

ELKO Grupa bond issue

Bonds of one of the largest IT distributors in Northern-Europe



About ELKO Grupa

- Founded in 1993, AS ELKO Grupa (Group) is one of the largest IT product and solutions distributors in Northern Europe, as well as one of the largest companies in Latvia by revenue. The Group employs more than 1 200 employees across 13 countries.
- The Group was founded by 4 Latvian entrepreneurs who still maintain the controlling stake (51%) of the Group.
- The Group offers more than 40 000 IT and consumer electronics products from over 400 leading IT manufacturers such as Apple, Samsung, Lenovo, Asus and others.
- ELKO Grupa has more than 12 000 clients in 40+ countries with household retailers and online stores being among the largest contributors (Euronics, RD Electronics, Emag). Other clients include sub-distributors (Maktubas, Komputronik), mobile operators (Telia, Tet, LMT), system integrators (Novian) and OEMs & VARs (Capital).
- The Group's headquarters in Latvia oversee corporate strategy, vendor relations, finance, legal and other functions, while local offices in 13 countries with dedicated management teams handle regional procurement, marketing and sales.

Business Overview

- ELKO Grupa connects large manufacturers and regional resellers, providing access to new markets and offering local partners a wide range of IT and consumer electronics products. The Group focuses on medium-sized clients that value its flexibility and close relationships, distinguishing ELKO from other distributors.
- Over the years, the Group has strategically expanded its product portfolio, reducing its reliance on traditional computer components and consumer electronics. At the same time, it has shifted toward mobile communications and other rapidly growing segments, including DIY, power tools, renewable energy, and drones.
- The Group's 2024 revenue split is as follows: 47% CEE, 18% Nordics, 17% Baltics and 18% Ukraine. Given the market conditions, operations in Ukraine are conducted under a franchise model, mitigating most of the country risk.
- The Group aims to be a Top 3 distributor for each major brand within each region while actively seeking vendor diversification (largest vendor as of 2024, Apple, contributed 20% from revenue). In addition, ELKO takes the active role of a brand developer in key markets, solidifying vendor relationships.
- Client diversification is a core consideration of the Group: the Top 10 clients account for 22% of revenue. The Group enforces strict credit controls at each sales office - automatic shipment holds, zero tolerance for overdue payments and designated credit controllers - supplemented by trade credit insurance, cash deposits and bank guarantees.
- The Group has a proven track record of successful strategic acquisitions, most recently the 79% acquisition of Renewed AB (Sweden) in March 2025, underscoring its focus on continued geographical expansion.

Financial highlights

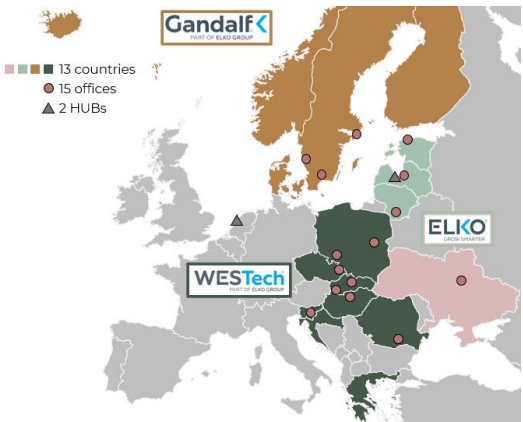
- Revenue of the Group grew by 12.3% during the first 9 months of 2025, reaching USD 867.7m, reflecting the recovery of notebook segment and solid cloud computing component performance.
- The Group saw a 9.7% increase in net profit during the first 9 months of 2025, reaching USD 4.4m, reflecting the favorable shift towards higher margin products in the portfolio.
- The Group's operational currency is USD. FX risks are mitigated by hedging the open positions daily via natural hedging instruments and the remaining open positions are closed via forwards.
- Inventory and receivables constitute the majority of the Group's assets. Inventory is highly seasonal, increasing before the Q3/Q4 holiday season - typically the strongest sales period - and declining by year-end as stock is sold off, as reflected by USD 174.5m of inventory as of September 30 2024 versus USD 129.0m as of December 31 2024.
- Despite the high-leverage nature of the industry, the Group has maintained a robust financial position, with the Adjusted Equity ratio of 30.2% as of September 30 2025, respectively. The increase in leverage in Q3 is explained by the seasonality, due to which credit lines are used more intensively to finance inventory.

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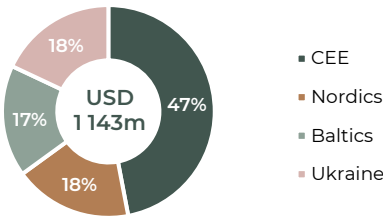
USD million	FY 2023 (audited)	FY 2024 (audited)	9M 2024 (unaudited)	9M 2025 (unaudited)
Revenue	1147.4	1142.8	772.5	867.7
EBIT	26.0	26.0	11.4	11.8
EBIT Margin	2.3%	2.3%	1.5%	1.4%
Net profit	13.0	14.1	4.0	4.4
Total Assets	363.9	360.0	387.2	477.4
Inventory	128.2	129.0	174.5	229.9
Trade receivables	168.4	169.9	156.5	188.6
Cash	26.1	26.3	11.8	12.2
Total Equity	138.2	129.8	130.6	131.6
Net Debt	52.0	69.5	85.8	119.7
Adj. Equity ratio ¹	41.5%	38.4%	36.0%	30.2%
Interest Coverage Ratio	2.4x	2.8x	2.1x	2.5x
Net Debt / EBIT	2.0x	2.7x	4.0x	4.5x

¹ Ratio of Equity (incl. subordinated shareholders' loans) to Total Assets (excl. IFRS 16 influence)

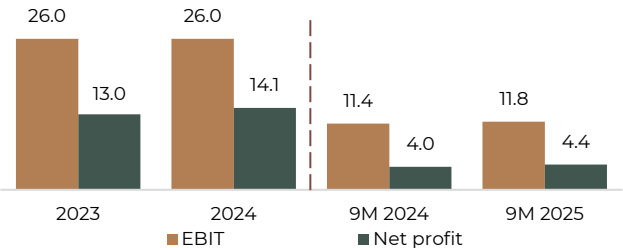
Sales office locations of ELKO (31.12.2024)



Revenue split by regions (2024)



Profitability breakdown, USD million

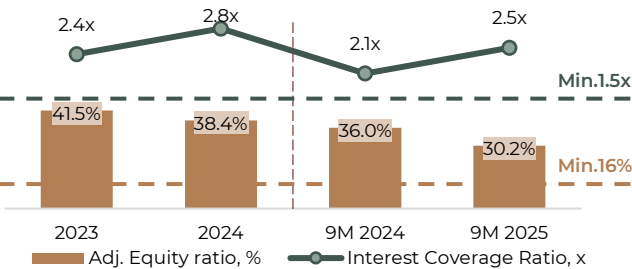


Term Sheet

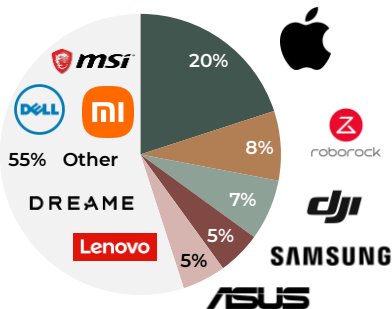
Issuer	AS ELKO Grupa (Latvia)
Security type	Unsecured bonds
Offer type	Private placement with EUR 100 000 minimum subscription
Issue size	EUR 20m (option to increase to EUR 30m)
Coupon rate, frequency	7.25%, semi-annual
Term / Maturity	4 years
Principal repayment	Maturity date, bullet
Exchange offer	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Offer to LV0000870079 bondholders for exchanging their existing bonds (1:1 exchange ratio)0.75% exchange premiumOnly investors holding min. EUR 100 000 of LV0000870079 shall qualify for the exchange
Call Option	<ul style="list-style-type: none">@103% after 1Y;@102% after 2Y;@101% after 3Y;@100% 6 months before maturity
Put Option	Change of Control @101%
Nominal value	EUR 1 000
Covenants ¹	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Adjusted Equity Ratio ≥ 16%Interest Coverage Ratio ≥ 1.5x
Use of proceeds	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Refinancing of existing bondsGeneral corporate purposes
Listing	Listing on Nasdaq Riga First North Market within 3 months after the Issue Date
Arranger	Signet Bank AS

¹Full list of covenants and undertakings can be found in the Offering Memorandum

Financial covenant development



Sales by top vendors (2024)



Source: Financial reports and information provided by the management

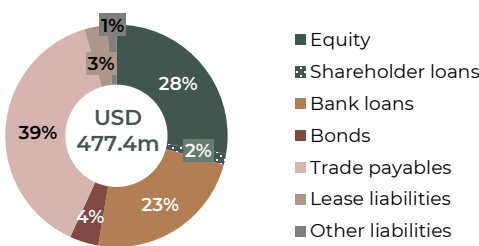
Key investment highlights

- Regional leader with a global scope**, ranking as one of the largest Latvian companies by turnover and distributing IT products across more than 40 countries
- Diversified and stable revenue base**, offering 40 000+ IT products to 12 000+ clients
- Leading vendor relationships in most markets**, having forged long-term partnerships with global brands such as Apple, Samsung and Asus
- Robust financial position**, with an adjusted equity ratio of 30.2% as of the 30 September 2025
- An experienced capital markets participant**, with 3 issued bonds since 2007

Funding profile and the bond issue

- Majority of the Group's interest bearing liabilities is short-term working capital financing funded in local currencies, secured by working capital – creditors include a syndicate (OP Bank and Luminor), Danske Bank, Unicredit, Citadele, ČSOB and Transilvania Bank. The Group also employs trade payable and invoice financing using factoring programs with Citadele and Peridot Financing.
- The Group maintains long-standing relationships with its lenders and a 27-year record of perfect creditworthiness, with no defaults or payment delays.
- The Group has around USD 200m tied up in working capital, remaining at a stable level through the years.
- Given its reliance on working capital financing, the Group maintains substantial funding capacity, with credit limits totaling USD 230 million as of 30.09.2025.
- As a result of decades of profitable operations, the Group has fortified its balance sheet, reflected by a robust adjusted equity ratio of 30.2% as of the 30.09.2025.
- The Group launches its new bond issue of up to EUR 20-30m to refinance the existing EUR 20m bonds maturing on February 2026 and to support further business development. This marks the fourth bond issue of the Group to date.
- Addition of long-term bond financing with fixed interest rate to its financing mix enables the Group to further diversify its funding structure away from short-term working capital financing.

Funding profile (30 September 2025)



Top clients of the Group



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