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### Q2 2008 in short

- $\checkmark$  High business activity and record results from customer areas
- Continued strong delivery from growth initiatives execution continues according to plan
- Volatile and weakened financial markets
- Credit quality remains solid
- Strong capital position
- ✓ Stable and well-diversified funding base
- Maintained ambitious long-term financial targets
- Outlook 2008: Growth in risk-adjusted profit expected to be approx.
   5%



# High business activity and strong results from customer operations

- Second quarter strongest ever in customer areas
  - Revenues, operating profit and risk-adjusted profit
- Revenues driven by NII up 18% H1/H1
  - The strong volume growth continues total lending up 16%, excl. reversed repos
  - Total deposits up 10% excl reversed repos, of which savings accounts up 23%
- Strong development in customer-driven capital markets activities Q2 record product result in Capital Markets Products
- Number of Gold customers up 6%, number of Private Banking customers up 12%
- Net inflow in Asset Management in Q2
- Strong contribution from New European Markets, loan losses remained at a very low level

## Nordea

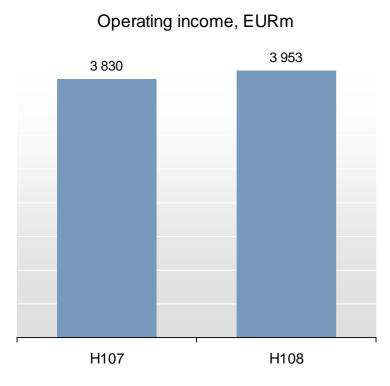
#### Continued strong delivery from growth initiatives

| Existing Nordic   | c customers and  | Selected global<br>and European<br>business lines                                  | New European<br>Markets   |  |
|---|--|--|---|--|
| Household strategy  | Private Banking  | Corporate strategy   | Based on strong competencies  | Selective growth strategy  |
| <ul> <li>Migration to<br/>premium segments</li> </ul>                 | <ul> <li>Added advisory<br/>capacity</li> </ul>                          | <ul> <li>New Corporate<br/>Merchant Banking</li> </ul>                             | <ul> <li>Reinforced #1 position<br/>in shipping</li> </ul>                                  | <ul> <li>Expanded distribution<br/>capacity in Poland</li> </ul>           |
| <ul> <li>Attract new<br/>customers to<br/>premium segments</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Capture internal<br/>pool of potential<br/>customers</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>concept</li> <li>Cash equity and corporate finance</li> </ul>             | <ul> <li>Reinforced strong<br/>international position in<br/>Private Banking and</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Russia – broaden<br/>focus to include all<br/>segments</li> </ul> |
| <ul> <li>Focus on Sweden</li> </ul>                                   |  | <ul> <li>Growth in sale of<br/>value-added capital<br/>markets products</li> </ul> | Fund Distribution   | <ul> <li>Selective growth in<br/>the Baltic countries</li> </ul>           |
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- Free up time for sales
  - Unify customer processes
- Unify product delivery processes
- Next phase of improvements cross units
- Employer branding and recruitment, talent management and leadership competencies



#### Higher operating income

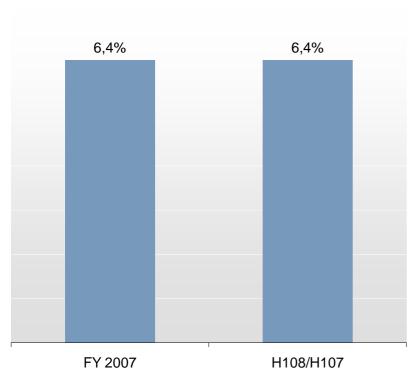


#### YoY

- Total income up 3%
- Net interest income up 18%
- Net commission income down 6%
- Net gains/losses down 23%



#### Cost growth maintained at same level as in 2007

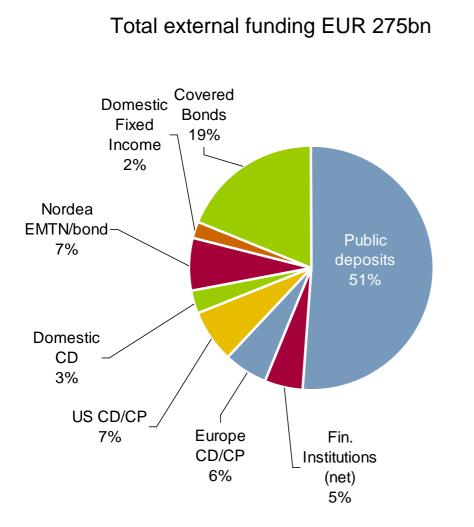


#### Cost increase YoY

- Up 6.4% unchanged level compared to last year
- Close to half of the cost increase related to investments in growth areas
- Staff costs up 9%
  - Number of employees up 7%



#### Strong and broad funding base in Nordea



- Competitive edge from leading Nordic market position and strong and broad deposit base
- Nordea operates in 2nd and 4th largest covered bond markets in Europe (Denmark and Sweden)
- Nordea actively operating in each Nordic money and fixed income market in the respective Nordic currency
- A high rated bank (Aa1/AA-/AA)
- Total wholesale funding approx. EUR 128bn – approx. EUR 60bn covered bonds
  - 65% long term financed



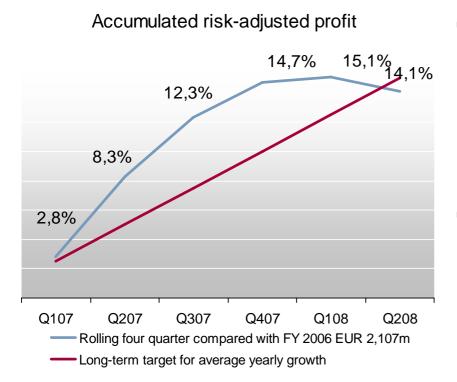
#### Ambitious targets

| Long term financial targets               | Target  | 2007      | H108               |
|---|---|-----------|--------------------|
| TSR (%)                                   | In the top quartile of<br>European peer group | # 3 of 20 | # 5 of 20          |
| Risk adjusted profit (EUR m) <sup>1</sup> | Double in 7 years <sup>2</sup>                | 15%       | 14.1% <sup>3</sup> |
| RoE (%)                                   | In line with top Nordic peers                 | 19.7%     | 16.0%              |
| Capital structure policy                  | Policy  |           |                    |
| Dividend payout-ratio                     | > 40% of net profit                           | 42%       |                    |
| Tier 1 capital ratio                      | > 6.5%  | 7.0%      | 7.0%               |

- 1. Risk-adjusted profit is defined as total income less total expenses, less expected losses and standard tax. In addition, risk-adjusted profit excludes major non-recurring items.
- 2. Baseline 2006 EUR 2,107m
- <sup>9</sup> 3. Rolling 4 quarters compared with baseline



### Risk-adjusted profit



- Accumulated risk-adjusted profit 14.1% since target was introduced 1 January 2007
  - Growth in risk-adjusted H108/H107 down 1%
  - Growth in risk-adjusted profit in customer areas up 5% H108/H107
- Target to double the risk-adjusted profit in 7 years
  - Corresponding to an annual growth rate of 10%



### Outlook for 2008

- Uncertainty has increased
- Nordea expect lending growth to be lower in the remaining part of the year, but still at a high level. Corporate lending margins are expected to increase further
- Nordea still expects customer operations to deliver according to plan
- Nordea expects to deliver a growth in risk-adjusted profit of approx. 5% excluding the gain from the sale of Nordic Central Securities Depository (NCSD)
- However, development in the financial market will effect the outcome and determine whether the growth will be somewhat above or below 5%
- Cost growth for 2008 is expected to be somewhat higher than the growth rate in 2007
- The overall quality of the credit portfolio remains strong, only the Baltic countries show increasing impaired loans although from a very low level
- For the second half of 2008, Nordea expects somewhat higher net loan loss
   charges than in the first half of the year





### CFO Presentation



#### Income statement summary

| EURm                                    | H108   | H107   | Chg % |
|---|--------|--------|-------|
| Net interest income                     | 2,411  | 2,047  | 18    |
| Net fee and commission income           | 1,013  | 1,083  | -6    |
| Net gains/losses on items at fair value | 482    | 629    | -23   |
| Equity method                           | 4      | 19     |       |
| Other income                            | 43     | 52     | -17   |
| Total operating income                  | 3,953  | 3,830  | 3     |
| Staff costs                             | -1,278 | -1,177 | 9     |
| Other expenses                          | -790   | -774   | 2     |
| Depreciation                            | -60    | -49    | 22    |
| Total operating expenses                | -2,128 | -2,000 | 6     |
| Profit before loan losses               | 1,825  | 1,830  | 0     |
| Loan losses                             | -57    | 41     |       |
| Operating profit                        | 1,768  | 1,873  | -6    |
| Net profit                              | 1,380  | 1,517  | -9    |



#### Income statement summary

| EURm                                    | Q2/08  | Q1/08  | Chg % |
|---|--------|--------|-------|
| Net interest income                     | 1,230  | 1,181  | 4     |
| Net fee and commission income           | 518    | 495    | 5     |
| Net gains/losses on items at fair value | 198    | 284    | -30   |
| Equity method                           | 22     | -18    |       |
| Other income                            | 24     | 19     | 26    |
| Total operating income                  | 1,992  | 1,961  | 2     |
| Staff costs                             | -634   | -644   | -2    |
| Other expenses                          | -406   | -384   | 6     |
| Depreciation                            | -33    | -27    | 22    |
| Total operating expenses                | -1,073 | -1,055 | 2     |
| Profit before loan losses               | 919    | 906    | 1     |
| Loan losses                             | -36    | -21    |       |
| Operating profit                        | 883    | 885    | 0     |
| Net profit                              | 693    | 687    | 1     |

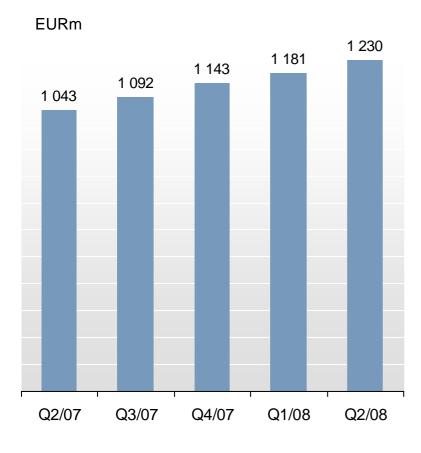


#### Robust volume growth continues in all segments

| %  | YoY | <u>Q2oQ1</u> |
|--|-----|--------------|
| Total Lending, excl. repurchase agreements     | 16% | 4%           |
| <ul> <li>Nordic household mortgages</li> </ul> | 9%  | 2%           |
| <ul> <li>Nordic consumer lending</li> </ul>    | 12% | 3%           |
| <ul> <li>Nordic corporates</li> </ul>          | 17% | 4%           |
| <ul> <li>New European Markets</li> </ul>       | 85% | 17%          |
| Total Deposits, excl. repurchase agreements    | 10% | 4%           |
| <ul> <li>Nordic households</li> </ul>          | 12% | 4%           |
| <ul> <li>Nordic corporates</li> </ul>          | 14% | -2%          |
| <ul> <li>New European Markets</li> </ul>       | 40% | 14%          |



#### Net interest income



YoY

- Up 18%
- Strong increase in lending and deposit volumes
  - Lending up 16%
  - Deposits up 10%
- Continued strong growth in Corporate lending across the Nordic region and from most sectors
  - Up 20%
- Improved corporate margins and some improvement also in deposit margins
   Q20Q1
- Maintained strong growth also in Q2 –NII up 4%
  - Total lending up 4%
  - Nordic corporate margins up 5bps



#### Change in net interest income

| EURm             | YoY | Q20Q1 |
|------------------|-----|-------|
| Volume driven    | 191 | 31    |
| -Lending volumes | 149 | 26    |
| -Deposit volumes | 42  | 5     |
| Margin driven    | 40  | 16    |
| -Lending margins | -21 | 5     |
| -Deposit margins | 61  | 11    |
| Orgresbank       | 40  | 5     |
| Other, net       | 93  | -3    |
| Total            | 364 | 49    |



#### Structural Interest Income Risk (SIIR)

| EURm, annualised effect<br>on NII* | Q2/08 | Q1/08 | Q4/07 | Q3/07 | Q2/07 |
|------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Increasing market rates,<br>100bp  | 244   | 238   | 235   | 246   | 249   |
| Decreasing market rates,<br>100bp  | 275   | 268   | 267   | 277   | 279   |

SIIR slightly higher, but relatively stable over time.

 Underlying position has been affected by strong lending growth. However, the exposure has been kept stable due to matching and focus on liquidity management.

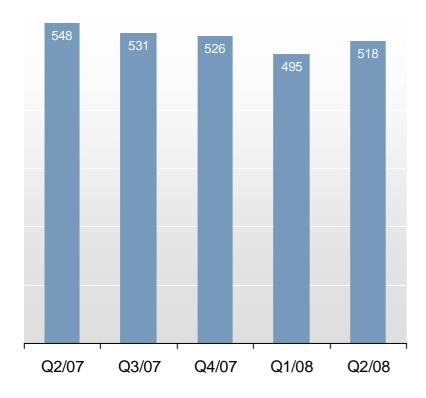
#### \*Approx. end of period

SIIR is defined as the effect on net interest income (NII) in the next 12 months if market rates change by one percentage point. Figures are asymmetrical as interest rates on deposits from customers cannot be reduced below 0%. Figures are based on maturity and repricing structure, and the effect going forward will be subject to management decisions and the competitive situation in the market.



#### Net fee and commission income

EURm



#### YoY

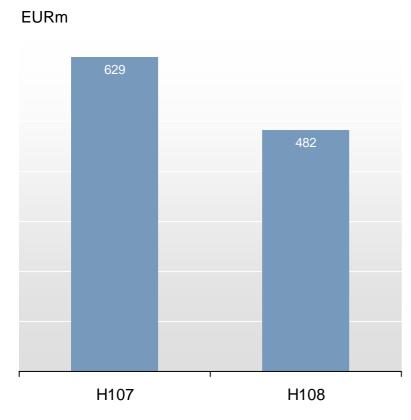
- Down 6%
- Savings-related commission down 16%
  - AuM down 12% weak equity markets and lower risk appetite among customers
  - Lower transaction activity
  - Margin decrease shift from equity-related to fixed income-related funds
- Continued increase in lending-related commission - up 8%
  - Strong increase in Merchant Banking and Shipping
- Payment commissions up 2% increase in cards

Q2oQ1

- Up 5%
  - Lending commission up 18%
  - Savings- and payment commissions largely flat



#### Net gains/losses on items at fair value



YoY

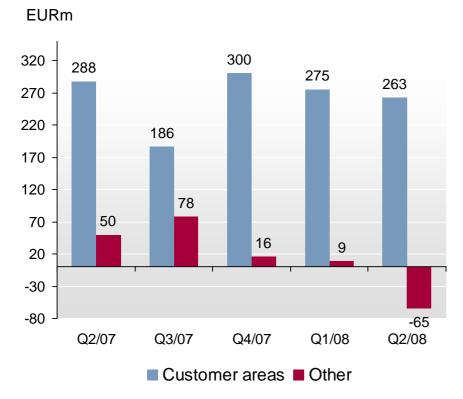
- Down by 23% or EUR 147m
- Still limited negative valuation effects related to the credit market turmoil
  - Approx. EUR 50m in H1 (EUR 20m in Q2)
- Revenues in treasury operations negatively affected by a position towards lower interest rates
  - Negative effect approx. EUR 40m
  - Net interest income will over time be positively affected by increasing interest rates - SIIR
- Lower revenues from listed (OMX) and nonlisted equities
  - Negative effect approx. EUR 80m

Q2oQ1

- Down 30%
  - Treasury operations negatively affected by increased interest rates – negative impact result in Q2 approx. EUR 50m



#### Net gains/losses – focus on handling customers risk

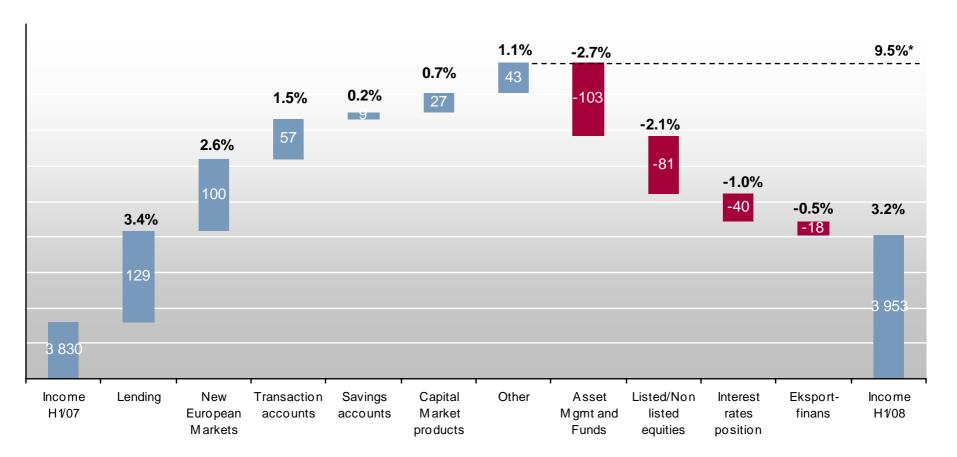


YoY

- Net gains/losses in customer areas almost unchanged
- Customer-driven capital markets operations continued to perform strongly
- Volatile financial markets provided good business opportunities
- Maintained high transaction activity in foreign exchange and fixed income product areas



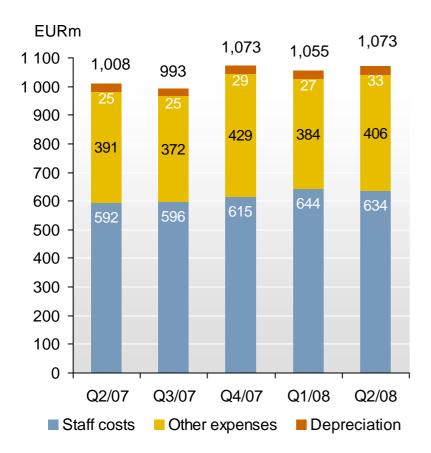
#### Income growth in Nordea (EURm)



\* Income growth excluding negative effects from volatile and weakened financial markets



#### Expenses



YoY

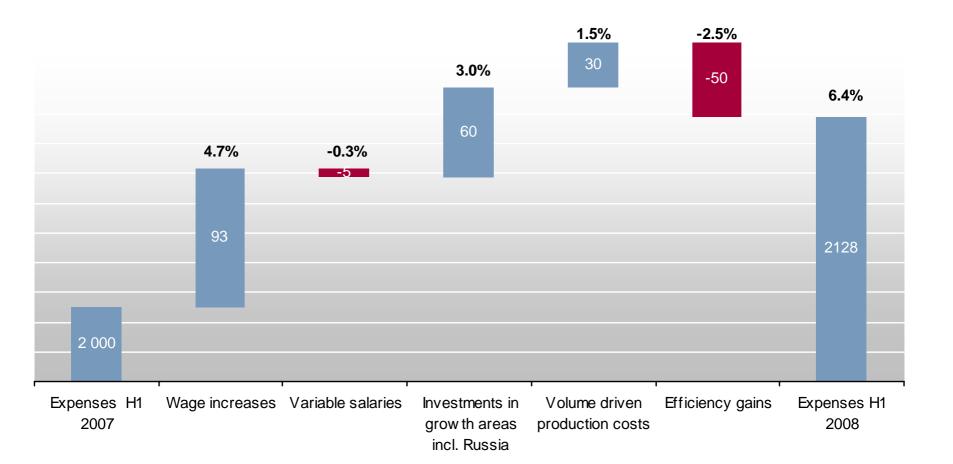
- Up 6% driven by investments in growth areas
- Staff costs up 9% reflecting increased number of employees, investments in growth areas and wage inflation
  - FTEs up 7% of which NEM accounts for 50%
- Other expenses up 2% reflecting investment in growth areas

Q2oQ1

Up 2% - mainly driven by higher business volumes

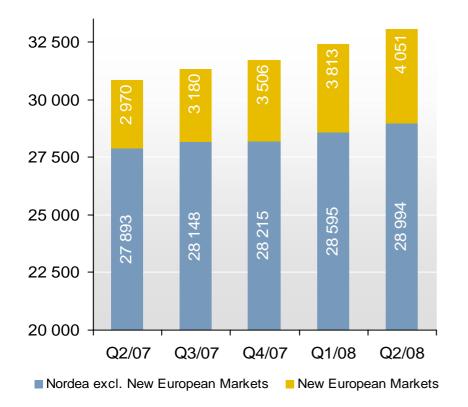


#### Expense growth in Nordea (EURm)





### Number of FTEs

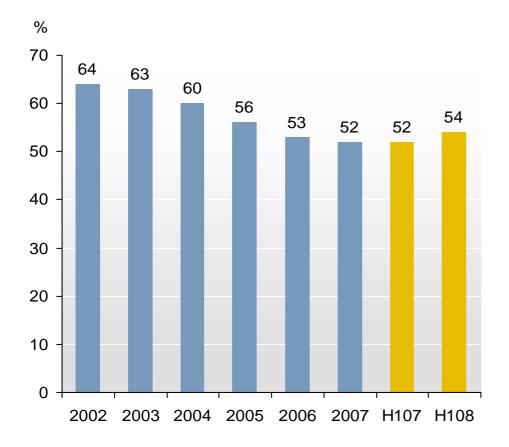


YoY

- Up 7% or 2,100 FTEs
  - New European Markets +1,050
  - Nordic Markets +1,050
  - Approx. 4,250 recruited FTEs
- Approx 2,600 FTEs have left
   Q2oQ1
- Up 600 FTEs
  - New European Markets +250
  - Nordic Markets +350



#### Cost/income ratio

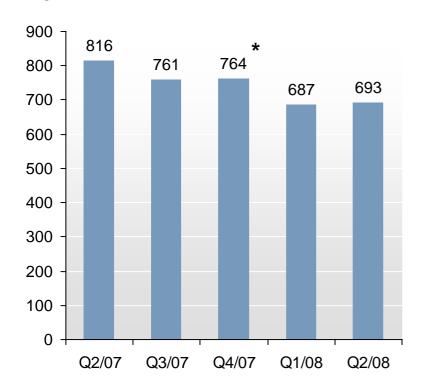


- Increased to 54% in H1
  - Impacted by market volatility
  - Cost/income in Nordic Banking 48% in H1 (50%)



#### Net profit

EURm



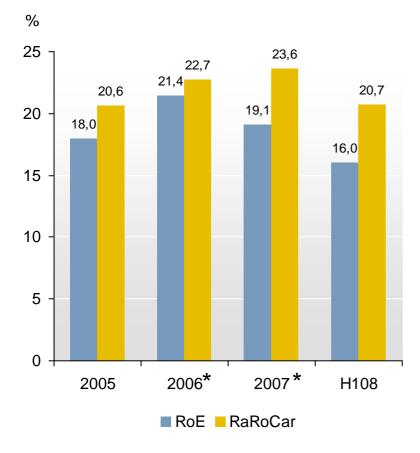
#### YoY

- Profit before loan losses unchanged
- Net profit down 9%
  - Shift in net loan losses approx. 5%-points
  - Higher tax rate approx. 3%-points

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## High profitability



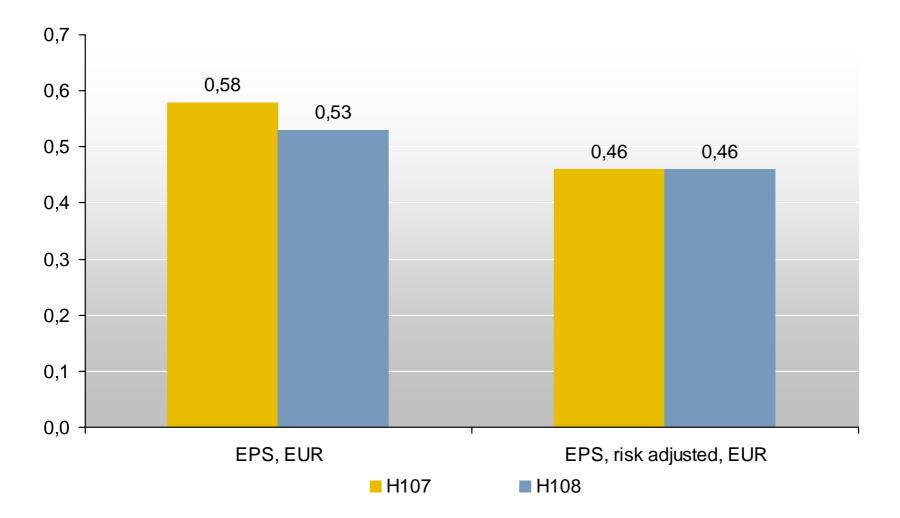
H108

- Return on equity of 16% (19.5%)
  - Net loan losses of EUR 57m compared to recoveries of EUR 41m the same quarter last year
  - Higher tax
  - Higher equity
- RaRoCar 20.7% (24.1%) high level despite market turmoil
  - Nordic Banking 27%
  - IIB 37%

\* For comparison reasons two major non-recurring items have been excluded. For 2007 the refund from the Finnish deposit guarantee system of 28 EUR 120m and for 2006 the capital gain from the IMB sale of EUR 199m



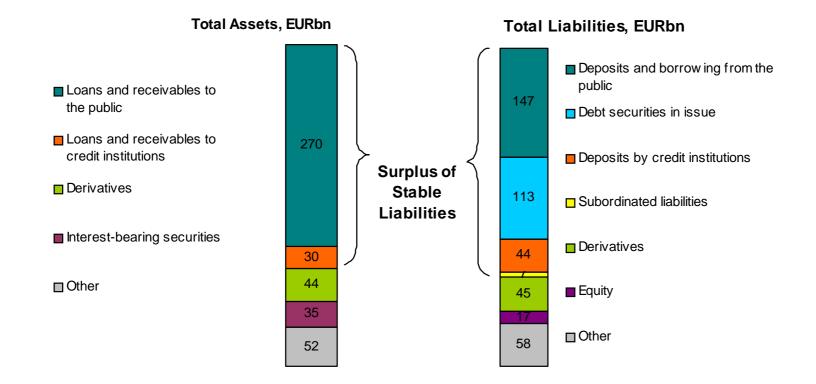
### Unchanged risk-adjusted EPS





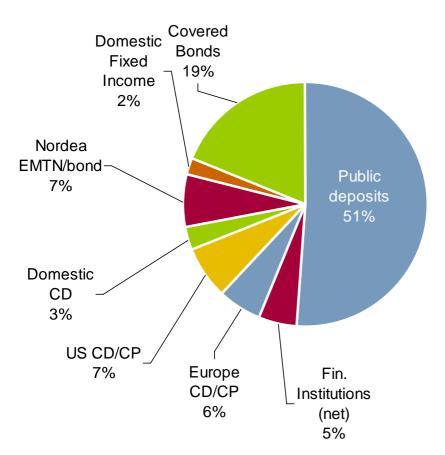
# Strong balance sheet – reflecting the business profile

- Loans to the public financed by deposits from the public and EUR 128 bn in wholesale funding, including covered bonds
- Wholesale funding approximately 65% long term financed and 35% short term
- Equity EUR 17.2bn end June





#### Strong and broad funding base in Nordea

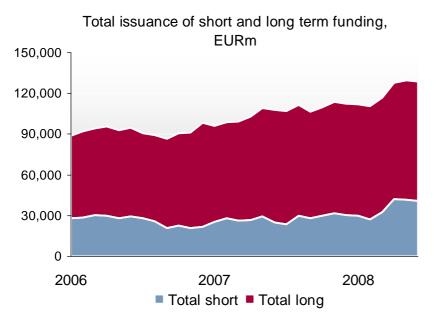


#### Total external funding EUR 275bn

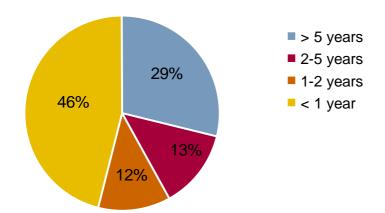
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#### Focus on securing attractive funding



Whole sale funding by residual maturity

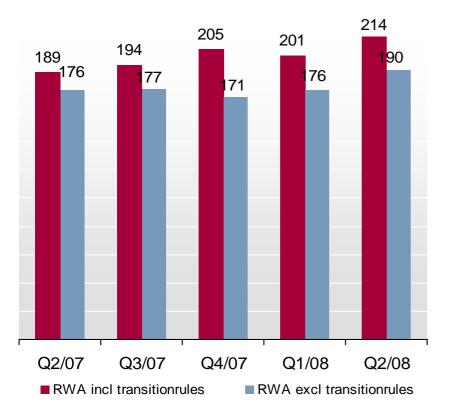


- Total wholesale funding approx. EUR 128bn (approx. EUR 60bn covered bonds) – 65% long-term financed
  - The proportion of long term funding has increased
- Issuance of a 3 year EUR 1.5bn covered bond in April, at mid swap +11bps
- Nordea issued a 2 year EUR 2.5bn senior bond issued mid May, at Libor +43bps
- 29% with a maturity of more than 5 years
- 46% with a maturity of less than 1 year



#### Increases in RWA due to volume growth

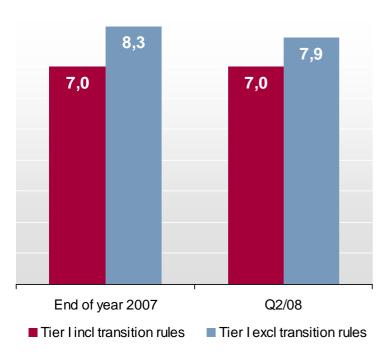
#### EURbn



- RWA incl. transition rules EUR 214bn, up 6,4% since Q1
  - Strong corporate lending
  - Market risk slightly higher
- Approval of IRB Retail will reduce RWA with 10-12%



#### Strong capital position



Tier I ratio

- Reported Tier I ratio 7.0%
- Tier I ratio excl. transition rules 7.9%
- Strong capital position based on stable profit generation and expected approval of the IRB Retail portfolio as well as considering Pillar II regulations.
- New capital targets will be decided later this year



## Customer areas



#### Operating profit by markets

|                           | Bankii<br>Denma |     | Bank<br>Finla |     | Banki<br>Norw |     | Bank<br>Swed |     | New Eu<br>Marł |      |
|---------------------------|-----------------|-----|---------------|-----|---------------|-----|--------------|-----|----------------|------|
| EURm                      | Q208            | Chg | Q208          | Chg | Q208          | Chg | Q208         | Chg | Q208           | Chg  |
| Total income              | 484             | 11% | 442           | 2%  | 233           | 17% | 451          | 5%  | 107            | 67%  |
| Total expenses            | -217            | 4%  | -191          | 1%  | -117          | 5%  | -241         | 4%  | -55            | 45%  |
| Profit before loan losses | 267             | 18% | 251           | 2%  | 116           | 30% | 210          | 6%  | 52             | 100% |
| Operating profit          | 260             | 14% | 245           | -7% | 118           | 36% | 206          | 10% | 51             | 104% |
|                           |                 |     |               |     |               |     |              |     |                |      |

|                               | Q208  | Q207  |
|-------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| RaRoCar, %                    | 27    | 27    | 37    | 41    | 20    | 19    | 23    | 26    | 27    | 23    |
| C/I ratio, %                  | 45    | 48    | 43    | 44    | 50    | 56    | 53    | 54    | 51    | 59    |
| Lending, bn                   | 64.9  | 57.6  | 51.1  | 45.0  | 39.9  | 34.8  | 64.9  | 55.6  | 12.6  | 6.8   |
| Deposits, bn                  | 32.9  | 29.8  | 33.3  | 27.2  | 19.4  | 18.4  | 30.5  | 27.5  | 4.2   | 3.0   |
| Number of employees<br>(FTEs) | 4,928 | 4,870 | 5,469 | 5,490 | 1,843 | 1,782 | 4,574 | 4,223 | 4,034 | 2,969 |



#### New European Markets

|                               | Pola  | ind     | Lat   | via    | Esto  | onia   | Lithu    | ania    | Rus      | ssia            |
|-------------------------------|-------|---------|-------|--------|-------|--------|----------|---------|----------|-----------------|
| EURm                          | Q2/08 | Chg     | Q2/08 | Chg    | Q2/08 | Chg    | Q2/08    | Chg     | Q2/08    | Chg             |
| Total income                  | 36.7  | 72%     | 17.0  | 36%    | 9.1   | 24%    | 9.0      | 91%     | 38.3     | 101%            |
| Total expenses                | -19.6 | 33%     | -6.3  | 40%    | -4.7  | 21%    | -4.1     | 42%     | -19.0    | 89%             |
| Profit before loan losses     | 17.1  | 158%    | 10.7  | 34%    | 4.4   | 28%    | 4.9      | 171%    | 19.2     | 115%            |
|                               |       |         |       |        |       |        |          |         |          |                 |
| Operating profit              | 17.5  | 164%    | 9.7   | 21%    | 4.1   | 20%    | 4.7      | 160%    | 19.2     | 129%            |
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|                               | Q2/08 | Q2/07   | Q2/08 | Q2/07  | Q2/08 | Q2/07  | Q2/08    | Q2/07   | Q2/08    | Q2/07           |
| Lending, bn                   | 3.5   | 2.0     | 2.7   | 1.7    | 2.0   | 1.4    | 2.0      | 1.0     | 2.5      | 0.6             |
| Deposits, bn                  | 2.1   | 1.3     | 0.6   | 0.5    | 0.5   | 0.6    | 0.5      | 0.3     | 0.5      | 0.3             |
| Number of employees<br>(FTEs) | 1 314 | 937     | 453   | 385    | 346   | 301    | 301      | 222     | 1 605    | 1 113           |



# Financial Institutions and Shipping Oil services & International

|                           | Financial<br>Institutions |     | Shipping, Oil<br>services &<br>International |      |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|-----|--|------|
| EURm                      | Q208                      | Chg | Q208   | Chg  |
| Total income              | 95                        | -1% | 74   | 16%  |
| Total expenses            | -44                       | 0%  | -11  | -15% |
| Profit before loan losses | 51                        | -2% | 63   | 24%  |
|                           |                           |     |  |      |
| Operating profit          | 51                        | -2% | 64   | 23%  |

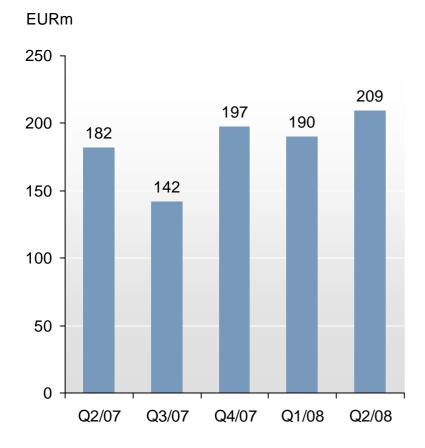
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|----------------------------|------|------|------|------|
| RaRoCar, %                 | 50   | 93   | 43   | 34   |
| C/I ratio, %               | 46   | 46   | 15   | 20   |
| Lending, bn                | 2.8  | 2.8  | 12.0 | 10.3 |
| Deposits, bn               | 16.8 | 15.6 | 5.1  | 6.2  |
| Number of employees (FTEs) | 419  | 388  | 289  | 259  |



## Product areas



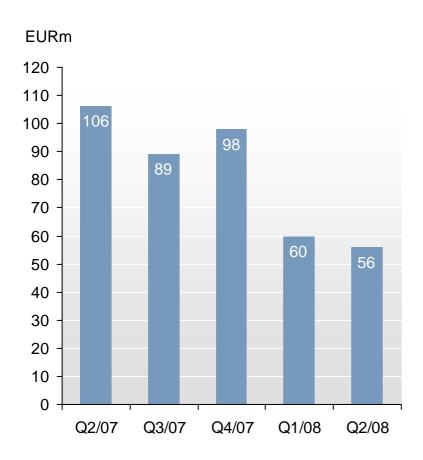
### Capital Markets Products, product result



- Up 15% despite challenging market conditions
- High market volatility provided good business opportunities
- Focus on risk-management products to corporate customers continued
- Strongest contribution from foreignexchange and fixed income products



# Savings products and Asset Management, product result

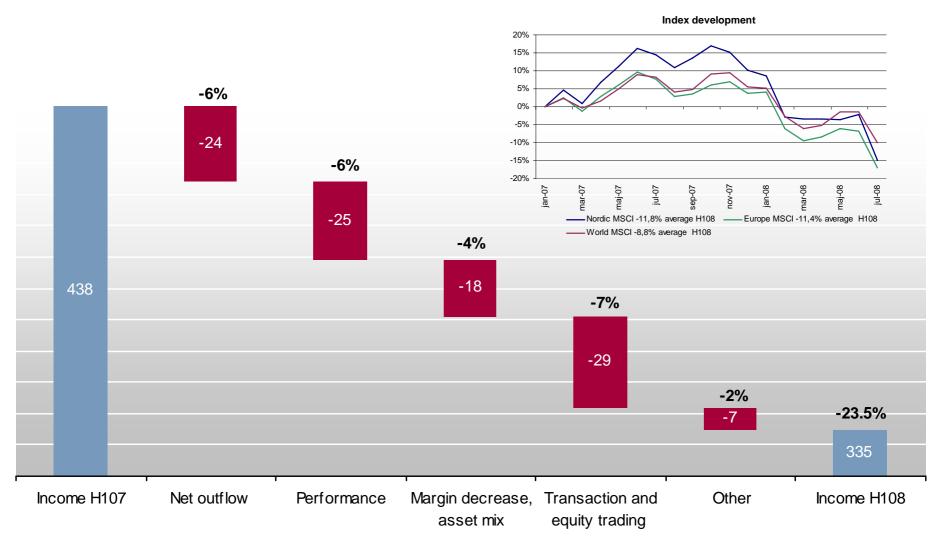


- Income and product result down due to lower AuM and average margins
- Income margins down 13bps to 56bps
  - Lower activity level transaction income down
  - Shift in asset types from equity to fixed income (42%/58% to 33%/67%)
  - Lower volumes in Retail funds
- Strong net inflow in Q2 Nordic Private Banking

| Key ratios   | Q208 | Q207 |
|--------------|------|------|
| C/I ratio, % | 66   | 52   |
| AuM, EURbn   | 94   | 110  |

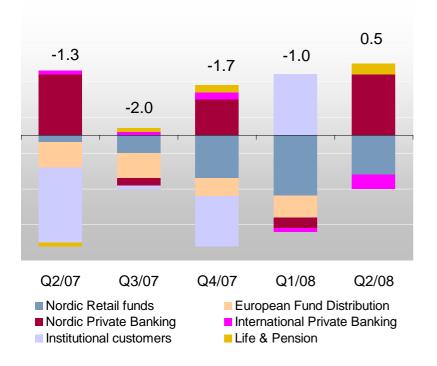


#### Income development Asset Management





### Net inflow in Asset Management in Q2

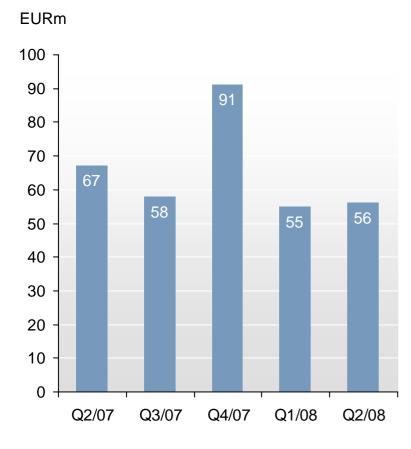


Net flows AuM, EURbn

- Net inflow in AuM of EUR 0.5bn
- Strong inflow in Nordic Private Banking EUR 1.7bn in
- Net outflow from Retail funds EUR 1.1nb
- AuM down 12% compared to Q207, EUR 146bn



#### Life and Pension, product result



- Premiums up 47% compared to Q207
  - Premiums in Sweden up 75% new product launches
  - Poland and Denmark also contributed strongly premiums up 120% and 48% respectively
- Product result down 16% compared to Q207
  - Negatively affected by equity market downturn and increased interest rates
- Product result unchanged Q2/Q1
  - No P/L effect in Q2 from shadow accounting and improved contribution from profit sharing in Norway

| Key ratios           | Q208 | Q207 |
|----------------------|------|------|
| Inv return, %        | -0.4 | 0.8  |
| Financial buffers, % | 5.5  | 7.0  |

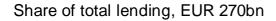


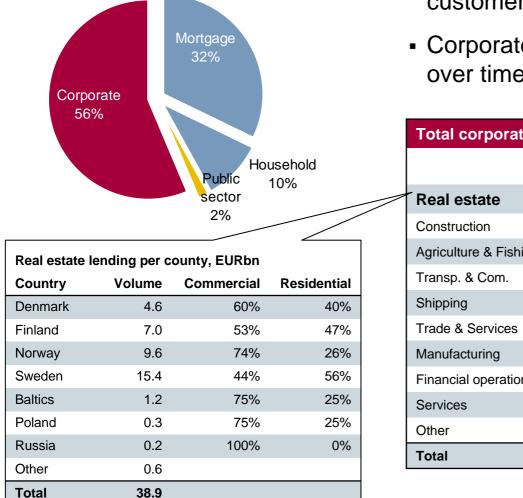


## **CRO** Presentation



## Well diversified lending portfolio





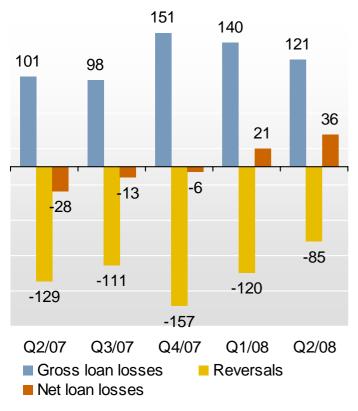
- Well-diversified lending mix measured by customer segments and industry
- Corporate portfolio stable industry split over time

| Total corporate lending per industry, EURbn |       |         |       |         |                 |  |  |
|---|-------|---------|-------|---------|-----------------|--|--|
|   | Volum | ne Q208 | Volum | ne Q207 | Change<br>Q2/Q2 |  |  |
| Real estate                                 | 38,9  | 26%     | 32.5  | 26%     | 20%             |  |  |
| Construction                                | 5,6   | 4%      | 3.9   | 3%      | 44%             |  |  |
| Agriculture & Fishing                       | 7,9   | 5%      | 6.7   | 5%      | 18%             |  |  |
| Transp. & Com.                              | 7,5   | 5%      | 6.3   | 5%      | 20%             |  |  |
| Shipping                                    | 5,9   | 4%      | 6.1   | 5%      | -4%             |  |  |
| Trade & Services                            | 14,4  | 9%      | 11.8  | 10%     | 22%             |  |  |
| Manufacturing                               | 23,7  | 16%     | 19.4  | 16%     | 22%             |  |  |
| Financial operations                        | 17,0  | 11%     | 13.2  | 11%     | 28%             |  |  |
| Services                                    | 16,0  | 10%     | 13.9  | 11%     | 15%             |  |  |
| Other                                       | 15,5  | 10%     | 9.1   | 7%      | 69%             |  |  |
| Total                                       | 152,3 |         | 123.1 |         | 24%             |  |  |



#### Loan losses

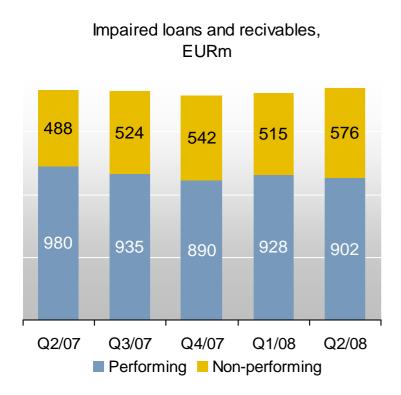
Loan losses, EURm



- Net loan losses EUR 57m recorded in the first half year
  - Loan loss ratio of 5 basis points
- Both reversals and new provisions lower than last quarters
- Credit quality in the well diversified lending portfolio remains strong – no industry sector showing any material change in credit strength



## Largely stable impaired loans



- The overall credit quality remains strong
- Modest increase in impaired loans
  - Increase in impaired loans explained by increases in in the Baltic countries – from very low levels
  - Majority of impaired loans are performing
- Unchanged impaired loans net in relation to total lending for the Group amounted to 0.31% (0.31% end Dec) – 1.0% in the Baltic countries

Performing: Allowance established, payments made

Non-performing: Allowance established, payments not made due time



#### Impaired loans and total allowances

| EURm   | Q2 2008 | Q1 2008 | Q4 2007 | Q3 2007 | Q2 2007 | Q1 2007 |
|--|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Impaired loans, gross, individually assessed                       | 1,478   | 1,443   | 1,432   | 1,459   | 1,468   | 1,465   |
| Allowances for individually assessed loans                         | 547     | 562     | 603     | 632     | 659     | 668     |
| Impaired loans, net, individually assessed                         | 931     | 882     | 830     | 827     | 809     | 797     |
| Impaired loans, net / lending to public (%)                        | 0,35    | 0.35    | 0.34    | 0,35    | 0,35    | 0.36    |
| Allowances, individually assessed /<br>Impaired loans, gross, (%)  | 37      | 39      | 42      | 43      | 45      | 46      |
| Allowances for collectively assessed loans                         | 383     | 360     | 355     | 293     | 282     | 364     |
| Total allowances / Impaired loans, gross individually assessed (%) | 63      | 64      | 67      | 63      | 64      | 70      |
| Total allowances   | 930     | 922     | 958     | 925     | 941     | 1,032   |
| Provisions for off balance sheet items                             | 63      | 60      | 54      | 125     | 132     | 71      |
| Total allowances and provisions                                    | 993     | 982     | 1,012   | 1,050   | 1,073   | 1,003   |



# Impaired loans

| EURm. End of Q2/08                     | Gross | Allowances* | Net |
|--|-------|-------------|-----|
| Personal customers                     | 436   | 118         | 318 |
| Manufacturing                          | 320   | 142         | 178 |
| Trade and services                     | 237   | 89          | 148 |
| Other companies                        | 46    | 33          | 13  |
| Real estate management                 | 94    | 17          | 77  |
| Renting, consulting and other services | 150   | 72          | 78  |
| Agriculture and fishing                | 37    | 12          | 25  |
| Construction                           | 80    | 33          | 47  |
| Transport, communication               | 30    | 10          | 20  |
| Public sector                          | 1     | 1           | 0   |
| Shipping                               | 1     | 1           | 0   |
| Financial operations                   | 38    | 13          | 25  |
| Credit institutions                    | 7     | 7           | 0   |
| Total                                  | 1,478 | 548         | 931 |

\* Allowances for individually assessed loans

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# Total market risk (VaR) increased somewhat since year end

| EURm                       | 30 Jun, 08 | 31 Mar, 08 | 31 Dec, 07 |
|----------------------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Total risk, VaR            | 82.1       | 60.1       | 58.9       |
| Interest rate risk, VaR    | 95.6       | 63.4       | 57.2       |
| Equity risk, VaR           | 10.7       | 4.6        | 32.9       |
| Foreign exchange risk, VaR | 5.2        | 3.0        | 3.4        |
| Credit spread risk, VaR    | 21.0       | 14.1       | 4.8        |
| Diversification effect     | 38%        | 29%        | 41%        |
| Commodity risk, linear     | 3.9        | 7.4        | 5.8        |
| Commodity risk, options    | 3.4        | 2.4        | 2.4        |

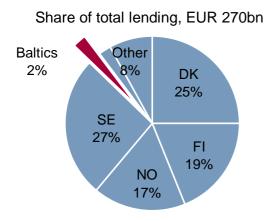
- Value at Risk (VaR) level in Nordea's trading and investment activities increased somewhat
- The VaR model has been modified resulting in 20% - 40% higher VaR figures



Lithuania

30%

## Well diversified lending exposure also in the Baltics.

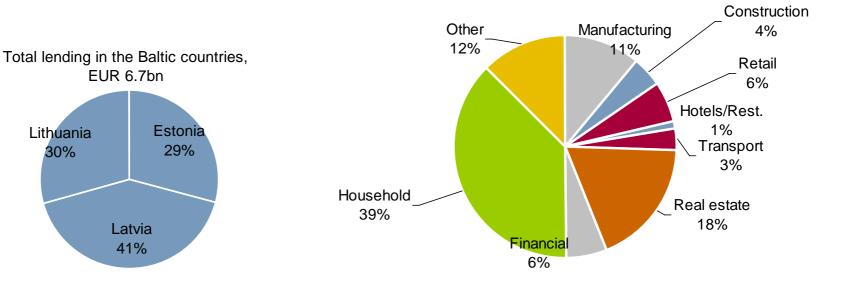


Total lending in the Baltic countries accounts for 2.5% of Nordea's loan portfolio

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Nordic related lending accounts for 25% of corporate portfolio

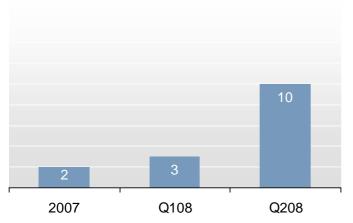
Well diversified Baltic lending portfolio

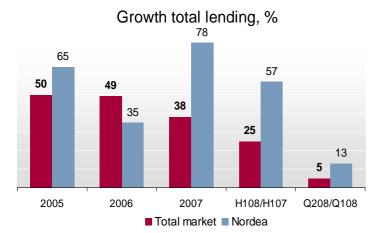




#### ..loan losses remained at very low levels

Loan losses in basis points of total Baltic lending





- Insignificant individual loan losses in H1
- Impaired loans of EUR 80m increased from very low levels, EUR 29m
  - Impaired loans in relation to total lending 1.01%
- Collective allowances for the Baltic countries amounting to EUR 90m
  - Considering the expected loss levels the current allowances are assessed to be sufficient for the foreseeable future
- Total lending in the Baltic countries up 22% or EUR 1.2bn in H1
  - Increase mainly explained by new lending to existing customers and to Nordic corporates



## Q2 2008 in short

- $\checkmark$  High business activity and record results from customer areas
- Continued strong delivery from growth initiatives execution continues according to plan
- Volatile and weakened financial markets
- Credit quality remains solid
- Strong capital position
- ✓ Stable and well-diversified funding base
- Maintained ambitious long-term financial targets
- Outlook 2008: Growth in risk-adjusted profit expected to be approx.
   5%



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