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Annual report 2016

The Annual General Meeting adopted the annual report on 28.03.2017

Chairman of the General Meeting

Name: Bo Bækkelund

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Entity details

Entity

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Board of Directors

Svend Møller, Chairman Bo Bækkelund Jeroen Maria Snijders Blok

Executive Board

Bo Bækkelund

Auditors

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Statement by Management on the annual report

The Board of Directors and the Executive Board have today considered and approved the annual report of Cycle Service Nordic ApS for the financial year 01.01.2016 - 31.12.2016.

The annual report is presented in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

In our opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the Entity's financial position at 31.12.2016 and of the results of its operations and cash flows for the financial year 01.01.2016 - 31.12.2016.

We believe that the management commentary contains a fair review of the affairs and conditions referred to therein.

We recommend the annual report for adoption at the Annual General Meeting.

Odense, 28.03.2017

Executive Board

Bo Bækkelund

Board of Directors

Svend Møller Chairman Bo Bækkelund

Jeroen Maria Snijders Blok

Independent auditor's report

To the shareholders of Cycle Service Nordic ApS Opinion

We have audited the consolidated financial statements and the parent financial statements of Cycle Service Nordic ApS for the financial year 01.01.2016 - 31.12.2016, which comprise the income statement, balance sheet, statement of changes in equity and notes, including a summary of significant accounting policies, for the Group as well as the Parent, and the consolidated cash flow statement. The consolidated financial statements and the parent financial statements are prepared in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements and the parent financial statements give a true and fair view of the Group's and the Parent's financial position at 31.12.2016, and of the results of their operations and the consolidated cash flows for the financial year 01.01.2016 - 31.12.2016 in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs) and the additional requirements applicable in Denmark. Our responsibilities under those standards and requirements are further described in the Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the consolidated financial statements and the parent financial statements section of this auditor's report. We are independent of the Group in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board of Accountants' Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (IESBA Code) and the additional requirements applicable in Denmark, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Management's responsibilities for the consolidated financial statements and the parent financial statements

Management is responsible for the preparation of consolidated financial statements and parent financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act, and for such internal control as Management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements and parent financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements and the parent financial statements, Management is responsible for assessing the Group's and the Entity's ability to continue as a going concern, for disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern, and for using the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the consolidated financial statements and the parent financial statements unless Management either intends to liquidate the Group or the Entity or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the consolidated financial statements and the parent financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements and the parent financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs and the additional requirements applicable in Denmark will always detect a material misstatement when it exits. Misstatements

Independent auditor's report

can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these consolidated financial statements and parent financial statements.

As part of an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs and the additional requirements applicable in Denmark, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements and the parent financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures
 that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the
 effectiveness of the Group's and the Entity's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by Management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of Management's use of the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the consolidated financial statements and the parent financial statements, and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Group's and the Entity's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the consolidated financial statements and the parent financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group and the Entity to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements and the parent financial statements, including the disclosures in the notes, and whether the consolidated financial statements and the parent financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that gives a true and fair view.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the Group to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements. We are
 responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

Independent auditor's report

Statement on the management commentary

Management is responsible for the management commentary.

Our opinion on the consolidated financial statements and the parent financial statements does not cover the management commentary, and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the consolidated financial statements and the parent financial statements, our responsibility is to read the management commentary and, in doing so, consider whether the management commentary is materially inconsistent with the consolidated financial statements and the parent financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

Moreover, it is our responsibility to consider whether the management commentary provides the information required under the Danish Financial Statements Act.

Based on the work we have performed, we conclude that the management commentary is in accordance with the consolidated financial statements and the parent financial statements and has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Danish Financial Statements Act. We did not identify any material misstatement of the management commentary.

Odense, 28.03.2017

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Anders Flou State Authorised Public Accountant

Management commentary

	2016 DKK'000	2015 DKK'000	2014 DKK'000
Financial highlights			
Key figures			
Revenue	115.079	104.890	103.994
Gross profit/loss	24.333	24.379	24.818
Operating profit/loss	6.380	7.382	8.724
Net financials	(1.206)	(993)	(921)
Profit/loss for the year	3.961	4.835	5.917
Total assets	67.174	61.866	51.114
Investments in property, plant and equipment	591	1.266	639
Equity	23.269	19.308	14.473
Cash flows from (used in) operating activities	(3.984)	3.921	(2.519)
Cash flows from (used in) investing activities	(966)	(995)	(639)
Cash flows from (used in) financing activities	0	0	933
Employees in average	45	41	39
Ratios			
Gross margin (%)	21,1	23,2	23,9
Net margin (%)	3,4	4,6	5,7
Return on equity (%)	18,6	28,6	40,9
Equity ratio (%)	34,6	31,2	28,3
Revenue per employee	2.557,3	2.558,3	2.666,5

Cycle Service Nordic ApS prepared its first consolidated financial statements in 2014. In pursuance of section 128(3) and the Danish Financial Statements Act, comparatives for 2013 are not included.

Financial highlights are defined and calculated in accordance with "Recommendations & Ratios 2010" issued by the Danish Society of Financial Analysts.

Ratios	Calculation formula	Ratios
Gross margin (%)	Gross profit/loss x 100 Revenue	The entity's operating gearing.
Net margin (%)	<u>Profit/loss for the year x 100</u> Revenue	The entity's operating profitability.
Return on equity (%)	Profit/loss for the year x 100 Average equity	The entity's return on capital invested in the entity by the owners.
Equity ratio (%)	<u>Equity x 100</u> Total assets	The financial strength of the entity.
Revenue per employee	<u>Revenue</u> Revenue per employee	The entity's productivity

Management commentary

Primary activities

As in previous years, the primary activities of Cycle Service Nordic ApS are wholesaling in bicycle parts and accessories.

Development in activities and finances

In view of a continued heavy investment in business expansions in emerging markets, the profit and the financial development og the Company are considered to be sufficient.

Outlook

The company anticipates a favorable performance in 2017.

Events after the balance sheet date

No events have occurred after the balance sheet date to this date which would influence the evaluation of this annual report.

Consolidated income statement for 2016

	Notes	2016 DKK	2015 DKK
Revenue		115.078.580	104.890.295
Cost of sales		(82.231.754)	(72.229.553)
Other external expenses		(8.513.418)	(8.281.996)
Gross profit/loss		24.333.408	24.378.746
Staff costs	1	(16.993.863)	(16.136.421)
Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses		(959.579)	(860.049)
Operating profit/loss		6.379.966	7.382.276
Other financial income	2	2.788	2.102
Other financial expenses	3	(1.208.668)	(995.596)
Profit/loss before tax		5.174.086	6.388.782
Tax on profit/loss for the year	4	(1.212.782)	(1.553.795)
Profit/loss for the year	5	3.961.304	4.834.987

Consolidated balance sheet at 31.12.2016

	Notes	2016 DKK	2015 DKK
Acquired intangible assets		300.000	0
Intangible assets	6	300.000	0
Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment		1.515.160	1.903.825
Leasehold improvements		542.627	409.038
Property, plant and equipment	7	2.057.787	2.312.863
Other receivables		219.150	219.150
Fixed asset investments	8	219.150	219.150
Fixed assets		2.576.937	2.532.013
Manufactured goods and goods for resale		51.696.178	45.424.626
Prepayments for goods		1.164.479	0
Inventories	- -	52.860.657	45.424.626
Trade receivables		8.719.055	8.462.034
Receivables from group enterprises		377.133	0
Deferred tax		72.713	72.413
Other receivables		61.722	434.312
Prepayments		103.069	0
Receivables	-	9.333.692	8.968.759
Cash	-	2.402.301	4.940.156
Current assets	-	64.596.650	59.333.541
Assets	-	67.173.587	61.865.554

Consolidated balance sheet at 31.12.2016

	Notes_	2016 DKK	2015 DKK
Contributed capital		200.000	200.000
Retained earnings		23.069.396	19.108.092
Equity		23.269.396	19.308.092
Deferred tax		10.056	0
Provisions		10.056	0
Bank loans		22.283.538	19.870.588
Trade payables		13.474.522	13.296.634
Income tax payable		357.144	466.183
Other payables		7.523.170	8.642.357
Deferred income		255.761	281.700
Current liabilities other than provisions		43.894.135	42.557.462
Liabilities other than provisions		43.894.135	42.557.462
Equity and liabilities		67.173.587	61.865.554
Unrecognised rental and lease commitments	10		
Group relations	11		
Subsidiaries	12		

Consolidated statement of changes in equity for 2016

	Contributed capital DKK	Retained earnings DKK	Total DKK
Equity beginning of year	200.000	19.108.092	19.308.092
Profit/loss for the year	0	3.961.304	3.961.304
Equity end of year	200.000	23.069.396	23.269.396

Consolidated cash flow statement for 2016

	Notes	2016 DKK	2015 DKK
Operating profit/loss		6.379.967	7.382.276
Amortisation, depreciation and impairment losses		959.579	860.050
Working capital changes	9	(8.808.509)	(1.744.930)
Cash flow from ordinary operating activities		(1.468.963)	6.497.396
Financial income received		151.251	2.103
Financial income paid		(1.357.132)	(995.597)
Income taxes refunded/(paid)		(1.309.634)	(1.582.419)
Cash flows from operating activities		(3.984.478)	3.921.483
Acquisition etc of intangible assets		(400.000)	0
Acquisition etc of property, plant and equipment		(590.648)	(1.266.033)
Sale of property, plant and equipment		24.322	270.673
Cash flows from investing activities		(966.326)	(995.360)
Increase/decrease in cash and cash equivalents		(4.950.804)	2.926.123
Cash and cash equivalents beginning of year		(14.930.433)	(17.856.555)
Cash and cash equivalents end of year		(19.881.237)	(14.930.432)
Cash and cash equivalents at year-end are composed of:			
Cash		2.402.301	4.940.156
Short-term debt to banks		(22.283.538)	(19.870.588)
Cash and cash equivalents end of year		(19.881.237)	(14.930.432)

Notes to consolidated financial statements

	2016 DKK	2015 DKK
1. Staff costs		
Wages and salaries	14.328.535	13.425.808
Pension costs	1.439.583	1.308.155
Other social security costs	1.114.172	1.031.127
Other staff costs	111.573	371.331
	16.993.863	16.136.421
According to the second	45	44
Average number of employees	45	41
	Remunera- tion of manage- ment 2016 DKK	Remunera- tion of manage- ment 2015 DKK
Total amount for management categories	2.258.643	2.083.812
	2.258.643	2.083.812
2. Other financial income	2016 DKK	2015 DKK
Other financial income	2.788	2.102
	2.788	2.102
	2016 DKK	2015 DKK
3. Other financial expenses		
Other financial expenses	1.208.668	995.596
	1.208.668	995.596
	2016 DKK	2015 DKK
4. Tax on profit/loss for the year		
Tax on current year taxable income	1.190.552	1.591.333
Change in deferred tax for the year	12.187	(37.538)
Adjustment concerning previous years	10.043	0
	1.212.782	1.553.795

Notes to consolidated financial statements

	2016 DKK	2015 DKK
5. Proposed distribution of profit/loss		
Retained earnings	3.961.304	4.834.987
	3.961.304	4.834.987
		Acquired intangible assets DKK
6. Intangible assets		400.000
Additions		400.000
Cost end of year		400.000
Amortisation for the year		(100.000)
Amortisation and impairment losses end of year		(100.000)
Carrying amount end of year		300.000
	Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment DKK	Leasehold improve- ments DKK
7. Property, plant and equipment		
Cost beginning of year	4.747.383	527.921
Exchange rate adjustments	33.107	0
Additions	330.841	259.807
Disposals	(58.373)	0
Cost end of year	5.052.958	787.728
Revaluations beginning of year	(2.581)	0
Exchange rate adjustments	2.581	0
Revaluations end of year	0	0
Depreciation and impairment losses beginning of the year	(2.840.977)	(118.883)
Exchange rate adjustments	(10.158)	0
Depreciation for the year	(720.714)	(126.218)
Reversal regarding disposals	34.051	0
Depreciation and impairment losses end of the year	(3.537.798)	(245.101)
Carrying amount end of year	1.515.160	542.627

Notes to consolidated financial statements

		Other receivables DKK
8. Fixed asset investments		
Cost beginning of year		219.150
Cost end of year		219.150
Carrying amount end of year		219.150
	2016 DKK	2015 DKK
9. Change in working capital		
Increase/decrease in inventories	(7.436.031)	(7.433.351)
Increase/decrease in receivables	(364.633)	132.595
Increase/decrease in trade payables etc	(967.238)	5.610.130
Other changes	(40.607)	(54.304)
	(8.808.509)	(1.744.930)
	2016 DKK	2015 DKK
10. Unrecognised rental and lease commitments		
Hereof liabilities under rental or lease agreements until maturity in total	5.333.050	6.171.550

Non-recognised rental and lease commitments concern leases.

11. Group relations

Name and registered office of the Parent preparing consolidated financial statements for the largest group:
Accel Group N.V., P.O. Box 435 8440 AK Industriweg 4, 8444 AR Heerenveen, The Netherlands
Name and registered office of the Parent preparing consolidated financial statements for the smallest group:
Batavus B.V., P.O. Box 515 Industriweg 4, 8444 AR Heerenveen, The Netherlands

	Registered in	Equity inte- rest %
12. Subsidiaries		
Cycle Service Nordic AS	Norge	100,0
Cycle Service Nordic OY	Finland	100,0
Cycle Service Nordic AB	Sverige	100,0

Parent income statement for 2016

	Notes	2016 DKK	2015 DKK
Revenue		111.809.289	102.656.785
Cost of sales		(82.832.892)	(72.310.397)
Other external expenses		(11.100.194)	(11.464.997)
Gross profit/loss		17.876.203	18.881.391
		(40.477.770)	(44, 402, 007)
Staff costs	1	(12.177.778)	(11.483.907)
Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses		(618.540)	(484.608)
Operating profit/loss		5.079.885	6.912.876
Income from investments in group enterprises		860.996	236.315
Other financial income	2	149.393	141.450
Other financial expenses	3	(1.187.211)	(982.777)
Profit/loss before tax		4.903.063	6.307.864
Tax on profit/loss for the year	4	(941.759)	(1.472.877)
Profit/loss for the year	5	3.961.304	4.834.987

Parent balance sheet at 31.12.2016

	Notes	2016 DKK	2015 DKK
Acquired intangible assets		300.000	0
Intangible assets	6	300.000	0
Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment		842.896	904.377
Leasehold improvements		542.627	409.038
Property, plant and equipment	7 -	1.385.523	1.313.415
Investments in group enterprises		2.039.444	1.170.754
Other receivables		219.150	219.150
Fixed asset investments	8	2.258.594	1.389.904
Fixed assets	-	3.944.117	2.703.319
Manufactured goods and goods for resale		51.696.178	45.424.626
Prepayments for goods		1.164.479	0
Inventories	- -	52.860.657	45.424.626
Trade receivables		6.892.583	7.303.568
Receivables from group enterprises		1.744.219	2.056.043
Deferred tax		0	51.570
Other receivables	_	16.503	313.701
Receivables	- -	8.653.305	9.724.882
Cash	-	1.108.340	3.503.757
Current assets	-	62.622.302	58.653.265
Assets	-	66.566.419	61.356.584

Parent balance sheet at 31.12.2016

	Notes	2016 DKK	2015 DKK
Contributed capital	9	200.000	200.000
Reserve for net revaluation according to the equity method		1.749.270	880.580
Retained earnings		21.320.126	18.227.512
Equity		23.269.396	19.308.092
Deferred tax		10.056	0
Provisions		10.056	0
Bank loans		22.283.538	19.870.589
Trade payables		13.204.355	13.021.040
Payables to group enterprises		635.456	628.850
Income tax payable		113.591	440.835
Other payables		6.794.266	7.805.478
Deferred income	10	255.761	281.700
Current liabilities other than provisions		43.286.967	42.048.492
Liabilities other than provisions		43.286.967	42.048.492
Equity and liabilities		66.566.419	61.356.584
Unrecognised rental and lease commitments	11		
Contingent liabilities	12		
Mortgages and securities	13		
Related parties with controlling interest	14		

Parent statement of changes in equity for 2016

	Contributed capital DKK	Reserve for net revaluation according to the equity method	Retained earnings DKK	Total DKK
Equity beginning of year	200.000	880.580	18.227.512	19.308.092
Profit/loss for the year	0	868.690	3.092.614	3.961.304
Equity end of year	200.000	1.749.270	21.320.126	23.269.396

Notes to parent financial statements

	2016 DKK	2015 DKK
1. Staff costs		
Wages and salaries	10.439.191	9.642.250
Pension costs	1.360.269	1.227.832
Other social security costs	266.745	242.493
Other staff costs	111.573	371.332
	12.177.778	11.483.907
Average number of employees	35	31
	2016 DKK	2015 DKK
2. Other financial income	<u> </u>	DKK
Financial income arising from group enterprises	148.463	140.422
Other financial income	930	1.028
	149.393	141.450
	2016	2015
	DKK	DKK
3. Other financial expenses		
Other financial expenses	1.187.211	982.777
	1.187.211	982.777
	2016 DKK	2015 DKK
4. Tax on profit/loss for the year		_
Tax on current year taxable income	870.090	1.511.647
Change in deferred tax for the year	61.626	(38.770)
Adjustment concerning previous years	10.043	0
	941.759	1.472.877
	2016 DKK	2015 DKK
5. Proposed distribution of profit/loss		
Transferred to reserve for net revaluation according to the equity method	868.690	236.315
Retained earnings	3.092.614	4.598.672
	3.961.304	4.834.987

Notes to parent financial statements

		Acquired intangible assets DKK
6. Intangible assets		
Additions		400.000
Cost end of year		400.000
Amortisation for the year		(100.000)
Amortisation and impairment losses end of year		(100.000)
Carrying amount end of year		300.000
	Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment DKK	Leasehold improve- ments DKK
7. Property, plant and equipment		
Cost beginning of year	2.913.994	527.921
Additions	330.841	259.807
Cost end of year	3.244.835	787.728
Depreciation and impairment losses beginning of the year	(2.009.617)	(118.883)
Depreciation for the year	(392.322)	(126.218)
Depreciation and impairment losses end of the year	(2.401.939)	(245.101)
Carrying amount end of year	842.896	542.627
	Investments in group enterprises DKK	Other receivables DKK
8. Fixed asset investments		
Cost beginning of year	290.174	219.150
Cost end of year	290.174	219.150
Revaluations beginning of year	880.580	0
Exchange rate adjustments	7.694	0
Share of profit/loss for the year	860.996	0
Revaluations end of year	1.749.270	0
Carrying amount end of year	2.039.444	219.150

Notes to parent financial statements

	Number	Par value DKK	Nominal value DKK
9. Contributed capital			
Shares	200	1000	200.000
	200		200.000

The parent's share capital had remained DKK 200,000 over the past 5 years.

10. Deferred income

Deferred income comprises service centre payments that are not recognised as income until in the subsequent financial year once the recognition criteria are satisfied.

	2016 DKK	2015 DKK
11. Unrecognised rental and lease commitments		
Hereof liabilities under rental or lease agreements until maturity in total	5.333.050	6.171.550

12. Contingent liabilities

The Company participates in a Danish joint taxation arrangement. According to the joint taxation provisions of the Danish Corporation Tax Act, the Company is therefore liable for income taxes etc for the jointly taxed companies and also for obligations, if any, relating to the withholding of tax on interest, royalties and dividend for the jointly taxed companies.

13. Mortgages and securities

Bank debt is secured on a charge on receivables worth a nominal DKK 7,500,000.

14. Related parties with controlling interest

Parent Accell Danmark ApS, Tobaksgården 6, 8700 Horsens, Denmark, Participating interest.

Reporting class

This annual report has been presented in accordance with the provisions of the Danish Financial Statements Act governing reporting class C enterprises (medium).

Recognition and measurement

Assets are recognised in the balance sheet when it is probable as a result of a prior event that future economic benefits will flow to the Entity, and the value of the asset can be measured reliably.

Liabilities are recognised in the balance sheet when the Entity has a legal or constructive obligation as a result of a prior event, and it is probable that future economic benefits will flow out of the Entity, and the value of the liability can be measured reliably.

On initial recognition, assets and liabilities are measured at cost. Measurement subsequent to initial recognition is effected as described below for each financial statement item.

Anticipated risks and losses that arise before the time of presentation of the annual report and that confirm or invalidate affairs and conditions existing at the balance sheet date are considered at recognition and measurement.

Income is recognised in the income statement when earned, whereas costs are recognised by the amounts attributable to this financial year.

Consolidated financial statements

The consolidated financial statements comprise the Parent and the group enterprises (subsidiaries) that are controlled by the Parent. Control is achieved by the Parent, either directly or indirectly, holding more than 50% of the voting rights or in any other way possibly or actually exercising controlling influence. Enterprises in which the Group, directly or indirectly, holds between 20% and 50% of the voting rights and exercises significant, but not controlling influence are regarded as associates.

Basis of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements are prepared on the basis of the financial statements of Parent and its subsidiaries. The consolidated financial statements are prepared by combining uniform items. On consolidation, intra-group income and expenses, intra-group accounts and dividends as well as profits and losses on transactions between the consolidated enterprises are eliminated. The financial statements used for consolidation have been prepared applying the Group's accounting policies.

Subsidiaries' financial statement items are recognised in full in the consolidated financial statements. Minority interests' pro rata shares of the profit/loss and the net assets are disclosed as separate items in the income statement and the balance sheet, respectively.

Investments in subsidiaries are offset at the pro rata share of such subsidiaries' net assets at the takeover date, with net assets having been calculated at fair value.

Business combinations

Newly acquired or newly established enterprises are recognised in the consolidated financial statements from the time of acquiring or establishing such enterprises. Divested or wound-up enterprises are recognised in the consolidated income statement up to the time of their divestment or winding-up.

The purchase method is applied at the acquisition of new enterprises, under which identifiable assets and liabilities of these enterprises are measured at fair value at the acquisition date. On acquisition of enterprises, provisions are made for costs relating to decided and published restructurings in the acquired enterprise. Allowance is made for the tax effect of restatements.

Positive differences in amount (goodwill) between cost of the acquired share and fair value of the assets and liabilities taken over are recognised under intangible assets, and they are amortised systematically over the income statement based on an individual assessment of their useful life, however, no more than 20 years. Negative differences in amount (negative goodwill), corresponding to an estimated adverse development in the relevant enterprises, are recognised in the balance sheet under deferred income, and they are recognised in the income statement when such adverse development is realised.

Profits or losses from divestment of equity investments

Profits or losses from divestment or winding-up of subsidiaries are calculated as the difference between selling price or settlement price and the carrying amount of the net assets at the time of divestment or winding-up, inclusive of non-amortised goodwill and estimated divestment or winding-up expenses.

Foreign currency translation

On initial recognition, foreign currency transactions are translated applying the exchange rate at the transaction date. Receivables, payables and other monetary items denominated in foreign currencies that have not been settled at the balance sheet date are translated using the exchange rate at the balance sheet date. Exchange differences that arise between the rate at the transaction date and the one in effect at the payment date, or the rate at the balance sheet date are recognised in the income statement as financial income or financial expenses. Property, plant and equipment, intangible assets, inventories and other non-monetary assets that have been purchased in foreign currencies are translated using historical rates.

Income statement

Revenue

Revenue from the sale of goods for resale is recognised in the income statement when delivery is made and risk has passed to the buyer. Revenue is recognised net of VAT, duties and sales discounts and is measured at fair value of the consideration fixed.

Cost of sales

Cost of sales comprises costs of sales for the financial year measured at cost, adjusted for ordinary inventory write-downs.

Other external expenses

Other external expenses include expenses relating to the Entity's ordinary activities, including expenses for premises, stationery and office supplies, marketing costs, etc. This item also includes write-downs of receivables recognised in current assets.

Staff costs

Staff costs comprise salaries and wages as well as social security contributions, pension contributions, etc for entity staff.

Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses

Amortisation, depreciation and impairment losses relating to intangible assets and property, plant and equipment comprise amortisation, depreciation and impairment losses for the financial year, calculated on the basis of the residual values and useful lives of the individual assets and impairment testing as well as gains and losses from the sale of intangible assets as well as property, plant and equipment.

Other financial income

Other financial income comprises dividends etc received on other investments, interest income, including interest income on receivables from group enterprises, net capital gains on securities, payables and transactions in foreign currencies, amortisation of financial assets as well as tax relief under the Danish Tax Prepayment Scheme etc.

Other financial expenses

Other financial expenses comprise interest expenses, including interest expenses on payables to group enterprises, net capital losses on securities, payables and transactions in foreign currencies, amortisation of financial liabilities as well as tax surcharge under the Danish Tax Prepayment Scheme etc.

Tax on profit/loss for the year

Tax for the year, which consists of current tax for the year and changes in deferred tax, is recognised in the income statement by the portion attributable to the profit for the year and recognised directly in equity by the portion attributable to entries directly in equity.

Balance sheet

Intellectual property rights etc

Intellectual property rights etc comprise development projects completed and in progress with related intellectual property rights, acquired intellectual property rights and prepayments for intangible assets.

Intellectual property rights acquired are measured at cost less accumulated amortisation. Patents are amortised over their remaining duration, and licences are amortised over the term of the agreement, but over no more than 20 years.

Intellectual property rights etc are written down to the lower of recoverable amount and carrying amount.

Property, plant and equipment

Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment and leasehold improvements are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses.

Cost comprises the acquisition price, costs directly attributable to the acquisition and preparation costs of the asset until the time when it is ready to be put into operation.

The basis of depreciation is cost less estimated residual value after the end of useful life. Straight-line depreciation is made on the basis of the following estimated useful lives of the assets:

Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment Leasehold improvements 3-5 years

5 years

Property, plant and equipment are written down to the lower of recoverable amount and carrying amount.

Investments in group enterprises

Investments in group enterprises are recognised and measured according to the equity method. This means that investments are measured at the pro rata share of the enterprises' equity plus or minus unamortised positive, or negative, goodwill and minus or plus unrealised intra-group profits or losses.

Group enterprises with negative equity are measured at DKK 0, and any receivables from these enterprises are written down by the Parent's share of such negative equity value if it is deemed irrecoverable. If the negative equity value exceeds the amount receivable, the remaining amount is recognised under provisions if the Parent has a legal or constructive obligation to cover the liabilities of the relevant enterprise.

Upon distribution of profit or loss, net revaluation of investments in group enterprises is transferred to Reserve for net revaluation according to the equity method under equity.

Investments in group enterprises are written down to the lower of recoverable amount and carrying amount.

Receivables

Receivables are measured at amortised cost, usually equalling nominal value less write-downs for bad and doubtful debts.

Inventories

Inventories are measured at the lower of cost using the FIFO method and net realisable value.

Cost consists of purchase price plus delivery costs.

The net realisable value of inventories is calculated as the estimated selling price less completion costs and costs incurred to execute sale.

Deferred tax

Deferred tax is recognised on all temporary differences between the carrying amount and tax-based value of assets and liabilities, for which the tax-based value of assets is calculated based on the planned use of each asset.

Deferred tax assets, including the tax base of tax loss carryforwards, are recognised in the balance sheet at their estimated realisable value, either as a set-off against deferred tax liabilities or as net tax assets.

Prepayments

Prepayments comprise incurred costs relating to subsequent financial years. Prepayments are measured at cost.

Cash

Cash comprises cash in hand and bank deposits.

Operating leases

Lease payments on operating leases are recognised on a straight-line basis in the income statement over the term of the lease.

Other financial liabilities

Other financial liabilities are measured at amortised cost, which usually corresponds to nominal value.

Income tax receivable or payable

Current tax payable or receivable is recognised in the balance sheet, stated as tax calculated on this year's taxable income, adjusted for prepaid tax.

Deferred income

Deferred income comprises received income for recognition in subsequent financial years. Deferred income is measured at cost.

Cash flow statement

The cash flow statement shows cash flows from operating, investing and financing activities as well as cash and cash equivalents at the beginning and the end of the financial year.

Cash flows from operating activities are presented using the indirect method and calculated as the operating profit/loss adjusted for non-cash operating items, working capital changes and income taxes paid.

Cash flows from investing activities comprise payments in connection with acquisition and divestment of enterprises, activities and fixed asset investments as well as purchase, development, improvement and sale, etc of intangible assets and property, plant and equipment, including acquisition of assets held under finance leases.

Cash flows from financing activities comprise changes in the size or composition of the contributed capital and related costs as well as the raising of loans, inception of finance leases, instalments on interest-bearing debt, purchase of treasury shares, and payment of dividend.

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash and short-term securities with an insignificant price risk less short-term bank debt.