## Dansk Supermarked Group

# THE BUSINESS OF FOOD WASTE

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Department store

Established in 1906

2 stores in Denmark



Supermarket

Established in 1960

100 stores in Denmark

## **Bilka** DIT HYPERMARKED

### Hypermarket

Established in 1970

19 stores in Denmark

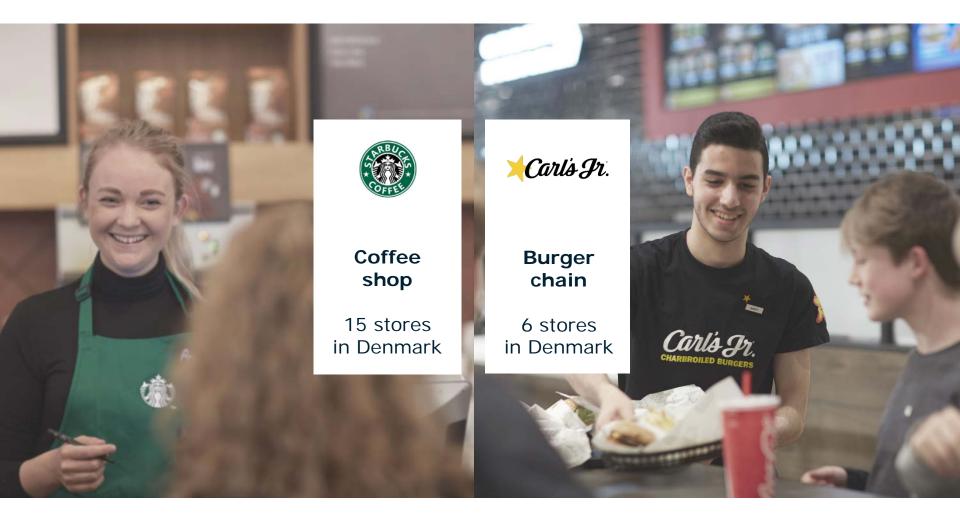
## **NETTO**

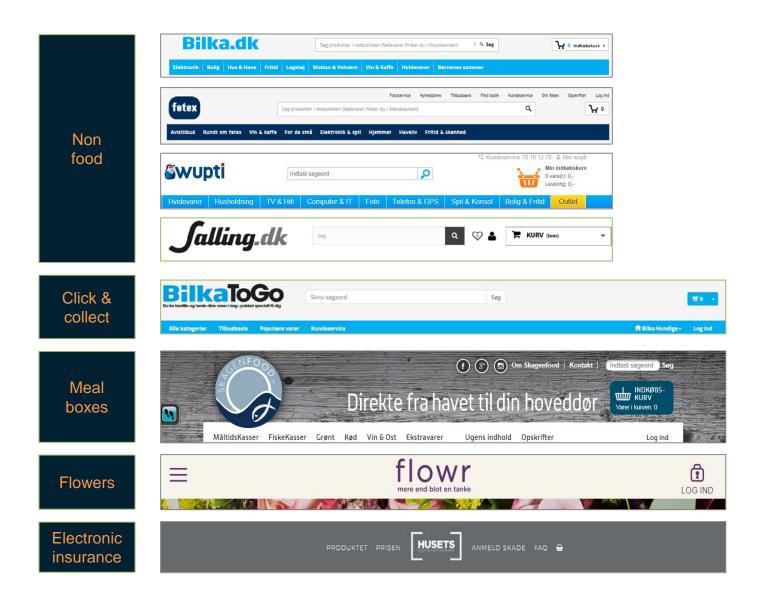
### **Discount store**

Established in 1981

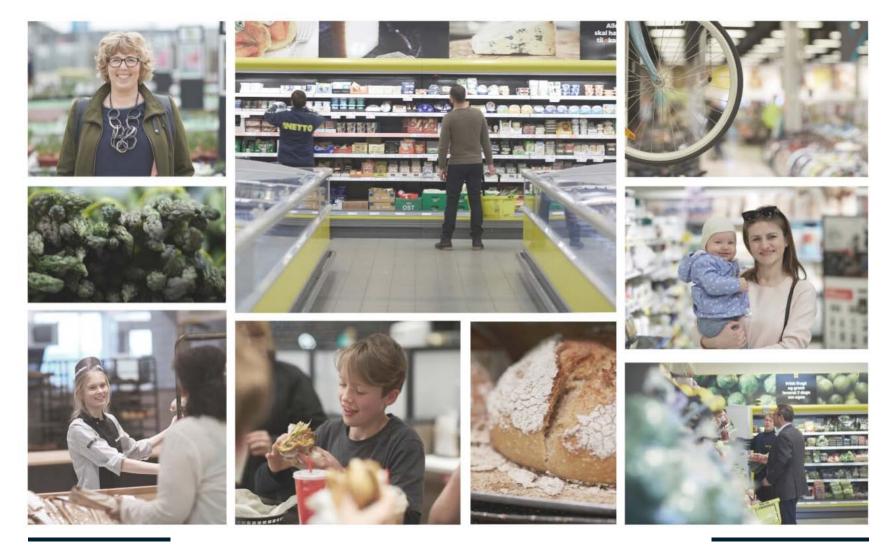
1,370 stores in Denmark, Sweden, Poland and Germany







# WE ACCOMMODATE 9 MILLION SHOPPING VISITS EVERY WEEK



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**Location, price** and **selection** are still the most important decision factors

## What our customers are looking for



#### **Easier meal solutions**



Price and quality



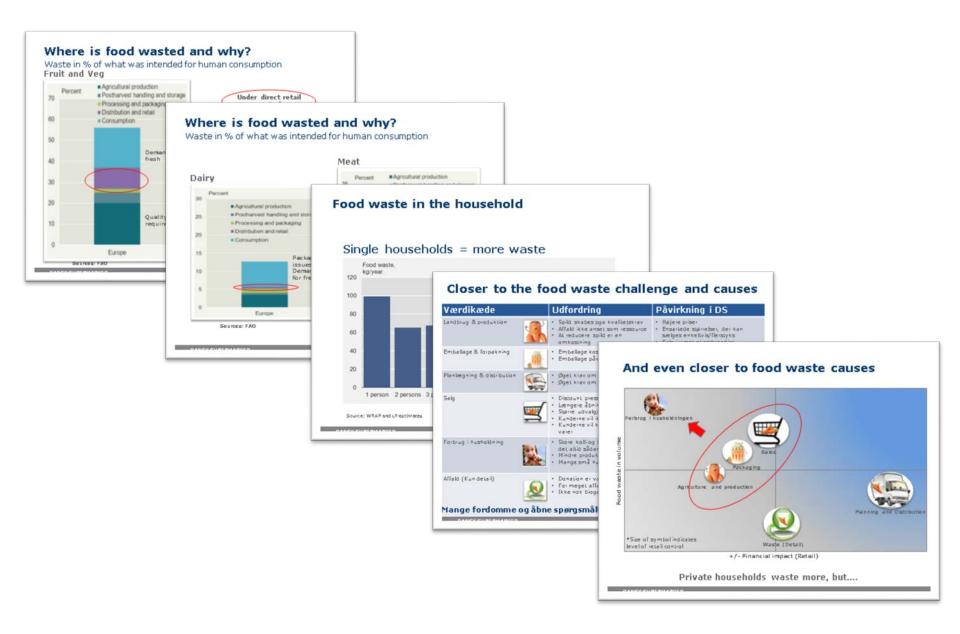
#### Sustainability and health



Value, events and inspiration



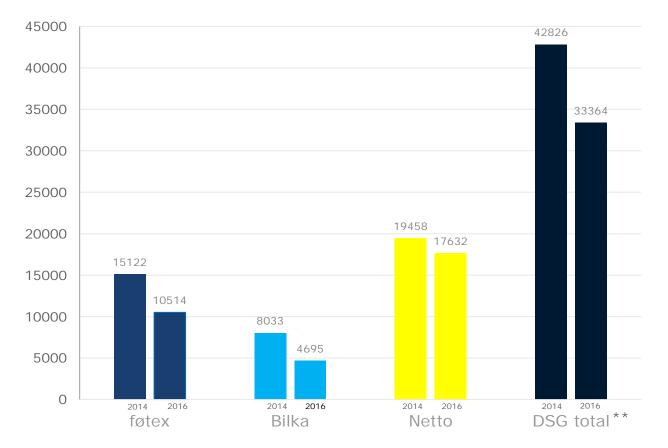
## Analysis of food waste and causes



In 2017 we were the first retailer in the Nordic Countries to publish our amount of food waste made up in tonnes

2014: 42,826 tonnes 2015: 35,205 tonnes 2016: 33,364 tonnes 2017: xx,xxx tonnes

## Food waste in formats in 2016 compared to official 2014 numbers



\* 2014 numbers based on "fair share" of official retail food waste (Kortlægning af madaffald i servicesektoren, 2014 Ministry of Environment)

\*\* Incl. Salling and DCs

## Method (simplified)

#### Masterdata (net weight)



Category mix and average, if no weight

$$\frac{7+4+1}{3} = 4$$

Total estimates account for 4 % of which F&V make up 3,8 %

#### Key figures on wasted units

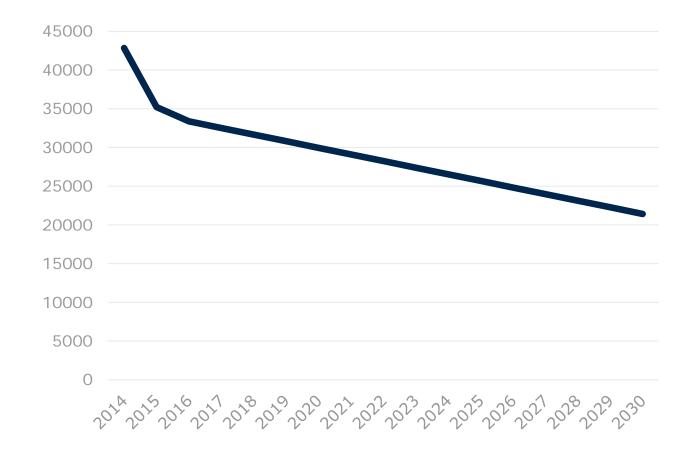


#### Physical weighing



### We have decided to go for a 50% reduction of food waste by 2030

- Based on official numbers and our own measuring we have reduced food waste by 9,400 tonnes from 2014-2016
- The ambition is to reduce by further 12,000 tonnes by 2030
- The goal is fully aligned with the UN Sustainable Development Goal 12.3



# **Examples of Large Areas of Impact**

## Investment in new IT / production planning:

• Ex: More accurate forecasting has reduced waste in butchery by 27 % and waste in bakery production by 24 % (1H16-1H17).

## Optimizing our value chain:

- Ex: Reduced assortment in prepacked white and dark bread in Netto by 25 % = decreased sales by 2 %, but increased earnings due to a 67 % waste reduction.
- Ex: Fruit & vegetables: Increased engagement in buying directly from the farms = more fresh products, increased market sales and minimized waste.

## • Food waste = Food surplus:

- Some is donated to relevant partners
- Some is made into biogas (food waste, yes but energy)
- Some is made into animal feed (food waste, yes but not spilt)

## So what else do we do?

• We have helped fødevareBanken to expand their business to Aarhus





• Our distribution centres donate food to fødevareBanken and WeFood and so do some of our larger stores



- Almost all stores have designated areas for marked down products that are close to expiry or best before date
- More than 75 % of actual food waste is recycled as biogas in Netto it is just above 90 %



 Many Netto and føtex stores donate bags of food up to holidays like Easter and Christmas. The bags are packed late night by voluntary employees and handed out to less priviliged citizens



• Netto has made a catalogue with the 10 best food saving ideas for retailers, househoulds and society respectively – 30 ideas altogether



 Netto has created an App that helps citizens find the nearest food store (no matter which) where to find marked down food close to expiry or best before

## Don't throw away the entire content

Right now Netto is testing a concept where blemished fruits and vegetables, however still edible, is removed, placed in a designated box and sold at half price.

The test will run in November, December and January in three selected stores, and if successful the concept will be rolled out to all Netto stores.



#### **NETTO**

#### Netto sætter nyt, banebrydende forsøg i gang for at mindske madspild

Heer gang lietts kasserer et stykke dahrigt frugt og grønt, ryger der i gennemsnit sels - syv stykker gode, lækre og olgbore stykker med i skradseponden. Arsogen er regler, der i prokse gør det meget svært at sertere og pakke fødreverer om. Netta fanvenner, at forsøgvardningen kan reducere modipildet i kutikkerrer frig-is og partefølsing med 50 ab.

Hver dag smider Netto omkring 34 ton frugt og grønt ud. Størstedelen af vareme er der istet i vejen med, men hvis for eksemptel en poce æbter indenkter et enkelt filddent æbte, er butikken ofte nødt til at kassere hvie pose, og effort or ender tronva af speleg mad si vardespanden i stedet for på salletkeren.

Biais Germann Brais, ludidistettar i Netta sigen "Alla dis varer, vi variger, sikai loso ap til singaptar harvan systamhad, ja piaki ger od etta urränge varet for osi detallandar at somter evekter skrikat beskultget. fragt og græft fla og salge de gode stykker i palsmagerne videre. Konselvetsen er et ekstremt ressoursopid - men det giver ragen mening at småler mell od. som ingestrat gillen. Overfor har vi valgt at sattar san forsgondenning i pag, han vi vi losme, paisko mog salge det fragt og græft, som sikers, paautomati Ville Bilves smålt ut, pak om on er innet er vigen med dit. Vier de forste sågligværkelede, der al ulminste de mulgides, der linge var harvan skaker. More store senter en somspolite for bildaren og skales.

#### Madspildet i frugt- og grøntafdelingen bør kunne reduceres med 50-60 %

Forsøgsordningen kærer foreløtig i en periode på tre måneder i tre butikker i Odense, Årbus og København. Sammeniggt småder de tre butikker områring fen en thavit ten frugt og grønt ud om måneden. Nettos egen vurdering er, at det kun er 40% procent af det, der kasseres, som ikke er egnet til at sælge videre. Att andet lever til fulde og til kavene om frasteklasses varer.

I bedste fald regner Netto med, at ordningen kan nedbringe madsplådet i frugt- og grætafdelingen med 50 til 60 prozent. Når forsgædt er færdigt, vil Netto evaluere resultaterne og afgøre, om ideen er effektiv nok til at blive ufrullet i alle Netto-butkker.

#### Alt grønt bliver gennemgået og pakket om

Kontret betyder ordningen, at medurbejderne i Netto løbende gennemgår alle de varer, der er sorterer fra, ford dier er enkelse sykker med fraj. Herefter bliver de stykker fugt og grønt, som kke er egnede til at blev solgt, mitt vå, men de restøreren, golet ware pakker om in sandt passe to Sortered avære bliver fremover solgt til nebsta pris under brankt. "Med skal spises" og kan lindes sammen med de øvrge værer i frag- og grønstindingen.

Initial seeman first, luiddrettet i Vetta, type: "Deg pri jo ondt, ha" man til og kild smøle en blakke abler eller en gos applikation for da hende forste en en eller tyrkka, der kile lever og til kavere. Ott satt fa at tilsk synsonish hel forket, og ente alsonsnis giver det heler i regen menna for ost at visite værer ut og an vit tor. kundersag gen var klava. Visk at virus kunder helde senser at hjølgen mel at redninge madspåd og få nogle ekstra gode tilbud, så vi tor på, at denne ordning kan være med til at lefte legge formår.

# Thank you!

