

KESKO ACQUIRES THE DANISH BUILDERS' MERCHANT DAVIDSEN AND ENTERS DENMARK

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KESKO ACQUIRES THE BUILDERS' MERCHANT DAVIDSEN IN DENMARK

- Kesko acquires 90% of the family-owned Davidsen A/S
- Kesko's debt-free purchase price for a 90% ownership is approx. €170 million
- The Davidsen family continues with a 10% ownership and will support the company's development and growth
- Davidsen's net sales in 2022 totalled €560 million and the company is focused on B2B customers
- 23 stores, of which 19 are owned by the company
- The company has some 850 employees



Davidsen Aahlborg

KESKO AND K GROUP – A LEADING TRADING SECTOR COMPANY IN NORTHERN EUROPE WITH SALES OF OVER €16 BILLION

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BUILDING AND TECHNICAL TRADE



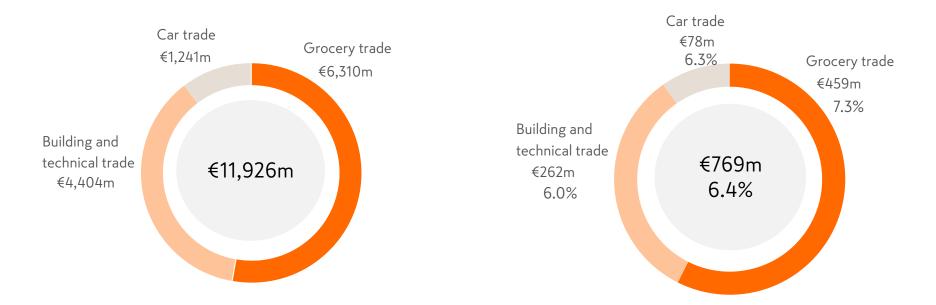
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KESKO KEY FIGURES

NET SALES

OPERATING PROFIT



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A WELL-PERFORMING STRATEGY



THE RIGHT STRATEGIC CHOICES

Over 40 transactions to boost growth



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FOCUS ON BUILDING AND TECHNICAL TRADE GROWTH ESPECIALLY IN FINLAND AND SCANDINAVIA MANY ACQUISITIONS IN BUILDING AND TECHNICAL TRADE IN NORWAY AND SWEDEN

NOW ENTRY TO DENMARK

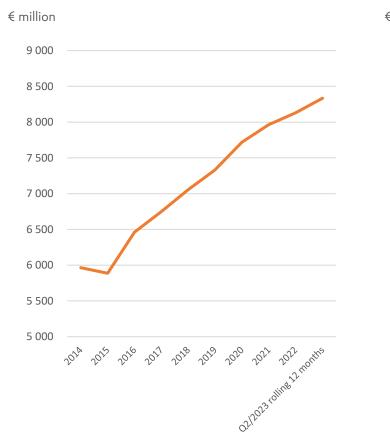
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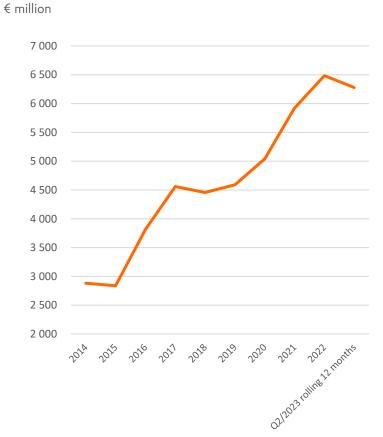
SALES GROWTH OF CORE BUSINESSES €6.0 BILLION SINCE 2014

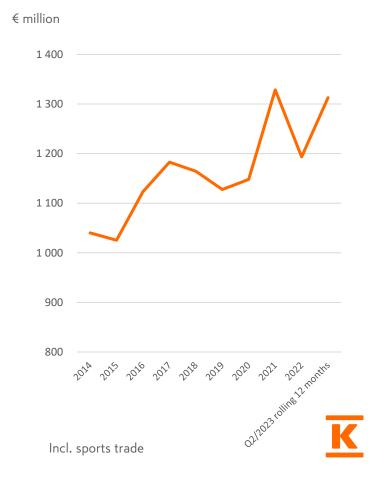
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7 K Group retail and B2B sales, core businesses

GOOD STRATEGY YIELDING RESULTS

Comparable operating profit Reported figures, € million Q2/2023 rolling 12 months 2014 – 2019 continuing operations IFRS 16 impact

DAVIDSEN ACQUISITION AND ENTRY TO DENMARK ARE IMPORTANT STRATEGIC STEPS

- Kesko has a consistent strategy in building and technical trade: to consolidate the market in Northern Europe and to be among the leading players in B2B business in each country
- The Danish market is not yet consolidated, great potential for growth organically and through acquisitions
- Downturn affects the business, but at the same time offers consolidation opportunities for an industrial operator like Kesko



THE DAVIDSEN ACQUISITION IS AN IMPORTANT STEP FOR KESKO'S BUILDING AND TECHNICAL TRADE

Jorma Rauhala President, Building and technical trade, Deputy CEO



GROWTH STRATEGY EXECUTION CONTINUES

KESKO GROWTH STRATEGY

BUILDING AND TECHNICAL TRADE GROWTH STRATEGY

FOCUS ON NORTHERN EUROPE

COUNTRY-SPECIFIC STRATEGIES:

FINLAND: GROWTH AND MARKET LEADERSHIP IN TECHNICAL TRADE, BUILDERS' MERCHANT, DIY

SCANDINAVIA: GROWTH ESPECIALLY IN TECHNICAL TRADE AND BUILDERS' MERCHANT. SELECTIVE PRESENCE IN DIY

POLAND AND THE BALTICS: GROWTH IN TECHNICAL TRADE

KESKO SENUKAI: LEADING DIY OPERATOR IN THE BALTICS



STRATEGIC FOCUS AREAS IN BUILDING AND TECHNICAL TRADE



Executing country-specific strategies



SALES IN BUILDING AND TECHNICAL TRADE €7.3 BILLION



FINLAND Sales €2.9 billion

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POLAND AND THE BALTICS

Sales €1.6 billion

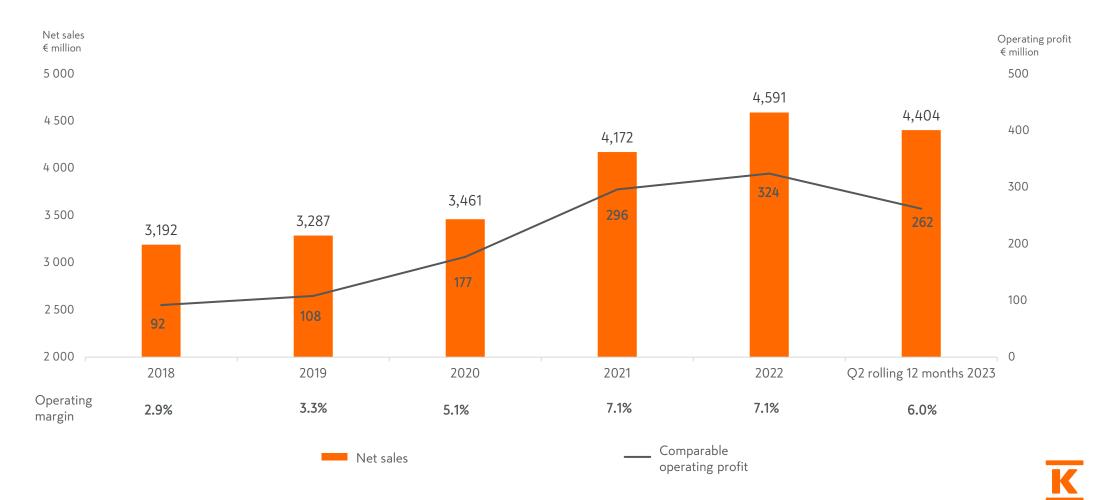
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BUILDING AND TECHNICAL TRADE DIVISION HAS STRONG PERFORMANCE



DENMARK IS AN ATTRACTIVE MARKET FOR KESKO'S BUILDING AND TECHNICAL TRADE

- Growing population of 5.8 million inhabitants
- Wealthy country: GDP per capita was €51,660 in 2022 (Finland: €37,780)*
- Politically and economically one of the most stable countries in the world
- Offers interesting growth opportunities for both the builders' merchant and technical trade businesses



BIG POTENTIAL IN BUILDING AND HOME IMPROVEMENT MARKET IN DENMARK

- Danish building and home improvement market was approximately €5.7 billion in 2022, which is over 1.5x the size of the Finnish market of €3.7 billion
- Three largest builders' merchant companies Stark, Bygma and Davidsen represent some 50% of the market
- Approximately 30 independent retailers form together a broad XL-BYG chain, which has some 20% of the market
- There are also a large number of small, local builders' merchant companies
- The Davidsen acquisition creates a good platform to grow and participate in the consolidation of the Danish building and home improvement market



Davidsen Grindsted

DAVIDSEN IN BRIEF

- Family-owned builders' merchant company headquartered in Kolding, Denmark
- One of the largest building materials retailers focusing on the B2B segment with ~9% market share, ~30% market share in Southern Denmark
- 23 stores, of which 19 are owned by the company
- Davidsen has some 850 employees
- In 2022, the company's net sales was approximately €560 million with an EBITDA of €27 million and EBIT of €23 million (excl. IFRS 16 impact)
- Temporarily sales and profitability are expected to be below 2022 year's level due to economic down-turn and lower construction volumes

Greenland Store

STORE NETWORK

DAVIDSEN TRANSACTION KEY POINTS

- The agreed debt-free enterprise value for 100% of the company is approximately €190 million, of which Kesko will acquire 90%, which equals approximately €170 million
- The Davidsen family continues with a 10% ownership and will support the company's development and expansion
- The company will continue under Davidsen brand and current local management will continue leading the company
- The rationale behind the acquisition is strategic. However, transaction offers some synergies in sourcing, selections and leveraging best-practices
- Kesko finances the acquisition with a customary bank loan
- The acquisition is subject to the EU Commission's merger approval and fulfilment of certain other conditions. The transaction is expected to be completed latest in Q1/2024



KESKO BUILDING AND TECHNICAL TRADE MANAGEMENT MODEL

JORMA RAUHALA President, Building and technical trade Deputy CEO							
FINLAND	NORWAY Hilde Kristoffersson	SWEDEN Endre Espeseth	DENMARK* Henrik Clausen	POLAND Endre Espeseth	BALTICS		
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<mark>KRauta</mark> Olli Pere	onninen⊾	KBYGG					
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SUPPORT FUNCTIONS, E.G. FINANCE, COMMERCE, SUPPLY CHAIN, DIGITAL SERVICES AND IT

Excl. Joint venture Kesko Senukai * After the closing of the acquisition

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KESKO ACQUIRED GEITANGER BYGG IN NORWAY

- Geitanger Bygg AS is a builders' merchant company with €15.3 million sales in 2022
- The company is focused on B2B customers and has one store in Bergen, which is Norway's second largest city
- The acquisition strengthens Byggmakker's position in Bergen area
- The transaction supports Byggmakker's growth in Norway and offers synergies with existing operations





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