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# First day of trading in Fractal shares on Nasdaq First North Premier Growth Market

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Fractal Gaming Group AB (publ) ("Fractal" or the "Company"), a leading¹ brand within the premium PC gaming products segment, today announces the outcome of the initial public offering of its shares (the "IPO" or the "Offering") on Nasdaq First North Premier Growth Market ("First North Premier"). The Offering attracted very strong interest from Swedish and international institutions as well as the general public in Sweden. The Offering was heavily oversubscribed. Trading on First North Premier commences today, 11 February 2021.

## The Offering in brief

- As previously communicated, the price per share in the Offering was SEK 41, corresponding to a market capitalisation of Fractal of approximately SEK 1,194 million.
- The Offering comprises 11,667,920 existing shares which are being offered by the
  principal shareholder Litorina IV L.P. ("Litorina") and a few other shareholders (together
  the "Selling Shareholders"). The Company will not receive any proceeds from the sale of
  the shares in the Offering.
- In order to cover any over-allotment in connection with the Offering, Litorina has committed to sell up to 1,750,188 additional existing shares, corresponding to 15.0 percent of the total number of shares in the Offering (the "Over-Allotment Option").
- If the Over-Allotment Option is exercised in full, the Offering will comprise a total of 13,418,108 shares, corresponding to approximately 46.1 percent of the total number of shares in the Company.
- The total value of the Offering amounts to approximately SEK 550 million, assuming the Over-Allotment Option is exercised in full.
- TIN Fonder<sup>2</sup>, Ernström Finans, Handelsbanken Fonder on behalf of Microcap Sverige, Enter Småbolagsfond and LMK Venture Partners have, subject to certain conditions, undertaken to acquire shares in the Offering corresponding to an aggregate value of SEK 270 million. The undertakings represent, in aggregate, 22.6 percent of the total number of shares in the Company and 56.3 percent of the number of shares in the Offering (49.0 percent of the number of shares in the Offering assuming the Over-Allotment Option is exercised in full).
- Immediately following the completion of the Offering, assuming the Over-Allotment Option is exercised in full, Fractal's largest shareholders will be the CEO and founder Hannes Wallin<sup>3</sup> (approximately 29.0 percent of the total number of shares in Fractal), Litorina (approximately 13.2 percent) and TIN Fonder<sup>4</sup> (approximately 8.4 percent).
- Trading on First North Premier commences today, 11 February 2021, under the ticker "FRACTL". Settlement will take place on 15 February 2021.

# Hannes Wallin, CEO and founder of Fractal, comments:

"We are very delighted and proud to see the great interest in investing in Fractal. The IPO on Nasdaq First North Premier is an important milestone that will assist us in our continued development. We have a clear strategy and plan for continued profitable growth which comprises delivering high quality products and a high level of service to a growing base of end customers, expansion to new product categories, increased marketing efforts and geographic expansion. I am pleased to be able to offer the new shareholders the opportunity to join our continued journey."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Teknik Innovation Norden Fonder AB.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Leading means that the Company, in its own assessment, is leading in terms of net sales within the premium PC case segment (a niche within premium gaming products).

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Ownership through Långholmen Holding AB.



#### **About Fractal**

Fractal is a leading<sup>5</sup> brand within the premium PC gaming products segment. The group was founded in 2010 and today Fractal's products are sold in more than 50 markets worldwide.

Fractal is a market leader within PC cases on several geographical markets, for example in the Nordics and Japan, and has a top three position globally. The Company also has a strong market position within power supply units and cooling products for gaming PCs. Fractal has been growing organically and profitably from day one through successfully combining design, performance and quality, as sought for by consumers. This has resulted in an expanded product offering as well as a strong geographical presence. The Company is headquartered in Gothenburg (Sweden) and has offices in Dallas (United States), Dongguan (China) and Taipei (Taiwan).

In 2020, Fractal had net sales of SEK 636m and an adjusted EBITDA of SEK 139m, which corresponds to an adjusted EBITDA margin of 21.8 percent. In 2018-2020, the compound annual growth rate of the Company's net sales amounted to 39.8 percent. During 2020, the average number of full-time employees amounted to 69.

Fractal's shares are publicly listed on First North Premier under the ticker "FRACTL" with FNCA Sweden AB as its Certified Adviser; info@fnca.se +46 8 528 00 399.

#### Stabilisation measures

In Connection with the Offering, Carnegie Investment Bank AB (publ) ("Carnegie") will act as stabilisation manager ("Stabilisation Manager") and may conduct transactions in order to maintain the market price for the shares at a level above that which might otherwise prevail in the open market. Such stabilisation transactions may be carried out on First North Premier, in the over-thecounter market or otherwise, at any time during the period starting on the date of commencement of trading in the shares on First North Premier and ending not later than 30 calendar days thereafter.

The Stabilisation Manager has no obligation to undertake any stabilisation measures and there is no assurance that stabilisation measures will be undertaken. Under no circumstances will transactions be conducted at a price higher than the one set in the Offering. The Stabilisation Manager may use the Over-Allotment Option to over-allot shares in order to facilitate any stabilisation transaction.

The stabilisation transactions, if conducted, may be discontinued at any time without prior notice but must be discontinued no later than within the aforementioned 30-day period. The Stabilisation Manager must, no later than by the end of the seventh trading day after stabilisation transactions have been undertaken, in accordance with article 5(4) of the Market Abuse Regulation (EU) 596/2014 and the Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2016/1052, disclose that stabilisation measures have been undertaken. Within one week of the end of the stabilisation period, the Stabilisation Manager will disclose whether or not stabilisation measures were undertaken, the date on which stabilisation started, the date on which stabilisation was last carried out as well as the price range within which stabilisation was carried out for each of the dates when stabilisation measures were conducted.

### Advisors

Carnegie is Sole Global Coordinator and Joint Bookrunner. ABG Sundal Collier AB ("ABGSC") is Joint Bookrunner. Advokatfirman Vinge KB is legal advisor to the Company. Cirio Advokatbyrå AB is legal advisor to Carnegie and ABGSC. Sundling Wärn Partners AB is independent financial advisor to the Company.

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premium PC case segment (a niche within premium gaming products).

<sup>6</sup> Strong market position means that the Company, in its own assessment, is leading in terms of net sales within the premium PC case segment (a niche within premium gaming products). The Company's assessment is based on market data from, inter alia, NPD Group and the Company's own market surveys.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Leading means that the Company, in its own assessment, is leading in terms of net sales within the



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