Haldor Topsøe International A/S Haldor Topsøes Allé 1 - 2800 Kgs. Lyngby - Denmark



# **Annual Report 2019**

Haldor Topsøe International A/S CVR no. 23 97 22 12

The Annual Report has been presented and adopted at the Annual General Meeting on August 14, 2020.

Lowise Jessen Høyer
Chair of the meeting,
Louise Jessen Høyer



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### **Directors' report**

The business of the Company is to provide marketing and engineering consulting services. The activities of the company are mainly conducted through liaison offices in Bahrain, Saudi Arabia and Indonesia and via subsidiaries in India, Canada and Malaysia.

The net profit for the financial year 2019 has been TDKK 13,085.

The increased result compared to the expected in 'Annual Report 2018' is related to the increased activity in the company. Branch offices in Jakarta, Indonesia and Al-Khobar, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia has been established.



# Statement by the Management and Board of Directors on the Annual Report

The Management and Board of Directors have today considered and adopted the Annual Report 2019 of Haldor Topsøe International A/S.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act. In our opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the company at December 31, 2019 and of the results

of the company operations for 2019 in accordance with the applied accounting policies.

In our opinion, the Managements' review includes a true and fair account of the development in the operations and financial circumstances of the company, and the results for the year and of the financial position of the company.

We recommend that the Annual Report be adopted at the Annual General Meeting.

Lyngby, August 14, 2020

#### Management

Peter Kønnest Andersen

Peter Rønnest Andersen

#### **Board of Directors**

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### **Independent Auditor's Report**

To the Shareholder of Haldor Topsøe International A/S.

#### **Opinion**

In our opinion, the Financial Statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Company at 31 December 2019, and of the results of the Company's operations for the financial year 1 January - 31 December 2019 in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

We have audited the Financial Statements of Haldor Topsøe International A/S for the financial year 1 January - 31 December 2019, which comprise income statement, balance sheet, statement of changes in equity and notes, including a summary of significant accounting policies ("financial statements").

#### **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 Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for 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.

#### Statement on Management's Review

Management is responsible for Management's Review.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover Management's Review, and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read Management's Review and, in doing so, consider whether Management's Review is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained during the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

Moreover, it is our responsibility to consider whether Management's Review provides the information required under the Danish Financial Statements Act.

Based on the work we have performed, in our view, Management's Review is in accordance with the Financial Statements and has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Danish Financial Statements Act. We did not identify any material misstatement in Management's Review.

# Management's Responsibilities for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation of 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 financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

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

# Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the 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 exists. Misstatements 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 financial statements.

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

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the 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 Company'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 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 Company'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 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 Company to cease to continue as a going concern.

 Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and contents of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that gives a true and fair view.

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.

Copenhagen, August 14, 2020 **PricewaterhouseCoopers**Statsautoriseret Revisionspartnerselskab

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### Accounting policies

The financial statements of Haldor Topsøe International A/S for 2019 have been prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Danish Financial Statements Act applying to enterprises of reporting class B as well as selected rules applying to reporting class C.

The Annual Report has been denominated in DKK 1.000.

#### Changes in accounting policies

IFRS 15 and IFRS 16 have been implemented in 2019 in the financial statements of Haldor Topsoe International A/S.

The effect of IFRS 15: none.

The effect of IFRS 16, Leases: in the balance sheet, right-of-use assets have been grossed up by TDKK 2,266 (January 1, 2019: TDKK 3,305) while lease liabilities are grossed up by TDKK 2,255 (January 1, 2019: TDKK 3,154), measured at the present value of the remaining lease payments discounted using the incremental borrowing rate per country.

The income statement is not significantly impacted. EBITDA increased TDKK 483, EBIT increased TDKK 58 and profit before tax increased TDKK 10.

#### General

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the historical cost convention.

#### Translation policy

Foreign currency transactions are translated into the functional currency using the exchange rates prevailing at the date of transaction. Foreign currency monetary items are translated into the functional currency at the exchange rates prevailing at the balance sheet date

Financial statements for branches with another functional currency than Danish kroner are translated into Danish kroner using the exchange rate prevailing at the balance sheet date for the balance

sheet items and average exchange rates for income statement items, except from fixed assets and depreciation of the same, which is converted after the market value on the purchase day.

Financial statements of group and associated enterprises with another functional currency than Danish kroner are translated into Danish kroner using the exchange rate prevailing at the balance sheet date for the balance sheet items and average exchange rates for income statement items.

Currency translation adjustments arising on the translation of group enterprises' net assets at the beginning of the financial year and translation of group enterprises' income statements from average exchange rates to the exchange rates prevailing at the balance sheet date are recognized directly in equity.

#### Income statement

#### Revenue

Revenue comprises of service fees from the company's operation of representation offices.

Recognition occurs when:

- delivery has been made before year end,
- a binding sales agreement has been made,
- the sales price has been determined, and
- payment has been received or receipt can be expected with reasonable certainty.

#### Other external expenses

Other external expenses comprise travelling, office expenses, entertainment, audit etc.

#### Staff expenses

Staff expenses comprise of wages and salaries as well as salary dependent costs.

#### **Depreciation**

Depreciation comprise of depreciation of property, plant and equipment.



# Result of investments in group enterprises and associated enterprises

The proportionate share of the profit is recognized as "Result of investments in group enterprise" and "Result of investments in associated enterprise" respectively.

#### Financial income and expenses

Financial income and expenses comprise of interest and realized and unrealized foreign currency translation adjustments.

#### Tax

The company is jointly taxed with Haldor Topsøe Holding A/S, the ultimate parent company. Tax for the individual companies is allocated fully on the basis of expected taxable income. Foreign group enterprises are not included in the joint taxation.

Tax consist of current tax for the year and deferred tax for the year. The tax attributable to the profit for the year is recognized in the income statement, whereas the tax attributable to equity entries is recognized directly in equity.

#### **Balance sheet**

#### Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation based on cost is calculated on a straight-line basis over the expected useful lives of the assets, which are:

Other fixtures and equipment 4 - 10 years

Gains and losses from sale of property, plant and equipment are recognized in 'Other external expenses'.

Leases are recognized as as a lease liability and a lease asset in the balance sheet with two exceptions: short-term leases (less than 12 months) and leases relating to low-value assets. It must furthermore be considered whether the agreement is a

lease or a service arrangement. The effect of the implementation is described below.

In the income statement, the lease expense is replaced by depreciation of the asset and an interest expense for the financial liability.

The standard is implemented using the modified retrospective approach, where the lease liability is determined on that date and the right-of-use assets are measured at an amount equal to the lease liability. Comparative figures are not restated.

#### Impairment of fixed assets

The carrying amounts of property, plant and equipment and investments are reviewed on an annual basis to determine whether there is any indication of impairment other than that expressed by amortization and depreciation. If so, the asset is written down to its lower recoverable amount. Where a recoverable amount cannot be determined for the individual asset, the asset is assessed in the smallest group of assets for which a reliable recoverable amount can be determined based on a total assessment.

# Investments in group enterprises and associated enterprises

Investments in group enterprise and associated enterprises are recognized and measured under the equity method. The proportionate share of the company's equity is included in the Balance Sheet under the item 'Investments in group enterprise' and 'Investments in associated enterprise' respectively.

#### Receivables

Receivables are measured in the balance sheet at the lower of amortized cost and net realizable value, which corresponds to nominal value less provisions for bad debts.

#### **Prepayments**

Prepayments include expenses incurred in respect of subsequent financial years. Such expenses are typically prepaid expenses concerning rent.

#### **Provisions**

Provisions are recognized when – in consequence of a previous event – the company has a legal or constructive obligation and it is probable that economic benefits must be given up to settle the obligation. Provisions are measured at management's estimate of the discounted amount expected to be required to repay the obligation.

#### Debt

Debts are measured at amortized cost, mainly corresponding to nominal value.

#### Tax

Current tax liabilities and current tax receivable are recognized in receivables in the balance sheet in the event of overpayment of tax on account, in debt in the event of underpayment of tax on account.

Deferred income tax is measured using the balance sheet liability method in respect of temporary differences arising between the carrying amount and the tax base of assets and liabilities.

Deferred tax is measured on the basis of the tax rules and tax rates expected to be in force on elimination of temporary differences. Any changes in deferred tax due to changes in tax rates are recognized in the income statement with the share attributable to the results for the year and directly on equity with the share attributable to equity transactions.



# Income statement January 1 - December 31

	Note	2019	2018
		DKK 1,000	DKK 1,000
Revenue		26,782	19,115
Other external expenses		-6,764	-5,280
Staff expenses	2	-17,366	-12,297
Depreciation and impairment loss of property, plant and equipment	4	-1,406	-163
EBIT		1,246	1,375
Result of investments in group enterprises	5	12,507	8,391
Result of investments in associated enterprises	5	167	433
Financial income		143	228
Financial expenses	3	-657	-559
Profit before tax		13,406	9,868
Tax		-321	-237
Net profit		13,085	9,631
Proposed distribution of profit			
Net revaluation reserve according to the equity method		12,674	8,824
Retained earnings		411	807
		13,085	9,631



### **Balance sheet at December 31**

### **Assets**

	Note	2019	2018
		DKK 1,000	DKK 1,000
Land 9 huilding		2,266	0
Land & building Other fixtures and equipment		2,266 111	0 247
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Property, plant and equipment	4	2,377	247
Investments in group enterprises		85,180	71,897
Investments in associated enterprises		1,048	1,005
Other receivables		61	52
Investments	5	86,289	72,954
Non-current assets		88,666	73,201
Other receivables		2	2
Deferred tax assets		58	58
Prepayments		210	803
Receivables		270	863
Cash		2,003	3,077
Current assets		2,273	3,940
Assets		90,939	77,141



### **Balance sheet at December 31**

### **Equity and liabilities**

	Note	2019	2018
		DKK 1,000	DKK 1,000
Share capital		500	500
Net revaluation reserve according to the equity method		65,407	52,081
Retained earnings		18,483	18,072
Equity		84,390	70,653
Provisions		86	677
Leasing, long term		1,280	0
Non-current liabilities		1,366	677
Leasing, short term		976	0
Trade payables		9	6
Payables to group enterprises		2,174	4,307
Corporate income tax		223	236
Other payables		1,801	1,262
Current liabilities		5,183	5,811
Liabilities		6,549	6,488
Equity and liabilities		90,939	77,141
Going concern	1		
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# Statement of changes in equity

	Share capital DKK 1,000	revaluation reserve according to the equity method	Retained earnings DKK 1,000	Total DKK 1,000
Equity at January 1, 2019 Adjustments relating to seperate foreign legal	500	52,081	18,072	70,653
entities	0	652		652
Net profit	0	12,674	411	13,085
<b>Equity at December</b>				
31, 2019	500	65,407	18,483	84,390

### Notes to the financial statements

#### 1 Going concern

The parent company has granted a Letter of financial support effective until 31 May 2021.

#### 2 Staff expenses

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2,297

There has been no payments of salaries or fees to Management or Board of Directors during the years 2019 and 2018.

Average number of employees 20 16

#### 3 Financial expenses

·	2019	2018
	DKK 1,000	DKK 1,000
Interest paid to group enterprises	48	58
Bank interests	15	23
Foreign currency translation adjustments	404	478
Other financial expenses	190	0
	657	559

### Notes to the financial statements

### 4 Property, plant and equipment

	Land & building	Other fixtures and equipment
Cost at January 1, 2019	0	1,347
Net effect from change of acconting policy	3,536	0
Cost at December 31, 2019	3,536	1,347
Depreciation at January 1, 2019	0	1,100
Depreciation for the year	1,270	136
Depreciation at December 31, 2019	1,270	1,236
Carrying amount at December 31, 2019	2,266	111
Carrying amount of rigth-of-use assets	2,266	0

### Notes to the financial statements

#### 5 Investments

	Investments in group enterprises  DKK 1,000	Investments in associated enterprises  DKK 1,000	Other receivables  DKK 1,000		
Cost at January 1, 2019	18,780	2,041	90		
Additions during the year	0	0	8		
Disposals during the year	0	0	0		
Cost at December 31, 2019	18,780	2,041	98		
Revaluations at January 1, 2019	53,117	-1,036	-38		
Foreign currency adjustment	776	-441	1		
Equity adjustment	0	317	0		
Net profit/(loss) for the year	12,507	167	0		
Revaluations at December 31, 2019	66,400	-993	-37		
Carrying amount at December 31, 2019	85,180	1,048	61		
Investments in group enterprises are specif	fied as follows:				
Name	Place of registere	ed office	Votes and ownership		
Haldor Topsoe India Pvt. Ltd.	New Delhi, India		99.99%		
Haldor Topsoe Canada Ltd.	Vancouver, Canada		100.00%		
Haldor Topsoe Sdb. Bhd.	Kuala Lumpur, M	lalaysia	100.00%		
Investments in associated enterprises are specified as follows:					
Name	Place of registere	ed office	Votes and ownership		
Haldor Topsoe America Latina S.A. Haldor Topsoe de México, S.A. de C.V.	Buenos Aires, Ar Mexico	gentina	23.99% 10.00%		



#### Notes to the financial statements

#### 6 Contractual obligations

There are no contractual obligations as per December 31, 2019.

#### 7 Contractual liabilities

Through participation in joint taxation scheme with Haldor Topsøe Holding A/S, the Company is jointly and severally liable for taxes payable, etc. in Denmark.

#### 8 Consolidated Accounts

Haldor Topsoe A/S prepares concolidated financial statements which includes the Company and its group enterprises.

#### 9 Subsequent events

No events materially affecting the Company's financial position at December 31, 2019 have occured after the balance sheet date.

The implications of COVID-19 with many governments across the world deciding to "close down their countries" will have great impact on the global economy. Management considers the implications of COVID-19 a subsequent event occurred after the balance sheet date 31 December 2019, and therefore will not have any effect on the Financial Statements for 2019 (a non-adjusting event).