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# Sword Group

## 2015 First Quarterly Results

### Outperformance in terms of Organic Growth: + 19.6%

Windhof - 23 April 2015,

€M	Q1 <sup>(1)</sup>		
	2015	2014 <sup>(2)</sup>	Growth
Revenue	32.6	27.3	+ 19.6%
EBITDA	4.9	4.3	+ 14.0%
Profitability	15.1%	15.6%	-

<sup>(1)</sup> non audited figures<sup>(2)</sup> on a like-for-like basis

## ANALYSIS

### Growth

Growth in the first quarter of 2015 on a like-for-like basis is up 19.6%.

In sectorial terms, the growth for each division is:

- Software: + 27.2%

- Services: + 16.2%

After adjustment for exchange rate fluctuations, growth for the 1st quarter amounts to 12.3% per division. The rates are respectively:

- Software: + 15.2%

- Services: + 10.5%

### Profitability

The EBITDA amounts to 15.1%, above budget.

### Net Cash

The net cash position at the end of March is €51.4 Million.

## OUTLOOK

The Group confirms its growth targets for 2015 and is preparing its ambitious R & D plan designed to amplify the growth of the Software business.

### About Sword Group

*Sword Group (NYSE Euronext: FR0004180578 SWP) delivers high value business applications (IT Services & Software) to the world's largest companies globally. With operations in 50 countries, Sword today employs 1,200+ people and generates €117.1m in consolidated revenue.*

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### Sword Group Q1 2015 <sup>(1)</sup>

Consolidated revenue: €32.6 Million

Organic growth: + 19.6%

Consolidated profitability: 15.1%

Dividends: €1.2 (payment on 6 May)

<sup>(1)</sup> non audited figures

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