2%	100.0%	96.9%	70.3%

* Special treatment means either a chemical process or incineration.

** HIW: Hazardous Industrial Waste

The reporting period 2022 generated a smaller amount of waste than the previous year (down by 83.7 tonnes). Environmental policies require rigorous monitoring of the waste that is generated.

Some subsidiaries are still not in a position to be able to report the data concerning quantities of waste insofar as it is treated by external service providers, such as municipalities, in accordance with local practices. In this case, estimates are provided and then analysed at Group level in order to validate the consistency of the data. This is the case for Germany and Spain, where the amount of waste was estimated on the basis of the year 2021.

Insofar as the Group remains focused on putting in place the tools to sort and recycle waste, every possible resource is allocated to the subsidiaries in support of a local policy wherever this is feasible.

Finally, to allow for a comparison between waste from one financial year to the next and maintain consistency in the figures in relation to the business, the Group has decided to monitor only the waste directly linked to its own activities. Therefore, building sites generating one-off waste are not included in the figures.

5.5.3 FIGHT AGAINST CLIMATE CHANGE

5.5.3.1 Energy

Throughout the Group the priority of limiting energy consumption is reflected through a range of actions implemented at local levels for identified targets:

- ⊙ **Buildings:** installing presence detectors, air-conditioning controls, timers, programmers, automatically closing doors to insulate heated areas, and replacing doors and windows to improve the insulation of the premises, automatic shutdowns at night and replacing gas-powered boilers by heat pumps;
- ⊙ **Equipment:** changing over to low energy consumption equipment, buying LED lighting and other energy-efficient equipment, new low consumption servers, the replacement of ageing computer equipment and the replacement of air-conditioning systems;
- ⊙ **Individual behaviour:** awareness-raising campaigns on shutting down equipment in the evening, the judicious use of heating and air-conditioning units, a centralised switch to shut off electricity, installing presence detectors and timers, and putting in place indicators to further raise awareness and motivate personnel;
- ⊙ **Organisation:** control of air-conditioning in the summer and the organisation of working hours (through leave management), in order to avoid summer consumption peaks, general awareness-raising for staff, conducting an energy audit through a third party in order to examine areas for improvement;
- ⊙ **Eco-design:** designing and developing our products to limit the effects of the manufacturing processes used and attempt to reduce the number of components and the amount of materials consumed, encouraging dual sourcing and local origins where possible, favouring eco-responsible components and suppliers, organising traceability and working with the customer to prepare the end of the useful life of the products through recyclability;
- ⊙ **Strategy in favour of sustainable mobility:** developing products and software that can help to bring about a reduction in the consumption of fuel and energy in general, thanks to monitoring the consumption of vehicles and the performance of drivers as described in the Management Report and discussed in § 4.3.1 “Automotive Division” of this Annual Report, but also through designing eco-mobility systems as deployed in public transport in particular.

These measures supplement those already undertaken in previous periods and highlight a strong commitment to environmental responsibility.

The two types of energy used on all sites are:

- ⊙ **Electricity:** 18,495 MWh, up 15.2% compared to 2021, again as a consequence of business recovery following the pandemic;
- ⊙ **Natural gas:** with 1,398 MWh, represents a drop of 24.3% compared to 2021, following the sale of the Power division and the Vehicle Inspection businesses and the change of heating type to electricity.

The consumption of fuel oil used in certain subsidiaries increased this year. There was an increase of 30.3%.

Total energy consumption amounted to 20,838.8 MWh in 2022 compared to 19,608.9 MWh in 2021 and 17,435 MWh in 2020, in other words, a reasonable increase of 6.3% though still below the pre-COVID consumption level. This increase was due to business recovery.

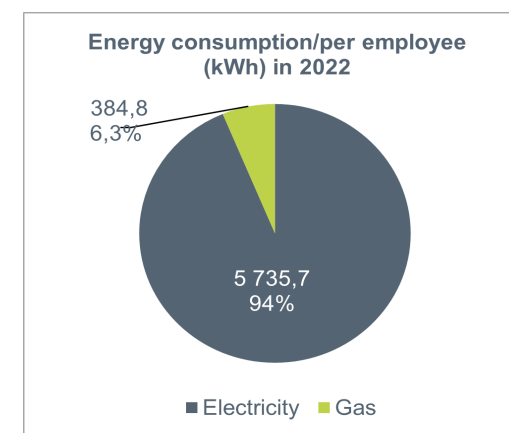
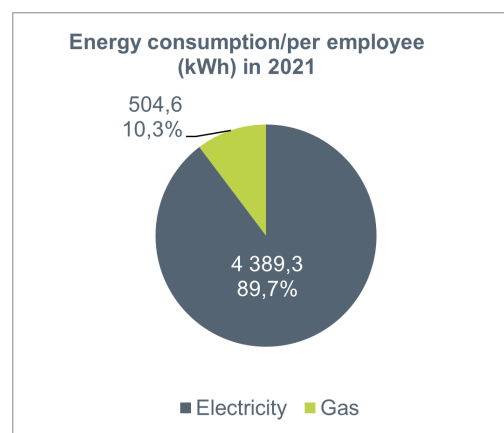
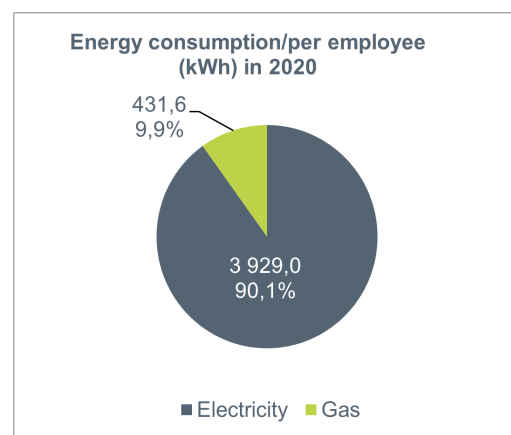
As for water, the Group monitors its energy consumption and seeks to provide coherent explanations for all fluctuations. To sum up, some subsidiaries continued their in-house efforts by raising awareness among staff about energy savings (energy cafés) and more reasonable behaviour: switching off equipment in the evening, adjusting the settings of the heating and air conditioning systems, replacing certain equipment items, conducting an energy audit at the end of the year, etc.

Energy consumption can be summarised as follows:

Energy consumption per employee (in kWh per year per employee)	Automotive France	Automotive Europe	Automotive Tunisia	Automotive rest of the world	Automotive average	Telecoms	Average France	Average Group
Overall 2020	5,015.2	4,693.7	4,223.3	4,783.4	4,604.9	5,784.7	5,155.5	4,685.1
Overall 2021	5,694.0	5,273.3	4,925.5	6,148.7	5,361.4	5,516.3	5,599.9	5,359.4
OVERALL 2022	5,872.3	5,646.8	5,641.0	7,120.6	5,867.8	4,646.9	5,706.1	5,735.7
% change	+3.1%	+7.1%	+14.5%	+15.8%	+9.5%	< 15.8%>	+1.9%	+7.0%

Energy consumption increased in 2022 due to the continuation of economic recovery. Consumption returned to, or depending on the subsidiary, slightly exceeded the 2019 level. This increase due to business recovery remained limited, however. This can be explained by internal prevention campaigns as well as by the communication of public authorities in certain countries calling for cost reduction to tackle rising prices and the risks of shortage.

The graph below illustrates the changes in energy consumption per employee:



Energy consumption	Production	Non-production	Total Group
2020	9,299,273	8,136,512	17,435,785
2021	10,295,257	9,313,657	19,608,914
2022	11,891,473	8,947,285	20,838,758
% change	+15.5%	<3.9%>	+6.3%

There was a slight decrease in non-production consumption due to the sale of businesses in 2022. For the production sites, consumption rose again after the drop in activity in 2020.

The energy spent in production increases as does the revenue, but home-working is contributing to the continuous decrease in energy expenditure in the tertiary sector.

Although the French subsidiary located in the Paris region and the 3 ACTIA Automotive France sites do not directly use renewable energy, they selected a 100% green energy provider in 2021. The supplier undertakes in this contract to inject into the grid as much electricity from renewable sources as electricity consumed by customers.

The German subsidiary uses energy originating entirely from energy recovery for heating. This consumption represented a total of 878 MWh. The total amount of green energy, including renewable energy and recovered energy, now accounts for 4.3% of the Group's total consumption compared to 9.5% in 2021.

The Belgian subsidiary ACTIA Telematics Services continued to use geothermal energy, but still has no means of measuring the corresponding consumption.

It is worth noting that the electricity produced in France is more than 90% decarbonated.

5.5.3.2 Air emissions and greenhouse gases

As part of the ongoing development of the Company's mobility plans, the sites in Toulouse make available electric vehicles for business travel over short distances (light and utility vehicles). Actions aimed at encouraging carpooling had to be suspended due to the health constraints.

The subsidiary in Spain uses electric vehicles for employees' business travel.

In Tunisia, the production facility continued to offer a collective transport solution for the personnel, outsourced to an external service provider, and the Design Office provides a 50-seater shuttle bus for employees to use when commuting. The production facility has also acquired an electric shuttle to transport different products, packaging, parcels, components and other items around its site.

In Sweden, rail is the preferred form of transport for travel between sites.

Finally, in Belgium, carpooling and bicycles are encouraged whenever possible, although home-working is still used.

The operations carried on at the facilities do not generate any significant air emissions. However, some sites voluntarily conduct quantitative and qualitative tests on their air emissions, including two of the four production facilities: the results remain satisfactory.

Since 2021 ACTIA Automotive, a subsidiary based in Toulouse, has adopted procedures for conducting a greenhouse gas emission assessment.

In addition, as part of an initial global approach, we sought to identify greenhouse gas emissions originating from energy consumption of the different Group entities using electricity for industrial purposes (ovens, soldering machines, environmental test chambers, etc.) and gas used exclusively for heating premises. The emissions factors taken into account are based on ADEME (the French environmental agency) data on www.basecarbone.fr. Emissions expressed in tonnes CO₂eq. reflect a rigorous policy for monitoring energy consumption through the ISO 14001-certified Environmental Management System implemented in 70% of Group entities.

Greenhouse gas emission in tonnes CO ² eq.	Automotive France	Automotive Europe	Automotive Tunisia	Automotive Rest of the World	Total Automotive	Telecoms	Total France	Total Group
2020	314	616	2,659	782	4,372	150	464	4,522
2021	365	536	3,095	832	4,827	138	504	4,966
2022	249	415	4,204	1302	6,169	113	362	6,282

Moreover, the Group takes into account emissions from the vehicles it operates. To make the calculation, we started with the fleet of vehicles, their mileage for the year and/or the fuel consumption whenever this figure was available. The emission factors are taken from the ADEME carbon data base; as only the emission factors in France were available, they were used by default for the whole ACTIA Group.

In 2022, the Group achieved the following results:

In tonnes CO ² eq.	Automotive France	Automotive Europe	Automotive Tunisia	Automotive Rest of the World	Total Automotive	Telecoms	Total France	Total Group
Emissions from operated vehicles	233	194	13	63	503	117	350	620
Emissions from operations	249	415	4,204	1,302	6,169	113	362	6,282
% operated vehicles/ operations	93.5%	46.8%	0.3%	4.8%	8.1%	103.6%	96.7%	9.9%

In 2021, the Group achieved the following results:

In tonnes CO ² eq.	Automotive France	Automotive Europe	Automotive Tunisia	Automotive Rest of the World	Total Automotive	Telecoms	Total France	Total Group
Emissions from operated vehicles	613	208	12	42	875	50	663	925
Emissions from operations	365	536	3,095	832	4,827	138	504	4,966
% operated vehicles/ operations	167.9%	38.8%	0.4%	5.1%	18.1%	36.0%	131.6%	18.6%

In 2020, the following values covering 82.0% of the scope in question were recorded, with some subsidiaries unable to report the information needed for the calculation:

In tonnes CO ² eq.	Automotive France	Automotive Europe	Automotive Tunisia	Automotive Rest of the World	Total Automotive	Telecoms	Total France	Total Group
Emissions from operated vehicles	650	538	15	67	1,271	83	733	1,354
Emissions from operations	314	616	2,659	782	4,372	150	464	4,522
% operated vehicles/ operations	206.9%	87.4%	0.6%	8.6%	29.1%	55.3%	157.9%	29.9%

5.5.3.3 Climate change and biodiversity

As can be seen from the information presented above, the Group's activities have little impact on the environment and everything possible is done to take into account the climate change we are experiencing, in terms of both the measures taken to limit the consumption of water and energy and raising the awareness of employees, who are informed by:

- ⊙ Brochures;
- ⊙ Regularly displaying objectives, plans for improvement and the results of audits;
- ⊙ Certification audits;
- ⊙ Intranet and emails;
- ⊙ Promoting environmental days and weeks in France and abroad;
- ⊙ Information provided when employees are hired and/or during the year; annual, quarterly and bi-monthly meetings depending on the site; instructions to promote energy savings.

For example, staff from the French subsidiary ACTIA Telecom are provided with environmental awareness training when they are hired, as well as yearly information about the annual targets.

Taking into account the environment and biodiversity has also contributed to the design and development process of ACTIA products in the following areas:

- ⊙ Adopting a different approach in terms of the choice of materials and certain components;
- ⊙ Taking into account the notion of eco-design for new products;
- ⊙ Certification criteria or the environmental approach integrated within the system for evaluating suppliers, developing a manual defining requirements for their classification, verification of ISO 14001 certification, supplier audits and/or annual evaluations, developing environmental initiatives with key suppliers;
- ⊙ Locally, in Brazil for example, a supplier manual has been developed to set out the requirements for classification: every supplier classified as having an activity with an environmental impact must present their operating licence issued by the relevant environmental authority. The objective is to develop environmental measures with key suppliers.

At the present time, the Group has not identified any major risks related to possible climate changes that could potentially affect its activity. We remind you that all the risks faced by the Group are discussed in chapter 6 "Risk factors" of the Annual Report.

5.5.3.4 Internal organisation of environmental management

ACTIA's management coordinates all environmental actions through the CSR department created in September 2022.

Implementation of environmental management actions is managed by an Environment Manager reporting to the Systems – Quality/Environment Department of ACTIA Automotive S.A. for the two Toulouse sites. This manager shares his/her experience with the Group by assisting the Group's entities on an as-needed basis on request from the Group CSR department.

The Environment Manager has taken environmental management training.

In line with the implementation of the ISO 14001 standard, the general awareness session to train and inform employees on environmental matters is carried out regularly for the sites concerned. A training plan and a timetable to raise awareness have been drawn up as part of the Environmental Management System (EMS). ACTIA Automotive also holds awareness sessions for all new employees on their day of induction. Staff are informed of actions taken and the channels are available to them to report all relevant information.

The in-house organisation of risk management concerning accidents has been put in place at the ACTIA Automotive sites. The latter has embarked on the setting up of an Environmental Management System using the FMECA method, a system that requires potential emergency situations, including incidences of pollution, to be identified and assessed in order to remedy them with an obligation to document a "response to emergency situations" procedure, having identified them.

The Group companies with a department devoted to the environment, such as ACTIA Automotive and ACTIA Telecom (France), CIPI ACTIA and ACTIA Engineering Services et ACTIA China (China), have a combined dedicated staff totalling more than 14 people. This means that 84.0% of the Group's employees have access to environmental assistance, a figure which increased by 0.7% for the reporting period.

Furthermore, these sites also take into account environmental impacts when designing new products and vendor/supplier procedures and gather regulatory intelligence.

5.5.3.5 Consumption and waste

Consumption of raw materials and packaging

The Group's operations do not directly consume raw materials drawn from the natural environment since it uses only manufactured products (electronic components, electrical wiring, etc.), primarily consisting of metals and plastic. Most facilities have had waste separation systems in place for a number of years, especially for packaging (cardboard, wood, packing fill materials, plastics, and pallets), and procedures providing for the reuse of wooden crates, plastics and cardboard boxes and promoting the recovery of materials from these items. Measures in favour of standardisation and reducing the number of packaging items remain in place.

Concerning packaging, the Group uses different types of products: cardboard, wooden filling materials, plastic films, paper, extruded foam. It remains very difficult to obtain quantitative reporting data on the consumption of these materials as there is no specific monitoring tool in place. Certain data is today reported in units, tonnes or m³.

In line with its increasing commitment to environmental monitoring of its activities, ACTIA has developed reporting on data relating to its consumption of chemical products. The study shows that the Group used roughly 46.3 m³ of various chemical products, compared to 38.1 m³ in 2021 and 25.1 m³ in 2020. The 21.5% increase is due to business recovery in 2021. These chemicals primarily include varnishes, solvents, diluents, solder paste and isopropyl alcohol. It should be noted that these figures only concern the main products used at the Group's major production facilities in order to be consistent and effectively track any changes.

Ground use

None of our facilities uses the ground as such, other than to serve as sites for buildings.

The facilities taken together cover a total of 26.6 hectares. Of this surface area, 38.7% is covered by landscaped green areas (54.0% in France).

Water and ground discharges

The operations carried on at the facilities do not generate significant water or ground discharges:

- ⊙ Wastewater is of the "domestic" type and is discharged into the public sewage system to be treated; several alternatives exist: wastewater system, septic tank, drainage or, in China, a sewage farm;
- ⊙ Potential pollutants (varnishes, solvents, etc.) are not stored on the ground but rather in ad hoc storage containers prior to treatment in compliance with the standard in force (see § 5.5.2 "Waste management").

Noise and odour pollution

Our activities are not noisy and are odourless.

No incident has been recorded by the various facilities and there were no complaints from neighbours in 2022 or indeed before that.

5.5.3.6 Amount of provisions and guarantees

Given that the Group's operations do not present any material environmental risk, no provision or guarantee was put in place in 2022, or in previous financial years.

5.5.3.7 Amount of indemnities paid during the period and remediation work

In 2022 no indemnity had to be paid for any environmental problem or accident and no environmental remediation work was required.

5.6 OUR SOCIETAL RESPONSIBILITY APPROACH

5.6.1 FOOD WASTE

The Group overall is not impacted by this indicator. However, some subsidiaries have decided to question their subcontractors and include this issue, insofar as possible, in negotiations with the various service providers responsible for supplying the different sites. In particular, when renewing its catering contract, ACTIA Automotive (France) selected a service provider who is highly involved in this issue. Among other things, they have proposed many initiatives to reduce waste and improve recycling, along with a short supply chain for food. They also track their environmental, social and societal indicators on a regular basis. A change which had an immediately measurable effect consisted in allowing every employee to serve themselves. This reduced waste on the trays to virtually zero. Unfortunately, we were not able to continue this practice due to the health constraints, and were forced to reinstate individually prepared portions. This practice was reinstated in 2022.

This option, which was promoted by employee representatives, was also intended to offer healthier food. The immediate result was to increase traffic in the restaurant which led to:

- ⊙ A positive impact on well-being at work: employees say that they are more alert in the afternoon. Eating on-site is less stressful because wait times are shorter;
- ⊙ An ecological impact by limiting travel by car: the employees leave the site less often to eat;
- ⊙ An impact on relationships between employees: i.e. increased conviviality and the opportunity to meet and talk with new people.

Our catering service provider promotes many benefits:

- ⊙ Local or regional purchasing, with no central purchasing: the manager is free to select the suppliers;

- ⊙ Employee training is their primary concern;
- ⊙ All new hires meet the Chairman-CEO during a Company discovery day;
- ⊙ Every employee becomes a shareholder of the Company when they reach ten years' seniority;
- ⊙ The food delivered to the site is fresh. There can be more waste (peels, crates), but it is easy to recycle (composting, recycling) and the process is well understood;
- ⊙ The facility manager is a cook and is, therefore, a stakeholder in any improvements and the satisfaction level of the users of the services provided;
- ⊙ Charitable activities are organised on a regular basis, including bake sales for the benefit of an association for the disabled and the operation "Dessert Solidaire" ("solidarity dessert") at the end of the year for the benefit of the NGO "Action against hunger."

The other challenges of food waste, i.e. the fight against food poverty, respect for the well-being of animals, and responsible, fair and sustainable food are not relevant for the Group.

At the end of 2021, a study was launched to organise the sorting of organic waste from 2022 in the main dining area. The project is expected to start in 2023.

The Tunisian subsidiary ACTIA Engineering Services also opted for a responsible catering service provider.

5.6.2 OUTSOURCING

Most of the sites covered outsource different tasks of which there are two main types:

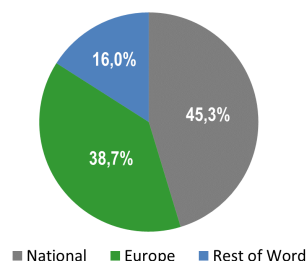
- ⊙ In manufacturing, some sub-assemblies, such as embedded audio and video systems, may be outsourced by certain subsidiaries. This production is performed directly at the sites of subcontractors approved by the Group;
- ⊙ For R&D, depending on the specific nature of the requests, the subcontractors may intervene directly on ACTIA's premises, on our customers' sites or according to their own organisation (office, home-working).

Current subcontractors vary according to Group entity and some subsidiaries have adopted assessment procedures (audits) to comply with requirements relating to quality standards, employee working conditions and the desired environmental standards depending on their certification level. It should be noted that in order to overcome the recruitment difficulties observed across our structures, ACTIA opted for a greater use of subcontracting in 2022.

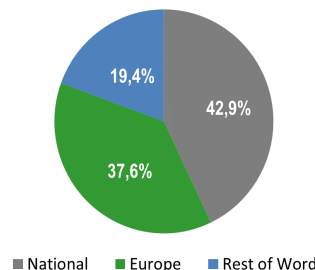
5.6.3 RELATIONS WITH THE LOCAL ENVIRONMENT

The economic impact of the Group's operations is calculated on the basis of the breakdown of production-related purchases, as follows:

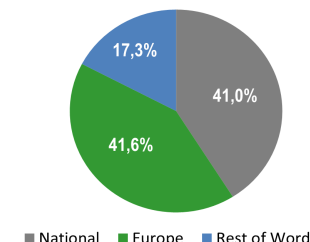
Economic impacts / regional breakdown of purchases - 2020



Economic impacts / regional breakdown of purchases - 2021



Economic impacts / regional breakdown of purchases - 2022



There was an upward trend in international purchases in 2021, fuelled by purchases of components from international brokers to compensate for the lack of components from the usual suppliers. This trend continued into 2022.

In 2022, ACTIA Group was behind the launch of the Occitanie ETI club. This association brings together nearly 30 mid-market companies. ACTIA is active in the HR and CSR committees.

Generally speaking, for electronics, as the global manufacturing of basic products (components, printed circuits, etc.) is mainly concentrated in Asia and North America, it is impossible to favour local supply chains as the sought-after resources are just not available.

5.6.4 RELATIONS WITH STAKEHOLDERS AND SOCIAL WORKS

Some Group entities belong to trade bodies: In France, Union des Industries et Métiers de la Métallurgie (UIMM), MEDEF (employers' union), the movement for mid-market companies (METI), scientific bodies such as Aerospace Valley, Tompasse and social bodies such as Action Logement, a body that collects the tax for the construction of housing, financing construction and helping employees to find housing. Elsewhere, with the CIPI ACTIA membership of the United Nations Global Compact for human rights and the environment, the metal industry employers' union in Madrid (Spain), SMMT (local union in England), and the Chinese Bus and Coach Association.

As a founding member, ACTIA was strongly involved in the launch of the Occitanie ETI Club in 2022. The aim of this association is to promote links between mid-market companies in the region by sharing approaches and organising working groups, particularly in the areas of CSR and human resources. It is also open to high-growth Small & Medium-sized Enterprises (SMEs) in order to support them and promote their transformation into ETIs.

The Group also has good relations with post-secondary educational institutions with which it participates in research activities and has end-of-studies internship programme partnerships.

In France, ACTIA Group has signed a partnership agreement with six **major educational establishments** ("Grandes Écoles"): Ecole des Mines Albi-Carmaux (engineering), the Toulouse Business School, ENSEEIHT (electro-technical, electronics, IT, hydraulics and telecommunications), ENSIL (engineering in Limoges), INSA (applied sciences in Toulouse) and ISAE (aeronautics and space).

ACTIA Group also supports the INSA Foundation, the purpose of which is to provide long-term support in terms of equal opportunities for student engineers who find themselves in financial straits by offering them the possibility of obtaining a grant. Jean-Louis Pech, Group Chairman and CEO, has been president of the INSA University Foundation since its creation in 2016. ACTIA contributes €85,000 to the budget of this Foundation. This budget is used in particular to fund part of the scholarships of the INSA Foundation for students: "Donner une chance" (Giving an opportunity), High school scholarship, "Coup de pouce entrepreneuriat" (A boost for entrepreneurship). This budget also helped the Toulouse Ingénierie Multidisciplinaire (TIM) association to carry out its mission and thus meet innovative technological challenges by designing, manufacturing and optimising highly fuel-efficient vehicles.

On the international front, partnerships have been entered into with Politecnico and the University in Turin (Italy), London University and Learnex (Mexico), the University of Shanghai (China), and with a number of engineering schools in Tunisia.

ACTIA also supports the Toulouse Capitole National Orchestra, through the Aïda Foundation.

Some subsidiaries support various local associations. For instance, in Toulouse, ACTIA showed its commitment by becoming a founding member of the "Le Cœur des Entreprises" association. Businesses are rallying around to serve the most vulnerable. The goal is to "Pool human, financial and real estate resources in businesses to make them available to the stakeholders working in the region to take care of the homeless and people in great difficulty" as well as to foster the inclusion of disabled people.

Group actions can take the form of:

- ⊙ Donations, such as IT equipment donated to a school which helped keep a satisfactory number of computers up and running, for use by pupils to help them learn, and to a parents' association, for pre-school and primary school children.
- ⊙ Involvement of teams in supporting young people from disadvantaged neighbourhoods in finding their first job ("Nos Quartiers ont du Talent" (Our Neighbourhoods have Talent));
- ⊙ Financial contribution to certain selected associations.

As for ACTIA Engineering Services (Tunisia), it is a partner in the Elife programme launched by the Tunisia Foundation for development, for the following activities:

- ⊙ Opening of technological centres specifically for young Tunisians in the most marginal and underprivileged regions;
- ⊙ Selection of young ISET (Higher Institute of Technological Studies) graduates mainly on the criterion of motivation;
- ⊙ Upskilling to improve their chances of finding a profession thanks to a 180-hour training programme including language, communications and preparation for digital professions.

This subsidiary continues to support the Sidi Ammar primary school in the region of Fernana (Governorate of Jendouba) by offering sponsorship, extracurricular outings, collection of school supplies, events at the company, etc.



ACTinCube incubation programme:



Set up in the ACTIA Engineering Services subsidiary, the incubation programme helped 6 selected start-ups to reach TRL9 (*Technology Readiness Level*), which corresponds to the industrialisation phase and which requires certain critical processes to be implemented. The programme aims to further strengthen, structure and enhance the ecosystem of entrepreneurship and innovation in Tunisia. It also strives to strengthen partnerships within the innovative entrepreneurship ecosystem in Tunisia while having access to international opportunities through ACTIA.

In addition, ACTIA has been an ambassador for La Saison Bleue in Tunisia since 2018; the goal of this project is to promote Tunisia's marine environment and boost the blue economy, while raising awareness about the vulnerability of the sea and coastline. In relation to this project, two days of discussions with experts and get-togethers with the general public are organised, based on themes such as the marine environment, technology and the sea, the sea and related professions, and marine leisure activities and culture.

The start-up "HAWKAR" has been part of the incubator for 4 years; the ambitious plan driven by this start-up is to build a compact and ecological electric vehicle that is economic to buy and run. The aim is to enable people with reduced mobility to travel more easily and independently, thus mitigating the shortfalls of existing infrastructure and public transport. This small vehicle is expected to:

- ⦿ Facilitate parking and make it easier to safely stow and remove a wheelchair;
- ⦿ Be rechargeable directly by connecting to the standard grid;
- ⦿ Protect the environment, be silent, more economic than a petrol model, with low maintenance costs, and adaptable to different types of physical disability.

From the outset, ACTIA Engineering Services has provided HAWKAR with advice, technical support and finance to enable it to produce the first prototype. In 2020, despite the unusual circumstances, the first product was developed. Building on this experience, HAWKAR and ACTIA Engineering Services aim to improve this first model and obtain its approval. HAWKAR is also developing an electrically assisted wheel that can be mounted on a wheelchair to electrify it at a very low cost, thus making it accessible to the greatest number of people.

5.6.5 FAIR PRACTICES AND TAX EVASION

In 2018, the Group adopted an Anti-corruption Code and an internal whistleblower scheme. E-training was carried out in 2019 to raise the awareness of the issue and inform employees who are exposed to the risk of corruption. The training programme is intended to be accessible to all Group employees. The Group's internal control function has also been reinforced with the creation and implementation of procedures in sensitive areas such as conflict of interest.

The Group's objective is to raise anti-corruption awareness among all employees and to train the most vulnerable jobs (purchasing, sales, managers). Overall, these jobs represent an average of 20% of the workforce. Today, 66% of the target population has been trained. ACTIA plans to complete these courses in 2023.

A Gifts policy was rolled out in 2021 throughout the Group.

The Code of conduct, the Code of ethics and the whistleblowing scheme were updated in 2021 following regulatory changes. The whistleblowing system is no longer limited to anti-corruption, but covers everything that is considered a potential crime. They are available on the Group's website: <https://www.actia.com/en/the-group/commitments>. In order to keep pace with recent regulatory changes, a form for internal or external whistleblowers is being prepared.

Concerning the measures taken for the health and safety of consumers, products developed by the Group are subject to the safety concerns and the improvement of respect for the environment, particularly in the field of the mobility of goods and people.

ACTIA in most cases intervenes in one of the components of a more complex product that may subsequently be used by the end customer. On this basis, the Group meets the requirements established set for this purpose by the manufacturer of the end product, while being proactive about making suggestions.

With respect to tax evasion, it should be noted that the Group does not have any facilities in countries on the tax haven blacklist. The Group opened facilities in Tunisia between 1997 and 2005 to develop its printed circuit board production and integration and R&D sites at a lesser cost. The aim was and still is to ensure the Group retains its competitive edge in international calls for tender. In accordance with the legislation on foreign capital in effect at the time, the companies have offshore status. The growth of the Group's business has enabled the creation of many local jobs. The Group remained committed to supporting the business during the Tunisian crisis of 2011, although many customers requested that production in Tunisia be closed down. Group management believes that the Company's role is essential due to local employment, training and investment to support the economy it provides.

ACTIA's price transfer policy is based on split profits which is, in turn, based on the added value of each company. They are set based on the operational environment of the transactions, the location of intangibles and economic and regulatory circumstances.

5.7 RESPONSIBLE ACTIVITIES APPROACH

5.7.1 TAXONOMY-ELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES

As ACTIA has moved to a non-regulated market, the Group is no longer subject to the taxonomy reporting requirement. However, the Group wishes to maintain the same reporting scope as in the previous year and makes a voluntary taxonomy reporting.

The Taxonomy Regulation of the European Union (EU) (Regulation EU 2020/852 published on 18 June 2020) has defined, on a scientific basis, a list of economic activities and technical criteria for qualifying the ecologically sustainable nature of some of these. These technical selection criteria are defined in two delegated acts of the European Commission (EC), published on 21 April 2021 and 6 July 2021. The list of activities has been compiled by focusing on nine macro-sectors generating more than 93% of direct greenhouse gas emissions in the EU in 2017 (OECD).

The first two delegated acts deal with economic activities that can contribute significantly to the objectives of climate change mitigation and adapting to climate change. Four more are planned. The Taxonomy Regulation has created a classification system that should serve as a common language for investors to identify projects and conditions that allow the selected economic activities to have a substantial positive impact on the climate and the environment.

The activities listed by the Taxonomy Regulation are said to be “eligible”. These activities contribute to direct GHG emissions and have the potential to be improved in terms of carbon footprint. As such, the percentage of eligible activities of an organisation is not in itself a measure of its impact on climate change.

In 2022, ACTIA identified two eligible activities in two categories for the climate change mitigation objective among those listed in the delegated act. The alignment of the activities was also verified. The activities are aligned with technical elements through their certifications (CE marking in particular). Some information is missing from the environmental impact assessment section, which needs to be more extensive.

The two eligible activities are presented below:

Manufacturing industry

Manufacture of low-power rechargeable batteries, battery packs and accumulators for transport, stationary and off-grid energy storage and other industrial applications. Manufacture of respective components (battery active materials, battery cells, casings and electronic components). Recycling of end-of-life batteries.

Micromobility business:



On 1 August 2021, ACTIA gave the two-wheel electric traction system its first test drive with the launch of a new business dedicated to micromobility, in particular the Electrically Assisted Bicycle (e-bike). This activity is therefore operating in this fast-growing market. E-bike sales in Europe are increasing by nearly 50% per year. Driven by its own specific international competitive conditions, the business is mainly guided by the change in urban mobility practices and the digital needs of users and fleet managers alike. As an equipment manufacturer, ACTIA holds all the keys for targeting this market in a highly competitive manner, including:

- ⊙ Its experience as a system designer, especially in electrification and vehicle connectivity;
- ⊙ Its local industrial infrastructure that meets the Automotive quality standards;
- ⊙ Its know-how in personalisation according to customer needs;
- ⊙ Its agility and capacity for innovation.

- ⊙ Energy - transmission and/or distribution of electricity

SmartGrid activity

Example of a recent project: SMART Occitania:

Innovative system of Smart Grids to coordinate energy production and consumption.

- ⊙ In partnership with Enedis and the Occitanie Region;
- ⊙ Smart Grid in rural areas (ADEME);
- ⊙ ACTIA is in charge of Production and Consumption regulations - Storage management.

5.7.2 NON-ELIGIBLE RESPONSIBLE ACTIVITIES

Certain ACTIA activities are not taxonomy-eligible with regard to the current eligibility conditions. However, we wanted to present below some of the activities carried out by the Group that have a positive environmental or social impact:

☉ I-Can:



ACTIA is a major international player in embedded telematics. The Group supplies the world's major manufacturers of industrial and commercial vehicles and manufacturers of premium brands of light vehicles. In total, more than 5 million telematics units have been manufactured by ACTIA to equip these vehicles. The i-Can, in particular, supports drivers in eco-driving, for sustainable and eco-responsible mobility.

TBM: Transports Bordeaux Métropole has also praised our expertise: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=p-z8r1oDtCA>.

☉ ACTIA, a partner of Sunna Design:



ACTIA is supporting **SUNNA DESIGN** in the international roll-out of its range of public solar street lights for urban areas and roadways.

Connected solar units manage the charging and discharging of the street light's battery, as well as its connectivity. ACTIA manufactures the printed circuit boards and integrates them in the units.

☉ KUMULUS:



Kumulus is one of the start-ups hosted at ACTInCube. Their objective is to develop an atmospheric water generator that converts humidity into drinking water. The system works with solar energy: <https://www.kumuluswater.com/#/>

This system avoids all use of plastic packaging and the logistics of transporting and storing water.

5.8 SUMMARY OF KEY INDICATORS

5.8.1 SOCIAL ISSUES

⊙ Employee loyalty

Associated risk	Key indicator	2021 result	2022 result	§ / p.
High turnover	turnover	12.3%	14.8%	§ 5.4.1.2.7 p.114
	number of hours of training per average headcount per year	13	17	§ 5.4.1.3.1 p.114

⊙ Attractiveness

Associated risk	Key indicator	2021 result	2022 result	§ / p.
Recruitment difficulty	headcount at year end	3,685	3,729	§ 5.4.1.2 p.106
	percentage of female employees	31.8%	32.5%	§ 5.4.1.2.1 p.107
	percentage of women on the Boards of Directors	36.6%	34.8%	§ 5.4.1.2.1 p.108
	percentage of women on the Management committees	23.8%	25.7%	§ 5.4.1.2.1 p.108
	percentage of open-ended contracts	91.6%	88.1%	§ 5.4.1.2.4 p.111
	815 < 30 years		975 < 30 years	§ 5.4.1.2.3 p.110
	breakdown of staff by age	2,176 between 30 and 50 years 694 > 50 years	2,088 between 30 and 50 years 666 > 50 years	

⊙ Employee Health and Safety

Associated risk	Key indicator	2021 result	2022 result	§ / p.
Accidents	frequency index of accidents with lost working days	8.2	8.5	§ 5.4.1.5.1 p.117
	severity rate of accidents with lost working days	0.1	0.04	§ 5.4.1.5.1 p.117
Sickness	frequency rate of accidents with lost working days	4.7	4.6	§ 5.4.1.5.1 p.117
	number of days of sick leave per employee	7.0	7.8	§ 5.4.1.5.2 p.118

5.8.2 ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES

Associated risk	Key indicator	2021 result	2022 result	§ /p.
Pollution	quantity of waste produced by type of recovery	826 T	743 T	§ 5.5.2 p.124
	water consumption per employee	7.6 m ³ / year	10.7 m ³ / year	§ 5.5.1 p.123
	proportion of waste recycled	72.0%	70.3%	§ 5.5.2 p.124
Climate change	energy consumption	19,608.9 MWh	20,838.8 MWh	§ 5.5.3.1 p.126
	energy consumption per employee per year	5,359.4 kWh	5,735.7 kWh	§ 5.5.3.1 p.126
	greenhouse gas emissions related to energy consumption	4,522 tonnes CO ² eq.	6,282 tonnes CO ² eq.	§ 5.5.3.2 p.128

5.8.3 SOCIETAL ISSUES

Associated risk	Key indicator	2021 result	2022 result	§ /p.
Anti-corruption training	% of targeted employees trained in anti-corruption	Not known	66%	§ 5.6.5 p.136

5.9 REPORT OF ONE OF THE STATUTORY AUDITORS, DESIGNATED AS INDEPENDENT THIRD PARTY, ON THE CONSOLIDATED NON-FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE STATEMENT

To the General Meeting,

In our capacity as Statutory Auditor of your company (hereinafter the “entity”), appointed as independent third party and accredited by COFRAC under number 3-1884¹, we have undertaken a limited assurance engagement on the historical financial information (actual or extrapolated) of the consolidated non-financial statement, prepared in accordance with the entity’s procedures (hereinafter the “Guidelines”), for the year ended 31 December 2022 (hereinafter, respectively, the “Information” and the “Statement”), presented in the Group’s management report pursuant to the requirements of Articles L. 225-102-1, R. 225-105 and R. 225-105-1 of the French Commercial Code.

Conclusion

Based on the procedures performed, as set out in the “Nature and scope of our work” section of this report, and the information collected, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the consolidated non-financial statement is not presented in accordance with the applicable regulatory requirements and that the Information, taken as a whole, is not presented fairly in accordance with the Guidelines, in all material respects.

Preparation of the non-financial statement

The absence of a commonly used generally accepted reporting framework or a significant body of established practice on which to draw to evaluate and measure the Information allows for different, but acceptable, measurement techniques that can affect comparability between entities and over time.

Consequently, the Information needs to be read and understood together with the Guidelines, the main elements of which are presented in the Statement (or available on the website or on request from the entity’s registered office).

Inherent limitations in preparing the Information

The Information may be subject to inherent uncertainty because of incomplete scientific and economic knowledge and the quality of external data used. Some information is sensitive to methodological choices, assumptions and/or estimates used for their preparation and presentation in the Statement.

Responsibility of the Entity

It is the responsibility of the Management to:

- ⊙ Select or establish suitable criteria for preparing the Information;
- ⊙ Prepare a Statement in accordance with legal and regulatory requirements, including a presentation of the business model, a description of the main non-financial risks, a presentation of policies applied to mitigate these risks and the outcomes of those policies, including key performance indicators, and the information provided for in Article 8 of Regulation (EU) 2020/852 (the Taxonomy Regulation);
- ⊙ Prepare the Statement by applying the entity’s Guidelines as mentioned previously; and
- ⊙ Implement internal control over information relevant to the preparation of the Information that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

The Statement was prepared by the Board of Directors.

¹ COFRAC accreditation Inspection, no. 3-1884, available for consultation at www.cofrac.fr

Responsibility of the Statutory Auditors designated an independent third party

On the basis of our work, our responsibility is to provide a report expressing a limited assurance conclusion on:

- ⊙ The compliance of the Statement with the requirements of Article R. 225-105 of the French Commercial Code;
- ⊙ The fairness of the historical financial information (actual or extrapolated) provided in accordance with Article R.225-105-I(3) and II of the French Commercial Code concerning action plans and policy outcomes, including the key performance indicators on the main risks.

As it is our responsibility to provide an independent conclusion on the Information as prepared by Management, we are not authorised to help prepare said Information, as that could compromise our independence.

It is not our responsibility to comment on:

- ⊙ The entity's compliance with other applicable legal and regulatory requirements (in particular, the disclosures provided for in Article 8 of Regulation (EU) 2020/852 (the Taxonomy Regulation), the French duty of care law and anti-corruption and tax avoidance legislation);
- ⊙ The fairness of the disclosures provided for in Article 8 of Regulation (EU) 2020/852 (the Taxonomy Regulation);
- ⊙ The compliance of products and services with the applicable regulations.

Regulatory provisions and applicable professional guidance

We performed the work described below in accordance with Articles A. 225-1 et seq. of the French Commercial Code, the professional guidance issued by the French Institute of Statutory Auditors (Compagnie Nationale des Commissaires aux Comptes) applicable to such engagement, in particular the professional opinion of the French Institute of Statutory Auditors, Engagement of Statutory Auditors, Engagement of the independent third party – Non-Financial Performance Statement, and acting as the verification programme and the international standard ISAE 3000 (revised)¹.

Independence and quality control

Our independence is defined by the provisions of Article L. 822-11 of the French Commercial Code and the French Code of Ethics (Code de déontologie) for statutory auditors. Our firm maintains a comprehensive system of quality control including documented policies and procedures regarding compliance with applicable legal, regulatory and ethical requirements and the professional guidance issued by the French Institute of Statutory Auditors relating to this engagement.

Means and resources

Our work drew upon the expertise of three people. It was conducted between November 2022 and April 2023 over a total period of approximately two working weeks.

We were assisted in our work by our sustainable development and social responsibility experts. We interviewed a dozen people responsible for preparing the Statement.

Nature and scope of our work

We planned and performed our work to address the areas where we identified that a material misstatement of the Information was likely to arise.

We believe that the work carried out, based on our professional judgement, is sufficient to provide a basis for our limited assurance conclusion:

- ⊙ We have noted the activities of all entities included in the scope of consolidation and the principal risks;
- ⊙ We assessed the suitability of the criteria of the Guidelines with respect to their relevance, completeness, reliability, neutrality and understandability, with due consideration of industry best practices, where appropriate;
- ⊙ We verified that the Declaration covers each category of information provided for in III of Article L. 225-102-1 concerning social and environmental matters, as well as the respect for human rights and the fight against corruption and tax evasion;
- ⊙ We verified that the Statement provides the information required under Article R. 225-105 II of the French Commercial Code, where relevant with respect to the principal risks, and includes, where applicable, an explanation for the absence of the information required under Article L. 225-102-1 III, paragraph 2 of the French Commercial Code;
- ⊙ We verified that the Statement presents the business model and a description of the principal risks related to the activities of all the entities included in the scope of consolidation, including, when relevant and proportional, the risks created by business relationships, products or services and policies, actions and results, including key performance indicators for the principal risks;

¹ ISAE 3000 (revised) - Assurance engagements other than audits or reviews of historical financial information

- ⊙ We consulted documentary sources and conducted interviews in order to:
 - assess the process used to identify and confirm the principal risks as well as the consistency of the outcomes, including the key performance indicators used, with respect to the principal risks and the policies presented, and
 - corroborate the qualitative information (measures and outcomes) that we considered to be the most important presented in the appendices. Concerning certain risks¹, our work was carried out on the consolidating entity. For the other risks, our work was carried out on the consolidating entity and on a selection of entities².
 - ⊙ We verified that the Statement covers the scope of consolidation, namely all of the entities included in the scope of consolidation, in accordance with Article L.233-16, with the limitations described in the Statement;
 - ⊙ We noted the internal control and risk management procedures put in place by the entity and assessed the data gathering process intended to reflect the completeness and truthfulness of the information;
 - ⊙ We implemented the following for the key performance indicators and other quantitative results we deemed most important:
 - Analytical procedures consisting of verifying the correct consolidation of the data collected and the consistency of changes;
 - Tests of details, using sampling techniques or other selection methods, in order to verify the proper application of the definitions and procedures and reconcile the data with the supporting documents. This work was carried out for a selection of contributing entities⁴ and covered between 22% and 44% of the consolidated data selected for these tests;
 - ⊙ We assessed the overall consistency of the Statement based on our knowledge of all the consolidated entities.
- The procedures performed in a limited assurance engagement are less in extent than for a reasonable assurance engagement performed in accordance with the professional guidance issued by the French Institute of Statutory Auditors; a higher level of assurance would have required us to carry out more extensive procedures.

Paris La Défense, 28 April 2023

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¹ Respect for human rights and the fight against corruption and tax evasion

² ACTIA Automotive (France), ACTIA Nordic (Sweden), ACTIA EMS (Sweden)

Appendix

Qualitative information (actions and results) considered most important

Relationship with engineering schools
First aid training for employee health
Technology training roadmap
Management of psychosocial risks
Encouraging soft mobility
Actions to raise awareness about environmentally responsible practices
Water treatment to reduce pollution
Commitments and measures in favour of the fight against corruption and tax evasion
Measures implemented to promote human rights

Key performance indicators and other quantitative results deemed most important

Headcount at year end and breakdown by gender
Turnover
Percentage of women on the Boards of Directors
Percentage of women on the Management Committees
Frequency of occupational accidents with lost working days
Severity of occupational accidents
Number of days of sick leave per employee
Training hours per average headcount
Energy consumption per employee
Water consumption per employee
Greenhouse gas emissions related to energy consumption
Amount of waste generated
Proportion of waste recycled
Share of employees trained in anti-corruption

RISK FACTORS

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6.2 DESCRIPTION OF SIGNIFICANT RISKS

6.2.1 OPERATING RISKS

6.2.1.1 Procurement

⊙ Risk level: **Major risk**

⊙ Description of the risk

Several risks may impact the Group's procurement:

- Market tensions and procurement lead times,
- End of production of a component.

Market tensions and procurement lead times are caused by increased demand (telephony, connected objects, etc.), which can chiefly result in market shortages for components and lead to increased procurement lead times and/or delivery by quota. Market launches of consumer goods, such as a new generation tablet, can seriously affect all families of components.

This risk leads to significant tensions concerning numerous electronic components, some active and others passive, resulting in procurement delays and a situation in which customer volume increases had to be refused and quotas applied to components.

Regarding the end of production of a component: when a manufacturer decides to stop producing a component, it will inform its customers and ask them to put in a last order covering all of their needs (Last Buy Order).

In reality, the average life of a component is six years. This is currently tending to diminish due to planned obsolescence, technological breakthroughs, etc. It is therefore essential to anticipate and plan.

⊙ Consequences envisaged for the Group

This type of market tensions (longer lead times, pricing pressure, etc.) is not easy to manage.

Measures to anticipate and protect supplies are complex: diversification of procurement sources, increased orders and anticipation of requirements, modifications of products, etc.

In any case, they cause additional costs and increase inventory, including:

- Logistics, quality control and transport costs can be substantial in order to avoid delays in production and customer deliveries;
- An increase in concurrent operations with the production of smaller batches in order to better serve the customer, resulting in a loss of industrial efficiency inducing higher production costs;
- Teams are required to manage the crisis situation in addition to their normal activities;
- Exceptional spikes in component prices can very significantly increase at short notice;
- Temporary increases in inventory due to a missing item, thus stopping production and therefore the use of other items.

The impact consists of increased operating costs (higher raw materials prices, delivery costs, etc.), loss of certain sales contracts due to an inability to produce the items ordered and, in the most serious cases, missed deliveries that can even result in production stoppages and customer penalties, and therefore affect the Group's net income.

The end of production of a component penalises inventories with a need to plan for the quantity of components required for production or aftermarket. Still, the impact is only moderate over time, as the goal is only to optimize flows and ensure that there are no shortages or obsolete stocks.

⊙ Management of the risk by the Group

Regarding market tensions, the organisation of purchasing around different manufacturers and distributors, with the use of brokers, enables the Group to limit shortages.

The Group activated a specific organisation to deal with the new components shortage, in March 2021, with a view to handling the situation in a proactive, day-to-day manner, limiting the impact of the tensions. By putting together a team of around ten people, combining skills in purchasing, procurement, production, R&D, legal and business matters, this unit, which works directly with suppliers and customers, is 100% focused on managing the crisis and the most vulnerable product references, finding alternative solutions and offering them to the stakeholders concerned, so that joint decisions limit the impact of the exceptional costs for ACTIA. This organisation also enables the rest of the company to operate as normal.

As this component crisis crystallised into a profound change in the market, with a risk that matching supply to demand would take several more months or even years, compounded by the fact that the health crisis regularly shut down production centres in Asia, ACTIA decided to modify the organisation of this crisis unit in order to integrate it into the organisation and to pursue the challenge of finding missing or alternative components as soon as possible in liaison with customers. This also allows it to better manage production according to the components available and thus offer customers the option of opportunistic stocks, putting an end to the just-in-time approach, which was the rule until then.

Finally, ACTIA also offers its customers the option of redesigning circuit boards in order to better respond to changes in the component market. Indeed, future new upstream component manufacturing capacities will more naturally address the latest generations of components and will not match circuit boards designed a few years ago.

The Group manages the end of production of a component through an internal team dedicated to "Life Extension" which monitors regulatory changes affecting sensitive components (ITAR, EAR), other regulatory changes in France, Europe and the world, and any announcements of planned ends of production. The Group has the means to manage the issue, which can occasionally become major.

This team is therefore able to plan for the consequences of the end of production of a component, occasionally leading to the redesign of products to include newly available components.

6.2.1.2 Competitiveness:

⊙ Risk level: **Major risk**

⊙ Description of the risk

This risk includes several factors:

- The size of the Group - mid-market (ETI or Entreprise de Taille Intermédiaire) - compared to major accounts;
- Uncertainty about the volumes ordered by our customers;
- The Group's exposure to technology markets that are highly competitive, pitting us against international competitors;
- The rise in the price of raw materials, procurement lead times and rise in transport and energy costs.

Concerning the Group's footprint and the size of its competitors, the Group has made the choice of keeping its major resources in France, for both its engineering design services and its printed circuit board (Colomiers factory) and equipment (Chartres, Millau, Dinard and Puy-Sainte-Réparate sites) production capacity.

And yet it is well known that employment costs in France are among the highest in Europe and the world; levels of taxation in France are generally among the highest in the world, thus automatically affecting the competitiveness of French companies.

In addition to this factor, there was uncertainty about the volumes ordered by our customers: for its "OEM" business, ACTIA designs and manufactures products tailored to the needs of an application, which are not readily compatible with another type of vehicle or device, and which are sometimes covered by an exclusivity agreement. In this case, ACTIA is dependent on an external factor, namely, the demand expressed by individual customers. In the longer term, the renewal of business flow depends on the decisions of customers who may decide to buy from ACTIA or from competitors, often as a part of calls for tender.

As regards technological relevance, it is often difficult to simply position ACTIA according to an academic approach based on a dominant products/markets analysis or differentiating technologies, given the great breadth of its areas of activity. On the other extreme, merely defining ACTIA as a typical mid-market positioned in the area of automotive embedded systems would be insufficient, as it would be reductive and largely simplistic.

The Group has developed its families of products and its range of services by systematically seeking to enhance its technological know-how in readily accessible markets. This is why the Group frequently finds itself confronted to far more powerful competitors, whose purchasing volumes give them access to far lower costs.

The risk of an overall lack of economic competitiveness is therefore always present and has existed practically since the creation of ACTIA in 1986.

For example, thanks to its significantly superior technology, several years ago ACTIA was entrusted by two light vehicle automakers with the exclusive supply of telematic units, in contrast to its traditional positioning, which was far removed from the light vehicles segment. Consequently, the Group saw robust growth in its revenues with the volumes generated by these contracts, bringing with it a major increase in its production capacity (investments in a number of lines for long production runs of circuit boards) and more purchasing power. It was therefore not surprising to see, when it came to tenders for the next generation of these products, that ACTIA was outdone by major players with such purchasing power that the Group did not win the tender for financial reasons, despite a technologically competitive offer.

Lastly, for its production needs, ACTIA makes a range of purchases. Many suppliers, especially the vast majority of production component suppliers, are multi-national companies with more bargaining power than ACTIA. It is also worth noting that the price of many supplies is also affected indirectly by elements that are outside of ACTIA's control, such as energy prices and the price of raw materials, etc.

In addition to the quantitative aspects related to procurement (which are discussed in section 6.2.1.1 "Procurement" above), there is an emerging qualitative risk linked to ACTIA's loss of relative competitiveness, if the Group ends up being comparatively more affected than its international competitors.

☉ Consequences envisaged for the Group

The consequences of the company's footprint and the size of its competitors can be a relatively rapid drop in sales and overcapacity with lower depreciation of structural and fixed costs resulting in considerably lower profitability, even if the margins on these high-volume contracts are generally low. Furthermore, the costs generated by the location of about a third of the Group's teams in France also reduces the competitiveness of the offers.

As regards the uncertainties about the volumes ordered by our customers, the consequences are loss of revenue, loss of margins and non-amortisation of research expenses.

For technological relevance, the consequences are loss of competitiveness, and therefore ultimately loss of revenue and margin.

With regard to the increase in raw material prices and transport and energy costs, the consequences are a loss of revenue in the medium term, due to the loss of competitiveness during calls for tender.

☉ Management of the risk by the Group

To counterbalance the strategic choice of being located in France, ACTIA has developed its international organisation in order to have production capacity and engineering services in areas more competitive than France.

In addition, the Group has always addressed the risk arising from its size by focusing on a variety of niche markets, admittedly smaller but less exposed.

ACTIA protects itself from the uncertainties about the volumes ordered by our customers through multi-year contracts, operational planning in close collaboration with its customers, diversification of its portfolio of products and contracts, through efforts to have the customer cover the research and design costs, insofar as this can be negotiated, and through a range of its own products marketed directly by the company.

With regard to technological relevance of the Group, ACTIA has always shown great responsiveness, being able to take into account the often specific requirements of its customers. The significant financial resources devoted every year to innovation (roughly 15% of consolidated revenue) helps to maintain a high-level technological positioning acknowledged by its customers. The deliberate strategic choice of having its own means of production gives the Group great responsiveness and flexibility in view of the changing needs of its customers.

Lastly, the proportion of the international business (nearly 60% of sales) and a presence in the various major, global economic hubs contributes to strengthening the long-term position and development of the Group, faced with much more powerful competitors.

From an operational standpoint, the risk of rising prices is managed on a case-by-case basis whenever possible, using a combination of the following tools:

- Negotiation of contracts covering the required supplies;
- Reservation of capacities, such as transport capacities;
- Concentrating purchase on fewer suppliers to boost bargaining power thanks to a significant volume.

From a strategic standpoint, the following policies help reduce this risk:

- Choice of relevant niche markets, as explained above;
- Strategic dialogue with key component manufacturers, to anticipate any trends which may lead to shortages or make some designs more difficult to source.

6.2.1.3 Talent management

☉ Risk level: **High risk**

☉ Description of the risk

ACTIA is facing recruitment difficulties, mainly in France, the United States and Tunisia, especially because it requires skills that are in high demand on the job market, but also in all the international subsidiaries located in countries enjoying growth and therefore full employment, which may lead to high turnover.

A point of vigilance for the Group concerns skills management. The issue is to be able to take a global approach without having the organisational and financial resources of a big group.

☉ Consequences envisaged for the Group

The recruitment of employees can prove to be complicated in countries where there is full employment and high turnover, as in the United States and China, or where there are skills shortages such as in Europe for the field of digitisation, whereas the Group is often on the lookout for just these skills. Lastly, in Tunisia, our engineers are sometimes coveted by large groups which can go so far as to offer to let them stay in Tunisia for their work while receiving an American salary.

In addition to the induction and training costs covered by the Group, the situation can lead to problems in terms of sharing key know-how and impact the Group's business and, therefore, its results, in a more or less permanent way.

☉ Management of the risk by the Group

The Group has gradually implemented skills management at a worldwide level, providing mobility within the Group while maintaining a reasonable compensation policy. ACTIA is addressing the issue of turnover thanks to the ACTIA Academy training tool, which is devoted to career management. Originally implemented in Tunisia within the Design Office, the tool will be gradually rolled out across the Group to help retain employees.

The health crisis temporarily slowed down this process. The deployment of the ACTIA Cross Border Engineering program, with the construction of an extended Design office approach, will nevertheless be a positive driver of skills management and boost the Group's attractiveness.

In-depth work is also being done on the employer brand to enrich our approach to promoting ACTIA's family company values and sharing them better.

6.2.1.4 Cyber attack

☉ Risk level: **High risk**

☉ Description of the risk

The risks covered in this section concern everyday attacks, the hacking of information systems and the slowing down or even stopping of the business with repercussions for deliverables. Other risks include the possible failure of computer systems, or even telecommunications, at a time when these tools, which are used every day, are of vital importance for the management and organisation of the Group.

☉ Consequences envisaged for the Group

This type of risk is without doubt the one that has become the most acute over the past few years. The financial consequences of the systems shutting down could be highly significant.

The risk could affect the Group's business, its financial and operational results and harm its image.

☉ Management of the risk by the Group

For many years, ACTIA has been reinforcing the human resources allocated to preventing this risk and has taken numerous precautions in organising its IT architecture and infrastructure.

This organisation takes into account the activities of the different Group companies, their maturity and their level of integration. There is not, for example, a unified network that might represent a risk of rapid spread of a cyber attack. The protective measures taken are regularly updated to state-of-the-art level. Vulnerability tests are regularly conducted.

A special effort is made to raise employee awareness. There is regular communication with all employees from recruitment onwards and, more specifically, in the form of feedback when incidents occur.

In the event of an incident, there are various mechanisms to replicate, back up and ensure business recovery and these have been shown to be effective. ACTIA Automotive, ACTIA Telematics Services, ACTIA Systems and ACTIA Engineering Services all now have ISO 27001 certification. Together they account for 42% of the Group headcount, as well as more than 66.7% of the engineers working in the Design offices. One subsidiary is in the process of

certification: ACTIA Telecom (France), which testifies to the fact that the Group takes this risk into account.

Furthermore, and due to the very nature of certain Group products and services that may be vectors for the spread of a virus, the Group decided to take out an insurance for professional liability for the cyber risk involved in its products and services.

6.2.2 FINANCIAL RISKS

6.2.2.1 Foreign exchange risk

- ⊙ Risk level: **Major risk**
- ⊙ Description of the risk

The Group's international footprint and turnover expose it to exchange rate risks related to fluctuations in foreign currencies, for both actual transactions and the conversion of its assets and results.

- ⊙ Consequences envisaged for the Group

With purchases of over €280 million, including almost €120 million in US Dollars (excluding purchases made by our American entities that benefit from natural coverage), a change in the EUR/USD exchange rate has a direct effect on the Group's profitability.

- ⊙ Management of the risk by the Group

For transactions denominated in foreign currencies (for example, purchases or sales by Eurozone entities denominated in US Dollars (USD) or Japanese Yen (JPY)), the companies involved manage their exchange rate risks independently, putting in place currency hedging tools when the volumes involved allow for it.

ACTIA subscribes to currency hedging contracts on a regular basis. Their characteristics are described in Note 11.2 "Financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss" in the notes to the consolidated financial statements. The purpose of these hedging tools is to secure the cost of acquiring USD in relationship to the selling price to our customers. Customer prices are set at the time of the tenders and our customers do not allow them to change as a result of fluctuations in the EUR/USD exchange rate or the components market. The goal is not to speculate on the markets, but to ensure a reasonable level of parity for the coming weeks and months.

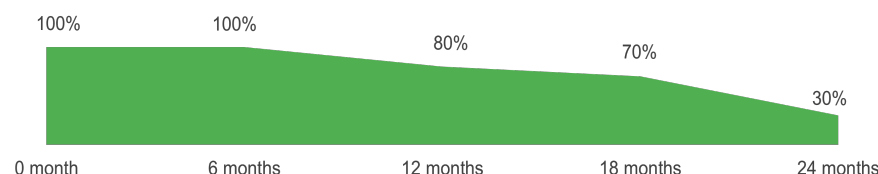
A significant or quick shift in the EUR/USD rate has very different outcomes based on short-term and medium-term approaches adopted by the Group:

- In the short term, it represents a major risk for our component purchases, about half of which are made in US Dollars and which are primarily manufactured in dollar-dominated regions. The hedging instruments limit the impact of changes in the ratio and protect purchases when in case of a significant drop. However, they do not enable the benefit of increases to be felt immediately as they must wait for the implementation of new tools when the existing tools run out. It is also noted that, despite very significant variations, the Group has been able to work at a virtually constant exchange rate for a number of years. However, actions are being carried out to identify the adjustments required for pricing for both suppliers and customers. Even if the current tensions in the component market make price increases unavoidable, it is unlikely that price revision clauses linked to currency fluctuations could be included in the new contracts, apart from very specific sectors such as Aeronautics.
- In the medium term, changes in exchange rates may impact the Group's competitiveness in international calls for tender, but with a time lag of 18 months to 3 years in the business, reflecting the development (R&D) and industrialisation cycle.

In 2022, the Group was thus able to purchase USD at an average exchange rate of 1.078 compared to 1.179 in 2021, generating an improvement of €2,517,000 (estimate calculated on average annual rates) compared with the money markets, the average exchange rate was 1.054, compared to 1.184 in 2021. During 2022, ACTIA did not necessarily benefit from all the financial instruments it had put in place in 2021, as the very rapid depreciation of the euro against the US dollar led to the deactivation of some or all of them at the low point of around 0.97.

Faced with increasingly volatile financial markets, ACTIA decided in 2022 to engage with main customers receiving deliveries in different geographical areas, and ask them to carry out part of its invoicing in US dollars and thus provide a natural hedge for part of its currency requirements.

For information, the hedging tools are part of a policy which can be expressed in terms of the level of coverage achieved for dollar-denominated purchasing needs, and can be shown as follows:



The Company has conducted an analysis of its exchange rate risk after hedging for accounts receivable and payable. The majority of transactions are conducted in Euros. An analysis of the sensitivity of a 1% variance in the US Dollar exchange rate is carried out systematically. It is the second most widely used currency by the Group, while nine other currencies presenting no material risk, even if certain currencies tend to fluctuate considerably, such as the Brazilian Real.

Assets and liabilities outside of the Eurozone account for a small share (14.1%), and are generally only linked to the business activity. Moveable assets and real estate are being depreciated or are already entirely depreciated. An analysis of the long-term investments compared to the currency risk was carried out, but the real estate opportunity (Tunisia, USA, Sweden) they represent compared to the cost of leasing properties for electronics printed circuit board production and its specific requirements outweighs the exchange rate risk. Heavy equipment required for production is depreciated rapidly and the homogeneity of the equipment on our sites enables the recovery and use of the goods on any of the sites if necessary.

Finally, given that we did not choose to value the real estate assets, the net asset value is significantly below the market value and would cover the exchange rate differential if we needed to sell property.

The exchange rate risk for subsidiaries outside of the Eurozone is primarily limited to the contribution to the Group's results. The Group invoices in Euros all inter-company flows in countries with the highest currency risks and limits customer payment terms in countries with weakening currencies.

6.2.3 LEGAL, POLITICAL AND REGULATORY RISKS

6.2.3.1 Political stability

- ⊙ Risk level: **High risk**
- ⊙ Description of the risk

Some Group operations, such as in Mexico, Tunisia and Brazil, are located in countries where political and economic upheaval cannot be discounted. Apart from these sites, international tensions, such as the structural rivalry between the USA and China, can also impact ACTIA's activities and therefore its results. In addition, Russia's invasion of Ukraine gave rise to embargo situations, the Group having taken the decision from day one to stop all deliveries to Russia. These strong tensions can lead to shortages of certain components and raw materials.

- ⊙ Consequences envisaged for the Group

Persistent political unrest could result in lost sales and difficulties for our employees getting to work, or even the destruction of certain assets, thus directly affecting the Group's margins and end results. Other political decisions can result in increased costs, such as customs duties and, therefore, an erosion of the Group's margins.

- ⊙ Management of the risk by the Group

The best way to mitigate the risk lies in the Group's diversification strategy, in terms of both the geographic footprint and its target markets.

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REPORT

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7.1 CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

Our Company largely uses the new September 2021 edition of the Corporate governance code for listed companies issued by Middlednext, without referring to it, for the organisation of its governance.

7.1.1 ACTIA GROUP'S GOVERNANCE CODE

Since its listing on Euronext Growth (February 2023), the Company has decided to no longer refer to the Middlednext Code, while retaining certain good governance practices, on a purely voluntary basis, which are largely based on the Middlednext Code recommendations.

As such, the following governance rules are implemented by the Company:

Ethics of Board members: acceptance of the term, legal obligations and the rules regarding the holding of multiple offices; signature of internal rules; compliance with blackout periods and reporting of transactions; attendance, duty to inform, obligation of confidentiality.

Conflicts of interest: establishment of a procedure to avoid conflicts of interest and declaration by Directors of any potential conflict of interest.

Independence of the Board members: the number of independent Board members should be at least 10%, excluding the Directors representing the employees. The criteria for presuming independence are as follows:

- ⊙ Not be, or have been, an employee or Executive Corporate Officer of the Company or of a company of his/her Group in the past five years;
- ⊙ Not to have a significant business relationship with the Company or his/her Group (customer, supplier, competitor, service provider, creditor, banker, etc.);
- ⊙ Not be a majority shareholder of the Company or hold a significant percentage of voting rights;
- ⊙ Not be in a close relationship or have a close family tie with a Corporate Officer or a majority shareholder;
- ⊙ Not have been a Statutory Auditor of the Company in the past six years.

Independence is assessed at the time of the first appointment as a "Board member".

Information to Directors: the Company provides the Directors with all necessary information in sufficient time between Board meetings when justified by current business events. The internal rules set out the practical aspects of the provision of this information, while setting reasonable deadlines.

Organisation of meetings: the frequency and duration of the meetings allow for an in-depth examination of the topics discussed. Minutes are recorded for each Board meeting, summarising the discussions. The Corporate Governance Report indicates the number of annual Board meetings and the attendance rate of the Directors.

Specialised Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) Committee: The Board of Directors has decided to assume the functions of the CSR Committee itself, with the assistance of people specialised in this field. The main tasks are as follows:

- ⊙ Setting and deploying an internal carbon pricing;
- ⊙ Examining regulatory developments and the effective dates;
- ⊙ Reviewing the social and societal policy and related indicators;
- ⊙ Reviewing the environmental policy and related indicators;
- ⊙ Reviewing biodiversity action plans;
- ⊙ Examining the overall feminisation of the Group;
- ⊙ Examining the number of accidents, absenteeism and turnover;
- ⊙ Examining CSR training for internal teams;

- ⊙ Examining the governance of the Group's CSR policy;
- ⊙ Reviewing and updating the non-financial risk map;
- ⊙ Template for drafting the Non-financial Performance Statement (DPEF): business model reviews, stakeholder management, materiality grid, indicators;
- ⊙ Proofreading, validating of the final Non-Financial Performance Statement;
- ⊙ Examining the stakeholders and current and future partnerships;
- ⊙ Examining sponsorship and philanthropy initiatives;
- ⊙ Reviewing alerts as part of the anti-corruption plan;
- ⊙ Examining the requests for compliance questionnaires.

Internal Rules of the Board of Directors: on a purely voluntary basis, ACTIA Group laid down the Internal Rules that reiterate the points mentioned in Chapter 7.1.4 "Organisation and operation of the Board of Directors".

Selection of each Director: sufficient biographical information (offices held, experience and skills) is posted online for each appointment and is included in the Corporate Governance Report.

Term of office of Directors: in accordance with Article 12-2 of the Articles of Association, which provides for a staggered term of office, the terms of office of Directors are staggered.

Compensation of Directors: the compensation of the Directors, as well as its distribution, are decided by the Board of Directors.

Definition and transparency of the compensation of executive officers: the Board of each Group company determines the level and terms of compensation of its executive officers and the information provided in accordance with legal and regulatory requirements.

7.1.2 MEMBERSHIP OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND GENERAL MANAGEMENT

⊙ Board of Directors

Offices on the Board of Directors are for a period of six years. As an exception, and in order to facilitate the setting up or smooth transition of offices, one or more members of the Board of Directors may be appointed for a five-year period at the General Meeting. The Directors were appointed at the General Meeting held on 30 October 2020. Two Directors representing the employees were elected on 23 March 2021 for a four-year term, in compliance with the provisions of Articles L225-27-1 et seq. of the French Commercial Code.

With respect to the principle of balanced representation of women and men on the Board of Directors, it should be noted that the Board is made up of 6 women and 4 men for a total of ten members. The members of the Supervisory Board representing the employees are not included in this total. The proportion of members of each gender is at least equal to 40%.

Membership of the Board of Directors

Name and position	Independent directors	Year of first appointment	End of term
Executive Corporate Officers and Directors			
Jean-Louis Pech, Chairman and CEO	NO	2020	2026*
Jean-François Calmels, Deputy CEO	NO	2020	2026*
Marine Candelon, Deputy CEO	NO	2020	2026*
Catherine Mallet, Deputy CEO	NO	2020	2026*
Independent Directors			
Catherine Casamatta	YES	2020	2025*
Carole Garcia	YES	2020	2025*
Véronique Védrine	YES	2020	2025*
Directors			
Stanislas Bailly	NO	2020	2025*
Laura Pech, daughter of Jean-Louis Pech	NO	2020	2026*
Frédéric Thrum	NO	2020	2025*
Directors representing the employees			
Martine Chupin	N/A.	2021	2025
Marie-Louise Ribaut	N/A.	2021	2025
Honorary Chairman (non Director)			
Pierre Calmels	N/A.	2020	No fixed term of office
Observer (non-Director)			
Christian Desmoulins	N/A.	2020	2024*

* Following the General Meeting called during the year to approve the financial statements for the previous financial year

It is noted that there were no changes in the composition of the Board during the reporting year.

INDEPENDENT OFFICERS

The criteria used to be considered as an independent officer are detailed in section 7.1.1 “ACTIA Group’s governance code”.

The following definition of the term “Group” is used for the application of these criteria: any company controlled or controlling the ACTIA Group as meant by Article L233-3 of the French Commercial Code.

As indicated in the summary table above, the independent officers are therefore: Catherine Casamatta, Carole Garcia and Véronique Védrine. Apart from the Directors representing employees who are not counted, in accordance with the law, the proportion of Independent Directors is therefore 30% on the ACTIA Group Board of Directors.

HONORARY CHAIRMAN

On 30 October 2020, the Board of Directors appointed Pierre Calmels as Honorary Chairman, in line with the faculty offered by the company’s Internal Rules.

The Honorary Chairman is invited to all meetings of the Board and has an advisory vote.

Like the Observers, he is also bound by the obligations of loyalty and prevention of conflicts of interest, those related to the holding of confidential information and the prevention of offences and insider trading, the duty of diligence, the obligation to acquire information and behave in an ethical manner, as set out in Article 4 of the Internal Rules.

At the request of the Chairman and CEO, the Honorary Chairman may be asked to share his experience and address the company staff. He may also be required to represent the Group, for example with regard to its long-standing partners, and participate in major ACTIA events.

OBSERVER

At 31 December 2022, the company had one Observer, Christian Desmoulins, appointed by the Board of Directors on 30 October 2020, for a four-year term. His office will expire at the end of the General Meeting to be held in 2024 to approve the financial statements for the previous financial year.

7.1.3 INFORMATION ABOUT THE MEMBERS OF THE COMPANY'S ADMINISTRATIVE, MANAGEMENT AND SUPERVISORY BODIES



- ⦿ **Stanislas Bailly** is a Company Director. Appointed at the Combined Ordinary and Extraordinary General Meeting of 30 October 2020; his term will expire at the General Meeting to be held in 2025 to approve the financial statements for the previous financial year. He also holds the following offices and positions in the companies listed below:

⦿ Offices

Offices	Current offices and directorships	
	Company	Country
CEO	SNECI	France
Chairman	SGPFEC	France
	S.B. Investments	France

Positions

CEO of SNECI

Chairman of SGPFEC

Member of the FIEV Steering Committee

Address

SGPFEC - 64 Rue Anatole France - 92300 Levallois-Perret

Expertise and experience**ACADEMIC BACKGROUND:**

Ecole Polytechnique (School of Engineering)

Master of Science MIT Boston

MBA at INSEAD

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND:

Derivatives Trader at JP Morgan in Hong Kong	2007 - 2009
Projects & Operations at SNECI	2010 - 2011
Director SNECI Asia in Shanghai	2011 - 2013
Director of Operations at SNECI	2013 - 2017
CEO of SNECI	Since 2017



- ◎ **Pierre Calmels**, founder of the Group, father of Marine Candelon-Bonnemaïson and Jean-François Calmels, is the Honorary Chairman of the Board of Directors, appointed at the Board meeting held on 30 October 2020. He also holds the following offices and positions in the Companies listed below:

◎ Offices

Offices	Current offices and directorships	
	Company	Country
Chairman of the Board of Directors	LP2C	France
Observer	ACTIA Automotive	France
	ACTIA Telecom	France
Director	KARFA	Mexico
	ACTIA India	India

Address

ACTIA Group – 5, rue Jorge Semprun – BP 74215 – 31432 TOULOUSE Cedex 04

Expertise and experience**ACADEMIC BACKGROUND:**

Ecole Polytechnique (School of Engineering) - Paris – AFN	1957 - 1959
Military service – Marignane Avord	1959 - 1960
ISAE (formerly ENSAE) – Paris	1960 - 1962
ICG Toulouse	1983 - 1985

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND:

Aeronautical Test Centre of Toulouse (CEAT)	1962 - 1969
Weapons engineer	
Head of Conditioning Laboratory (3 years)	
Head of the Materials and Structure Group (4 years)	
MICROTURBO SA – Toulouse	1969 - 1990
Technical Director (7 years)	
Programme Director (9 years)	
Chief Executive Officer (5 years)	
ACTIA Automotive SA – Toulouse	since 12/1990
LP2C (Group holding company)	Since 07/1994



- ⊙ **Jean-François Calmels**, son of Pierre Calmels and brother of Marine Candelon-Bonnemaison, is Deputy CEO, appointed by the Board of Directors on 30 October 2020. Appointed Company Director at the Combined Ordinary and Extraordinary General Meeting of 30 October 2020, his term of office will expire at the end of the General Meeting to be held in 2026 to approve the financial statements for the previous financial year. He also holds the following offices and positions in the companies listed below:

⊙ Offices

Offices	Current offices and directorships	
	Company	Country
Deputy CEO and Director	LP2C	France
	ACTIA Corp.	USA
	ACTIA Tunisie	Tunisia
	ACTIA Electronics	USA
	ACTIA Nordic	Sweden
Director	ACTIA de Mexico	Mexico
	ACTIA Systems	Spain
	ACTIA Engineering Services	Tunisia
	ACTIA UK	UK
	ACTIA Africa	Tunisia
Permanent Representative of ACTIA Group	CIPI ACTIA	Tunisia
	ACTIA Telecom	France
Advisory Board member	ACTIA Do Brasil	Brazil

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Expertise and experience
ACADEMIC BACKGROUND:

Université Paul Sabatier	1988 - 1990
Ecole Militaire de l’Air	1994
USAF Warfare Centre	2010

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND:

French Airforce: Speciality: Weapons Systems Navigation Officer	1990 - 2018
Missions in combat zones as Weapons Systems Navigation Officer	1999 - 2005
Head of Electronic Warfare training	2005 - 2007
NATO: Military Assistant to the French Admiral in charge of Research and Technology, Future Capacities	2007 - 2010
Second in Command, Lyons Detection and Control Centre	2011 - 2013
Commander, Lyons Detection and Control Centre	2013 - 2016
Air Force Colonel	2016
Chief of Air Operations National Air Operations Centre	2016 - 2017
Second in Command National Air Operations Centre	2017 - 2018
ACTIA Telecom - Account Manager	2018
ACTIA Group - Deputy CEO	Since 2020
LP2C - Deputy CEO	Since 2022

DECORATIONS:

 Knight of the Legion of Honour
 Officer in the National Order of Merit



- ☉ **Marine Candelon-Bonnemaison**, daughter of Pierre Calmels and sister of Jean-François Calmels, is Deputy CEO, appointed by the Company's Board of Directors on 30 October 2020. Appointed Company Director at the Combined Ordinary and Extraordinary General Meeting of 30 October 2020, her term of office will expire at the end of the General Meeting to be held in 2026 to approve the financial statements for the previous financial year. She also holds the following offices and positions in the companies listed below:

☉ Offices

Current offices and directorships		
Offices	Company	Country
Chair of the Board of Directors and Director	ACTIA Automotive	France
Vice-Chair	ACTIA Italia	Italy
Deputy CEO and Director	LP2C	France
Permanent Representative of ACTIA Automotive	ACTIA 3E	France
	ACTIA PCs	France
Permanent Representative of LP2C	ACTIA Tunisie	Tunisia
	CIPi ACTIA	Tunisia
Director	ACTIA Telecom	France
	ACTIA Italia	Italy
	SCI Los Olivos	Spain
	ACTIA Systems	Spain
	ACTIA China	China
Co-Manager	SCI Les Coteaux de Pouvoirville	France
	SCI de l'Oratoire	France

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Expertise and experience
ACADEMIC BACKGROUND:

First Certificate of Cambridge	1979
Proficiency of Cambridge	1980
BTS Executive Secretary	1982

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND:

TECHNAL France Toulouse: Qualified export secretary	1982 - 1985
Maurice Messegue Auch - Executive Secretary	1986
Laboratoires Des Herbes Sauvages Fleurance - Executive Secretary	1986 - 1990
SARL ACTE Nérac - Executive Assistant	1990 - 1993
SA M3S Castelnau - Chair and Chief Executive Officer	1993 - 2002
LP2C - Executive Board member	1999 - 2022
ACTIA Group - Executive Board member	2002 - 2020
ACTIA Group - Deputy CEO	Since 2020
LP2C - Deputy CEO	Since 2022



- ☉ **Catherine Casamatta** is an Independent Company Director. Appointed at the Combined Ordinary and Extraordinary General Meeting of 30 October 2020, her term of office will expire at the end of the General Meeting to be held in 2025 to approve the financial statements for the previous financial year. She also holds the following offices and positions in the Companies listed below:

☉ Offices

Current offices and directorships		
Offices	Company	Country
Vice-Chair in charge of Finances	Université Toulouse Capitole	France
Member	Scientific Council of the Financial Markets Authority	France

Address

TSM - 2 Rue du Doyen Gabriel Marty, 31000 Toulouse

Expertise and experience

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND:

Graduate of ESSEC (Cergy)	1994
Post-graduate diploma (DEA) in Management Sciences	1995
Doctorate in Management Sciences	1999
Authorisation to lead research in Management Sciences	2002
First selection examination in Management Sciences	2003

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND:

Professor of Finance, TSM and TSE, UT1 Capitole	since 2003
Head of the Finance Department, IAE, UT1 Capitole	2002-2004
Director of the Graduate School of Management Sciences, UT1 Capitole	2006-2010
Director of IAE Toulouse, UT1 Capitole	2010-2015
Director of the Master in Corporate Finance, TSM, UT1 Capitole	since 2016



- © **Martine Chupin** is a Company Director representing the employees of the Company, elected by the employees on 23 March 2021. Her term of office will expire on 22 March 2025.

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Expertise and experience

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND:

INSA Engineer in Automation, Electronics and IT	1994
Post-graduate diploma (DEA) in Microelectronics	1994

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND:

ACTIA Automotive: project manager for diagnostic tools, head of the Multidiag project	1994
ACTIA Automotive: head of hardware/firmware developments for diagnostics	2000
ACTIA Automotive: head of quality, serial life and aftermarket for the Diagnostics business unit	2006
ACTIA Automotive: head of quality, methods and tools, safety and qualification	2013
ACTIA Automotive: head of the operations cluster within the Information Systems Department	since 2021



- ⦿ **Christian Desmoulins** is an Observer at the Company's Board of Directors. Appointed by the Board of Directors on 30 October 2020, his term of office will expire at the General Meeting to be held in 2024 to approve the financial statements for the previous financial year. He also holds the following offices and positions in the companies listed below:

⦿ Offices

Current offices and directorships		
Offices	Company	Country
Advisor	French foreign trade adviser	France
Honorary Chairman	Cercle d'oc	France
Manager	SCI Un Grain d'Orge	France
Honorary Chairman	Midi-Pyrenees Regional Committee of the Association of French Foreign Trade Advisers	France

Positions

Académicien des Technologies

Académicien des Jeux Floraux

Contributor - Académie des Jeux Floraux

Address

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Expertise and experience

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND:

Ecole Polytechnique (School of Engineering)

Civil engineer

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND:

District Manager at the Nièvre Public Works Department	1976 - 1981
Division Head at the Provence-Alpes-Côte d’Azur DRIRE and Project Officer for the Regional Prefect	1981 – 1986
Regional Director of Industry, Research and the Environment and Regional Delegate of the Auvergne ANVAR	1986 – 1991
Regional Director of Industry, Research and the Environment in Midi-Pyrénées and Director of the École des Mines in Albi.	1991 – 1998
Head of the Manufacturing Industries Unit at the French Ministry for the Economy, Finance and Industry	1998 – 1999
Director of Technological Research at the CEA and Chairman of CEA Valorisation	1999 - 2003
Chairman of the Executive Board of ACTIA Group and Chief Executive Officer of ACTIA Automotive	2003 - 2014

DECORATIONS:

Knight in the National Order of the Legion of Honour

Knight in the National Order of Merit

Knight in the National Order of Academic Palms



- ⦿ **Carole Garcia** is an Independent Company Director. Appointed at the Combined Ordinary and Extraordinary General Meeting of 30 October 2020, her term of office will expire at the end of the General Meeting to be held in 2025 to approve the financial statements for the previous financial year. She also holds the following offices and positions in the Companies listed below:

⦿ Offices

Current offices and directorships			
Offices	Company	Country	
Chair	SAS Graine de pastel	France	
Chair and Director	Financière Graine de pastel	France	
Honorary Consul	Principality of Monaco	Monaco	
Consultant	French foreign trade adviser	France	

Address

Laboratoire GRAINE DE PASTEL – 4 place Saint Etienne 31000 Toulouse

Expertise and experience

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND:

Master's degree, Grande Ecole Kedge, Bordeaux	1992
Masters in Marketing Strategy, Paris Dauphine University	1993
Cycle des Hautes Etudes pour le Développement Economique (CHEDE), Ministry of Economy	2015

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND:

Marketing positions, Pierre Fabre Pharmaceutical Group	1994 - 2001
Chair and founder of Laboratoire GRAINE DE PASTEL	since 2002

DECORATIONS:

Knight in the National Order of Merit

Carole Garcia has also gained professional experience in CSR over the last 20 years, through the Laboratoire Graine de Pastel, including:

- The creation of a local agricultural chain and a local R&D chain for the extraction of active plant ingredients;
- Partnerships at the local university and industry level since 2023 with ASEI to promote inclusion through work;
- Certifications: Cosmos / Ecocert - Cosmébio and Organic Agriculture;
- Responsible purchasing in Occitanie, in France and in Europe and on various themes such as recyclable containers, recycled paper and vegetable inks;
- The Laboratory's commitment to gender equality has been recognized with two awards from the Occitanie Region;
- Milestones for the transition from a Lab to an Entreprise à Mission and/or B Corp (Mission-driven and/or B Corp certified company).



- ⊙ **Catherine Mallet**, daughter of Louis Pech and sister of Jean-Louis Pech, is Deputy CEO, appointed by the Company's Board of Directors on 30 October 2020. Appointed Company Director at the Combined Ordinary and Extraordinary General Meeting of 30 October 2020, her term of office will expire at the end of the General Meeting to be held in 2026 to approve the financial statements for the previous financial year. She also holds the following offices and positions in the Companies listed below:

⊙ Offices

Offices	Current offices and directorships	
	Company	Country
CEO and Director	LP2C	France
	Banque Populaire Occitane	France
Chair of the Board of Directors and Director	ACTIA Telecom	France
	ACTIA PCs	France
Supervisory Board member	BPCE	France
	ACTIA Italia	Italy
Director	ACTIA Nordic	Sweden
	ACTIA Corp.	USA
	ACTIA China	China
	CIPI ACTIA	Tunisia
	ACTIA de Mexico	Mexico
	ACTIA UK	UK

Current offices and directorships		
Offices	Company	Country
Director	ACTIA Electronics	USA
	ACTIA Africa	Tunisia
	ACTIA India	India
	SCI Los Olivos	Spain
	Fédération Nationale des Banques Populaires	France
	Fondation d'entreprise Banque Populaire Occitane	France
	METI	France
Permanent Representative of LP2C	ACTIA Engineering Services	Tunisia
	ACTIA Systems	Spain
	ACTIA 3E	France
Advisory Board member	ACTIA do Brasil	Brazil
Co-Manager	SCI de l'Oratoire	France
	SCI de Pouvoirville	France
Permanent representative of Action Logement (MEDEF) and Chair of the Audit Committee	Promologis S.A. H.L.M.	France
	SAC Occitanie Habitat	France
Chair and Board member	Club ETI Occitanie	France

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Expertise and experience

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND:

Graduate of the École Supérieure de Commerce of Toulouse	1989 - 1992
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PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND:

Crédit Mutuel Île de France Boulogne-Billancourt - Account Manager	1992 - 1993
ACTIA Automotive – Executive Assistant	1993 - 1996
ACTIA Group – Executive Assistant	1996 - 2003
ACTIA Group – Chief Financial Officer	2003 - 2020
LP2C – Executive Board member	1999 - 2022
ACTIA Group - Deputy CEO	Since 2020
LP2C - CEO	Since 2022

DECORATIONS:

Knight in the National Order of Merit

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES:

Treasurer of the Association Le Coeur des Entreprises



- ⊙ **Jean-Louis Pech**, son of Louis Pech, brother of Catherine Mallet and father of Laura Pech, is Chairman and CEO, appointed by the Board of Directors on 30 October 2020. Appointed Company Director at the Combined Ordinary and Extraordinary General Meeting of 30 October 2020, his term of office will expire at the end of the General Meeting to be held in 2026 to approve the financial statements for the previous financial year. He also holds the offices and positions in the companies listed below:

⊙ Offices

Current offices and directorships		
Offices	Company	Country
Deputy CEO and Director	LP2C	France
	ACTIA Automotive S.A.	France
CEO	JLS Invest	France
	ACTIA 3E	France
	KARFA	Mexico
Chairman of the Board of Directors and Director	ACTIA Nordic	Sweden
	ACTIA Corp.	USA
	ACTIA India	India
	ACTIA Systems	Spain
	SCI Los Olivos	Spain
	ACTIA Italia	Italy
	ACTIA Polska	Poland

Current offices and directorships		
Offices	Company	Country
Chairman of the Board of Directors and Director	ACTIA Africa	Tunisia
	ACTIA UK	UK
	ACTIA Japan	Japan
Director	ACTIA de Mexico	Mexico
	IRT Antoine de Saint Exupéry	France
	ACTIA Electronics	USA
	ACTIA China	China
Advisory Board member	ACTIA do Brasil	Brazil
Member of the Supervisory Board	ATAL	Czech Republic
Permanent Representative of LP2C	ACTIA PCs	France
	ACTIA Telecom	France
Permanent Representative of ACTIA Group	ACTIA Automotive	France
	SCI Sodimob	France
	ACTIA Telematics Services	Belgium
	ACTIA Africa	Tunisia
Permanent Representative of ACTIA Automotive	CIPI ACTIA	Tunisia
	ACTIA Tunisie	Tunisia
	ACTIA Engineering Services	Tunisia
	ACTIA Systems	Spain
Manager/Co-Manager	SCI Jean Mermoz	France
	SCI Jules Védrières	France
	SCI Louis Blériot	France
	SCI La Confluence	France
Advisor	Banque de France de Toulouse	France
Member	Cercle d'oc	France
Chairman	INSA Toulouse University Foundation	France
Treasurer	TOTEM cluster	France

Address

ACTIA Group – 5, rue Jorge Semprun – BP 74215 – 31432 TOULOUSE Cedex 04

Expertise and experience**ACADEMIC BACKGROUND:**

Engineering degree, INSA, specialisation in “Industrial and Environmental Engineering Processes”	1985
Post-graduate diploma (DEA) in “Antipollution Engineering”	

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND:

SOTRACIM - CEO	1987 - 1988
I.D.E. Ingénierie S.A. - Founder and Manager	1987 - 2020
LP2C S.A. Toulouse - Member of the Executive Board	1992 - 2022
Alpha Recyclage Franche Comté – Founder and Manager	1998 - 2020
JLS INVEST – Founder	since 2007
GIE France Recyclage Pneumatique - CEO	2009 - 2014
GIE France Recyclage Pneumatique – Vice-Chairman	2014 - 2020
ACTIA Group - Chair of the Executive Board	2014 - 2020
ACTIA Automotive - CEO	Since 2014
ACTIA Group - Chairman and CEO	Since 2020
LP2C - Deputy CEO	Since 2022



- ⦿ **Laura Pech**, daughter of Jean-Louis Pech and granddaughter of Louis Pech, is a Company Director. Appointed at the Combined Ordinary and Extraordinary General Meeting of 30 October 2020, her term of office will expire at the end of the General Meeting to be held in 2026 to approve the financial statements for the previous financial year. She also holds the following offices and positions in the companies listed below:

⦿ Offices

Offices	Current offices and directorships	
	Company	Country
CEO	ALPHA Recyclage Franche-Comté	France
Director	ACTIA Automotive	France
Manager/Co-Manager	ALPHA Carbone	France
	ALPHA Recyclage Composites	France

Address

ALPHA Recyclage Franche-Comté – 4, rue Jules Védrières – B.P. 94204 – 31031 TOULOUSE CEDEX 4

Expertise and experience

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND:

Graduate in Engineering from the Ecole des Mines of Albi	2010
Graduate of the École Supérieure de Commerce of Paris	2012

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND:

ALPHA Recyclage Franche Comté – Engineer, head of development	2012-2015
ALPHA Recyclage Franche Comté – Chief Executive Officer	since 2015



- ☉ **Marie-Louise Ribaut** is a Company Director representing the employees, elected by the employees on 23 March 2021. Her term of office will expire on 22 March 2025.

Address

ACTIA Automotive - 10, avenue Edouard Serres - BP 60112 - 31772 COLOMIERS Cedex

Expertise and experience

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND:

Doctorate in Information Systems (IT)

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND:

ACTIA Automotive: head of the documentary management service within the Industrialisation Department	1996-2000
ACTIA Automotive: project quality manager for the Automotive Diagnostics Department	2000-2007
ACTIA Automotive: product project manager for the Automotive Diagnostics Department	2007-2009
ACTIA Automotive: product project manager for the Services Department	2009-2016
ACTIA Automotive: product project manager for the Aeronautics Department	2016-2018
ACTIA Automotive: Aftermarket coordinator for the MDS SBA - Expertise and Repair Centre	2018-2021
ACTIA Automotive: DSE coordinator for the MDS SBA - Electronic Services Department	2021-2022
ACTIA Automotive: customer coordinator in the OSE department - Operations Department	Since 2022

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES:

Local councillor (2nd term of office)	Since 2014
Representative of the Mobility Commission and the Communication and Culture Commission of Toulouse Métropole	Since June 2020
Volunteer at the Local Media Library	since 2000



- ⊙ **Frédéric Thrum**, son of Günther Thrum is a Company Director. Appointed at the Combined Ordinary and Extraordinary General Meeting of 30 October 2020, his term of office will expire at the end of the General Meeting to be held in 2025 to approve the financial statements for the previous financial year. He also holds the following offices and positions in the Companies listed below:

⊙ Offices

Offices	Current offices and directorships	
	Company	Country
CEO and Director	Fives Pillard	France
Chair and member of the Supervisory Committee	Fives Cryo	France
Advisor	Fives Pillard Espana SAU	Spain
Chairman of the Board of Directors and Director	Fives Cryo (Suzhou) Co. Ltd	China
Chairman of the Board of Directors and Director	Fives Cryomec AG	Switzerland
Director	Fives Itas Spa	Italy
Chairman and Director	Fives North American Combustion Inc.	USA
	Fives North American Combustion Netherlands BV	Netherlands
	Fives North American Combustion UK Ltd.	United Kingdom
	Fives Pillard Combustion System Equipment	China
	Fives Combustion Systems Privat Ltd	India
	Fives Cryo Inc	USA
	North American Construction Services Ltd.	USA
Chairman of the Board of Directors and Advisor	Fives North American Combustion Spain SL	Spain

Address

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Expertise and experience

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND:

Harvard Business School, P.M.D	2002
ESME–Sudria, Engineering - Telecom option	1996

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND:

Deputy CEO and Chairman of the FIVES SAS Energy Division	Since 2019
FIVES CEO - Cryogenics Energy	2013 - 2020
Fives Cryo (France), Fives Cryo Suzhou (China), Fives Cryo Inc. (USA), Fives Cryomec (Switzerland) CEO – Fives Cail Group Fives Cail (France), Fives Fletcher (UK), Fives Lille do Brazil (Brazil), Fives Cail KCP (India), FCFM (Mexico) Product Manager, Sales Director, DGA, DG Aftermarket Commercial Manager – Fives FCB	1998-2001
BOUYGUES OFFSHORE Project Engineer, Inspection Manager - Refineries (France), Oil platform projects (Malaysia, Indonesia) Assistant project manager (Nigeria)	1996-1998
ACTIA, Toulouse End-of-studies work placement	1996



- 🕒 **Véronique Védrine** is an Independent Company Director. Appointed at the Combined Ordinary and Extraordinary General Meeting of 30 October 2020, her term of office will expire at the end of the General Meeting to be held in 2025 to approve the financial statements for the previous financial year. She also holds the following offices and positions in the Companies listed below:

🕒 Offices

Offices	Current offices and directorships	
	Company	Country
Director	SAFRA	France
	Groupe la dépêche du midi	France
	PROVEPHARM	France

Position

Retired

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24 Allées Frédéric Mistral - 31400 Toulouse

Expertise and experience

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND:

A graduate of the École Supérieure de Commerce of Clermont-Ferrand

1977 - 1980

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND:

CEPME

Case Manager – Auvergne Regional Office 1981 – 1991

Registered office – Commitments Department: tourism, health and local authorities 1991 - 1997

Head of Tourism Department – central agency

Assistant to the Network Director during the CEPME – SOFARIS merger

Regional Director, BDPME Midi-Pyrénées 1998 - 2005

Director of the Sud Méditerranée OSÉO BDPME Network (PACA, Corsica, Languedoc-Roussillon, Midi-Pyrénées) 2005 - 2006

Director of the Sud Méditerranée OSEO Network (OSEO Financing – OSEO Innovation) 2006 - 2009

Director of the Sud OSEO network (PACA, Corsica, Languedoc-Roussillon, Midi-Pyrénées, Aquitaine) 2009 - 2013

Director of the Bpifrance Sud Network (Bpi investment bank is the combination of OSEO, CDC Entreprises, FSI and FSI Régions) 2013 - 2022

DECORATIONS:

Knight in the National Order of Merit

Knight of the Legion of Honour

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES:

Member of UCRM - Union Cépière Robert Monnier

Treasurer, YUJO Association

Treasurer of the Fondation de la Dépêche du Midi

7.1.4 ORGANISATION AND OPERATION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

ACTIA Group S.A. has been a Limited Liability Company with a Board of Directors since the Extraordinary General Meeting of 30 October 2020. The operation of the Board of Directors is dictated by the legal and regulatory provisions, the articles of association and the Internal Rules adopted in 2020 when the governance mode was changed and modified at the Board of Directors meeting of 28 March 2022 in order to entrust the Board of Directors with the missions of the CSR Committee and at the Board of Directors meeting of 21 March 2023, following the listing on Euronext Growth.

The **Internal Rules** of the Board of Directors were drawn up in the interests of its members, the Company and its Shareholders, and their objective is to remind the members of the Board of Directors of their various duties, supplement the legal, regulatory and statutory rules in order to specify the way the Board of Directors and where applicable its committees operate. All Directors are bound by said Internal Rules. The obligations arising from them apply equally to the permanent representative of a legal-entity Director and to natural persons appointed as Directors. The Internal Rules also include the provisions concerning the obligations of the Board members with regard to the holding of confidential information.

FREQUENCY OF MEETINGS

The rules governing the calling, holding, quorum and majority of meetings of the Board of Directors are set out in the Company's Articles of Association and the Internal Rules in force. In 2022, the Board of Directors met ten times in line with the legal provisions and the articles of association, in order to (among other things):

- ⊙ Examine the revenue and the quarterly, half-yearly and annual consolidated financial statements, and the half-yearly and separate annual financial statements;

- ⊙ Review the strategy defined by LP2C, approve it and deploy it in the Group;
- ⊙ Review the agenda and draft resolutions submitted to the General Meeting and supplement them;
- ⊙ Approve the terms of the Corporate Governance Report;
- ⊙ Review the regulated agreements and the financial and interim information documents;
- ⊙ Authorise loans and guarantees;
- ⊙ Authorise current account advances and guarantees for the financing of Company subsidiaries;
- ⊙ Review and authorise internal restructuring operations and asset disposals;
- ⊙ Update the Internal Rules of the Board of Directors.

The Board of Directors meets as often as is required for the management of any ordinary business within the remit of this body. It is duly convened by the CEO to review financial statements on the basis of intermediate positions or at the end of periods, according to a policy of systematic quarterly, six-monthly and annual analysis, and the positions and strategies to be put in place. It analyses and votes on each agenda point. A vote by show of hands is held for each decision.

Financing issues, either involving the holding or the subsidiaries, are also looked at together with the related guarantees.

At these meetings, the Board of Directors hears presentations on:

- ⊙ Accounting principles and methods and main accounting options used;
- ⊙ The impact of any changes in method;
- ⊙ Changes in the scope of consolidation;
- ⊙ Key figures published relative to the separate and consolidated financial statements (breakdown of net income, presentation of the balance sheet and of the financial position).

It also hears the report of the Statutory Auditors on the scope, progress and conclusions of their work when audits or limited reviews of financial statements are called for by applicable regulations.

CALLING BOARD MEETINGS

In line with applicable regulations, our Articles of Association and the Company's practices, members of the Board of Directors were invited to meetings by email sufficiently in advance to enable the attendance of the largest possible number at all meetings. If there are no exceptional circumstances, the date is normally set two months prior to the meeting and the agenda is communicated within the week preceding the meeting.

In addition, in accordance with the provisions of Article L823-17 and R823-9 Paragraph 2 of the French Commercial Code, the Statutory Auditors were invited to all meetings that reviewed and approved the annual and interim financial statements, by email and/or by registered letter with acknowledgement of receipt.

To enable the Board members to properly prepare for the meetings, the Chairman makes a point to send them all the necessary information or documentation a reasonable time in advance.

HOLDING OF MEETINGS

Meetings of the Board of Directors were held at the Head Office and/or by written consultation and/or by video conference and/or using telecommunication means enabling identification of their respective members, in compliance with the legal and regulatory provisions in force.

The attendance rate of the members of the Board of Directors may vary from one meeting to the next, while remaining in compliance with the rules on the necessary quorum and majority. The percentage of members present at all the Board meetings decreased slightly in 2022 to 91%. As a reminder, during the previous year, the percentage was 94%.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED

All decisions put to the Board of Directors were unanimously approved.

MEETING MINUTES

Minutes of the meetings of the Board of Directors are drawn up at the end of each meeting and distributed to all members so that they can be checked. The approval of these minutes takes place at the subsequent Board meeting.

NUMBER OF SHARES THAT MUST BE HELD BY MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

In accordance with current legislation, the Company's Articles of Association do not stipulate that members of the Board of Directors must hold shares in the Company.

The number of shares personally held by each Corporate Officer at 31 December 2022 is presented below:

Corporate Officer	Number of shares and percentage of share capital		Number and percentage of gross voting rights	
BOARD OF DIRECTORS				
Pierre Calmels, Honorary Chairman	273	0.00%	546	0.00%
Stanislas Bailly	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Catherine Casamatta	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Carole Garcia ⁽¹⁾	1	0.00%	1	0.00%
Laura Pech	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Frédéric Thrum	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Véronique Védrine	20	0.00%	40	0.00%
GENERAL MANAGEMENT				
Jean-Louis Pech	2,996	0.01%	5,992	0.02%
Jean-François Calmels	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Marine Candelon-Bonnemaison	74	0.00%	148	0.00%
Catherine Mallet	796	0.00%	1,592	0.01%

(1) This concerns the loan of one share (qualifying share) by ACTIA Group, in connection with her corporate office.

To ensure accurate information about holdings, details at the period close are provided in § 4.10.1 “Breakdown of the share capital and voting rights”. Note that the Pech, Calmels, Thrum and Bailly families have indirect holdings via LP2C, SIDMIA International and SGPFEC.

NUMBER OF DIRECTORS REPRESENTING THE EMPLOYEES

The Board of Directors includes two members representing the employees, elected in March 2021 for a term of four years in accordance with the Company’s Articles of Association and the provisions of Article L225-27-1 of the French Commercial Code.

NUMBER OF OBSERVERS APPOINTED

At the date of issue of this document, one Observer had been appointed to the Board of Directors (see § 7.1.2 “Membership of the Board and General Management”).

INTERNAL RULES

The Board of Directors has adopted Internal Rules which can be consulted on the Company website at <https://www.actia.com/fr/investisseurs> and at the registered office of the Company or obtained upon request. These Internal Rules were adopted on 30 October 2020 further to the change in governance mode and amended on 28 March 2022 in order to entrust the Board of Directors with the missions of the CSR Committee and on 21 March 2023 following the listing on Euronext Growth. The main provisions of these Rules cover:

- ⊙ Role of the Board of Directors;
- ⊙ Membership of the Board of Directors;
- ⊙ Duties and code of conduct of members;
- ⊙ Meetings of the Board of Directors;
- ⊙ Committees;
- ⊙ CSR Committee;
- ⊙ Member compensation;
- ⊙ Assurance of executive corporate officers;
- ⊙ Observers;
- ⊙ Honorary Chairman;
- ⊙ Adaptations, modifications and public notifications of the Internal Rules.

7.2 CORPORATE OFFICER COMPENSATION

7.2.1 COMPENSATION PRINCIPLES FOR CORPORATE OFFICERS

In order to determine compensation, the Company's terms of employment and compensation for employees were taken into account by the Board as follows: in general, the fixed portion of compensation paid to the ACTIA Group corporate officers follows the trend for the employees in the main French company, except for unusual years when the Group's position is too difficult, in which case the increase is lower or even non-existent. Compensation is compared with that of the Group on a regular basis to ensure that it is consistent.

Compensation principles for General Management

The compensation owing to the Chairman and CEO and the Deputy CEOs of ACTIA Group is mainly paid by LP2C, a consolidating holding company, against the offices held at LP2C (limited liability company) and voted by the latter's Board of Directors. This compensation is not therefore compensation paid against the offices held within ACTIA Group.

In addition, it should be noted that, under an assistance agreement, LP2C only invoices the Group a portion of the salaries paid for the various technical services described in § 4.9.10 "Special report of the Statutory Auditors on regulated agreements". The balance relating to its own operating costs are charged to LP2C based on the rule for allocating time worked.

The compensation paid by LP2C did not concern the offices held by General Management at ACTIA Group level.

The details of the sums invoiced within the framework of the assistance agreement are given by type of service in Note 25.1 "Related-party transactions with holding company: LP2C S.A." in the notes to the consolidated financial statements. The amount invoiced for 2022 was €1,458,709 calculated in compliance with the agreement based on the direct and indirect costs actually incurred by LP2C, plus a margin of 15%. The chargeback of external services is, for its part, established with a 3% margin to take LP2C's overhead into account.

The fixed portion of compensation paid to the Company's Chairman and CEO is determined on the basis of:

- The level of his responsibilities and the related complexity;
- His experience and expertise.

During the course of exercising his function, the Chairman and CEO does not have the benefit of an employment contract, severance payments, compensation for a non-compete clause, a supplementary pension or any other payments or benefits that may be due for the termination of or changes to his duties.

Compensation principles for members of the Board of Directors

In the framework of the annual fixed amount authorised by the General Meeting, the compensation conditions for Directors are determined by the Board of Directors.

Directors may receive annual compensation that takes into account their degree of involvement and the time they devote to their position, including if they sit on any committees. The Board of Directors decided to allocate €400 for each session of the Board of Directors and each committee set up within the company attended by a Company Director. This decision applies to all Directors, except for executive corporate officers and Directors representing the employees.

For the 2022 financial year, the overall amount of compensation allocated to the Directors, in accordance with the terms and conditions described above, was 31,200 euros. It should be noted that an envelope of 34,000 euros had been authorised at the General Meeting held on 24 May 2022.

In the sixth resolution, the Shareholders will be asked to increase this amount from €34,000 to €40,000.

7.2.2 COMPENSATION, BENEFITS OF CORPORATE OFFICERS

We hereby notify you of the total gross compensation (fixed, variable and non-recurring) and benefits of all kinds paid during this previous financial year to each Corporate Officer, as well as the criteria used to calculate them or the circumstances under which they arose.

We also indicate commitments of all types entered into on behalf of its Corporate Officers, relating to items of compensation and benefits likely to be payable upon taking up, leaving or changing duties or subsequent thereto, as well as how such commitments are determined.

No commitment of any kind relating to items of compensation and benefits payable or likely to be payable upon taking up, leaving or changing duties or subsequent thereto has been entered into other than the commitments discussed above.

Since the adoption of the new corporate structure with a Board of Directors, compensation is allocated to the members of the Board of Directors of ACTIA Group as per the terms and conditions set out in § 7.2.1 “Compensation principles for Corporate Officers”.

The variable compensation of the Chairman and CEO paid by LP2C was set in relation to the revenue growth objective for the Group, the management of the components crisis and improvements in the social, environmental and societal commitments achieved through various actions in France and abroad. The level of achievement of these criteria is not made public for confidentiality reasons. The maximum amount of variable compensation for 2021 (paid in 2022) was set at 30% maximum of the total compensation paid for financial year n-1. All criteria were met.

The exceptional compensation paid to the Deputy CEOs was granted for the positions held in LP2C, for the achievement of communication objectives within the Group and the raising of the financing required for Group needs, on the one hand, and for the deployment of items related to the sustainable development policy and those related to compliance within the Group, on the other. All criteria were met.

Benefits in kind correspond to the provision of a company car by LP2C.

The figures provided concern all compensation paid during the 2022 financial year and allocated for that financial year to each Corporate Officer of ACTIA Group by the issuer and by any other Group company:

Table 1 – Summary of compensation for each Corporate Officer by issuer and by all other Group companies

Name and position of Executive Corporate Officer:	Amounts allocated In 2022	Amounts paid	Amounts allocated In 2021	Amounts paid
Jean-Louis Pech – Chairman and CEO ⁽¹⁾				
Fixed compensation	232,906	232,906	229,238	229,238
Annual variable compensation ⁽²⁾	100,000	100,000	80,000	80,000
Multi-year variable compensation				
Exceptional compensation				
Annual fixed sum (formerly Directors' fees)				
Benefits in kind ⁽²⁾	3,187	3,187	3,102	3,102
TOTAL	336,093	336,093	312,340	312,340
Catherine Mallet – Deputy CEO				
Fixed compensation ⁽²⁾	90,318	90,318	88,895	88,895
Annual variable compensation				
Multi-year variable compensation				
Exceptional compensation ⁽²⁾	15,000	15,000	12,000	12,000
Annual fixed sum (formerly Directors' fees)				
Benefits in kind ⁽²⁾	2,659	2,659	2,661	2,661
TOTAL	107,977	107,977	103,557	103,557
Marine Candelon – Deputy CEO				
Fixed compensation ⁽²⁾	88,852	88,852	87,453	87,453
Annual variable compensation				
Multi-year variable compensation				
Exceptional compensation ⁽²⁾	10,000	10,000	8,000	8,000
Annual fixed sum (formerly Directors' fees)				
Benefits in kind ⁽²⁾	2,224	2,224	2,164	2,164
TOTAL	101,076	101,076	97,617	97,617
Jean-François Calmels – Deputy CEO				
Fixed compensation ⁽³⁾	80,658	80,658	63,105	63,105
Annual variable compensation				
Multi-year variable compensation				
Exceptional compensation ⁽²⁾				
Annual fixed sum (formerly Directors' fees)				
Benefits in kind ⁽²⁾				
TOTAL	80,658	80,658	63,105	63,105

⁽¹⁾ Breakdown of 2022 compensation for the office exercised at the French limited corporation LP2C: €283,341 + executive offices within the ACTIA Group: €52,752, of which €9,623 for offices held in ACTIA Group.

⁽²⁾ Compensation for offices held in the French limited corporation LP2C.

⁽³⁾ Compensation under the current employment contract with one of the Group's subsidiaries until 31 July 2022, and then for his office as Director within the ACTIA Group since 1 August 2022.

Table 2 – Fixed annual compensation and other payments allocated and paid to the non-executive Corporate Officers from the issuer and all other Group companies

Non-executive Corporate Officers – Name and office	Amounts allocated for the 2022 financial year	Amounts paid in 2022	Amounts allocated for the 2021 financial year	Amounts paid in 2021
Stanislas Bailly – Director				
Annual fixed amount	4,400	2,400	2,400	800
Other compensation				
Catherine Casamatta – Director				
Annual fixed amount	6,000	2,400	2,400	400
Other compensation				
Carole Garcia – Director				
Annual fixed amount	4,400	2,400	2,400	400
Other compensation				
Laura Pech – Director				
Annual fixed amount	6,000	2,400	2,400	800
Other compensation				
Frédéric Thrum – Director				
Annual fixed amount	5,200	2,400	2,400	800
Other compensation				
Véronique Védrine – Director				
Annual fixed amount	5,200	1,600	1,600	400
Other compensation				
Martine Chupin - Director, employee representative				
Annual fixed amount				
Marie-Louise Ribaut - Director, employee representative				
Annual fixed amount				
TOTAL	31,200	13,600	13,600	3,600

These sums compensate the Directors for their attendance and the time they devote to their duties at the Board of Directors meetings held during the financial year, in accordance with the compensation principles presented in § 7.2.1. "Compensation principles for members of the Board of Directors".

Table 3 – Executives - Corporate Officers

	Employment contract	Supplementary retirement plan	Indemnities or benefits payable or that could be payable on termination or change in function	Indemnities relating to a non-compete clause
Name: Jean-Louis Pech Position: Chairman and CEO Start of term: 30/10/2020 End of term: 2026*	No	No	No	No
Name: Marine Candelon-Bonnemaison Position: Deputy CEO Start of term: 30/10/2020 End of term: 2026*	No	No	No	No
Name: Catherine Mallet Position: Deputy CEO Start of term: 30/10/2020 End of term: 2026*	No	No	No	No
Name: Jean-François Calmels Position: Deputy CEO Start of term: 30/10/2020 End of term: 2026*	Yes ⁽¹⁾	No	No	No

* At the end of the General Meeting to approve the financial statements for the previous financial year

⁽¹⁾ Jean-François Calmels' employment contract with ACTIA Telecom has been maintained in view of his experience and operational skills in this area until 31 July 2022.

Under the agreements signed by LP2C, the issuer and its subsidiaries, LP2C charges back 92.8% of the compensation paid to its Corporate Officers for all of the services provided to the Group.

More details are provided in Note 25.1 "Related-party transactions - With the Holding Company": LP2C S.A. of the notes to the consolidated financial statements.

COMPENSATION EQUITY RATIO FOR EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

The following presentation shows changes in the compensation of the Chairman and CEO, the Deputy CEOs and the ratios between their levels of compensation and the annual French minimum wage (SMIC).

Jean-Louis Pech - Chairman and CEO					
	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Compensation of Corporate Officers					
% change in compensation ⁽¹⁾	7.6%	<6.0%>	0.2%	1.4%	1.3%
SMIC					
Ratio to the annual French minimum wage (SMIC)	17.0	16.7			
Company performance					
Consolidated Group net income	20,616,708	<6,073,523>	<19,441,471>	8,724,174	9,194,033
% change compared with the previous financial year	+ 26,690,231	+ 13,367,948	<28,165,645>	<469,859>	+ 684,013
% change compared with the previous financial year	<439.5%>	<68.8%>	<322.8%>	<5.1%>	8.0%

(1) This is the total compensation paid to the executive officer during the financial year.

Jean-François Calmels - Deputy CEO					
	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Compensation of Corporate Officers					
% change in compensation ⁽¹⁾	27.8%	2.8%	1.4%		
SMIC					
Ratio to the annual French minimum wage (SMIC)	4.3	3.4			
Company performance					
Consolidated Group net income	20,616,708	<6,073,523>	<19,441,471>	8,724,174	
% change compared with the previous financial year	+ 26,690,231	+ 13,367,948	<28,165,645>		
% change compared with the previous financial year	<439.5%>	<68.5%>	<322.8%>		

(1) This is the total compensation paid or allocated to the executive officer during the financial year.

Catherine Mallet - Deputy CEO

	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Compensation of Corporate Officers					
% change in compensation ⁽¹⁾	4.3%	<2.9%>	1.1%	<7.6%>	<8.1%>
SMIC					
Ratio to the annual French minimum wage (SMIC)	5.8	5.6			
Company performance					
Consolidated Group net income	20,616,708	<6,073,523>	<19,441,471>	8,724,174	9,194,033
% change compared with the previous financial year	+ 26,690,231	+ 13,367,948	<28,165,645>	<469,859>	+ 684,013
% change compared with the previous financial year	<439.5%>	<68.8%>	<322.8%>	<5.1%>	8.0%

(1) This is the total compensation paid or allocated to the executive officer during the financial year.

Marine Candelon - Deputy CEO

	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Compensation of Corporate Officers					
% change in compensation ⁽¹⁾	3.5%	<2.1%>	13.6%	0.0%	1.9%
SMIC					
Ratio to the annual French minimum wage (SMIC)	5.4	5.2			
Company performance					
Consolidated Group net income	20,616,708	<6,073,523>	<19,441,471>	8,724,174	9,194,033
% change compared with the previous financial year	+ 26,690,231	+ 13,367,948	<28,165,645>	<469,859>	+ 684,013
% change compared with the previous financial year	<439.5%>	<68.8%>	<322.8%>	<5.1%>	8.0%

(1) This is the total compensation paid or allocated to the executive officer during the financial year.

7.3 RELATED-PARTY TRANSACTIONS

No service contract providing for the grant of benefits upon expiration of the contract establishes relations between Board members and Managers with ACTIA Group S.A. or with any of its subsidiaries other than those presented in the paragraph below.

7.3.1 SPECIFIC DISCLOSURE ON AGREEMENTS

Pursuant to the provisions of Article L225-37-4 2° of the French Code of Commerce, we hereby declare that no agreement was signed either directly or via an intermediary between, on the one hand, one of the corporate officers or one of the shareholders holding a fraction of voting rights in the Company of more than 10% and, on the other hand, another company controlled by the former within the meaning of Article L233-3 of said code.

7.3.2 NATURE AND AMOUNT OF REGULATED AGREEMENTS ENTERED INTO BY THE ISSUER

All the regulated agreements entered into previously and which remained in effect in the previous reporting period, and generally those referred to in Article L225-38 et seq. of the French Commercial Code, are listed in the Statutory Auditors' special report on regulated agreements, a report which has been reproduced in full in § 4.9.10 "Special report of the Statutory Auditors on regulated agreements".

7.3.3 RELATED-PARTY TRANSACTIONS

See Note 25 "Related-party transactions" in the notes to the consolidated financial statements.

7.4 AUTHORISATIONS GRANTED IN RESPECT OF CAPITAL INCREASES

This information is discussed in § 9.1.5 "Increase in share capital" of the Annual Report.

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8.1 CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

8.1.1 CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

Consolidated assets in €K	Notes	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Goodwill	Note 4	24,148	24,148
Development costs	Note 4	46,197	54,971
Other intangible assets	Note 4	4,360	2,511
TOTAL INTANGIBLE ASSETS	Note 4	74,705	81,630
Land	Note 5	2,799	2,889
Buildings	Note 5	36,756	35,556
Technical equipment	Note 5	16,428	18,773
Other tangible assets	Note 5	11,497	12,793
TOTAL TANGIBLE ASSETS	Note 5	67,480	70,010
Equity method investments	Note 6	908	856
Other non-current financial assets	Note 7	2,243	1,999
Deferred taxation	Note 12	13,294	11,252
Non-current tax credit	Note 13	15,137	14,147
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS		173,767	179,894
Inventory and work-in-process	Note 8	210,654	172,656
Trade receivables	Note 9	159,762	144,739
Other current receivables	Note 9	20,513	17,830
Current tax credit	Note 9	10,980	11,473
Fair value of financial asset instruments	Note 11.2	0	890
Cash and cash equivalents	Note 11.1	48,372	56,639
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		450,280	404,227
Assets held for sale	Note 19	2,232	14,183
TOTAL ASSETS		626,279	598,304

Consolidated Equity Capital and Liabilities in €K	Notes	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Capital	Note 15	15,075	15,075
Premiums	Note 15	17,561	17,561
Reserves	Note 15	85,418	89,568
Translation reserve	Note 15	<3,660>	<2,649>
Treasury shares	Note 15	<162>	<162>
Income for the period	Note 15	19,950	<6,379>
GROUP COMMON SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY	Note 15	134,181	113,014
NON-CONTROLLING INTERESTS	Note 15	1,582	562
EQUITY	Note 15	135,763	113,576
Borrowings from credit institutions	Note 14	140,555	164,127
Finance lease financial liabilities	Note 14	16,570	15,966
Other financial liabilities	Note 14	499	963
TOTAL NON-CURRENT DEBT	Note 14	157,624	181,057
Deferred tax liabilities	Note 12	959	1,646
Pension liabilities and other long-term benefits	Note 17	7,010	9,721
TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES		165,593	192,423
PROVISIONS	Note 17	12,363	11,273
Borrowings from credit institutions - current share	Note 14	52,181	54,713
Finance lease financial liabilities - current share	Note 14	4,705	4,735
Other financial liabilities - current share	Note 14	948	1,591
Short-term bank borrowings	Note 14	41,637	36,354
Fair value of financial liability instruments	Note 11.2	3,169	
TOTAL CURRENT DEBT		102,640	97,393
Suppliers	Note 18	104,467	92,408
Other liabilities	Note 18	84,956	74,171
Corporate taxes (IS)	Note 18	1,141	1,267
Deferred income	Note 18	18,939	15,381
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		324,506	291,893
Liabilities held for sale	Note 19	417	411
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		626,279	598,304

8.1.2 CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT

Consolidated income in €K	Notes	2022	Year 2021 Adjusted *
Income from ordinary activities (Revenue)	Note 20	499,831	445,910
Materials and supplies	Note 20	<279,267>	<242,040>
Personnel costs	Note 20	<126,505>	<122,713>
External charges	Note 20	<66,750>	<51,760>
Taxes		<5,213>	<5,314>
Provisions for depreciation	Note 20	<29,589>	<30,923>
Changes in stocks of finished goods and work in progress		9,757	4,013
Exchange gains / losses on operating activities		2,299	1,462
Research tax credit		5,002	5,834
Current operating income	Note 20	9,565	4,469
Other operating income and expenses		257	1,259
Impairment of goodwill	Note 4		
Operating income	Note 20	9,822	5,729
Income from cash and cash equivalents		14	12
Interest and financial costs	Note 20	<5,004>	<3,763>
Other financial income / costs		<2,731>	7,523
Financial Result	Note 24	<7,721>	3,772
Net income Group share equity method consolidated companies	Note 6	79	95
Income tax	Note 20	<399>	430
NET INCOME FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS		1,782	10,025
NET INCOME FROM DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS		18,835	<16,099>
INCOME FOR THE PERIOD	NOTE 20	20,617	<6,074>
· attributable to Group shareholders			
Net income from continuing operations - attributable to Group shareholders		1,115	9,719
Net income from discontinued operations - attributable to Group shareholders		18,835	<16,099>
Net income for the period - attributable to Group shareholders		19,950	<6,379>
· non-controlling interests			
Net income from continuing operations - non-controlling interests		667	306
Net income from discontinued operations - non-controlling interests		<0>	
Net income for the period - non-controlling interests		667	306
Basic and diluted net earnings per share from continuing operations (in €) - Group share		0.05	0.48
Basic and diluted net earnings per share from discontinued operations (in €) - Group share		0.94	<0.80>
Basic and diluted earnings per share (in €) - Group share	Note 16	0.99	<0.32>

* Adjusted to take account of the reclassification of the Power division under 'discontinued operations'. (Note 19 Assets and liabilities held for sale)

8.1.3 CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

Statement of comprehensive income in €K	2022	Year 2021 Adjusted *
Income for the period	20,617	<6,074>
Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss	2,308	1,165
Defined benefit pension plans – Actuarial differences	3,080	1,698
Deferred taxation on defined benefit pension plans – Actuarial differences	<771>	<533>
Items that may subsequently be reclassified to profit or loss	<861>	1,664
Cumulative translation differences	<861>	1,664
COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE PERIOD	22,064	<3,245>
Attributable:		
· to Group shareholders	21,257	<3,511>
· to non-controlling interests	807	266
Consolidated comprehensive income attributable to Group shareholders and coming from:		
· Continuing operations	2,578	12,595
· Discontinued operations	18,679	<16,106>
Consolidated comprehensive income attributable to non-controlling interests and coming from:		
· Continuing operations	807	266
· Discontinued operations	-	-

* Adjusted to take account of the reclassification of the Power division under 'discontinued operations'. (Note 19 Assets and liabilities held for sale)

8.1.4 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

In €K	Capital	Treasury shares	Premiums	Consolidated reserves, retained earnings	Translation reserve	Total attributable to the Group	Non-controlling interests	Total Shareholders' funds
AT 31/12/2020	15,075	<162>	17,561	87,663	<4,363>	115,773	313	116,087
Comprehensive income								
Consolidated income				<6,379>		<6,379>	306	<6,073>
Other comprehensive income				1,155	1,714	2,869	<40>	2,829
COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE PERIOD	0	0	0	<5,225>	1,714	<3,511>	266	<3,245>
Transactions with shareholders								
Distributions to shareholders						0	<29>	<29>
First application of IFRIC June 2021 - IAS 19				806		806	8	814
Changes in scope						0		0
Other				<55>		<55>	5	<50>
AT 31/12/2021	15,075	<162>	17,561	83,190	<2,649>	113,014	562	113,576
Comprehensive income								
Consolidated income				19,950		19,950	667	20,617
Other comprehensive income				2,318	<1,011>	1,306	140	1,447
COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE PERIOD	0	0	0	22,268	<1,011>	21,256	807	22,064
Transactions with shareholders								
Distributions to shareholders						0	<202>	<202>
Changes in scope						0	529	529
Other				<89>		<89>	<115>	<204>
AT 31/12/2022	15,075	<162>	17,561	105,368	<3,660>	134,181	1,582	135,763

8.1.5 CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT

Consolidated cash flow statement in €K	Notes	2022	Year 2021 Adjusted *
Income for the period	8.1.2	20,617	<6,074>
<i>Adjustments for:</i>			
Depreciation and provisions		35,621	33,835
Profit / loss from disposal of assets		<37,183>	<107>
Interest charges	8.1.2	5,004	3,921
Current tax charge (excl. research tax credit)		2,546	1,166
Changes to deferred taxation		<3,114>	<1,326>
Research tax credit		<5,410>	<6,510>
Other income / expense		5,214	<7,290>
Share of the profit / loss of associates	8.1.2	<79>	<95>
Operating cash flow before changes to working capital requirements		23,216	17,520
Changes to working capital requirements related to the business		<33,245>	<4,362>
Income tax paid (excluding research tax credit)		<1,997>	<1,816>
Research tax credit collected		1,595	5,250
Net cash flow from operating activities		<10,432>	16,592
Of which Cash flow from discontinued operating activities	Note 19.2	<11,179>	<11,143>
Capital purchases	Note 4 and 5	<24,597>	<20,495>
Dividends received from associates		27	14
Income from disposal of assets	Note 19	12,457	206
Changes in loans and advances		<253>	<241>
Cash acquired on disposal of the Power business	Note 19	49,853	0
Net cash flow from investing activities		37,487	<20,517>
Of which Cash flow from discontinued investment activities	Note 19.2	48,476	<2,749>
Dividends paid to non-controlling interests in consolidated companies		<203>	<29>
New borrowings	Note 14	38,667	68,627
Repayment of borrowings	Note 14	<65,212>	<43,965>
Reimbursement of lease liabilities		<8,396>	<7,400>
Interest paid		<5,004>	<3,921>
Net cash flow from financing activities	Note 14	<40,148>	13,313
Of which Cash flow from discontinued financing activities	Note 19.2	12,520	15,078
Effect of exchange rate changes		<1,425>	<301>
Cash and cash equivalents - opening balance	Note 11.1	21,576	12,489
Cash and cash equivalents - closing balance	Note 11.1	7,058	21,576
Changes in cash and cash equivalents		<14,518>	9,087

* Adjusted to take account of the reclassification of the Power division under 'discontinued operations'. (Note 19 Assets and liabilities held for sale)

8.1.6 NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Note 1 Information about the Group - Entity presenting the financial statements

ACTIA Group S.A. is domiciled in France. The Company's registered head office is located at 5, Rue Jorge Semprun - 31400 Toulouse. The Company's consolidated financial statements include the Company and its subsidiaries (jointly referred to as the "Group") or ACTIA. The Group's main areas of activity cover high-added-value, electronic on-board systems for the automotive and telecommunications markets.

The consolidated financial statements at 31 December 2022 were approved by the Board of Directors on 27 March 2023 and will be submitted for ratification at the General Meeting of 23 May 2023.

Note 2 Accounting principles

Note 2.1 Basis for the preparation of the financial statements

The accounting methods and means of calculation have been applied in an identical manner for all the periods presented.

The sums stated in these financial statements are expressed in thousands of Euros (€K).

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with IFRS as published by the IASB and adopted by the European Union. Compliance with these standards includes the definitions and the accounting and valuation methods recommended by IFRS, as well as all the information that they require. The financial statements comply with all mandatory IFRS provisions as at 31 December 2022.

Note 2.2 Use of estimates and judgements

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with IFRS requires management to exercise judgement and make estimates and assumptions that have an impact on the application of the accounting methods and on the value of assets, liabilities, income and expenditure. These underlying estimates and assumptions are made on the basis of past experience and other factors considered to be reasonable in view of the circumstances. They therefore serve as the basis for exercising the judgement needed to determine the book value of certain assets and liabilities that cannot otherwise be determined directly from other sources. The actual value may differ from the estimated value.

These underlying estimates and assumptions are constantly re-examined. The impact of changes to accounting estimates is recognised during the period in which the change occurs if they only affect that period, or in the period in which the change occurs and the subsequent periods if these are also affected by the change.

The main balance sheet line items affected by these estimates are goodwill (see Note 4 "Intangible assets"), development costs (see Note 4.3 "Development costs and other intangible assets"), deferred tax assets (see Note 12 "Deferred tax") and provisions (see Note 17: "Employee provisions and benefits").

Note 2.3 Specific context of 2022 due to the continuing health crisis, the shortage of electronic components and the consequences of the war in Ukraine

Although the Covid-19 pandemic was better managed by governments, in particular thanks to a much higher vaccination coverage after two years of crisis, some geographical areas were still heavily impacted, such as China with several waves of lockdowns. Though the impact was not as marked as in 2020, the world economy was affected. For the Group, its subsidiary ACTIA China, based in Shanghai, showed great agility to pursue its activity successfully, in particular to address the Chinese export markets.

After 2020 and its health crisis and 2021 with an economy recovering in a disorganised way, 2022 was in turn heavily impacted by the war in Ukraine at the beginning of the year. The Ukraine war strongly affected the European economy with the generation of shortages of raw materials including gas leading to a real energy crisis. The more severe consequence for ACTIA was the collapse of the euro against the US dollar, strongly impacting the cost of its purchases, in spite of the hedging instruments put in place. Some (even all) of these were deactivated in view of the speed and magnitude of the fall, at the low point of around 0.97. Thus the Group purchased USD at an average exchange rate of 1.078 compared to 1.179 in 2021, generating an improvement of €2,517,000 (estimate calculated on average annual rates) compared with the money markets, where the average exchange rate was 1.054, compared to 1.184 in 2021.

Following the health crisis of 2020, the disorganisation of industrial cycles continued in the field of electronic components, with supply still not meeting the demand of a digitalising world. This again led to significant price rises and shortages, even as the global economy slowed down due to the onset of inflation in the wake of the conflict in Ukraine and the continued rise in interest rates by central banks. ACTIA and its customers also continued to experience problems with component procurement, permanently altering production schedules and even shutting down plants. Therefore, as expected, the Group recorded an increase of only 12.1%, as the lack of components did not allow it to fully meet customer demand. Depending on the type of contracts, part of the activity, in particular that linked to infrastructure programmes, as in the Telecom Division, was pushed back and maintained in terms of overall volume. Despite the complex economic environment, sales were only slightly affected and the business successes of 2022 backed up the Group's outlook, with the signing of contracts that enable us to project consolidated revenue of more than €800 million by the end of 2025, taking the disposals made into account.

With a global inflation problem, all the Group's purchases and expenses were affected. However, the Group quickly put in place a commercial action with its customers to increase its prices so as not to undermine its profitability. Contrary to the usual mechanisms of its contracts, the Group was able to get its customers to accept the approach, with a commitment to a downward revision when prices returned to their normal level. The most significant impact was the additional costs arising from the disruption of the electronic component market. In fact, although there was a slight improvement at the end of the year, the suppliers did not fully keep their delivery commitments. This gave rise to the need to find alternative solutions, which are more expensive or require product adaptations, or even resulting in exceptional transport, in order to limit production blockages for our customers. As in 2021, almost all of these exceptional costs could be invoiced to customers. This also generated specific human resources for finding alternative solutions (continued operation of the War Room, a team led by Jean-Louis Pech, Chairman and CEO, bringing together buyers, suppliers, sales representatives, design office, production and legal departments, in order to make the best decisions in coordination with customers and suppliers to help minimise the impacts of this shortage); for logistics (more numerous arrivals and departures due to smaller batches to be managed for the same level of activity); for quality control (new items to be inspected); for the redesign of products, while maintaining the same production commitment, as batches contained fewer printed circuit boards but were more numerous, which mobilised all the teams on a full-time basis.

It should be noted that in France, the State support with Long-term part-time working (APLD) continued in 2022 and nevertheless made it possible to benefit from aid of €1.5 million compared to €2.5 million in 2021 (€4.7 million in 2020).

With a booming business, this shortage also significantly increased the stock level (raw materials: +€31.6 million after +€23.2 million in 2021). This is because a missing item led to the stockpiling of other items waiting to go into production, knowing that procurement times had increased considerably during the period to several dozen weeks.

All of these factors had a significant impact on the Group's cash position, with additional pressure on WCR during periods of growth, as customer payment terms (118 days on average) are much longer than supplier payment terms (98 days on average). Therefore, ACTIA decided, as in 2021 for the PGE granted in 2020, to transform the 2021 State Guaranteed Loans into medium-term loans to be paid back over 5 years. With the disposals carried out and the raising of medium-term financing during the year for €38.7 million, including €18.0 million of Recovery Bonds, the Group was able to deal with a change in Working Capital Requirement of <€33.2> million and repay €73.6 million of medium term loans and lease liabilities. The Group's net debt decreased by <5.9%> to €208.7 million with 49.6% of short-term lines of credit used at the end of the year compared to 33.0% at the end of 2021. As short-term debt is at variable rates, but also due to more expensive medium-term financing (cost of the State guarantee for PGE and the Recovery Bonds), interest paid increased by 33.0% over the period, with the interest rate market having changed significantly in 2022.

As announced, ACTIA sold two non-strategic activities that enabled it to focus its resources on embedded electronics for mobility and energy management, and to strengthen its financial structure:

- ☉ Sale of the **Vehicle Inspection and Garage Equipment** business (April 2022)
 - Business, real estate site in Chartres, the MULLER trademark, 30% of the shares of its subsidiary ACTIA CZ (gas analysers, Czech Republic)
 - 2021: Revenue €21 million - Employees: 115
 - Purchaser: BASE Group
 - Transaction: €12.0 million.
 - Logic: cyclical activity, high level of competition, low growth potential
- ☉ Sale of the **Power Division** (August 2022)
 - Electromobility, Energy Storage, Electronics and Power Electronics
 - 2021: Revenue €16.9 million - Employees: 200
 - Purchaser: Plastic Omnium
 - Transaction: €52.5 million - under arbitration (Note 2.4)
 - Logic: make money from an activity requiring significant R&D and CapEx on a market that remains unpredictable (changes, margins, competitive environment, etc.)

Thanks to all of its shares, the Group greatly improved its financial ratios without, however, being able to meet the level of gearing required by certain banking institutions. The numerous discussions during this period highlighted the favourable trend brought about by the measures taken by ACTIA and the exceptional nature of the situation. As a result, the request to suspend covenants on 31 December 2022 was accepted by all the banking partners we contacted.

Note 2.4 Outlook and events after the end of the reporting period

There are no other noteworthy events to report, apart from the impact of the war in Ukraine on the global economy, particularly in Europe, and the shortages in the components market that will continue to affect many product families in 2023. In fact, the arbitration on the sale price of the Power Division to Plastic Omnium will be concluded only at the end of the second quarter and therefore after the approval of the accounts by the Board of Directors and the publication of this document.

In view of the inflation experienced, ACTIA decided to go back to its customers in order to revise its prices upwards so as not to significantly reduce its profitability. This marketing campaign is ongoing.

In order to better protect itself against sudden reversals in the EUR/USD exchange rate, the Group is also working to be able to invoice part of its deliveries to key accounts in US dollars and thus generate a partial natural hedge.

Note 2.5 Changes to IFRS

The new IAS/IFRS texts and interpretations that became effective on 1 January 2022 and have been applied by the Group when preparing these consolidated financial statements on 31 December are as follows:

	IASB date of application	EU date of adoption	EU date of application
Amendments to IAS 16: Products generated before planned use	01/01/2022	28/06/2021	28/06/2021
Amendments to IAS 37: Loss-making contracts - Contract performance costs	01/01/2022	28/06/2021	28/06/2021
Amendments to IFRS 3: Update of the reference to the conceptual framework	01/01/2022	28/06/2021	28/06/2021
Improvement of IFRS 2018-2020 period	01/01/2022	28/06/2021	28/06/2021

In financial terms, ACTIA had €48.4 million in cash at 31 December 2022, meaning it was able to meet its short-term repayment obligations. Nevertheless, in view of the expected growth and in addition to traditional medium-term financing to support its investments in equipment and R&D, ACTIA has decided to implement a more dynamic programme to mobilise its trade receivables through factoring both in France and abroad or through reverse factoring solutions with its customers. It should be noted that there is a gap of almost 20 days between supplier and customer payment terms, which has an impact during periods of sustained growth.

On the basis of the order book at the end of the financial year and considering a supply flow that is still disrupted by shortages, the Group has set itself the objective of achieving a 15% growth in revenue.

In addition to the uncertainty that continues to weigh on the global economy, the Group, which is broadly diversified and present internationally, is making every effort, as it has always done, to ensure its long-term development, driven by cutting-edge expertise on major markets. Its customer portfolio and order book for the next few years give us reason to forecast solid growth which should enable it to aim for revenue of more than €800 million by the end of 2025.

Despite a particularly complex environment generated by the health crisis and its consequences on the components market, ACTIA can draw on various markets geared to environmental and societal challenges, thereby guaranteeing its long-term future. Partnerships in place for many years, with customers, suppliers and banking partners, also provide a solid framework which secures the Group's future.

Consequently, the ACTIA Group Board of Directors approved the financial statements on 31 December 2022 according to the going concern principle.

The application of these new standards, interpretations and amendments has no impact on the Group's consolidated financial statements.

The new IAS/IFRS laws and interpretations passed by the European Union, **but not yet applicable, or applied early by the Group** as of 1 January 2022 are as follows:

	IASB date of application	EU date of adoption	EU date of application
Amendments to IAS 12: Deferred tax related to assets and liabilities arising from a single transaction	01/01/23	11/08/2022	11/08/2022
Amendments to IAS 1: Disclosure of significant accounting policies	01/01/23	02/03/2022	02/03/2022
Amendments to IAS 8: Definition of accounting estimates	01/01/23	02/03/2022	02/03/2022

The Group has chosen not to apply these standards early and does not expect any significant impact on the financial statements as a result of their adoption.

The new IAS/IFRS and interpretations in issue but pending adoption by the European Union and not yet applicable are:

	IASB date of application	EU date of adoption	EU date of application
Amendments to IAS 1: Classification of liabilities as current or non-current	01/01/24	Not yet announced	Not yet announced
Amendments to IFRS 16: Lease liability in a sale and leaseback	01/01/24	Not yet announced	Not yet announced

Note 2.6 Translation of financial statements of subsidiaries denominated in foreign currencies

The financial statements of foreign companies outside the Eurozone are translated as follows:

- ⊙ Assets and liabilities, including goodwill and fair-value consolidation adjustments are translated at the exchange rate of the end of the reporting period, except for goodwill items predating the transition date of 1 January 2005;
- ⊙ Income statement line items are translated at the exchange rate applicable on the transaction dates or, in practice, an approximate rate that in the absence of any major currency fluctuations corresponds to the average rate for the period. For operations in high-inflation countries, the income statement line items of the subsidiary in question must be translated at the applicable rate at the balance sheet date in line with IAS 29 and IFRIC 7;
- ⊙ Exchange differences are recognised as a separate component of shareholders' equity and do not impact the income statement.

Note 2.7 Translation of foreign currency denominated transactions

Foreign currency transactions are translated into the functional currency of each company at the exchange rate applicable on the transaction date.

Foreign currency liabilities and receivables are translated at the exchange rate applicable on 31 December. Unrealised exchange gains (losses) generated as a result are recognised in the income statement.

In accordance with IAS 21 and IFRIC 16, differences on exchange related to permanent financing which is part of the net investment in a consolidated company are recognised in other comprehensive income, in the conversion reserve. Upon the subsequent disposal of these investments, cumulative translation differences initially recognised in shareholders' equity are recognised in income.

Note 2.8 Non-current assets held for sale and discontinued operations

When the Group expects to recover the value of an asset, or a group of assets, by its sale rather than by its use, this asset is presented separately on the “Assets held for sale” line of the statement of financial position, in accordance with IFRS 5 - Non-current assets held for sale and discontinued operations. Liabilities relating to this asset, if any, are also presented on a separate line of the statement of financial position (“Liabilities relating to assets held for sale”). An asset classified as such is measured at the lower of its carrying amount and its fair value, less costs to sell. Therefore, it is no longer depreciated.

All assets and liabilities related to operations held for sale are presented on a separate line from assets and liabilities, after elimination of intra-group positions.

A discontinued operation is a part of the Group that has either been sold or has been categorised as held for sale and which:

- ⊙ represents a separate major line of business or a geographical area of operations;
- ⊙ is part of a single coordinated plan to dispose of a separate, major line of business or geographical area of operations; or
- ⊙ is an operation acquired exclusively with a view to resale.

An operation is classified as discontinued at the time of actual discontinuance or at an earlier date when the operation meets the criteria to be classified as held for sale. When an operation is classified as a discontinued operation, the income statement and the comparative cash flow statement are restated as if the activity had met the criteria for an operation that was discontinued from the start of the comparative period.

Note 2.9 Business combinations

Business combinations between 1 January 2004 and 31 December 2009 were accounted for in accordance with the previous version of IFRS 3. Business combinations after 1 January 2010 are accounted for in accordance with the revised IFRS 3.

The Group applies the purchase method to account for business combinations. The consideration transferred for the acquisition of a subsidiary is the sum of fair values of the assets transferred and the liabilities incurred by the acquirer at the acquisition date and the equity interest issued by the acquirer. The consideration transferred includes contingent consideration, measured and recognised at fair value at the acquisition date.

At the acquisition date, goodwill corresponds to the aggregate of the consideration transferred and the amount of any non-controlling interest in the acquiree minus the net amounts (usually at fair value) of the identifiable assets acquired and the liabilities assumed. Acquisition-related costs are recorded as an incurred expense.

In the case of a step-acquisition that leads to the Group acquiring control of the acquiree, the equity interest previously held by the Group is re-measured at its acquisition date fair value and any resulting gain or loss is recognised in profit or loss.

The initial measurement of goodwill is finalised within a period of twelve months from the acquisition date.

Goodwill is not amortised but tested for impairment annually at the closing date, or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate a potential impairment. The main indicators of impairment used by the Group are as follows:

- ⊙ Quantified indicators:
 - a 15% decline in revenue or a 30% decline in operating income of a CGU at constant scope and exchange rates,
 - a carrying value of the net asset that exceeds the market capitalisation.
- ⊙ Non-quantified indicators:
 - performance significantly below budget forecast,
 - a significant change in the economic, technological, regulatory or political environment in the markets in which the Group operates.

Note 2.10 Tax credits, grants and other public subsidies

ACTIA received government assistance in the form of repayable advances. This form of interest-bearing financing does not fall within the scope of government subsidy management and the criteria of IAS 20. Given the projects financed and the strong likelihood that these advances will be repaid, they are presented in the financial statements under borrowings.

The Group's research and development policy results in the receipt of a research tax credit by the companies established in France. The research tax credit qualifies as a subsidy under IAS 20. It is allocated to a specific income statement line item, impacting operating income: however, the portion of research tax credits that may be allocated to capitalised projects is recognised under deferred income and associated with operating income for the duration of the useful lives of the assets for which it was received.

Grants received able to be allocated to capitalised projects are also accounted for in this manner.

Note 3 Scope of consolidation

Note 3.1 Consolidation criteria

The financial statements of companies directly or indirectly controlled by ACTIA Group are fully consolidated in the consolidated financial statements. The financial statements of companies in which ACTIA Group has a significant influence are accounted for under the equity method.

The balance sheet date for all companies within the scope of consolidation is 31 December.

Note 3.2 Consolidated companies

ACTIA Inc. was liquidated on 28 December 2022.

ACTIA Group sold its entire stake in ACTIA Power to Plastic Omnium on 1 August 2022.

ACTIA Automotive sold 30% of its shares in ACTIA Cz to the Base Group when it sold its Garage Equipment and Vehicle Inspection business on 21 April 2022. On this occasion, our subsidiary took back its former corporate name, namely ATAL.

Name	Seat	SIREN no. or country	% control		Integration method		Business lines
			Dec-21	Dec-22	Dec-21	Dec-22	
ACTIA Group	Toulouse	542,080,791	Consolidating company		Consolidating company		Holding company
Automotive							
ACTIA Automotive	Toulouse	389,187,360	99.99	99.99	Consolidation	Consolidation	Electronics research & manufacturing
ACTIA UK	Newtown	United Kingdom	100.00	100.00	Consolidation	Consolidation	Electronics research & manufacturing
ACTIA PCs	Maisons-Alfort	384,018,263	100.00	100.00	Consolidation	Consolidation	Electronics research & manufacturing
ACTIA Systems	Getafe Madrid	Spain	100.00	100.00	Consolidation	Consolidation	Research and manufacturing of audio and video equipment
SCI Los Olivos	Getafe Madrid	Spain	39.99	39.99	M.E.	M.E.	Real estate
KARFA	Mexico City	Mexico	90.00	90.00	Consolidation	Consolidation	Administration of holdings
ACTIA de Mexico	Mexico City	Mexico	100.00	100.00	Consolidation	Consolidation	Electronics research & manufacturing
ACTIA do Brasil	Porto Alegre	Brazil	97.97	97.97	Consolidation	Consolidation	Electronics research & manufacturing
ACTIA Inc. ⁽¹⁾	Dearborn - Michigan	USA	100.00	0.00	Consolidation	NC	Electronics research & manufacturing
ATAL (formerly ACTIA Cz)	Tabor	Czech Republic	89.98	59.98	Consolidation	Consolidation	Electronics research & manufacturing
ACTIA Italia	Torino	Italy	100.00	100.00	Consolidation	Consolidation	Electronics research & manufacturing
ACTIA 3E	Le Bourget du Lac	381,805,514	99.93	99.93	Consolidation	Consolidation	Electronics research & manufacturing
ACTIA IME	Braunschweig	Germany	100.00	100.00	Consolidation	Consolidation	Electronics research & manufacturing
ACTIA Corp.	Elkhart - Indiana	USA	100.00	100.00	Consolidation	Consolidation	Electronics research & manufacturing
ACTIA Electronics	Romulus - Michigan	USA	100.00	100.00	Consolidation	Consolidation	Electronics manufacturing
ACTIA Polska	Piaseczno	Poland	100.00	100.00	Consolidation	Consolidation	Electronics research & manufacturing
CIPI ACTIA	Tunis	Tunisia	65.80	65.80	Consolidation	Consolidation	Electronics manufacturing
ACTIA India ⁽²⁾	New Delhi	India	51.00	51.00	Consolidation	Consolidation	Electronics research & manufacturing
ACTIA China	Shanghai	China	100.00	100.00	Consolidation	Consolidation	Electronics research & manufacturing
ACTIA Nordic	Linköping	Sweden	100.00	100.00	Consolidation	Consolidation	Electronics research & manufacturing
ACTIA EMS Sweden	Linköping	Sweden	100.00	100.00	Consolidation	Consolidation	Electronics research & manufacturing
ACTIA Tunisie	Tunis	Tunisia	96.96	96.96	Consolidation	Consolidation	Electronics manufacturing
ACTIA Japan	Tokyo	Japan	100.00	100.00	Consolidation	Consolidation	Marketing, sales and technical support
Telecoms					Consolidation	Consolidation	
ACTIA Telecom	St Georges de Luzençon	699,800,306	100.00	100.00	Consolidation	Consolidation	Electronics research & manufacturing
SCI Sodimob	St Georges de Luzençon	419,464,490	100.00	100.00	Consolidation	Consolidation	Real estate
ACTIA Africa	Tunis	Tunisia	99.77	99.77	Consolidation	Consolidation	Marketing, sales and technical support
ACTIA Engineering Services	Tunis	Tunisia	73.33	73.33	Consolidation	Consolidation	Electronics research & design
ACTIA Telematics Services	Naninne	Belgium	100.00	100.00	Consolidation	Consolidation	Electronics research & design
ACTIA Power Holding	Toulouse	892,202,482	100.00	0.00	Consolidation	NC	Holding company
ACTIA Power France	Toulouse	892,368,564	100.00	0.00	Consolidation	NC	Electronics research & manufacturing
ACTIA Power Deutschland	Salzgitter	Germany	100.00	0.00	Consolidation	NC	Electronics research & manufacturing
ACTIA Power US	Elkhart - Indiana	USA	100.00	0.00	Consolidation	NC	Electronics research & manufacturing
SCI de l'Oratoire ⁽³⁾	Colomiers	345,291,405	100.00	100.00	Consolidation	Consolidation	Real estate
SCI Les Coteaux de Pouvoirville	Toulouse	343,074,738	30.00	30.00	M.E.	M.E.	Real estate

⁽¹⁾: Company liquidated⁽²⁾: In the process of being wound up.⁽³⁾: SCI de l'Oratoire is 86% owned by ACTIA Group and 14% by ACTIA Automotive.

Note 4 Intangible assets

Note 4.1 Changes in intangible assets

The gross amounts of intangible fixed assets changed as follows:

☉ In 2022:

In €K	01/01/2022	Changes in scope	Cumulative translation differences	Acquisitions <Transfers>	Disposals and other reductions	IFRS 5	31/12/2022
Goodwill	25,402						25,402
Development costs	136,795	<8,369>	<2,442>	11,369	<974>		136,378
Other intangible assets	13,014	<413>	<95>	674	<167>		13,013
Other intangible assets in progress	970		111	1,805			2,886
TOTAL	176,181	<8,782>	<2,426>	13,847	<1,141>	0	177,678
o.w. right-of-use							
Other intangible assets	513						513
Other intangible assets in progress							

In 2021:

In €K	01/01/2021	Changes in scope	Cumulative translation differences	Acquisitions <Transfers>	Disposals and other reductions	IFRS 5	31/12/2021
Goodwill	25,402						25,402
Development costs	131,167		<87>	9,974	<1,575>	<2,685>	136,795
Other intangible assets	12,100		<4>	1,014	<83>	<13>	13,014
Other intangible assets in progress	528		8	434			970
TOTAL	169,197		<83>	11,422	<1,658>	<2,697>	176,181
o.w. right-of-use							
Other intangible assets	513						513
Other intangible assets in progress							

In accordance with IFRS 5 - Non-current assets held for sale and discontinued operations, the intangible assets of the Vehicle Inspection & Garage Equipment activity had been reclassified as of 31 December 2021. (Note 19 "Assets and liabilities held for sale")

No intangible asset within ACTIA Group is subject to a pledge or other encumbrance.

Amortisation and impairment charges were as follows:

☉ In 2022:

In €K	01/01/2022	Changes in scope	Cumulative translation differences	Provisions	Reversals	IFRS 5	31/12/2022
Goodwill	1,254						1,254
Development costs	81,823	<3,480>	<1,528>	14,100	<735>		90,181
Other intangible assets	11,473	<39>	<92>	354	<153>	<5>	11,538
TOTAL	94,551	<3,519>	<1,620>	14,454	<888>	<5>	102,973
o.w. right-of-use							
Other intangible assets	513						513

No impairment was recorded at 31 December 2022.

☉ In 2021:

In €K	01/01/2021	Changes in scope	Cumulative translation differences	Provisions	Reversals	IFRS 5	31/12/2021
Goodwill	1,254						1,254
Development costs	71,650		<129>	14,452	<1,575>	<2,575>	81,823
Other intangible assets	11,043		<7>	529	<83>	<8>	11,473
TOTAL	83,946		<136>	14,981	<1,658>	<2,583>	94,551
o.w. right-of-use							
Other intangible assets	513						513

No impairment was recorded at 31 December 2021.

Net carrying amounts:

In 2022:

In €K	01/01/2022	Changes in scope	Cumulative translation differences	Net acquisitions <Disposals>	IFRS 5	31/12/2021
Goodwill	24,148					24,148
Development costs	54,971	<4,889>	<914>	<2,971>		46,197
Other intangible assets	1,541	<374>	<3>	307	4	1,475
Other intangible assets in progress	970		111	1,805		2,886
TOTAL	81,630	<5,264>	<806>	<859>	4	74,705
o.w. right-of-use						
Other intangible assets	<0>					<0>
Other intangible assets in progress						

In 2021:

In €K	01/01/2021	Changes in scope	Cumulative translation differences	Net acquisitions <Disposals>	IFRS 5	31/12/2021
Goodwill	24,148					24,148
Development costs	59,518		42	<4,479>	<110>	54,971
Other intangible assets	1,058		3	485	<5>	1,541
Other intangible assets in progress	528		8	434		970
TOTAL	85,251		53	<3,559>	<114>	81,630
o.w. right-of-use						
Other intangible assets	<0>					<0>
Other intangible assets in progress						

Note 4.2 Goodwill

At the end of 2022, the carrying amounts of goodwill were as follows:

In €K	Country	Net balance sheet amounts at 31/12/2022	Net balance sheet amounts at 31/12/2021
ACTIA Telecom	France	11,415	11,415
ACTIA Corp.	USA	7,501	7,501
ACTIA Telematics Services	Belgium	2,480	2,480
ACTIA Nordic	Sweden	1,351	1,351
CIPI ACTIA	Tunisia	922	922
ACTIA PCs	France	390	390
SODIMOB	France	88	88
Total		24,148	24,148

Annual impairment tests are performed on goodwill.

This test covers a specific asset or a cash generating unit (CGU) or a group of CGUs. A CGU is the smallest identifiable group of assets generating cash inflows that are largely independent of the cash inflows from other assets or groups of assets.

Goodwill is allocated to one CGU. The CGU for goodwill is generally that of the entity originally acquired.

The impairment test is intended to compare the carrying amount of the asset or CGU group with its recoverable amount. The recoverable amount is the greater of:

- ⊙ The fair value less selling costs;
- ⊙ The value in use, this being the present value of the future cash flows likely to flow from the asset or CGU. Future cash flows are determined from four-year budgets for the CGU or CGU groups in question, approved by Group management. The growth rates used for subsequent periods are flat. The discount rates (WACC) are determined by using in particular a risk-free rate for the geographic region in question, plus a specific risk premium for the assets in question.

Where the carrying amount exceeds the recoverable amount, an impairment loss is recognised in the income statement under the line item “goodwill impairment”. Impairment in a CGU is firstly allocated to goodwill and then to the other assets of the CGU in proportion to their carrying amounts.

Impairment losses recognised in respect of goodwill are never reversed.

In accordance with IAS 36, impairment tests are conducted for all goodwill by applying the discounted cash flow method to the business plans of the relevant CGUs.

The discount rates used for these impairment tests are presented below:

In €K	2022		2021	
	Europe	USA	Europe	USA
Automotive	between 8.3% and 9.3% ⁽¹⁾	between 11.0% and 12.0%	between 8.2% and 9.2% ⁽¹⁾	between 7.9% and 8.9%
Telecoms	between 9.0% and 10.0%	-	between 6.5% and 7.5%	-

⁽¹⁾: CIPI-ACTIA (Tunisia): between 14.8% and 16.8%.

The perpetuity growth rate ranges between 1% and 2% for all impairment tests conducted in Europe, and 1.5% for the Americas.

Based on these tests applied to the reasonable cash flow forecast scenarios and including the analysis of the sensitivity of amounts to changes in assumptions and the parameters used, no impairment was identified. The items used to assess the most significant values tested CGU ACTIA Telecom and ACTIA Corp.) are presented below:

⊙ Tests of **ACTIA Telecom** goodwill:

ACTIA Telecom's goodwill was allocated to a CGU comprised of all the operating assets of this entity.

The recoverable amount represents the value in use of the CGU. It was determined on the basis of the following assumptions:

- **cash flow forecasts** prepared by management taking into account changes in sales, based on an assessment of the order book and reasonable assumptions for winning new business via calls for tender for the subsequent four years and the expected change in the working capital requirement;
- the level of annual replacement capital expenditure;
- management calculates these assumptions on the basis of its experience as well as prior results;
- the period covered by these cash flow forecasts is four years (2023 to 2026);
- the rate used to discount the cash flows is 9.3% after tax;
- the AAGR for sales is 7.4% for the specific time-frame;
- the terminal value was calculated from cash flows to which a 2% perpetuity growth rate was applied;

- analyses of the sensitivity of the value of goodwill to changes in assumptions about forecast operating flows and the discount rate indicate that the possibility of a loss in value would arise for the Telecoms Division from one of the following adverse assumptions:

- normalised EBITDA/Revenue ratio below 0.5% with respect to that used to estimate the terminal cash flows;
- discount rate above 0.4% with respect to the central rate described above.

⊙ Tests of ACTIA Corp. goodwill. (USA):

The goodwill of **ACTIA Corp.** was allocated to a CGU consisting of all the operating assets of ACTIA Corp.

The recoverable amount represents the value in use of the CGU. It was determined on the basis of the following assumptions:

- **cash flow forecasts** prepared by management taking into account changes in sales, based on an assessment of the order book and reasonable assumptions for winning new business via calls for tender for the subsequent three years and the expected change in the working capital requirement;
- the level of annual replacement capital expenditure;
- management assumptions are calculated on the basis of past experience;
- the period covered by these cash flow forecasts is four years (2023 to 2026);

- the rate used to discount the cash flows is 11.7% after tax;
- the AAGR for sales is 32.1% for the specific timeframe;
- the terminal value was calculated from cash flows to which a 1.5% perpetuity growth rate was applied;
- given the significant margin resulting from the impairment test, the analyses of the sensitivity of the value of goodwill to changes in assumptions about forecast operating flows and the discount rate do not reveal any risks.

Note 4.3 Development costs and other intangible assets

Other intangible assets are presented in the balance sheet at acquisition or production cost, less cumulative amortisation and impairment losses. They are recognised as assets if they are controlled by the Group, if they generate future economic benefits for the Group and meet the identification criteria below:

- ⊙ They are separable from the entity (possibility of sale, transfer, disposal, etc.) individually or together with another asset/liability, or
- ⊙ They stem from contractual or other legal rights.

The various types of intangible assets identifiable in the Group include development costs and patents and brands.

Except for development costs, the other intangible assets are amortised on a straight-line basis calculated over their useful lives of three to seven years.

Development costs

An intangible asset resulting from a development phase is recognised in assets if and only if the following criteria are satisfied:

- ⊙ It is technically feasible to complete the intangible asset so that it will be available for use or sale;
- ⊙ The entity must intend to complete the intangible asset and use or sell it;
- ⊙ It must be able to use or sell the intangible asset;

To date, impairment charges for goodwill amount to €1,254,000 and correspond to:

- ⊙ A goodwill impairment loss for ACTIA Polska: €224,000 (recognised in 2008);
- ⊙ a goodwill impairment loss for ACTIA Telecom: €1 million (€500,000 recognised in 2009 and €500,000 in 2012);
- ⊙ a goodwill impairment loss for KARFA: €30,000 (recognised in 2015).

- ⊙ It must know how the intangible asset will generate probable future economic benefits. Among other things, the entity must be able to demonstrate the existence of a market for the output of the intangible asset or the intangible asset itself or, if it is to be used internally, the usefulness of the intangible asset;
- ⊙ Adequate technical, financial and other resources must be available to complete the development and to use or sell the intangible asset, and
- ⊙ It must be possible to reliably measure the expenditure attributable to the intangible asset during its development.

The cost of this internally generated intangible asset includes all expenses necessary to create, produce and prepare the non-current asset to be exploited as planned by the Group.

Other development costs are expensed as they arise.

No intangible asset arising from research is recognised as an asset. Research costs are expensed as they arise.

The amortisation of development costs reflects the expected rate at which economic benefits will be obtained from the asset. The methods used are straight-line amortisation or unit of production. The useful lives depend on the assets in question. They run from three to five years.

The useful lives are reviewed at each balance sheet date. There are no intangible assets for which the useful life is considered indefinite.

The main intangible assets added in the last two financial years are presented in the table below:

In €K	2022	2021
Development costs		
Automotive Division	9,934	11,840
Telecoms Division	623	802
TOTAL	10,557	12,642
Other intangible assets		
Automotive Division	3,515	854
Telecoms Division	6	561
TOTAL	3,521	1,416

The table below summarises the changes in the total research and development expenditure:

In €K	2022	2021
Automotive Division	64,743	68,012
<i>o.w. Cost of research commissioned by customers</i>	<i>23,431</i>	<i>26,188</i>
<i>Non-current assets</i>	<i>13,104</i>	<i>11,913</i>
<i>Period expenses</i>	<i>28,208</i>	<i>29,911</i>
Telecoms Division	15,558	12,146
<i>o.w. Cost of research commissioned by customers</i>	<i>10,448</i>	<i>7,622</i>
<i>Non-current assets</i>	<i>623</i>	<i>802</i>
<i>Period expenses</i>	<i>4,487</i>	<i>3,722</i>
Total	80,301	80,158
<i>Amortisation of capitalised development costs not included in the total expenditure calculation</i>	<i>13,572</i>	<i>15,948</i>

Most companies of the Automotive Division engage in R&D activity. ACTIA Automotive (France) contributes 55.0% (approximately 46.8% in 2021) ACTIA IME (Germany) for 6.8% (6.9% in 2021) and ACTIA Nordic (Sweden) 18.7% (15.6% in 2021), with the balance of R&D activity equally allocated among the other entities of the division. .It should be noted that the Tunisian Design office, ACTIA Engineering Services, works mostly for the other Group entities and this work is therefore eliminated (IG) at its level for the benefit of companies that ordered the development.

In the Telecoms Division, work is carried out by all the ACTIA Telecom entities, and it may also use ACTIA Engineering Services for certain types of work, which are also eliminated (IG).

The Group's R&D investment policy focuses on five areas:

- ⊙ Telematics for vehicles, including both OEM and Aftermarket and associated services;
- ⊙ Power electronics for vehicles;
- ⊙ Electronics in relation to micromobility;
- ⊙ Vehicle inspection and repair equipment;
- ⊙ Professional microwave communications equipment.

In these areas, ACTIA must anticipate the arrival of new products and use the most modern technologies while meeting the requirements of increasing global standardisation and cost management. ACTIA must also support its export customers and identify new foreign markets.

Note 5 Tangible assets

Items of property plant and equipment are recognised as assets at acquisition cost less cumulative depreciation and impairment losses. The Group has chosen the cost model as the measurement method.

Cost components include:

- ⊙ The purchase price, including import duties and non-refundable purchase taxes less trade discounts and rebates;
- ⊙ The costs directly attributable to transferring and commissioning the asset and;
- ⊙ If applicable, the initial estimate of the costs of dismantling and removing the item and restoring the site.

When material components of items of property, plant and equipment can be determined and they have different useful lives and depreciation methods, they are recognised by component as separate items of property, plant and equipment.

The Group recognises the replacement cost of a component of an item of property, plant or equipment in the carrying amount of that asset when the cost is incurred, if it is likely that the future economic benefits associated with this asset will flow to the Group and its cost can be reliably measured. All ordinary upkeep and maintenance costs are expensed when incurred.

The Group operates in 16 countries and incurs considerable R&D expenditure. Over the past five years, these expenses have averaged 16.7% of consolidated sales. This proactive policy generates inflows for France in the form of significant research tax credits and grants (€7.3 million for 2022, compared to €7.2 million in 2021).

In 2022, total R&D expenditure represented 16.1% of Group revenue, compared to 17.3% in 2021. Thus, even in this difficult period, ACTIA demonstrated its desire to maintain a high level of innovation, supported by multi-year customer programmes.

The level of R&D expenditure incurred in ACTIA's income statement, after adjusting for the portion charged to customers, government subsidies and time lags (fixed assets/depreciation), accounted for 7.7% of revenue in 2022, as opposed to 9.0% in 2021. The customer chargeback rate was 42.2% in 2022, the same as in 2021. The Group therefore recorded an increase in its capitalised R&D of +8.0%.

ACTIA has identified three components of buildings:

- ⊙ The structure: 40-year useful life;
- ⊙ Interior work: 20-year useful life.
- ⊙ Fixtures and fittings: 10-year useful life.

The breakdown of some buildings with a very specific structure (glass cladding, etc.) has been adjusted so that the useful lives indicated correspond to the actual life of the property.

The depreciable amount is systematically allocated over the useful life of the asset. Depreciation is calculated on a straight-line basis and the useful lives applied by the Group are as follows:

- ⊙ Technical installations, equipment, tooling: over 6 to 10 years;
- ⊙ Other property, plant and equipment: over 3 to 10 years.

The useful lives are reviewed at each balance sheet date.

The Group has not determined any material residual value for its property, plant and equipment.

Note 5.1 Changes in tangible assets

Gross amounts of property, plant and equipment changed as follows:

☉ In 2022:

In €K	01/01/2022	Changes in scope	Cumulative translation differences	Acquisitions <Transfers>	Disposals and other reductions	IFRS 5	31/12/2022
Land	2,902		6	3	<98>	<0>	2,813
Buildings	62,380	<2,726>	<170>	8,193	<3,370>	<21>	64,285
Technical equipment	83,020	<2,094>	<51>	5,606	<1,508>	<59>	84,913
Facilities and tools							
Other items of property, plant and equipment	38,537	<1,209>	<166>	1,984	<1,368>		37,779
Total	186,839	<6,030>	<380>	15,785	<6,344>	<81>	189,789
o.w. right-of-use							
Land	260						260
Buildings	30,778	<579>	<396>	4,377	<3,023>	1	31,159
Technical equipment	23,499		<13>	<63>	<67>		23,356
Facilities and tools							
Other items of property, plant and equipment	10,111	<78>	<149>	2,674	<439>		12,120

☉ In 2021:

In €K	01/01/2021	Changes in scope	Cumulative translation differences	Acquisitions <Transfers>	Disposals and other reductions	IFRS 5	31/12/2021
Land	3,625		48			<771>	2,902
Buildings	62,361		1,042	6,977	<285>	<7,715>	62,380
Technical equipment	78,022		815	5,062	<257>	<622>	83,020
Facilities and tools							
Other items of property, plant and equipment	37,885		397	1,317	<564>	<497>	38,537
Total	181,892		2,302	13,356	<1,106>	<9,605>	186,839
o.w. right-of-use							
Land	260						260
Buildings	26,235		287	4,609	<285>	<67>	30,778
Technical equipment	18,389		<3>	5,115	<1>		23,499
Facilities and tools							
Other items of property, plant and equipment	9,185		5	1,025	<104>		10,111

The amortisation was as follows:

☉ In 2022:

In €K	01/01/2022	Changes in scope	Cumulative translation differences	Provisions	Reversals	IFRS 5	31/12/2022
Land	13						13
Buildings	26,824	<379>	<171>	3,100	<1,865>	19	27,528
Technical equipment	64,247	<863>	<92>	6,600	<1,454>	47	68,485
Facilities and tools							
Other items of property, plant and equipment	25,745	<97>	<38>	2,061	<1,388>		26,282
TOTAL	116,829	<1,339>	<301>	11,760	<4,707>	66	122,309
o.w. right-of-use							
Land	13						13
Buildings	18,017	<94>	<234>	1,536	<1,450>		17,775
Technical equipment	17,160		<14>	2,194	<48>		19,293
Facilities and tools							
Other items of property, plant and equipment	8,616	<14>	<66>	527	<370>		8,693

☉ In 2021:

In €K	01/01/2021	Changes in scope	Cumulative translation differences	Provisions	Reversals	IFRS 5	31/12/2021
Land	13						13
Buildings	23,916		242	4,267	<0>	<1,601>	26,824
Technical equipment	57,375		475	7,287	<373>	<517>	64,247
Facilities and tools							
Other items of property, plant and equipment	23,155		272	2,872	<423>	<131>	25,745
TOTAL	104,458		990	14,427	<797>	<2,249>	116,829
o.w. right-of-use							
Land	13						13
Buildings	15,441		25	2,651	<33>	<67>	18,017
Technical equipment	14,725		<3>	2,438			17,160
Facilities and tools							
Other items of property, plant and equipment	7,688		<0>	940	<11>	<0>	8,616

Net carrying amounts:

☉ In 2022:

In €K	01/01/2022	Changes in scope	Cumulative translation differences	Net acquisitions <Disposals>	IFRS 5	31/12/2022
Land	2,889		6	<95>	<0>	2,799
Buildings	35,556	<2,347>	0	3,588	<40>	36,756
Technical equipment	18,773	<1,231>	42	<1,049>	<107>	16,428
Facilities and tools	12,793	<1,111>	<128>	<57>		11,497
Other items of property, plant and equipment	12,793	<1,111>	<128>	<57>		11,497
TOTAL	70,010	<4,690>	<80>	2,387	<147>	67,480
o.w. right-of-use						
Land	247					247
Buildings	12,761	<485>	<162>	1,267	<1>	13,380
Technical equipment	6,339		1	<2,277>		4,063
Facilities and tools						
Other items of property, plant and equipment	1,495	<64>	<83>	2,079		3,427

☉ In 2021:

In €K	01/01/2021	Changes in scope	Cumulative translation differences	Net acquisitions <Disposals>	IFRS 5	31/12/2021
Land	3,612		48		<771>	2,889
Buildings	38,445		800	2,425	<6,114>	35,556
Technical equipment	20,647		340	<2,109>	<105>	18,773
Facilities and tools	14,730		125	<1,697>	<366>	12,793
Other items of property, plant and equipment	14,730		125	<1,697>	<366>	12,793
TOTAL	77,434		1,312	<1,380>	<7,356>	70,010
o.w. right-of-use						
Land	247					247
Buildings	10,794		263	1,705		12,761
Technical equipment	3,664		0	2,675		6,339
Facilities and tools						
Other items of property, plant and equipment	1,497		6	<8>		1,495

Property, plant and equipment used as collateral are listed in Note 28: “Encumbered assets and off-balance sheet commitments” in the notes to the consolidated financial statements.

The main acquisitions relate to:

In €K	2022	2021
Land		
Automotive Division		
Telecoms Division		
Sub-total		
Buildings		
Automotive Division	4,501	4,297
Telecoms Division	280	775
Other (incl. Holding company)		
Sub-total	4,781	5,072
Technical equipment		
Automotive Division	3,630	4,507
Telecoms Division	743	446
Sub-total	4,373	4,953
Other tangible assets		
Automotive Division	7,765	3,639
Telecoms Division	1,057	834
Other (incl. Holding company)		18
Sub-total	8,822	4,491
Total	17,976	14,516

All new items of property, plant and equipment were purchased from third party suppliers.

The Other property, plant and equipment item includes construction and renovation work not yet delivered on the close date.

Note 5.2 Depreciation of tangible assets

Where there are indications of impairment, an impairment test of the other assets is systematically performed.

Impairment losses recognised in respect of other assets may be reversed where there has been a change in the estimates used to determine the recoverable amount. The carrying amount of an asset that has been increased due to reversal of impairment may not exceed the carrying amount that would have existed, net of depreciation or amortisation, if no impairment loss had been recognised.

In the event of an impairment loss on an asset or CGU, an impairment is systematically recognised. It is allocated to the “Depreciation and amortisation expense” line item in the income statement, which is accordingly renamed “Depreciation and amortisation expense and impairment loss.” As of 31 December 2022, no provisions for impairment of property, plant and equipment had been recognised.

Note 6 Equity method investments

In €K	Value of securities		Share of net income	
	31/12/2022	31/12/2021	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
SCI Los Olivos	407	398	8	<6>
SCI Les Coteaux de Pourville	501	458	71	101
Total	908	856	79	95

After the investor’s interest is reduced to zero, additional losses are recognised by a provision (liability) only to such extent that the investor has incurred legal or constructive obligations or made payments on behalf of the associate or joint venture. (See Note 17: “Employee provisions and benefits” in the notes to the consolidated financial statements.

Financial information on the investments in associates (equity method) is set out below:

⊙ At 31 December 2022:

In €K	Total Assets	Debt	Revenue	Income
SCI Los Olivos	2,519	1,454	176	21
SCI Les Coteaux de Pourville	6,914	4,768	984	243

⊙ At 31 December 2021:

In €K	Total Assets	Debt	Revenue	Income
SCI Los Olivos	2,631	1,587	176	<14>
SCI Les Coteaux de Pourville	7,278	5,357	965	245

Note 7 Other non-current financial assets

In €K	31/12/2022			31/12/2021		
	Gross	Depreciation	Net	Gross	Depreciation	Net
Non-consolidated fixed securities	337	<227>	109	324	<228>	96
Receivables on non-consolidated investments	96	<72>	24	94	<72>	23
Deposits and guarantees	2,066		2,066	1,845		1,845
Loans and miscellaneous	44	0	44	35		35
TOTAL	2,542	<299>	2,243	2,298	<300>	1,999

In 2022, financial assets generated €337,000 in income, included in the income statement under “Other financial income,” compared with €178,000 in 2021.

Note 8 Stocks and work in progress

Inventory costs include:

- ⊙ Purchase cost: purchase price and related expenses;
- ⊙ Conversion costs: labour and indirect production costs;
- ⊙ Other costs: included in inventory costs only if incurred to bring the inventories to their current location and condition.

The net realisable value of stocks was as follows:

€K (Net value)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Raw materials	116,592	85,019
R&D costs pursuant to the execution of contracts	47,726	45,028
Intermediate and finished products	37,346	31,940
Goods	8,989	10,669
Total	210,654	172,656

Inventories of services in process are measured at the cost of production, labour and other personnel expenses directly incurred to provide the service.

Inventory costs are determined according to the weighted average cost method.

Inventories are measured at the lower of cost and net realisable value, this being the estimated selling price in the normal course of business less estimated completion and selling costs.

Changes in inventories in 2022 are set out below:

In €K	Gross	Depreciation	Net
At 31/12/2021	184,761	<12,105>	172,656
Change over the period	51,156	<1,698>	49,458
Net depreciation		1,116	1,116
Changes in scope	<13,607>	969	<12,638>
Effect of exchange rates	298	<24>	274
IFRS 5	<212>	0	<212>
AT 31/12/2022	222,396	<11,742>	210,654

Scrapped inventories amounted to €2,163,000, compared with €2,076,000 in 2021, and concerned primarily:

- ⊙ ACTIA Automotive: €1,364,000 (accumulated provision of €366,000 from prior periods); ⊙ ACTIA Telecom: €264,000 (accumulated provision of €120,000 from prior periods).

The gross value of inventory increased by €51.2 million during 2022 (before changes in scope) compared to a €30.1 million decrease during 2021. The breakdown of these changes is presented below:

In €K		2022	2021
Raw materials		+ 43,485	+ 27,739
o.w.	Automotive Division	+ 35,741	+ 24,891
	Telecoms Division	+ 7,744	+ 2,848
R&D costs pursuant to the execution of contracts		+ 2,539	+ 7,546
o.w.	Automotive Division	+ 1,140	+ 3,575
	Telecoms Division	+ 1,399	+ 3,971
Intermediate and finished products		+ 6,106	<1,951>
o.w.	Automotive Division	+ 4,353	<2,553>
	Telecoms Division	+ 1,754	+ 602
Goods		<888>	<3,186>
o.w.	Automotive Division	<888>	<3,186>
	Telecoms Division	+ 0	+ 0

Pledged inventories are set out in Note 28 “Encumbered assets and off-balance sheet commitments” in the notes to the consolidated financial statements.

Note 9 Trade and other receivables

Trade and other accounts receivable are measured at fair value upon initial recognition then at amortised cost less the amount of expected credit losses.

Where there are objective indications of impairment, the amount of the loss recognised is the difference between the carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows, discounted at the original effective interest rate of the asset.

The details of **trade receivables and other current receivables** are given in the following table:

In €K	Net value at 31/12/2021	Changes over the period	Depreciation / reversals	Changes in scope	Effect of exchange rates	IFRS 5	Net value at 31/12/2022
Trade receivables	144,739	20,664	<654>	<4,349>	<186>	<452>	159,762
Pre-payments	7,017	642		<1,323>	<34>	9	6,311
Social security receivables	1,097	<468>		<14>	44	<0>	659
VAT claims	5,118	4,256		<2,058>	<25>		7,291
Accrued charges	2,920	948		<156>	<69>	<7>	3,636
Other receivables	1,677	957		<119>	100	1	2,616
Other current receivables	17,830	6,334		<3,670>	16	3	20,513
Tax receivables	612	783		<2>	188		1,580
Research tax credit	10,861	<1,461>					9,400
Current tax credit	11,473	<678>		<2>	188		10,981
Total	174,042	26,320	<654>	<8,022>	18	<448>	191,255

Non-recourse factoring and reverse factoring solutions are in place in the subsidiaries ACTIA Nordic (Sweden), ACTIA Systems (Spain), ACTIA Telecom and ACTIA Automotive for a used envelope of €10.1 million at 31 December 2022 compared to €10.4 million at 31 December 2021. Under IFRS 9, as the totality of the risks and benefits related to the assigned receivables had been transferred to the assignee as part of this factoring transaction, the assigned receivables were deconsolidated.

At 31 December 2022, the schedule for gross trade receivables not yet due and past due (aged balance) was as follows:

In €K	Not yet due	Past due by 0 to 30 days	Past due by 31 to 60 days	Past due by 61 to 90 days	Past due by more than 91 days	Total trade receivables (Gross)
Gross at 31/12/2022	133,594	10,563	4,689	2,209	13,228	164,283
Gross at 31/12/2021	112,251	5,942	5,638	3,826	21,321	148,977

No **significant losses for bad debt** were recognised in 2022, as in 2021.

Note 10 Other contractual assets and liabilities

As part of the application of the new IFRS 15 “Revenue from contracts with customers”, for any given contract, the cumulative sum of revenues recognised in exchange for all the contractual service obligations, after deduction of the payments received and the trade receivables accounted for separately, are presented below under the headings contractual assets or contractual liabilities, if the balance is negative.

Any provisions for onerous contracts, known as forecast losses, are excluded from these balances and presented under provisions for liabilities and charges.

In €K	At 31/12/2022	At 31/12/2021
Contractual assets	20,511	16,448
Contractual liabilities	<9,502>	<6,990>

Note 11 Cash, cash equivalents and financial instruments at fair value through profit and loss

Note 11.1 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash is comprised of the sums available in bank accounts at the balance sheet date. Instantly repayable bank overdrafts constitute a component of cash and cash equivalents for cash flow statement purposes.

Cash equivalents are very liquid short-term investments comprised of marketable securities readily convertible into a known amount of cash and subject to an insignificant risk of a change in value. They are recognised at the market value at the balance sheet date, with the investment bonus recognised in income.

These items changed as follows:

In €K	31/12/2022	31/12/2021	Change
Cash equivalents	93	87	6
Cash	48,279	56,552	<8,273>
Cash and cash equivalents	48,372	56,639	<8,267>
<Short-term bank borrowings>	<41,637>	<36,354>	<5,283>
Total	6,735	20,285	<13,551>
Cash, cash equivalents and short-term bank borrowings presented in the Assets/Liabilities held for sale lines	324	1,291	<967>
Cash and cash equivalents at closing presented in the Cash flow statement	7,058	21,576	<14,518>

ACTIA sells marketable securities at year-end, which are accordingly recorded under income as definitive capital gains.

Note 11.2 Financial instruments at fair value through profit and loss

ACTIA uses derivative financial instruments to hedge its exposure to foreign exchange risks. In accordance with its treasury management policy, the Group neither holds nor issues derivatives for trading purposes. However, derivatives not satisfying the hedge accounting criteria are treated as speculative.

Because the applicable criteria were not met for the periods presented, (hedging of future flows - cash flow hedge), hedge accounting was not applied. Currency risk hedging instruments were measured and recognised at fair value.

Note that the purpose of these tools is to secure the cost of acquisition of US Dollars necessary to buy components at a reasonable price secured with respect to the significant market fluctuations.

Currency hedging instruments break down as follows:

In currency	Maximum amount remaining to be acquired at 31/12/2022	Maturity
Currency purchases		
EUR/USD TARF	\$54,560,000	< 1 year
EUR/USD Accumulator	\$103,417,538	< 1 year
EUR/USD Accumulator	\$52,200,000	< 2 years
Total	\$210,177,538	

ACTIA recognises these currency hedging instruments at fair value through profit and loss under “Other financial income” and “Other financial expenses.”

Note that the Group carried out Dollar purchases of \$133.9 million compared with \$124.6 million in 2021. The purchases are hedged via financial instruments or, to a lesser extent, via natural hedges.

Details of the impact of this accounting treatment on earnings are set out below:

In €K	31/12/2022		31/12/2021	
	Fair value	Impact	Fair value	Impact
Financial instruments ASSETS <LIABILITIES>				
EUR/USD Hedges	<3,169>	<4,059>	890	8,308
Total	<3,169>	<4,059>	890	8,308

Note 12 Deferred taxation

Deferred taxes stem in particular from:

- ⊙ Tax-loss carryforwards;
- ⊙ Temporary differences that may exist between the consolidation amount and the tax base of certain assets and liabilities.

In line with the balance sheet liability method, deferred tax is measured on the basis of the tax rates and regulations adopted or substantially adopted at the balance sheet date.

Tax liabilities of a company may under certain conditions be reduced by the amount of deferred tax losses that may be reasonably allocated as a reverse entry and deferred taxes on deductible temporary differences.

Deferred tax assets are recognised when their recovery is likely. Tax losses or timing differences must be applied to future taxable income, within the limits that may apply under French law. Deferred tax assets are written down where the availability of sufficient taxable profit ceases to be likely.

Use of tax loss carryforwards is capped and in accordance with our business plans. ACTIA works with four- and five-year budgets. In consequence, unused tax losses for which no deferred tax asset was recognised amount to €49.7 million, compared with €70.3 million at 31 December 2021. The potential tax gain represents €12.6 million, compared with €18.3 million at 31 December 2021. These tax losses do not expire.

Pursuant to IAS 12, deferred tax assets and liabilities are not discounted. They are presented in the balance sheet according to the case as non-current assets and liabilities.

In €K	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Tax assets recognised under:		
Timing differences	5,127	3,110
<i>Of which provision for pension benefits</i>	1,273	1,955
<i>Of which profits on stocks</i>	548	415
<i>Of which other adjustments</i>	3,305	740
Losses carried forward	8,167	8,142
Net total tax assets	13,294	11,252
Tax liabilities recognised under:		
Deferred tax liabilities	959	1,646
Net total tax liabilities	959	1,646
Net total deferred tax assets and liabilities	12,335	9,606

Note 13 Financial assets and liabilities

The various financial instrument categories are held-to-maturity assets, loans and receivables issued by the Company, financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss and other financial liabilities.

Loans and receivables issued by the Company

After their initial recognition, they are carried at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method and an impairment may be recognised depending on the valuation of expected credit losses.

Derecognition of financial assets from the financial statements is dependent on the transfer of the risks and rewards inherent in the asset, as well as the transfer of control over it. Accordingly, discounted bills not yet due and the Daily-type factored receivables for guarantee purposes are carried in “Accounts receivable.”

Financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss

Purchases and sales of financial assets at fair value through profit or loss are recognised at the transaction date.

Marketable securities are recognised at their market value on the date of closing.

Other liabilities (interest-bearing loans and borrowings)

After their initial recognition, they are recognised using the effective interest rate method.

Investment securities

The Group has holdings in companies without having significant influence or control. The IFRS 9 standard offers the irreversible option, at the first accounting date for each instrument, of classifying them at fair value through non-transferable equity. In this case, unrealised profits or losses are not transferred to income in the event of disposal. If there is no active market, and the fair value cannot be determined reliably using alternative methods, they are kept in the balance sheet at amortised cost.

Hybrid financial instruments

The Group may also issue convertible bonds and share warrants. These hybrid financial instruments are broken down into debt and shareholders' equity components.

Derivatives

They are described in detail in Note 11.2 of the notes to the consolidated financial statements: “Financial instruments at fair value through profit and loss.”

Transfer of financial asset instruments

The Group derecognises a financial asset when the contractual rights to receive cash flows generated by it expire, or when it transfers the rights to receive these contractual cash flows through a transaction in which substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the financial asset are transferred, or when it neither retains nor transfers substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership and no longer retains control of the transferred asset. Any interest created or retained by the Group in derecognised financial assets is recognised separately as an asset or liability.

Otherwise, receivables are maintained as balance sheet assets and the Group continues to bear the risk of debtor default. The sum paid by the bank is recognised in cash with an offset for the bank debt in liabilities. This debt and the receivable are only eliminated from the balance sheet where the debtor has settled its debt with the financial institution. Expenses incurred are recognised as a deduction from debt, which is measured using the amortised cost method at the effective interest rate.

The Group distinguishes between three categories of financial instruments according to the consequences of their characteristics in terms of their valuation method, and uses this classification to present some of the types of information required by the standard IFRS 13:

- ⊙ Level 1 “market price:” financial instruments quoted on an active market;
- ⊙ Level 2 “model with observable inputs:” financial instruments valued using valuation techniques based on observable inputs;
- ⊙ Level 3 “model with unobservable inputs.”

Note 13.1 Financial assets

The following table presents the carrying value of financial assets:

In €K	31/12/2022				31/12/2021			
	Amortised cost	Financial assets at fair value through profit and loss	Financial assets at fair value through OCI	Consolidated Group accounts (*)	Amortised cost	Financial assets at fair value through profit and loss	Financial assets at fair value through OCI	Consolidated Group accounts (*)
Non-current assets								
Non-current financial assets	2,243			2,243	1,999			1,999
Non-current research tax credit	15,137			15,137	14,147			14,147
Current assets								
Trade receivables	159,762			159,762	144,739			144,739
Other current receivables	20,513			20,513	17,830			17,830
Current tax credit	10,980			10,980	11,473			11,473
Financial instruments		0		0		890		890
Cash equivalents		93		93		87		87
Cash	48,279			48,279	56,552			56,552
Total	256,914	93	0	257,007	246,740	977	0	247,717

(*) Fair value is identical to the value recognised in the consolidated accounts for all financial assets.

At 31 December 2022, financial assets measured at fair value were classified as follows:

In €K	Level 1 market value	Level 2 With observable inputs	Level 3 With unobservable inputs
Financial instruments			
Cash equivalents	93		
Total	93		

Note 13.2 Financial liabilities

The following table presents the carrying value of financial liabilities:

In €K	31/12/2022			31/12/2021		
	Financial liabilities at amortised cost	Financial liabilities at fair value through profit and loss	Consolidated Group accounts (*)	Financial liabilities at amortised cost	Financial liabilities at fair value through profit and loss	Consolidated Group accounts (*)
Non-current liabilities						
Bond issues	28,833		28,833	15,417		15,417
Borrowings from credit institutions	111,721		111,721	148,710		148,710
Other financial liabilities	0	499	499	0	963	963
Debt – lease financing	16,570		16,570	15,966		15,966
Current liabilities						
Short-term debt	99,037	434	99,471	96,720	673	97,393
Financial instruments	0	3,169	3,169	0	0	0
Suppliers	104,467		104,467	92,408		92,408
Other liabilities	84,956		84,956	74,171		74,171
Corporate taxes (IS)	1,141		1,141	1,267		1,267
Total	446,727	4,102	450,828	444,660	1,637	446,296

(*) Fair value is close to the value recognised in the consolidated accounts for financial liabilities.

At 31 December 2022, financial liabilities measured at fair value were classified as follows:

In €K	Level 1 market value	Level 2 With observable inputs	Level 3 With unobservable inputs
Non-current liabilities			
Miscellaneous liabilities	499		
Current liabilities			
Short-term debt	434		
Financial instruments		3,169	
Total	933	3,169	-

Note 14 Financial Debt

Financial debt by type and by maturity breaks down as follows:

In €K	31/12/2022				31/12/2021			
	< 1 year	From 1 to 5 years	> 5 years	Total	< 1 year	From 1 to 5 years	> 5 years	Total
Bond issues	4,583	6,250	18,000	28,833	4,583	10,833	0	15,417
Borrowings from credit institutions	47,598	110,282	6,022	163,902	50,438	134,250	19,044	203,732
Miscellaneous liabilities	948	307	192	1,447	1,278	726	238	2,241
Rental-related financial liabilities (*)	4,705	13,247	3,323	21,275	4,740	13,098	2,867	20,706
Short-term bank borrowings and overdrafts	41,637			41,637	36,354			36,354
Total	99,471	130,086	27,538	257,095	97,393	158,907	22,149	278,450

(*) see the "Tangible assets" paragraph

Changes in financial liabilities in 2022 are set out below:

In €K	01/01/2022	Monetary changes			Non-monetary changes				31/12/2022
		New borrowings	Repayments of borrowings	Changes in scope	IFRS 16	Change in fair value	Cumulative translation differences	Other	
Bond issues	15,417	18,000	<4,583>						28,833
Borrowings from credit institutions	203,732	20,218	<59,416>	<988>			357		163,902
Miscellaneous liabilities	2,242	345	<1,131>			<37>	<24>	54	1,448
Debt – lease financing	20,706		<8,246>	<563>	9,653		<275>		21,275
Short-term bank borrowings and overdrafts	36,354		5,116				168	0	41,637
Total	278,450	38,562	<68,261>	<1,551>	9,653	<37>	226	54	257,096

Changes in financial liabilities in 2021 are set out below:

In €K	01/01/2021	Monetary changes			Non-monetary changes				31/12/2021
		New borrowings	Repayments of borrowings	Changes in scope	Leaseback capitalisation	Change in fair value	Cumulative translation differences	Other	
Bond issues	20,000		<4,583>						15,417
Borrowings from credit institutions	173,913	68,442	<38,491>				305	<437>	203,732
Miscellaneous liabilities	2,542	185	<491>			<24>	29		2,242
Debt – lease financing	18,840		<7,400>		8,987		278		20,706
Short-term bank borrowings and overdrafts	40,925		<4,974>				420	<17>	36,354
Total	256,220	68,627	<55,939>	0	8,987	<24>	1,032	<454>	278,450

At 31 December 2022, the schedule for financial debt, including interest not yet accrued, breaks down as follows:

In €K	<31/12/23		>01/01/24 <31/12/27		>01/01/28		Total		Nominal + Interest
	Nominal	Interest	Nominal	Interest	Nominal	Interest	Nominal	Interest	
Bond issues	4,583	1,332	6,250	4,248	18,000	990	28,833	6,569	35,403
Borrowings from credit institutions	47,598	1,683	110,282	2,846	6,022	110	163,902	4,639	168,541
Miscellaneous liabilities	948		307		192		1,447	0	1,447
Debt – lease financing	4,705	103	13,247	282	3,323	71	21,275	456	21,731
Short-term bank borrowings and overdrafts	41,637	1,006					41,637	1,006	42,643
Total	99,471	4,124	130,086	7,376	27,538	1,171	257,095	12,670	269,765

At 31 December 2021, the schedule for financial debt, including interest not yet accrued, breaks down as follows:

	<31/12/2022		>01/01/23 <31/12/26		>01/01/27		Total		
In €K	Nominal	Interest	Nominal	Interest	Nominal	Interest	Nominal	Interest	Nominal + Interest
Bond issues	4,583	486	10,833	629	0		15,417	1,115	16,532
Borrowings from credit institutions	50,438	1,785	134,250	3,583	19,044	276	203,732	5,644	209,376
Miscellaneous liabilities	1,278		726		238		2,241	0	2,241
Debt – lease financing	4,740	394	13,098	797	2,867	49	20,706	1,240	21,946
Short-term bank borrowings and overdrafts	36,354	447					36,354	447	36,801
Total	97,393	3,112	158,907	5,009	22,149	325	278,450	8,446	286,896

At 31 December 2022, financial liabilities by currency break down as follows:

In €K	EUR	USD	Other	Total
Bond issues	28,833	0	0	28,833
Borrowings from credit institutions	162,821	1,081	0	163,902
Miscellaneous liabilities	933	<0>	515	1,447
Debt – lease financing	13,662	33	7,580	21,275
Short-term bank borrowings and overdrafts	40,277	0	1,360	41,637
Total	246,526	1,115	9,454	257,095

At 31 December 2021, financial liabilities by currency break down as follows:

In €K	EUR	USD	Other	Total
Bond issues	15,417	0	0	15,417
Borrowings from credit institutions	199,565	4,167	0	203,732
Miscellaneous liabilities	1,762	0	479	2,241
Debt – lease financing	16,315	50	4,341	20,706
Short-term bank borrowings and overdrafts	31,771	2,497	2,085	36,354
Total	264,829	6,715	6,906	278,450

Bank lines of credit and overdrafts are generally granted for one year and are renewable mid-period. They are impacted by the proportion of accounts receivable financing (Dailly-type factored receivables, bills discounted not yet due and other factoring) amounting to €15.2 million at 31 December 2022, compared with €5.1 million at 31 December 2021 and other government-related receivables financing (CIR/CICE) amounting to €11.9 million compared with €11.2 million at 31 December 2021.

The ratio of net debt to equity, or gearing, breaks down as follows:

In €K	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Bond issues	28,833	15,417
Borrowings from credit institutions	163,902	203,732
Miscellaneous liabilities	1,447	2,241
Debt – lease financing	21,275	20,706
Short-term bank borrowings and overdrafts	41,637	36,354
Sub-total A	257,095	278,450
Cash equivalents	93	87
Cash	48,279	56,552
Sub-total B	48,372	56,639
Total net debt = A - B	208,723	221,811
Total equity	135,763	113,576
Gearing ratio	153.7%	195.3%

The “Net Debt/Equity” ratio (gearing) adjusted for the impact of the receivables account for French research and competitiveness and employment tax credits (CIR and CICE) is as follows:

In €K	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Bond issues	28,833	15,417
Borrowings from credit institutions	163,902	203,732
Miscellaneous liabilities	1,447	2,241
Debt – lease financing	21,275	20,706
Short-term bank borrowings and overdrafts	41,637	36,354
- <i>Financing of trade receivables</i>	<15,199>	<5,133>
- <i>CIR</i>	<11,954>	<10,245>
- <i>CICE</i>		<945>
Sub-total A	229,942	262,126
Cash equivalents	93	87
Cash	48,279	56,552
Sub-total B	48,372	56,639
Total net debt = A - B	181,570	205,487
Total equity	135,763	113,576
Gearing ratio	133.7%	180.9%

The breakdown between fixed and variable rate debt was as follows:

In €K	31/12/2022			31/12/2021		
	Fixed rate	Variable rate	Total	Fixed rate	Variable rate	Total
Bond issues	28,833		28,833	15,417		15,417
Borrowings from credit institutions	163,818	84	163,902	198,454	5,278	203,732
Miscellaneous liabilities	1,447		1,447	2,241		2,241
Debt – lease financing	21,275		21,275	20,706		20,706
Short-term bank borrowings and overdrafts	1,762	39,875	41,637	6,590	29,763	36,353
Total	217,136	39,959	257,095	243,408	35,041	278,449
Percentage breakdown	84.5%	15.5%	100.0%	87.4%	12.6%	100.0%

All covenants on the borrowings and bank credit lines must be verified annually at the end of each period. They apply to 16.4% of borrowings, or €42.3 million.

In 2022, the disposals of non-strategic assets that were completed in April for the Vehicle Inspection and Garage Equipment businesses and in early August for the Power Division generated capital gains of €35.8 million and cash of €64.5 million, which enabled the Group to positively impact its financial ratios, as defined in one of the objectives of these operations.

The change in the Group's business activity also had positive impacts on the "Net Debt/Equity" and "Net Debt/EBITDA" ratios based on the consolidated financial statements, in particular due to:

⊙ Regarding the change in EBITDA:

- The increase in revenue, combined with an increase in business and an increase in prices, has made it possible to strengthen profitability at a time when the economic environment was undergoing strong inflation and therefore increased costs for ACTIA,
- In a context of continuing shortages of components, the Automotive Division, which suffered from the crisis with its factories being asked to produce smaller and more numerous runs to limit the impact on customers, and with the increase in the exceptional costs of components linked to the search for alternative solutions such as purchases from brokers, was able to pass them on to customers for the most part;
- A special effort to maintain top-class R&D teams and a committed staff with salary hikes and increased hiring, which resumed again since the end of 2021 despite the tensions in the job market.

The IFRS 16 impact on EBITDA was stable at €5,952,000 in 2022 compared to €5,954,000 in 2021.

⊙ The 5.9% reduction in net debt was mainly achieved through asset disposals, as the business had consumed resources due to the sharp increase in stocks over the period (+€38.0 million) and the impact of the difference between customer and supplier payment terms (around 20 days), which is very detrimental during a period of growth:

- The raising of medium-term financing (+€38.7 million), including €18 million of Recovery Bonds, and leases was well below the repayments made (€73.6 million);
- Use of short-term lines of credit increased from €36.4 million in 2021 to €41.6 million in 2022 (i.e. use rate of 49.6%);
- The decrease in cash available.

The impact of IFRS 16 on net debt increased between 2021 (+€18,919,000) and 2022 (+€20,546,000) with the signing of new contracts.

These elements resulted in non-compliance with the gearing covenant for 12 borrowings at 31 December 2022, compared to 21 at 31 December 2021. However, by keeping banking partners regularly up to date, we were able to have these covenants suspended on 31 December 2022.

Detailed information on these covenants at 31 December 2022 is presented below:

Debt subject to a covenant				Covenant	Respected ⁽³⁾		Reclassification under current borrowings ⁽⁴⁾		
Level ⁽¹⁾	Year of inception	Balance at 31/12/2022 (€K)	Final maturity	Ratios	Basis of calculation ⁽²⁾	Year-end 2021	Year-end 2022	Year-end 2021	Year-end 2022
Borrowing									
L	2016	768	Jan 2024	Net debt to equity < 1.20	CA AG	B	B	0	0
				Net debt to EBITDA < 4.50	CA AG	B	R		
L	2017	50	Jan 2023	Net debt to equity ≤ 1.70	CA AG	B	R	0	0
L	2017	34	Feb 2023	Net debt to equity ≤ 1.20	CA AG	B	B	0	0
				Net financial expense to EBITDA < 30%	CA AG	R	R		
				Net debt to EBITDA ≤ 4.50	CA AG	B	R		
L	2017	34	Feb 2023	Net debt to equity ≤ 1.20	CA AG	B	B	0	0
				Net financial expense to EBITDA < 30%	CA AG	R	R		
				Net debt to EBITDA ≤ 4.50	CA AG	B	R		
L	2017	25	Feb 2023	Net debt to equity ≤ 1.20	CA AG	B	B	0	0
				Net financial expense to EBITDA < 30%	CA AG	R	R		
				Net debt to EBITDA ≤ 4.50	CA AG	B	R		
L	2017	7,500	Nov 2024	Net debt to EBITDA < 4.50	CA AG	B	R	0	0
L	2017	3,333	Nov 2026	Net debt to EBITDA < 4.50	CA AG	B	R	0	0
L	2018	470	Feb 2024	Net debt to equity ≤ 1.70	CA AG	B	R	0	0
L	2018	459	July 2023	Net debt to equity < 1.20	CA AG	B	B	0	0
				Net debt to EBITDA < 4.50	CA AG	B	R		
L	2018	762	Jan 2024	Net debt to equity < 1.20	CA AG	B	B	0	0
				Net debt to EBITDA < 4.50	CA AG	B	R		
L	2019	876	Feb 2025	Net debt to equity ≤ 1.20	CA AG	B	B	0	0
				Net debt to EBITDA ≤ 4.50	CA AG	B	R		
L	2019	731	May 2025	Net debt to equity ≤ 1.20	CA AG	B	B	0	0
				Net financial expense to EBITDA < 30%	CA AG	R	R		
				Net debt to EBITDA ≤ 4.50	CA AG	B	R		
L	2019	731	May 2025	Net debt to equity ≤ 1.20	CA AG	B	B	0	0
				Net financial expense to EBITDA < 30%	CA AG	R	R		
				Net debt to EBITDA ≤ 4.50	CA AG	B	R		
L	2020	303	Jan 2026	Net debt to equity ≤ 1.20	CA AG	B	B	0	0
				Net financial expense to EBITDA < 30%	CA AG	R	R		
				Net debt to EBITDA ≤ 4.50	CA AG	B	R		
L	2020	303	Dec. 2025	Net debt to equity ≤ 1.20	CA AG	B	B	0	0
				Net financial expense to EBITDA < 30%	CA AG	R	R		
				Net debt to EBITDA ≤ 4.50	CA AG	B	R		
L	2022	2,421	August 2027	Net debt to EBITDA < 4.50	CA AG	-	R	-	

Debt subject to a covenant				Covenant	Respected ⁽³⁾		Reclassification under current borrowings ⁽⁴⁾		
Level ⁽¹⁾	Year of inception	Balance at 31/12/2022 (€K)	Final maturity	Ratios	Basis of calculation ⁽²⁾	Year-end 2021	Year-end 2022	Year-end 2021	Year-end 2022
Borrowing									
L	2022	18,000	April 2030	Net debt to EBITDA ≤ 5	CA AG	-	R	-	0
				Net debt to equity ≤ 5		-	R		
L	2022	5,000		Equity ratio >= 30%	CS ACTIA Tunisie	-	N/A	-	0
L	2022	484	August 2027	Net debt to EBITDA < 4.50	CA AG	-	R	-	0
Total		42,285						0	0
(1)	L = Loan O = Overdraft								
(2)	CA AG = Consolidated Accounts - ACTIA Group CC AC = Consolidated ACTIA Corp & ACTIA Electronics accounts								
(3)	R = Respected / B = Breached / NA = Not Applicable								
(4)	Long-term portion of debt reclassified under “Current financial liabilities”								
(5)	Consolidated EBITDA of ACTIA Corp. and ACTIA Electronics								

The guarantees given for borrowings and financial debts are listed in Note 28 "Encumbered assets and off-balance sheet commitments" in the notes to the consolidated financial statements.

In connection with the loan agreements obtained by the Group, certain banks include in these agreements general provisions relating to the right to use assets or obtain new loans and, sometimes, a requirement to maintain the composition of the capital, with any changes requiring prior information of the partners.

Note 15 Equity

Note 15.1 Share capital management

Ordinary shares, excluding own shares held in treasury (see Note 15.3 “Treasury shares” in the notes to the consolidated financial statements) are recognised in shareholders’ equity.

The Group regularly monitors changes to its debt to shareholders’ equity ratio.

At present, there is no Group Savings Plan (Plan d’Epargne Groupe, or “PEG”) or International Group Savings Plan (Plan d’Epargne Groupe International, or “PEGI”) within ACTIA Group.

In addition, shares held in registered form for more than four years carry double voting rights (see Article 11 of the Articles of Association “Rights and obligations related to ordinary shares - Voting”).

The Group’s main objective in terms of share capital management is to maintain a balance between shareholders’ equity and debt.

To maintain or adjust the structure of its capital, the Group can propose dividend distributions to shareholders or carry out new capital increases.

The main ratios used by the Group to manage its equity are the debt ratio (gearing) and EBITDA (leverage).

Capital management goals, policies and procedures remain unchanged.

Information about the share buyback programme is provided in Note 3.7 “Treasury shares” in the notes to the separate financial statements.

Note 15.2 Composition of the capital

The breakdown of the changes in numbers of shares over the period is as follows:

In units	31/12/2021	Capital increase	31/12/2022
ACTIA Group shares - ISIN FR 0000076655	20,099,941	None	20,099,941

At 31 December 2022, the share capital consisted of 7,836,051 shares with single voting rights, 12,248,525 shares with double voting rights and 15,365 treasury shares with no voting rights. There are 12,621,636 registered shares and 7,478,305 bearer shares.

There are no preferred dividend stock or preference shares within ACTIA Group S.A.

The nominal value of a share is €0.75.

Described in detail in § 4.1.2 “Draft resolutions” of the Annual Report, a distribution of dividends of €0.12 per share will be proposed at the General Meeting to be held on 23 May 2023.

Note 15.3 Treasury shares

The treasury shares held by the Group are deducted from shareholders’ equity. No gain or loss is recognised in the income statement upon the purchase, sale or cancellation of treasury shares. The consideration paid or received in these transactions is recognised directly in shareholders’ equity.

Note 16 Earnings per share

Note 16.1 Basic earnings per share

Basic earnings per share are calculated using the income attributable to the Group divided by the weighted average number of shares in circulation in the period, less treasury shares.

The calculation of basic earnings per share at 31 December 2022 was conducted on the basis of the income attributable to the Group, the details of which are given in the following table:

In euros	31/12/2022	31/12/2021 adjusted*
NET INCOME FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS	1,114,826	9,719,452
NET INCOME FROM DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS	18,835,172	<16,098,595>
INCOME FOR THE PERIOD	19,949,998	<6,379,143>
Weighted average number of shares		
Shares issued as at 1 January	20,099,941	20,099,941
Treasury shares held at the end of the period	<3,328>	<3,328>
Weighted average number of shares	20,096,613	20,096,613
BASIC NET EARNINGS PER SHARE FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS (IN €) - GROUP SHARE	0.05	0.48
BASIC NET EARNINGS PER SHARE FROM DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS (IN €) - GROUP SHARE	0.94	<0.80>
BASIC EARNINGS PER SHARE (IN €) - GROUP SHARE	0.99	<0.32>

* Adjusted to take account of the reclassification of the Power division under 'discontinued operations'.

Note 16.2 Diluted earnings per share

Diluted earnings per share take into account all arrangements that could grant the holder the right to buy ordinary shares known as dilutive potential ordinary shares.

The calculation of diluted earnings per share at 31 December 2022 was conducted on the basis of the consolidated income for the period attributable to Group shareholders. No corrections have been made to this amount. The weighted average number of potential ordinary shares that may be created for the period totalled 20,096,613. The details of the calculations are shown in the following table:

In euros	31/12/2022	31/12/2021 adjusted *
NET INCOME FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS	1,114,826	9,719,452
NET INCOME FROM DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS	18,835,172	<16,098,595>
INCOME FOR THE PERIOD	19,949,998	<6,379,143>
Weighted average number of shares		
Weighted average number of ordinary shares	20,096,613	20,096,613
Effect of stock option plans	0	0
Weighted average number of diluted shares	20,096,613	20,096,613
DILUTED NET EARNINGS PER SHARE FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS (IN €) - GROUP SHARE	0.05	0.48
DILUTED NET EARNINGS PER SHARE FROM DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS (IN €) - GROUP SHARE	0.94	<0.80>
DILUTED EARNINGS PER SHARE (IN €) - GROUP SHARE	0.99	<0.32>

* Adjusted to take account of the reclassification of the Power division under 'discontinued operations'.

Note 17 Employee provisions and benefits

A provision is recorded:

- ⊙ When an entity has a legal or constructive obligation stemming from a past event;
- ⊙ When it is likely that an outflow of resources will be required to settle the obligation; and
- ⊙ Where the amount of the obligation can be reliably estimated.

The amount provided for corresponds to the best estimate of the expense. If the impact is material, the amount is discounted using a pretax interest rate that reflects the time value of money and the risks specific to the liability.

A provision for warranties is recognised upon the sale of the corresponding good or service. The provision is based on past warranty data and is measured by weighting all possible outcomes in accordance with their likelihood.

Except in special cases that are duly justified, provisions are recognised in the balance sheet under current liabilities.

Note 17.1 Changes in provisions

- ⊙ In 2022:

In €K	01/01/2022	Change in method	Changes in scope of translation differences	Provisions	Reversals used	Reversals not used	IFRS 5	31/12/2022
Provisions for pensions and other long-term benefits	9,722		6	<675>	<631>	<1,412>		7,010
Lawsuit contingencies	1,632		<750>	333	<473>			743
Warranties	2,829		<1,187>	1,177	<1,132>			1,686
Losses on contracts	70			11	<14>			68
Fines/penalties	865			464	<752>			578
Other risks	2,155		<1,536>	5,895	<916>			5,597
Investments in associates (equity method)	0							0
Taxes	0							0
Other expenses	3,722		<11>	177	<199>		1	3,691
Provisions	11,273		<3,484>	8,057	<3,485>	0	1	12,363
Total	20,994		<3,478>	7,383	<4,115>	<1,412>	1	19,373

⊙ In 2021:

In €K	01/01/2022	Change in method	Changes in scope of translation differences	Provisions	Reversals used	Reversals not used	IFRS 5	31/12/2022
Provisions for pensions and other long-term benefits	11,507	<1,082>	2	282	<764>	<224>		9,722
Lawsuit contingencies	1,409			481	<258>			1,632
Warranties	3,543		<9>	969	<1,674>			2,829
Losses on contracts	0			70				70
Fines/penalties	527			338				865
Other risks	1,032			1,133	<10>			2,155
Investments in associates (equity method)	0							0
Taxes	0							0
Other expenses	4,015		7	152	<388>		<65>	3,722
Provisions	10,527		<2>	3,143	<2,330>	0	<65>	11,273
Total	22,034		<0>	3,425	<3,094>	<224>	<65>	20,994

Provisions for other risks are comprised primarily of tax and commercial litigation contingency provisions.

At 31 December 2022, ACTIA had no noteworthy material contingent liability to be disclosed.

Note 17.2 Personnel benefits

Short-term benefits are recognised in personnel expenses for the period.

Long-term benefits involve:

- ⊙ Defined-contribution plans: the Group's liabilities are limited to paying periodic contributions to external bodies. The expense is recognised in the period under the "Personnel expenses" line item;
- ⊙ Defined-benefit plans: these are retirement benefits provided for using the projected unit credit method taking into account demographic factors (staff turnover and mortality tables) and financial variables (wage increases). The discount rate used is that of investment grade bonds (i.e. rated "AA"). When there does not exist an active market for these bonds, the rate of government bonds is used. Actuarial gains and losses are recognised in Other Comprehensive Income (OCI);
- ⊙ Other long-term benefits: provisions are recorded for these benefits as they vest for the employees in question. The amount of the liability is measured using the projected unit credit method. Changes in fair value of obligations relating to other long-term benefits are recognised under net income of the period in which they occur.

In line with IAS 19, Employee Benefits, the pension provision recognised in balance sheet shareholders' equity and liabilities is designed to show the pension benefit vested for staff members at period-end. A provision is recorded for the full amount of pension benefit obligations, which are not covered by dedicated assets.

In 2022, provisions for pension and other long-term benefits decreased by €2,710,000 to €7,010,000 at 31 December 2022. This decrease in provisions reflects the following items:

⊙ Service cost:	€464,000
⊙ Effect of changes in scope	<€222,000>
⊙ Financial cost:	€91,000
⊙ Actuarial gain:	<€3,038,000>

The actuarial gain recognised in OCI results from the change in the:

- ⊙ Discount rate of 3.75% (0.98% in 2021) for the French companies, 8.80% (9.48% in 2021) for the Tunisian companies.

The other assumptions underlying the calculation did not change.

- ⊙ Mortality table: INSEE 2013:

Age of employee	20 years	30 years	40 years	50 years	60 years	65 years
Mortality table: Men (%)	99,274	98,549	97,489	94,963	88,615	83,631
Mortality table: Women (%)	99,469	99,222	98,745	97,436	94,414	92,075

- ⊙ Retirement age: 67 for French companies and 60 for Tunisian companies;
- ⊙ Salary escalation rate: 2.25% for French companies, 3% for Tunisian companies;
- ⊙ Low or high turnover rates according to the companies and employee category (management or non-management):

Age of employee	20 years	30 years	40 years	50 years	60 years	65 years
Low turnover rate (%)	5.80%	2.77%	2.04%	0.10%	0.05%	0.00%
High turnover rate (%)	18.30%	10.90%	6.30%	4.20%	1.00%	0.00%

A study of the sensitivity of a change in the discount rate indicates that:

- ⊙ A +1% increase in the rate would have a positive impact on consolidated comprehensive income of €557,000;
- ⊙ A 1% increase in the rate would have a negative impact on consolidated comprehensive income of €651,000;

Provisions for retirement liabilities stood at:	2022	2021
⊙ For all the French companies	€5,123,000	€7,864,000
⊙ For the Italian subsidiary	€1,636,000	€1,683,000
⊙ For the Tunisian subsidiaries	€251,000	€173,000
TOTAL	€7,010,000	€9,720,000

Retirement liabilities at the end of the next financial year (31/12/2023) should total approximately €7,624,000 at a consistent discount rate.

Retirement severance payments paid in 2022 amounted to €270,000.

Concerning defined contribution schemes, pension contributions paid for the 2022 financial year totalled €4,368,000, versus €4,795,000 for 2021.

Note 18 Other current liabilities

The details of **other current liabilities** are given in the following table:

In €K	Net value at 31 / 12/2021	Changes over the period	IFRS 5	Effect of exchange rates	Changes in scope	Net value at 31 / 12/2022
Suppliers of goods and services	92,408	21,279	<13>	<504>	<8,704>	104,467
Prepayments received	43,308	10,279	<54>	<402>	<1,865>	51,265
Social security liabilities	22,745	417	<5>	<295>	<1,345>	21,517
Corporate taxes	7,235	4,284	36	<66>	<1,263>	10,226
Fixed asset liabilities	173	<81>	0	<2>	0	90
Advances payable	366	<453>	0	514	0	427
Miscellaneous liabilities	343	1,024	<0>	76	<14>	1,430
Other operating liabilities	74,171	15,470	<23>	<175>	<4,487>	84,956
Corporate taxes (IS)	1,267	<182>	76	<20>	0	1,141
Total	167,847	36,567	40	<699>	<13,192>	190,563

Trade and other payables are recognised at fair value upon initial recognition and then at amortised cost.

Deferred income involves subscription agreements signed with customers. The revenue from these contracts is allocated on a straight-line basis over their term (see Note 21 “Revenue” in the notes to the consolidated financial statements).

Note 19 Assets and liabilities held for sale

Note 19.1 Assets and liabilities held for sale

In 2021, the Group launched a project to sell the Vehicle Inspection & Garage Equipment business including:

- the sale of its garage equipment and vehicle Inspection business;
- the real estate site in Chartres, France;
- and 30% shares of its subsidiary ACTIA Cz.

The Vehicle Inspection & Garage Equipment business had been presented in “Assets and liabilities held for sale” at 31 December 2021.

The operation was finalised on 21 April 2022 for an amount of €12 million. The net impact of the operation was recognised in “Other revenue and operating expenses” for a negligible amount. The assets and liabilities of the subsidiary ATAL (new name of ACTIA CZ), over which the Group still has control (59.98%) at that date, subsisted at 31 December 2022, as the transaction could not be completed before the end of 2022. The Group considered that the conditions for classification were still met at the balance sheet date.

The breakdown of assets and liabilities held for sale is as follows:

	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Intangible and tangible assets	414	7,470
Other non-current assets	<2>	25
Current assets	1,818	6,687
Assets held for sale	2,231	14,183
Non-current liabilities	23	
Current liabilities	394	411
Liabilities held for sale	417	411

Note 19.2 Discontinued operations

The Group also undertook a project to sell its Power division, including ACTIA Power and its three subsidiaries in France, Germany and the USA.

Further to an exclusive negotiation period, an agreement was signed with Plastic Omnium on 26 June 2022.

At 1 August 2022, the Power Division disposal agreement was finalised via the signature of a closing agreement based on a company worth of €52.5 million.

At 31 December 2022, ACTIA considered that the criteria set out in IFRS 5 - Non-current assets held for sale and discontinued operations were met. Consequently, the results and cash flows for this division are presented in the same way as for a discontinued operation.

An operation that is discontinued, sold or in the process of being sold is defined as a component of an entity with cash flows that are identifiable with respect to the rest of the entity and represents a distinct, major business line or region. For all the periods published, the result of these operations is presented on a different line in the income statement - "Discontinued operations" - and is adjusted in the cash flow statement.

Financial data concerning discontinued operations is presented below:

Consolidated income in €K	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Income from ordinary activities (<i>Revenue</i>)	13,035	16,929
Current operating income	<14,892>	<15,710>
Operating income	18,039	<15,649>
Financial Result	<171>	<180>
NET INCOME	18,835	<16,099>
Consolidated cash flow statement in €K	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
NET INCOME FROM DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS	18,835	<16,099>
Net cash flow from operating activities	<11,179>	<11,143>
Net cash flow from investing activities	48,476	<2,749>
Net cash flow from financing activities	12,520	15,078
Effect of exchange rate changes	<157>	0
Cash and cash equivalents - opening balance	1,301	97
Cash and cash equivalents - closing balance	50,960	1,284
CHANGES IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	49,660	1,187

The capital gain generated from the sale of the Power business is included in the operating income from discontinued operations.

Note 20 Operating segments

In line with the analysis of performance based on the internal management approach, information is presented for two distinct operating segments, “Automotive” and “Telecoms.”

In accordance with the provisions of IFRS 8, the information by operating segment is based on the approach taken by management, meaning the way in which management allocates resources depending on the performance of the different segments. Within ACTIA Group, the Chairman and CEO is the chief operating decision maker. The Group has two segments to present, which offer distinct products and services and are managed separately insofar as they require different technological and commercial strategies. The types of activities conducted by each of the two segments presented may be summarised as follows:

- ⊙ The Automotive Division that includes Original Equipment Manufacturers (OEM), Aftermarket and Manufacturing-Design & Services (MDS) products;
- ⊙ The Telecoms Division that includes SatCom, Energy, and Rail products.

In addition to these two operating segments there is also:

- ⊙ An “Others” heading that includes the holding company ACTIA Group S.A. and the SCI Les Coteaux de Pouvoirville property management company (both accounted for by the equity method).

In 2022, the breakdown of key line items by operating segment was as follows:

In €K	31/12/2022			Consolidated Group accounts
	Automotive	Telecoms	Other	
Income from ordinary activities				
<i>(Revenue)</i>	420,713	78,603	515	499,831
Materials and supplies	<247,793>	<30,721>	<752>	<279,267>
Personnel costs	<103,924>	<21,356>	<1,225>	<126,505>
External charges	<49,956>	<14,625>	<2,169>	<66,750>
Provisions for depreciation	<26,258>	<3,287>	<44>	<29,589>
Current operating income	7,835	2,186	<455>	9,565
Change in value of goodwill	0	0	0	0
Operating income	7,747	2,550	<475>	9,822
Interest and financial costs	<3,393>	<240>	<1,371>	<5,004>
Fair value of hedging instruments (E)	<4,059>	0	0	<4,059>
Income tax	598	<351>	<645>	<399>
NET INCOME FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS	2,004	1,942	<2,163>	1,782
NET INCOME FROM DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS	<13,651>	0	32,486	18,835
NET INCOME	<11,648>	1,942	30,323	20,617
EBITDA (CONTINUING OPERATIONS)	35,116	5,820	<103>	40,833
EBITDA (CONTINUING AND DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS)	22,663	5,820	31,383	59,865
SEGMENT ASSETS				
Non-current assets	139,493	32,264	2,010	173,767
Stocks	164,348	46,306	0	210,654
Trade receivables	109,794	49,803	164	159,762
Other current receivables	24,541	2,836	4,117	31,493
Cash and cash equivalents	41,415	3,112	3,844	48,372
Assets held for sale	2,232	0	0	2,232
TOTAL SEGMENT ASSETS	481,823	134,321	10,135	626,279
INVESTMENTS				
Intangible	12,663	630	0	13,293
Tangible	17,544	2,074	29	19,647
Financial	90	162	1	254
TOTAL INVESTMENTS	30,297	2,866	30	33,193
SEGMENT LIABILITIES				
Non-current liabilities	116,034	19,330	30,229	165,593
Short-term debt	80,813	10,843	7,815	99,471
Accounts payable	87,060	15,938	1,469	104,467
Other current liabilities	73,872	41,339	5,357	120,567
Liabilities held for sale	417	0	0	417
TOTAL SEGMENT LIABILITIES	358,197	87,450	44,870	490,516

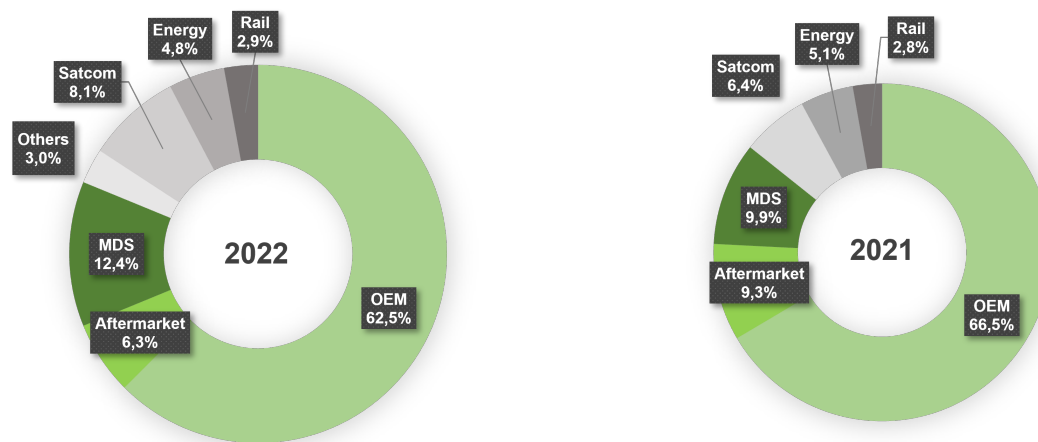
In 2021, the breakdown of key line items by operating segment was as follows:

In €K	31/12/2021 adjusted*			Consolidated Group accounts
	Automotive	Telecoms	Other	
Income from ordinary activities				
(Revenue)	382,551	63,352	7	445,910
Materials and supplies	<221,794>	<19,569>	<677>	<242,040>
Personnel costs	<102,153>	<19,180>	<1,380>	<122,713>
External charges	<38,705>	<11,193>	<1,862>	<51,760>
Provisions for depreciation	<27,869>	<3,002>	<52>	<30,923>
Current operating income	724	2,940	806	4,469
Change in value of goodwill	0	0	0	0
Operating income	2,086	2,874	768	5,729
Interest and financial costs	<2,668>	<251>	<844>	<3,763>
Fair value of hedging instruments (E)	8,377	0	0	8,377
Income tax	925	<531>	35	430
NET INCOME FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS	7,868	2,085	71	10,025
NET INCOME FROM DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS	<16,099>	0	0	<16,099>
NET INCOME	<8,230>	2,085	71	<6,074>
EBITDA (CONTINUING OPERATIONS)	29,103	5,869	931	35,904
EBITDA (CONTINUING AND DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS)	15,336	5,869	931	22,136
SEGMENT ASSETS				
Non-current assets	145,957	32,883	1,054	179,894
Stocks	137,276	35,380	0	172,656
Trade receivables	103,576	41,162	2	144,739
Other current receivables	24,920	4,894	379	30,193
Cash and cash equivalents	46,601	9,680	357	56,639
Assets held for sale	14,183	0	0	14,183
TOTAL SEGMENT ASSETS	472,513	123,999	1,793	598,304
INVESTMENTS				
Intangible	12,694	1,364	0	14,058
Tangible	12,763	2,055	18	14,836
Financial	74	166	0	241
TOTAL INVESTMENTS	25,531	3,585	19	29,135
SEGMENT LIABILITIES				
Non-current liabilities	151,011	24,584	16,829	192,423
Short-term debt	76,448	11,273	9,672	97,393
Accounts payable	79,976	11,780	653	92,408
Other current liabilities	77,222	24,044	827	102,092
Liabilities held for sale	411	0	0	411
TOTAL SEGMENT LIABILITIES	385,068	71,680	27,981	484,728

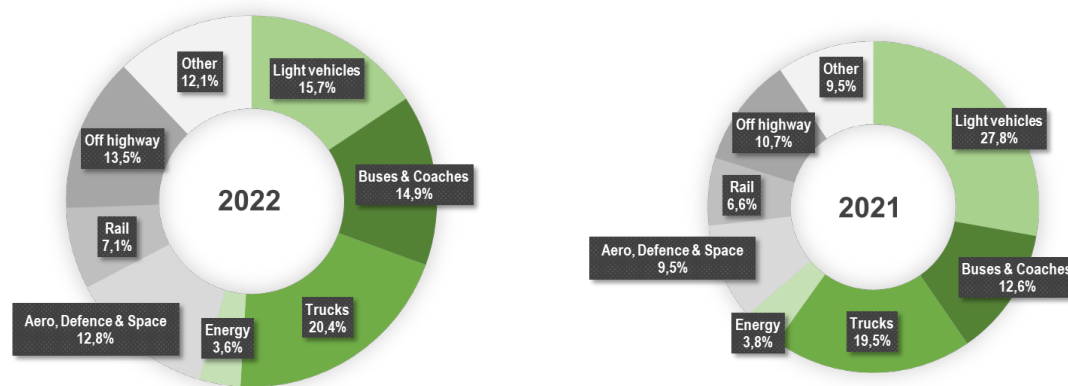
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Note 21 Revenue

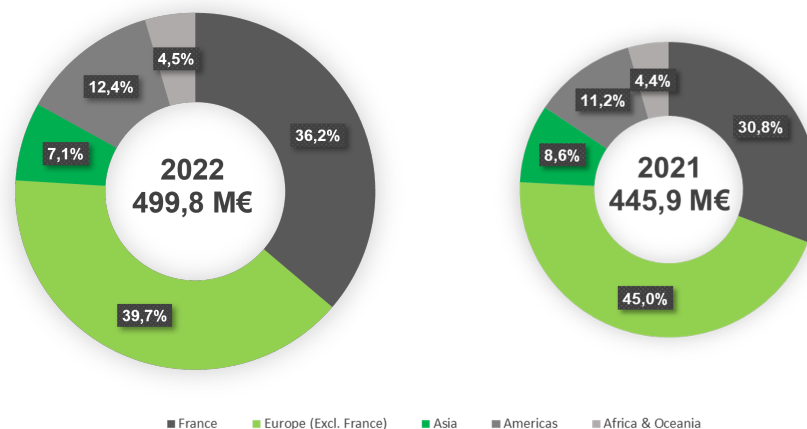
Revenue by sector breaks down as follows:



Revenue by market breaks down as follows:



Revenue by customer and region breaks down as follows:



In 2022, 63.8% of revenue was earned internationally compared to 69.5% in 2021.

Recognition of revenue in the consolidated financial statements depends on type:

- ⊙ Sales: equipment and goods;
- ⊙ Study sales;
- ⊙ Service contracts (maintenance, guarantee, hotline or other “stand ready” obligation);
- ⊙ Multiple item contracts

Note 21.1 Sale of goods

The income from the sale of goods is recognised in revenue at the time control of the service obligation is transferred. In most cases this is the delivery date of the goods.

Note 21.2 Study sales

Each study constitutes a separate service obligation to the extent that development control is transferred to the customer.

Revenue is recognised on a percentage of completion basis when the transfer of control is ongoing or following the completion of the service provided when the transfer control takes place at a precise moment.

Note 21.3 Service contracts

This method measures the percentage of completion, which better reflects the Group’s performance, shows percentage of completion via costs. The inputs identified are consumed uniformly throughout the period required to meet the performance obligation.

Note 21.4 Multiple item contracts

Contracts for the development and supply of limited series

One or more performance obligations were identified based on the connections between design and production. Revenue is recognised by percentage of completion via costs because the contracts meet the following criterion:

- ⊙ ACTIA does not have another use for the asset provided;
- ⊙ ACTIA has an enforceable right to payment for the performance completed on time in the event of the termination of the contract at the customer's convenience.

The contracts concern the Telecoms Division's "Defence" and "Energy" businesses.

Contracts for the development and supply of long production run

The development phase is generally concomitant with the launch of a product policy intended to acquire a new technology brick. In addition, the development completed can be partially financed by the customers.

In 2018, the Group carried out an analysis as part of the implementation of IFRS 15 to distinguish between the generic and specific costs incurred for a contract:

- ⊙ Generic costs were analysed using IAS 38 and capitalised in "Development costs" if the capitalisation conditions were met. The Group reclassified costs initially included in the "Inventory and work-in-process" item as "Development costs." The development costs entered in assets correspond to projects for the application of generic standards and technologies for the customers or markets identified;
- ⊙ Development costs specific to contracts were analysed as contract execution costs. The latter were classified in the balance sheet under the "Inventory and work-in-process" item. In the case of development financed by customers, it was decided that the development could not be separated from the production run and did not constitute a distinct service obligation. As a result, the financing of development by customers is recognised on the balance sheet under "Contract liabilities" at collection time, then recognised as revenue as the production run is delivered and on the basis of forecast sales for each product.

When the products sold are under a contractual guarantee, it is not recognised as a separate service obligation given that there is no purchase option for the guarantee distinct from the contract or any additional service provided by the Group for the guarantee. A provision is, therefore, created for the guarantee costs in line with IAS 37.

Note 21.5 Order book

The Group applies IFRS 15, "Revenue from contracts with customers," which introduces the concept of an order book ("revenue remaining to be recognised for service obligations not yet completed or partially completed on the close date").

Therefore, the total order book for the Group stood at €399,877,000 at 31 December 2022, of which 76.1% was expected to generate revenues within one year, compared with 82.4% at 31 December 2021.

In €K	At 31/12/2022	At 31/12/2021
Order book	399,877	385,972

Note 22 Income taxes

Income tax includes current and deferred taxes.

Current tax

Current tax is the estimated amount of tax due on taxable profit for the period at applicable tax rates and any adjustment to current tax liabilities in respect of previous periods.

Deferred taxes

Deferred taxes are described in detail in Note 12: “Deferred taxes” in the notes to the consolidated financial statements.

The details of the Group’s **income taxes** are as follows:

In €K	31/12/2022	31/12/2021 adjusted*
Income from consolidated companies	1,703	9,930
Current taxation <credit>	2,442	1,165
Deferred taxation <credit>	<2,043>	<1,595>
Of which		
Deferred taxation on temporary differences	<2,043>	<2,439>
Deferred taxation on changes in tax rates		844
Income from consolidated companies before tax	2,101	9,500

* Adjusted to take account of the reclassification of the Power division under ‘discontinued operations’.

The CVAE added value business tax

The Group decided not to account for CVAE (contributions assessed on company added value) as a tax on income and as from 1 January 2010 has recorded it as an operating expense. The Group in effect considers that added value corresponds to an intermediary income statement aggregate for which the amount varies significantly from that on which income tax is assessed.

The table below provides an analysis of tax in the consolidated financial statements:

In €K	31/12/2022	31/12/2021 adjusted*
Theoretical tax calculated at standard French rate (theoretical tax rate: 27.50%).	525	2,613
Research tax credit	<1,291>	<1,628>
Other tax credits		
Impact on theoretical income tax		
- Tax rate differential (between French and foreign rates)	<249>	313
- Impact of changes in deferred tax rates		845
- Non-capitalised tax losses	163	1,456
- Change in outlook for utilisation of tax losses	<2,214>	<133>
<i>Income on the utilisation of non-capitalised tax losses</i>	<2,214>	<133>
<i>Income on modification of capitalisation of tax losses</i>		
<i>Losses on changes to capitalisation of tax losses</i>		
- Adjustment of prior year's tax	<3>	<190>
- Adjustment of current year's tax		
- Other (including permanent differences)	3,469	<3,704>
Income tax recognised (actual tax rate: 19.01%)	399	<430>

* Adjusted to take account of the reclassification of the Power division under 'discontinued operations'.

Note 23 Other operating income and expenses

These line items present only income or expense resulting from a major event occurring during the accounting period that might distort the presentation of the Group's performance. These include accordingly a very limited number of income or expense items, unusual and infrequent in nature, presented separately by the Group in its income statement.

Note 24 Financial result

Details of the financial result are given in the following table:

In €K		31/12/2022	31/12/2021 adjusted*
Income from cash and equivalents		14	12
Interest and financial costs		<5,004>	<3,763>
<i>Of which</i>	<i>Interest on debt</i>	<5,004>	<3,763>
Other financial income		1,474	9,354
<i>Of which</i>	<i>Interest received</i>	693	977
	<i>Dividends received</i>	791	0
	<i>Income from financial instruments</i>	0	8,377
Other financial costs		<4,205>	<1,831>
<i>Of which</i>	<i>Costs on financial instruments</i>	<4,059>	0
Financial Result		<7,721>	3,772

* Adjusted to take account of the reclassification of the Power division under 'discontinued operations'.

With a EUR/USD exchange rate at 1.0666 at the end of the financial year, the valuation of currency hedging instruments had a negative impact at 31 December 2022, unlike 31 December 2021 when the EUR/USD exchange rate was 1.1326. It generated a fair value entry <€4,059,000> with no impact on cash for the financial result, compared to €8,377,000 the previous year.

It should be noted that the gross interest rate for the 2022 financial year was 1.95% compared with 1.41% in 2021.

Note 25 Related-party transactions

Related-party transactions with ACTIA Group have been defined in accordance with IAS 24 and are presented below along with details of transactions in financial year 2022.

Note 25.1 With the holding company LP2C S.A.

The nature of the relationship with LP2C is set out in three agreements signed by LP2C and Group companies on 27 November 2018:

- ⊙ The ongoing services concern the following areas:
 - Group promotion,
 - Services in the following areas:
 - Administrative, legal, accounting and financial,
 - Quality,
 - Communications,
 - Human resources,
 - Real estate,
 - Internal Group management and procedures;
 - Business development.
 - A specific agreement binds ACTIA Group to LP2C, with ACTIA Group carrying out the following services for the benefit of LP2C:
 - Management secretarial services,
 - Accounting.
- ⊙ Additional activities: LP2C may undertake, upon request by ACTIA Group and on its behalf, specific and clearly defined activities, which are limited in duration and do not enter into the normal framework of the services listed above. These specific additional activities are subject to separate agreements established according to the same terms and conditions as the agreement covering the ongoing services and are subject to prior authorisation by the Board.

These agreements have been entered into for a fixed period of five years, from 1 January 2018 to 31 December 2022.

The **financial details** for 2022 are set out below:

In €K		Dedicated staff (number of people)	2022
Recurring assignments			1,459
<i>Of which</i>			
	<i>Group promotion</i>	5	367
	<i>Administrative, legal, accounting and financial assistance</i>	5	520
	<i>Quality support</i>	4	154
	<i>Communications support</i>	2	41
	<i>Human resources support</i>	4	99
	<i>Real estate support</i>	2	13
	<i>Support for the management of internal procedures</i>	1	13
	<i>Business development support</i>	4	253
Non-recurring assignments:		-	-

The **financial details** for 2021 are set out below:

In €K		Dedicated staff (number of people)	2021
Recurring assignments			1,246
<i>Of which</i>			
	<i>Group promotion</i>	4	370
	<i>Administrative, legal, accounting and financial assistance</i>	4	433
	<i>Quality support</i>	2	88
	<i>Communications support</i>	2	28
	<i>Human resources support</i>	3	105
	<i>Real estate support</i>	1	5
	<i>Support for the management of internal procedures</i>	-	-
	<i>Business development support</i>	2	217
Non-recurring assignments:		-	-

No particular benefit was granted under this agreement.

This agreement is also mentioned in § 4.9.10 “Special report of the Statutory Auditors on regulated agreements” in the Annual Report.

The figures concerning balance sheet items are as follows:

In €K		2022	2021
Net amount of the transaction (<expense>)		<1,399>	<1,214>
<i>Of which</i>			
	<i>Ongoing services</i>	<1,459>	<1,246>
	<i>Sundry services to the holding company</i>	60	31
Net balance sheet entry (<liability>)		<572>	<657>
<i>Of which</i>			
	<i>Current accounts</i>	0	0
	<i>Accounts payable</i>	<584>	<675>
	<i>Trade receivables</i>	12	19
Invoicing terms		Quarterly	Quarterly
Payment terms		Cash	Cash
Provisions for bad debt		2	0

Note 25.2 With investments consolidated by the equity method

Group relations with SCI Los Olivos and SCI Les Coteaux de Pourvoirville relate to **real estate operations**:

⊙ **SCI Los Olivos** owns land and a building in Getafe (Spain) which are leased to ACTIA Systems,

⊙ **SCI Les Coteaux de Pourvoirville** owns the land and buildings located in Toulouse (France) which are leased to ACTIA Group, ACTIA Power France and ACTIA Automotive in proportion to the surface area occupied.

The figures concerning **SCI Los Olivos** are as follows:

In €K		2022	2021
Net amount of the transaction (<expense>)		<156>	<166>
<i>Of which</i>			
	<i>Invoicing of rents</i>	<176>	<176>
	<i>Interest and financial costs</i>	20	9
Net balance sheet entry (<liability>)		<294>	<320>
<i>Of which</i>			
	<i>Current accounts</i>	<294>	<321>
	<i>Accounts payable</i>	<0>	<3>
	<i>Trade receivables</i>	0	4
Invoicing terms		Monthly	Monthly
Payment terms		Cash	Cash
Provisions for bad debt		0	0

The figures concerning SCI Les Coteaux de Pourvoirville are as follows:

In €K		2022	2021
Net amount of the transaction (<expense>)		<1,033>	<1,003>
<i>Of which</i>			
	<i>Invoicing of rents</i>	<985>	<965>
	<i>Reinvoicing of misc. costs</i>	<48>	<38>
Net balance sheet entry (<liability>)		4	<3>
<i>Of which</i>			
	<i>Current accounts</i>	0	0
	<i>Accounts payable</i>	0	<6>
	<i>Trade receivables</i>	4	3
Invoicing terms		Quarterly	Quarterly
Payment terms		Cash	Cash
Provisions for bad debt		0	0

Note 25.3 With subsidiaries

All transactions between consolidated companies as well as internal gains and losses from the disposal of fixed assets or inventories of these companies are eliminated. Internal losses are eliminated in the same way as internal gains, though only when they do not represent an impairment loss.

These are the companies included in the scope of consolidation of the Group (see Note 3.2 “Consolidated companies” in the notes to the consolidated financial statements).

Transactions with subsidiaries are wholly eliminated in the consolidated financial statements, as are all transactions between fully consolidated subsidiaries of the Group. They are of various kinds:

- ⊙ Buying or selling of goods and services;
- ⊙ Leasing of premises;
- ⊙ Transfer of research and development;
- ⊙ Buying or selling of capital assets;
- ⊙ Licence agreements;
- ⊙ Management fees;
- ⊙ Current accounts;
- ⊙ Loans, etc.

Note 25.4 With members of management bodies

This is the compensation paid to individuals who are **corporate officers of the company ACTIA Group S.A.** :

- ⊙ By ACTIA Group: Chairman and CEO and Directors
- ⊙ By LP2C, controlling company: Chairman and CEO, Deputy CEO since 1 August 2022 and Deputy CEOs,
- ⊙ In the controlled companies, subsidiaries of ACTIA Group: Chairman and CEO and Deputy CEO until 31 July 2022.

The **details of compensation paid** to corporate officers are as follows:

In €K		2022	2021
Compensation of corporate officers		626	577
<i>Of which</i>			
	<i>Fixed</i>	493	469
	<i>Variable</i>	100	80
	<i>Exceptional</i>	25	20
	<i>Benefits in kind</i>	8	8
Other compensation for non-executive directors		0	0
Attendance fees		14	4
Total		639	581

To date, no stock option plans exist within ACTIA Group S.A or other Group companies.

Information relating to contributions to retirement plans, amounts paid on leaving, as well as other benefits is provided in § 7.2 “Corporate Office compensation” of this Annual Report.

Note 25.5 With other related parties

☉ GIE PERENEO

ACTIA Automotive S.A. holds 50% of GIE PERENEO. The purpose of this economic interest grouping (EEIG) is to provide In-Service Support and to extend the lifespan of electronic systems with Spherea Tests & Services, the joint partner of the EEIG with its subsidiary GET Electronique.

Transactions with the GIE as well as the main aggregates of the GIE are down as the GIE members voted for its early dissolution.

The **figures concerning transactions** with GIE PERENEO are as follows:

In €K	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Amount of the transaction (<expense>)	135	1,128
Balance sheet entry (<liability>)	41	418
Payment terms	Cash	Cash
Provisions for bad debt	0	0

Note 26 Headcount

In number of employees	2022	2021
France	1,087	1,203
Foreign operations	2,642	2,482
Total	3,729	3,685

It should be noted that the asset disposals in 2022 involved 150 people in France and 165 people abroad (Germany and the United States).

For more details, see § 5.4.1 “Our employees” of the Sustainable Development Report.

The **financial information** concerning GIE PERENEO is as follows:

In €K	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Total Assets	81	1,391
Debt	143	1,457
Revenue	341	3,400
Income	6	<19>

The breakdown of headcount by operating segment at 31 December 2022 was as follows:

In number of employees	Management	Non-management†	Total
Automotive	1,508	1,843	3,351
Telecoms	195	172	367
Other (o.w. the holding company)	8	3	11
Total	1,711	2,018	3,729

Note 27 Off-balance sheet commitments

The off-balance sheet commitments break down as follows:

In €K	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Commitments received		
Bank guarantees	18,280	24,711
Total commitments received	18,280	24,711

The above information does not include:

- ⊙ Amounts owed under operating and finance leases are dealt with in Note 14 “Financial liabilities” in the notes to the consolidated financial statements;
- ⊙ Interest on borrowings that are covered under Note 14 “Financial liabilities” in the notes to the consolidated financial statements;
- ⊙ Foreign currency term sales commitments and interest rate swaps that are covered under Note 11.2 “Financial instruments at fair value through profit and loss” in the notes to the consolidated financial statements.

Note 28 Encumbered assets and off-balance sheet commitments

Encumbered assets are assets used as collateral for balance sheet liabilities. They break down as follows:

In €K	31/12/2022				31/12/2021			
	Automotive Division	Telecoms Division	Other subsidiaries	Total	Automotive Division	Telecoms Division	Other subsidiaries	Total
Interests in consolidated companies (*)		3,607		3,607		3,607		3,607
<i>Secured debt balance</i>		768		768		1,276		1,276
Assignment of trade receivables	10,916	4,281	0	15,197	2,085	5,133	0	7,218
<i>o.w. Dailly secured</i>	7,037			7,037				0
<i>Dailly with recourse</i>	3,879	4,281		8,160	2,085	5,133		7,218
<i>Discounted notes not yet matured</i>				0				0
Assignment of CIR & CICE	11,954			11,954	11,191			11,191
Assignment of stocks				0				0
Assignment of other receivables				0				0
Assignment of equipment	2,176			2,176	2,398			2,398
Mortgages/Security (land & buildings)	5,435	3,574	2,958	11,967	17,411	2,559		19,969
Total	30,481	11,462	2,958	44,901	33,085	11,299	0	44,384

(*) Book value of pledged securities

Note 29 Risk factors

The Group undertakes reviews of risks that may have a material adverse effect on its business, its financial health, its results, and its ability to achieve its objectives, as described in detail in chapter 6 “Risk factors” of the Annual Report.

Note 29.1 Credit and/or counterparty risks

Credit and/or counterparty risk could arise from the failure of a customer in financial difficulties or going into receivership. In reality, it would reflect the dependency of the Group on certain major customers.

The ten largest customers accounted for 54.5% of total revenue, slightly down compared to 2021. The largest customer in terms of sales accounts for 9.8% of total Group revenue in 2022. The strategy built around the diversity of customers/markets/geographical areas makes it possible to build a customer portfolio where no single customer represents more than 15% of the consolidated revenue.

However, it is important to note that the leading customers are in most cases international groups with many subsidiaries operating in differentiated markets in terms of both legal form (subsidiaries/divisions) and products addressing the needs of segments often engaged in independent activities.

Note 29.2 Liquidity risks

The Company has undertaken a specific review of its liquidity risk and considers that it is in a position to meet its future commitments. Such reviews are undertaken on a regular basis in order to be prepared for any eventualities and to be able to provide a response if necessary.

A detailed study of financial debt, the cash position, net debt and debt including interest is provided under Note 14 “Financial debt” in the notes to the consolidated financial statements.

Liquidity risk for the Group is concentrated with the ACTIA Group parent company and its subsidiary ACTIA Automotive, as they account for 74.9% of total debt. Furthermore, dependency on lenders is limited by diversifying sources of financing.

The next nine customers account for percentages of between 7.4% and 2.9% of consolidated revenue.

Because of the profile of its main counterparties, the solvency of its main customers and the highly diversified nature of its other customers, the Group’s exposure to credit risk is limited.

The Group does not anticipate any material risks relating to customer default with respect to amounts not provisioned (see Note 9 “Trade and other receivables” in the notes to the consolidated financial statements).

For specific geographic areas subject to particular risks, product deliveries are assured by means of recognised tools such as documentary credit facilities.

The Group increased its use of short-term financing by €4,503,000 in 2022, broken down as follows:

⊙ Daily:	+€10,066,000
⊙ Overdraft:	<€2,213,000>
⊙ Cash credit lines:	<€3,350,000>

CIR financing increased by €1,709,000, offsetting the loss arising from the elimination of the CICE (<€945,000>), as a result of the natural evolution of these specific items. Note that the collateralisation of €11,954,000 of the CIR changed in 2022 in the amount of the difference between the collateralisation of the 2021 CIR and the refund of the 2017 CIR from the government.

Note that approvals for short-term credit lines were stable and only 49.6% used by the end of the period.

In the financial year 2022, the Group’s gross debt decreased by €21.4 million to €257.1 million.

A detailed review of financial assets and liabilities is provided in Note 13 “Financial assets and liabilities” in the notes to the consolidated financial statements. It is presented in the following tables by maturity:

At 31 December 2022:

In €K	<31/12/23	>01/01/24	<31/12/27	>01/01/28	Total
Total financial assets	239,627		15,137	2,243	257,007
Total financial liabilities	<293,204>		<130,086>	<27,538>	<450,828>
Net position before management	<53,578>		<114,949>	<25,295>	<193,822>
Off-balance sheet commitments	<18,280>				<18,280>
Net position after management	<71,858>		<114,949>	<25,295>	<212,102>

At 31 December 2021:

In €K	<31/12/2022	>01/01/25	<31/12/26	>01/01/27	Total
Total financial assets	231,571		14,147	1,999	247,717
Total financial liabilities	<265,240>		<159,059>	<21,998>	<446,296>
Net position before management	<33,669>		<144,912>	<19,999>	<198,580>
Off-balance sheet commitments	<24,711>				<24,711>
Net position after management	<58,380>		<144,912>	<19,999>	<223,291>

For the Group, an entity's risk of experiencing difficulties in meeting its financial obligations is linked to the level of amounts invoiced and the collection of receivables. In this respect, there are no difficulties to be reported.

The Group companies independently manage their cash needs. The parent company only intervenes in the event of difficulties. The cash is generated from the Company's operating activities and from bank lines of credit put in place locally. Major investments are decided on by senior Group management (acquisitions, buildings, production equipment and significant R&D projects) and are generally financed by loans or leasing contracts taken on by the entity in question. ACTIA Automotive S.A., as the leading company in the Automotive Division, may be called upon to finance major investments on behalf of its subsidiaries (e.g., the investment in telematics with its subsidiary ACTIA Nordic and the investment in the production facility in the USA with its subsidiary ACTIA Corp.).

Lastly, to enable the Group to take advantage of cash surpluses from certain subsidiaries, it put in place a treasury agreement which is triggered according to needs, so that it can use any surplus cash available within the Group most effectively.

It should be noted that the purpose of these agreements is to use the cash available within the Group in order to limit use of the parent company's short-term lines of credit and so reduce financial costs: the intention is not to transfer bank borrowings into the subsidiaries.

Lastly, the Group's financing needs relate to its innovative strategy as an industrial enterprise. Every year, therefore, financing is needed to support the capital expenditure decisions that ensure the medium- and long-term prosperity of ACTIA. In the past, almost 75% of the medium-term financing raised was for R&D or, exceptionally, external growth, the remaining 25% usually being earmarked for the renewal of production capability. The financing strategy consists of three parts:

- ⊙ Long-term financing: the construction/refurbishment/acquisition of buildings are financed by long-term loans in line with the local practices of the countries in question;
- ⊙ Medium-term financing: bank loans are used to finance major R&D projects (see § 4.6 “Investments” in the Management Report) over an average period of four to five years. The remaining R&D financing is assured either by customers, through different forms of public aid (grants, advances, research tax credits) or equity financing. The renewal of the plant and equipment necessary to maintain the quality standards and the capacity of the production facilities are financed either by leasing agreements (France) or medium-term loans;
- ⊙ Short-term financing: short-term credit lines or the mobilisation of trade receivables are used to manage WCR.

Note 29.3 Market risks

☉ Interest rate risk

Variations in interest rates represent a risk for the Group as they could affect its financing costs.

The analysis conducted by the Group yielded the figures presented in the table below:

In €K	Financial assets* (a)		Financial liabilities* (b)		Net exposure before hedging (c) = (a) - (b)		Interest rate hedging instruments (d)		Net exposure after hedging (e) = (c) - (d)	
	Fixed rate	Variable rate	Fixed rate	Variable rate	Fixed rate	Variable rate	Fixed rate	Variable rate	Fixed rate	Variable rate
< 1 year	239,627		253,245	39,959	<13,618>	<39,959>	0	0	<13,618>	<39,959>
From 1 to 5 years	15,137		130,086		<114,949>	0			<114,949>	0
> 5 years	2,243		27,538		<25,295>	0			<25,295>	0
Total	257,007	0	410,869	39,959	<153,862>	<39,959>	0	0	<153,862>	<39,959>

* A description of financial assets and liabilities is provided in Note 13 “Financial assets and liabilities” in the notes to the consolidated financial statements.

At Group level, checks are conducted to ensure that the overall interest rate risk is spread in such a way as to achieve a reasonable cost for bank borrowings.

In a context of rising interest rates, the Group continued to favour fixed-rate financing in 2022. The breakdown of fixed and variable rate financial debt is given in Note 14 “Financial liabilities” in the notes to the consolidated financial statements.

The sensitivity of a +/- 1% variance in the benchmark rate has been calculated on a post-hedging basis. The figures resulting from this analysis are given below:

In €K	31/12/2022	
	Impact on pre-tax income	Impact on pre-tax equity
Impact of a variance of + 1% in interest rates	<400>	<400>
Impact of a variance of - 1% in interest rates	400	400

It is important to note that, since the implementation of short-term interest rates below 0, many banks impose a floor of 0%, which prevents the Group from taking advantage of the financial market's negative rates.

Foreign exchange risk

The Group's international footprint and invoicing expose it to exchange rate risks related to fluctuations in foreign currencies, for both actual transactions and the conversion of its assets and results.

With purchases of over €280 million, including over €120 million in US Dollars (excluding purchases made by our American entities that benefit from natural coverage), a change in the EUR/USD exchange rate has a very rapid effect on the Group's profitability.

For transactions denominated in foreign currencies, for example, purchases or sales by Eurozone entities denominated in US Dollars (USD) or Japanese Yen (JPY), the companies involved manage their exchange rate risks independently, putting in place currency hedging tools when the volumes involved allow for it.

ACTIA subscribes to currency hedging contracts on a regular basis. Their characteristics are described in Note 11.2 "Financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss" in the notes to the consolidated financial statements. The purpose of these hedging tools is to secure the cost of acquiring USD in relationship to the selling price to our customers. These prices are set at the time of the tenders and our customers do not allow them to change as a result of fluctuations in the EUR/USD exchange rate or the components market. The goal is not to speculate on the markets, but to ensure a reasonable level of parity for the coming weeks and months.

A significant or quick shift in the EUR/USD rate has very different outcomes based on short-term and medium-term approaches adopted by the Group:

- In the short term, it represents a major risk for our component purchases, about half of which are made in US Dollars and which are primarily manufactured in a dollar-dominated region. The hedging instruments limit the impact of changes in the ratio and protect purchases when there is a significant drop. However, they do not enable the benefit of increases to be felt immediately as they must wait for the implementation of new tools when the existing tools run out. It is also noted that, despite very significant variations, the Group has been able to work at a virtually constant exchange rate for a number of years. However, actions are being carried out to identify the adjustments required for pricing for both suppliers and customers. Even if the current tensions in the component market lead to forced price increases, it is unlikely that price revision

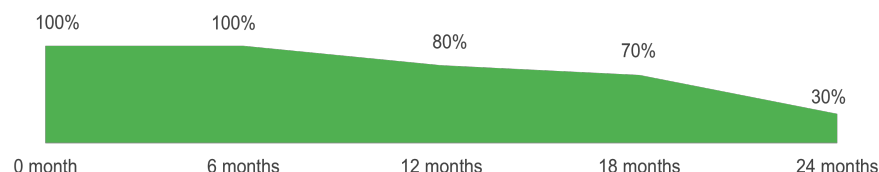
clauses linked to currency fluctuations could be included in the new contracts, apart from very specific sectors, such as Aeronautics.

- In the medium term, changes in exchange rates may impact the Group's competitiveness in international calls for tender, but with a time lag of 18 months to 3 years in the business, reflecting the development (R&D) and industrialisation cycle.

In 2022, the Group was thus able to purchase USD at an average exchange rate of 1.078 compared to 1.179 in 2021, generating an improvement of €2,517,000 (estimate calculated on average annual rates) compared with the money markets, the average exchange rate was 1.054, compared to 1.184 in 2021. During 2022, ACTIA did not necessarily benefit from all the financial instruments it had put in place in 2021, as the very rapid depreciation of the euro against the US dollar led to the deactivation of some or all of them at the low point of around 0.97.

Faced with increasingly volatile financial markets, ACTIA decided in 2022 to return to its main customers for whom it delivers in different geographical areas, to ask them to carry out part of its invoicing in US dollars and thus provide a natural hedge for part of its currency requirements.

For information, the hedging tools are part of a policy which can be expressed in terms of the level of coverage achieved for dollar-denominated purchasing needs, and can be shown as follows:



The Company has conducted an analysis of its **exchange rate risk** after hedging for accounts receivable and payable. The majority of transactions are therefore conducted in Euros. An analysis of the sensitivity of a 1% variance in the US Dollar exchange rate is carried out systematically. It is the second most widely used currency by the Group, with the nine other currencies presenting no material risk, even if certain currencies tend to fluctuate considerably, such as the Brazilian Real.

The Company has conducted an analysis of its exchange rate risk, after hedging for accounts receivable and payable. The figures obtained from this analysis are provided below:

In €K	Trade receivables - gross amounts (a)	Accounts payable (b)	Off-balance sheet commitments (c)	Net exposure before hedging (d)=(a)+(b)+(c)	Financial hedging instruments (e)	Net position after hedging (f)=(d)+(e)
EUR	95,679	68,369	3,651	167,699	0	167,699
USD	16,386	22,190	14,629	53,205	11,283	64,488
Other currencies	52,218	13,909	0	66,127	0	66,127
Total	164,283	104,467	18,280	287,031	11,283	298,314

The majority of transactions are therefore conducted in Euros. An analysis of the sensitivity of a 1% variance in the US Dollar exchange rate has been done. It is the second most widely used currency by the Group, with the nine other currencies grouped together in the following table under the heading “Other currencies” presenting no material risk, even if certain currencies tend to fluctuate considerably, such as the Brazilian Real.

The sensitivity of a variance of +/- 1% in the EUR/USD exchange rate has been calculated on a post-hedging basis. The figures resulting from this analysis are given below:

In €K	Impact on pre-tax income		Impact on pre-tax equity	
	Rise of 1%	Fall of 1%	Rise of 1%	Fall of 1%
Net position after hedging in USD	64,488	64,488	64,488	64,488
USD 0.93756	0.94693	0.92818	0.94693	0.92818
Estimated risk	+ 605	-605	+ 605	-605

Lastly, the strong negative impact on year-end 2022 of <€4.1 million>, compared with + €8.4 million in 2021, demonstrates that the valuation of hedging instruments required by IAS 39 can fluctuate significantly from one financial year to the next. The use of accumulator-type tools managed with an accumulation capacity limited by regular early exercises and a double accumulation threshold providing a bonus compared to forward purchases, adds a degree of risk to the valuation calculation which bids up the calculation. Note that the purpose of these instruments is to protect purchases in foreign currencies. There is a risk that technical entries with no link to the business may have to be made.

Assets and liabilities outside of the Eurozone account for a small share of 14.1%, and are generally only linked to the business activity. Moveable assets and real estate are depreciating or are already entirely depreciated. An analysis of the long-term investments compared to the currency risk was carried out, but the real estate opportunity (Tunisia, USA, Sweden) they

represent compared to the cost of leasing properties for electronics printed circuit board production and its specific requirements weighs considerably on the exchange rate risk. Heavy equipment required for production is depreciated rapidly and the homogeneity of the equipment on our sites enables the recovery and use of the goods on any of the sites if necessary.

Finally, given that we did not choose to value the real estate assets, the net asset value is significantly below the market value and would cover the exchange rate differential if we needed to sell equipment.

The exchange rate risk for subsidiaries outside of the Eurozone is primarily limited to the contribution to the Group's results. The Group invoices in Euros all inter-company flows in countries with the highest currency risks and limits customer payment terms in countries with weakening currencies.

8.1.7 FEES PAID TO THE STATUTORY AUDITORS

Pursuant to Article 222-8 of the General Regulation of the AMF, the table below presents the amount excluding VAT of audit fees paid in respect of the Group's separate and consolidated financial statements. These fees cover services provided and expensed in financial year 2022 in the accounts of ACTIA Group S.A. and its subsidiaries whose income statements of the period and balance sheets are fully consolidated. For information, the balance of auditors' fees relating to the period is often invoiced in the first half-year of the following period. This was the case for the balance of fees for 2021 invoiced in early 2022.

For improved clarity with respect to information on the parent company and subsidiaries, we have opted for a presentation of amounts as agreed in the letter of engagement.

Overall, auditors' fees have remained stable from one period to the next.

In €K	KPMG				BM&A			
	Amount excluding VAT		%		Amount excluding VAT		%	
	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021
Audit fees in respect of the separate annual and consolidated financial statements:								
Issuer: ACTIA Group S.A.	57	74	11.2%	14.8%	33	50	20.9%	32.5%
Fully consolidated subsidiaries	403	427	78.7%	80.7%	124	106	79.1%	67.5%
SUB-TOTAL	460	502	89.9%	100.0%	157	156	100.0%	100.0%
Services other than the certification of financial statements:								
Issuer: ACTIA Group S.A.	36	14	7.0%	2.8%	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
Fully consolidated subsidiaries	16	8	3.1%	1.7%	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
SUB-TOTAL	52	22	10.1%	100.0%	0	0	0.0%	100.0%
TOTAL Group	512	524	100.0%	100.0%	157	156	100.0%	100.0%

Audit fees for the separate and consolidated financial statements for the financial years ended 31 December 2022 and 2021 concern primarily professional services undertaken to review and certify the consolidated financial statements of the Group prepared in accordance with IFRS as adopted in the European Union, certification of the statutory accounts of certain Group subsidiaries, compliance with local regulations and review of documents filed with the AMF, the French securities market regulator.

Services provided by the Statutory Auditors or a member of their network other than the certification of accounts concern those relating to the extension of normal statutory auditing missions (independent third party report on social and environmental information, drafting of special certificates).

8.1.8 REPORT OF THE STATUTORY AUDITORS ON THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

To the Annual General Meeting of ACTIA Group S.A.,

OPINION

In accordance with the mission entrusted to us by your Annual General Meetings, we carried out an audit of the consolidated financial statements of ACTIA Group S.A. for the financial year ended 31 December 2022, as attached to this report.

We hereby certify that the consolidated financial statements for the financial year are truthful and give a true and fair picture of the results, financial position and assets of the companies and entities comprising the consolidated group, in accordance with IFRS as adopted by the European Union.

BASIS FOR OUR OPINION

Audit standards

We conducted our audit in accordance with professional standards applicable in France. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained provides a sufficient and appropriate basis for our audit opinion.

The responsibilities incumbent upon us by virtue of these standards are described in the section entitled “Responsibilities of the Statutory Auditors with respect to the audit of the consolidated financial statements” of this report.

Independence

We conducted our audit assignment in compliance with the rules of independence applicable to us, as provided for in the French Commercial Code and the Statutory Auditors’ Code of Ethics, for the period from 1 January 2022 to the date of issue of our report.

JUSTIFICATION OF OUR ASSESSMENTS

In accordance with the requirements of Articles L.823-9 and R.823-7 of the French Commercial Code relating to the justification of our assessments, we draw to your attention the following assessments which, in our professional opinion, were the most significant for the audit of the consolidated financial statements for the year.

Our assessments are part of the audit of the consolidated financial statements taken as a whole, and therefore contributed to the opinion expressed above. We have not expressed an opinion on the items of the consolidated financial statements taken individually.

The Group performs an annual impairment test of the value of goodwill as described in “Note 4.2 Goodwill” in the notes to the consolidated financial statements. As part of our assessments, we verified the reasonableness of the valuations performed and the correct implementation of the resulting impairment tests. The Group capitalises development costs as described in “Note 4.3 Development costs and other intangible assets” in the notes to the consolidated financial statements. As part of our assessment, we examined the assumptions underlying the appropriateness of this accounting, the methods used for depreciation and we ensured that the notes to the financial statements provide appropriate disclosure.

SPECIAL VERIFICATION

As required by the professional standards applicable in France, we also specifically verified the information about the Group provided in the Board of Directors’ Management Report, as required by law and regulations.

We have nothing to report with respect to the fair presentation of such information and its consistency with the consolidated financial statements.

We hereby certify that the consolidated non-financial performance statement provided for by Article L.225-102-1 of the French Commercial Code is included in the information about the group provided in the Management Report, it being noted that, in accordance with Article L.823-10 of the Code, we did not review the information provided in the statement for its truthfulness or its consistency with the consolidated financial statements and this must, therefore, be subject to a report by an independent third party.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF MANAGEMENT AND OF THE PERSONS CONSTITUTING THE GOVERNANCE OF THE COMPANY WITH RESPECT TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

It is the responsibility of Management to prepare accurate consolidated financial statements in accordance with IFRS as adopted by the European Union and to implement the internal controls it believes are necessary for the preparation of consolidated financial statements which do not contain any material misstatements resulting from either fraud or errors.

At the time the consolidated financial statements are prepared, it is the responsibility of Management to assess the ability of the Company to continue operating; to present in its financial statements, if necessary, the information regarding business continuation; and to apply the going concern accounting principle, unless there are plans to liquidate the Company or terminate its business activities.

The consolidated financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE STATUTORY AUDITORS REGARDING THE AUDIT OF THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

It is our duty to prepare a report on the consolidated financial statements. Our goal is to obtain a reasonable assurance that the consolidated financial statements taken overall do not contain any material misstatements. A reasonable assurance corresponds to a high level of assurance without, however, guaranteeing that an audit conducted in accordance with professional standards will consistently identify all material misstatements. Misstatements can be the result of fraud or of errors. They are considered to be material when it can reasonably be expected that they might, individually or cumulatively, impact the financial decisions that the users of the financial statements make based on them.

As stated in Article L.823-10-1 of the French Commercial Code, our certification of the financial statements does not entail guaranteeing the viability or the quality of your Company's management.

Audits conducted in accordance with the professional standards applicable in France require that the Statutory Auditors exercise their professional judgement during the entire audit. Also:

- ⊙ they identify and assess the risk that the consolidated financial statements may contain material misstatements, regardless if they are the result of fraud or errors, define and implement audit procedures to deal with the risks and collect the information they deem sufficient and relevant to form their opinion. The risk of non-identification of a material misstatement is greater in the case of fraud than that of a material misstatement resulting

from an error given that fraud can involve collusion, falsification, voluntary omissions, false statements or the bypassing of internal controls;

- ⊙ the auditors must review and understand the internal controls relevant to the audit in order to define the audit procedures appropriate for the circumstances and not for the purpose of providing an opinion on the effectiveness of the internal controls;
- ⊙ they assess the suitability of the accounting methods selected and the reasonable nature of the accounting estimates made by Management as well as the information about them provided in the consolidated financial statements;
- ⊙ they assess the relevance of the application by Management of the going concern principle and, based on the information collected, whether or not there is any significant uncertainty related to events or circumstances which could potentially jeopardise the Company's ability to continue operating. The assessment is based on the information collected through to the date of the audit report, it being noted, however, that later circumstances and events can negatively impact business continuity. If they conclude that there is significant uncertainty, they must draw the attention of the readers of the report to the information provided in the consolidated financial statements about the uncertainty or, if the information is not provided or is not relevant, they must provide a qualified opinion or refuse to certify the financial statements;
- ⊙ they assess the overall presentation of the consolidated financial statements and assess if they reflect underlying transactions and events such that they provide an accurate picture;
- ⊙ with respect to the financial information about the persons and entities included within the scope of consolidation, they must collect the information they deem to be sufficient and appropriate to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements. They are responsible for the management, supervision and preparing of the audit of the consolidated financial statements and for the opinion expressed about the financial statements.

Statutory Auditors

Labège, 28 April 2023
KPMG S.A.

Mathieu Leruste
Partner

Paris, 28 April 2023
BM&A

Eric Seyvos
Partner

8.2 SEPARATE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

8.2.1 BALANCE SHEET

Assets (in €)	Gross amount	Depreciation	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
			Net	Net
Share capital subscribed and uncalled				
INTANGIBLE ASSETS				
Formation costs				
Research and development costs				
Concessions, patents and similar rights	53,634	53,570	64	61
Goodwill				
Other intangible assets				
Advances and prepayments on intangible assets	106		106	
TANGIBLE ASSETS				
Land				
Buildings				
Technical installations, equipment, tooling				
Other tangible assets	56,219	49,969	6,251	16,358
Current fixed assets				
Advance and down payments				
FINANCIAL ASSETS				
Investments calculated using the equity accounting method				
Other investments	55,616,472	57,314	55,559,158	56,009,149
Receivables related to investments	42,036,435		42,036,435	15,470,988
Other fixed securities				
Loans	439	103	335	335
Other financial assets	4,745		4,745	4,688

Assets (in €)			31/12/2022	31/12/2021
	Gross amount	Depreciation	Net	Net
FIXED ASSETS	97,768,050	160,956	97,607,093	71,501,578
INVENTORY AND WORK-IN-PROCESS				
Raw materials, supplies				
Production of goods in progress				
Production of services in progress				
Intermediate and finished products				
Goods				
Advance and down payments on orders	82,430		82,430	226
ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE				
Trade accounts receivable	2,950,620		2,950,620	3,192,664
Other accounts receivable	5,138,869		5,138,869	306,073
Called-up share capital not paid				
VARIOUS				
Marketable securities	254,803	148,198	106,605	98,743
o.w. treasury shares: 162,076				
Liquid assets	3,751,847		3,751,847	187,199
ADJUSTING ACCOUNTS				
Accrued charges	163,940		163,940	171,232
CURRENT ASSETS	12,342,510	148,918	12,194,312	3,956,135
Expenses to be spread over several financial years				
Bond redemption premiums				
Translation difference - assets				
ASSETS	110,110,560	309,155	109,801,405	75,457,714

Liabilities (in €)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Individual and equity capital	15,074,956	15,074,956
(of which has been paid: 15,074,956)		
Premiums from equity issues, mergers or acquisitions	17,560,647	17,560,647
Revaluation differences		
(of which, equity accounting reserve: 0)		
Legal reserve	1,507,496	1,507,496
Statutory or contractual reserves		
Regulated reserves	189,173	189,173
(Including prov. res. for exchange rate fluctuations: 0)		
Other reserves		
Retained earnings	13,474,055	12,715,098
(Profit or loss) for the FINANCIAL YEAR	10,648,216	758,956
Investment subsidies		
Regulated provisions		
EQUITY	58,454,543	47,806,327
Proceeds from issues of equity instruments		
Conditional advances		
OTHER EQUITY		
Provisions for risks	4,000,000	
Provisions for expenses		
PROVISIONS FOR RISKS AND EXPENSES	4,000,000	
FINANCIAL LIABILITIES		
Convertible bond loans		
Other bond loans	28,833,334	15,416,667
Bank borrowings	8,948,926	10,836,586
Other financial liabilities	6,942,353	
(of which, participating loans: 0)		
Advance and down payments received for current orders	89,167	
OPERATING DEBT		
Trade creditors and other accounts receivable	1,802,426	870,006
Tax and social payables	189,173	180,118
MISCELLANEOUS LIABILITIES		
Debt on fixed assets and related payables		
Other liabilities	541,484	348,010
ADJUSTING ACCOUNTS		
Deferred income		
DEBT	47,346,863	27,651,387
Unrealised translation differences		
LIABILITIES	109,801,405	75,457,714

8.2.2 SEPARATE INCOME STATEMENT

Income statement (in €)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Sales of goods		
Production of goods sold		
Production of services sold	2,195,422	3,268,899
NET REVENUE	2,195,422	3,268,899
Inventoried production		
Capitalised production		
Operating subsidies	2,000	
Writeback of depreciation and provisions and transfers of costs	1,365,362	1,097,381
Other revenue		
OPERATING REVENUE	3,562,785	4,366,280
Purchases of goods (including customs duties)		
Variations in inventory (goods)		
Purchases of raw materials and other supplies (and customs duties)		
Change in inventory (raw materials and supplies)		
Other purchases and external expenses	4,791,977	2,849,773
Taxes, duties and similar payments	38,699	28,696
Wages and salaries	869,238	975,144
Social contributions	347,097	421,112
OPERATING PROVISIONS		
On fixed assets: depreciation allowances	3,326	4,944
On fixed assets: provisions		
On current assets: provisions		
For liabilities and charges: provisions		
Other expenses	14,050	27,464
OPERATING EXPENSES	6,064,389	4,307,133
OPERATING PROFIT	<2,501,604>	59,147
JOINT VENTURES		
Profit allocated or loss transferred		
Loss sustained or profit transferred		
FINANCIAL INCOME		
Financial revenue from investments	2,460,8164	982,135
Revenue from other securities and fixed asset-related receivables	451,344	572,889
Other interest and similar revenue	15	
Writeback of provisions and transfers of costs	4,293	1,008,115
Positive exchange rate differences	31	
Net revenue from the sale of investment securities	13,892	11,629
FINANCIAL INCOME	2,930,360	2,574,768
Financial depreciation allowances and provisions	2,563	
Interest and similar expenses	1,382,548	1,642,553
Negative exchange rate differences	1,925	
Net expenses on the sale of investment securities	7,760	5,012
FINANCIAL EXPENSE	1,394,796	1,647,565
FINANCIAL INCOME	1,535,564	927,203
ORDINARY INCOME BEFORE TAX	<966,040>	986,351

Income statement (in €)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Non-recurring income from management operations	148	38
Non-recurring income from capital transactions	16,765,262	6,145
Writeback of provisions and transfers of costs		
NON-RECURRING INCOME	16,765,410	6,183
Non-recurring expenses on management operations	12	10
Non-recurring expenses on capital transactions	457,214	204,402
Non-recurring depreciation allowances and provisions	4,000,000	
NON-RECURRING EXPENSES	4,457,226	204,412
EXTRAORDINARY INCOME	12,308,184	<198,229>
Employee profit-sharing		
Income taxes	669324 928	29,165
TOTAL INCOME	23,258,555	6,947,232
TOTAL EXPENSES	12,641,339	6,188,275
PROFIT OR LOSS	10,648,216	758,956

8.2.3 NOTES

Note 1 Highlights of the period

ACTIA Group S.A. fulfilled its role as Group holding company in 2022.

The Company supported the sale of the Power Division, which has been fully operational since 1 January 2022, with the completion of the various carve-outs carried out in 2021. For ACTIA Group, this resulted in the sale of its ACTIA Power S.A.S shares on 1 August 2022.

Note 2 Accounting rules and methods

The financial statements for the 2022 financial year were approved by the Board of Directors on 27 March 2023, in accordance with the provisions of Regulation 2014-03 of the Autorité des Normes Comptables (national accounting standards body) approved by the ministerial decree on the Plan Comptable Général (generally accepted accounting principles) of 8 September 2014.

Note 2.1 Intangible assets

Rights and concessions are amortised on a straight-line basis over one or two years.

Note 2.2 Tangible assets

Capitalised assets are broken down and amortised or depreciated over their own useful lives if these differ from the principal item of property, plant and equipment.

Items of property, plant and equipment are recognised at acquisition cost. Cost components include:

- ⊙ The purchase cost, including customs duties and non-refundable purchase taxes less trade discounts and rebates;
- ⊙ The costs directly attributable to transferring and commissioning the asset and;
- ⊙ If applicable, the initial estimate of the costs of dismantling and removing the item and restoring the site.

Borrowing costs are excluded from the cost of non-current assets.

Where material components of items of property, plant and equipment can be determined and they have different useful lives and depreciation methods, the depreciation is recognised by component. To date, treatment by component has not been applied for any non-current asset, in the absence of significant capitalisation.

The depreciable amount is systematically allocated over the useful life of the asset. Depreciation is calculated on a straight-line basis and the useful lives applied are as follows:

- ⊙ Plant and equipment, facilities and tools: over 6 to 10 years;
- ⊙ Other property, plant and equipment: over 3 to 10 years.

Note 2.3 Financial assets

Investment securities are recognised in the balance sheet at acquisition cost or contribution value.

An impairment is recorded when the carrying amount of a holding held by ACTIA Group is less than the share of its shareholders' equity, unless:

- ⊙ A recorded fair transaction value justifies the value;
- ⊙ Or the prospects for a recovery in profitability are strong and can be demonstrated. In this case, the value in use of the holding is estimated using a financial valuation method.

Note 2.4 Accounts receivable

Receivables are measured at their nominal value. A provision for impairment is recognised depending on the age of the receivables and any risks of non-recovery.

Note 2.5 Pension liabilities

Pension liabilities are calculated according to French accounting recommendation CNC 2013-02 based on an actuarial estimate of potential rights vested by employees on the balance sheet date.

The main assumptions applied at the end of the reporting period were:

- ⊙ Discount rate: 3.75% (0.98% in 2021),
- ⊙ Salary escalation rate: 2.25%
- ⊙ Retirement age: 67
- ⊙ Low turnover rate:

Age of employee	20 years	30 years	40 years	50 years	60 years	65 years
Turnover rate (%) (management and non-management)	5.80%	2.77%	2.04%	0.10%	0.05%	0.00%

The present value of holdings is thus primarily assessed using the discounted future cash flow method based on business and free cash flow forecast assumptions reasonably estimated by executive management and most probable on the date the financial statements are closed. The discount and growth rates used are rationalised based on market data.

In order to assess the tolerance of the estimate of the shareholders' equity determined in this way, analyses of the sensitivity of the values to changes in assumptions about estimated future cash flows and the discount rate are simulated.

- ⊙ Mortality table: INSEE 2013:

Age of employee	20 years	30 years	40 years	50 years	60 years	65 years
Mortality table: Men (%)	99,274	98,549	97,489	94,963	88,615	83,631
Mortality table: Women (%)	99,469	99,222	98,745	97,436	94,414	92,075

Off-balance sheet commitments include pension liabilities of €96,098.

Note 3 Additional information on the balance sheet and the income statement

The balance sheet date of the financial statements is 31 December 2022 and covers a period of twelve months.

Note 3.1 Intangible assets

The gross amounts of intangible fixed assets changed as follows:

(€)	31/12/2021	Acquisitions	Disposals and write-offs	31/12/2022
Formation costs	0			0
Other intangible assets	53,626	251	13	53,740
TOTAL	53,626	251	138	53,740

Amortisation was as follows:

(€)	31/12/2020	Provisions	Reversals	31/12/2021
Formation costs	0			0
Other intangible assets	53,566	142	138	53,570
TOTAL	53,566	142	138	53,570

Note 3.2 Tangible assets

Gross amounts of property, plant and equipment changed as follows:

(€)	31/12/2021	Acquisitions	Disposals and write-offs	31/12/2022
Land	0			0
Buildings	0			0
Plant and equipment, facilities and tools.	0			0
Other	65,494		9,275	56,219
Current fixed assets	0			0
TOTAL	65,494	0	9,275	56,219

Amortisation was as follows:

(€)	31/12/2021	Provisions	Reversals	31/12/2022
Land	0			0
Buildings	0			0
Plant and equipment, facilities and tools.	0			0
Other	49,137	3,184	2,352	49,969
TOTAL	49,137	3,184	2,352	49,969

Note 3.3 Financial assets

These changed as follows:

have changed as follows:

(€)	Balance sheet securities				Held at 31/12/2022 (%)	Shareholders' equity before appropriation of earnings at 31/12/2021	2022 revenue before tax	Net income at 31/12/2022
	31/12/2021		31/12/2022					
	Gross value	Net value	Gross value	Net value				
INVESTMENT SECURITIES								
Subsidiaries and investments > 10%								
ACTIA Telecom	25,772,641	25,772,641	25,772,641	25,772,641	100.00%	40,357,582	80,067,514	3,651,734
ACTIA Automotive	24,904,439	24,904,439	24,904,439	24,904,439	99.99%	36,781,551	278,480,895	<3,474,831>
ACTIA Telematics Services	3,698,578	3,698,578	3,698,578	3,698,578	99.00%	1,493,865	3,333,911	189,113
ACTIA PCs	610,902	610,902	610,902	610,902	12.19%	2,492,581	2,865,254	<46,370>
SCI Oratoire	199,098	199,098	199,098	199,098	86.00%	1,046,490	806,474	2,724,824
ACTIA Engineering Services (*)	151,680	151,680	151,680	151,680	53.33%	1,726,490	22,682,715	1,607,034
SCI Pouvoirville	101,161	101,161	101,161	101,161	30.00%	1,902,779	983,548	243,434
ACTIA Africa (*)	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	99.77%	6,309	361,455	23,661
ACTIA Power	449,991	449,991		0	0.00%			
MORS INC	0	0	0	0	100.00%	UNK.	UNK.	UNK.
CYT	33,494	0	33,494	0	15.00%	UNK.	UNK.	UNK.
Subsidiaries and investments < 10%								
CIPI-ACTIA (*)	10,138	10,138	10,138	10,138	0.20%	2,871,716	14,310,204	371,312
SCI Sodimob	7,030	7,030	7,030	7,030	2.00%	223,397	110,648	78,521
Outside of the Group								
MPC	3,489	3,489	3,489	3,489	0.02%	UNK.	UNK.	UNK.
Continental	47	0	47	0	N.S.	UNK.	UNK.	UNK.
STEM	22,812	0	22,812	0	N.S.	UNK.	UNK.	UNK.
CGC	960	0	960	0	N.S.	UNK.	UNK.	UNK.
Total	56,066,463	56,009,149	55,616,472	55,559,158				
OTHER FIXED SECURITIES								
1% Construction	0	0	0	0				
Total	0	0	0	0				
OTHER FINANCIAL ASSETS								
Loans	439	335	439	335				
Other receivables	4,688	4,688	4,745	4,745				
Total	5,126	5,023	5,183	5,080				

N.S. : Non-significant - UNK. : Unknown

(*) Foreign subsidiaries with a local currency other than the Euro. Balance-sheet data is converted using the exchange rate at closure of the accounts and income is converted using the average exchange rate

Note 3.4 Stocks

None

Note 3.5 Advance and down payments on orders

None

Note 3.6 Accounts receivable, other receivables

(€)	Gross values	Net value	Due dates < 1 year	Due dates > 1 year
Investment-related receivables	42,036,435	42,036,435	19,912,321	22,124,114
Accounts receivable	2,950,620	2,950,620	1,557,236	1,393,385
Current accounts on investments				
Other receivables (including accrued charges)	5,302,809	5,302,809	1,885,811	3,416,998
TOTAL	50,289,865	50,289,865	23,355,368	26,934,497

Note 3.7 Treasury shares

ACTIA Group holds with a gross value of €153,043. These shares were owned by MORS S.A. at the time of the merger in 2000.

Since the merger with MORS S.A., the Group has proceeded with a number of share buyback programmes.

The last share buyback programme was authorised by the General Meeting of 24 May 2022 for a period of 18 months. This programme complies with Articles L225-209 et seq. of the French Commercial Code. The objectives, maximum amount allocated to the share buyback

Breakdown of treasury shares at 31 December 2022:

programme, the maximum number and characteristics of the shares as well as the maximum purchase price are described in § 4.10.9 “Authorisation to implement a share buyback program” in the Annual Report.

As of 31 December 2022, ACTIA Group S.A. held 3,328 treasury shares in total.

A provision for the treasury shares is calculated based on the closing price of €4.17 at 31 December 2022, for a total of €148,198.

Origin of the holding	Number of shares	Gross value	Provision	Net value
Merger with MORS S.A. in 2000	1,399	€153,043	€147,209	€5,834
Share buyback programmes	1,929	€9,033	€989	€8,044
TOTAL	3,328	€162,076	€148,198	€13,878

In addition, as of 31 December 2022 as part of **the liquidity contract**, ACTIA Group held **12,037 treasury** shares and €36,325 in liquidity. All of the shares are used to ensure market-making on the secondary market or share liquidity via the intermediary of the investment service provider (ISP) Société de Bourse Portzamparc, through a liquidity contract in compliance with the AMAFI code of ethics recognised by the AMF.

Note 3.8 Equity

At 31 December 2022, there were no stock option plans established by the Company and the share capital amounted to €15,074,955.75. It consists of 20,099,941 shares with a par value of €0.75 per share. The total amount of additional paid-in capital is €14,693,643.96.

Accordingly, net assets changed as follows over the period:

		Appropriation of earnings 2021				Balance at 31/12/2022 prior to proposed appropriation of earnings
(€)	Balance at 31/12/2021 prior to appropriation of earnings	Retained earnings	Dividends		Share capital increase	
			Paid to shareholders	On treasury shares:		
Capital	15,074,956					15,074,956
Share premiums	14,693,644					14,693,644
Merger premiums	2,867,003					2,867,003
Legal reserves	1,507,496					1,507,496
Restricted reserves	189,173					189,173
Retained earnings	12,715,098	758,956				13,474,055
Net income for 2021	758,956	<758,956>				0
Net income for 2022						10,648,216
TOTAL	47,806,327	0	0	0	0	58,454,543

At 31 December 2022, restricted reserves set aside to cover treasury shares totalled €12,147.

Note 3.9 Provisions

A provision for liabilities has been recorded for the year 2022, amounting to €4 million.

(€)	Balance at 31/12/ 2021	Provisions	Writeback	31/12/2022
Provisions for risks	0	€4,000,000	- €	€4,000,000
Total	0	€4,000,000	- €	€4,000,000

Note 3.10 Debt

The breakdown of liabilities by type and maturity at the balance sheet date was as follows:

(€)	31/12/2022			Total
	<31/12/23	>01/01/24 <31/12/27	>01/01/28	
Other bond loans	4,583,334	6,250,000	18,000,000	28,833,334
Bank borrowings and debts to credit establishments Credit	3,190,750	5,758,176	0	8,948,926
<i>o.w. MLT borrowings</i>	2,624,882	5,758,176		8,383,059
<i>Short-term bank lines and commercial paper</i>	503,252			503,252
<i>Interest accruing on financial liabilities</i>	62,616			62,616
Other financial liabilities	6,942,353			6,942,353
Advances and prepayments on orders	89,167			89,167
Trade creditors and other accounts receivable	1,802,426			1,802,426
Amounts payable to payroll tax agencies	189,173			189,173
Other liabilities (including deferred income)	541,484			541,484
Total	17,338,686	12,008,176	18,000,000	47,346,863

Certain medium- to long-term loans are subject to conditions imposed by covenants. These covenants apply to loans for amounts totalling €29,635,474 or 79.6% of medium- and long-term debt. Compliance with these covenants is verified at the end of each period on the basis of ACTIA Group's consolidated financial statements.

At 31 December 2022, the breakdown of the medium- to long-term borrowings and covenants was as follows:

Amount at inception (€)	Date of subscription	Duration	Outstanding principal at 31/12/ 2022	Covenant		Respected ⁽¹⁾		Reclassification under current borrowings ⁽²⁾	
				Ratios at end 2022 (calculated on the basis of the consolidated financial statements)		At end 2021	At end 2022	At end 2021	At end 2022
3,500,000	2016	7 years	768,362	Net debt to equity < 1.20	B	B		0	0
				Net debt to EBITDA < 4.50	B	R			
1,000,000	2017	5 years	33,778	Net debt to equity < 1.20	B	B		0	0
				Net financial expense to EBITDA < 30%	R	R			
				Net debt to EBITDA < 4.50	B	R			
15,000,000	2017	7 years	7,500,000	Net debt to EBITDA < 4.50	B	R		0	0
5,000,000	2017	9 years	3,333,334	Net debt to EBITDA < 4.50	B	R		0	0
16,200,000	2022	8 years	16,200,000	Debt to equity < 5		R			
				Debt to EBITDA < 5		R			
				Consolidated cash flow > €5 million		R			
1,800,000	2022	8 years	1,800,000	Debt to equity < 5		R			
				Debt to EBITDA < 5		R			
				Consolidated cash flow > €5 million		R			
4,000,000	2018	7 years	610,902	-					
1,000,000	2018	5 years	253,525	-					
3,000,000	2019	7 years	1,751,657	-					
3,100,000	2021	5 years	2,287,672	-					
3,200,000	2022	5 years	2,677,162	-					
TOTAL			37,216,392					0	0

(1) R = Respected - B = Breached

(2) Long-term portion of debt reclassified under "Current financial liabilities"

In 2022, the disposals of non-strategic assets that were completed in April for the Vehicle Inspection and Garage Equipment businesses and in early August for the Power Division generated capital gains of €35.8 million and cash of €64.5 million, which enabled the Group to positively impact its financial ratios, as defined in one of the objectives of these operations.

The change in the Group's business activity also had positive impacts on the "Net Debt/Equity" and "Net Debt/EBITDA" ratios based on the consolidated financial statements, in particular due to:

⊙ Regarding the change in EBITDA:

- The increase in revenue, combined with an increase in business and an increase in prices, has made it possible to strengthen profitability at a time when the economic environment was undergoing strong inflation and therefore increased costs for ACTIA,
- In a context of continuing shortages of components, the Automotive Division, which suffered from the crisis with its factories being asked to produce smaller and more numerous runs to limit the impact on customers, and with the increase in the exceptional costs of components linked to the search for alternative solutions such as purchases from brokers, was able to pass them on to customers for the most part;
- A special effort to maintain top-class R&D teams and a committed staff with salary hikes and increased hiring, which resumed again since the end of 2021 despite the tensions in the job market.

The IFRS 16 impact on EBITDA was stable at €5,952,000 in 2022 compared to €5,954,000 in 2021.

⊙ The 5.9% reduction in net debt was mainly achieved through asset disposals, as the business had consumed resources due to the sharp increase in stocks over the period (+€38.0 million) and the impact of the difference between customer and supplier payment terms (around 20 days), which is very detrimental during a period of growth:

- The raising of medium-term financing (+€38.7 million), including €18 million of Recovery Bonds, and leases was well below the repayments made (€73.6 million);
- Use of short-term lines of credit increased from €36.4 million in 2021 to €41.6 million in 2022 (i.e. use rate of 49.6%);
- The decrease in cash available.

The impact of IFRS 16 on net debt increased between 2021 (+€18,919,000) and 2022 (+€20,546,000) with the signing of new contracts.

These elements resulted in non-compliance with the covenants for 2 borrowings at 31 December 2022, compared to 4 at 31 December 2021. However, by keeping banking partners regularly up to date, we were able to have these covenants suspended on 31 December 2022.

Note 3.11 Revenue

Because of the nature of its activity as a holding company, revenue of ACTIA Group S.A. corresponds to amounts originating from chargebacks to its affiliated undertakings.

Note 3.12 Reclassification of operating expenses

Under operating expenses, expense reclassifications concern amounts invoiced for expenses incurred by ACTIA Group S.A. for its subsidiaries:

⊙ Licences:	€705,441
⊙ Insurances (including brokerage services):	€597,441

Note 3.13 Financial Result

The most significant items of financial income are:

- ⊙ Dividends received from subsidiaries: €1,683,177
- ⊙ Interest on current accounts of subsidiaries: €778,006
- ⊙ Income from off-balance sheet commitments in favour of subsidiaries: €451,285

Financial expenses are mainly comprised of:

- ⊙ Interest on bond issues: €1,252,162
- ⊙ Interest and similar expenses related to financial liabilities with credit institutions: €91,789
- ⊙ Interest on commercial paper: €13,941
- ⊙ Interest on bank current account credit balances: €8,174

Note 3.14 Non-recurring items

For the 2022 period, an exceptional expense of €457,214 and an exceptional income of €16,765,262 for the disposal of the Power Division were recorded.

Note 3.15 Earnings per share

Basic earnings per share at 31 December 2022 are calculated on the basis of the net income of €10,717,216 divided by the number of shares in circulation excluding treasury shares. The details of the calculations are shown in the following table:

(€)	31/12/2022	31/12/2021
Net income	10,648,216	758,956
Shares issued as at 1 January	20,099,941	20,099,941
Issuance of new shares	0	0
Treasury shares	<3,328>	<3,328>
Earnings per share	0.53	0.04

Note 3.16 Financial commitments and collateral provided

The guarantees provided by ACTIA Group S.A. on behalf of its subsidiaries to non-banking third parties amounted to €224,587,622, including €219,587,622 for customer guarantees. Two guarantees for a total amount of €217 million are covered by an insurance policy taken out directly by the subsidiary in question. Collateral provided by ACTIA Group S.A. to banks on behalf of its subsidiaries represented €25,666,857 at 31 December 2022 versus €41,914,115 at 31 December 2021.

ACTIA Group S.A. gave 344,262 shares of its ACTIA Telecom subsidiary as collateral for bank loans.

Note 4 Other information**Note 4.1 Accrued expenses**

Accrued expenses consist of auditors' fees in the amount of €113,200.

Note 4.2 Dividends

The appropriation of 2022 earnings is set out in § 4.1.2 "Draft resolutions" of this Annual Report. A dividend distribution of €0.12 gross per share will be proposed at the General Meeting of 23 May 2023.

Note 4.3 Unrealised tax position

At 31 December 2022, the unrealised tax position was comprised of losses of €575,470 remaining to be carried forward.

Note 4.4 Headcount at year-end

	2022	2021
Managers and supervisors	9	8
Employees	3	1
Students on work placements	1	
Workers		
TOTAL	13	9

Note 4.5 Transactions with related parties

Related party balances at 31/12/2022	Parent	Subsidiaries	Other related companies
ASSETS			
Investment-related receivables		42,035,312	
Provision for receivables on investments			
Trade accounts receivable	18,680	2,840,506	
Other accounts receivable		1,328,378	
LIABILITIES			
Trade creditors and other accounts receivable	201,188	300,943	
Other liabilities		6,942,353	
Income statement			
Operating expenses	299,984	690,396	
Financial expenses		16,376	
Non-recurring expenses		11,305	
Operating revenue	62,907	3,049,819	
Financial income		2,912,469	
Non-recurring income		7,555	

Operating expenses payable to the parent company represent amounts invoiced for services rendered.

Note 4.6 Risks and hedging policy

☉ Interest rate risk:

The table below provides a breakdown between fixed and variable rate financial debt of ACTIA Group S.A. at 31 December 2022:

(€)	2022			2021		
	Fixed rate	Variable rate	Total	Fixed rate	Variable rate	Total
Bond issues	28,833,334		28,833,334	15,416,667		15,416,667
Total medium- and long-term borrowing	8,383,059		8,383,059	7,785,822		7,785,822
Commercial paper/short-term bank lines	0	503,252	503,252	1,850,000	1,113,036	2,963,036
Total value	37,216,392	503,252	37,719,644	25,052,489	1,113,036	26,165,525
Total in %	99%	1%	100%	96%	4%	100%

The sensitivity to a 1% increase in the benchmark (3-month Euribor) was calculated on a pre-hedging basis. At 31 December 2022, this represented €5,000 and was only impacted by short-term borrowings.

☉ Equity risk:

At 31 December 2022, ACTIA Group S.A. held 3,328 treasury shares. The sensitivity to a €1 decline in the share price is consequently €3,000.

☉ Foreign exchange risk:

There are currently no foreign currency transactions in progress. The subsidiaries are invoiced in euros.

Note 4.7 Executive management compensation

The Chairman and CEO is compensated for his term of office and since 2020, the members of the Board of Directors of ACTIA Group S.A. are also compensated based on their participation (excluding Deputy CEO and Directors representing employees). For more information, see § 7.2 “Corporate Officer compensation”.

Note 4.8 Post-balance sheet events

In a context where the components crisis persists, slowing down business and putting pressure on organisations, with additional costs partially covered by the customers, ACTIA has decided to implement a better mobilisation of its trade receivables. The aim is to support its WCR and to work with its customers to carry out part of its invoicing in foreign currency (USD) in order to generate a natural hedge for its purchases.

While waiting for the end of the current crises (consequences of the war in Ukraine and difficulties in procuring components), the Group is maintaining a tight control over expenses.

ACTIA Group has not identified any significant impact at this stage on the value of assets and liabilities as of 31 December 2022.

Note 4.9 Consolidating company

S.A. LP2C with capital of €6,751,560

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8.2.4 REPORT OF THE STATUTORY AUDITORS ON THE ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

To the Annual General Meeting of ACTIA Group S.A.,

OPINION

In accordance with the mission entrusted to us by your Annual General Meeting, we carried out an audit of the annual financial statements of ACTIA Group S.A. for the financial year ended 31 December 2022, as attached to this report.

We hereby certify that the annual financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position and the assets and liabilities of the Company as at 31 December 2022 and the results of its operations for the year ended in accordance with French accounting standards.

BASIS FOR OUR OPINION

Audit standards

We conducted our audit in accordance with professional standards applicable in France. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained provides a sufficient and appropriate basis for our audit opinion.

The responsibilities incumbent upon us by virtue of these standards are described in the section of this report entitled “Responsibilities of the Statutory Auditors with respect to the audit of the annual financial statements”.

Independence

We conducted our audit assignment in compliance with the rules of independence applicable to us, as provided for in the French Commercial Code and the Statutory Auditors’ Code of Ethics, for the period from ¹ January 2022 to the date of issue of our report.

JUSTIFICATION OF OUR ASSESSMENTS

In accordance with the requirements of Articles L.823-9 and R.823-7 of the French Commercial Code relating to the justification of our assessments, we draw to your attention the following assessments which, in our professional opinion, were the most significant for the audit of the annual financial statements for the year.

Our assessments are part of the audit of the annual financial statements taken as a whole, and therefore contributed to the opinion expressed above. We have not expressed an opinion on the items of the annual financial statements taken individually.

Investment securities are valued at acquisition cost and depreciated if their value in use or market value is lower than their book value, according to the methods described in Note 2.3 Financial assets in the appendix. As part of our assessment of these estimates, we reviewed the data on which these values are based.

SPECIAL VERIFICATION

As required by the professional standards applicable in France, we also carried out the specific verifications required by law and regulations.

Information provided in the Management Report and in the other documents addressed to the Shareholders on the financial position and annual financial statements.

We have nothing to report with respect to the truthfulness and compliance with the annual financial statements of the information given in the Board of Directors’ Management Report and in the other documents addressed to the shareholders on the financial position and annual financial statements.

We hereby certify the truthfulness and consistency of the annual financial statements with the information regarding payment terms covered in Article D.441-6 of the French Commercial Code.

Corporate Governance Report

We certify that the Board of Directors’ report on corporate governance includes the information required by Articles L. 225-37-4 of the French Commercial Code.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF MANAGEMENT AND OF THE PERSONS CONSTITUTING THE GOVERNANCE OF THE COMPANY WITH RESPECT TO THE ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

It is the responsibility of management to prepare accurate annual financial statements in accordance with French accounting rules and principles and to implement the internal controls it believes are necessary for the preparation of annual financial statements which do not contain any material misstatements resulting from either fraud or errors.

In preparing the annual financial statements, it is the responsibility of the Management to assess the ability of the Company to continue operating, to present in its financial statements, if necessary, the information regarding business continuation and to apply the going concern accounting principle, unless if there are plans to liquidate the Company or terminate its business activities.

The financial statements have been approved by the Board of Directors.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE STATUTORY AUDITORS REGARDING THE AUDIT OF THE ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Audit purpose and approach

It is our duty to prepare a report on the annual financial statements. Our goal is to obtain a reasonable assurance that the annual financial statements taken overall do not contain any material misstatements. A reasonable assurance corresponds to a high level of assurance without, however, guaranteeing that an audit conducted in accordance with professional standards will consistently identify all material misstatements. Misstatements can be the result of fraud or of errors. They are considered to be material when it can reasonably be expected that they might, individually or cumulatively, impact the financial decisions that the users of the financial statements make based on them.

As stated in Article L.823-10-1 of the French Commercial Code, our certification of the financial statements does not entail guaranteeing the viability or the quality of your Company's management.

Audits conducted in accordance with the professional standards applicable in France require that the Statutory Auditors exercise their professional judgement during the entire audit.

Also:

- ⊙ they identify and assess the risk that the annual financial statements may contain material misstatements, regardless if they are the result of fraud or errors, define and implement audit procedures to deal with the risks and collect the information they deem sufficient and relevant to form their opinion. The risk of non-identification of a material misstatement is greater in the case of fraud than that of a material misstatement resulting from an error given that fraud can involve collusion, falsification, voluntary omissions, false statements or the bypassing of internal controls;
- ⊙ the auditors must review and understand the internal controls relevant to the audit in order to define the audit procedures appropriate for the circumstances and not for the purpose of providing an opinion on the effectiveness of the internal controls;
- ⊙ they assess the suitability of the selected accounting methods and the reasonable nature of the accounting estimates made by the Management as well as the information about them provided in the annual financial statements;
- ⊙ they assess the relevance of the application by Management of the going concern principle and, based on the information collected, whether or not there is any significant uncertainty related to events or circumstances which could potentially jeopardise the Company's ability to continue operating. The assessment is based on the information collected through to the date of the audit report, it being noted, however, that later circumstances and events can negatively impact business continuity. If they conclude that there is significant uncertainty, they must draw the attention of the readers of the report to the information provided in the annual financial statements about the uncertainty or, if the information is not provided or is not relevant, they must provide a qualified opinion or refuse to certify the financial statements;
- ⊙ they must assess the overall presentation of the annual financial statements and assess if they reflect underlying transactions and events such that they provide an accurate picture;

Statutory Auditors

Labège, 28 April 2023

KPMG S.A.

Mathieu Leruste
Partner

Paris, 28 April 2023

BM&A

Eric Seyvos
Partner

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

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9.1 SHARE CAPITAL AND AUTHORISATIONS GRANTED

ACTIA Group S.A. shares are listed on the Euronext Growth market in Paris.

9.1.1 SUBSCRIBED SHARE CAPITAL

The share capital amounts to €15,074,955.75, split into 20,099,941 shares with a par value of €0.75 each, fully paid up and all in the same class.

Since the last capital increase recorded on 15 September 2008, there has been no change in the share capital up to the date of production of this document.

9.1.2 TREASURY SHARES

Information on these securities is provided in Note 3.7 “Treasury shares” in the notes to the separate financial statements.

9.1.3 BONUS SHARES, STOCK OPTIONS AND CONVERTIBLE OR SWAPPABLE SECURITIES OR SECURITIES WITH WARRANTS

No stock option plans and no bonus share plans exist within the Company or in other Group companies.

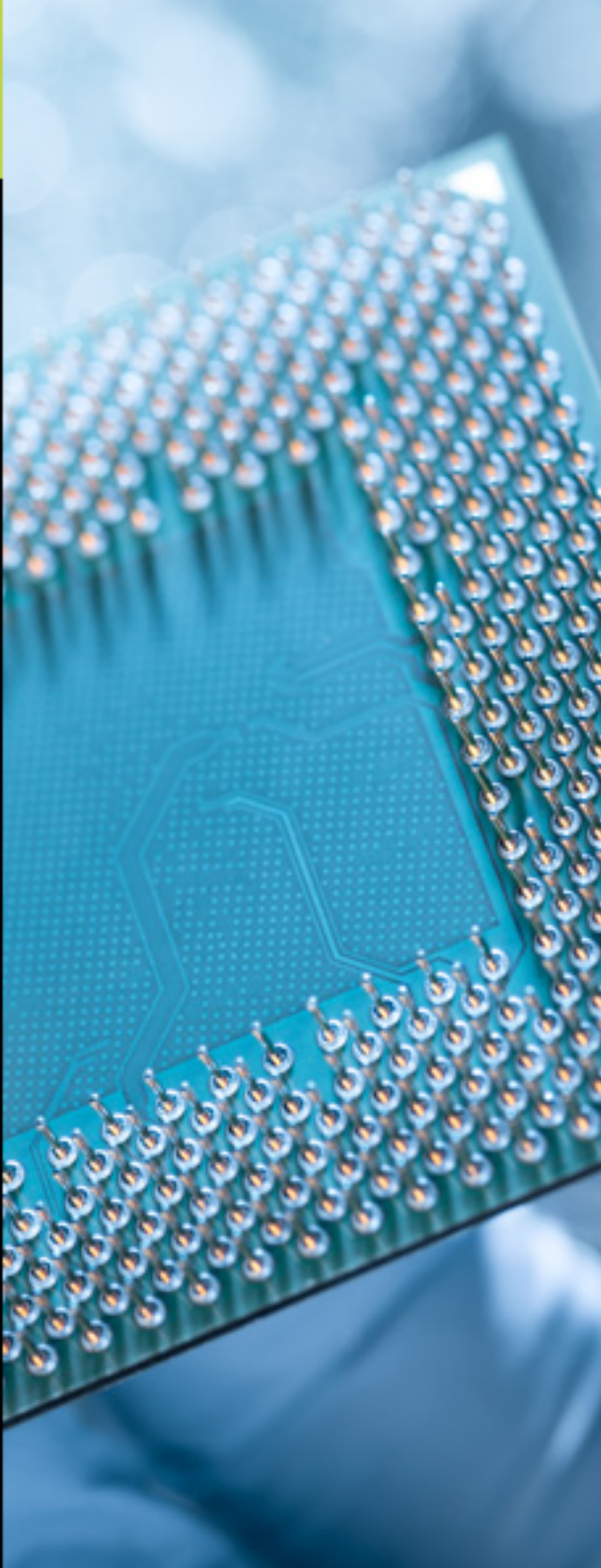
9.1.4 DESCRIPTION OF THE COMPANY’S SHARE BUYBACK PROGRAMME

See § 4.10.8 “Share buyback programme under way” of the Annual Report.

9.1.5 SHARE CAPITAL INCREASE

At the balance sheet date, there is no authorisation in respect of capital increases in effect.

DOCUMENTS ON DISPLAY



The Articles of Association, financial statements and reports, minutes of the General Meetings and other corporate documentation may be consulted at the Company's Registered Office:
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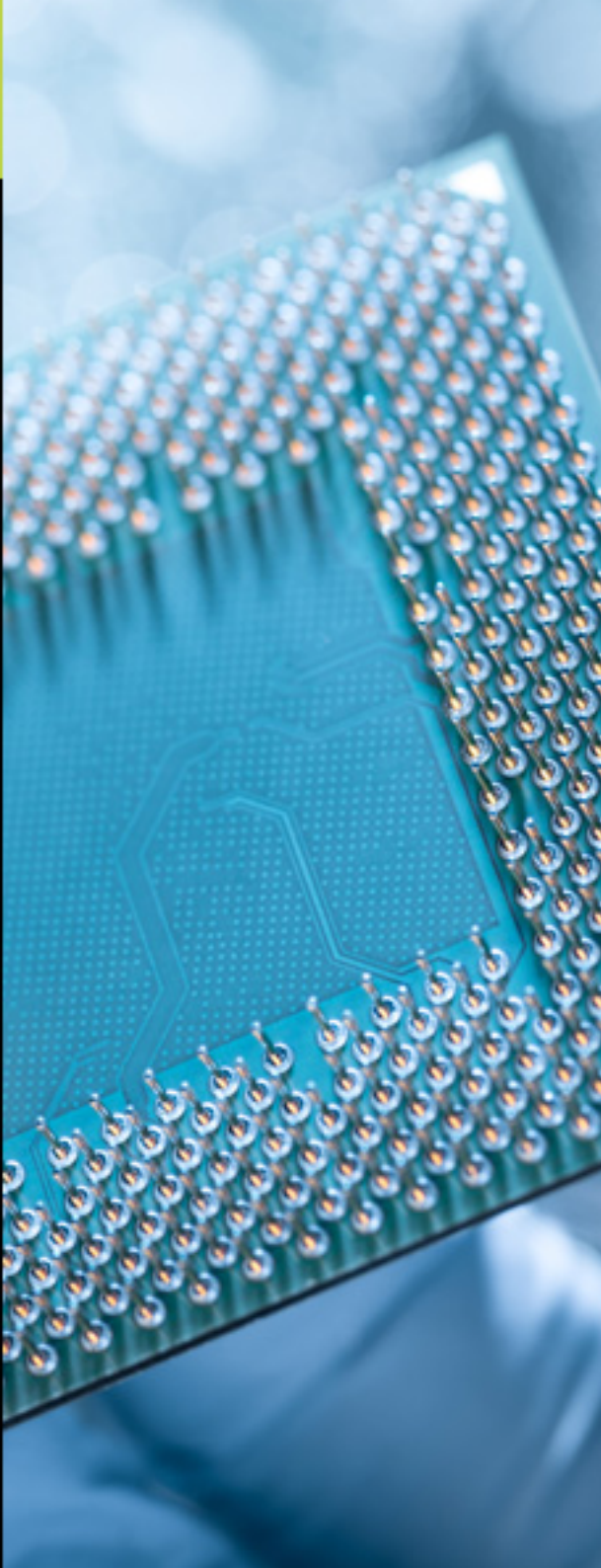
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GLOSSARY



To facilitate the reader's understanding, selected technical terms and acronyms are defined below:

- ⊙ **ActiMux:** an embedded multiplexed architecture solution for buses and coaches developed by ACTIA. This solution includes a range of on-board computers, dashboard clusters and gauges.
- ⊙ **Actuator:** Electric motor used to activate various functions (control the oil or fuel pressure, set the headlights to a given angle, and so on) so that another system can be controlled in specific conditions.
- ⊙ **Aftermarket:** the secondary market of the automotive industry. In the sector for industrial vehicles, a distinction is made between the original equipment manufacturer market (OEM) and the secondary market that covers post-equipment operations, maintenance and repairs.
- ⊙ **Dual-use item:** the control of exports of dual-use goods and technologies is implemented by governments to fight against the destabilising accumulation of arms in certain regions of the world. The controls are carried out for goods subject to restrictions to certain destinations.
- ⊙ **Tachograph:** a device for monitoring the activity of commercial vehicles transporting passengers and merchandise. Mandatory in the European Union, this equipment measures driving time and speed in order to regulate the circulation of commercial vehicles by contributing to improved safety.
- ⊙ **Cloud:** cloud-based IT which uses the computing and storage power of remote servers via the Internet.
- ⊙ **Cluster:** a term that in our area (and which may have other meanings in other areas) refers to an electronic instrument cluster or panel ("digital dash") that includes different displays: screen, gauges (see "gauge").
- ⊙ **COMCEPT:** an acronym for COMplément de Capacités en Elongation, Projection et Théâtre, a contract awarded by the French military procurement agency (DGA) to Airbus Defence and Space (ex-Astrium) and its partner ACTIA Telecom (ex-ACTIA Sodielec) to provide the French military forces access to Ka-band broadband satellite networks starting in 2014.
- ⊙ **DGA:** an acronym for Direction Générale de l'Armement, the French military procurement agency. It is responsible for designing, purchasing and evaluating military systems for the French armed forces;
- ⊙ **EasyTach:** a software application developed and sold by ACTIA Group for automatically and remotely downloading legal data from the tachograph equipping the commercial vehicles (see "Tachograph").
- ⊙ **EBSF:** European Bus System of the Future. EBSF is the first joint project for the urban bus system in the form of a consortium of 49 partners from 11 European countries. Launched in 2008 and coordinated by UITP, the International Association of Public Transport, this project integrates through a global approach the needs of passengers, operators, transport authorities, and drivers and is focused on addressing issues relating to urban infrastructure and the place of the bus in the city of tomorrow.
- ⊙ **Electre:** a project for the deployment of digital substations led by RTE (see "RTE").
- ⊙ **RE:** an acronym for Renewable Energy or energy coming from sources that are naturally replenished or replenished at a pace faster than it is used.
- ⊙ **End of Line:** electronic diagnostics solution for vehicles at the end of assembly lines.
- ⊙ **ETI:** an "Entreprise de Taille Intermédiaire" (in French) is a mid-market company with between 250 and 4,999 employees, and either revenue of less than 1.5 billion euros, or a balance sheet total of less than 2 billion euros.
- ⊙ **Gearing:** Net debt to Equity.
- ⊙ **Microwave:** the microwave technology is based on the emission and analysis of high frequency radio waves. ACTIA Group uses this technology in transmission equipment for Earth stations (see "Earth stations").
- ⊙ **IATF:** International Automotive Task Force.
- ⊙ **iCAN:** a telematics device designed for light vehicle fleets in the aftermarket segment. The device is connected to the OBD socket in the driver cabin to transmit vehicle operating data to a fleet management software application.

- ⊙ **IHM-I:** a range of intelligent and connected solutions equipped with a control interface for buses and coaches. These products are available for the post-equipment market. They include communications protocols that make it possible to provide customers with onboard access to the Internet, telephony or different navigation, driving and operating services such as antitheft and shock detection, emergency calls, opening doors, engine ignition authorisation and fleet management.
- ⊙ **Infotainment:** a term within the activities of ACTIA referring to product ranges used to provide passenger entertainment and information services on buses, coaches, subways, tramways and trains.
- ⊙ **Inductance:** component characterised by its ability to create a magnetic flux when it is provided with an electrical current.
- ⊙ **IRIS:** International Railway Industry Standard. This is the international railway standard. Created in 2006 at the initiative of UNIFE (see “UNIFE”), this standard is the industry quality benchmark integrating all requirements specific to this sector.
- ⊙ **ISO TS 16949:** the international quality management system standard for the automotive sector. Developed by IATF (see “IATF”), the International Automotive Task Force representing European and American automotive manufacturers and equipment manufacturers, with the objective of harmonising requirements of the different stakeholders in terms of the quality system.
- ⊙ **ITxPT:** a cooperative initiative for the implementation of standards for public transport IT systems. The systems are intended to operate perfectly when they are used or connected for the first time without any need for reconfiguration. An integrated test bench provides specification, test, qualification and promotion services for standardised solutions.
- ⊙ **Lean:** this refers to “lean manufacturing,” a management theory developed in Japan by Toyota to reduce waste by applying a continuous improvement approach across the entire organisation. It can be applied to any type of business or production process.
- ⊙ **Leverage:** Net debt to EBITDA.
- ⊙ **MCO:** a French acronym for “Maintien en Condition Opérationnelle” (In-Service Support). This global support package covers all processes required to guarantee the operations of a system over time. In the case of electronic systems, these processes cover the redesign of the boards, their repair, the storage of components, etc.
- ⊙ **MSA methods:** measurement and analysis methods. Validation of the number of errors in a measurement system. An analysis of measurement systems assesses the test method, the measurement instruments and all of the process to obtain measurements to ensure the integrity of the data used for the analysis.
- ⊙ **High speed Internet:** this national programme is intended to quickly reduce the number of areas with low-speed Internet thanks to the modernisation of current telecommunications networks. In addition to the economic and social stakes of the new digital economy, this programme will also help to provide access to areas far from major cities.
- ⊙ **Multi-Diag:** is the multi-make offering for diagnostics devices and software developed and marketed by ACTIA Group. This range is designed to maintain and repair electronic parts of passenger and commercial vehicles irrespective of the manufacturer. It is sold to Aftermarket vehicle maintenance and repair service networks worldwide.
- ⊙ **Multiplexing:** a technology which enables the transmission of a very large amount of data between electronic command management devices and accessories using a reduced amount of cabling.
- ⊙ **NADCAP:** National Aerospace and Defense Contractors Accreditation Program. NADCAP is a quality certification programme for subcontractors and suppliers in the aerospace and defence sectors. This programme defines the quality standard criteria for each product, manufacturing process and service. This programme was developed by major customers such as Boeing, Airbus, Safran, Rolls Royce, Bombardier and Zodiac.
- ⊙ **OBD:** On-Board Diagnostic.
- ⊙ **ONCF:** an acronym for Office National des Chemins de Fer, the Moroccan national railway company.
- ⊙ **NATO:** North Atlantic Treaty Organisation. Founded on 4 April 1944, a political and military alliance grouping 28 member countries (Europe and North America) with the mission of protecting the liberty and security of its members.
- ⊙ **PEE:** “Plan d’Epargne Entreprise” (in French) / Company Savings Plan: a collective savings system that allows employees (and directors, in small businesses) to acquire securities with help from the company.
- ⊙ **PCCN:** an acronym for Poste Contrôle Commande Numérique, a digital protection and control system. This system is used by Enedis. It defines a new technical level (PCCN level) that equips all new installations and replaces previous equipment requiring overly expensive operating maintenance.

- ⊙ **RTE:** is the electricity transmission system operator of France. It is responsible for the operation, maintenance and development of the French high voltage transmission system and ensuring the security of the electrical system.
- ⊙ **SCADA:** (Supervisory Control And Data Acquisition): a large-scale remote-access system capable of managing large quantities of remote measurements in real time and controlling technical equipment remotely.
- ⊙ **Shelter:** a shelter (container) hosting various functions, notably for military applications: complete equipment which can be moved from one site to another.
- ⊙ **SIL 4** (Safety Integrity Level): relative level of risk reduction inherent to a safety function. It is a measure of the expected performance of a safety function. The requirements for the highest (most reliable) give a level SIL4. A SIL is determined from a given number of quantified factors in the management of the development and/or lifecycle.
- ⊙ **SMART GRID:** an intelligent electrical grid for optimised energy performance with a remote control capability.
- ⊙ **SMART POWER:** Smart Power peripherals are switching circuits with digital content. They interface with microprocessors and a load. These intelligent switches are designed to control a wide range of loads in automotive and industrial systems.
- ⊙ **Earth station:** an Earth station is a terrestrial radio station for receiving and/or broadcasting satellite communications. It is used for both civilian and military applications.
- ⊙ **Embedded systems:** a generic term referring to all on-board electronic equipment in vehicles. These systems are in most cases located at the level of the chassis but communicate with cabin devices, and mainly displays (see “cluster,” “gauges,” “switch pack”).
- ⊙ **Green Taxonomy:** refers to a classification of economic activities that have a favourable impact on the environment. Its objective is to direct investments towards “green” activities.
- ⊙ **Telematics:** etymologically a technology combining telecommunications and information technology. In the areas covered by ACTIA, telematics refers to vehicle connectivity and covers not only embedded communications devices capable of transmitting data, but also user services enabled by the use of the data: global positioning, vehicle fleet management, monitoring of fuel consumption, etc.
- ⊙ **TGU:** Telematic Gateway Unit. The TGU is an electrical unit designed and manufactured by ACTIA equipping commercial and industrial vehicles that allows these vehicles to communicate with their environment. This communications capability serves many purposes: global positioning, monitoring of fuel consumption, maintenance, etc.
- ⊙ **UNIFE:** The European Rail Industry Association (Union des Industries Ferroviaires Européennes).
- ⊙ **VCI:** Vehicle Communication Interface, referring to the device connected to the OBD (see “OBD”) for vehicle connectivity. This device normally located in the vehicle cabin is connected to the vehicle’s electronic control units and gives access to a range of vehicle operating data. Exploiting this data through the VCI provides information about the electronic health of the vehicle and as such contributes to its maintenance. A VCI is consequently an embedded telematics unit.

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