



Norwegian Air Shuttle ASA Q4 2016 Presentation

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# Highlights Q4 2016



- → Final approval for NAI by the US Department of Transportation (DOT)
- → Reported EBITDA of NOK 673 million (-266)
- → Q4 load factor up 1 p.p. to 86 %
- → Added three new Boeing 737-800, one 787-9 Dreamliner and the first two Airbus 320neos
- → Started 15 new routes in Q4
- Norwegian.com voted best low-cost airline website at The World Travel Awards
- ➔ Norwegian Reward reached 5 million members

# Highlights FY 2016



- → Reported EBITDA of NOK 3.1 bn (1.5)
- → Full-year load factor up 2 p.p. to 88 %
- → Added 17 new 737-800, four 787-9 Dreamliners and two 320neos
- → 34 new routes, including nine new intercontinental routes
- → Launched new crew bases in Rome and Palma
- → Start-up of routes between several US cities and Paris
- → SkyTrax awards for World's Best Long Haul Low-Cost Airline (second time) and Europe's Best Low-Cost Airline (fourth year in a row)

## 7 million passengers in Q4 2016 (+17 %)



#### Q4 load factor of 86 % (85 %)



- → 27 % growth in capacity (ASK)
- → 28 % growth in traffic (RPK)
- → Average flying distance increased by 8 %



#### Market share up at all key airports



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#### More than 1 million new passengers in Spain

- → Over 3.6 million passengers in Spain (+1.1 million) in FY 2016
- → Strongest passenger growth in Spain, US and UK
- → 3 % passenger growth in Norway (adj. for the strike in 2015)



Growth in number of passengers in 2016 (%):



#### Split passengers by origin for 2016:

#### 15 % revenue growth in Q4



- → Key revenue drivers: More customers, new ancillary products and Reward
- → Q4 unit passenger revenue -13 % to 0.32 (-8 % in constant currency)
- → An average 18 % revenue growth over the last five years



## 20 % growth in total ancillary revenue in Q4



- → Per passenger sales increased by 2 % to NOK 129 in Q4
- → Seasonal variation
- → Full-year 2016 per passenger of NOK 134 (+5 %)



#### A total of 50 intercontinental routes in 2017

- → Adding USA Barcelona and Copenhagen San Francisco in 2017
- → More new routes to be announced and adding frequency to existing routes



# Scaling up the Dreamliner fleet to 32 by 2018

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		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
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Aircraft         3         7         8         12         21         32	<u></u>	2				21	22

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3 704

6 800

873

Seats

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10 584

## Key figures and estimated Dreamliner growth

Key figures Dreamliners							
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	2013	2014	2015	2016			
ASK (million)	1,571	8,087	10,388	14,681			
Load Factor	89 %	87 %	93 %	93 %			
Passengers	192,579	941,265	1,293,767	1,872,694			
Legs	769	3,683	4,799	6,668			
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		2016	2017P	2018P			
ASK		14,681	23,500	47,000			
growth		41 %	23,500 60 %	47,000 100 %			
Legs		41 % 6,668	10,400	19,500			
growth		39 %	10,400 60 %	100 %			
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## Adding 32 new aircraft in 2017



# Unit cost comparison based on the latest full-year results (in NOK)



Sources: Based on official full-year 2015 annual report for Norwegian Air Shuttle, Finnair, Vueling, SAS Group (31.10.2015), Easyjet (30.09.2015), and full-year 2015 report for Ryanair and WizzAir (31.03.2016). Eurowings figures are from the "Eurowings Management Presentation" 10.06.2016

• Cost per available seat kilometer is an industry-wide cost level indicator often referred to as "CASK". Usually represented as operating expenses before depreciation and amortization (EBITDA level) over produced seat kilometers (ASK)

. Foreign exchange rates used are equivalent to the daily average rates corresponding to the reporting periods and as stated by the Central Bank of Norway

and (hedges of operational expenses).

• Other losses / (gains) is not included in the CASK concept as it primarily contains hedge gains/losses offset under financial items\* as well as other non-operational income and/or cost items such as gains on the sale of spare part inventory and unrealized foreign currency effects on receivables/payables

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\*Norwegian hedges USD/NOK to counter foreign currency risk exposure on USD denominated borrowings translated to the prevailing currency rate at each balance sheet date. Hedge gains and losses are according to IFRS recognized under operating expenses (other losses/ (gains) while foreign currency gains and losses from translation of USD denominated borrowings are recognized under financial items.

<sup>•</sup> Note: For some carriers the available financial data represents Group level data which may include cost items from activities that are unrelated to airline operations

# Financials

# **EBITDA** improved to NOK 673 million in Q4

(NOK million)	Q4 16	Q4 15	Chg	2016	2015	Chg
Revenue	6,102	5,319	783	26,055	22,491	3,564
EBITDAR	1,357	295	1,062	5,958	3,694	2,264
EBITDA	673	(266)	940	3,116	1,481	1,635
Pre-tax profit (EBT)	300	(703)	1,003	1,508	75	1,433
Net profit	197	(373)	571	1,135	246	889





## Clean EBITDA\* increased to NOK 3.2 bn

NOK million	Q4 16	Q4 15	Chg	2016	2015	Chg
Revenue	6,102	5,319	783	26,055	22,491	3,563
EBITDA as reported	673	-266	940	3,116	1,481	1,635
Other losses/gains	852	-515	1,367	577	-474	1,051
EBITDA ex. other losses/gains	-179	249	-427	2,540	1,955	584
Non-recurring items:						
- industry action	-	-		-	-110	
- additional expense engine overhaul	-	-		-	-118	
<ul> <li>extra passenger compensation and refunds</li> </ul>	-	-		-192	-	
- writedown assets for sale, gain SLB	75	-60		104	-60	
- wetlease	-60	-		-529	-105	
Sum non-recurring items	15	-60		-617	-393	
Clean EBITDA	-194	309	-502	3,157	2,348	808
Margin clean EBITDA	-3.2 %	5.8 %		12.1 %	10.4 %	

#### Margin recovery following long haul build-up





#### Q4 unit cost cut by 2 % to NOK 0.42

- → 1 % lower unit cost in constant currency
- → Unit cost ex. fuel decreased 1 % to NOK 0.32 (flat in constant currency)



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#### Full-year unit cost cut by 3 % to NOK 0.41

- → 6 % lower unit cost in constant currency
- → Unit cost ex. fuel increased 2 % to NOK 0.32 (-1 % in constant currency)



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# Full impact of lower fuel cost



- → Stable personnel cost at 16 %
- → Fuel cost share reduced to 22 %
- → Status on fuel hedging:
  - → 52 % of 2017 at USD 494
  - → 14 % of 1H 2018 at USD 497



## NOK 3 bn cash-flow from operations in 2016

- → Invested NOK 6.5 bn in new aircraft of which NOK 3.2 bn financed by own cash
- → NOK 2.3 bn in cash at the end of Q4 (+NOK 0.7 bn in undrawn facility)

NOK million	Q4 16	Q4 15	Chg	2016	2015	Chg
Profit before tax	300	-703	1,003	1,508	75	1,433
Paid taxes	-	-	-	-29	-44	16
Depreciation	338	367	-29	1,296	1,133	163
Change air traffic settlement liabilities	-445	-186	-259	652	1,049	-397
Change working capital	13	245	-231	-381	143	-524
Net cash flows from operating activities	206	-278	483	3,047	2,357	690
Net cash flows from investing activities	-1,112	-657	-455	-6,512	-5,189	-1,323
Net cash flows from financial activities	981	1,081	-100	3,303	3,282	21
Foreign exchange effect on cash	16	11	5	33	-7	40
Net change in cash and cash equivalents	90	158	-67	-131	443	-574
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	2,324	2,454	-131	2,324	2,454	-131

# Equity improved by NOK 1.1 bn

- → Added 13 new 737-800 on balance the last 12 months + PDP's
- → NOK 21 bn net debt (from 17 bn in 2015)
- → 11 % equity ratio (9 %). 16 % when adding market value of Bank Norwegian (NOFI)



## **Balanced mix of funding**

- → 30 aircraft financed in US capital markets, 37 by export credits
- → 3.7 % average interest rate on longterm aircraft financing
- → 95 % of AC financing on fixed rates

Debt maturity profile:





#### Number of aircraft:

# aircraft	B737	B787	A320
Export credits	34	3	
EETC	10		
Private placement/banks	20		2
SLB	17		
Leasing	23	9	
Total	104	12	2

## **Financing on track**



#### → Expected capex (all aircraft incl. PDP)

- → USD 1.8 bn for 2017 (reduced from USD 2.1 bn)
- → USD 2.1 bn for 2018 (increased from USD 2.0 bn)

#### → PDP financing / liquidity

- → PDP financing for 50 320neos in place
- → New unsecured bond in January (SEK 800 million)
- → New credit facility (NOK 1 bn)

#### → Long-term financing

- ➔ Ex-Im and ECA guaranteed financing
- → EETC financing
- → Private placements
- → Sale leaseback (SLB)
- → Banks

# **Outlook for 2017**

#### Markets and business

- → Negative impact from passenger tax in Norway
- → Weaker demand in the UK post Brexit
- → Booking volumes on par with last year, capacity adjusted
- → An estimated production growth (ASK) of 30 % (unchanged)
  - → 737-800 / 737 MAX +20 %, 787 Dreamliners +60 %
  - → Increasing distance driven by mix
- → Unit cost target of NOK 0.39 to 0.40 (up from 0.38 to 0.39)
  - → Assumptions: Fuel price of USD 500 per metric ton, USD/NOK 8.25, EUR/NOK 9.00
  - → Impact of SLB (leasing is included in CASK) and ramp-up of intercontinental operations
  - → Based on the current route portfolio and planned production
- → 32 new aircraft entering operations in 2017
  - → 17 737-800 (returning four old leased aircraft)
  - → Six 737 MAX
  - → Nine 787-9 Dreamliners (incl. five leased)
- → Three 320neos to be leased out to HK Express (Seven neos delayed)

# Summary



- Strongest full-year result in the history of Norwegian
- → Building load factor
- > Continued passenger growth
- → Preparing for global expansion
- → Launch of new intercontinental routes with the 737 MAX in 2017
- ➔ Financing on track

#### Norwegian operates 471 routes to 130 destinations

