ASPO

Annual Shareholders' Meeting April 5, 2017

Aki Ojanen, CEO

An active developer of businesses

VISION

Aspo's vision is to increase the value and competence of the company over the long term, from generation to generation.

STRATEGY

Aspo's strategy is to own, lead and develop its business operations for the long term.

Aspo develops small and medium-sized companies, whose aim is to be the market leader in their specific business field and to grow faster than the market.



The personnel of Aspo Plc



CEO 2009– Aki Ojanen eMBA, born 1961

Hilkka Jokiniemi

Executive Assistant, Aspo Plc, 2000– Responsibilities: Group communications

Arto Meitsalo

CFO, Aspo Plc, 2009– Managing Director, Aspo Services Ltd, 2013– M.Sc. (Econ.)

Responsibilities: Group finances, internal

control, ICT, administration and HR

Toni Santalahti

Director, Legal Affairs, Aspo Plc, 2008– Responsibilities: Group legal affairs and corporate governance

Harri Seppälä

Group Treasurer, Aspo Plc, 2008–eMBA

Responsibilities: Group financing and investor communications



Strengths of a conglomerate

Predictable result development and diversified risks.

Cash flows are divided between 16 countries and several currency areas.

Business operations are independent of each other and serve different customer clusters.

A significant part of operations are in potential growth markets with a strong market position.

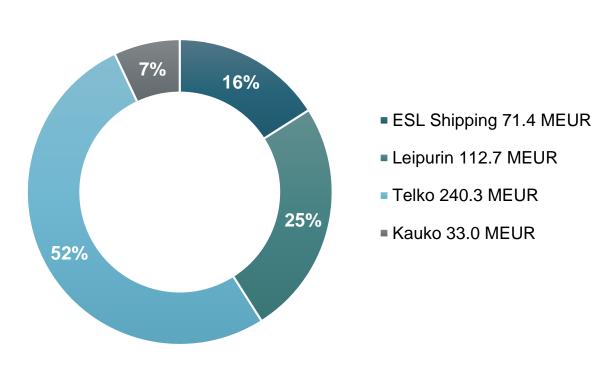
Synergy benefits from strategic skills, financing, leadership effectiveness and systems.

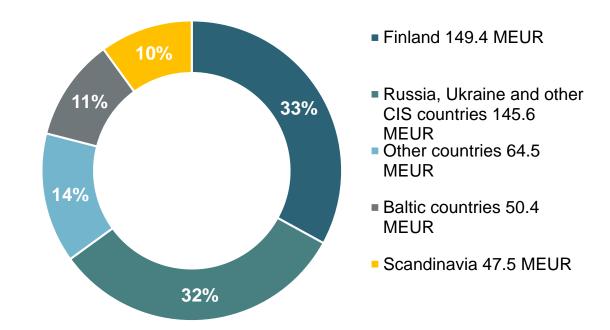


Aspo represents a balanced entity

Net sales by segment (2016)

Net sales by market area (2016)







We operate in North Europe and rapidly growing markets

- Offices in the major cities of the customs union area of Russia, Belarus and Kazakhstan.
- We are responsible for the whole value chain (importcustoms-salesproduct development).
- The northern sea area of Russia is a significant market area for ESL Shipping.





Business operations in Russia, Ukraine and other CIS countries

- Success is based on know-how, making the right choices, as well as on a regional strategy.
- No significant tangible investments.
- Fast circulating working capital (product inventories) and the possibility to transfer capital fluctuations to product prices.
- Fluctuation in the external value of the ruble especially impacts euro-denominated net sales.

In Russia, rubledenominated net sales increased in 2016

16%

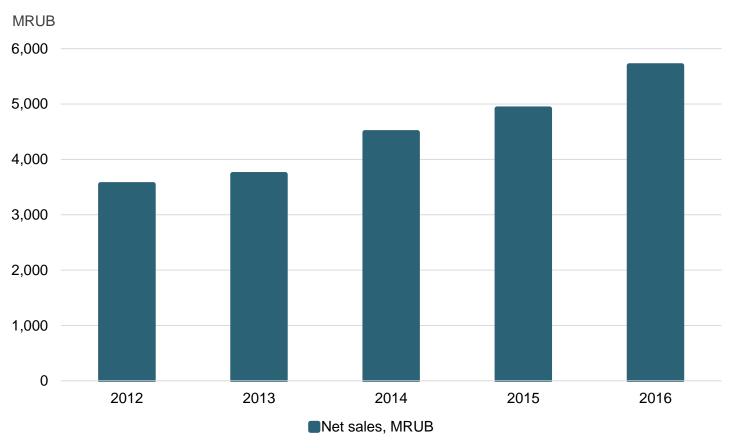
The value of the ruble increased in 2016

20%



Aspo's growth in Russia

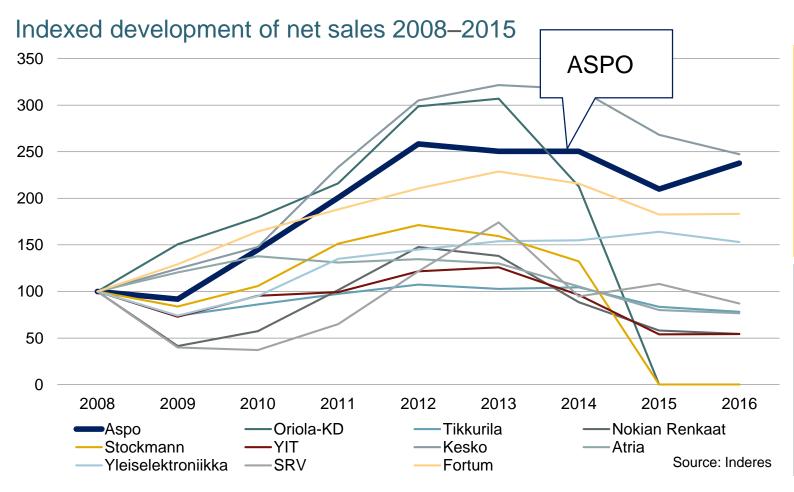
Net sales of Aspo's Russian companies



Annual net sales growth in Russia, on average 2012–2016



Russian companies' development of net sales 2008–2016



Aspo has had strong organic growth between 2008–2016.

The risk level of organic growth is lower than through acquisitions and capital investments.



The efficient leadership system of a conglomerate

Aspo's Board of Directors evaluates new business opportunities, decides on significant investments, as well as sets long-term financial targets. The efficient administration of Aspo Plc is responsible for the processes of finances, financing and development of Group structure.

Business operations' Board of Directors evaluate the business environment, are responsible for strategy and target setting, as well as support the business operations' management in reaching set targets.

Managing Directors of business operations lead the operations of their companies with long-term targets.





ESL Shipping management



Managing Director 2013– Matti-Mikael Koskinen M.Sc. (Econ.), born 1972

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Aki Ojanen

Chairman of the Board since 2009

Mikko Niini

M.Sc. (Tech.), the Finnish honorary title of merenkulkuneuvos (maritime counsellor)

Member of the Board since 2012 Managing Director, Aker Arctic Technology Inc, 2005–2014

Kimmo Nordström

Member of the Board since 2016 Chairman of the Board, Containerships Ltd Oy

Ulla Tapaninen

Ph.D., docent
Member of the Board since 2012
Senior Advisor, City of Helsinki



ESL Shipping year 2016

71.4 MEUR (76.2 MEUR) 12.6 MEUR (14.7 MEUR)

226(223)

Net sales

Operating profit

Personnel



ESL Shipping year 2016

KEY EVENTS

- A substantial investment in the world's first environmentally friendly Handysize dry cargo vessels powered by LNG.
- Construction of the new vessels has proceeded as planned, and are estimated to begin operations at the beginning of 2018.
- The EU funding for the energy-efficiency and environmental investments in ships in 2016– 2019 is at most EUR 5.9 million.
- Diversified operations enable competitive and cost-efficient financing.

OPPORTUNITIES

- Unique vessels, long-term customerships, and tightening environmental standards strengthen the competitiveness of ESL Shipping and enable sustainable profitability that is higher than the market levels.
- The transportation volume of bioenergy will increase due to the transition to biofuels.
- Operations in the arctic regions will increase due to climate change.



A pioneer in energy and environmental-efficiency

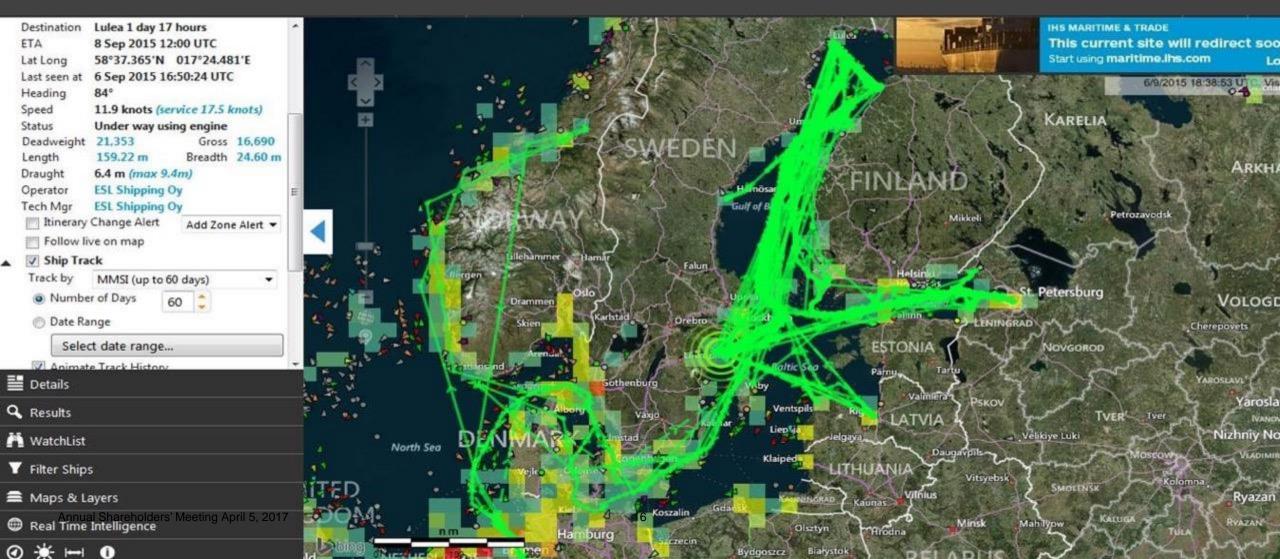


Ships are the most ecological mode of cargo transportation. A sulphur directive is in effect in the Baltic Sea.

The CO₂ emissions of the new LNG-vessels are more than 50% lower when compared to current vessels.



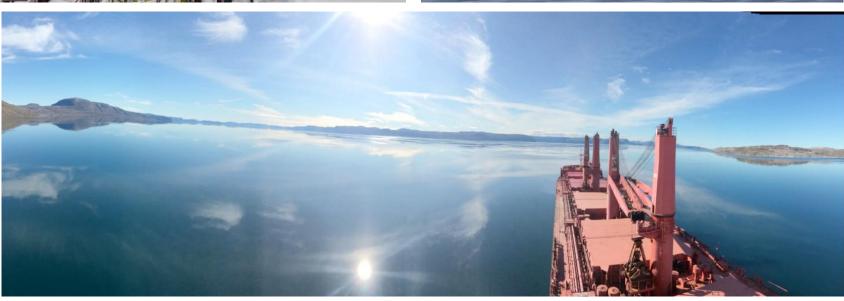
We are an integral part of our customers' logistics chain









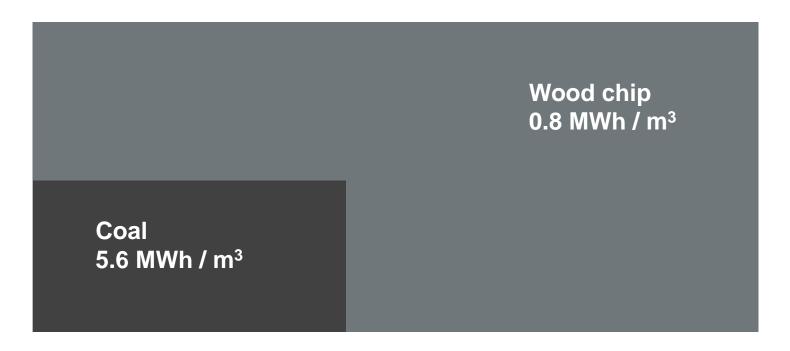






Transition to biofuels promotes business

Energy-efficiency vs. transportation volumes



The transition to biofuels will significantly increase the need for transportation.

Source: Lloyds/BDI





Leipurin management



Managing Director 2016– Mikko Laavainen M.Sc. (Econ.), born 1973

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Aki Ojanen

Chairman of the Board since 2009

Jukka Havia

M.Sc. (Econ.)

Member of the Board since 2014

Chief Financial Officer, Tikkurila Oy

Kaisa Poutanen

D.Sc. (Tech.)
Member of the Board since 2014
Research Professor, VTT Technical
Research Centre of Finland

Esa Rautalinko

M.Sc. (Econ.)

Member of the Board since January 1, 2017

Chairman of the Board, Cinia Group Ltd.

Harri Sivula

M.Sc. (Admin.)

Member of the Board 2010–2013

and since 2014

Chairman of the Board: Tokmanni Plc

Managing Director, Restel Ltd. 2010–2014



Leipurin year 2016

112.7 MEUR (117.8 MEUR) 2.0 MEUR)
(2.4 MEUR)

322 (299)

Net sales

Operating profit

Personnel



Leipurin year 2016



KEY EVENTS

- Mikko Laavainen was chosen as the new Managing Director 3/2016.
- Renewing the Executive Committee according to the new strategy and ambition.
- The product offering and sales of out-of-home eating was developed, especially in Finland.
- Net sales and operating profit increased in Russia and CIS countries in bakery raw materials.
- Machine operations produced a loss, but the order book was at a record-high at the end of the accounting period.

OPPORTUNITIES

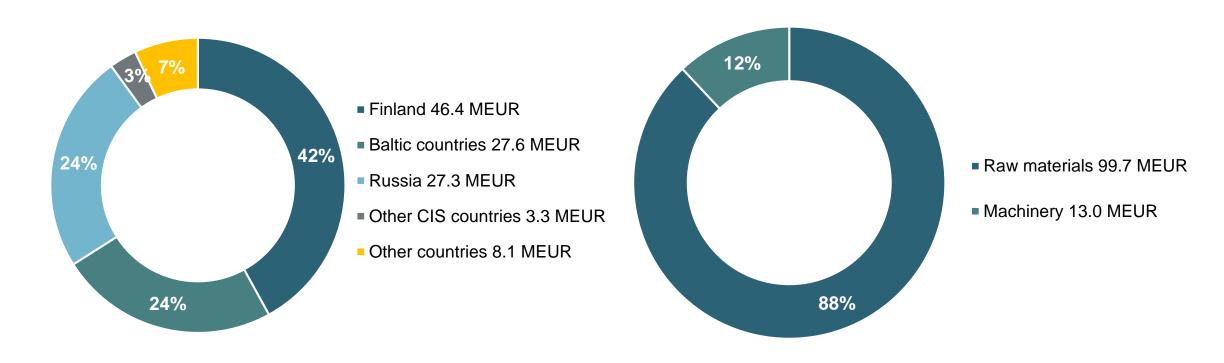
- Utilizing knowledge of industrial baking and large volumes for new customers.
- Utilizing the snack and out-of-home (OOH) trends.
- Strengthening position in industrial baking and growth, especially in the eastern markets.
- Directing machine operations outside home markets. High order book for 2017.



Leipurin net sales distribution 2016

Net sales distribution by country

Net sales distribution by business





Targets and measures to develop operations

Organic growth

Improving profitability

Business development

Growth in Russia and in the CIS coutries; utilizing the growth of the industrial baking industry.

Developing the OOH product offering and sales in the west.

Expanding the product offering and customer base.

New working models and product development.

Reaching full production capacity in machine operations.

Improving leadership and skills.

Developing the product offering to suit current and new distribution channels.

Improving consumer and customer orientation.





Kauko management



Managing Director 2015– Sami Koskela M.Sc. (Tech.), born 1979

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Aki Ojanen

Chairman of the Board since 2009

Pirja Heiskanen

M.Sc. (Tech.), Ph.D.

Member of the Board since 2012

Vice President, Futurice Ltd

Hanna-Mari Parkkinen

MBA

Member of the Board since 2015 Group Business Design Director, Fjord Design and Innovation from Accenture Interactive

Juha Pankakoski

M.Sc. (Eng.), eMBA
Member of the Board since 2015
Chief Digital Officer, CIO, Konecranes
Plc



Kauko year 2016

33.0 MEUR (36.5 MEUR)

-0.1 MEUR (-1.2 MEUR)

42 (46)

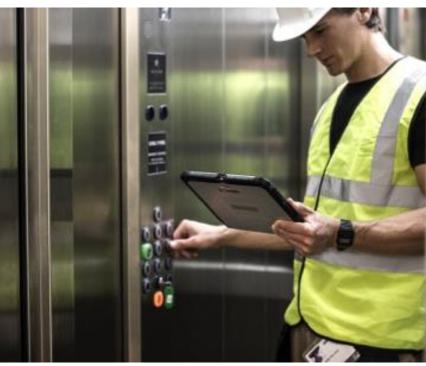
Net sales

Operating profit

Personnel











Kauko year 2016

KEY EVENTS

- Kauko focuses on mobile IT in demanding working environments.
- The company renewed its brand and from 17 May, 2016 onwards is called Kauko.
- Development of a computer designed for the healthcare sector was launched in Germany.
 Operations did not produce a profit.
- The sales of solar power products turned into growth.

OPPORTUNITIES

- Digitalization quickly increases the possibilities of mobile knowledge work.
- Special-use reinforced computers and tablets increases their share of total markets as the tools for knowledge work.
- Kauko's service offering include a growing number of comprehensive solutions, incl. application solutions.
- Enhancing the efficiency of the healthcare sector provides significant possibilities.







Telko management



Managing Director 2009 – Kalle Kettunen
M.Sc. (Tech.), MBA, born 1964

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Aki Ojanen

Chairman of the Board since 2009

Anders Dahlblom

M.Sc. (Econ.)

Member of the Board since 2017

CFO, Paroc Group Oy

Elina Piispanen

M.Sc. (Econ.)

Member of the Board since 2017

Chief Transformation Officer,

Sanoma Media Finland

Irmeli Rytkönen

LL.M.

Member of the Board since 2017 CEO, Gigantti Oy Ab



Telko year 2016

240.3 MEUR) (215.3 MEUR)

10.1 MEUR (10.4 MEUR)

280 (265)

Net sales

Operating profit

Personnel



Telko year 2016

KEY EVENTS

- Growth in net sales accelerated towards the end of the year (Q4: 21%). The company achieved the highest net sales in its history.
- An important phase in the Russia region strategy was reached and new offices were established.
- Net sales increased by 16% in the east.
- A significant transfer of the operations of Finland's Castrol motor oils was finalized at the end of the year.
- Operating profit improved significantly in western markets.

OPPORTUNITIES

- Russia's economic crisis has improved the competitiveness of Russian industry.
- Utilizing the strong market position as the Russian economy turns.
- Product portfolio emphasizing products with higher value-added elements.
- The company invests in improving relative profitability in addition to growth.



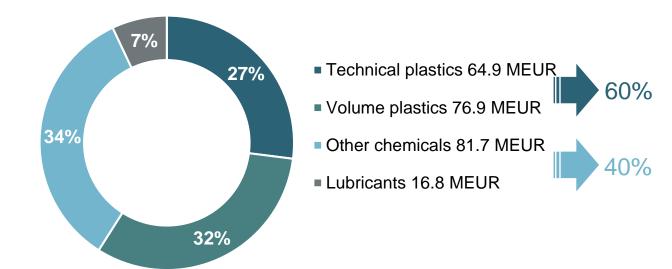
Telko net sales distribution 2016

Other countries 24 MEUR

Net sales distribution by country

Finland 50.5 MEUR
Scandinavia 36 MEUR
Baltic countries 19.2 MEUR
Russia 50.5 MEUR
Ukraine and other CIS countries 60.1 MEUR

Net sales distribution by business





Long-term co-operation





- Technical knowhow
- Knowledge in sales
- Purchasing and procurement
- Logistics
- Financing
- Storage management
- Packaging and barreling
- Telko Private label products
- JIT deliveries

BROAD CUSTOMER BASE

Plastics:

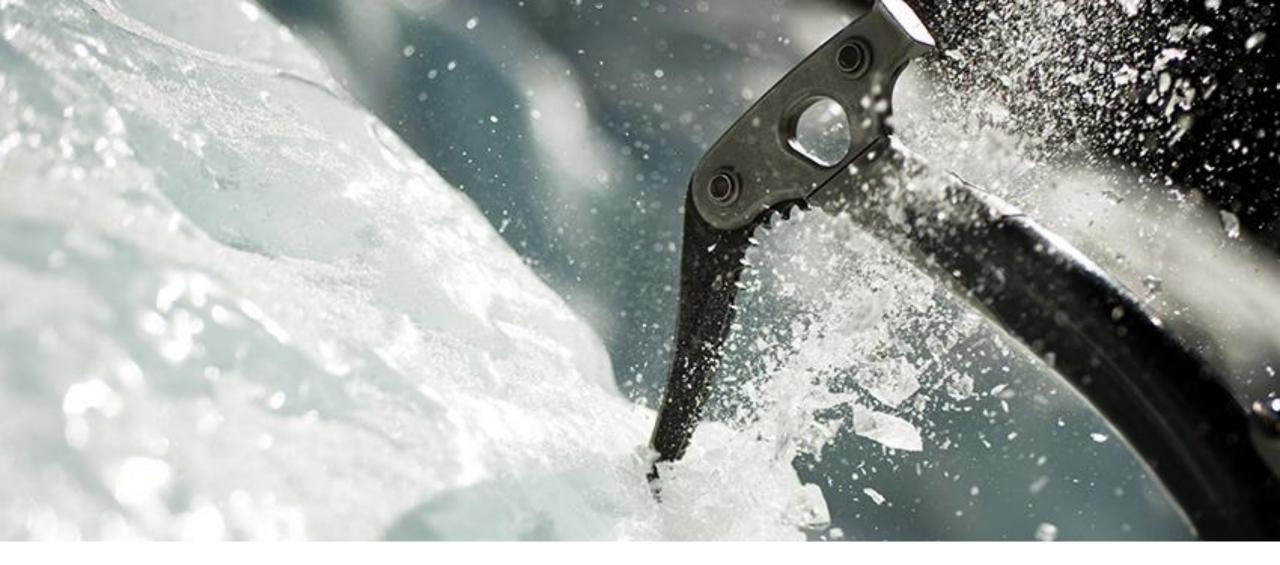
The packaging, electricity, electronics and car industries

Companies manufacturing consumer goods

Chemicals:

Paint, mining, machine shops, print, packaging and chemical industries

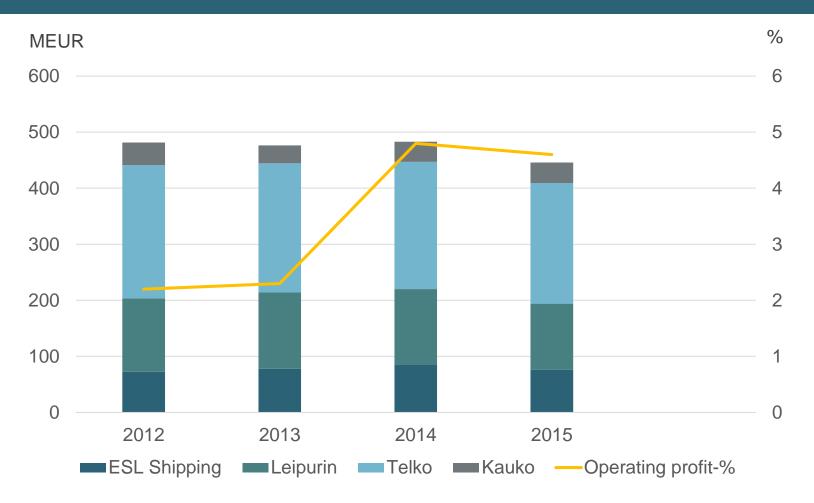




Financial statements, balance sheet and annual report, as well as dividend proposal

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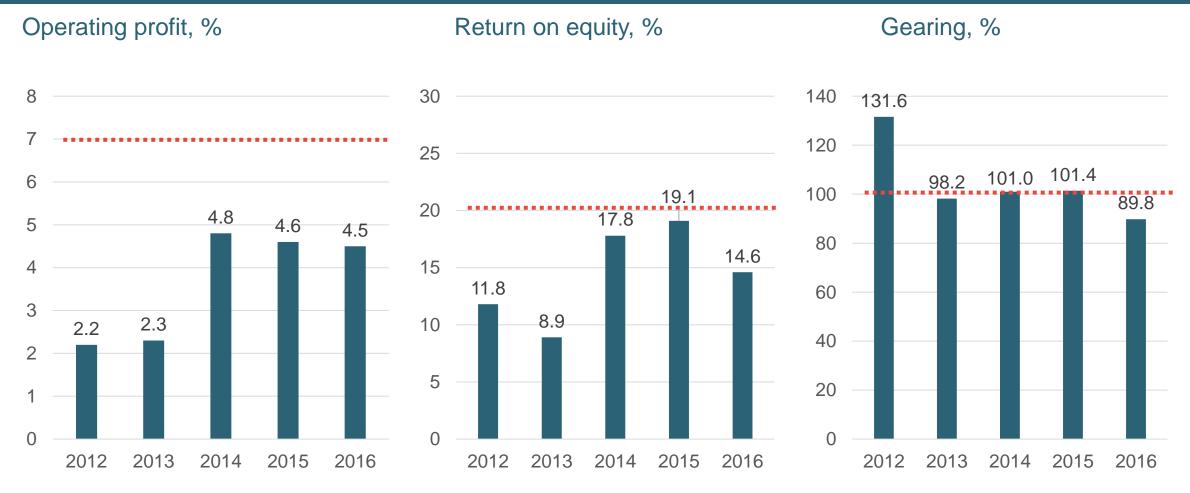
Net sales and operating profit-% 2012–2016



Aspo's profitability is based on a strong strategy, successful investments and long-term business development.



We are committed to our long-term financial targets





Aspo's net sales increased and operating profit remained at a good level

Net sales
457.4 MEUR
(445.8 MEUR)

Operating profit
20.4 MEUR
(20.6 MEUR)

Earnings per share 0.49 EUR (0.61 EUR)

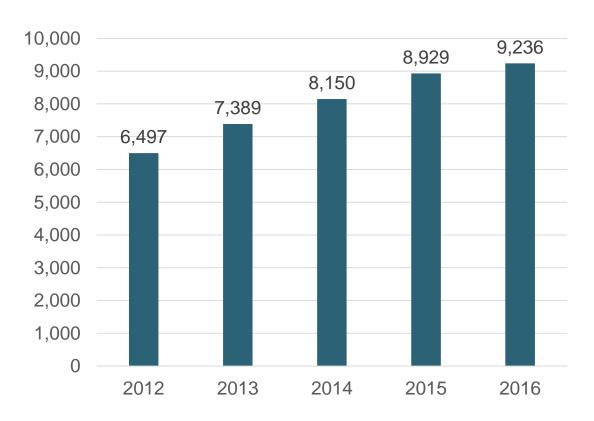
Net cash from operating activities
16.2 MEUR
(25.0 MEUR)

14.6% (19.1%) **Personnel 895**(857)

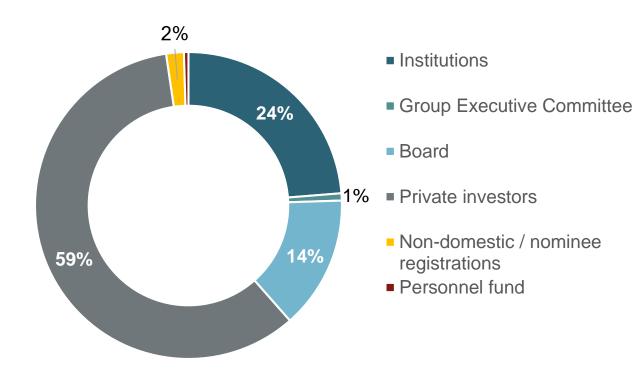


Shareholders / allocation

Number of shareholders



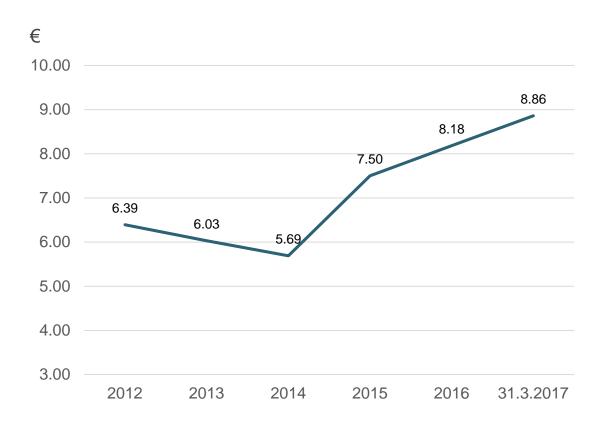
Distribution of ownership December 31, 2016 by ownership group, shares %



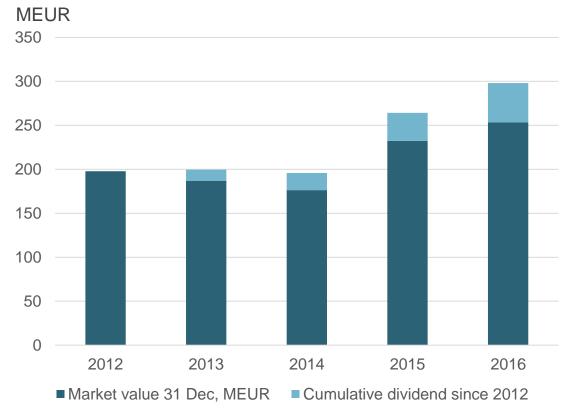


Aspo market value

Share price development (closing price)



Dividend-adjusted market value of shares





Dividend proposal year 2016

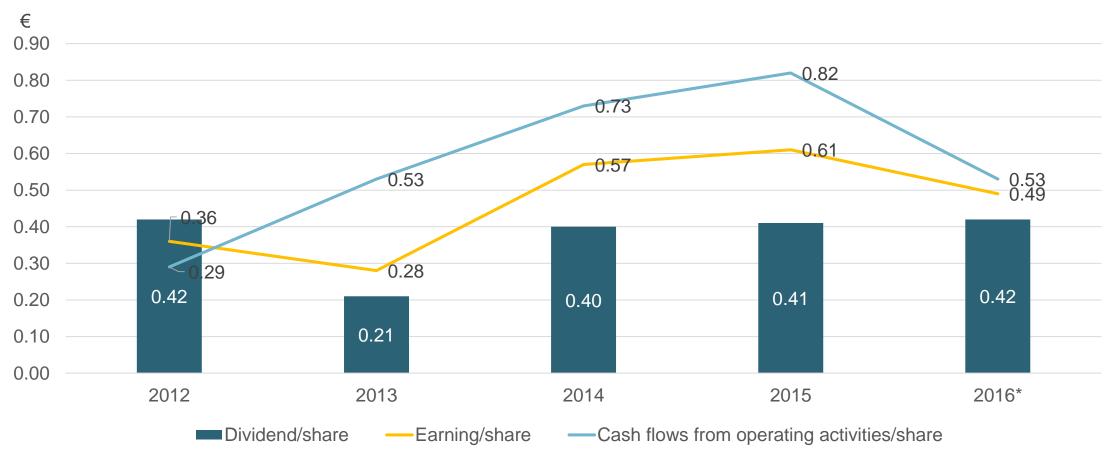
The Board of Directors' dividend proposal to the Shareholders' Meeting: EUR 0.42 / share

Dividend will be paid in two installments:
EUR 0.21 / share in April
EUR 0.21 / share in November

Dividend distribution policy:
At least half of the annual profit distributed in dividends on average.



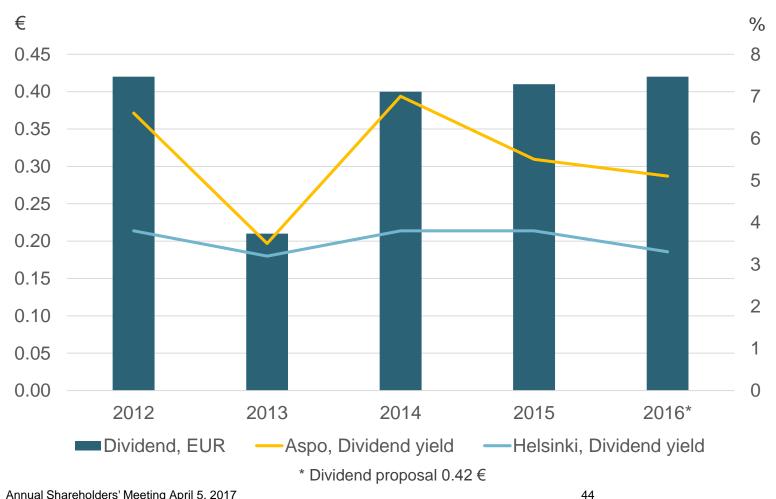
Dividend / earnings and cash flow



^{*} Dividend proposal of the Board



Dividend and dividend yield 2012–2016



Dividend yield of Aspo, average 2012-2016 5.5%

Dividend yield of Helsinki Stock Exchange, average 2012-2016 3.6%

Source: Aspo, Factset, OP



Outlook for year 2017

Uncertainty in markets has decreased.

Russian economy is expected to turn to growth.

The external values of the currencies important to Aspo are expected to continue to fluctuate strongly.

International freight rates have begun to improve, yet remain at a low level.

Improved profitability of the earlier unprofitable Supramax vessels and Leipurin machine operations is confirmed. Group's administrative costs decreased to the target level.



We aim to reach our financial targets by 2020

Operating profit with the current structure:

7%

Average return on equity of over:

20%

Gearing of up to:

100%

(2016: Operating profit 4.5%) (2016: ROE 14.6%)

(2016: Gearing 89.8%)



Guidance 2017

Aspo's operating profit will be EUR 22–27 million (20.4) in 2017.



Thank you.



