

Annual report

2018

GPV International A/S CVR No. 66945715 Håndværkervej 3 - 5 DK-6880 Tarm	Approved at the Annual General Meeting, 6 March 2019 Conductor Henrik Tornbjerg

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Entity details

Entity

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Tove Davidsen, Employee director
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Statement by Management on the annual report

The Board of Directors and the Executive Board have today considered and approved the annual report of GPV International A/S for the financial year 1 January – 31 December 2018.

The annual report is presented in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) as adopted by the EU and Danish disclosure requirements.

In our opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the Entity's financial position at 31 December 2018 and of the results of its operations and cash flows for the financial year 1 January – 31 December 2018.

In our opinion the management commentary contains a fair review of the affairs and conditions referred to therein.

We recommend the annual report for adoption at the Annual General Meeting.

Tarm, 1 March 2019

Executive Board

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Independent auditor's reports

To the shareholders of GPV International A/S

Opinion

We have audited the consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements of GPV International A/S for the financial year 1 January – 31 December 2018, which comprise income statement, statement of comprehensive income, balance sheet, statement of changes in equity, cash flow statement and notes, including accounting policies, for the Group and the Parent Company. The consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements are prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the EU and additional requirements of the Danish Financial Statements Act.

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Group and the Parent Company at 31 December 2018 and of the results of the Group's and the Parent Company's operations and cash flows for the financial year 1 January – 31 December 2018 in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the EU and additional requirements of the Danish Financial Statements Act.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs) and additional requirements applicable in Denmark. Our responsibilities under those standards and requirements are further described in the "Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements" (hereinafter collectively referred to as "the financial statements") section of our report. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Independence

We are independent of the Group in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (IESBA Code) and additional requirements applicable in Denmark, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these rules and requirements.

Statement on the Management's review

Management is responsible for the Management's review.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the Management's review, and we do not express any assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the Management's review and, in doing so, consider whether the Management's review is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained during the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

Moreover, it is our responsibility to consider whether the Management's review provides the information required under the Danish Financial Statements Act.

Based on our procedures, we conclude that the Management's review is in accordance with the financial statements and has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Danish Financial Statements Act. We did not identify any material misstatement of the Management's review.

Management's responsibilities for the financial statements

Management is responsible for the preparation of consolidated financial statements and parent company financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the EU and additional requirements of the Danish Financial Statements Act and for such internal control as Management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, Management is responsible for assessing the Group's and the Parent Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the financial statements unless Management either intends to liquidate the Group or the Parent Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance as to whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs and additional requirements applicable in Denmark will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the financial statements.

As part of an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs and additional requirements applicable in Denmark, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Group's and the Parent Company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by Management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of Management's use of the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the financial statements and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Group's and the Parent Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group and the Parent Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and contents of the financial statements, including the note disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that gives a true and fair view.

Management's responsibilities for the financial statements

- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the Group to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

Esbjerg, 1 March 2019

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Financial highlights

Key figures	2018 tDKK	2017 tDKK	2016* tDKK	2015/16 tDKK	2014/15** tDKK
Revenue	1,218,303	1,147,519	667,630	853,768	797,863
Operating profit/loss (EBIT)	74,765	78,338	49,721	55,590	54,569
Net financials	(3,607)	5,643	(5,186)	(4,923)	(39,173)
Profit/loss for the year	63,221	92,884	49,976	50,820	14,031
Total assets	2,317,904	910,771	675,909	586,079	651,275
Investments in property, plant and equipment	113,800	76,166	37,993	15,118	120,669
Equity	779,997	280,782	205,504	132,551	142,533
Interest-bearing debt, net	811,974	350,504	239,731	279,091	267,479
Employees in average	1,453	1,302	1,074	1,078	1,054
Ratios					
EBIT margin (%)	6.1	6.8	7.4	6.5	6.8
Net margin (%)	5.2	8.1	7.5	6.0	1.8
Financial gearing (%)	1.0	1.2	1.2	2.1	1.9
Return on equity (%)	11.9	38.2	29.6	36.9	15.2
Return on invested capital (%)	7.1	15.3	15.7	13.9	17.3
Equity ratio (%)	33.7	31.0	30.4	22.6	21.9

* The financial year 2016 covers a nine months period (1 April – 31 December 2016).
**Note that there has been no restatement to IFRS for the year 2014/15.

Financial highlights

Financial highlights are defined and calculated as follows.

	Calculation formula	Ratio effect
EBIT margin (%)	$\frac{\text{(EBIT) x 100}}{\text{Revenue}}$	The Entity's profitability
Net margin (%)	$\frac{\text{Profit/(loss) for the year x 100}}{\text{Revenue}}$	The Entity's operating profitability
Financial gearing	$\frac{\text{Net interest bearing debt}}{\text{Equity}}$	The Entity's financial gearing based on carrying amount
Return on equity (%)	$\frac{\text{Profit/(loss) for the year x 100}}{\text{Average equity}}$	The Entity's return on capital in- vested in the Entity by the owners
Return on invested capital (%)	$\frac{\text{(EBITA) x 100}}{\text{Average invested capital}}$	The Entity's return on capital invested
Equity ratio (%)	$\frac{\text{Equity x 100}}{\text{Total assets}}$	The Entity's equity ratio and financial strength

Management commentary

Management Commentary

GPV's 2018 performance is satisfactory, showing an increase in revenue of 6% and an operating profit (EBIT) as well as profit for the year as expected.

To strengthen our market and manufacturing platform further GPV has during autumn 2018 been working on the acquisition of the Swiss EMS company CCS Group. CCS Group has a strong market position in Switzerland and the rest of the German speaking area (DACH area), and CCS Group have a manufacturing platform in Europe and Asia with service offerings within High-mix/low-Medium Volume EMS, product design, box build and cable harness. Closing of the transaction took place on December 28, 2018.

During 2018 we have been working with a range of strategic initiatives with the aim of further strengthening the platform for our core business within Electronic Manufacturing Services (EMS), Mechatronics and High Precision Mechanics.

During 2018, we have continued a high level of investments primarily in new capacity to follow the increasing demand from our existing customers as well as from new customers.

At the end of 2018, GPV stands as a healthy, well-developed business with a sound base of competent employees and with an appropriate production footprint in Asia, Europe and the Americas. This together with the acquisition of CCS Group and the investments in new capacity and technology provides a strong platform that will establish the future basis for value-adding growth for our valued customers, for GPV, and for our owners.

Financial developments in the financial year 2018

Total revenue for FY 2018 came to DKK 1.218 million (FY 2017 DKK 1,148 million). We have seen a revenue increase of 6% from 2017.

For FY 2018, operating profit (EBIT) amounted to DKK 74.8 million (FY 2017 DKK 78.3 million), which is a satisfactory level. Profit for the year came to DKK 63.2 million (FY 2017 DKK 92.9 million).

The balance sheet from CCS Group per December 31, 2018 is consolidated into the annual report of GPV. The acquisition influence GPV operating profit (EBIT) for the financial year 2018 negatively with transaction cost amounting to DKK 10.9 million, and the influence on GPV profit for the year is negative with DKK 11.0 million.

During 2018 we have experienced a challenging supply situation for electronic components with increasing lead times and limitations on quantities, and this has as well lead to increasing prices on certain components. Consequently, GPV has used significant extra resources and have decided to increase the inventory level on critical components to secure deliveries to our customers in the best possible way. Together with the growth in revenue, this have caused an increase in working capital during FY 2018. In total cash flow from operating activities amounted to DKK 39.6 million (FY 2017 DKK -3.8 million) and net investments equals DKK 112.5 million in new production equipment (FY 2017 DKK 103.5 million incl. the acquisition of BHE A/S). The investment in CCS Group amounts DKK 628.1 million.

At year-end 2018, total assets amounted to DKK 2.318 million against DKK 911 million for the previous year.

At the financial year-end, total equity amounted to DKK 780 million (DKK 281 million at the financial year-end 2017) after a positive exchange-rate adjustment of DKK 36 million.

Events subsequent to the financial year-end

No material events have occurred after the end of the financial year.

Outlook 2019

GPV will in 2019 use the necessary resources and focus on the integration of the CCS Group under the motto: "Prompt merger in the market, step-by-step operations and back-office integration", but first and foremost the focus will be to continue to deliver quality products to all our customers.

The development of the recurring business has continued over the past year, and with the focus on investments in new automated production technology and with the extended footprint, following the acquisition of CCS Group, with manufacturing capabilities in Denmark, Switzerland, Austria, Germany, Slovakia, Thailand, Sri Lanka, China and Mexico GPV have a strong position. With the acquisition, our service offerings towards our customers now cover design & engineering, electronics & mechanics manufacturing, cable assembly, box-build, mechatronics products and together with strong logistic and life-time management capabilities. With this strong geographical and service platform GPV continue our focused efforts to increase the value creation for our customers and to explore the market potential.

The trend towards outsourcing of production, within the industries in which GPV is operating, is expected to continue in 2019. The customers will focus further on their core competencies and reduce their investments in capital equipment and inventories, and at the same time via GPV gain access to flexibility and an outsourcing partner that can handle manufacturability studies, complex production and transfer of production sites, together with product development, test design, testing and logistics.

GPV will in 2019 have a continued focus on capacity and invest in extended capacity when deemed a requirement.

We expect FY 2019 will continue to be characterised by unsecure market conditions in US, China and Russia, and expectations of challenging development in Europe. Against this outlook, GPV expects a stable development in revenue and operating profit (EBIT) as well as a positive cash flow from operating activities for 2019.

Management will closely follow developments in 2019 and take the steps necessary to secure continued competitiveness and the required liquid resources.

Employee development and appraisal

It is an essential prerequisite for the continued development of our business that we are able to attract, retain, develop and motivate employees who have the necessary skills and capability. Important elements to support this include the delegation of responsibility and competencies as well as cross-organisational solutions.

Our focus on Service Excellence and environmental management

We have uncompromising focus on timely delivery of faultless, secure and functional products and services that fulfil expectations and requirements from our customers. The competence and commitment of all employees are a prerequisite for achieving this. In 2018 we have seen a continued pressure in the raw material supply situation resulting in a lower than normal service level. We expect that our service level will be normalised in 2019.

GPV is also determined to ensure environmental management as well as responsible behaviour in all areas. Because GPV is an international supplier, it is imperative that GPV makes sure that all environmental and quality requirements are channelled to our partners and suppliers to ensure the same high levels of quality, environment, safety and ethics throughout the value chain.

Quality management

GPV's quality system is based on the standard ISO 9001. In addition, GPV has obtained a number of important quality certifications as well as plant and workmanship approvals.

In all manufacturing sites, GPV holds a number of general as well as industry-specific certifications and workmanship standards aiming to fulfil the needs of and requirements from our customers.

A total list of certificates and approvals can be found on GPV's homepage at:

www.gpv-group.com/about-gpv/awards-certificates/

Environmental management

GPV makes continuous efforts to mitigate the environmental impact of our business activities. Our largest environmental impact relates to the consumption of energy, raw materials and the derived materials waste.

Our policy is always to comply with the rules and regulations that apply and to commit to making progress at our own initiative within environment, health and safety.

Corporate Responsibility

GPV is dedicated to being a responsible employer and a good corporate citizen. Our Code of Conduct (COC) represents our core values and reflects our continued commitment to ethical business practices and regulatory compliance.

We take a serious view of any suspicion of breach of GPV's Code of Conduct, and in any cases of non-compliance with the Code of Conduct, we will act.

Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR)

For GPV's statutory description of Corporate Social Responsibility, hereunder human rights, social and labor conditions, climate, environment and anti-corruption, in accordance with §99a and b in the Financials Statements act, please refer to Schouw & Co at

http://schouw.dk/om-os/corporate-governance/

GPV strives continually to improve our work environment. We aim to strengthen and implement a shared corporate culture, which is to help us treat all colleagues equally.

Please refer to the statement in the annual report for 2018 of the ultimate parent company Schouw & Co., on policies and targets regarding gender representation in management:

Working Environment

In GPV the amount of working hours lives up to the local labour legislation. In situations where law or agreements require overtime pay or other kind of nuisance bonus, such payment is paid. Further GPV in Thailand is certified according to SA 8000 on Social Accountability.

GPV ensures that all phases of the supply chain is planned and organised to promote a safe, healthy and responsible working environment.

The purpose is to avoid accidents and to ensure that the physical and mental conditions of the employees will not deteriorate. It is indeed important to GPV to have healthy employees. GPV ensures that efforts to improve the general health are part of the GPV way to act.

GPV helps improving the health of our employees by combining the efforts to improve the work environment with initiatives targeting a healthier lifestyle and an improved well-being.

Freedom of Association

GPV does not interfere with the employees' choice of union or other association and respects the employees' right to organise and enter into collective bargaining.

Child Labour

GPV does not accept child labour. GPV is aware of and respects the ban against child labour as expressed in the EU Directive 94/33/EC of 22 June 1994 on the protection of young people in the workplace, the UN Convention on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights of 16 December 1966, ILO Convention No. 138 of 26 June 1973 on Minimum Age, ILO Convention No. 182 of 17 June 1999 on the Worst Forms of Child Labour as well as the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child of 20 November 1989.

Conflict Minerals

GPV support Section 1502 of the 2010 Dodd-Frank Act Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act that promote transparency and customer awareness regarding the use of Conflict Minerals.

GPV does not directly purchase any Conflict Minerals from any source and does not knowingly procure any product containing Conflict Minerals.

For our Conflict Minerals Statement we refer to the Company's website at:

www.gpv-group.com/about-gpv/downloads/

Corruption

As a company operating and delivering globally GPV is exposed to different cultures primarily in Asia, Europe and the Americas. As expressed in our Code of Conduct, we pride ourselves of acting credibly and with integrity in all of our operations, and we do not accept or offer bribes.

GPV is aware of and observes all applicable laws, rules and regulations in the various countries in which we operate. GPV is responsible for understanding these laws, rules and regulations and how they apply to our business and jobs, and for preventing, detecting and reporting instances of non-compliance to the relevant individuals, institutions or authorities.

GPV sources raw materials and services in different countries. Our ambition is for our suppliers to meet our Code of Conduct which governs ethical, social and environmental responsibilities. GPV will in 2019 conduct supplier audits in business ethics.

For a full CSR policy and achieved results we refer to the Company's website at:

http://www.gpv-group.com/about-gpv/csr-business-continuity-plan-threat-analysis/

GPV has no material outstanding environmental issues

GPV operates in compliance with all existing environmental rules and regulations and has set up task forces to handle the Company's environmental affairs.

Liquidity risk / capital resources

GPV Group is largely financed by the parent company Schouw & Co. In 2016 Schouw & Co. established a credit facility of DKK 1.8 billion plus an accordion of DKK 0.3 billion with a bank consortium consisting of Danske Bank, DNB and Nordea. The ultimate parent company Schouw & Co. provides adequate funds for continued operation and development of the GPV Group.

In addition, the parent company has separately stated the debt facility of DKK 751 million financing GPV's purchase of CCS Group. The financing of the acquisition of the CCS Group is divided into a capital increase in GPV of DKK 400 million and a five-year fixed-rate bullet loan of EUR 47 million from the parent company.

Debtor risk

The major part of GPV's production is delivered to customers that use GPV as a regular partner. Such customers are mostly world class in what they do, well-reputed and often large international companies.

Debtor creditworthiness is monitored on an ongoing basis, and we perform an in-depth credit assessment of new customers and ongoing assessment of existing customers. In recent years, no material debtor losses have been recorded.

Furthermore, debtor insurance with regard to the existing and new customer portfolios is being reviewed on a current basis.

Consolidated financial statements

Income statement

Notes		2018 1/1 - 31/12 tDKK	2017 1/1 - 31/12 tDKK
3	Revenue	1.218.303	1.147.519
4	Cost of sales	-959.225	-899.281
	Gross profit/loss	**259.078**	**248.238**
6	Other operating income	1.381	904
4,7	Distribution costs	-47.089	-43.566
4,5,7	Administrative expenses	-138.407	-124.871
4,6	Other operation expenses	-198	-2.367
	Operating profit/loss	**74.765**	**78.338**
8	Financial income	5.672	12.501
9	Financial expenses	-9.279	-6.858
	Profit/loss before tax	**71.158**	**83.981**
10	Tax on profit/loss for the year	-7.937	8.903
	Profit/loss for the year	**63.221**	**92.884**
	Attributable to:		
	Shareholders of GPV International A/S	63.221	92.884

Statement of other comprehensive income

Notes			
	Profit/loss for the year	**63.221**	**92.884**
	Other comprehensive income		
20	Exchange differences on translation of foreign operations	35.999	-21.758
20	Net (loss) / gain on cash flow hedges	-5	4.153
	Net other comprehensive income/(loss) to be reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent periods, net of tax	**35.994**	**-17.605**
	Total recognised other comprehensive income	**99.215**	**75.279**

Balance sheet

Notes		2018 Dec 31 tDKK	2017 Dec 31 tDKK
	Assets		
	Non current assests:		
	Goodwill	168.331	9.752
	Other intangible assets	260.412	8.663
11	**Intangible assets**	**428.743**	**18.415**
	Land and buildings	169.943	146.404
	Plant and machinery	240.955	120.793
	Other fixtures, tools and equipment	17.699	11.929
	Assets under construction, etc.	41.102	5.806
12	**Property, plant and equipment**	**469.699**	**284.932**
10	Deferred tax	25.337	31.566
	Receivables	5.617	3.697
	Other non-current assets	**30.954**	**35.263**
	Total non-current assets	**929.396**	**338.610**
	Current assets:		
14	Inventories	819.374	323.858
15	Receivables	408.798	218.106
	Income tax	1.952	3.718
	Cash and cash equivalents	158.384	26.479
	Total current assets	**1.388.508**	**572.161**
	Total assets	**2.317.904**	**910.771**

Balance sheet

Notes		2018 Dec 31 tDKK	2017 Dec 31 tDKK
	Liabilities and equity		
	Share capital	50.000	10.000
	Hedge reserve	0	5
	Exchange adjustment reserve	-2.547	-38.546
	Retained earnings	732.544	309.323
16	**Total equity**	**779.997**	**280.782**
	Non-current liabilities		
17	Other liabilities	285	0
10	Deferred tax	34.496	0
21	Pension liabilities	82.981	0
17	Payables to ultimate parent company	350.963	0
21	Provisions	6.899	0
	Non-current liabilities total	**475.624**	**0**
	Current liabilities		
17	Current portion of non-current debt	540	3.325
17	Credit institutions	163.669	7.927
17	Payables to ultimate parent company	454.901	365.731
	Trade payables	295.952	184.663
	Prepayment received from customers	12.632	789
18	Others payables	114.445	60.048
	Income tax	20.144	7.506
	Current liabilities total	**1.062.283**	**629.989**
	Total liabilities	**1.537.907**	**629.989**
	Total liabilities and equity	**2.317.904**	**910.771**

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Cash flow statement

Notes		2018 1/1 - 31/12 tDKK	2017 1/1 - 31/12 tDKK
	Profit before tax	71.158	83.981
	Adjustment for operating items of a non-cash nature, etc.:		
7	Depreciation and impairment losses	38.894	27.295
6	Other operating items, net	1.829	4.041
8	Financial income	-5.672	-12.501
9	Financial expenses	9.279	6.858
	Cash flows from operating activities before changes in working capital	**115.488**	**109.674**
24	Changes in working capital	-64.121	-97.125
	Cash flows from operating activities after changes in working capital	**51.367**	**12.549**
	Interest income received	5.687	2
	Interest expenses paid	-9.279	-5.909
	Cash flows from ordinary activities	**47.775**	**6.642**
	Income tax paid	-8.172	-10.425
	Cash flows from operating activities	**39.603**	**-3.783**
	Investing activities:		
12	Purchase of property, plant and equipment	-113.800	-76.166
	Sale of property, plant and equipment	1.309	2.697
13	Acquisition of enterprises	-628.136	-30.000
	Cash flows from investing activities	**-740.627**	**-103.469**
	Financing activities:		
	Repayment of non-current liabilities	-3.413	-40.632
	Increase (repayment) of bank overdrafts	-4.748	7.927
	Shareholders:		
	Capital reduction/increase	400.000	0
	Change in payables to ultimate parent company	440.133	115.193
	Cash flows from financing activities	**831.972**	**82.488**
	Cash flows for the year	130.948	-24.764
	Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	26.479	51.515
	Value adjustment of cash and cash equivalents	957	-272
	Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	**158.384**	**26.479**
	Cash and cash equivalents at year-end are composed of:		
	Cash	158.384	26.479
	Short-term debt to banks	0	0
	Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	**158.384**	**26.479**

Equity statement

	Share capital	Hedge reserve	Exchange adjustment reserve	Retained earnings	Proposed dividend	Total equity
	tDKK	tDKK	tDKK	tDKK	tDKK	tDKK
Equity at Jan 1, 2018	**10.000**	**5**	**-38.546**	**309.323**	**0**	**280.782**
Other comprehensive income in 2018						
Exchange rate adjustment of foreign subsidiaries	0	0	35.999	0	0	35.999
Value adjustment of hedging instruments recognised during the year	0	-5	0	0	0	-5
Profit for the year	0	0	0	63.221	0	63.221
Total recognised comprehensive income	**0**	**-5**	**35.999**	**63.221**	**0**	**99.215**
Transactions with the owners						
Capital increase	40.000	0	0	360.000	0	400.000
Dividend distributed	0	0	0	0	0	0
Addition/disposal of minority interests	0	0	0	0	0	0
Transactions with the owners for the period	**40.000**	**0**	**0**	**360.000**	**0**	**400.000**
Equity at Dec 31, 2018	**50.000**	**0**	**-2.547**	**732.544**	**0**	**779.997**

Equity statement

	Share capital	Hedge reserve	Exchange adjustment reserve	Retained earnings	Proposed dividend	Total equity
	tDKK	tDKK	tDKK	tDKK	tDKK	tDKK
Equity at Jan 1, 2017	**10.000**	**4.307**	**-25.242**	**216.439**	**0**	**205.504**
Other comprehensive income in 2017						
Exchange rate adjustment of foreign subsidiaries	0	-8.455	-13.304	0	0	-21.759
Value adjustment of hedging instruments recognised during the year	0	4.153	0	0	0	4.153
Profit for the year	0	0	0	92.884	0	92.884
Total recognised comprehensive income	**0**	**-4.302**	**-13.304**	**92.884**	**0**	**75.278**
Transactions with the owners						
Dividend distributed	0	0	0	0	0	0
Addition/disposal of minority interests	0	0	0	0	0	0
Transactions with the owners for the period	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Equity at Dec 31, 2017	**10.000**	**5**	**-38.546**	**309.323**	**0**	**280.782**

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1. Accounting policies

Basis of preparation

GPV International A/S (the Company) is a limited company incorporated and domiciled in Denmark. GPV is principally engaged within electronic manufacturing services, mechatronics and high precision mechanics. Information on the Group's ultimate parent is presented in Note 16. Information on other related party relationships of the Group is provided in Note 25.

The consolidated financial statements of GPV International A/S and its subsidiaries have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) as adopted by the European Union and Danish disclosure requirements.

The annual report also complies with the International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) as issued by the IASB and Danish disclosure requirements.

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis, except for derivative financial instruments that are measured at fair value.

The consolidated financial statements are presented in Danish Kroner (DKK) and all values are rounded to the nearest thousand (tDKK) except when otherwise indicated.

Basis of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements comprise the financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries at 31 December 2018.

Subsidiaries are entities over which GPV has control. GPV has control over an entity, when the Group is exposed to or has rights to variable returns from its involvement in the entity, and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the entity.

Only potential voting rights that are considered to be substantive at the balance sheet date are included in the control assessment.

Consolidation of a subsidiary begins when the Group obtains control over the subsidiary and ceases when the Group loses control of the subsidiary.

The consolidated financial statements are prepared by combining uniform items. On consolidation, intra-group income and expenses, intra-group accounts and dividends as well as profits and losses on transactions between the consolidated enterprises are eliminated. Assets, liabilities, income and expenses of a subsidiary acquired or disposed of during the year are included in the consolidated financial statements from the date the Group gains control until the date the Group ceases to control the subsidiary.

Subsidiaries' financial statement items are fully recognised in the consolidated financial statements. Minority interests' pro rata shares of the profit/loss and the net assets are disclosed as separate items in the income statement and the balance sheet, respectively.

New and amended standards and interpretations

The Group applied IFRS 15 and IFRS 9 for the first time. The nature and effect of the changes as a result of adoption of these new accounting standards are described below.

The Group has not early adopted any standards, interpretations or amendments that have been issued but are not yet effective.

IFRS 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers

IFRS 15 supersedes IAS 11 Construction Contracts, IAS 18 Revenue and related Interpretations and it applies, with limited exceptions, to all revenue arising from contracts with its customers. IFRS 15 establishes a five-step model to account for revenue arising from contracts with customers and requires that revenue be recognised at an amount that reflects the consideration to which an entity expects to be entitled in exchange for transferring goods or services to a customer.

IFRS 15 requires entities to exercise judgement, taking into consideration all of the relevant facts and circumstances when applying each step of the model to contracts with their customers. The standard also specifies the accounting for the incremental costs of obtaining a contract and the costs directly related to fulfilling a contract. In addition, the standard requires extensive disclosures.

The Group adopted IFRS 15 using the modified retrospective method of adoption. There has been no effect in the transition on the standard.

IFRS 9 Financial Instruments

In November 2016, the EU endorsed IFRS 9 "Financial Instruments", which is effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2018. IFRS 9 replaces IAS 39 and changes the classification and measurement of financial assets and liabilities. IFRS 9 introduces a logical classification of financial assets based on the Group's business model and its underlying cash flow. Furthermore, a new "expected loss"-model is introduced, as opposed to an incurred credit loss model under IAS 39. The expected loss model requires an entity to account for expected credit losses and changes in those expected credit losses at each reporting date to reflect changes in credit risk.

Furthermore, new requirements for hedge accounting will be more closely aligned to the Group's business risk management policies. An assessment was performed which indicates that the new standard would not have any material impact on the classification of financial assets. Analysis confirms that the expected loss model for trade receivables, nor the change in hedge accounting will have a material impact on the recognition or measurement in the Group's figures.

Business combinations and goodwill

Business combinations are accounted for using the acquisition method. The consideration transferred for an acquisition is measured as the fair value of the assets transferred, equity instruments issued and liabilities incurred or assumed at the date of acquisition. If part of the consideration is contingent on future events, such consideration is recognised in cost of acquisition at fair value. Subsequent changes in the fair value of contingent consideration are recognised in the income statement.

When the Group acquires a business, it assesses the financial assets and liabilities assumed for appropriate classification and designation in accordance with the contractual terms, economic circumstances and pertinent conditions as at the acquisition date. This includes the separation of embedded derivatives in host contracts by the acquiree.

Identifiable assets acquired and liabilities and contingent liabilities assumed in a business combination are measured initially at their fair values at the acquisition date, irrespective of the extent of any non-controlling interests. A positive excess (goodwill) of the consideration transferred (including any previously held equity interests and any non-controlling interests in the acquired business) over the fair value of the identifiable net assets acquired is recorded as goodwill.

Costs directly attributable to the acquisition are expensed as incurred.

If uncertainties regarding identification or measurement of acquired assets, liabilities or contingent liabilities or determination of the consideration transferred exist at the acquisition date, initial recognition will be based on provisional values. Any adjustments in the provisional values are adjusted retrospectively, including adjustment to goodwill, until 12 months after the acquisition, and comparative figures are restated.

Goodwill is initially measured at cost. If the fair value of the net assets acquired is in excess of the aggregate consideration transferred, the Group re-assesses whether it has correctly identified all of the assets acquired and all of the liabilities assumed and reviews the procedures used to measure the amounts to be recognised at the acquisition date. If the reassessment still results in an excess of the fair value of net assets acquired over the aggregate consideration transferred, then the gain is recognised in profit or loss.

After initial recognition, goodwill is measured at cost less any accumulated impairment losses. For the purpose of impairment testing, goodwill acquired in a business combination is, from the acquisition date, allocated to each of the Group's cash-generating units that are expected to benefit from the combination, irrespective of whether other assets or liabilities of the acquiree are assigned to those units.

Foreign currency translation

The Group's consolidated financial statements are presented in Danish Kroner (DKK), which is also the Parent Company's functional currency. For each entity, the Group determines the functional currency and items included in the financial statements of each entity are measured using that functional currency.

On initial recognition, foreign currency transactions are translated applying the exchange rate at the transaction date. Receivables, payables and other monetary items denominated in foreign currencies that have not been settled at the balance sheet date are translated using the exchange rate at the balance sheet date. Exchange differences that arise between the exchange rate at the transaction date and the exchange rate at the payment date, as well as the exchange rate at the balance sheet date are recognised in the income statement as financial income or financial expenses.

Property, plant and equipment, intangible assets, inventories and other non-monetary assets that have been purchased in foreign currencies are translated using historical exchange rates.

On consolidation, the assets and liabilities of foreign operations are translated into DKK at the rates of exchange prevailing at the reporting date and their statement of profit or loss are translated at monthly average exchange rates prevailing at the dates of the transactions. The exchange differences arising on the translation are recognised in other comprehensive income. On disposal of a foreign operation, the component of other comprehensive relating to that particular foreign operation is recognised in the income statement.

Derivative financial instruments

The Group uses derivative financial instruments such as forward currency contracts to hedge its foreign currency risks (cash flow hedges). Such derivative financial instruments are initially recognised at cost value on the date on which a derivative contract is entered into and are subsequently remeasured at fair value. Derivatives are recognised as financial assets when the fair value is positive and as financial liabilities when the fair value is negative.

At the inception of a hedge relationship, the Group formally designates and documents the hedge relationship to which the Group wishes to apply hedge accounting and the risk management objective and strategy for undertaking the hedge.

Any gains or losses arising from changes in the fair value of derivatives are taken directly to the income statement, except for the effective portion of cash flow hedges, which is recognised in other comprehensive income and later reclassified to profit or loss when the hedged item affects profit or loss.

The effective portion of the gain or loss on the hedging instrument is recognised in other comprehensive income in the cash flow hedge reserve, while any ineffective portion is recognised immediately in the income statement as financial expenses. Amounts recognised as other comprehensive income are transferred to profit or loss when the hedged transaction affects profit or loss. When the hedged item is the cost of a non-financial asset or non-financial liability, the amounts recognised as other comprehensive income are transferred to the initial carrying amount of the non-financial asset or liability.

If the forecast transaction is no longer expected to occur, the cumulative gain or loss previously recognised in equity is transferred to profit or loss. If the hedging instrument expires or is sold, terminated or exercised without replacement or rollover (as part of the hedging strategy), or if its designation as a hedge is revoked, or when the hedge no longer meets the criteria for hedge accounting, any cumulative gain or loss previously recognised in other comprehensive income remains separately in equity until the forecast transaction occurs or the foreign currency firm commitment affects profit or loss.

Shareholders' Equity

Reserve for net revaluation according to the equity method: Net revaluation of investments in subsidiaries and associates is recognised at cost in the reserve for net revaluation according to the equity method.

The reserve can be eliminated in case of losses, realization of investments, or a change in accounting estimates.

The reserve cannot be recognised as a negative amount.

Dividend: Dividend proposed for the year is recognized as a liability in the financial statements at the time of adoption by the shareholders at the Annual General Meeting. The dividend proposed in respect of the financial year is stated as a separate item under equity.

The hedge transaction reserve contains the accumulated net change in the fair value of hedging transactions that meet the criteria for hedging future cash flows and for which the hedged transaction has yet to be realised. The exchange adjustment reserve in the consolidated financial statements comprises exchange differences arising on the translation of the financial statements of foreign enterprises from their functional currencies into Danish kroner including exchange differences on financial instruments considered to be a part of the net investment or as hedging of the net investment. On realisation, accumulated value adjustments are taken from equity to financial income and expenses in the income statement.

Income statement

Revenue

Revenue from contracts with customers is recognised when control of the goods are transferred to the customer at an amount that reflects the consideration to which the Group expects to be entitled in exchange for those goods. The Group has concluded that it is the principal in all of its revenue arrangements.

Sale of goods

Revenue from sale of goods is recognised at the point in time when control of the asset is transferred to the customer, generally on delivery of the goods. The normal credit term is 30 to 75 days upon delivery.

The Group considers whether there are other promises in the contract that are separate performance obligations to which a portion of the transaction price needs to be allocated.

In determining the transaction price for the sale of goods, the Group considers the effects of variable consideration.

Variable consideration

If the consideration in a contract includes a variable amount, the Group estimates the amount of consideration to which it will be entitled in exchange for transferring the goods to the customer. The variable consideration is estimated at contract inception and constrained until it is highly probable that a significant revenue reversal in the amount of cumulative revenue recognised will not occur when the associated uncertainty with the variable consideration is subsequently resolved.

Revenue is measured excluding VAT and other taxes and duties charged on behalf of third parties. All discounts granted are deducted from revenue.

Production costs

Production costs comprise costs, including depreciation, wages and salaries, incurred in generating the revenue for the year. Production costs include direct and indirect costs for raw materials and consumables, wages and salaries, maintenance, depreciation and impairment of production plant as well as costs and expenses relating to the operation, administration and management of factories. Also included are inventory write-downs.

Distribution costs

Distribution costs comprise expenses incurred in connection with the distribution of goods sold during the year and in connection with sales campaigns, etc. launched during the year under review, including cost of sales and logistics staff, advertising and exhibition costs, as well as depreciation/amortisation and impairment losses.

Administrative expenses

Administrative expenses comprise expenses incurred during the year for management and administration, including expenses for administrative staff, office premises and office expenses, and depreciation and impairment losses. Administrative expenses also comprise write-downs on receivables.

Employee benefits

Equity-settled share options are measured at fair value at the grant date and their value is recognised in the income statement under staff costs over the vesting period. The balancing item is recognised directly in equity as a shareholder transaction.

On initial recognition of the share options, the number of options expected to vest is estimated. Subsequently, changes in the estimated number of vested options are adjusted to the effect that the total amount recognised is based on the actual number of vested options.

The fair value of options granted is estimated using a valuation model that takes into account the terms and conditions of the options granted.

Other operating income and expenses

Other operating income and expenses comprise items of a secondary nature relative to the companies' activities, including gains and losses on replacement of intangible assets and property, plant and equipment. Gains and losses on the disposal of intangible assets and property, plant and equipment are computed as the difference between the selling price and the carrying amount at the date of disposal.

Financial income

Other financial income comprises dividends etc. received on other investments, interest income, including interest income on receivables from group enterprises, net capital gains on securities, payables and transactions in foreign currencies, amortisation of financial assets as well as tax relief under the Danish Tax Prepayment Scheme etc.

Financial expenses

Other financial expenses comprise interest expenses, including interest expenses on payables to group enterprises, net capital losses on securities, payables and transactions in foreign currencies, amortisation of financial liabilities as well as tax surcharge under the Danish Tax Prepayment Scheme etc.

Income tax and deferred tax

The tax for the year consists of current tax and changes in deferred tax for the year. The tax for the year is recognised in the income statement, other comprehensive income or equity.

Deferred tax is measured using the balance sheet liability method on temporary differences between the carrying amount and the tax base of assets and liabilities. However, deferred tax is not recognised on temporary differences relating to goodwill, which is not deductible for tax purposes and on other items where temporary differences, apart from business combinations, arise at the date of acquisition without affecting either profit/loss for the year or taxable income. Deferred tax is measured at the tax rates (and in accordance with the tax rules) applicable in the respective countries at the date when the deferred tax is expected to be realised or the deferred tax liability is settled.

Deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that future taxable income will be available against which the temporary differences can be used. Adjustment is made for deferred tax concerning unrealised intercompany profits and losses eliminated. Changes in deferred tax due to changed tax rates are recognised in the income statement.

Deferred tax is provided on temporary differences arising on investments in subsidiaries, except where the timing of the reversal of the temporary difference is controlled by the GPV Group, and it is probable that the temporary difference will not reverse in the foreseeable future.

The company is jointly taxed with its owned Danish subsidiary. The current Danish income tax is allocated among the jointly taxed companies proportionally to their taxable income (full allocation with a refund concerning tax losses).

Balance sheet

Intangible assets

The cost of intangible assets acquired in a business combination is their fair value at the date of acquisition. Following initial recognition, intangible assets are carried at cost less any accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment losses.

The useful lives of intangible assets are assessed as either finite or indefinite.

Intangible assets with finite lives are amortised over the useful economic life and assessed for impairment whenever there is an indication that the intangible asset may be impaired. The amortisation period and the amortisation method for an intangible asset with a finite useful life are reviewed at least at the end of each reporting period. Changes in the expected useful life or the expected pattern of consumption of future economic benefits embodied in the asset are considered to modify the amortisation period or method, as appropriate, and are treated as changes in accounting estimates. The amortisation expense on intangible assets with finite lives is recognised in the statement of profit or loss in the expense category that is consistent with the function of the intangible assets.

Intangible assets with indefinite useful lives are not amortised, but are tested for impairment annually, either individually or at the cash-generating unit level. The assessment of indefinite life is reviewed annually to determine whether the indefinite life continues to be supportable. If not, the change in useful life from indefinite to finite is made on a prospective basis.

Gains or losses arising from derecognition of an intangible asset are measured as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset and are recognised in the statement of profit or loss when the asset is derecognised.

A summary of the policies applied to the Group's intangible assets is, as follows:

Goodwill	Indefinite useful lives	No amortisation
Other intangibles	Finite useful live (10 years)	Amortised on a straight line basis

Property, plant and equipment

Land and buildings, plant and machinery as well as other fixtures, tools and equipment are measured at cost, net of accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses.

Cost comprises the acquisition price, costs directly attributable to the acquisition and preparation costs of the asset until the time when it is ready to be put into operation. For self-manufactured assets, cost comprises direct and indirect costs of materials, components, sub suppliers and labour costs. For assets held under finance leases, cost is the lower of the asset's fair value and present value of future lease payments.

Depreciation is calculated on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of the assets, as follows:

Buildings	25 years
Plant and machinery	5-10 years
Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment	3-8 years

Land is not depreciated.

The cost of an asset is divided into separate components which are depreciated separately if their useful lives differ. The residual values and useful lives are reviewed at each financial year end and adjusted prospectively, if appropriate.

Depreciation is recognised in the income statement as production costs, distribution costs or administrative expenses.

Leases

Leases of property, plant and equipment, where substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership are transferred to the Group, are classified as finance leases. Finance leases are treated as described under property, plant and equipment and the related obligation as described under financial liabilities. All other leases are classified as operating leases. Payments made under operating leases are charged to the income statement on a straight-line basis over the lease term unless another systematic basis is more representative of the time pattern of benefits.

Impairment of non-current assets

Non-current assets with definite useful lives are tested for impairment when there is an indication that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. An impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount. The recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's fair value less costs to sell and value in use. For the purpose of assessing impairment, assets are grouped at the lowest levels for which there are separately identifiable cash flows (cash-generating units).

Goodwill is tested for impairment annually as at 31 December and when circumstances indicate that the carrying value may be impaired.

Impairment is determined for goodwill by assessing the recoverable amount of each CGU (or group of CGUs) to which the goodwill relates. When the recoverable amount of the CGU is less than its carrying amount, an impairment loss is recognised. Impairment losses relating to goodwill cannot be reversed in future periods.

Intangible assets with indefinite useful lives are tested for impairment annually as at 31 December at the CGU level, as appropriate, and when circumstances indicate that the carrying value may be impaired.

Inventories

Inventories are measured at the lower of cost using the FIFO method and net realisable value. Cost consists of purchase price plus delivery costs. Cost of manufactured goods and work in progress consists of costs of raw materials, consumables, direct labour costs and indirect production costs, based on a normal operating activity.

Indirect production costs comprise indirect materials and labour costs, costs of maintenance of, depreciation on and impairment losses relating to machinery, factory buildings and equipment applied for the manufacturing process as well as costs of factory administration and management. Financing costs are not included in cost.

The net realisable value of inventories is calculated as the estimated selling price less completion costs and costs incurred to execute sale.

Trade receivables

Receivables are recognised at the trade date, initially measured at fair value and subsequently at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less provision for impairment. Impairment of trade receivables is calculated using the simplified expected credit loss method, based on historical loses adjusted for forward looking information. Impairment write-downs on receivables, after initial recognition of the receivables, are recognised in the income statement under administrative expenses.

Income tax payable or receivable

Current tax payable or receivable is recognised in the balance sheet, stated as tax calculated on this year's taxable income, adjusted for prepaid tax.

Cash

Cash comprises cash in hand and bank deposits.

Financial liabilities

Financial liabilities are initially recognised at fair value (typically the amount of the proceeds received), net of transaction costs incurred. In subsequent periods, the financial liabilities are measured at amortised cost; any difference between the cost (the proceeds) and the redemption value is recognised in the income statement over the period of the borrowings using the effective interest method.

Financial liabilities also include the outstanding obligation under finance leases, measured at amortised cost. Financial liabilities are classified as current liabilities unless the Group has an unconditional right to defer settlement of the liability for at least 12 months after the balance sheet date.

Other Provisions

These comprise the anticipated costs of warranty obligations. Provisions are recognized when, as a consequence of a past event, the company has a legal or constructive obligation and it is likely that the obligation will materialize.

Other liabilities

Other liabilities are measured at net realisable value.

Cash flow statement

The cash flow statement shows cash flows from operating, investing and financing activities as well as cash and cash equivalents at the beginning and the end of the financial year.

Cash flows from operating activities are presented using the indirect method and calculated as the profit/loss before tax adjusted for non-cash operating items, working capital changes and income taxes paid.

Cash flows from investing activities comprise payments in connection with acquisition and divestment of enterprises, activities and fixed asset investments as well as purchase, development, improvement and sale, etc. of intangible assets and property, plant and equipment, including acquisition of assets held under finance leases.

Cash flows from financing activities comprise changes in the size or composition of the contributed capital and related costs as well as the raising of loans, inception of finance leases, instalments on interest-bearing debt, purchase of treasury shares, and payment of dividend.

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash less short-term bank debt.

2. Significant accounting judgements, estimates and assumptions

The preparation of the Group's consolidated financial statements requires Management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of revenues, expenses, assets and liabilities, and the accompanying disclosures, and the disclosure of contingent liabilities. Uncertainty about these assumptions and estimates could result in outcomes that require a material adjustment to the carrying amount of assets or liabilities affected in future periods. Management continuously reassesses these estimates and judgements based on a number of factors in the given circumstances. The following accounting estimates are considered significant for the financial reporting.

Trade receivables

Management applies estimates in the assessment of the likelihood that receivables at the balance sheet date will be received.

Debtor creditworthiness is monitored on an ongoing basis, and we perform an in-depth credit assessment of new customers and ongoing assessment of existing customers. In recent years, no material debtor losses have been recorded.

Furthermore, debtor insurance with regard to the existing and new customer portfolios is being reviewed on a current basis.

Inventories

The uncertainty attaching to estimating inventories is related to any write-down to net realisable value.

Pension obligations

Pension obligations are the net liabilities of defined benefit obligations and the dedicated assets adjusted for the effect of minimum funding and asset ceiling requirements. Plans with a funding surplus are presented as net assets on the balance sheet. The defined benefit obligations are measured at the present value of expected future payments to be made in respect of services provided by employees up to the balance sheet date. Plan assets are measured at fair value. The pension cost charged to the income statement consists of calculated amounts for vested benefits and interest in addition to settlement gains or losses, etc. Interest on plan assets is calculated with the same rates as used for discounting the obligations. Actuarial gains/losses are recognized in other comprehensive income.

Deferred tax assets

Deferred tax assets are recognised for unused tax losses to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the losses can be utilised. Significant management judgement is required to determine the amount of deferred tax assets that can be recognised, based upon the likely timing and the level of future taxable profits, together with future tax planning strategies.

The primarily part of the deferred tax assets are tax losses carried forward. These losses relate to the Parent Company and do not expire, The losses may not be used to offset taxable income elsewhere in the Group. The tax value of tax loss carry forwards has been recognised, as it has been considered sufficiently probably that the losses will be utilised within five years.

Further details on taxes are disclosed in Note 10.

Notes

Note 3 - Revenue from contracts with customers

Disaggregated revenue information
Set out below is the disaggregation of the Group's revenue from contracts with customers:

	For the year ended 31 December 2018			
Segments	**Denmark**	**Rest of Europe**	**Rest of world**	**Total**
	tDKK	**tDKK**	**tDKK**	**tDKK**
Type of goods or service				
Sale of goods	463.030	565.411	189.862	1.218.303
Total revenue from contracts with customers	**463.030**	**565.411**	**189.862**	**1.218.303**

Timing of revenue recognition is based on a point in time

Trade receivables are non-interest bearing and are generally on terms of 30 to 75 days. The acquisition of CCS Group resulted in an increase in trade receivables of 156.155 tDKK in 2018 (Note 13). In 2018, 3.226 tDKK (2017: tDKK 600) was recognised as provision for expected credit losses on trade receivables.

Performance obligations
Information about the Group's performance obligations are summarised below:

Sale of goods:

The performance obligation is satisfied upon delivery and payment is generally due within 30 to 75 days from delivery. Some contracts provide customers with a right of return and volume rebates which give rise to variable consideration subject to constraint.

Notes

	2018 1/1 - 31/12 tDKK	2017 1/1 - 31/12 tDKK
Note 4 - Costs		
Cost of sales:		
Cost of goods sold	-742.689	-694.537
Inventory impairments	-611	-3.971
Total cost of sales	**-743.300**	**-698.508**
Staff costs:		
Wages and salaries	-188.674	-181.738
Remuneration to the Board of Directors	-125	-125
Defined contribution pension plans	-6.867	-6.132
Other social security costs	-3.481	-3.077
Share-based payment	-1.819	-1.069
Total staff costs	**-200.967**	**-192.141**
Staff costs are recognised as follows:		
Production	-96.906	-91.338
Distribution	-16.510	-14.951
Administration	-87.551	-85.852
Staff costs recognised in the income statement	**-200.967**	**-192.141**
Average number of employees	**1.453**	**1.302**

Determination of remuneration to the Board of Directors and the Executive Board

Staff costs include salaries and bonuses to the Board of Directors and the Executive Board of tDKK 4,875 (2017 tDKK 4,625)

Share-based payments

Staff costs include share-based payment of tDKK 1.089 (2017 tDKK 690)

Share option programme

Schouw & Co. Group has an incentive programme for the Executive Board and senior executives, including directors of subsidiaries. The programme entitles participants to acquire shares in Aktieselskabet Schouw & Co. at a price based on the market price at the allocation date (2018: DKK 597,00) plus a calculated rate (2018: 3%) from the allocation date to the date of exercise.

Outstanding options	Executive Board	Others	Total	Exercise price in DKK *	Fair value in DKK per option (**)	Total fair value in tDKK (**)	Can be exercised from	Can be exercised to
Allocation in 2016	15.000	6.000	21.000	450,88	69,65	1.463	March 2019	March 2020
Allocation in 2017	20.000	14.000	34.000	671,93	68,45	2.327	March 2020	March 2021
Allocation in 2018	20.000	18.000	38.000	705,58	58,51	2.229	March 2021	March 2022
Unexercised options in total as at 31 December, 2018	55.000	38.000	93.000					

(*) On exercise after 4 years (at the latest possible moment).
(**) At the date of allocation

The assumptions for determining the fair value of unexercised share options at the date of allocation as follows:

On the date of allocation	2018 allocation	2017 allocation	2016 allocation
Expected volatility	21,10%	23,27%	31,50%
Expected option life	48 months	48 months	48 months
Expected dividend per share	DKK 12	DKK 10	DKK 8
Risk free interest rate	-0,38%	-0,25%	0,10%

The expected volatility is calculated as 12 months' historical volatility based on average share prices. If the option holders have not exercised their options at the end of the specified period, the options will lapse without any compensation to the holders. The exercise of options is subject to the holders being in continuing employment during the above-mentioned vesting periods. If the option beneficiary resigns before the vesting date, the holder may in certain circumstances have a right to early redemption in a 4-week period following the next interim report from Schouw & Co. In the event of early redemption, the number of options will be reduced proportionately.

Notes

	2018 1/1 - 31/12 tDKK	2017 1/1 - 31/12 tDKK
Note 5 - Fees to auditors appointed by the general meeting		
Audit fees	-594	-752
Fees for other services	-734	-314
Total fee	**-1.328**	**-1.066**
Note 6 - Other operation income and costs		
Gains on the disposal of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets	449	0
Other operating income	932	904
Total other operating income	**1.381**	**904**
Losses on the disposal of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets	0	-2.345
Other operating costs	-198	-22
Total other operating costs	**-198**	**-2.367**
Note 7 - Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses		
Depreciation is recognised in the income statement as follows:		
Cost of sales	-32.895	-22.047
Distribution costs	-945	-788
Administrative expenses	-5.054	-4.460
Total depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses	**-38.894**	**-27.295**
Note 8 - Financial income		
Interest income	1	2
Exchange rate adjustments	5.671	12.499
Other financial income	0	0
Total financial income	**5.672**	**12.501**
Note 9 - Financial expenses		
Interest expense	-192	-1.540
Interests to loans from ultimate parent	-9.087	-5.198
Other financial expenses	0	-120
Total financial expenses	**-9.279**	**-6.858**

Notes

	2018 1/1 - 31/12 tDKK	2017 1/1 - 31/12 tDKK
Note 10 - Tax on the profit for the year		
Tax for the year is composed as follows:		
Tax on the profit for the year	-7.937	8.903
	-7.937	**8.903**
Tax on the profit for the year has been calculated as follows:		
Current tax	-5.540	2.055
Deferred tax	-2.468	22.293
Tax on other comprehensive income	71	-15.445
	-7.937	**8.903**
Effective tax rate:		
Calculated 22.0% tax of the profit for the year	-15.655	-18.476
Adjustment on deferred tax assets	68	23.429
Non-deductible costs and non-taxable income	7.625	3.950
Recognised tax income	**-7.962**	**8.903**
Effective tax rate	**-11,2%**	**10,6%**
Deferred tax asset		
Intangible assets	-43.468	-1.906
Property, plant and equipment	3.579	5.841
Inventories	-4.337	4.523
Receivables	-354	132
Equity	498	0
Provisions	14.148	0
Liabilities other than provisions	1.585	2.360
Tax losses carried forward	19.190	20.616
	-9.159	**31.566**
Deferred tax not recognised	**0**	**0**
	-9.159	**31.566**
Deferred tax is recognised in the balance sheet as follows:		
Deferred tax (asset)	25.337	31.566
Deferred tax (liability)	-34.496	0
Net deferred tax at 31 December	**-9.159**	**31.566**

The tax value of tax loss carry forwards that may be carried forward for an unlimited period has been recognised as it has been considered sufficiently probably according to the budgets, and the losses is expected to be utilised within three to five years.

Notes

Note 11 - Intangible assets

tDKK	Goodwill	Other intangible assets	Total
Cost at Jan 1, 2018	9.752	9.451	19.203
Foreign exchange adjustment	2.535	4.040	6.575
Additions on company acquisitions	156.044	248.654	404.698
Cost at Dec 31, 2018	**168.331**	**262.145**	**430.476**
Amortisation and impairment at Jan 1, 2018	0	788	788
Amortisation	0	945	945
Amortisation and impairment at Dec 31, 2018	**0**	**1.733**	**1.733**
Carrying amount at Dec 31, 2018	**168.331**	**260.412**	**428.743**
Cost at Jan 1, 2017	0	0	0
Additions on company acquisitions	9.752	9.451	19.203
Disposals	0	0	0
Cost at Dec 31, 2017	**9.752**	**9.451**	**19.203**
Amortisation and impairment at Jan 1, 2017	0	0	0
Amortisation	0	788	788
Amortisation and impairment of disposed assets	0	0	0
Amortisation and impairment at Dec 31, 2017	**0**	**788**	**788**
Carrying amount at Dec 31, 2017	**9.752**	**8.663**	**18.415**

Notes

Note 12 - Property, plant and equipment

tDKK	Land and buildings	Plant and machinery	Other fixtures, tools and equipment	Assets under construction	Total
Cost at Jan 1, 2018	168.517	251.568	42.156	5.907	468.148
Foreign exchange adjustment	8.596	9.168	1.245	265	19.274
Additions	369	26.887	4.392	82.152	113.800
Additions on company acquisitions	15.370	76.207	5.511	0	97.088
Disposals	0	-11.995	-131	-302	-12.428
Transferred/reclassified	6.928	39.786	100	-46.814	0
Cost at Dec 31, 2018	**199.780**	**391.621**	**53.273**	**41.208**	**685.882**
Depreciation at Jan 1, 2018	22.113	130.775	30.227	101	183.216
Foreign exchange adjustment	1.041	4.646	782	5	6.474
Depreciation	6.349	26.999	4.602	0	37.950
Depreciation of disposed assets	0	-11.420	-37	0	-11.457
Transferred/reclassified	334	-334	0	0	0
Depreciation at Dec 31, 2018	**29.837**	**150.666**	**35.574**	**106**	**216.183**
Carrying amount at Dec 31, 2018	**169.943**	**240.955**	**17.699**	**41.102**	**469.699**
Of which assets held under finance lease	0	0	0	0	0
Interest recognised during period	0	0	0	0	0
Legal obligation at December 31. for the purchase of property, plant and equipment	0	0	0	0	0
Depreciated over (years)	10-50	5-10	3-7		

Notes

Note 12 - Property, plant and equipment

tDKK	Land and buildings	Plant and machinery	Other fixtures, tools and equipment	Assets under construction	Total
Cost at Jan 1, 2017	171.233	212.624	37.751	17.249	438.857
Foreign exchange adjustment	-7.560	-4.337	-668	-783	-13.348
Additions	409	22.736	4.400	48.621	76.166
Additions on company acquisitions	0	973	0	0	973
Disposals	0	-32.073	-1.133	-1.294	-34.500
Transferred/reclassified	4.435	51.645	1.806	-57.886	0
Cost at Dec 31, 2017	**168.517**	**251.568**	**42.156**	**5.907**	**468.148**
Depreciation at Jan 1, 2017	16.837	145.921	28.073	0	190.831
Foreign exchange adjustment	-638	-3.530	-483	-14	-4.665
Depreciation	5.914	16.830	3.648	115	26.507
Depreciation of disposed assets	0	-28.446	-1.011	0	-29.457
Depreciation at December 31, 2017	**22.113**	**130.775**	**30.227**	**101**	**183.216**
Carrying amount at Dec 31, 2017	**146.404**	**120.793**	**11.929**	**5.806**	**284.932**
Of which assets held under finance lease	0	0	0	0	0
Interest recognised during period	0	0	0	0	0
Legal obligation at December 31. for the purchase of property, plant and equipment	0	0	0	0	0
Depreciated over (years)	10-50	5-10	3-7		

Notes

Note 13 - Acqusition in 2018

Acqusition of CCS Group

On 28 December 2018, the Group acquired 100% of the voting shares of CCS Group. CCS Group offers EDMS (electronic), cable assemblies, and assembling services. the Group acquiried CCS Group because it is assumed to provide the Group with an increased market share through CCS Group's customer portfolio and distribution channels.

As consideration of the purchase, the Group paid DKK 751 million to the former owners.

There is no non-controlling interest in the acquired subsidiary.

Assets acquired and liabilities assumed
The fair values of the identifiable assets and liabilities of CCS Group as at the date of acquisition:

	2018 Dec 31 tDKK	2017 Dec 31 tDKK
Fair values at the dates of acquisition:		
Intangible assets	248.654	9.450
Property, plant and equipment	97.088	973
Financial assets	1.026	575
Inventories	433.569	23.144
Receivables	165.978	14.810
Tax asset	37	0
Cash and cash equivalents	122.871	0
Credit institutions	-158.648	0
Deferred tax	-37.817	-1.361
Provisions	-6.789	0
Trade payables	-107.318	-12.195
Other liabilities	-163.688	-4.283
Net assets acquired	**594.963**	**31.113**
Goodwill	0	0
Of which goodwill from associated companies	156.044	9.753
Cost	**751.007**	**40.866**
Of which cash and cash equivalents	-122.871	-10.866
Cash cost total	**628.136**	**30.000**

Notes

Note 13 - Acqusition in 2018

The fair value of the trade receivables amounts to DKK 154 million. The gross amount of trade receivables is DKK 156 million and it is expected that the full contractual amounts can be collected.

The goodwill of DKK 156 million comprises the value of extected synergies arising from the acquisition. None of the goodwill recognised is expected to be deductible for income tax purposes.

From the date of acquisition, CCS Group contributed DKK 0 of revenue and DKK 0 to profit before tax from continuing operations of the Group. If the combination had taken place at the beginning of the year, revenue from continuing operations would have been DKK 1,6 billion and profit before tax from continuing operations for the Group would have been DKK 61 million.

Transaction costs of DKK 11.0 million were expenses and are included with tDKK 10.9 million in administrative expenses and with DKK 0.1 million in financial expenses.

	2018 Dec 31 tDKK	2017 Dec 31 tDKK
Note 14 - Inventories		
Raw materials and consumables (at lower of cost and net realisable value)	556.834	211.601
Work in progress (at lower of cost and net realisable value)	171.665	86.322
Finished goods and goods for resale (at lower of cost and net realisable value)	90.875	25.935
Inventories total at the lower of cost and net realisable value	**819.374**	**323.858**
Cost of inventories for which impairment losses have been recognised	171.209	38.977
Accumulated impairment losses on inventories	-76.795	-23.019
Net sales value	**94.414**	**15.958**

During 2018, tDKK 611 (2017: tDKK 3,971) was recognised as an expense for inventories carried at net realisable value. This is recognised in cost of sales.

Notes

	2018 Dec 31 tDKK	2017 Dec 31 tDKK
Note 15 - Receivables		
Receivables from related companies	0	35
Trade receivables	385.369	211.363
Other receivables	14.859	5.174
Prepayment	8.570	1.534
Receivables in total	**408.798**	**218.106**

Trade receivables can be specified as follows:

	Due between (tDKK)				
2018	**Not due**	**1-30 days**	**31-90 days**	**>91 days**	**Total**
Trade receivables before allowance	307.558	72.023	4.716	4.298	388.595
Impairment losses on trade receivables	0	0	-3	-3.223	-3.226
Trade receivables in total	**307.558**	**72.023**	**4.713**	**1.075**	**385.369**
Expected credit loss rate	0,0%	0,0%	0,1%	75,0%	0,8%

	Due between (tDKK)				
2017	**Not due**	**1-30 days**	**31-90 days**	**>91 days**	**Total**
Trade receivables not considered to be impaired	146.370	59.759	4.791	0	210.920
Trade receivables individually assessed to be impaired	0	0	0	1.043	1.043
Trade receivables in total	**146.370**	**59.759**	**4.791**	**1.043**	**211.963**
Impairment losses on trade receivables	0	0	0	-600	-600
Trade receivables net	**146.370**	**59.759**	**4.791**	**443**	**211.363**
Proportion of the total receivables which is expected to be settled					99,7%
Impairment percentage	0,0%	0,0%	0,0%	57,5%	0,3%

Notes

	2018 Dec 31 tDKK	2017 Dec 31 tDKK
Note 16 - Share capital		
The share capital consist of 2,500 shares of each DKK 20,000	50.000	10.000

The shares have not been divided into classes. In 2018 the has been issued 2,000 new shares with the value of 40,000 tDKK.
The Company has registered the following shareholder to hold 100 % of the voting capital or of the nominal value of the Company:

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	2018 Dec 31 tDKK	2017 Dec 31 tDKK
Note 17 - Credit institutions and borrowings		
Non-current borrowings		
Non-current payables to the ultimate parent company	350.963	0
Finance lease liabilities	285	0
Total credit institutions and borrowings	**351.248**	**0**
Current borrowings		
Bank loans	0	3.325
Finance lease liabilities	540	0
Credit institutions	163.669	7.927
Payables to the ultimate parent company	454.901	365.731
Total current borrowings	**619.110**	**376.983**
Total borrowings	**970.358**	**376.983**
Nominal value	970.358	376.983
Maturity of non-current and current borrowings		
Less than one year	619.110	376.983
Between one and five years	351.248	0
More than five years	0	0
Total maturity of non-current and current borrowings	**970.358**	**376.983**

GPV International A/S' borrowings are mainly in DKK, EUR, USD, CHF & THB, and with floating interest rates. The fair value of the floating rate loans approximates the carrying amount.

Notes

	2018 (tDKK)	
	Capital gain (loss) recognised in equity	Maximum number of months to expiry
Hedging agreements regarding future transaction recognised in equity		
Currency hedging	0	0
Hedging agreements before tax	**0**	
Tax on hedging agreements	0	
Hedging agreements after tax	**0**	

	2017 (tDKK)	
	Capital gain (loss) recognised in equity	Maximum number of months to expiry
Hedging agreements regarding future transaction recognised in equity		
Currency hedging	5	6
Hedging agreements before tax	**5**	
Tax on hedging agreements	0	
Hedging agreements after tax	**5**	

	2018 Dec 31 tDKK	2017 Dec 31 tDKK
Note 18 - Other short-term payables		
VAT and duties	675	2.747
Wages and salaries, personal income taxes, social security costs, etc., payable	26.049	10.988
Holiday pay obligation	21.057	10.092
Other costs payable	66.664	36.221
Total other short-term payables	**114.445**	**60.048**

Notes

Note 19 - Leases

Finance leases

The Group has entered into finance lease contracts of which the main contracts relates to machine and cars.
Finance lease liabilities are payable as follows:

	2018 (tDKK)		
	Fututre minimum lease payments	Interest	Present value of minimum lease payments
Less than one year	563	23	540
Between one and five years	295	10	285
More than five years	0	0	0
Total finance leases	**858**	**33**	**825**

	2017 (tDKK)		
	Fututre minimum lease payments	Interest	Present value of minimum lease payments
Less than one year	0	0	0
Between one and five years	0	0	0
More than five years	0	0	0
Total finance leases	**0**	**0**	**0**

Operating leases

The Group has entered into operating lease contracts of which the main contracts relates to lease of building, machinery
The operating lease costs expensed in the income statement during 2018 and 2017 amount to tDKK 9,097 and tDKK 7,831 respectively.

Total commitments fall due as follows (undiscounted):

	2018 Dec 31 tDKK	2017 Dec 31 tDKK
Less than one year	32.337	9.035
Between one and five years	74.214	7.853
More than five years	18.158	0
Total leases	**124.709**	**16.888**

Total commitments represent the total minimum payments at the balance sheet date, undiscounted.

Notes

Note 20 - Financial risks

Liquidity risk

GPV Group is largely financed by the parent company Schouw & Co. Schouw & Co. has in 2016 established a credit facility of DKK 1.8 billion plus a accordion of DKK 0,3 billion with a bank consortium consisting of Danish Bank, DNB and Nordea. The ultimate parent company Schouw & Co. provide adequate funds for GPV Group's continued operations and development.

Interest rate risk

In considerable extent, the interest-bearing assets and liabilities are exposed to interest risk. In the Parent Company all interest-bearing assets and liabilities is financed though the ultimate parent company Schouw & Co A/S and at both fixed and floating rates.

Currency risk

GPV actively monitors and manages interest rate and foreign exchange risks with the purpose of minimizing overall risks. GPV Group does not engage in any speculation in financial instruments.

The primary exposure for GPV is related to unrealised deviations in the valuation of equity of our subsidiaries in especially Thailand (THB), Sri Lanka (CHF) and Switzerland (CHF).

A 5% depreciation of each currency to which the entities in the Group has significant exposure based on the enitites functional currency would have a positive impact on profit (loss) for the year at approximately 19,183 t.DKK (2017: -133 t.DKK). These numbers are based on the balance sheet amounts in foreign currencies in the entities per December 31.

Notes

The Group's foreign exchange risks recognised in the balance sheet at December 31, 2018

Currency, TDKK	Securities and cash/ equivalents	Receivables	Debt	Net position before hedging	Hedged by financial instruments	Net position after hedging
EUR/DKK	0	16.354	-419.642	-403.288	0	-403.288
USD/DKK	0	9.603	-48.401	-38.798	0	-38.798
NOK/DKK	0	23.180	-13.701	9.479	0	9.479
GBP/DKK	0	136	2	138	0	138
SEK/DKK	0	0	-39	-39	0	-39
CHF/DKK	0	0	-2.289	-2.289	0	-2.289
THB/DKK	267	998	-150	1.115	0	1.115
CHF/EUR	1	0	-360	-359	0	-359
CHF/HKD	6	0	0	6	0	6
EUR/CHF	4.924	9.984	-28.761	-13.853	0	-13.853
EUR/CNY	343	39	-239	143	0	143
EUR/HKD	12	0	0	12	0	12
GBP/CHF	0	0	-15	-15	0	-15
JPY/CHF	0	0	-4.543	-4.543	0	-4.543
JPY/EUR	0	0	-538	-538	0	-538
LKR/CHF	10.853	105	-25.826	-14.868	0	-14.868
USD/CHF	2.062	5.893	-3.144	4.811	0	4.811
USD/CNY	1.049	1.174	-539	1.684	0	1.684
USD/EUR	1	24	-1.467	-1.442	0	-1.442
USD/HKD	101	45	-31	115	0	115
AUD/THB	0	0	-19	-19	0	-19
CHF/THB	0	0	-49	-49	0	-49
CNY/THB	0	0	-31	-31	0	-31
DKK/THB	916	20.264	-30.249	-9.069	0	-9.069
EUR/THB	19.148	50.561	-25.076	44.633	0	44.633
GBP/THB	0	2	-255	-253	0	-253
JPY/THB	0	0	-182	-182	0	-182
SEK/THB	0	0	-416	-416	0	-416
SGD/THB	0	0	-26	-26	0	-26
NZD/THB	0	878	-46	832	0	832
NOK/THB	0	15.538	-600	14.938	0	14.938
USD/THB	10.628	68.623	-51.250	28.001	0	28.001
USD/MXN	267	0	244	511	0	511
	50.578	**223.401**	**-657.638**	**-383.659**	**0**	**-383.659**

Notes

The group's foreign exchange risks recognised in the balance sheet at December 31, 2017

Currency, TDKK	Securities and cash/ equivalents	Receivables	Debt	Net position before hedging	Hedged by financial instruments	Net position after hedging
EUR / DKK	0	13.961	-41.273	-27.312	0	-27.312
USD /DKK	0	12.606	-46.549	-33.943	0	-33.943
NOK / DKK	0	18.924	-12.467	6.457	0	6.457
GBP/DKK	0	22	-1	21	0	21
SEK/DKK	0	0	-55	-55	0	-55
JPY/DKK	0	0	-17	-17	0	-17
CHF/DKK	0	0	-24	-24	0	-24
DKK/THB	1.765	10.205	-31.296	-19.326	0	-19.326
EUR/THB	4.843	69.477	-33.501	40.819	3.289	44.108
GBP/THB	0	0	-487	-487	0	-487
JPY/THB	0	0	-993	-993	0	-993
SEK/THB	0	0	-384	-384	0	-384
NZD/THB	0	1.384	-24	1.360	0	1.360
NOK/THB	0	10.622	-405	10.217	0	10.217
USD/THB	16.016	62.292	-58.346	19.962	0	19.962
USD/MXN	3.082	0	0	3.082	0	3.082
	25.706	**199.493**	**-225.822**	**-623**	**3.289**	**2.666**

For trade receivables and payables as well as other receivables and payables the fair value approximates the carrying amount due to the short term nature of these balances.

Notes

Note 21 - Pensions, similar liabilities and other debt

The Group's policy is to cover all pension obligations by insurance, so that defined benefit plans are predominantly avoided. In connection with the acquisition of CCS Group at the end of 2018, defined benefit plans, mainly related to Switzerland, were included. Employees in Switzerland are subject to statutory benefit plans, which typically financially secure the employees, at retirement or in the event of disability, and related persons in the event of death. Employees as well as employers pays on a regular basis to a pension fund, which is administered independently from the employer. Employees are guaranteed by law a minimum return on the savings and guaranteed a minimum conversion of savings to current annual benefits at retirement until death. The total present value of defined benefit obligatioin acquired in connection with the acquisition of CCS Group amounted to DKK 337 million, while the fair value of plan assets acquired amounted to DKK 264 million. According to IFRS, the net pension obligation is presented in the balance sheet. When calculating the pension obligations in Switzerland, a discount rate of 0.85% has been applied. Other pension liabilities are included with DKK 10 million, and warranty provision with DKK 7 million.

Note 22 - Mortgages and securities

The land and building in Bangkok has been assigned and provided as security for the debts to TMB Bank, Bangkok. The carrying amount of mortgaged land and building amounts to tDKK 133,088.

Note 23 - Contingent liabilities

GPV International A/S is substantially financed by the parent company Schouw & Co.'s cash resources and credit facilities. In 2016 Schouw & Co. established a credit facility of DKK 1.8 billion plus a accordion of DKK 0,3 billion with a bank consortium consisting of Danish Bank, DNB and Nordea. Similar to other major subsidiaries in Schouw & Co. Group. GPV is liable as a co-guarantor to the credit facility. At 31 December 2018, a total of DKK 1.404 million was drawn on Schouw & Co.'s total credit facility of DKK 2.1 billion.

The Company is jointly taxed with the Danish consolidated companies of the Schouw & Co. Group. According to the joint taxation provisions of the Danish Corporation Tax Act, the Company is therefore liable for income taxes etc. for the jointly taxed companies and also for obligations, if any, relating to the withholding of tax on interest, royalties and dividends for these companies. Schouw & Co. serves as the administration company in a Danish joint taxation agreement.

	2018 Dec 31 tDKK	2017 Dec 31 tDKK
Note 24 - Changes in working capital		
Change in inventories	-42.708	-116.472
Change in receivables	-14.590	-68.186
Change in trade payables and other payables	-6.823	87.533
Changes in working capital in total	**-64.121**	**-97.125**

Notes

	2018 Dec 31 tDKK	2017 Dec 31 tDKK
Note 25 - Related parties		
Sales of goods and services to related companies	69	407
Purchase of goods and services from related parties	-69	-10
Management fee to ultimate parent company	-1.300	-1.000
Interest expenses to ultimate parent company	-9.086	-5.196
Receivables from related companies	5	35
Payables to ultimate parent company	805.864	365.731
Payables to related companies	17	3

GPV International A/S is included in the consolidated financial statements of Aktieselskabet Schouw & Co., Aarhus, Denmark.

GPV International A/S' related parties with controlling influence comprise the company's shareholders, the Supervisory Board, the Managing Board, as well as relatives of these persons. Related parties also comprise companies in which the individuals have significant influence.

GPV Internation A/S trades on normal market conditions with companies in which the same individuals have controlling influence.

Note 26 - Events after the balance sheet

No material events have occured after the end of the financial year.

Notes

Note 27 - Standards issued but not yet effective

The new and amended standards and interpretations that are issued and adopted by the EU, but not yet effective, up to the date of issuance of the Group's financial statements are disclosed below. The Group intends to adopt these new and amended standards and interpretations, if applicable, when they become effective.

IFRS 16

IFRS 16 Leases was issued in January 2016 and will be effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2019. The standard will significantly change the accounting treatment of leases that are currently classified as operating leases. IFRS 16 requires that all leases – with few exceptions – are recognised in the balance sheet as lease assets with corresponding lease liabilities. Further, the income statements will be affected as the lease expense for all operating leases under IFRS 16 will be split into depreciations and interest expenses, which under the current IAS 17 are recognised in administrative expenses and distribution costs.

Transition to IFRS 16

The Group plans to adopt IFRS 16 using the modified retrospective method.

The Group will elect to use the exemptions proposed by the standard on lease contract for which the lease terms ends within 12 months as of the date of initial application, and lease contracts for which the underlying asset is of low value.

The Group will recognise new assets and liabilities for its operating leases of tDKK 130,768 and tDKK 138,782.

For strategic reasons, the Group has assessed the expected lease term of Land & Buildings to be in the range of 3 - 6 years.

In assessing the effect of adopting IFRS 16, the Group has elected to apply its incremental borrowing rate in discounting the lease payments. The incremental borrowing rate is the rate of interest that a lessee would have to pay to borrow over a similar term, and with a similar security, the funds necessary to obtain an asset of a similar value to the right-of-use asset in a similar economic environment.

The Group has performed a detailed impact assessment of IFRS 16. In summary the impact of IFRS 16 adoption is expected to be in the range of:

Impact on the statement of financial position (increase/(decrease)) as at 31 December 2018:

	tDKK
Asset	
Right-of-use assets	130.768
Liabilities	
Lease liabilities (using a discount rate of 0.89 to 5.24)	-138.782
Net impact on equity	-8.014

Impact on the statement of profit or loss (increase/(decrease)) as at 31 December 2018:

	tDKK
Depreciation expense	27.797
Operating lease expense	-29.101
Finance cost	2.850
Profit for the year	1.546

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Income statement

Notes		2018 1/1 - 31/12 tDKK	2017 1/1 - 31/12 tDKK
3	Revenue	452.054	352.494
4	Cost of sales	-411.930	-328.964
	Gross profit/loss	**40.124**	**23.530**
5	Other operating income	49.111	48.008
4,6	Distribution costs	-16.739	-15.583
4,6	Administrative expenses	-66.002	-51.942
4,5,6	Other operation expenses	0	0
	Operating profit/loss	**6.494**	**4.013**
12	Investments in group enterprises	66.062	66.677
7	Financial income	5.633	4.808
8	Financial expenses	-12.012	-5.283
	Profit/loss before tax	**66.177**	**70.215**
9	Tax on profit/loss for the year	-2.956	22.669
	Profit/loss for the year	**63.221**	**92.884**
	Attributable to:		
	Shareholders of GPV International A/S	63.221	92.884

Statement of other comprehensive income

Notes			
	Profit/loss for the year	**63.221**	**92.884**
	Other comprehensive income		
20	Exchange differences on translation of foreign operations	35.999	-21.758
20	Net (loss) / gain on cash flow hedges	-5	4.153
	Net other comprehensive income/(loss) to be reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent periods, net of tax	**35.994**	**-17.605**
	Total recognised other comprehensive income	**99.215**	**75.279**
	Attributable to:		
	Shareholders of GPV International A/S	99.215	75.279

Balance sheet

Notes		2018 Dec 31 tDKK	2017 Dec 31 tDKK
	Assets		
	Goodwill	9.752	9.752
	Other intangible assets	7.718	8.663
10	**Intangible assets**	**17.470**	**18.415**
	Land and buildings	3.004	3.492
	Plant and machinery	68.977	46.176
	Other fixtures, tools and equipment	3.563	3.225
	Assets under construction, etc.	0	770
11	**Property, plant and equipment**	**75.544**	**53.664**
	Non-current assets		
12	Investments in group enterprises	1.086.759	323.654
9	Deferred tax	25.337	28.189
15	Receivables from related parties	218.456	95.150
	Deposits	3.591	3.129
	Other non-current assets	**1.334.143**	**450.123**
	Total non-current assets	**1.427.157**	**522.202**
	Current assets		
14	Inventories	131.784	89.500
15	Receivables	125.756	113.574
	Income tax	1.918	1.655
	Cash and cash equivalents	60	44
	Total current assets	**259.518**	**204.773**
	Total assets	**1.686.675**	**726.975**

Balance sheet

Notes		2018 Dec 31 tDKK	2017 Dec 31 tDKK
	Liabilities and equity		
	Share capital	50.000	10.000
	Exchange adjustment reserve	3.770	-3.384
	Reserve for net revaluation according to the equity method	326.617	231.715
	Retained earnings	399.610	42.451
16	**Total equity**	**779.997**	**280.782**
	Non-current liabilities		
9	Deferred tax	0	0
17	Payables to ultimate parent company	350.963	0
	Total non-current liabilities	**350.963**	**0**
	Current liabilities		
17	Payables to ultimate parent company	454.564	364.829
	Trade payables	70.623	50.934
	Prepayment received from customers	267	789
18	Others payables	30.261	29.641
	Total current liabilities	**555.715**	**446.193**
	Total liabilities	**906.678**	**446.193**
	Total liabilities and equity	**1.686.675**	**726.975**

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Cash flow statement

Notes		2018 1/1 - 31/12 tDKK	2017 1/1 - 31/12 tDKK
	Profit before tax	66.177	70.215
	Adjustment for operating items of a non-cash nature, etc.	4.320	-903
6	Depreciation and impairment losses	13.038	8.838
	Other operating items, net	-275	-2.229
	Income from investments in group enterprises after tax	-66.062	-66.677
7	Financial income	-5.633	-4.808
8	Financial expenses	12.012	5.283
	Cash flows from operating activities before changes in working capital	**23.577**	**9.719**
22	Changes in working capital	-50.538	-41.038
	Cash flows from operating activities	**-26.961**	**-31.319**
	Interest income received	5.633	3.973
	Interest expenses paid	-9.153	-5.283
	Cash flows from ordinary activities	**-30.481**	**-32.629**
	Income tax paid	-367	-1.655
	Cash flows from operating activities	**-30.848**	**-34.284**
	Investing activities:		
11	Purchase of property, plant and equipment	-34.185	-19.832
	Sale of property, plant and equipment	0	0
13	Acquisition of enterprises	-668.203	-30.000
12	Capital increase	0	-9.743
	Additions/disposals of other financial assets	0	0
	Cash flows from investing activities	**-702.388**	**-59.574**
	Financing activities:		
	Increase (repayment) of interest bearing debt to group enterprises	-107.447	-20.434
	Shareholders:		
	Change in payables to ultimate parent company	440.698	114.291
	Capital reduction/increase	400.000	0
	Dividend paid	0	0
	Cash flows from financing activities	**733.251**	**93.857**
	Cash flows for the year	15	-1
	Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	45	46
	Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	**60**	**45**
	Cash and cash equivalents at year-end are composed of:		
	Cash	60	45
	Short-term debt to banks	0	0
	Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	**60**	**45**

Equity statement

	Share capital	Reserve for net revaluation according to the equity method	Exchange adjustment reserve	Retained earnings	Proposed dividend	Total equity
	tDKK	tDKK	tDKK	tDKK	tDKK	tDKK
Equity at Jan 1, 2018	**10.000**	**231.715**	**-3.384**	**42.451**	**-**	**280.782**
Other comprehensive income in 2018						
Exchange rate adjustment of foreign subsidiaries	0	28.845	7.154	0	0	35.999
Value adjustment of hedging instruments recognised during the year	0	-5	0	0	0	-5
Profit for the year	0	66.062	0	-2.841	0	63.221
Total recognised comprehensive income	**0**	**94.902**	**7.154**	**-2.841**	**0**	**99.215**
Transactions with the owners						
Capital increase	40.000	0	0	360.000	0	400.000
Dividend distributed	0	0	0	0	0	0
Addition/disposal of minority interests	0	0	0	0	0	0
Transactions with the owners for the period	**40.000**	**0**	**0**	**360.000**	**0**	**400.000**
Equity at Dec 31, 2018	**50.000**	**326.617**	**3.770**	**399.610**	**0**	**779.997**

Equity statement

	Share capital	Reserve for net revaluation according to the equity method	Exchange adjustment reserve	Retained earnings	Proposed dividend	Total equity
	tDKK	tDKK	tDKK	tDKK	tDKK	tDKK
Equity at Jan 1, 2017	**10.000**	**179.260**	**0**	**16.244**	**0**	**205.504**
Other comprehensive income in 2017						
Exchange rate adjustment of foreign subsidiaries	0	-18.375	-3.384	0	0	-21.759
Value adjustment of hedging instruments recognised during the year	0	4.153	0	0	0	4.153
Profit for the year	0	66.677	0	26.207	0	92.884
Total recognised comprehensive income	**0**	**52.455**	**-3.384**	**26.207**	**0**	**75.278**
Transactions with the owners						
Dividend distributed	0	0	0	0	0	0
Addition/disposal of minority interests	0	0	0	0	0	0
Transactions with the owners for the period	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Equity at Dec 31, 2017	**10.000**	**231.715**	**-3.384**	**42.451**	**0**	**280.782**

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1. Accounting policies

For general information about the Parent Company, GPV International A/S including description of its principal activities, reference is made to note 1 in the consolidated financial statements.

Basis of preparation

The separate financial statements of the Parent Company have been included in the Annual Report as required by the Danish Financial Statements Act.

The separate financial statements of the Parent Company for 2018 are presented in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) as adopted by the European Union and Danish disclosure requirements.

The financial statements of the Parent Company are presented in Danish Kroner (DKK) and all values are rounded to the nearest thousand (tDKK) except when otherwise indicated .

The separate financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis.

Financial statements of the Parent Company

The accounting policies of the Parent Company are consistent with those applied in the consolidated financial statements (refer to note 1 in the consolidated financial statements) with the following exceptions:

Investments in subsidiaries are measured under the equity method.

Investments in subsidiaries are measured at the proportionate share of the enterprises' net asset values calculated in accordance with the Group's accounting policies minus or plus unrealised intra-group profits and losses and plus or minus any residual value of positive or negative goodwill determined in accordance with the acquisition method.

Investments in subsidiaries with negative net asset values are measured at DKK 0 (nil), and any amounts owed by such enterprises are written down if the amount owed is irrecoverable. If the Parent Company has a legal or constructive obligation to cover a deficit that exceeds the amount owed, the remaining amount is recognised under provisions.

Net revaluation of investments in subsidiaries is recognised in the reserve for net revaluation in equity under the equity method to the extent that the carrying amount exceeds cost. Dividends from subsidiaries which are expected to be adopted before the approval of the annual report of GPV International A/S are not recognised in the reserve for net revaluation.

On acquisition of subsidiaries, the acquisition method is applied; see consolidated financial statements above.

Reserve for net revaluation according to the equity method

Net revaluation of investments in subsidiaries and associates is recognised at cost in the reserve for net revaluation according to the equity method. The reserve may be eliminated in case of losses, realisation of investments or a change in accounting estimates.

The reserve cannot be recognised at a negative amount.

2. Significant accounting estimates and judgements

In connection with the preparation of the parent company financial statements, Management has made accounting estimates and judgements that affect the assets and liabilities reported at the balance sheet date as well as the income and expenses reported for the financial period. Management continuously reassesses these estimates and judgements based on a number of other factors in the given circumstances.

Management assesses that, in respect of the financial reporting for the Parent Company, no accounting estimates or judgements are made when applying the Parent Company's accounting policies which are significant to the financial reporting apart from those disclosed in note 2 to the consolidated financial statements.

Notes

	2018 1/1 - 31/12 tDKK	2017 1/1 - 31/12 tDKK
Note 3 - Revenue		
Sale of goods	452.054	352.494
Total revenue	**452.054**	**352.494**
Note 4 - Costs		
Cost of sales:		
Cost of goods sold	-413.111	-325.296
Inventory impairments	1.181	-3.668
Total cost of sales	**-411.930**	**-328.964**
Staff costs:		
Wages and salaries	-98.021	-89.435
Remuneration to the Board of Directors	-125	-125
Defined contribution pension plans	-6.867	-5.811
Other social security costs	-2.082	-1.361
Share-based payment	-1.819	-1.069
Total staff costs	**-108.914**	**-97.801**
Staff costs are recognised as follows:		
Production	-60.955	-53.565
Distribution	-9.184	-8.050
Administration	-38.775	-36.186
Staff costs recognised in the income statement	**-108.914**	**-97.801**
Average number of employees	**243**	**193**

Determination of remuneration to the Board of Directors and the Executive Board

Reference is made to note 4 in the consolidated financial statements.

Share-based payments

Reference is made to note 4 in the consolidated financial statemens.

Notes

	2018 1/1 - 31/12 tDKK	2017 1/1 - 31/12 tDKK
Note 5 - Other operation income and costs		
Gains on the disposal of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets	275	2.229
Charged to group enterprises	48.836	45.779
Total other operating income	**49.111**	**48.008**
Note 6 - Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses		
Depreciation is recognised in the income statement as follows:		
Cost of sales	-10.583	-6.654
Distribution costs	-945	-788
Administrative expenses	-1.510	-1.397
Total depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses	**-13.038**	**-8.838**
Note 7 - Financial income		
Interest income	10	16
Interests from group loans	5.623	3.957
Exchange rate adjustments	0	835
Total financial income	**5.633**	**4.808**
Note 8 - Financial expenses		
Interest expense	0	-61
Interests from group loans	-9.086	-5.167
Exchange rate adjustments	-2.859	0
Other financial expenses	-67	-56
Total financial expenses	**-12.012**	**-5.283**

Notes

	2018 1/1 - 31/12 tDKK	2017 1/1 - 31/12 tDKK
Note 9 - Tax on the profit for the year		
Tax for the year is composed as follows:		
Tax on the profit for the year	-2.956	22.669
	-2.956	**22.669**
Tax on the profit for the year has been calculated as follows:		
Current tax	-104	0
Deferred tax	-2.852	22.669
	-2.956	**22.669**
Effective tax rate:		
Calculated 22.0% tax of the profit for the year	-14.559	-15.447
Impairment on deferred tax assets	0	20.616
Non-deductible costs and non-taxable income	11.603	17.500
Recognised tax income	**-2.956**	**22.669**
Effective tax rate	**4,5%**	**-32,3%**
Deferred tax asset		
Intangible assets	-1.698	-1.906
Property, plant and equipment	8.241	5.841
Inventories	1.905	2.164
Receivables	132	132
Liabilities other than provisions	524	1.342
Tax losses carried forward	16.233	20.616
	25.337	**28.189**
Deferred tax not recognised	**0**	**0**
	25.337	**28.189**
Deferred tax is recognised in the balance sheet as follows:		
Deferred tax (asset)	25.337	28.189
Deferred tax (liability)	0	0
Net deferred tax at 31 December	**25.337**	**28.189**

The tax value of tax loss carry forwards that may be carried forward for an unlimited period has been recognised as it has been considered sufficiently probably according to the budgets, and the losses is aspected to be utilised within three to five years.

Notes

Note 10 - Intangible assets

tDKK	Goodwill	Other intangible assets	Total
Cost at Jan 1, 2018	9.752	9.451	19.203
Foreign exchange adjustment	0	0	0
Cost at Dec 31, 2018	**9.752**	**9.451**	**19.203**
Amortisation and impairment at Jan 1, 2018	0	788	788
Amortisation	0	945	945
Amortisation and impairment at Dec 31, 2018	**0**	**1.733**	**1.733**
Carrying amount at Dec 31, 2018	**9.752**	**7.718**	**17.470**
Cost at Jan 1, 2017	0	0	0
Additions on company acquisitions	9.752	9.451	19.203
Cost at Dec 31, 2017	**9.752**	**9.451**	**19.203**
Amortisation and impairment at Jan 1, 2017	0	0	0
Amortisation	0	788	788
Amortisation and impairment at Dec 31, 2017	**0**	**788**	**788**
Carrying amount at Dec 31, 2017	**9.752**	**8.663**	**18.415**

Notes

Note 11 - Property, plant and equipment

tDKK	Land and buildings	Plant and machinery	Other fixtures, tools and equipment	Assets under construction	Total
Cost at Jan 1, 2018	8.469	104.588	20.252	770	134.079
Additions	0	20.627	1.259	12.299	34.185
Disposals	0	-211	0	0	-211
Transferred/reclassified	0	12.970	99	-13.069	0
Cost at Dec 31, 2018	**8.469**	**137.974**	**21.610**	**0**	**168.053**
Depreciation at Jan 1, 2018	4.977	58.412	17.027	0	80.416
Depreciation	488	10.585	1.020	0	12.093
Depreciation of disposed assets	0	0	0	0	0
Depreciation at Dec 31, 2018	**5.465**	**68.997**	**18.047**	**0**	**92.509**
Carrying amount at Dec 31, 2018	**3.004**	**68.977**	**3.563**	**0**	**75.544**
Of which assets held under finance lease	0	0	0	0	0
Interest recognised during period	0	0	0	0	0
Legal obligation at December 31. for the purchase of property, plant and equipment	0	0	0	0	0
Depreciated over (years)	10-50	5-10	3-7		

Notes

Note 11 - Property, plant and equipment

tDKK	Land and buildings	Plant and machinery	Other fixtures, tools and equipment	Assets under construction	Total
Cost at Jan 1, 2017	7.892	86.662	18.398	1.295	114.247
Additions	141	14.426	1.763	3.502	19.832
Disposals	0	0	0	0	0
Transferred/reclassified	436	3.500	91	-4.026	0
Cost at Dec 31, 2017	**8.469**	**104.588**	**20.252**	**770**	**134.079**
Depreciation at Jan 1, 2017	4.488	51.758	16.119	0	72.365
Depreciation	489	6.654	908	0	8.050
Deprecitaion of disposed assets	0	0	0	0	0
Depreciation at December 31,2017	**4.977**	**58.412**	**17.027**	**0**	**80.415**
Carrying amount at Dec 31, 2017	**3.492**	**46.176**	**3.225**	**770**	**53.664**
Of which assets held under finance lease	0	0	0	0	0
Interest recognised during period	0	0	0	0	0
Legal obligation at December 31. for the purchase of property, plant and equipment	0	0	0	0	0
Depreciated over (years)	10-50	5-10	3-7		

Notes

	2018 Dec 31 tDKK	2017 Dec 31 tDKK
Note 12 - Investments in group enterprises		
Cost at January 1	91.939	68.272
Additions	668.203	13.924
Capital increase	0	9.743
Cost at December 31	**760.142**	**91.939**
Adjustments at January 1	231.715	180.865
Foreign exchange adjustments	28.845	-18.374
Adjustments on equity	-5	4.153
Provision for investment in group enterprises	0	-1.606
Share of the profit/loss for the year	66.062	66.677
Adjustments at December 31	**326.617**	**231.715**
Carrying amount at December 31	**1.086.759**	**323.654**

GPV International A/S has acquired all the shares in CCS Group with acquisition date on 28. December 2018.

Name	Registered Office	Ownership interest 2018	Ownership interest 2017
GPV Asia (Thailand) Co. Ltd.	Thailand, Bangkok	100%	100%
GPV Americas México S.A.P.I de CV	Guadalajara	100%	100%
BHE A/S	Denmark, Horsens	100%	100%
CCS Group	Switzerland, Lachen	100%	0%

Note 13 - Acquisitions of subsidiaries

Reference is made to note 13 in the consolidated financial statements.

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	2018 Dec 31 tDKK	2017 Dec 31 tDKK
Note 14 - Inventories		
Raw materials and consumables (at lower of cost and net realisable value)	98.074	61.636
Work in progress (at lower of cost and net realisable value)	17.548	18.072
Finished goods and goods for resale (at lower of cost and net realisable value)	16.162	9.792
Inventories total at the lower of cost and net realisable value	**131.784**	**89.500**
Cost of inventories for which impairment losses have been recognised	10.585	24.240
Accumulated impairment losses on inventories	-8.657	-9.838
Net sales value	**1.928**	**14.402**

During 2018, tDKK 1,183 (2017: tDKK -3,971) was recognised as an income for inventories carried at net realisable value. This is recognised in cost of sales.

Notes

	2018 Dec 31 tDKK	2017 Dec 31 tDKK
Note 15 - Receivables		
Receivables from related companies, non-current	218.456	95.150
Receivables from group enterprises	31.307	47.166
Receivables from related companies, current	0	35
Trade receivables	89.309	65.301
Other receivables	1.604	67
Prepayment	3.536	1.005
Receivables in total	**344.212**	**208.724**

Trade receivables can be specified as follows:

	Due between (tDKK)				
2018	**Not due**	**1-30 days**	**31-90 days**	**>91 days**	**Total**
Trade receivables before allowance	72.461	17.160	188	100	89.909
Impairment losses on trade receivables	0	-312	-188	-100	-600
Trade receivables in total	**72.461**	**16.848**	**0**	**0**	**89.309**
Expected credit loss rate	0,0%	1,8%	100,0%	100,0%	0,7%

	Due between (tDKK)				
2017	**Not due**	**1-30 days**	**31-90 days**	**>91 days**	**Total**
Trade receivables not considered to be impaired	40.522	21.597	2.758	0	64.877
Trade receivables individually assessed to be impaired	0	0	0	1.060	1.060
Trade receivables in total	**40.522**	**21.597**	**2.758**	**1.060**	**65.937**
Impairment losses on trade receivables	0	0	0	-600	-600
Trade receivables net	**40.522**	**21.597**	**2.758**	**460**	**65.337**
Proportion of the total receivables which is expected to be settled					99,1%
Impairment percentage	0,0%	0,0%	0,0%	56,6%	0,9%

Note 16 - Share capital

Reference is made to note 16 in the consolidated financial statements.

Notes

	2018 Dec 31 tDKK	2017 Dec 31 tDKK
Note 17 - Credit institutions and borrowings		
Non-current borrowings		
Payables to ultimate parent company	350.963	0
Total credit institutions and borrowings	**350.963**	**0**
Current borrowings		
Payables to the ultimate parent company	454.564	364.829
Total current borrowings	**454.564**	**364.829**
Total borrowings	**805.527**	**364.829**
Nominal value	805.527	364.829
Maturity of non-current and current borrowings		
Less than one year	454.564	364.829
Between one and five years	350.963	0
More than five years	0	0
Total maturity of non-current and current borrowings	**805.527**	**364.829**

GPV International A/S' borrowings are mainly in EUR & DKK. All borrowings are with floating interest rate.

	2018 Dec 31 tDKK	2017 Dec 31 tDKK
Note 18 - Other short-term payables		
VAT and duties	802	3.849
Wages and salaries, personal income taxes, social security costs, etc., payable	5.327	9.873
Holiday pay obligation	9.510	8.201
Other costs payable	14.622	7.718
Total other short-term payables	**30.261**	**29.641**

Notes

Note 19 - Leases

Operating leases

The company has entered into operating lease contracts of which the main contracts relates to lease of building and cars.
The operating lease costs expensed in the income statement during 2018 and 2017 amount to tDKK 6,393 and tDKK 6,125 respectively.

Total commitments fall due as follows (undiscounted):

	2018 Dec 31 tDKK	2017 Dec 31 tDKK
Less than one year	6.459	6.102
Between one and five years	18.382	4.771
More than five years	2.041	0
Total leases	**26.882**	**10.873**

Total commitments represent the total minimum payments at the balance sheet date, undiscounted.

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Note 20 - Financial risks

Liquidity risk

GPV Group is largely financed by the parent company Schouw & Co. Schouw & Co. has in 2016 established a credit facility of DKK 1.8 billion plus a accordion of DKK 0,3 billion with a bank consortium consisting of Danish Bank, DNB and Nordea. The ultimate parent company Schouw & Co. provide adequate funds for GPV Group's continued operations and development.

Interest rate risk

In considerable extent, the interest-bearing assets and liabilities are exposed to interest risk. In the parent company all interest-bearing assets and liabilities is financed though the ultimate parent company Schouw & Co. and at both fixed and floating rates.

Currency risk

GPV actively monitors and manages interest rate and foreign exchange risks with the purpose of minimizing overall risks. GPV does not engage in any speculation in financial instruments.

The primary exposure for GPV is related to unrealised deviations in the valuation of equity of our subsidiaries in especially Thailand.

The company's foreign exchange risks recognised in the balance sheet at 31 December, 2018

Currency, TDKK	Securities and cash/ equivalents	Receivables	Debt	Net position before hedging	Hedged by financial instruments	Net position after hedging
EUR / DKK	0	14.248	-419.642	-405.394	0	-405.394
GBP / DKK	0	138	0	138	0	138
CHF / DKK	0	0	-2.289	-2.289	0	-2.289
USD /DKK	0	9.603	-48.401	-38.798	0	-38.798
NOK / DKK	0	23.180	-13.701	9.479	0	9.479
SEK / DKK	0	0	-39	-39	0	-39
THB / DKK	267	998	-150	1.115	0	1.115
	267	**48.167**	**-484.222**	**-435.788**	**0**	**-435.788**

Notes

The company's foreign exchange risks recognised in the balance sheet at 31 December, 2017

Currency, TDKK	Securities and cash/ equivalents	Receivables	Debt	Net position before hedging	Hedged by financial instruments	Net position after hedging
EUR / DKK	40.575	13.961	-40.696	13.840	0	13.840
USD /DKK	0	12.606	-46.350	-33.744	0	-33.744
NOK / DKK	0	18.924	-12.467	6.457	0	6.457
THB / DKK	95.150	0	0	95.150	0	95.150
	135.725	**45.491**	**-99.513**	**81.703**	**0**	**81.703**

For trade receivables and payables as well as other receivables and payables the fair value approximates the carrying amount due to the short term nature of these balances.

Notes

Note 21 - Mortgages and securities

GPV International A/S has issued a letter of support of DKK 17.9 million without any time limit to its group enterprise GPV Asia (Thailand) Co. Ltd. to cover its debts to Siam Commercial Banks. The net deposit in Siam Commercial Bank amounts to DKK 0.0 million at December 31 2018.

Note 22 - Contingent liabilities

GPV International A/S is substantially financed by the parent company Schouw & Co.'s cash resources and credit facilities. In 2016 Schouw & Co. established a credit facility of DKK 1.8 billion plus a accordion of DKK 0,3 billion with a bank consortium consisting of Danish Bank, DNB and Nordea. Similar to other major subsidiaries in Schouw & Co. Group. GPV is liable as a co-guarantor to the credit facility. At 31 December 2018, a total of DKK 1.4 billion was drawn on Schouw & Co.'s total credit facility of DKK 2.1 billion.

The company is jointly taxed with the Danish consolidated companies in Schouw & Co. According to the joint taxation provisions of the Danish Corporation Tax Act., the Company is therefore liable for income taxes etc. for the jointly taxed companies and also for obligations, if any, relating to the withholding of tax on interest, royalties and dividends for these companies. Schouw & Co. serves as the administration company in a Danish joint taxation agreement.

	2018 Dec 31 tDKK	2017 Dec 31 tDKK
Note 23 - Changes in working capital		
Change in inventories	-42.284	-45.138
Change in receivables	-28.041	-20.838
Change in trade payables and other payables	20.309	25.972
Other changes	-522	-1.034
Changes in working capital in total	**-50.538**	**-41.038**

Notes

	2018 Dec 31 tDKK	2017 Dec 31 tDKK
Note 24 - Related parties		
Sales of goods and services to group enterprises	7.486	7.853
Purchase of goods and service from group enterprises	-116.627	-115.926
Charged to group enterprises	48.817	46.508
Interest expenses to group enterprises	0	-63
Interest income from group enterprises	5.623	3.957
Sales of goods and services to related companies	69	407
Purchase of goods and services from related parties	-69	-10
Management fee to ultimate parent company	-1.349	-1.000
Interest expenses to ultimate parent company	-9.086	-5.196
Receivables from related companies	0	35
Receivables from group enterprises	249.763	142.316
Payables to ultimate parent company	805.527	364.829
Payables to related companies	17	3

Reference is made to note 25 in the consolidated financial statement.

Note 25 - Events after the balance sheet

No material events have occured after the end of the financial year.

Note 26 - Standards issued but not yet effective

Reference is made to note 27 in the consolidated financial statement.