# **ANALYTICS BEYOND MEASURE**

# ANNUAL REPORT 2021

**FOSS** 

Approved at General Meeting March 24, 2022

Chairman of the General Meeting Peter Alexander Foss

# FOSS Analytical A/S











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#### Statement by Management on the annual report

The Board of Directors and the Executive Board have today considered and approved the annual report of FOSS Analytical A/S for the financial year 1 January to 31 December 2021.

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 Company's financial position at 31 December 2021 and financial performance for the financial year 1 January to 31 December 2021.

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.

Hillerød, 24 March, 2022

#### **Executive Board**

Kim Vejlby Hansen Chief Executive Officer

Kenneth Aaby Sachse

#### **Board of Directors**

Peter Alexander Foss Chairman

Kim Vejlby Hansen Pernille Foss Kenneth Aaby Sachse

Sussie My Nikolajsen Christine Amalie Pagh Fisker

#### **Independent Auditor's Report**

To the Shareholder of FOSS Analytical A/S

#### **Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of FOSS Analytical A/S for the financial year 01.01.2021 – 31.12.2021, 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 31.12.2021 and of the results of its operations for the financial year 01.01.2021 - 31.12.2021 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 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.

#### 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 of the Danish Financial Statements Act. We did not identify any material misstatement of the management commentary.

Copenhagen, 24 March, 2022

Deloitte Statsautoriseret Revisionspartnerselskab CVR No 33 96 35 56

Nikolaj Thomsen State Authorized Public Accountant MNE33276

# **Management Commentary**

#### **Financial Highlights**

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	TDKK	TDKK	TDKK	TDKK	TDKK
Key Figures					
Income Statement					
Revenue	1,660,314	1,579,750	1,464,609	1,566,023	1,539,367
Operating Profit	479,039	468,593	340,494	422,984	432,533
Net financial items	-123	-20,757	419	-3,342	-5,357
Profit for the year	366,798	341,425	250,741	312,801	319,613
Balance Sheet					
Total assets	703,445	724,295	636,776	725,312	739,592
Equity	409,282	383,692	285,306	342,296	371,426
Investments in tangible assets	11,691	6,076	6,739	5,635	10,310
Number of employees, average	577	590	572	567	550
Ratios %					
Operating profit for the year vs. revenue	28.9%	29.7%	23.2%	27.0%	28.1%
Return on investments	68.1%	64.7%	53.5%	58.3%	58.5%
Solvency ratio	58.2%	53.0%	44.8%	47.2%	50.2%
Return on equity	92.5%	102.1%	79.9%	87.7%	94.2%

Financial highlights are defined and calculated in accordance with "Recommendations & Ratios" issued by the Danish Society of Financial Analysts. Please refer to Accounting Principles.

#### **Management Commentary**

#### The FOSS mission

FOSS contribute to the sustainable use of our planet's agricultural resources and thus to the nutrition and health of the people of the world.

FOSS provide analytics beyond measure to add value to our customers by improving quality and optimising food and agricultural production.

#### **Main Activity**

FOSS creates solutions that secure and improve food quality and optimize production. From raw material to finished product. Our analysis instruments refine measurements into information management that enables businesses to run intelligent data-driven productions with less waste and bigger yields.

Controlling cost and quality across all sectors and value chains, we help food and agricultural producers limit the number of human errors, scale their business faster and reduce labour costs. We call these analytics beyond measure.

We cover these food and agricultural industries: Dairy, Feed & Forage, Grain, Flour Milling & Oilseed Processing, Laboratories, Meat, Raw Milk Testing and Wine & Beer.

FOSS Analytical A/S is 100% owned by FOSS A/S which is part of the N. Foss & Co. A/S consolidated group accounts (Ultimate Parent Company). FOSS Analytical A/S develops and produces its products in Denmark and markets them worldwide through affiliated companies, independent distributors and directly.

#### **Research & Development Activities**

The effort within Research & Development for generating new products and further development of existing products constitutes an important part of the FOSS values. A number of product improvements are constantly being developed whilst the product development constantly results in introduction of new products to both new as well as existing customer segments.

#### Making sustainability a better business while improving food quality

FOSS creates solutions that secure and improve food quality and optimize production. From raw material to finished product. The analysis instruments refine measurements into information management that enables business to run intelligent data-driven productions with less waste and bigger yields.

Our world-leading analytical solutions makes a tangible difference for the food and agricultural industry and its use of the world's valuable natural resources – while at the same time improving product quality and saving time and money.

FOSS takes what used to be complex, time consuming, and expensive and makes it fast, dedicated, and easy-to-use. Our innovation renders elements such as manual registration, laboratory experts and the use of chemicals unnecessary, and replaces it with intelligent solutions that give you data to act on and the power to control, optimise and run a business based solely on high quality insights and cutting-edge innovation. This has made us a crucial companion in the development of the new food and protein sources of the future.

#### **External Environment**

Our policy is based on an environmental proper operation and external environment is a natural part of the targets in the Company related to product quality and production. FOSS Analytical A/S currently does not have, nor in recent times has it had, court cases related to environmental matters.

#### Collaborating to improve sustainability performance

In addition to the sustainable benefits of our solutions FOSS believe in acting ethically and responsibly. FOSS is an active member of the UN Global Compact. As a member, we are committed to aligning strategies and operations with universal principles on human rights, labor, the environment and anti-corruption. Each year we produce a Communication on Progress (COP) report showing the practical actions we have taken to implement the Ten Principles in our company.

FOSS is also a member of the SEDEX initiative, the world's largest collaborative platform for sharing responsible sourcing data on supply chains, used by more than 60,000 members. As a member our production facilities are audited by a 3<sup>rd</sup> party to assess performance against the SEDEX best practice criteria in the areas of health & safety, labor, the environment and business integrity. We also support the Sustainable Development goals and report on how we contribute to goals 2,3, 8, and 12.

For more information please see our Sustainability report and our Sustainability policy, which can be found here:

https://www.fossanalytics.com/-/media/files/legal-documents/sustainability-report-2021.pdf

#### A diverse and transparent work culture

At FOSS we believe that diversity and unity benefit our company in a number of ways: such as different perspectives and looking at challenges, insights into global markets, innovation, etc. Our policy is that we hire the best candidate for open positions based on merits and the profile for the position regardless of race, nationality, ethnic origin, gender, sexual orientation, marital status, disability, family status, age, or religion. As a company we will not tolerate discrimination in regard to recruitment, advancement, training or salary. We communicate this to both internal and external stakeholders. We also have a whistle-blower system where staff and other stakeholders can raise concerns, including discrimination. No issues around discrimination were raised over the last year.

Our equal opportunities position also extends to the board level. We select the best candidates based on their experience, knowledge, and the skills they can bring to the position regardless of race, gender, age, ethnicity, sexual orientation, etc. Our target is to have a board composition of 15% of the underrepresented gender, at present that figure is 25%.

For more information on equal opportunities please see our Sustainability report and our Sustainability policy, which can be found here:

https://www.fossanalytics.com/-/media/files/legal-documents/sustainability-report-2021.pdf

#### **Data ethics statement**

FOSS is a responsible employer and a trusted partner to our customers and business partners. We do our utmost to ensure that data is used in a safe and responsible manner.

We have taken a strategic approach to data ethics and have established an initial global Data Ethics Policy regarding use of data and new technologies.

The Data Ethics Policy is about responsible and sustainable use of data and new technologies and complements e.g., the principles of transparency and data minimization in FOSS' Global Data Protection Policy as well as rules on integrity and confidentiality. The policy also supplements policies on handling of personal data, use of cookies etc.

The FOSS Data Ethics Policy has been prepared as an overall framework and it applies to the FOSS Group. FOSS will continue its proactive work with data ethics based on the four principles set out in the Data Ethics Policy, which can be found here:

https://www.fossanalytics.com/-/media/files/legal-documents/data-ethics-policy-2021.pdf

#### **Knowledge**

Development, production and marketing of high technology analytical solutions demand highly skilled employees. In order to preserve the Company's ability to satisfy our global customers' demand for dedicated analytical solutions it is a prerequisite that we maintain the extensive specialist knowledge and other competencies, which are deeply rooted in the organization. This is ensured through continued maintenance, education and recruiting of competent and dynamic employees on all levels. Considerable resources are used in order to make this possible. In addition, focus on employer branding to attract and retain talent and experts is high.

#### Risk

#### Operating Risk

The main operating risk for the company is concerning the ability to be strongly positioned in the market and at the cutting edge of the technological development for end-to-end solutions that secure and improve food quality.

The company has entered longer-term contracts with key suppliers for delivery of components that are a part of production in the aim of securing a stable supply and a higher predictability in price development.

In recent years our offering to the market contains more digital offerings as well as more online and interface connections within our IT infrastructure. It is our aim to continuously reduce our risk of being compromised and thus significant resources for improving the Groups IT infrastructure and security are being invested.

#### Financial risk

The financial risk is primarily related to changes in currency exchange rates.

#### Credit risk

The main credit risk for the company derives from ordinary customer transactions with restrictive guidelines for trade with new customers and customers located in zones of particular high credit risk while trade with known and credit rated customers are completed on accommodative conditions. These conditions have historically resulted in very few losses on debtors.

#### **Development in activities and financial conditions**

Revenue has increased by 5.1% to a total of DKK 1,660 million vs. DKK 1,580 million last year.

Gross Profit amounts to DKK 927 million (DKK 903 million in 2020). Consequently, Gross Profit margin has been reduced slightly (55.9%) compared to 2020 (57.2%).

Operating Profit amounts to DKK 479 million (DKK 469 million in 2020) yielding a profit margin of 28.9% (including non-recurring costs) compared to 29.7% in 2020.

Profit before tax amounts to DKK 459 million (DKK 429 million in 2020).

Profit for the year is DKK 367 million (DKK 341 million in 2020) which is above expectations due to the higher sales in 2021 and cost savings due to Covid-19. Proposed dividend for the year is DKK 367 million.

Average number of employees during 2021 is 577 (590 in 2020).

Investments in infrastructure and scalability have been continued throughout the year. Our subsidiary Softflow Hungary Kft. has inaugurated a new R&D facility in Pécs, Hungary.

#### Uncertainty relating to recognition and measurement

There are no significant uncertainties related to the annual report according to the management.

#### **Unusual circumstances**

The annual report is not impacted by any unusual circumstances.

#### **Expected development**

Investments in sales and distribution activities as well as product development activities will continue in 2022. Management expects this to strengthen FOSS Analytical A/S' market position and contribute to fulfil the growth strategy for the company in supplying high quality solutions for the increasing demand of food quality.

The spread of COVID-19 throughout the world can potentially have an influence on the business for the company in 2021. As the potential impact is unknown at this time, this has not been included when setting the expectations for activity and earnings in 2021.

It is the expectation that the company will see revenue and profitability at the level of 2021 in the coming year.

#### **Subsequent events**

The company is to a minor degree exposed to the emerged conflict between Russia and Ukraine with sales of instruments and services to Russia, Ukraine and Belarus. In late February 2022 it has been decided to put all activities in the sanctioned areas to a standstill and thus both revenue and earnings are expected to be impacted to a minor degree in 2022. Current accounts receivables in the sanctioned countries are expected to be locked for collection for a long time.

# **Income Statement**

	Notes	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
		TDKK	TDKK
Revenue	1	1,660,314	1,579,750
Change in inventories of finished goods and work in progress		-10,955	-9,826
Other operating income		40,838	41,384
Expenses for raw materials and consumables		-542,756	-519,253
Other external expenses		-220,075	-188,832
Gross Profit		927,366	903,223
Staff expenses	2	-433,491	-421,988
Earnings before Depreciation and Interest		493,875	481,235
Depreciation, amortization and impairment losses	3	-14,836	-12,642
Operating Profit		479,039	468,593
Loss from group enterprise after tax	4	-19,817	-19,005
Other financial income	5	3,528	2,688
Other financial expenses	6	-3,651	-23,445
Profit from ordinary activities before tax		459,099	428,831
Tax on profit for the year	7	-92,301	-87,406
Profit for the year	8	366,798	341,425
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# **Balance Sheet**

#### **Assets**

	<u>Notes</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
		TDKK	TDKK
Coffee and antique		10.660	12.074
Software and patents		10,668	12,871
Intangible assets	9	10,668	12,871
Plant and machinery		3,642	3,000
Other fixtures, fittings, tools and equipment		13,727	10,162
Leasehold improvements		463	488
Tangible assets	10	17,832	13,650
Investment in group enterprise	11	15,145	-
Fixed asset investment		15,145	
Fixed assets		43,645	26,521
Inventories	12	217,700	199,238
Trade receivables		59,790	59,307
Receivables from group enterprises	11	270,549	263,069
Receivables from parent company		71,370	119,388
Other short-term receivables	13	10,920	9,204
Prepayments	14, 21	2,496	14,153
Receivables		415,125	465,121
Cash and cash equivalents		26,975	33,415
Current assets		659,800	697,774
Assets		703,445	724,295

# **Balance Sheet**

#### Liabilities

	<u>Notes</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
		TDKK	TDKK
Contributed capital	15	20,500	20,500
Retained earnings		21,984	21,767
Proposed dividend for the year		366,798	341,425
Equity		409,282	383,692
Provision for deferred tax	16	6,702	4,276
Other provisions	17	9,138	8,625
Provisions		15,840	12,901
Nico compatibilitates other than acceptation	10	44.420	
Non-current liabilities other than provisions	18	11,138	8,370
Prepayments received from customers		6,782	4,625
Trade payable		99,529	82,291
Payables to group enterprises		28,674	64,941
Income tax payable		91,144	87,462
Other payables		39,328	79,414
Prepayments	19	1,728	599
Current liabilities other than provisions		267,185	319,332
Liabilities other than provisions		278,323	327,702
Equity and Liabilities		703,445	724,295
Contingent assets and liabilities	20		
Fee to auditor appointed at the annual generel meeting	22		
Related parties	23		
Ownership and group relationship	24		11
Subsequent events	25		11

# **Statement of Changes in Equity**

Changes in Equity 2021	Contributed Capital TDKK	Fair value reserve	Retained Earnings TDKK	Proposed dividend for the year	<b>Total</b> TDKK
Equity beginning of year	20,500	6,115	15,652	341,425	383,692
Dividend paid	-	-	-	-341,425	-341,425
Cashflow hedges, net of tax	-	-6,115	8,980	-	2,865
Exchange rate adjustment	-	-	-2,648	-	-2,648
Profit for the year	-	-	-	366,798	366,798
Equity end of year	20,500	_	21,984	366,798	409,282
Changes in Equity 2020	Contributed Capital	Fair value reserve	Retained Earnings	Proposed dividend for the	Total
Changes in Equity 2020				dividend	<b>Total</b> TDKK
Changes in Equity 2020  Equity beginning of year	<u>Capital</u>	reserve	Earnings	dividend for the	
	<b>Capital</b> TDKK	reserve	Earnings TDKK	dividend for the	TDKK
Equity beginning of year	<b>Capital</b> TDKK	reserve	Earnings TDKK	dividend for the TDKK 250,741	TDKK 285,306
Equity beginning of year  Dividend paid	<b>Capital</b> TDKK	TDKK -	Earnings TDKK	dividend for the TDKK 250,741	TDKK 285,306 -250,741
Equity beginning of year  Dividend paid  Cashflow hedges, net of tax	<b>Capital</b> TDKK	TDKK -	TDKK 14,065	dividend for the TDKK 250,741	TDKK 285,306 -250,741 6,115

	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
	TDKK	TDKK
1 Revenue		
Geographical segments		
EU countries	530,113	491,759
Other countries	1,130,201	1,087,991
	1,660,314	1,579,750

Management believes that a break-down of revenue on segments / activities and further geographic markets may create a competitive unwanted attention and focus on its core areas. The information may contribute to competing enterprises' strategic decision-making and thus the Company will suffer significant injury.

As a result, the Management, pursuant to section 96 (1) of the Danish Financial statements Act, chooses not to disclose these segments further.

#### 2 Staff Expenses

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-417,764	-407,554
-10,213	-9,744
-5,514	-4,690
-433,491	-421,988
8,282	7,555
10	10
8,292	7,565
salary and bonus.	
577	590
-7,327	-5,563
-1,940	-2,125
-5,479	-4,868
-90	-86
-14,836	-12,642
	-10,213 -5,514 -433,491  8,282 10 8,292 salary and bonus 577 -7,327 -1,940 -5,479 -90

		<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
		TDKK	TDKK
4	Loss from group enterprise after tax		
	Share of earnings from subsidiary	-19,817	-19,005
5	Other financial income		
	Interest received	330	255
	Interest received from affiliated companies	2,312	2,433
	Exchange rate adjustment	886	-
		3,528	2,688
6	Other financial expenses		
	Interest paid	-533	-28
	Interest paid to affiliated companies	-3,118	-4,593
	Exchange rate adjustment	-	-18,824
		-3,651	-23,445
7	Tax on profit for the year		
	Corporation tax for the year	-91,774	-88,090
	Tax for previous year	961	-6
	Deferred tax previous year	-677	-
	Deferred tax for the year	-811	690
	Tax for the year	-92,301	-87,406
	Deferred tax		
	Deferred tax beginning of the year	-4,276	-3,242
	Adjustments previous year	-677	-
	Adjustments in Profit & Loss	-811	690
	Adjustments in Equity	-938	-1,724
	Deferred tax end of year	-6,702	-4,276
8	Proposed distribution of profit		
٥		225	<b>.</b>
	Proposed dividend for the financial year	366,798	341,425
	Profit for the year	366,798	341,425

#### 9 Intangible Assets

	Software and patents
	TDKK
Cost beginning of year	53,004
Additions for the year	5,124
Disposals for the year	-
Cost end of year	58,128
Amortization and impairment losses 1 January	40,133
Amortization for the year	7,327
Amortization of sold assets for the year	-
Amortization and impairment losses 31 December	47,460
Carrying amount end of year	10,668
Amortized over period of	1-3 years

#### 10 Tangible assets

	Plant and machinery	Other fixtures, fittings, tools and equipment	Leasehold improvements
	TDKK	TDKK	TDKK
Cost beginning of year	28,782	75,442	1,234
Additions for the year	2,582	9,044	65
Disposals for the year	-247	-	-
Cost end of year	31,117	84,486	1,299
Depreciation beginning of year	25,782	65,280	746
Depreciation for the year	1,940	5,479	90
Depreciation of sold assets for the year	-247	-	-
Depreciation end of year	27,475	70,759	836
Carrying amount end of year	3,642	13,727	463
Depreciated over period of	3-5 years	3-5 years	During the rental period

		<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
11	Investment in group enterprise	TDKK	TDKK
	Cost beginning of year	37,863	37,863
	Additions for the year	63,900	-
	Cost end of year	101,763	37,863
	Impairment losses beginning of year	-63,690	-46,272
	Adjustments for the year	-463	-
	Exchange rate adjustment	-2,648	1,587
	Net profit for the year	-19,817	-19,005
	Impairment losses end of year	-86,618	-63,690
	Carrying amount end of year	15,145	-25,827
	Transferred to Receivables from group enterprises	-	25,827
	Carrying amount end of year	15,145	
	Investment in group enterprises	Ownership	Capital
	Softflow Hungary Kft., Pecs, Hungary	100%	4,020,000 THUF
12	Inventories		
	Raw materials and consumables	76,956	69,449
	Work in progress	50,259	53,834
	Manufactured goods and goods for resale	90,485	75,955
		217,700	199,238
13	Other short-term receivables		
	Deposits	303	377
	Other receivables	10,617	8,827
		10,920	9,204

		<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
		TDKK	TDKK
14	Prepayments		
	Recognition of gain regarding forward exchange contracts	-	12,288
	Other prepayments	2,496	1,865
		2,496	14,153
15	Contributed Capital		
	Contributed capital is composed as follows:		
	41,000 units of shares of DKK 500	20,500	20,500
	There has not been any capital changes for the last 5 years.		
16	Provision for deferred tax liabilities		
	Fixed assets	2,524	1,307
	Inventories	4,284	4,288
	Accounts payables	-289	-555
	Prepayments and accruals	183	-764
		6,702	4,276
17	Other provisions		
	Provisions for warranty	9,138	8,625
		9,138	8,625
18	Non-current liabilities other than provisions		
	All long term debt falls due between 1 and 5 years	11,138	8,370
		11,138	8,370
19	Prepayments		
	Service contracts	857	-
	Other	871	599
		1,728	599

		<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
		TDKK	TDKK
20	Contingent assets and liabilities		
	Lease commitments	1,360	1,876
	Securities and guarantees	261	4,409
		1,621	6,285
	Guarantees etc.:		
	Purchase obligations for long-		
	term delivery do not exceed	76,892	59,163
	Security concerning credit	1,445	1,445

The company is a part of a Danish joint taxation of which N. Foss & Co. A/S is the administrative entity. From  $1^{st}$  July 2012 the ultimate parent company is liable for potential obligations for withholding taxes on interest, royalties and dividends and from  $1^{st}$  January 2013 for company taxes within the joint taxation according to the company tax law.

#### 21 Fair value of derivative financial instruments at the balance sheet date

	Fair value beginning of year	12,288	-23,216
	Realized gain/loss recognised in Profit & Loss	-15,616	38,832
	Fair value adjustments recognized directly in the fair value reserve		
	under equity	-	-3,328
	Fair value end of year	-3,328	12,288
22	Fee to auditor appointed at the annual general meeting		
	Fee for statutory audit	358	335
	Other services	31	133
		389	468

#### 23 Related parties

FOSS A/S and N. Foss & Co. A/S are related parties and have a controlling interest in the company.

Transactions with related parties are based on market price (arm's length).

#### 24 Ownership and group relationship

All shares are owned by:

FOSS A/S, Hillerød, Denmark

In accordance with The Danish Financial Statements Act § 71 it shall be stated that, the Company's annual report is included in the consolidated financial statement of FOSS A/S, Hillerød, Denmark (CVR no. 59388517) and the ultimative parent company N. Foss & Co. A/S, Hillerød, Denmark (CVR no. 87974618).

#### 25 Subsequent events

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

#### **Accounting Principles**

#### **Basis of preparation**

This annual report has been prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Danish Financial Statements Act governing reporting class C enterprises (large).

In accordance to The Danish Financial Statements Act § 112 no 2, Group Accounts are not generated as the company is included in FOSS A/S.

The accounting policies for these financial statements are consistent with those applied last year.

The annual report is prepared in thousands DKK.

#### **Recognition and measurement**

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

Liabilities are recognized in the balance sheet when the Company 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 Company, and the value of the liabilities can be measured reliably.

On initial recognition, assets and liabilities are measured at cost. Measurement subsequent to initial recognition is affected 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 recognized in the income statement when earned, whereas costs are recognized by the amounts attributable to this financial year.

#### Foreign currency translation

On initial recognition, foreign currency transactions are translated applying the exchange rate at the transaction date. Receivables, payables and other monetary items denominated in foreign currencies that have not been settled at the balance sheet date are translated using the exchange rate at the balance sheet date. Exchange differences that arise between the rate at the transaction date and the one in effect at the payment date or the rate at the balance sheet date are recognized in the income statement as financial income or financial expenses. Property, plant and equipment, intangible assets, inventories and other non-monetary assets that have been purchased in foreign currencies are translated using historical rates.

When recognizing associates that are independent entities, the income statements are translated at average exchange rates for the months that do not significantly deviate from the rates at the transaction date. Balance sheet items are translated using the exchange rates at the balance sheet date.

According to FOSS Group currency policy the expected cash flow in foreign currencies for the coming year is covered by forward exchange contracts.

#### **Derivative financial instruments**

On initial recognition in the balance sheet, derivative financial instruments are measured at cost and subsequently at fair value. Derivative financial instruments are recognized under prepayments or deferred income.

Changes in the fair value of derivative financial instruments classified as and complying with the requirements for hedging the fair value of a recognized asset or a recognized liability are recorded in the income statement together with changes in the value of the hedged asset or the hedged liability.

Changes in the fair value of derivative financial instruments classified as and complying with the requirements for hedging future transactions are classified directly in equity. When the hedged transactions are realized, the accumulated changes are recognized as part of cost of the relevant financial statement items.

For derivative financial instruments that do not comply with the requirements for being treated as hedging instruments, changes in fair value are recognized currently in the income statement as financial income or financial expenses.

Changes in the fair value of derivative financial instruments applied for hedging net investments in independent foreign subsidiaries or associates are classified directly as equity.

#### **Income statement**

#### Revenue

Revenue from the sale of manufactured goods and goods for resale is recognized in the income statement when delivery is made and risk has passed to the buyer. Revenue is recognized net of VAT, duties and sales discounts and measured at fair value of the consideration fixed.

#### Other operating income and expenses

Other operating income and expenses comprise income and expenses of a secondary nature viewed in relation to the Company's primary activities, including subsidies, rental income, license income, etc.

#### Other external expenses

Other external expenses comprise expenses for distribution, sale, marketing, administration, premises, bad debts, etc.

Other external expenses also include research costs, costs of development projects that do not meet the criteria for recognition in the balance sheet, and amortization of recognized development projects. In addition, provisions for loss on contract work in progress are recognized.

#### Staff costs

Staff costs comprise salaries and wages as well as social security costs, pension contributions, etc for the Company's staff.

#### Other financial income and expenses

These items comprise interest income and expenses, realized and unrealized capital gains and losses on securities, payables and transactions in foreign currencies as well as tax surcharge and tax relief under the Danish Tax Prepayment Scheme.

#### Income taxes

Tax for the year, which consists of current tax for the year and changes in deferred tax, is recognized in the income statement by the portion attributable to the profit for the year and recognized directly in equity by the portion attributable to entries directly in equity. The portion of the tax taken to the income statement, which relates to extraordinary profit/loss for the year, is allocated to this entry whereas the remaining portion is taken to the year's profit/loss from ordinary activities.

The current tax payable or receivable is recognized in the balance sheet, stated as tax calculated on this year's taxable income, adjusted for prepaid tax.

Deferred tax is recognized on all temporary differences between the carrying amount and tax-based value of assets and liabilities, for which the tax-based value of assets is calculated based on the planned use of each asset.

Deferred tax is measured based on the tax regulations and tax rates that will be in effect, using the laws at the balance sheet date, when the deferred tax is estimated to be triggered as current tax. Changes in deferred tax resulting from changed tax rates are recognized in the income statement.

Deferred tax assets, including the tax base of tax loss carry forwards, are recognized in the balance sheet at their estimated realizable value within 3-5 years, either as a set-off against deferred tax liabilities or as net tax assets.

The Company is part of a Danish joint taxation of which N. Foss & Co. A/S is the administrative entity. The current Danish income tax is allocated among the jointly taxed companies proportionally to their taxable income (full allocation with a refund concerning tax losses).

Deferred tax relating to re-taxation of previously deducted losses of foreign subsidiaries is recognized based on a specific assessment of the purpose of the individual subsidiary.

#### **Balance Sheet**

#### Other intangible assets

Other intangible assets comprise acquired intellectual property rights.

Acquired intellectual property rights in the form of patents and licenses are measured at cost less accumulated amortization and impairment losses. Patents are amortized over their remaining duration, and licenses are amortized over the term of the agreement, but over no more than 3 years.

Other intangible assets are written down to the lower of recoverable amount and carrying amount.

Profits and losses from the sale of other intangible assets are calculated as the difference between selling price less selling costs and the carrying amount at the time of sale. Profits or losses are recognized in the income statement as an adjustment to amortization and impairment losses, or under other operating income if the selling price exceeds original cost.

#### **Tangible Assets**

#### Property, plant and equipment

Plant and machinery as well as 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:

Plant and machinery
Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment
Leasehold improvements through

3-5 years through the rental period

3-5 years

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

Profits and losses from the sale of property, plant and equipment are calculated as the difference between selling price less selling costs and carrying amount at the time of sale. Profits or losses are recognized in the income statement as adjustment to depreciation and impairment losses, or under other operating income if the selling price exceeds original cost.

#### **Investments in subsidiaries and associates**

Investments in subsidiaries and associates are recognized and measured under the equity method. This means that investments are measured at the pro rata share of the enterprises' equity plus or less unamortized positive, or negative, goodwill and plus or less unrealized intra-group profits or losses.

The Parent's share of the enterprises' profits or losses after elimination of unrealized intra-group profits and losses and less or plus amortization of positive, or negative, goodwill is recognized in the income statement.

Subsidiaries and associates with a negative equity value are measured at zero value, and any receivables from these enterprises are written down by the Parent's share of such negative equity if it is deemed irrecoverable. If the negative equity exceeds the amount receivable, the remaining amount is recognized under provisions if the Parent has a legal or constructive obligation to cover the liabilities of the relevant enterprise.

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

#### **Inventories**

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

Cost of goods for resale, raw materials and consumables consists of purchase price plus delivery costs. Cost of manufactured goods and work in progress consists of costs of raw materials, consumables and direct labor costs as well as indirect production costs.

Indirect production costs comprise indirect materials and labor costs, costs of maintenance of and depreciation and impairment losses on machinery, factory buildings and equipment applied for the manufacturing process as well as costs of factory administration and management. Financing costs are not included in cost.

The net realizable value of inventories is calculated as the estimated selling price less completion costs and costs incurred to execute sale.

#### **Receivables**

Receivables are measured at amortized cost, usually equalling nominal value less provisions for bad debts.

#### **Prepayments**

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

#### **Dividend**

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

#### Other provisions

Other provisions comprise anticipated warranty commitments, decided and published restructurings, etc.

Other provisions are recognized and measured as the best estimate of the expenses required to settle the liabilities at the balance sheet date. Provisions that are estimated to mature more than one year after the balance sheet date are measured at their discounted value.

Warranty commitments comprise commitments to remedy defects and deficiencies within the guarantee period.

#### **Lease commitments**

Lease payments on operating leases are recognized on a straight-line basis in the income statement over the term of the lease.

#### Other financial liabilities

Other financial liabilities are recognized at amortized cost which usually corresponds to nominal value.

#### **Deferred income**

Deferred income comprises received income for recognition in subsequent financial years. Deferred income is measured at cost.

#### **Cash flow statement**

Cash flow statement has not been prepared for the Company, with reference to the Danish Financial Statements Act § 84, section 4, as the cash flow is included in the cash flow statement of the FOSS A/S Group.

#### **Financial highlights**

Financial highlights are defined and calculated in accordance with "Recommendations & Ratios" issued by the Danish Society of Financial Analysts.

The financial ratios have been calculated as follows:

Operating profit for the year vs.	Operating Profit x 100 Revenue	
Return on Investments	=	Operating Profit x 100 Total Assets
Solvency ratio	=	Equity at year end x 100 Total Assets
Return on equity	=	Profit for the year x 100 Average equity