## Aqualis ASA

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1. Operational highlights
David Wells
CEO



2. Financial highlights Christian Opsahl



3. Outlook
David Wells
CEO





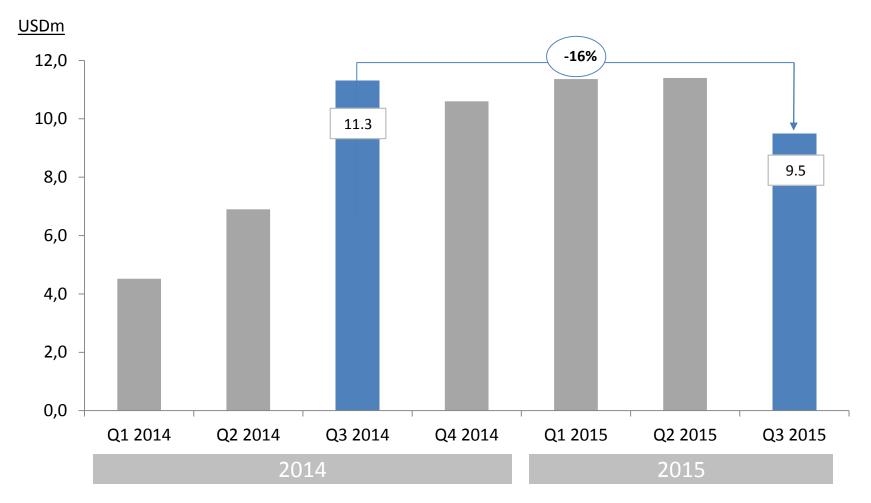
#### Q3 2015 – operational highlights

- Signed MoU to acquire a 49.9 percent stake in Adler Solar a Germany-based company specialising in the provision of engineering consultancy and testing services for all lifecycle phases of PV plants and PV modules. Transaction expected to be closed in Q4 2015
- Continued investment in business growth:
  - Three new offices opened in Q3: Germany, Malaysia and South Korea
  - Most of costs associated with new offices and growth of workforce are expensed and not capitalized
- Several new contracts signed in Q3
  - Successful strategic change towards supporting clients with day to day offshore operations,
     as new investment related opportunities weaken
- As guided in Q2, Middle East operation affected by slowdown due to monsoon season
- Steady inflow of short term engineering and marine operational work in Europe
- Healthy offshore wind market despite withdrawal of government subsidies
- Capacity reduction in Rio de Janeiro office as consequence of weak Brazil market
- Continued solid HSE performance: no lost time incidents (LTIs) during the quarter



<sup>\*</sup> Includes contractors on 100% utilization equivalent basis

#### Revenues

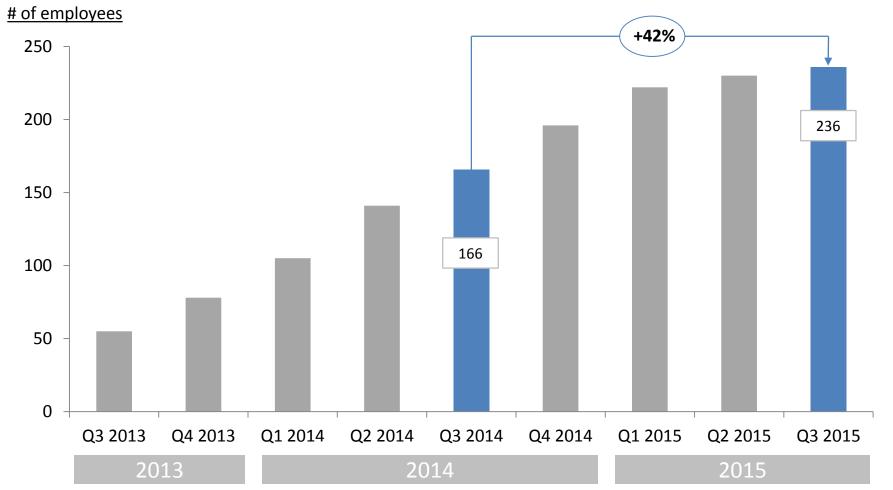


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#### Recruitment – quarterly development



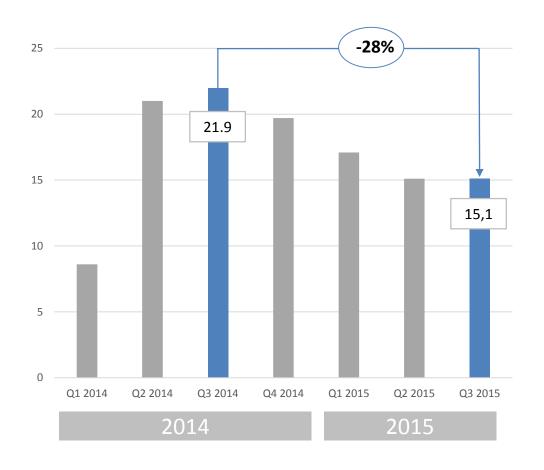
#### Notes:



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#### Order backlog

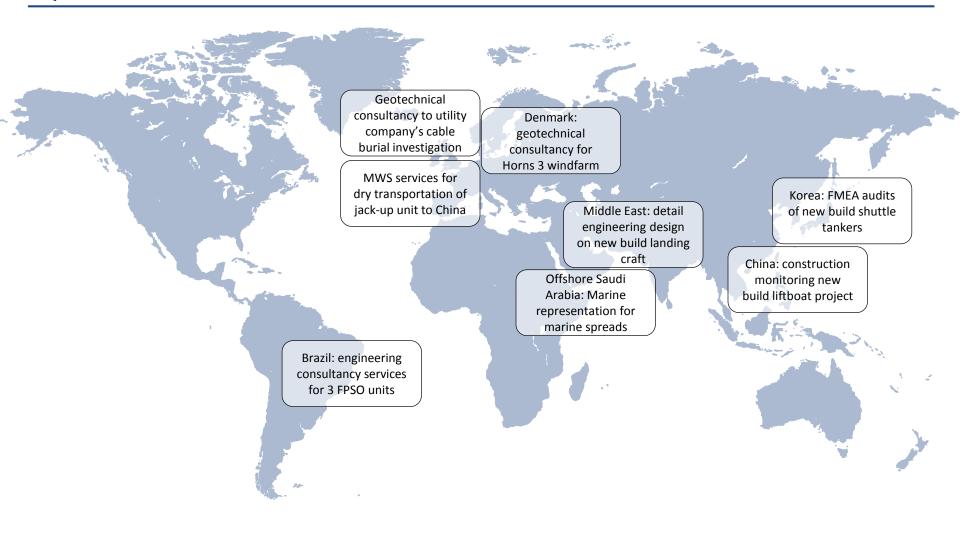


- Backlog level maintained from end of Q2 2015
- Backlog affected by re-focused strategy of supporting clients on day-to-day service operations which are typically call-out contracts that <u>do not</u> get included in backlog figures
- Pipeline of work expected from call out contracts continues to look solid

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#### Q3 2015 – main new contract wins





## Global presence – 19 offices in 14 countries





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## Q3 2015 – key figures

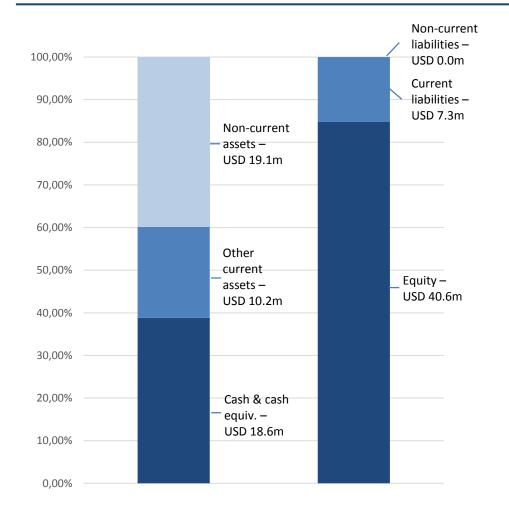
(USD '000)	2015 Q3	2014 Q3	2015 YTD	2014 FY*
Total revenues and other income	9,5	11,3	32,2	33,3
Operating profit (EBIT)	-1,4	-1,0	-0,9	-1,9
Operating profit (EBIT) adjusted**	-1,4	-1,0	-0,9	-0,7
Profit after taxes	-1,5	-1,2	-0,5	-0,3
Profit after taxes adjusted**	-1,5	-1,2	-0,5	1,1
Cash & cash equivalents	18,6	21,4	18,6	21,8
Number of outstanding shares (thousands)	43 506	43 191	43 191	43 191



<sup>\*</sup> due to change in accounting principles, travel costs are included both in revenues and other operating cost. There is no change in EBIT compared to actual reported in 2014.

<sup>\*\*</sup> adjusted by one-off costs in Aqualis ASA of 1.4m in third quarter 2014, relating to corporate restructuring and listing

## Financial position (30.09.15)



- Solid financial position
- No interest-bearing debt
- 85% equity ratio
- Strong liquidity position:
  - USD 18.6m in cash and cash equivalents



#### Q3 2015 – cash flow

USDm	Q3 2015	Q3 2014
Operating cash flow	-2.0	-1.1
Investing cash flow	-0.1	-0.3
Financing cash flow	0.3	19.3
Cash beg. of period	20.4	3.4
Net FX difference	0.1	0.0
Change in cash & cash equiv.	-1.8	18
Cash end of period	18.6	21.4

- Negative operating cash flow of approximately USD 2 million for Q3 2015
- Financing cash flow of USD 0.3 million relates to proceeds from shares issued in connection with the employee share scheme
- Net positive cash flow in Q3 2014 related to proceeds from share issue and contribution in kind



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#### Outlook

#### **Market**

- Good activity level for service operations on existing oil and gas assets
- Market for new large engineering opportunities remains very weak
- Middle East oil and gas markets expected to remain buoyant, especially marine related
- Plenty of oil and gas prospects in Asia Pacific

- Brazil to remain weak, and North America increasingly so
- Good opportunities within offshore wind, despite withdrawal of government subsidies
- Continued strong rig moving market
- Pipeline of work from Aqualis' call-out contracts continues to look solid

#### Micro

- Continue to grow focus on day-to-day offshore operations of oil and gas assets as new investment related opportunities weaken
- Plenty of available quality staff in the market expansion of workforce to remain selective
- Consolidation of recent fast-paced footprint growth and focus on developing opportunities within those countries

- Close Adler Solar transaction in Q4
- Achieve original strategy of operating as "energy consultants" across three main sectors:
  - Oil and gas (Aqualis Offshore)
  - Offshore renewables (Offshore Wind Consultants)
  - Solar industry (Adler Solar)
- Evaluating several M&A opportunities



#### Summary

- Sound operational performance in Q3, but results negatively impacted by certain weak oil and gas markets and segments
- Maintained healthy backlog level and strong financial position
- Three new offices opened in Q3
- Signed MoU to acquire 49.9% stake in Adler Solar
- Maintain successful strategy of supporting clients on day-to-day offshore operations, with focus on operations and niche engineering including upgrades, modification and conversion of existing assets
- Healthy offshore wind market
- Keeping a close eye on cost base adapting to changed market conditions



# Aqualis ASA

**APPENDIX** 



#### Marine & engineering consultancy services

Aqualis ASA (listed entity – OSE: AQUA)

**Aqualis Offshore Ltd\*** 



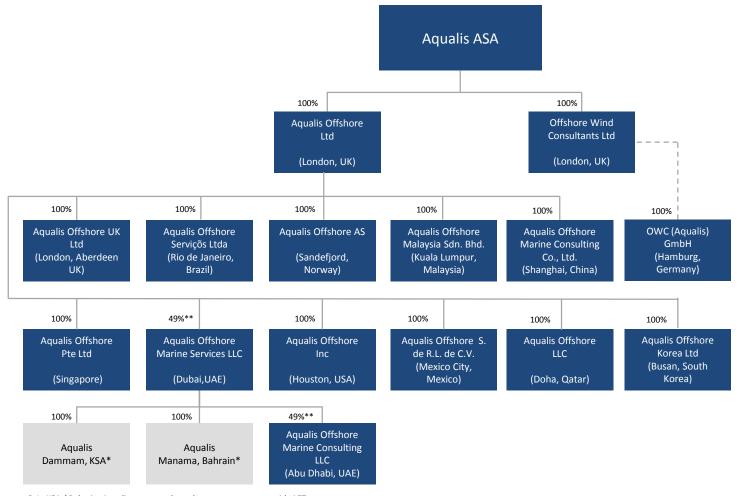
\* Tristein AS merged with Aqualis Offshore AS, effective date 1 Jan 2015

**Offshore Wind Consultants Ltd** 





#### Corporate structure



<sup>\*</sup> In KSA / Bahrain, Aqualis operates through agency agreement with AET



<sup>\*\*</sup>The company is 100% controlled by Aqualis Offshore

#### Complete life cycle involvement with offshore assets

#### Marine project / asset life cycle

**Project initiation** 

Engineering / design phase

Project procurement

Construction

Hook-up and commissioning

Asset management

Decommissioning

# Aqualis Offshore

#### **Engineering (niche-focus):**

Basic / conceptual design / FEED

Modifications and upgrades of drilling rigs / FPSOs / FSOs / lift-boats

Transportation & installation analysis

#### **Construction yard supervision:**

Site attendance on behalf of owners, shipyards, financial institutions, 3<sup>rd</sup> parties

New-builds + conversions & upgrades

Due diligence / compliancy; financial community focus

#### Marine operations:

Transport and installation services; "moving of offshore assets"

Rig moving

Float-overs

Site attendance & procedure management

#### Inspection & approvals:

Marine warranty services

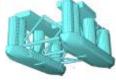
Mooring analysis

Condition and suitability surveys / audits

DP inspections and audits

Jack-up site assessments















Aqualis' key competencies are conjointly exposed to both offshore opex and capex cycles



### Offshore operations are key for all business lines

#### **«Doing»**

- Jack up engineering (basic design, upgrade and conversion)
- FPSO marine engineering
- Construction supervision
- Engineering design and consultancy
- Key staff provision

#### **Offshore operations**

- Moving of rigs
- Offshore ConstructionProjects
- Transportation & installation
- Marine WarrantyServices (MWS)
- FPSO/MOPU engineering and installation
- Towages

#### **«Observing»**

- Technical Due diligence
- DP FMEAs and audits
- Vessel inspections and surveys
- Marine and engineering approvals
- Site assessments
- Engineering reviews / verifications
- Marine consultancy





#### Selected clients

#### **NOCs / IOCs:**













Offshore cont. / shipyards:







DETNORSKE

ارامكو السمودية Saudi Aramco

Statoil















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MERCATOR







Petroleum









**Underwriters / financial inst.:** 



































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#### Selected clients



- Vattenfall
- East Anglia Offshore Wind
- Gwynt y Mor Offshore Wind Limited
- RWE Innogy GmbH
- Galloper Offshore Wind Limited
- Trianel GmbH
- Dong Energy
- Mainstream Renewable Power Limited
- Navitus Bay Offshore Park
- Iberdrola Renewables
- ScottishPower
- SNC Lavalin Capital





















## Top 20 shareholders (30.09.15)

NAME	COUNTRY	# OF SHARES	% HELD
STRATA MARINE & OFFSHORE AS	NORWAY	5450973	12,53 %
GROSS MANAGEMENT AS	NORWAY	5281109	12,14 %
AQUALIS HOLDCO LIMITED	UK	2187500	5,03 %
PERSHING LLC	USA	2082491	4,79 %
ARCTIC FUNDS PLC	BELGIUM	1461830	3,36 %
QVT FUND V LP	BELGIUM	1190105	2,74 %
BINKLEY CAPITAL AS	NORWAY	1133664	2,61 %
AGITO HOLDING AS	NORWAY	900000	2,07 %
FERNCLIFF LISTED DAI AS	NORWAY	843310	1,94 %
PHILIP ALAN LENOX	SINGAPORE	830583	1,91 %
T10 INVEST AS	NORWAY	825856	1,90 %
BADREDDIN DIAB	USA	814648	1,87 %
SAXO BANK A/S	DENMARK	732812	1,68 %
VERDIPAPIRFONDET DNB SMB	NORWAY	700000	1,61 %
SIX SIS AG	SWITZERLAND	642087	1,48 %
ALSTO CONSULTANCY LTD	SEYCHELLES	598122	1,37 %
IAN DENNIS BONNON	UK	555074	1,28 %
OFFSHORE & MARINE CONSULTING AS	NORWAY	525000	1,21 %
ANDREAS THEOFANATOS	BRAZIL	512188	1,18 %
AMAN MARINE LIMITED	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	492187	1,13 %
		27759539	63,81 %

Ferncliff and associated companies + Gross: approx. 27%

Management and employees: approx. 24%



## Consolidated statement of comprehensive income

(USD '000)	Note	2015 Q3	2014 Q3	2015 YTD	2014* FY
Operating revenues	7	9 511	11 253	32 243	33 303
Other income		-	-	-	_
Total revenues and other income		9 511	11 253	32 243	33 303
Payroll and payroll related costs	6	5 840	5 437	17 641	18 563
Depreciation, amortisation and impairment		129	223	526	900
Other operating costs		4 964	6 563	14 995	15 788
Total operating expenses	7	10 933	12 223	33 162	35 251
Operating profit (EBIT)		-1 422	-970	-918	-1 948
Finance income		56	52	94	120
Finance costs		2	123	12	205
Net currency exhange gain/-loss	4	-23	-59	617	1 994
Profit before taxes		-1 391	-1 100	-219	-39
Taxes		71	87	250	211
Profit after taxes		-1 462	-1 187	-469	-250
Other comprehensive income					
Other comprehensive income to be reclassified to profit or loss in periods	n subsequent				
Currency translation differences		-3 026	-1 246	-6 041	-8 834
Income tax effect		-	-	-	-
Total comprehensive income for the period		-4 488	-2 433	-6 510	-9 084
Total comprehensive income for the year, net of tax attribu	table to:				
Equity holders of the parent company		-4 488	-2 433	-6 510	-9 084
Non-controlling interests		-	-	-	-
Total		-4 488	-2 433	-6 510	-9 084
Earnings per share (USD): basic and diluted		-0,03	n/a	-0,01	-0,01

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## Consolidated statement of financial position

(USD '000)	Note	30.09.2015	31.12.2014
ASSETS			
Non-current assets			
Equipment		443	629
Intangible assets	13	18 687	20 710
Total non-current assets		19 130	21 339
Current assets			
Trade receivables		6 349	5 229
Other receivables		3 811	2 990
Cash & cash equivalents	4	18 611	21 790
Total current assets		28 771	30 009
Total assets		47 901	51 348
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
Equity			
Share capital	5	705	702
Share premium		47 344	47 058
Other paid in capital		393	178
Retained earnings		-7 851	-3 491
Total equity		40 591	44 447
Non-current liabilities			
Other long-term liabilities		-	-
Total non-current liabilities		-	-
Current liabilities			
Trade payables		402	1 227
Other current liabilities		6 908	5 674
Total current liabilities		7 310	
Total liabilities		7 309	6 901
Total equity and liabilities		47 901	51 348
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#### Consolidated cash flow statement

(USD '000)	Note	2015 Q3	2014 Q3	2015 YTD	2014 FY
Cash flow from operating activities					
Profit before taxes		-1 391	-1 100	-219	-39
Non-cash adjustment to reconcile profit before taxes to cash flow:				2.0	
Estimated value of employee share options		40	105	215	178
Depreciation, amortisation and impairment		129	223	526	900
Changes in working capital:					
Changes in trade receivables and trade creditors		621	-739	-1 945	-2 497
Changes in deferred income					
Changes in other accruals		-	492	413	1 570
Effects related to agcquisition of subsidiaries		-	-	-	2 147
Effects related to currency unrealized		-1 443	-38	-2 109	-2 050
Net cash flow from operating activities		-2 044	-1 057	-3 119	208
Cash flow from investing activities					
Purchase of equipment	7	-96	-282	-287	-691
Acquisition of subsidiaries, net of cash	12	-	-	-	1 997
Net cash flow from investing activities		-96	-282	-287	1 306
Cash flow from financing activities					
Proceeds from share issue	4	290	10 475	290	10 642
Proceed from contribution in kind		_	8 857	-	8 857
Net cash flow from financing activities		290	19 332	290	19 499
Net change in cash and cash equivalents		-1 850	17 993	-3 116	21 014
Cash and cash equivalents beginning period		20 397	3 403	21 790	838
Net foreign exhange difference		64	-31	-62	-62
Cash and cash equivalents end period		18 611	21 365	18 611	21 790
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## Segment information

(USD '000)	Q3 20	Q3 2015		Q3 2014*		2015 YTD		2014 FY*	
	Marine & Offshore	Total	Marine & Offshore	Total	Marine & Offshore	Total	Marine & Offshore	Tota	
Revenues									
Norway	1 606	1 606	2 611	2 611	6 398	6 398	6 836	6 836	
Singapore	3 359	3 359	3 766	3 766	10 252	10 252	11 309	11 309	
UAE	2 655	2 655	2 486	2 486	9 993	9 993	8 322	8 322	
USA	755	755	1 700	1 700	2 851	2 851	3 746	3 746	
Brazil	307	307	851	851	1 249	1 249	2 796	2 796	
UK	1 205	1 205	964	964	3 569	3 569	2 015	2 015	
China	217	217	16	16	427	427	51	51	
Mexico	483	483	-	-	1 336	1 336	32	32	
Qatar	13	13	-	-	13	13	_	-	
Germany	10	10	-	-	10	10	_	-	
Elimination	-1 099	-1 099	-1 141	-1 141	-3 855	-3 855	-1 803	-1 803	
Total revenue	9 511	9 511	11 253	11 253	32 243	32 243	33 303	33 303	
Operating profit (EBIT)									
Norway	74	74	272	272	982	982	164	164	
Singapore	323	323	916	916	1 497	1 497	2 453	2 453	
UAE	-423	-423	315	315	-123	-123	509	509	
USA	-147	-147	320	320	-169	-169	547	547	
Brazil	-160	-160	-32	-32	-381	-381	-86	-86	
UK	-85	-85	55	55	-60	-60	129	129	
China	-56	-56	-276	-276	-210	-210	-418	-418	
Mexico	38	38	-59	-59	98	98	-84	-84	
Qatar	-104	-104	-55	-33	-143	-143	-0-	-0-	
Germany	-22	-22	_	_	-22	-22	_	_	
Korea	-22 -46	-22 -46		_	-46	-22 -46	_	_	
Central cost	-772	-772	-2 280	-2 280	-1 607	-1 607	-4 535	-4 535	
Elimination	-42	-42	-201	-201	-734	-734	-626	-626	
Total operating profit (EBIT)	-1 422	-1 422	-970	-970	-918	-918	-1 948	-1 948	
EBITDA	-1 293	-1 293	-747	-747	-392	-392	-1 048	-1 048	
Depreciation and amortisation	-129	-129	-223	-223	-526	-526	-900	-900	
Operating profit/loss (EBIT)	-1 422	-1 422	-970	-970	-918	-918	-1 948	-1 948	
Capex	96	70	282	282	287	287	691	691	

