

### Quarterly Report

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Second quarter 2022 Posten Norge

# 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter and 1<sup>st</sup> half-year 2022

Part 1 - Highlights and financial development

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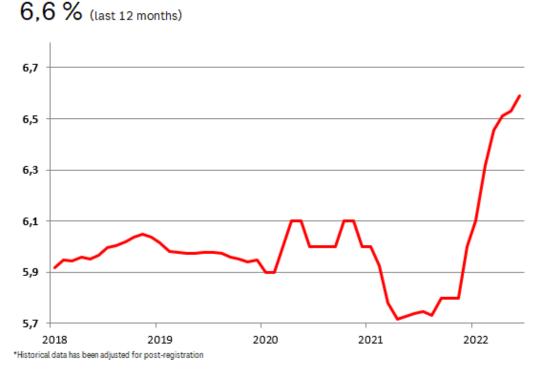
### Highlights

- Good adjusted operating result
- Growth in parcel volumes within declining e-commerce market
- Record-high transport and energy prices
- Continued volume fall in addressed mail
- Good delivery quality
- Christmas movie "When Harry met Santa" awarded **the world's best** advertising film
- New venture investments in circular economy
- Posten climate winner among Norwegian companies in PwC's climate index and included in Financial Times' report on "Europe's Climate Leaders"





# HSE 1<sup>st</sup> half year 2022: High Corona-related absence due to sickness, positive trend in injuries

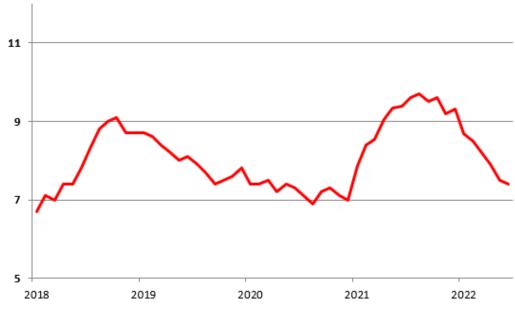


ABSENCE DUE TO SICKNESS IN THE GROUP, %

• Absence due to sickness in the last 12 months was 6,6 %, 0,5 % higher than at year-end. The number of sick days related to Corona increased considerably towards the end of 2021 and into the 1<sup>st</sup> half-year 2022.







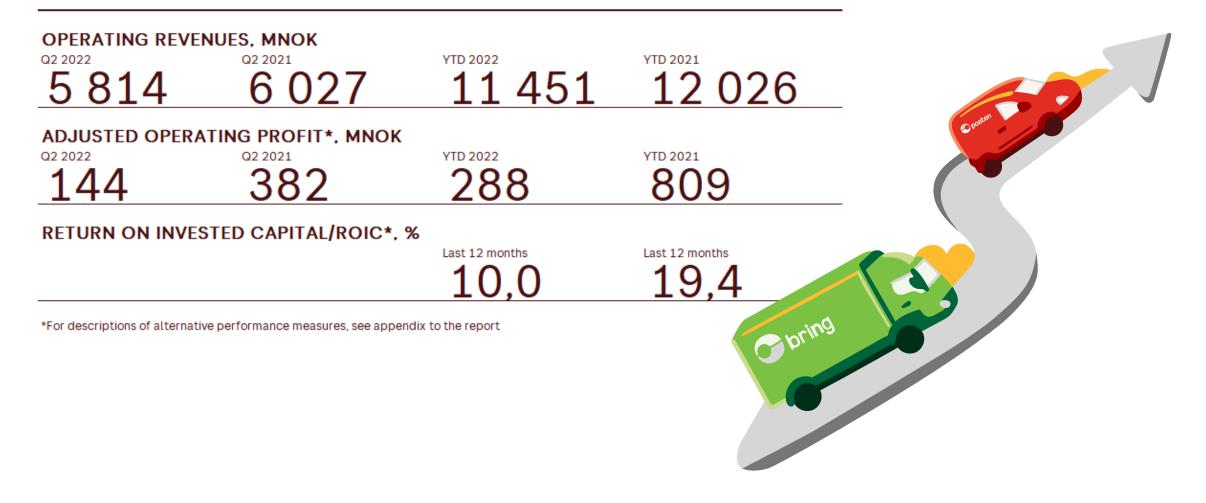
\*Historical data has been adjusted for post-registration

• The total number of injuries per million worked hours (H2) in the last 12 months was 7,4, a reduction of 1,9 from year-end. Measures have shown results, and the positive trend continued in the 1<sup>st</sup> half-year 2022.

Our goal is a health-promoting working environment where nobody gets injured or sick as a consequence of their work in the Group. Efforts to improve the development through goal-oriented measures continue.



# Financial highlights – 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter 2022 and 1<sup>st</sup> half-year 2022





#### **Revenue and adjusted operating profit - 1<sup>st</sup> half-year 2022**

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1 600

1 400

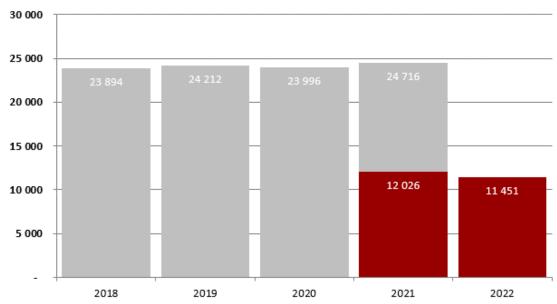
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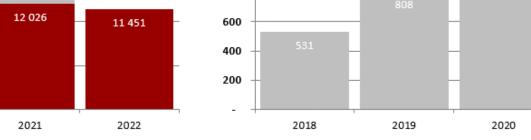
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Adjusted operating profit, MNOK





- Organic growth was 4,5 % in the 1<sup>st</sup> half-year 2022
- Organic growth of 9,1 % in the Logistics segment. Reduced turnover compared with last year due to the sale of Frigoscandia
- Reduced turnover in the Mail segment due to continued fall in volumes
- Adjusted operating profit in the 1<sup>st</sup> half-year 2022 was MNOK 288, a reduction of MNOK 521 compared with last year's record year

809

2021

288

2022

- Reduced result in the Logistics segment was a consequence of a declining e-commerce market, record-high transport and energy prices in addition to high Corona-related absence due to sickness
- Lower result in the Mail segment due to continued fall in volumes



#### **Results 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter and 1<sup>st</sup> half-year 2022**

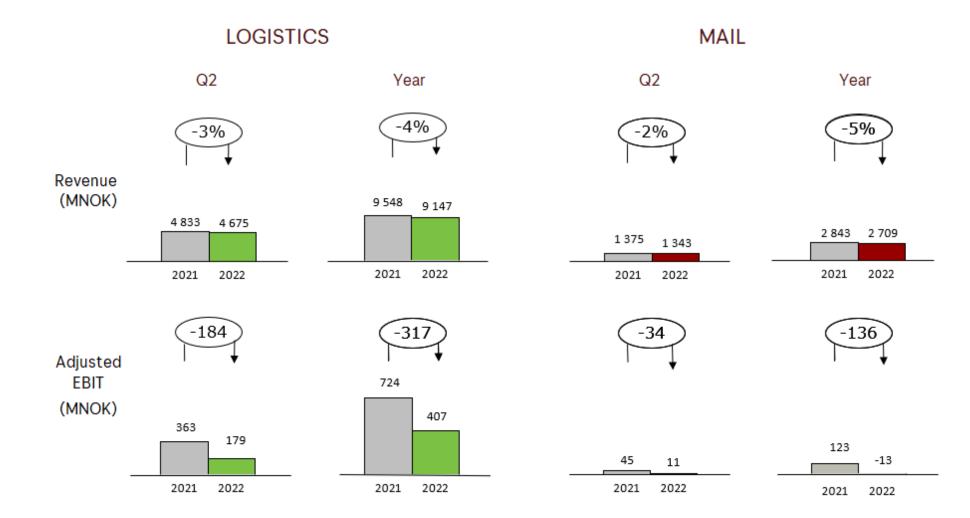
#### Profit development (unaudited)

Q2	Q2		YTD	YTD	Year
2022	2021		2022	2021	2021
5814	6 027	Revenue	11 451	12 026	24 716
479	686	EBITDA	952	1 4 1 4	2 765
144	382	Adjusted operating profit	288	809	1 525
(161)	392	Operating profit (EBIT)	(55)	820	1 462
(110)	(32)	Net financial items	(144)	(25)	(109)
(271)	361	Profit before tax	(198)	795	1 352
(203)	269	Profit after tax	(147)	621	1 058

For descriptions of alternative performance measures, see appendix to the report



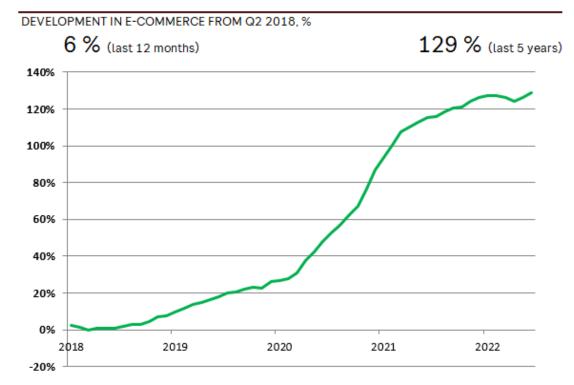
#### **Segment reporting**





#### Segment Logistics: Growth in a challenging e-commerce market

- Market growth for e-commerce has declined in the 1<sup>st</sup> half-year 2022 with practically no growth in the period
- E-commerce volumes increased by 6 % in the last 12 months
- Uncertainty and turbulence in the market contributed to negative growth of 2 % in the corporate market in the first half-year
- Continued significant geopolitical turbulence, and challenging market conditions are expected also in the 2<sup>nd</sup> half-year 2022

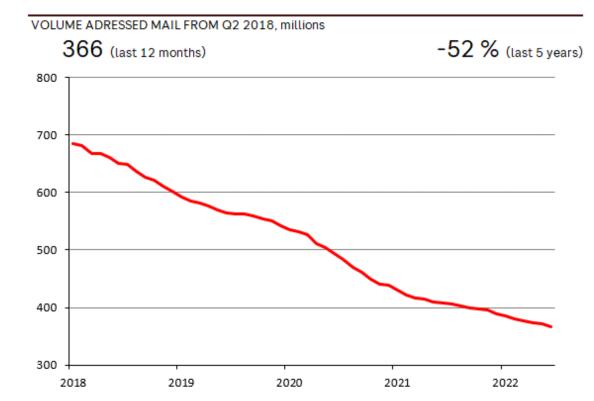


E-commerce volumes include all parcels under E-commerce & Consumer Deliveries in division E-commerce and Logistics



#### Segment Mail: Continued decline in mail volumes

- The addressed mail volume fell by 11 % in the 1<sup>st</sup> half-year 2022
- The volume of unaddressed mail increased by 17 % compared with the same period in 2021
- Norgespakken had a volume growth of 33 % in the 1<sup>st</sup> half-year 2022
- The delivery quality in the 1<sup>st</sup> half-year was 91,7 % , well above the requirement of 85 %





### **Future prospects**

- Challenging market situation expected also in the 2<sup>nd</sup> half-year
- Geopolitical conditions will affect margins
- Charging infrastructure development
- The operating model in the courier business to be reviewed
- Increased digital threat level
- Posten invests for further growth
- Recruiting campaign to be started to meet the shortage of drivers



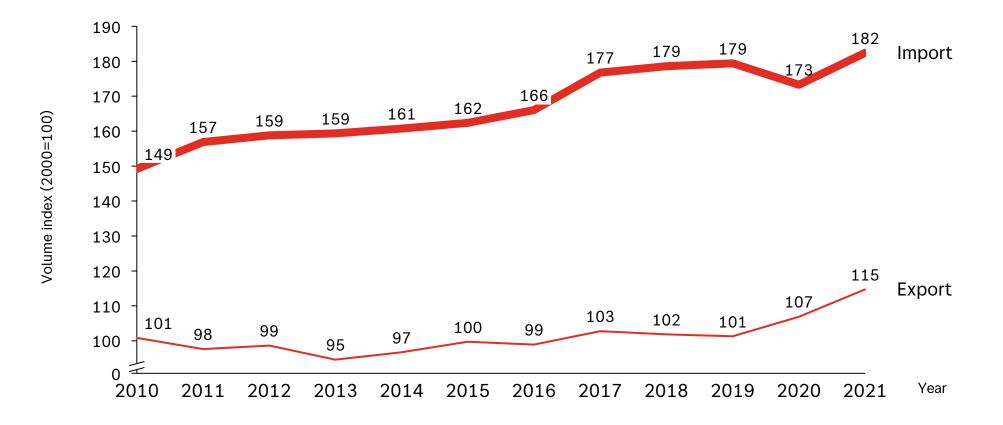




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 International logistics by EVP Erik Roth

# The volume of freight in and out of Norway is increasing – imports by volume are increasing more than exports



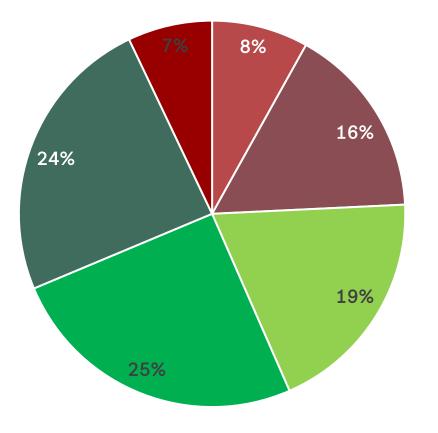


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SSB Table 06322: Foreign trade in goods. Exports and imports of all product types from all countries categorised by volume index (2000=100)

### The freight market makes up close to 45% of the total logistics market in Scandinavia

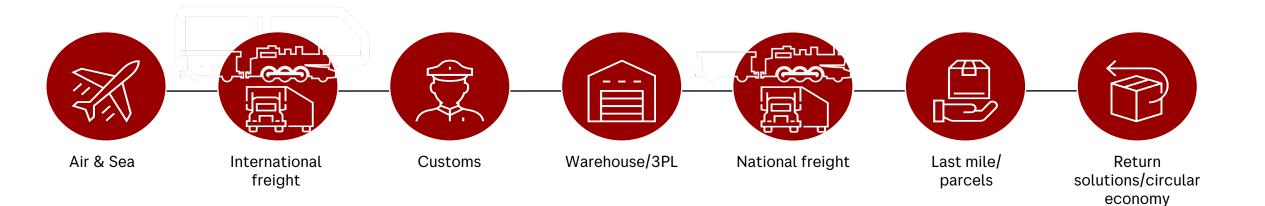
The Nordic logistics market (>NOK 200 billion)



- Consumer deliveries
- Corporate parcels
- Breakbulk & part loads national
- Direct and international freight
- Air & Sea
- 3PL/warehousing services



## The Group is well positioned along the entire logistics value chain





### Corporate customers are experiencing an increasingly complex world

Posten Norge's international logistics operations are aimed at corporate customers with complex logistics needs

- Many of our customers are large, international businesses
- The Group is represented in several countries in Europe with its own employees and has global coverage through business partners
- Our international service areas:
  - Breakbulk and part loads
  - Full truckloads
  - Offshore and specialised logistics solutions

## Good logistics solutions are essential for our business customers' competitiveness



#### Breakbulk and part loads

Full truckloads

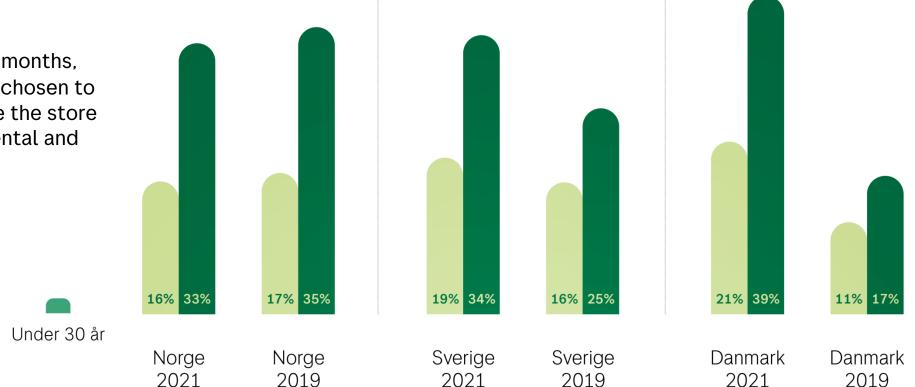
Offshore and specialised logistics solutions



## **Environmentally friendly solutions are a growing competitive advantage**

During the past three months, have you consciously chosen to buy products because the store had a clear environmental and sustainability profile?

Total





#### Heavy and long-distance transport can be carried out in a more environmentally friendly manner in the short term by combining rail with collection and delivery in an environmentally friendly vehicle



- Environmentally friendly technology for the heaviest vehicle types is currently underdeveloped. It is expected to be available by around 2030
- The international logistics business buys the heaviest vehicle types to transport freight

#### • Our short-term green road map

- Further develop intermodal services (emission-free vehicles combined with rail)
- Use HVO100 as an alternative to fossil fuels
- Cooperate with manufacturers on testing with heavier vehicles (50–60 tonnes)
- Set stricter requirements for the Euro VI model
- Continuously replace lighter trucks with emission-free vehicles



We test new, environmentally friendly transport technology and invest in zeroemission solutions Bring was first in the offshore industry in Norway to test a heavier electric transport truck



- Easier and more seamless customer processes through good ordering solutions and access to data
- More detailed and more rapidly available information – ideally value-added with environmental and quality overviews
- Enhanced quality through direct data transfer and fewer manual processes

Posten Norge's successful investment in digitalisation enables better value propositions for customers



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