# ACQUISITIONS FUEL GROWTH

DFDS GROUP Q2 2018



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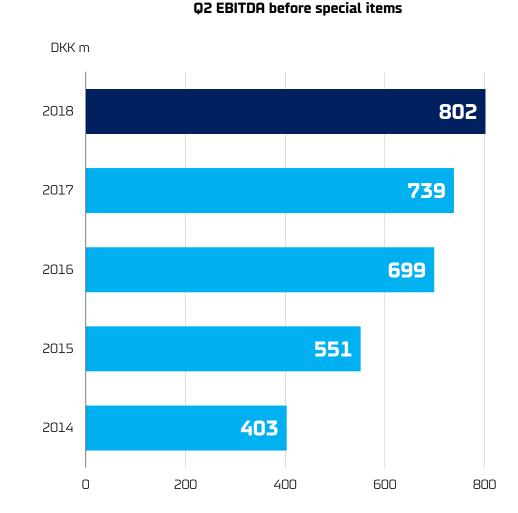
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### Acquistions fuel growth and earnings in Q2

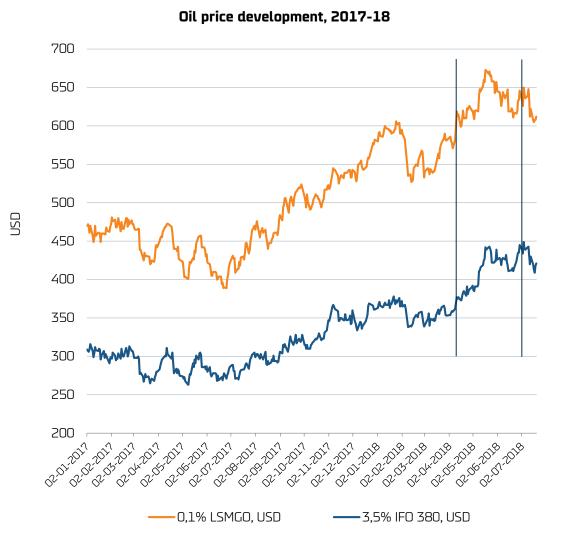
- UNRR consolidated from 7 June with revenue of DKK 141m and EBITDA of DKK 50m
- **DFDS Group** revenue up 6% and EBITDA up 9% to DKK 802m
- **EBITDA outlook** for full-year 2018 unchanged at DKK 3.0-3.2bn
- **Financial leverage** increased following acquisition, NIBD/EBITDA at 2.4 on pro forma basis, reported 2.9





#### A bit more headwind than tailwind in Q2

- **Bunker price** up 47% in Q2 mitigated by 8% lower USD
- Lag of 1-2 months in recovery of bunker price increase impacted Q2 negatively, also in Logistics
- Total EBITDA impact of DKK -40m
- **SEK** down 6% y/y, main driver of DKK -8m currency EBITDA impact
- Some disruption of tourism/holiday patterns from **soccer** world cup
- European economies continued to grow despite some political turmoil





## Q2 2018 numbers: Impact from UNRR acquisition

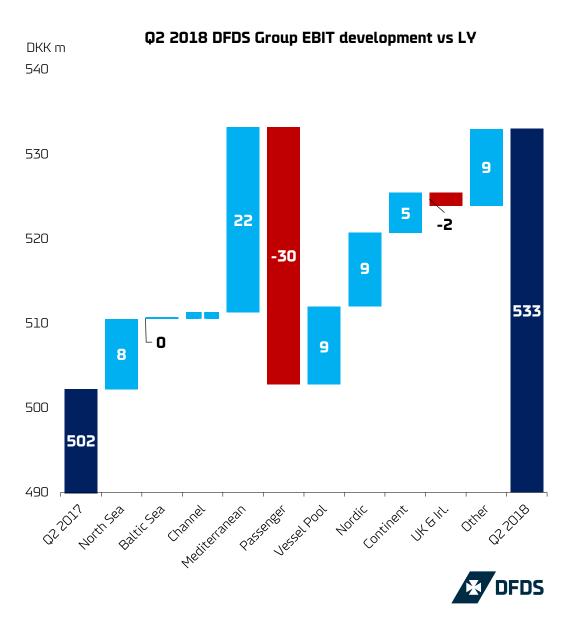
- **6% revenue growth** driven by UNRR and continued growth in freight volumes. Revenue up 4% on a like-for-like basis
- **EBITDA** up 9% to DKK 802m driven by UNRR and continued growth in Logistics
- **Depreciation** increase of DKK 35m mainly due to acquisitions and IT/digital
- **Special items** of DKK -63m include DKK -47m related to UNRR acquisition
- **Profit before special items and tax** was flat at DKK 494m
- **ROIC** before special items at 16.9% and 13.0% on a FY pro forma basis

			Change	Change
DKK m	Q2 18	Q2 17	vs LY	<u> </u>
REVENUE	3,894	3,688	206	6%
EBITDA BEFORE SI	802	739	63	<b>9%</b>
margin, %	20.6	20.0	0.6	n.a.
P/L associates	1	Ο	1	n.a.
Gain/loss asset sales	3	1	2	n.a.
Depreciations	-272	-237	-35	-15%
EBIT BEFORE SI	533	502	31	6%
margin, %	13.7	13.6	0.1	n.a.
Special items	-63	3	-67	n.a.
EBIT	470	506	-36	-7%
Finance	-39	-7	-32	-439%
PBT BEFORE SI	494	495	-1	0%
PBT	431	498	-67	-14%
EMPLOYEES avg., no.	7,483	7,145	338	5%
INVESTED CAPITAL	16,327	9,177	7,150	78%
ROIC LTM ex. SI, %	16.9	18.1	-1.2	n.a.
NIBD	8,256	2,774	5,482	198%
NIBD/EBITDA, times	2.9	1.0	1.9	n.a.
SOLVENCY, %	37	49	-12	n.a.

SI: Special items. PBT: Profit before tax. NIBD: Net interest-bearing debt.

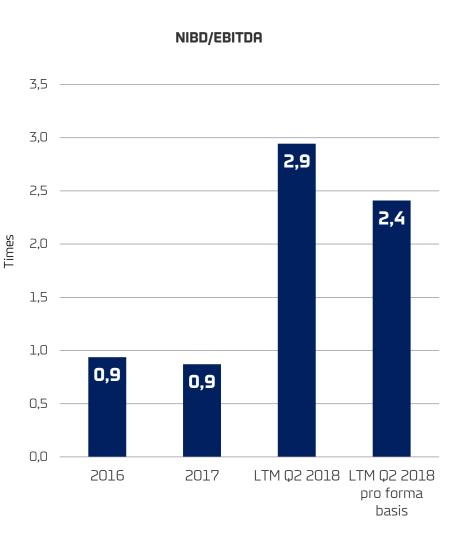
#### Mediterranean and Passenger key Q2 EBIT drivers

- **North Sea +8m**: Continued volume growth, offset from lag in bunker cost recovery
- **Channel +1m**: Positive route contribution offset by extra ferry maintenance costs and lag in bunker cost recovery
- Mediterranean +22m: Addition of UNRR
- **Passenger -30m**: Cost increases in bunker and ferry maintenance, adverse impact from change in overseas booking agent behavior and some weakness in Norwegian sales
- **Nordic +9m**: Continued good result from contract logistics activities, offset from lag in recovery of higher haulage costs
- **Continent +5m**: Continued good trading, offset from lag in recovery of higher haulage costs. Addition of Special Cargo



# Capital structure in line with target leverage

- **NIBD/EBITDA** at 2.9 end of Q2 and 2.4 on pro forma basis
- Share issue with proceeds of DKK 1.0bn completed in June 2018
- Interest-bearing debt increased to DKK 9.5bn
- Board will in **February 2019** review capital structure and distribution





## EBITDA outlook 2018 unchanged at DKK 3.0-3.2bn

- European real GDP growth above 2% expected in 2018
- Some slowdown in **UK market** but demand for ferry and logistics services is robust
- Development of **digital and IT** capabilities progressing as planned
- **Investments** forecast at DKK 5.0bn down DKK 200m from previously as U.N. Ro-Ro's equity value was lower than expected
- Outlook is associated with a higher level of uncertainty than usual due to the recent sharp depreciation of TRY





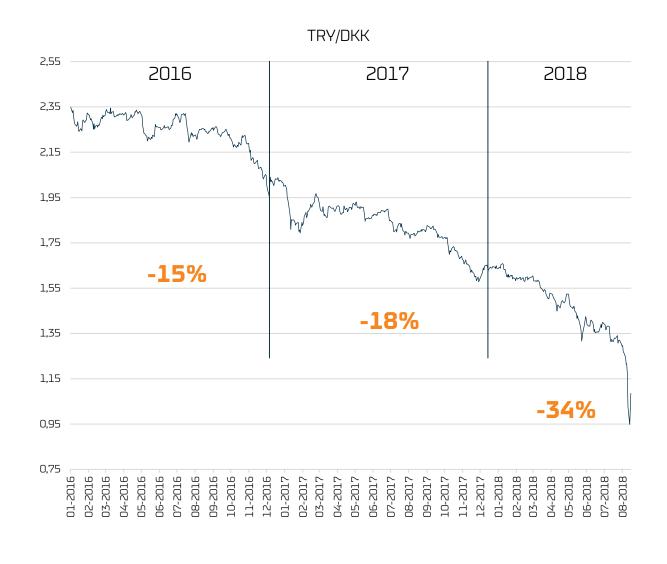
# Turkey - inflation and exchange rate development of TRY

- TRY-depreciation is linked to high inflation rates in Turkey:
  - 2016: 8%
  - 2017: 11%
  - 2018 ytd: 16%
- Turkey's real **GDP** was up 7% in Q1
- FY GDP forecast at around 4% before TRY dropped in August

#### Diplomatic rift with Washington drives Turkish lira to fresh low

Currency down 31.5% in 2018 as US meeting delivers no progress on sanctions dispute

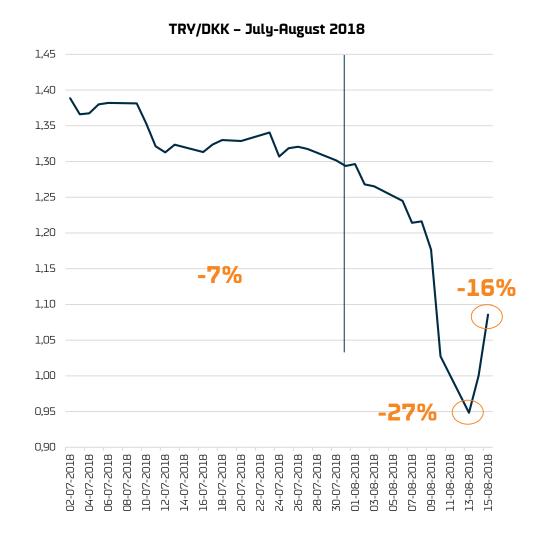






# Turkey – impact of TRY depreciation on finance items

- Financial performance impacted by 'one-off' currency loss on debtors recorded in Finance items
- Mediterranean's prices are set in EUR to protect revenue development
- Invoicing in TRY implies, however, currency risk in 60 day payment period for debtors
- TRY exposure on debtors of around DKK 300m
- 'One-off' currency loss in Finance items of around DKK 81m incurred until 15 Aug:
  - June: DKK 6m
  - July: DKK 27m
  - August, 1-15: DKK 48m





# Turkey – impact of TRY depreciation on trading

- Export volumes increased 17% Jan-Jun 2018 while import volumes were up 3%
- Europe-Turkey trading has historically been balanced current divergence in growth rates is starting to create imbalances
- Currency depreciation is impacting import volumes once TRY is stabilised imports are expected to resume but likely at a lower level
- Export volume growth expected to mitigate impact from imbalance/reduced import volumes
- Also mitigation from significant import of semi-manufactured goods used for manufacturing of finished goods in Turkey and then re-exported
- With the current visibility, we maintain our EBITDA outlook based on the 'early' consolidation of UNRR as of 7 June



# **Priorities 2018**

- Integration of **U.N. Ro-Ro**
- Realise our next steps in **digital strategy**
- **Customer** satisfaction grow the topline
- Continue push for **efficiency** improvements
- Improve performance of **Passenger** business unit
- Preparing for deployment beginning 2019 of two freight **new buildings** (ro-ro)
- Pursue value-creating **M&A**

