

International growth opportunities in corporate banking

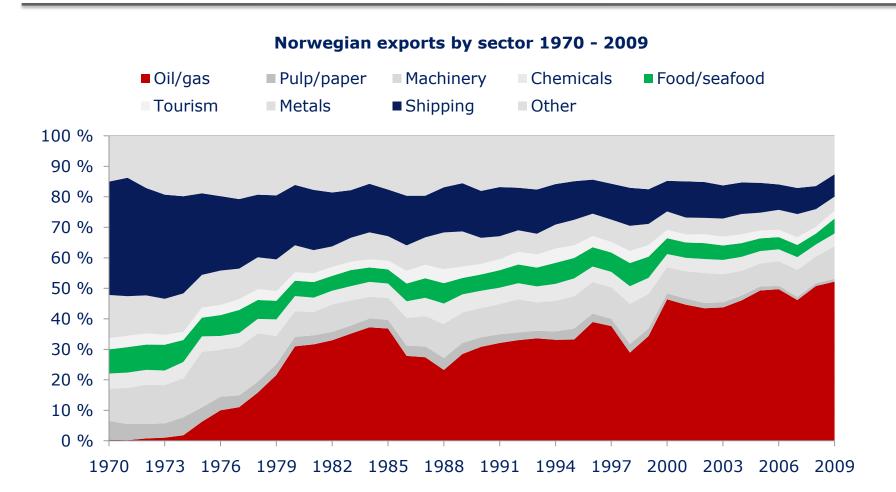
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We have managed the downturn well and see interesting international growth opportunities

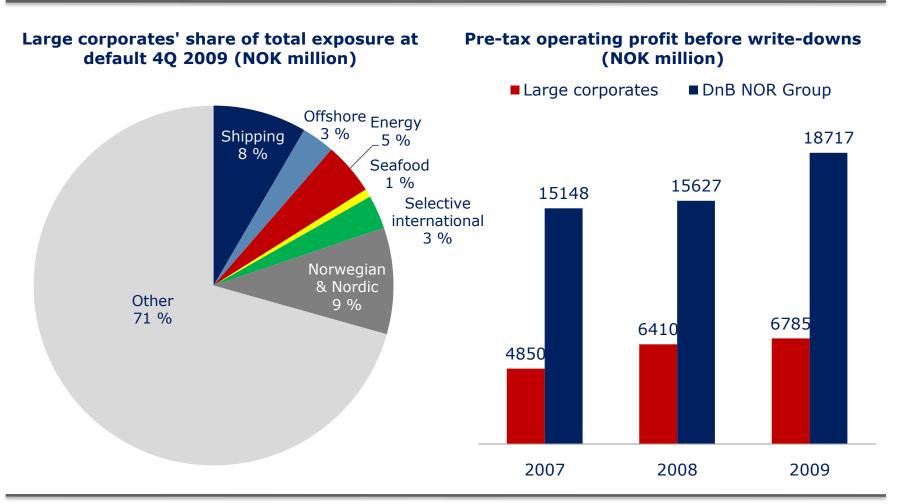


We are based in a country with a few major export industries



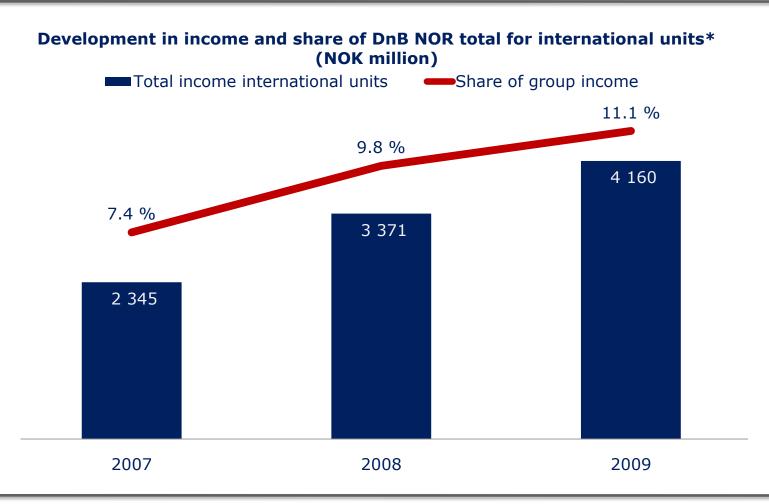


Our portfolio of large corporates reflects the traditional Norwegian export industries



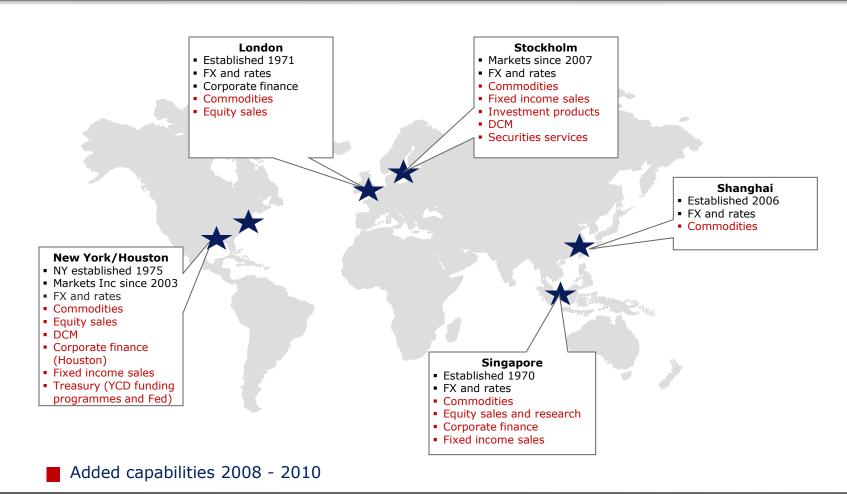


We are increasing our share of business internationally



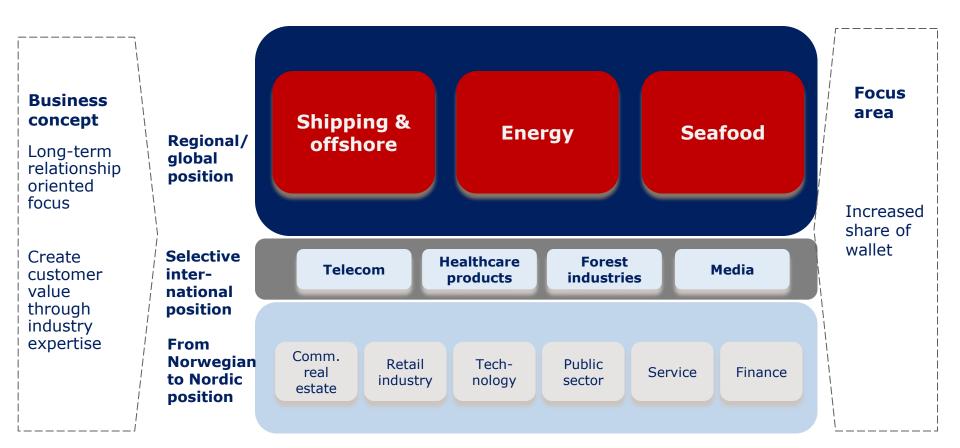


Investment banking has been a strong contributor to our international growth



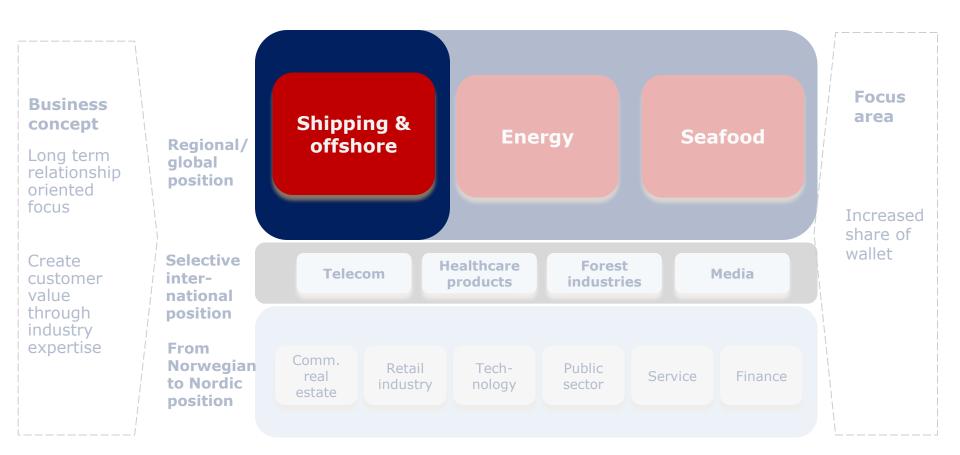


Our strategy is based on long-term relationship oriented banking and industry competence





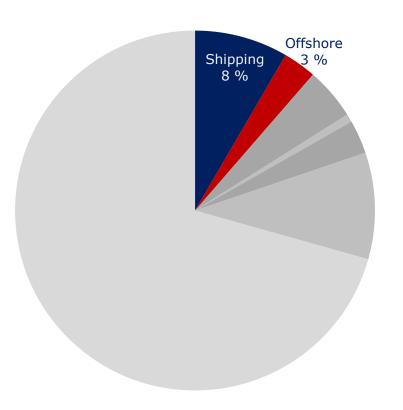
Long-term strategy remains firm for shipping and offshore





Selective growth - with offshore as the most promising growth area

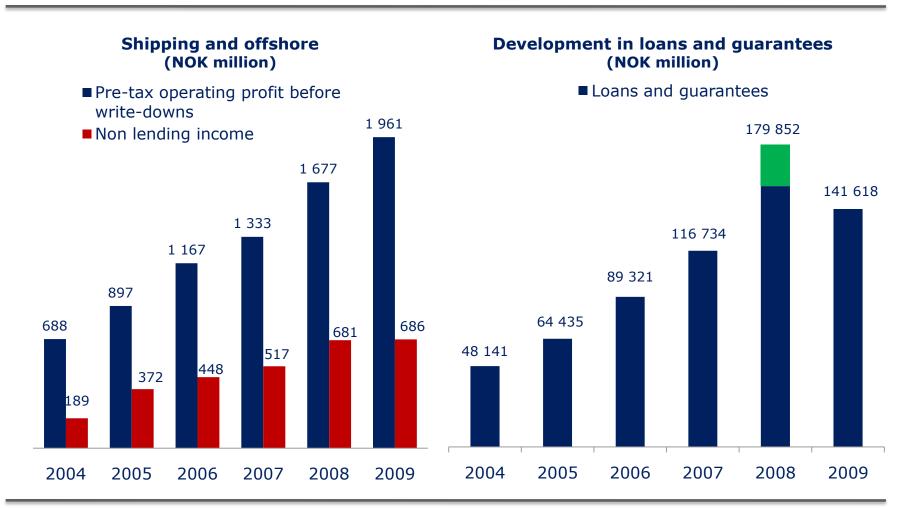
Shipping and offshore's share of total exposure at default 4Q 2009



- Managed to meet our core clients' needs in 2009
- Open for new business in 2010 and able to offer all financial services worldwide
- Combining corporate banking with investment banking to increase value added for clients



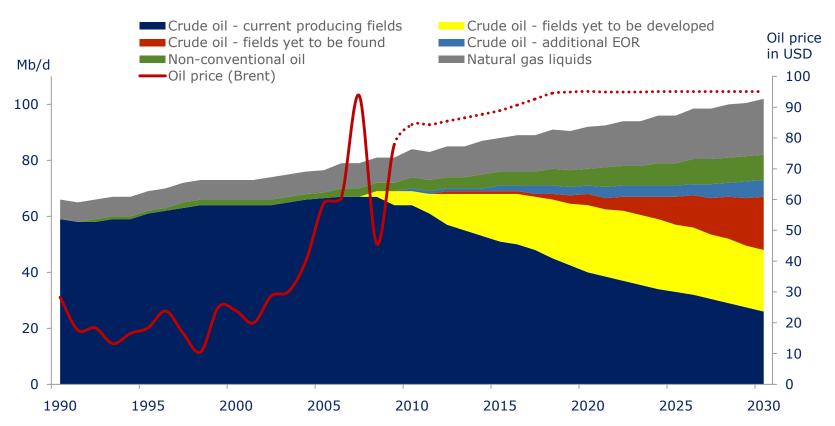
Steady increase in lending volumes and operating profit





The offshore segment will grow with the need for finding new oil reserves

World oil an gas production 1990 - 2030





Achieved a # 2 position in syndicated shipping loans in 2009

Top 20 Bookrunner Table – Syndicated Shipping Loans 2009

Pos.	Bookrunner	Deal Value (\$) (m)	No.
1	Mitsubishi UFJ Financial Group	4.020	14
2	DnB NOR	2.327	14
3	ING	1.614	6
4	Sumitomo Mitsu Banking Corp	1.605	17
5	Nordea	990	5
6	Wells Fargo Securities	823	3
7	Mitzuho	813	12
8	SBI Capital Markets	572	1
9	Bank of America Merrill Lynch	548	2
10	BNP Paribas	546	8
11	Citi	443	3
12	Calyon	363	3
13	HSBC	342	2
14	SG CIB	292	6
15	NIBC Bank	288	2
16	Commerzbank	250	1
17	Deutsche Bank	213	1
18	Kasikornbank – Kbank	200	1
19	Santander	165	2
20	RHB Investment Bank	156	1
	Total	32.963	121

- We focus on long-standing relations to top tier corporate clients
- Global strategy offering a complete range of financial services worldwide



We are recognized as a global player

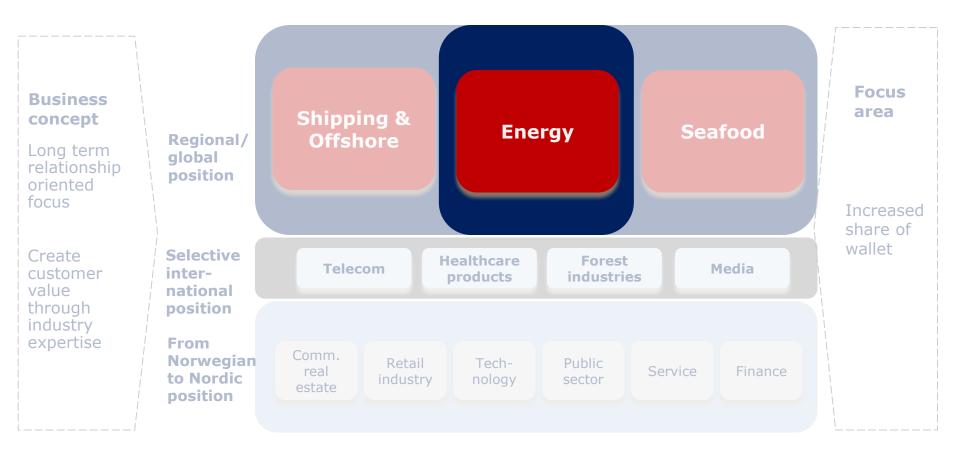


AKINE 2009 Deal of the year awards

Category	Company	Winner	Comment
Public debt Europe	Bonheur ASA	DnB NOR	Alone
Public debt US	General Maritime	DnB NOR	Shared
Export Credit	Seadrill	DnB NOR	Shared
Editor's Choice	Diana and NATS	DnB NOR	Shared

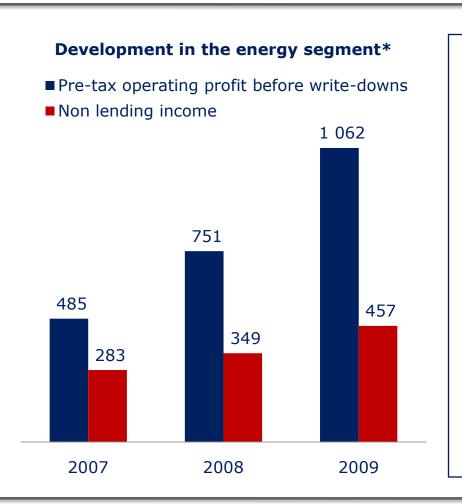


Becoming a leading global energy bank within selected segments





Strong growth in profits and non-lending income



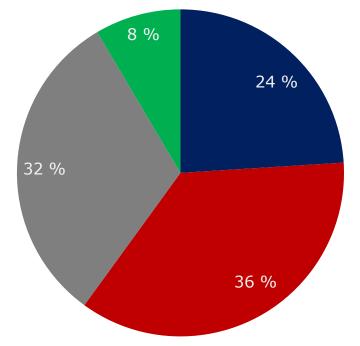
- Sound and diversified customer base
- Well-established international platform and expanding product range
- Competent and experienced staff



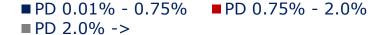
Low-risk and well-diversified portfolio

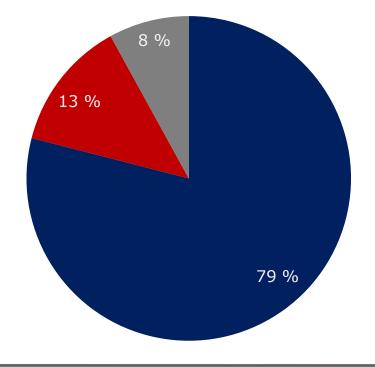
NOK 85 billion exposure at default in the energy segment*

- Offshore Contractors and Oilfield Services
- Oil & Gas
- Hydropower & utilities
- Other renewables



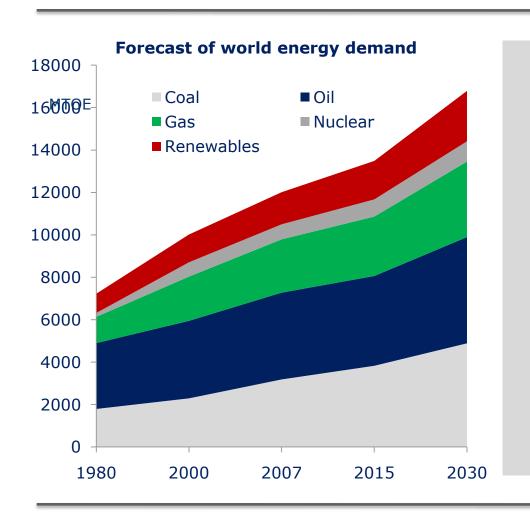
Distribution by risk category Q4 2009







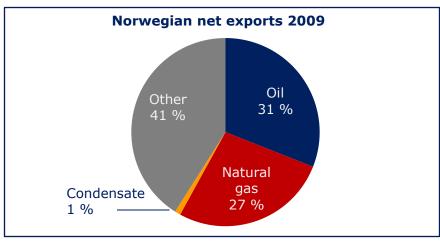
World demand for energy will increase sharply

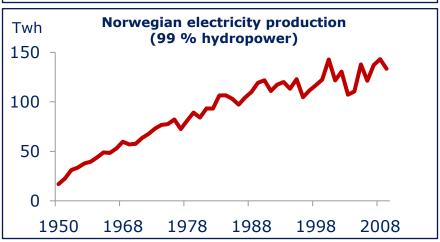


- Total world energy demand will increase by approximately 40% from 2005 to 2030
- Renewable energy will represent 17% of demand
- Increasing dependence on non-renewable energy sources in any future scenario



Norway's natural resources are the foundation for technology-driven industries...

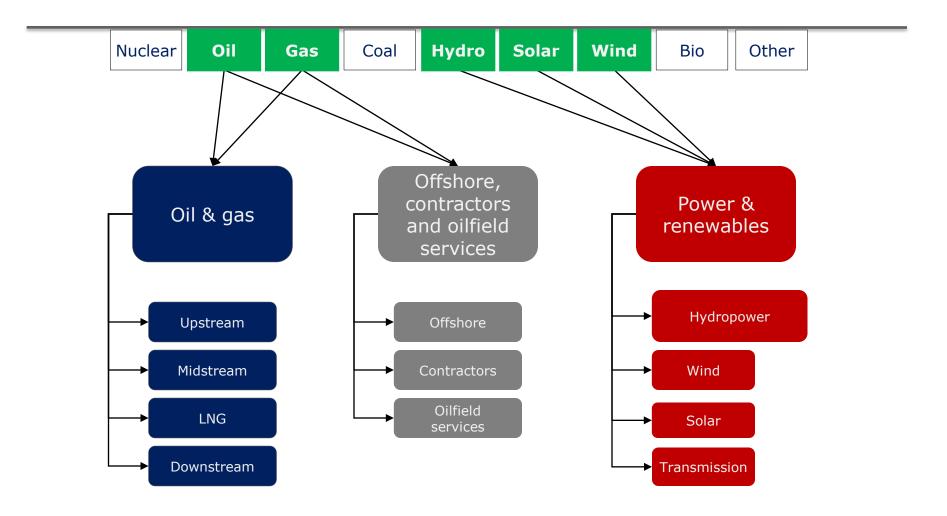




- Norway is one of the world's largest exporters of oil and natural gas
- The Norwegian oil industry operates in most parts of the value chain
- Hydropower accounts for about 99 per cent of the total electricity production in Norway



...and form the basis for DnB NOR's commitment to the energy industry





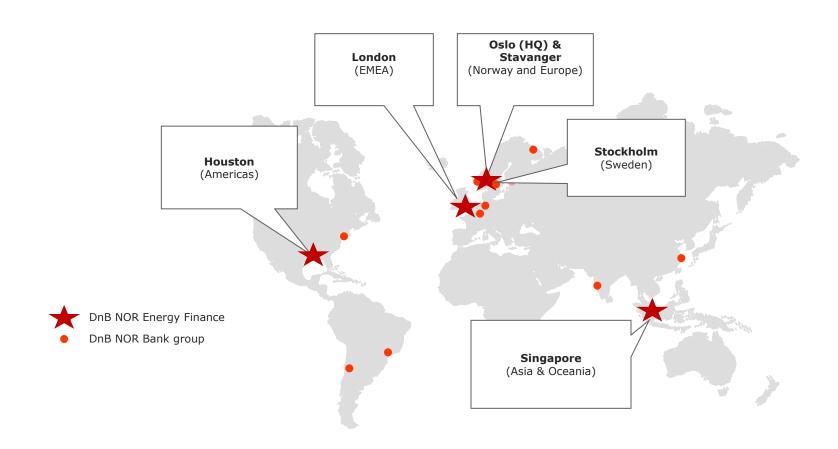
We have the people and the know-how



- Institutionalised industry competence
- Focus on core customers has mitigated risk and generated excellent results
- Strong record on self-financing through deposits
- Investment banking provides increasing non-lending income



And the presence of energy experts serving our customers globally





A solid footprint in the US market in 2009

US Investment Grade Energy Lead Arranger FY 2009

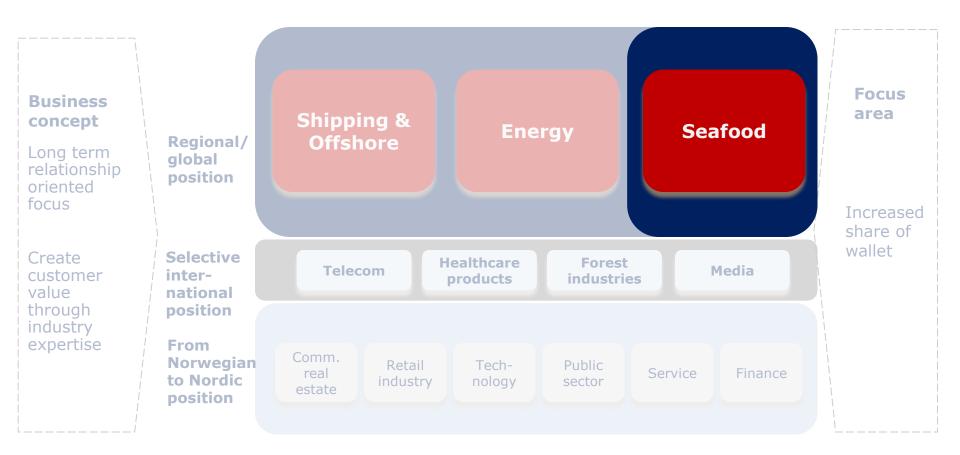
Rank	Bank	Number of Deals	Deal Volume (US\$)
1	DnB NOR	7	3 937 450 000
2	JP Morgan	6	3 715 000 000
3	Bank of America Merrill Lynch	10	3 695 000 000
4	Wells Fargo	8	3 556 000 000
5	BNP Paribas	5	1 960 000 000
6	Calyon	2	1 650 000 000
7	Citi	2	1 500 000 000
8	Barclays	2	1 300 000 000
9	Royal Bank of Scotland	2	1 200 000 000
10	Toronto Dominion	1	1 000 000 000



And sixth in 2009 EMEA Oil & Gas Mandated Lead Arranger ranking

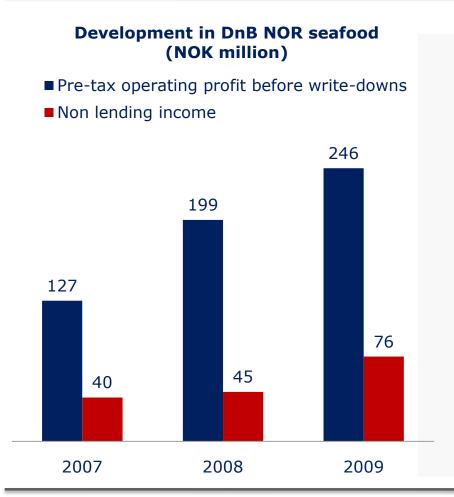


Secure profitable growth within seafood





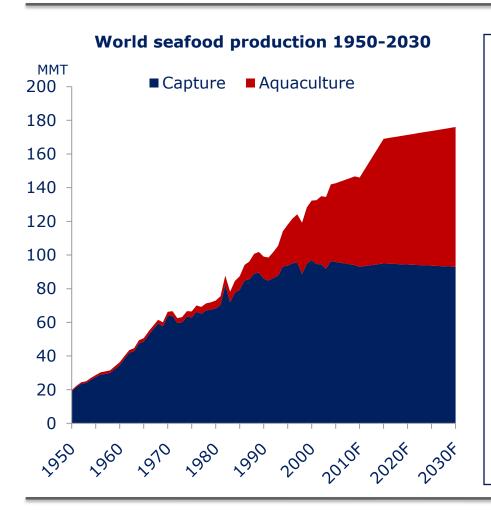
Seafood exposure is relatively small but DnB NOR has a significant market share



- Norwegian exporters have emerged strengthened from the downturn
- DnB NOR has been a long term player in the industry – through good and bad times
- We have capabilities both geographically and product-wise to capture the growth opportunities



A steady increase in demand for seafood



- A small, but profitable industry with strong growth drivers
- Strong underlying trends drive demand
- Norwegian export value of approximately NOK 45 billion



Significant growth ambitions based on Norwegian traditional industries

Solid position in our home market and within selected industries internationally

Growth opportunities within industries where we already have a strong position

Energy will be the most important growth area over the next 2-3 years

A high-quality customer portfolio

Continue to create value through a stronger emphasis on non lending income

