

PRESS RELEASE

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AEW Europe acquires c. 5,000 sqm 'Dwengerkamp' logistics asset in Hamburg via a sale and leaseback

AEW Europe, one of the world's largest real estate investment and asset managers¹, announces the off-market acquisition of 'Dwengerkamp', a c. 5,000 sqm logistics asset in Hamburg, northern Germany, through a sale and leaseback transaction with Dwenger Group, a company specialising in laser and sheet metal technology.



Dwengerkamp comprises c. 5,000 sqm of light industrial and manufacturing space, as well as office and storage space, and is fully let to Dwenger Group on a 15-year lease. The building features LED lighting and has a rooftop PV system with a capacity of 98 kWp.

Strategically positioned within Hamburg's Allermöhe district, the asset is located within one of the largest logistics and industrial hubs in the city, benefitting from excellent connectivity and direct access to major transportation routes, including the A1 and A25 motorways. This prime

location offers access to Hamburg's 1.8 million population and the broader metropolitan area of 5.4 million residents², while being well-served by public transportation links connecting to the city centre and surrounding areas. The asset is also located in close proximity to Hamburg's port and neighbouring industrial areas.

AEW Europe currently manages a growing portfolio in Germany totally 2.2 million sqm across the logistics, offices, retail and residential sectors in key metropolitan areas.

Matthieu Samaran, Investment Director at AEW Europe, commented: "Dwengerkamp presents an opportunity to invest in a fully let light industrial asset in one of Germany's leading logistics markets. Located in the Allermöhe district of Hamburg, which is experiencing demand from a broad range of occupiers, this asset offers long-term income through a CPI-linked, triple-net lease with a high-quality occupier, and further diversifies the strategy's portfolio in line with our business plan."

Antoine Barbier, Head of AEW Patrimoine, added: "This transaction marks AEW Patrimoine's first sale-and-leaseback investment in the light industrial sector, aligning perfectly with our focus on diversification. The acquisition, which is underpinned by strong market dynamics, demonstrates our ability to source and secure assets off market that play an important role in Germany's industrial economy."

For this transaction, AEW Europe was advised by Noerr, TA Europe and Nova Ambiente. Lütgen Breiholdt Immobilien advised the vendor.

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¹ Source: "2024 IREI.Q Real Estate Managers Guide". The Guide, published annually by Institutional Real Estate, Inc., ranks real estate managers based on the gross value of real estate AUM (\$m) as of December 31, 2023.

² Source: OECD.

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¹ Survey respondents ranked by Investment & Pensions Europe/Top 500 Asset Managers 2024 ranked Natixis Investment Managers as the 19th largest asset manager in the world based on assets under management as of December 31, 2023.

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