

#### **NKT**

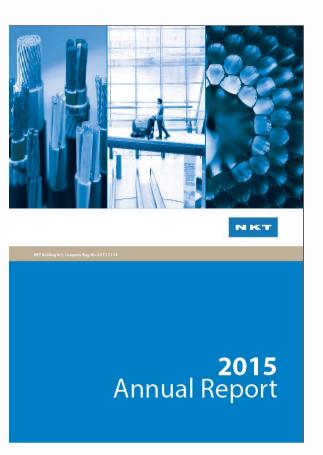
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# **Introduction to NKT**

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- Nilfisk
- NKT Cables
- NKT Photonics

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### **Group of industrial businesses...**

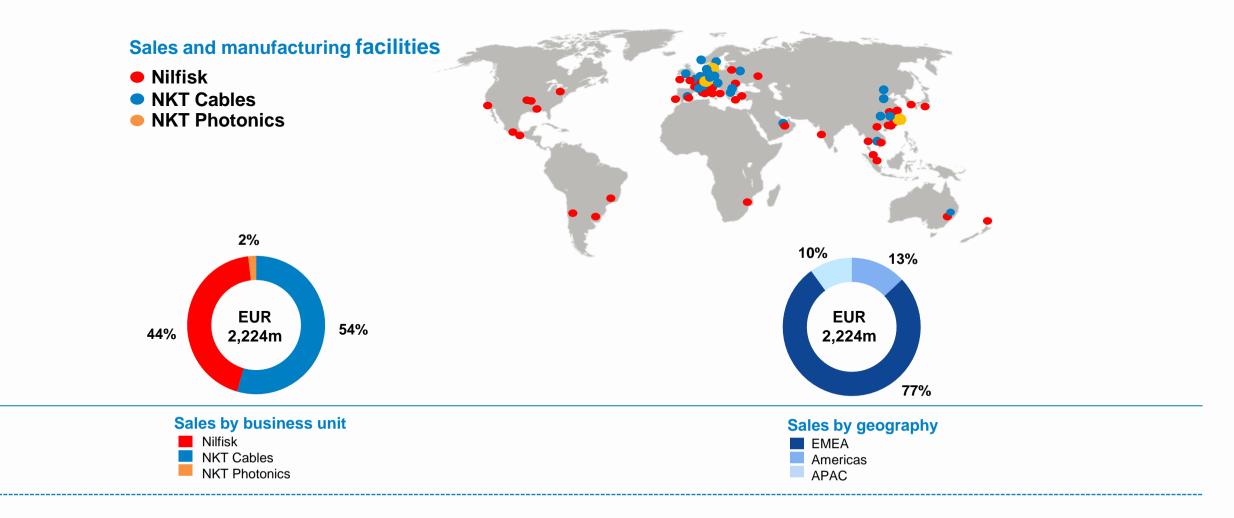
#### **NKT Holding A/S**

Business area	Key Products	Geographic coverage	Revenue	Employees
NKT Cables	<ul> <li>Low &amp; medium voltage</li> <li>High voltage cables</li> <li>Submarine cables</li> <li>Railway wires</li> </ul>	North, Central and Eastern Europe, China, Australia	EUR 1,212m (54%)	3,208
Nilfisk	<ul><li>Floor care machines</li><li>Vacuum cleaners</li><li>High-pressure washers</li></ul>	Global presence	EUR 972m (44%)	5,545
NKT Photonics	<ul><li>Fiber lasers</li><li>Optical fibers</li></ul>	Europe, North America, Asia	EUR 41m (2%)	174
Total		 	EUR 2,224m	8,950

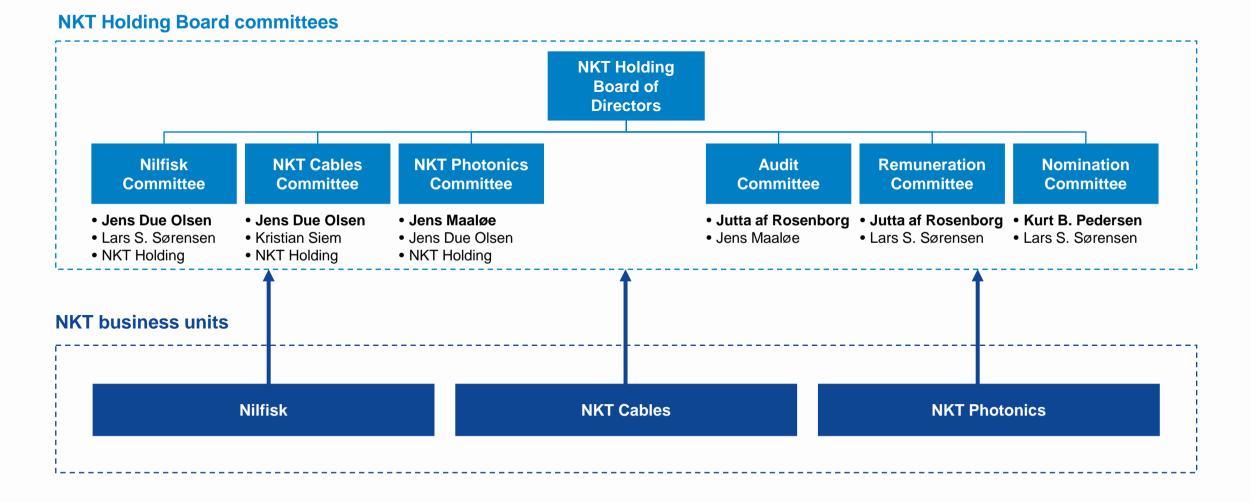
FY 2015 data. Revenue in market prices. Employees at year end. Total employees include ~11 employees in NKT Holding (IR, Legal etc.)

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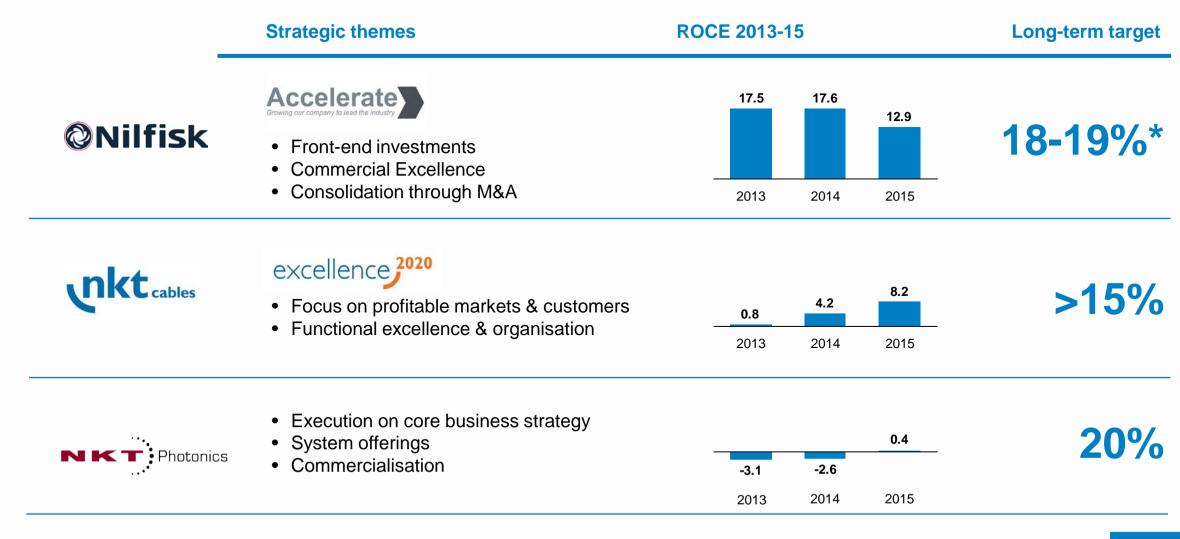
### ... with a strong European position



#### Unique governance model with hands-on involvement by the Board of Directors



### **Clear strategic themes defined for each business**



Note: NKT Group's ROCE has been for the years 2013-15: 6.7%, 9.4%, and 10.1% respectively \* Includes 1-2% margin dilution due to short-term effects of acquisitions

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# **Highlights 2015**

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#### Performance in line with expectations

- Organic growth as expected (3%)
- Operational EBITDA margin in line with expectations (9.4%)

- RoCE improved by 0.7% (to 10.1%)
- NIBD decreased securing strong financial position to further develop businesses
- Proposed dividend per share of DKK 4
- Initiation of share buyback of EUR 74m

#### ②Nilfisk

#### **Financial results below expectations**

- Flat organic growth
- Oper. EBITDA margin decreased (from 11.7% to 10.1%) due to delayed impact from sales investments and delivery issues
- Accelerate business strategy launched
- Commercial Excellence now covering 10 countries and 60% of total revenue
- Five acquisitions completed



# Transformation and profitability improvement continue

- Organic growth (4%) driven by Projects and Products
- Oper. EBITDA margin increased (from 8.0% to 9.0%) due to DRIVE and Products
- DRIVE annual savings target reached one year ahead of schedule (EUR 60m)
- Launch of EXCELLENCE 2020 strategy
- Satisfactory backlog for high-voltage offshore



# Satisfactory growth and profitability improvements

- Launch of business strategy focusing on growth and commercialisation
- NKT Photonics one management entity to leverage on synergies
- Good organic growth (9%) and oper. EBITDA margin increased (from 7.2% to 9.6%)
- · Key contracts signed with industrial customers

## **2015** financial performance in line with expectations

2015	Original	Update Q2	Update Q3	Realised	
NKT					
- Organic growth	Up to 3%	~3%	~3%	3%	~
- Operational EBITDA, %*	Increase of ~1.0%-point (from 9.6%)	Increase of ~0.5%-point (from 9.6%)	9.2% EUR 174.5m	9.4% EUR 175.2m	
Nilfisk					
- Organic growth	~5%	~0%	~0%	0%	
- Operational EBITDA, %	~11.7%	~Reduction of ~1.0%-point (from 11.7%)	~10%	10.1%	
NKT Cables					
- Organic growth	~0%	~5%	~5%	4%	١
- Operational EBITDA, %*	8.5% – 9.0%	~9.0%	~9.0%	9.0%	١
NKT Photonics					
- Organic growth	10 - 20%	~10%	~10%	9%	١
- Operational EBITDA, %	8 – 10%	8-10%	8-10%	9.6%	١

Planning assumptions

#### **Financial highlights**

#### Q4 Revenue EUR 541.1m (Q4 2014: EUR 540.3m)

2015 Revenue EUR 2,223.6m (2014: EUR 2,129.4m)

Organic growth	Q4 2015	2015
NKT	1%	3%
Nilfisk	-2%	0%
NKT Cables	2%	4%
NKT Photonics	22%	9%

**Q4 Operational EBITDA** EUR 41.2m, 8.8% (std. metal prices) (Q4 2014: EUR 56.5m, 12.4%)

**2015 Operational EBITDA** EUR 175.2m, 9.4% (std. metal prices) (2014: EUR 170.5m, 9.6%)

**One-off costs impacting EBITDA** EUR 23.2m, all from DRIVE programme (2014: EUR 27.9m)

**Impairment** APAC EUR 48.6m incl. tax and divestment of Fiber Processing EUR 2.6m, adjusted in operational EBIT

Profit after tax EUR 1.2m (2014: EUR 37.9m)

Working capital amounted to EUR 269.2m and ratio at 15.9% (2014: EUR 300.6m and 18.1%)

Cash flow from operating activities EUR 173.2m (2014: EUR 212.4m)

Free cash flow EUR 85.3m (2014: EUR162.7m) impacted by working capital decrease (EUR 31.4m) and acquisitions (EUR -29.1m)

Net interest-bearing debt amounted to EUR 88.9m (2014: EUR 152.4m)

## **Operational EBITDA increased by 3% to EUR 175m**

#### **Operational EBITDA, LTM**



# **Oper. EBITDA**, LTM, of EUR 175m (2014: EUR 171m)

**Oper. EBITDA margin**, LTM, 9.4% (2014: 9.6%)

## Changes 2015 vs. 2014

EURm	2015	2014	Change	
Revenue	2,223.6	2,129.4	94.2	*01
Revenue, std. metal prices	1,869.2	1,769.2	100.0	
Operational EBITDA	175.2	170.5	4.7	*02
One-offs	23.2	27.9	-4.7	
EBITDA	152.0	142.6	9.4	
Depreciation/Amortisation	-76.9	-72.1	-4.8	
Impairment	-40.9	-2.7	-38.2	*03
EBIT	34.2	67.8	-33.6	
Financial items, net	-6.1	-13.1	7.0	
EBT	28.1	54.7	-26.6	
Tax	-26.9	-16.8	-10.1	
Profit	1.2	37.9	-36.7	
Oper. EBITDA margin, std. metal prices	9.4%	9.6%		
Capex	70.1	61.1	9.0	
Working capital	269.2	300.6	-31.4	
NIBD	88.9	152.4	-63.5	

#### 01 EURm Revenue increased by 94.2 Metal prices -5.8 FX changes 54.3 Acquisitions 4.6 3% organic growth 41.1 - Nilfisk 0% - NKT Cables 4% - NKT Photonics 9%

#### 02

		EURm
Operational	EBITDA increased by	4.7
Nilfisk	- Margin 10.1% (2014: 11.7%)	-9.5
NKT Cables	- Margin 9.0% (2014: 8.0%)	12.0
NKT Photonic	s	2.2

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	EURm
Impairment	-40.9
Nilfisk	-0.5
NKT Cables	-37.8
NKT Photonics	-2.6

### **Strong free cash flow driven by working capital change**

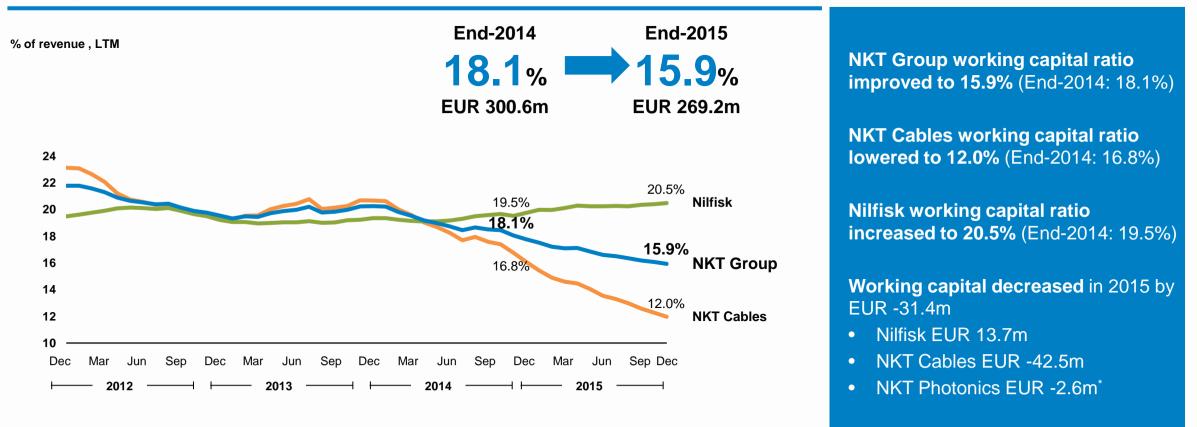
EURm	Q4 2015	Q4 2014	FY 2015	FY 2014
Earnings, EBITDA	32.5	42.6	152.0	142.6
Financial items, net	-2.0	-3.1	-6.1	-13.1
Change in working capital	85.3	108.8	31.4	76.8
Other	3.6	5.5	-4.1	6.1
Cash flow from operating activities	119.4	153.8	173.2	212.4
Acquisition of business activities	-11.6	-3.0	-29.1	-6.0
Divestment of business activities	1.5	2.4	6.0	16.9
Acq. of property, plant and equipment, net	-16.6	-8.3	-35.1	-31.1
Other investments, net	-8.5	-8.3	-29.7	-29.5
Cash flow from investing activities	-35.2	-17.2	-87.9	-49.7
Free cash flow	84.2	136.6	85.3	162.7
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Change in long- and short term loans	-64.6	-128.2	-79.3	-156.0
Dividend paid			-13.0	-11.2
Cash from exercise of share-based options etc			11.3	0.1
Cash flow from financing activities	-64.6	-128.2	-81.0	-167.1
Net cash flow	19.6	8.4	4.3	-4.4

**Operating cash flow** of EUR 173m driven by increase in earnings and change in working capital EUR 31m (2014: EUR 77m)

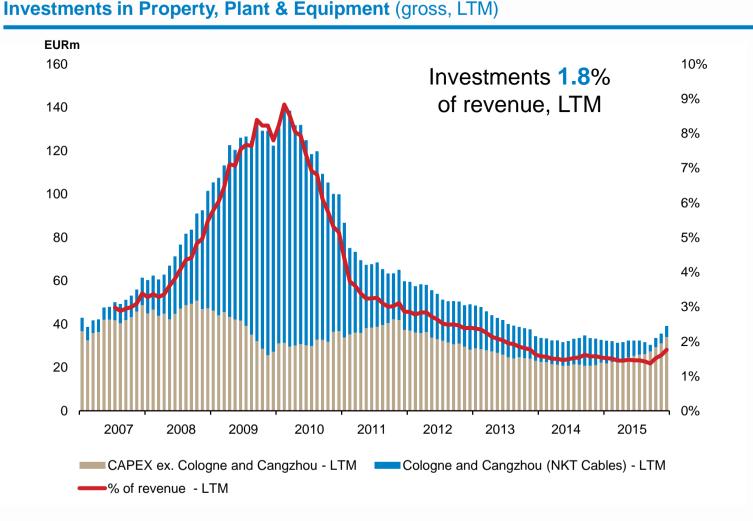
Free cash flow of EUR 85m impacted by Nilfisk acquisitions

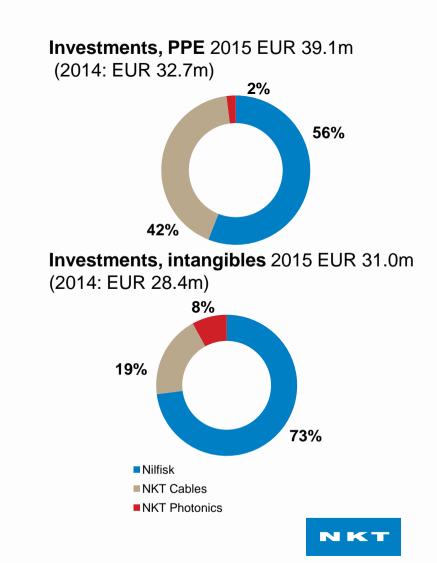
### Working capital improvement continues and reaches new low level

#### Working capital development



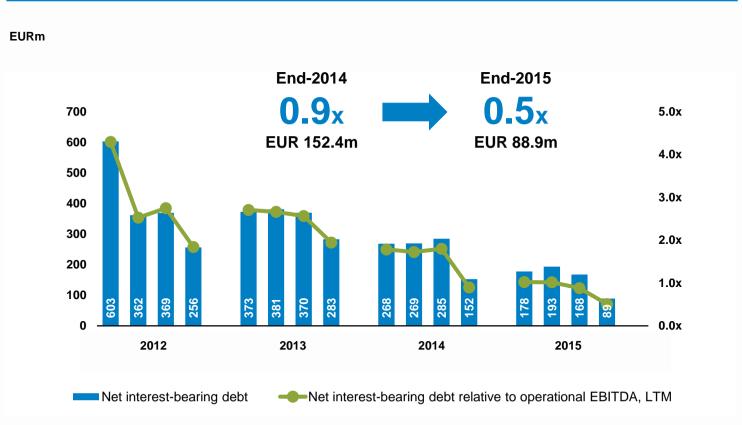
### High historical Capex spending enabling low maintenance levels





### Financial strength to fully support strategic agenda

**Net interest-bearing debt** 



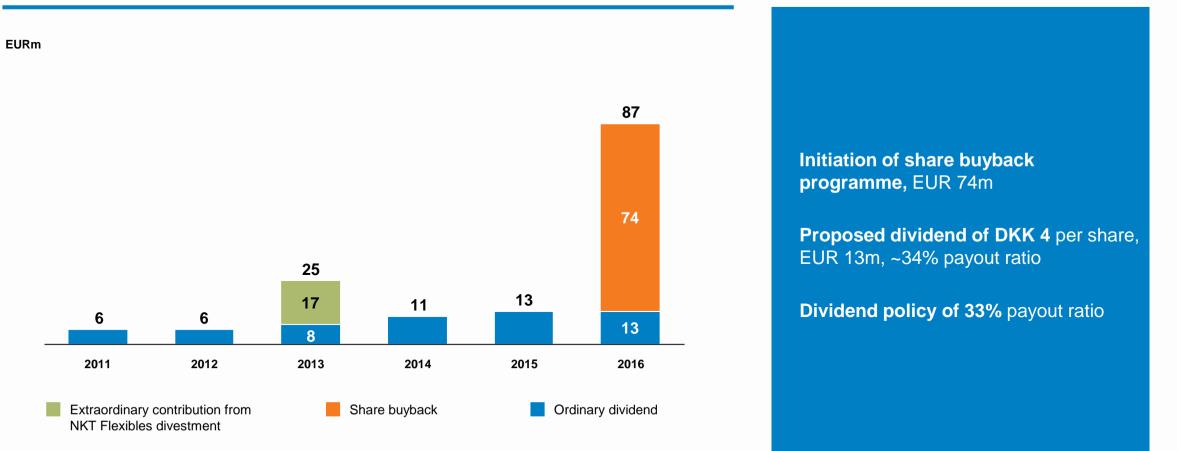
Financial strength to drive strategic agenda with cash resources of EUR 604m

Capital structure targets unchanged

- **Debt ratio** 2,5x operational EBITDA (End-2015: 0.5x)
- Gearing ratio max. 100% (End-2015: 11%)
- Solvency ratio above 30% (End-2015: 48%)

## **Proposed distribution of EUR 87m to shareholders in 2016**

**Distribution to shareholders** 



Note: Payout years refer to preceding financial years Shareholder buyback programme to start 26 February 2016

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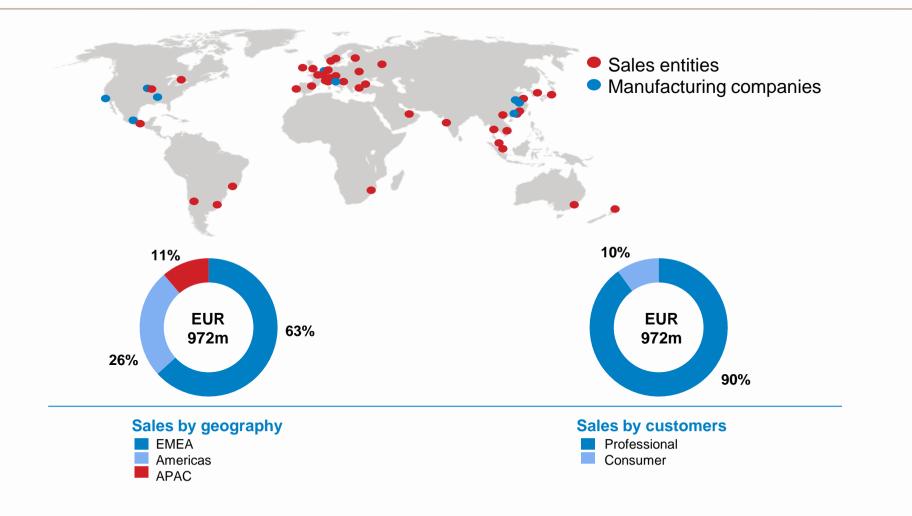
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# Nilfisk



#### Nilfisk overview on geographies and segments



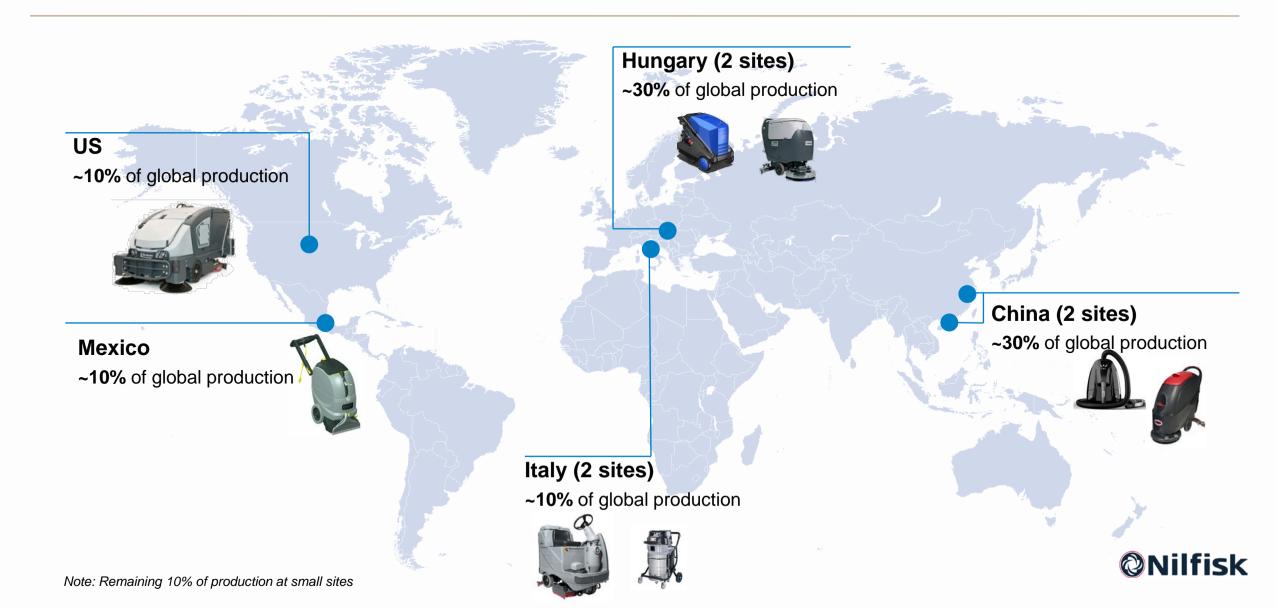


#### Floorcare and vacuums are strongholds in the industry's widest product range



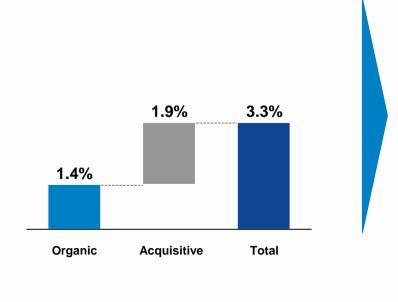


### Asset-light production setup through assembly-only

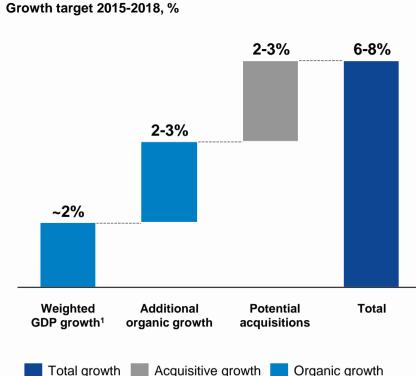


Growth 2007-2014, %,

# Growth targets defined as 2-3% above GDP growth



Nilfisk, Historical annual growth



Nilfisk, Expected annual growth

- Nilfisk's annual total growth has historically been around 3%
- The target is to accelerate organic growth to 2-3% above GDP
- Further upside in **potential** acquisitions

1. Weighted GDP growth adjusted for Nilfisk's country distribution Source: Internal Nilfisk data and IMF data

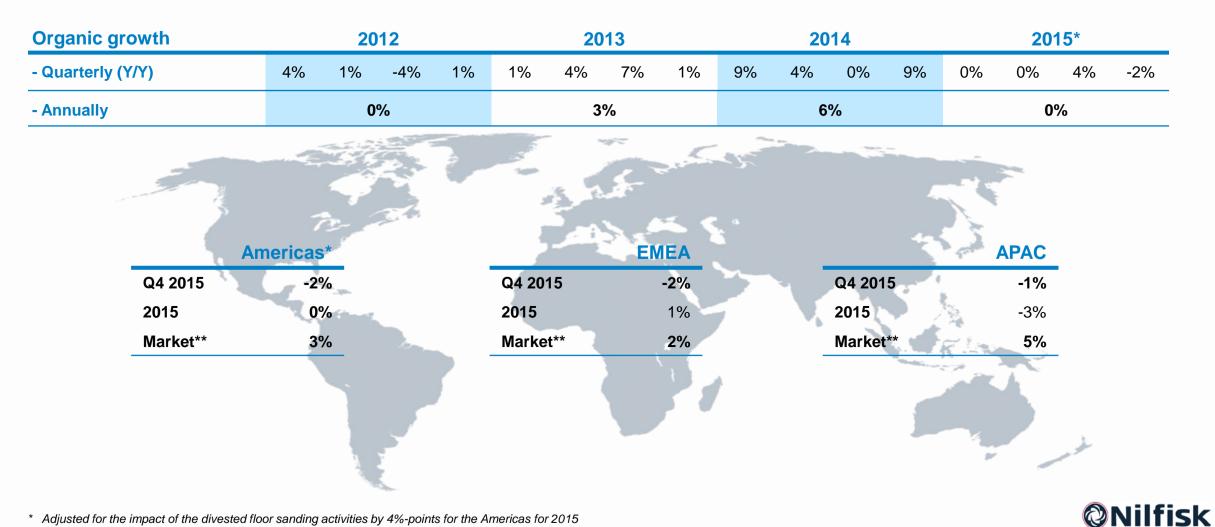
#### ②Nilfisk

### Accelerate strategy rolled out in 2015

Grow market share	<ul><li>Five acquisitions improving high-end position</li><li>Viper introduced 200 new dealers globally to grow mid-market</li></ul>	
Strengthen front-end	<ul> <li>Commercial Excellence launched in 10 countries (60% of revenue)</li> <li>Investments in sales force (140 FTE) and systems</li> </ul>	
Drive competitive offerings	<ul> <li>35 products launched incl. new Nilfisk GO-Line range</li> <li>Reduced time to market by 20-25% and platforms by 15%</li> </ul>	
Build strong brands	<ul> <li>Consolidation of brands and reduced complexity</li> <li>Two global brands; Nilfisk for high-end and Viper for mid-market</li> </ul>	
Power <b>supply chain</b> performance	<ul> <li>New European and US set up in Q4 to ensure 2016 performance</li> <li>On-time delivery at all-time-high level</li> <li>Significant quality improvement, also reflected in customer feedback</li> </ul>	• <b>• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • </b>



### Nilfisk realised flat organic growth for 2015 Positive growth in EMEA offset by APAC

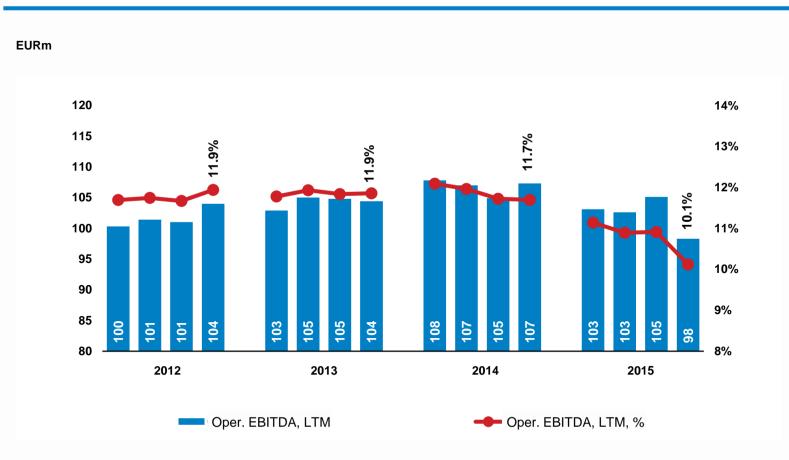


\* Adjusted for the impact of the divested floor sanding activities by 4%-points for the Americas for 2015

\*\* Market figures are internal estimates on annual market growth rates 2013-2016

# **Operational EBITDA margin diluted by delayed impact from sales investments**

**Operational EBITDA** 

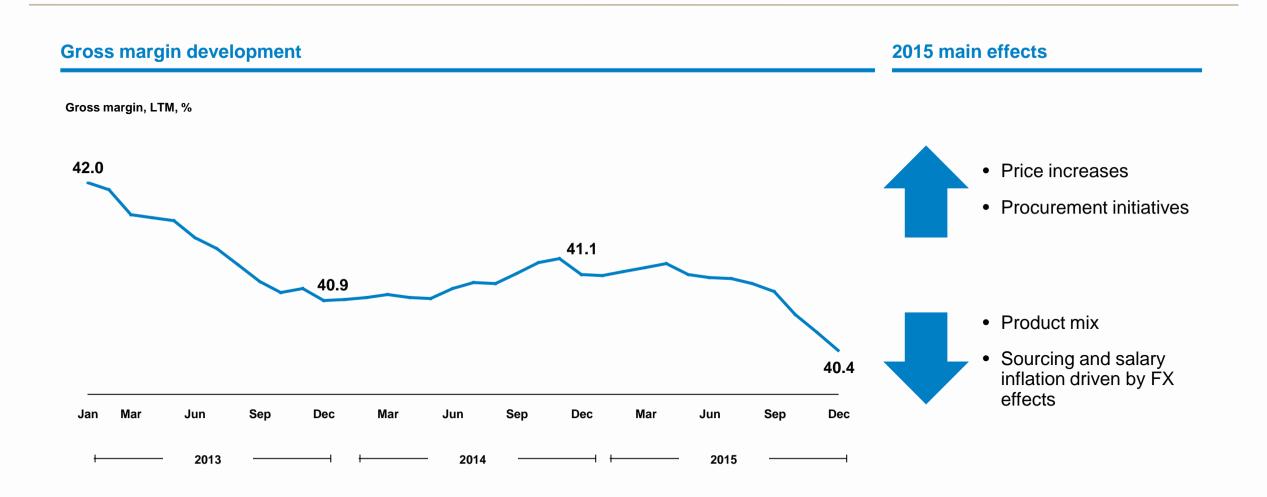


**Oper. EBITDA margin**, LTM, reduced to **10.1%** due to lower organic growth, investment in sales, and distribution costs (2014: 11.7%)

**Oper. EBITDA,** LTM, **decreased to EUR 98m** (2014: EUR 107m)



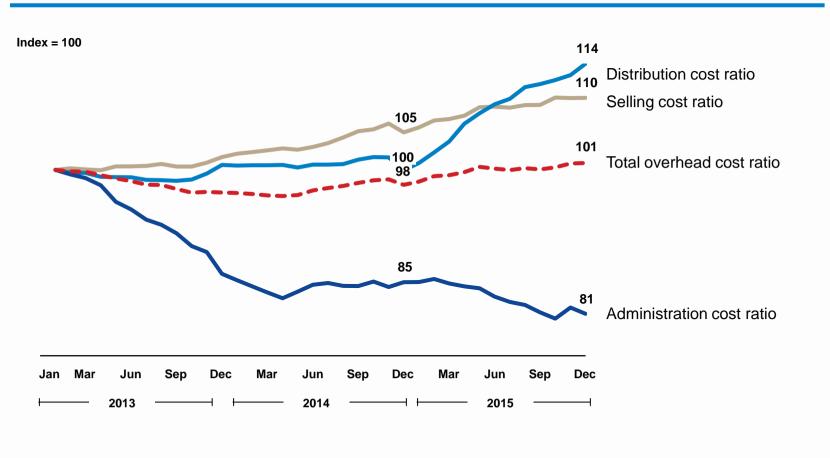
### Product mix and inflation on sourcing and salary decreased gross margin





### Distribution cost ratio temporarily increased due to delivery issues

#### **Overhead cost ratio development\***



**Distribution cost increased in 2015** due to delivery issues

**Selling cost ratio increased** by investments in sales and service force

Admin costs ratio continues to be reduced due to strong focus on complexity reduction and efficiency improvements



\* 12 mths. rolling costs in % of total net sales. Indexed to Jan 2013=100. Total includes product development (not displayed)

### **2016 Management agenda**

ACCELERATE	PRIORITY	ACTIONS
	Grow market share	<ul> <li>Strengthen high-end position and grow mid-market share</li> <li>Drive consolidation proactively</li> </ul>
RESTORE GROWTH	Strengthen front-end	<ul> <li>Finalise ComEx roll-out and leverage increased sales force</li> <li>Improve CRM and service management</li> </ul>
	Agile and commercial organisation	<ul> <li>Shared sales methodology via new global Sales Academy</li> <li>New sales incentives</li> </ul>
DRIVE INNOVATIVE	Product development	<ul><li>Improve time-to-market</li><li>Reduce complexity</li></ul>
OFFERINGS	Building strong brands	<ul><li>Launch "hero" campaigns</li><li>Strengthen main brands</li></ul>
IMPROVE SUPPLY CHAIN	Delivery	<ul> <li>Improve best-in-class delivery performance</li> <li>Drive fast delivery of parts and accessories</li> </ul>
EFFICIENCY	Efficiency	<ul><li>Improve best-in-industry quality levels</li><li>Drive cost efficiency</li></ul>



### Accelerate strategy launched in 2015 and execution to continue in 2016

#### **Financials**

	Q4	Q4		FY	
EURm	2015	2014	2015	2014	
Revenue	246.8	238.5	971.5	917.6	
- Org. growth (Y/Y)	-2%	9%	0%	6%	
Gross margin	38.6%	40.8%	40.4%	41.1%	
Overhead cost ratio	-31.7%	-30.5%	-33.1%	-32.1%	
Oper. EBITDA	23.5	30.7	97.9	107.4	
Oper. EBITDA margin	9.5%	12.8%	10.1%	11.7%	
RoCE, LTM	12.9%	17.6%	12.9%	17.6%	
Capital employed	501.6	440.6	501.6	440.6	
# FTEs, end of period	5,545	5,420	5,545	5,420	

#### **Highlights and summary**

- Accelerate growth strategy launched in Q1
- Nilfisk new company name and brand consolidation
- **Commercial Excellence roll-out** continues Total revenue covered 60%. Goal 85%
- Five acquisitions completed and M&A agenda continues
- 35 products launched

Outlook 2016		
<ul><li>Organic growth</li><li>Operational EBITDA margin</li></ul>	0 - 5% 10 - 11%	

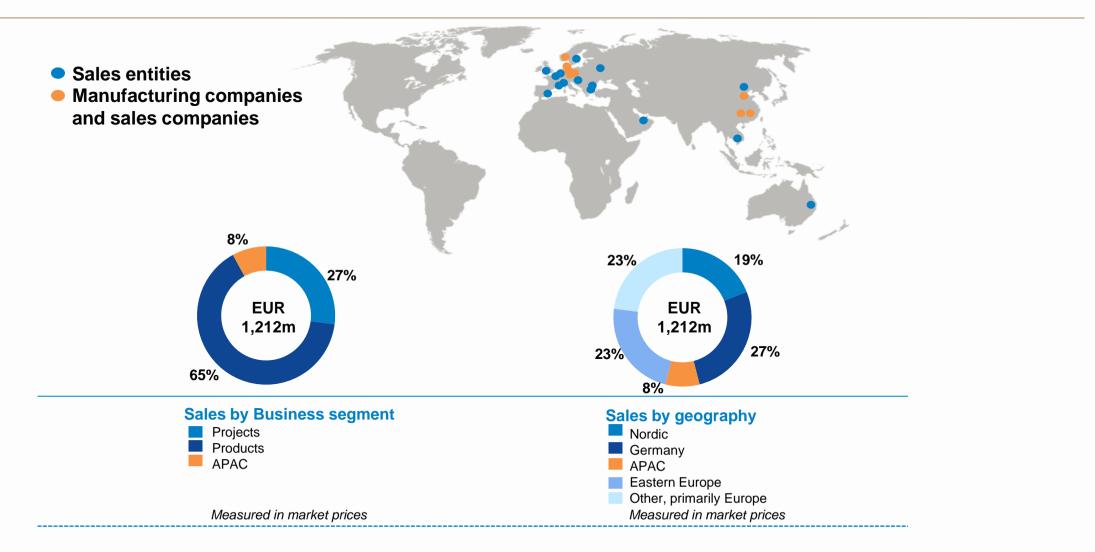




# **NKT Cables**

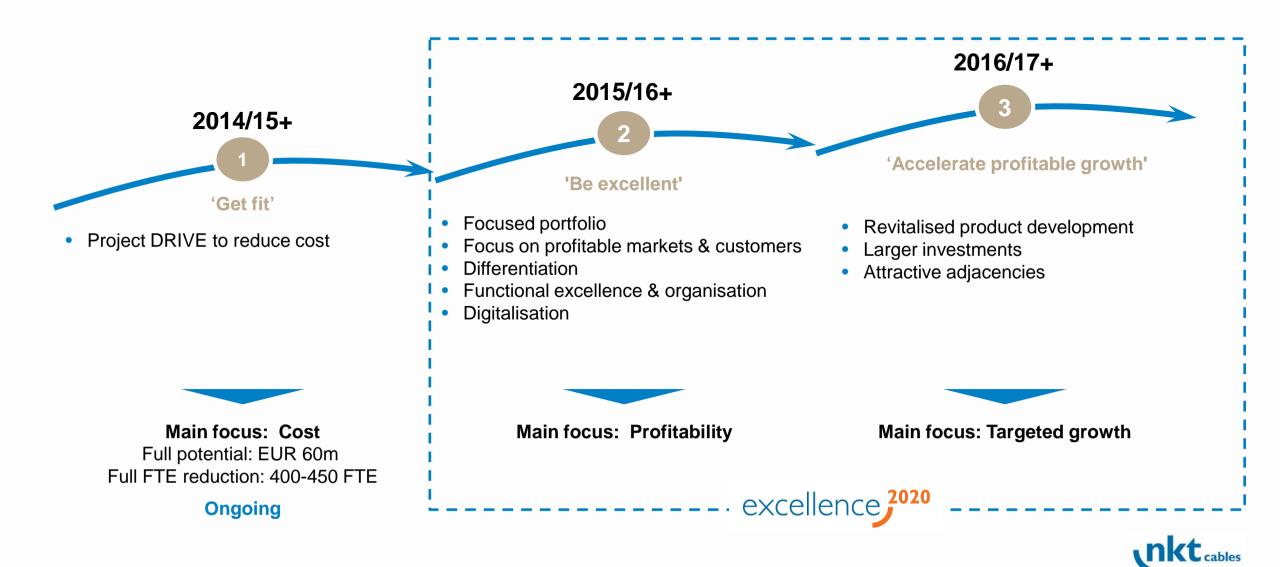


### **NKT Cables overview on divisions and geographies**





#### Transformation started in 2013 EXCELLENCE 2020 defines the next phases



# excellence<sup>2020</sup> strategy has a strong foundation

NKT Cables Power House	Strategy elements	ROCE	
Vision	<ul> <li>"By driving 'excellence' we will be the best power cable company by 2020 in the eyes of our customers and our people"</li> </ul>	2020: <b>&gt;15%</b>	
Segment Initiatives	<ul> <li>Develop and grow: Offshore and Railway</li> <li>Focus on profitability: Building wire, Low voltage, Medium voltage, and Automotive</li> <li>Turnaround: High voltage onshore, Accessories, and APAC cables</li> </ul>	~ 6%	
Group Must-Win Battles	<ul> <li>Safety, People &amp; Organization</li> <li>Operational &amp; Commercial Excellence</li> <li>Material &amp; Product development</li> <li>Digitalisation</li> </ul>	~ 4%	
Values	Safety first, Commitment, Embrace and drive change, and Passion and determination	2015: <b>8.2%</b>	
Purpose	"Our passion brings power to life"		



## **4% growth driven by strong performance in Projects and Products** APAC with focus on profitability

Organic growth	2012			2013				2014				2015				
- Quarterly (Y/Y)	-13%	-4%	0%	0%	4%	10%	-2%	4%	6%	-11%	1%	-12%	16%	13%	-12%	2%
- Annually	-4%			4%			-5%				4%					

Projects	
Q4 2015	-1%
2015	15%
Market	
Offshore	
Onshore	

Products	
Q4 2015	11%
2015	5%
Market	_
Nordics	
Central	
Europe	· _
Specialties	

APAC	
Q4 2015	-36%
2015	-37%
Market	
Railway	<b></b>
Medium-/ high-voltage	-



## Highlights: Offshore with promising outlook Growth potential for Products continues



### **Projects**

- Two major offshore orders in 2015
- Stable onshore market

### **Trends**

- Promising offshore cable market
- High-voltage onshore market driven by changed energy sourcing
- High-voltage DC technology potential



### **Products**

- Central Europe delivered strong organic growth in 2015 including MV in Germany
- Nordics realised low organic growth

#### **Trends**

- Low-voltage market growth is expected to be moderate driven by construction activity level
- Opportunities in European accessories and railway

### APAC

 Decreasing revenue in APAC due to unchanged difficult conditions and NKT Cables' focus on profitability

### **Trends**

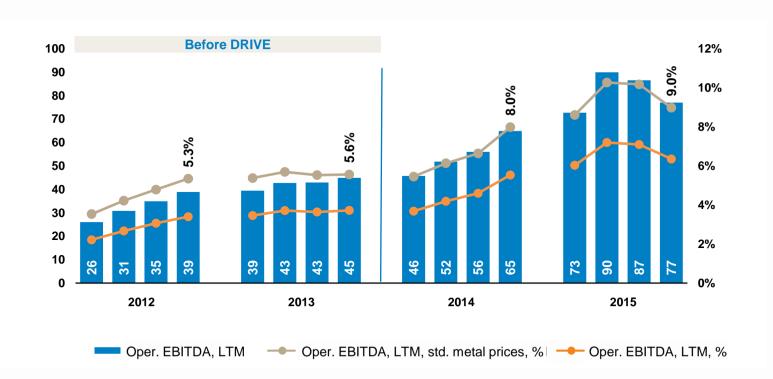
• Growth driven by investments in electricity infrastructure



# **Operational EBITDA positively impacted by DRIVE and Products**

#### **Operational EBITDA**

#### EURm



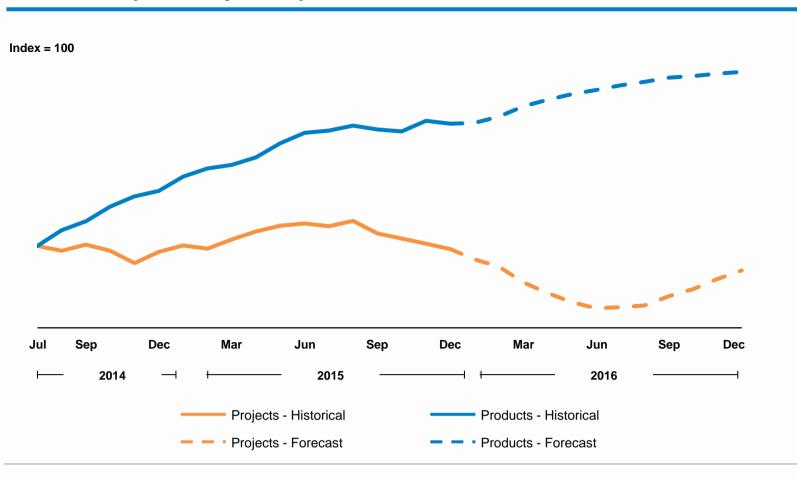
**Oper. EBITDA**, LTM, **EUR 77m**, increase of EUR 12m (2014: EUR 65m) driven by Products and DRIVE

**Oper. EBITDA margin**, LTM, **of 9.0%** as expected (2014: 8.0%). Decrease against Q3 due to lower profitability of Race Bank project as guided



# Products' improved profitability expected to offset decline in Projects in 2016

#### **Business unit profitability development\***



Products showed strong improvement in 2014 and 2015 and is expected to improve profitability further in 2016

**Projects stable profitability** in 2015 due to Gemini project

**Projects lower profitability** in 2016 due to Race Bank project



# **DRIVE run-rate of EUR 60m successfully achieved**

	Cost improvements	FTE reduction	One-off costs	Сарех
Q4 2015 realised	EUR 12.8m	36 FTE	EUR 9.8m	EUR 0.1m
Full-year 2015	EUR 54.2m	110 FTE	EUR 23.2m	EUR 0.9m
Project to date	EUR 60.5m (run-rate)	381 FTE	EUR 50.1m	EUR 1.9m
Full potential (from 2017)	EUR ~60m	400-450 FTE	EUR ~50m	EUR ~6.5m



# 2016 Management agenda

EXCELLENCE 2020	PRIORITY	ACTIONS
	Develop & grow	<ul> <li>Secure new offshore projects</li> <li>Accelerate in-house DC development</li> <li>Execute on newly gained railway orders</li> </ul>
SEGMENT INITIATIVES	Focus on profitability	<ul> <li>Secure key frame contacts in medium-voltage segment</li> <li>Introduce Halogen-free flame retardant (HFFR) cables</li> <li>Start in-house compounding</li> </ul>
	Turnaround	<ul> <li>Increase share of projects in attractive onshore high-voltage segments</li> <li>Break even in APAC business, improve cash flow</li> </ul>
	Safety, people and organisation	<ul> <li>Define and implement adjusted operating model</li> <li>Increase safety performance</li> <li>Improve employee engagement</li> </ul>
MUST-WIN BATTLES	Operational and Commercial Excellence	<ul> <li>Lean operations</li> <li>Strengthen Operational and Commercial Excellence functions</li> <li>Continue roll-out of Pricing Excellence</li> </ul>
	Digitalisation	Implement integrated IT-platform



### **Transformation of NKT Cables continues with EXCELLENCE 2020**

#### **Financials**

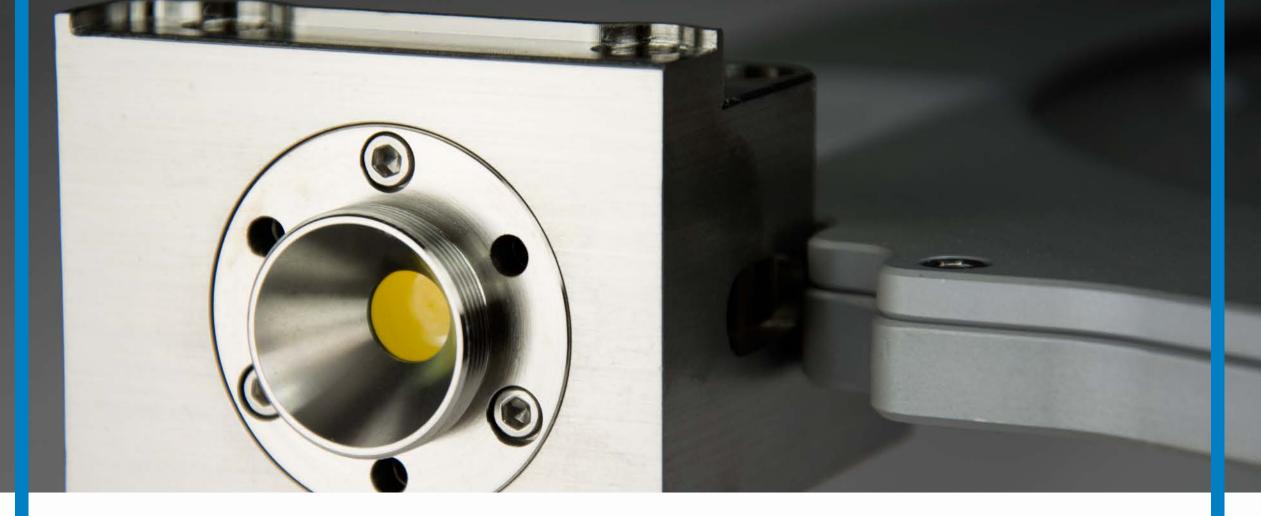
	Q	4	F	Y
EURm	2015	2014	2015	2014
Revenue	282.0	289.4	1,211.9	1,173.0
Revenue, std. metal prices	210.5	203.2	857.5	812.8
- Org. growth (Y/Y)	2%	-12%	4%	-5%
Oper. EBITDA	15.2	24.9	77.0	65.0
Oper. EBITDA margin, std. metal prices	7.2%	12.2%	9.0%	8.0%
RoCE, LTM	8.2%	4.2%	8.2%	4.2%
Capital employed	381.3	491.5	381.3	491.5
# FTEs, end of period	3,208	3,211	3,208	3,211

#### **Highlights and summary**

- Launch of EXCELLENCE 2020 strategy
- **DRIVE** efficiency improvement programme reached EUR 60m annual savings target (run rate)
- Two offshore projects won
- Turnaround of APAC and high-voltage onshore businesses initiated
- Strengthened Group Management

Outlook 2016		
<ul><li>Organic growth</li><li>Operational EBITDA margin*</li></ul>	~ neg. 5% 8 - 9%	

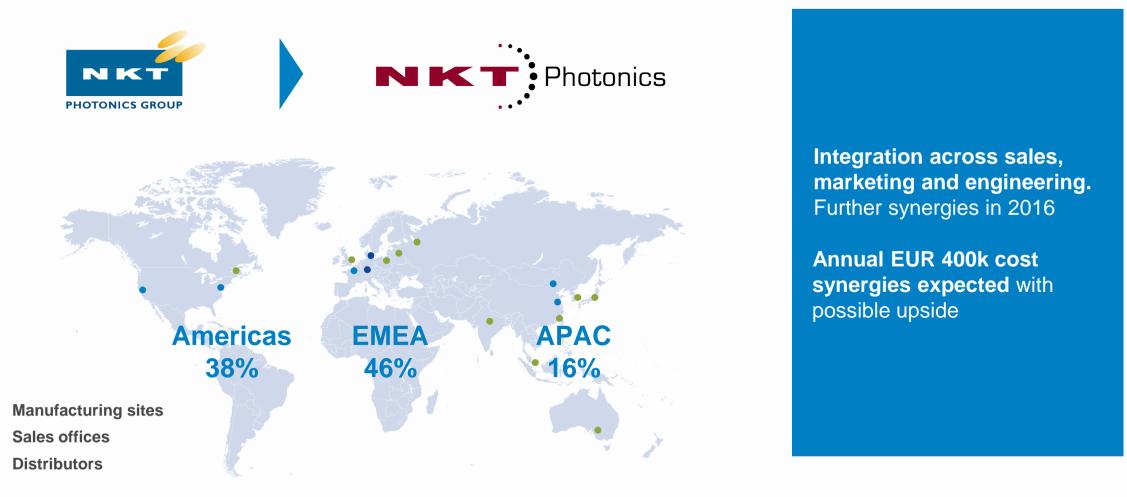




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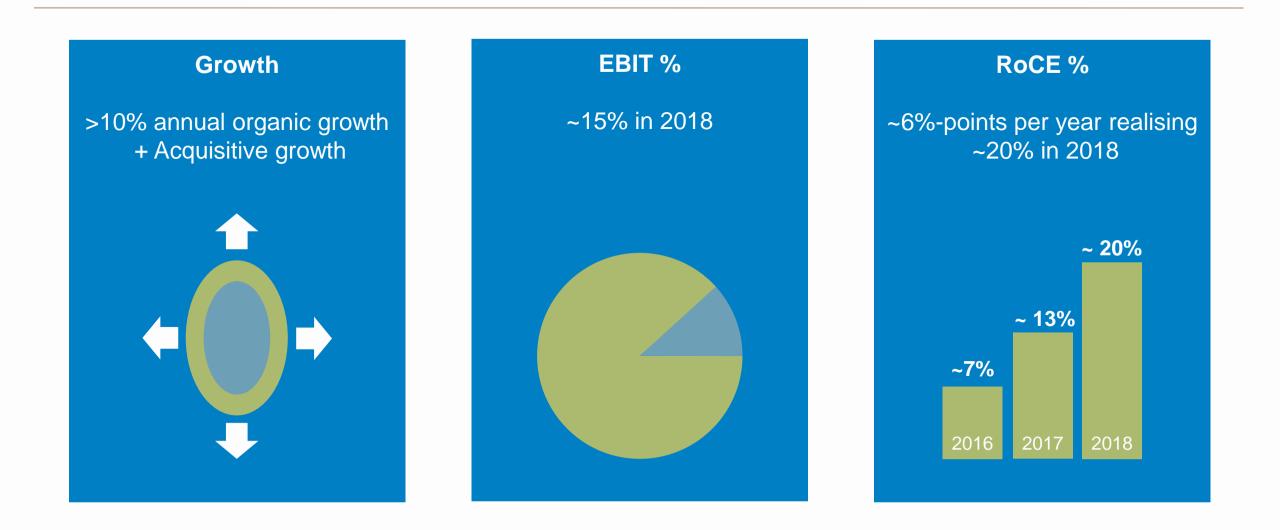


### NKT Photonics operates as one management entity with world-wide reach





# **Financial aspirations 2015-2018**

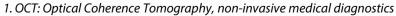




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# **NKT Photonics' products focus on 3 distinct segments**





### **Growth expected across all segments**

### Imaging & Metrology



### Focus growth area

- Strong 2015 revenue growth, flat Q4 but good order intake
  - Leica Microsystems signed a 14month supply contract for significant numbers of SuperK<sup>™</sup> lasers in Q4

### Sensing & Energy



### **Established area**

- Robust Q4 pipeline security market
  - Very strong Q4 sales

#### **Material Processing**



### New growth area

• Fibers and modules for ultrafast lasers at record high sales levels





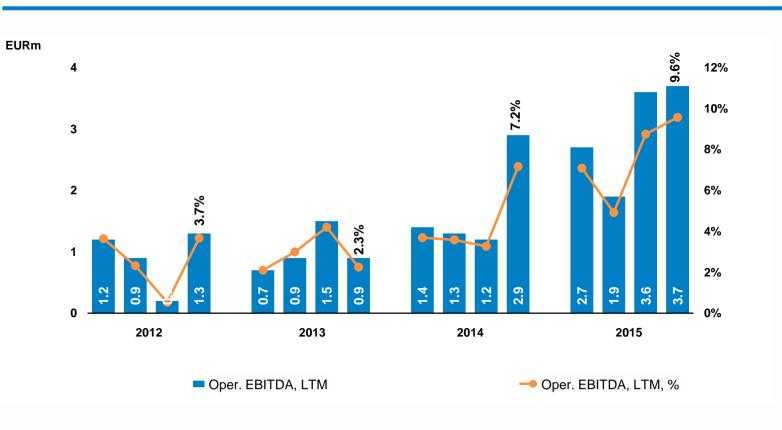






# **Operational EBITDA margin increased to 9.6%**

**Operational EBITDA** 



**Oper. EBITDA margin**, LTM, **9.6%,** increase of 2.4%-points continuing NKT Photonics' strong trend

**Oper. EBITDA of EUR 3.7m,** a increase of EUR 0.8m



# **2016 Management agenda**

DRIVER	PRIORITY	ACTIONS
	Focus on core business	<ul> <li>Integrate Lios Technology business into NKT Photonics</li> <li>Realise sales and R&amp;D synergies</li> </ul>
GAIN COMMERCIAL SCALE	Secure profitable growth	<ul> <li>Increase number of long-term customer contracts</li> <li>Actively pursue partnerships</li> <li>Actively pursue M&amp;A opportunities</li> </ul>
	Production	<ul> <li>Lean manufacturing</li> <li>Improve time-to-market on new product introduction</li> </ul>



# Significant organic growth in Q4 of 22% driving operational EBITDA increase

#### **Financials**

	Q4		FY	
EURm	2015	2014	2015	2014
Revenue	12.7*	12.6	40.6	39.1
- Org. growth (Y/Y)	22%*	5%	9%	9%
Operational EBITDA	3.9*	2.8	3.7	2.9
Capital employed	19.2	26.8	19.2	26.8
# FTEs, end of period	174	209	174	209

\*Continuing business not including Fiber Processing

### **Organic growth - based on new structure**

	Q4 2015	2015
Imaging & Metrology	1%	12%
Sensing & Energy	58%	10%
Material Processing	7%	17%
Total	22%	11%

### **Highlights**

- **Good growth in all segments** (11% on continuing business)
- 22% growth in Q4 driven by Sensing & Energy
- New CEO took office in July
- Significant OEM customer contracts signed
- **Redefined business strategy** aimed at growth and commercialization
- **Fiber Processing** operations divested 1 September 2015

### Outlook 2016

•	Organic growth	~ 10%
•	Operational EBITDA margin	12 - 14%



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- NKT Cables
- NKT Photonics

# Outlook 2016

**Questions & Answers** 

## Outlook 2016



#### **NKT Cables**

- Potential effects of quality issues related to a raw material supplier not included in outlook
- One-off costs of EUR 10m related to EXCELLENCE 2020 restructuring initiatives expected

\* Std. metal prices

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### **Financial calendar**

### 2016

31 March	Annual General Meeting
12 May	Interim Report, Q1
18 August	Interim Report, Q2
11 November	Interim Report, Q3

### 2017

1 March 2016 Annual Report



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