

# Synflex A/S

Lejrvej 3, 3500 Værløse CVR no. 39 32 89 17

# **Annual report for 2018**

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Anders Pedersen Dirigent



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# The company

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Registered office: Værløse CVR no.: 39 32 89 17

Financial year: 01.01 - 31.12

## **Executive Board**

Mads Hesselbæk Olesen

# **Board of Directors**

Anders Jens Pedersen Stefan Siegbert Karsch Mads Hesselbæk Olesen

## **Auditors**

Beierholm

Statsautoriseret Revisionspartnerselskab



Synflex A/S

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

We have on this day presented the annual report for the financial year 01.01.18 - 31.12.18 for Synflex A/S.

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

In our opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the the company's assets, liabilities and financial position as at 31.12.18 and of the results of the the company's activities for the financial year 01.01.18 - 31.12.18.

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.

Værløse, April 17, 2019

Mads Hesselbæk Olesen

Anders Jens Pedersen Chairman Stefan Siegbert Karsch

Mads Hesselbæk Olesen



# To the of Synflex A/S

# Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Synflex A/S for the financial year 01.01.18 - 31.12.18, which comprise the income statement, balance sheet, statement of changes in equity and notes, inclusive of accounting policies. The financial statements are prepared in accordance with Danish Financial Statements Act

In our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the company's assets, liabilities and financial position at 31.12.18 and of the results of the company's operations for the financial year 01.01.18 - 31.12.18 in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

# 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 financial statements" section of our report. We are independent of the company in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (IESBA Code) and the additional requirements applicable in Denmark, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### Statement regarding the management's review

Management is responsible for management's review.

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

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

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



Based on the work we have performed, we conclude that management's review is in accordance with the 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 financial statements

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

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

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

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with 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 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 financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.



- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit
  procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the financial statements and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and contents of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that gives a true and fair view.

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

Soeborg, Copenhagen, April 17, 2019

#### Beierholm

Statsautoriseret Revisionspartnerselskab CVR no. 32 89 54 68

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# **Primary activities**

Synflex A/S is a subsidiary of Synflex Elektro International GmbH. The Synflex Elektro International GmbH Group develops system solutions and produces and distributes products for electric motor, transformer and automotive industry worldwide from eleven locations, including Germany, Austria, Denmark, France, Italy, Poland, Turkey and China. The Synflex Elektro International GmbH Group has approx. 300 employees and an annual revenue of more than EUR 150 million.

Synflex A/S is responsible for the group activities in Denmark, Norway, Sweden, Finland and Estonia. Synflex A/S has head office, production facilities and warehouse in Værløse north of Copenhagen and employs 10 people.

# Development in activities and financial affairs

The income statement for the period 01.01.18 - 31.12.18 shows a profit of DKK 1,031,972. The balance sheet shows equity of DKK 8,246,979.

The management considers the net profit for the year to be satisfactory.

# Subsequent events

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



	2018 DKK	2017 DKK '000
Gross profit	7.658.914	7.985
Staff costs	-6.050.456	-6.386
Profit/loss before depreciation, amortisation, write- downs and impairment losses	1.608.458	1.599
Depreciation, amortisation, impairment losses and write- downs of property, plant and equipment	-146.640	-168
Profit/loss before net financials	1.461.818	1.431
Financial income Financial expenses	9.880 -128.925	10 -141
Profit/loss before tax	1.342.773	1.300
Tax on profit or loss for the year	-310.801	-288
Profit/loss for the year	1.031.972	1.012
Proposed appropriation account		
Proposed dividend for the financial year Retained earnings	0 1.031.972	1.863 -851
Total	1.031.972	1.012



# **ASSETS**

31.12.18	31.12.17 DKK '000
DKK	DKK_000
50.000	75
50.000	75
7.500.000 70.385	7.500 39
7.570.385	7.539
7.620.385	7.614
4.573.183	3.889
4.573.183	3.889
3.930.587 58.589	4.060 52
3.989.176	4.112
248.097	1.604
8.810.456	9.605
16.430.841	17.219
	50.000  50.000  7.500.000  7.500.385  7.570.385  7.620.385  4.573.183  4.573.183  3.930.587 58.589  3.989.176  248.097  8.810.456



# **EQUITY AND LIABILITIES**

Total equity and liabilities	16.430.841	17.219
Total payables	6.977.307	7.029
Total short-term payables	4.337.303	4.198
Deferred income	0	46
Other payables	2.104.914	2.231
Income taxes	119.373	13
Payables to group enterprises	1.238.960	1.04
Trade payables	682.468	55:
Short-term portion of long-term payables	191.588	192
Total long-term payables	2.640.004	2.831
Mortgage debt	2.640.004	2.831
Total provisions	1.206.555	1.208
Provisions for deferred tax	1.206.555	1.208
Total equity	8.246.979	8.982
Proposed dividend for the financial year	0	1.86
Retained earnings	3.182.002	1.94
Revaluation reserve	3.064.977	3.17
Share capital	2.000.000	2.00
	DKK	DKK '00
	31.12.18	31.12.1

<sup>8</sup> Contingent liabilities

<sup>9</sup> Charges and security

				Proposed dividend for
	Share	Revaluation	Retained	the financial
Figures in DKK	capital	reserve	earnings	year
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Statement of changes in equity for 01.01.17 - 31.12.17				
Balance as at 01.01.17	2.000.000	3.074.287	2.797.475	1.862.500
Revaluations during the year	0	126.530	0	0
Dividend paid	0	0	0	-1.862.500
Tax on changes in equity	0	-27.837	0	0
Net profit/loss for the year	0	0	-850.999	1.862.500
Balance as at 31.12.17	2.000.000	3.172.980	1.946.476	1.862.500
Statement of changes in equity for 01.01.18 - 31.12.18				
Balance pr. 01.01.18	2.000.000	3.172.980	1.946.476	1.862.500
Revaluations during the year Depreciation and amortisation during	0	104.256	0	0
the year Total depreciation, amortisation, impairment losses and write-downs	0	-64.686	0	0
during the year	0	0	64.686	0
Dividend paid	0	0	0	-1.862.500
Tax on changes in equity	0	-8.705	0	0
Transfers to/from other reserves	0	-138.868	138.868	0
Net profit/loss for the year	0	0	1.031.972	0
Balance as at 31.12.18	2.000.000	3.064.977	3.182.002	0



	2018 DKK	2017 DKK '000
	NAC	JAK 000
1. Staff costs		
Wages and salaries	5.458.899	5.834
Pensions	366.958	390
Other social security costs	64.308	71
Other staff costs	160.291	91
Total	6.050.456	6.386
Average number of employees during the year	10	11
2. Financial income		
	0	2
Interest, group enterprises		
Interest, group enterprises Foreign currency translation adjustments	9.880	8

# 3. Financial expenses

Other interest expenses	55.187	61
Foreign currency translation adjustments	33.469	38
Other financial expenses	40.269	42
Total	128.925	141



	2018 DKK	2017 DKK '000
4. Tax on profit or loss for the year		
Tax on profit or loss for the year Adjustment of deferred tax for the year	321.373 -10.572	325 -37
Total	310.801	288

# 5. Intangible assets

Figures in DKK	Goodwill
Cost pr. 01.01.18	250.000
Cost as at 31.12.18	250.000
Amortisation and impairment losses pr. 01.01.18 Amortisation during the year	-175.000 -25.000
Amortisation and impairment losses as at 31.12.18	-200.000
Carrying amount as at 31.12.18	50.000



# 6. Property, plant and equipment

	Land and	Other fixtures and fittings, tools and
Figures in DKK	buildings	equipment
Cost pr. 01.01.18	5.562.316	2.025.963
Additions during the year	0	48.966
Cost as at 31.12.18	5.562.316	2.074.929
Revaluations pr. 01.01.18	5.567.950	0
Revaluations during the year	104.256	0
Revaluations as at 31.12.18	5.672.206	0
Depreciation and impairment losses pr. 01.01.18	-3.630.266	-1.987.160
Depreciation during the year	-104.256	-17.384
Depreciation and impairment losses as at 31.12.18	-3.734.522	-2.004.544
Carrying amount as at 31.12.18	7.500.000	70.385
Carrying amount in the balance sheet if revaluation to fair		
value had not been carried out as at 31.12.18	2.275.709	70.385

# 7. Longterm payables

		Outstanding	Total	Total
	Repayment	debt after 5	payables at	payables at
	first year	years	31.12.18	31.12.17
	DKK	DKK	DKK	DKK '000
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Mortgage debt	191.588	1.873.650	2.831.592	3.023
Total	191.588	1.873.650	2.831.592	3.023



# 8. Contingent liabilities

Lease commitments

The company has concluded lease agreements with terms to maturity of 2-27 months and average lease payments of DKK 16k, a total of DKK 210k.

## 9. Charges and security

Land and buildings with a carrying amount of DKK 7.500k have been provided as security for mortgage debt of DK2.832k.

As company for debt to credit institutions of DKK 2.832k, a company charge of DKK 3.100K has been provided comprising goodwill, intellectual property rights, motor vehicles, other plant, fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment, inventories and agricultural stock, trade receivables as well as fuels and other ancillary materials. The total carrying amount of the comprised assets is DKK 8.624k.



# 10. Accounting policies

#### **GENERAL**

The annual report is presented in accordance with the provisions of the Danish Financial Statements Act (*Årsregnskabsloven*) for enterprises in reporting class B 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 write-downs, 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.

#### **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.



#### **LEASES**

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

#### **INCOME STATEMENT**

#### **Gross profit**

Gross profit comprises revenue 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.

#### 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 and operating lease expenses.

#### 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:

	Usetul I lives,	Residual value,
	years <u>j</u>	per cent
Goodwill	10	0
Buildings	10-50	0
Other plant, fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment	3-10	0

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

Land is not depreciated.

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.

# 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.

Amortisation of capital losses and borrowing costs relating to financial liabilities is recognised on an ongoing basis as financial expenses.

#### 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.



#### BALANCE SHEET

## Intangible assets

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 and 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 land and buildings as well as other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment.

Property, plant and equipment are measured in the balance sheet at cost, for land and buildings with revaluation at fair value recognised under the revaluation reserve in equity, however, and less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. The fair value for land and buildings is calculated by applying an individually determined discount rate to the capitalisation of a market-based operating income from the property. A valuer has not been used to determine the fair value.

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.

The total cost of an asset is decomposed into separate components that are depreciated separately if the useful lives of the individual components vary.

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.



## 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.

#### **Inventories**

Inventories are measured at cost calculated according to the FIFO principle. 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.

#### Cash

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

## **Equity**

The proposed dividend for the financial year is recognised as a separate item in equity.

Revaluation reserve comprises revaluation of land and buildings at fair value. The revaluation reserve is measured less deferred tax and reduced by depreciation and amortisation of the revalued assets. On the disposal of the assets, the remaining amount is transferred from the revaluation reserve to retained earnings.

#### 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.

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.

## **Deferred** income

Deferred income under liabilities comprises payments received in respect of income in subsequent financial years.

