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Press Information

Truck deliveries January-April 2006

Total deliveries of trucks from the Volvo Group's three truck companies increased 1% through April this year, compared with the year-earlier period. Deliveries from Mack rose 12%, while deliveries from Renault Trucks were up 6%. Deliveries from Volvo Trucks decreased 6% during the period.

Total deliveries by market for the Volvo Group's truck companies (Mack, Renault Trucks and Volvo Trucks):

Delivered Units	Year-to-Date		Change
	2006	2005	
Volvo Group	38 839	35 807	8%
Europe	38 839	35 807	8%
Western Europe	33 549	32 174	4%
Eastern Europe	5 290	3 633	46%
North America	23 268	20 438	14%
South America	3 542	3 415	4%
Asia	3 821	9 437	-60%
Middle East	2 498	8 144	-69%
Other Asia	1 323	1 293	2%
Other markets	3 191	2 669	20%
Total Volvo Group	72 661	71 766	1%

Mack

Deliveries from Mack through April totaled 12,633 units, up 12% from the same period a year ago, again reflecting the historically strong order intake through 2005 and the first quarter of 2006. However, order support in April dropped significantly from the torrid pace of the first quarter, as Mack became one of the first North American truck companies to fill its available production slots for 2006 amid customer concern over the technical and cost issues surrounding the 2007 emissions regulations for heavy-duty diesel engines.

Deliveries by market area:

Delivered Units	Year-to-Date		Change
	2006	2005	
Mack			
North America	11 441	10 287	11%
South America	851	633	34%
Asia	21	99	-79%
Middle East	21	97	-78%
Other Asia		2	-100%
Other markets	320	300	7%
Total Mack	12 633	11 319	12%

Renault Trucks

Deliveries through April totalled 27,021 trucks, a rise of 6% compared with the year-earlier period. Deliveries in Europe rose by 10% with deliveries in France up 6%. Deliveries in Spain rose 11% and Italy 14% while deliveries in Germany were up 18%. In Czech Republic the deliveries increased 53%. The two ranges that reached the best increases were the Renault Mascott (19%) and Renault Premium (29%).

Deliveries by market area:

Delivered Units	Year-to-Date		Change
	2006	2005	
Renault Trucks			
Europe	23 118	21 038	10%
Western Europe	20 862	19 299	8%
Eastern Europe	2 256	1 739	30%
North America	180	107	68%
South America	614	220	179%
Asia	1 360	2 672	-49%
Middle East	1 251	2 561	-51%
Other Asia	109	111	-2%
Other markets	1 749	1 420	23%
Total Renault Trucks	27 021	25 457	6%

Volvo Trucks

Volvo Trucks' deliveries during the period January-April amounted to 33,007 vehicles, a decrease of 6% compared with the year-earlier period. In North America, deliveries rose by 16% and in Western Europe, deliveries declined by 1%. This is a result of the shift in production to the new Volvo FH and Volvo FM products at the beginning of the year. However, an increase was noted in Germany, where the number of deliveries rose 21% to 1,570 trucks.

In Eastern Europe, deliveries rose 60 percent, primarily in Poland and Russia, while deliveries to the Middle East declined due to lower deliveries to Iran. However, in Asia, excluding the Middle East, an improvement was registered and the number of delivered trucks rose by 3% to a total of 1,214.

Deliveries by market area:

Delivered Units	Year-to-Date		Change
	2006	2005	
Volvo Trucks	2006	2005	
Europe	15 721	14 769	6%
Western Europe	12 687	12 875	-1%
Eastern Europe	3 034	1 894	60%
North America	11 647	10 044	16%
South America	2 077	2 562	-19%
Asia	2 440	6 666	-63%
Middle East	1 226	5 486	-78%
Other Asia	1 214	1 180	3%
Other markets	1 122	949	18%
Total Volvo Trucks	33 007	34 990	-6%

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