



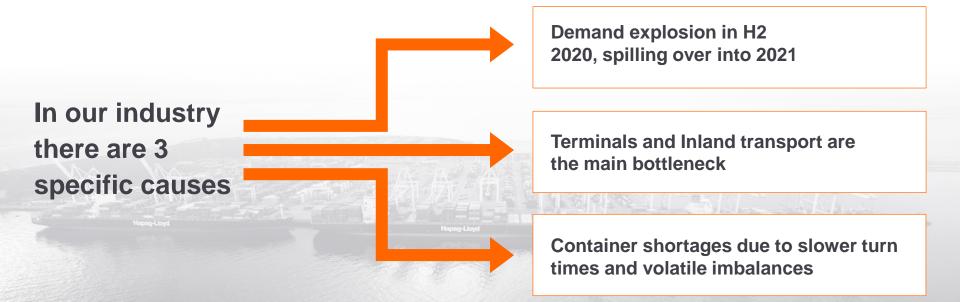
Hamburg, 18 March 2021

Opening Remarks

1 Current developmen	 The year 2020 was characterized by major fluctuations on the demand side Performance of container shipping market in H2 much better than initially anticipated Freight rate development mainly driven by strong consumer demand, but also operational challenges
2 Strategic Highlights	 Strategy 2023 is on track again – five quality promises and customer dashboard launched To increase efficiency and reduce emissions, we have ordered six LNG dual fuel powered ULCVs As part of our strategy, we will acquire NileDutch to increase our presence in Africa
3 Financials	 EBITDA significantly improved to USD 3.1 bn (2019: USD 2.2 bn) Debt substantially reduced on the back of a clearly increased FCF of USD 2.8 bn (2019: USD 1.9 bn) Net debt/EBITDA reduced to 1.8x while liquidity reserve remained strong at USD 1.4 bn Based on a strong EPS of EUR 5.27, we propose to pay a dividend of EUR 3.50 per share
4 Way forward	 Market fundamentals remain favorable and supply & demand in 2021 / 2022 expected to be balanced Outlook for Q1 & FY 2021 is positive due to persistent strong demand Continuously monitor evolving market conditions and adapt where needed

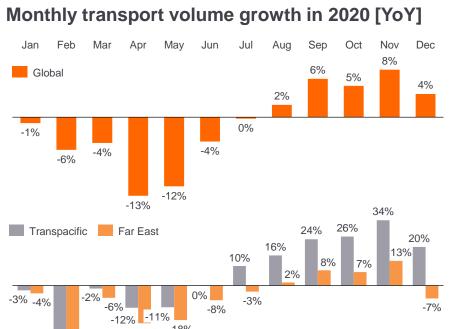


The coronavirus pandemic has lead to the biggest 'operational challenge' our industry has seen in many years ...



... as 2020 was a very unusual year, characterized by strongly fluctuating demand that recovered unexpectedly quick in H2 2020 ...

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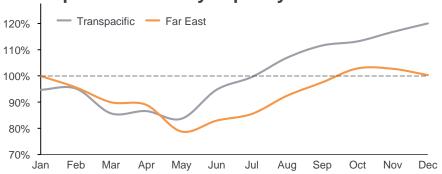


May

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-27% -32%

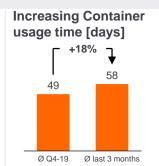
Current developments

... leading to significant operational challenges, capacity constraints, higher freight rates and higher costs ...

Operational challenges

Port congestions

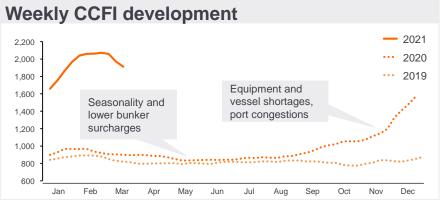
- Record container volumes are resulting in extreme port congestion
- At many ports in the US, Asia and Europe, ships experience waiting times of up to 1 week to get a berth
- Terminal capacity is further reduced by labor shortages due to COVID-19 and a shortage of truck drivers and feeder vessels













... and therefore we have implemented a broad range of countermeasures to assist our customers



OUR CUSTOMERS

- We are continuously striving to optimize scarce equipment resources and provide customers with additional flexibility
- We offer heavily discounted detention rates online for all shippers
- We have initiated multiple initiatives to further improve Customer service at the Quality Service Centers



OUR FLEET

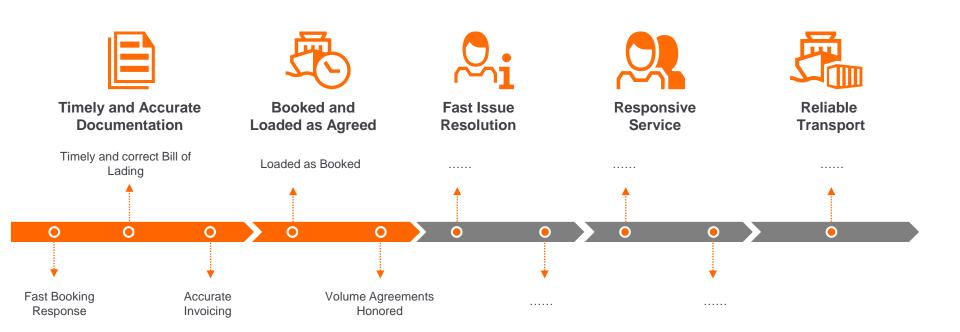
- All our vessels are in use and fully utilized with basically no charter vessels available
- We took steps early to buy and lease more than 300,000 TEU of additional container capacity in 2020 as well as repairs and maintenance of older containers
- We have deployed 52 extra-loaders to reposition hundreds of thousands of empty containers to high demand locations



OUR NETWORK

- We moved capacity to highdemand trades like Far East-Europe and Trans-Pacific
- We re-route cargo through alternative gate-ways to bypass congested ports





Vessel delivery schedule post signing and building phase



- The vessels will be deployed on the Europe Far East routes as part of THE Alliance and will significantly increase Hapag-Lloyd's competitiveness in this trade
- Vessels will be fitted with extremely fuel efficient dual fuel engine, reducing CO2 emissions by up to 25%
- The investment will be around 900 million US Dollar with 60% of purchase price due at delivery

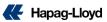




... and concluded green financings in an amount of USD ~900 m



- Hapag-Lloyd developed a Green Financing Framework
- Two debut transactions according to the Green Loan Principles of the Loan Market Association (LMA)
 - Syndicated green loan (USD 417 m) will finance 3 vessels with a 12-year maturity post delivery; Credit facility financed by international bank syndicate and backed by K-Sure
 - Green lease financing (USD 472 m) for remaining 3 vessels with a maturity of 17 years plus construction-phase structured by a Chinese Leasing house
- Both transactions fulfil the Green Loan Principles of the LMA the performance of the six vessels is in line with the Carbon Bond Initiative (CBI) trajectory and was certified with a Second Party Opinion by DNV GL
- Vessels also satisfy the current draft of EU Taxonomy's technical screening criteria for sea and coastal freight water transport
- We are also looking into other sources of financing with sustainability character, such as sustainability-linked financing





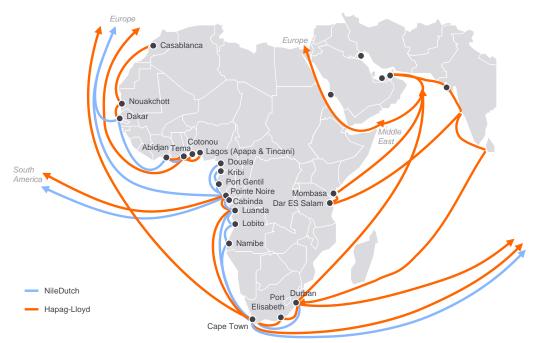
...and just signed a SPA with NileDutch yesterday

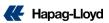
- a good strategic fit to further strengthen our presence in Africa

Extended network after the acquisition of NileDutch

NileDutch

- Clear focus on connecting West and South Africa with Asia, Europe and South America
- ~35 TTEU transport capacity and
 ~80 TTEU container capacity
- ~200 TTEU transport volume per year
- 10 services to, from and within Africa
- 54 countries globally with 16 own offices and more than 300 employees





We were able to improve profitability, strengthen our balance sheet, and earned our cost of capital in 2020

Operational KPIs



Volume TTEU	11,838) (12,037)	Volume declined by 1.6% YoY due to COVID-19 impact on almost all trades
Rate USD/TEU	1,115 (1,072)	Average freight rate increase of 4.0% YoY is mainly driven by demand surge towards the end of the year
Bunker USD/mt	379 (416)	Average bunker consumption price decreased moderately by 37 USD/mt due to lower bunker prices

P&L effects



Revenue USD m	14,577 (14,115)	>>	FY revenue increased slightly (3.3% YoY) mainly due to higher average freight rates
EBITDA USD m	3,082 (2,223)	>>	EBITDA increased by USD 859 m on the back of strict cost management and lower bunker expenses
EAT USD m	1,068 (418)	>>	Net profit more than doubled YoY, interest result improved due to accelerated debt reduction

Balance sheet

(1,159)



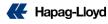
sets SD m	18,640 (18,182)	>>	Total assets increased by USD 458 m vs. 31 December mainly due to higher cash
n. Debt BD m	6,305 (7,180)	>>	Strong cash flow was used to repay financial debt

... and to increase liquidity as a precautionary measure

Financial KPIs



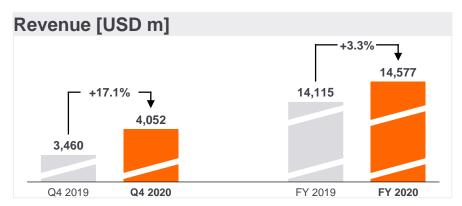
FCF USD m	2,762 (1,857)	>>	Strong Free Cash Flow generation due to improved profitability and low investments
Net debt / EBITDA	1.8x (3.0x)	>>	Ratio of net debt to EBITDA declined to lowest level since the financial crisis
ROIC %	10.6% (6.1%)	>>	Return on Invested Capital exceeded WACC clearly

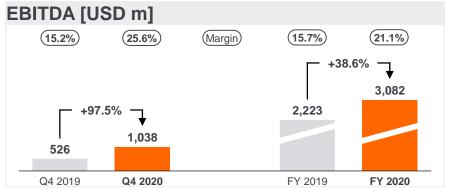


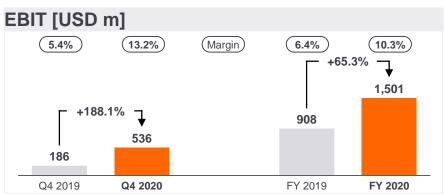
Liquidity

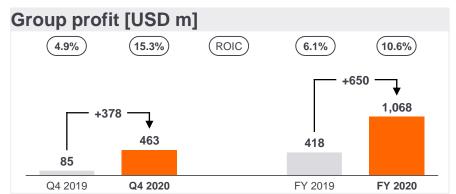
USD m

Results improved strongly on the back of successful PSP measures, higher freight rates and lower bunker prices





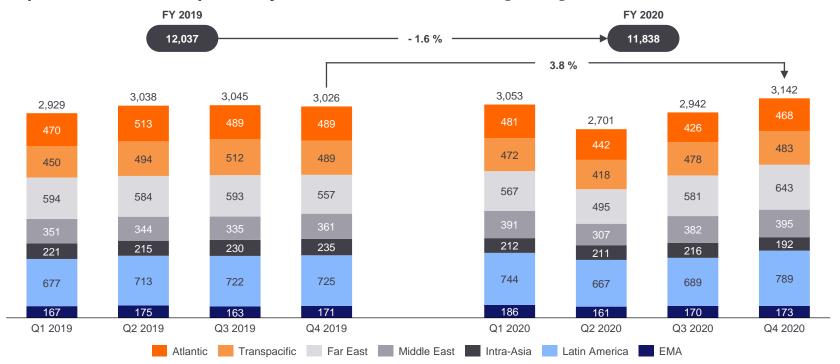






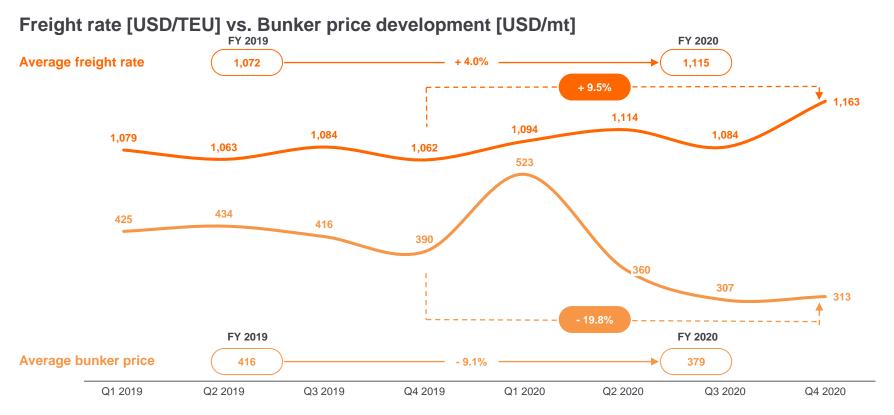
After volumes have decreased strongly in Q2, we have seen a strong recovery from Q3 onwards – Q4 volumes were up almost 4% YoY

Transport volume development by trade Q1 2019 – Q4 2020 [TTEU]





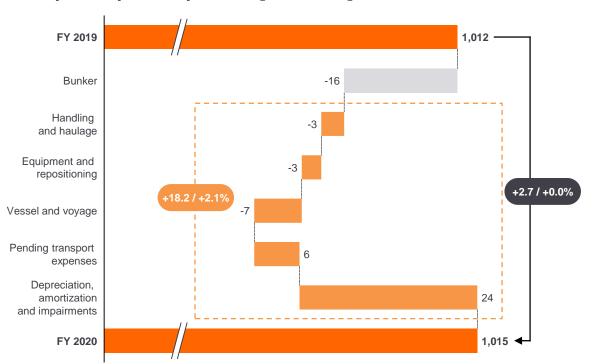
Freight rates increased 4% YoY in spite of falling oil prices – Q4 spot rate surge is not fully reflected in the results yet





In spite of high volume swings, unit cost remained flat due to agile cost management under PSP

Transport expenses per unit [USD/TEU]

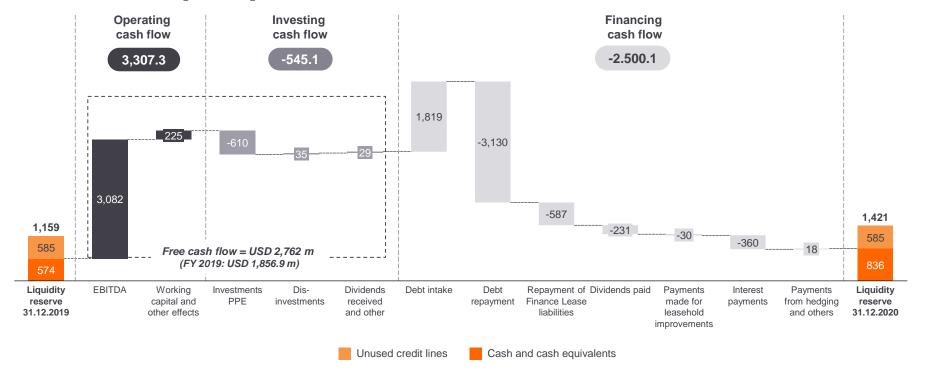


- PSP measures have helped to reduce ex bunker unit cost in spite of lower volumes
- In addition, costs for "Vessel and voyage" decreased due to a higher share of charter vessels considered as Right of Use (RoU) with a respective negative impact on depreciation.
- Besides the Rights of Use related increase, depreciation & amortization increased also due to investments in scrubbers



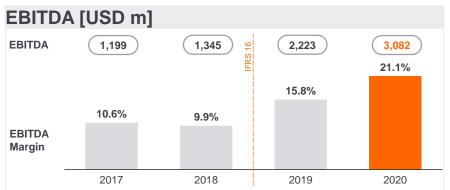
Strong Free Cash Flow of USD 2.8 bn was mainly used to pay down financial debt

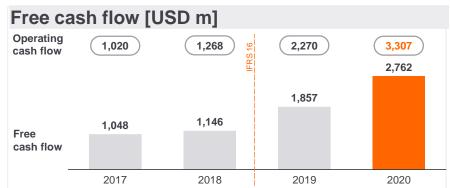
Cash flow FY 2020 [USD m]

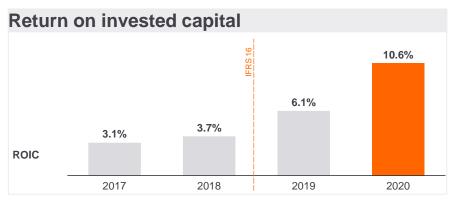


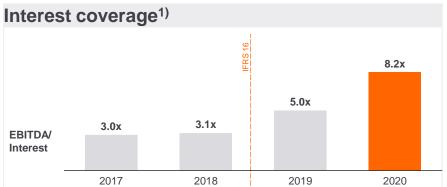


Over the past years we have continuously improved our financial KPIs...



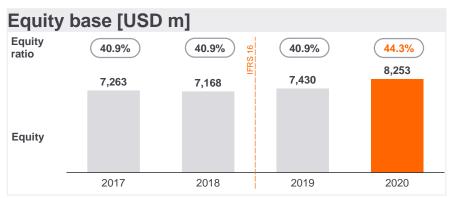


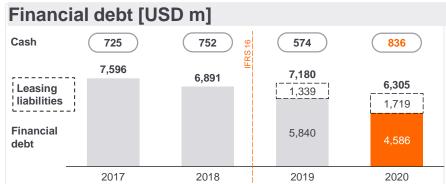




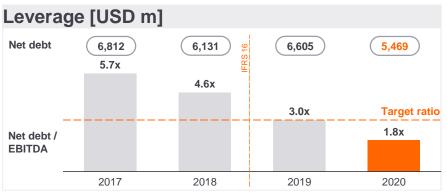


...and further strengthened our balance sheet



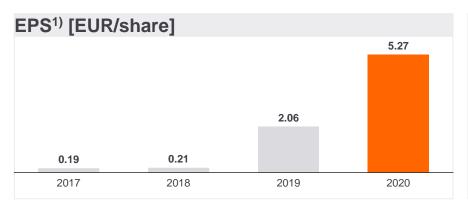






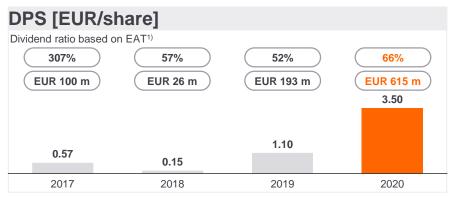


Based on the strong result in 2020, we propose a dividend of EUR 3.50 per share, while maintaining a prudent financial policy



Dividend policy

- In general, we intend to distribute at least 30 % of the consolidated profit (IFRS)
- On the basis of the strong result in 2020 and even better prospects for 2021 as well as the very low leverage ratio, the Executive Board has decided to distribute a large portion of earnings
- At the same time, we remain cautious and are willing to maintain our prudent financial policy

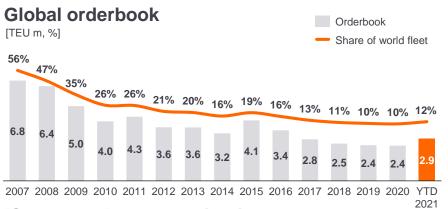


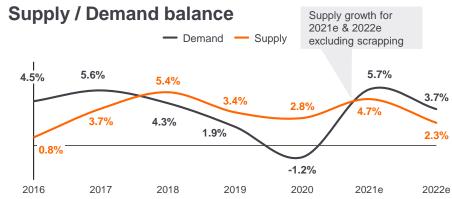
Financial policy

- Maintain financial solidity by keeping the right balance between shareholder participation, debt repayment, and additional investments
- Strong focus on cash, liquidity & cost management
- Strong M&A track record, with clear focus on our core competencies (pure play container liner)



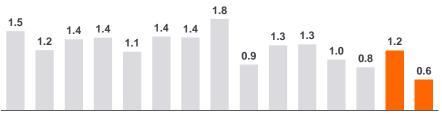
Market fundamentals remain favorable in the mid-term – Supply and Demand are expected to be fairly balanced in 2021/2022





[Scheduled] vessel deliveries

[TEU m]



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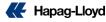
- Recent order activity mainly driven by replacement needs (current orders will not be delivered before mid-2023)
- Expected supply growth (excl. scrapping) for 2021 and beyond will be limited and in line with demand growth
- Future scrapping is expected to increase
- Scheduled vessel deliveries in 2022 to be at a historical low
- Fleet modernization required to reduce carbon footprint



Thanks to ongoing exceptionally strong demand for container transports, we expect a strong earnings growth in 2021

	FY 2020	Guidance for FY 2021		
Transport volume	11,838 TTEU	Increasing slightly		
Bunker consumption price	379 USD/mt	Increasing clearly		
Freight rate	1,115 USD/TEU	Increasing clearly	Q1 2020	Guidance for Q1 2021
EBITDA	USD 3,082 m	Increasing clearly	USD 0.5 bn	> USD 1.8 bn
EBIT	USD 1,501 m	Increasing clearly	USD 0.2 bn	> USD 1.5 bn

- The forecast for the year is subject to considerable uncertainty due to a number of factors, including:
 - the above average volatility of freight rates at this time;
 - operational challenges caused by existing infrastructural bottlenecks, among other things;
 - and the inability to predict the further course or economic impacts of the coronavirus pandemic.
- Unlike in previous years, a large proportion of the 2021 earnings will already be generated in the first one or two quarters of the year.



Our focus for 2021 and beyond:

Deliver on our **Strategy 2023**

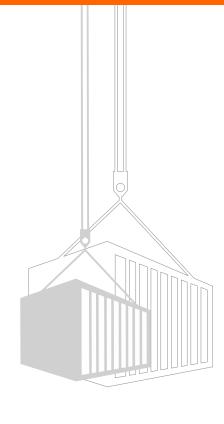
Focus on our customers' needs

Prepare for a seamless integration of NileDutch

Continue to follow a prudent financial policy

Reduce our **CO**₂ **footprint**

Consider selective investment opportunities









Appendix

Hapag-Lloyd with an equity ratio of 44.3% and a gearing of 66.3%

Balance sheet [USD m]

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10,710.0	15,393.6
3,131.9	2,680.7
836.4	574.1
18,640.2	18,181.7
8,252.8	7,430.3
10,387.4	10,751.4
5,731.3	6,269.4
4,656.1	4,482.0
6,305.1	7,179.6
5,119.6	5,786.6
1,185.5	1,393.0 18,181.7
	5,119.6

Financial position [USD m]

million USD	31.12.2020	31.12.2019
Financial debt and lease liabilities	6,305.1	7,179.6
Cash and cash equivalents	836.4	574.1
Restricted Cash	_	_
Net debt	5,468.8	6,605.4
Unused credit lines	585.0	585.0
Liquidity reserve	1,421.4	1,159.1
Equity	8,252.8	7,430.3
Gearing (net debt / equity) (%)	66.3	88.9
Net debt to EBITDA	1.8x	3.0x
Equity ratio (%)	44.3	40.9



Hapag-Lloyd with positive EBIT of USD 1,501 m in FY 2020

Income statement [USD m]

				QoQ	YoY			
million USD	Q4 2020	Q3 2020	Q4 2019	Change	change	FY 2020	FY 2019	Change
Revenue	4,052.5	3,519.4	3,460.4	15.1%	17.1%	14,577.1	14,114.5	3.3%
Transport								
expenses	-2,735.7	-2,486.1	-2,679.6	10.0%	2.1%	-10,431.7	-10,867.0	-4.0%
Personnel								
expenses	-203.5	-201.1	-197.4	1.2%	3.1%	-779.5	-764.0	2.0%
Depreciation,								
amortisation and								
impairment	-502.3	-354.6	-339.7	41.7%	47.8%	-1,580.9	-1,314.7	20.2%
Other operating								
result	-82.4	-86.5	-65.5	4.8%	-25.8%	-319.2	-300.9	-6.1%
Operating result	528.6	391.1	178.1	35.2%	196.7%	1,465.9	867.8	68.9%
Share of profit of								
equity-accounted								
investees	8.7	10.6	8.6	-17.8%	1.0%	36.6	39.7	-7.9%
Result from								
investments	-1.2	0.1	-0.7	n.m.	74.7%	-1.4	0.7	n.m.
Earnings before								
interest and tax								
(EBIT)	536.1	401.7	186.1	33.4%	188.1%	1,501.0	908.3	65.3%
Interest result	-58.6	-93.9	-86.9	-37.6%	-32.5%	-377.2	-444.1	-15.1%
Other financial								
items	-2.2	-4.8	-0.5	-54.2%	n.m.	-4.0	1.8	n.m.
Income taxes	-12.5	-12.8	-14.0	-2.1%	-10.9%	-52.3	-48.1	8.8%
Group profit / loss	462.8	290.3	84.6	59.4%	446.9%	1,067.6	417.9	155.4%



Hapag-Lloyd with an equity ratio of 44.3% and a gearing of 66.3%

Balance sheet [million EUR]

million EUR	31.12.2020	31.12.2019
Assets		
Non-current assets	12,633.0	13,811.8
of which fixed assets	12,555.8	13,716.1
Current assets	2,551.2	2,388.6
of which cash and cash equivalents	681.3	511.6
Total assets	15,184.3	16,200.4
Equity and liabilities		
Equity	6,722.7	6,620.6
Borrowed capital	8,461.6	9,579.8
of which non-current liabilities	4,668.7	5,586.2
of which current liabilities	3,792.9	3,993.6
of which financial debt and lease liabilities	5,136.2	6,397.2
of which non-current financial debt and lease liabilities	4,710.4	5,156.0
of which current financial debt and lease liabilities	965.7	1,241.2
Total equity and liabilities	15,184.3	16,200.4

Financial position [million EUR]

million EUR	31.12.2020	31.12.2019
Financial debt and lease liabilities	5,136.2	6,397.2
Cash and cash equivalents	681.3	511.6
Restricted Cash	_	-
Net debt	4,454.9	5,885.6
Unused credit lines	476.5	521.3
Liquidity reserve	1,157.8	1,032.8
Equity	6,722.7	6,620.6
Gearing (net debt / equity) (%)	66.3	88.9
Net debt to EBITDA	1.8x	3.0x
Equity ratio (%)	44.3	40.9



Hapag-Lloyd with positive EBIT of 935 million EUR in FY 2020

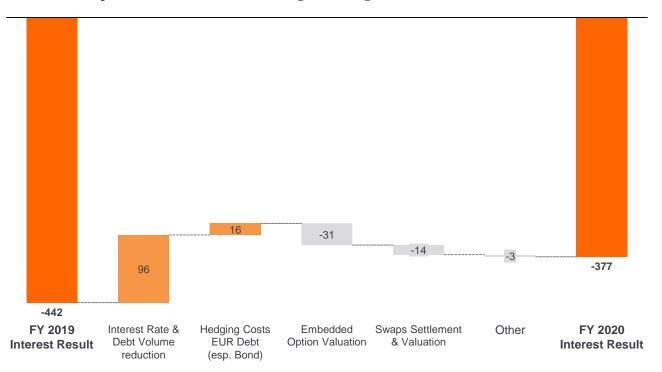
Income statement [million EUR]

million EUR	FY 2020	FY 2019	Change
Revenue	12,772.4	12,607.9	1.3%
Transport expenses	-9,140.2	-9,707.0	-5.8%
Personnel expenses	-683.0	-682.5	0.1%
Depreciation, amortisation and			
impairment	-1,385.2	-1,174.4	4.0%
Other operating result	-279.7	-268.8	-4.1%
Operating result	1,284.4	775.2	65.7%
Share of profit of equity-	00.4	05.5	0.70/
accounted investees	32.1	35.5	-9.7%
Result from investments	-1.2	0.7	n.m.
Earnings before interest and			
tax (EBIT)	1,315.2	811.4	62.1%
Interest result	-330.5	-396.7	-16.7%
Other financial items	-3.5	1.6	n.m.
Income taxes	-45.8	-42.9	6.7%
Group profit / loss	935.4	373.4	150.5%

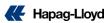


Interest burden clearly reduced – extraordinary valuation effects weigh on financial result

Extraordinary interest result items [USD m]

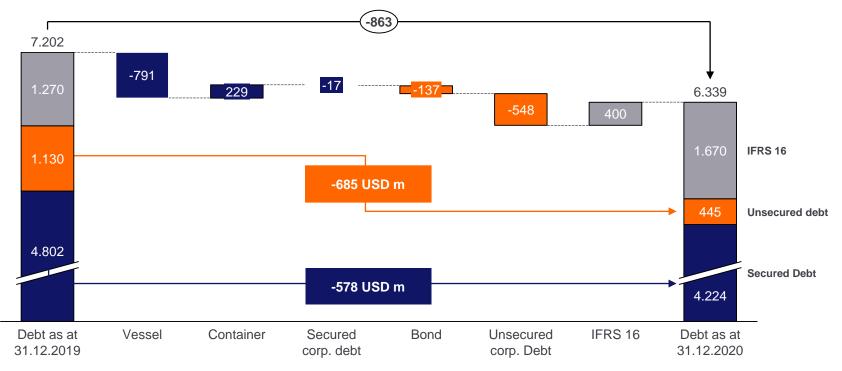


- The interest result has significantly improved in 2020
- This was driven by substantial deleveraging efforts
- Additionally, a lower USD interest environment helped lower interest cost
- Valuation effects from embedded options and interest rate hedge negatively impacted the interest result compared to 2019

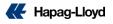


Secured and unsecured debt reduced by USD 1.3 bn – IFRS 16 debt increased due to "less for longer" vessel charter renewals

Debt reduction¹⁾ [USD m]



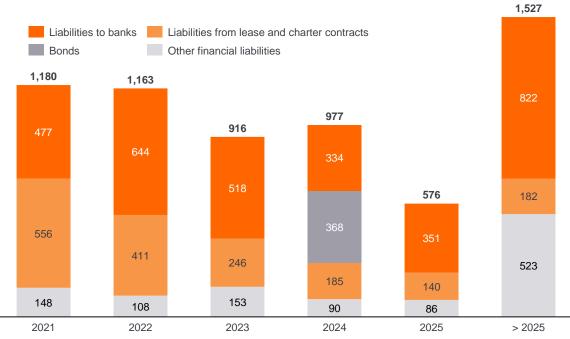
¹⁾ Repayment amounts based on contractual debt as per 31.12.2020. Deviation from the total financial debt as shown in the balance sheet as per 31.12.2020 consists of transaction costs and accrued interest Note: Rounding differences may occur



Well balanced maturity structure of financial liabilities

Financial Debt Profile as per 31 December 2020¹⁾, [USD m]

Facility	31 December 2020 [USD m]
Vessel Financings	2,541
Container Financings	1,443
Total Vessel & Container	3,984
EUR Bond 2024	368
Total Bonds	368
Corporate secured	190
Corporate unsecured	77
Total corporate	267
Pre IFRS 16 Leases	49
New IFRS 16 Leases	1,670
Total Finance Leases	1,719
Total financial liabilities	6,339 ²⁾³⁾⁴⁾



¹⁾ As of January 2018 financial debt profile has been changed to the statement of repayment amounts. Deviation from the total financial debt as shown in the balance sheet as per 31.12.2020 consists of transaction costs and accrued interest

2) Liabilities from lease and charter contracts consist of USD 49 million liabilities from former finance lease contracts and USD 1,670 USD million from lease contracts presented as on-balance financial liability due to first-time application of IFRS 16

3) Repayment amounts based on contractual debt as per 31.12.2020



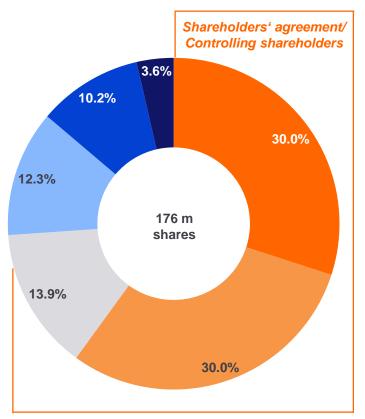
⁴⁾ Total financial liabilities without Finance Leases at 4,668 USD m Note: Rounding differences may occur

Outlook & sensitivities

Hapag-Lloyd sensitivities for 2020		Market forecasts for 2021		
Transport volume	+/- 100 TTEU	+/- USD ~0.1 bn	Global economic growth (IMF, Jan 2021)	5.5%
Bunker price	+/- 50 USD/mt	+/- USD ~0.3 bn	Increase in global trade (IMF, Jan 2021)	8.1%
Freight rate	+/- 50 USD/TEU	+/- USD ~0.5 bn	Increase in global container transport volume (Seabury, Nov 2020)	4.8 %
Exchange Rate [USD/EUR]	+/- 0.05 USD/EUR	+/- USD <0.1 bn		



Hapag-Lloyd's shareholder structure



Kühne Maritime GmbH / Kühne Holding AG

CSAV Germany Container Holding GmbH

HGV Hamburger Gesellschaft für Vermögens- und Beteiligungsmanagement mbH

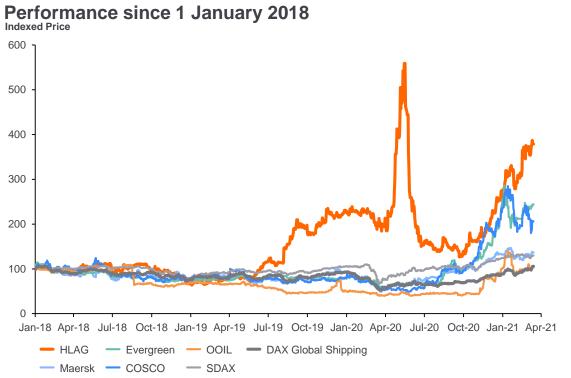
Qatar Holding Germany GmbH

The Public Investment Fund on behalf of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

Free Float



Share price development



Stock Exchange	Frankfurt Stock Exchange / Hamburg Stock Exchange
Market segment	Regulated market (Prime Standard)
ISIN / WKN	DE000HLAG475 / HLAG47
Ticker Symbol	HLAG
Primary listing	6 November 2015
Number of shares	175,760,293



Bond trading



	EUR Bond 2024	EUR Bond 2022	
Listing	Open market of the Luxembourg Stock Exchange (Euro MTF)		
Volume	EUR 300 m	EUR 450 m	
ISIN / WKN	XS1645113322	XS1555576641 / A2E4V1	
Maturity Date	Jul 15, 2024	Repaid22	
Redemption Price	as of July 15, 2020:102.563%; as of July 15, 2021:101.281%; as of July 15, 2022:100%	as of Feb 1, 2019: 103.375%; as of Feb 1, 2020: 101.688%; as of Feb 1, 2021: 100%	
Coupon	5.125%	6.75%	



Financial Calendar 2021

27 January 2021 Preliminary Financials 2020

18 March 2021 Annual Report 2020

12 May 2021 Quarterly Financial Report Q1 2021

28 May 2021 (virtual) Annual General Meeting 2021

12 August 2021 Half-year Financial Report 2021

12 November 2021 Quarterly Financial Report 9M 2021



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