



Q1 2011

STRONG GROWTH IN REVENUE AND RESULTS

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DFDS HIGHLIGHTS Q1 2011:

A PROMISING START TO THE YEAR

- Revenue growth of 67% driven by the Norfolkline acquisition and organic growth on Baltic Sea and North Sea
- Operating profit (EBITDA) up by 76% to DKK 183m
- Integration and synergy realization ahead of plans
- Turnaround of Logistics Division is on track
- Increase in bunker cost primarily impacts business units Passenger and Channel
- Profit expectation unchanged – investments reduced by DKK 300m due to sale of assets

FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE

- Revenue increase of 67%
 - Norfolkline acquisition
 - Organic growth achieved mainly in Shipping
 - Logistics focused on achieving rate increases rather than volume
- EBITDA before special items of DKK 183m, up by 76%
 - Significant increase in bunker absorbed through surcharges and savings on consumption, apart from Passenger and Channel
- Special items of DKK 34m, net
 - + Sale of DFDS Canal Tours
 - Integration costs
- Profit before tax up by DKK 69m
- Despite NFL acquisition, NIBD reduced by DKK 1bn compared to Q1 2010
- Q1 ROIC of 1.9% up by 4.2 ppt

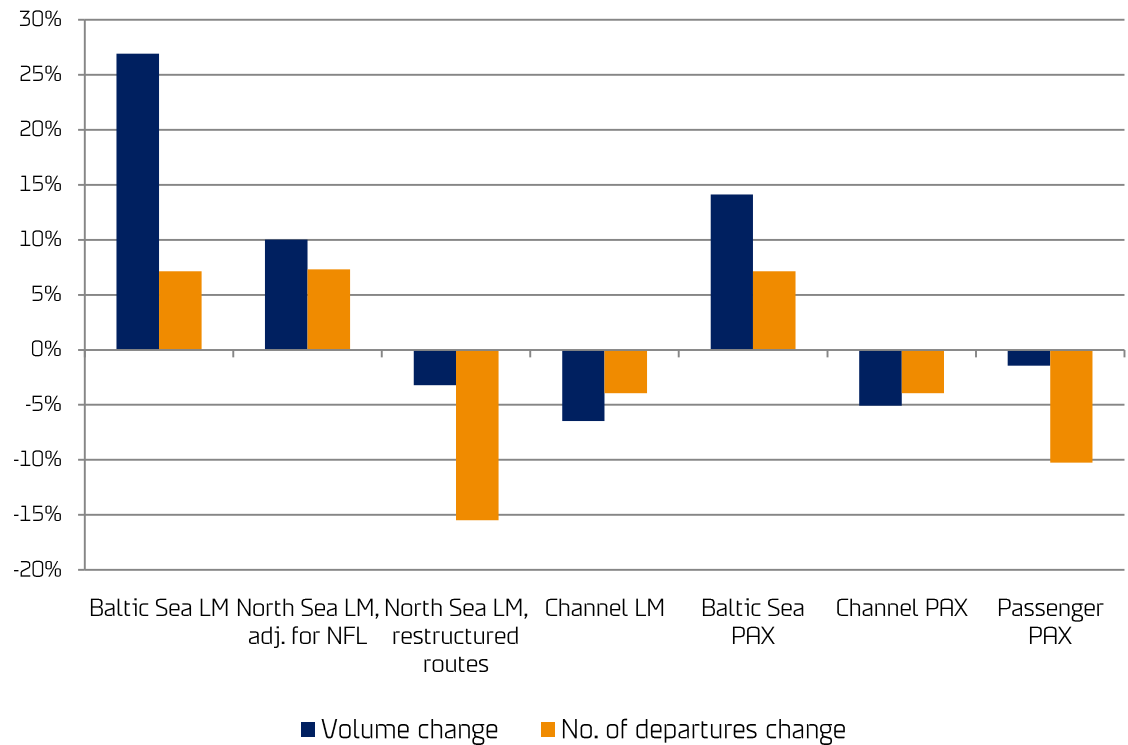
DFDS Group - Key Figures

| DKKm | Q1 11 | Q1 10 | Change % | Change |
|------------------------------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| REVENUE | 2.698 | 1.611 | 67,5 | 1.087 |
| EBITDA BEFORE SPECIAL ITEMS | 183 | 104 | 76,0 | 79 |
| margin, % | 6,8 | 6,5 | n.a. | 0 |
| Depreciations | -171 | -146 | 17,2 | -25 |
| EBIT BEFORE SPECIAL ITEMS | 12 | -40 | n.a. | 52 |
| margin, % | 0,4 | -2,5 | n.a. | 3 |
| Special Items | 34 | -5 | n.a. | 39 |
| EBIT | 46 | -45 | n.a. | 91 |
| Finance | -39 | -18 | n.a. | -21 |
| PRE-TAX PROFIT | 7 | -62 | n.a. | 69 |
| Tax | 0 | 0 | n.a. | 0 |
| NET PROFIT | 7 | -62 | n.a. | 69 |
| EMPLOYEES, no. | 5.056 | 3.715 | 36,1 | 1.341 |
| SOLVENCY, % | 46,9 | 38,8 | n.a. | 8,1 |
| CAPEX | 536 | -55 | n.a. | 591 |
| NET INTEREST BEARING DEBT | 3.033 | 4.026 | -24,7 | -993 |
| ROIC, % | 1,9 | -2,3 | n.a. | n.a. |

VOLUMES, DEPARTURES & PRICING

- Strong growth in Baltic Sea supported by more sailings
- North Sea, adjusted, growth driven by return of industrial volumes, eg. automotive. Rate impacted by increase in SEK
- North Sea, restructured, no. sailings reduced by 15% from merger of routes
- Channel freight volumes and rates under pressure, capacity adjusted. Pax rate level increased
- Passenger pax volumes slightly down due to no. of sailings due to dockings. 10% increase in no. pax per sailing achieved, mostly on Amsterdam-Newcastle
- Logistics volume growth curbed by focus on increasing rates and termination of loss-making contracts

Shipping Q1 2011: Volumes & departures vs LY



SHIPPING DIVISION PERFORMANCE

- Shipping Division's EBIT is burdened by addition of low season results for Irish Sea and Channel compared to 2010
- North Sea: Volume growth up by 10% adjusted for Norfolkline impact. Higher industrial volumes from Sweden and Germany. Danish market stagnating
- Baltic Sea: Volume growth of 27% driven by higher demand in general and Russian/Polish border conflict. Rate increases have also been achieved
- Irish Sea is being closed
- Channel's low season is Q1. Result impacted by increase in bunker cost and continued fierce competition
- Passenger's low season also Q1. Increase in bunker cost offset by combination of improved sales performance and margins, and lower operating and depreciation cost

Shipping Division

| DKK m | Revenue | | | EBIT before special items | | |
|--------------------------------|--------------|--------------|------------|---------------------------|------------|-----------|
| | Q1 11 | Q1 10 | Change | Q1 11 | Q1 10 | Change |
| North Sea | 877 | 617 | 260 | 101 | 88 | 13 |
| Baltic Sea | 299 | 229 | 70 | 45 | 4 | 41 |
| Irish Sea | 21 | n.a. | n.a. | -23 | n.a. | n.a. |
| English Channel | 181 | n.a. | n.a. | -21 | n.a. | n.a. |
| Passenger | 284 | 286 | -1 | -82 | -83 | 1 |
| Total BU | 1.663 | 1.132 | 531 | 20 | 9 | 11 |
| Non-allocated items | 46 | 35 | 11 | -16 | -20 | 4 |
| Eliminations | -16 | -5 | -11 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| Total Shipping Division | 1.693 | 1.162 | 531 | 4 | -11 | 15 |

LOGISTICS DIVISION PERFORMANCE

- Logistics Division's EBIT is positively impacted by addition of European Contract and addition of activities in other BUs except for Nordic Contract
- Nordic Transport: EBIT improved through rate increases, more stable trade balances and merger of operations
- Continental Transport: EBIT stabilised as turnaround of Belgian operations are progressing somewhat ahead of schedule
- European Contract: Performance in line with expectations
- Intermodal: Improvement of Norwegian container activities offset by deterioration of Irish/Continental market
- Nordic Contract: EBIT of paper logistics improved through higher margins and more stable operations

Logistics Division

| DKK m | Revenue | | | EBIT before special items | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------|------------|------------|---------------------------|------------|-----------|
| | Q1 11 | Q1 10 | Change | Q1 11 | Q1 10 | Change |
| Nordic Transport | 173 | 97 | 76 | 6 | 2 | 4 |
| Continental Transport | 377 | 152 | 225 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| European Contract | 212 | n.a. | 212 | 9 | n.a. | 9 |
| Intermodal | 270 | 173 | 270 | -3 | -3 | 0 |
| Nordic Contract | 114 | 102 | 12 | 6 | -5 | 11 |
| Total BU | 1.145 | 524 | 621 | 18 | -6 | 24 |
| Non-allocated items | 23 | 3 | 20 | -3 | -5 | 2 |
| Eliminations | -52 | -9 | -43 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| Total Logistics Division | 1.116 | 518 | 598 | 15 | -11 | 26 |

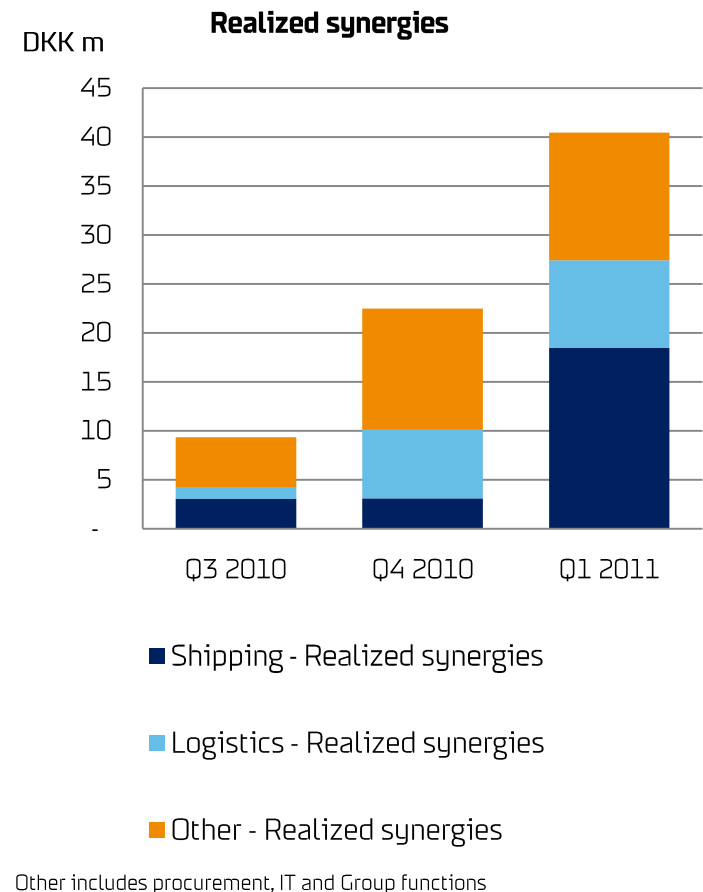
INTEGRATION & CASH FLOW

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Q1 INTEGRATION AND SYNERGIES AHEAD OF PLAN

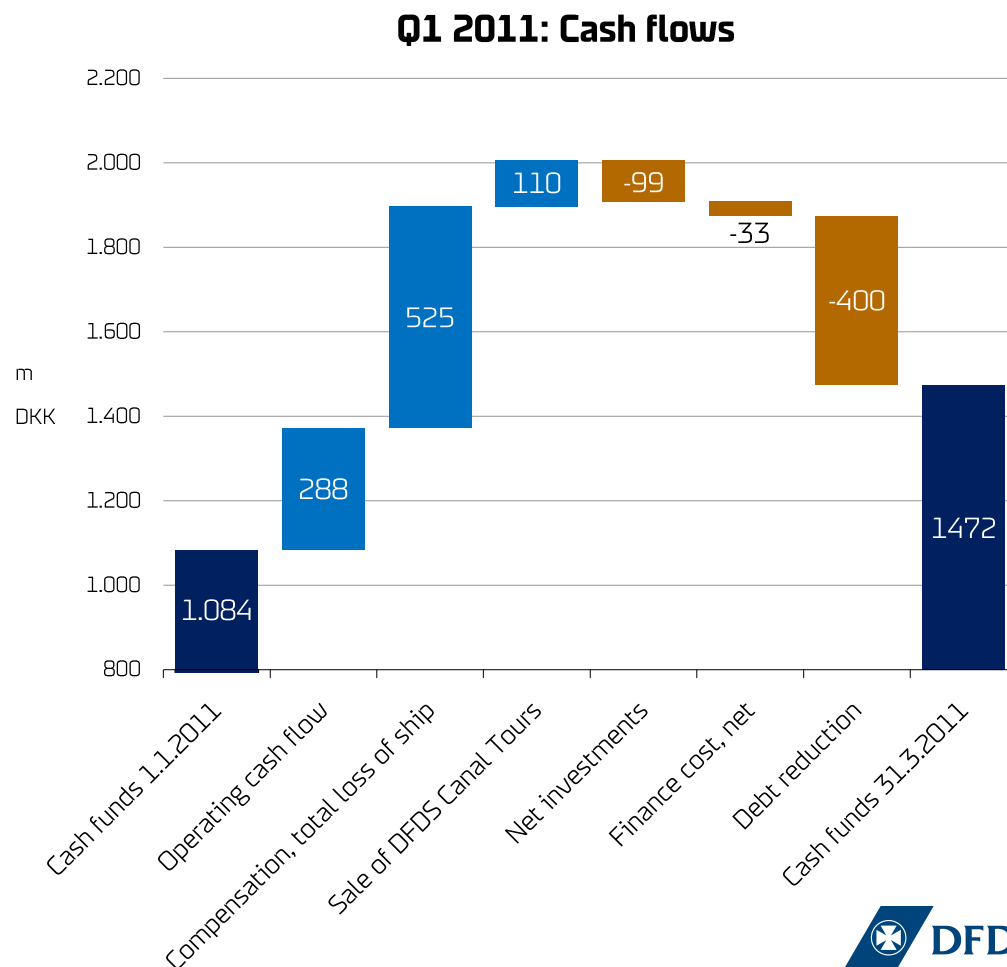
Major integration projects 2011:

- Introduction of the expanded terminal and new route structure and tonnage for Vlaardingen-Immingham
 - Consolidation of IT systems for the Shipping and Logistics divisions
 - Takeover from Maersk Ship Management of operations of former Norfolkline vessels
 - Achievement of synergies from procurement of technical parts and consumer goods for on-board sales
 - Development and standardisation of business processes and operations across the Logistics business areas
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- Annualized run rate of 2010 and 2011 implemented actions is expected to amount to at least DKK 180m at year-end 2011
 - Integration costs for full-year 2011 still expected at DKK 80m, including costs related to closure of Irish Sea routes



CASH FUNDS POSITION FURTHER STRENGTHENED

- Cash position of DKK 1.5bn at end of Q1 2011
- Operating cash flow of DKK 288m including seasonal inflow from prepayments by passengers
- Compensation of DKK 525m for total loss of ship received in March
- Proceeds from sale of DFDS Canal Tours was DKK 110m
- Net investments of DKK 99m in Q1 mainly related to ships
- Debt reduced by DKK 400m in Q1



GOING FORWARD

PROFIT EXPECTATIONS
STRATEGIC PRIORITIES

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UNCHANGED PROFIT EXPECTATION FOR 2011

- Revenue growth of 20% expected, of which approximately half is full-year Norfolkline impact
- EBITDA before special items to increase to DKK 1.5bn (DKK 1.3bn)
- Pre-tax profit before special items of DKK 550m (DKK 445m)
- Special items expected to be around zero as expected integration costs of DKK 80m are balanced by profit of DKK 83m from sale of DFDS Canal Tours (DKK 102m)
- Pre-tax profit of DKK 550m (DKK 547m)
- Investments are reduced by DKK 300m to DKK 450m from previously DKK 750m due to sale of assets: DFDS Canal Tours and ro-pax ship formerly deployed on Irish Sea

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STRATEGIC PRIORITIES

- Complete integration of Norfolkline, harvest next level of synergies - **FINANCIALLY ON TRACK**
- Turnaround of Logistics Division - **FINANCIALLY ON TRACK**
- Full implementation of new organizational structure: - **MOVING FORWARD**
 - Freight Sales Solutions
 - People & Ships
 - Shared Services
 - Passenger Competence Center
 - Supply Chain Management
- Develop “The DFDS Way” further, our cultural promotion of innovative, efficient and performance oriented operations - **MOVING FORWARD**
- Prepare for the next strategic move ...**OPPORTUNITIES ARE BEING ANALYZED**

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**WE HAVE COME FAR ...
... AND WE ARE MOVING ON**

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