

### Delivering Growth, Delivering Returns

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### **Q4-24 Highlights:** Strong Performance

#### Track Record of Delivery:

- Strong Operations
- Near-term Tyra Plateau
- Robust Financial Results
- Reset Capital Base

## Proposed<sup>(1)</sup> distribution for 2024 of \$215mm

- 70% of Op. Cashflow<sup>(2)</sup>
- RBL Completion Test expected to be met end Feb / early Mar



) Subject to Tyra RBL Completion Test

Defined as Net Cash Flow from Operating Activities, includes tax payments; excludes capital expenditure and finance costs



- Q4-24 production of **25.9 mboe/d**
- Base assets produced in line with guidance at 23.0mboe/d in Q4-24 and 24.1mboe/d over full year 2024



- 2P reserves and near-term 2C resources of **213mmboe (YE23)**
- HEMJ exploration well result above pre-drill estimates, demonstrating remaining potential of portfolio



- Revenue of **\$193mm** in Q4-24
- EBITDA of **\$109mm** in Q4-24
- Operating Cashflow<sup>(2)</sup> of **\$95mm** in Q4-24 and **\$309mm** in FY 2024



- Tyra ramp-up underway with Dec-24 exit rate of **15.0mboe/d**
- Production for 2025 expected to more than double to over 50mboe/d



- Distribution policy set at 50 70% of
  Operating Cashflow<sup>(2)</sup> in 2024 to 2026
- Proposed 2024 distribution<sup>(1)</sup> of **\$215mm** at top end of distribution policy (70%)



- Capital structure set to enable delivery of stated distribution policy
- Liquidity at end Q4-24, including cash and undrawn RBL, of \$521mm

### **BlueNord Outlook** Guidance for 2025

2025 Production Guidance of 45 – 51 mboe/d

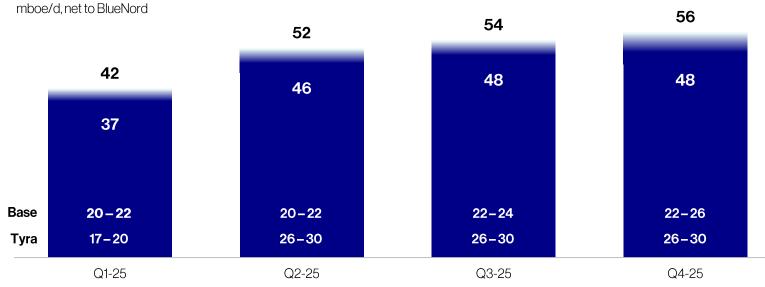
Committed to distribution policy – 50-70% of Operating Cashflow<sup>(1)</sup>



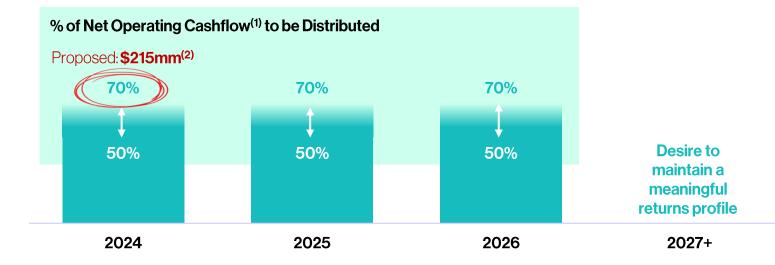
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### **BlueNord Production Guidance for 2025** (Net to BlueNord)



### **Distribution Policy for 2024 to 2026**



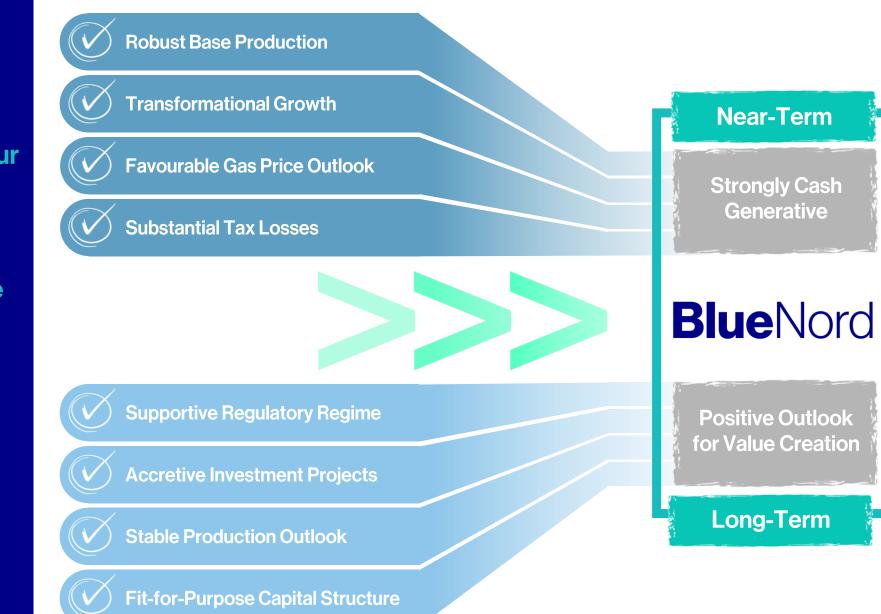
### BlueNord's Value Proposition

Clear and simple focus on leveraging the strength of our underlying business to:

**Maximise Distributions** 

Maintain a Conservative Capital Structure







#### Robust Base Production | Halfdan, Dan & Gorm



### Robust Base Production

Excellent 2024 performance with annual average decline since 2021 of < 4%

Driven by high activity levels and strong operational efficiency



Excludes production from Tyra

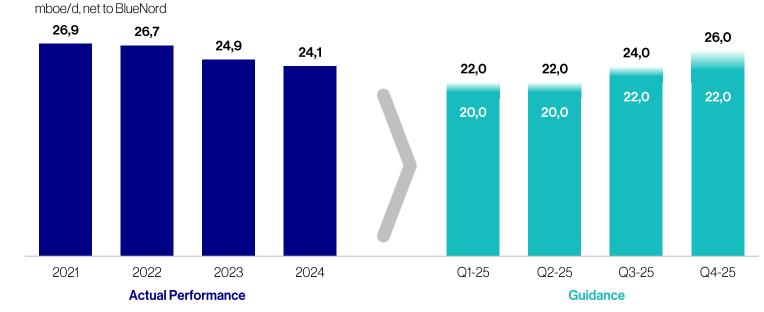
### Average annual decline of < 4% since 2021</p>

- Performance in 2024 supported by operational efficiency of 91%
- Active asset management to enhance volumes and drive growth

### High levels of well intervention & restimulation activities

- WROM II on Halfdan completed in Jan 2025
- Skjold gas acceleration pilot delivered a 30% increase vs. baseline for 2024
- Workovers successfully completed on Halfdan to safeguard production

### Track-record of strong and stable production<sup>(1)</sup>





### Transformational Growth | Tyra



# **Tyra II** Onstream and Ramping-Up

Strategically important gas hub in the Danish North Sea

#### At plateau, Tyra II:

- More than doubles BlueNord's production,
- Re-weights commodity mix towards gas,
- Lowers lifting cost to below \$13/boe, and
- Reduces emissions intensity by > 30%



### Restarted Nov-24 with production ramp-up underway

### Hub currently producing > 50% of maximum potential

Production of c. 19mboe/d net to BlueNord on 7<sup>th</sup> Feb 2025

### Plateau production expected in Feb-25

- Focus on maintaining stable operations and high operational efficiency
- Work underway to increase the production potential of the Tyra field
  - More than 50% of the wells in the Tyra hub have now been opened and are flowing
  - Suitable weather windows required to reactivate and flow additional wells
  - Operator recently mobilized a 2<sup>nd</sup> W2W<sup>(1)</sup> vessel given outlook for better weather
- Plateau for gas volumes likely to be achieved prior to plateau for liquids



# **Tyra II** Outlook for Production

Tyra II currently producing c. 19mboe/d net to BlueNord

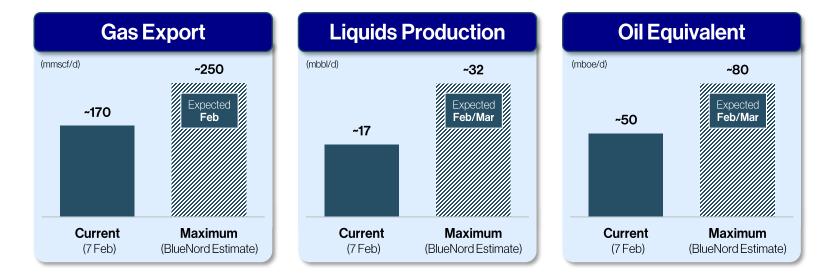
## Ramp-up continuing, with plateau expected in Feb

 Potential for liquids plateau to be achieved in early Mar

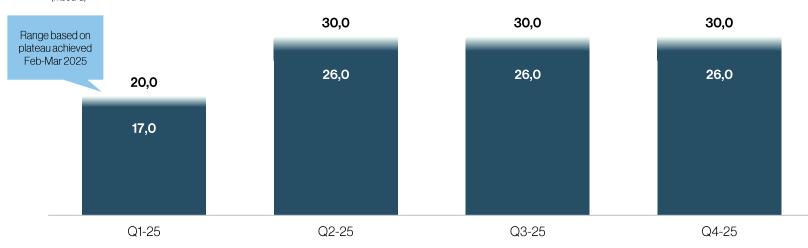
Production guidance based on plateau for both gas and liquids in Q1 and stable production through 2025

1) Walk-to-Work

### Outlook for Tyra II Production Rates (100% Basis)



### BlueNord Production Guidance for Tyra II (Net to BlueNord)



# **Tyra II** HEMJ Well Exploration Success

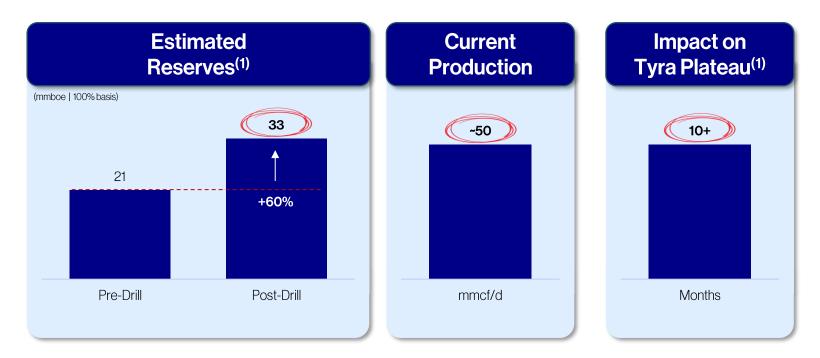
Pending further data and results, BlueNord expects **the HEMJ well to increase gas production from the Harald field, extend the life of the Harald hub and contribute to energy security of supply in Denmark and Europe** 

Based on BlueNord analysis and assumptions

### **HEMJ-1X discovery in Oct-24 and onstream Dec-24**

### Discovery significantly exceeds pre-drill expectations

- BlueNord estimates gross reserves of 33mmboe (vs. 21mmboe pre-drill)
  - HEMJ expected to be included in ERCE Reserves Report for YE 2024
- Current HEMJ production of c. 50mmcf/d (c. 30% of current Tyra gas export)
- BlueNord expects HEMJ to increase Tyra plateau by 10+ months
- HEMJ extends lifetime of the Harald hub from the late 2020s to mid 2030s





### **Positive Long-Term Outlook**



# Denmark | Stable and Supportive

Denmark to be **one of the** largest oil & gas producers in the EU with Tyra at plateau

Supportive framework and stable outlook for domestic production of oil and gas

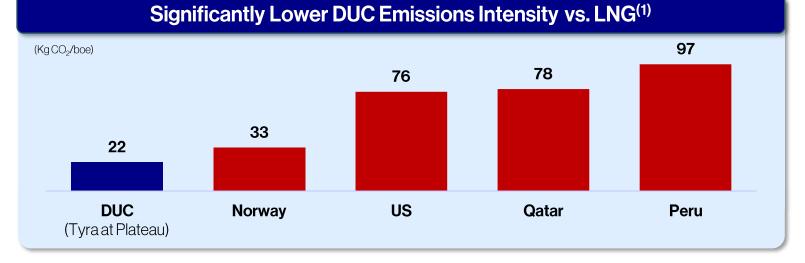
BlueNord business supports Energy Security and Energy Transition objectives



Source: Rystad, NSTA, BlueNord internal data

### BlueNord operations consistent with Danish and EU Energy Security and Energy Transition objectives

- Tyra will enable Denmark to become self-sufficient and a net exporter of natural gas
- Tyra volumes will displace LNG imports which carry a > 3x emissions intensity



## Focus in Denmark on Maximising Economic Recovery prior to 2050 end date for oil and gas production

 Stable fiscal regime with Compensation Agreement between DUC and Danish State, where fiscal changes specific to oil & gas entail compensation

### Strong European Gas Market Sentiment & Outlook

Strategic rationale to continue investments supporting future gas output

**Danish natural gas:** 

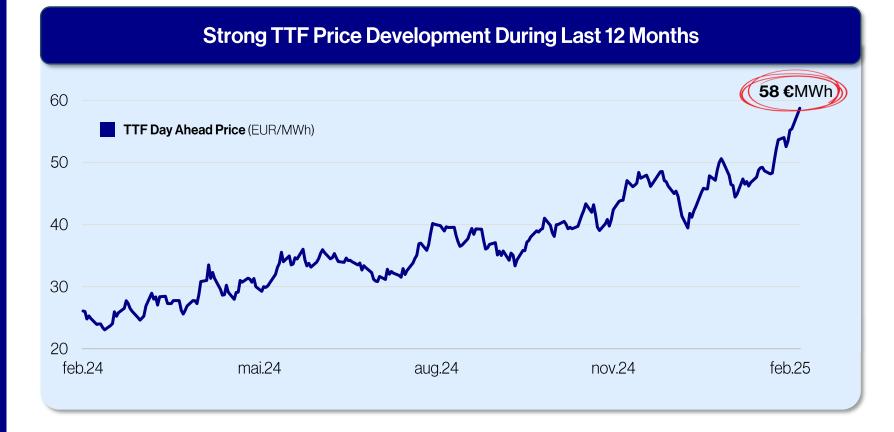
- Produced in safe and sustainable manner
- Reliable source of energy to consumers
- Long-term transparency of supply to EU



**TTF at 2 yr high with strong seasonal outlook** 

European gas consumption + 7% YoY

**EU storage levels below 50% < 5 yr average** 



## Accretive Projects for Investment

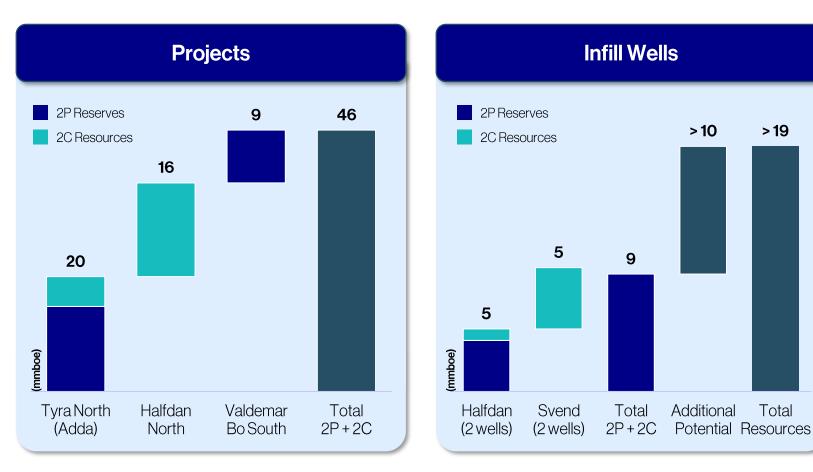
BlueNord's illustrative activity plan reflects the objective of the partnership to **Maximise Economic Recovery** from the DUC

Expected to deliver net production to BlueNord of > 55mboe/d in 2025 and > 40mboe/d in 2030



### Robust plan to add more than 60mmboe of resources

- Focus on maximising use of existing infrastructure
- Three projects planned via unmanned platforms
- Portfolio of infill well opportunities being continually matured and optimised



# Stable Outlook for Production

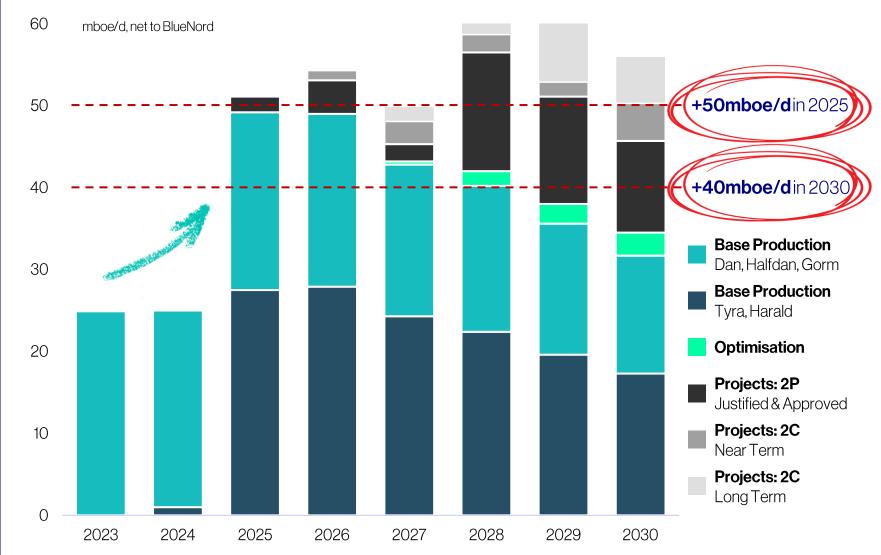
Long-term potential exists to mitigate decline and maintain plateau production levels after Tyra on stream

Decisions to invest further will need to support long-term cashflow generation potential

Profile includes BlueNord's **2P reserves** (Sanctioned and Justified-for-Development) and **Near-Term 2C Resources**<sup>(1)</sup> (currently unsanctioned)



### Attractive Organic Portfolio Supporting a Robust Production Profile Beyond 2030<sup>(2)</sup>





### **Strong Financial Performance**



### Q4-24 Earnings Highlights

Solid base asset performance continues to underpin earnings

Higher effective gas prices and higher oil volumes sold partly offset by lower oil prices

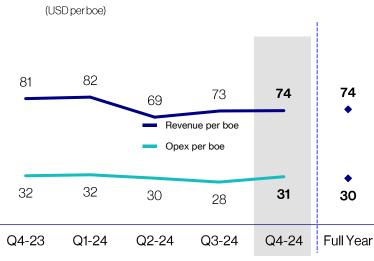
**Opex** related to well recovery activities reassessed and **now capitalised,** demonstrating **additional reserves** 

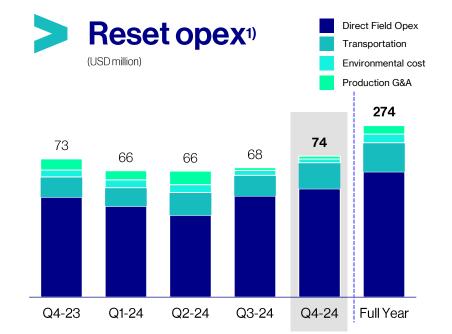


Revenue growth

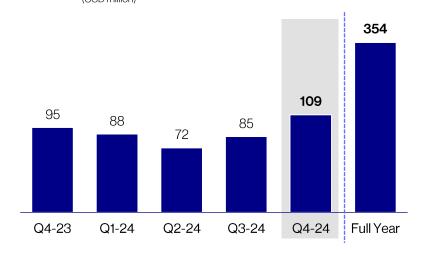
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**Contribution margin**<sup>2)</sup>









### **Income Statement** Q4-2024

EBITDA supported by increased revenue and decreased opex (due to WROM capitalisation)

Net financial items affected by non-cash fair value adjustment on embedded derivatives

P&L tax affected by non-cash FX adjustment on DKK tax loss asset



Opex plus other production expenses equates to production expenses. Opex comprises the direct costs attributable to lifting and transportation to market of BlueNord's oil and gas production.

### Continued improved EBITDA of \$109 million

(USD million)

	Full Year	Q4 24	Q3 24
Revenue	702	193	170
Operating expenses (Opex) <sup>(1)</sup>	(274)	(54)	(74)
Other production expenses <sup>(1)</sup>	(36)	(18)	(2)
G&A and other operating costs	(38)	(12)	(9)
EBITDA	354	109	85
D&A	(135)	(40)	(34)
Netfinancialitems	(231)	(99)	(52)
Result before tax	(12)	(30)	(1)
Тах	(59)	(46)	12
Net result	(71)	(76)	11

### **Balance Sheet** Q4-2024

PP&E additions primarily Tyra Redevelopment Project and drilling HEMJ

Receivables and inventory down and payables up with shift from underlift to overlift

Payables also affected by higher VAT at quarter end

Derivative liability up with higher gas prices

Estimated nil tax payable for 2024



#### **Stable and transparent balance sheet**

(USD million)

Assets	Q4 24	Q3 24
PP&E <sup>(1)</sup>	2,721	2,661
Deferred tax	160	163
Restricted cash	219	221
Derivatives (current & non-current)	14	33
Cash	251	241
Receivables & Inventories	97	105
Total Assets	3,462	3,424
Equity & Liabilities	Q4 24	Q3 24
Interest bearing debt	1,371	1,353
Asset retirement obligations	1,122	1,075
Other long-term liabilities	1	1
Derivatives (current & non-current)	173	62
Taxes payable (current)	-	53
Trade payables & Other current liabilities	99	78
Total Liabilities	2,766	2,622
Equity	696	802
Total Equity & Liabilities	3,462	3,424

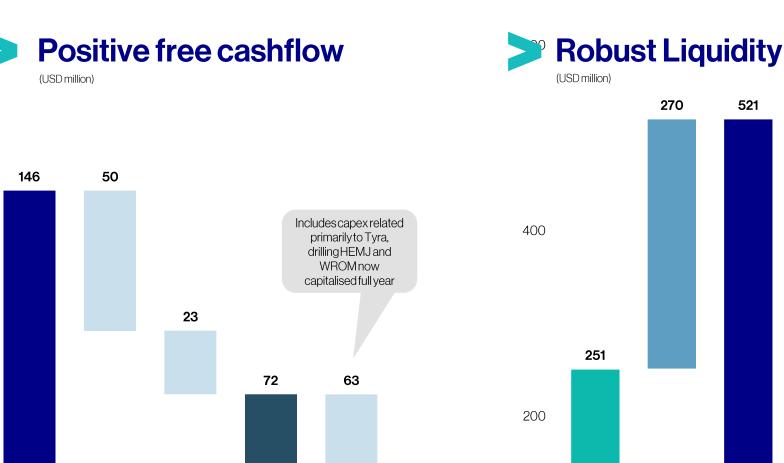
### Cashflow Q4-2024

Operating cashflow of \$146m

Capital investment primarily Tyra Redevelopment, drilling HEMJ and capitalisation of WROM for full year 2024

Significant available liquidity maintained





Cashflow

(Pre-Capex)

Capital

Investments

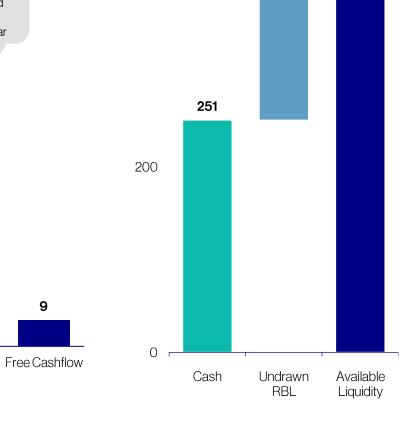
Tax Paid

Financing

Cashflow

Operating

Cashflow



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### **Hedge Portfolio:** Q4-2024

Active this quarter placing gas hedges for 2025-27 when prices were more attractive

**~42%** of 2025 oil production hedged<sup>(1)</sup>

**~39%** of 2025 gas production hedged<sup>(1)</sup>

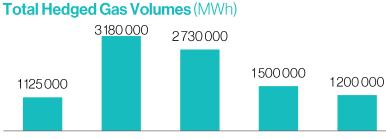
1) Based on the production guidance for 2025 including Tyra

2) Spot price as at 07 February 2025

3) Hedges include both swaps and options (based on the 31 December 2024 forward curve)

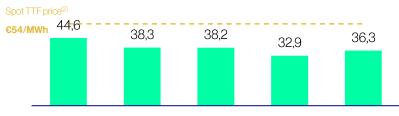
### Commodity price hedging provides cashflow visibility

Oil Price Hedging	Q1-25	Q2-25	Q3-25	Q4-25	Q1-26	Q2-26	Q3-26	Q4-26	Q1-27
Oil Volume (bbl)	1,064,000	1,064,000	975,000	975,000	825,000	825,000	525,000	525,000	
Hedge Price (\$/bbl)	74.46	72.98	73.67	73.62	73.14	72.94	70.38	70.15	
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Gas Price Hedging	Q1-25	Q2-25	Q3-25	Q4-25	Q1-26	Q2-26	Q3-26	Q4-26	Q1-27
Gas Volume (MWh)	1,125,000	1,590,000	1,590,000	1,365,000	1,365,000	750,000	750,000	600,000	600,000
Hedge Price (€/MWh)	44.63	38.32	38.28	38.46	38.02	32.98	32.80	36.51	36.09



Winter Q1'25 Summer 25 Winter 25/26 Summer 26 Winter 26/27

#### Average Hedged Gas Price (€/MWh)



Winter Q1'25 Summer 25 Winter 25/26 Summer 26 Winter 26/27

### **Optimised Capital Structure**

Access to **substantial secured** debt capacity

Maintain diversity in capital structure with both RBL and bond issued

**Distribution restrictions now** reflective of BlueNord's cash generation outlook

**Conservative leverage profile** to be maintained (<1.5x on a through-cycle basis)



Net interest bearing debt as per debt covenant excludes convertible bonds and includes issued letters of credit.

### Capital structure optimised to deliver on strategy

**Track record of delivering** on capital requirements of the business

#### **RBL Facility** | Upsized to \$1.4 billion

Highly supportive lender group

1100

**Previous Facility** 

- New facility increased by \$300mm
- Maturity extended to 2029, amortisation from 2027

+\$300mm

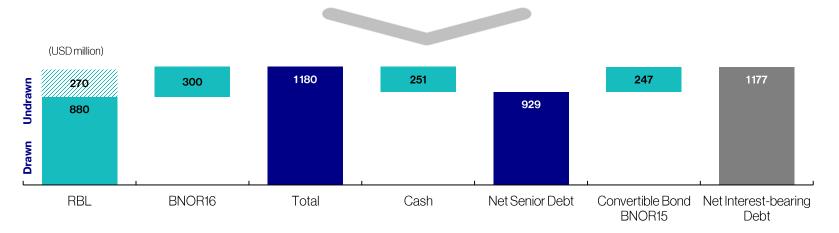
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New Facility

#### **BNOR16** | \$300 million bond issued

- Supports long-term capital objectives
- Proceeds partially used to repay BNOR14
- Covenants consistent with distribution policy





### Commitment to Maximising Near-Term Distributions

Proposed<sup>(1)</sup> distribution of \$215mm for 2024

70% of Op. Cashflow<sup>(2)</sup>

Timing of distribution subject to RBL Tyra Completion Test

- Requires average gas export of 191 mmscf/d over 30-day period
- Test expected to be met end Feb / early Mar

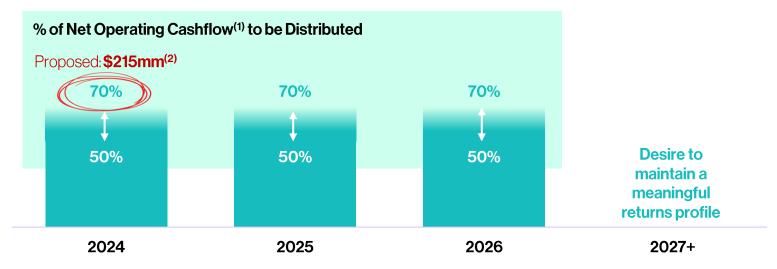


### BlueNord cash generation to support all stakeholders

- Enables prioritisation of shareholder returns in the near-term
- Enables measured re-investment to maintain strong asset portfolio
- Enables maintenance of a strong balance sheet through-cycle

### Shareholder returns policy focused on 2024 to 2026

- <u>2024 2026</u>: Distribution police of **50-70% of Net Operating Cashflow**<sup>(2)</sup>
  - Shareholder returns prioritised, supported by strong capital structure
- <u>2027+:</u> Desire to maintain **Meaningful Returns Profile** 
  - Investment and capital structure decisions will reflect this objective





### **Closing Reflections**



### Transformational Growth on the Horizon

### Performance step-change for BlueNord in 2025:

- Production **↑** > **100%**
- Gas weighting of ~45%
- Lifting cost **c. 50%**
- Emissions intensity **4** ~30%

Significant FCF generation, supporting near-term distributions





### Appendix



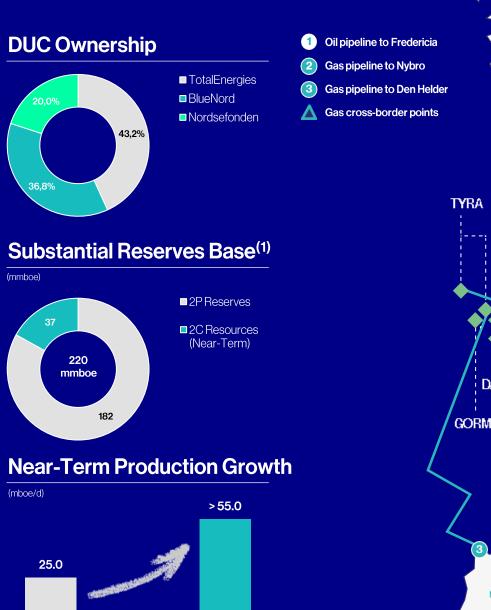
**BlueNord** At-a-Glance

Independent E&P company focused on the Danish Continental Shelf and listed on the Oslo Stock Exchange

We hold a **36.8% non-operated interest in the DUC<sup>(1)</sup>**, which is operated by TotalEnergies

The DUC has a **mature and diversified asset base**, with 14 fields and a production history since 1972

> Danish Underground Consortium
>  As at end 2023; Represents only a sub-set of the Company's total 2C portfolio of future projects, includes the Adda and Halfdan North developments as well as the Svend Reinstatement infill wells



2025

2024

