# NORDIC WATERPROOFING

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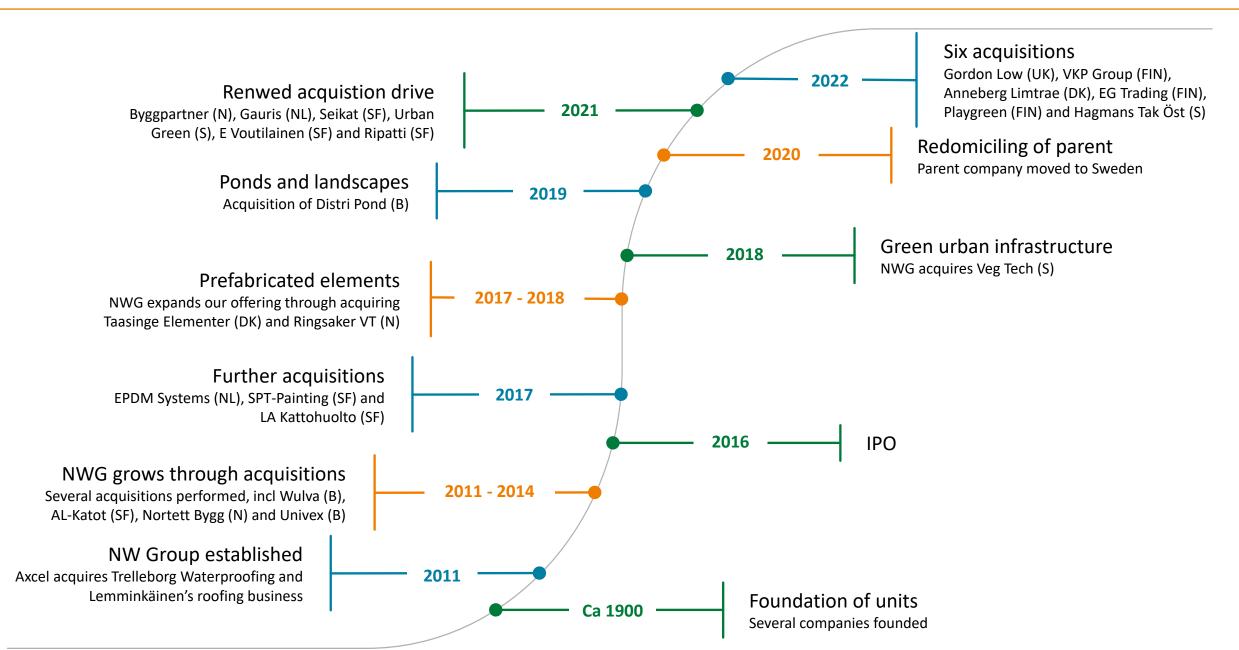
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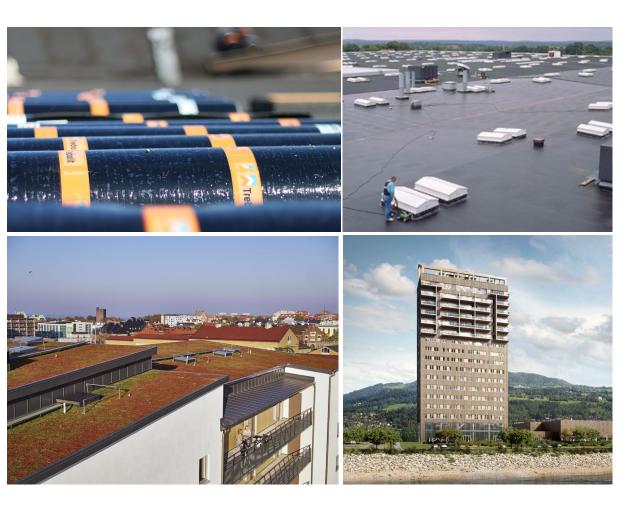


# NORDIC WATERPROOFING Our story



# **Our products**

### Wide range of application areas



- Waterproofing material, membranes based on bitumen or EPDM
- Pre-fabricated roof and facade elements
- Green infrastructure (green roofs, public areas landscaping)
- Metallic facades and eaves



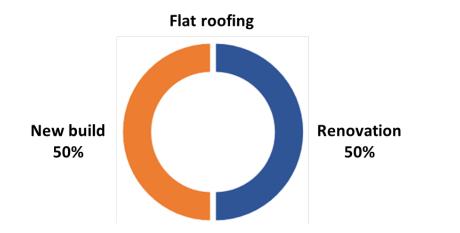
# Our services – installation, contracting and maintenance

- Waterproofing material
- Pre-fabricated roof and facade elements
- Flooring
- Green infrastructure
- Metallic facades and eaves
- Solar panels





### Low exposure to cyclicality, even distribution between new build and renovation gives low fluctuations



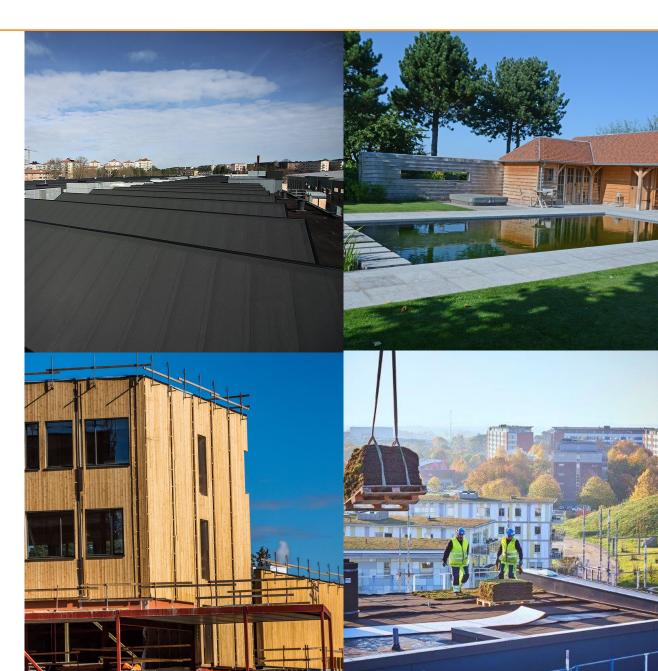
### **Our footprint**



Our focus is on Northern Europe with generally stable demand levels

# Our business case is built on sustainability

- Durability of our materials (50+ years)
- Improved CO<sub>2</sub>-balance with wood-based solutions
- Biodiversity through green infrastructure
- Clean energy solutions: solar panels



### NORDIC WATERPROOFING

### **Acquisition strategy**

- Focus on sustainable solutions
- Enhance our product and service offering
- Added value through downstream integration

### Renewed acquisition drive in 2021 and 2022

- Waterproofing contracting (Norway, Finland and Sweden)
- Ponds and landscaping (Netherlands and UK)
- Prefabricated wooden elements (Finland) and glulam manufacturing (Denmark)
- Urban green landscaping (Sweden and Finland)
- Solar panel installation (Finland)
- Rounding out the product portfolio (2x Finland, 1x Denmark)

### Sustained growth since the IPO (2016)

- 25+ acquisitions since IPO ۲
- Turnover more than doubled

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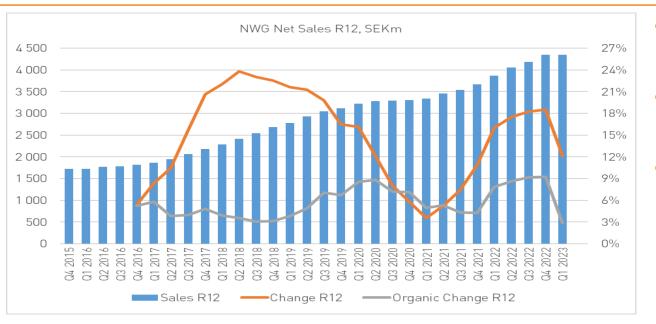






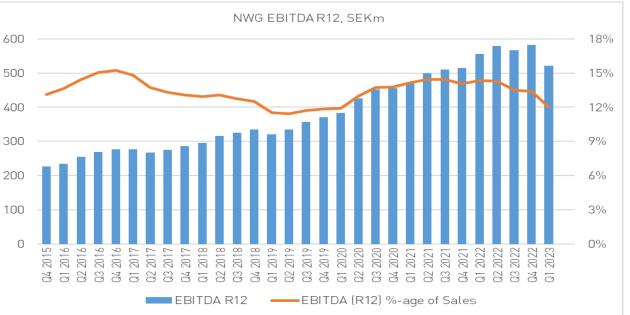


# NWG financial development



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- Sales on a R12-basis constantly growing since IPO in 2016, doubled in five years
- Organic development in the period 3 9%, recent quarters driven by price increases
- Growth further fuelled by acquisitions

- EBITDA follows pattern from sales, growing and doubled in five years after IPO
- EBITDA margin fairly stable, varies between 11,4% 15,2% in the period with an average of 13,4%



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# **Drop versus strong Q1 2022**

- Net sales flat at SEK 911 m (912)
  - -10% organic growth, whereof volume -20% and price 9%
  - 7% from acquisitions
  - 3% from currency effects
- EBITDA decreased to SEK 30 m (91)
- Operating profit (EBIT) decreased to SEK -11 m (56)
- Adjusted EBIT, excluding impact from two terminated operations, SEK 7 m
- Cash flow from operating activities was SEK -58 m (-15).
- Earnings per share SEK -0.83 (1.64)



# Q1 Highlights and comments 1 (2)

- **Demand** impacted by slowdown in residential new build, with renovation remaining stable. Weaker demand from residential new build expected to continue.
- Bitumen-based waterproofing operations negatively affected by harsh weather conditions. In Q1 '22 some positive impact from hoarding ahead of price increases in April
- Weaker sales for our EPDM products driven by increased competition at lower prices
- Prefabricated elements slightly down in sales, reducing in Denmark and Finland while increasing in Norway.
- Our Green infrastructure had a very strong development in a seasonally low quarter.
- Order books for Installation Services continues to be on a good level





# Q1 Highlights and comments 2 (2)

- The negative development in gross profit and operating profit is mainly explained by:
  - the harsh weather conditions in the quarter for our bitumen-based waterproofing businesses.
  - lower volumes and decreasing margins for our synthetic rubber waterproofing and prefabricated wooden element businesses
  - the SEK -18 m impact from the two entities terminated in the quarter
- Contingency measures are being implemented in our operations to mitigate the consequences of the negative development.
- A weaker cash flow from operations in quarter, driven by the lower operating profit.
- We have seen continued slightly deflated costs for our input materials.
- In a higher interest environment, we have sharpened the focus on our debt level, and adjusted multiples we are prepared to pay for acquisitions.



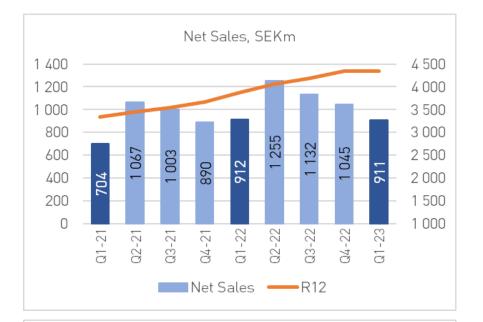
# Q1 interim report

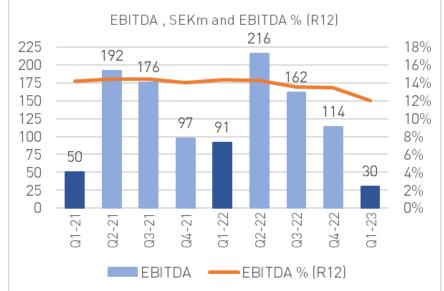
### Net sales flat at SEK 911 m (912)

- Organic development of -10%, positive impact from price increases of 9% while volume -20%
- Acquisitions contributed with 7%
- Currency had an impact of 3%

### EBITDA decreased to SEK 30 m (91) and Operating profit (EBIT) decreased to SEK -11 m (56)

- EBITDA margin decreased to 3.3 percent (10.0) in the first quarter.
- Gross margin and EBITDA explained by
  - the harsh weather conditions in the quarter for our bitumen-based waterproofing businesses
  - lower volumes and decreasing margins for our synthetic rubber waterproofing and prefabricated wooden element businesses
  - the SEK -18 m impact from the termination of two entities





# Q1 EBIT history

### EBIT of SEK -11 m (56)

- Adjusted EBIT SEK 7 m, after excluding impact from two entities terminated in the quarter
- Comparables for Q1 2022 exceptionally strong
- Adjusted Q1 EBIT similar to most previous years



### **Income statement**

SEKm	Q1-'23	Q1-'22	Change, %	Full-year 2022	Full-year 2021
Net sales	911	912	0%	4,343	3,664
Gross profit	201	237	-15%	1,184	1,041
EBITDA	30	91	-67%	583	515
Operating profit (EBIT)	-11	56	-119%	430	382
Net finance items	-13	-4	n/a	-18	-47
Profit/loss before tax	-25	52	-148%	413	335
Тах	3	-13	n/a	-82	-78
Profit/loss for the period	-22	39	-158%	330	256

- Gross margin for quarter was 22.1% (26.0%)
- EBIT margin for quarter was -1.3% (6.1%), for LTM 8.4%
- Increased interest rates had a negative impact on net financial items

## **Balance sheet**

SEKm	2023-03-31	2022-03-31	2022-12-31
Non-current assets	2,142	1,841	2,103
Current assets	1,594	1,514	1,621
Total assets	3,736	3,354	3,724
Equity	1,732	1,514	1,754
Non-current liabilities	1,079	1,015	1,070
Current liabilities	925	824	900
Total equity and liabilities	3,736	3,354	3,724
Capital employed	2,850	2,424	2,859
ROCE (R12)	13.1%	16.1%	16.1%
Interest-bearing net debt	997	762	844
Equity/assets ratio	46.4%	45.1%	47.1%
Net debt/equity ratio	0.6x	0.5x	0.5x
Net debt/EBITDA	2.0x	1.6x	1.6x

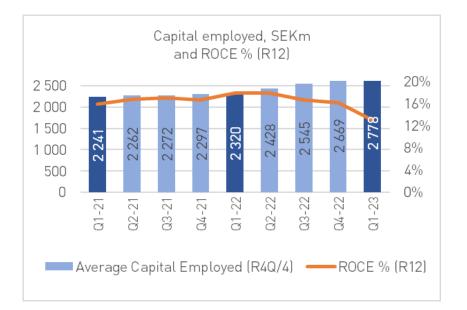
- Continued strong balance sheet
- Net debt/EBITDA-ratio at 2.0x (1.6x), remains well below covenants for financing agreement.
- Interest-bearing net debt increased in the quarter to SEK 997 m (844).

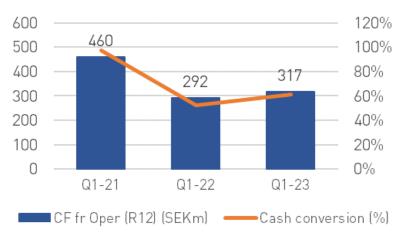
### RoCE 13.1% (16.6%)

- RoCE above threshold of 13%
- Increase in capital employed from higher cost and prices, acquisitions contributing
- Decrease in RoCE driven by lower operating result

# Cash flow from Operations (R12) increased to SEK 317 m (292) and Cash conversion increased to 61% (52%)

- Improved cash flow and cash conversion from improved changes in working capital
- Going forward we continue to focus on inventory reduction and operating receivables





# **Products & Solutions**

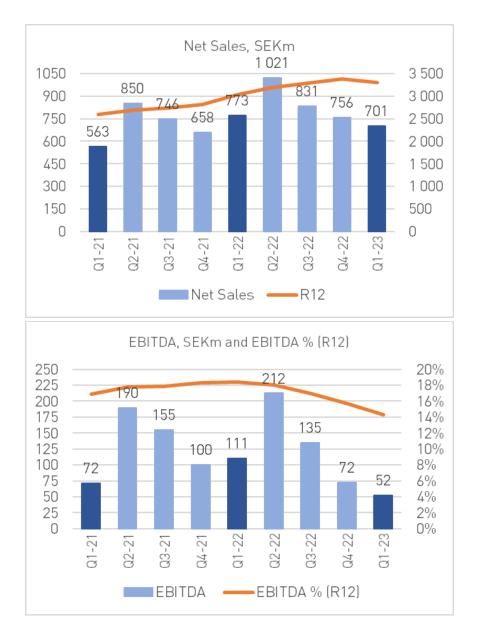
### Net sales of SEK 701 m (773) down 9%

- Organic development was -14% (whereof price 8% and volume -22%), acquisitions contributed with 2% and the impact from currency was +2% in the quarter
  - Finland: flat, organic development -10%
  - Denmark -13%, organic development -21%
  - Sweden +5%
  - Norway +4%: organic growth with 9%
- Net Sales R12 at SEK 3,309 M

### EBITDA decreased to SEK 52 m (111) while Operating profit (EBIT) decreased to SEK 22 m (83)

- EBITDA margin decreased to 7.5 percent (14.3) in the first quarter. For the latest 12 months the margin is 14.3% (18.4).
- Decrease in EBITDA mainly explained by some areas not matching the high volumes and margins they had previous year, lower volumes and margins for prefabricated elements and synthetic rubber membranes and harsh weather conditions in the quarter.

The impact in the quarter from terminated operations was SEK -12 m.



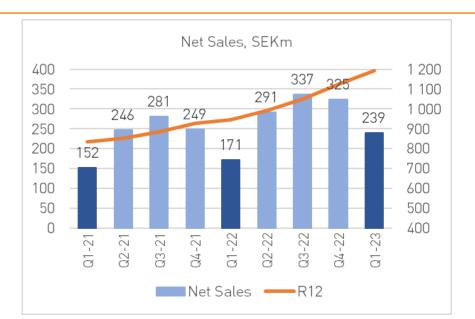
# **Installation Services**

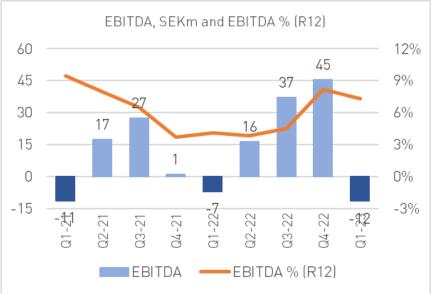
### Net sales of SEK 239 m (171) increase by 40%

- Organic development of +6%, whereof price impact +12% and volume -6%
- Impact from acquisitions +30% and currency effects +5%.

### EBITDA decreased to SEK -12 m (-7) while Operating profit (EBIT) decreased to SEK -22 m (-15)

- EBITDA margin decreased to -4.8 percent (-4.2) in the first quarter. For the latest 12 months the margin is 7.3% (4.1).
- Seasonal impact from harsh weather conditions having a somewhat negative impact in Finland and Norway, increase in share of profit from associated companies in Denmark in spite of weather conditions.
- The impact in the quarter from terminated operations was SEK -7 m.





Note: both EBITDA and EBITDA % include the share of profit in associated companies in Denmark

# **Financial targets**

#### Sales growth **Profitability Capital structure** NWG's goal is to exceed the NWG's goal is to generate a Net interest-bearing debt in growth in the Group's relation to EBITDA shall not return on capital employed current markets through (ROCE) exceeding 13 percent exceed 3 times at year-end organic growth. for the financial year In addition, the Group expects to grow through selective acquisitions.

### **Dividend policy**

NWG' aims to distribute an annual dividend of more that 50 percent of its net profit. The pay out decision will be based on the Group's financial position, investment needs, liquidity position as well as general economic and business conditions.

# Questions

Palle Schrewelius, CFO & IR

Further information:

- 20 July 2023; Interim report January June 2023
- 26 October 2023; Interim report January September 2023







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## Shareholders as per 31 March 2023

Number of		
shares	Capital, %	Votes, %
5,805,641	24.1%	24.3%
1,807,877	7.5%	7.6%
1,350,000	5.6%	5.6%
1,000,447	4.2%	4.2%
991,238	4.1%	4.1%
930,773	3.9%	3.9%
713,200	3.0%	3.0%
685,407	2.8%	2.9%
644,059	2.7%	2.7%
527,668	2.2%	2.2%
14,456,310	60.0%	60.5%
9,450,727	39.2%	39.5%
23,907,037	99.3%	100.0%
176,898	0.7%	n/a
24,083,935	100.0%	n/a
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Source: Monitor by Modular Finance AB. Compiled and processed data from various sources, including Euroclear, Morningstar and the Swedish Financial Supervisory Authority. Holdings with depositories are reported as "other shareholders".

# **Share details**

Ticker symbol NWG **ISIN** code SE0014731089 **Construction & Materials** Sector Number of shares of SEK 1.00 24,083,935 Treasury shares 176,898 Voting & ownership restrictions None Current market cap SEK 3,700 million (24 April 2023) Palle Schrewelius, CFO & investor relations Contact +46 707 82 79 58 per-olof.schrewelius@nordicwaterproofing.com



### **Experienced board of directors**



Mats O. Paulsson Chairman

Relevant experience: Chairman of the board of Caverion, Nordisk Bergteknik and Svevia. Board member of BE Group.

Previously board member of Acandao, Paroc, Ramirent, BTH Bygg, KEWAB, AKEAB, Mark & Energi byggarna and WinGroup. CEO of Bravida, Strabag, PEAB Industri. (15,000 shares)



Hannele Arvonen Board member

Relevant experience: CEO and partner of Flooré AB, board member of Södra Skogsägarna Previously CEO of Sveaskog and Setra Group, different senior executive positions within Holmen and Metsä Board. (0 shares)



Steffen Baungaard Board member

Relevant experience: Board member of Arkil Holding, Carl Ras and M.B. Packaging. Previously CEO and President of Hus-Compagniet. (0 shares)



Riitta Palomäki Board member

Relevant experience: Member of the supervisory committee and deputy chair of the audit committee at OP Cooperative. Previously member of the board of directors, chair of the audit committee and member of the remuneration committee at HKScan Oyj, and CFO of Uponor. (5,000 shares)



Hannu Saastamoinen Board member

Relevant experience: CEO of the indoor climate group Swegon, a wholly owned subsidiary of the listed Swedish investment company Investment AB Latour. External board positions in VEHO Group, Rototec Oy, MTC Flextek Oy. Previously Senior positions

in, among others, Munters, Huurre Group, TAC Svenska, Carrier Refigeration and Electrolux (0 shares)



### **Experienced management team**



#### Martin Ellis, CEO

Joined NWG in 2011 Previous experience: CEO of NWG 2011-2012 and Chairman 2011-2015. 30 years experience as CEO and other leading positions including Icopal and Saint Gobain (187,936 shares)



### Esa Mäki, Head of NW Finland

Joined NWG in 2017 Previous experience: CEO of Nesco Group and various managerial positions of Icopal Finland and other companies in the building material industry. (20,017 shares)



\* Including related parties

#### Martin Tholstrup, Head of Taasinge Elementer

Joined NWG in 2017 Previous experience: 20 years of experience from development, sales and prefabrication within the construction industry (17,926 shares\*)



### Paul Erik Rask, Joined NWG in 2 Previous experie leading position including Trellet (13,137 shares)



#### among others, Alligator Bioscience AB, the Getinge group and the Sandvik group (11,000 shares)

P-O Schrewelius, CFO & Investor Relations

Previous experience: Different CFO and Finance Manager positions in various industries at,

Joined NWG in 2020

Paul Erik Rask, Head of NW Denmark Joined NWG in 1992 Previous experience: 30 years of experience of leading positions and sales and marketing including Trelleborg Phønix A/S

Thomas Zipfel, Head of SealEco Joined NWG in 2009 Previous experience: 20 years of experience of managing positions including Trelleborg Waterproofing Polymeric Membranes (14,439 shares)



#### Mats Lindborg, Head of NW Sweden and Norway Joined NWG in 1986 Previous experience: 30 years of experience of

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Previous experience: 30 years of experience of sales and marketing including Trelleborg Waterproofing (20,433 shares)

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