

GUIDANCE ABOVE DKK 3BN REAFFIRMED

DFDS GROUP
Q3 2018

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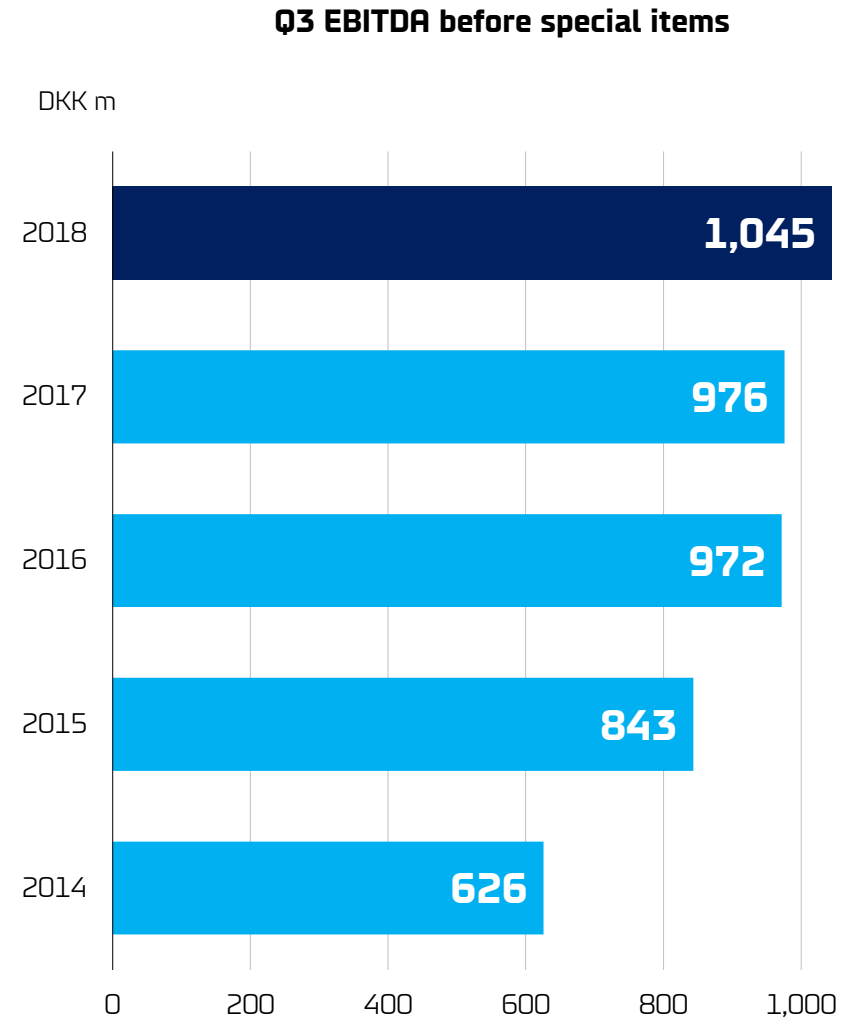
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Acquisitions drive Q3 improvement as Brexit slows growth

- **DFDS Group** revenue up 12% and EBITDA up 7% to DKK 1,045m in Q3
- **EU-Turkey** market stabilised, except Mersin region
- **Slowdown in UK** trading in Q3. Uncertainty linked to Brexit outcome impacting the trading
- **The EBITDA outlook range** for full-year 2018 is narrowed to DKK 3.0-3.1bn
- **Financial leverage**, NIBD/EBITDA, at 2.3 on FY pro forma basis



Currently some headwind but sound platform

- **Brexit** concerns slowed market growth in northern Europe in Q3
- As a result, **freight volumes** on DFDS routes to and from UK were lowered
- Businesses and consumers require **clarity** on Brexit for growth to continue
- New Mediterranean route network linking Europe and Turkey **on track** to perform as expected when acquired in April
- **Robust** performance on key Mediterranean routes
- Turkish export industry expected to lead **recovery** of economy going forward
- We are **reaffirming** the full-year outlook for an EBITDA above DKK 3.0bn, an increase of more than 10% vs last year



Q3 2018 EBIT flat as depreciations increase

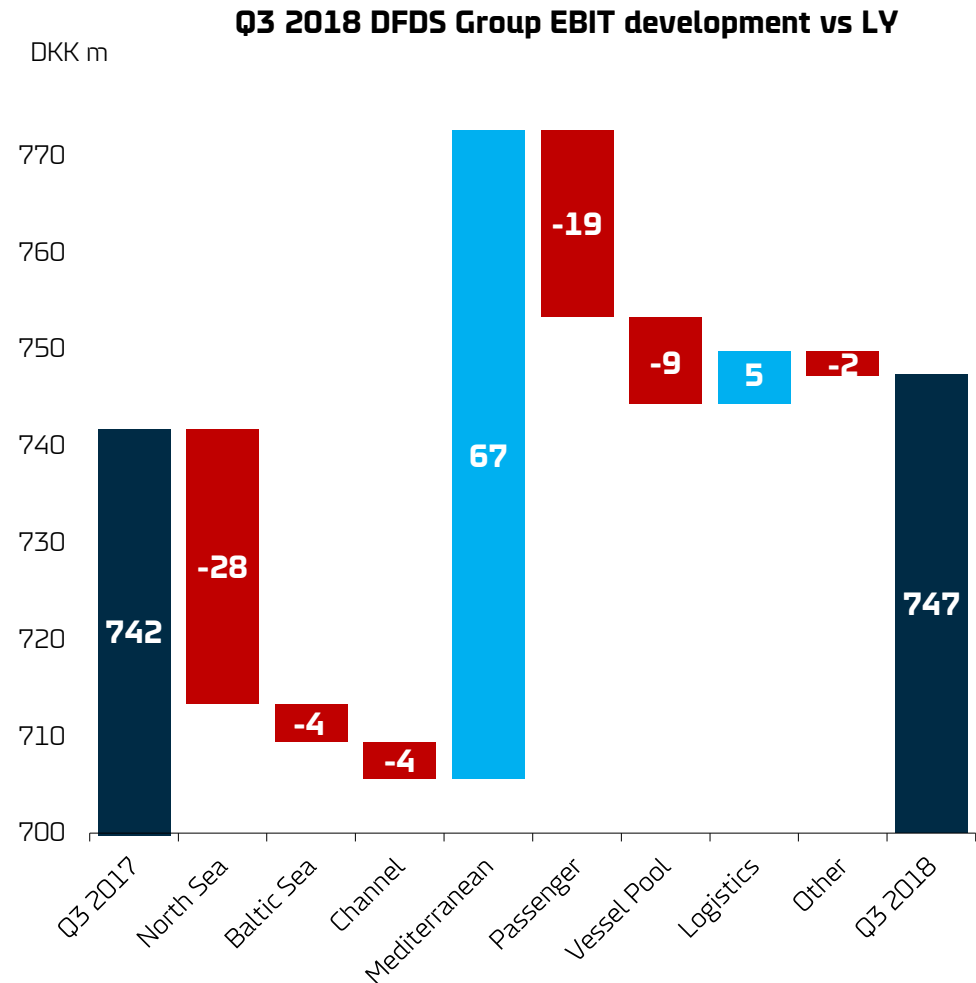
- **12% revenue growth** driven mainly by UNRR
- **EBITDA** up 7% to DKK 1,045m driven by UNRR as Northern European freight earnings reduced by Brexit slowdown and non-comparable items
- **Depreciation** increase of DKK 65m mainly due to acquisitions and Digital/IT. Offset of DKK 18m from change in ship depreciations
- **Finance** cost increase includes DKK 70m from currency losses on receivables. Remaining increase related to UNRR acquisition
- **Profit before special items and tax** decreased 13% to DKK 622m

DKK m	Q3 18	Q3 17	Change vs LY	Change %
REVENUE	4,383	3,922	461	12%
EBITDA BEFORE SI	1,045	976	69	7%
margin, %	23.8	24.9	-1.0	n.a.
P/L associates	-1	-1	0	n.a.
Gain/loss asset sales	2	0	1	n.a.
Depreciations	-298	-233	-65	-28%
EBIT BEFORE SI	747	742	6	1%
margin, %	17.1	18.9	-1.9	n.a.
Special items	3	-5	9	n.a.
EBIT	751	737	14	2%
Finance	-126	-28	-98	-346%
PBT BEFORE SI	622	714	-92	-13%
PBT	625	708	-83	-12%
EMPLOYEES avg., no.	7,705	7,247	458	6%
INVESTED CAPITAL	16,393	9,229	7,164	78%
ROIC LTM ex. SI, %	14.8	18.1	-3.3	n.a.
NIBD	7,666	2,636	5,030	191%
NIBD/EBITDA, times	2.7	0.9	1.8	n.a.
SOLVENCY, %	39	49	-10	n.a.

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

UK-linked business units impacted by Brexit concerns

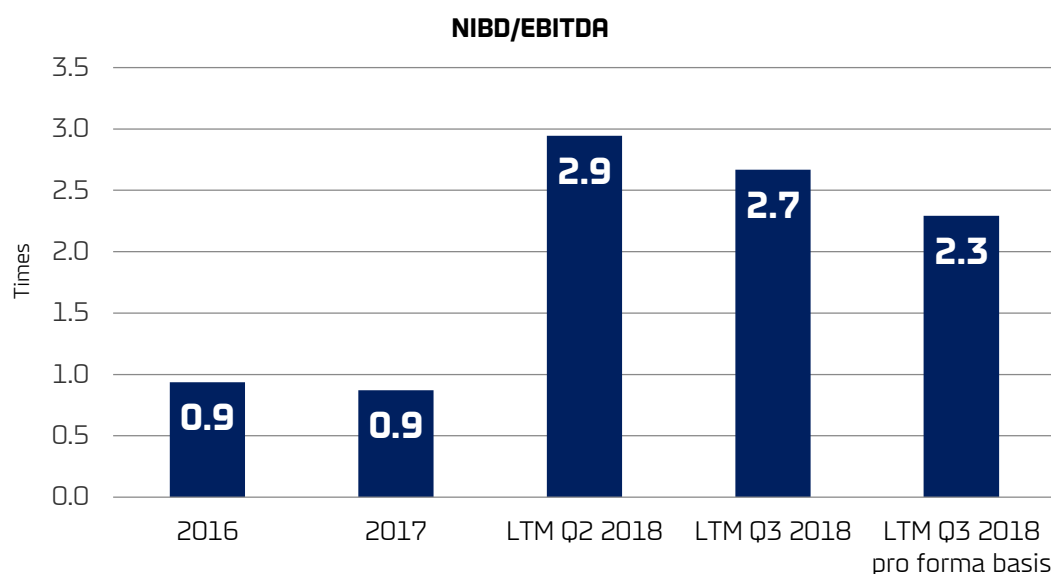
- **North Sea -28m:** 1.9% lower volumes driven by Brexit slowdown and dip in automotive volumes. Negative SEK impact
- **Baltic Sea -4m:** Higher pax contribution partly offset lower freight earnings
- **Channel -4m:** Dover Strait result improved by higher pax contribution. Timing difference of DKK -13m on Newhaven-Dieppe
- **Mediterranean +67m:** Addition of UNRR reduced by higher cost on existing Med route
- **Passenger -19m:** Result lowered mainly by higher bunker cost
- **Logistics +5m:** Special Cargo performing well. Positive impact from closure of lossmaking activities. Result held back by automotive and cost recovery lag



Increased cash flow drives deleveraging

- **Operating cash flow** increased 9%
- **Free cash flow** increased 10%, including investments of DKK 234m mainly related to ships
- **NIBD** was DKK 7.7bn end Q3
- **NIBD/EBITDA**-multiple decreased to 2.7x from 2.9x end of Q2. On a pro forma FY basis the multiple is 2.3x
- Board will in **February 2019** review capital structure and distribution

DKK m	Q3 2017	Q3 2018	Δ	Δ %
EBITDA	976	1,045	69	7%
Working capital & adjustments	-112	-85	26	-24%
Taxes	-3	-18	-14	n.a.
Operating cash flow	861	942	81	9%
Investments	-218	-234	-16	7%
Free cash flow (FCFF)	643	709	66	10%



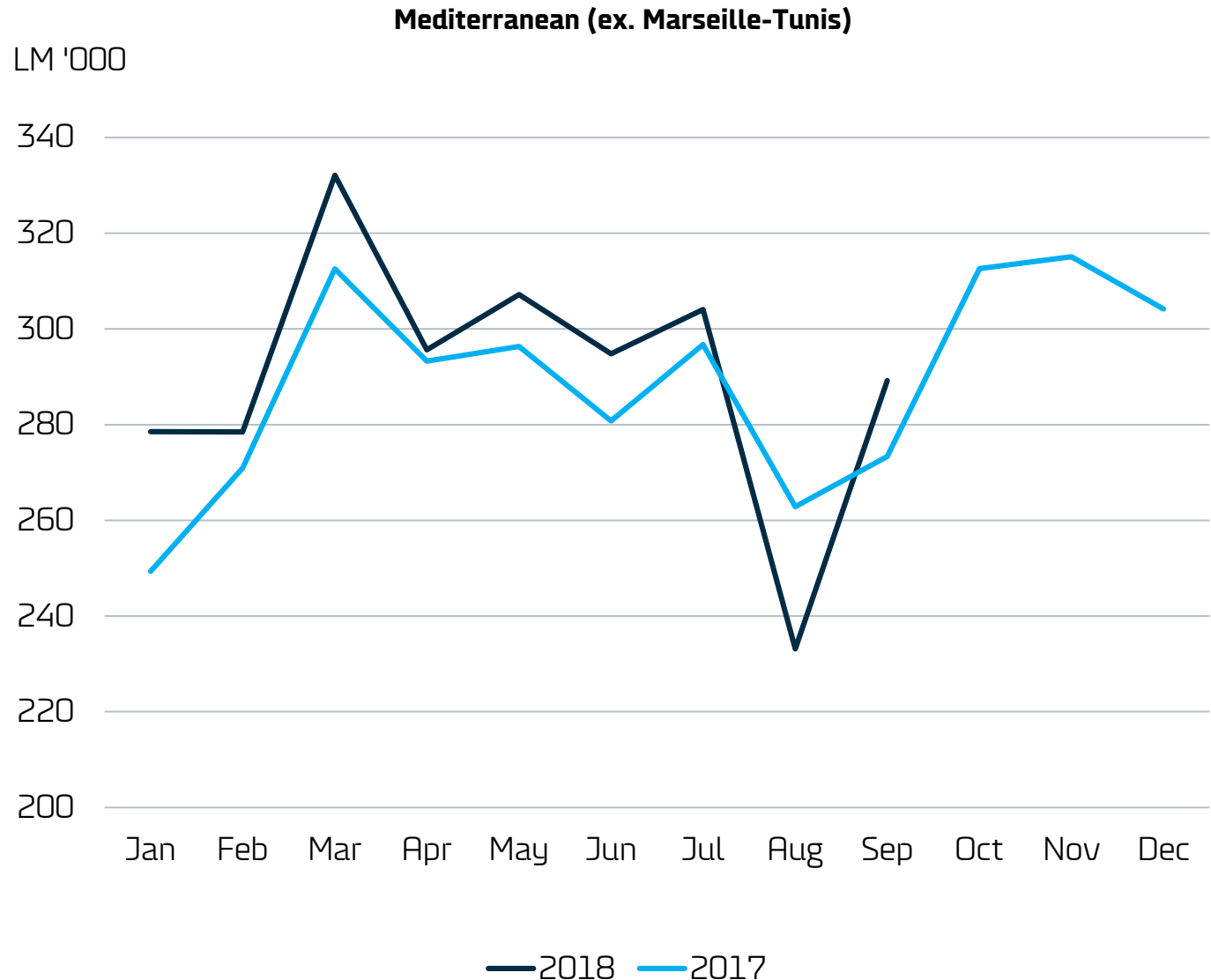
Mediterranean – impact of TRY depreciation on finance items

- TRY-depreciation is linked to high inflation rates in Turkey:
 - 2016: 8%
 - 2017: 11%
 - 2018: Oct ~ 25%
- Turkey's real GDP growth estimated to become negative in H2 after growth of 7% and 5% in Q1 and Q2
- TRY currency exposure on customer receivables of around DKK 300m
- **'One-off' currency loss** in Finance items of DKK 70m in Q3 from 24% TRY depreciation
- Currency gain of around DKK 39m since start of Q4



Robust Mediterranean volume development

- **YTD* volumes: +3.0%**
- **Q3 volumes: -0.8%**
- Volumes consistently above 2017 until July
- TRY depreciation and extended holiday lowered volumes in August
- Rebound to above 2017 in September, positive impact from catch-up after holiday



EBITDA outlook 2018 narrowed to DKK 3.0-3.1bn

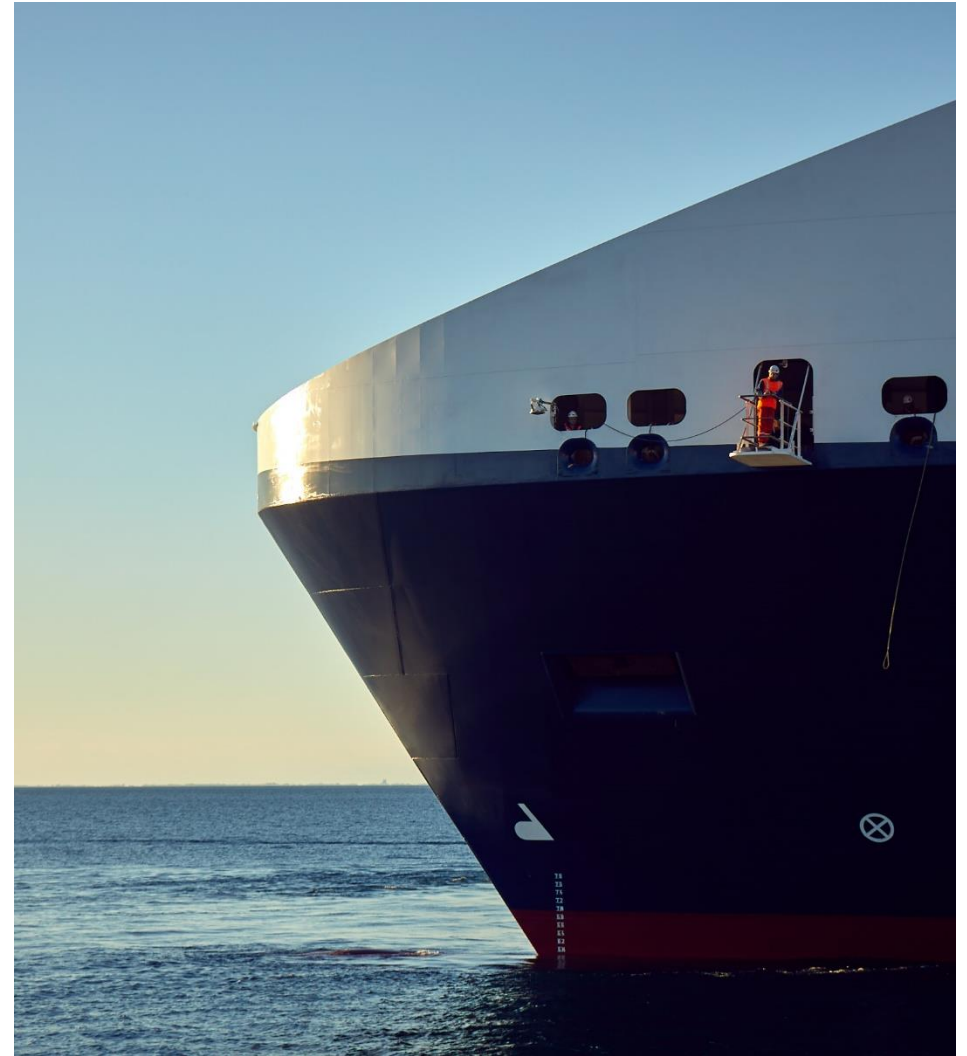
- **European real GDP** growth slowed in Q3, now expected just below 2% in 2018
- Slowdown in **UK market** lowered freight demand in Q3
- **EBITDA range** narrowed to DKK 3.0-3.1bn from DKK 3.0-3.2bn
- **Investments** reduced by DKK 300m to DKK 4.7bn

OUTLOOK 2018

- Revenue growth of around 10%
- EBITDA range of DKK 3,000-3,100m (2017: DKK 2,702m)
 - Shipping Division: DKK 2,800-2,875m (2017: DKK 2,513m)
 - Logistics Division: DKK 300-325m (2017: DKK 263m)
 - Non-allocated items: DKK -100m (2017: DKK -74m)
- Investments of DKK 4.7bn

Current priorities

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



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