

# Vega Sea A/S

Agtrupvej 51, DK-6000 Kolding CVR. No. 33 25 28 62

Annual report 2021/22

Approved at the Company's annual general meeting on 27th of December 2022

Chairman:

Dan Jensen, CFO



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## **Statement by Management**

Today, the Board of Directors and the Executive Board have discussed and approved the annual report of Vega Sea A/S for the financial year 1 July 2021 – 30 June 2022.

The annual report has been prepared in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

It is our opinion that the consolidated financial statements and the parent company's financial statement gives a true and fair view of the financial position of the Group and the Company at 30 June 2022 and of the results of the Group's and the Company's operations and consolidated cash flows for the financial period 1 July 2021 – 30 June 2022.

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

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

Kolding, 19th December 2022	
Executive Board:	
Jakob Graasbøll Enemark	
CEO	
Board of Directors:	
Board of Directors:	
Søren Bach	Per Høholt
Chairman	
Torben Svejgård	Henning Kruse Lorentzen
Søren Holm Tøth	

## Independent auditor's report

## To the shareholders of Vega Sea A/S

## Opinion

We have audited the consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements of Vega Sea A/S for the financial year 1 July 2021 – 30 June 2022, which comprise income statement, balance sheet, statement of changes in equity and notes, including accounting policies, for the Group and the Parent Company, and a consolidated cash flow statement. The consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements are prepared in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Group and the Parent Company at 30 June 2022 and of the results of the Group's and the Parent Company's operations as well as the consolidated cash flows for the financial year 1 July 2021 – 30 June 2022 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 consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements" (hereinafter collectively referred to as "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 Group 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 consolidated financial statements and parent company 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 Group's and the Parent 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 Group or the Parent 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.

## Independent auditor's report

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 Group's and the Parent 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 Group's and the Parent 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 Group and the Parent 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.
- > 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.

## 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.

## Independent auditor's report

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 Statements Act. We did not identify any material misstatement of the Management's review.

Aarhus, 19th December 2022 EY Godkendt Revisionspartnerselskab CVR no. 30 70 02 28

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## Company details

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Vega Sea A/S

Address, P.O. Box, city

Agtrupvej 51, DK-6000 Kolding

CVR no.

33 25 28 62

Established

21 October 2010

Registered office

Kolding

Financial year

1 July - 30 June

**Board of Directors** 

Søren Bach, Chairman

Per Høholt

Torben Svejgård

Henning Kruse Lorentzen

Søren Holm Tøth

**Executive Board** 

Jakob Graasbøll Enemark, CEO

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## Recommendations for active ownership and corporate governance

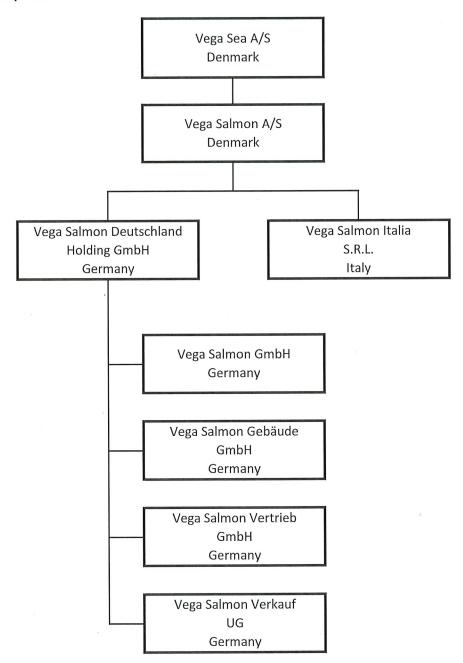
Maj Invest Equity 4 K/S is comprised by the guidelines for Active Owners Denmark (AOD) for active ownership and corporate governance for private equity funds, and therefore, the Vega Sea Group is comprised by the same guidelines.

The Vega Sea Group follows the AOD guidelines except that no audit committee has been established as the Board of Directors conducts those assignments.

AOD's guidelines are available at the webpage of the association www.aktiveejere.dk.



## **Group chart**



All companies are wholly owned.

As per 30 June 2022 Vega Sea A/S was owned by Maj Invest Equity 4 K/S via MIE4 Holding 1 ApS (94.7 %) as well as the Board of Directors, Executive and other employees etc. (5.3%).



## Financial highlights for the Group

tDKK	2021/22	2020/21	2019/20	2018/19	2017/18
Key figures					
Tons sold	20,070	19,817	17,802	17,916	22,967
Revenue	1,313,969	1,070,923	1,086,704	1,170,586	1,482,629
	1,313,969	104,099	85,118	78,536	122,768
Gross profit	128,910	104,099	65,116	78,330	122,708
Profit before depreciation, amortisation and					
impairment losses, net financials and		04.004	10.710	44.640	F2 020
special items (EBITDA)	29,734	31,394	18,718	14,648	52,838
Special items, excl. net financials but incl.					
impairment losses	-3,566	-5,783	-3,080	-5,095	-2,984
Operating profit/loss	9,472	8,232	-4,809	-10,188	29,692
Net financials	-5,406	-7,898	-6,247	-5,652	-9,708
Profit/loss for the year	2,622	-974	-9,136	-11,833	17,699
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Balance sheet total	326,294	287,441	320,827	284,263	331,599
Investments in property, plant					
and equipment	8,223	7,254	19,937	25,075	31,191
Net working capital	4,742	-27,945	-28,121	-42,807	21,774
Net interest-bearing debt	98,119	69,417	73,572	77,131	93,755
Non-current part of net					
interestbearing debt*	48,733	43,422	51,124	54,172	61,527
Equity	65,627	65,318	67,038	42,175	69,862
Cash flows from operating activities	-17,604	13,883	-10,750	62,313	80,382
Cash flows from investing activities	-7,985	-8,504	-19,845	-27,776	-25,715
Cash flows from financing activities	25,619	-5,020	30,437	-39,439	-51,390
Total cash flows	30	359	-158	-4,902	3,277
Financial ratios					
Gross margin	9.8%	9.7%	7.8%	6.7%	8.2%
EBITDA margin before special items	2.3%	2.9%	1.7%	1.3%	3.5%
Equity ratio	20.1%	22.7%	20.9%	14.8%	21.1%
Return on equity	4.0%	-1.5%	-16.7%	-21.1%	23.1%
Average number of full-time Vega employees	350	260	205	235	247
Average number of full-time temps	242	310	215	182	212
Total number of full-time workers	592	570	420	417	459

<sup>\*</sup>According to bank agreement and subordinated loan signed after the balance sheet date, 46 mDKK is non-current compared to the balance sheet at 30 June 2022. This has been reflected in the key figures above.

The financial ratios stated in the survey of financial highlights have been calculated as follows:

Gross margin	Gross margin x 100			
Gross margin	Revenue			
EDITOA waanin hafana ayaaial ikana	EBITDA before special items			
EBITDA margin before special items	Revenue			
Facility of the Control of the Contr	Equity, year-end x 100			
Equity ratio	Total equity and liabilities, year-end			
	Profit/loss for the year after tax x 100			
Return on equity	Average equity			



## Operating review

#### **Business review**

The Group's principal activity is developing, purchasing, processing, and distributing fish products - primarily salmon.

The above-mentioned principal activity has been executed from the production facilities in Germany.

The Group is focusing on delivering products to the Group's customers in the right quality within the agreed delivery dates and at competitive prices that reflect the products' high level of quality. The Group's customers are global quality-conscious entities with strong focus on food safety.

Furthermore, it is group policy to use considerable resources on product development, so that the Group can offer its customers products with high focus on quality, taste and product diversification. It is group policy to produce and develop environmentally friendly wrapping/packaging, that also needs to be consumer friendly. Thus, the development of new product categories is highly prioritized.

As a natural and important part of the Group's focus areas, we work intensively on improving efficiency while maintaining and improving the quality of our products. This is to ensure that the Group, always offer products that surpass every applicable standard for the industry. At the same time, we increasingly wish to offer traceability and support sustainability.

Approx. 94% of the Group's annual revenue is generated outside Scandinavia and based on the Group's product range and high quality, dedicated efforts are made to strengthen our position in selected export areas.

Cooperation with the Group's customers, suppliers and other business partners is based on partnerships to create value for all parties involved and to ensure that the end customers get a unique product and taste experience.

Continues improvement programs have been identified and executed, all of them supporting our focus on sustainability and strengthening Vega as being an attractive partner **Delivering World Class Salmon Every Day.** 

## Financial review

In the year under review, the Group realized revenue of 1,314 mDKK, which is an increase of 22.7% from last financial year. The increase is largely an effect of the higher-than-normal fish prices especially in the spring 2022, as the total volume has increased 1% compared to 2020/21.

The price for Head-On-Gutted (HOG) salmon has increased significantly during the second half of the financial year due to a drop in the worldwide supply of salmon. An average spot-price level in the first half of 5.7 EUR/KG was replaced by peaks at 12.8 EUR/KG and an average level at 9.4 EUR/KG in the second half. This extreme change in price levels resulted in less than expected demand from our customers, who lowered stock levels and postponed campaigns during this period.

The annual result has again been impacted by COVID-19 with continuously extra expenses for daily COVID testing of all employees at the factory in Germany and having extra costs for protective equipment and clothing for our operational teams. The expenses of DK 3.6 million are included in note 3 as special items.

Despite the positive result of 2.6 mDKK, the management does not consider the result satisfactory as it is beneath the expectations for the year. However, the deviations to expectations are solely related to the lower volume sold during the period with the extreme high fish prices and the additional costs related to COVID-19 and thus the result reflects a positive development in less waste and better efficiency in the operations compared to earlier years.

The balance sheet total increased during the period with 40 mDKK to 326 mDKK which is due to the increase in inventories of 44 mDKK. The significantly higher price for salmon has had an increasing impact on the inventory of raw material and finished goods. In addition, increased prices and lead times for packing and support material in the current market conditions has increased the value of consumables as well.



## Operating review

## Financial review (continued)

The increase of working capital of 32.7 mDKK due to the changed new level of purchase prices on material has for the main part been financed through increases in short-term debt to banks and subordinated loan from the parent company. Adjusted for the increase in working capital the cash flow from operations has been financing the investment level of 8 mDKK. The total changes in cash in 2021/22 was 0 mDKK.

Equity as of 30 June 2022 amounted 65.6 mDKK because of a positive profit of the year of 2.6 mDKK and a negative impact from translation and hedging reserves of 2.3 mDKK (Equity as of 30. June 2021: 65.3 mDKK).

#### Financial development – parent company

In 2021/22 there was a cost level of 0.7 mDKK (2020/21: 0.8 mDKK). Profit for the year was 2.6 mDKK (2020/21: -1.0 mDKK). At the end of the financial year, the balance sheet total amounted to 141 mDKK (2020/21: 118 mDKK). Equity as of 30 June 2022 amounted to 66 mDKK (2020/21: 65 mDKK).

#### Outlook

The Group continues its strategy to focus on existing and new partnerships, launching of new products within sustainable packing solutions and convenience, ensure the highest quality standards, and to maintain focus on internal processes to improve cost efficiency. In addition, the group has initiated several automation projects with the expectations of improving efficiency further in the coming year and the years to come.

Due to the volatile prices in salmon market development in revenue in terms of value is not considered a fair view of the activity in the group but more the focus on volume.

In the financial year 2022/23 it is the expectation to achieve 5% higher volume than in 2021/22, mostly by selling more smoked products. With the increase in the activity level and the expectation of being more efficient the profit for the year is expected in a level of 13 mDKK.

In the financial year 2022/23 some uncertainty is expected regarding COVID-19 and its effect on our business, however we also expect the effect to be less than what we have seen in the previous two years. We have taken precautions and increased our hygiene control to ensure that an internal outbreak doenst happen. Due to the flock immunity in society the Group asses that a new lockdown is unlikely to happen in 2022/23.

Cash flow expectations for the financial outlook for 2022/23 are positive as a direct impact of the expected growth in the profit. We have secured the major credit facilities with only exception being a minor part of our financing structure. We have positive dialogues with our bank and will finalize the extension of end December 2022 to cover our cash requirements for the remainder of the financial year – we refer to note 2.

### **Risk conditions**

### **Business risk**

The primary business risk faced by the Group is the continued ability to deliver high quality products at competitive and secured fixed prices. It is group policy to hedge raw material purchases and currencies, and therefore, the volume of fixed price contracts is considerable.

The Group is aware of the current risk for the business and as mentioned above several initiatives has been put in into action to meet expected level of activity and profitability.



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### Special risks

The war in Ukraine has led to extreme high energy prices in Europe, uncertainty of gas-supply in Germany and increased prices on material in general. In other of our market's inflation has been driven by high pressure on salary and material/components. The Group has not traded with neither Russia or Ukraine before or after the conflict started.

The Group is continues attentive to the risk of COVID-19 and the influence it can have on the business. The Group maintains part of the implemented precautions to lessen the effect of COVID-19 on the business going forward.

Due to the combination of inflation and increased interests in all regions we have recognized changed consumer behavior driven by more intensive focus on prices.

To mitigate risks, we are continuously updating our cost picture, focusing on efficiency, and offering alternative products to the markets and seeking new opportunities through our innovative products and packaging solutions. Furthermore, the production in Germany has been prepared for heating and steam generation through alternative energy sources than gas.

#### Financial risks

The Group's primary financing sources are bank loans, leasing debt and overdraft facilities. Due to its operations, investments and financing, the Group is exposed to changes in exchange rates, interest rates and fish prices. Vega Sea A/S manages the Group's financial risks centrally and coordinates the Group's cash management, including new funding and placement of excess liquidity. If deemed expedient to reduce the financial risks, financial instruments are held in the form of foreign exchange contracts, fishpool contracts and interest rate swaps.

## Statement of policy for data ethics cf. ARL §99d

The Group's policy is integrated into the IT policy and GDPR setup. The focus and handling of data ethics is handled through the following:

The IT Policy, which contains requirements for the handling of IT systems and data in the Group.

The Group's GDPR setup supports the legislation's requirements for GDPR, including data collection and processing, data subjects' rights, and requirements for subcontractors' use of data processing agreements.

The Group continuously educate employees on how to handle data and information entrusted to us by customers, suppliers and employees by continuously updating and informing employees about above.

## Whistle blowers

Employees and externals have the ability to contact an external company anonymously if there should be events, they wish to report. There were no such contacts made under this arrangement in 2021/22.

## **Employees**

The development in employees is specified as follows (full-time Vega employees, excl. temporary workers):

	lotal	Denmark	Rest of World
Number of employees, beginning of the year	284	22	262
Net development employees, in 2021/22	+177	-1	+178
Number of employees, year end	461	21	440

The average total workers have increased compared to last year, this is due to insourcing part of the agency workers to secure lower costs and increase flexibility in production, including increased activity but also due to change in product-mix, towards products with higher degree of processing.

## **Environment**

The Group strives at all times to comply with applicable environmental legislation so that the environmental impact on the surroundings is minimized to the extent possible. Based on the below-mentioned UN Global Compact progress report, the Group continuously implements measures to limit energy consumption, water release, cleaner discharge etc. to the highest extent possible.



## Operating review

#### Research and development activities

On an ongoing basis, the Group deploys resources for product development for the benefit of the Group's business partners. As a part of the strategy, the Group has invested resources into its own innovation department, to take the development of products to the next level. For the coming financial years, we expect several new launches that will set Vega apart from the competitors.

#### **CSR** report

In March 2014, the Group joined UN Global Compact. The progress report for the year has been published and is obtainable at <a href="https://vega-salmon.dk/about-us/csr/">https://vega-salmon.dk/about-us/csr/</a>

The report represents a statutory statement of corporate social responsibility pursuant to the exemption given in section 99a of the Danish Financial Statements Act.

## Goals for the gender quotation on the Group's Boards of Directors

According to legislation on the gender quotation on the Management Board in Danish enterprises, the group entities Vega Sea A/S and Vega Salmon A/S have laid down that board members elected by the general meeting are at least to account for 20% of the underrepresented gender at the ordinary general meeting in 2023/24 at the latest. The other group entities are not subject to those rules.

Upon the presentation of the annual report of Vega Sea A/S for 2021/22, none of the five members of the Board of Directors were female. No new members of the Board of Directors have been elected during the financial year 2021/22, however in the current year 2022/2023 one additional board member has been elected. The target number for female managers in the Vega Group is 20% for Management. As of 30 June 2022, female managers in the entity accounted for 30% against 17% last year. We have prepared a policy that is to ensure that the share of women at top management levels is increased. Upon implementation of the policy, frameworks have been laid down for the individual managers' career development, mentor schemes and network. We have had several search processes for positions as managers during the financial year and have succeeded in not only hiring but also internal promoting female employees to managers. The other managerial positions consist of employees with employee responsibilities, below KPI's are measured on headcount.

### Corporate governance

Vega Sea A/S' Board of Directors and Executive Board always aim at ensuring that the Group's management structure and control systems are appropriate and function satisfactorily. Management assesses on an ongoing basis whether this is the case.

Management's duties are among other things based on the Danish Companies Act, the Danish Financial Statements Act, the Company's Articles of Association as well as good practice for enterprises of the same size and with the same international reach as Vega Sea A/S. Moreover, by virtue of being owned by a private equity fund, the Company complies with guidelines on responsible ownership and corporate governance issued by Active Owners Denmark. On this basis, several internal procedures have been developed and are regularly updated in order to ensure active, safe and profitable management of the Group.

### **Duties of the Board of Directors**

The Board of Directors of Vega Sea A/S and its group entities ensure that the Executive Boards comply with the Boards of Directors' aims, strategies, and business procedures. Information from the Executive Boards of the individual companies is given systematically at meetings and through written and oral reporting. This reporting e.g., comprises the development in the Company's surroundings, the Company's development, profitability, and the financial position.

The Board of Directors of Vega Sea A/S holds meetings according to a fixed schedule at least six times a year. A strategy seminar is usually held once a year. In the period between the ordinary meetings of the Board of Directors, the Board of Directors receive, on a regular basis, written information on the Company's and the Group's results of operation and financial position.

The Board of Directors' and the Executive Board's directorships in other companies are disclosed in Appendix A.



## **Operating review**

## **Remuneration of Management**

Remuneration of the Board of Directors of Vega Sea A/S is made separately.

To attract and maintain the Group's managerial qualifications, remuneration of the Executive Board and executive employees is set according to tasks, value created and terms in comparable companies. Remuneration includes incentive programs, which are to ensure shared interests of the Company's Management and the Board of Directors.

## **Dividend policy**

Dividend distribution must be made taking into consideration the Group's continued development and existing agreements with funding sources.

## Stakeholders

The Vega Sea A/S Group seeks to develop and maintain good relations with its stakeholders on an on-going basis, as such relations are assessed to have a significant and positive effect on the Group's development. Primary stakeholders are the Group's customers, employees, suppliers, and shareholders.

#### Events after the balance sheet date

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



## Income statement

		Gro	up	Pare	ent
Note	tDKK	2021/22	2020/21	2021/22	2020/21
4	Revenue	1,313,969	1,070,923	0	0
	Changes in inventories of finished goods				
	and work in progress	29,189	3,980	0	0
	Other operationg income	1,273	6,354	0	0
	Raw materials and consumables	-1,056,393	-818,262	0	0
3	Other external expenses	-159,128	-158,896	-102	-250
	Gross profit/loss	128,910	104,099	-102	-250
3, 5	Staff costs Amortisation of intangible assets and	-102,742	-78,488	-550	-550
	depreciation on property, plant and				
	equipment and impairment losses	-16,696	17,379	0	0
	Operating profit/loss	9,472	8,232	-652	-800
	Income from equity investments in				
	group entities	0	0	5,317	2,067
6	Financial income	3,457	389	1,287	1,331
6	Financial expenses	-8,863	-8,287	-4,090	-4,046
	Profit before tax	4,066	334	1,862	-1,448
3, 7	Tax for the year	-1,444	-1,308	760	474
	Profit/loss for the year	2,622	-974	2,622	-974



## **Balance Sheet**

		Grou	ıp	Parer	nt
Note	tDKK	2022	2021	2022	2021
	ASSETS				
	Fixed assets				
8	Intangible assets				
	Incomplete development projects	482	0	0	0
	Completed development projects	1,803	1,857	0	0
	Software, etc.	971	1,284	0	0
		3,256	3,141	0	0
9	Property, plant and equipment				
	Land and buildings	91,178	96,878	0	0
	Plant and machinery	35,986	41,286	0	0
	Fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment	2,680	2,891	0	0
	Leasehold improvements	0	20	0	0
	Assets under construction	27,223	23,075	0	0
		157,067	164,150	0	0
10	Investments				
	Investment in group entities	0	0	88,829	85,153
	Other securities and investments	35	35	35	35
		35	35	88,864	85,188
	Total fixed assets	160,358	167,326	88,864	85,188
	Non-fixed assets				
	Inventories				
	Raw materials and consumables	39,832	24,559	0	0
	Work in progress	8,235	5,465	0	0
	Finished goods	71,925	45,507	0	0
		119,992	75,531	0	0
	Receivables				
	Trade receivables	20,086	21,014	0	0
	Receivables from group entities	0	0	49,854	30,819
	Receivables from parent	1,255	0	175	0
11	Deferred tax assets	13,979	12,431	2,486	1,726
	Other receivables	8,894	8,520	0	0
12	Prepayments	1,256	2,175	260	285
		45,470	44,140	52,775	32,830
	Cash	474	444	0	0
	Total non-fixed assets	165,936	120,115	52,775	32,830
	TOTAL ASSETS	326,294	287,441	141,639	118,018



## **Balance Sheet**

		Group		Parent	
Note	tDKK	2022	2021	2022	2021
	EQUITY AND LIABILITIES				
	Equity				
13	Share capital	24,588	24,588	24,588	24,588
	Reserve for net revaluation according to				
	the equity method	0	0	0	0
	Translation reserve	-89	-175	0	0
	Hedging reserve	-2,970	-571	0	0
	Retained earnings	44,098	41,476	41,039	40,730
	Total equity	65,627	65,318	65,627	65,318
	Liabilities				
14	Non-current liabilities other than provisions				
15	Deferred income	15,499	15,206	0	0
	Payables to banking institutions	0	42,000	0	42,000
	Lease commitments	997	0	0	0
	Other payables	1,484	1,422	0	0
		17,980	58,628	0	42,000
	Current liabilities other than provisions				
14	Current portion of non-current liabilities	42,268	4,000	42,000	4,000
	Payables to banking institutions	35,411	13,611	26,615	4,815
	Prepayment regarding supply chain finance	8,504	5,405	0	0
,	Trade payables	114,426	104,647	0	0
	Income tax payable	3,677	3,423	0	0
16	Subordinated loan from parent	6,252	0	6,252	0
	Other payables	22,636	21,761	1,145	1,885
	Prepayments	8,424	8,777	0	0
14.15	Deferred income	1,089	1,871	0	0
		242,687	163,495	76,012	10,700
	Total liabilities	260,667	222,123	76,012	52,700
	TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	326,294	287,441	141,639	118,018

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## Statement of changes in equity

		Group				
Note t	DKK	Share capital	Translation reserve	Hedging reserve	Retained earnings	Total
E	quity at 1 July 2020	24,588	0	0	42,450	67,038
Pi	rofit/loss for the year	0	0	0	-974	-974
	oreign exchange adjustments alue adjustment of hedging	0	-175	0	0	-175
	instruments after tax	0	0	-571	0	-571
E	quity at 30 June 2021	24,588	-175	-571	41,476	65,318
Pi	rofit/loss for the year	0	0	0	2,622	2,622
	oreign exchange adjustments alue adjustment of hedging	0	86	0	0	86
	instruments after tax	0	0	-2,399	0	-2,399
E	quity at 30 June 2022	24,588	-89	-2,970	44,098	65,627

<b>V</b>	Parent				
Note tDKK	Share capital	Net revaluation according to the equity method	Retained earnings	Total	
Equity at 1 July 2020	24,588	663	41,787	67,038	
Profit/loss for the year	0	2,067	-3,041	-974	
Dividend recieved	0	-7,578	7,578	0	
Foreign exchange adjustments	0	-175	0	-175	
Value adjustment of hedging					
instruments after tax	0	-571	0	-571	
Transferred reserve	0	5,594	-5,594	0	
Equity at 30 June 2021	24,588	0	40,730	65,318	
Profit/loss for the year	0	5,317	-2,695	2,622	
Foreign exchange adjustments	0	86	0	86	
Value adjustment of hedging					
instruments after tax	0	-2,399	0	-2,399	
Transferred reserve	0	-3,004	3,004	0	
Equity at 30 June 2022	24,588	0	41,039	65,627	



## Cash flow statement

	Gro	oup
tDKK	2021/22	2020/21
Profit/loss for the year before interest	9,472	8,232
Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses	16,696	17,379
Changes in working capital	-32,687	-176
Other adjustments of non-cash operating items	-3,618	-2,454
Cash generated from operations (operating activities)	-10,137	22,981
Financial income received	3,457	389
Financial expenses incurred	-8,863	-8,287
Income taxes refunded/paid	-2,061	-1,200
Cash flows from operating activities	-17,604	13,883
Acquisition of intangible assets	-1,305	-1,280
Acquisition of property, plant and equipment	-8,223	-7,254
Disposal of property, plant and equipment	1,543	30
Cash flows from investing activities	-7,985	-8,504
Changes in non-current liabilities, net	-3,938	-7,868
Leasepayment, amortisation	-339	0
Changes in short-term debt to banks	24,899	2,848
Changes in debt to parent company	4,997	0
Cash flows from financing activities	25,619	-5,020
Changes in cash and cash equivalents	30	359
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 July	444	85
Cash and cash equivalents at 30 June	474	444

The cash flow statement cannot be directly derived from the other components of the consolidated financial statements.



#### **Notes**

## 1 Accounting policies

The annual report of Vega Sea A/S for 2021/22 has been prepared in accordance with the provisions in the Danish Financial Statements Act applying to large reporting class C entities.

The accounting policies are consistent with those of last year. Individual accounting items have been reclassified and comparative figures have been adjusted.

#### Consolidation

The consolidated financial statements comprise the parent company Vega Sea A/S and entities controlled by the parent company. Control is deemed to exist when the parent company directly or indirectly holds more than 50% of the voting rights. Control may also exist via agreement or articles of association or because the parent company in some other way has or actually exercises control in a subsidiary.

The existence and impact of potential voting rights that are actually exercisable or convertible are taken into account when assessing whether control exists.

The financial statements of the consolidated entities have been prepared in accordance with the parent company's accounting policies. The consolidated financial statements are prepared based on the consolidated entity's financial statements by aggregating similar financial statement items. Intra-group income, costs, profits, losses, investments, dividends and balances are eliminated. Investments in consolidated enterprises are set off against the proportionate share of the consolidated enterprise' fair value of assets and liabilities at the acquisition date.

## **Supply Chain Finance**

The Group has agreed with a financial third party on Supply Chain financing for both customers and Suppliers. The Group sell 90 percent of the trade receivables where they receive 100 percent of the payments from the financial third party relate to the trade receivables. Group risk of 10 percent correspond to the unsent part which are recognized under trade receivables with counterpart on prepayment from Supply Chain Financing. The agreement covers the majority of trade receivables within the Group. A similar financing scheme has been concluded with suppliers. The payment to supplies are recognized trade payables if the credit period correspond to a normal given credit terms within the industry.



#### Notes

## 1 Accounting policies (continued)

## Foreign currency translation

On initial recognition, transactions denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the exchange rates at the transaction date. Foreign exchange differences arising between the exchange rates at the transaction date and the date of payment are recognised in the income statement as financial income or financial expenses.

Receivables, payables and other monetary items denominated in foreign currencies are translated at closing rates. The difference between the exchange rates at the balance sheet date and the date at which the receivable or payable arose or was recognised in the latest financial statements is recognised in the income statement as financial income or financial expenses.

Foreign subsidiaries are considered separate entities. The income statements are translated at the average exchange rates for the month, and the statement of financial position items are translated at closing rates. Foreign exchange differences arising on translation of the opening equity of foreign entities to closing rates and on translation of the income statements from average exchange rates to closing rates are taken directly to equity.

Foreign exchange adjustments of balances with separate foreign subsidiaries which are considered part of the total investment in the subsidiary are taken directly to equity. Foreign exchange gains and losses on loans and derivative financial instruments designated as hedges of foreign subsidiaries are also recognised directly in equity.

#### Leases

For accounting purposes, lease contracts are classified as either finance or operating lease obligations.

A lease is classified as a finance lease when it transfers substantially all risks and rewards of the leased asset as if the asset had been owned. Other leases are classified as operating leases.

Finance lease assets are capitalised under property, plant and equipment and are depreciated over their expected useful lives. The corresponding finance lease obligations are recognised in liabilities. Operating lease expenses are recognised on a straight line basis in the income statement over the lease term.

## **Derivative financial instruments**

On initial recognition in the balance sheet, derivative financial instruments are recognised at cost and subsequently at fair value. Positive and negative fair values of derivative financial instruments are included in "Other receivables" or "Other payables", respectively.

Changes in the fair value of derivative financial instruments classified as and qualifying for designation as hedges of the fair value of a recognised asset or a recognised liability are recognised in the income statement together with changes in the value of the hedged asset or the hedged liability.

Changes in the fair value of derivative financial instruments classified as and qualifying for recognition as an instrument used for hedging future transactions are recognised directly in equity. When the hedged transactions are realised, the accumulated changes are recognised as part of the selling price/cost of the relevant financial statement items.

For derivative financial instruments that do not qualify for hedge accounting, changes in fair value are recognised in profit or loss as financial income or financial expenses.



#### **Notes**

## 1 Accounting policies (continued)

#### Income statement

#### Revenue

The Company has chosen IAS 18 as interpretation for revenue recognition.

Revenue from the sale of goods for resale and finished goods is recognised in the income statement when delivery and transfer of risk to the buyer have taken place. Revenue from the sale of services is recognised in the income statement when delivery to the buyer has taken place. Revenue is recognised exclusive of VAT, duties and rebates in connection with the sale and is measured at the selling price at the agreed consideration.

## Changes in inventories of finished goods and work in progress

Changes in inventories of finished goods and work in progress comprises the net movement in the financial year.

### Other operating income and expenses

Other operating income and expenses comprise items secondary to the principal activities of the Company, including gains or losses on the disposal of non-current assets.

#### Raw materials and consumables

Raw materials and consumables include the consumption of raw materials and consumables in the financial year after adjustment of changes in inventories of raw materials and consumables from the beginning of the year to the end of the year. The item includes any shrinkage and usual impairment losses of the inventories in questions.

### Other external costs

Other external expenses include the year's expenses relating to the core activities, including expenses relating to distribution, sale, advertising, administration, premises, bad debts, payments under operating leases, etc.

## Staff costs

Staff costs comprise wages and salaries, including compensated absence and pensions, and other social security costs, etc. relating to the employees. The item is net of refunds from public authorities.

## Amortisation of intangible assets, depreciation on property, plant and equipment and impairment losses

Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses comprise amortisation of intangible assets and depreciation on property, plant and equipment and impairment losses.

## Income from equity investments in group entities

The item comprises the proportionate share of the individual subsidiaries' profits/losses after tax after elimination of intragroup profits/losses.

## Grants

EU grants received for capital expenditures are recognised in the balance sheet as prepayments and are recognised as the fixed assets are depreciated. Prepayments are recognised as other operating income.

## Financial income

Financial income comprises interest income, net gains on receivables, payables regarding transactions denominated in foreign currencies, amortisation of financial income as well as refunds under the on-account tax scheme, etc.



#### **Notes**

## 1 Accounting policies (continued)

### **Financial expenses**

Financial expenses comprise interest expenses, net losses on receivables, payables regarding transactions denominated in foreign currencies, amortisation of financial liabilities as well as surcharges under the on-account tax scheme, etc.

#### **Taxation**

Tax for the year comprises current tax for the year and changes in deferred tax. The tax expense relating to the profit/loss for the year is recognised in the income statement, and the tax expense relating to amounts directly recognised in equity is recognised directly in equity.

The parent company is jointly taxed with MIE4 Holding 1 ApS and all Danish subsidiaries. The current Danish corporate income tax charge is allocated between the jointly taxed entities in proportion to their taxable income (full absorption with refunds regarding tax losses).

#### **Balance Sheet**

## Intangible assets

Intangible assets comprise software rights, etc. and completed development projects, that are measured at cost less accumulated amortisation and impairment losses. Software rights, etc. and completed development projects are amortised over 3-5 years.

Development projects include costs, wages and depreciation that can be directly and indirectly attributed to development activities.

Write-down of intangible assets are made to the recoverable amount if this is lower than the carrying amount.

## Property, plant and equipment

Items of property, plant and equipment are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. Cost comprises the purchase price and any costs directly attributable to the acquisition until the date when the asset is available for use. For assets held under finance leases, cost is the lower of the fair value of the asset and the present value of future lease payments.

The basis of depreciation is cost less expected residual value at the end of the useful life. Depreciation is provided on a straight-line basis over the following expected useful lives:

Buildings20-50 yearsPlant and machinery5-8 yearsFixtures and fittings, tools and equipment3-10 years

Land is not depreciated.

The basis of depreciation is based on the residual value of the asset and is reduced by impairment losses, if any. The depreciation period and the residual value are determined at the time of acquisition and are reassessed every year. Where the residual value exceeds the carrying amount of the asset, no further depreciation charges are recognised.

In case of changes in the depreciation period or the residual value, the effect on the depreciation charges is recognised prospectively as a change in accounting estimates.

Write-down of property, plant and equipment is made to the recoverable amount if this is lower than the carrying amount.

Gains and losses on the disposal of items of property, plant and equipment are calculated as the difference between the selling price less costs to sell and the carrying amount at the date of disposal. The gains or losses are recognised in the income statement as other operating income or other operating expenses, respectively.



#### **Notes**

## 1 Accounting policies (continued)

## Investments in group entities

Investments in group enterprises are recognised and measured according to the equity method. This implies that investments are measured at the proportionate share of the Company's net asset value minus or plus any unrealised intra-group profits and losses.

## Impairment of fixed assets

Intangible assets, property, plant and equipment and investments in group entities are subject to an annual test for indications of impairment other than the decrease in value reflected by depreciation or amortisation. Impairment tests are conducted in respect of individual assets or groups of assets generating separate cash flows when there are indications of impairment. The assets are written down to the higher of the value in use and net realisable value (recoverable amount) of the asset or group of assets if this is lower than the carrying amount.

## Receivables

Receivables are measured at cost less write-down for bad debt losses that are based on an individual assessment.

#### Other securities and investments

Other securities and investments, etc. are measured at fair value at the balance sheet date. If the fair value cannot be reliably measured, securities are measured at cost less any impairment losses.

### Inventories

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

Raw materials and consumables are measured at cost, comprising purchase price plus delivery costs. The cost of manufactured goods and work in progress includes the cost of raw materials, consumables, direct labour and production overheads.

Production overheads include the indirect cost of material and labour as well as maintenance and depreciation of production machinery, buildings and equipment and expenses relating to plant administration and management. Borrowing costs are not recognised in the cost.

The net realisable value of inventories is calculated as the expected selling price less costs of completion and expenses that must be incurred to affect the sale.

## Prepayments (assets)

Prepayments comprise prepaid costs concerning subsequent financial years.

## Income taxes

Current tax payable and receivable is recognised in the balance sheet as tax computed on the taxable income for the year, adjusted for tax on the taxable income of prior years and for tax paid on account.

Deferred tax is measured using the balance sheet liability method on all temporary differences between the carrying amount and the tax value of assets and liabilities. Where alternative tax rules can be applied to determine the tax base, deferred tax is measured based on Management's intended use of the asset or settlement of the liability, respectively.

Deferred tax is measured according to the tax rules and at the tax rates applicable at the balance sheet date when the deferred tax is expected to crystallise as current tax. Deferred tax assets are recognised at the expected value of their utilisation; either as a set-off against tax on future income or as a set-off against deferred tax liabilities in the same legal tax entity. Changes in deferred tax due to changes in the tax rate are recognised in the income statement.



#### **Notes**

## 1 Accounting policies (continued)

#### Cash

Cash comprises cash at hand and bank deposits.

### Equity

#### Net revaluation reserve according to the equity method

Net revaluation of equity investments in subsidiaries is recognised at cost in the net revaluation reserve according to the equity method.

The reserve can be eliminated in case of losses, realisation of equity investments or changes in accounting estimates.

The reserve cannot be recognised at a negative amount.

#### Translation reserve

The translation reserve comprises the share of foreign exchange differences arising on translation of financial statements of entities that have a functional currency other than DKK, foreign exchange adjustments of assets and liabilities considered part of the Company's net investments in such entities and foreign exchange adjustments regarding hedging transactions that hedge the Company's net investments in such entities. The reserve is dissolved on the sale of foreign entities or if the conditions for effective hedging no longer exist. When equity investments in subsidiaries and associates in the parent company financial statements are subject to the limitation requirement in the net revaluation reserve according to the equity method, foreign exchange adjustments will be included in this equity reserve instead.

## Hedging reserve

The hedging reserve comprises the cumulative net change in the fair value of hedging transactions that qualify for recognition as a cash flow hedge and where the hedged transaction has not yet been realized. The reserve is dissolved when the hedged transaction is realized, if the hedged cash flows are no longer expected to be realized or if the hedging relationship is no longer effective. The reserve does not represent a limitation under company law and may therefore be negative.

## Dividend

Proposed dividend is recognised as a liability at the date when it is adopted at the annual general meeting (declaration date). Dividend expected to be distributed for the year is presented as a separate line item in equity.

### Liabilities

Financial liabilities are recognised at the date of borrowing at the proceeds received less transaction costs paid. On subsequent recognition, financial liabilities are measured at amortised cost, corresponding to the capitalised value, using the effective interest rate. Accordingly, the difference between the proceeds and the nominal value is recognised in the income statement over the term of the loan.

Other liabilities are measured at amortised cost, which essentially correspond to the net realisable value.

## **Deferred** income

Deferred income comprises payments received concerning income in subsequent years. Moreover, the item includes EU grants for capital expenditure, which are recognised as other operating income as the fixed assets concerned are depreciated.



#### **Notes**

## 1 Accounting policies (continued)

#### Fair value

Fair value measurements are based on the principal market. If no principal market exist, the measurement is based on the most advantageous market, i.e. the market that maximizes the price of the asset or liability less transaction and/or transport cost.

Fair value measurements are based on the principal market. If no principal market exist, the measurement is based on the most advantageous market, i.e. the market that maximizes the price of the asset or liability less transaction and/or transport cost.

All assets and liabilities which are measured at fair value, or whose fair value is disclosed, are classified based on the fair value hierarchy, see below:

- Level 1: Value in an active market for similar assets/liabilities.
- Level 2: Value based on recognized valueation methods on the basis of observable market information.
- Level 3: Value based on recognized valuation methods and reasonable estimates (non-observable market information).

#### Cash flow statement

The cash flow statement shows the Group's cash flows from operating, investing and financing activities for the year, the year's changes in cash as well as the Group's cash at the beginning and end of the year.

Cash flows from operating activities are calculated as the profit/loss for the year adjusted for non-cash operating items, changes in working capital and paid corporate income tax.

Cash flows from investing activities comprise payments in connection with acquisitions and disposals of entities and activities and of intangible assets, property, plant and equipment and investments.

Cash flows from financing activities comprise changes in the size or composition of the Company's share capital and related costs as well as the raising of loans, repayment of long-term interest-bearing debt, changes in short-term debt to banks and payment of dividends to shareholders.

Cash include cash at bank and bank deposits.

## Segment information

Information is disclosed by geographical markets. Segment information is based on the Company's accounting policies, risks and internal financial management.



#### **Notes**

#### 2 Credit facilities

After the end of the balance sheet date, the company has renegotiated their long-term credits of 42 mDKK for expiry on 1 October 2023.

The company and the groups current credit facilities contain a seasonal credit, whereof a smaller part 20 mDKK expires on 31 December 2022. In order to maintain the groups budget activities an extension of this seasonal credit is necessary. Similar to previous years, the management asses that the seasonal credit and sufficient credit facilities will be achieved in the financial year 2022/23. The company and the groups annual report is therefore presented as going concern.

## 3 Special items

Special items comprise significant income and expenses of a special nature relative to the Group's revenue-generating operating activities such as costs of comprehensive structuring of processes and basic structural adjustments as well as any disposal gains and losses relating thereto and which over time are of significant importance. Special items also comprise significant one-off items, which, in the opinion of Management, do not form part of the Group's operating activities.

As disclosed in the Management's review, the loss for the year is affected by costs, which, in the opinion of the Board of Directors, do not form part of the operating activities.

	Gro	up	Par	ent
tDKK	2021/22	2020/21	2021/22	2020/21
Special items				
Costs				
COVID-19 related cost	-3,566	-5,783	0	0
Hereof tax	1,070	1,735	0	0
	-2,496	-4,048	0	0
Special items are recognised in the below line items				
Staff costs	0	-1,700	0	0
Income from equity investments in group entities	0	0	-2,496	-4,048
Other external expenses	-3,566	-4,083	0	0
Profit/loss on special items before tax	-3,566	-5,783	-2,496	-4,048
Tax	1,070	1,735	0	0
Profit/loss on special items after tax	-2,496	-4,048	-2,496	-4,048



## **Notes**

_	Gro	oup	Parent		
tDKK	2021/22	2020/21	2021/22	2020/21	
4 Revenue					
Revenue broken down on geographical segments:					
Domestic markets (Denmark)	35,663	28,500	0	0	
Export markets (other countries)	1,278,306	1,042,423	0	0	
	1,313,969	1,070,923	0	0	
The Group has one business segment, which is sale of fish.					
5 Staff costs					
Wages and salaries	85,169	65,449	550	550	
Pensions	2,186	2,587	0	0	
Other social security costs	15,015	10,130	0	0	
Other staff costs	372	322	0	0	
_	102,742	78,488	550	550	
Average number of full-time employees	350	260	1	1	
Remuneration to board of directors and Executive board:	2,653	2,989			

Remuneration to the Board of Directors and Executive Board of the Group are disclosed combined with reference to paragraph 98 b section 3 no. 1 of the Danish Financial Statements Act. No information is provided in the parent company with reference to 98 b section 3 no. 2 of the Danish Financial Statements Act.

## 6 Net financials

Financial income				
Interest income from group entities	0	0	1,264	1,144
Currency adjustments	3,400	41	0	0
Other financial income	57	348	23	187
	3,457	389	1,287	1,331
Financial expenses				
Interest expense to parent company	252	345	252	345
Currency adjustments	712	1,072	0	0
Other financial expenses	7,899	6,870	3,838	3,701
	8,863	8,287	4,090	4,046
7 Tax on profit/loss for the year				
Computed tax on the taxable income for the year	-2,315	-2,424	0	0
Adjustments of deferred tax for the year	1,548	1,277	760	474
Adjustment of prior-year taxes	0	0	0	0
Adjustment of equity movements	-677	-161	0	0
	-1,444	-1,308	760	474
(-= costs)				



#### **Notes**

## 8 Intangible assets

	Group			
	Incomplete	Completed		
	development	development	Software	
tDKK	projects	projects	etc.	
Cost at 1 July 2021	0	3,376	5,256	
Foreign exchange adjustments	0	0	25	
Additions	482	653	170	
Cost at 30 June 2022	482	4,029	5,451	
Amortisation and impairment losses at 1 July 2021	0	1,519	3,972	
Foreign exchange adjustments	0	0	5	
Amortisation	0	707	503	
Amortisation and impairment losses at 30 June 2022	0	2,226	4,480	
Carrying amount at 30 June 2022	482	1,803	971	

#### **Development projects**

Development projects consist of small and large projects in the Vega Groups different businuess units. Development projects mainly consist of the following:

- Development of new products
- Development of new packing materials
- Development of systems to support the business

The development of new products is to ensure that the Vega Group maintains the innovative progress and are the first in the market with innovative products. The main purpose is to further improve and add value to products to secure larger profits.

The development of new packing material is to ensure new and development of already claimed markets. This part is developing convinient products for the consumer.

The development of systems will help the group reduce their cost.

All of the projects are described and mapped, before they are initiated. This ensures that Vega has the ability to easier follow-up and measure the projects. We asses via impairment test, whether or not a projects value can be justified and recognized.

The yearly impairment test of the individual projects is based on the expected cashflow discounted with a WACC after tax of 13% for incomplete projects and 13% for finished projects. An increase of the WACC of 1% will reduce the discounted value of the projects cashflow, but shows no indication of a need for writedowns.



## Notes

## 9 Property, plant and equipment

		V			
tDKK	Land and buildings	Plant and machinery	Fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment	Leasehold improve- ments	Assets under construction
LDKK					
Cost at 1 July 2021	143,006	119,554	10,134	301	23,075
Foreign exchange adjustments	58	47	16	0	10
Transfer	0	-468	0	0	468
Additions	64	4,926	945	0	3,893
Disposals	0	-1,738	-417	0	0
Cost at 30 June 2022	143,128	122,321	10,678	301	27,446
Depreciation and impairment losses at 1 July 2021	46,128	78,268	7,243	281	0
Foreign exchange adjustments	18	31	-37	0	0
Depreciation	5,804	8,231	1,209	20	223
Reversal of accumulated depreciation and impairment losses on assets sold	0	-195	-417	0	0
Depreciation and impairment losses at 30 June 2022	51,950	86,335	7,998	301	223
Carrying amount at 30 June 2022	91,178	35,986	2,680	0	27,223
Carrying amount at 30 June 2022 of leased assets.	0	1,364	0	0	0

## 10 Investments

	Group
	Other
tDKK	securities
Cost at 1 July 2021	35
Cost at 30 June 2022	35
Carrying amount at 30 June 2022	35



## Notes

## 10 Investments(continued)

10 investments(continued)				Pare	nt
tDKK				Investments in group entities	Other securities
Cost at 1 July 2021				88,503	35
Cost at 30 June 2022				88,503	35
					0
Revaluations at 1 July 2021				-3,350 86	0
Foreign exchange adjustments, etc.  Profit/loss for the year				5,317	0
Value adjustments of hedging instruments bef	fore tax			-2,404	0
Tax of hedging	ore tax			677	0
Revaluations at 30 June 2022				326	0
					. 35
Carrying amount at 30 June 2022				88,829	, 35
Subsidiaries		Capital	Registered	d office Own	ership interest
Vega Salmon A/S	DKK	500,000	Kolding, Denmark		100.00%
Vega Salmon Deutschland Holding GmbH	EUR	25,000	Handewitt, Germany		100.00%
Vega Salmon GmbH	EUR	1,000,000	Handewitt, Germany		100.00%
Vega Salmon Vertrieb GmbH	EUR	25,000	Handewitt, Germany		100.00%
Vega Salmon Gebäude GmbH	EUR	200,000	Handewitt, Germany		100.00%
Vega Salmon Verkauf UG	EUR	10,000	Handewitt, Germany		100.00%
Vega Salmon Italia S.R.L.	EUR	10,000	Spoleto, Italia		100.00%
See also group chart on page 6.					
		Grou	р	Pare	nt
tDKK		2021/22	2020/21	2021/22	2020/21
11 Deferred tax assets					
Deferred tax at 1 July		12,431	11,154	1,726	1,252
Adjustments for the year		1,548	1,277	760	474
Deferred tax at 30 June		13,979	12,431	2,486	1,726
Deferred tax relates to:				*	
Intangible assets and property, plant and equi	pment	163	558	0	0
Non-fixed assets		212	212	0	0
Financial instruments held to hedge future car	sh flows	817	140	0	0
Tax losses carried forward		12,787	11,521	2,486	1,726
		13,979	12,431	2,486	1,726



#### **Notes**

	Gre	oup	Parent		
tDKK	2021/22	2020/21	2021/22	2020/21	
11 Deferred tax assets (continued)  Deferred tax is recognised in the balance sheet as follows:					
Deferred tax assets	13,979	12,431	2,486	1,726	
	13,979	12,431	2,486	1,726	

## Comments on deferred tax

Deferred tax assets can be attributed to tax loss carryforwards, fixed assets, current assets and liabilities. A deferred tax asset of 13.979 tDKK is recognized in the balance of 2022, a large part of the is related to the tax loss carryforwards for the jointly taxed Danish Group. Based on expected positive earnings in future budgets, it is estimated that the tax loss carryforwards will be utilized within a period of 4-5 years, with the uncertainty that is associated with budgets. The budget includes an expectation of increased earning levels compared with 2021/22, for 2022/23 the Ebitda is expected to be 42 mDKK and expected to increase to 50 mDKK for the following 4 years.

## 12 Prepayments

#### Group

Prepayments comprise costs incurred concerning subsequent financial years.

## 13 Share capital

The share capital comprises:		
tDKK	2021/22	2020/21
24.588.100 pcs. at a nominal amount of DKK 1.00	24,588	24,588

The share capital has not changed in 2021/22. In 2019/20, there was a capital increase of 3,350 tDKK, in 2018/19, there was a capital increase of 92 tDKK and in 2016/17 of 1,146 tDKK.

There are 21,238,100 A-shares and 3,350,000 B-shares. B-shares have an advance dividend right of 34.3 mDKK with the addition of interest of 8% pro anno.

## Warrants

In 2016/17, an agreement was reached on a warrant programme, which is issued to the benefit of the Board of Directors and the Executive Board as well as other key employees. In the financial year 2016/17, 3,353,479 warrants were issued with different hurdle rates from 4-14% and a subscription price of 6.25 per share. In the financial year 2017/18, 138,750 warrants were issued with hurdle rates of 12% and a subscription price of 7.5 per share. In the financial year 2018/19, 405,150 warrants were repealed or sold back from key employees at the time of leaving the Vega Group. Warrants give the right to subscribe for one share per warrant. No warrants were issued in 2019/20 or 2020/21. The warrants must be exercised by 31 August 2021 at the latest. In 2021/22, no warrants was issued or used, and no extension was given, therefore the warrants have expired.



## **Notes**

## 14 Non-current liabilities other than provisions

	Group				
tDKK	Liabilities 30 June 2022	Due within 1 year	Non-current portion	Due after 5 years	
Payables to banking institutions	42,000	42,000	0	0	
Lease commitments	1,265	268	997	0	
Other payables	1,484	0	1,484	1,484	
	44,749	42,268	2,481	1,484	
Deferred income	16,588	1,089	15,499	11,150	
	61,337	43,357	17,980	12,634	

## 15 Deferred income

## Group

Deferred income, recognised under "Liabilities", 15,499 tDKK (2020/21: 15,206 tDKK) consists of accrued EU grants for capital expenditure, which are recognised as other income as the fixed assets are depreciated.

## 16 Subordinated loan from parent

The group has received a subordinate loan from their parent company, MIE4 Holding 1 ApS, of 6.000 tDKK, where interest has accumulated to 252 tDKK at 30 June 2022. The loan has been extended after the balance sheet date 30 June 2022 and expires 30 September 2023 without further notice. The interest rate is fixed at 5% p.a.

## 17 Appropriation of profit/loss

	Par	ent
tDKK	2021/22	2020/21
Proposed distribution of profit/loss		
Reserve for net revaluation according to the equity method	5,317	2,067
Retained earnings	-2,695	-3,041
	2,622	-974



#### **Notes**

#### 18 Collateral

### Group

A company charge of 60,000 tDKK has been provided as collateral for payables to banking institutions secured on operating equipment, goodwill, plant and machinery, inventories and trade receivables. Furthermore, plant and machinery and rolling stock (except for leased assets) in subsidiary in Germany have been provided as security. The carrying amount of the assets provided as security totalled 143 mDKK at 30 June 2022 (30 June 2021: 100 mDKK).

Land and buildings as well as machines and operating equipment have been provided as collateral for mortgage credit institutions and payables to banking institutions. The carrying amount of mortgaged land and buildings as well as machines and operating equipment totalled 157 mDKK at 30 June 2022 (30 June 2021: 164 mDKK).

Furthermore, the Group has provided a negative pledge to banking institutions.

#### Parent

The Company has guaranteed the subsidiaries' payables to banking institutions, which include the following companies:

Vega Salmon A/S Vega Salmon GmbH Vega Salmon Gebäude GmbH Vega Salmon Vertrieb GmbH

At 30 June 2022, liabilities totalled 8.8 mDKK (30 June 2021: 8.8 mDKK).

Shares in Vega Salmon A/S have also been provided as security for credit facilities. Furthermore, the Company has provided a negative pledge to banking institutions

The Company has guaranteed the subsidiaries facility of sale of debtors to the banking institutions of up to 100 mDKK regarding any unqualified transferred receivables and 10% advance payment on transferred receivables. At 30 June 2022, transferred unpaid receivables amounted to 85 mDKK (2020/21: 54 mDKK), while the advance payment is recognized as a receivable from sales and other payables, respectively, and amounted to 8,5 mDKK (2020/21: 5,4 mDKK). Management does not consider that any unqualified receivables have been transferred, and in the period after, all transferred receivables has been paid.

The Company has provided a comfort letter to Vega Salmon A/S in respect of providing sufficient liquidity to perform budgeted activities for 2022/23.

### 19 Contractual obligations and contingencies, etc.

### Other financial liabilities

### Group

The Group has entered into lease agreements with a lease payment totalling 907 tDKK during the next year (2020/21: 1.046 tDKK). The residual lease obligation totalled 1.378 tDKK at 30 June 2022 (2020/21: 1.324 tDKK).

## Parent

The Company is jointly taxed with MIE4 Holding 1 ApS and as of 1 April 2016, the Company and Danish subsidiary hold secondary liability for 94.7% (2020/21: 94.7%) of Danish income taxes and withholding taxes, etc. within the joint taxation unit. The jointly taxed entities' total known net liabilities towards the Central Tax Administration are disclosed in the parent company financial statements. Any subsequent corrections of the joint taxation income may entail that the Company's liability will increase.



#### **Notes**

## 20 Foreign currency and interest rate risks and use of derivative financial instruments

The Group uses hedging instruments such as forward exchange contracts and interest and currency swaps to hedge recognised and non-recognised transactions.

## **Forecast transactions**

The Group uses forward exchange contracts to hedge expected currency risks relating to sale and purchase of goods in the coming year:

				Gains and loss	es recogniseu
		Contractual value		in equity	after tax
tDKK	Period	2021/22	2020/21	2021/22	2020/21
Forward exchange contracts/swaps	0-12 months	75,650	24,074	-2,970	-571

The Group has signed contracts with Fish Pool for physical supply of salmon for the financial year 2022/23 of 109.8 mDKK (2020/21:  $40.3 \, \text{mDKK}$ ). The market value of the contracts as per 30 June 2022 is  $4.3 \, \text{mDKK}$  (2020/21:  $1.6 \, \text{mDKK}$ ).

#### Interest rate risks

The Group uses interest rate swaps to hedge interest rate risks, whereby floating interest payments are rescheduled into fixed interest payments.

		2021/22				2020	0/21	
	-		Value				Value	
			adjust-				adjust-	
			ment				ment	
			recogni-	Term to			recogni-	Term to
	Notional	Fair	sed in	maturity	Notional	Fair	sed in	maturity
tDKK	principal	value	equity	months	principal	value	equity	months
Interest rate swaps, EUR	28,935	-124	0	3	34,860	-795	0	15

The cash flows are expected to be realised and will affect results of operations over the term to maturity of the interest rate swap. The interest rate swap does not qualify for hedge accounting.



## **Notes**

## 21 Related parties

Vega Sea A/S' related parties comprise the following:

#### Control

Maj Invest Equity 4 K/S via MIE4 Holding 1 ApS (94,7%).

The group report for the parent company can be found via https://datacvr.virk.dk/enhed/virksomhed/4001883669

## Related party transactions

	Group		Parent	
tDKK	2021/22	2020/21	2021/22	2020/21
Interest income from group entities	0	0	1,264	1,144
Interest expense to parent	252	345	252	345
Receivables from group entities	0	0	49,854	30,819
Receivables from parent	1,255	0	175	0
Subordinated loan from parent	6,252	0	6,252	0

Remuneration/fees to members of the Executive Board and the Board of Directors of the parent company are reflected in note 5.

## 22 Other

## Fees to the Company's auditor appointed by the general meeting

	Group	
tDKK	2021/22	2020/21
Total fees to EY:		
Fee for statutory audit	340	324
Tax assistance	149	184
Assurance engagements	38	125
Non-audit services	0	219
	527	852

### **Parent**

 $\label{prop:company} \mbox{Auditor's fee regarding parent company is included in the fee information for the Group.}$ 

## 23 Events after the balance sheet date

After the balance sheet date no significant events have occured which affect the assessment of the Company or Group's financial positions at 30 June 2022.



Appendix A

#### Management positions of the Board of Directors and the Executive Board

Vega Sea A/S' Board of Directors' and Executive Board's management positions in other companies are described below:

## The Board of Directors

Søren Bach, Chairman (joined the Board of Directors in Vega Sea in 2016)

Chairman, Message A/S, appointed in 2015

Chairman, EC MES HOLDING ApS, appointed in 2015

Chairman, MH55 ApS, appointed in 2015

Chairman, Vega Salmon A/S, appointed in 2016

Chairman, SkyBrands Holding A/S, appointed in 2021

Chairman, SkyBrands A/S, appointed in 2021

CEO, Urbach ApS, appointed in 1975

CEO, Bach Dental Holding ApS, appointed in 2017

Member of the Board of Directors and CEO, Holdingselskabet Oris Tandlægerne A/S and 2 wholly-owned subsidiaries, appointed in 2017

Per Høholt, Member of the Board of Directors (joined the Board of Directors in Vega Sea in 2013)

Member of the Board of Directors, Oreco A/S, appointed in 2015

Member of the Board of Directors, Vega Salmon A/S, appointed in 2016

CEO, MIE4 Holding 1 ApS, appointed in 2017

Chairman, Fonden LDE 3 GP, appointed in 2018

CEO and Member of the Board of Directors, MIE5 Datterholding 6 ApS, appointed in 2018

CEO, LDETRE Holding 9 ApS, appointed in 2018

Member of the Board of Directors, GOOD FOOD GROUP A/S, appointed in 2019

CEO, Sole ApS, appointed in 2021

Torben Svejgård, Member of the Board of Directors (joined the Board of Directors in Vega Sea in 2016)

Member of the Advisory Board, BHJ Food & Petfood, appointed in 2015

Chairman, DCH International A/S, appointed in 2016, member of the board since 2015

Member of the Board of Directors, Convert A/S, appointed in 2018

Member of the Board of Directors, TRIPLENINE GROUP A/S, appointed in 2016

Member of the Advisory Board, Aquaticode, appointed in 2019

Member of the Board of directors, Golden Springs Group, appointed in 2020

Member of the Board of directors, Regal Springs Group, appointed in 2021

Henning Kruse Lorentzen, Member of the Board of Directors (joined the Board of Directors in Vega Sea in 2012)

Member of the Board of Directors, BPI A/S, appointed in 2018

Member of the Board of Directors, GOOD FOOD GROUP A/S, appointed in 2019

Member of the Board of Directors, MIE5 Datterholding 6 ApS, appointed in 2019

Member of the Board of Directors, DSHWOOD A/S, appointed in 2020

Søren Holm Tøth, Member of the Board of Directors (joined the Board of Directors in Vega Sea in 2022)

CEO, MIE4 Holding 1 ApS, appointed in 2014

CEO, MIE5 Holding 6 ApS, appointed in 2018

CEO, Karoots ApS, appointed in 2021

CEO, MIE5 Holding 11 ApS, appointed in 2021

Member of the Board of Directors, GOOD FOOD GROUP A/S, appointed in 2022

Member of the Board of Directors, MIE5 Datterholding 6 ApS, appointed in 2022



Appendix A

Management positions of the Board of Directors and the Executive Board (Continued)

## The Executive Board

Jakob Graasbøll Enemark, CEO, appointed in 2020 CEO and member of the Board of Directors, Vega Salmon A/S, appointed in 2020 CEO, Sestri Invest ApS, appointed in 2017

Maj Invest Equity 4 K/S has appointed all members of the Board of Directors.

The Board of Directors and Executive Board possesses directly and indirectly 3.9% of the share capital in Vega Sea A/S.