

## CAPITAL MARKETS DAY

6-7 SEPTEMBER 2023







VIDEO 1 - INTRO



## Agenda

#### DAY 1

#### **COMPANY PRESENTATIONS**

- 13:00 14:00: Lunch
- 14:00 17:40: Company Presentation
  - -This is SalMar CEO Frode Arntsen
  - —Biology Norway COO Biology Roger Bekken

Break – 10 min

- -Sales & Industry COO Sales & Industry Simon Søbstad
- -SalMar Aker Ocean CEO SAO Roy Reite

Break - 10 min

- -Icelandic Salmon CEO ISLAX Bjørn Hembre
- —Scottish Sea Farms Managing Director Jim Gallagher

Break - 10 min

- -Financials CFO Ulrik Steinvik
- -Closing remarks & Q&A CEO Frode Arntsen
- 19:45: Dinner

#### DAY 2

#### SITE VISIT

- 07:00: Departure with boat from Tromsø
  - Farming site and remote feeding center
  - -Senja 1 & 2 smolt facility
  - -InnovaNor Harvesting & Processing Facility
- 17:00: Arrival Tromsø



## Executive Management SalMar

**Experienced team with strong experience from the aquaculture industry and SalMar** 



Frode Arntsen
CEO

Joined SalMar: 2017



**Ulrik Steinvik**CFO

Joined SalMar: 2006



**Arthur Wisniewski**Director HRM

Joined SalMar: 2016



Roger Bekken COO Biology

Joined SalMar: 2014



**Eva J. Haugen**Director Quality Mgmt/HSE

Joined SalMar: 2001



Simon Søbstad COO Sales & Industry

Joined SalMar: 2007



Runar Sivertsen
Chief Strategy Officer

Joined SalMar: 2010



## Speakers at today's presentation from Group companies





Scottish Sea Farms Jim Gallagher **Managing Director** Scottish Sea Farms Joined SSF: 1998 Joint Venture Owner share 50% 🥩 SalMar

Subsidiary
Owner share 51%

## Additional representatives from SalMar at CMD

#### **Board of Directors**



Gustav Witzøe
Board Chair &
Founder
Joined SalMar: 1991



**Leif Inge Nordhammer**Board Member *Joined SalMar: 1996* 



Morten Loktu
Board Member
Joined SalMar: 2022



Ingvild
Kindlihagen
Employee Rep.
Joined SalMar: 2020



Hans Stølan Employee Rep. Joined SalMar: 2002



Kim S. Johansen
Director Farming
Northern Norway
Joined SalMar: 2015

**Representatives from Northern Norway** 



Jørn Tore Fjellstad Factory Manager InnovaNor Joined SalMar: 2017



**Stian Iversen**Prod. Manager Senja
Smolt Facility
Joined SalMar: 2008



Karoline Sandberg
Manager visitor
centers
Joined SalMar: 2018



Silje Christine
Haugan
HR InnovaNor
Joined SalMar: 2021

**Investor Relations** 



Håkon Husby Head of IR Joined SalMar: 2018



Our story
is about
utilizing the
potential in
the ocean

Produce healthy,
nutritious &
sustainable food
for the world's
growing population

always on the

terms of the

Salmon with

minimal footprint

while we maximize

value creation



## Our story A history of growth



From a small processing plant on Frøya, to the world's 2nd largest salmon producer

Norway Offshore Offshore 2017 Northern Norway Iceland 2000 2015 Iceland UK 2001

UK

**SALMAR** 

Harvest volume 174 128 2007 2018 2020 2022 2023 2008 2009 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2019 2021

## Our growth has outperformed the industry – and we have delivered more than what we said at last CMD





## Largest acquisition completed in 2022



Successfully integrated NTS, NRS and SalmoNor



Strategically attractive for many years



Presence in optimal location

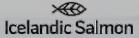


Strong synergy potential confirmed













### SalMar strategically located in the best regions to produce salmon



Operating in the best regions in Norway



Pioneering and leading the development



Largest producer in the West Fjords



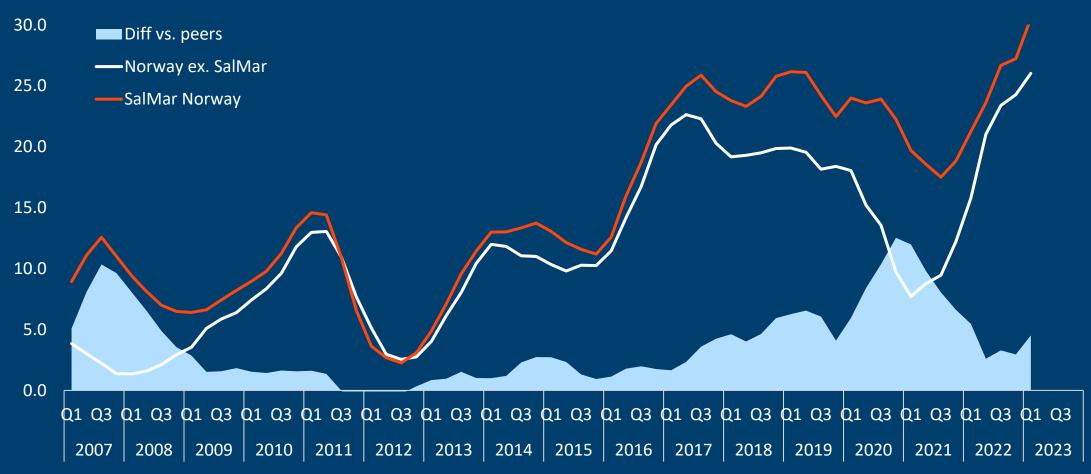
UK's second largest salmon producer

Significant untapped growth potential



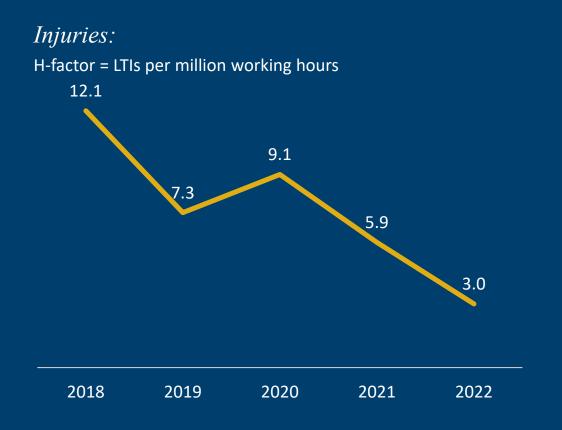
### SalMar consistently delivering strong margins

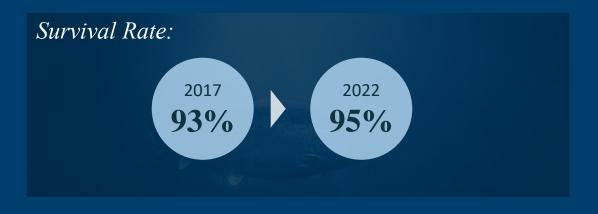
EBIT-margin (NOK/kg) – 12 month rolling

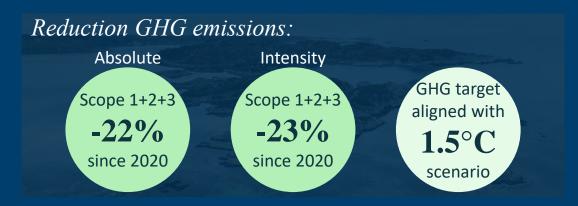




## Key ESG KPIs are moving in the right direction









# Strong market outlook for sustainable proteins



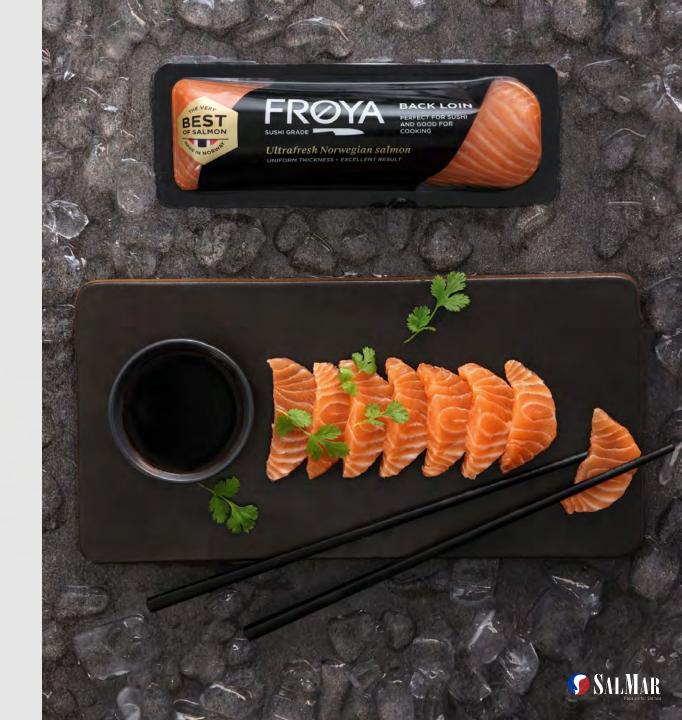
## Strong demand for healthy and sustainable proteins

The growing world population wants to eat healthy, organic and sustainable food, with low carbon footprint



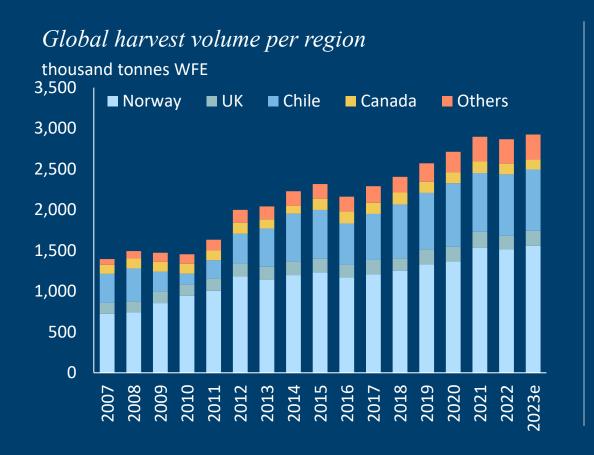
## Market and authorities require sustainable food production

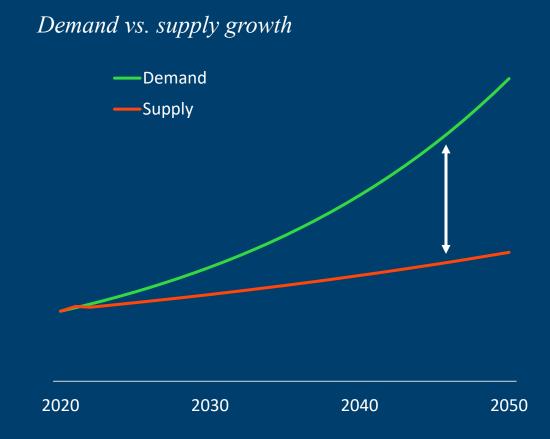
Eu farm to fork strategy, aiming to accelerate the transition to a sustainable food system



## Still growth potential – but supply growth is lagging the demand

Expect a supply growth of 2-3% from conventional farming until 2030







### The industry has gone through a strong development the last decades









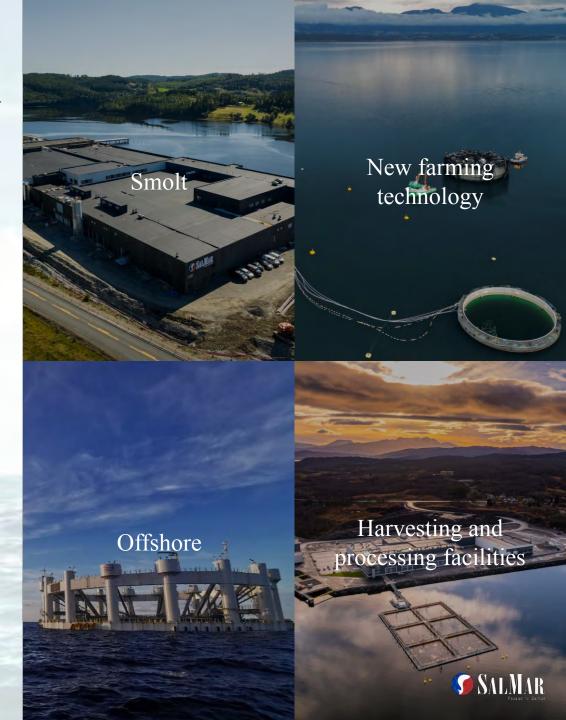






# SalMar in the forefront of innovation and development in the aquaculture industry

- Smolt:
  - New RAS facilities in operation
- New farming technology:
  - Closed, semi-closed, submersible
- Harvesting & processing
  - InnovaMar, InnovaNor, Vikenco Modern harvest & processing facilities



## Two offshore projects in operation

#### SalMar pioneering and leading the development offshore

#### Ocean Farm 1

- 3rd production cycle started in May
- Located at Håbranden on Frohavet in Central Norway



#### Arctic Offshore Farming

- Development project 1st production cycle started in July
- Located at Fellesholmen in Northern Norway





## Robust value chain equipped for further sustainable growth

Strong growth potential and dedicated employees with a  $Passion\ for\ \mathbf{Salmon}$ 





minimal footprint in the areas we operate



maximum value creation of the salmon



SALES & DISTRIBUTION

Close customer relations and
high-quality products



## Our ambition is to be the world's best aquaculture company

Vision	Passion for Salmon		
Ambition	The World's Best Aquaculture Company		
Strategic Focus	Operational Efficiency	Sustainable Growth	Innovate for the Future
Goal	One SalMar	Growth in optimal locations	Sustainable business development
Fundament	Continuous improvements and excellent achievements		
	Solid operational structure		
	Strong corporate culture		



# Sustainability an integrated part of our strategy

#### Sustainability in everything we do

#### Fish

We work systematically to create an environment in which the salmon thrives and remains healthy



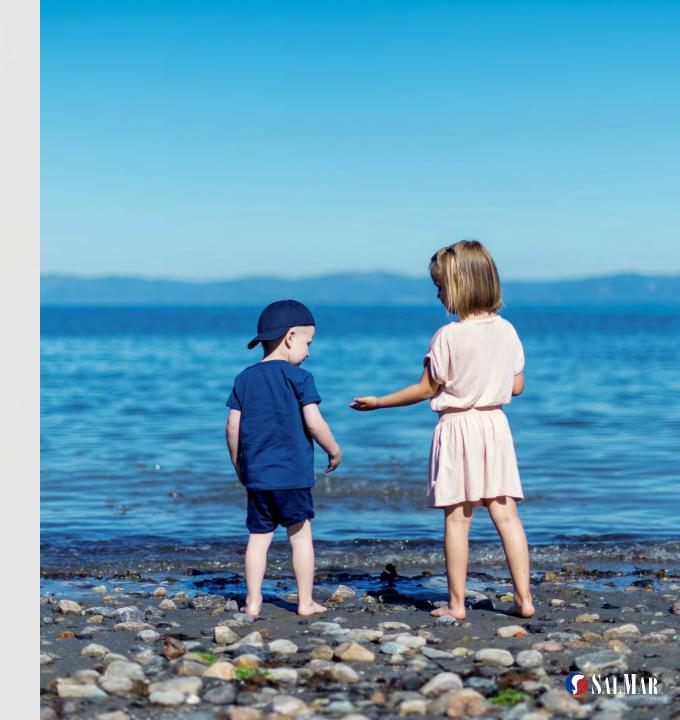
#### **People & Society**

We believe in creating local value and safe workplaces and support the local communities where we operate



**Environment & Technology**We minimize our footprint with measures and routines throughout the entire value chain





## Untapped organic growth potential within existing value chain – without any large investments projects











243 000

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2023 16 000

27 000

273 000

Potential

300 000

Δ2023: **+23**%

13 000

Δ2023: **N/A** 

26 000

Δ2023: **+63**%

**45 000** 

Δ2023: **+67**%

362 000

Δ2023: **+33**%



<sup>\*)</sup> all figures are harvest volume in tonnes gutted weight

<sup>1)</sup> Total is including relative share, 50%, from Scottish Sea Farms in UK

## A sustainable regulatory framework needed to utilize the potential











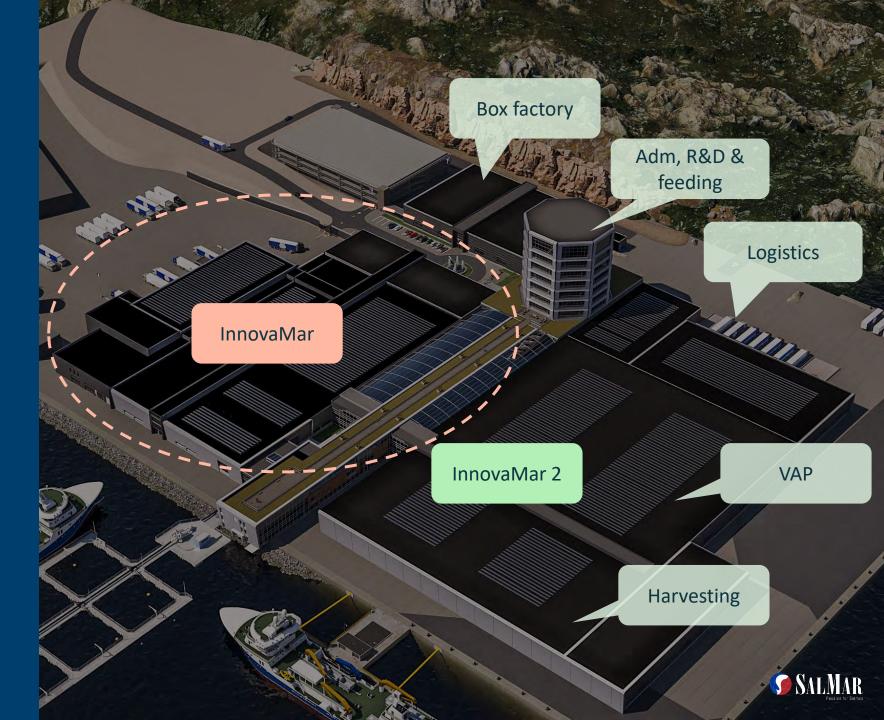




### InnovaMar 2.0

Next generation harvesting & processing facility

- Plans were ready to double capacity at InnovaMar
  - Estimated investmentNOK 2.5 billion
  - Significant local ripple effects
- Project currently on hold due to resource rent tax & regulatory framework for offshore



VIDEO 2 - INNOVAMAR 2.0

## Significant investments awaiting a sustainable regulatory framework

NOK 5-7 billion in investments still on hold









### In SalMar we are always exploring ways for further sustainable growth

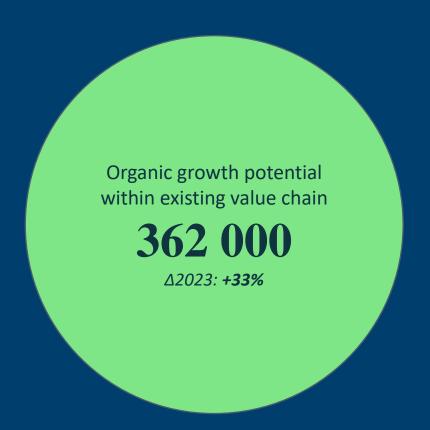
- Where, how soon and how much depends to a large degree on a sustainable regulatory framework
- Key factors for further growth:
  - Biological conditions
  - Regulatory framework
  - Value chain capacity
  - Market access





## Our ambition is to grow at least as much as the rest of the industry

## Further growth potential





Strong potential, but dependent on regulatory framework and political ambitions



Dependent on regulatory framework and access to areas -> significant potential



Significant potential through new licenses and opening of new areas



Further potential through acesss in new areas and use of new technology



## Culture is vital for us to succeed



WHAT WE DO TODAY WE DO BETTER THAN YESTERDAY



THE JOB IS NOT DONE UNTIL THE PERSON YOU ARE DOING IT FOR IS SATISFIED



FOCUS ON THE SOLUTION



THE JOB WE DO TODAY IS VITAL TO THE SUCCESS OF US ALL



SUSTAINABILITY IN EVERYTHING WE DO



WE CARE!



### We need all of our employees to succeed

Production of sustainable food for the world made by people with strong competence,

**dedication** and a **Passion for Salmon** 

each and every one equally important to unlock the potential in our organization



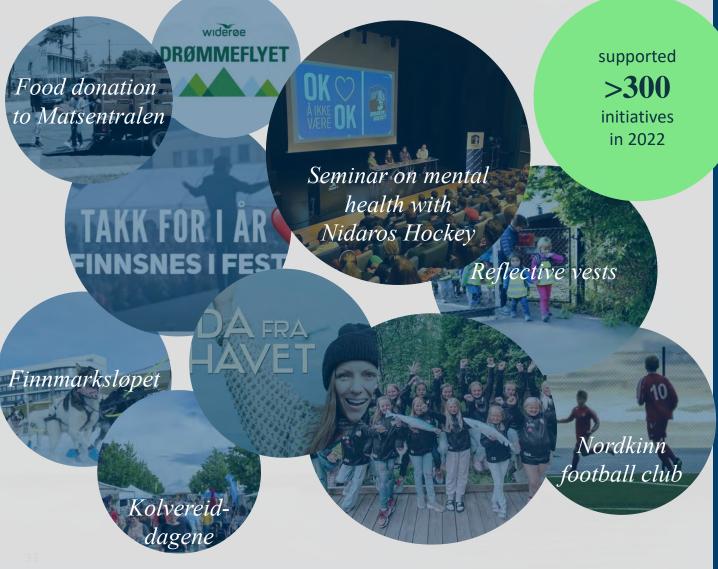


### 2023 the year of culture in SalMar

- All employees gathered under one roof in May
  - Corporate culture and team building
  - One united SalMar
- New round of the SalMar School implemented
  - All parts of the value chain and all segments/regions
  - Cocreating and ensuring ownership for the road ahead
- Employee satisfaction survey rolled out last week
  - Vital part of improving ourselves and unlock our potential



### We care about our local communities







# WITH A PASSION FOR SALMON WE WILL CONTINUE TO LEAD THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE INDUSTRY



VIDEO 3 - NORTHERN NORWAY



### Strong strategic and operational focus through our value chain

#### Always on the terms of the salmon

Flexibility and capacity to deliver the right smolt at the right time ...

... for production at the optimal locations with minimal footprint...

... to deliver the best fish through good fish welfare...

... with flexibility to handle the volume when the salmon is ready for harvest...

All handled by dedicated employees with strong competence and culture and a passion for salmon













## Own genetic breeding programme based on the Rauma strain

- Working long-term to develop a more genetically robust strain of salmon
  - Genetics and the development of a more robust salmon are important preventive measures to reduce biological risk
- Focus on the development of robust qualities
  - Disease resistance, sea lice resistance and growth
- 4 licenses for broodstock production in Central Norway
  - Two onshore facilities for roe production







### Self sufficient with high quality smolt

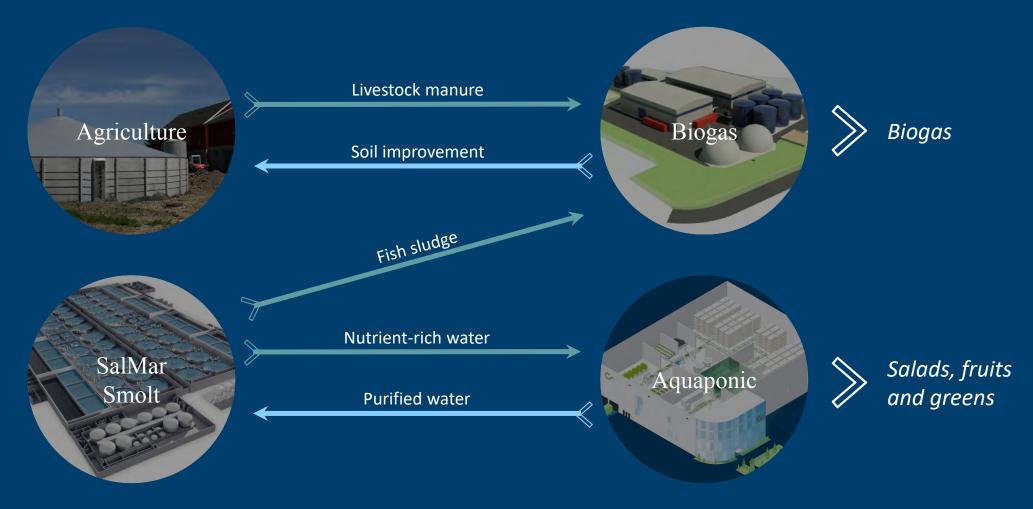
- Large investments completed over the last years
  - Senja 2 completed in 2022, Tjuin to be finished in 2023
- Strong capacity to produce the right smolt
  - Overcapacity gives flexibility to adapt smolt production
- All facilities with recirculating aquaculture systems (RAS) technology
  - Infrastructure ready at our facilities for further expansion





## Exploring circular opportunities from our smolt facilities

Waste from our smolt facility can be used as a vital element for both biogas and aquaponics





### SalMar the largest salmon producer from Møre to Finnmark

- Strong presence along the coast
  - SalMar has a key role in local communities
  - Operate 6 visitor centers open to the public
  - 4 remote feeding centers
- Untapped organic growth potential in both regions
  - Existing value chain with capacity to utilize the potential
  - Largest growth potential in Northern Norway

**Northern Norway Production area 10-13 49** farming sites 2 visitor centers 1 remote feeding center MAB tonnes 67 505 Commercial **1 560** Visitor Volume potential **130 000** tonnes



Visitor center

Remote feeding center

**Central Norway Production area 5-7** 

**78** farming sites

4 visitor centers

**3** remote feeding centers

MAB tonnes

**77 409** Commercial

**3 120** Visitor

**3 120** Broodstock

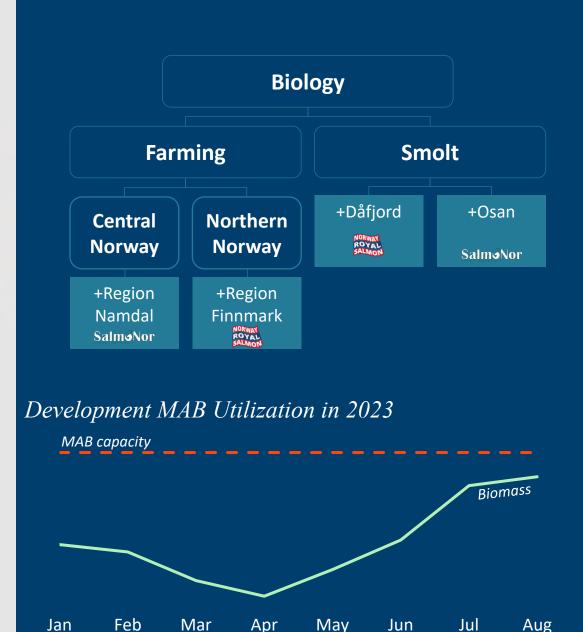
**1 100** Development

Volume potential **170 000** tonnes



# NRS and SalmoNor integrated into our existing operational set-up

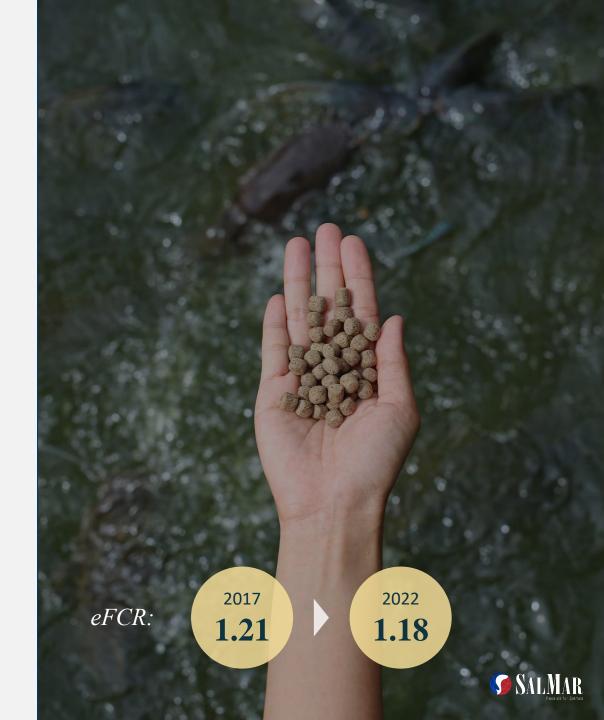
- Farming structure expanded with two new regions
  - Support functions merged into existing structure
- Strong synergy potential
  - NRS with unutilized license capacity
  - SalMar with smolt capacity to utilize potential
  - Cost synergies benefitting from improved operational set-up, increased efficiency and scale advantages
- Strategically attractive for many years
  - Increased presence in optimal locations to produce salmon



### Feed our most important input factor

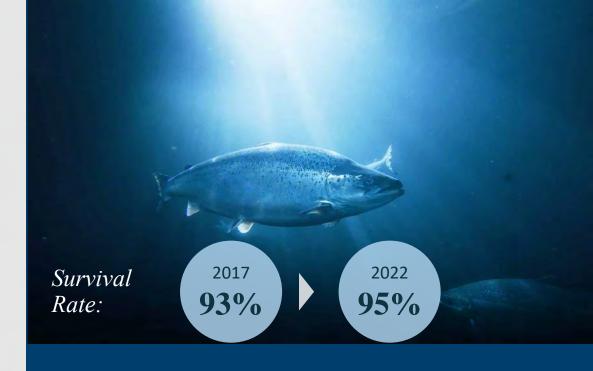
### Vital for optimizing fish health, welfare and growth

- Recent cost inflation driven by increase in cost of raw materials in feed basket
  - Novel ingredients more attractive when cost has increased
  - Seeking to include more novel feed ingredients both to reduce cost and to reduce environmental impact
- Byproducts from fisheries and aquaculture interesting
  - Local, cost effective and sustainable ingredient
- Fish feed our largest single source of GHG emissions
  - And at the same time also the one with largest reduction
  - Improved feed conversion ratio and sourcing of more climate friendly raw materials driving our reduction

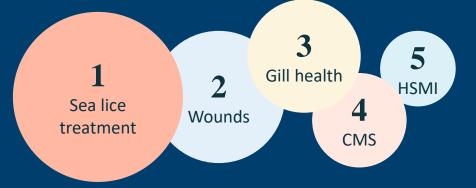


# We work systematically to create an environment in which the salmon thrives and remains healthy

- Fish welfare crucial for production of healthy, nutritious and sustainable food
  - SalMar with strong performance compared to peers, but see large potential for improvement
- A robust smolt delivered at the right time to right location a prerequisite for fish welfare and to increase survival
  - Key measures to handle wounds: Robust smolt, gentle handling of salmon, improved vaccines
  - Key measures to handle gill health: Robust smolt, surveillance of water quality and freshwater treatment
- Sea lice still a biological challenge



## TOP 5 CAUSES FOR MORTALITY LAST 3 YEARS





## Working actively to limit use of sea lice treatments

- Actively using new technology and methods
  - Both for preventive measures and corrective
  - Rigged with large capacity for sea lice treatments
- Own internal employees operating our units
  - Strong operational procedures and competent employees with a passion for their work
  - Employees incentivized to increase survival rate -> mortality after treatment reduced with 50% from 2017 to 2022
- Expanded our toolbox to handle peak periods
  - Need capacity to handle seasonal variations
  - -5 barges with hydrolicers for flushing
  - 5 well boats rigged with equipment for freshwater, thermal and flushing
  - Several of our boats are rigged with a combination of equipment in order to perform treatments at lower intensity

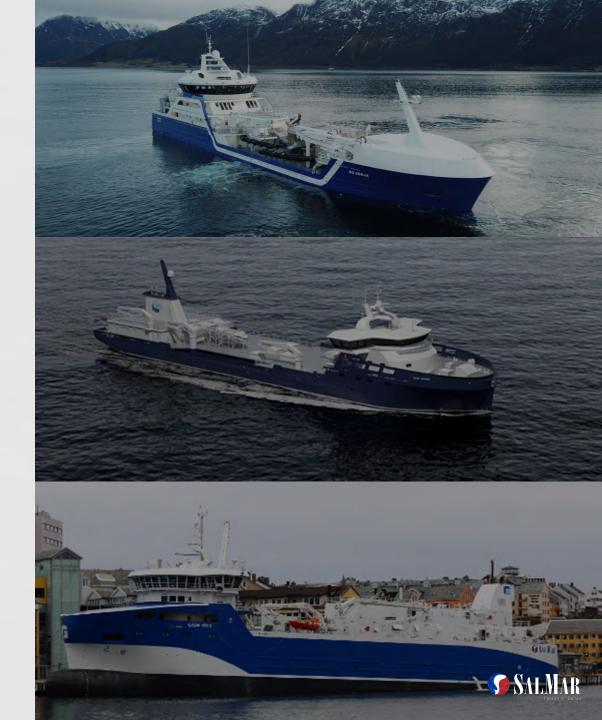






### Increasing our well boat capacity

- Both to handle harvest transportation, but also treatment capacity
- Two new vessels in operation from 2023
  - RoSenja and Gåsø Odin
- Two new vessels to be delivered in 2024
  - Rigged with the latest technology
- Reduced environmental footprint through use of battery-hybrid technology
  - RoVision worlds first battery hybrid well boat



# Reduced environmental footprint through use of new technology

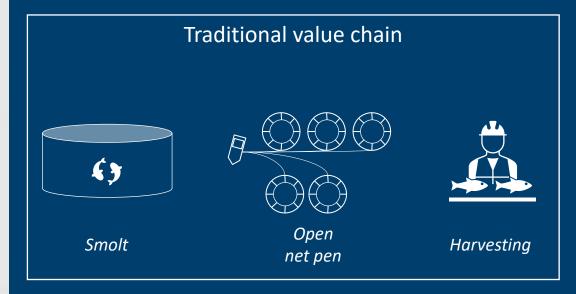
- 50% of feed barges with low emission technology
- Several vessels in use with low emission technology
  - Battery hybrid technology
  - Fully electric technology
- SalMar a frontrunner in the industry
  - Worlds first battery-hybrid well boat RoVision
  - Worlds first fully electric service boat Multi Electric & Enovation
  - Worlds first fully electric work boat Elfrida
- Significant reduction in emission and fuel consumption
  - A fully electric service boat reduces GHG emissions similar to
     215 cars per year

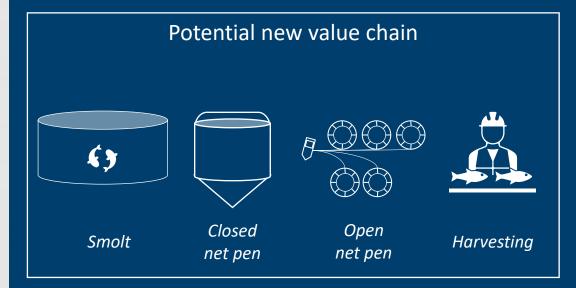




# SalMar a frontrunner in testing out new farming technology

- Ambition to increase operational efficiency through interaction with our existing value chain
  - Enhance efficiency of smolt facilities, sites, vessels and harvesting facilities
- Own internal project group established to handle larger innovation projects
- Projects with closed, semi-closed and submersible in operation







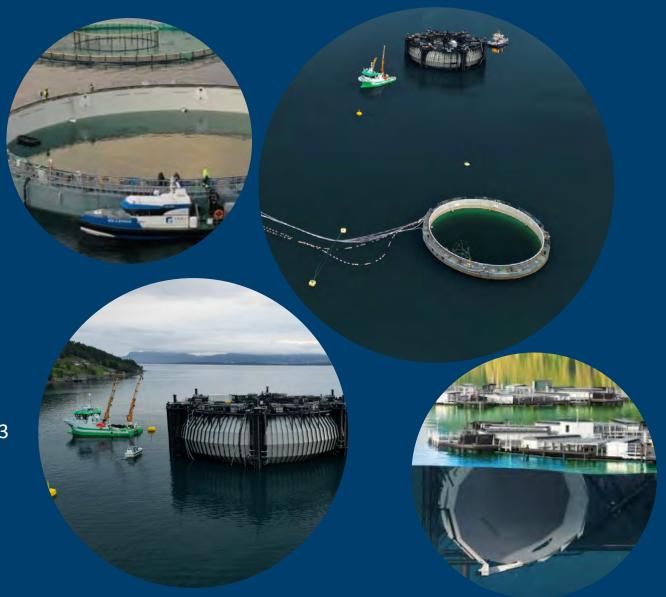
## Closed net pens

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- SalMars first closed net pen
- Three production cycles completed

### Marine Donut

- Development project
- First production cycle to commence autumn 2023





### Semi-closed and submersible

### Aquatraz

- Semi-closed net pen
- Previous development project
- Several cycles completed

### Submersible

• In use at several sites in Central Norway







# WITH A PASSION FOR SALMON WE WILL CONTINUE TO BE THE LEADING FARMER WITH RESPECT TO BOTH COST POSITION AND FISH WELFARE





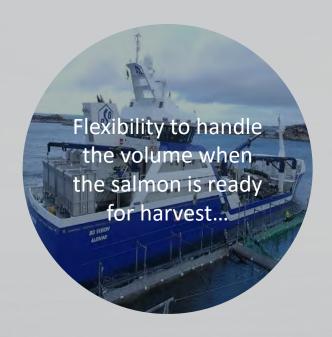


VIDEO 4 - FRØYAS



### We have flexible sales & processing capacity to handle the volume

### Always on the terms of the salmon











## 1 300 DEDICATED EMPLOYEES WITH STRONG COMPETENCE, CULTURE AND A PASSION FOR SALMON



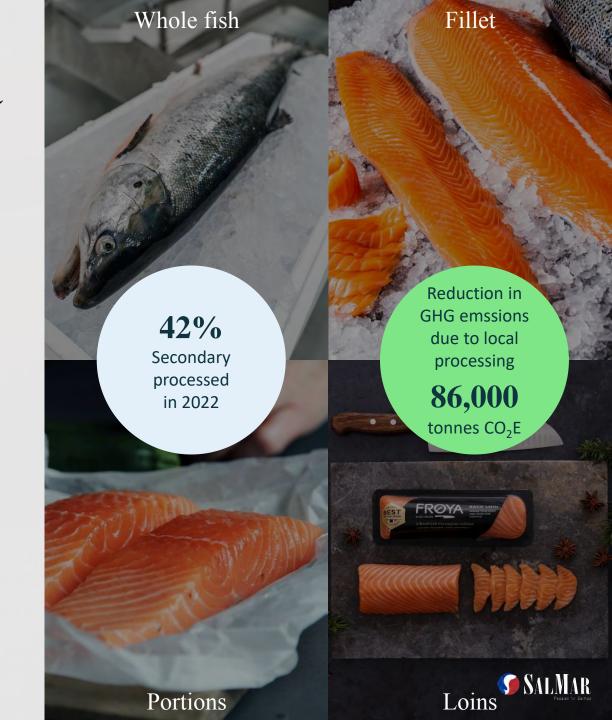
# Largest and most flexible local harvesting and processing capacity

- Built large capacity in close proximity to farming operations
  - Reduces biological risk in sea and optimizes biological production
  - Capacity to handle 1/5 of all volume in Norway
- Facilities rigged with the latest technology for both harvesting and value added processing and built with scalability in mind
- Significant value creation to the local communities
  - Attractive, exciting and sustainable jobs
  - Utilizing local suppliers to provide a wide range of services for the facilities

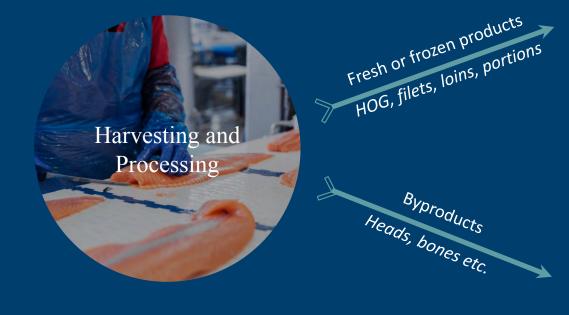


# Local secondary processing capacity a strong strategic advantage for SalMar

- Our facilities rigged with the latest technology for value added processing
  - Built with scalability in mind
  - Both post and pre-rigor capacity
- Flexibility to provide the market with the right product
  - Broad product portfolio for customers in all markets
  - Right fish to right product
- VAP reducing climate gas emissions
  - Transport volume reduced



### 100% utilization of the salmon















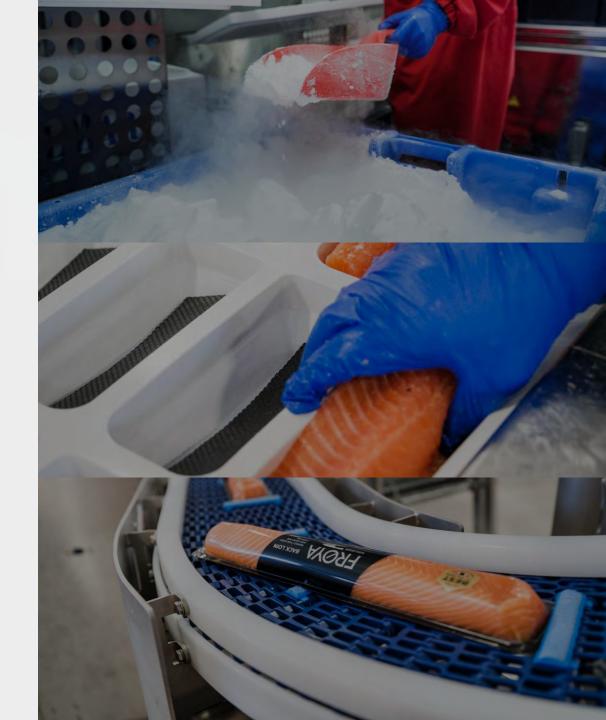
## Optimizing logistics to our customers worldwide

- Facilities in close proximity to farming operations
  - Reduces logistics for inbound well-boat transportation
  - Box-factory built in connection with InnovaNor facility, reducing need for inbound transport
- Flexible outbound logistics
  - Most of volume sent via truck
  - New routes established with boat and train
  - Several airports in use to overseas markets
- All markets reached within maximum 3 days



## Exploring new sustainable packaging

- Continuous work to reduce footprint and extend shelf life of our products
- Engaged in a wide range of projects
  - Recyclable styrofoam boxes
  - Alternative box materials and design
  - New freezing and chilling methods
  - Alternatives to plastic



# Global presence through sales offices close to key markets

- All volume produced in Norway sold via in-house sales force
  - Operational set-up in place to handle increased volume
- Frøya & Ålesund our main sales offices in Norway
  - Handling all volume excluding volume to Asia
  - A strategic advantage to have sales in close connection to our operations
- Six sales offices in Asia, new office established in Thailand
  - Local presence has been a recipe of success
  - Always exploring establishment also in other regions







## Our go-to-market approach reaches customers worldwide

- 2/3 of volume sold to the European market
  - Largest and most mature salmon market in the world
- 1/3 of volume sold overseas
  - Split between North America and Asia
  - High share of VAP to overseas markets
- Strong development especially in emerging markets
- −18% of volume in 2023 secured on fixed price¹ contracts

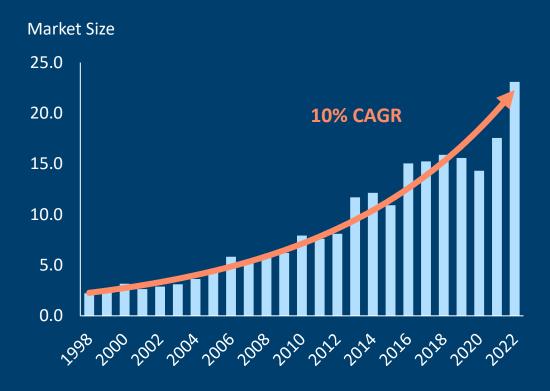






# Global demand for salmon has been fantastic – the development will continue

### Global demand for salmon is increasing

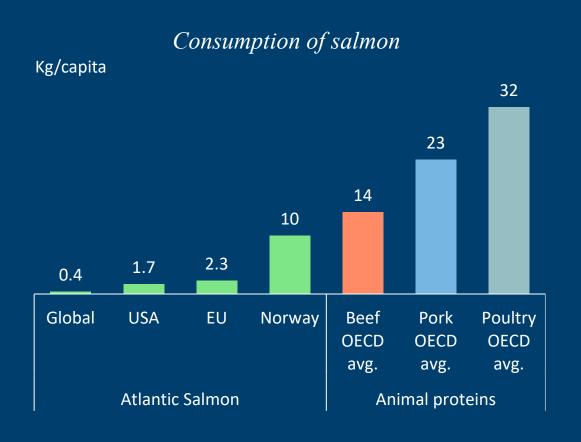


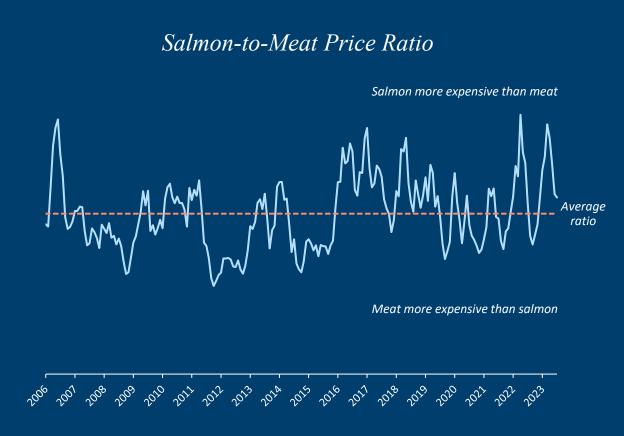
- Salmon demand is building on super trends
  - Healthy, nutritous and sustainable proteins
  - Focus on sustainability increasingly important for endconsumers
- Salmon one of the most sustainable animal proteins
  - Salmon with a low CO2 footprint, low water usage, low feed conversion ratio and high edible yield compared to other animal proteins



## Consumption is still low in most markets

### – and salmon is not considered expensive compared to other proteins









# WITH A PASSION FOR SALMON WE PROVIDE SUSTAINABLE FOOD WORLDWIDE





VIDEO 5 - CAPTAIN'S LOG



## The future is our inspiration



Healthy food



Protein with lower footprint



Growing middle class



Population growth



New technology needed



### The salmon is the 'captain' of our value chain

- meaning fish welfare and bio security are the core of everything we do





Less temperature variations



An even ocean current and greater distances between facilities



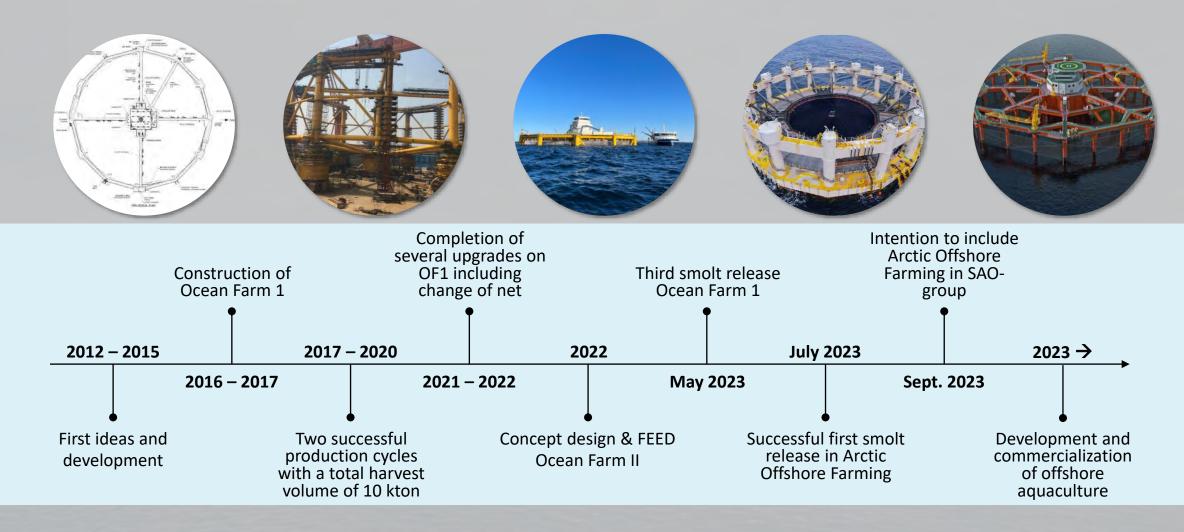
A rigid and large structure allows for more space and better monitoring



Natural and healthy conditions creates a positive circle for the fish and environment



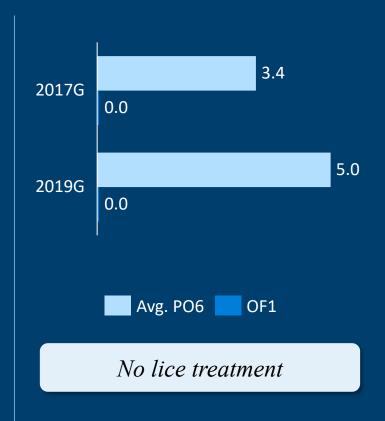
## Our journey has given crucial experience and insight

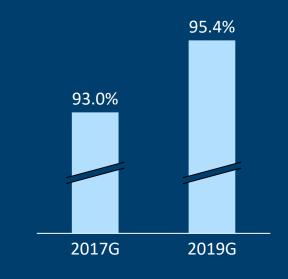




## Strong results from the first two production cycles for Ocean Farm 1



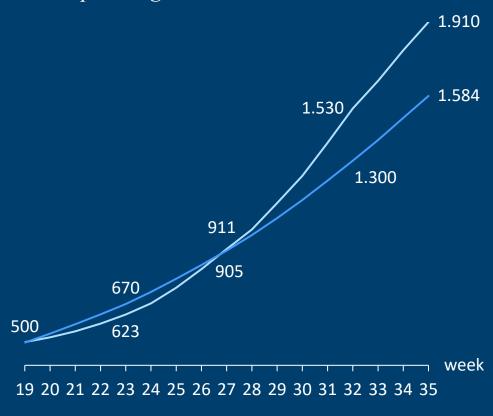




High survival rate



## Growth third production cycle OF1 vs expected growth



- Actual avg. weight
- Expected avg. weigth

# Another good production cycle underway at Ocean Farm 1



Growth on track to outperform the first two production cycles



Very low mortality – accumulated mortality of only 1,2%



Low levels of salmon lice



## Intention to include Arctic Offshore Farming in SalMar Aker Ocean Group

#### **Arctic Offshore Farming**



Intention to include the development licenses and operations of Arctic Offshore Farming in SalMar Aker Ocean Group

#### Harvest capacity



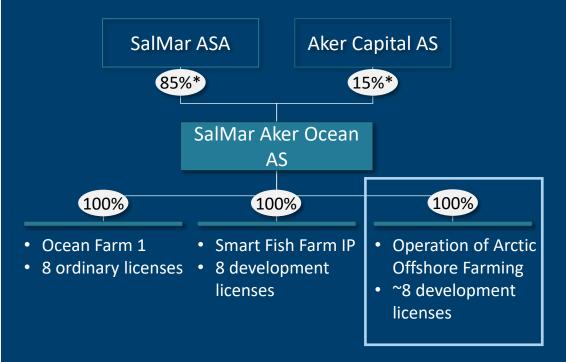
Adding ~6 000 tons of annual harvest capacity. Combined annual capacity for Ocean Farm 1 and Arctic Offshore farming of ~13 000 tons

#### **Experience**



Gaining experience with submerged production and strengthens SalMar Aker Oceans leading position within exposed and offshore salmon farming

#### Intended company structure





## Experience from exposed farming enables future growth offshore

#### **EXPOSED**





Important steppingstone to go offshore

- Larger and more advanced units than traditional farming
- Two successful production cycles on Ocean Farm 1, the third underway with good results so far
- Successful first outlet of fish in AOF now in operation
- Investments in new semi-offshore units on hold due to uncertainty of future license regime for exposed operations

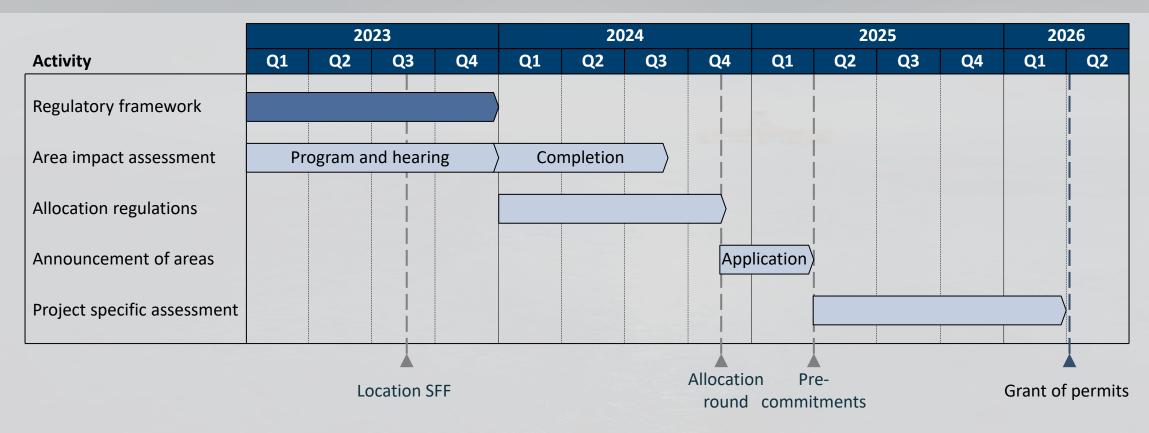
#### OPEN OCEAN



- 8 development licenses
- Expect location mid September in Norskehavet
- Building on experience from exposed operation
- Regulatory framework progressing
- Offshore farming represents huge potentials



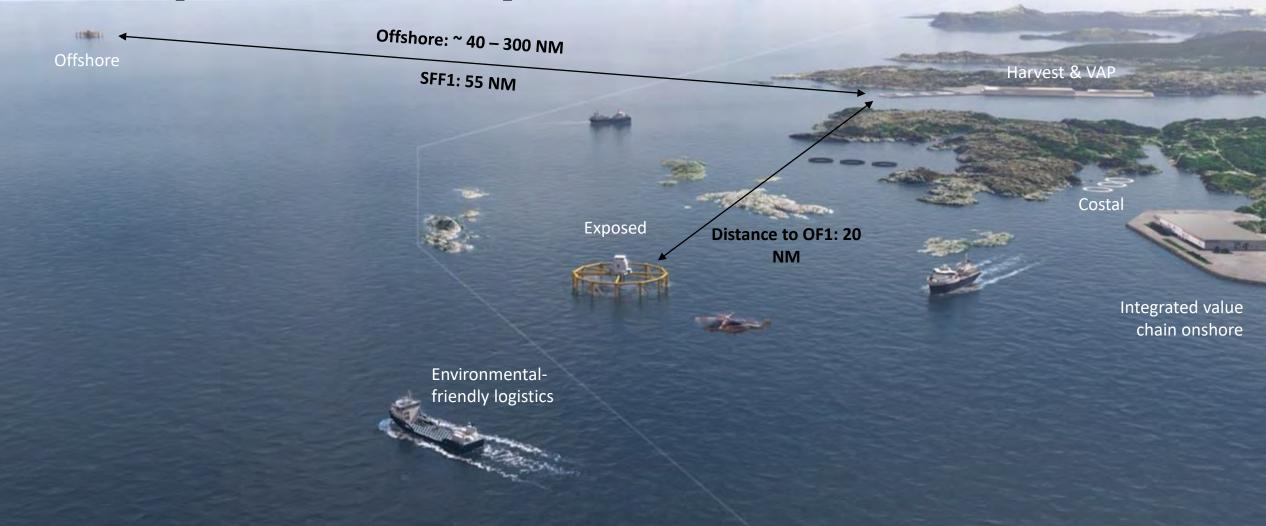
# Clarity regarding tax and regulatory framework will be crucial for making investment decisions



Regulatory process and milestones for offshore farming in Norway



## From pilot to scale – development of a new value chain





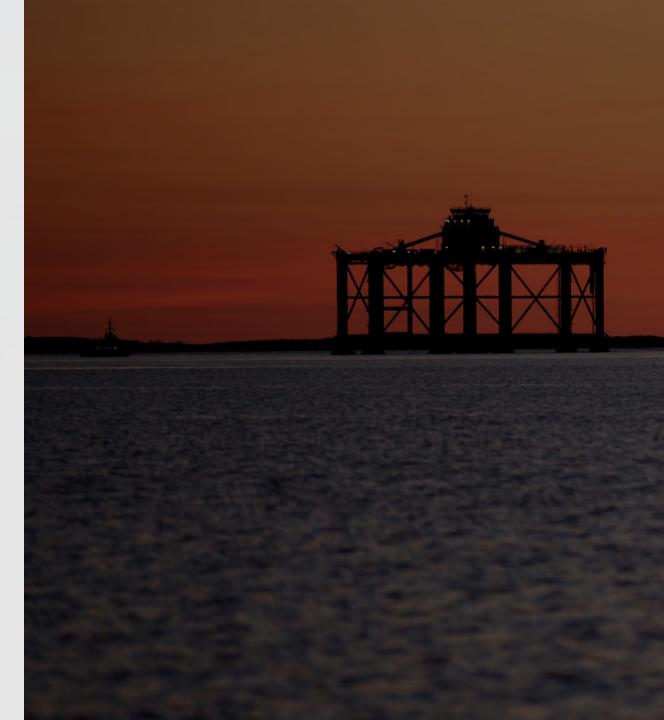
## Offshore farming opens opportunities around the world





# SalMar Aker Oceans vision and ambition









VIDEO 6 - ICELAND



## THIS IS ICELANDIC SALMON



Icelandic Salmon AS is listed on the Euronext Growth market in Oslo.

The company is the sole owner and parent company of Arnarlax ehf.



All operational activities of the group are performed in Arnarlax ehf.



Arnarlax – Sustainable Icelandic Salmon is the common brand for all operational activities and products from Icelandic Salmon

Four smolt facilities, Current capacity of 7-8 million smolt, depending on size of smolt





Farming in seven sites in three fjords

All production ASC\*\* certified

Total MAB 23,700 tonnes







Sales by internal team

Domestic and global markets

#### WHERE DO WE OPERATE?





- Current operation
- Licence application



**All production ASC** certified

#### **SMOLT PRODUCTION**



#### **SMOLT FACILITIES**

- Have today 3 facilities in operation, and a 4th under reconstruction
- Capacity og 7-8 mill smolts, depending on smolt size
- Have licences for 3.000 tonnes of MAB
- Have sufficient smolt capacity for existing licences in sea

#### **SMOLT STRATEGY**

- Implement best-practice
- Good smolt quality
- Increase smoltweight,
- Have sufficient number of smolts



#### **SEA FARMING**



#### **SEA OPERATION**

- 23.700 tonnes of MAB, in 3 fjords.
- 8 sites
  - Split into 5 generation zones.
- All production is ASC certified





#### **OPERATION CENTER – FEEDING**

- Arnarlax operates a high class feeding center in land at Bíldudalur.
  - Where people are constantly monitoring and feeding the salmon



#### **HARVESTING**



#### **HARVEST PLANT**

- Located in Bíldudalur with short distance to sea-water operations
- Capacity 30.000 tonnes/year
- BRCGS certified
- Use super-chill to extend shelf life







#### **SALES**

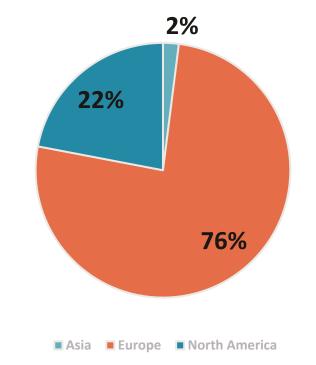


#### **SALES TEAM**

- Located in Reykjavik
- Our internal sales team sell all of our salmon
- Working close with premium customers in US and Europe
- Focus on Quality, Sustainability and Origin



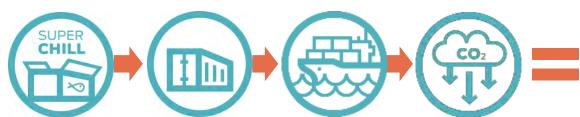
#### Where are our customers in 2022?



### SHIFT TO LOW-CARBON FOOTPRINT MARINE TRANSPORT STRATEGIC UPDATE







95 % REDUCTION IN CO2 EMISSIONS

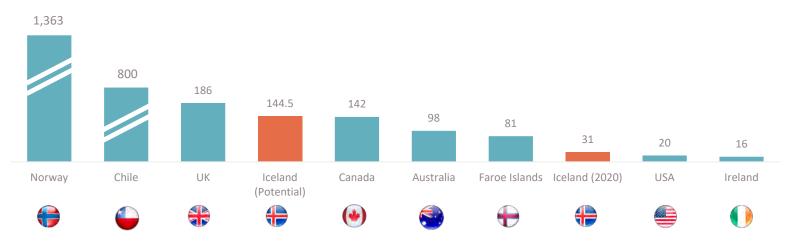
#### THE NEXT BIG REGION WITHIN SALMON FARMING



#### A FRAMEWORK FOR FUTURE GROWTH

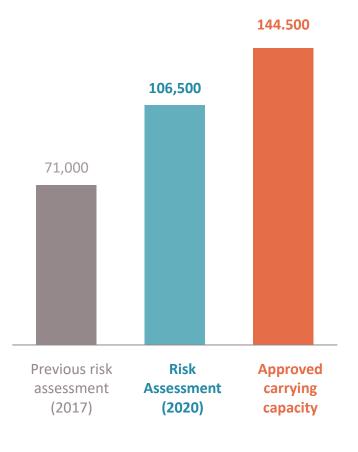
- The Marine Research Institute (MRI) recently carried out an updated Risk Assessment
  - A figure of **106,500 tonnes** of fertile salmon was set.
- Total of 10 fjords have a calculated carrying capacity biomass of 144,500 tonnes
  - Making Iceland, potentially, one of the largest Atlantic salmon producers in the world
- Potential for new areas:
  - Jökulfirðir, Mjóifjörður, and Eyjafjörður.

#### **ICELAND TODAY VS POTENTIAL BASED ON MRI ASSESSMENT (000 MT)**



Source: Kontali Salmon World 2020, Arnarlax

## MRI RAISED MAB TO 106,500 TONNES IN 2020



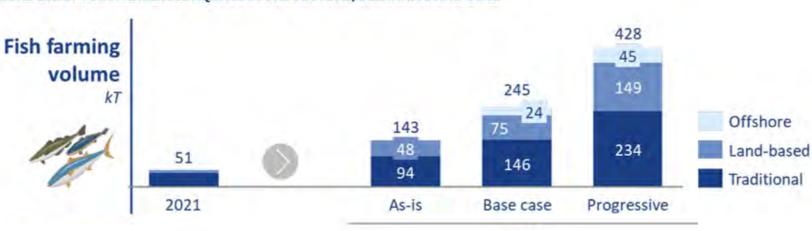
#### **FUTURE POSSIBILITIES**



#### **Boston Consulting Group Report**

- The minister asked BCG to investigate and make a report on the possibilities of aquaculture in Iceland
- Three possible goals in sea farming
- Unchanged 94.000tons
- Base picture 146.000tons
- Progressive 234.000tons

#### FIGURE 2.11: VOLUME ACROSS AQUACULTURE SECTORS, SCENARIOS AND TIME



#### **Critical mass of Production**

- Most industries are dependent on a critical produced volume to obtain large scale effects (to be able to compete)
  - To be able to deliver salmon to the market every week
  - Value added products
- Industry development in Iceland that will come with more production
  - Feed producer in Iceland to provide the industry
- More the income for the government
- Supply education

#### COMPARISON WITH FAROE ISLAND





- Faroe Islands produced with only 56% of the coastline of West Fjords
  - −89.000 tonnes in 2022
- There are 3 companies operating in Faroe Island
  - —Bakkafrost, Hiddenfjord and MOWI Faroe Islands
- Export value of DKK 4,68 billion (2022)
  - 45% of total export value of Faroe Island
- Direct jobs inside the aquaculture around 1.200
  - —About 2,3% of total population of Faroe Islands.

Note.: \* Excluded islands and reef.

Source: Landmælingar Íslands, Faroese Fish Farmers Association <a href="https://www.faroeseseafood.com/fishery-aquaculture/stats/">https://www.faroeseseafood.com/fishery-aquaculture/stats/</a>
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## OUTLOOK

#### STRATEGIC STEPS



#### **Harvest volumes within existing licences**

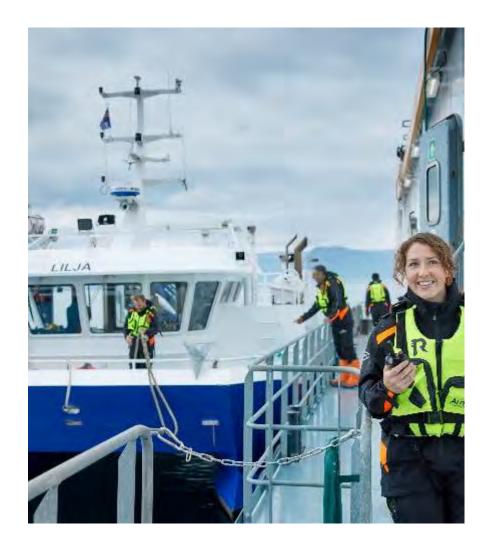
- **2**023: 16.000 tonnes
- 26.000 tonnes within existing licences

#### Measures for organic growth

- Bigger and more smolt of good quality
- Best operational practice
- 2 more sites in Arnarfjörður
- Bigger farming areas on existing sites

#### Potential growth in addition to existing licenses

- New licenses of 10.000 tonnes MAB in Ísafjörður
- If Ministries proposal for new structure for the industry is decided
- New license of 4.500 tonnes in Arnarfjörður
- Total potential of 50.000 tonnes



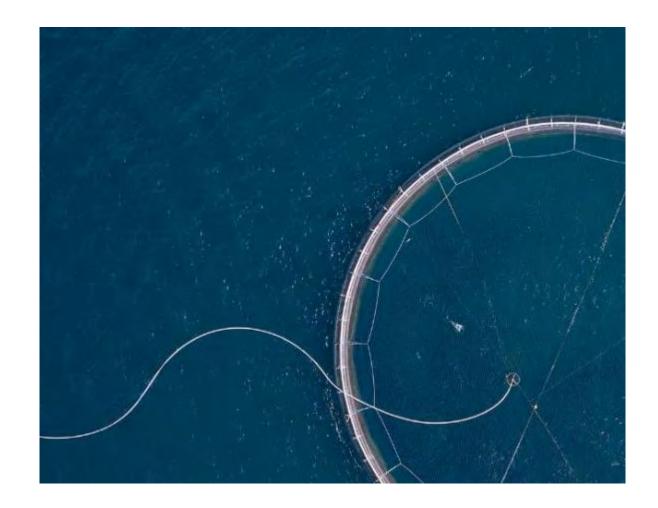
## **DUAL LISTING**

#### STRATEGIC STEPS



#### **DUAL LISTING ON FIRST NORTH**

- Group has engaged in advisory service agreement with Arion Bank, with the objective of preparing for listing of the Group's shares on the First North stock exchange in Iceland.
- Depository notes .
- No new shares issued.
- Expected to be open for trading in second half 2023.
- Purpose to increase access for Icelandic investors.









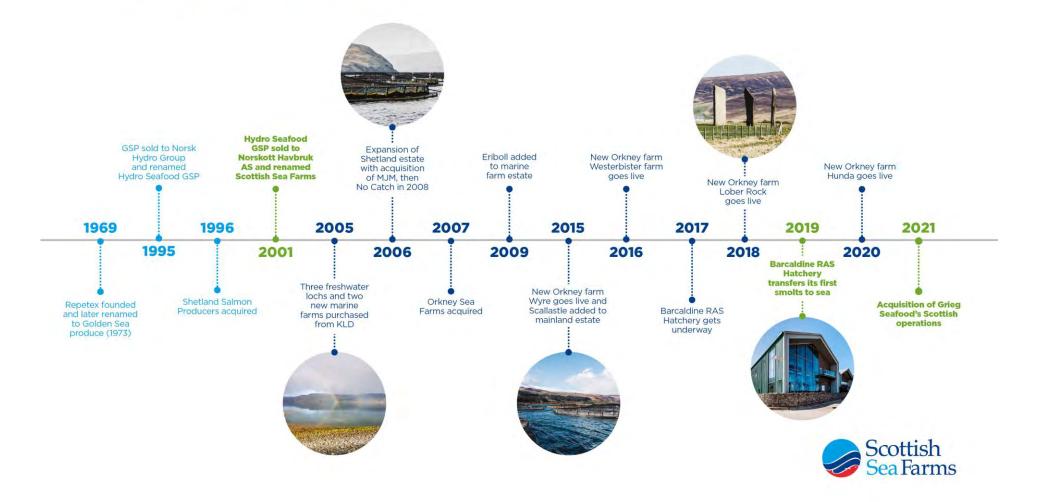
# Premium farmed salmon, grown with care



Capital Markets Day presentation, September 2023

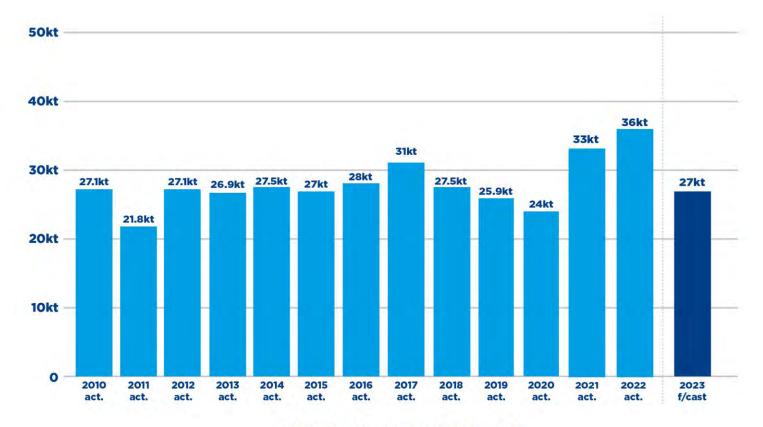


# **Growing Scottish salmon for over 50 years**



#### **Our farming locations** Three key farming regions **SHETLAND ISLES** • 24 marine farms • 1 freshwater hatchery 57 marine farms • 1 processing facility Mainland Orkney Shetland ORKNEY ISLANDS 3 freshwater hatcheries (2x RAS) Barcaldine 10mill Knock 1.5mill Girlsta 3.5mill Total annual capacity 15M smolt @ 150g 2 processing facilities South Shian 30kt MAINLAND Lerwick 50kt • 24 marine farms Total annual capacity 80kt • 2 freshwater hatcheries • 1 processing facility ULLAPOOL INVERNESS ABERDEEN . FORT WILLIAM Scottish Sea Farms

## **Annual harvest volumes**



'24 guidance given in Q3 '23 update



# **Supplying customers** in over **30** countries

c.60% UK

Sole supplier,

since 2006

-FOOD-

Also supplying

retailers including

WAITROSE

& PARTNERS

other key UK



## Farming challenges 2022 and 2023

Biological challenges arising from changing environment



## Prolonged periods of dry weather

Affecting oxygen, salinity and nutrient levels in seawater





## Increases in seawater temperatures

Encouraging plankton, parasites and other health challenges





## Unseasonably mild winters

Allowing water-borne bugs and challenges to persist





## Oceanic

Driving north higher numbers of harmful micro-jellyfish



Giving rise to CGD, AGD and CMS



Higher than average fish mortalities

Lower than forecast harvest volumes & av. wgt

Affecting cost and price achieved



## Mitigation measures undertaken

Using the lessons learned to shape current and future practice

#### Freshwater stage



## **Egg quality** and survival

- Advancing work to strip eggs from broodstock known to have thrived at our farms
- Completing (Q4 '23) new £2M incubation facility at Barcaldine Hatchery
- Completing (Q4 '23) £2M upgrade of Girlsta Hatchery to produce bigger, more robust smolts



## **Smolt** survival

 Revising smolt input stocking plans

#### **Marine stage**



## Improving growing conditions

- Ongoing programme of consolidation and modernisation: 14 farms by end '23
- Resting 5 farms
- Adding aeration capacity



## Increasing treatment capacity

- Adding 2 freshwater vessels '23 (1 x 2,200m3; 1 x 3,000m3)
- Deploying second thermosdelousing vessel
- Introducing FLS delousing capability



## Enhancing environmental surveillance

- Investing in new surveillance equipment across estate
- Implementing daily water quality monitoring at every farm



## Farming for the future: smolt quality

Building on our £58M investment in Barcaldine RAS Hatchery by:



#### **Upgrade of Girlsta Hatchery, Shetland**

#### Targeted work to:

- Improve water quality
- Deliver bigger, more robust smolts
- Enhance survival at sea

#### New incubation unit, Barcaldine

#### Creating ability to:

- · Fertilise eggs on-site
- Incubate through most fragile stages
- Control water quality and temperature
- Boost egg survival

#### Investment in Scottishgrown broodstock

### Improving security of supply:

- Broodstock selected from best performers at our own farms
- Their eggs then hatched and reared at Barcaldine Hatchery



#### Shortening the marine cycle

- · Barcaldine phase II
- Planning permission granted with 3kt consent
- Detailed design and costing completed
- Est. £57M investment
- Evaluating land and sea-based options



## Farming for the future: marine

Streamlining and consolidating in the best farming locations



### **Here and now**

56 active farms

1.6kt avge consent

88.4kt cumulative consent

39 inactive farms

with 44kt consent

Total 133kt cumulative MAB

### Strategic approach

Completed extensive hydrodynamic modelling

Reconfiguring existing cumulative MAB into fewer, larger farms

Increasing pen size (160m), spacing and water exchange

Improving fish biology



### The future (within 5yrs)

#### 28 active farms

- 10 modernised + consolidated
- 15 relocated + consolidated
- 3 more exposed locations

3.5kt avge consent

(Potential for 2 additional farms 4kt avge consent)

Total 106kt cumulative MAB



Scottish Sea Farms 745

# Farming for the future: processing and packing

Lerwick

Two primary processing facilities at Lerwick and South Shian

Back-up capacity at Scalloway facility

### £2M upgrade of Lerwick, Shetland

- · 200t single shift capacity
- Capable of live and dead haul
- Scope to introduce VAP
   -1,200m2 unused floorspace
- Annual capacity 50kt

### Re-configuring South Shian, Mainland

- · 140t single shift capacity
- 25% increase in gutting throughput
- Upgraded 'swim ashore' system
- Annual capacity 30kt

**South Shian** 



# Putting sustainability at the heart of our work

Key areas include:



### **Reducing use of marine ingredients**

Diet now consists of just 23% marine materials vs 73% plant-based/others



### **Reducing primary processing plastics**

2.5M+ polystyrene boxes saved since 2017



## Sourcing mains power from renewable sources

2.5Mkg+ CO2e saved annually



### **Minimising road miles**

c.479,000kg+ CO2e saved annually

### **Other initiatives:**

Repurposing fish waste into fertiliser

Extracting oils from fish mortalities

De-carbonising our business fleet

Trialling multi-trophic farming

**Exploring solar, wave and wind power** 



## **Benchmarking our performance**

Accreditations and awards include:

### **Accreditations**

First Scottish salmon farmer to gain and retain:

### INVESTORS IN PEOPLE We invest in people Platinum

### INVESTORS IN PEOPLE We invest in wellbeing Gold



**Since 2017** 

Since 2023





### **Recent awards**

#### 2023

Outstanding Contribution
M&S Innovation Award

### 2022

Finfish Farmer of the Year Economic Sustainability M&S Low Carbon Farming Pioneer Sustainability

#### 2021

Waitrose Best in Class Farm VIBES Good Practice Award Digital Professional Award Top 10 Under 40

#### 2020

VIBES Good Practice Award Best Finfish Farm Manager Economic Sustainability Top 10 Under 40

### 2019

Best Export Business
Diversity Award
M&S Innovation Award
People's Champion
Applied Research Award



## The magic ingredient: our people

Striving to be the employer of choice in our communities and sector





VIDEO 7 - SCOTTISH SEA FARMS







## Key enablers for continued value creation





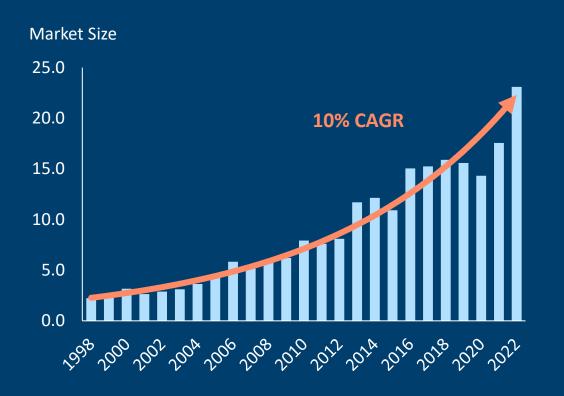




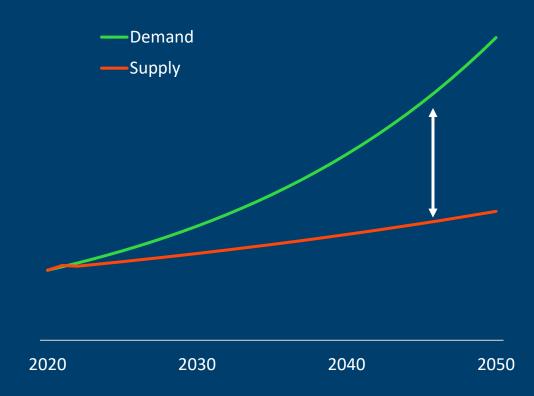


# A fundamental need for more sustainable proteins for the growing world population





### ...but supply growth is lagging the demand





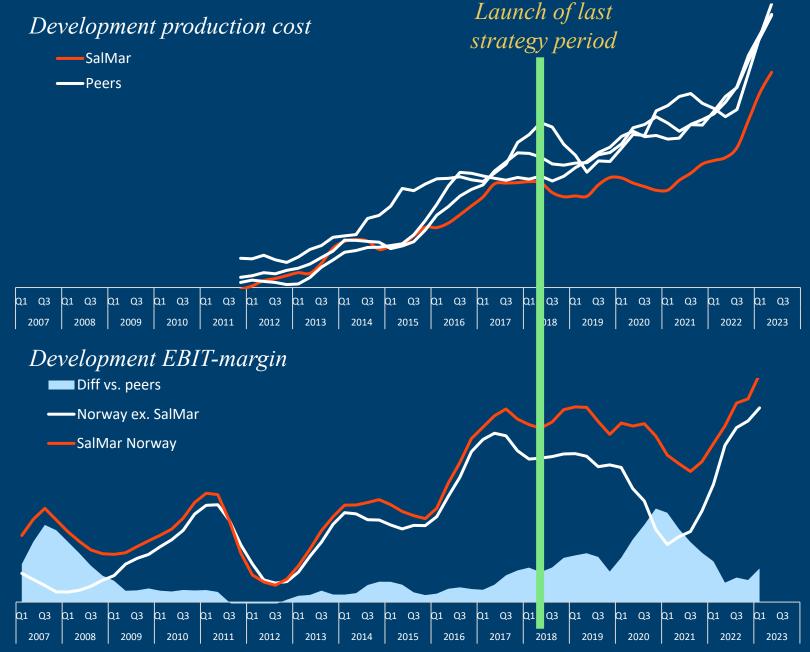
# SalMar is well positioned to utilize the organic growth potential in our value chain





# SalMar with a strong development during the last strategy period

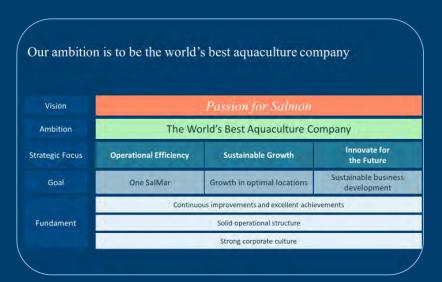
- Strenghtened position as a leader in the industry
  - Lower cost increase compared to peers
  - Increased the difference in margin
  - Increased share of local processing
  - Largest growth in the industry
  - Pioneered and led the development offshore
- Going forward, challenges still remain similar
  - Cost inflation, biological challenges, access to area, supply growth from new technology, increasing demand vs. supply gap





## Achieved this through a strong strategic and operational focus

We have believed in a concept...



...made strategic moves that fit in...



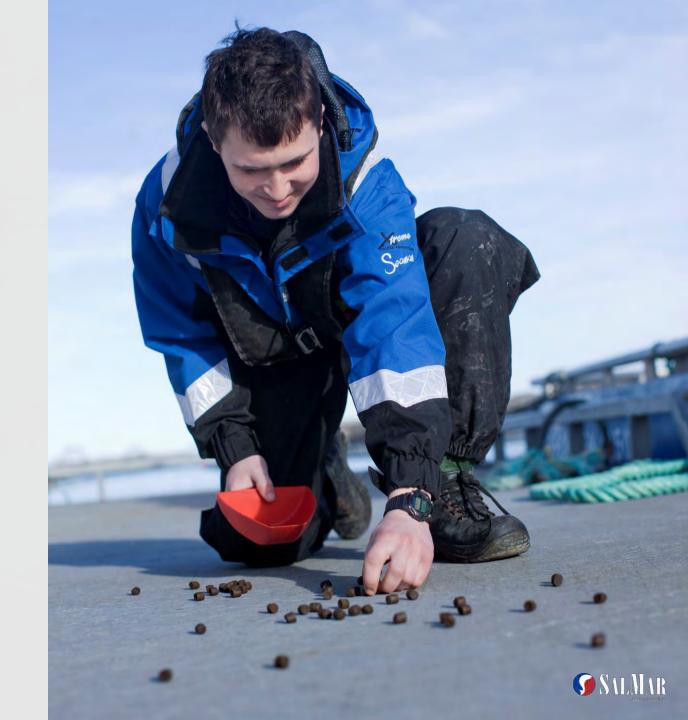
... and we have built a strong culture





# Rigorous focus on performance throughout the organization

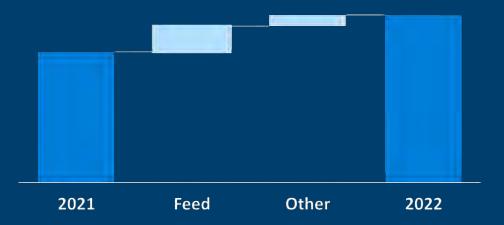
- Salmon farming is all about the details
- SalMar operating a focused value chain to ensure optimal performance at each and every step
  - Strategic suppliers for key input factors
- Focus is on the elements we can impact
  - Our employees are measured on the elements they can do something about
  - Strong local managment teams in each region



### Recent cost inflation related to feed

- Cost of raw materials in feed basket has been the main driver for recent increase in cost
  - Other cost elements increased due to general inflationary pressure
- Continous monitoring of cost development
  - Systems in place to track our input factors
- SalMars position as cost leader in the industry vital to secure pole position going forward

### Change in production cost - farming



### Internal cost development monitoring

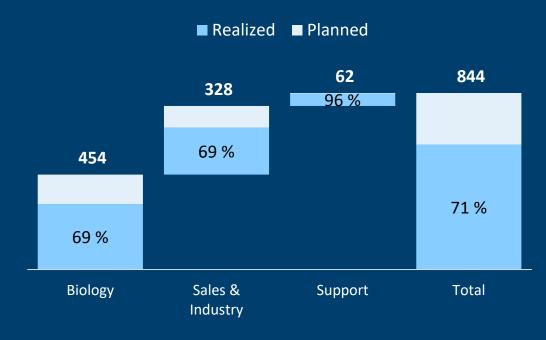




# Strong synergy potential with NRS, NTS and SalmoNor confirmed and increased

- Estimate of total synergies increased to NOK 844 million
  - Increased 26% from previous target of NOK 671 million
  - Estimated total restructuring cost NOK 103 million unchanged
- At the end of August 71% or NOK 597 million realized
  - Expect 100% to be realized at the end of 2023
- Yearly recurring cost savings achieved through:
  - Improved operational set-up
  - Increased efficiency
  - Scale advantages
- Strong utilization of increased license capacity in 2023
  - Increased utilization materializing in increased harvest volume from 2024

### Synergi realization as of August 2023

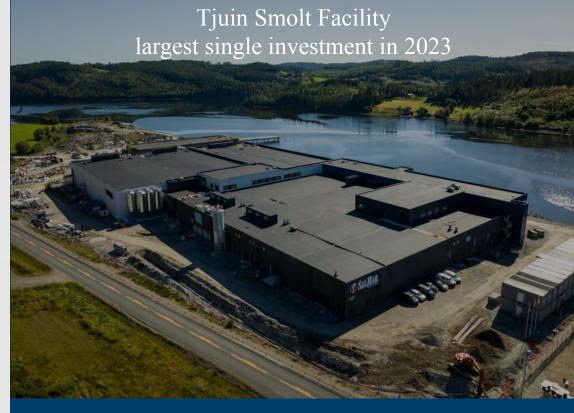


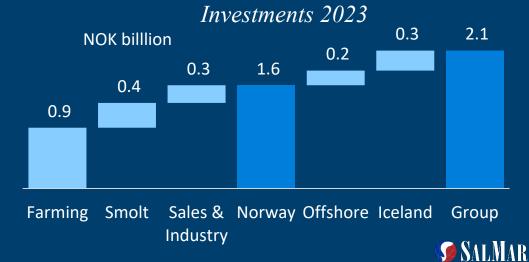
### Development MAB Utilization in 2023



# Ongoing investments continuing – large industrial investments on hold

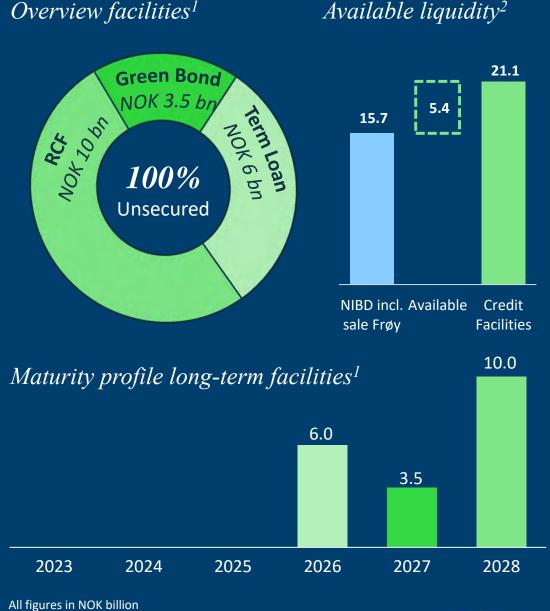
- Expected investment in 2023 unchanged from previous guidance in February
  - Expect to invest NOK 1,6 billion in Norway in 2023
  - Maintenance investments NOK 0,9 billion (~3,7 NOK/kg)
  - Capacity investments NOK 0,7 billion
- Going forward all large investments projects in Norway are still on hold
  - Our largest ongoing investments will be finalized during 2023
- Expect maintenance CAPEX of around NOK 3.0 per kg in Norway going forward
  - Any new larger CAPEX projects will be communicated





# New financing in place ensuring financial flexibility for further growth

- Recently completed refinancing in SalMar ASA
  - NOK 16 billion unsecured credit facility
  - NOK 3 billion in accordion option
  - Improved terms compared to previous credit facilities
  - Intention to be sustainability linked
- Additional facilities in SalMar ASA
  - NOK 3.5 billion Green Bond, maturity 2027
  - NOK 1.6 billion overdraft facilities, annual renewal
- Partially owned subsidiaries with separate financing



- 1) Long-term facilities in SalMar ASA
- 2) Available liquidity in SalMar ASA as of Q2 2023 incl. sales of Frøy

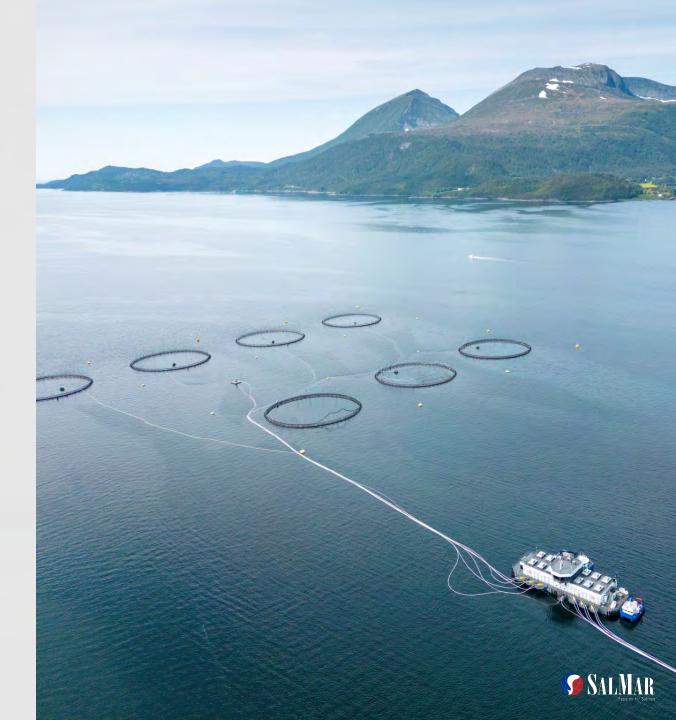
# SalMar committed to maintain investment grade ranking

- SalMar with BBB+ credit rating from NCR with stable outlook
- Financial position in SalMar improved during 2023
  - Sale of Frøy completed
  - New financing agreement in place
  - Debt level reduced, financial KPIs improved
- SalMar expect to be within our long-term target of NIBD/EBITDA below 2.0 at year end 2023
  - Showcasing our ability to handle the increased debt level following the acquisition



## Cancellation of treasury shares

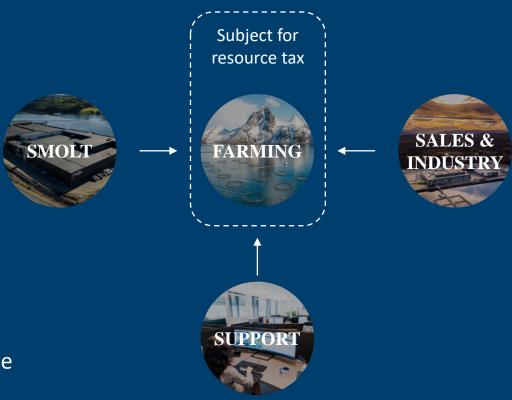
- As of Q2 2023 SalMar has 13.7 million treasury shares
- Financial position in SalMar improved during 2023
- The Board of SalMar propose to cancel 13.1 million treasury shares
- Extraordinary general meeting to be held at a later point of time



### Resource rent tax in Norway

### A new tax regime creates more awareness of internal value creation - Right tax to right place

- Tax approved in May with a tax rate at 25%
  - SalMar strongly opposes both the proposed tax model and level
  - Significantly reduces the capacity for growth in the Norwegian aquaculture industry
- Previously all parts value chain considered cost centers
  - Internally we have been focusing on One SalMar
  - New tax system leads us to revisit internal transfer pricing
- Only commercial licenses a part of the proposed tax
- Consideration paid in previous traffic light auctions deductable
  - SalMar a strong participant in previous auction rounds
  - Deduction amounts to NOK 245 million per year



Internal products & services



# SalMar with a strong track record for providing our shareholders with a competitive return

- Intention to provide surplus liquidity to our shareholders
  - Provided that the company is within leverage range
  - And also taking into account future investments
- Dividend paid out annually after AGM in June

### **Dividend Policy**

SalMar ASA aim to provide shareholders with a competitive return on invested capital. This return shall be achieved through a combination of share price increase and the payment of a dividend by the group.

SalMar ASA's dividend policy is based on the company at all times having a solid balance sheet and liquidity reserve that is sufficient to handle future liabilities.

The company has set long-term financing targets related to NIBD/EBITDA\* level in the range 1,0-2,5. Provided that the company is within this range and also taking account future investments, the intention is to pay out its surplus liquidity, in the form of cash dividends and/or in the form of share buybacks



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<sup>\*</sup>NIBD includes leasing according to IFRS16 and EBITDA is without fair value adjustments

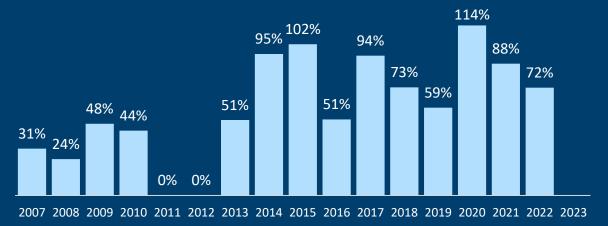
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### Dividend payout ratio (DPS/EPS)





SalMar is committed to still be in pole position going forward and be a frontrunner in the future development of the aquaculture industry Profitable Growth

Financial Capacity

Operational Efficiency

Shareholder Value Creation





# SalMar in regions with optimal conditions to perform

North Atlantic production with global reach





Largest Salmon Producer along the coast of Norway from Møre to the north, with the largest processing capacity



Pioneered and leads the development of offshore aquaculture



Largest Salmon Producer in Iceland, with hatcheries, sea farms, harvesting plant and sales force



UK's second largest Salmon Producer with operations in Scotland, Shetland, and Orkney.



## SalMar well equipped for further sustainable growth

With dedicated, passionate and competent employees with a *Passion for Salmon* 



always on the terms of the salmon







## Next steps on the agenda

### DAY 1

• 19:45: Dinner

### DAY 2

### SITE VISIT

- 07:00: Departure with boat from Tromsø
  - –Farming site & remote feeding center
  - -Senja 1 & 2 smolt facility
  - –InnovaNor Harvesting & Processing Facility
- 17:00: Arrival Tromsø





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# THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION





