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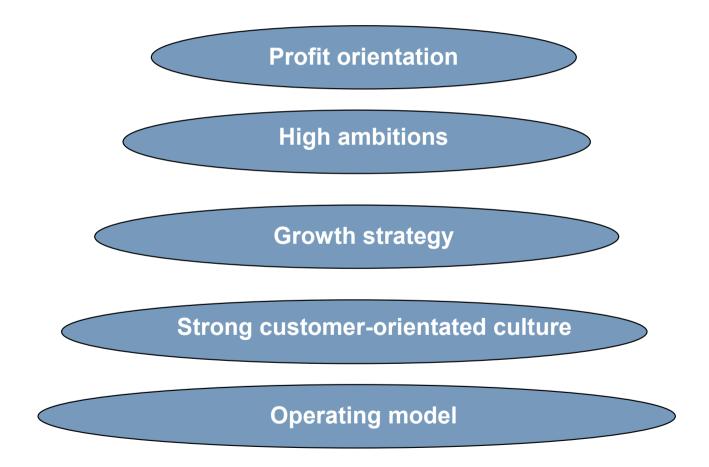
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Growth strategy consistently delivers strong results

- Income EUR 3,830m, up 8% (EUR 3,534m in the first half year of 2006)
- Costs EUR 2,000m, up 6% (EUR 1.878m)
- Profit before loan losses EUR 1,830m up 11% (EUR 1,656m)
- Risk-adjusted profit EUR 1,197m, up 17% (EUR 1,024m)
- Operating profit EUR 1,873m, up 5% (EUR 1.780m)
- Net profit EUR 1,517m, up 8% (EUR 1,405m)
- Return on equity 19.5% (21.2%)
- Cost/income down to 52% (53%)
- Positive net loan losses of EUR 41m (EUR 120m)
- Earnings per share EUR 0.58, up 8% (EUR 0.54)



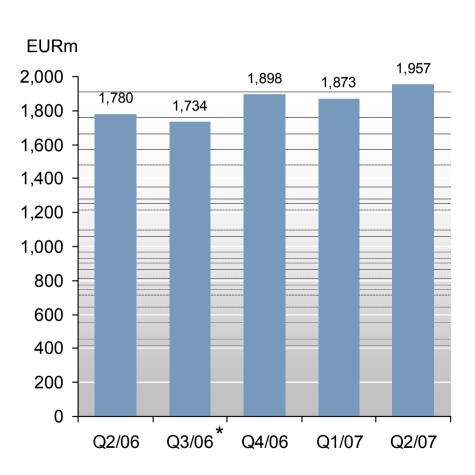
On the route to Great Nordea





Operating income up 8% H1 2007





YoY

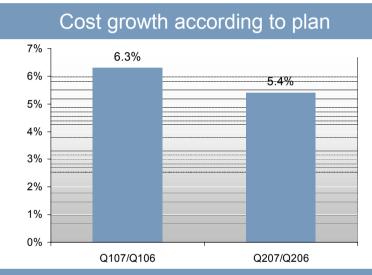
- Continued growth in Net interest income
 up 9%
 - Double-digit lending growth compensating for margin pressure
 - Increased deposit volumes and improved margins
- Net commissions income up 5%
 - Revenues from savings increasingly appearing on all key lines in the income statement
- Strong increase in Net gains/losses up 21%
- Continued successful penetration of the SME segment Q2oQ1
- Up 4%
 - Net interest income up 4%, increased business volumes and stable margins
 - Net gains/losses up 9%

^{*} Excl. gain from sale of IMB shares

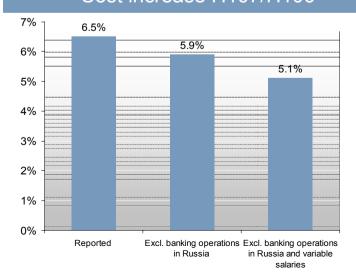


Moderate cost increase while investing in future growth









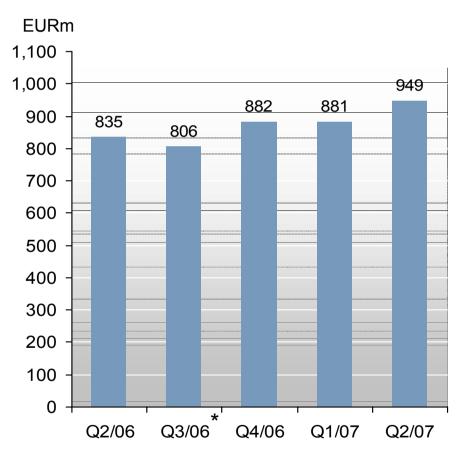
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- Expense growth on track to meet full year target
- Unchanged cost focus in parallel with growth ambitions
- Moderate cost growth despite increasing wage inflation and growth investments



Profit before loan losses up 11% H1 2007





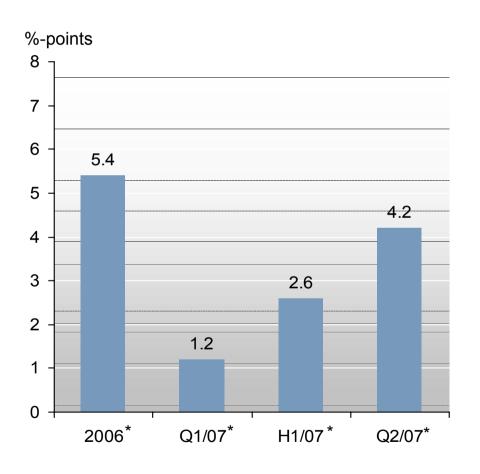
- Strong contribution from all Business
 Areas driven by revenue generation
- Consistent delivery of growth initiatives combined with maintained cost focus
- Nordea's best quarter ever
 - Excl. one-off gain from sale of IMB Q3/06

^{*} Excl. full impact from sale of IMB



Gap between income and cost growth on track





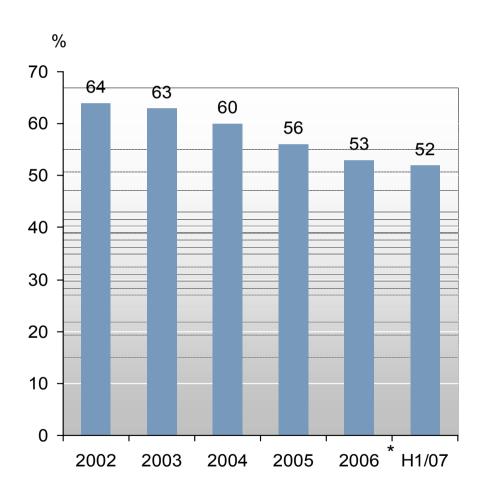
- Gap of 2.6%-points in H107 excl. banking operations in Russia
 - Income up 8.5%
 - Expenses up 5.9%
- Improved gap in Q2 vs Q1— in line with full year expectations
 - 4.2%-points in Q2 following strong revenue growth
- Unchanged outlook for full year excl. banking operations in Russia gap of 3-4%-points
 - Incl. banking operations in Russia this corresponds to a forecasted gap in the area of 2-3%-points

^{*} Adjusted for banking operations in Russia



Cost/income ratio continued down





- Strong revenue generation
- Moderate cost growth despite high activity level
 - Continued productivity gains

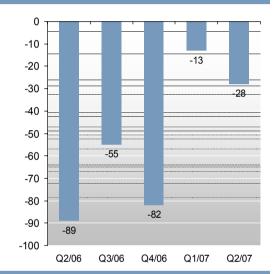
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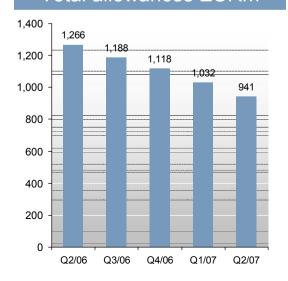
Strong and well diversified credit portfolio







Total allowances EURm



- Continued recoveries and limited new provisions in H1
 - Credit quality remains stable cross sectors
 improved corporate rating
- 13 quarters with net recoveries
 - EUR 41m in H107
 - Total allowances amount to approx. EUR 940m
- Well diversified lending portfolio
 - 54% corporate and 46% household customers
 - 90% of lending in Nordic countries



Basel II approval in place for "Corporate and Institutions"

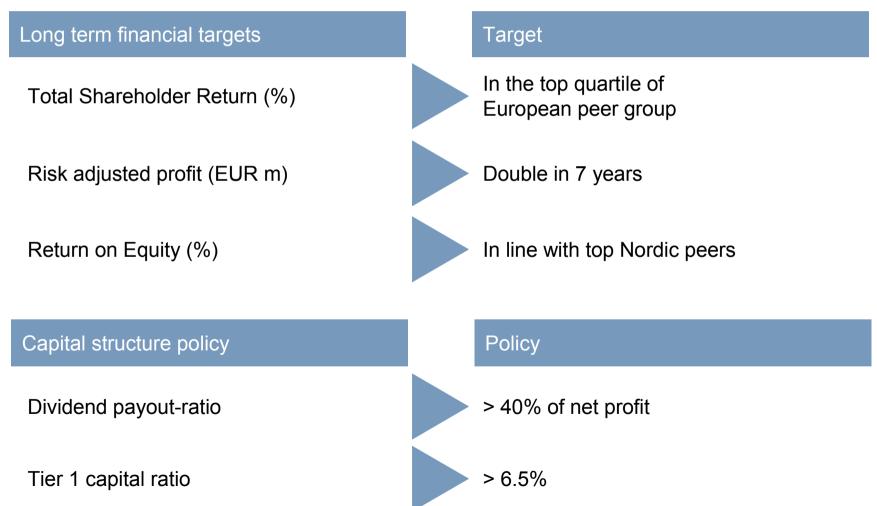


- Nordea's IRB model approved
 - Corporate and Institutions
 - Covering approx. 50% of Nordea's total credit portfolio
- Standardised model for Retail portfolio
- RWA reduced by approx. 12% following the approval; limited to approx.
 6% due to floor rules
- Next steps in Basel II implementation
 - Retail portfolio under IRB foundation
 - Corporate and institutions under IRB advanced
- Excess capital will over time be returned to shareholders

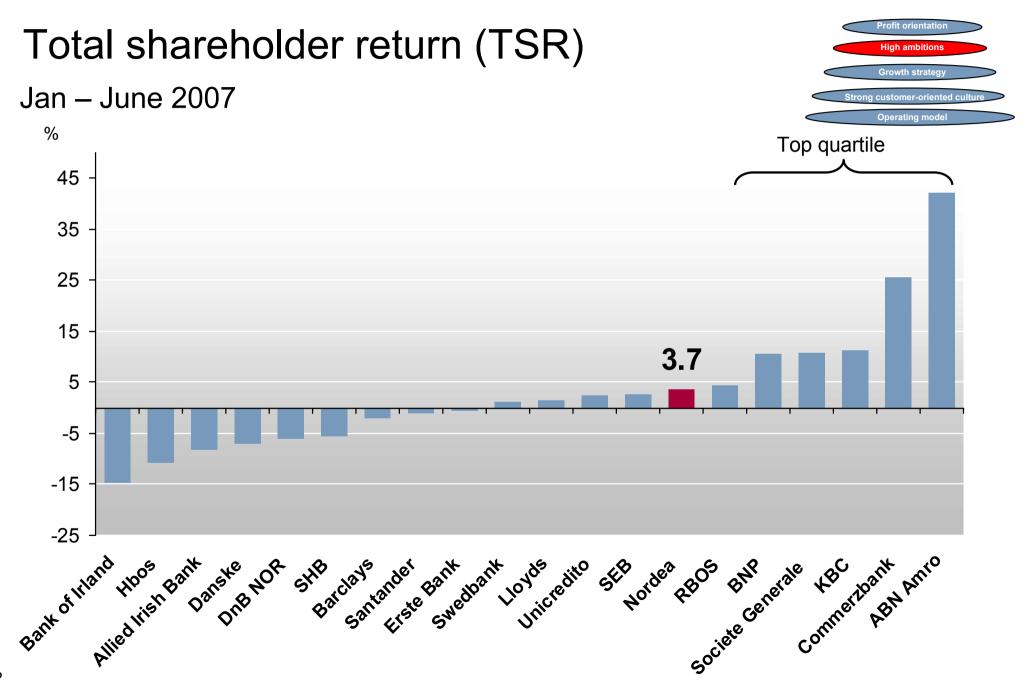


Ambitious financial targets





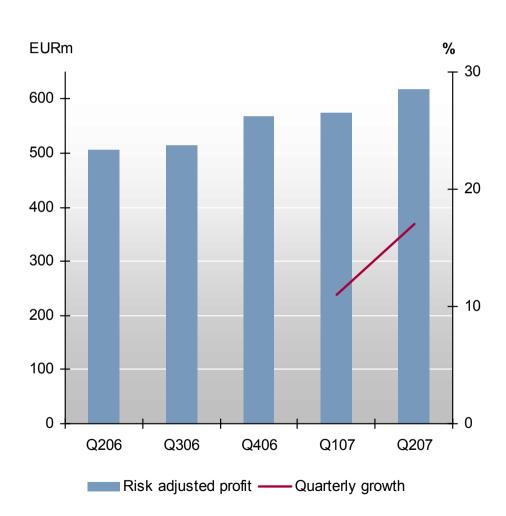






Risk Adjusted Profit up 17% H1 2007



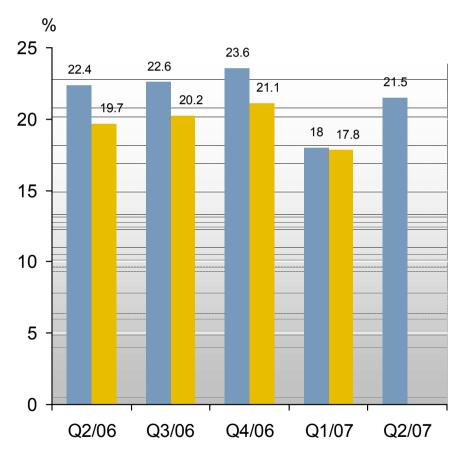


- Doubling of risk adjusted profit in 7 years implies a 10% growth in profit every year
- Strong revenue generation organic growth strategy pays off



Return on equity (ROE) – Nordic Peers





■ Nordea ■ Average Nordic Peers (Danske, SEB, SHB, Swedbank, DnBNor)

- Nordea's RoE consistently above Nordic average
- Combined focus on
 - Organic growth
 - Operational efficiency
 - Capital management
- H1 2007 19.5%



Growth strategy continues to pay off



Each focus area has clearly identified initiatives

Migrate customers up the segments - segments in focus

Increase business with existing customers - product areas in focus

Geographical markets in focus

Next level of operational efficiency

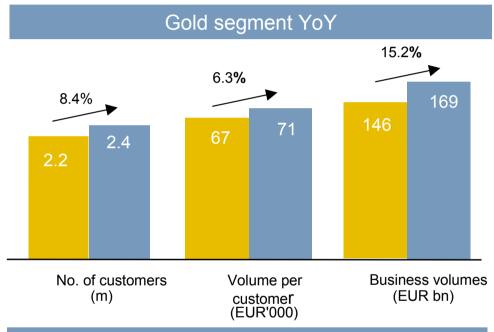
- Private Banking
- Gold customers
- Small & Medium Enterprises
- Long term savings
- Consumer credits and Cards
- Life insurance
- Capital markets products
- Growth Plan Sweden
- Russia, Poland & Baltic's
- Future branch
- Nordea Transformation Program

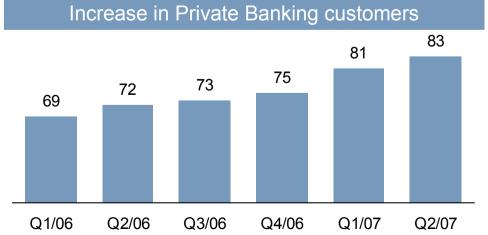
Harmonise sales processes, product deliveries and IT platforms



Increasing number of customers in premium segments drives income growth





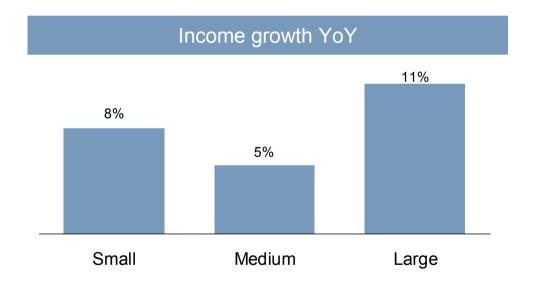


- Strong growth in business with Gold customers generated by
 - Increased number of Gold customers
 - Increase in volume per customer
- Number of Private Banking customers up 15% Q2/Q2



Continued revenue growth in all Retail corporate segments





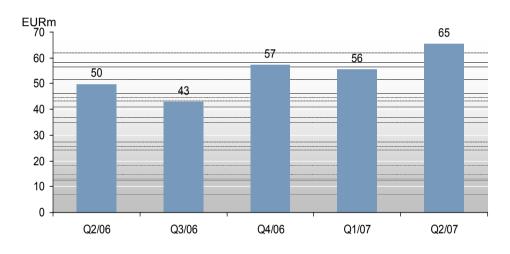
- Strong revenue growth in all Retail corporate segments
 - Accelerating revenue growth Q2/Q1
 - Increase in both lending and deposits as well as cross-selling of Markets products
- Potential to increase revenues in all segments – in particular small and medium segments



Successful penetration of SME segment

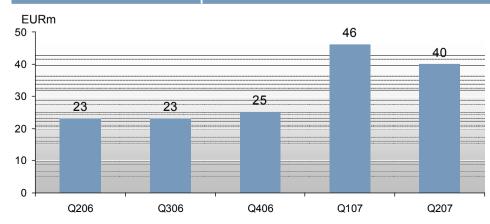


Total revenues in Markets related to Retail corporate clients



- Increased penetration of Retail corporates of products from Nordea Markets
 - Strong growth in sale of structured products and equity products

Total revenues from Acquisition Finance and Corporate Finance

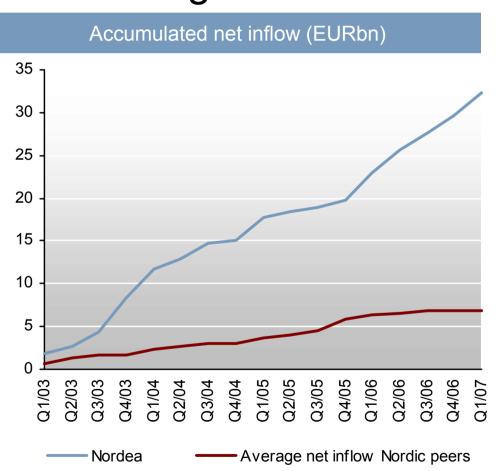


- Revenues from Acquisition Finance and Corporate Finance up 62% YoY in Retail
- Successful penetration of Nordea's large corporate customer base



Further strengthened position within long term savings



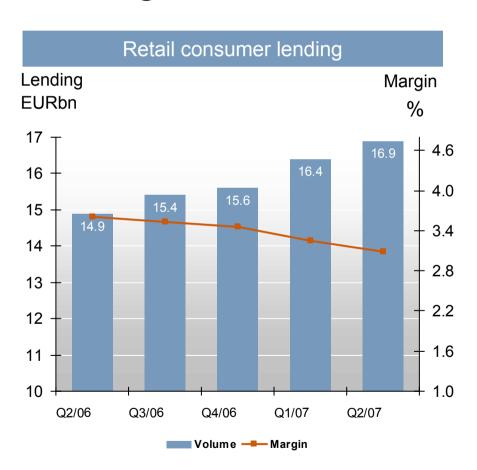


- Net inflow in H1 2007 EUR 1.3bn
 - Outflow in Q2 mainly on institutional clients
 - Strongest inflow within Private Banking
- Approx. 10% of assets are in new and re-engineered products
 - Strong investment performance
- Improved income and result margin
 - Income margin in Q2 72bps (67bps)
 - Changed product mix from bonds to equities
- In total EUR 165bn in AuM



Improved market position within consumer lending and cards





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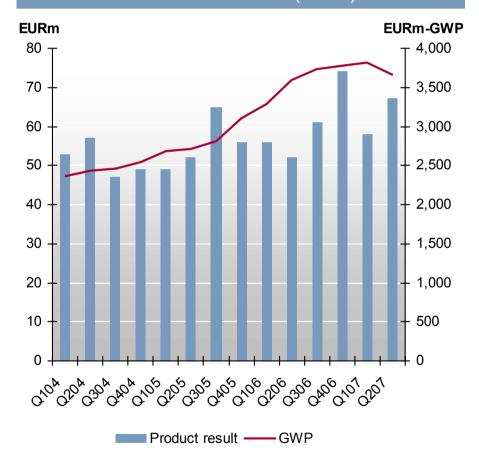
- Consumer lending up 14%
 - Non-collateralised up 17%
 - Strong growth in home equity products
- 540,000 new cards issued
 - Of which approx. 300,000 credit cards, up 43% Q2/Q2
- In total 5.9 million cards outstanding
- Consumer lending up 3%
- Card commission gross up 21%



Profitability in Life continues to improve



Life product result and 12-month rolling Gross Written Premiums (GWP)



- Product result up by 29% Q2/Q2 and 16% YoY
- Swedish Life market still effected by the regulatory changes*
- Stable growth in Gross written premiums
 - Strong sales in Denmark and Poland

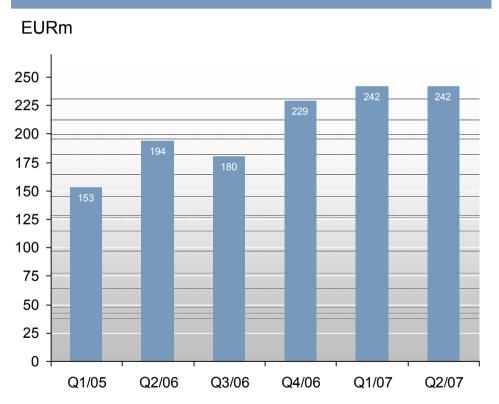
^{*} Termination of the sale of the "Kapitalpension" product and a temporary stop for transfer of customer's insurance capital from one provider to another



Strong revenue growth in Nordea Markets







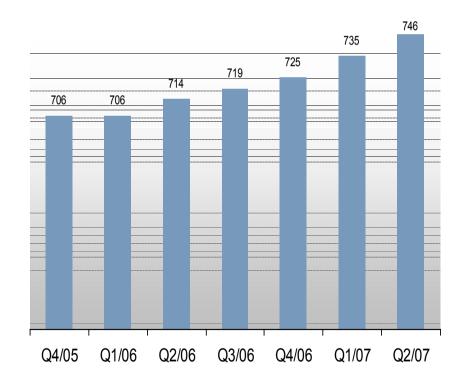
- Customer activity continues at high level
 - All segments showing high business activity
 - Equity products driven by securities finance and derivatives activities
 - Structured products at all time high
- Increased cross-selling of Markets products to SMEs – still room for increased penetration



Growth plan in Sweden well on track



Gold customers Regional banks in Sweden



- Number of Gold customers up 6% in Q2 annualised – accelerating growth rate since launch of growth plan
- Growth Plan Sweden focuses on advisory services and product segments with growth potential
 - 300 advisors recruited and trained since 2005, mainly advisors and specialists serving high end segments
 - Initiative during 2006 to extend the opening hours in the branches
 - 12 new branches and venues has opened up since 2005
- Improved RaRoCar and C/I ratio Q2/Q2
- Underlying revenue growth in Sweden approx. 16% QoQ excl. ALMprogramme (Retail deposit hedge)



Growth in revenues from New European Markets



Total income New European Markets*



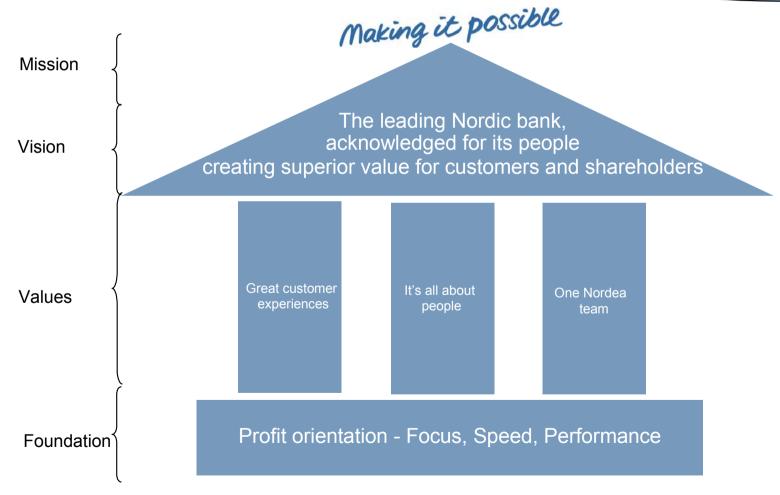
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- Orgresbank consolidated in income statement as per Q2 with revenues of EUR 19m
- New European Markets accounts for 3% of Group revenues in Q2
- Total lending up 68%, excl. Orgresbank
 - Mortgage lending up 88%
- Number of gold customers doubled
- Growth ambition in Poland and Baltics
 - Approx. 40 new branches to be opened in Poland this year and 10-15 in Baltics
- Focus in Russia on corporate customers, Nordic corporate customers and personal customers in highend segment
 - Long term targets to be decided during autumn
- Growth with strict cost and risk management



Updated vision and values to support growth strategy

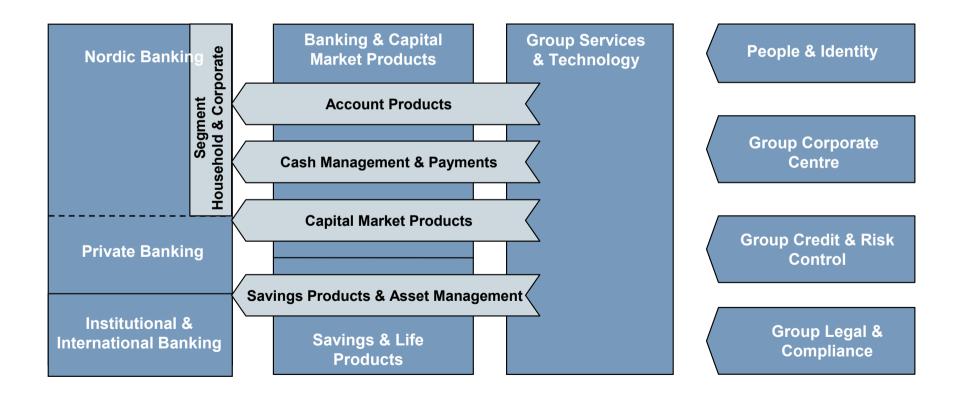






New operating model to support growth strategy – implementation on track







Outlook 2007

- The strong revenue growth is expected to continue in the second half of 2007
- As previously stated cost increase for the full-year 2007 is expected to be of the same magnitude as in 2006, ie 4-5%
 - Incl. Orgresbank and planned investments in Russia the cost increase is expected to be approx. 6%.
- Gap between revenue and cost growth for the full year 2007 is expected to be 3-4%-points excl. banking operations in Russia
 - Incl. Nordea's Russian banking operations the corresponding gap is in the area of 2-3%-points
- The quality of the credit portfolio remains strong. Lower recoveries during the latter part of the year are likely to result in actual net charges in the coming quarters



Summary – Second Quarter 2007

- Consistent delivery on organic growth strategy on track with financial targets
 - Revenues up 8%
 - Profit before loan losses 11%
 - Risk adjusted profit up 17%
 - Gap between revenue and cost increase of 2.6%-points in H107
 - RoE 19.5%
- Double digit increase in business volumes
 - Lending up 15%
 - Deposits 11%
 - Consumer lending up 17%
- Investments in future growth
 - Net 550 employees recruited excl. Orgresbank in 12 months
 - Investments in New European Markets
- Well controlled expense growth
 - Cost increase 5.9% 5.1% excl. banking operations in Russia and the increase in variable salaries



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