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**Share Performance** 

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Share price (in €)

Market cap (in € m)

Number of shares (in m pcs)

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Market data

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### Outlook into FY25e: another strong year ahead for Rosenbauer

Topic: With a record high order backlog and restored supply chains, Rosenbauer should deliver another strong year after an already solid FY24e.

Already in 9M'24, Rosenbauer increased its sales by 20% yoy to € 841m continuing its turnaround after the challenging FY22. We expect the growth story to continue for Q4'24e and FY25e due to multifactorial reasons. (1) The demand for firefighting trucks and equipment is unbrokenly high with € 1.23bn order intake in 9M'24 (+20% yoy; book-to-bill 1.47x) and a record high in order backlog of  $\notin$  2.20bn. (2) The chassis supply chain crisis in FY21&22 has successively eased throughout FY23 and FY24. At the time, chassis availability is not a major concern. (3) Significant price increases are still in the order book as the average price per fire truck in order intake during 9M'24 increased by 14.6% yoy to € 571t.

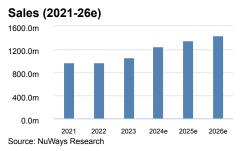
Hence, we not only expect Rosenbauer to reach the FY24e top-line guidance, which was raised in November to over € 1.20bn (eNuW: € 1.25bn) but also to achieve high single-digit sales growth for FY25e (eNuW: € 1.36bn). Additionally, we expect to see a further improvement in EBIT margin next year to 5.6% (vs. eNuW 5.0% in FY24e; 3.5% in FY23; -1.1% in FY22), mainly thanks to price increases but also due to the margin attractive Equipment segment. Thus, EBIT should increase disproportionately by 21% yoy to € 76.5m.

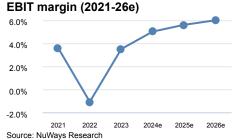
Capital increase and debt refinancing: Announced in the company news from 9th December, Rosenbauer has obtained essential regulatory approvals such as in the EU and the US, but not all approvals in all further relevant jurisdictions. The missing approvals are expected to be obtained by the end of Q1'25e. With Robau as a new strong investor, Rosenbauer will raise its equity ratio to a healthy level and satisfy its covenants. In addition, Rosenbauer has agreed on a refinancing of € 330m with its major lenders (company news 19<sup>th</sup> Dec.) with a term until December 2027 and extension options for additional two more years.

We reiterate our BUY rating with an unchanged PT of € 50, based on DCF.

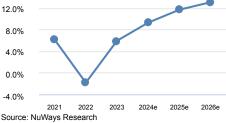
Y/E 31.12 (EUR m)	2021	2022	2023	2024e	2025e	2026e
Sales	975.1	972.2	1,064.5	1,251.3	1,357.5	1,448.3
Sales growth	-6.6%	-0.3%	9.5%	17.5%	8.5%	6.7%
EBITDA	63.8	18.9	67.7	94.8	105.8	116.4
Net debt (if net cash=0)	204.3	298.2	428.3	376.4	343.0	337.0
FCF	107.8	-19.9	-112.3	51.9	33.4	5.9
Net Debt/EBITDA	3.2	15.8	6.3	4.0	3.2	2.9
EPS pro forma	2.27	-3.57	-0.16	1.98	4.67	6.13
EBITDA margin	6.5%	1.9%	6.4%	7.6%	7.8%	8.0%
ROCE	6.1%	-1.9%	5.9%	9.2%	11.6%	13.0%
EV/sales	0.6	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.6
EV/EBITDA	9.1	38.3	13.6	10.2	8.8	7.9
PER	15.5	-9.9	-220.8	17.8	7.5	5.7
Adjusted FCF yield	5.0%	0.4%	4.0%	6.1%	7.7%	8.6%

Source: Company data, NuWays, Close price as of 20.12.2024









#### **Company description**

Rosenbauer develops and produces vehicles, fire extinguishing systems, digital solutions and systems for preventive firefighting in Europe and America. In addition, fire and safety equipment such as nozzles and submersible pumps strategically complement Rosenbauer's product portfolio.

#### Guidance

- 2024 sales: > € 1.2bn
- 2024 EBIT margin: 5%

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Key shareholders				
Rosenbauer Family	51.0%			
Lazard Freres Gestion	6.0%			
Free Float	43.0%			
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	<u>2024e</u>	<u>2025e</u>	<u>2026e</u>				
Sales	0%	0%	0%				
EBIT	0%	0%	0%				
EPS	0%	0%	0%				

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### Financials

Profit and loss (EUR m)	2021	2022	2023	2024e	2025e	2026e
Net sales	975.0	972.2	1,064.5	1,251.3	1,357.5	1,448.3
Sales growth	-6.6%	-0.3%	9.5%	17.5%	8.5%	6.7%
Increase/decrease in finished goods and work-in-process	-16.3	-5.7	-53.7	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total sales	958.7	966.6	1,010.9	1,251.3	1,357.5	1,448.3
Other operating income	9.0	10.2	12.9	10.0	14.9	15.9
Material expenses	547.8	572.6	652.6	788.3	845.7	880.6
Personnel expenses	255.6	286.4	307.2	387.9	423.6	451.9
Other operating expenses	1.3	1.9	2.6	1.8	3.3	3.5
Total operating expenses	121.4	139.5	127.6	148.3	157.0	166.0
EBITDA	63.8	18.9	67.7	94.8	105.8	116.4
Depreciation	28.8	29.4	30.2	31.7	29.3	28.9
EBITA	35.0	-10.6	37.5	63.2	76.5	87.4
Amortisation of goodwill	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Amortisation of intangible assets	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Impairment charges	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
EBIT (inc revaluation net)	35.0	-10.6	37.5	63.2	76.5	87.4
Interest income	0.6	4.1	3.4	1.5	1.5	1.5
Interest expenses	6.2	18.0	34.3	39.3	34.0	32.0
Investment income	-0.6	-5.7	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2
Financial result	-6.2	-19.6	-30.5	-37.6	-32.3	-30.3
Recurring pretax income from continuing operations	28.9	-30.2	7.0	25.6	44.2	57.1
Extraordinary income/loss	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Earnings before taxes	28.9	-30.2	7.0	25.6	44.2	57.1
Income tax expense	5.7	-7.8	5.8	9.9	10.2	13.1
Net income from continuing operations	23.2	-22.3	1.2	15.7	34.0	43.9
Income from discontinued operations (net of tax)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Net income	23.2	-22.3	1.2	15.7	34.0	43.9
Minority interest	7.8	1.9	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2
Net profit (reported)	15.4	-24.3	-1.1	13.4	31.8	41.7
Average number of shares	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8
EPS reported	2.27	-3.57	-0.16	1.98	4.67	6.13
Profit and loss (common size)	2021	2022	2023	2024e	2025e	2026e
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Profit and loss (common size)	2021	2022	2023	2024e	2025e	2026e
Net sales	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Sales growth	-6.6%	-0.3%	9.5%	17.5%	8.5%	6.7%
Increase/decrease in finished goods and work-in-process	-1.7%	-0.6%	-5.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Total sales	98.3%	99.4%	95.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Other operating income	0.9%	1.0%	1.2%	0.8%	1.1%	1.1%
Material expenses	56.2%	58.9%	61.3%	63.0%	62.3%	60.8%
Personnel expenses	26.2%	29.5%	28.9%	31.0%	31.2%	31.2%
Other operating expenses	0.1%	0.2%	0.2%	0.1%	0.2%	0.2%
Total operating expenses	12.5%	14.3%	12.0%	11.9%	11.6%	11.5%
EBITDA	6.5%	1.9%	6.4%	7.6%	7.8%	8.0%
Depreciation	3.0%	3.0%	2.8%	2.5%	2.2%	2.0%
EBITA	3.6%	-1.1%	3.5%	5.0%	5.6%	6.0%
Amortisation of goodwill	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Amortisation of intangible assets	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Impairment charges	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
EBIT (inc revaluation net)	3.6%	-1.1%	3.5%	5.0%	5.6%	6.0%
Interest income	0.1%	0.4%	0.3%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
Interest expenses	0.6%	1.8%	3.2%	3.1%	2.5%	2.2%
Investment income	-0.1%	-0.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Financial result	neg.	neg.	neg.	neg.	neg.	neg.
Recurring pretax income from continuing operations	3.0%	-3.1%	0.7%	2.0%	3.3%	3.9%
Extraordinary income/loss	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Earnings before taxes	3.0%	-3.1%	0.7%	2.0%	3.3%	3.9%
Tax rate	19.6%	25.9%	83.4%	38.7%	23.0%	23.0%
Net income from continuing operations	2.4%	-2.3%	0.1%	1.3%	2.5%	3.0%
Income from discontinued operations (net of tax)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Net income	2.4%	-2.3%	0.1%	1.3%	2.5%	3.0%
Minority interest	0.8%	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%
Net profit (reported)	1.6%	-2.5%	-0.1%	1.1%	2.3%	2.9%
Source: Company data, NuWays						

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Balance sheet (EUR m)	2021	2022	2023	2024e	2025e	2026e
Intangible assets	46.4	54.1	58.0	63.7	69.8	76.3
Property, plant and equipment	197.3	190.0	180.0	175.8	173.7	173.7
Financial assets	15.1	24.7	24.0	24.0	24.0	24.0
FIXED ASSETS	258.8	268.7	262.0	263.5	267.4	274.0
Inventories	407.8	490.8	591.1	611.7	624.5	663.8
Accounts receivable	159.0	177.9	278.0	284.4	295.1	314.8
Other assets and short-term financial assets	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Liquid assets	65.4	35.6	34.9	56.0	24.4	20.3
Deferred taxes	0.5	0.5	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7
Deferred charges and prepaid expenses	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
CURRENT ASSETS	632.8	704.9	904.7	952.8	944.7	999.7
TOTAL ASSETS	891.6	973.6	1,166.7	1,216.3	1,212.2	1,273.7
SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY	217.8	183.9	180.9	184.9	225.9	287.5
MINORITY INTEREST	7.3	2.1	2.2	2.4	223.9	207.5
Long-term liabilities to banks	161.1	202.2	2.2	2.4	2.4	2.4
Bonds (long-term)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
other interest-bearing liabilities	36.1	12.8	31.3	35.0	35.0	35.0
Provisions for pensions and similar obligations	32.4	24.6	26.0	26.0	26.0	26.0
Other provisions and accrued liabilities	17.4	24.0	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES	247.0	264.5	82.3	84.4	84.4	84.4
Short-term liabilities to banks	72.5	118.8	429.5	395.0	330.0	320.0
Accounts payable	63.9	78.7	114.9	96.3	113.1	120.7
Advance payments received on orders	130.6	190.5	248.8	345.0	345.0	345.0
Accrued taxes	9.4	5.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8
Other liabilities (incl. from lease and rental contracts)	140.8	124.0	99.5	99.5	101.5	103.5
Deferred taxes	2.2	5.3	5.7	6.0	7.0	7.4
Deferred income	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
CURRENT LIABILITIES	419.5	523.1	901.3	944.6	899.4	899.4
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY	891.6	973.6	1,166.7	1,216.3	1,212.2	1,273.7
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Balance sheet (common size)	2021	2022	2023	2024e	2025e	2026e
Intangible assets	5.2%	5.6%	5.0%	5.2%	5.8%	6.0%
Property, plant and equipment	22.1%	19.5%	15.4%	14.5%	14.3%	13.6%
Financial assets	1.7%	2.5%	2.1%	2.0%	2.0%	1.9%
FIXED ASSETS	29.0%	27.6%	22.5%	21.7%	<b>22.1%</b> 51.5%	21.5%
Inventories	45.7%	50.4%	50.7%	50.3%		52.1%
Accounts receivable	17.8%	18.3%	23.8%	23.4%	24.3%	24.7%
Other assets and short-term financial assets	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Liquid assets	7.3%	3.7%	3.0%	4.6%	2.0%	1.6%
Deferred taxes	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
Deferred charges and prepaid expenses	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
CURRENT ASSETS TOTAL ASSETS	71.0% 100.0%	72.4% 100.0%	77.5% 100.0%	78.3% 100.0%	77.9% 100.0%	78.5% 100.0%
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SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY	24.4%	18.9%	15.5%	15.2%	18.6%	22.6%
MINORITY INTEREST	0.8%	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%
Long-term liabilities to banks	18.1%	20.8%	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%
Bonds (long-term)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
other interest-bearing liabilities	4.1%	1.3%	2.7%	2.9%	2.9%	2.7%
Provisions for pensions and similar obligations	3.6%	2.5%	2.2%	2.1%	2.1%	2.0%
Other provisions and accrued liabilities	2.0%	2.6%	1.9%	1.7%	1.7%	1.7%
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES	27.7%	<b>27.2%</b>	7.1%	6.9%	7.0%	<b>6.6%</b>
Short-term liabilities to banks	8.1%	12.2%	36.8%	32.5%	27.2%	25.1%
Accounts payable	7.2%	8.1%	9.9%	7.9%	9.3%	9.5%
Advance payments received on orders	14.6%	19.6%	21.3%	28.4%	28.5%	27.1%
Accrued taxes	1.1%	0.6%	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%
Other liabilities (incl. from lease and rental contracts)	15.8%	12.7%	8.5%	8.2%	8.4%	8.1%
Deferred taxes	0.2%	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%	0.6%	0.6%
Deferred income	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
	47.0%	53.7%	77.2%	77.7%	74.2%	70.6%
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Source: Company data, NuWays

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Cash flow statement (EUR m)	2021	2022	2023	2024e	2025e	2026e
Net profit/loss	2021	-22.3	1.2	15.7	34.0	43.9
Depreciation of fixed assets (incl. leases)	28.8	29.4	30.2	31.7	29.3	28.9
Amortisation of goodwill & intangible assets	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other costs affecting income / expenses	-1.1	7.5	-2.2	-1.6	0.0	0.0
Cash flow from operating activities	124.2	-15.5	-105.5	61.4	44.7	19.7
Increase/decrease in inventory	9.5	-73.1	-106.4	-20.6	-12.8	-39.3
Increase/decrease in accounts receivable	77.6	-10.2	-103.0	-6.4	-10.7	-19.7
Increase/decrease in accounts payable	14.4	2.5	36.2	-18.7	16.9	7.6
Increase/decrease in other working capital positions	-4.9	80.6	59.8	85.0	10.0	20.0
Increase/decrease in working capital	96.7	-0.2	-113.4	39.3	3.4	-31.5
Cash flow from operating activities	145.8	6.5	-82.8	85.1	66.7	41.4
CAPEX	38.1	26.5	29.5	33.2	33.3	35.5
Payments for acquisitions	0.0	82.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Financial investments	0.0 2.5	0.0 3.1	0.0 5.6	0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0
Income from asset disposals Cash flow from investing activities	-35.6	-105.4	-23.9	-33.2	-33.3	-35.
Cash flow before financing	100.1	-103.4	-106.7	-33.2 51.9	-33.3 33.4	-35.0
Increase/decrease in debt position	-39.4	80.6	107.2	-30.8	-65.0	-10.0
Purchase of own shares	0.0	0.0	0.0	-30.0	0.0	0.0
Capital measures	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Dividends paid	10.2	6.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Others	-17.7	-4.6	-1.5	0.0	0.0	0.0
Effects of exchange rate changes on cash	3.5	-0.9	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
Cash flow from financing activities	-67.3	69.9	105.8	-30.8	-65.0	-10.0
Increase/decrease in liquid assets	46.4	-29.8	-0.7	21.1	-31.6	-4.1
Liquid assets at end of period	65.4	35.6	34.9	56.0	24.4	20.3
Key ratios (EUR m)	2021	2022	2023	2024e	2025e	2026
P&L growth analysis					10100	
Sales growth	-6.6%	-0.3%	9.5%	17.5%	8.5%	6.7%
EBITDA growth	-24.6%	-70.4%	259.1%	40.0%	11.6%	10.0%
EBIT growth	-39.3%	-130.1%	-455.5%	68.4%	21.1%	14.3%
EPS growth	-46.3%	-257.2%	-95.5%	-1339.5%	136.4%	31.3%
Efficiency						
Sales per employee	240.4	236.9	253.8	287.3	305.6	319.6
EBITDA per employee	15.7	4.6	16.1	21.8	23.8	25.7
No. employees (average)	4,057	4,104	4,195	4,355	4,442	4,531
Balance sheet analysis						
Avg. working capital / sales	43.1%	39.7%	42.5%	38.4%	33.7%	33.6%
Inventory turnover (sales/inventory)	2.0	1.9	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.8
Accounts receivable turnover	4.9	5.8	4.7	4.4	4.6	4.6
Accounts payable turnover Cash flow analysis	17.2	13.6	10.5	13.0	12.0	12.(
Free cash flow	107.8	-19.9	-112.3	51.9	33.4	5.9
Free cash flow/sales	11.1%	-2.0%	-10.6%	4.2%	2.5%	0.4%
FCF / net profit	464.2%	89.1%	neg.	331.2%	98.3%	13.5%
Capex / sales	3.9%	2.7%	2.8%	2.6%	2.4%	2.4%
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Net debt	204.3	298.2	428.3	376.4	343.0	337.0
Net Debt/EBITDA	3.2	15.8	6.3	4.0	3.2	2.9
Dividend payout ratio	39.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Interest paid / avg. debt	2.1%	6.0%	8.6%	8.8%	8.5%	8.8%
Returns						
ROCE	6.1%	-1.9%	5.9%	9.2%	11.6%	13.0%
ROE	7.1%	-13.2%	-0.6%	7.3%	14.1%	14.5%
Adjusted FCF yield	5.0%	0.4%	4.0%	6.1%	7.7%	8.6%
Dividend yield	2.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
DPS	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
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EPS reported	2.27	-3.57	-0.16	1.98	4.67	
EPS reported Average number of shares			-0.16 6.8	1.98 6.8	4.67 6.8	
EPS reported Average number of shares Valuation ratios	2.27 6.8	-3.57 6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8
EPS reported Average number of shares <b>Valuation ratios</b> P/BV	2.27 6.8 1.1	-3.57 6.8 1.3	6.8 1.3	6.8 1.3	6.8 1.1	6.8 0.8
EPS reported Average number of shares Valuation ratios P/BV EV/sales	2.27 6.8 1.1 0.6	-3.57 6.8 1.3 0.7	6.8 1.3 0.9	6.8 1.3 0.8	6.8 1.1 0.7	6.8 8.0 0.6
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	08.11.2024	Sandherr, Christian	Buy	EUR 50.00	EUR 34.50
	12.08.2024	Sandherr, Christian	Buy	EUR 50.00	EUR 34.90
	02.08.2024	Sandherr, Christian	Buy	EUR 50.00	EUR 35.80
	08.07.2024	Sandherr, Christian	Buy	EUR 50.00	EUR 35.30
	21.06.2024	Sandherr, Christian	Buy	EUR 50.00	EUR 35.00
	21.05.2024	Sandherr, Christian	Buy	EUR 50.00	EUR 31.70
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