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Income statement, Novozymes A/S

DKK million	Note	2017	2016
Revenue	2.1	8,273	7,648
Cost of goods sold	2.2	(4,062)	(3,637)
Gross profit		4,211	4,011
Sales and distribution costs	2.2	(960)	(998)
Research and development costs	2.2	(1,433)	(1,451)
Administrative costs	2.2	(556)	(574)
Other operating income	2.3	1,516	1,600
Operating profit / EBIT		2,778	2,588
Income from investments in subsidiaries	3.3	963	969
Share of result in associates	3.3	(11)	(31)
Financial income	4.1	79	96
Financial costs	4.1	(191)	(62)
Profit before tax		3,618	3,560
Тах		(597)	(589)
Net profit		3,021	2,971
Proposed appropriation of net profit			
Dividend to shareholders		1,266	1,142
Revaluation reserve according to the equity method		952	938
Retained earnings		803	891
		3,021	2,971
Proposed dividend per share		DKK 4.50	DKK 4.00

Balance sheet, Novozymes A/S

Assets

DKK million	Note	Dec. 31, 2017	Dec. 31, 2016
Intangible assets	3.1	1,709	1,056
Property, plant and equipment	3.2	3,798	3,320
Investments in subsidiaries	3.3	7,321	7,924
Investments in associates	3.3	49	60
Other long-term receivables	3.4	2	4
Other financial assets		10	130
Receivables from Group enterprises	3.3	1,411	1,458
Financial fixed assets		8,793	9,576
Fixed assets		14,300	13,952
Raw materials and consumables		134	149
Work in progress		486	382
Finished goods		830	787
Inventories		1,450	1,318
Trade receivables		900	941
Receivables from Group enterprises		1,222	510
Tax receivables		25	92
Other receivables	3.4	90	117
Receivables		2,237	1,660
Cash at bank and in hand		130	429
Current assets		3,817	3,407
Assets		18,117	17,359

Liabilities and shareholders' equity

DKK million	Note	Dec. 31, 2017	Dec. 31, 2016
Common stock	5.6	610	620
Treasury stock		(4,698)	(4,355)
Revaluation reserve according to the equity method		92	1,073
Reserve for development costs		151	136
Retained earnings		13,250	12,534
Proposed dividend		1,216	1,142
Shareholders' equity		10,621	11,150
Deferred tax	3.5	235	367
Other provisions		8	29
Provisions		243	396
Credit institutions	4.2	1,312	1,727
Non-current liabilities		1,312	1,727
Credit institutions		968	119
Trade payables		670	546
Payables to Group enterprises		3,474	2,684
Other payables		829	737
Current liabilities		5,941	4,086
Liabilities		7,496	6,209
Liabilities and shareholders' equity		18,117	17,359

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Statement of shareholders' equity, Novozymes A/S

DKK million	Common stock	Treasury stock	Revaluation reserve according to the equity method	Reserve for development costs	Retained earnings	Proposed dividend	Total
Shareholders' equity at January 1, 2017	620	(4,355)	1,787	136	12,534	1,142	11,864
Adjustment to opening balance			(714)				(714)
Restated shareholders' equity at January 1, 2017	620	(4,355)	1,073	136	12,534	1,142	11,150
Net profit for the year			952		2,069		3,021
Capitalized development costs				15	(15)		-
Dividend received			(1,159)		1,159		-
Dividend paid						(1,239)	(1,239)
Dividend paid relating to treasury stock						47	47
Proposed dividend, gross					(1,318)	1,318	-
Proposed dividend relating to treasury stock					52	(52)	-
Purchase of treasury stock		(2,000)					(2,000)
Sale of treasury stock		179					179
Write-down of common stock	(10)	1,478			(1,468)		-
Currency translation adjustments of investments in subsidiaries, etc.			(769)		(163)		(932)
Value adjustment of derivatives			-		86		86
Other adjustments			(5)		314		309
Shareholders' equity at December 31, 2017	610	(4,698)	92	151	13,250	1,216	10,621

1 Accounting policies

The financial statements of Novozymes A/S have been prepared in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act (accounting class D). The accounting policies are unchanged from last year.

The accounting policies are the same as for the consolidated financial statements with the adjustments described below. For a description of the Group's accounting policies, please refer to the consolidated financial statements.

In 2017, an error in the elimination has been identified in the 2016 financial statements, which resulted in the Income from investments in subsidiaries being overstated by DKK 714 million. The error, which has been corrected, did not impact the consolidated statements of income, balance sheet or cash flow.

Recognition and measurement in general

Income is recognized in the income statement as it is earned. Value adjustments of financial assets and liabilities measured at fair value or amortized cost are also recognized in the income statement.

All costs incurred in generating the year's revenue are also recognized in the income statement, including depreciation, amortization and impairment losses.

Assets are recognized in the balance sheet when it is considered probable that future economic benefits will flow to the company and the value of the asset can be measured on a reliable basis. Liabilities are recognized in the balance sheet when they are considered probable and can be measured on a reliable basis. When first recognized, assets and liabilities are measured at cost. Thereafter assets and liabilities are measured as described below for each item.

The recognition and measurement principles take due account of predictable losses and risks occurring prior to the presentation of financial statements that confirm or refute the conditions prevailing on the reporting date.

Intangible assets

The accounting policies for intangible fixed assets follow those of the Group with the exception of goodwill, which is amortized over a period of 10-15 years. Goodwill amortized over more than 10 years is based on an individual assessment of the usefull lifetime. An amount equal to the total capitalized development costs after tax is recognized under Shareholders' equity in the Reserve for development costs.

Financial assets

Investments in subsidiaries and investments in associates are recognized initially at cost including transaction costs and measured subsequently using the equity method. The company's share of the equity of subsidiaries, based on the fair value of the identifiable net assets on the acquisition date, minus or plus unrealized intercompany profits or losses, with addition of any residual value of goodwill, is recognized under Investments in subsidiaries and Investments in associates respectively in the balance sheet. If the shareholders' equity of subsidiaries or associates is negative and Novozymes A/S has a legal or constructive obligation to cover the company's negative equity, a provision is recognized.

Net revaluation of investments in subsidiaries and associates is recognized under Shareholders' equity in the Revaluation reserve according to the equity method. The reserve is reduced by payments of dividends to the parent company and adjusted to reflect other changes in the equity of subsidiaries.

The proportionate share of the net profits of subsidiaries less goodwill amortization is recognized under Income from investments in subsidiaries in the income statement. Goodwill is amortized over a period of 10-15 years using the straight-line method.

Dividend

The dividend proposed for the financial year is shown as a separate item under Shareholders' equity.

2.1 Revenue

DKK million	2017	2016
Geographical distribution:		
Denmark	205	196
Rest of Europe, Middle East & Africa	4,939	4,660
North America	1,265	1,080
Asia Pacific	1,427	1,370
Latin America	437	342
Revenue	1/S 8,273	7,648

2.2 Employee costs

DKK million	2017	2016
Wages and salaries	1,593	1,639
Pensions - defined contribution plans	175	173
Other social security costs	21	25
Other employee costs	170	187
Employee costs	1,959	2,024
Average number of employees in Novozymes A/S	2,613	2,660

2.3 Other operating income

DKK million	2017	2016
Royalty income relating to subsidiaries	1,490	1,560
Other	26	40
Other operating income	1,516	1,600

3.1 Intangible assets

						2016
DKK million	Goodwill	Acquired patents, licenses and know-how, etc.	Completed IT development projects	IT development projects in progress	Total	Total
Cost at January 1	388	1,339	410	49	2,186	1,842
Additions during the year	509	262	10	82	863	364
Disposals during the year	-	(43)	(7)	-	(50)	(20)
Transfers to/(from) other items	-	-	70	(70)	-	-
Cost at December 31	897	1,558	483	61	2,999	2,186
Amortization and impairment losses at January 1	(93)	(752)	(285)		(1,130)	(1,007)
Amortization for the year	(31)	(80)	(72)		(183)	(143)
Impairment losses	-	(27)	-		(27)	-
Disposals during the year	-	43	7		50	20
Amortization and impairment losses at December 31	(124)	(816)	(350)	-	(1,290)	(1,130)
Carrying amount at December 31	B/S 773	742	133	61	1,709	1,056

Impairment

In 2017, an impairment loss of DKK 27 million on abandoned patents was recognized and included in Cost of goods sold and Research

and development costs with DKK 15 million and DKK 12 million respectively (2016: no impairment losses on intangible assets).

3.2 Property, plant and equipment

					2016	
DKK million	Land and buildings	Production equipment and machinery	Other equipment	Property, plant and equipment under construction	Total	Total
Cost at January 1	2,474	4,428	862	508	8,272	7,604
Additions during the year	14	87	39	634	774	672
Disposals during the year	-	(18)	(27)	-	(45)	(4)
Transfers to/(from) other items	2	84	14	(100)	-	-
Cost at December 31	2,490	4,581	888	1,042	9,001	8,272
Depreciation and impairment losses at January 1	(1,217)	(3,098)	(637)		(4,952)	(4,720)
Depreciation for the year	(91)	(152)	(51)		(294)	(234)
Disposals during the year	-	17	26		43	2
Depreciation and impairment losses at December 31	(1,308)	(3,233)	(662)	-	(5,203)	(4,952)
Carrying amount at December 31	B/S 1,182	1,348	226	1,042	3,798	3,320

Capitalized interest

Interest of DKK 6 million (2016: DKK 4 million) has been capitalized under Additions during the year above and under Investing activities in the statement of cash flows. Capitalization rate: 1.62% (2016: 1.78%).

Land and buildings with a carrying amount of DKK 377 million (2016: DKK 397 million) have been pledged as security to credit institutions. The mortgage loan expires in 2029.

3.3 Financial fixed assets

DKK million	Investments in subsidiaries	Investments in associates	Receivables from Group companies	Total
Cost at January 1, 2017	6,783	128	1,458	8,369
Additions during the year	367	-	127	494
Disposals during the year	-	-	(174)	(174)
Cost at December 31, 2017	7,150	128	1,411	8,689
Revaluation reserve at January 1, 2017	1,855	(68)		1,787
Adjustment to opening balance	(714)			(714)
Restated revaluation reserve at January 1, 2017	1,141	(68)		1,073
Share of net profit/(loss)	1,719	(11)		1,708
Elimination of profit on internal asset transfers	(756)	-		(756)
Dividends received	(1,159)	-		(1,159)
Currency translation adjustment	(769)	-		(769)
Other adjustments	(5)	-		(5)
Revaluation reserve at December 31, 2017	171	(79)		92
Carrying amount at December 31, 2017	B/S 7,321	49	1,411	8,781

Reference is made to Note 6.8 to the consolidated financial statements concerning investments in subsidiaries.

Reference is made to Note 3.4 to the consolidated financial statements concerning joint operations and associates.

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3.4 Other receivables

DKK million		2017	2016
Prepaid expenses		40	63
Derivatives		16	5
Other receivables		36	53
Other receivables at December 31		92	121
Recognized in the balance sheet as follows:			
Non-current	B/S	2	4
Current	B/S	90	117
Other receivables at December 31		92	121

3.5 Deferred tax

DKK million	2017	2016
Deferred tax at January 1	367	207
Adjustment for previous years	(24)	21
Tax related to the income statement	(9)	57
Tax on shareholders' equity items	(99)	82
Deferred tax at December 31	235	367

4.1 Financial income and costs

DKK million	2017	2016
Interest income relating to subsidiaries	67	69
Interest costs relating to subsidiaries	(12)	(11)

In 2017, the financial asset related to the partnership with Beta Renewables S.p.A. has been fully written down. This relates to a guarantee provided by M&G, because 2G projects have not commercialized as

expected in Beta Renewables S.p.A. The write-down is a consequence of M&G experiencing financial difficulties. The write-down of DKK 120 million is included in Financial costs.

4.2 Credit institutions

DKK million	2017	2016
Long-term debt to credit institutions falling due after 5 years	428	527

4.3 Proposed appropriation of net profit

DKK million	2017	2016
Proposed appropriation of net profit		
Dividend to shareholders	1,266	1,142
Revaluation reserve according to the equity method	952	938
Retained earnings	803	891
Net profit	3,021	2,971

5.1 Contingent liabilities and pending litigation

Rental and leasing commitments related to noncancelable operating lease contracts expire within the following periods from the reporting date:

DKK million	2017	2016
Recognized in the income statement in respect of rentals	56	61
Rental commitments expiring within the following periods from the reporting date:		
Less than 1 year	59	47
Between 1 and 2 years	19	34
Between 2 and 3 years	13	16
Between 3 and 4 years	5	8
Between 4 and 5 years	4	3
More than 5 years	7	9
Contingent liabilities at December 31	107	117
Other contingent liabilities		
Contractual obligations to third parties relating to property, plant and equipment	544	833
Other guarantees and commitments to related companies	2,140	2,203
Other guarantees and commitments to third parties	97	58

Pending litigation and arbitration

Reference is made to Note 6.3 to the consolidated financial statements concerning pending cases.

5.2 Related party transactions

Transactions

DKK million 2017 2016 The Novo Nordisk Group Sales 162 149 Purchases (131)(152)The NNIT Group (34)Purchases (41)The Chr. Hansen Group Sales 33 22

Outstanding balances

DKK million	2017	2016
The Novo Nordisk Group		
Receivables	13	23
Payables	(66)	(73)
The NNIT Group Payables	(4)	(9)
The Chr. Group Receivables	4	3

Reference is made to Note 6.4 to the consolidated financial statements concerning other transactions with related parties.

5.3 Fees to statutory auditor

DKK million	2017	2016
Statutory audit	4	4
Other assurance engagements	-	-
Tax advisory services	2	2
Other services	1	-
Fees to statutory auditor	7	6

Reference is made to Note 6.5 to the consolidated financial statements concerning fees to statutory auditor.

5.4 Statement of cash flows

Reference is made to the Consolidated statement of cash flows.

5.5 Segment information

Reference is made to Note 2.1 to the consolidated financial statements concerning segment information.

5.6 Common stock and treasury stock

Reference is made to Note 5.5 to the consolidated financial statements concerning common stock and treasury stock.

5.7 Derivatives

Reference is made to Note 5.4 to the consolidated financial statements concerning

derivatives as figures and information in Novozymes A/S are identical.

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