

DRONE VOLT

Technological improvement of the HERCULES 2 and increased deliveries of this range of UAVs in the United States

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DRONE VOLT, expert in embedded artificial intelligence and manufacturer of professional civil UAVs, announces the improvement of the structure of its HERCULES 2 UAV as well as the progression of the deliveries of this range of UAVs to its American partner, AQUILINE DRONES.

The AQUILINE DRONES and DRONE VOLT teams were finally able to meet in mid-July at the Group's headquarters in Villepinte as part of an exchange of know-how between the two partners. This meeting concerned first the production teams, then the engineers and pilots during the following weeks.

These exchanges were particularly fruitful and led to a significant technological improvement of the HERCULES 2 drone, thanks to adjustments made to the structure of the aircraft which allowed the drone to be both stronger and lighter. As a result, this drone now weighs less than 2 kilos, which is a major asset and opens new commercial perspectives for DRONE VOLT.

Following this technological breakthrough, 3 drones have already been delivered to AQUILINE DRONES last week and 11 additional drones will be delivered during this week. With the pace of deliveries gradually increasing each week, DRONE VOLT's objective is to deliver around 100 UAVs by the end of September and the entire order over the course of the year, despite the still significant difficulties in delivering electronic components. As a reminder, this order was signed in April 2021 and concerns the delivery of 600 HERCULES 2 UAVs to AQUILINE DRONES.

'The summer at DRONE VOLT has been very busy, but particularly profitable' says Marc Courcelle, General Manager of DRONE VOLT. 'The technological evolutions requested by AQUILINE DRONES have allowed us to significantly improve our HERCULES 2, which will benefit all of our customers and allow us to further expand our business prospects. We can now deliver a model that carries advanced and differentiating technologies, allowing to collect images and data without risk of leakage to the outside world to obtain a totally secure system.'

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The DRONE VOLT Group, a member of the GICAT, achieved a turnover of 5.8 million euros in 2020.

DRONE VOLT is notably a supplier to administrations and industrial companies such as the French Army, the French Ministry of the Armed Forces, ENGIE, Total, Bouygues Energies & Services, the ADP Group, the Gendarmerie des Transports Aériennes (GTA) and international government agencies.

DRONE VOLT is qualified as an "innovative company" by Bpifrance.

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