# PRESENTATION OF FIRST QUARTER 2022 RESULTS

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# AGENDA FORTODAY

- 01. First quarter 2022 highlights
- 02. Business unit performance
  - Assets & Logistics
  - Freight Services & Trading
- 03. Market development & outlook
- 04. Guidance for 2022 and sum-up





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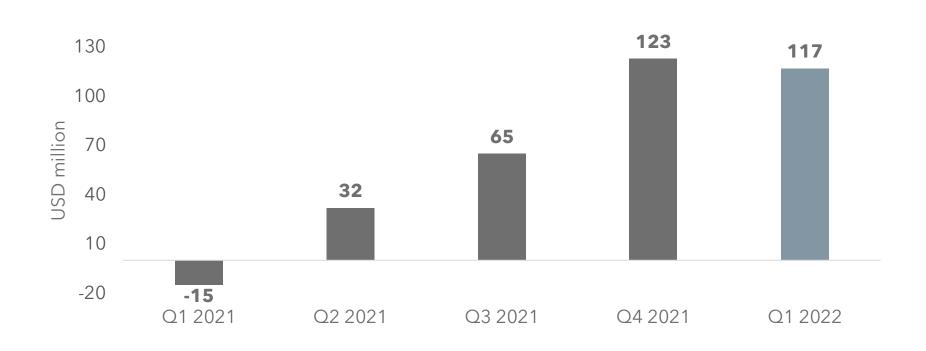
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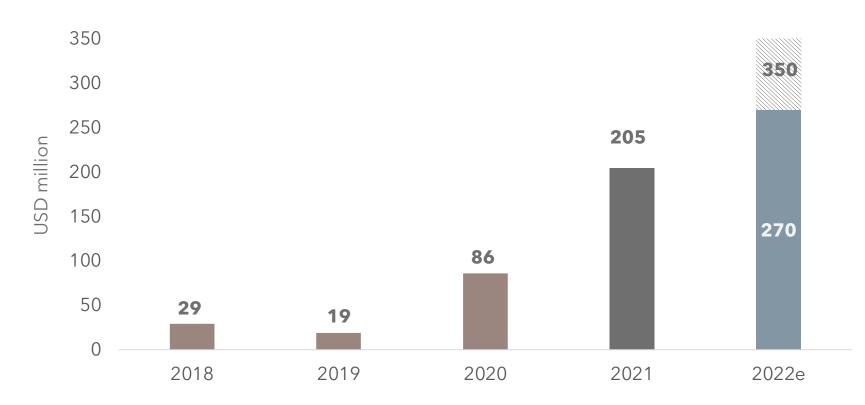


# 01. FIRST QUARTER 2022 HIGHLIGHTS BUSINESS UPDATE

#### **GROUP PROFIT/LOSS LAST FIVE QUARTERS**



**GROUP PROFIT BY YEAR** 



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#### **GROUP HIGHLIGHTS**

## PROFIT FOR Q1 2022: USD 117 MILLION

- Great result and start to the year, above seasonal normal
- Strong performance in both business units
- Continued to capture value in volatile dry cargo market
- Guidance: Profit for the year between USD 270-350 million (incl. sales gains of USD 28 million from already sold vessels)

#### **BUSINESS UNIT HIGHLIGHTS**



### ASSETS & LOGISTICS (Q1 2022: Profit of USD 41 million)

- Realised gains on strong dry cargo market through asset trading and cover
- Market value of portfolio at USD 1,238 million



## FREIGHT SERVICES & TRADING (Q1 2022: Profit of USD 76 million)

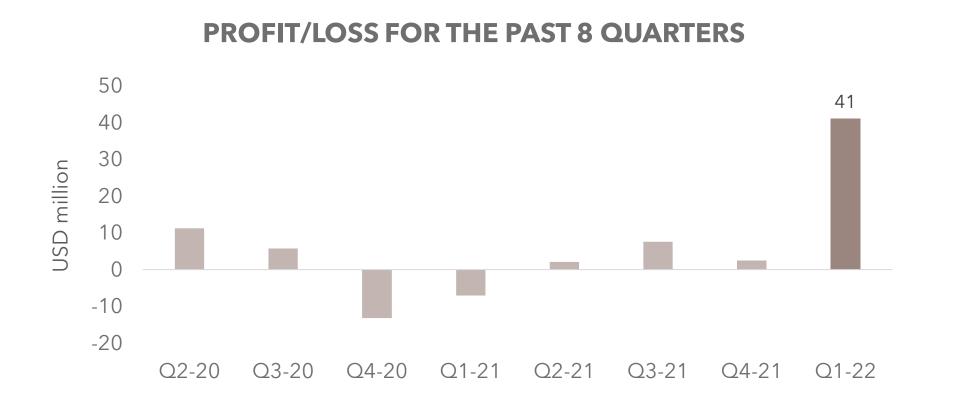
- Secured strong margins amid high market volatility in dry cargo
  Increased exposure on right vessel types & regional arbitrage
- Shifting exposure towards a quickly recovering product tanker market with favourable vessel positioning towards regional rate spikes



# **02.** BUSINESS UNIT PERFORMANCE



# 02. ASSET & LOGISTICS **PROFITABLE DRY CARGO COVER & STRONG VESSEL SALES GAINS**



#### **KEY FIGURES Q1 2022**



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## **PROFIT FOR Q1 2022: USD 41 MILLION**

- Realised gains on strong dry cargo market through:
  - Profitable dry cargo cover in 2022 at high rates
  - Increasing dry cargo forward cover for 2023
  - 6 dry cargo vessels sold at 10-year high price levels
  - Declared extension options on dry cargo lease portfolio
- Adjusting portfolio exposure slightly towards tankers
- Significant upside value on extension and purchase options
- Market value of owned vessels exceeded book values by USD 110 million

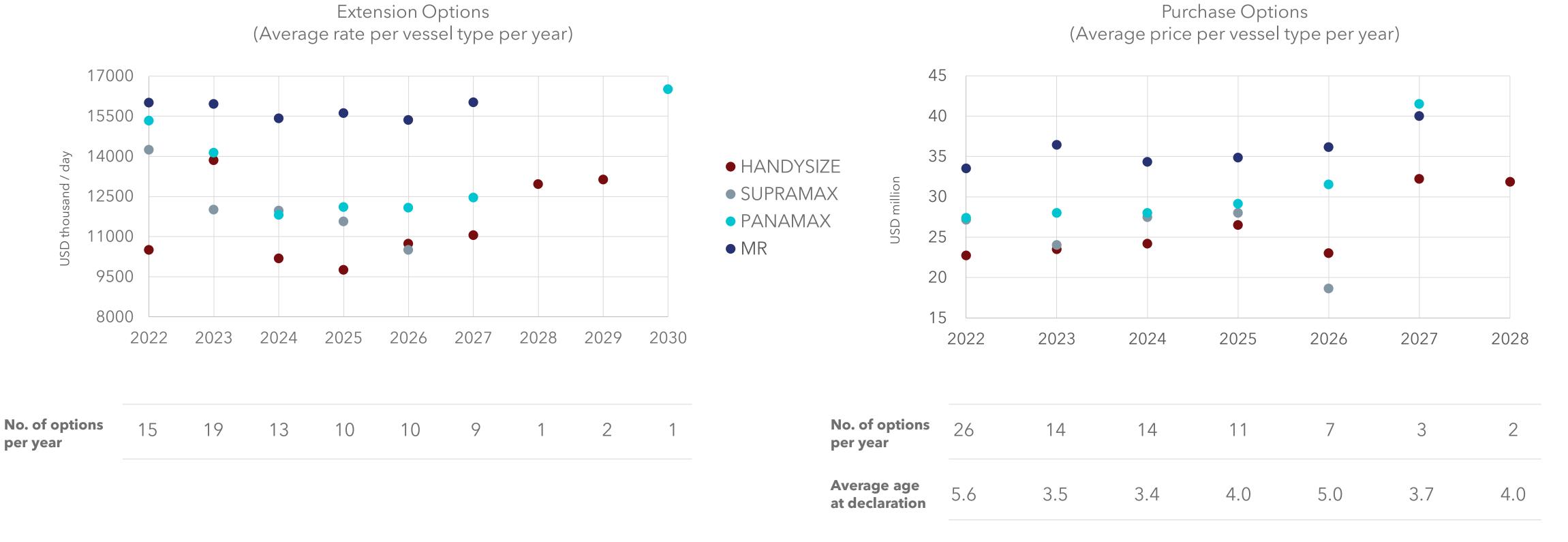
#### **PORTFOLIO VALUES**

USD million	Dry Cargo	Tankers	Total
Market value of owned vessels and newbuildings (charter free)	442	446	888
Estimated market value of T/C and cover portfolio (incl. estimated value of optionality)	295	55	350
Total Asset Management portfolio value	737	501	1,238
Market value of owned vessels vs. carrying amounts	119	-9	110



# 02. ASSET & LOGISTICS **EXTENSIVE OPTIONALITY IN PORTFOLIO**

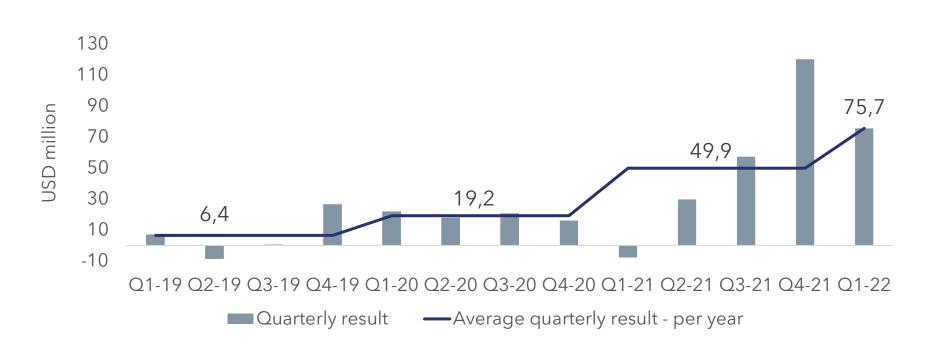
- ~65,000 extension option days in total, corresponding to ~178 full-year extension options
- Extension options: 80 options in total (58 options on dry cargo vessels and 22 on tanker vessels)
- Purchase options: 77 options in total (55 in dry cargo, 22 in tankers)



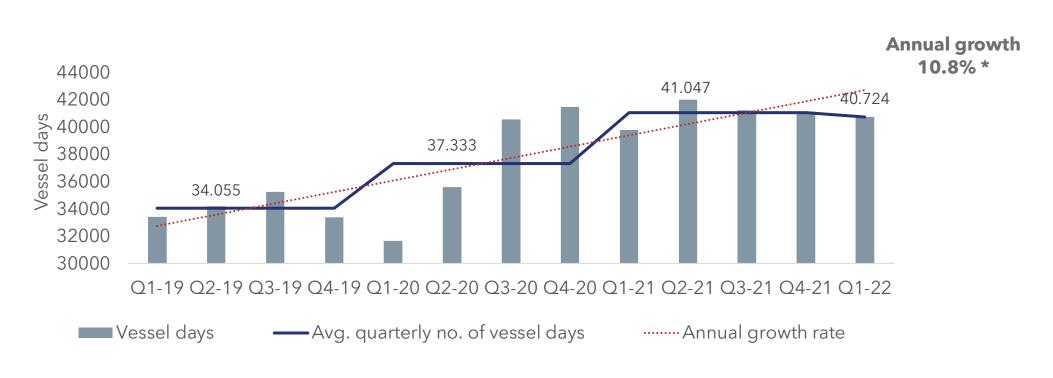


# 02. FREIGHT SERVICES & TRADING SUBSTANTIAL PROFIT FROM UTILISING VOLATILITY

**QUARTERLY RESULTS** 



**QUARTERLY ACTIVITY LEVELS** 



\* Based on 12-month rolling average compared to same period 2 years prior.

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# **PROFIT FOR Q1 2022: USD 76 MILLION**

- Secured strong margins amid high market volatility through:
  - Increased exposure on right vessel types - Regional arbitrage with good fleet distribution across basins
- Margin per vessel day amounted to USD 1,856 per day
- 10.8% annual growth in activity levels since 2019
- Shifting exposure towards a stronger product tanker market - creating increased forward values

#### **KEY FIGURES Q1 2022**

Profit

76 **USD** million

(Q1 2021: USD -8 million)

Average no. of vessels operated

Dry cargo vessels

**Product tanker vessels** 

#### **Result per vessel day**

1,856 USD /day

(Q1 2021: USD -196 / day)



# 02. BUSINESS UNITS VALUATION

# **ASSETS & LOGISTICS**

Asset trading and active portfolio management of owned and leased vessels. Investments in port logistics aimed at optimising supply chains

## **NAV-based valuation**

#### Per 31/3/2022

	USDm
Market value of own vessels	888
Market value of T/C & Cover portfolio	350
Cash & equivalents	365
Interest bearing debt	-342
N/B instalments	-74
Other net assets (book values)	299
Total NAV	1,485
NAV per share, DKK	277

NAV per share based on USD/DKK rate and share count as of latest balance sheet date, excluding treasury shares held by NORDEN.

# **FREIGHT SERVICES & TRADING**

Global freight services and trading in the dry cargo and product tanker markets

## **Earnings-based valuation**

Net result last 12 months	USDm 283
Annualised since 2019	USDm 116
Average margin per vessel day*	USD 769
Average annual activity level growth**	10.8%
Number of vessel days FY2021	164,189

\* Averages since 2019

\*\* Based on 12-month rolling average compared to same period 2 years prior



# **03.** MARKET DEVELOPMENT AND OUT

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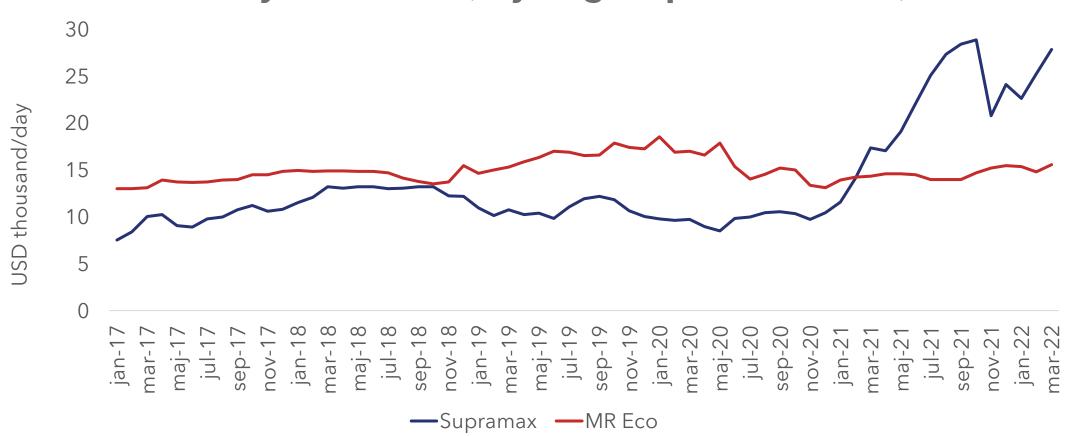




# 03. MARKETS DRY AND TANKER MARKET IN Q1 2022

### **Continuation of the strong market witnessed in 2021**

- Strong spot rates, indicating firm market above normal Q1 season
- Market inefficiencies and high congestion levels supporting rates
- Longer voyages after sanctions against Russia, yet commodity volumes not easily replaced
- 1-year T/C Supramax increased by 16% to USD 27,875/day
- Price of a 5-year old Supramax increased by 6% to USDm 31.7



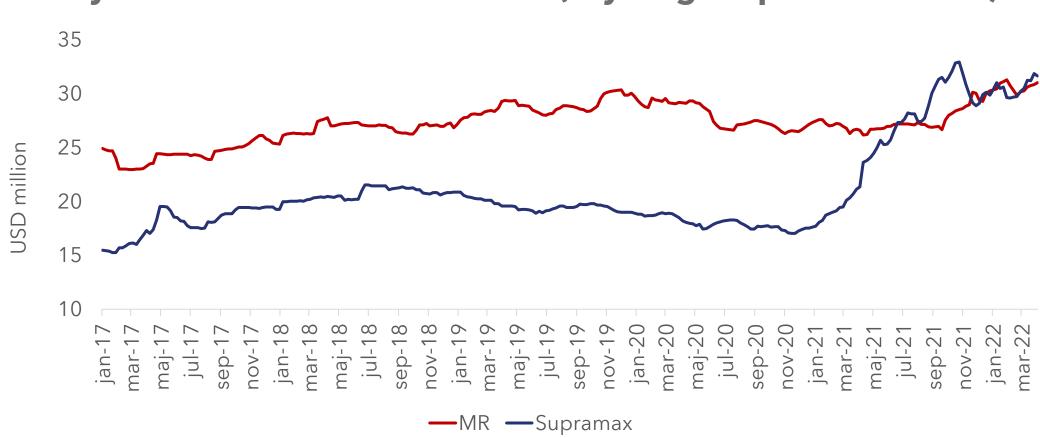
1-year T/C rate (dry cargo & product tanker)

Source: Clarksons

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### Tanker market improving strongly after weak Q1

- 1-year T/C MR eco rate remained around USD 15,600/day
- Price of a 5-year old MR increased by 2% to USDm 31
- At beginning of Q2, sanctions on Russia impacted trading patterns considerably
- Gasoil in high demand, driving up exports and longer distances



#### 5-year secondhand asset values (dry cargo & product tanker)

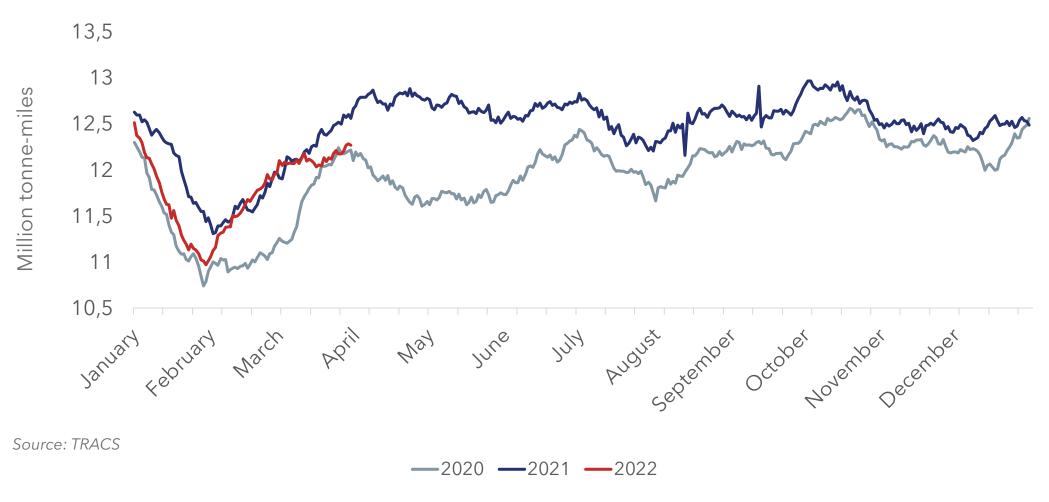
Source: VesselsValue



# 03. MARKETS **MARKET OUTLOOK IN DRY CARGO**

### Market in 2022 to remain above historical levels

- Market rates and prices expected slightly lower, but above historical average
- Long-term impact of Ukraine/Russia war expected to be marginally negative
- Effect of lost commodity volumes outweighs effect of longer distances
- Easening of congestion levels and lower global growth to loosen up market
- Chinese economy stimulus is key upside



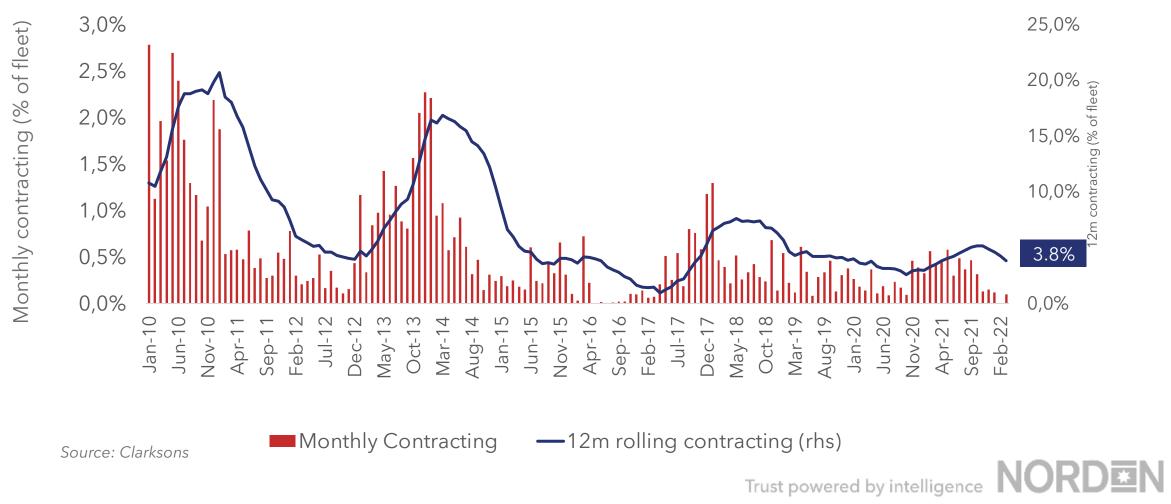
**Global volumes transported (30-day moving average)** 

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### Low supply growth limiting downside risk

- Low newbuilding contracting of 4% (rolling average)
- High steel prices supporting high asset prices
- Compounded by inflation in general
- Expected global fleet growth of 2-2.5% for both 2022-23



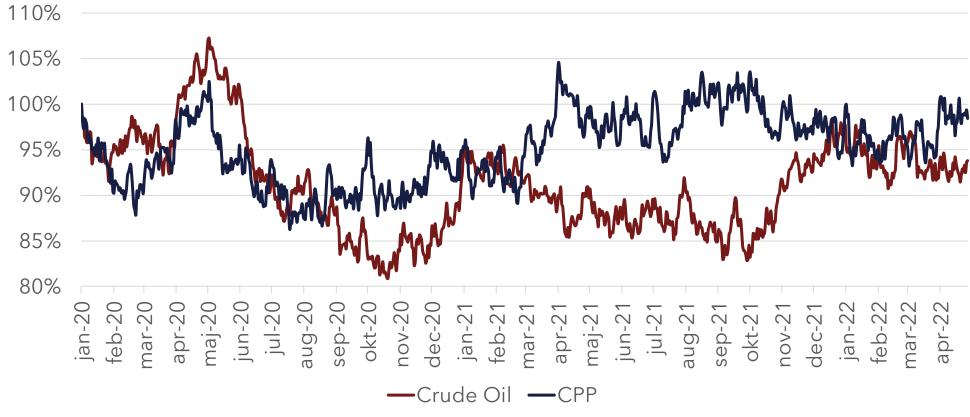
## Dry Cargo Y/Y Fleet Growth - Monthly contracting



# 03. MARKETS **MARKET OUTLOOK IN TANKER**

### Significantly improved spot market expected to continue

- After Q1, significant regional spikes in MR spot rates (USD +50,000 per day in US-Gulf, USD +30,000 per day in Asia Pacific)
- Tight oil market with low inventories small disruptions have big impact
- Strong demand for product tankers driven by dislocations and price arbitrage
- Rate volatility expected to remain high



#### **Clean products and crude oil in transit**

Source: Vortexa

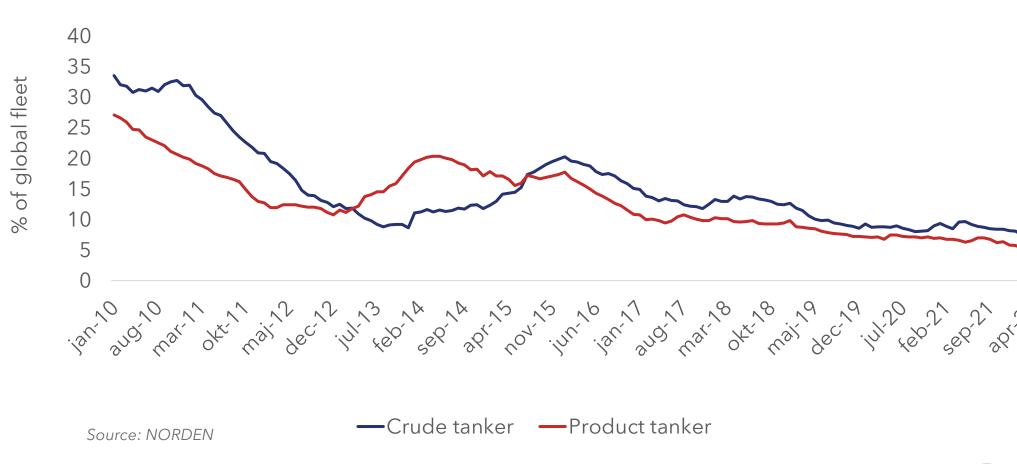
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#### Low fleet growth supports market

- Supply growth remains low, supported by increased vessel scrapping
- Compounded by increased steel prices and inflation in general
- Expected global fleet growth of 2% in 2022-23









# **04.** 2022 GUIDANCE AND SUM-UP





# **2022 GUIDANCE**

NORDEN guidance for FY 2022 profit for the year: USD 270 to 350 million (incl. sales gains of USD 28 million from already sold vessels)

- Dry cargo: Based on good positioning and active trading in a continued strong and volatile dry cargo market
- Product tanker: Substantial increases in product tanker market rates and strong regional positioning
- Distribution of earnings per quarter expected to be more front loaded than normal

# **Assets & Logistics**

- Expects much better earnings in 2022
- High coverage at attractive rates on the dry cargo fleet entered into during 2021
- Vessel sales gains expected based on strong dry cargo asset prices levels

Dividend policy: to pay out minimum 50% of the profit for the year

# **Freight Services & Trading**

- Expects a net result above combined operator result in 2021
- Margin per vessel day expected higher than 3-year average and in line with 2021 margin
- Continued 5-10% growth in activity levels
- Well positioned in strong and volatile dry cargo market
- Well positioned in significantly improved tanker market



# 04. FINAL WORDS GREAT START TO THE YEAR

- Great first quarter result of USD 117 million
- Strong performance in both business units
- Realising gains on strong dry cargo market
- Shifting exposure to a stronger product tanker market with favourable vessel positioning
- Guidance raised late April: Profit for the year of USD 270-350 million
- Well equipped to manage market volatility and uncertainty

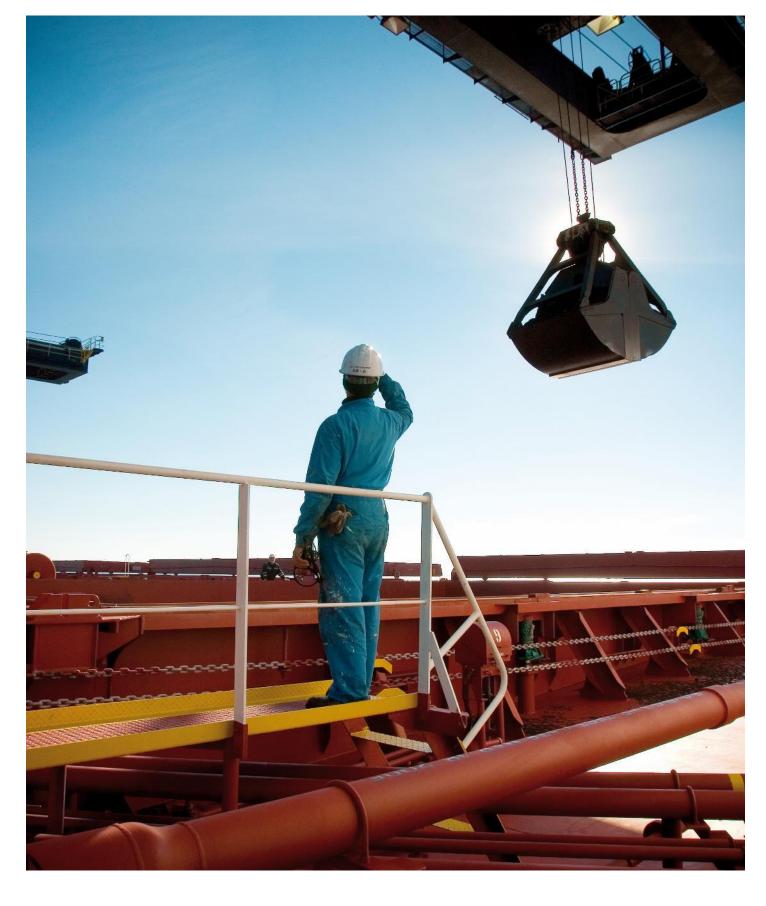


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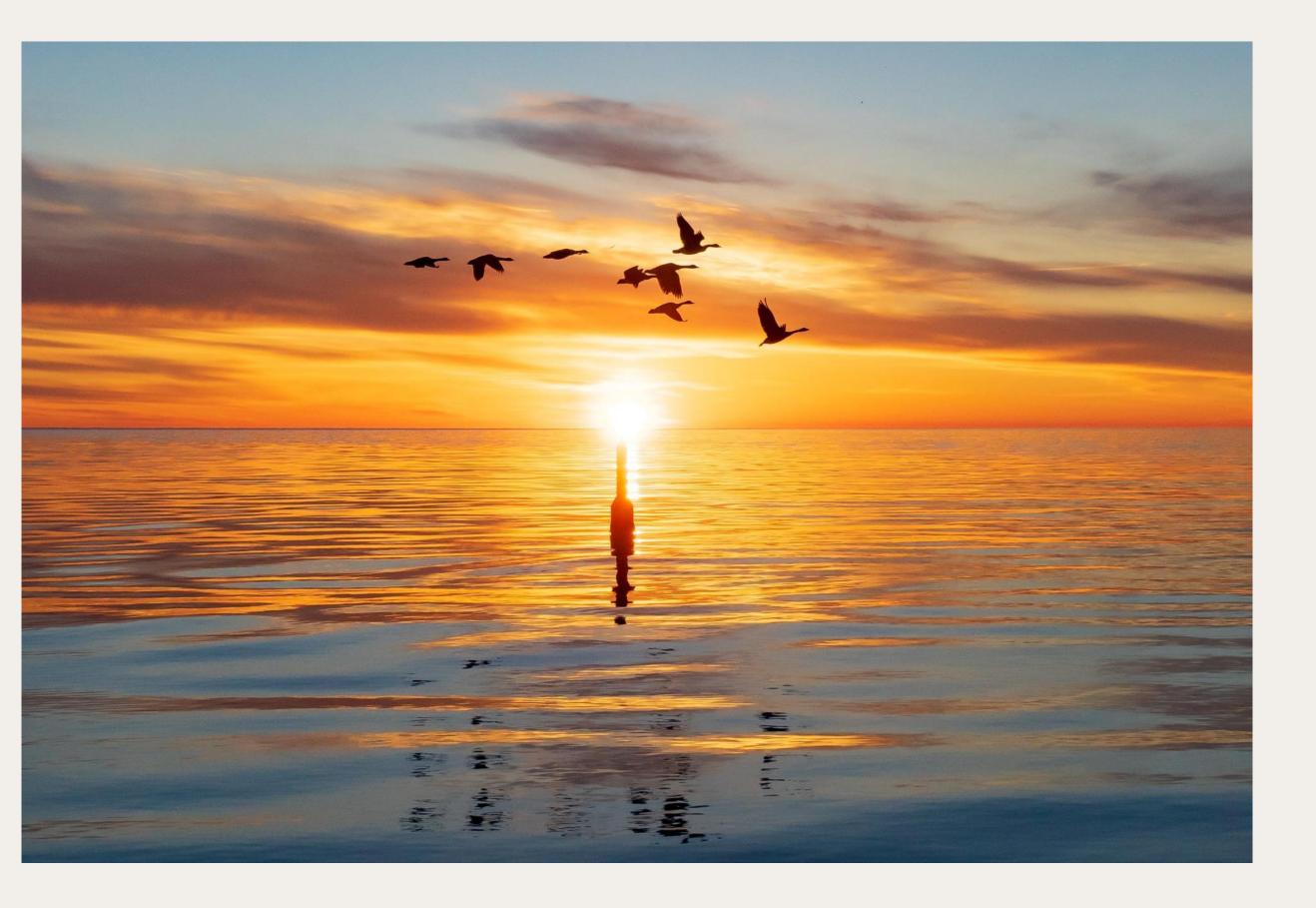


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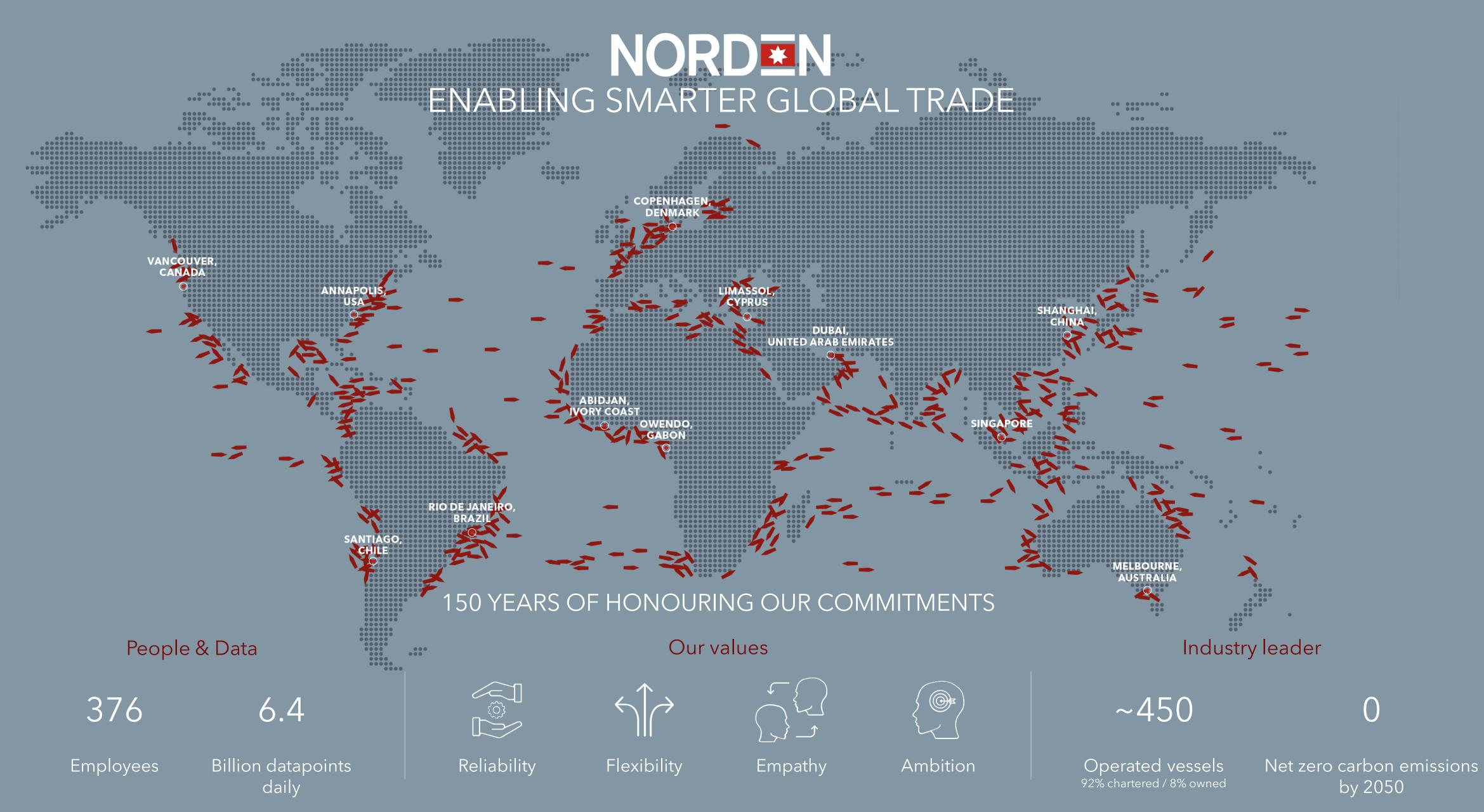


# APPENDIX - ABOUTNORDEN

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# Market trends: Increased focus on asset-light freight services and logistics

### Major trends affecting shipping





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# **NORDEN** strategy

Customer centric freight services across all continents

Optionality upside on leased vessels

Tradable assets and positions

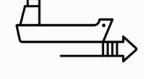
Data, analytics and risk management integrated in all business decisions

Partnerships to accelerate digital and green transformation

Frontrunners on decarbonisation

# NORD ENABLING SMARTER GLOBAL TRADE









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# Organisational structure: A customer, trading and data-driven NORDEN



# **ASSETS & LOGISTICS**

### Asset Management



Dry cargo vessels



vessels

- Asset trading of owned vessels
- Leased vessels with significant optionality upside
- High contract cover with visible and recurring earnings

### Logistics & Climate solutions





Decarbonisation

- Developing projects with selected customers
- Integrated port logistics and freight services
- Optimising customer supply chains

People & Culture

Data & Advanced analytics

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# FREIGHT SERVICES AND TRADING

# Asset-Light Freight Services





Foods & oils



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- Scalable platform highly responsive to customer needs and market changes
- Recurring earnings with protection against market downside and exceptional upside potential in strong markets
- Multiple trading and arbitrage strategies based on timing, geographies and vessel types



NORDEN Brand

Customer relationships & Global presence

Governance & Risk management



# NORDEN at a glance



Mads C. Holm founds NORDEN; first vessel delivered in 1872



NORDEN's first motor vessel, NORDBO is delivered



The first of 5 dry cargo vessels is delivered from Japan, and NORDEN enters what today is the core business of the Company.

# 1892:

Dampskibsselskabet NORDEN acquires a new domicile only a few hundred metres from the Royal place, at No. 49 Amaliegade





NORDEN's last steamship, NORDLYS is sold

1979:

The last liner-type vessel, NORDFARER, is sold





NORDEN moves into its new domicile Bryghuset.



2021:

NORDEN celebrates 150 years of sailing the seven seas.



NORDEN finalises its first sustainability strategy with focus on e.g. reducing CO2 emissions

# 2005:

NORDEN establishes Norient Product Pool with pool-partner Interorient Navigation Company Ltd., Cyprus.





NORDEN celebrates its first test voyage with a large oceanongoing vessel powered solely on CO2 neutral biofuel.



NORDEN launches its new climate strategy and commits to five climate initiatives to help its customers decarbonise their supply chains

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# Five external factors have driven NORDEN's climate strategy

# Climate crisis

- The world faces an urgent carbon problem
- 3% of carbon emissions are from shipping

# Customer demand

• Customers need help to decarbonise their supply chains

# Investor demand

• Investors seek out sustainable companies as being more successful

# New regulations

• An ambition to stay ahead of environmental regulations

# Employee demand

• Focus on attracting and retaining talents, who are driven by NORDEN's purpose

# Our ambition is to help our customers decarbonise their supply chains. To do this we will bring them accurate transparency on the carbon footprint of every freight transport, and we will work with our partners to co-create competitive greener shipping solutions



# Carbon emissions transparency

NORDEN provides a carbon emissions estimate prior to every journey, and a postvoyage emissions report. Transparency over emissions allows our customers to make decisions on freight transport based not just on price and date but on environmental impact too



# Greener shipping solutions

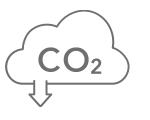
NORDEN is developing a number of greener shipping solutions for our customers. These range from using advanced analytics for increased vessel efficiency, to carbonneutral biofuel sailings

In the short-term, NORDEN is committed to reducing carbon from our operations below the Sea Cargo Charter reduction trajectory

Timeline \_

2021

2022



Reduction in CO2



Zero-emission vessels from 2030

NORDEN commits to only ordering new vessels with the latest zero-emission technology from 2030 at the latest, in order to meet our decarbonisation goal



Net-zero emissions by 2050

Achieving net-zero by 2050 requires a shift to new zero-carbon fuels and technologies in shipping. We are working with Maersk Mc-Kinney Møller Center for Zero Carbon Shipping, on developing these solutions

2021 - 2050

2025 - 2030

Before 2050

