


## This is <br> New Wave Group

New Wave Group is a growth company that designs, acquires and develops brands. To ensure good risk diversification, the Group will market its products in the promo market and the retail market.

The Group's growth target is 10-20 \% per year,
Sales acitivity in own subsidiary
of which $5-10 \%$ is organic growth.
An operating margin target of $15 \%$.
New Wave Group aims for at least 30 \% equity ratio.

## Our operating segments and markets

Our brands are categorised according to which of our three operating segments it belongs to: Corporate, Sports \& Leisure or Gifts \& Home Furnishings.

The brands are distributed in both the promo market and the retail market to achieve good risk diversification.

Brands close to or over SEK 1 billion in net sales: Craft, Clique, Cutter \& Buck.

Corporate


Sports ङீ Leisure


Gifts ® Home Furnishings
KOSTA 3ODA

## Corporate

The vision for the Corporate operating segment is to become the leading supplier of promotional products to corporations in Europe and one of the leading. suppliers in the USA by offering companies a broad product range, strong brands, advanced expertise and service, and a superior all-inchusive concept.

## Net sales <br> SEK million <br>  <br> 

## Sports \& Leisure

The vision for the Sports \& Leisure operating segment involves establishing Craft as a world-leading spor tscear brand, and making Cutter
§ Buck a coorld-leading golf apparel brand.
The brand Auclair shouldt take a leading position on glooes in Eiurope and roe roill also use Paris Glooe's strong distribution platform to launch the Group's other brands in Canada.

Overall, we want to be one of the leading sports suppliers, both in Sroeden and in other European countries and in the United States. All in all, our brands shall give us a position among the largest sport suppliers in the coorld.

Net sales


## EBITDA

## SEK million


2018
2017

## Gifts छ Home Furnishings

The vision for the Gifts © Home Furnishings operating segment area is to make Orrefors and Kosta Boda roorld leading glass and crystal suppliers.

Part of the vision also incolves utilising innovative and playfful design to make Sagaform a prominent player in Northern Europe in both the promo and retail markets.

## Activities in

## focus



Clubs

## Craft

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## Craft



## Workwear

- Projob
- Yobman



## Workwear

- Projob
- Yobman





## Kosta

## Safaripark

## CSR and Sustainability

New Wave Group believes in sustainable growth. It is important for us to adapt business solutions that are financially profitable, but also sustainable from a social and environmental perspective.

- Sustanability report published for the second year
- We continue to work on sustainability
- Heavy reduction of emissions from transports.
- Increased demand for the eco-labeled brand Cottover.


Read more about how New Wave Group works with CSR and sustainability in the separate Sustainability Report 2018, availlable on жншн.nwg.se.

Emissions from air freight and shipping were reduced by $48 \%$ during 2018 as a result of less number of shipments with improved fill rate.


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## Net sales



## Result for the period



## Fanuary - December

Net sales per geographic area

| SEK million | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Jan - Dec } \\ 2018 \end{array}$ | Part of net sales | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Jan - Dec } \\ 2017 \end{array}$ | Part of net sales | Change MSEK | Change \% |
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| Sweden | 1529.9 | 24\% | 1463.8 | 26\% | 66.1 | 5\% |
| USA | 1579.7 | 25\% | 1423.7 | 25\% | 156.0 | 11\% |
| Nordic countries excluding Sweden | 807.1 | 13\% | 727.7 | 13\% | 79.4 | 11\% |
| Central Europe | 986.4 | 16\% | 891.1 | 16\% | 95.3 | 11\% |
| Southern Europe | 716.5 | 11\% | 630.8 | 11\% | 85.7 | 14\% |
| Other countries | 670.9 | 11\% | 460.2 | 8\% | 210.7 | 46\% |
| Total | 6290.6 | 100\% | 5597.3 | 100\% | 693.3 | 12\% |

## Yanuary - December

- Gross profit margin amounted to 46.6 (46.1) \%
- External costs and personnel costs amounted to a total of SEK -2,399.4 ( $-2,069.2$ ) million
- More sales and service oriented activities
- More employees within sales, warehouse and customer service
- Currency exchange rates increased costs with SEK 61.6 million
- Operating result amounted to SEK 482.8 (469.1) million
- Result for the period amounted to SEK 360.0 (354.0) million

| SEK million | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Jan - Dec } \\ 2018 \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Jan - Dec } \\ 2017 \end{array}$ |  |
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| Net sales | 6290.6 |  | 5597.3 |  |
| Goods for resale | -3 359.4 |  | -3 018.1 |  |
| Gross profit | 2931.2 | 46.6\% | 2579.2 | 46.1\% |
| Other operating income | 74.8 |  | 51.2 |  |
| External costs | -1336.4 |  | -1 128.9 |  |
| Personnel costs | -1063.0 |  | -940.3 |  |
| Depreciation and write-downs of tangible and intangible fixed assets | -77.9 |  | -65.3 |  |
| Other operating costs | -44.8 |  | -25.2 |  |
| Share of associated companies' result | -1.1 |  | -1.6 |  |
| Operating result | 482.8 | 7.7\% | 469.1 | 8.4\% |
| Net financial items | -40.9 |  | -51.9 |  |
| Result before tax | 441.8 |  | 417.2 |  |
| Tax on result for the period | -81.8 |  | -63.2 |  |
| Result for the period | 360.0 |  | 354.0 |  |
| Result per share (SEK) | 5.48 |  | 5.34 |  |

## Yamuary - December

EBITDA per operating segment


## Corporate amounted to

SEK 353.1 (289.7) million

- Higher turnover
- Increased marketing activities


Sports \& Leisure amounted to SEK 218.2 (230.3) million

- Higher turnover
- Improved gross profit margin
- Higher costs


Gifts \& Home Furnishings amounted to SEK -10.6 (14.4) million

- The warm summer affected net sales in Kosta
- More marketing activities
- Somewhat lower gross profit margin


## Fanuary - December

## Cash flow

## SEK million

## Jan - Dec <br> 2018

Jan - Dec 2017

Cash flow from operating activities before
changes in working capital
429.7

Change in working capita
-207.1
-243.2
Cash flow from operating activities
222.6

Investing activities

## Cash flow after investing activities

-163.2
-110.6

Financial activities
59.4
97.2
39.3
-106.3

## Cash flow for the period

## Financial highlights

| SEK million | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Jan - Dec } \\ 2018 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Jan - Dec } \\ 2017 \end{array}$ |
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| Net sales growth, \% | 12.4 | 6.9 |
| Number of employees | 2605 | 2495 |
| Gross profit margin, \% | 46.6 | 46.1 |
| Operating margin before depreciation, \% | 8.9 | 9.5 |
| Operating margin, \% | 7.7 | 8.4 |
| Return on shareholders' equity, \% | 11.2 | 12.2 |
| Return on capital employed, \% | 9.4 | 9.8 |
| Equity ratio, \% | 48.6 | 50.9 |
| Net debt to equity ratio, \% | 53.3 | 54.1 |
| Net debt in relation to working capital, \% | 57.0 | 54.7 |
| Net debt, SEK million | 1831.0 | 1637.3 |
| Stock turnover, times | 1.1 | 1.2 |
| Shareholders' equity per share, SEK | 51.76 | 45.66 |

## Growth in net sales and result for the year



Growth in net sales and result for the year

Net salesResull for the year
"2018 is the second year in a rowe that I start with, that I am actually happy reith the year:"

- Torsten Jansson


## CEO comments

## January - December

- Sales increased by $12 \%$ ( $9 \%$ in local currencies)
- Sales of SEK 6,290.6 $(5,597.3)$ million - All time high
- Operating result amounted to SEK 482.8 (469.1) million - All time high
- Result for the period amounted to SEK 360.0 (354.0) mkr - All time high
- Strong balance sheet gives room for continued expansion


## The future

- USA - Strong growth
- The Corporate* segment has a strong growth
- Our powerful investments are expected to give results
- Club/Teamwear are evolving
- We have never been better, bigger or stronger!
"All time high results for a first quarter"
- Torsten Jansson


## Yanuary - March

- Sales amounted to SEK 1,504.9 $(1,278$. million
- Sales increased by 18 \% ( $11 \%$ in local currencies)
- Promo sales channel $19 \%$, retail $17 \%$
- Growth in all regions
- All time high for net sales in a Q1!



## Yanuary - March

- Gross profit margin amounted to 47.1 (46.8) \%
- External costs and personnel costs amounted to a total of SEK -621.4 (-563.6) million
- More sales and service oriented activities
- More employees within sales, warehouse and customer service
- Currency exchange rates increased costs with SEK 37.2 million
- IFRS 16 affected external costs by SEK 30.6 million
- Operating result amounted to SEK 46.0 (18.6) million
- IFRS 16 affected external costs by SEK 30.6 million and depreciation by SEK -18.1 million
- Result for the period amounted to SEK 26.0 (6.0) million
- IFRS 16 also affected the financial expenses by SEK -4.5 million, which gives a total of SEK -2.0 million on Result for the period.

| SEK million | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Jan - Mar } \\ 2019 \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Jan - Mar } \\ 2018 \end{array}$ |  |
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| Net sales | 1504.9 |  | 1272.8 |  |
| Goods for resale | -795.3 |  | -677.5 |  |
| Gross profit | 709.6 | 47.1\% | 595.4 | 46.8\% |
| Other operating income | 17.2 |  | 15.9 |  |
| External costs | -338.4 |  | -317.2 |  |
| Personnel costs | -283.0 |  | -246.4 |  |
| Amortizations. depreciations and writedowns of tangible and intangible fixed assets | -51.0 |  | -17.6 |  |
| Other operating costs | -8.2 |  | -11.8 |  |
| Share of associated companies' result | -0.2 |  | 0.4 |  |
| Operating result | 46.0 | 3.1\% | 18.6 | 1.5\% |
| Net financial items | -14.0 |  | -10.2 |  |
| Result before tax | 32.0 |  | 8.4 |  |
| Tax expense | -6.0 |  | -2.4 |  |
| Result for the period | 26.0 |  | 6.0 |  |
| Result per share (SEK)* | 0.41 |  | 5.97 |  |

## Fanuary - March

| Cash flow |  |  |
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| SEK million | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Jan - Mar } \\ 2019 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Jan - Mar } \\ 2018 \end{array}$ |
| Cash flow from operating activities before changes in working capital | 49.3 | 1.2 |
| Change in working capital | -114.4 | 5.4 |
| Cash flow from operating activities | -65.1 | 6.6 |
| Investing activities | -38.3 | -39.8 |
| Cash flow after investing activities | -103.4 | -33.2 |
| Financial activities | 49.2 | 5.1 |
| Cash flow for the period | -54.2 | -28.1 |

"To achieve an operating result of SEK 46.0 million and a result for the period of SEK 26.0 million pleases me.

- Torsten Jansson



## CEO comments

## January - March

- Strong growth of 18 \% ( 11 \% in local currency). All time high sales.
- 19th quarter in a row with growth. Rolling 12 months have now exceeded SEK 6.5 billion. Our investments in marketing activities continued.
- Operating result increased and amounted to SEK 46.0 (18.6)million. Rolling 12 months now passed SEK 500 million
- Resulf for the period increased to SEK 26.0 (6.0) million
- Both results are an "all time high" for a first quarter

We strive to make everyone who buys our products a happy customer: If you choose to invest in New Waree Group we reant you to know that ree promise to take care of your investment in the best possible way we can through long term thinking, groweth, stability and hard work!


