



34.1 Purchases

The cost of raw materials and consumables incurred in 2015 increased by €163.5 million to €814.4 million

compared to the corresponding figure of the previous year:

(€'000)	2015	2014	Variation
Purchases of raw materials and consumables	811,329	681,539	129,790
Change in raw materials and consumables	3,039	(30,631)	33,670
Total	814,368	650,908	163,460

The rise in the cost of purchasing raw materials and consumables is in line with the generalised increase in revenue thanks to the fact that some large foreign contracts are now fully operational (Denmark, Qatar and Australia in particular).