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### Scandinavian Shopping Center Partners ApS

Rødovre Centrum 1 P, 1. 153 2610 Rødovre CVR No. 38700383

## Annual report 2023

The Annual General Meeting adopted the annual report on 26.06.2024

**Stig German Mathiasen** Chairman of the General Meeting

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## **Entity details**

#### Entity

Scandinavian Shopping Center Partners ApS Rødovre Centrum 1 P, 1. 153 2610 Rødovre

Business Registration No.: 38700383 Registered office: Rødovre Financial year: 01.01.2023 - 31.12.2023

#### **Board of Directors**

Lars Rune Johansson Stig German Mathiasen Søren Brogaard Pedersen Claus Tüchsen Thomas Forslund Lars Erik Backemar

#### **Executive Board**

Stig German Mathiasen Claus Tüchsen Thomas Forslund

#### **Auditors**

Deloitte Statsautoriseret Revisionspartnerselskab Weidekampsgade 6 2300 Copenhagen S

## **Statement by Management**

The Board of Directors and the Executive Board have today considered and approved the annual report of Scandinavian Shopping Center Partners ApS for the financial year 01.01.2023 - 31.12.2023.

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

In our opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the Entity's financial position at 31.12.2023 and of the results of its operations for the financial year 01.01.2023 - 31.12.2023.

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

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

Copenhagen, 26.06.2024

**Executive Board** 

Stig German Mathiasen	Claus Tüchsen
Thomas Forslund	
Board of Directors	
Lars Rune Johansson	Stig German Mathiasen
Søren Brogaard Pedersen	Claus Tüchsen
Thomas Forslund	Lars Erik Backemar

## Independent auditor's report

#### To the shareholders of Scandinavian Shopping Center Partners ApS

#### Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Scandinavian Shopping Center Partners ApS for the financial year 01.01.2023 - 31.12.2023, which comprise the income statement, balance sheet, statement of changes in equity and notes, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial statements are prepared in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

In our opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the Entity's financial position at 31.12.2023 and of the results of its operations for the financial year 01.01.2023 - 31.12.2023 in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

#### **Basis for opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs) and additional requirements applicable in Denmark. Our responsibilities under those standards and requirements are further described in the "Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements" section of this auditor's report. We are independent of the Entity 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.

#### Management's responsibilities for the financial statements

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

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

#### Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs and the additional requirements applicable in Denmark will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs and the additional requirements applicable in Denmark, we exercise professional 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 Entity's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by Management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of Management's use of the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the 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 Entity's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the 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 Entity to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures in the notes, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that gives a true and fair view.

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

#### Statement on the management commentary

Management is responsible for the management commentary.

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

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

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

Based on the work we have performed, we conclude that the management commentary is in accordance with the financial statements and has been prepared in accordance with the requirements in the relevant law and regulations. We did not identify any material misstatement of the management commentary.

Copenhagen, 26.06.2024

**Deloitte** Statsautoriseret Revisionspartnerselskab CVR No. 33963556

#### **Thomas Frommelt Hertz**

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State Authorised Public Accountant Identification No (MNE) mne50632

## Management commentary

#### **Primary activities**

The company's main activities are to manage property investments, leasing and development of properties, primarily retail properties in Denmark and abroad, advice in connection with such activities and other related activities. The companys business can be run through subsidiaries. SSCP currently owns shares in Bytorv Horsens ApS and Næstved Storcenter ApS.

#### Description of material changes in activities and finances

The equity of SSCP as per December 31st 2023 was a negative value of TDKK 9,647 as per December 31st 2023, primarily due to a fair market value adjustment of capital interests in the indirectly held investment property Bytorv Horsens.

SSCP has invested in Næstved Storcenter ApS (NSC) through the investment company NS DK Investor Holding ApS.

SSCP is now the Shopping Center Manager (SCM) in NSC which contributes positively with additional operational income from SCM fee that is expected to be supplemented with leasing fee and (potentially) project fee.

With effect from July 1st 2023 asset- and shopping center management of all present (and potentially future) shopping centers under management has been outsourced to SSCP DK Management I/S (expected to be replaced by a limited partnership (P/S) in 2024). This change will reduce the volatility of the net income of the company.

#### **Development in activities and finances**

The company's income statement for 2023 shows net loss of TDKK 14,058, and the company's balance sheet per December 31st shows the equity is negative with TDKK 9,647.

The result has been affected by a reduction in the valuation of Bytorv Horsens and the implementation of IFRS9 accounting principles.

#### Unusual circumstances affecting recognition and measurement

Investment properties in the annual report are valued at fair value and the value adjustments are transferred to the income statement. The valuation is made on the basis of the budget for the coming year adjusted to reflect stabilized operations, which is capitalized with management's estimates of required rate of return. Time-limited discounts and escalation schemes as well as temporary income reductions due to expected run-in periods for tenants whose rent is based on turnover are deducted. The required rate of return ("yield") is based on societal conditions and individual quality conditions on the properties. The fair value statement of the investment property is based on management's estimates, as there is no external assessment. Changes to the yield and/or lease activity/vacancies will have an impact on the value of the investment properties and thereby the derived ownership related value implication to SSCP.

#### Events after the balance sheet date

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

## **Income statement for 2023**

		2023	2022
	Notes	DKK	DKK
Revenue		11,229,696	4,008,629
Other external expenses		(5,007,101)	(908,044)
Gross profit/loss		6,222,595	3,100,585
Staff costs	2	(5,705,667)	(7,017,669)
Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses		(16,667)	(16,667)
Operating profit/loss		500,261	(3,933,751)
Income from investments in group enterprises		(49,925)	(72,010)
Income from investments in associates		(12,280,692)	3,461,572
Other financial income	3	4,946	0
Other financial expenses	4	(2,233,307)	(1,336,264)
Profit/loss for the year		(14,058,717)	(1,880,453)
Proposed distribution of profit and loss:			
Retained earnings		(14,058,717)	(1,880,453)
Proposed distribution of profit and loss		(14,058,717)	(1,880,453)

## Balance sheet at 31.12.2023

#### Assets

		2023	2022
	Notes	DKK	DKK
Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment		12,499	29,166
Property, plant and equipment	5	12,499	29,166
Investments in group enterprises		358,065	407,990
Investments in associates		13,160,217	25,440,909
Other investments		1,000,000	0
Deposits		52,061	47,897
Financial assets	6	14,570,343	25,896,796
Fixed assets		14,582,842	25,925,962
Trade receivables		509,909	171,234
Receivables from group enterprises		24,145	0
Other receivables		70,688	210,596
Prepayments		1,206	1,170
Receivables		605,948	383,000
Cash		1,096,251	375,307
Current assets		1,702,199	758,307
Assets		16,285,041	26,684,269

#### **Equity and liabilities**

		2023	2022
	Notes	DKK	DKK
Contributed capital		110,000	110,000
Share premium		444,545	444,545
Reserve for net revaluation according to the equity method		5,598,282	3,857,044
Retained earnings		(15,799,955)	0
Equity		(9,647,128)	4,411,589
Other payables		16,163,732	12,519,910
Non-current liabilities other than provisions	7	16,163,732	12,519,910
Trade payables		126,300	12,593
Payables to group enterprises		515,840	480,000
Payables to associates		6,003,580	5,903,580
Other payables	8	3,122,717	3,356,597
Current liabilities other than provisions		9,768,437	9,752,770
Liabilities other than provisions		25,932,169	22,272,680
Equity and liabilities		16,285,041	26,684,269
Going concern	1		
Financial instruments	9		
Contingent assets	10		
Contingent liabilities	11		

# Statement of changes in equity for 2023

	Contributed capital DKK	Share premium DKK	Reserve for net revaluation according to the equity method DKK	Retained earnings DKK	Total DKK
Equity beginning of year	110,000	444,545	0	(5,186,384)	(4,631,839)
Changes in accounting policies	0	0	3,857,044	5,186,384	9,043,428
Adjusted equity beginning of year	110,000	444,545	3,857,044	0	4,411,589
Transfer to reserves	0	0	1,741,238	(1,741,238)	0
Profit/loss for the year	0	0	0	(14,058,717)	(14,058,717)
Equity end of year	110,000	444,545	5,598,282	(15,799,955)	(9,647,128)

## Notes

#### **1 Going concern**

The company has lost more than 50% of the Entity's contributed capital, and the equity is negative as per the balance sheet date. The entity is therefore covered by the Companies Act's rules on capital loss. Management expects the equity to be re-established by future earnings. On this basis, it is management's assessment that the necessary prerequisites for continued operation have been met, and the annual report is submitted under the assumption of continued operation. The company is still in a phase of building a portfolio of shopping centers under management and ownership. This will be a several years long process.

During the financial year, the cash flow was partly obtained through convertible loans from SSCP Investors P/S, an entity established by owners of the company and selected investors for this purpose.

The company's increased liquidity generating ability combined with a relatively stable fixed cost level equivalent to 2023 effectively generates a significantly higher net cash surplus to service various variable costs. The company's expected income-related cash flow, including revenues from the present contract base, is deemed sufficient to cover all current liabilities. On this basis the annual report has been prepared on a going concern basis.

#### 2 Staff costs

	2023	2022
	DKK	DKK
Wages and salaries	5,565,570	6,889,462
Pension costs	77,400	72,000
Other social security costs	8,520	10,414
Other staff costs	54,177	45,793
	5,705,667	7,017,669
Average number of full-time employees	3	4
3 Other financial income		
	2023	2022
	DKK	DKK
Other interest income	4,946	0
	4,946	0

#### **4 Other financial expenses**

	2023	2022
	DKK	DKK
Financial expenses from group enterprises	17,600	0
Other interest expenses	2,134,207	1,274,764
Other financial expenses	81,500	61,500
	2,233,307	1,336,264

#### 5 Property, plant and equipment

	Other fixtures and fittings,
	tools and equipment
	DKK
Cost beginning of year	50,000
Cost end of year	50,000
Depreciation and impairment losses beginning of year	(20,834)
Depreciation for the year	(16,667)
Depreciation and impairment losses end of year	(37,501)
Carrying amount end of year	12,499

#### **6 Financial assets**

	Investments	Investments		
	in group	in	Other	
	enterprises	associates	investments	Deposits
	DKK	DKK	DKK	DKK
Cost beginning of year	480,000	7,440,000	0	47,897
Additions	0	0	1,000,000	4,164
Cost end of year	480,000	7,440,000	1,000,000	52,061
Revaluations beginning of year	0	8,957,481	0	0
Changes in accounting policies	0	9,043,428	0	0
Share of profit/loss for the year	0	(12,280,692)	0	0
Revaluations end of year	0	5,720,217	0	0
Impairment losses beginning of year	(72,010)	0	0	0
Share of profit/loss for the year	(49,925)	0	0	0
Impairment losses end of year	(121,935)	0	0	0
Carrying amount end of year	358,065	13,160,217	1,000,000	52,061

Investments in associates consists of ownership of 20% of the shares in SSCP Projekt BH ApS, which further owns 100% of the shares in Bytorv Horsens ApS (Through the ownership of SSCP BH Holding ApS). Bytorv Horsens ApS has the ownership of an investment property, that is recognized at fair value as of the balance sheet date (Fair value hierarchy level 3). In addition Bytorv Horsens ApS recognized mortgage debt at fair value in accordance with IFRS 9, with fair value adjustment in the profit and loss statement (Fair value Hierarchy level 2). Scandinavian

Shopping Center Partners ApS has applied the same accounting policy for recognition of mortgage debt for financing of investment properties. The investment is recognized at equity value based on this accounting principle.

		Equity			Equity		
		Corporate	interest	Equity	Profit/loss		
Investments in subsidiaries	Registered in	form	%	DKK	DKK		
SSCP Projekt II ApS	Copenhagen	ApS	100.00	(615)	(17,445)		
SSCP Projekt II T P/S	Copenhagen	P/S	100.00	329,080	(32,750)		
SSCP Komplementar ApS	Copenhagen	ApS	100.00	24,385	(4,945)		

		Equity			
		Corporate	interest	Equity	Profit/loss
Investments in associates	Registered in	form	%	DKK	DKK
SSCP Projekt BH ApS	Copenhagen	ApS	20.00	63,283,350	(63,921,196)

#### 7 Non-current liabilities other than provisions

	Due after
	more than 12
	months
	2023
	DKK
Other payables	16,163,732
	16,163,732

The company's non-current liabilities consists of loan facilities from SSCP Investors P/S, and is due for full payment on 30th june 2026. The loan facilities are based on a fixed interest rate for the loan period. The total liability including interest until the payment date amounts to 21.532.222 DKK. Other payables are measured at amortized cost. The loan facility is established as a convertible loan, with a possibility of convertion to equity in case the full payment hasnt been caried out in 2026.

#### 8 Other payables

	2023	2022
	DKK	DKK
VAT and duties	521,969	1,244,338
Wages and salaries, personal income taxes, social security costs, etc. payable	861,499	5,680
Other costs payable	1,739,249	2,106,579
	3,122,717	3,356,597

#### 9 Financial instruments

Financial instruments such as receivables, accounts payable and payables to group enterprises are measured recognised at amortised cost less any impairments. The fair value of these are deemed to agree with carrying amount.

The company has no financial liabilities measured at fair value as per the balance sheet date. However the

company ownes 20% of the shares in Bytorv Horsens ApS, which measures Long-term interestbearing liabilities are reported at fair value. This investment is recognized at equity value. Due to this, the company has chosen fair value as for long-term interest bearing liabilities related to financing of investment properties. As per the balance sheet date, this is only recognized through the investment in Bytorv Horsens ApS.

Financial assets and liabilities are based on the below measurement:

	2023	2022	
	DKK	DKK	
Deposits	52.061	47.897	
Trade receivables	176.576	171.234	
Other receivables	94.833	210.596	
Cash	1.096.251	375.307	
Financial assets recognised at amortised cost	1.419.721	805.034	
Other longterm payables	16.163.732	12.519.910	
Trade payables	126.300	12.593	
Payables to group enterprises	498.240	480.000	
Payables to associates	6.003.580	5.903.580	
Other shortterm payables	3.122.717	3.356.597	
Financial liabilities recognised at amortised cost	25.914.569	22.272.680	

#### **FINANCIAL RISK**

#### **COMPANY FINANCIAL POLITY**

The financial management is aimed at stabilizing and optimizing the group's operations and financing. The financial part of the business is governed by the financing policy set by the board.

The financing policy states the overall rules for how the company's financial agreements must be handled and how the risks in the financial part of the company are limited.

Reporting to the board takes place on a quarterly basis in connection with the ordinary board meetings. The board of directors continuously considers adjustments to the financing policy and the set objectives for this. It is the company's policy to seek the necessary financing on the best possible terms and conditions. The initial funding in SSCP has been provided by the owners of the company and selected investors via the company SSCP Investors P/S, which have provided convertible loans at agreed contractual terms and an interest rate level based on perceived market terms of which 50% interest rate of the interest rate is paid annually and the remaining 50% interest rate accumulates.

The SSCP investors convertible loan funding currently accumulated to mDKK 14,2 are due for repayment as per June 30th 2026. In case the loans are not be paid back before the due date – and no extension of the due date has been agreed – the bonds may be converted from debt into equity.

The current cashflow generation in SSCP is sufficient to cover all fixed as well as all variable costs including partner remuneration, which is the largest cost component that is also fully flexible. However, new acquisition/investment activity could potentially lead to an additional funding requirement to SSCP to provide short term investment capital.

SSCP has an objective of an appropriate long term positive equity level - and at the same time ensuring that there is sufficient liquidity generated to service all fixed as well as variable costs in (at least) a 12 month forecasting period.

#### **COMPANY FINANCING**

The company's financing consists of convertible loans from SSCP Investors P/S with 2 years time to maturity. In case these loans are not redeemed before the expiry date, then they may be converted into equity.

#### REFINANCING

If the interest rate falls (increases) by 1% point compared to the balance sheet date level, the change in the market value of the company's debt impact result and equity will not be affected due to the agreed fixed rate to maturity.

#### Interest rate risk

The interest rate risk consists of the changes in the company's cash flow, which are due to changes in the refinancing rate on interest-bearing debt. The annual interest expense on the company's debt amounted to mDKK 2,2 with the interest rates applicable on the balance sheet date. If the interest rate rises (falls) by 1% point in relation to the current interest rate, the company will not be affected due to the fixed rate structure inherent in the loan agreements.

#### **Liquidity risk**

The maturity structure of the company's financial debt is such that all debt is due within the next 2 years but could potentially be extended. The company's liquidity risk primarily consists of not being able to service the current payments on SSCP Investors P/S loans, admin/insuranc/salary costs etc. SSCP's current operation generates a slightly positive net cash flow after servicing all costs incl. fees to SSCP DK Management I/S but before debt amortization, a liquidity perspective that is expected to continue going forward until the company gains income from divestment of assets under management.

#### **Currency risk**

The company is not exposed to currency risk.

#### **10 Contingent assets**

The company has an unrecognized deferred tax asset amounting to TDKK 2,726 (2022: TDKK 2,369).

#### **11 Contingent liabilities**

The Entity serves as the administration company in a Danish joint taxation arrangement. According to the joint taxation provisions of the Danish Corporation Tax Act, the Entity is therefore liable for income taxes etc. for the jointly taxed entities, and for obligations, if any, relating to the withholding of tax on interest, royalties and dividend for these entities.

Scandinavian Shopping Center Partners ApS has signed a letter of support for SSCP Projekt II ApS, SSCP Projekt II T P/S and SSCP Komplementar ApS and will financially support and secure the Companies unconditionally until 31 December 2024.

## **Accounting policies**

#### **Reporting class**

This annual report has been presented in accordance with the provisions of the Danish Financial Statements Act governing reporting class B enterprises with addition of a few provisions for reporting class C.

#### **Changes in accounting policies**

The Entity has changed its accounting policies with regard to recognition of financial assets and liabilities. Previously, the danish financial statements Act. has been used, which referes to IAS 39 for financial assets and liabilities. Management has, for 2023, chosen to implement IFRS 9 for financial assets and liabilities, according to the danish financial Statements Act. section 37 par. 5. Due to this change, the companies mortgage debt (Related to financing of the companies investment property) is now measured at fair value, with value adjustment in the profit and loss statement. Previously this was measured at amortized cost.

The effect in regards to recognition and measurement is only present on the company's investment in group enterprises, as the subsidiary, Bytorv Horsens ApS, now measures mortgage debt at fair value. The effect on Scandinavian Shopping Center Partners ApS is present as this is recognized thorugh the equity value.

The change in accounting policies has led to an increase in companies equity at the begining of the year of 9,043,428 DKK. The effect on the profit and loss statement amounts to (1,700,782) DKK for 2023, and 6,642,648 DKK for 2022.

The balance sheet total has been changed with an amount of 9,043,428 DKK.

The comparative figures have been restated following the change in accounting policies.

Apart from the areas mentioned above, the annual report has been presented applying the accounting policies consistently with last year.

#### **Consolidated financial statements**

Referring to section 110 of the Danish Financial Statements Act, no consolidated financial statements have been prepared.

#### **Recognition and measurement**

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

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

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

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

#### measurement.

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

#### **Income statement**

#### Revenue

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

#### Other external expenses

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

#### Staff costs

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

#### Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses

Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses relating to property, plant and equipment comprise depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses for the financial year, and gains and losses from the sale of property, plant and equipment.

#### Income from investments in group enterprises

Income from investments in group enterprises comprises the pro rata share of the individual enterprises' profit/loss after full elimination of intra-group profits or losses.

#### Income from investments in associates

Income from investments in associates comprises the pro rata share of the individual associates' profit/loss after pro rata elimination of intra-group profits or losses.

#### Other financial income

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

#### Other financial expenses

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

#### **Balance sheet**

#### Property, plant and equipment

Land and buildings, plant and machinery, and other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. Land is not depreciated.

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

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

	Useful life
Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment	3-5 years

For leasehold improvements and assets subject to finance leases, the depreciation period cannot exceed the contract period.

Estimated useful lives and residual values are reassessed annually.

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

#### Investments in group enterprises

Investments in group enterprises are recognised and measured according to the equity method. This means that investments are measured at the pro rata share of the enterprises' equity value.

Group enterprises with negative equity value are measured at DKK 0. Any receivables from these enterprises are written down to net realisable value based on a specific assessment. If the Parent has a legal or constructive obligation to cover the liabilities of the relevant enterprise, and it is probable that such obligation will involve a loss, a provision is recognised that is measured at present value of the costs necessary to settle the obligations at the balance sheet date.

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

#### Investments in associates

Investments in associates are recognised and measured according to the equity method. This means that investments are measured at the pro rata share of the associates' equity value.

Associates with negative equity value are measured at DKK 0. Any receivables from these enterprises are written down to net realisable value based on a specific assessment. If the Parent has a legal or constructive obligation to cover the liabilities of the relevant enterprise, and it is probable that such obligation will involve a loss, a provision is recognised that is measured at present value of the costs necessary to settle the obligations at the balance sheet date.

Upon distribution of profit or loss, net revaluation of investments in associates is transferred to the reserve for net revaluation according to the equity method in equity.

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

#### **Other investments**

Other investments comprise listed securities which are measured at fair value (market price) at the balance sheet date, and unlisted equity investments measured at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

#### Receivables

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

#### Prepayments

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

#### Cash

Cash comprises cash in hand and bank deposits.

#### Other financial liabilities

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