

SkyBrands Holding A/S

Roskildevej 6, 7100 Vejle CVR no. 36 71 53 24

Annual report for 2022

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Group information etc.

The company

SkyBrands Holding A/S Roskildevej 6 7100 Vejle

Registered office: Vejle CVR no.: 36 71 53 24 Financial year: 01.01 - 31.12

Executive Board

Thomas Larsen Michael Beck

Board of Directors

Søren Bach, chairman Hans Nielsen Stig Løkke Pedersen

Auditors

Beierholm

 ${\tt Statsautoriseret\ Revisions partnersels kab}$



SkyBrands Holding A/S

Statement by the Executive Board and Board of Directors on the annual report

We have on this day presented the annual report for the financial year 01.01.22 - 31.12.22 for SkyBrands Holding A/S.

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

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements and financial statements give a true and fair view of the group's and the parent's assets, liabilities and financial position as at 31.12.22 and of the results of the group's and parent's activities and of the group's cash flows for the financial year 01.01.22 - 31.12.22.

We believe that the management's review includes a fair review of the matters dealt with in the management's review.

The annual report is submitted for adoption by the general meeting.

Vejle, March 7, 2023

Executive Board

Thomas Larsen Michael Beck

Board of Directors

Søren Bach Hans Nielsen Stig Løkke Pedersen

Chairman



To the Shareholders of SkyBrands Holding A/S

Opinion

We have audited the consolidated financial statements and parent company financial statements of SkyBrands Holding A/S for the financial year 01.01.22 - 31.12.22, which comprise the income statement, balance sheet, statement of changes in equity and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies for the group as well as for the parent company as well as the consolidated cash flow statement. The consolidated financial statements and parent company financial statements are prepared in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act (Årsregnskabsloven).

In our opinion the consolidated financial statements and parent company financial statements give a true and fair view of the group's and the parent company's assets, liabilities and financial position at 31.12.22 and of the results of the group's and the parent company's operations and the consolidated cash flows for the financial year 01.01.22 - 31.12.22 in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act (Årsregnskabsloven).

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing and the additional requirements applicable in Denmark. Our responsibilities under those standards and requirements are further described in the "Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the consolidated financial statements and parent company financial statements" section of our report. We are independent of the group and 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. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Statement regarding the management's review

Management is responsible for management's review.

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

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



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

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

Management's responsibility for the consolidated financial statements and parent company financial statements

The 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. Furthermore the Management is responsible for the internal control as the Management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements and parent company financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements and parent company 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 consolidated financial statements and parent company financial statements unless management either intends to liquidate the group and the company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

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

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements and parent company 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 International Standards on Auditing and the additional requirements applicable in Denmark will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these consolidated financial statements and parent company financial statements.

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

• Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements and



parent company 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 consolidated financial statements and parent company 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 consolidated financial statements and parent company 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 company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and contents of the consolidated financial statements
 and parent company financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated
 financial statements and parent company 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 per-formance of the group audit.
 We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.



Independent auditor's report

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.

Aarhus, March 7, 2023

Beierholm

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GROUPS FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Key figures

Figures in DKK '000	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Profit/loss					
Operating profit/loss	8,853	-102,026	-8,936	-9,510	-2,837
Total net financials	-1,067	30,897	-2,926	-2,653	-1,097
Profit/loss for the year	5,376	-71,809	-11,941	-12,119	-5,107
Balance					
Total assets	101,984	108,127	181,991	194,783	216,380
Investments in property, plant and equipment	0	79	69	141	49
Equity	49,197	42,920	101,024	113,772	129,862



Management's review

Ratios						
	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	
Profitability						
Return on equity	12%	-100%	-12%	-10%	-4%	
Equity ratio						
Solvency ratio	48%	40%	56%	58%	60%	
Liquidity and financing						
Liquidity ratio	149%	96%	70%	68%	70%	
Others						
Number of employees (average)	25	22	23	22	22	
Ratios definitions						
Return on equity:	Profit/loss for the year x 100 Average equity					
Solvency ratio:	Equity, end of year x 100 Total assets					
Liquidity ratio:		Curre	nt assets x term payak			



Primary activities

The main business of the Group relates to commercial activities in branded home and apparel textile products. The Group designs, produces (through sub-suppliers) and sells branded home and apparel textile products, where brands are licensed from brand-owners such as Warner Bros or Universal.

Development in activities and financial affairs

The income statement for the period 01.01.22 - 31.12.22 shows a profit/loss of DKK 5,376k against DKK -71,809k for the period 01.01.21 - 31.12.21. The balance sheet shows equity of DKK 49,197k.

The Group reached an operating profit of DKK'000 8,820 against a loss of DK'000 -102,026 in 2021, which is a result of a growth in both the revenue and general margin. The turnaround was successfully achieved. The result must be seen in the light of the challenges the Group experienced throughout the year with delays in the supply chain, high freight costs and raising US dollars rates. With focus on profitable business and gaining the full potential out of a new established business collaboration, the Group reached a very satisfying result, which is better than expected.

After a very challenging 2021, non-profitable business models were dropped in the German part of the Group, resulting in a satisfying profit for 2022. The income statement for the subsidiary SkyBrands GmbH's shows a profit of DKK'000 1,476 against a loss in 2021 of DKK'000 -7,882.

Outlook

After a successfully turnaround, the management continues together with the employees, developing the business model for the Group. In 2023, workflows will be review for improvements and digital solutions will be implemented to optimize the processes.

The war in Ukraine, recession and energy crisis has affected the buying behaviour among consumers resulting in a reluctant purchasing strategy from the retailers. This will affect the result of 2023, but with constantly business model improvements as an answer to the challenges, The Group has succeeded in closing orders with new customers and a new range of products. Going into 2023 with a strong order backlog for 2023 the group expects to reach a profit before tax in the range of DKK'000 1,000 – 3,000 the coming year.



Financial risks

Foreign currency risks

SkyBrands has sales operations across Europe, procurement across Europe and Asia, and reports and pays royalties to brand-owners quarterly. SkyBrands purchases mainly in USD and reports and pays royalties in USD and EUR, while sales is typically in DKK, USD or EUR. This exposes the Group to the risk of currency fluctuations. The Group operates under a defined financial policy, which includes a policy on currency, to manage any currency-related risks. This is primarily effectuated through the use of financial instruments to cover all expected turnover, procurement and royalty cash flows the coming 12 months at any given point in time. The Group does not speculate in currency fluctuations.

Subsequent events

No important events have occurred after the end of the financial year.

Treasury shares

Treasury shares consist of:

	Purchase- /salesprice DKK'000	Quantity	Total nominal value DKK'000	Percent of capital
Holding of treasury shares as at 01.01.22 Disposals for the year	0	500,000 -500,000	500,000 -500,000	10% -10%
Holding of treasury shares as at 31.12.22		0	0	0%

The disposals of treasury shares have been made to adjust the ownership including employee shares.



	_	Group		Parent	
Note		2022 DKK '000	2021 DKK '000	2022 DKK '000	2021 DKK '000
	Gross result	29,698	11,577	-64	-95
1	Staff costs	-17,031	-16,053	0	0
	Profit/loss before depreciation, amortisation, write-downs and impairment losses	12,667	-4,476	-64	-95
	Depreciation, amortisation and impairments losses of intangible assets and property, plant and equipment	-3,814	-97,550	0	0
	Operating profit/loss	8,853	-102,026	-64	-95
2	Income from equity investments in group enterprises Financial income	0 545	0 33,910	5,493 0	-103,261 33,407
3	Financial expenses	-1,612	-3,013	-86	-1,335
	Profit/loss before tax	7,786	-71,129	5,343	-71,284
	Tax on profit or loss for the year	-2,410	-680	33	0
	Profit/loss for the year	5,376	-71,809	5,376	-71,284

⁴ Proposed appropriation account



ASSETS

_	Group		Parent	
	31.12.22 DKK '000	31.12.21 DKK '000	31.12.22 DKK '000	31.12.21 DKK '000
Goodwill	46,120	49,833	0	0
Development projects in progress	91	0	0	0
Total intangible assets	46,211	49,833	0	0
Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment	175	275	0	0
Total property, plant and equipment	175	275	0	0
Equity investments in group enterprises	0	0	51,024	46,200
Deposits	424	412	0	0
Other receivables	4	4	0	0
Total investments	428	416	51,024	46,200
Total non-current assets	46,814	50,524	51,024	46,200
Manufactured goods and goods for resale	16,931	25,193	0	0
Total inventories	16,931	25,193	0	0
Trade receivables	22,671	28,328	0	0
Receivables from group enterprises	2,111	0	2,111	0
Deferred tax asset	0	31 0	0	0
Income tax receivable Other receivables	24 378	1,782	0	0
Prepayments	1,471	571	0	0
Total receivables	26,655	30,712	2,111	0
Cash	11,584	1,698	17	3
Total current assets	55,170	57,603	2,128	3



EQUITY AND LIABILITIES

	Group		Parent		
	31.12.22 DKK '000	31.12.21 DKK '000	31.12.22 DKK '000	31.12.21 DKK '000	
Chara ganital	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	
Share capital Reserve for development costs	5,000 71	5,000	5,000	5,000	
Foreign currency translation reserve	-2	-1	0	0	
Cash flow hedging reserve	-498	170	0	0	
Retained earnings	44,626	37,751	44,197	37,920	
Total equity	49,197	42,920	49,197	42,920	
Provisions for deferred tax	97	0	0	0	
Other provisions	845	4,464	0	0	
Total provisions	942	4,464	0	0	
Payables to other credit institutions	14,000	0	0	0	
Other payables	686	662	0	0	
Total long-term payables	14,686	662	0	0	
Short-term part of long-term payables	1,000	0	0	0	
Payables to other credit institutions	109	35,855	0	2,250	
Trade payables	26,173	19,406	53	85	
Payables to group enterprises	0	0	56	61	
Income taxes	4,252	923	2,141	0	
Other payables	5,625	3,897	1,705	887 	
Total short-term payables	37,159	60,081	3,955	3,283	
Total payables	51,845	60,743	3,955	3,283	
Total equity and liabilities	101,984	108,127	53,152	46,203	

¹⁴ Fair value information



¹⁵ Derivative financial instruments

¹⁶ Contingent liabilities

¹⁷ Charges and security

¹⁸ Related parties

Figures in DKK '000	Share capital	Foreign currency translation reserve	Cash flow hedging reserve	Retained earnings	Total equity
Group:					
Statement of changes in equity for 01.01.22 - 31.12.22					
Balance as at 01.01.22 Foreign currency translation adjustment of foreign	5,000	-1	170	37,751	42,920
enterprises Fair value adjustment of	0	-1	0	0	-1
hedging instruments	0	0	-856	0	-856
Sale of treasury shares	0	0	0	1,570	1,570
Tax on changes in equity	0	0	188	0	188
Transfers to/from other			_		_
reserves	0	0	0	-71	0
Net profit/loss for the year	0	0	0	5,376	5,376
Balance as at 31.12.22	5,000	-2	-498	44,626	49,197
Parent:					
Statement of changes in equity for 01.01.22 - 31.12.22					
Balance as at 01.01.22	5,000	0	0	37,920	42,920
Sale of treasury shares	0	0	0	1,570	1,570
Other changes in equity	0	0	0	-856	-856
Tax on changes in equity Transfers to/from other	0	0	0	188	188
reserves	0	0	0	-1	-1
Net profit/loss for the year	0	0	0	5,376	5,376
Balance as at 31.12.22	5,000	0	0	44,197	49,197



Consolidated cash flow statement

	Group	
	2022 DKK '000	2021 DKK '000
Profit/loss for the year	5,376	-71,809
Adjustments	8,155	67,269
Change in working capital:		
Inventories	8,262	-11,548
Receivables	848	-5,747
Trade payables Other payables relating to operating activities	6,767 1,753	1,542 928
Cash flows from operating activities before net financials	31,161	-19,365
	-	
Interest income and similar income received	545	46
Interest expenses and similar expenses paid	-1,612	-3,013
Income tax paid	-941	141
Cash flows from operating activities	29,153	-22,191
Purchase of intangible assets	-91	0
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	0	-79
Sale of property, plant and equipment	0	87
Cash flows from investing activities	-91	8
Sale of treasury shares	1,570	0
Raising of additional capital	0	12,750
Arrangement of payables to credit institutions	15,000	33,864
Repayment of payables to credit institutions	-35,746	-19,770
Repayment of other long-term payables	0	-3,295
Cash flows from financing activities	-19,176	23,549
Total cash flows for the year	9,886	1,366
Cash, beginning of year	1,698	332
Cash, end of year	11,584	1,698
Cash, end of year, comprises:		
Cash	11,584	1,698
Total	11,584	1,698



_	Group		Pa	rent
	2022 DKK '000	2021 DKK '000	2022 DKK '000	2021 DKK '000
1. Staff costs				
Wages and salaries	16,151	15,096	0	0
Pensions	469	347	0	0
Other social security costs	140	125	0	0
Other staff costs	271	485	0	0
Total	17,031	16,053	0	0
Average number of employees during the				
year	25	22	0	0

2. Income from equity investments in group enterprises

Share of profit or loss of group enterprises	0	0	9,207	-5,806
Impairment losses on goodwill	0	0	0	-91,029
Amortisation of goodwill	0	0	-3,714	-6,426
Total	0	0	5,493	-103,261

3. Financial expenses

Interest, group enterprises	0	0	5	528
Other financial expenses	1,612	3,013	81	807
Total	1,612	3,013	86	1,335

4. Proposed appropriation account

Non-controlling interests	0	-525	0	0
Retained earnings	5,376	-71,284	5,376	-71,284
Total	5,376	-71,809	5,376	-71,284



5. Intangible assets

		Development projects in
Figures in DKK '000	Goodwill	progress
Group:		
Cost as at 01.01.22	204,373	0
Additions during the year	0	91
Cost as at 31.12.22	204,373	91
Amortisation and impairment losses as at 01.01.22	-154,539	0
Amortisation during the year	-3,714	0
Amortisation and impairment losses as at 31.12.22	-158,253	0
Carrying amount as at 31.12.22	46,120	91

The company has started developing and implementing a new ERP/IT setup to ensure a better and more efficient process flow. The investment will provide the basis for future growth.

6. Property, plant and equipment

Figures in DKK '000	Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment
Group:	
Group.	
Cost as at 01.01.22	1,833
Cost as at 31.12.22	1,833
Depreciation and impairment losses as at 01.01.22 Depreciation during the year	-1,558 -100
Depreciation and impairment losses as at 31.12.22	-1,658
Carrying amount as at 31.12.22	175



7. Equity investments in group enterprises

	Equity invest-
Figures in DKK '000	ments in group enterprises
Parent:	
Cost as at 01.01.22	229,765
Cost as at 31.12.22	229,765
Depreciation and impairment losses as at 01.01.22	-183,565
Foreign currency translation adjustment of foreign enterprises Amortisation of goodwill	-1 -3,714
Net profit/loss from equity investments	9,207
Fair value adjustment of hedging instruments	-668
Depreciation and impairment losses as at 31.12.22	-178,741
Carrying amount as at 31.12.22	51,024
Name and registered office:	Ownership interest
Subsidiaries:	
Skybrands A/S, Vejle	100%
Skybrands GmbH, Tyskland	100%

8. Other non-current financial assets

Figures in DKK '000	Deposits	Other receivables
Group:		
Cost as at 01.01.22 Additions during the year	412 12	4 0
Cost as at 31.12.22	424	4
Carrying amount as at 31.12.22	424	4



	Gı	oup	Pa	rent
	31.12.22 DKK '000	31.12.21 DKK '000	31.12.22 DKK '000	31.12.21 DKK '000
9. Prepayments				
Other prepayments	1,471	571	0	0
Total	1,471	571	0	0

Prepayments consist of prepaid expenses concerning insurance premiums, subscriptions and royalties.

10. Share capital

The share capital consists of:

	Quantity	Total nominal value DKK'000
Share capital	5,000,000	5,000



	Group		Group Pare	
	31.12.22 DKK '000	31.12.21 DKK '000	31.12.22 DKK '000	31.12.21 DKK '000
11. Deferred tax				
Deferred tax as at 01.01.22	66	78	0	0
Deferred tax recognised in the income statement	128	-109	0	0
Deferred tax as at 31.12.22	194	-31	0	0
Deferred tax is recognized in the balance sheet as:				
Deferred tax asset	0	-31	0	0
Deferred tax is distributed as below:				
Property, plant and equipment Receivables Liabilities	-3 120 -20	-22 6 -15	0 0 0	0 0 0
Total	97	-31	0	0

12. Other provisions

Figures in DKK '000	Other provisions
Group:	
Provisions as at 01.01.22 Reversed provision in respect of previous years	4,464 -3,619
Provisions as at 31.12.22	845



	Gi	roup	Pa	rent
	31.12.22 DKK '000	31.12.21 DKK '000	31.12.22 DKK '000	31.12.21 DKK '000
12. Other provisions - continued -				
Other provisions are expected to be distributed as follows:				
Current liabilities	845	4,464	0	0

Other provisions consist of provision for returns of sold goods.

13. Long-term payables

Figures in DKK '000	Repayment first year	Outstanding debt after 5 years	Total payables at 31.12.22	Total payables at 31.12.21
Group:				
Payables to credit institutions Other payables	1,000 0	4,500 686	15,000 686	0 662
Total	1,000	5,186	15,686	662

14. Fair value information

	Derivative financial	
Figures in DKK '000	instruments	Total
Group:		
Fair value as at 31.12.22	-639	-639
Unrealised changes of fair value recognised in equity for the year	-639	-639



15. Derivative financial instruments

Group:

The Board of Directors lays down the framework for the conclusion of contracts for derivative financial instruments. The company concludes contracts for the sole purpose of hedging the currency risk on the future purchase and sale of goods in foreign currency. At the end of a 2022, a future purchase of goods of USD 2,290k and a future sale of goods of EUR 2,076k was secured for a period of up to 213 days. The fair value of the forward exchange contracts amounts to DKK -639k as at 31.12.22, and the unrealised net loss before tax recognised in equity as at 31.12.22 constitutes DKK 856k. Forward exchange contracts are only concluded with counterparties (Danish banks) with a good credit score from a reputable credit rating agency.

16. Contingent liabilities

Group:

Lease commitments

The group has concluded lease agreements with terms to maturity of up to 48 months and total lease payments of DKK 2,771k.

Guarantee commitments

The group has provided a guarantee of EUR 100k to foreign supplier of goods. The guarantees are provided as import letter of credit through creditinstitution.

Parent:

Recourse guarantee commitments

The company has provided a guarantee for group enterprises' debt to credit institutions. The guarantee is unlimited. The group enterprises' debt to the credit institutions concerned amounts to DKK 15.071k at the balance sheet date.

Other contingent liabilities

The company is taxed jointly with the other Danish companies in the group and has joint, several and unlimited liability for income taxes and any obligations to withhold tax at source on interest, royalties and dividends for the jointly taxed companies. The liability also includes any subsequent corrections to the calculated tax liability as a consequence of changes made to the jointly taxable income etc.



17. Charges and security

Group:

The group has provided a company charge of DKK 10,000k as security for debt to credit institutions. As at 31.12.22, the company charge comprises the following assets with the following carrying amounts:

- Other plant, fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment, DKK 85k
- Inventories, DKK 5,625k
- Trade receivables, DKK 15,120k

Parent:

The company has provided a charge over shares in Skybrands A/S, nominal value DKK 1,000k, and a charge over shares in Skybrands GmbH, nominal DKK 500k, as security for debt do credit institutions. At the balance sheet date, the debt to credit institutions amounts to DKK 0. The carrying amount of the charged assets totals DKK 51,024k.

The same shares in Skybrands A/S and Skybrands GmbH has also been charged as security for subsidiary enterprises debts do credit institutions. At the balance sheet date, debts to credit institutions in subsidiaries amounts to DKK 15,071k.

18. Related parties

Related party transactions are not disclosed, as all transactions are entered into in the ordinary course of business at arms' length.

19. Adjustments for the cash flow statement

Total	8,155	67,269
Other adjustments	845	0
Tax on profit or loss for the year	2,410	680
Financial expenses	1,612	3,013
Financial income	-545	-33,910
Write-down of current assets exceeding normal write-downs	19	7
and property, plant and equipment	3,814	97,550
Depreciation, amortisation and impairments losses of intangible assets		
Other operating income	0	-71



20. Accounting policies

GENERAL

The annual report is presented in accordance with the provisions of the Danish Financial Statements Act for medium-sized groups and enterprises in reporting class C with application of provisions for a higher reporting class.

The accounting policies have been applied consistently with previous years.

Basis of recognition and measurement

Income is recognised in the income statement as earned, including value adjustments of financial assets and liabilities. All expenses, including depreciation, amortisation, impairment losses and writedowns, are also recognised in the income statement.

Assets are recognised in the balance sheet when it is probable that future economic benefits will flow to the company, and the value of such assets can be measured reliably. Liabilities are recognised in the balance sheet when it is probable that future economic benefits will flow from the company, and the value of such liabilities can be measured reliably. On initial recognition, assets and liabilities are measured at cost. Subsequently, assets and liabilities are measured as described for each item below.

On recognition and measurement, account is taken of foreseeable losses and risks arising before the date at which the annual report is presented and proving or disproving matters arising on or before the balance sheet date.

CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The consolidated financial statements comprise the parent and its subsidiaries in which the parent directly or indirectly holds more than 50% of the voting rights or by way of agreements exercises control.

All financial statements used for consolidation are prepared in accordance with the accounting policies of the group.

The consolidated financial statements consolidate the financial statements of the parent and its subsidiaries by adding together items of a uniform nature, eliminating intercompany income and expenditure, equity investments, intercompany balances and dividends as well as gains and losses resulting from transactions between the consolidated enterprises to the extent that the underlying assets and liabilities are not realised.



CURRENCY

The annual report is presented in Danish kroner (DKK).

On initial recognition, transactions denominated in foreign currencies are translated using the exchange rates applicable at the transaction date. Exchange rate differences between the exchange rate applicable at the transaction date and the exchange rate at the date of payment are recognised in the income statement as a financial item. Receivables, payables and other monetary items denominated in foreign currencies are translated using the exchange rates applicable at the balance sheet date. The difference between the exchange rate applicable at the balance sheet date and at the date at which the receivable or payable arose or was recognised in the latest annual report is recognised under financial income or expenses in the income statement. Fixed assets, inventories and other non-monetary assets acquired in foreign currencies are translated using historical exchange rates.

DERIVATIVE FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

On initial recognition, derivative financial instruments are measured at cost. Subsequently, they are measured at fair value and recognised under other receivables and other payables, respectively.

Fair value adjustment of derivative financial instruments classified as and meeting the criteria for hedging future cash flows (cash flow hedging) are recognised in equity under the cash flow hedging reserve. In the event that the hedged transaction results in the recognition of an asset or a liability, the accumulated fair value adjustment of the hedging instrument, which was previously recognised in equity, will be included in the cost of the asset or the liability. In the event that the hedged transaction results in the recognition of an income or an expense, the accumulated fair value adjustment of the hedging instrument, which was previously recognised in equity, will be recognised together with the hedged income or expense.

If the hedged transaction is no longer expected to occur, the cash flow hedging treatment is discontinued, and the accumulated fair value adjustment of the hedging instrument is transferred to other net financials in the income statement. If the hedged transaction is still expected to occur, but the criteria for cash flow hedging are no longer met, the hedging treatment is discontinued, and the accumulated fair value adjustment of the hedging instrument remains in equity until the transaction occurs.

Fair value adjustments of derivative financial instruments that do not meet the criteria for hedge accounting treatment are recognised under other net financials in the income statement on an ongoing basis.



LEASES

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

GRANTS

Grants are recognised when there is reasonable certainty that the grant conditions have been met and that the grant will be received.

Grants to cover expenses incurred are recognised on a proportionate basis in the income statement over the period in which the expenses eligible for grants are expensed. Grants are recognised under other operating income.

INCOME STATEMENT

Gross result

Gross result comprises revenue, other operating income and cost of sales and other external expenses.

Revenue

Income from the sale of goods is recognised in the income statement if delivery has taken place and the risk has passed to the buyer before the end of the financial year and where the selling price can be determined reliably and is expected to be paid. Revenue is measured at fair value and is determined exclusive of VAT and other taxes collected on behalf of third parties and less discounts.

Other operating income

Other operating income comprises income of a secondary nature in relation to the enterprise's activities, including rental income, negative goodwill and gains on the sale of intangible assets and property, plant and equipment.

Cost of sales

Cost of sales comprises cost of sales for the year measured at cost plus any changes in inventories, including write-downs to the extent that these do not exceed normal write-downs.



Other external expenses

Other external expenses comprise costs relating to distribution, sales and advertising and administration, premises and bad debts to the extent that these do not exceed normal write-downs.

Staff costs

Staff costs comprise wages and salaries as well as other staff-related costs.

Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses

The depreciation and amortisation of intangible assets and property, plant and equipment aim at systematic depreciation and amortisation over the expected useful lives of the assets. Assets are depreciated and amortised according to the straight-line method based on the following expected useful lives and residual values:

	Useful	Residual
	lives,	value
	years	DKK '000
Goodwill	20	0
Other plant, fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment	3-5	0

Goodwill is amortised over 20 years. The useful life has been determined in consideration of the expected future net earnings of the enterprise or activity to which the goodwill relates.

The basis of depreciation and amortisation is the cost of the asset less the expected residual value at the end of the useful life. Moreover, the basis of depreciation and amortisation is reduced by any impairment losses. The useful life and residual value are determined when the asset is ready for use and reassessed annually.

Intangible assets and property, plant and equipment are impaired in accordance with the accounting policies referred to in the 'Impairment losses on fixed assets' section.

Income from equity investments in group entreprises

For equity investments in subsidiaries that in the parent are measured using the equity method, the share of the enterprises' profit or loss is recognised in the income statement after elimination of unrealised intercompany profits and losses and less any goodwill amortisation and impairment losses.

Income from equity investments in equity investments in subsidiaries also comprises gains and losses on the sale of equity investments.



Other net financials

Interest income and interest expenses, foreign exchange gains and losses on transactions denominated in foreign currencies etc. are recognised in other net financials.

Tax on profit/loss for the year

The current and deferred tax for the year is recognised in the income statement as tax on the profit/loss for the year with the portion attributable to the profit/loss for the year, and directly in equity with the portion attributable to amounts recognised directly in equity.

The company is jointly taxed with Danish consolidated enterprises. The parent is the administration company for the joint taxation and thus settles all income tax payments with the tax authorities.

In connection with the settlement of joint taxation contributions, the current Danish income tax is allocated between the jointly taxed enterprises in proportion to their taxable incomes. This means that enterprises with a tax loss receive joint taxation contributions from enterprises which have been able to use this loss to reduce their own taxable profit.

BALANCE SHEET

Intangible assets

Development projects in progress

Development projects are recognised in the balance sheet where the project aims at developing a specific product or a specific process, intended to be produced or used, respectively, by the company in its production process. On initial recognition, development projects are measured at cost. Cost comprises the purchase price plus expenses resulting directly from the purchase, including wages and salaries directly attributable to the development projects until the asset is ready for use. Interest on loans arranged to finance development projects in the development period is not included in the cost. Other development projects and development costs are recognised in the income statement in the year in which they are incurred.

Development projects in progress are transferred to completed development projects when the asset is ready for use.

Development projects are subsequently measured in the balance sheet at cost less accumulated amortisation and impairment losses.



Goodwill

Goodwill is measured in the balance sheet at cost less accumulated amortisation and impairment losses

Goodwill is amortised using the straight-line method based on useful lives, which are stated in the 'Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses' section.

Gains or losses on the disposal of intangible assets

Gains or losses on the disposal of intangible assets are determined as the difference between the selling price, if any, less selling costs and the carrying amount at the date of disposal.

Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment comprise other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment.

Property, plant and equipment are measured in the balance sheet at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses.

Cost comprises the purchase price and expenses resulting directly from the purchase until the asset is ready for use. Interest on loans arranged to finance production is not included in the cost.

Property, plant and equipment are depreciated using the straight-line method based on useful lives and residual values, which are stated in the 'Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses' section.

Gains and losses on the disposal of property, plant and equipment are determined as the difference between the selling price, if any, less selling costs and the carrying amount at the date of disposal less any costs of disposal.

Equity investments in group entreprises

Equity investments in subsidiaries are recognised and measured according to the equity method in the balance sheet of the parent. For equity investments in subsidiaries, the equity method is considered a consolidation method.

On initial recognition, equity investments measured according to the equity method are measured at cost. Transaction costs directly attributable to the acquisition are recognised in the income statement at the date incurred.

On subsequent recognition and measurement of equity investments according to the equity method, equity investments are measured at the proportionate share of the enterprises' equity value,



determined according to the accounting policies of the parent, adjusted for the remaining value of goodwill and gains and losses on transactions with the enterprises in question. Equity investments, where information for recognition according to the equity method is not known, are measured at cost.

On the acquisition of non-controlling interests in subsidiaries, the difference between the consideration and the carrying amount of the equity investments is recognised in the parent's equity.

Goodwill recognised under equity investments is amortised according to the straight-line method based on an individual assessment of the useful life of the asset. The useful life of goodwill has been determined at years for equity investments in subsidiaries. The useful life has been determined in consideration of the expected future net earnings of the enterprise to which the goodwill relates.

Gains or losses on disposal of equity investments are determined as the difference between the disposal consideration and the carrying amount of net assets at the time of sale, including non-amortised goodwill, as well as the expected costs of divestment or discontinuation. Gains and losses are recognised in the income statement under income from equity investments.

On disposal of non-controlling interests in subsidiaries that do not result in loss of control of the subsidiary, the difference between the consideration and the equity value of the equity investments is recognised in the parent's equity.

Impairment losses on fixed assets

The carrying amount of fixed assets which are not measured at fair value is assessed annually for indications of impairment over and above what is reflected in depreciation and amortisation.

If the company's realised return on an asset or a group of assets is lower than expected, this is considered an indication of impairment.

If there are indications of impairment, an impairment test is conducted of individual assets or groups of assets.

The assets or groups of assets are impaired to the lower of recoverable amount and carrying amount.

The higher of net selling price and value in use is used as the recoverable amount. The value in use is determined as the present value of expected net cash flows from the use of the asset or group of assets as well as expected net cash flows from the sale of the asset or group of assets after the expiry of their useful lives.



Impairment losses are reversed when the reasons for the impairment no longer exist. Impairment losses on goodwill are not reversed, unless goodwill is included in the carrying amount of equity investments.

Inventories

Inventories are measured at cost calculated according to the FIFO-method. Inventories are written down to the lower of cost and net realisable value.

The cost of raw materials and consumables as well as goods for resale is determined as purchase prices plus expenses resulting directly from the purchase.

The net realisable value of inventories is determined as the selling price less costs of completion and costs necessary to make the sale and is determined taking into account marketability, obsolescence and the expected development in the selling price.

Receivables

Receivables are measured at amortised cost, which usually corresponds to the nominal value, less write-downs for bad debts.

Write-downs for bad debts are determined based on an individual assessment of each receivable if there is no objective evidence of individual impairment of a receivable.

Deposits recognised under assets comprise deposits paid to the lessor under leases entered into by the company.

Prepayments

Prepayments recognised under assets comprise costs incurred in respect of subsequent financial years.

Cash

Cash includes deposits in bank accounts as well as operating cash.

Equity

The net revaluation of equity investments measured according to the equity method is recognized in the financial statements of the parent in the net revaluation reserve in equity according to the equity method to the extent that the carrying amount exceeds the cost.



An amount equivalent to internally generated development costs in the balance sheet is recognised in the financial statements of the parent in equity under reserve for development costs. The reserve is measured less deferred tax and reduced by amortisation and impairment losses on the asset. If impairment losses on development costs are subsequently reversed, the reserve will be restored with a corresponding amount. The reserve is dissolved when the development costs are no longer recognized in the balance sheet, and the remaining amount will be transferred to retained earnings.

Unrealised foreign currency gains and losses from the translation of the net investment in independent foreign entities are recognised in equity under the foreign currency translation reserve. The reserve is dissolved when the independent foreign entities are disposed of.

Unrealised gains and losses on financial instruments classified as and meeting the criteria for hedging of future cash flows (cash flow hedging) are recognised in equity under the cash flow hedging reserve. The reserve is measured less deferred tax. The reserve is dissolved when the hedged transaction occurs, or it is no longer expected to occur.

Acquisition costs and consideration for treasury shares as well as dividends therefrom are recognised directly in equity under retained earnings.

Provisions

Other provisions comprise expected expenses incidental to restructuring etc. and are recognised when the company has a legal or constructive obligation at the balance sheet date and it is probable that such obligation will draw on the financial resources of the company. Provisions are measured at net realisable value or fair value if the provision is expected to be settled over the longer term.

Current and deferred tax

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

Joint taxation contributions payable and receivable are recognised as income tax under receivables or payables in the balance sheet.

Deferred tax liabilities and tax assets are recognised on the basis of all temporary differences between the carrying amounts and tax bases of assets and liabilities. However, deferred tax is not recognised on temporary differences relating to goodwill which is non-amortisable for tax purposes and other items where temporary differences, except for acquisitions, have arisen at the date of acquisition without affecting the net profit or loss for the year or the taxable income. In cases where the tax value can be determined according to different taxation rules, deferred tax is measured on the basis of management's intended use of the asset or settlement of the liability.



Deferred tax assets are recognised, following an assessment, at the expected realisable value through offsetting against deferred tax liabilities or elimination in tax on future earnings.

Deferred tax is measured on the basis of the tax rules and at the tax rates which, according to the legislation in force at the balance sheet date, will be applicable when the deferred tax is expected to crystallise as current tax.

Payables

Long-term payables are measured at cost at the time of contracting such liabilities (raising of the loan). The payables are subsequently measured at amortised cost where capital losses and loan expenses are recognised in the income statement as a financial expense over the term of the payable on the basis of the calculated effective interest rate in force at the time of contracting the liability.

Short-term payables are measured at amortised cost, normally corresponding to the nominal value of such payables.

CASH FLOW STATEMENT

The cash flow statement is prepared using the indirect method, showing cash flows from operating, investing and financing activities as well as cash and cash equivalents at the beginning and end of the year.

Cash flows from operating activities comprise the net profit or loss for the year, adjusted for non-cash operating items, income tax paid and changes in working capital.

Cash flows from investing activities comprise payments in connection with the acquisition and divestment of companies and financial assets as well as the purchase, development, improvement and sale of intangible assets and property, plant and equipment.

Cash flows from financing activities comprise changes in the parent's share capital and associated costs and the purchase and sale of treasury shares and financing from and dividends paid to shareholders as well as the arrangement and repayment of long-term payables.

Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning and end of the year comprise cash and short-term payables to credit institutions.

Referring to section 86(4) of the Danish Financial Statements Act a cash flow statement has not been prepared for the parent as the parent is included in the consolidated cash flow statement.

