

Soft Q1, EBIT guidance narrowed at top end

Etteplan's Q1 was clearly softer than expected, with all three service areas missing our EBITA estimates. The company narrowed its 2026 EBIT guidance at the upper end.

- Net sales in Q1 were EUR 90.5m (Evli est. EUR 91.8m, EUR 94.9m in Q1'25), revenue decreased by 4.6% (5.4% at comparable FX).
- EBITA in Q1 was EUR 3.7m (Evli est. EUR 6.1m, EUR 5.8m in Q1'25), at a margin of 4.1% (Evli est. 6.7%). EBIT was EUR 2.2m (Evli est. EUR 4.5m, EUR 4.2m in Q1'25), at a margin of 2.4%.
- The combined effect of NRIs on EBITA and EBIT was EUR -0.7m (Evli est. -0.8m) below EUR -1.3m in Q1'25.
- Net sales in Engineering Solutions were EUR 51.5m (Evli est. 51.8m), EBITA amounted to EUR 2.4m (Evli est. 3.7m). The bigger margin miss reflects low utilization as new project starts remained slow.
- Net sales in Software and Embedded Solutions were EUR 20.2m (Evli est. 20.4m), EBITA amounted to EUR 0.1m (Evli est. 0.8m). Profitability was hit by the revenue decline alongside material restructuring carried out during the quarter.
- Net sales in Technical Communication and Data Solutions were EUR 18.9m (Evli est. 19.6m), EBITA amounted to EUR 0.8m (Evli est. 1.9m). Revenue was flat y/y as continued services volumes declined, particularly in Germany and the Netherlands, while profitability improvement seen in H2'25 did not continue.
- Market commentary remained the same, with the weak demand environment persisting, and defense, energy and to some extent the mining industry as the only customer industries holding up.
- **Guidance 2026 (specified):** Revenue is estimated to be EUR 360–380m (unchanged), and EBIT is estimated to be EUR 19–23m (prev. EUR 19–25m).
- Our current estimate for 2026E sits at EUR ~362m net sales and EUR 20.5m EBIT, within the new guidance range, although the Q1 miss implies downside pressure to our FY estimates.

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Q1'26	Actual	Evli	Year ago
Net sales	90.5	91.8	94.9
EBITA	3.7	6.1	5.8
Reported EBIT	2.2	4.5	4.2
Reported EPS	0.04	0.11	0.09

Deviation	Actual	Evli	Year ago
Net sales		-1%	-5%
EBITA		-40%	-36%
Reported EBIT		-52%	-48%
EPS		-63%	-55%

Share price, EUR (Last trading day's closing price) **7.14**
Target price, EUR 8.0

Latest change in recommendation 29-Apr-25

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Research paid by issuer: YES

No. of shares outstanding, '000's 25 250

No. of shares fully diluted, '000's 25 250

Market cap, EURm 180

Free float, % 23.0 %

Exchange rate 0.0

Reuters code ETTE.HE

Bloomberg code ETTE FH

Average daily volume, EURm 0.033

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KEY FIGURES

	Sales EURm	EBIT EURm	EBIT %	FCF EURm	EPS EUR	P/E (x)	EV/Sales (x)	EV/EBIT (x)	FCF yield %	DPS EUR
2024	361.0	18.4	5.1%	-0.3	0.41	24.3	0.9	17.6	-0.1%	0.22
2025	361.4	17.9	4.9%	4.8	0.41	22.4	0.8	17.0	2.1%	0.22
2026E	361.7	20.5	5.7%	7.1	0.52	13.6	0.7	12.2	3.9%	0.26
2027E	372.5	24.4	6.6%	18.5	0.66	10.9	0.6	9.8	10.3%	0.33
2028E	385.3	28.7	7.5%	17.9	0.81	8.9	0.6	8.0	10.0%	0.40
Market cap, EURm		180	Gearing 2026E, %		54.1 %	CAGR EPS 2025–28, %		25.0 %		
Net debt 2026E, EURm		70	Price/book 2026E		1.4	CAGR Sales 2025–28, %		2.2 %		
Enterprise value, EURm		250	Dividend yield 2026E, %		3.7 %	ROE 2026E, %		10.5 %		
Total assets 2026E, EURm		310	Tax rate 2026E, %		20.0 %	ROCE 2026E, %		9.0 %		
Goodwill 2026E, EURm		127	Equity ratio 2026E, %		41.9 %	PEG, P/E 26/CAGR		0.7		

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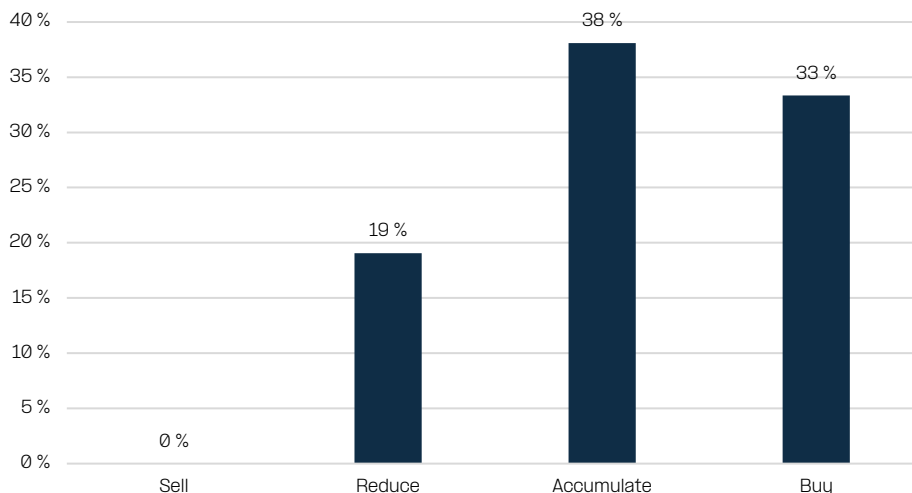
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