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ID LOGISTICS AND DESCOURS & CABAUD: A RENEWED 4-YEAR PARTNERSHIP

ID Logistics, a leading group in contract logistics in France and abroad, and Descours & Cabaud, a distributor of solutions and services for the industrial, construction, water and landscaping sectors, have extended their partnership for a further 4 years at the Pont d'Ain (01) site. With more than 30,000 product references, this automated site is one of the most sophisticated managed by ID Logistics.





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ONE OF THE MOST SOPHISTICATED AUTOMATED SITES MANAGED BY ID LOGISTICS

Located in Pont d'Ain, 60 km north of Lyon, this site is mainly intended for the logistics activities of Prolians, a brand of the Descours & Cabaud Group, an expert in all construction trades. With more than 30,000 product references, ranging from small to very large, meeting the needs of more than 20 trades (metalworkers, locksmiths, general construction contractors, carpenters, plumbers, masons, carpenters, etc.), the site is one of the most sophisticated managed by ID Logistics. This complexity is due to a breadth and depth of range that requires meticulous and ultra-precise order picking. In addition, customer/agency orders require maximum responsiveness for delivery on D+1. The site has nearly a hundred employees and serves all direct customers as well as Prolians agencies, located in the East and Center of France. Opened in 2018, this site is the first in France to have deployed complete automation with a "goods-to-person" system.

PONT-D'AIN: SHOWCASE OF ID LOGISTICS' TECHNOLOGICAL KNOW-HOW

The site is a concentrate of all the best technologies offered by ID Logistics. Requiring maximum reliability of order preparation due to the large number of references and requiring a high level of responsiveness, it is equipped with:

- Goods to person: trays with the stored units are brought independently in front of the employee's picking station so that they can be used to fill the box. This technology ensures an ultra-short order preparation time.
- Pick to graphic: developed for the Pont d'Ain site, this technology consists of a scanning glove with display transfer, coupled with a tablet positioned on the order preparation trolley displaying the product photo. This solution, which is light and ergonomic for the picker, ensures reliable order picking. The Pont d'Ain site, which has a large reference system of units, has been equipped with this technology that visually traces each product in order to better help the pickers.

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- Carton sealer and palletizing robots: at the end of the line, the carton sealer allows the size of the carton to be adjusted to its contents, thus optimising the volume of shipments. The palletizing robot optimizes pallet assembly and reduces the arduousness on site by reducing the handling of heavy loads.
- Mechanized racks: as part of the renewal, a new step has been taken in the mechanization of the site with the implementation of 8 modular mechanized racks in order to densify the storage of long-length products and to improve the ergonomics of the workstation both during the reception and preparation phases.

"I am delighted with the renewed confidence of the Descours & Cabaud Group for the next 4 years. It is a testament to our ability to generate improvement projects for our customers and to provide them with much-needed added value. Our next challenge: to integrate AI into our businesses, wherever it is relevant." - Eric Hémar, Chairman of the ID Logistics Group.



ABOUT ID LOGISTICS:

ID Logistics, managed by Eric Hémar, is an international contract logistics group with revenues of €2.75 billion in 2023. ID Logistics manages nearly 400 sites in 18 countries, representing more than 8 million sq.m. operated in Europe, America, Asia and Africa, with 38,000 employees. With a customer portfolio balanced between retail, e-commerce and consumer goods, ID Logistics is characterized by offers involving a high level of technology. Since its creation in 2001, the Group has developed a social and environmental approach through a number of original projects and is now firmly committed to an ambitious CSR policy. ID Logistics shares are listed on the Euronext regulated market in Paris and are included in the SBF 120 index (ISIN code: FR0010929125, Mnemo: IDL).