

## Interim Report 1 January – 30 June 2017

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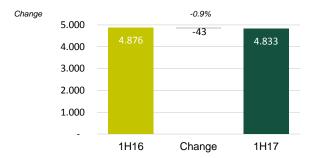
October 2017



### **Performance improvements in line with expectations**

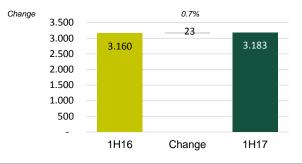
- Overall market positions maintained
- Volume 1% lower at 4.8 mHL
- Net revenue 1% higher at DKK 3.2bn
- EBIT increased by more than 7% to DKK 502m
- EBIT-margin increase from 14.8% to 15.8%
- Free cash flow DKK 497m (DKK 514m including 1Q16 Aarhus sale DKK 160m)
- Outlook 2017 confirmed specified interval:
  - Net revenue in the low-end (due to poor summer weather)
  - EBIT in the upper half of interval

**Increasing earnings** 

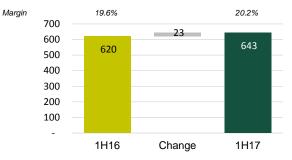




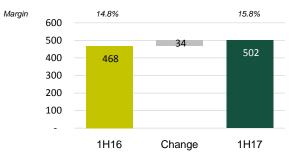
Volume '000 HL



EBITDA mDKK



**EBIT mDKK** 



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### **Earnings increase in Western Europe and Baltic Sea**

#### Western Europe

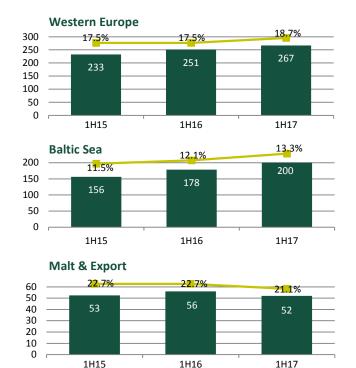
- Volume +4%, NR -1% excl. snacks, EBIT +6%
- Denmark & Germany market positions strengthened. Increased product awareness from Royal Arena, Distortion & Tivoli
- PepsiCo snacks distribution in Denmark developing as planned
- Italy increasing product offerings, market positions slightly down

#### **Baltic Sea**

- Volume -5%, NR +2%, EBIT +12%
- Finland Market positions excl. the extraordinary campaign declining from value management focus. Investment in new specialty brewery
- Baltics increasing consumer prices and declining consumption on regulatory tightening for alcohol products
- PepsiCo soft drink business in Baltics developing as planned

#### Malt & Export

- Volume +5%, NR 0%, EBIT -7%
- Difficult macro-economics and FX in a number of markets
- Sell-out a low single digit increase
- Continued investment in the organization and market positions



EBIT — Margin

### **Improved financial performance**

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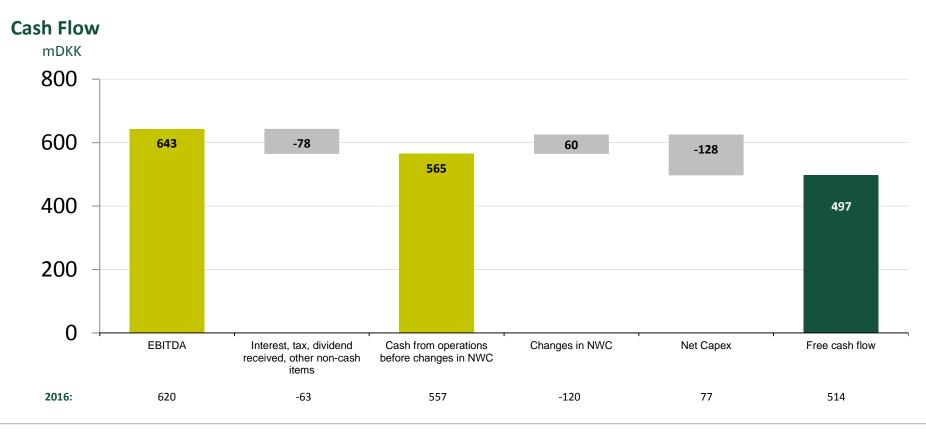


mDKK	1H17	1H16	Change
P&L ITEMS			
Net revenue	3,183	3,160	23
Gross margin	51.6%	52.0%	-0.4pp
EBITDA	643	620	23
EBITDA margin	20.2%	19.6%	0.6pp
EBIT	502	468	34
EBIT margin	15.8%	14.8%	1.0pp
Profit before tax	498	462	36
Net profit	390	364	26

BALANCE SHEET ITEMS	
Net interest bearing debt 1,158 1,261	-103
Net working capital -949 -867	-82
Total assets 6,405 6,531	-126
Equity 2,637 2,712	-75
Equity ratio 41.2% 41.5%	-0.3pp
Invested capital 4,041 4,207	-166
ROIC ex. goodwill 30.2% 25.2%	5.0pp
ROIC incl. goodwill 19.6% 16.9%	2.7pp

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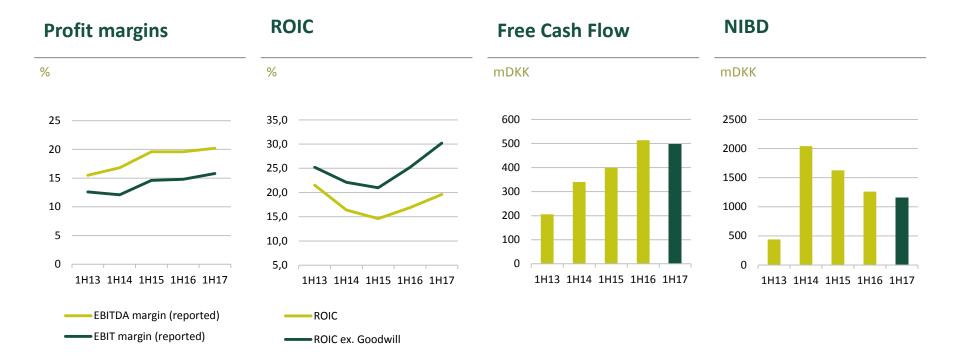
### **Cash flow in line with expectations**



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### **Strong key figure performance**





### **Outlook 2017 reiterated and specified**

mDKK	Outlook August 2017	Outlook March 2017	Realised 2016
Net revenue	6,250-6,350	6,250-6,450	6,340
EBITDA	1,320-1,370	1,285-1,385	1,306
EBIT	1,030-1,080	980-1,080	1,001



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### **Q&A-session**



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### Appendix

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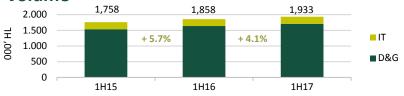




#### Western Europe: Continued earnings increase

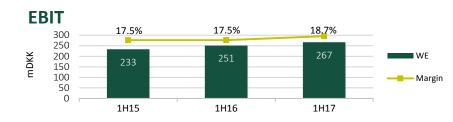
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#### Revenue

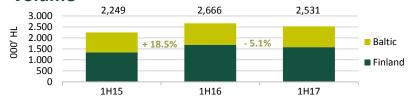


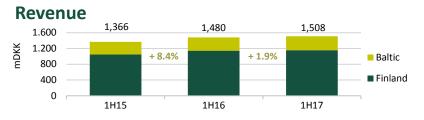


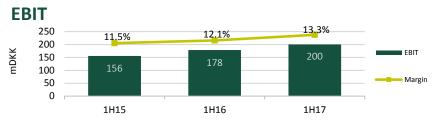
#### Baltic Sea: Earnings increase on efficiencies & price/mix

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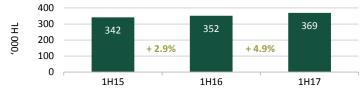




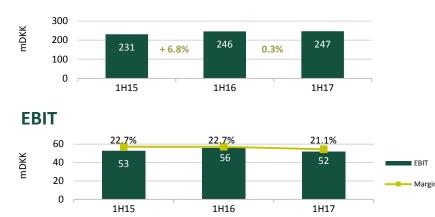
### Malt Beverages and Exports: Growth rate declining from macro

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#### Volume



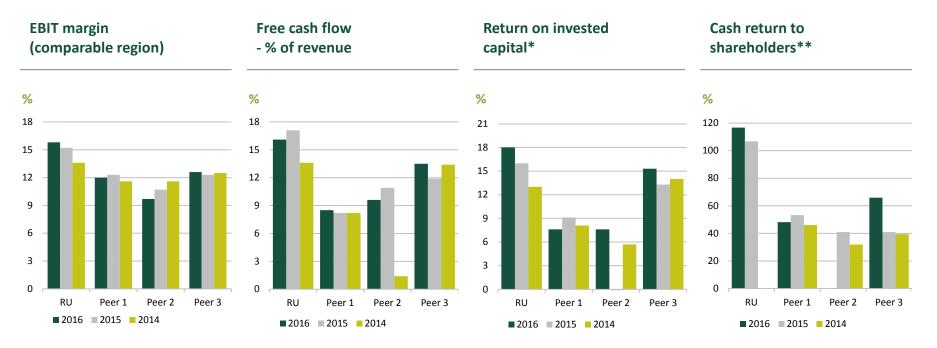
#### Revenue



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### Solid performance to peers 2016





\* Based on average invested capital

\*\* Percentage of net profit the year before

### **Shareholder distribution**

#### Dividend for 2016 of DKK 426m paid to shareholders

- Dividend of DKK 8.15 per share

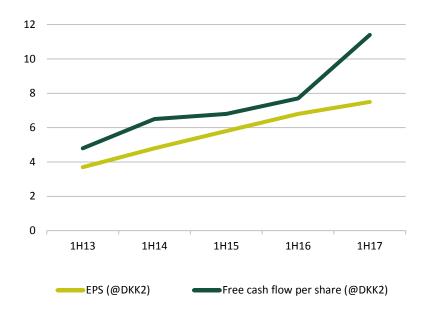
#### DKK 560m share buy-back initiated on March 8, 2017

- Safe harbour program
- Maximum 12 month period

### Share buy-back as per June 30, 2017 (existing and previous program)

811,569 shares bought at at total value of DKK 237m

#### EPS and free cash flow per share



# **Financial targets**

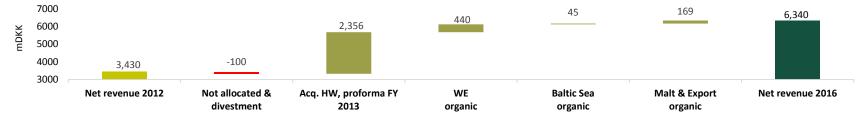
	March 2017 revised target	November 2015 revised target	August 2014 revised target	Post Hartwall acquisition target*
Earnings	EBIT margin 16%	EBIT margin 15%	EBIT margin 14%	EBIT margin 13%
Equity ratio	Minimum 30%	Minimum 30%	Minimum 30%	Minimum 30%
NIBD/EBITDA	Maximum 2.5x	Maximum 2.5x	Maximum 2.5x	Maximum 2.5x

- Distribution policy:
  - Dividends 40-60% of net profit
  - Share buy-back to adjust capital structure

 $^{\ast}$  Amortization from the acquisition decreased EBIT-margin by approx. 50bp

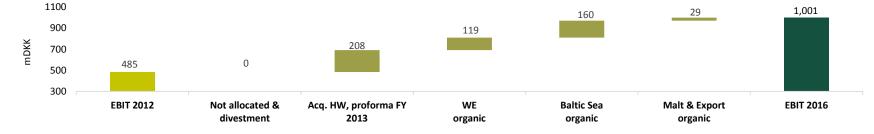


### Significant organic improvement 2012 to 2016



#### Net revenue bridge 2012-2016

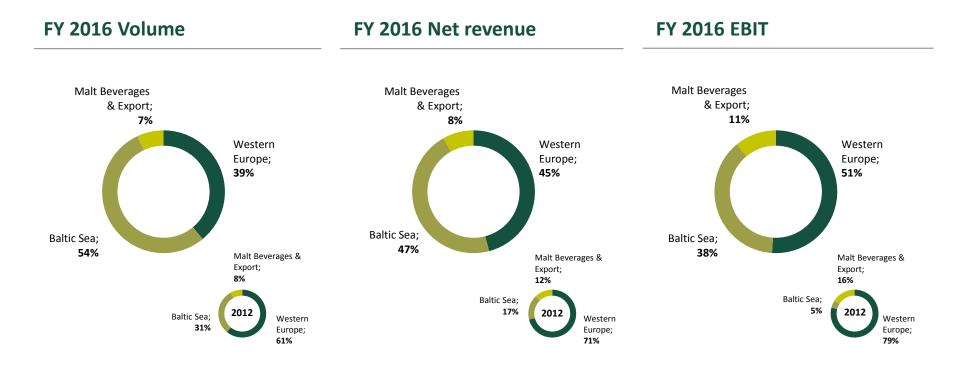
**EBIT bridge 2012-2016** 





### **Business segment overview**







### Management



Hans Savonije President & CEO BA Business administration

Joined the Executive Board on 29 September 2008

#### **Past experience**

Beverage Partners Worldwide, Coca-Cola & Nestlé, CEO SVP Global Markets, Remy Cointreau Associés, CEO, France World Lotteries Association, CEO, Switzerland



#### Lars Jensen

#### CFO

Diploma in Business Economics, Informatics and Management Accounting. Joined Royal Unibrew in 1993

Joined the Executive Board on 30 November 2011

#### **Past experience**

Head of Finance, Royal Unibrew A/S

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