

# First Quarter results 2015

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#### Excellent first quarter



- Strong refining environment
- Favorable USD/EUR currency rate
- Good internal performance
- Full-year 2015 guidance revised upwards (21 April)



## Good internal performance





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# Q1/15 Group financials





### Group financials Q1/15

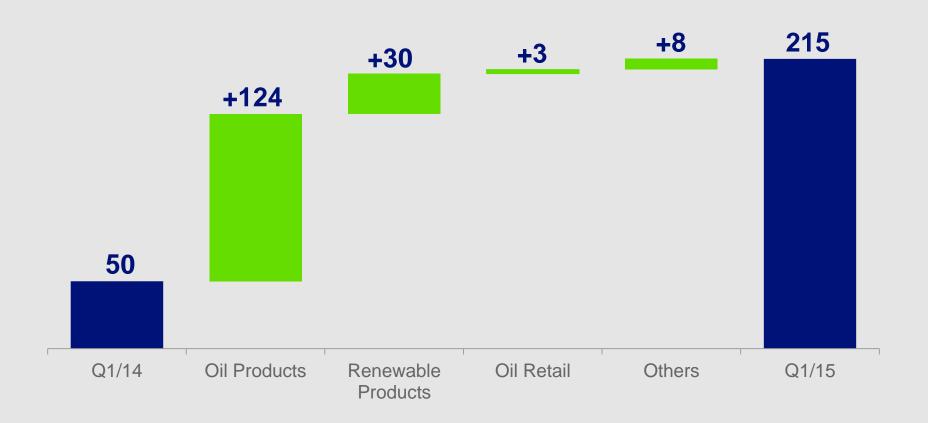
| MEUR                               | Q1/2015 | Q1/2014 |
|------------------------------------|---------|---------|
| Revenue                            | 2,744   | 3,510   |
| Comparable EBITDA                  | 292     | 131     |
| Comparable operating profit        | 215     | 50      |
| Oil Products                       | 156     | 32      |
| Renewable Products                 | 42      | 12      |
| Oil Retail                         | 17      | 14      |
| Others (incl. eliminations)        | 0       | -9      |
| IFRS operating profit              | 233     | 50      |
| Net cash from operations           | -185    | -178    |
| Free cash flow                     | -83     | -267    |
| Comparable earnings per share, EUR | 0.59    | 0.10    |



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### Improved result in all segments

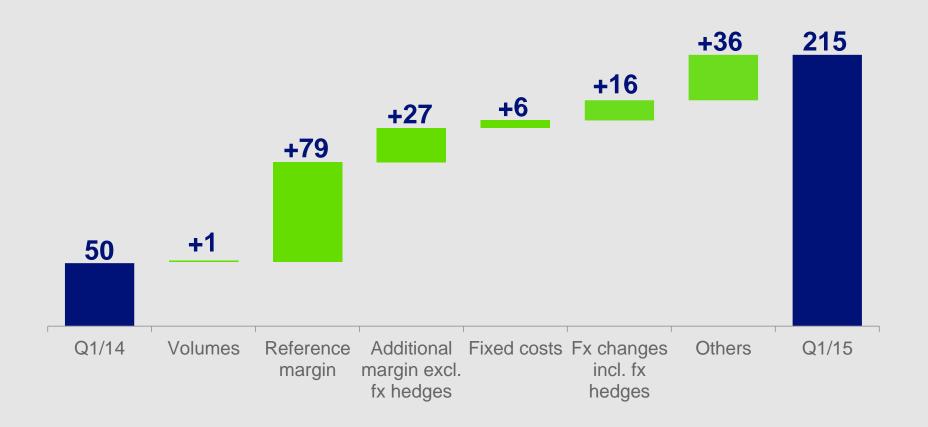
#### Group comparable EBIT Q1/14 vs. Q1/15, MEUR





#### Support from favorable market

#### Group comparable EBIT Q1/14 vs. Q1/15, MEUR





#### Key financial targets at solid levels





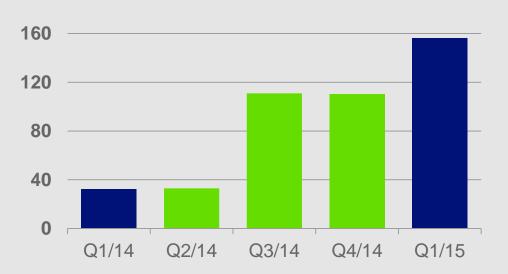
## Q1/15 Segment reviews





#### Strong result in Oil Products

#### Comparable EBIT, MEUR



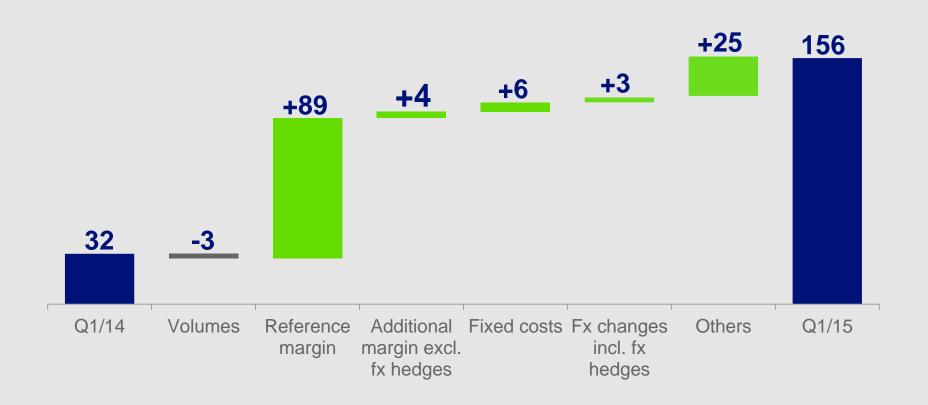
| MEUR            | Q1/15 | Q1/14 | 2014   |
|-----------------|-------|-------|--------|
| Revenue         | 1,976 | 2,630 | 11,285 |
| Comparable EBIT | 156   | 32    | 285    |
| Net assets      | 2,439 | 2,404 | 2,160  |

- High comparable EBIT
- Good operational performance
- Higher reference margin yearon-year
- Porvoo major turnaround preparations proceeded according to plan



## Support from stronger market

Oil Products comparable EBIT Q1/14 vs. Q1/15, MEUR





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## Total refining margin continued strong

#### Neste Oil refining margins, USD/bbl

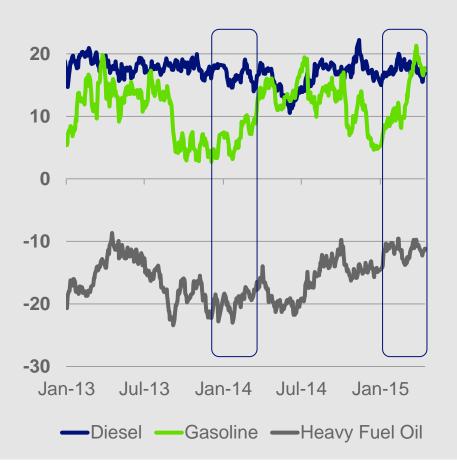


- Reference margin USD 7.5/bbl supported by low crude oil price, strong gasoline margin, contango building and US refinery strikes and outages
- Additional margin USD 4.2/bbl
  - Supported by good operational performance
  - Negative effect from currency hedging
- Low crude oil price supports reference margin due to lower yield loss value but dilutes additional margin

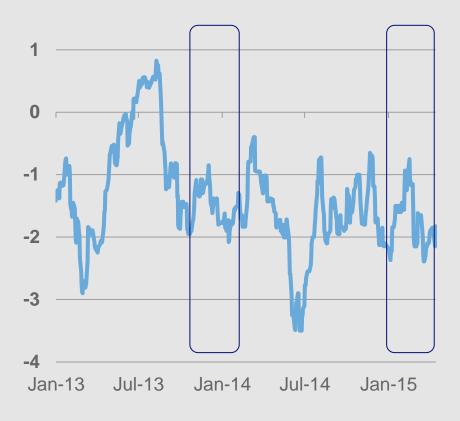
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#### Gasoline unseasonally high

Product margins (price differential vs. Brent), USD/bbl



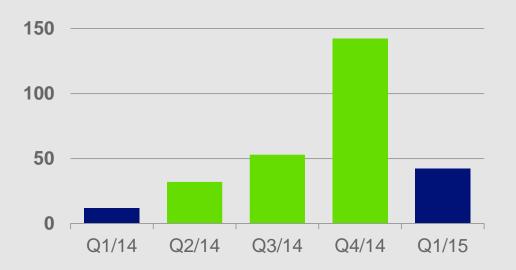
**Urals vs. Brent price differential,** USD/bbl





# Renewable Products' result positively impacted by good additional margin

#### Comparable EBIT, MEUR



| MEUR            | Q1/15 | Q1/14 | 2014  |
|-----------------|-------|-------|-------|
| Revenue         | 496   | 531   | 2,269 |
| Comparable EBIT | 42    | 12    | 239   |
| Net assets      | 1,930 | 1,765 | 1,923 |

- Clearly higher comparable EBIT compared to Q1/14
- Nameplate production capacity increased from 2.0 Mt/a to 2.4 Mt/a
- Variable production costs guidance updated from USD 170/t to USD 130/t
- Additional margin supported by successful margin management and feedstock flexibility
- 78% of sales to Europe and 22% to North America
- Share of waste and residues feedstock 62%



# Result supported by additional margin and stronger USD

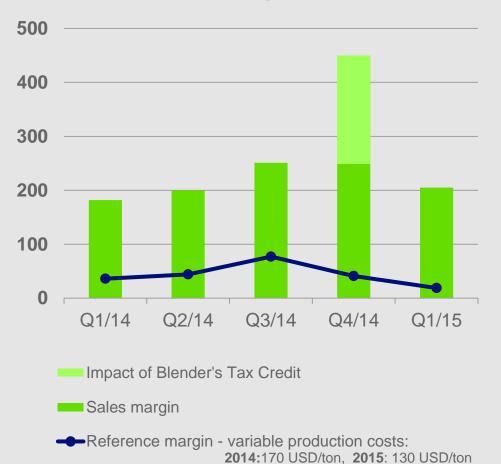
Renewable Products comparable EBIT Q1/14 vs. Q1/15, MEUR





## Additional margin remained solid

#### Renewable Products margins, USD/ton



- Lower reference margin year-on-year
- Good additional margin USD 186/ton (equals USD 226/ton at previous production cost)
- Additional margin supported by successful margin management and feedstock flexibility



### European margins remain low



Vegetable oil and animal fat prices\*\*, USD/ton



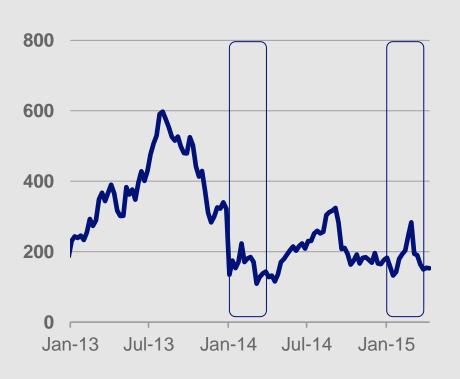
<sup>\*</sup> Including \$70/ton freight

<sup>\*\*</sup>Quotations in NWE, source: Oil World

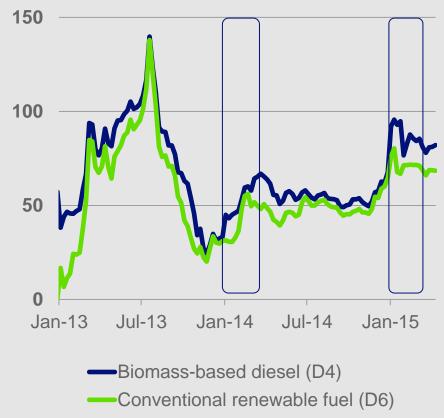


# RIN prices strengthened in North America

SME vs. Soybean oil price differential, USD/ton



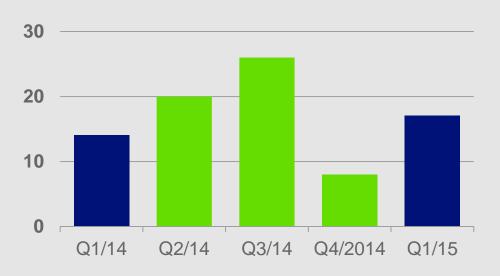
#### Biodiesel RIN, US cent /gal





#### Good result in Oil Retail

#### Comparable EBIT, MEUR



| MEUR            | Q1/15 | Q1/14 | 2014  |
|-----------------|-------|-------|-------|
| Revenue         | 882   | 1,019 | 4,294 |
| Comparable EBIT | 17    | 14    | 68    |
| Net assets      | 220   | 254   | 201   |

- Unit margins improved, particularly in Northwest Russia
- Low-sulphur marine fuel introduced
- Weaker ruble had EUR 2 million negative impact



## Unit margins improved

Oil Retail comparable EBIT Q1/14 vs. Q1/15, MEUR



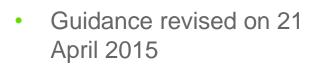


# **Current** topics





#### Outlook



 Group's full-year 2015 comparable EBIT estimated to remain robust and to be higher than in 2014.



#### EUR 500 million bond issue in March

- 7-year bond carries a coupon of 2.125%
- Offering clearly oversubscribed
- Bond allocated to approx.
   150 investors
- Proceeds will be used for refinancing and general corporate purposes





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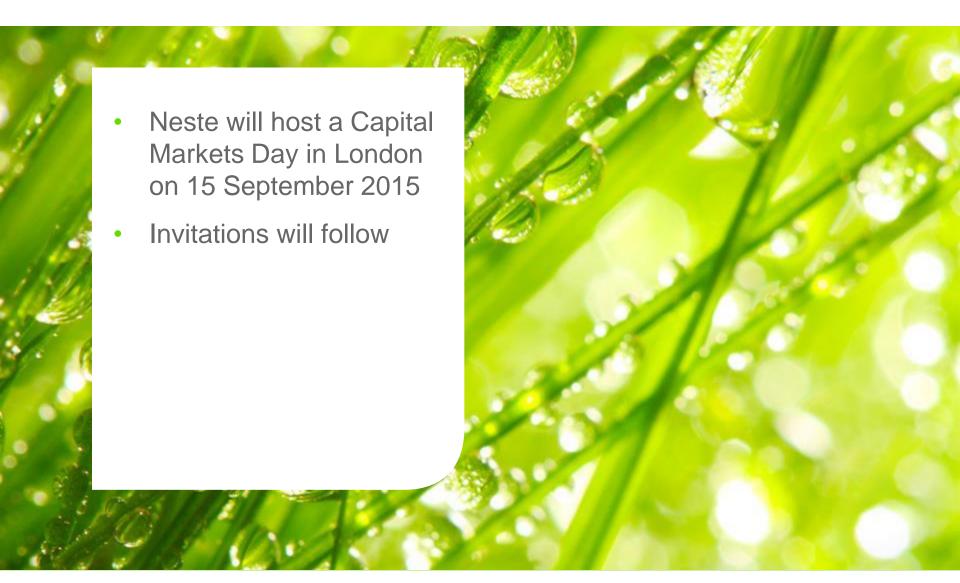
#### Major turnaround in Porvoo

- Approx. eight week maintenance turnaround started in early April
- Employs approx. 4,500 people
- Estimate of negative impact on Oil Products' comparable EBIT EUR 100 million





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#### We focus on





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## Appendix





# Renewable Products comparable EBIT calculation

|                                   | Q1/14 | Q2/14 | Q3/14 | Q4/14 | 2014  | Q1/15 |
|-----------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Sales volume, kt                  | 488   | 561   | 516   | 540   | 2,104 | 513   |
| Reference margin, \$/ton          | 206   | 214   | 247   | 211   | 221   | 149   |
| Additional margin, \$/ton         | 146   | 155   | 174   | 409   | 227   | 186   |
| Variable production costs, \$/ton | 170   | 170   | 170   | 170   | 170   | 130   |
| Comparable sales margin, \$/ton   | 182   | 200   | 251   | 450   | 278   | 205   |
| Comparable sales margin, MEUR     | 65    | 84    | 98    | 196   | 440   | 94    |
| Fixed costs, MEUR                 | 26    | 29    | 22    | 29    | 105   | 30    |
| Depreciations, MEUR               | 24    | 24    | 24    | 25    | 96    | 22    |
| Comparable EBIT, MEUR             | 12    | 32    | 53    | 142   | 239   | 42    |

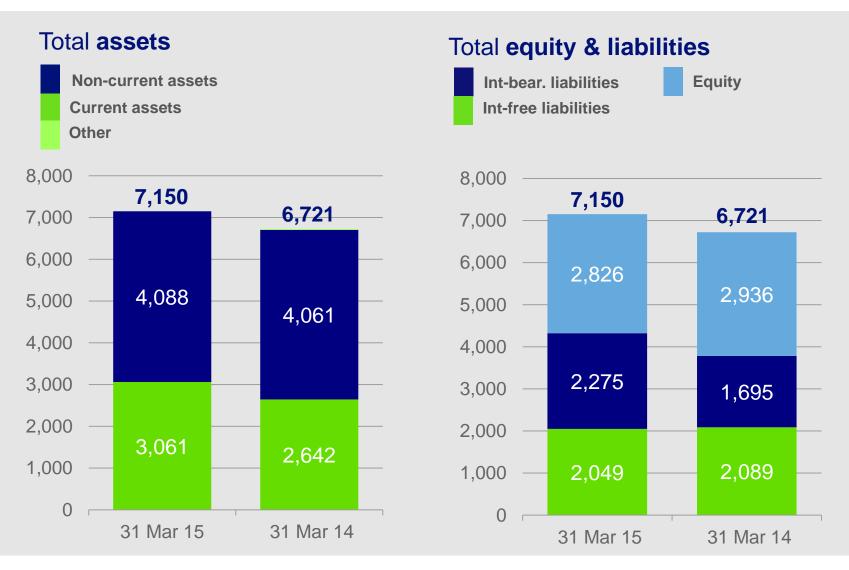


# Refinery production costs, Porvoo & Naantali

|                     |                 | Q1/14 | Q2/14 | Q3/14 | Q4/14 | 2014  | Q1/15 |
|---------------------|-----------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Refined products    | Million barrels | 25.3  | 26.2  | 26.0  | 25.8  | 103.2 | 27.3  |
| Exchange rate       | EUR/USD         | 1.37  | 1.37  | 1.33  | 1.25  | 1.33  | 1.08  |
|                     | EUR million     | 42.1  | 43.6  | 40.5  | 47.2  | 173.4 | 36.6  |
| Utilities costs     | USD/bbl         | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.1   | 2.3   | 2.2   | 1.5   |
| Fixed costs         | EUR million     | 57.2  | 58.4  | 50.8  | 71.7  | 238.0 | 52.1  |
|                     | USD/bbl         | 3.0   | 3.1   | 2.6   | 3.5   | 3.1   | 2.1   |
| External cost sales | EUR million     | -8.6  | -6.0  | -4.9  | -4.9  | -24.4 | -5.2  |
|                     | USD/bbl         | -1.3  | -0.3  | -0.2  | -0.2  | -0.3  | -0.2  |
| Total               | EUR million     | 90.7  | 96.0  | 86.4  | 113.9 | 387.1 | 83.5  |
|                     | USD/bbl         | 4.8   | 5.0   | 4.4   | 5.5   | 5.0   | 3.3   |



#### Balance sheet





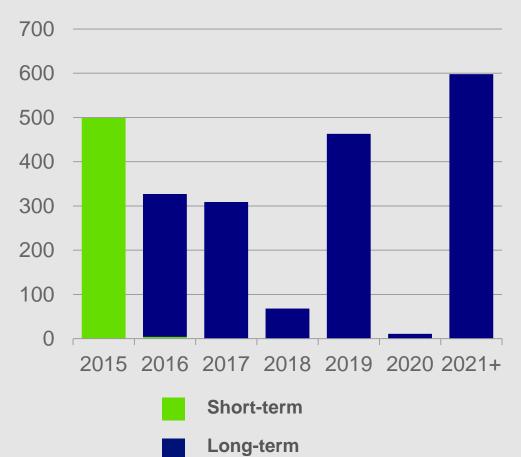
#### Cash flow

| MEUR   | Q1/15 | Q1/14 | Q4/14 | 2014 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Profit before income taxes                       | 205   | 33    | -30   | 78   |
| Adjustments total                                | -9    | 101   | 33    | 325  |
| Change in working capital                        | -367  | -282  | 370   | -33  |
| Cash from operations                             | -172  | -148  | 368   | 369  |
| Net finance costs                                | -11   | -10   | -20   | -44  |
| Taxes  | -2    | -20   | 0     | -77  |
| Net cash from operations                         | -185  | -178  | 351   | 248  |
| Capital expenditure and investments in shares    | -83   | -43   | -115  | -272 |
| Other  | 184   | -46   | 1     | -34  |
| Cash flow before financing activities            | -83   | -267  | 237   | -59  |
| Net change in loans                              | 396   | -67   | -166  | -23  |
| Purchase of treasury shares                      | 0     | 0     | 0     | -15  |
| Dividends paid (incl. non-controlling interests) | 0     | 0     | 0     | -167 |
| Net increase/decrease in cash                    | 313   | -334  | 71    | -263 |



#### Liquidity & maturity profile

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- Total liquidity at the end of March 2015 was EUR 2,611 million
  - Cash and cash equivalents totalled EUR 561 million
  - Unused committed credit facilities totalled EUR 1,650 million
  - Unused CP programmes (not committed) totalled EUR 400 million
- Average interest rate was 3.4% and maturity 3.6 years at the end of March
- No financial covenants in Group's existing loan agreements





# The only way is forward.

