

LaCie

Revenue for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008: +10%

	04/08 - 06/08 3 months	04/07 - 06/07 3 months	Var M€	Var %		07/07 - 06/08 12 months	07/06 - 06/07 12 months	Var M€	Var %
Europe	44.2	41.6	2.7	6%	Europe	246.1	199.9	46.2	23%
Americas	20.7	24.4	-3.7	-15%	Americas	108.8	123.5	-14.7	-12%
Asie	7.9	7.3	0.6	8%	Asie	35.0	30.4	4.6	15%
TOTAL	72.8	73.3	-0.5	-1%	TOTAL	389.8	353.8	36.1	10%

IFRS - unaudited

A FOURTH QUARTER USUALLY SLOW

LaCie reported revenue of €72.8 million for the quarter ended June, 30 2008 (IFRS). This compares to revenue of €73.3 million in the year-ago period, representing a 1% decrease (+6% without forex). The Solutions family accounts for 25% of the revenue. Europe accounts for 61% of LaCie revenue, versus 28% for Americas and 11% for AsiaPac.

LaCie reported revenue of €389.8 million for the 12-month period ended June 30, 2008 (IFRS). This compares to revenue of €353.8 million in the year-ago period, representing a 10% increase (+16% without forex). The Solutions family accounts for 22% of the revenue. Europe accounts for 63% of LaCie revenue, versus 28% for Americas and 9% for AsiaPac. Without forex, Europe and Asia sales increased respectively by 25% and 19% YoY, while Americas decreased by 1%.

“The fourth quarter is usually slow in our industry. Right now, the economy is not favourable in most countries where we do business. Our customers are very cautious in placing purchase orders and managing their inventories”, says Philippe Spruch, CEO and GM. “Though, we recorded a double-digit growth this fiscal year, and we managed to keep our operations and working capital under control. We want to fuel our future growth with innovation: we have many open R&D positions we want to fill this year.”

KEY TOPICS OF THE QUARTER AND IMPACT ON THE FINANCIAL OUTLOOK

- ✓ Noticeable slowdown of the worldwide economy. Economic turmoil combined with a weaker USD negatively impact LaCie consolidated revenue.
- ✓ Longer and longer list of design achievements: LaCie Little Disk family, designed by the world-renowned Sam Hecht, has won a Bronze award at this year's International Design Excellence Awards (IDEA®) competition sponsored by the Industrial Designers Society of America (IDSA) and BusinessWeek magazine. This latest design award presented by IDEA adds to LaCie's collection of numerous international design awards from Red Dot and iF.

Next release

Annual revenue on 10/09/2008 after Euronext is closed.

About LaCie

Located in North America, Europe, Asia and Middle East, LaCie is the leading manufacturer of computer peripherals for PC, Apple and Linux users. LaCie has differentiated its products through original designs and leading-edge technology. Find all information at www.lacie.com.

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