

4. If Hermes was purchased for about EUR 37 million, how could it be responsible “above all” for an increase of EUR 273 million in Goodwill, per your 2015 annual report?

Wirecard did not purchase Hermes from GI Retail. It did not purchase Hermes for “about EUR 37 million”.

FDI filings only show money inflow in India. Given Wirecard paid EMIF, which is based outside India, it is unsurprising that the figure in FDI filings is lower than Wirecard’s purchase price.

Prior to acquiring the Indian assets, extensive financial, tax and legal due diligence was carried out for Wirecard by reputable professional advisers.