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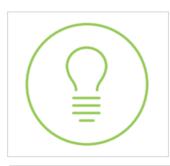


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Group profile



Financials



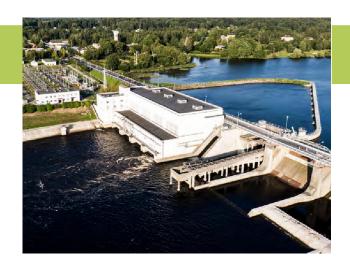
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# **Group profile**



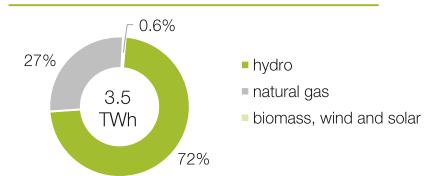
# One of the leading energy suppliers and leader in renewable energy generation in the Baltics

Balanced and environmentally friendly energy generation portfolio

- Low-cost hydropower plants (1,559 MW<sub>el</sub>)
- Highly efficient combined heat and power plants (1,039 MW<sub>el</sub>; 1,617 MW<sub>th</sub>)
- Solar and wind plants (100 MW<sub>e</sub>)

Share of renewable resources in the electricity output 1H 2024

73%



#### Sound business model

- Stable cash flow from regulated distribution network activities
- About 40% of retail electricity trade supplied to customers in Lithuania and Estonia
- Broad customer base

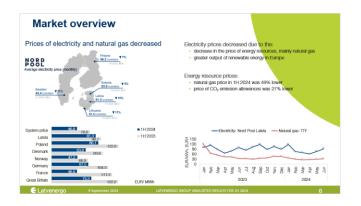


- Baa2 credit rating with stable outlook by Moody's
- 100% owned by the Republic of Latvia A3 / A+ / A-
- 80+ years of experience in energy sector



# **Financials**

#### Market overview



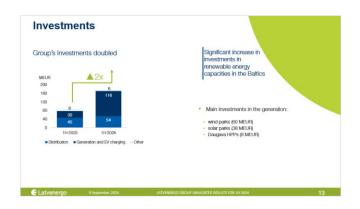
#### Main indicators



#### Revenue and profitability



#### Investments

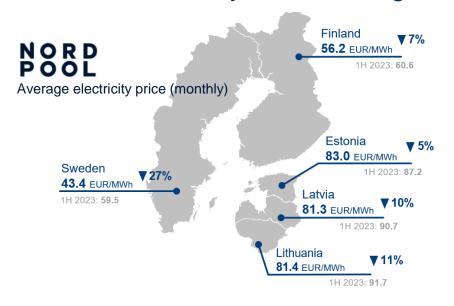


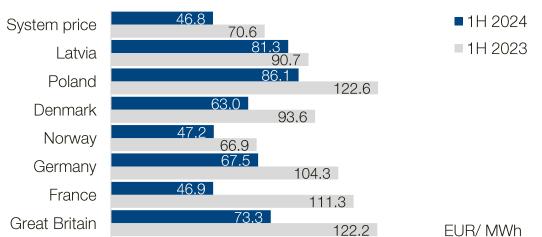
## Funding



# **Market overview**

## Prices of electricity and natural gas decreased



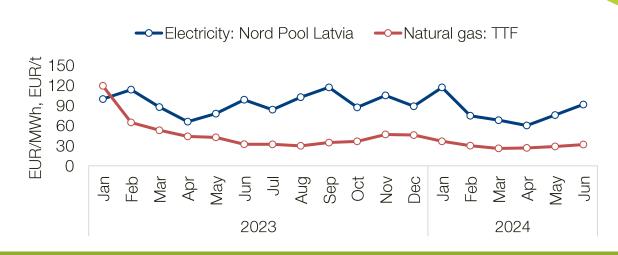


#### Electricity prices decreased due to the:

- decrease in the price of energy resources, mainly natural gas
- greater output of renewable energy in Europe

#### Energy resource prices:

- natural gas price in 1H 2024 was 49% lower
- price of CO<sub>2</sub> emission allowances was 27% lower



# Main indicators: Key financial figures 1H 2024

#### **MEUR**

955 T 1H 2023: 1,167 REVENUE 394 **A**1H 2023: 345

EBITDA

252 **A**1H 2023: 223

PROFIT

4,108 T

1H 2023: 4,184

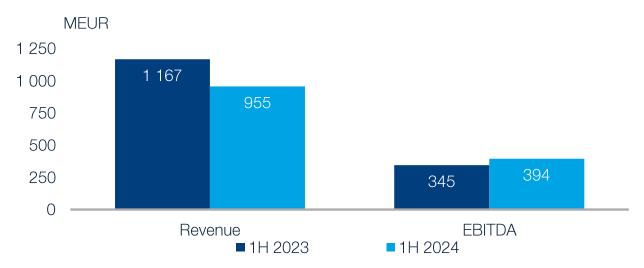
ASSETS

175 **A**1H 2023: 85

INVESTMENTS

# Revenue and profitability

## Revenue and EBITDA

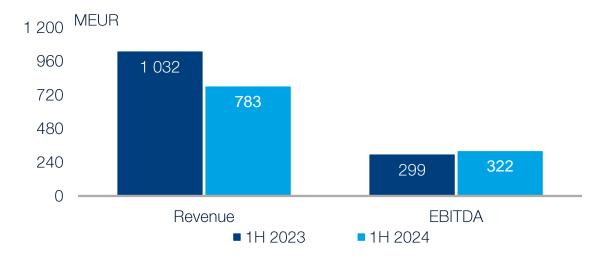


## EBITDA dynamics



# **Generation and trade**

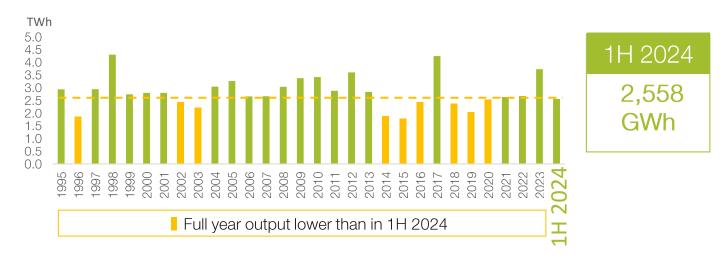
#### Revenue and EBITDA

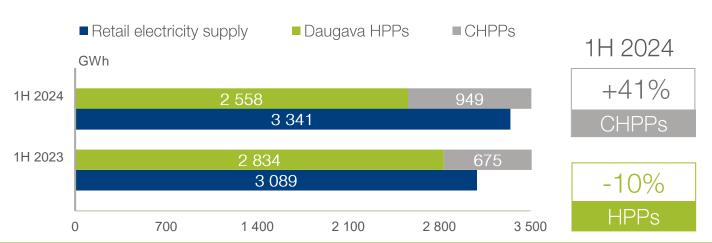


- Impacts on revenue:
- lower energy sales prices
- Impacts on EBITDA:
  - lower natural gas purchase prices
  - 8% increase in retail electricity sales volume
  - 39% increase in retail natural gas sales volume
  - 41% higher output at the CHPPs

# **Main indicators: Generation**

## The third highest Daugava HPPs' generation in 30 years

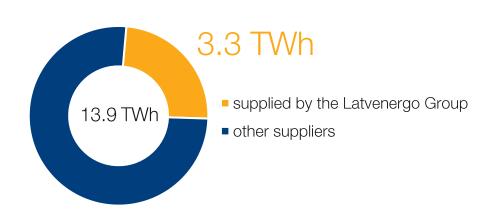




- Latvenergo largest renewable electricity producer in the Baltics
- 3.5 TWh of electricity generated
- Latvenergo makes 35% of the total electricity generated in the Baltics
- 73% generated from renewable energy sources
- 41% higher output at the CHPPs
- Electricity generated at Latvenergo was 6% greater than the amount of electricity sold in retail

# **Trade**

#### Baltic electricity consumption



# 271

1H 2022

Elektrum electricity customers in LT and EE

1H 2023

number of *Elektrum* 

neighbouring countries grows rapidly

1H 2021



3.3 TWh of electricity sold to Baltic retail customers (+8%). The number of customers is up by 5%, reaching 884 thous.



619 GWh of natural gas sold to Baltic retail customers (+39%). The number of customers is up by 56%, reaching 59 thous.



1H 2020

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More than 49 thous. EV charging sessions were made at the *Elektrum Drive* electric car charging stations (+145%).



1H 2024

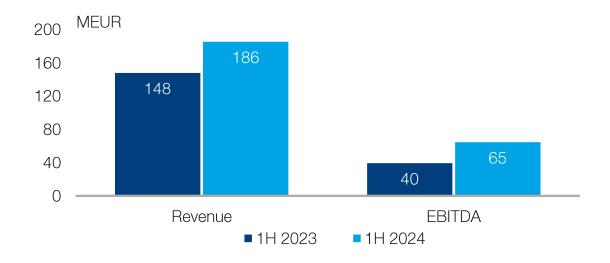
customers

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At the end of June, the total installed solar panel capacity for Baltic customers reached 85 MW (+51%).

# **Distribution**

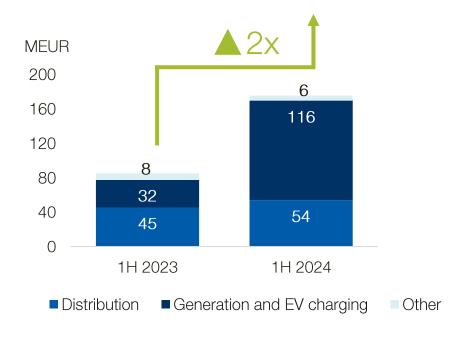
#### Revenue and EBITDA



- Positive impacts:
  - new distribution tariffs of Sadales tīkls AS starting from
     1 July 2023
  - increased electricity consumption
- Negative impacts:
  - rise in electricity transmission service costs
- Electricity distributed: 3,078 GWh (1H 2023: 3,015 GWh)

# **Investments**

## Group's investments doubled

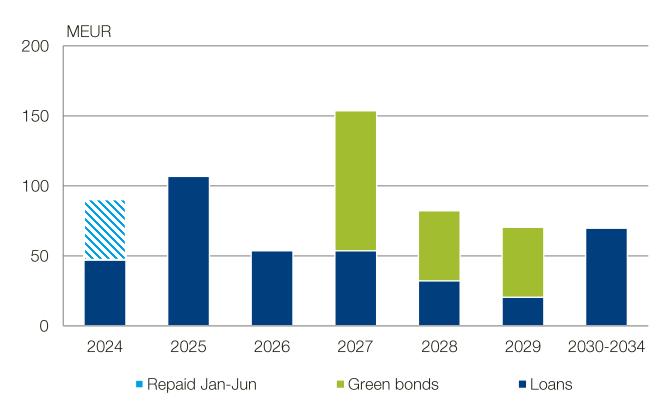


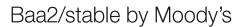
Significant increase in investments in renewable energy capacities in the Baltics

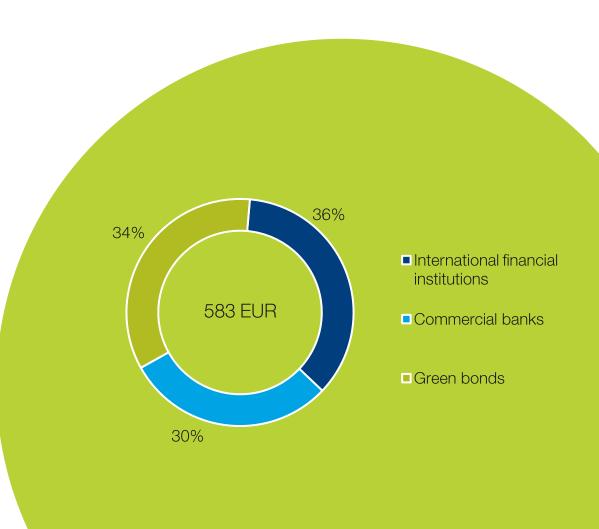
- Main investments in the generation:
  - wind parks (60 MEUR)
  - solar parks (38 MEUR)
  - Daugava HPPs (8 MEUR)

# **Funding**

## Debt repayment schedule





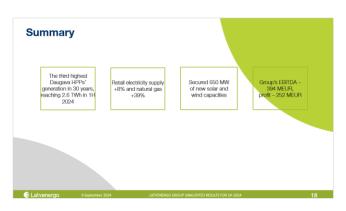




# Development of RES projects



## **Summary**

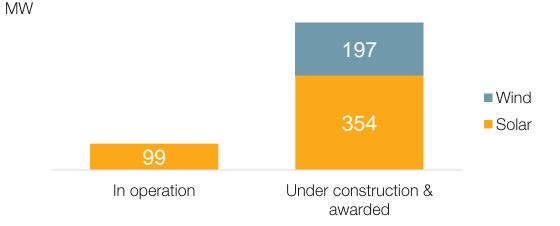


# Latvenergo climate goals and Moody's assessment



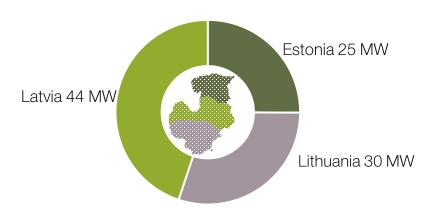
# **Development of RES projects**

## Secured 650 MW of solar and wind capacities



- Group strategy: 600 MW of new solar&wind generation capacities completed by 2026
- Currently: More than 550 MW of new capacities under construction and awarded; their gradual commissioning is expected from 2024-2026
- In 2024: the wind project *Telšiai* (124 MW) with COD in 2026

## Cumulative installed solar capacity





solar park in Birži, Latvia (11,7 MW)

# Latvenergo climate goals and Moody's assessment

## Group's sustainability commitments

Reduce direct CO<sub>2</sub> emissions by 2030\*



- Achieve climate neutrality in electricity generation by 2040
- Increase the share of electricity generated from renewable sources by 2030
- Reduce indirect (Scope 3) CO<sub>2</sub>





emissions from electricity trade by 2030\*\*

\*compared to 2021 \*\*compared to 2022 Assessment of carbon transition plan

Net Zero Assessment

N7-3

«The company's ambition score is well below 2 C on our scoring scale (i.e., within a 1.55 C to 1.80 C temperature range), consistent with Paris Agreement goals.»

Moody's net zero assessment score is assigned only to companies that are involved in climate change mitigation and set targets to reduce GHG emissions

# **Summary**

The third highest Daugava HPPs' generation in 30 years, reaching 2.6 TWh in 1H 2024

Retail electricity supply +8% and natural gas +39% Secured 650 MW of new solar and wind capacities

Group's EBITDA – 394 MEUR, profit – 252 MEUR



# Q&A

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