

# FINANCIAL STATEMENT



JOTUL HOLDINGS S.A 31. MARCH 2019

#### MANAGEMENT COMMENTS

### Jotul Holdings S.A. – Q1 -2019

#### Comments related to the financial statements

Group net sales ended at MNOK 213 in Q1 2019. This is 5% over the comparable net sales figure for Q1 2018.

Jotul Group's three largest markets are Norway, France and North America where the Group has a significant market position and enjoys strong brand recognition. These markets are currently experiencing a gradual transition towards modern products that will meet Ecodesign requirements for 2022, which are expected to have a positive impact on the key players in the industry, included Jotul Group. In France and other Latin European markets, demand for wood-fired products continues to decline, while the pellet market continues to grow.

The sales growth Q1 2019 against Q1 2018 of 5% comes from higher sales in Norway, Sweden, Italy and France. The growth in these markets was partly offset by a sales decline in North America.

In Norway, the market momentum was strong during the last half of 2018 partly driven by high electricity prices. The high demand continued into Q1 2019, and is strong in both the DIY and professional segment.

The North American market has suffered from regulatory uncertainties related to wood-burning products. A new regulation (EPA2020) will come into force in May 2020, and the uncertainty relates to whether the retailers will be allowed to sell their existing stock of non-compliant products after this time, so-called "sell-through". Government clarification on this point was not given as of Q1 2019 and demand suffered accordingly. The demand for gas products, however, is still strong and that offsets the US sales drop to some extent.

France experienced social unrest and the "yellow vest" movement during the high season for wood stove sales in 2018, and retailers suffered badly from it, including Jotul Group dealers. The strong Q1 2019 can be seen in light of this.

Overall, the other markets were in line with last year.

The Group's gross margin increased in Q1 2019 compared with Q1 2018, mainly due to higher sales and build-up of inventory in preparation for the relocation of production to Poland. This margin improvement is partly offset by higher direct material costs.

EBITDA ended at MNOK 26,2 in Q1 2019, compared to MNOK 9,2 in Q1 2018.

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In 2019, the Group has made adjustments in accordance with IFRS16 and the accounting of leasing obligations. When adjusting for this effect, Q1 2019 EBITDA ends at MNOK 16,5.

The Group has also made an adjustment in 2019 due an IFRS reclassification of a sales leaseback agreement from 2006. When adjusting Q1 2018 for this effect, the comparable EBITDA figure for Q1 2018 is MNOK 8,0.

1000 NOK	Q1 2018	Q1 2019
Reported EBITDA	9 189	26 195
IFRS adjustments	- 1 176	- 9 654
Comparable EBITDA adjusted for changes	8 013	16 541

The strong EBITDA in Q1 2019 comes from higher sales, net FX effects, lowered sales commissions, lower OPEX and higher inventory build-up than Q1 2018. The material increase in inventory is related to stock build-up as a preparation for the 2020 relocation of manufacturing activities to Poland.

Total cash flow from operating activities decreased to MNOK -35,2 in Q1 2019 from MNOK -32,7 in Q1 2018. The cash flow in Q1 2019 is heavily affected by an inventory build-up of MNOK 29 in preparation for the relocation project.

The cash flow from financing activities in Q1 2019 is affected by the Group successfully completing a tap-issue of MNOK 90 in January to finance the relocation project.

The Group's capital investments in Q1 2019 amounted to MNOK 6,5, compared to 4,4 in Q1 2018.

#### Relocation project of production from Norway and Denmark to Poland

2019 Q1 non-recurring costs of MNOK 7,5 are related primarily to the relocation project.

The company Jotul Poland Sp. z o.o. was established in Q1 2019 and the Group reached an agreement with the global property developer Prologis to construct the new manufacturing facility.

The most important machine supplier agreements are in place, and the most important local management positions are being filled. The project is running according to plan, with estimated start-up of production in Q1 2020.

The Group's MNOK 340 senior secured bond loan is listed on STO Corporate Bonds (Nasdaq Stockholm) since May 2019.

## **INCOME STATEMENT**

	FY 2017	FY 2018	Q1 2018	Q1 2019
PERATING REVENUE AND COST				
perating revenue				
Gross sales	1 652 154	1 651 787	369 333	382 364
Discounts	-745 995	-749 345	-164 770	-169 036
Net sales	906 160	912 278	204 563	213 328
Operating cost				
Direct materials	314 786	324 503	70 580	80 302
Direct personnel cost	108 567	94 054	22 421	25 685
Distribution costs	37 807	38 252	8 455	10 594
Sales commission	28 086	29 829	9 124	5 633
Contribution margin	416 913	425 641	93 983	91 115
ndirect production costs	171 009	151 889	37 474	24 364
Gross margin	245 904	273 753	56 509	66 751
Sales, general and administration costs	184 609	186 394	47 320	40 556
BITDA	61 295	87 359	9 189	26 195
Non-recurring items	35 828	51 485	28 388	7 446
EBITDA, incl. non-recurring items	25 466	35 874	-19 199	18 749
Depreciation	46 169	44 557	10 913	21 099
Vritedown	300 000	1 365	0	0
Operating profit	-320 703	-10 049	-30 112	-2 350
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FINANCE REVENUE AND COST				
Financial income				
Other interest	586	594	165	274
Other finance revenue	76	500	6 427	2 410
Total financial income	662	1 094	6 592	2 684
Financial cost				
nterest cost shareholder loan	2 610	7 997	229	0
Other interest cost	19 811	28 860	5 845	12 896
Other financial cost	9 430	1 861	390	4 243
Total financial cost	31 851	38 718	6 464	17 139
NET FINANCIAL ITEMS	-31 189	-37 623	128	-14 455
PROFIT BEFORE TAX	-351 892	-47 672	-29 984	-16 805
ncome tax expenses	-3 576	-5 885	1 766	-1 021
PROFIT FOR THE YEAR	-355 467	-53 557	-28 218	-17 826

## **BALANCE SHEET**

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ASSETS NON CURRENT ASSETS Intangible fixed assets	31.12.2017	31.12.2018	31.03.2018	31.03.2019
Trademark	115 927	10 620	112 562	2 080
Right to use assets	0	0	0	440 184
Other intangible assets	14 791	13 543	14 041	11 000
Deferred tax assets	1 401	1 300	1 261	1 248
Goodwill	0	0	1 160	0
Total intangible fixed assets	132 120	25 463	129 023	454 513
Tangible fixed assets				
Property	1 889	1 734	1 748	1 811
Plant and equipment	151 986	137 855	142 419	136 573
Total tangible fixed assets	153 876	139 589	144 167	138 384
Financial fixed assets				
Other financial fixed assets	16 153	15 348	15 831	15 050
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TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS	302 149	180 400	289 021	607 947
CURRENT ASSETS				
Inventory	167 413	179 012	157 028	207 682
Accounts receivables	92 004	75 698	85 019	82 621
Other receivables	8 976	15 213	9 738	14 568
Total receivables	100 979	90 911	94 757	97 189
Other current financial assets	0	0	0	326
Bank and cash equivalents	6 294	117 811	98 266	181 181
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	274 686	387 734	350 052	486 377
TOTAL ASSETS	576 835	568 134	639 073	1 094 325

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	31.12.2017	31.12.2018	31.03.2018	31.03.2019
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	-			
EQUITY				
Paid in capital				
Issued capital	135 419	600	121	600
Share premium	565 112	0	0	0
Total paid in capital	701 026	600	121	600
Other equity				
Other equity / retained earnings	-875 164	-14 155	32 879	-38 044
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TOTAL EQUITY	-147 137	-13 555	33 000	-37 444
LIABILITIES				
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES				
Provisions				
Deferred tax	2 818	13 802	632	12 769
Other provisions	4 030	4 018	40 132	3 930
Total provisions	6 847	17 819	40 765	16 699
Other non-current liabilities				
Interest bearing loans and borrowings	491 057	255 128	1 716	7 388
Lease obligation	0	0	0	442 093
Shareholder loan	90 668	139 211	177 321	140 263
Long term bond debt	0	0	252 178	337 967
Lond term derivatives	0	1 263	0	490
Total other non-current liabilities	581 725	395 601	431 215	928 201
TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES	588 572	413 420	471 979	944 900
CURRENT LIABILITIES				
Short term financial liabilities	0	0	0	24 308
Accounts payable	74 273	83 282	68 758	87 356
Liability for current tax	0	1 455	501	5 144
Other liabilities to public institutions	21 423	15 396	12 457	12 058
Other short term liabilities	63 594	64 623	51 767	56 109
Short term derivatives	3 110	3 513	611	1 893
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	162 400	168 269	134 093	186 869
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TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	576 835	568 134	639 073	1 094 325

## CASH FLOW STATEMENT

	YTD 31.03.2018	YTD 31.03.2019
CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Profit before tax	-29 984	-16 805
Income tax paid	690	-1 021
Capitalized interest	0	5 998
Depreciation and impairment of property, plant and equipment	10 913	21 099
Change in inventory	10 385	-28 670
Change in accounts receivables	6 984	-6 681
Change in accounts payable	-5 515	4 074
Other changes in operating assets and liabilities	-22 029	-9 456
Net foreign exchange differences	-4 094	-3 764
Net cash flow from operating activities	-32 650	-35 226
CASH FLOW FRO INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	-4 420	-6 497
Net cash flows from investing activities	-4 420	-6 497
CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from borrowings	284 284	87 750
Repayment of debt	-332 563	0
Other cash flow from financing	177 321	17 343
Net cash flows from financing activities	129 042	105 093
Net cash flow	91 972	63 370
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	6 294	117 811
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF PERIOD	98 266	181 181
Credit line	75 000	75 000
Ancillary facilities	-13 850	-13 850
Used credit line	0	0
Available credit line	61 150	61 150

### STATEMENT OF EQUITY 31.03.19

Jotul Holdings S.A is 100% owned and controlled by Stove Investment Holdings S.à r.l. incorporated in Luxembourg and managed by OpenGate Capital, LCC. OpenGate Capital is a private equity firm based in Los Angeles and Paris. Jotul Holdings SA acquired Jøtul AS February 28, 2018 by purchasing the stock from Ratos AB, a company listed on Nasdaq Stockholm.

The Financial Statement per 31.12.17 shows the Jotul Group Financial Statement, while the closing balances for 2018 and 2019 shows the Jotul Holdings S.A balances.

Below the Equity reconciliation for Jotul Holdings SA.

	SHARE CAPITAL	OTHER EQUITY	TOTAL
Opening balance 31.12.2018	600	-14 155	-13 555
Net results for the year		-17 826	-17 826
Changes in translation diff		-6 063	-6 063
Closing balance 31.03.2019	600	-38 044	-37 444

The statement is unaudited

