

Audium (Denmark) A/S

Hans Edvard Teglers Vej 5.1, 2920 Charlottenlund

Annual Report 1 April 2022 – 31 March 2023

Company reg.no. 31 34 75 64

The annual report was presented and approved at the
Company's annual general meeting

On June 28, 2023

chairman of the annual general meeting – Tina Gath

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Statement by the Board of Directors and the Executive Board

Today, the Board of Directors and the Executive Board has discussed and approved the annual report of Audium (Denmark) A/S for the financial year 1 April 2022 to 31 March 2023.

The annual report has 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 31 March 2023 and of the results of its operations for the financial year 1 April 2022 – 31 March 2023.

Further, in our opinion, the Management's review gives a fair review of the development in the Company's operations and financial matters, the results for the year and the Company's financial position.

We recommend that the annual report be approved at the annual general meeting.

Charlottenlund, 28 June 2023

Executive Board:

Peter Brøgger Andreasen
Managing Director

Board of Directors:

Tina Gath
Chairman

Peter Brøgger Andreasen

Anette Pia Andersen

Independent auditor's report

To the shareholder of Audium (Denmark) A/S

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Sonova Audiological Care Denmark ApS for the financial year 1 April 2022 – 31 March 2023, which comprise income statement, balance sheet, statement of changes in equity, cash flow statement and notes, including accounting policies. The financial statements are 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 31 March 2023 and of the results of the Company's operations and cash flows for the financial year 1 April 2022 – 31 March 2023 in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs) and 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 believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Independence

We are independent of the Company in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' International Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (IESBA Code) and the additional ethical requirements applicable in Denmark, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the IESBA Code.

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 as to 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 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 the financial statements.

As part of an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs and 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 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 note 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.

Statement on the Management's review

Management is responsible for the Management's review.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the 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 the Management's review and, in doing so, consider whether the 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 the Management's review provides the information required under the Danish Financial Statements Act.

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Based on the work we have performed, we conclude that the Management's review is in accordance with the financial statements and has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Danish Financial Statement Act. We did not identify any material misstatement of the Management's review.

Frederiksberg, 28 June 2023
EY Godkendt Revisionspartnerselskab
CVR no. 30 70 02 28

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Management's review

Company details

Audium (Denmark) A/S
Hans Edvard Teglers Vej 5.1, 2920 Charlottenlund

CVR no.	31 34 75 64
Established:	31 March 2008
Registered office:	Charlottenlund
Financial year:	1 April – 31 March

Board of directors

Tina Gath, Chairman
Peter Brøgger Andreassen
Anette Pia Andersen

Executive Board

Peter Brøgger Andreassen

Auditor

EY Godkendt Revisionspartnerselskab
Dirch Passers Allé 36
2000 Frederiksberg

Parent company

Sonova AG
Laubisrütisstrasse 28
8712 Stäfa
Switzerland

Management's review

The principal activities of the company

The aim of the company is investment in securities and any right attached to such activities assessed by the board to be relevant. The company is currently a dormant company.

Development in activities and financial matters

The gross profit for the year is DKK -188 thousand against DKK -130 thousand last year. The profit for the year is DKK -2,202 thousand against DKK 1,359 thousand last year. The balance sheet shows equity of DKK 2,942 thousand. The management consider the results satisfactory.

Events after the balance sheet date

No events materially affecting the assessment of the Annual Report have occurred after the balance sheet date.

Accounting policies

The annual report of Audium (Denmark) A/S for 2022/23 has been prepared in accordance with the provisions in the Danish Financial Statements Act applying to reporting class B entities and elective choice of certain provisions applying to reporting class C entities.

The accounting policies used in the preparation of the financial statements are consistent with those of last year.

Financial Statements are presented In Danish kroner.

Recognition and measurement in general

The Financial Statements have been prepared under the historical cost method.

Revenues are recognised in the income statement as earned. Furthermore, value adjustments of financial assets and liabilities measured at fair value or amortised cost are recognised. Moreover, all expenses incurred to achieve the earnings for the year are recognised in the income statement, including depreciation, amortisation, impairment losses and provisions as well as reversals due to changed accounting estimates of amounts that have previously been recognised in the income statement.

Assets are recognised in the balance sheet when it is probable that future economic benefits attributable to the asset will flow to the Company, and the value of the asset can be measured reliably.

Liabilities are recognised in the balance sheet when it is probable that future economic benefits will flow out of the Company, and the value of the liability can be measured reliably.

Assets and liabilities are initially measured at cost. Subsequently, assets and liabilities are measured as described for each item below.

Recognition and measurement take into account predictable losses and risks occurring before the presentation of the Annual Report which confirm or invalidate affairs and conditions existing at the balance sheet date.

Danish kroner is used as the measurement currency. All other currencies are regarded as foreign currencies.

Accounting policies

The profit and loss account

Gross profit/loss

The items other external expenses include costs of administration etc. and have been aggregated into one item in the income statement called gross margin in accordance with section 32 of the Danish Financial Statements Act.

Financial income and expenses

Financial income and expenses are recognised in the income statements at the amounts that concern the financial year. Financial income and expenses comprise interest, realised and unrealised exchange adjustments, as well as extra payments and repayment under the on account taxation scheme.

Tax for the year

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

Any changes in deferred tax due to changes to tax rates are recognised in the income statement.

The company is subject to the Danish legislation concerning compulsory joint taxation with the Danish group enterprises.

The current Danish corporate tax is allocated among the jointly taxed companies in proportion to their respective taxable income (full allocation with reimbursement of tax losses).

The balance sheet

Receivables

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

An impairment loss is recognised if there is objective evidence that a receivable or a group of receivables is impaired. If there is objective evidence that an individual receivable has been impaired, an impairment loss is recognised on an individual basis.

Receivables in respect of which there is no objective evidence of individual impairment are tested for objective evidence of impairment on a portfolio basis. The portfolios are primarily based on the debtors' domicile and credit ratings in line with the Company's risk management policy. The objective evidence applied to portfolios is determined based on historical loss experience.

An impairment loss are recognised according to IAS 39, if there is objective evidence that a receivable or a group of receivables is impaired. If there is objective evidence that an individual receivable has been impaired an impairment loss is recognised on an individual basis.

Prepayments

Prepayments recognised under "Assets" comprise prepaid expenses regarding subsequent financial reporting years.

Accounting policies

Cash and cash equivalents

Considering the nature of the scheme, account balances relating to the group's cash pool scheme are not considered cash and cash equivalents, but are included in the financial statement item receivables from group entities.

Equity Dividend

Dividend expected to be distributed for the year is recognised as a separate item under the equity. Proposed dividend is recognised as a liability at the time of approval by the general meeting (the time of declaration).

Deferred tax assets and liabilities

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all temporary differences 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 that will be effective under the legislation at the balance sheet date when the deferred tax is expected to crystallise as current tax. In cases where the computation of the tax base may be made according to alternative tax rules, deferred tax is measured on the basis of the intended use of the asset and settlement of the liability, respectively.

Deferred tax assets, including the tax base of tax loss carry-forwards, are measured at the value at which the asset is expected to be realised, either by elimination in tax on future earnings or by set-off against deferred tax liabilities.

Current tax receivables and payables

Current tax receivables and payables are recognised in the balance sheet at the amount calculated on the basis of the expected taxable income for the year adjusted for prior-year taxes and tax paid on account.

Tax receivables and payables are off-set if there is a legally enforceable right of set-off and an intention to settle on a net basis or simultaneously.

Liabilities

The Company has chosen IAS 39 as interpretation for the recognition and measurement of liabilities.

Liabilities are measured amortised cost, substantially corresponding to nominal value.

Profit and loss account 1 April – 31 March

Income statement

DKK'000	Note	2022/23	2021/22
Gross loss		-188	-130
Loss before net financials (EBIT)		-188	-130
Financial income	3	0	41
Financial expenses	4	-1	-4
Loss before tax		-189	-94
Tax for the year	5	-2,013	1,453
Loss for the year		-2,202	1,359
Recommended appropriation of loss			
Retained earnings/accumulated loss		-2,202	1,359
		-2,202	1,359

Balance sheet 31 March

Assets

DKK'000	Note	2023	2022
ASSETS			
Current assets			
Receivables			
Receivables from group entities	6	2,536	2,670
Deferred tax assets		550	2,200
Income tax receivables		0	369
Total current assets		3,086	5,239
TOTAL ASSETS		3,086	5,239

Balance sheet 31 March

Equity and liabilities

DKK'000	Note	2023	2022
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
Equity			
Share capital		1,201	1,201
Retained earnings		1,741	3,943
Total equity		2,942	5,144
Liabilities other than provisions			
Current liabilities other than provisions			
Trade payable		135	84
Payables to group entities		9	11
Total current liabilities		144	95
Total liabilities		144	95
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		3,086	5,239
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Statement of changes in equity

DKK'000	Share capital	Retained earnings	Total
Equity at 1 April 2022	<u>1,201</u>	<u>3,943</u>	<u>5,144</u>
Profit or loss for the year broughtforward	<u>0</u>	<u>-2,202</u>	<u>-2,202</u>
Equity at 31 March 2023	<u>1,201</u>	<u>1,741</u>	<u>2,942</u>

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	<u>2022/23</u>	<u>2021/22</u>
DKK'000		
1 Unusual Matters		
The deferred tax assets have decreased by DKK 1,650 thousand. This is mainly due to the changes in the expected ability to utilize the tax assets within a period of 3-5 years.		
2 Staff cost		
The company has no employees		
3 Financial income		
Financial income, group entities	0	41
	<u>0</u>	<u>41</u>
4 Financial expenses		
Other financial costs	-1	-4
	<u>-1</u>	<u>-4</u>
5 Tax for the year		
Deferred tax adjustment for the year	-2,007	511
Joint taxation contribution for the year	0	369
Joint taxation contribution adjustment for prior year	-6	573
	<u>-2,013</u>	<u>1,453</u>

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6 Receivables from group entities

The Sonova Group has a cash pool agreement with Nordea Bank, where Sonova AG is the main account owner and Audium (Denmark) A/S is sub account owner together with affiliated companies.

The conditions for the agreement provide Sonova AG the possibility to offset the liabilities and receivables on the sub accounts so only the net amount of the cash pool is an intermediate with Nordea Bank.

Audium (Denmark) A/S part of the cash pool agreement is recognized as receivables from group entities of DKK 2,536 thousand (2021/22: DKK 2,670 thousand)

7 Contingencies

Joint taxation

Sonova Denmark A/S, company reg. no 10317487, being the administration company, the company is subject to the Danish scheme of joint taxation and unlimited jointly and severally liable with the other jointly taxed companies for the total corporation tax.

The company is unlimited jointly and severally liable with the other jointly taxed companies for any obligation to withhold tax on interest, royalties and dividends.

The jointly taxed enterprises' total, known net liability to the Danish tax authorities appears from the annual accounts of the administration company.

Any subsequent adjustments of corporate taxes or withheld taxes etc. may cause changes in the company's liabilities.

8 Related parties

Ownership

According to the Company's list of shareholders, the following shareholders own 100% of the share capital of Audium (Denmark) A/S.

Sonova AG, Laubisrütisstrasse 28, 8712 Stäfa, Switzerland.

Consolidated annual accounts

The company is included in the Group Annual Report of the ultimate Parent Company Sonova Holding AG.

The Group Annual Report of Sonova Holding AG may be obtained at the following address:

Sonova AG

Laubisrütisstrasse 28

8712 Stäfa

Switzerland

<https://www.sonova.com/en/financial-reports>

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