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## Læsevejledning

## Hvordan skal denne præsentation bruges?

Denne præsentation skal ses i sammenhæng med <u>præsentationen fra prisuddelingen</u> og <u>præsentationen af gode eksempler</u> <u>fra vindervirksomhederne.</u>

De følgende sider indeholder gode eksempler fra årsrapporter, der kan tjene til inspiration for andre.

Eksemplerne er udvalgt af PwC i forbindelse med arbejdet med PwC's regnskabspriser 2024 vedrørende årsrapporter 2023.

Eksemplerne tilsigter ikke at være udtømmende.

Det skal bemærkes, at der ved uddeling af Regnskabspriserne 2024 har været lagt særlig vægt på ESG. Disse eksempler er derfor også præget af, at dette emne har været prioriteret.

God læselyst!

## **PwC**

# Ledelsesberetningen

## **Our business model**

## Our purpose and who we are

"Advance sustainable healthcare to meet people's changing needs"



**+25,000** highly skilled professionals present in **26 countries** 



Acting as **partner and supplement** to the established healthcare offerings

## Our capabilities



Deep understanding of healthcare, safety and customer needs.



High-quality commercial services delivered through long-term contracts and subscriptions.



Excellent operational planning, training, mobilisation and utilisation.

## How we serve customers



### **Preventive Care**

We help individuals and organisations stay healthy by working with them to prevent physical and mental health problems and lifestyle-related conditions



### Acute Care

We deliver fast and effective care when a healthcare problem arises – ensuring people get the right diagnosis and treatment at the right time, either at home, digitally or in a healthcare facility



## Rehabilitative Care

We help people
physically and mentally
recover after a healthcare problem – keeping
them safe as we bring
them back to good
health, so they can
thrive in their everyday
lives again

## The value we create

### Ease critical moments

During a crisis, the right interventions at the right time are critical to achieve the best outcome. Easing critical moments means alleviating physical and emotional impact of critical healthcare moments.

Falcks forretningsmodel giver et godt overblik over selskabets formål, aktiviteter og

værdiskabelse.

### Enable equal access

Today many people receive insufficient care due to financial, cultural and logistical barriers. Enabling equal access means delivering inclusive care to diverse populations and helping them navigate their care.

### **Build resilient communities**

Families, organisations and health systems need the tools to prevent, withstand and recover from healthcare challenges. Building resilient communities means ensuring adaptable and sustainable healthcare for individuals and society.

## Our ownership

Majority foundation ownership with long-term commitment to healthcare

Falck, Årsrapport 2023, s. 14

## **Our business model**

We ship freight by land, sea and air and provide contract logistics. Our business model is flexible and asset light, which helps us to keep supply chains flowing efficiently, from shipper to consignee.

## A light model for the right reasons

Our business model allows us to quickly scale activities to match changes in market demand or modes of transport. It also helps us choose the best partners for any service, based on reliability, available capacity, sustainability factors, transit time and price.

Although we are a global business, we are always close to local markets. Working with container carriers, airlines, road hauliers and railway operators, we move goods to wherever they are needed. And being one of the largest buyers globally means that we – and our customers – benefit from keen pricing and strong, long-standing relationships with carriers.

We offer a unique combination of a highly skilled workforce with extensive industry know-how, advanced IT systems, modern warehouses and terminals, strong carrier relationships and a global network across more than 80 countries.

## Adding value to complex supply chains

As well as transport, our customers buy a full range of freight forwarding, logistics and distribution services from us, and we offer supply chain control towers where we monitor and optimise supply chains.

Our workflows are highly digitalised and our systems tightly integrated with customers and suppliers. To cut the environmental impact of our business, we work closely with customers and suppliers to track and minimise emissions across our entire supply chain – from shipper to final destination.

## Freight forwarding services

Shipment booking — Pick-up — Warehouse — Documentation & customs clearance

Cargo consolidation — Purchase order management

Cross-dock terminal — Insurance



## End-to-end logistics

Through our global network, we provide a wide range of endto-end supply chain solutions from shipper to consignee. We track our environmental impact systematically to make our operations as efficient as possible.



Subcontracted transport DSVs forretningsmodel

viser de elementer i

forsyningskæden, DSV selv

står for, og dem der

er outsourcet - uden at

overblikket fortabes.



To consignee

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## Logistics and distribution services

Warehousing — Picking/packing — Cross-dock terminal — Deconsolidation

Labelling, configuration, testing — Distribution — Documentation & customs clearance

E-commerce fulfilment — Supply chain optimisation — 4PL

DSV, Årsrapport 2023, s. 13

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## **BUSINESS MODEL**

SECURING THE HIGHEST VALUE FOR OUR FARMERS' MILK WHILE CREATING VALUE FOR THEIR GROWTH

Arla is the fourth-largest dairy producer in the world based on milk intake. As a cooperative, our focus is on maximising the value from our milk, and with our cooperative set-up this means that all the benefits from the sale of Arla products lead back to our farmer owners. who actively contribute to sustainability

efforts and invest in the business to enable development and the well-being of future generations.

### Farmers and cows

We have 7.999 farmer owners who oversee a herd of over 1.5 million cows. Their primary business goal is

to produce milk in a sustainable and profitable manner, ensuring the well-being of the cows and preserving the surrounding environment. Our farmers are rewarded for their sustainability actions through our incentive model.

Read more on page 35.

## Milk collection

Every year, we collect approximately 13.9 billion kg of raw milk, primarily sourced from our owners across seven countries.

### Production and packaging

We operate 59 production and packaging sites, producing 6.4 billion kg of nutritious dairy products annually. Our facilities create jobs worldwide, offering safe conditions and fair wages. Furthermore, we enhance the value of our owners' milk through innovation, branding and marketing. The profits are distributed among the owners through the milk payment system.

### Customers

Our products are distributed in 146 countries, catering to a diverse range of customers, including supermarket chains, foodservice and business-tobusiness. The key to our success lies in fostering strong collaboration and working towards a shared objective of delivering exceptional service to consumers while minimising the environmental impact of shopping.

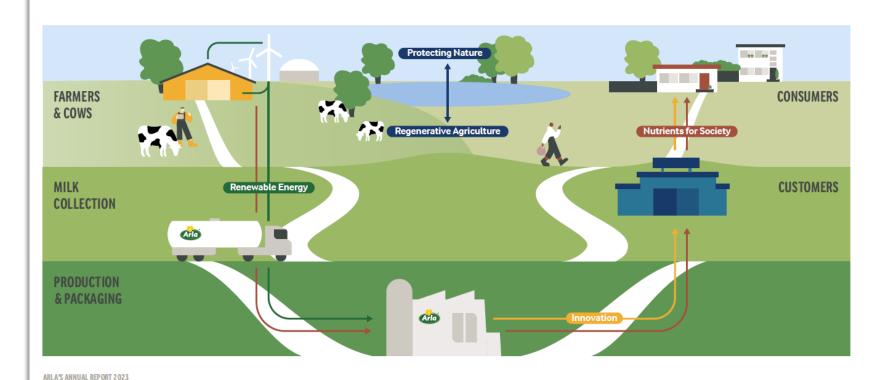
## Consumers

Through our efforts, we nourish millions of individuals, prioritising their health

and well-being. Our approach innovative solutions, prop food habits and ensuring access to nutrition for lov consumers.

Read more on pages 68

Arlas beskrivelse af forretningsmodellen inddrager på overskuelig vis selskabets leverandører (og ejere).



Arla, Årsrapport 2023, s. 10

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## What we depend on

## Purpose-driven people and our culture

Our talented, diverse team of around 100,000 employees with 181 nationalities.

### Our brand

For over a century, we have built partnerships with customers, enabling them to prosper by facilitating global trade.

### Natural resources

Our business relies on natural resources such as steel for vessels and oil, biomass and water for conventional and green fuels.

## Stakeholder relationships and partnerships

We rely on constructive relationships with customers, suppliers, peers and authorities.

### Assets and end-to-end delivery network

Our assets, supplier relationships and logistics expertise ensure resilient supply chains.

### Financial capital

We have a strong balance sheet and are committed to remaining investment grade-rated.

### **Technology and data**

Technology and data are key to connecting and simplifying supply chains.

**BUSINESS MODEL** 

# Our business and how we create value

A.P. Moller - Maersk is a purpose-driven company and always has been.

Increasing complexity in global supply chains drives the need for integrated logistics. We aim to fulfil that need by sustainably and responsibly delivering better, simpler and more reliable outcomes for our customers.

Improving life for all by integrating the world.



Through the enablers of ESG, Technology and People, customer, financial and operational synergies are unleashed from the integrated businesses of Ocean, Logistics & Services and Terminals. → See page 18

## Value created for

### Our customers

We aspire to provide truly integrated for 100,000+ customers' supply chair helping them meet their decarbonisa commitments.

### Our people

We keep our people safe and engaged offering equitable and interesting car

### Socie

By integrating global logistics, we improve the flow of goods and materials that sustain people, businesses and economies the world over and contribute to improved quality of life and prosperity.

### The planet

Our industry is a significant contributor to global greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions, and we are committed to realising net zero emissions by 2040.

### Shareholder

In our transformation to become the global integrator of container logistics, we continue to innovate and grow shareholder value.

Maersks forretningsmodel viser selskabets forretningsområder, og hvordan disse arbejder sammen for at realisere virksomhedens formål.

Herunder anføres de forudsætninger, der skal være til stede, for at det lykkes.

Maersk, Årsrapport 2023, s.13

## Udvikling i forventninger hos kunder

## A responsive approach

We monitor the latest trends and adapt technologies that benefit our customers and our business.

Our business operations rely on strong systems and technology. Last year, our scalable, digital platforms handled almost 360 million transactions. These platforms not only support efficient workflows; they also ensure fast and smooth integration of M&As and support our growth strategy. The following are some of the most significant technologies we are working with.

## A digital customer journey fuelled by generative AI

A seamless digital customer journey is key to delivering the services and quality expected by our customers. We are already applying generative Al and similar technologies to digitalise the customer journey and eliminate double entry of data, which often leads to low data quality and slow processing. With more than 500,000 monthly transactions through our Al Factory, mainly related to handling of vendor invoices and customs clearance, we are making good progress.

We have a good customer adoption of our myDSV customer platform, and we have more than 10,000 direct integrations to carriers and customers. However, we still receive many e-mails with shipment data, and we see potential in automating the handling of these by implementing generative Al to both uplift data and feed our systems.

Across our network, several manual processes are candidates for automation, using generative AI to assist our employees. Identifying the right use cases and implementing enterprise solutions based on AI technology takes time and a systematic approach. We are taking this seriously by not only empowering our staff, but also encouraging them to drive further digitalisation.

### Digital warehouse twins to drive further automation

We are working closely with our customers to increase automation and digitalisation of our warehouses, with the implementation of digital twins

being a key enabler. Digital warehouse twins enable us to reduce labour intensive tasks, optimise warehouse utilisation, reduce damages and improve the quality of our services. The technology also paves the way for the implementation of automated guided vehicles. In general, digital twins create a collaboration platform for several different automation solutions and enable further synergies.

The combination of human labour and robots has historically posed a problem as they can slow each other down. This is to a large degree mitigated with digital twins, as they seamlessly communicate with each other.

## Semi-autonomous trucks to mitigate driver shortage

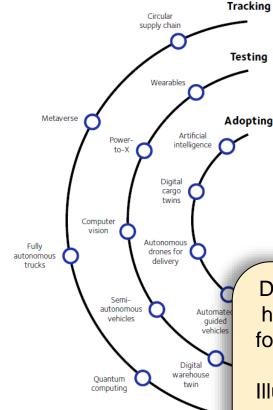
DSV is partnering with leading truck manufacturers and technology companies to test semi-autonomous driving. Advanced Driver Assistance Systems (ADAS) are central to improving the safety and comfort of our drivers. ADAS give drivers extra high awareness of their surroundings with the use of sensors, cameras, radars and lidars. This significantly increases traffic safety as well as the safety and comfort of our drivers, which is key for us to retain them in our industry. ADAS also support our sustainability agenda, as diesel consumption is reduced on trucks using the technology.

Fully autonomous trucks are still a thing of the future, but the technology can already deliver significant benefits, and at DSV we are keen to drive the development and exploit the advantages.

## Staying abreast of the latest trends

Our Group Innovation team drives our global innovation efforts, monitoring trends and technologies and prioritising which to explore. Working with internal and external stakeholders, the team tests ideas, establishes financial business cases and implements projects across our global network.

## DSV technology trend radar



Denne illustration fra DSV viser, hvilke trends og teknologier der forventes at komme til at påvirke selskabets forretning.

Illustrationen indeholder også en angivelse af stadiet (tracking, testing eller adopting) på den pågældende teknologi.

DSV, Årsrapport 2023, s. 16

## Risici – Udvikling i forhold til sidste år

## Key risk assessment 2023

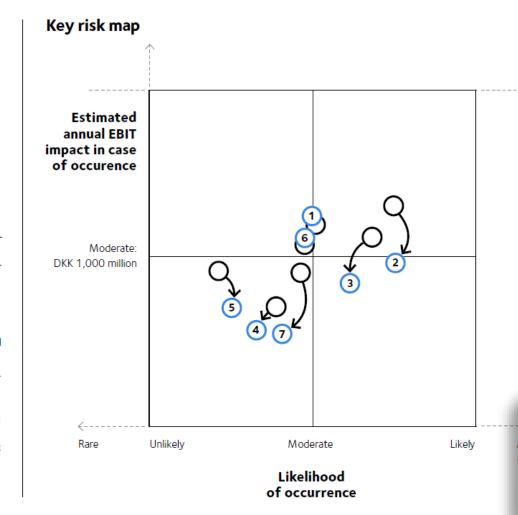
The latest assessment of the Group's internal and external strategic risks was carried out in Q4 2023. The analysis reaffirmed the existence of seven overarching risk categories identified in previous years, which have the potential to significantly impact the Group's earnings, financial position and strategic objectives if they materialise. The results of the risk analysis are depicted in the accompanying risk map and elaborated upon in the subsequent sections. The key risks are listed in random order. The indicated likelihood of occurrence and annual EBIT impact are based on our best estimates, factoring in mitigation strategies. However, it is important to note that the quantifications in the risk map entail a degree of uncertainty.

## Financial risks

While our daily operations involve various financial risks, they are not considered key risks. Our Group Finance departments actively monitor the financial risks to ensure the efficacy of our hedging strategies. For further details on our financial risks, please refer to Chapter 4 of the notes to the financial statements.

## The risk from climate changes

Climate changes impact our industry and we closely monitor the potential impact, but currently do not consider this a key risk for the Group within the time horizon covered by our Enterprise Risk Management framework. As part of our environmental management system, we assess, monitor and manage climate associated risks and opportunities. Long-term climate-related financial risks and opportunities are identified, assessed and managed guided by the recommendations of the Task Force on Climate Related Financial Disclosures (TCFD). For more information about our 2023 climate risk assessment, see page 13 of our Sustainability Report 2023.



2023

2022

- 1 IT Security
  System breakdowns
  and cyberattacks
- 2 Macroeconomy
  Recession and changes
  to global supply chains
- 3 Employees Retention and attraction
- 4 Compliance Increasing regulatory complexity and new risk areas
- 5 M&A Acquisitions and integration failure
- 6 Technology Innovation and technological adaptation

Illustrationen fra DSV viser en risikomatrice, som indeholder selskabets væsentligste risici.
Bemærk, at ændringer i en risiko vises i forhold til sidste år.

DSV, Årsrapport 2023, s. 33

## Væsentlige risici – herunder "emerging risks"



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## Strategi og implementering

## **Our Strategy**

Business Strategy	Priorities in 2023	Priorities for 2024	Link to Risk
Build a profitable and successful biotech  — Maintain a flexible and capital- efficient model  — Maximize relationships with partners  — Retain ownership of select products	Invest in our people and culture  — Further scale organization aligned with differentiated antibody product portfolio growth and future launches  Become a leading integrated biotech innovation powerhouse  — Use solid financial base to grow and broaden antibody product and technology portfolio	Invest in our people and culture  — Further scale organization aligned with differentiated antibody product portfolio growth and future launches  Become a leading integrated biotech innovation powerhouse  — Use solid financial base to grow and broaden antibody product and technology portfolio	Please refer to the risks included in this Annual Report.
Focus on core competence  Identify the best disease targets  Develop unique first-in-class or best-in-class antibodies  Develop next-generation technologies	Build a world-class differentiated pipeline  — Acasunlimab (GEN1046/BNT311, DuoBody-PD-L1x4-1BB)¹  — Establish proof of concept data in solid tumor indication  — GEN1042 (BNT312, DuoBody-CD40x4-1BB)¹  — Establish efficacy and safety data in solid tumor indication  — Progress towards late-stage clinical development  — Expand and advance proprietary clinical product portfolio	Build world-class differentiated pipeline  — Acasunlimab (GEN1046/BNT311, DuoBody-PD-L1x4-1BB)¹  — Initiate Phase 3 study (2L NSCLC)  — GEN1042 (DuoBody-CD40x4-1BB)¹  — Phase 2 data and determine next steps  — Expand and advance proprietary product portfolio	Please refer to the risks included in this Annual Report.
Turn science into medicine  — Create differentiated antibody therapeutics with significant commercial potential	Bring our own medicines to patients  - Epcoritamab²  - Launch in relapsed/refractory diffuse large B-cell lymphoma (DLBCL)  - Submit a supplemental Biologics License Application (sBLA)  - Broaden clinical development program  - Tivdak³  - Progress successful uptake in second line (2L)+ recurrent or metastatic (r/m) cervical cancer patients  - Progress clinical development program	Bring our own medicines to patients & expand our markets  — EPKINLY  — Initiate three Phase 3 trials  — Expand label to include relapsed/refractory FL  — Tivdak  — Initiate Phase 3 study in head and neck  — Execute successful launches and growth in key markets	Please refer to the risks included in this Annual Report.
CSR Strategy	Priorities in 2023	Priorities for 2024	Link to Risk
Commitment to our business-driven Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) strategy, which focuses on four pillars: — Science-driven health innovations for patients — Employee well-being and vitality — Ethics and transparency — Environmental and community sustainability	- Continue strong commitment to being a sustainable and responsible company - Further integrate environmental, social, and governance (ESG) into our strategic planning, operations and risk management processes - Further formalize total CO <sub>2</sub> emissions mapping - Further define and communicate Genmab's commitment to successfully attract, motivate, retain and reward top talent - Enhance diversity, equity and inclusion (DE&I) processes and efforts - Monitor regulatory landscape and prepare for new ESG-related reporting requirements	Continue to grow our commitment to being a sustainable and responsible company Ensure that policies and procedures are implemented in alignment with ESG-related reporting requirements, while continuing to monitor the regulatory landscape Collaborate internally to integrate ESG into our strategic planning, business operations and risk management processes Continue to develop and deliver treatments to improve lives of patients Minimize our carbon footprint and map our Greenhouse Gas (GHG) emissions Promote the Company's efforts to attract, retain, motivate and recognize diverse, world-class talent Invest in DE&I processes and efforts which is critical to our future growth	Please refer to the risks included in Genmab's 2023 Corporate Responsibility report, https://ir.genmab.com/static-files/c0341966-2b12-4013-ad8b-e21aeb167f1c
1. Co-development with BioNTech; 2. Co-develo	pment with AbbVie; 3. Co-development with Pfizer.		
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Genmab, Årsrapport 2023, s. 12

Tabellen linker Genmabs strategi med de prioriterede mål for 2023 og for det kommende år (2024). Herudover er der indsat links til de væsentligste risici, som påvirker de enkelte strategiområder.

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## Strategi

## **Royal Unibrew's acquisitions**

Over the past three years, we have made several acquisitions that have, in various ways, helped and will continue to help improve capacity utilization at Group level.

We categorize acquisitions into four types.



### **Bolt-on acquisitions**

- Minor businesses with operations within an area where Royal Unibrew is already present through the multi-beverage model
- The acquired business is relatively simple to integrate
- Significant value creation potential as synergies are relatively large as percentage of acquired revenue

Examples include

Nørrebro Bryghus

Total acquired bolt-on net revenue (2021-2023)

DKK ~150 million



### Brand/category acquisitions

- Acquisitions of brands, which will give Royal Unibrew exposure to brands/ categories in existing niche/multi-niche markets
- Includes acquisitions of brands in categories where we are already established but where we significantly improve our market position through the acquisition of complementary brands
- · Sizeable syngergies

Examples include

Amsterdam Brewery

Total acquired brand/category net revenue (2021-2023)

DKK ~275 million

## Our growth formula

Royal Unibrew remains committed to delivering profitable earnings growth in the coming years. We drive our everyday business by maximizing organic EPS growth in the long-term.



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## Volume growth

Royal Unibrew has market leading portfolios of non-alcoholic and alcoholic beverages throughout its main markets with multi-beverage offerings in the Nordic region and the Baltic countries and leading market share positions in several categories. In addition, Royal Unibrew has strong niche positions in the Netherlands, Italy, France and Canada as well as export business in more than 70 additional countries.

Our focus on selected growth categories across geographies aims for higher organic volume growth than the underlying market growth. Strong multi-beverage portfolio, strong distribution power and excellent in-store execution contribute to slightly growing market shares in the markets we operate. Overall, we expect our markets to develol flattish in the coming years.



### Value growth

We optimize the value of our brand portfollo through a focused price/pack strategy, balancing pricing and packing to meet consumer expectations. In combination with the right innovations and a focus on profitable channels and categories this is how we drive value every day.

Price per volume unit has also increased significantly as a consequence of cost inflation, which means that we need to stay focused on the underlying profitability of our products. We do so by monitoring consumer demand, leveraging our price/pack architecture and other price/mix tools.



## Operating leverage

Costs efficiency and efficiency improvements in general have always been part of how we work and think. Our culture-driven can-do attitude combined with a pronounced degree of teamwork entall that we do things better and more efficient every day.

Our strategic focus on structurally growing areas within our portfolio, which mostly comes with higher margins, optimizes our ability to increase price per volume unit, forming a solid foundation for an underlying margin expansion.



### Mergers and acquisitions

It has always been a core part of our strategy to create value through acquisitions of companies. We have created significant value through acquisitions over time, and the foundation for acquisitions will always be that they can be incorporated in our operating model and, likewise, that our business model enables us to extract synergies from the combination of businesses.

Timing of acquisitions is unpredictable and therefore not something that can be planned. Over the past couple of years, we have made several acquisitions of companies that have been on our radar for many years. These are as standalone units not transformative for Royal Unibrew, but in its totality they have transformed Royal Unibrew from a country-based company to a pan-Nordic company with several Western European growth opportunities.

On top of this, we have made bolt-on or brands/category acquisitions to improve our market positions and likewise acquired production assets to expand production capacity and bring production closer to consumption. All acquisitions are expected to contribute to organic EBIT growth in the coming years.



## Share buy-backs

Our multi-beverage model is a highly cash generative business, and it provides us the ability to develop the business in line with our strategic priorities while at the same time enable us to distribute an attractive pay-out to our shareholders. It is our priority to create a positive total shareholder return through a combination of growing distribution (dividends and share buy-backs) and increasing share price. Share buy-backs will be the balancing instrument to secure that we remain financially flexible within our capital allocation policy (see page 30).

Due to our net interst-bearing debt/EBITDA being above our target of 2.5x, share buy-backs are currently on hold.

Our growth formula: volume + value + efficiency + potential M&A + share buy-backs = increased earnings per share

Examples include

Vrumona

Total acquired platform net revenue (2021-2023)

DKK ~3,800 million

Examples include
San Giorgio

Total acquired asset net revenue (2021-2023)

DKK ~300 million

De to tabeller supplerer hinanden og beskriver Royal Unibrews forskellige typer af virksomhedsovertagelser, samt hvordan disse hænger sammen med selskabets forventninger om vækst.

Royal Unibrew, Årsrapport 2023, s. 22+24

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## Outlook

## Financial and ESG outlook 2024

## **Group EBITDA guidance**

Our EBITDA guidance does not include earnings from new partnership agreements and also excludes impact from potential changes in cancellation fees relating to ceasing the development of Ocean Wind 1.

Operating profit (EBITDA) excluding new partnership agreements and cancellation fees is expected to be DKK 23-26 billion in 2024.

As in previous years, we could see offsetting effects between the business units compared to our directional guidance.

### Offshore - lower

Earnings from sites are expected to increase in 2024 compared to 2023:

- Ramp-up of generation from Greater Changhua 1 and 2a, South Fork, and Gode Wind 3.
- Total power generation expected to increase by approx. 15%.
- Inflation adjustment on ROC and CfD farms, partly offset by lower prices on merchant assets and a step down in subsidy level for our older German assets.
- Partly offset by lower positive impact from reversal of temporary IFRS 9 adjustments.

Earnings from existing partnerships are expected to decrease compared to 2023, mainly driven by:

- positive effects from wake and warranty provisions in 2023 not expected to be repeated in 2024
- · higher costs related to M&A activities.

'Other, including project development' in Offshore is expected to increase compared to 2023, mainly due to:

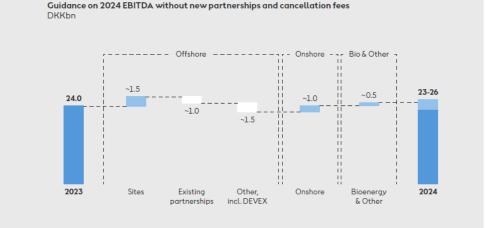
- internal costs related to the close-down of the Ocean Wind 1 project being expensed
- a higher share of costs being expensed rather than capitalised (no increase in underlying cost base).

## Onshore - significantly higher

Earnings in Onshore (excluding new partnership agreements) are expected to increase compared to 2023.

The positive impact on EBITDA in 2024 is driven by:

- ramp-up of generation from the wind part of Helena Energy Center, Eleven Mile, Old 300, Sunflower Wind, and Mockingbird
- · higher expected availability in the US
- total power generation expecting to increase by approx. 30 %
- · partly offset by slightly lower prices
- project development and general costs expected to be in line with 2023.



Outlook 2024	2023	2024
	Realised	Guidance
Financial outlook, DKK billion		
EBITDA (without new partnerships, excl. cancellation fees)	24.0	23-26
Offshore	19.1	Lower
Onshore	3.0	Significantly higher
Bioenergy & Other	1.5	Significantly higher
Gross investments	38.5	48-52
ESG outlook		
Greenhouse gas emissions intensity (scope 1, 2), CO₂e/kWh	38	Lower
Greenhouse gas emissions intensity (scope 1-3 excl. natural gas calcs) a CO-a/W/b	80	Higho

Greenhouse gas emissions from natural gas sales (scope Gender balance – gender with lowest representation (fe

Our EBITDA guidance for the Group is the prevailing guiunit (and components) serves as a means to support this ings relative to the results for 2023. Ambu er et godt eksempel på, hvordan outlook kan gives, og hvordan det kan suppleres med en illustration, som viser, hvilke faktorer der forventes at drive udviklingen.

Ambu, Årsrapport 2023, s. 91

## Outlook – opdatering af outlook

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## FOLLOW-UP ON ANNOUNCED OUTLOOK

Relative to the realised results in 2021/22

During the financial year 2022/23, Ambu adjusted the outlook for organic revenue growth and EBIT margin before special items on two occasions in total.

Firstly, in July 2023, we raised our guidance for the EBIT margin before special items to 5-6% from 3-5%, due to a better-than-expected gross margin, based on product mix and lower distribution costs.

Secondly, in August 2023, we slightly narrowed our organic revenue growth guidance to 6-8% from 5-8%, based on our performance in Q3 and the first two months of Q4.

In October 2023, Ambu released preliminary financial results for the full 2022/23 financial year. Organic revenue growth ended at 7.6%, driven by our Endoscopy Solutions business. EBIT margin before special items ended at 6.3%, above guidance, as a result of the scale in OPEX and product mix.

## **OUTLOOK EXPECTATIONS 2022/23**

## Local currencies

(DKKm)	Realised	9 Oct 2023	31 Aug 2023	10 July 2023	15 Nov 2022
Organic growth	7.6%	7.6%	6-8%	5-8%	5-8%

## Danish kroner

(DKKm)	Realised	9 Oct 2023	31 Aug 2023	10 July 2023	15 Nov 2022
EBIT margin before special items	6.3%	6.3%	5-6%	5-6%	3-5%

Ambu viser ændringer i outlook, som er relevante for regnskabsbrugeren til at forstå opfølgning på udmeldte forventninger.

Ambu, Årsrapport 2023, s. 91

## Opfølgning på guidance

## Follow-up on 2023 guidance

### Full-year EBITDA

Operating profit (EBITDA) excluding new partnerships and cancellation fees totalled DKK 24.0 billion compared to our expectations at the beginning of the year of DKK 20-23 billion.

Earnings in Offshore ended up higher than expected, mainly due to a partial reversal of negative temporary IFRS 9 adjustments in 2022 together with good performance by our power trading activities. We also had lower balancing costs due to power prices decreasing at a faster pace than expected. Furthermore, we decided to reduce our project development activities as a result of the adverse developments on our US portfolio, and we had a positive impact from reversal of wake and warranty provisions. This was only partly offset by the divestment of London Array, which was not included in our guidance and resulted in lower site earnings.

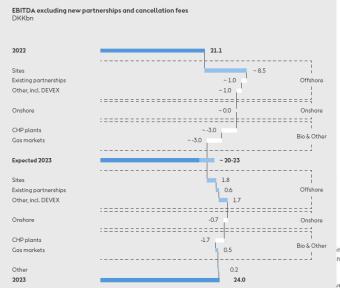
Earnings in Onshore ended up significantly lower than expected due to lower power prices, lower wind speeds, and lower availability due to outages at a number of our assets.

Earnings from our CHP plants were lower than expected due to much lower power prices than anticipated. This led to lower condensing power generation and negative accounting effects from the first-in, first-out principle. This was only partly offset by a compensation from Energinet related to their order in 2022, but recognised in 2023, when we had to continue or resume operations of three power station units.

In 'Gas Markets & Infrastructure', we achieved higher earnings from our gas storage activities than expected.

### **Q4 EBITDA**

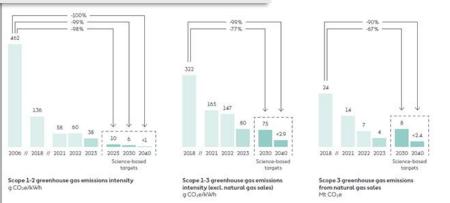
Earnings came in higher than expected in our interim report for the first nine months, primarily due to higher wind speeds for offshore assets, the wake and warranty provision reversals, the compensation from Energinet, and higher earnings on our gas activities.



Ørsted giver et godt eksempel på, hvordan udviklingen i det realiserede resultat forklares, og hvordan året har påvirket de langsigtede målsætninger.

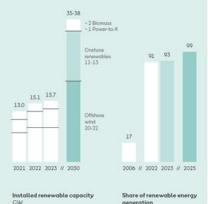
n emissions from natural gas ntive reductions we have already

/e been submitted to the SBTI ing their formal target validation ed that they welcome our arbonisation targets, which / on the pathway towards our ero target.



We are committed to continue driving the global transition to renewable energy sources. We are on track to reach our target of 99% renewable energy generation by 2025. Our commitment is reinforced by our strategic ambition to enhance our renewable energy capacity, aiming to reach a gross installed capacity of 35-38 GW by 2030. For more information on our ambition for installed renewable capacity, please refer to the 'Strategy and business' section.

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## Key figures & rations – inklusive ESG Key figures & ratios

Financials	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
Results (DKKm)					
Revenue	78,681	73,838	71,363	70,752	77,698
Operating profit before other items	3,300	2,918	1,776	(3,203)	3,252
Operating profit before other items, excl. IAS 29	3,348	2,947	1,776	(3,203)	3,252
Operating profit	3,138	2,904	1,701	(4,707)	2,522
EBITDA before other items	4,717	4,333	3,536	(1,363)	4,853
EBITDA	4,624	4,388	3,525	(2,778)	4,458
Pro forma adjusted EBITDA	4,789	4,375	3,568	(1,349)	4,838
Financial expenses, net	(607)	(384)	(656)	(549)	(703)
Net profit from continuing operations	1,977	2,115	536	(5,220)	1,153
Net profit from discontinued operations <sup>1)</sup>	(1,652)	21	101	25	218
Net profit	325	2,136	637	(5,195)	1,371
Net profit (adjusted)	2,120	1,940	611	(3,716)	1,883
Cash flow (DKKm)					
Cash flow from operating activities	3,392	3,333	3,221	(361)	2,064
Acquisition of intangible assets and property,					
plant and equipment, net	(703)	(779)	(586)	(681)	(1,095)
Free cash flow	1,775	1,734	1,735	(1,794)	366
Free cash flow, excl. IAS 29	1,791	1,726	1,735	(1,794)	366
Financial position (DKKm)					
Total assets	47,693	47,005	43,655	43,605	50,061
Goodwill	19,696	20,450	19,753	19,662	21,257
Additions to property, plant and equipment					
and right-of-use assets	1,302	1,110	1,194	1,173	1,331
Equity	10,522	10,815	7,789	6,545	12,547
Net debt	10,548	11,540	13,451	15,802	14,730
Shares ('000)					
Number of shares issued	185,668	185,668	185,668	185,668	185,668
Number of treasury shares	332	938	970	970	970
Average number of shares (basic)	185,334	184,730	184,698	184,698	184,692
Average number of shares (diluted)	187,954	187,243	186,003	185,136	186,000

In 2023, France was presented as discontinued operations. Comparatives for 2022 are restated.

Ratios	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
Financial ratios (%, unless otherwise stated)					
Organic growth	9.7	8.4	2.0	(6.6)	7.1
Acquisitions and divestments, net	0.5	(5.8)	(0.5)	(0.2)	(2.2)
Currency adjustments	(3.6)	0.9	(0.6)	(2.1)	0.7
Total revenue growth	6.6	3.5	0.9	(8.9)	5.6
Operating margin	4.2	4.0	2.5	(4.5)	4.2
Operating margin, excl. IAS 29	4.3	4.0	2.5	(4.5)	4.2
Cash conversion	53.8	59.4	97.7	56.0	11.3
Equity ratio	22.1	23.0	17.8	15.0	25.1
Net debt/Pro forma adjusted EBITDA	2.2x	2.6x	3.8x	(11.7)x	3.0x
Share ratios (DKK)					
Basic earnings per share (EPS)	1.5	11.1	3.3	(28.2)	7.3
Diluted EPS	1.5	11.0	3.3	(28.2)	7.3
Basic EPS (continuing operations)	10.4	11.0	2.8	(28.3)	6.1
Diluted EPS (continuing operations)	10.3	10.9	2.8	(28.3)	6.1
Proposed dividend per share	2.3	2.1	-	-	-

ESG	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
Environmental (tonnes CO <sub>2</sub> eq.) <sup>2)</sup>					
Scope 1 emissions	66,153	69,581	71,726	70,084	88,722
Scope 2 emissions (market-based)	7,594	7,084	-	-	10,556
Scope 3 emissions	1,550,214	1,520,341	-	-	1,631,811
Social (%, unless otherwise stated)					
Full-time employees	77	77	76	75	77
Employees (end of period), number	352,749	351,053	354,636	378,946	471,056
Employee turnover	33	33	30	33	35
Customer retention	95	93	92	91	91
Lost Time Injury Frequency (LTIF), number	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.5	2.8
Fatalities, number	5	1	5	3	3
Training and development, '000 hours	3,578	4,337	4,124	3,750	6,516
Governance (%)					
Gender diversity, Board	33	33	43	43	33
Board meeting attendance	94	90	95	96	94
Speak Up, number	424	366	337	285	299

For definitions, see 8.5, Definitions

ISS er et godt eksempel på, hvordan ESG-nøgletal kan indarbejdes i oversigten over hoved- og nøgletal.

ISS, Årsrapport 2023, s. 14

As part of its science-based target submission in 2022 ISS has collected spend and activity data for Scopes 1, 2 and 3 emissions related to its business activities and established a new 2019 baseline. Our 2022 emissions for Scope 1, 2 and 3 have been calculated in accordance with the 2019 baseline methodology. Comparative numbers for 2020 and 2021 for Scope 2 and 3 have not been recalculated and are not presented in this report. For further information, please refer to the 2023 Sustainability Report.

## Overblik over fremtidige produkter

## Pipeline overview

DIABETES				OBESITY				RARE DISE	ASE			CARDIOVAS	CULAR & E	MERGING THERAPY AREAS	
Project	Indication	Description	Phase	Project	Indication	Description	Phase	Project	Indication	Description	Phase	Project	Indication	Description	Phase
Oral Semaglutide HD¹ NN9924	T2D²	A long-acting GLP-13 analogue, 25.0 and 50.0 mg, intended for once-daily oral treatment.	• •	Oral Semaglutide NN9932	Obesity	A long acting GLP-1 analogue intended for once-daily oral treatment.	• •	Concizumab NN7415	A or B w/wo	A monoclonal antibody against tissue factor pathway inhibitor (TFPI) intended for subcutaneous	• •	Ziltivekimab NN6018	CKD*+ ASCVD*	A once-monthly monoclonal antibody intended for inhibition of IL-6 <sup>10</sup> activity.	
Icodec NN1436	T1D <sup>4</sup> and T2D	A long-acting basal insulin analogue intended for once-weekly subcutaneous treatment.	• •	CagriSema NN9838	Obesity	A combination of amylin analogue cagrilintide and GLP-1 analogue semaglutide intended for once-weekly	• •	Nedosiran NN7022		prophylaxis treatment.  An siRNA targeting lactate ia dehydrogenase A (LDHA) intended for	••	Ziltivekimab NN6018 Ocedurenone	HFpEF <sup>11</sup>	A once-monthly monoclonal antibody intended for inhibition of IL-6 activity.  A small molecule, non-steroidal	
coSema NN1535	T2D	A combination of GLP-1 analogue semaglutide and insulin icodec	• •	GELA NN9505	Obesity	subcutaneous treatment.  A collaboration with GE Healthcare, using ultrasound for once-monthly	• •	Mim8	type 1	once-monthly subcutaneous treatment.  A next generation FVIIIa mimetic		NN6023		mineralocorticoid receptor antagonist (nsMRA) intended for oral treatment.	st 💮 🔿
CagriSema	T2D	intended for once-weekly subcutaneous treatment.  A combination of amylin analogue		INV-202	Obesity	treatment.  A CB-16 receptor inverse agonist	••	NN7769	A w/wo inhibitors	bispecific antibody intended for subcutaneous prophylaxis of haemophilia A.	• •	ATTR-CM NN6019	CVD	An anti-amyloid immunotherapy intended for intravenous treatment.	00
NN9388	120	cagrilintide and GLP-1 analogue semaglutide intended for once-weekly subcutaneous treatment.	• 0	NN9440	Obesity	intended for once-daily oral treatment.	00	Etavopivat NN7535	Sickle cell disease	A second-generation small molecule PKR-activator intended for once-daily	• •	CM4HF NN9003	CVD	An investigational cell therapy intended for restoring heart function in people with chronic heart failure.	
GELA NN9506	T2D	A collaboration with GE Healthcare, using ultrasound for once-monthly treatment.	00	Amycretin NN9487	Obesity	A long-acting co-agonist of GLP-1 and amylin intended for once-weekly subcutaneous treatment or once-daily oral treatment.	00	Etavopivat NN7536	Thalassemia	oral treatment.  A second-generation small molecule PKR-activator intended for once-daily oral treatment.	• •	Anti-ANGPTL3 mAb NN6491	CVD	An ANGPTL3 neutralising sweeping antibody intended for once-monthly subcutaneous treatment.	• 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Glucose-sensitive nsulin NN1845	T1D and T2D	A glucose-sensitive insulin analogue intended for once-daily subcutaneous treatment.	00	OW GLP-1 GIP NN9541	Obesity	A combination of GLP-1 and GIP co-agonist intended for once-weekly subcutaneous treatment.	00	Etavopivat NN7537	MDS <sup>7</sup>	A second-generation small molecule PKR-activator intended for once-daily oral treatment.	• •	Semaglutide NN6535	Alzheimer's	s A long-acting GLP-1 analogue intended for once-daily subcutaneous treatment.	is O
Pumpsulin NN1471	T1D	A novel insulin analogue ideal for use in closed loop pump systems.	00					NDec NN7533	Sickle cell disease	An oral combination of decitabine and tetrahydrouridine. Project is developed in collaboration with EpiDestiny.	00	Semaglutide NN9931	MASH <sup>13</sup>	A long-acting GLP-1 analogue intended for once-weekly	• •
DNA Immunotherapy NN9041	T1D	A novel plasmid encoding pre- and pro-insulin intended for preservation of beta cell function.	00							in collaboration with Epidestiny.		CagriSema	MASH	subcutaneous treatment.  A combination of amylin analogue	••
OW GLP-1 GIP <sup>5</sup> IN9541	T2D	A combination of GLP-1 and GIP co-agonist intended for once-weekly subcutaneous treatment.	00									NN9588		cagrilintide and GLP-1 analogue semaglutide intended for once-weekly subcutaneous treatment.	dy OO
OW Oral emaglutide IN9904	T2D	An oral version of semaglutide intended for once-weekly treatment.	•0									FGF21 NN9500	MASH	A long-acting FGF21 analogue intended for once-weekly subcutaneous treatment.	00
4143304												LXRa NN6582	MASH	An siRNA targeting LXRa intended for once-monthly subcutaneous treatment.	• 00
												MARC1 NN6581	MASH	An siRNA targeting MARC1 intended for once-monthly subcutaneous treatment.	00
												VAP-1i NN6561	MASH	A VAP-1 inhibitor intended for once-daily oral treatment.	Nigora Nigorijala da anada aya d
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												STAT3 NN4002	Oncology	A GalXC-derived lipid conjugate one-time subcutaneous treatment.	eksempel på, hvordan
						hibitory polypeptide. 6. CB-1: Cannabinoid on fraction. 12. CVD: Cardiovascular disease.									udviklingen af væsentlige n

Novo Nordisk, Årsrapport 2023, s. 27

produkter kan præsenteres.



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## Double materiality assessment

## Getting ready for EU CSRD reporting

GN is subject to the EU's Corporate Sustainability Reporting Directive (CSRD), and in accordance with this directive, our Annual Report for 2024 will comply with its reporting standards. As specified in the standards, in 2023 we have executed a double materiality assessment to set the scope for CSRD-compliant reporting from next year onwards.

## Methodology

We executed the double materiality assessment by scoring 132 ESG sub-topics contained in the 12 standards on a scale from 0-5 on two parameters:

- Actual or potential impact of GN on people and environment (e.g. air pollution as a consequence of manufacturing of our products)
- Actual or potential financial risk to GN as a consequence of this topic (e.g. the cost to GN's operations of climate adaptation)

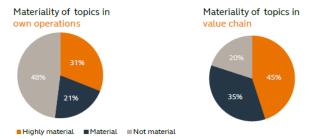
A scoring key and methodology were developed in accordance with the standard and 27 internal and 8 external stakeholders were consulted in the scoring process. We made a distinction between 'own operations', which will all be in scope for full-year 2024 reporting and 'value chain' topics, some of which will phase in as reporting requirements over the next years. Topics that are scored a 2 or above are considered material to GN, while topics that are scored 3 or above are considered highly material to GN.

### Results

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Based on our current understanding, we assess around half of sub-topics to be either material or highly material for our own operations. We continuously review materiality of topics based on additional EU

guidance and/or data and insights, and will adjust materiality scores accordingly ahead of FY2024 reporting if needed. For our value chain, our assessment shows that a larger number of topics are material, reflecting a higher number of (potential) ESG impacts in some of the industries on which we depend. Our reporting on value chain topics will reflect that some of these topics require less quantitative data and will phase in after financial year 2024.



In 2024, we will implement an updated ESG reporting framework with robust reporting processes, systems, and controls to report on all highly material topics (score ≥3) for disclosures related to our own operations, and where relevant our value chain, in accordance with the standards.

For material topics (score ≥2-3) we will closely track evolving guidance and consensus from the EU, assurance providers, and within our industries in several areas in which there is currently a lack of clarity on how to interpret the standards. Where this impacts scoring, we will make reguired adjustments to the scope of our full-year 2024 reporting.

## Overview of highly material topics

Environment	Social	Governance
	Own operations	
Carbon emissions in scope 1+2	Health and safety	Dependence on suppliers to mitigate
Energy use	Violence and harassment	ESG impacts
Resource inflow and outflow	Gender equality	
Substances of concern	Adequate wage (blue collar)	
Waste		
	Value chain	
Carbon emissions in scope 3	Health and safety	Dependence on suppliers to mitigate ESG impacts
Energy use	Secure employment	E30 Impacts
Water, soil, and food pollution	Violence and harassment	
Substances of (very high) concern and microplastics	Work-life balance and adequate wages	
Water withdrawal and discharge	Social dialogue	
Biodiversity (land use,	Freedom of association	
species extinction, and pollution)	and collective	ana Naral I
Resource inflow	GIV ST	ore Nord I
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Production waste

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## Double materiality assessment

Our DMA approach in brief

All assessed impacts and risks have been

standard. The highest scored impact or risk

within a topic determines the placement in

the DMA matrix. In case of multiple topics

placed within the same square, the topics

The following main considerations have been

Both positive and negative

impacts have been assessed.

Impacts have been identified

impacts assessed were actual

Sustainability-related risks were

Impacts and risks were assessed

for our own operations, and for the value chain where relevant

Assessments have included mit-

igation actions that are already

assessed, while opportunities

were not assessed in 2023.

as actual or potential. Most

are listed in chronological order.

mapped to their relevant topical ESRS

Introduction

As a key element of our work to prepare for the CSRD

Where possible, we quantified the effects of

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ork with assessing sustainability-

drisks to our business, our efforts

the complexity in quantifying

ntrated mostly on the impact

s on double materiality and

ents are extensive, we decided to

inability-related impacts and

ct-matter experts only.

aroups of stakeholders involved

We are convinced that the outcome presented below is a true and fair picture of our impacts and risks, but we also acknowledge that our methodology has limitations. Consequently, we will be further developing our DMA based on the final implementation guidance

The following pages provide detailed information on

the results of our double materiality assessment and the process we have applied.

te the results of our new DMA, light update of our former Impact materiality ent using the approach we have (inside-out) 2013. This assessment served nvolvement of external stakes it informs us about the interests Iders relevant to our business.

published by FFRAG in 2024

er refine our DMA process and on the final ESRS and guidance. Double materiality approach Financial materiality

### Read more

Matrix showing our material and immaterial ESRS topics.

→ Page 71

Our value chain and interaction with our most material impacts

→ Page 72

Tables specifying all our material impacts and risks.

→ Pages 73-76

Description of methodologies, assumptions, and process steps.

→ Pages 77-78

Interests and views of stakeholders

→ Page 79

Topical sections specifying our response to our material impacts and risks, including policies, actions, targets and metrics.

→ Pages 87-130

## Double materiality assessment outcome

We have identified our impacts on the environment and society (impact materiality assessment) as well as the sustainability-related risks that we are exposed to (financial materiality assessment). The outcome is aggregated per ESRS topic, showing that E1, E5, S3, and S2 are our most material sustainability matters.

The environmental impacts and risks we have within E1 and E5 are closely linked to our strategic efforts to deliver a fast build-out of renewable energy. The deployment of new renewable capacity mitigates climate impacts but also requires significant amounts of natural resources such as steel with indirect negative impacts on the climate and the environment.

The build-out also affects people and societies which is reflected in the impacts and risks we have within S2 and S3. We focus our efforts on making the energy transition just and inclusive, including for people working across the renewable energy supply chains, and in a way that brings benefits to local communities.

The next page illustrates where our material impacts (crucial) and our material risks occur across our full value chain. Brief descriptions of our material impacts and risks are included on the pages that follow

More information on how we respond to the effects of our impacts and risks can be found within the 'Environment', 'Social', and 'Governance' sections.

Ørsted, Årsrapport 2023, s. 70-71+77-79

IMPACT AND FINANCIALLY
MATERIAL TOPICS FINANCIALLY Climate change (E1) A<sup>th</sup>A Workers in the Resource use and value chain (S2) circular economy (E5) Affected communities (S3) (EE) Pollution (E2) Own Water and marine workforce (S1) resources (E3) Biodiversity and ecosystems (E4) Consumers and Business end-users (S4) conduct (G1) IMPACT MATERIAL IMMATERIAL TOPICS Minimal/Informative/Important IMPACT MATERIALITY

part of our daily operations to Double materiality assessment methodology

Residual impact/

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related to

mainly focused

applied:

Positive/

principles in the draft ESRS from November 2022 and alignment with the DMA-related requirements in 2024.

Methodologies and assumptions

Ørsted har en god beskrivelse af selskabets dobbeltvæsentlighedsvurdering og de områder, der er væsentlige for virksomheden at redegøre for. We excluded assessing opportunities as part of our DMA this year. However, our business opportunities are directly connected to climate change mitigation and described in the strategy section. Moreover, ESRS S4 was excluded deliberately due to our business model

For our DMA, we engaged internal subject-matter experts from both the business lines and Group functions. This year, we have not included direct consultation with affected stakeholders to understand how they may be impacted by our business activities, nor have we directly consulted external stakeholders to review the outcome of our DMA. However, as a valid proxy, we have included insights from our external iffairs colleagues who, through continuous dialogue with our key stakeholders, have a good overview of the interests and views of stakeholders.

In addition, our continuous engagement activities in the communities in which we are present are a solid basis for assessing the impacts and risks most material to us.

As per the ESRS guidance, three parameters of 'scale', the scoring of the 'severity' of our actual impacts:

1 When scoring 'scale', we assessed how great the impact is on the environment or people, after consideration of mitigation actions already in place.

2 When scoring 'scope', we assessed how widespread age of sites, employees, or financial spend that the

3 When scoring 'irremediable character', we assessed how difficult it is to reverse the damage in terms of cost and time horizon

For potential impacts, an additional parameter of ikelihood' was scored.

For negative actual impacts, each of the three dimensions above were scored and weighted equally for severty. For negative potential impacts, 'severity' and 'likeli nood' were weighted 50/50. For positive actual impacts, 'scale' and 'scope' were scored and weighted equally for everity. For positive potential impacts, 'likelihood' was also considered as for negative potential impacts.

When scoring risks, we assessed the potential magnitude of financial effects based on different triggers. including EBITDA, CAPEX, and OPEX, which constituted half of the score, and likelihood of occurrence, which constituted the other half. Assessments have included risk mitigation actions already in place.

We assessed the nature of these effects in different scenarios with assumptions based on input parameters from subject-matter experts. The potential magnitude of financial effects was scored as 'low', 'medium', or 'high'.

or 'high' using relevant time horizons of short-, midor long-term. We partially modelled the risks using the risk assessment tool that we use for business risks lowever, quantification in monetary terms was supplemented with qualitative assessments to a high degree due to the complexity of defining exact values for potential sustainability risk scenarios.

Our Sustainability Committee has set the materiality thresholds at 'significant'. This means that impacts and risks scored as 'significant' or above, and their ociated ESRS topic, are deemed material.

We defined process steps for conducting the DMA for impact materiality and financial materiality, respectively. The impact assessment was our starting point and once we had the preliminary results, we initiated the financial assessment. We followed the five key steps below as further elaborated on the next page.

1 Engagement of stakeholders

2 Scoping of impacts/risks

3 Assessment of individual impacts/risks 4 Calibration of material impacts/risks

i 5 Stakeholder and management review

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## **Materiality assessment**

Our sustainability strategy is based on an assessment of what is most material to our business and stakeholders.

We have initially identified and assessed our most material ESG areas through desk-based research, internal discussions and on-going dialogue with stakeholders in the societies where we operate. Our stakeholders cover a broad range: customers (B2G, B2I, B2C and B2B), employees, politicians, institutions, media and society at large.

Sustainability risks are wide-ranging and can emerge in various aspects. Risks associated with human rights, labour rights, environment and corruption are addressed through the application of a risk assessment methodology on an individual basis.

We are in the process of preparing an extended Double Materiality Assessment (impact and financial materiality) in compliance with the new Corporate Sustainability Reporting Directive (CSRD). This will guide us further in prioritising our sustainability efforts and reporting. The CSRD will apply to Falck from 2025.

## Our strategy mainly impacts four SDGs

Our sustainability efforts are mostly supporting and contributing to four of the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDG), namely:



SDG 3 Good health and well-being. Our services contribute to the health

and well-being of people and societies. We save and improve lives every day, and we want to innovate and enhance access to healthcare.



SDG 13 Climate action. We want to reduce the climate impact of our fleet and extend our commitments to our value chain. We will align our targets with what science says is necessary to reach the goals of the Paris Agreement.



SDG 8 Decent work and economic growth. Our employees are our most important asset, and we want to secure a diverse and safe workplace where employees can thrive personally and professionally.



SDG 16 Peace, justice and strong institutions. We want to conduct business in a way that never breaches the trust of our employees, partners or customers.

## Materiality aspects

## What are the main areas affecting our stakeholders

## Accessible healthcare

- · Unequal healthcare access
- · Inadequate elderly care
- · Prolonged sick leave periods
- · Outbreaks of diseases and pandemics
- · A healthcare system designed around reactive rather than proactive healthcare

## Climate change

- · Adverse impact on public health from climate changes
- · Disruptions of healthcare provision due to acute weather events
- · Shortage of resources and regulatory changes in the value chain

## Workforce availability

- · Employee health and safety
- Diverse and inclusive culture

## Patient trust and business ethics

- Working conditions
- · Patient safety and trust
- · Unethical business behaviour
- Data protection
- Cumbersome patient journey

## Why it matters to our business

Advancing healthcare is the core of our business. We need to continuously deliver and innovate quality healthcare to address these societal needs in an affordable way.

Responding to climate change requires us to continuously reduce emissions and invest in new ways to deliver our services in a more sustainable way.

In a tight labour market, we need to continuously develop our workplace in order to attract and retain sufficiently skilled staff to provide our services.

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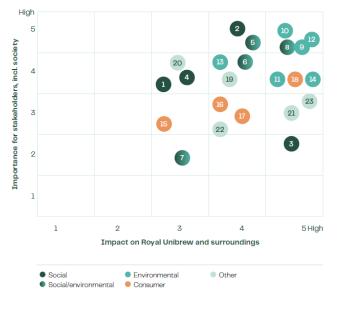
## **Double materiality assessment**

We are further developing our materiality process to match CSRD requirements for ESG impact and financial materiality – double materiality.

We strive to work with a balanced approach toward our stakeholders by disclosing potential risks to our business and how we control these as well as by expressing the opportunities for Royal Unibrew; commercially as a sustainable beverage company and locally as a sustainable partner and not the least a preferred workplace. Our key stakeholders are defined in our strategic formulation: we want to be THE PREFERRED CHOICE for our employees, consumers, customers, shareholders and the future. In addition, our business partners, suppliers, legislators, local communities and NGOs are among our stakeholders.

Through recurring meetings and concrete sustainability work streams with selected stakeholder representatives, we gain valuable insights into their needs, potential concerns and not mutual development possibilities. We believe that these insights are fully elucidated and implemented in our strategy.

During 2023, Royal Unibrew reviewed the materiality assessment to determine if our strategy continues to address relevant ESG issues. We identified global trends, standards and benchmarks and made use of insights from our stakeholder engagement survey. Moreover, we initiated full integration of the double materiality assessment approach in our Enter-



Resource use and

circular economy

Social/environmental

Diversity, Equity and Inclusion
 Occupational Health & Safety

3 Employee attraction & retention

4 Human rights in business

Responsible procurement, incl. due diligence

6 Local sourcing

7 Dangerous substance 8 Sustainable farming, incl. deforestation &

Biodiversity

10 Climate & energy

land-use change

Packaging materialsTransportation & logistics

© Circularity, resources and waste

Mater stewardship (in/out)

Local community (incl. impact economic/ investments, social & cultural)

Partnerships

Responsible communication/information (labeling & marketing)

Oonsumer health & wellbeing, incl. product safety & responsible drinking

19 Business integrity, incl. code of conduct

20 Economic impact & tax

21 Governance

Resources outflows related to products and

Other

Resources inflows

services Waste

Environmental

Consumer

22 Data security/privacy & cyber security

23 Risk management & mitigation

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Topic	Sub-topics	Materiality
Own workforce	Working conditions Equal treatment and opportunities for all Other work-related rights	1254
Workers in the value chain	Working conditions Equal treatment and opportunities for all Other work-related rights	<b>46</b>
Affected communities	Communities economic, social, cultural rights Communities civil and political rights Indigenous rights	4 6 6 2
Consumers & End-Users	Information-related impacts for consumers and/or end-users Personal safety of consumers and/or end-users Social inclusion of consumers and/or end-users	16 17
Business conduct	Corporate culture Protection of whistle-blowers Animal welfare Political engagement and lobbying activities Management of relationship with suppliers including payment practices Corruption and bribery	<b>4 6</b> 18 19 20 21 22

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## DMA med supplerende oplysninger

# MATERIALITY ASSESSMENT

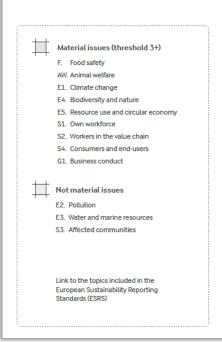
IN 2023, WE CONDUCTED A DOUBLE MATERIALITY ASSESSMENT TO MAP AND GAIN A DEEP UNDERSTANDING OF OUR MOST MATERIAL IMPACTS ON PEOPLE, THE ENVIRONMENT (IMPACT MATERIALITY) AS WELL AS BUSINESS RISKS AND OPPORTUNITIES ARISING FROM SUSTAINABILITY TOPICS (FINANCIAL MATERIALITY).

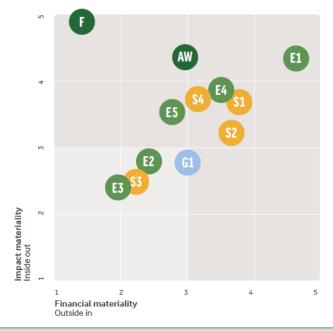
A double materiality assessment is a strategic and comprehensive approach to evaluate the impacts, risks and opportunities related to sustainability. The double materiality assessment determined all topics stemming from the European Sustainability Reporting Standards (ESRS) to be material, except for three. The materiality threshold,

as indicated in the matrix on a one to five scale, was set at an average score above three. The topic names listed are aligned with ESRS.

Although water, pollution and affected communities fell under our threshold for material topics following the methodology for our assessment,

we recognise our existing water and pollution footprint as well as our impact on communities. Therefore, we have included disclosures on our key impacts and, where applicable, metrics that are relevant to our stakeholders. Water withdrawal is reported in the biodiversity and nature chapter as water is a vital element for sustaining biodiversity.





## Food safety Arla-specific

As a global food company, the safety of our products is our core foundation. Our key impact is that the products we deliver are safe to consume. The key opportunity is consumer trust and brand reputation based on the safety of our products.

The most important risk is that major food safety or product issues may lead to a loss of brand reputation and reduced trust in our products, resulting in financial losses.



## Animal welfare Arla-specific

Animal welfare is a key priority of our farmers and our consumers. The farmers' management methods have a significant impact on the welfare of their herds, which, in turn, has an impact on the farms' environmental footprint.

Animal welfare is a risk with a potentially significant financial impact, as our customers and consumers expect the best treatment of our farmers' cows.

Read more on pages 68-73

Arla har en god beskrivelse af selskabets dobbeltvæsentlighedsvurdering, og de områder der er væsentlige for virksomheden at redegøre for.

Arla, Årsrapport 2023, s. 30

## ESG Strategi – udvikling i året

SUSTAINABILITY HIGHLIGHTS

## Progress on ESG strategy

2023 was the hottest year in recorded history, highlighting the urgency of addressing climate change and the imperative for a green transition in global supply chains.

A.P. Moller - Maersk took delivery of the world's first container vessel capable of running on green methanol. This is only the beginning of the journey, however, and transitioning the industry is not something one company can do alone – it is dependent on the right regulatory framework, among others, and the willingness of customers to support decarbonisation.

Sustainable and responsible supply chains are a baseline requirement from customers, investors, employees, regulators and broader society today. In 2023, A.P. Moller - Maersk worked actively and strategically with all aspects of sustainability risks and impacts, as part of its comprehensive ESG strategy. A.P. Moller - Maersk's focus since the launch of this strategy in early 2022 has been on defining the roadmaps and ensuring strong governance to drive meaningful progress on the ESG commitments and to aim for fully integrating those activities across the business and into decision-making.

The ESG strategy is linked to the company's Purpose and Core Values. It is also an integral part of, and prerequisite for, the success of A.P. Moller - Maersk's global integrator strategy, including ambitious and science-based targets to reach net zero emissions by 2040. This is essential to supporting many of A.P. Moller - Maersk's customers' own ambitious decarbonisation targets. In 2023, the company achieved validation of an updated set of climate targets aligned with the Science Based Targets initiative's 1.5-degree pathway and net-zero standard. These will lead to a review and alignment of some of A.P. Moller - Maersk's current targets on decarbonisation. In other ESG areas, targets set for 2023 including for safety and security, business ethics and data ethics, will carry over into 2024 as annual training targets.

Looking ahead, external expectations, regulation and reporting requirements continue evolving, and new ESG regulatory landscapes are taking shape regionally and globally – these will spark increased transparency and enhanced reporting practices which will unfold over the coming years. From 2024 and onwards, the Corporate Sustainability Reporting Directive (CSRD) will require A.P. Moller – Maersk to fully integrate reporting according to European Sustainability Reporting Standards (ESRS) directly in the Annual Report. In 2023, in preparation for these requirements, A.P. Moller – Maersk conducted a double materiality assessment which will guide the 2024 integration of the company's annual and sustainability reports.

## A.P. Moller - Maersk ESG strategy

	Strategic targets	Performance 2023	Updates to targets
Environment	We will take leadership in the decarbonisation	on of logistics	
2030: Aligned with the Science Based Targets initiative's 1.5-degree pathway industry-leading green customer offerings across the supply chain me and our ocietal commitment to act and ave impact to this decade  2040: Net zero across the business 100% green solutions to customers		Carbon intensity (Ocean) decreased by 4% compared to 2020 baseline Reduction of emissions (scope 1 and 2) of 13% in Terminals since 2020 Share of Ocean freight transported with green fuels increased to 3%	2030: 35% absolute reduction i total scope 1 emissions 100% renewable electricisourcing 22% absolute reduction i total scope 3 emissions 2040: 96% absolute reduction in total scope 1 and 2 emissions 90% absolute reduction i total scope 3 emissions
Social	We will ensure that our people thrive at wor	k by providing a safe and in	spiring workplace
We ensure everyone gets home safe by preventing fatal and life-altering incidents	2023: 100% of Learning Teams completed following High Potential Incidents Global Leadership (Top 1,200) upskilled in A.P. Moller - Maersk safety and security principles	99% Learning Teams completed following High Potential Incidents 98% leadership trained in A.P. Moller - Maersk safety and security principles	Only the target on Learning Teams will continue in 2024
We create an engag- ing environment for all colleagues	2025: Employee Engagement Survey score in the 75th percentile of global norm	60th percentile	No change to target
We facilitate diversity of thought	2025: >40% women in management and leadership >30% diverse nationality (non-OECD) of executives	35 % women in manage- ment and leadership 20% diverse nationality (non-OECD) of executives	No change to targets
Governance	We operate based on responsible business p	ractices	
We live our Code of Conduct	2023: 100% of employees (in scope) trained in Maersk Code of Conduct	92% of employees (in scope) trained	Target continues for 202
We protect and treat data with respect	2023: 100% of employees (in scope) trained on data ethics	91% of employees (in scope) trained	Target continues for 202
We procure sustainably	2024: 100% of suppliers (in scope) committed to the Supplier Code of Conduct	95% of suppliers (in scope) committed	No change to target

Maersk følger op på, hvor selskabet er i forhold til de udmeldte ESG-mål. Bemærk de strategiske målsætninger og udviklingen i året, samt om selskabet er på rette kurs.

Maersk, Årsrapport 2023, s. 20

## ESG Strategi – udvikling i året

## Sustainability performance highlights 2023

We align our business with the core principles of environmental, social and governance responsibilities. In 2023, we progressed in all our sustainability performance indicators except safety. All performance figures include Mining Technologies as of 1 September 2022.

Scope 1 and 2 greenhouse aas emissions1 tCO2e (market-based) 38,022 2.7% improvement 38,022

Scope 1 and 2 CO2 emissions fell within our 2023 target. Despite the integration of Mining Technologies in 2023, emissions decreased due to site consolidation and ongoing emissions reductions initiatives. This includes scope 2 (market-based) emissions decreasing as renew-

Safetu (Total recordable iniuru rate)

1.2 deterioration



Total recordable injury rate/million working hours

Safety performance significantly deteriorated during the year, primarily due to increased frequency of incidents in manufacturing sites, organisational changes resulting in loss of knowledge, and greater use of third-party contractors. We remain committed to our Zero Harm safety ambition and are implementing more knowledge-sharing activities and training.

able electricity coverage increased from 21% to 26%.

Women managers

16.3

2.0%-points improvement

We achieved our 2023 target and are progressing well towards our 2030 target of 25%. This reflects the success of our inclusive and focused hiring practices and more women promoted into leadership.

Scope 3: Economic intensity (use of sold products)2

5.430



167,610



Water withdrawal was reduced by 5.9% from 2022. However, water withdrawal from water-stressed areas increased as our exposure to water stress grew with acquired Mining Technologies sites and as other regions experienced high water stress. Expanding on our water reduction initiatives, we will launch a water conservation plan aligned with local and regional regulations in 2024.

Spend with suppliers with science-based targets

TARGETS

5,461

12.6

Scope 3 economic intensity improved from 2022, main-

taining the strong reduction shown in the previous year.

This is due to the sales split between less emissions-in-

tensive products in Mining versus high emissions-inten-

sive products in Cement remaining stable. Economic in-

tensity decreased by 41.3% from our 2019 base year,

our 2030 goal of a 56% reduction.

placing us significantly ahead of the trajectory to meet



We surpassed our 2023 target for spend with suppliers with science-based targets. This was mainly due to more of our larger suppliers committing to the Science Based Targets initiative and reflects our ongoing engagement with suppliers to promote environmentally responsible practices. Our 2025 target is for 30% of our spend to be with suppliers that have set science-based targets.

EU taxonomu - alianed revenue % of total revenue

6.2



The increase in EU taxonomy-aligned revenue is driven I a successful technical screening in compliance with revant standards, specifically the completion of a life cyassessment of additional technologies in 2023. We ex aligned revenue to continue to grow as we complete it life cycle assessments of MissionZero products and in prove our ESG standards across the value chain.

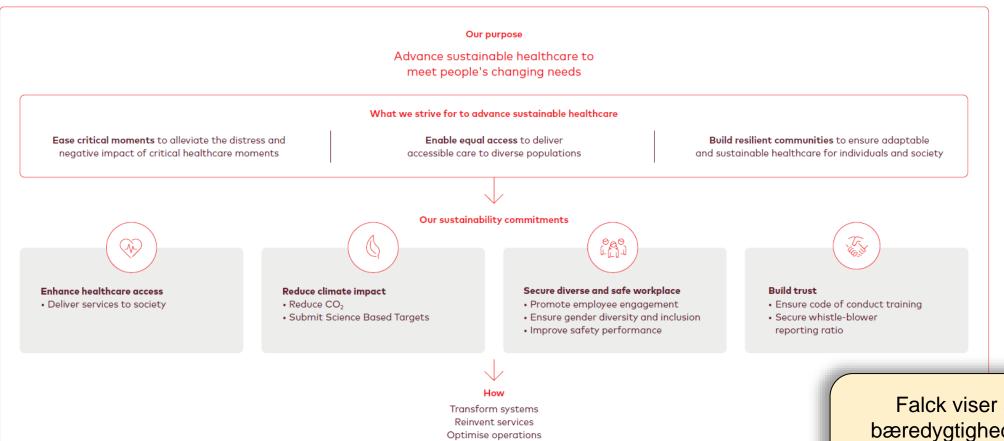
FLSmidth har en god beskrivelse af, hvordan sustainability-udviklingen har været i løbet af året, og hvordan dette kan illustreres.

1. To align with upcoming CSRD reporting requirements, scope 1 and 2 emissions data in 2022 are updated to reflect our financial control of Mining Technologies. Emissions data from Mining Technologies was disclosed separately in our 2022 Sustainability Report 2. In 2023 we updated our Scope 3 calculation methodology. The 2022 figure is updated to reflect this change as well as the inclusion of Mining Technologies. See our Sustainability Report for more details

FLSmidth, Årsrapport 2023, s. 9

## ESG Strategi

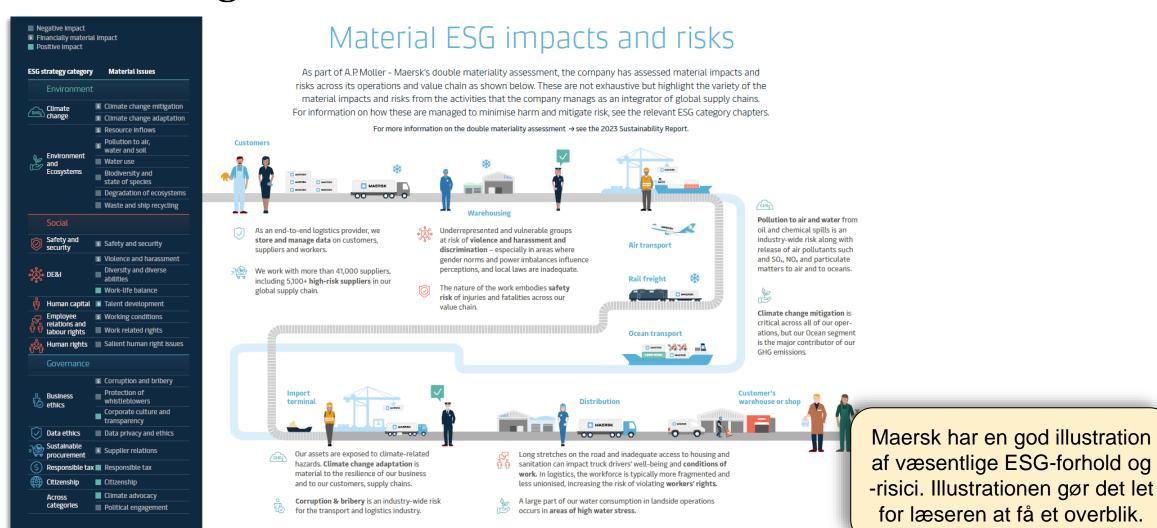
## **Our sustainability strategy**



Falck, Årsrapport 2023, s. 33

Falck viser selskabets bæredygtighedsstrategi, og hvordan denne er forbundet med selskabets formål.

## ESG Strategi



Maersk, Årsrapport 2023, s. 21

## ESG Strategi



Ørsted, Årsrapport 2023, s. 33

selskabets strategiske fokusområder indenfor ESG og valgte mål.

Bemærk angivelsen af relevante standarder for de pågældende områder.

## Værdikæden og risici

Value chain overview — showing where our material sustainability-related impacts (crucial) and our material sustainability-related risks occur across our full value chain



Positive impacts

 Renewable energy deployment

2 Local jobs and educational opportunities

### Negative impacts

- Use of virgin materials
- Natural resources exploitation and landuse change
- 3 Habitat loss from land degradation

### Sustainability-related risks

- Transition climaterelated risk
- Physical climaterelated risks
- Availability of materials and components
- Supplier misconduct related to human rights
- 5 Local community interests and concerns
- 6 Indigenous Peoples'

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In 2024, we will further refine our DMA process and methodology based on the new EFRAG

the impacts and risks are in our own operations

(OO) or value chain (VC). We also show whether our impacts are positive or negative. Impacts are actual impacts unless stated that they are

potential impacts.

Ørsted har en god beskrivelse af sin værdikæde og hertil tilknyttede risici.

### ENVIRONMENT



	Material impact or risk	Description
Climate change miti	gation	
<ul> <li>Positive impact</li> <li>(OO)</li> </ul>	Renewable energy deployment.	Renewable energy is one of the key technologies needed to decarbonise society and succeed in limiting global heating to 1.5 °C.
<ul> <li>Negative impact (VC)</li> </ul>	CHG emissions from the renew- able energy supply chain, reg- ular power sales, and down- stream GHG emissions from natural gas sales.	Supply chain emissions from manufacturing and installing our renewable energy assets and from use of sold products inatural gas sales) and fuel and energy-related activities (fossif fuels at CHP plants and regular power soles). We respond to this impact through our strategic targets and our actions to decarbonise our value chain.
• Risk (OO)	Transition climate risk related to potential lack of political support for the continued renewable energy build-out.	A.1.5 C-aligned global phase-out of feasif fuels or a tax on GHC emissions is not a risk to our business model. On the contrary, the transition risk to us relates to potential insufficient political and regulatory support to mitigate climate change and to the continued renewable energy build-out, which may lead to uncertainty in investment conditions for future projects. We are actively engaged in climate-related advocacy, calling our stakeholders to action for activities that will accelerate the neewable energy build-out
Climate change ada	ptation	
Risk (OO)	Physical chronic and acute climate-related risks.	Chronic: Dependency of renewable energy generation on natural resources, such as wind patterns, may lead to uncertainty in production estimates.  Acute: Increase in the severity and frequency of extreme weather events may result in extended temporary shutdowns and an increase in repair needs.
		We assess the resilience of all new assets towards the occurrence of climate-related hazards.

Energy used in our daily operations, including energy derived from fossilbased fuels leading to GHG emissions. We respond to this impact through our strategic targets and our actions to decarbonise our operations.

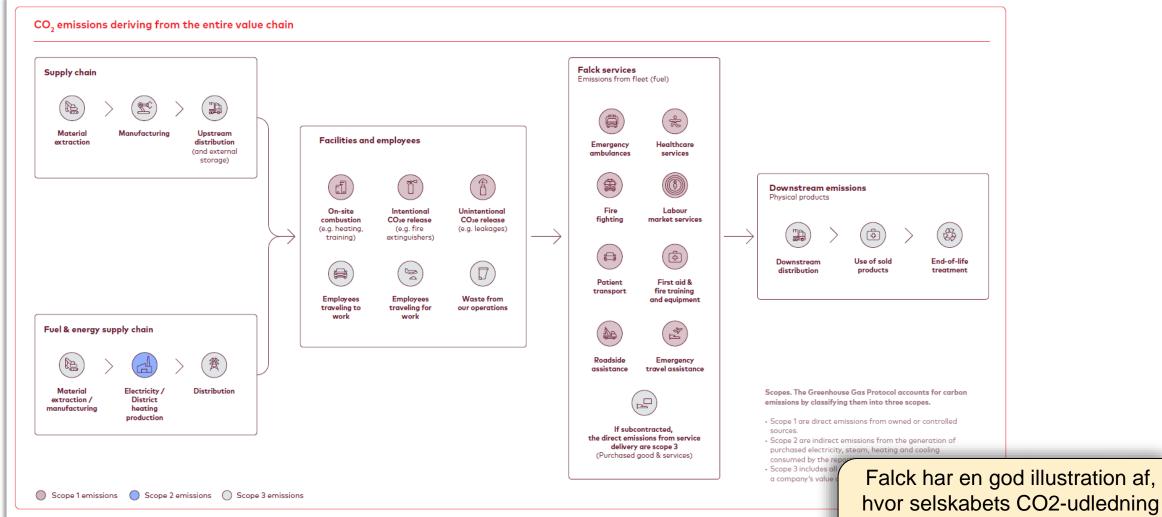
(VC) Value chain

(OO) Own operations Please see our topical sections for more information on our response to our impacts and risks.

Ørsted, Årsrapport 2023, s. 72--76

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## Klimaforandring- kilder til udledning af CO2



Falck, Årsrapport 2023, s. 38

hvor selskabets CO2-udledning stammer fra, og hvilke services der genererer denne.

# Klimaforandring - fordeling af udledning **Environmental topics**

We want to be THE PREFERED CHOICE for the future, and it is our ambition to be one of the most sustainable beverage companies globally.

We are in the process of converting our energy consumption to renewable energy in the entire value chain, and we collaborate with our partners and other stakeholders to reduce  $\mathrm{CO}_2$  emissions as well as our use of resources by fostering a circular mindset and ensuring biodiversity. All this while contributing to society. We apply a precautionary principle to ensure that factors which may present an environmental or climate risk are monitored, avoided or mitigated.

Royal Unibrew's environmental and climate policy aims to minimize potential impacts on the environment and climate by reducing resource consumption such as energy, water, materials, as well as the associated emissions, to protect biodiversity and ultimately to do no harm. Our environmental policy applies to Royal Unibrew and our suppliers.

We have ambitious environmental and climate targets that are well-integrated in our management processes and systems. Systematic monitoring allows us to make continuous improvements and communicate our performance both internally and externally.

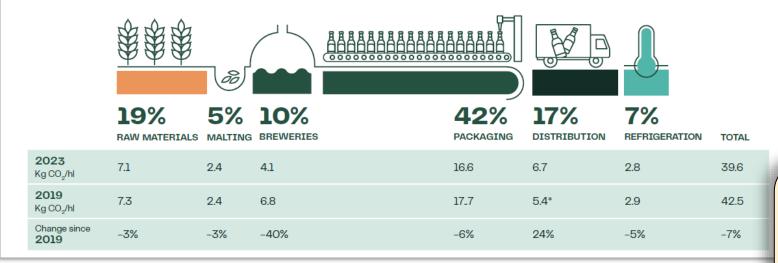
Our overall KPIs for the environment remain unchanged with a maintained focus on climate and circularity but with underlying targets established for water and the interconnection to biodiversity. We have, however, added a SBTi approved 1.5°C target for scope 3 alone, with a 50% reduction target in 2030 compared to 2019.

Royal Unibrew has reviewed the impact materiality in 2023. The material topics and impact assessment are unchanged; however, water stewardship has been assessed as having a higher impact. We have conducted a thorough assessment of the financial

Royal Unibrew har en god illustration af, hvilke dele af selskabets produktion, der er påvirket af CO2-udledninger, og hvordan udviklingen har været i forhold til selskabets baseline (2019).

## Emissions throughout the life cycle

Proportion of greenhouse gas emissions in each stage of the life cycle of our products.



Royal Unibrew, Årsrapport 2023, s. 77

## ESG data og regnskabspraksis

## ESG data and accounting policies

indicator	Environmentαl	Unit	2023*	2022**	2021***	202
	CO₂e emissions					
E1.1	Scope 1 emissions (CO <sub>2</sub> e)	1,000 tonnes	2,566	2,697	2,544	2,01
E1.2	Scope 2 emissions location based (CO <sub>2</sub> e)	1,000 tonnes	12.1	7.9	6.9	6.
E1.2	Scope 2 emissions market based (CO <sub>2</sub> e)	1,000 tonnes	11.8	14.2	-	
E1.3	Scope 3 emissions (CO <sub>2</sub> e)	1,000 tonnes	1,055	1,203	909	
	Total CO₂e emissions (scope 1, 2 - location					
	based - and 3)	1,000 Tonnes	3,633	3,908	3,460	2,02
	Other emissions					
	Nitrogen Oxides (NOx)	1,000 tonnes	52.1	55.5	-	
	Sulphur Dioxides (SOx)	1,000 Tonnes	4.6	5.5	-	- 1
	Particulate Matter (PM10)	1,000 Tonnes	2.9	3.2		- 1
	Energy consumption					- 1
E3.1	Marine fuel	Tonnes	751,178	818,911	771,738	619,86
E3.1	Diesel	1,000 litre	82,910	48,866	25,447	24,76
E3.1	Biofuels (HVO & B100)	1,000 litre	1,300	3,288	1,236	1,15
E3.1	Electricity	MWh	56,270	36,091	31,099	36,68
E3.1, E5	Electricity generated	MWh	1,262	1,562	-	- 1
E3.1	Total energy consumption	1,000 TJ	34.2	36.0	33.9	26
	Energy efficiency					- 1
E2.1	Emissions per GT mile - Own fleet (CO <sub>2</sub> )	gCO <sub>2</sub>	12.1	12.5	12.8	13
E2.1	Emissions per GT mile - Route network (CO <sub>2</sub> )	gCO <sub>2</sub>	12.3	13.0	13.5	13
E2.1	CO <sub>2</sub> intensity	kg CO₂/ MDKK	94.4	102.4	148.0	144
	Electricity and heating consumption per					- 1
E4	land-based FTE	mWh	6.0	6.3	7.0	6.
	Other environmental data					- 1
	Spills (>1 barrel)	Number	0	0	0	- 1
E6.1	Water	m³	256,169	248,998	-	- 1
E6.2	Water - recycled	m³	19,708	27,046	-	- 1
	Waste	Tonnes	5,724	3,408	-	
	Waste - recycled	Tonnes	4,323	2,524	-	- 1

2023 ESG data excludes Estron Group (acquired September 2023

2022 ESG data excludes the acquisition of Lucey Transport Logistic.

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- \*\*\* 2021 ESG data excludes the acquisition HSF Logistics Group. \*\*\*\* 2019 ESG data excludes
- the acquisition Un Ro-Ro. Data not available

## Reporting framework

DFDS' ESG reporting has been prepared in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act, sections 99a, 99b, and 107d, Other ESG frameworks and best practices have been applied to the reporting:

· The ESG Statement has been mapped in accordance with NASDAQ ESG indicators.

protocol. Some locations are leased with "all inclusive" on utilities, which means that activity-based data is not always available

Health & Safety monitoring and LTIF-reporting covers DFDS employees on land, and all crew working on the vessels. Fatalities are registered for all staff and third-party operators (contractors) working on DFDS premises.

2023 ESG data excludes

Estron Group (acquired September 2023

2022 ESG data excludes

Transport Logistic

the acquisition of Lucey

2021 ESG data excludes

the acquisition Un Ro-Ro

the acquisition HSF

\*\*\*\* 2019 ESG data excludes

Data not available

Logistics Group.

DFDS har et godt ksempel på, hvordan ESG-data kan præsenteres – og hvordan regnskabspraksis kan beskrives.

## § ESG definitions and accounting policies

### **Environment**

### CO,e emissions

Scope 1 emissions (CO<sub>2</sub>e): All direct emission sources where DFDS has operational control as defined by the Green House Gas Protocol. This includes all use of fossil fuels for stationary combustion or transportation in owned, leased, or rented assets. It also includes process emissions.

Scope 2 emissions - location based (CO.e); All indirect emissions related to purchased energy; electricity or heating/cooling where DFDS has operational control as defined by the Greenhouse Gas Protocol - calculated based on the emission intensity of the local grid area where the electricity usage occurs.

> Scope 2 emissions - market based (CO2e): All indirect emissions related to purchased energy; electricity or heating/cooling where DEDS has operational control as defined by the Greenhouse Gas Protocol - calculated based on electricity consumption including contractual purchases of renewable energy.

Scope 3 emissions (CO2e): Emissions related to procured goods and services (category 1), capital goods (category 2), fuel- and energy-related emissions (category 3), upstream transportation and distribution (category 4), and business travel (category 6). The emission categories are selected based on a materiality assessment of all 15 categories within GHG accounting standard for scope 3. Scope 3 emissions are based on spend data CO2e intensity: Total CO2 emissions (scope 1+2) and calculated using AI software from an external provider, except for fuel, for which emissions are calculated based on actual consumption.

Total CO.e emissions: Complete GHG inventory - includes both scope 1, scope 2, and scope 3.

### **Energy consumption**

Marine fuel: Total consumption of heavy fuel oil (HFO), light fuel oil (LFO), and marine gas oil (MGO) per nautical mile for ferries in operation.

Diesel: Total consumption of diesel for trucks, terminal equipment, company cars, and other vehicles.

Biofuels (HVO & B100): Total consumption of biofuels for trucks, terminal equipment,

Electricity: Total consumption of electricity in locations where DEDS has financial control of the utility. Shore power is included in the total.

Total energy consumption: Energy consumed from scope 1 and 2 energy sources. Includes both land-based energy consumption and vessels' energy consumption.

### Energy efficiency

CO2 emissions per GT mile (Own fleet): Emissions measured as aCO, per gross tonnage nautical mile for owned ferries in operation.

CO2 emissions per GT mile (Route network): Emissions measured as aCO<sub>2</sub> per gross tonnage nautical mile for ferries operating

in kilogram per MDKK of revenue generated.

Electricity & heating consumption per landbas ed FTE: Indirect energy consumption (scope 2) in operational activities for offices, warehouses and terminals, divided by average FTEs on land.

### Nasdaq ESG 2023\* 2022\*\* 2021\*\*\* 2020 2019\*\*\* Indicator Social Employees engagement - score Employees engagement - Participation rate 67 Attrition (Landbased) 16.5 Representation of womer S4.1 Total workforce 23 - Non-office based 12 S4.1 S4.1 - Office based S4.3 Senior management 18 S4.2 Managers 13 Lost-time injury frequency (LTIF) /Sea Incidents/mil. hours Lost-time injury frequency (LTIF)/Land Incidents/mil. hours 8.1 7.9 5.9 6.7 Fatalities - Colleggues Fatalities Fatalities - Contractors Fatalities

Nasdaq ESG Indicator	Governance	Unit	2023*	2022**	2021***	2020	2019****
	Board representation of women						
G1.1	(AGM elected members)	%	33	33	33	33	33
G2.2	Independent directors (AGM elected members)	%	83	83	83	83	83
	Board nationality - non Danish (AGM elected members)	%	33	33	17	17	17
	Attendance at board meetings (all board members)	%	99	99	100	96	94
S1	CEO Pay ratio	Ratio	39	37	35	27	29
	Reported whistleblower cases	Cases	51	33	29	24	18

DFDS, Årsrapport 2023, s. 77-78

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## Finansielle noter

## Nedskrivningstest

## Impairment tests

### Comments

The impairment test for 2023 did not result in recognition of any impairment losses on goodwill. The impairment test for 2022 identified a need for impairment of goodwill of DKK 174 million related to Ambulance US. During 2023, both revenue and earnings for Ambulance US have developed positively.

Based on sensitivity analyses related to the impairment test for 2023, it is Management's opinion, that no probable change in any key assumptions would result in impairment losses.

### Falck's cash-generating units (CGUs)

Impairment tests are carried out per business seament which is the lowest level of cash-generating units (CGUs) to which the carrying amount of intangibles, i.e. goodwill and customer contracts, can be allocated and monitored with any reasonable certainty.

Impairment tests are carried out on the business segments Ambulance Europe, Ambulance US, Fire services. Employee and Labour Market services. Consumer and Technical services and Community Health services.

Goodwill and earnings related to MedConnect A/S acquired in October 2023 are not included in the impairment test for 2023. From 2024, the business will be included in the impairment test for Employee Labour Market services.

### Impairment test of the Falck brand

The carrying amount of the Falck brand is tested at Group level based on Group-wide cash flows (aggregate cash flows determined for each CGU) less the total carrying amount of the goodwill and other non-current assets. The impairment test shows significant headroom from comparing the value in use to the carrying amount of all assets in the Falck

### Key assumptions in the impairment test

Goodwill is tested for impairment at least once a year, and more frequently if there are indications of impairment. The recoverable amounts for the CGUs are determined based on the value-in-use.

In the impairment tests, the discounted values of the future net cash flows of each of the CGUs value-in-use are compared with their carrying amounts. The value-in-use is calculated using certain key assumptions for the expected future cash flows and applied discount factor.

The cash flow projections are based on financial budgets and business plans approved by Management. In nature, these projections are subject to judgement and estimates that are uncertain. though based on experience. In calculating the present value, discount rates are applied using WACC, which includes estimates and external

The value-in-use calculation comprises of the following key assumptions:

- · Revenue growth in the forecast period
- EBITA marain
- Discount rates
- · Growth rate in terminal period
- Net working capital

### Revenue growth

Revenue growth projections in the financial forecast for 2024-2028 are estimated based on current operations and the expected market development for the individual CGUs.

For Ambulance Europe, a decrease in revenue is expected based on the current contract portfolio in the Swedish market, but growth is expected from other geographical areas and from pursuing new business opportunities.

For Ambulance US, revenue growth is expected due to change in contract models and extension of contracts

Employee and Labour Market services are expecting an increase in the revenue through organic growth and launch of new products from 2024 to 2028.

Consumer and Technical services are expecting an increase in revenue in the forecast period from new services and organic growth.

Community Health services expects revenue will grow from increased number of subscribers in the forecasting period.

Fire Services also expects overall grow forecasting period.

### EBITA margin and net working capita

When estimating the CGUs EBITA may financial forecast for 2024-2028, past 6 are taken into consideration.

The EBITA margin in the forecasting pe Ambulance Europe is expected to grad during the forecast period.

The EBITA margin in Ambulance US is s impacted by labour market conditions expected to be relatively stable in the following period due to revenue cycle management operational efficiency initiatives.

The EBITA margin for Consumer and Technical services is also expected to be stable in the forecasting period.

Employee and Labor Market services, Community Health services and Fire services expect improvement in the EBITA margin during the forecast period due to continuous operational efficiency improve-

Net working capital is based on historical experience for each CGU and thus increases on a linear basis as the level of activity increases.

### Discount rates and terminal growth

2022 DKK million

Ambulance Europe

Portfolio business

Total

Employee and Labour Market services

Consumer and Technical services

Community Health services

Ambulance US

Fire services

The discount rates for 2023 impairment testing purposes are based on calculation of weighted average cost of capital (WACC).

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Goodwill

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Falck har et godt eksempel på, hvordan oplysninger ved en nedskrivningstest kan gives på en let og overskuelig måde. Bemærk, at der gives en god beskrivelse af de væsentligste faktorer, som påvirker pengestrømmene, der indgår i nedskrivningstesten.

nuomt	t	Forecasting	g period	Terminal	period	Applied discount rate		
mer acts	Total carrying amount	Total growth (avg.)	Margin (avg.)	Growth	EBITA margin	After tax	Pre-tax	
-	480	2.4%	2.8%	2.0%	4.3%	7.2%	8.9%	
-	363	1.5%	7.4%	2.1%	8.8%	8.5%	10.8%	
-	570	2.5%	5.9%	2.0%	7.1%	7.7%	9.4%	
131	1,131	11.0%	5.2%	2.0%	6.7%	7.3%	8.6%	
-	2,654	6.6%	19.6%	2.0%	21.7%	7.1%	8.3%	
-	637	12.3%	18.4%	3.5%	18.0%	11.9%	15.7%	
131	5,835							

ess segments. Therefore, the carrying amounts and the key assumptions are not directly comparable with 2022.

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17.6%

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Terminal period

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4.2%

3.5%

8.5%

7.0%

27.7%

18.3%

15.7%

Growth

2.0%

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2.0%

3.4%

2.0%

Forecasting period

Total

(avg.)

(2.0%)

(9.4%)

4.9%

6.3%

5.0%

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Applied discount rate

Pre-tax

9.4%

11.9%

10.6%

9.4%

9.4%

19.4%

10.1%

After tax

7.9%

8.9%

8.6%

7 9%

7.9%

14.6%

8.3%

## Nedskrivningstest

## 3.2.2 Goodwill and customer contracts

The carrying amounts of intangibles for CGUs representing more than 5% of intangibles are disclosed in the table to the right together with a sensitivity analysis on the key assumptions in the impairment testing.

## Sensitivity analysis

The allowed change represents the percentage points by which the specific key assumption can change, all other things being equal, before the CGU's recoverable amount equals its carrying

## 3.2.3 Cash-generating units (CGUs)

Consistent with the Group's management and reporting structure, the lowest level of CGUs is the individual countries, as cash inflows are generated largely independent of cash inflows in other ISS countries (the majority of our contract portfolio is locally based with no cross-border activities). Accordingly, impairment tests are carried out per country, and intangibles (i.e. goodwill and customer contracts) are allocated to these.

Management of certain countries has been combined to take advantage of similarities in terms of markets, shared customers and cost synergies. In such exceptional cases, the countries are regarded as one CGU when performing the impairment test.

					rorecastiii	ig period			Terminal period							
	Ca	Carrying amount		Gro	Growth Margin 1)		Gro	Growth		Margin <sup>2)</sup>		Discount rate				
(DKKm)		Customer contracts	Total	Avg.	Allowed decrease	Avg.	Allowed decrease	Rate	Allowed decrease	Rate	Allowed decrease	Net of tax	Allowed increase	Pre- tax		
2023																
UK & Ireland	2,617	88	2,705	3.096	>3.0%	5.4%	>5.4%	2.5%	>2.5%	6.0%	3.5%	10.4%	6.5%	13.7%		
US & Canada	2,125	134	2,259	4.3%	>4.3%	6.0%	>6.0%	3.0%	>3.0%	6.0%	3.4%	10.9%	7.1%	14.196		
Finland	2,102	-	2,102	2.6%	>2.6%	6.2%	>6.2%	2.5%	2.5%	6.2%	1.8%	8.6%	1.9%	10.4%		
Switzerland	1,708	156	1,864	1.9%	>1.9%	7.8%	>7.8%	2.0%	>2.0%	7.8%	7.4%	6.9%	>6.9%	8.1%		
Denmark	1,620	-	1,620	2.196	>2.1%	5.3%	>5.3%	2.0%	>2.0%	6.0%	2.0%	9.3%	2.6%	11.6%		
Belgium & Lux.	1,322	-	1,322	2.9%	>2.9%	6.5%	>6.5%	2.5%	>2.5%	6.5%	4.0%	9.2%	6.5%	11.8%		
Spain	1,157	132	1,289	4.5%	>4.5%	6.4%	>6.4%	2.5%	>2.5%	6.5%	4.696	9.0%	8.7%	11.5%		
Australia & NZ	1,283	-	1,283	2.096	>2.0%	7.5%	>7.5%	3.0%	>3.0%	7.5%	7.5%	9.7%	>9.7%	13.3%		
Türkiye 2)	857	417	1,274	31.7%	11.5%	7.8%	6.9%	10.0%	8.4%	8.0%	3.6%	36.2%	5.3%	43.7%		
Norway	1,151	-	1,151	3.196	>3.1%	7.9%	>7.9%	3.0%	>3.0%	7.9%	>7.9%	9.2%	>9.2%	11.296		
Other	3,754	7	3,761	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Total	19 696	934	20 630													

Total	20,450	857	21,307											
Other	3,779	9	3,788	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
France 3)	936	-	936	1.8%	1.8%	0.2%	1.296	2.5%	0.7%	5.0%	0.4%	9.4%	0.6%	11.4%
Spain	938	1	939	4.496	>4.496	6.3%	>6.3%	2.5%	>2.5%	6.5%	4.4%	9.0%	8.0%	11.5%
Norway	1,228	-	1,228	2.8%	>2.8%	7.8%	>7.8%	3.0%	>3.0%	7.8%	>7.8%	9.6%	>9.6%	11.8%
Türkiye	848	434	1,282	36.0%	17.6%	8.4%	>8.4%	10.0%	>10.0%	8.0%	5.496	21.9%	10.7%	27.3%
Belgium & Lux.	1,319	-	1,319	2.5%	>2.5%	6.2%	>6.2%	2.5%	>2.5%	6.2%	2.5%	9.0%	3.3%	11.6%
Australia & NZ	1,327	2	1,329	2.8%	>2.8%	5.6%	>5.6%	2.5%	>2.5%	5.6%	3.796	9.9%	9.6%	14.1%
Denmark	1,620	-	1,620	1.6%	>1.6%	6.0%	>6.0%	2.5%	>2.5%	6.5%	2.3%	8.7%	2.6%	10.8%
Switzerland	1,598	157	1,755	2.3%	>2.3%	7.5%	>7.5%	2.0%	>2.0%	7.5%	6.9%	7.096	>7.096	8.3%
Finland	2,098	-	2,098	1.9%	>1.9%	6.2%	5.3%	2.5%	2.5%	6.2%	1.896	8.6%	1.9%	10.5%
US & Canada	2,197	155	2,352	6.1%	>6.1%	5.8%	>5.8%	3.0%	>3.0%	6.0%	2.796	10.7%	4.8%	13.9%
UK & Ireland	2,562	99	2,661	4.896	>4.8%	5.1%	>5.1%	3.0%	>3.0%	6.0%	4.196	10.2%	8.7%	12.9%
2022														

- Excluding allocated corporate costs.
- Discount rate applied in the terminal period was 20.5%

3) In June 2023, goodwill in France was fully impaired and the entity was subsequently reclassified as held for sale and discontinued operations

the expected impacts from the OneISS strategic priorities, especially around continued key account focus, investments in technology and the global operating model. Where relevant, initiated restructurings and other improvement initiatives, have also been taken into consideration when estimating the expected future performance and cash flows. This includes the impacts of the strategic review announced in

Management also assessed the impact from macroeconomic developments, which in 2023 primarily related to increased inflation rates. During the year, the Group demonstrated its continued ability to manage and mitigate

November 2023.

## 3.2.5 The ISS brand

The carrying amount of brands relates to the ISS brand and was DKK 1.589 million at 31 December 2023 (2022: DKK 1,589 million). In 2023, no impairment of the ISS brand was identified.

No sensitivity is shown for the ISS brand, as the group-wide cash flows adjusted for the Group's total goodwill and other non-current assets significantly exceed the carrying amount. This is additionally supported by ISS's market capitalisation at 31 December 2023 of approximately DKK 24 billion exceeding the carrying amount of equity, which amounted to DKK 11 billion.

ISS har et godt eksempel på, hvordan oplysninger ved en nedskrivningstest kan gives på en overskuelig måde. Beskrivelse af de væsentligste faktorer, der påvirker pengestrømmene, er her givet på en anden måde end i det foregående eksempel.

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ns applied in the terminal period eflect management's long-term ns for the individual country. Revenue lects inflation and GDP growth and ned based on input from external e IMF's "World Economic Outlook". margin reflects the expected norrnings level in the long term.

costs for the services performed by s head office functions for the benefit Is are allocated to the individual CGUs into account in the calculation of the e amount

Revenue

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Forecasting period (year 2-5) . Based on expected market development, including maturity and inflation

· Financial forecasts as approved by management

. Impact from local and Group initiatives are considered, including key account focus

### Terminal period

- Long-term expectations based on external sources such as IMF "World Economic Outlook", OECD, etc.
- · Not exceeding expected long-term average for the country, including inflation

### Operating margin

· Financial forecasts as approved by management

### Forecasting period (year 2-5)

- Impact from local and Group initiatives are considered, including key account focus and investments in technology and the global operating model
- · Restructurings, including the strategic review in Q4 2023, and local improvement initiatives are considered

## Terminal period

· Reflects the expected normalised earnings level in the long term

## Discount rates (net of tax)

- · Risk-free interest rate based on 10-year government bonds (countryspecific), except that for Türkiye a normalised interest rate is applied in the terminal period
- · Premium added to adjust for the inconsistency of applying government bonds with a short-term maturity when discounting cash flows with infinite maturity
- . Country specific estimation risk premium added (to reflect possible variations in amounts/timing of the projected cash flows)
- Equity risk premium: 6.0% (2022: 6.0%)<sup>2</sup>
- Debt/equity target ratio (market values): 25/75 (2022: 25/75)
- 1) The key assumptions applied are used for accounting purposes and should not be considered a forward-looking statement within the meaning of the US Private Securities Litigation Act of 1995 and similar laws in other countries regarding expectations to the future development.
- For Türkiye a country specific risk premium of 9.0% is added (2022; 6.0%).

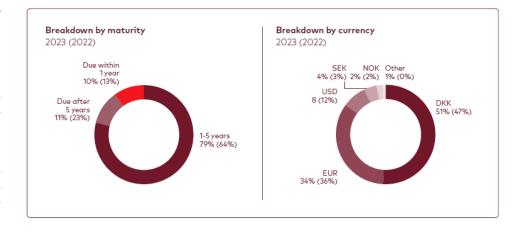
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## Note over lån

## Note 5.2 **Loans**

DKK million	2023	2022
Non-current liabilities		
Syndicated loan	2,298	1,935
Mortgage loans	336	348
Lease liabilities	717	659
Other non-current loans	1	3
Total	3,352	2,945
Current liabilities		
Mortgage loans	10	10
Lease liabilities	344	280
Other current loans	3	159
Total	357	449
Total loans	3,709	3,394
Interest reset periods		
Within 3 months	1,403	2,104
Between 3 and 12 months	1,434	388
After 12 months	872	902
Total	3,709	3,394



### Comments

Falck's primary debt financing is a syndicated Revolving Credit Facility of EUR 350 million (DKK 2,610 million) expiring January 2029. The syndicated bank loan facility is linked to three ESG KPIs; CO2 emissions, employee engagement and Lost Time Injury Rate (see ESG key figures).

## Accounting policies Logns

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Debt to credit institutions, etc., is recognised at the time of obtaining the loan at fair value less transaction costs. In subsequent periods, financial liabilities are measured at amortised cost.

## Lease liabilities

Falck recognises present value of the lease terr payments:

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- Variable p
- The exerc certain to
- Payments extension exercised
- Penalty po options re

Falck har et god eksempel på, hvordan noten over lån kan illustreres.

Særlig interessant er fordelingen af lån på valuta og oplysningen om tidspunktet for reset-tidspunkt af de variable renter. Bemærk, at disse oplysninger er gode, men de erstatter ikke den traditionelle forfaldsprofil.

Falck, Årsrapport 2023, s. 109

## Væsentlige estimater og antagelser

## Note 2 Significant accounting estimates and judgments

In connection with the preparation of the Parent Company's annual report and consolidated financial statements, management makes estimates and judgments as to how recognition and measurement of revenue, assets and liabilities should take place based on the accounting policies applied.

When determining the possible impact from climate risks on the financial reporting, management has assessed that the effect of climate related risks do not significantly impact estimates and assumptions, nor have any significant accounting impact. Included in the budgets and strategic forecasts for 2024–2028 applied for impairment testing are dedicated capex for solar cells, heat pumps and bio-based or electric boilers which supports our plans to be 100% emission free by the end of 2025 for scope 1 and 2. Furthermore, in these plans it is assumed that imposed sugar taxes can be countered by sales price increases, and/or by increasing focus on no/low products, i.e., behavior shift. As for the potential carbon emission taxes, we do not expect any significant impact due to the dedicated capex.

## Judgments as an element in material accounting policies

The calculation of carrying amounts of certain assets and liabilities requires judgment as to how assets and liabilities should be classified in the financial statements, and how future events will affect the value of these assets and liabilities at the balance sheet date. In connection with the financial reporting for 2023, the judgments presented in the list to the right have been considered material affecting the related items as described in relevant notes.

## Critical accounting estimates

Management's estimates are based on assumptions which management considers reasonable but which are inherently uncertain and unpredictable. In connection with the financial reporting for 2023, the following critical estimates have been made as described in the notes, see list to the right.

accounting estimates are described in the notes. Significant accounting estimate estimates and Note and judgments judgments Derivative financial instruments Segment reporting and revenue Aggregation of similar segments \*\* (§) (%) Staff expenses Expenses broken down by nature Financial income Financial expenses Tax on profit for the year (§) Intangible assets Key assumptions in impairment test \*\*\* Property, plant and equipment (§) Investments in associates (§) Other fixed asset investments Receivables Equity Deferred tax Recovery of deferred tax assets (§) (%) Other current payables Cash flow statement Contingent liabilities and securities Related parties (§) (A) (D) Purchase price allocation Purchase Price Allocation (PPA) Events after the reporting period \*\* Medium \*\*\* High

Material accounting policies.

Critical accounting estimates.

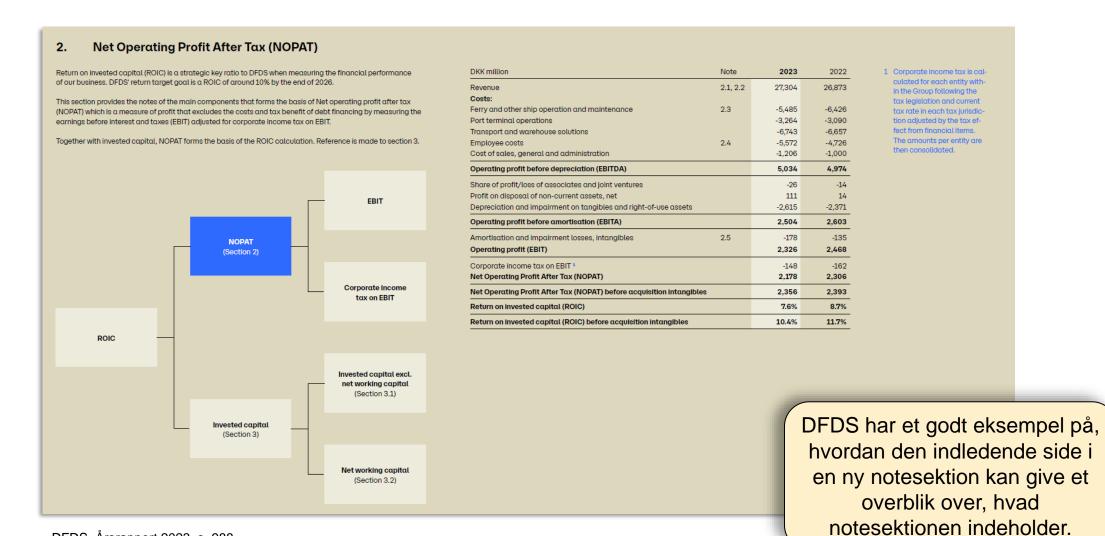
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Royal Unibrew, Årsrapport 2023, s. 124

Royal Unibrew er et godt eksempel på, hvordan noteoversigten kan vise et overblik over de noter, der indeholder væsentlige regnskabsmæssige skøn og vurderinger. Bemærk, at effekten af det regnskabsmæssige skøn eller vurdering også er anført.

## Præsentation af noter og overblik



DFDS, Årsrapport 2023, s. 988

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