

CONTINUED PROGRESS IN Q3

Q3 2013 REPORT

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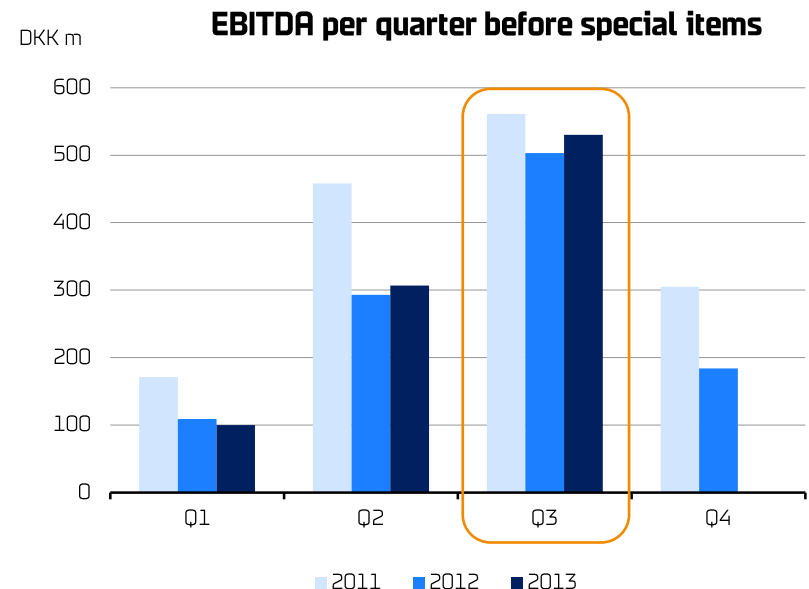
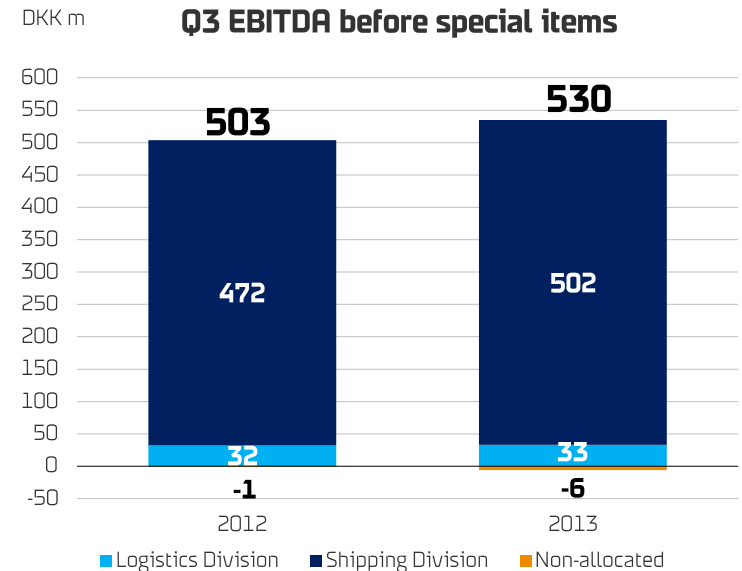
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- Revenue was up 5% and pre-tax profit was up 13%
- European growth recovery is overall still fragile
- Resumed growth in the UK economy increased volumes in North Sea markets
- Slow down of Russian demand continued in Q3
- Ruling from CAT on Eurotunnel still pending
- New policy adopted on capital structure and distribution
- Extraordinary General Meeting called to cancel 1.5m of own shares

Q3 2013 OVERVIEW

- **EBITDA** increased by 5% to DKK 530m
- Continued improvement of North Sea
- Strong high season performance on Amsterdam-Newcastle
- Low conversion ratio on Channel volume growth due to unsustainable competition
- Result for Logistics slightly ahead of last year
- **Net profit** up by DKK 36m to DKK 307m due to lower finance and special items
- **Unchanged EBITDA guidance** of DKK 1,100-1,300m for 2013



Q3 2013 FINANCIAL OVERVIEW

- 5% revenue & EBITDA increase both driven by the Shipping Division
- Negative impact from associates stems from Gothenburg terminal
- Depreciations increased by DKK 9m mainly from additional Channel ships
- Special items relate to shared service centre & purchase price adjustment from LDA transaction
- Free cash flow includes investments of DKK 252m vs DKK 53m in 2012
- ROIC ex. special items increased to 16.2% [14.8%]

DKK m ¹	Q3 13	Q3 12	Change vs LY
REVENUE	3.339	3.170	169
EBITDA BEFORE SI	530	503	26
margin, %	15,9	15,9	0,0
P/L associates	-5	3	-8
Depreciations	-175	-166	-9
EBIT BEFORE SI	352	340	11
margin, %	10,5	10,7	-0,2
Special Items	-16	-30	14
EBIT	336	310	26
Finance	-29	-39	10
PTP BEFORE SI	323	302	21
PTP	307	272	36
EMPLOYEES avg., no.	5.888	5.026	862
ROIC ex. SI, %	16,2	14,8	1,4
FREE CASH FLOW	334	443	-109
NIBD/EBITDA, times	2,0	1,6	0,4
SOLVENCY, %	50,0	51,7	-1,7

SI: Special items. PTP: Pre-tax profit. NIBD: Net interest-bearing deb

1: Roundings may cause variances in sums

Q3 REVENUE & EBIT

Revenue:

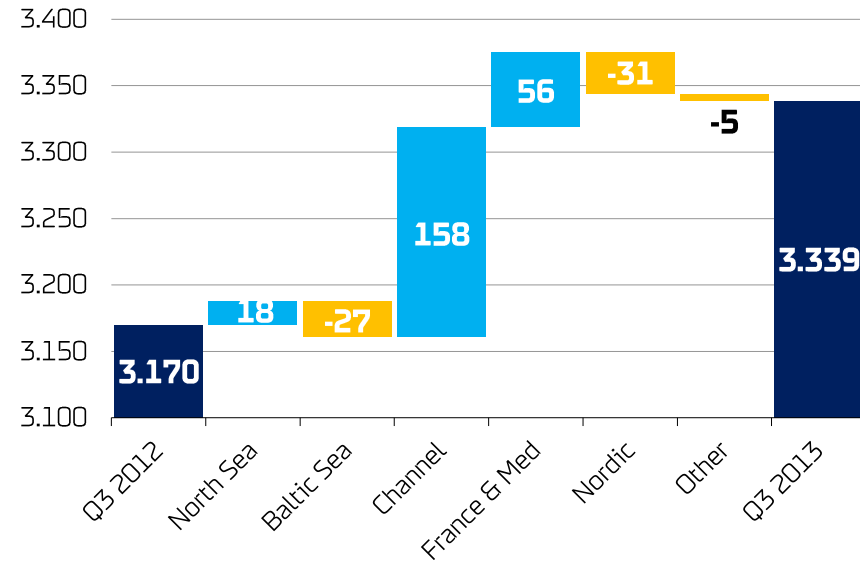
- Channel increase due to addition of Newhaven-Dieppe & Portsmouth-Le Havre
- France&Med driven by new route Mar-Tun
- North Sea & Baltic Sea revenue impacted by lower BAF
- Nordic decrease from reduced sideport activities

EBIT

- North Sea increase from higher volumes
- Baltic Sea impacted by lower Russian volumes
- Channel includes DKK 15m income in 2012 from LDA
- Passenger boosted by Ams-New
- 6 • Continued turnaround of Continent

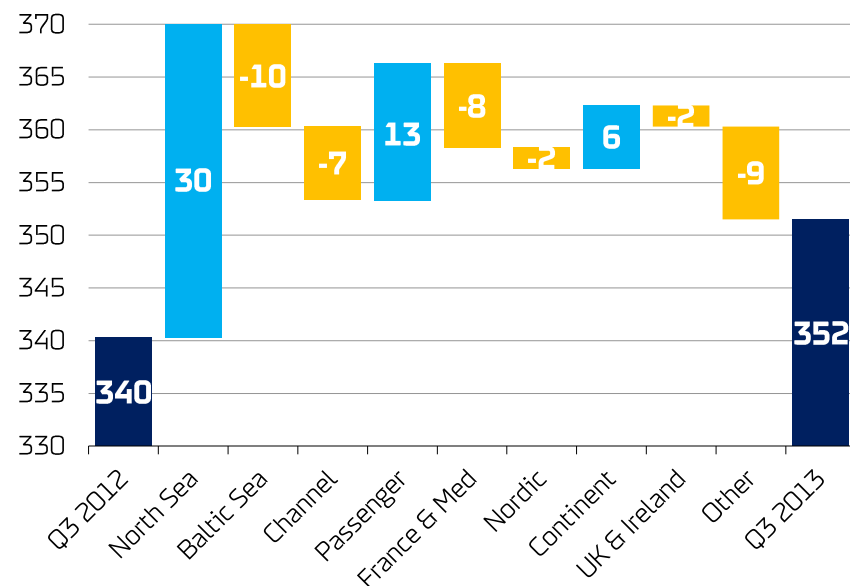
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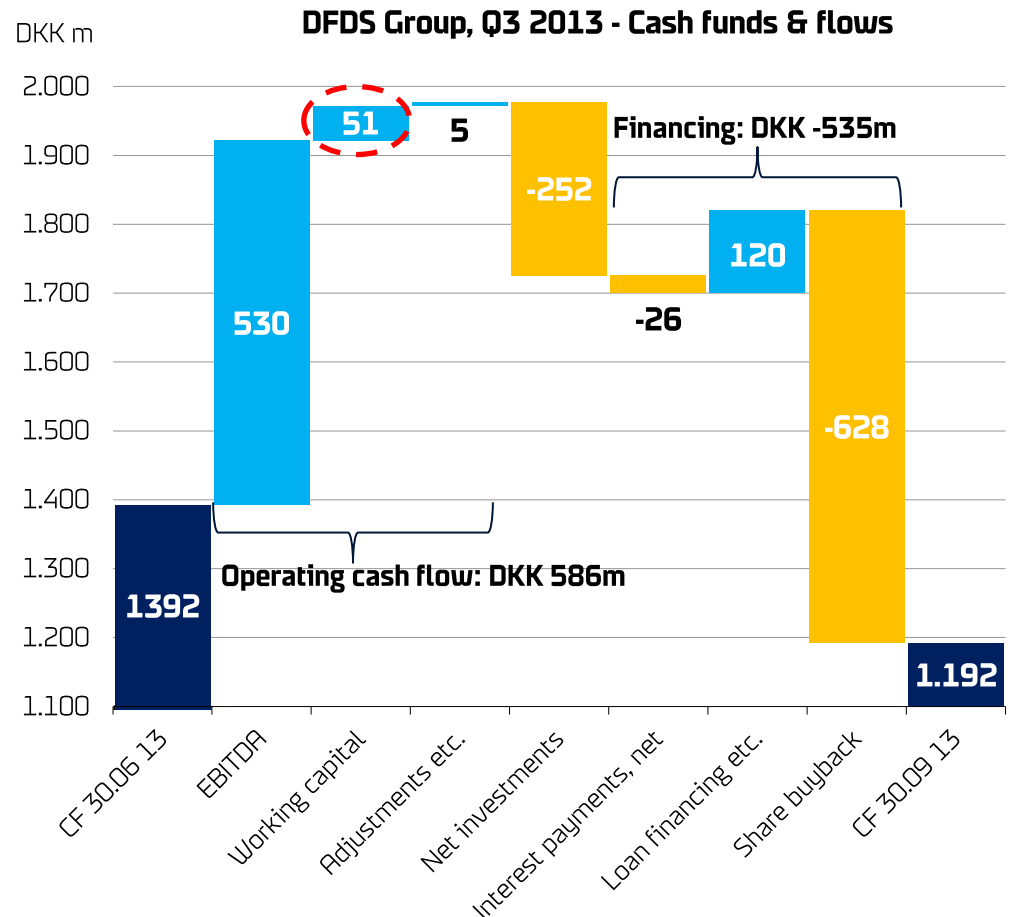
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DFDS Group EBIT development Q3 2013



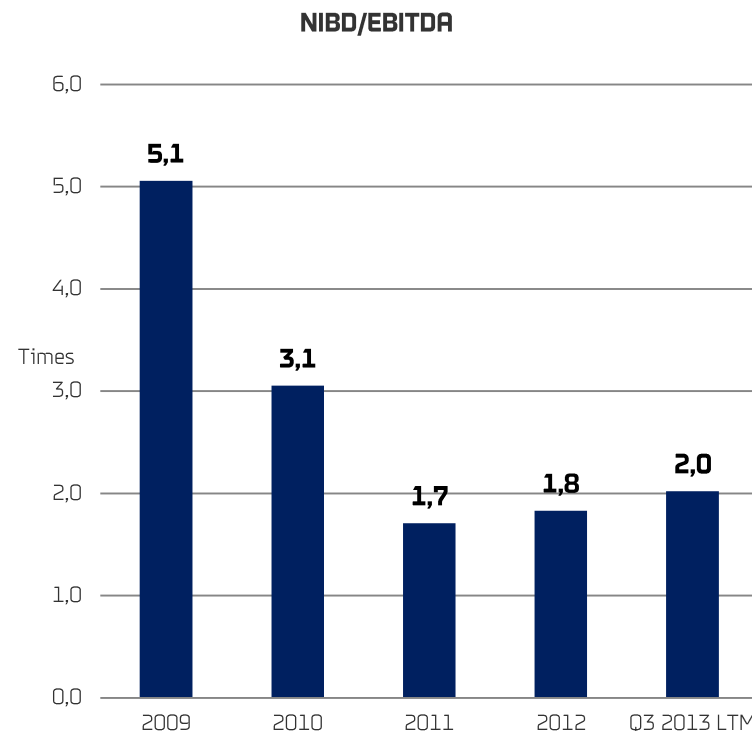
STRONG OPERATING CASH FLOW IN Q3

- **Operating cash** flow 18% up to DKK 586m (DKK 496m)
- Net working capital reduced to DKK 304m from DKK 606m at beginning of 2013
- Investments of DKK 252m include dockings, scrubbers & Karlshamn Express
- Financing cash flow includes share buyback of DKK 628m
- FCF yield of 17.9% for LTM and 8.6% adjusted for special items, including cash returned for ARK vessels in Q4 2012



CAPITAL STRUCTURE & SHARE BUYBACK

- **NIBD/EBITDA** was 2.0 end of Q3 2013
- Increase from 1.8 at end of Q2 2013 driven by share buyback of DKK 628m
- **APMM exit & share buyback:**
 - 12.0% of share capital purchased from APMM at 352.5 per share
 - Leverage adjusted at attractive level
 - Free float increased & average daily turnover more than doubled
 - Total treasury share holding of 14.4%
 - 10.5% of share capital to be cancelled at extraordinary general meeting scheduled for 16 December 2013



CLEAR POLICY ON CAPITAL STRUCTURE & DISTRIBUTION ADOPTED

- New policy backed by financial strength & positive outlook
- **Capital structure target:** NIBD/EBITDA multiple of minimum 2.0 and maximum 3.0
- Excess capital to be returned to shareholders if multiple is below 2.0
- Distribution to be reduced if multiple exceeds 3.0
- Targets can temporarily be suspended in connection with large investments, including acquisitions, and other strategic events
- **Distribution policy:** Annual dividend of DKK 14 per share
- Excess capital to be distributed as extra dividend and/or buyback of shares

MARKET TRENDS

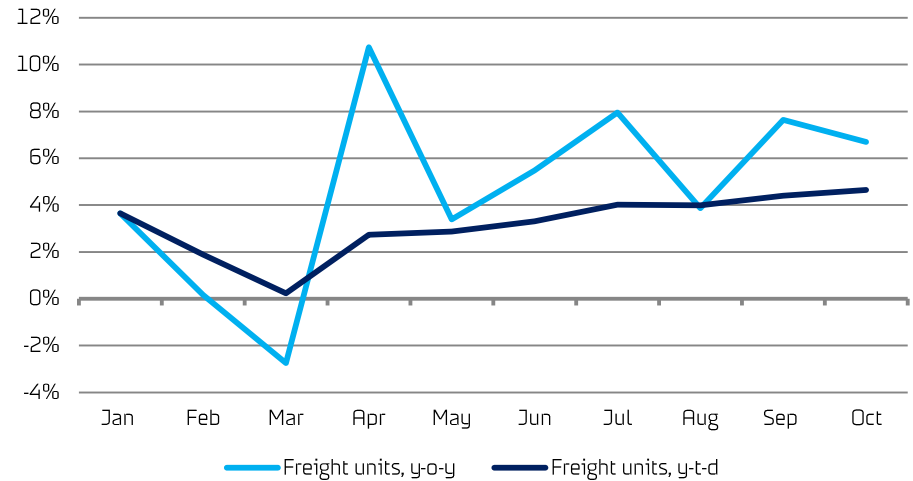
- Underlying growth & demand trends:
 - Baltic countries remain positive, but Russian demand is slowing down
 - North Sea regions seem to be heading out of recession, although slowly & at an uneven pace
 - Continued tough trading conditions as widespread price pressure persists
 - Demand in UK/Continent passenger markets more positive, soft demand from Norwegian market, increase in overseas passengers



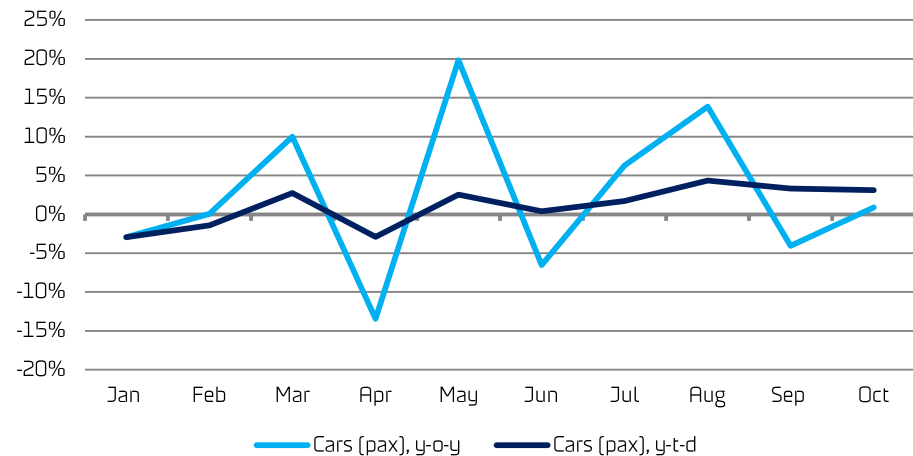
CHANNEL UPDATE

- Freight market continues to grow – up by 4.7% y-t-d end October
- Q3 growth was 6.6%
- Cars (pax) are up by 3.1% y-t-d end October
- Q3 growth was 6.6%
- Current pricing environment continues to be unsustainable
- Competition Commission ruled in June that Eurotunnel must stop ferry operations from Port of Dover
- Eurotunnel has appealed ruling to Competition Appeal Tribunal – planned hearing in September completed – ruling still pending

Channel: Freight unit growth, 2013



Channel: Cars (pax) growth, 2013



STRATEGIC PRIORITIES

- **Turnaround of Channel**

TOP LINE

- **Customer Focus Initiative – CFI**
 - Last wave of pilots kicked off in September
 - Realizing positive effects in customer scores & contract gains

EFFICIENCY

- **Working capital reduction: Light Capital**
 - Y-t-d impact of DKK 300m – full-year target achieved
 - Further improvement expected during Q4 2013
 - Challenging business climate
- **Project 100**
 - Target is an EBIT improvement of DKK 100m by lowering procurement costs
 - Project initiated and ownership anchored in operating units
 - Smaller savings to be achieved in 2013
 - Full impact expected in 2015

GUIDANCE 2013

- Unchanged guidance on revenue & EBITDA
- Depreciations increased by DKK 40m vs. 2012 due to addition of ships & extra docking costs
- Finance cost reduced by DKK 10m
- Special items increased to DKK -30m due to purchase price adjustment, previously expected cost was DKK 15-20m
- Net investments reduced by DKK 150m to DKK 900m as delivery of first ARK newbuilding delayed

DKK m	Expectations 2013	2012
Revenue	+5%	11,700
EBITDA before special items	1,100-1,300	1,089
	Shipping Division: 1,050-1,250 Logistics Division: 150 Non-allocated: -100	Shipping Division: 992 Logistics Division: 141 Non-allocated: -44
Depreciation	DKK 40m above 2012	-679
Finance cost, net	DKK 10m below 2012	-149
Special items	-30	-124
Investments	-900	+239

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Q&A



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