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Peter Rogers

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Bill Tame

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Peter Rogers

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Archie Bethel
John Davies
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Strategy delivering

- Strong first half results
- Continuing track record of growth
 - + 9% revenue growth
 - + 9% operating profit growth
- Delivering value for shareholders
 - + 13% EPS growth
 - + 10% interim dividend to 6.9p

Our strategy

Market leading positions

Preferred customer characteristics

**Customer focused and
long-term relationships**

**Integrated engineering and
technical expertise**

Balancing risk and reward



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Financial and operational review

Bill Tame - Group Finance Director

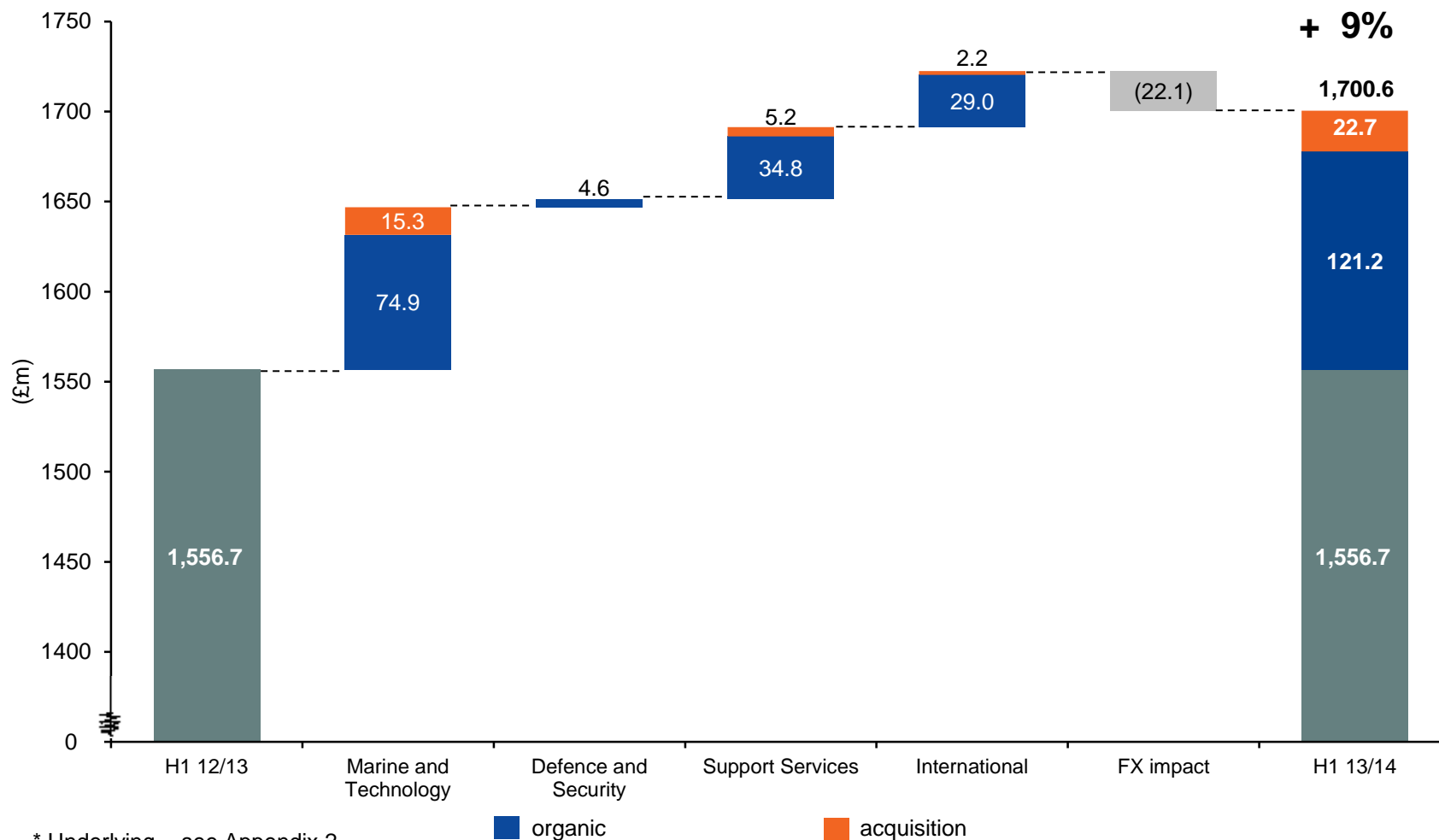
Financial highlights

- Results now on IAS19R basis, H1 12/13 restated
- Revenue and operating profit up 9%
- Organic growth at constant FX rates
 - + 9% revenue
 - + 8% operating profit
- Total group finance cost now includes interest on pension liabilities
- JV interest cost reduced, benefiting from long-term swap valuations
- Tax rate in line with FY 13
 - 18%

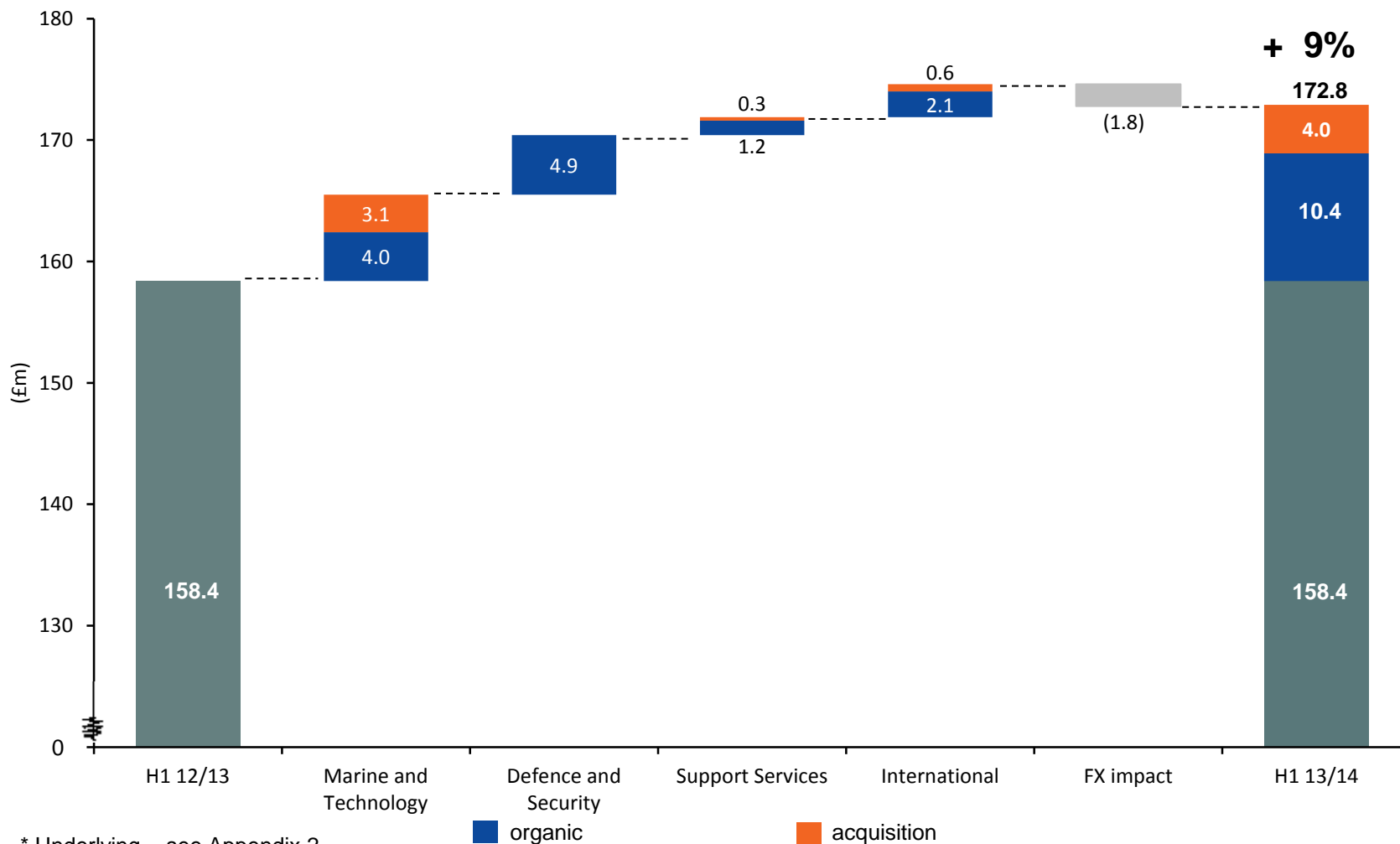
	H1 13/14 £m	H1 12/13 £m	Change %
Revenue	1,700.6	1,556.7	+ 9%
Operating profit	172.8	158.4	+ 9%
<i>Operating margin</i>	10.2%	10.2%	
Net finance cost			
Group	(13.0)	(14.5)	
JV	(12.7)	(16.8)	
IAS 19	(5.4)	(5.9)	
	(31.1)	(37.2)	
Profit before tax	141.7	121.2	+ 17%
Tax	(25.5)	(18.9)	
<i>Effective rate</i>	18.0%	15.6%	
Profit after tax	116.2	102.3	+ 14%
EPS	31.6p	27.9p	+ 13%
Interim dividend	6.9p	6.3p	+ 10%

*Underlying – see Appendix 2

Revenue growth*



Operating profit growth*



Marine and Technology

- Strong revenue growth
 - 13% organic
 - increased activities on QEC, UK and Canadian submarine programmes
 - contract start up in Australia
 - £15m contribution from LGE

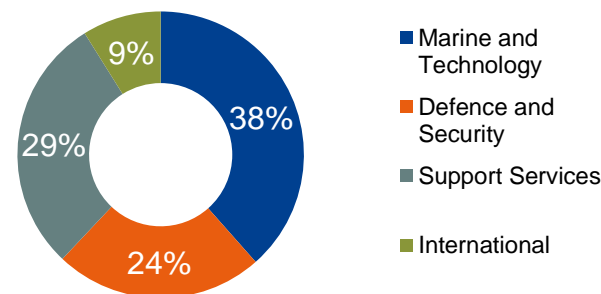
- 22% of divisional revenue from international activities

- As expected operating margin softer vs H1 12/13
 - H1 12/13 included margin pick-up on ToBA 1st pricing period
 - margins remain strong on international contracts
 - UK margins stable and take account of revised share-line on QEC

- Outlook for FY 14
 - high single digit revenue growth
 - margin in line with FY13**

	H1 13/14 £m	H1 12/13 £m	Change
Revenue*	654.0	564.3	+ 16%
Operating profit*	69.6	62.4	+ 12%
Operating margin	10.6%	11.1%	

Revenue by division



* Including share of jv ** see Appendix 3

Defence and Security

- Revenue stable as expected
 - high volumes in vehicle management contracts and good performance in Regional Primes
 - some reductions in naval training and infrastructure activities at RSME

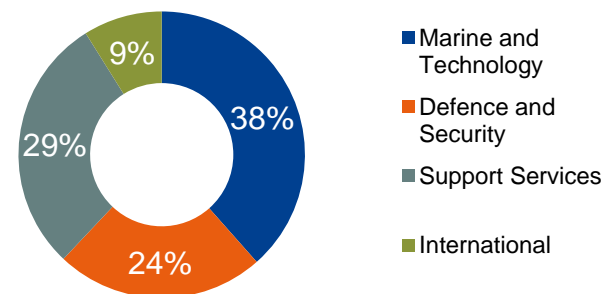
- Growth in operating profit and margin as expected, driven by
 - Airtanker ITS and operations
 - strong performance on vehicle management contracts and Regional Primes
 - Flagship legacy gainshare settlement

- Very high level of bidding activity including
 - NGEN, LCST, Army Strategic Training partner, DSG and Defence Technical Training College

- Outlook for FY 14
 - low single digit revenue growth
 - margin similar to H1

	H1 13/14 £m	H1 12/13 £m	Change
Revenue*	401.0	395.4	+ 1%
Operating profit*	55.3	50.4	+ 10%
Operating margin	13.8%	12.7%	

Revenue by division



* Including share of jv

Support Services

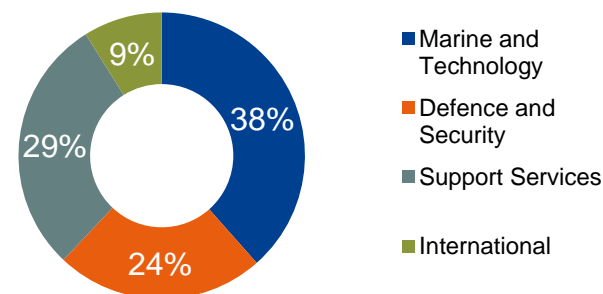
- Good revenue growth
 - 8% organic growth from Mobile Assets, Nuclear and Rail
 - Conbras in Brazil performing well, in line with plan
 - £7m revenue contribution

- Operating profit increased by 4%
 - cautious margin take on new long-term contracts
 - very high level of bidding activity including
 - Nuclear
 - Magnox and Research Sites
 - Chalk River, Canada
 - Mobile Assets
 - London Fire Brigade
 - extending and developing opportunities for mining companies

- Outlook for FY 14
 - high single digit revenue growth
 - margin similar to H1

	H1 13/14 £m	H1 12/13 £m	Change
Revenue*	494.2	453.9	+ 9%
Operating profit*	39.3	37.8	+ 4%
Operating margin	8.0%	8.3%	

Revenue by division



* Including share of jv

International

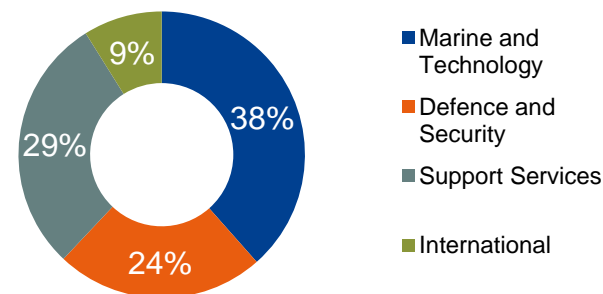
- 22% organic revenue growth excluding FX impact
 - continuing strong market for equipment
 - crane hire operating at full capacity
 - significant increase in power generation support activities
 - Rand much weaker than anticipated

- 25% increase in operating profit growth excluding FX impact
 - stable margins

- Outlook for FY 14
 - revenue growth in sterling terms unlikely to be greater than low to mid-single digit depending on currency
 - margin similar to H1

	H1 13/14 £m	H1 12/13 £m	Change
Revenue	151.4	143.1	+ 6%
Operating profit	11.9	11.1	+ 7%
Operating margin	7.9%	7.8%	

Revenue by division



Cash flow

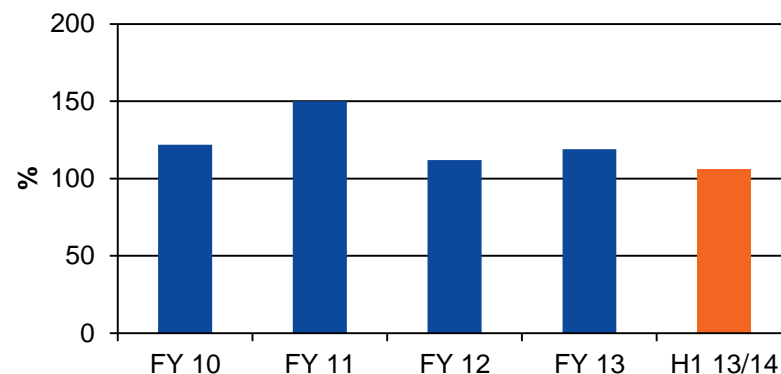
- Cash conversion 106%
- Working capital
 - funding growth
 - unwind of advance payments
- Capex increased as expected
 - investment in dockyard facilities
 - IT infrastructure and cyber security systems
 - investment in additional assets for SA crane business
 - investment in assets and infrastructure to support contract wins
- Tax increasing as anticipated
- Conbras acquisition £20m less UKAEA Pension Administration Office deferred consideration £4m
- Outlook for FY 14
 - capex c 1.6 x depreciation
 - working capital as for H1
 - tax as for H1

	H1 13/14 £m	H1 12/13 £m	FY 13 £m
Operating profit	142.2	128.2	284.2
Non-cash items/ exceptionals	30.0	24.9	38.5
Working capital	(25.3)	(11.0)	(29.3)
Cash from operations	146.9	142.1	293.4
<i>Cash conversion</i>	106%	115%	119%
Net capital expenditure (including finance leases)	(34.9)	(26.0)	(53.7)
Interest	(16.5)	(14.7)	(30.5)
Tax	(30.6)	(24.5)	(45.8)
Free cash flow	64.9	76.9	163.4
Acquisitions and disposals	(15.9)	51.9	39.5
Investments in JV	1.5	(6.6)	(24.9)
Dividends	(73.6)	(62.4)	(86.7)
Other	1.5	0.2	(0.8)
Net cash flow	(21.6)	60.0	90.5

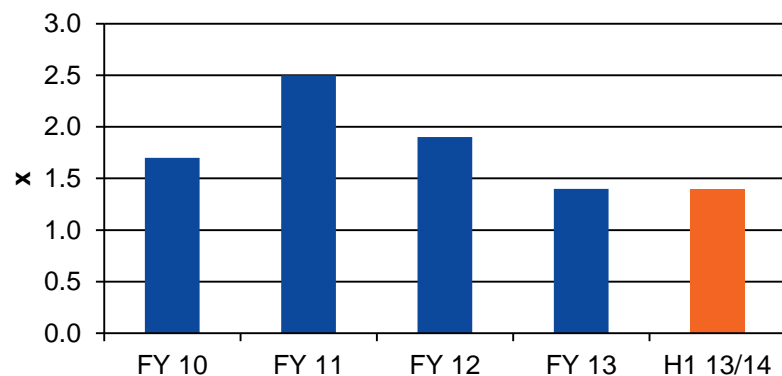
Net debt

- Net debt closed at £572.2m
 - net debt/ EBITDA 1.4 x*
- 31.03.13 debt £550.6m
 - net debt/ EBITDA 1.4 x*
- Strong cash conversion - remains over 100%
- Expect debt to be c 1.3 x net debt/ EBITDA by March 2014

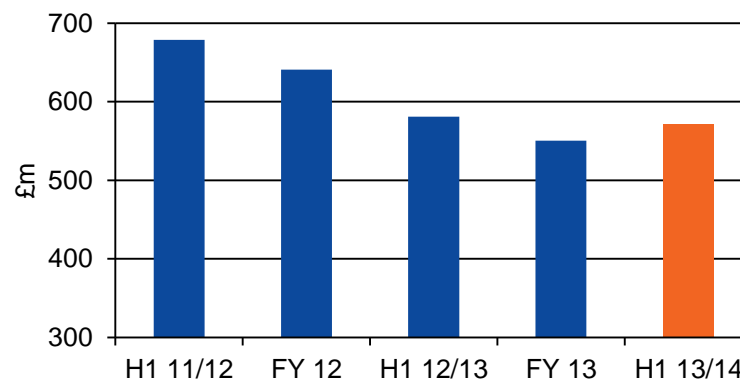
Cash conversion (KPI)



Net debt/ EBITDA (KPI)



Total net debt

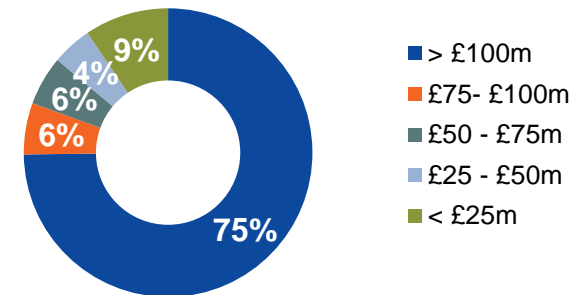


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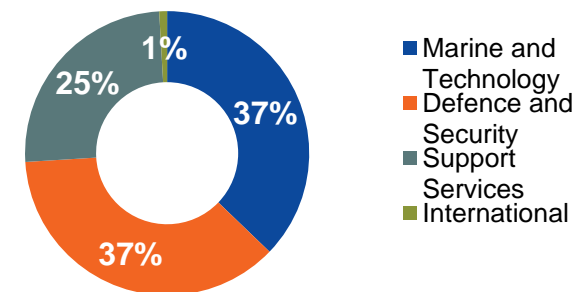
Order book

- Order book stable at £12bn
- c 90% revenue coverage for FY 14
 - c 50% revenue visibility for FY 15
 - excludes Marine and Technology forward programmes and South Africa
- LGE order book doubled since acquisition
 - £70m of new orders
- MSDF discussions with MoD on-going
 - c £2bn into order book on signature

Order book by value



Order book by division



Continuing to deliver

- Growth
- Cash
- Supported by solid order book
- For FY 14
 - high single digit revenue growth
 - margin in 10 - 11% range
 - eps growth low double digit



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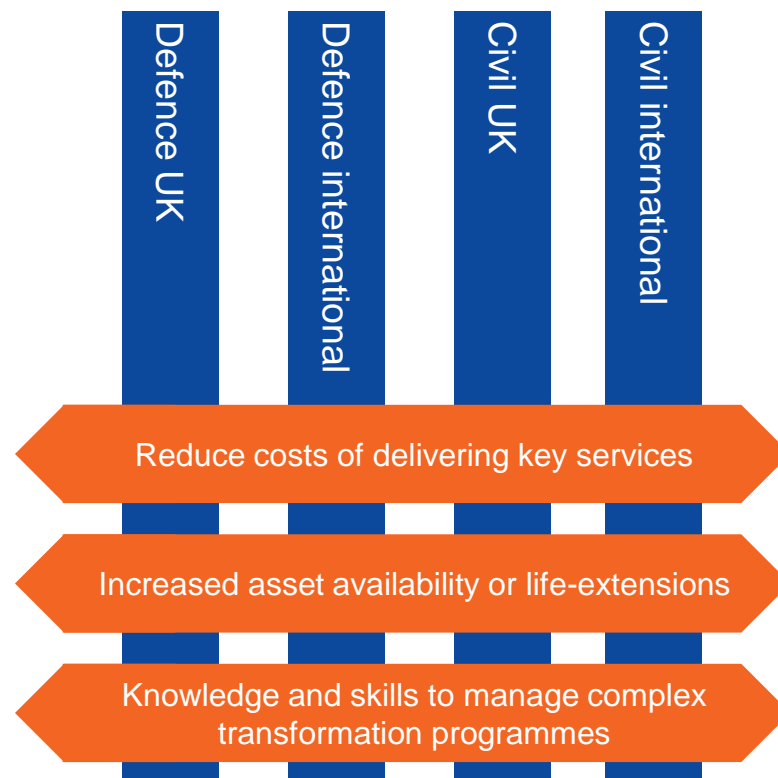
Looking forward

Peter Rogers, Group Chief Executive

An environment we understand

- No change to economic pressures or financial constraints being experienced by our customers
 - focus remains on cost of delivering key services
 - for both public and private sectors
- Consistent market dynamics expected for a number of years
- Benefits of our business model understood in the UK and increasingly overseas
 - no change to type and scale of opportunities coming from UK public sector
 - private sector increasingly focused on cost of managing assets
 - UK reputation helping us to be part of outsourcing conversation in overseas markets

Common customer requirements across our markets



Consistent strategy and business model

Priorities when evaluating opportunities remain the same

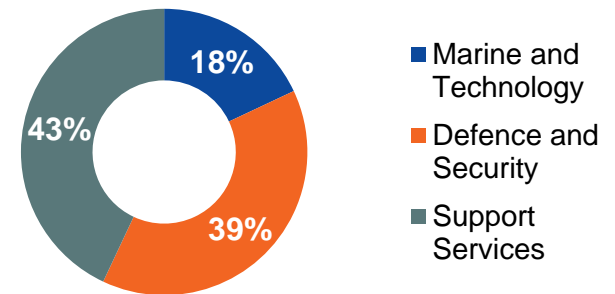
- focused on complex and critical business model
- Long-term customer focused relationships
 - understand our customers' requirements
 - focus on outputs
 - well positioned to drive efficiencies over the long-term
 - Management of London Fire Brigade training to 2037*
 - Royal School of Military Engineering training support and delivery to 2039*
- Platform agnostic approach
 - ability to operate across diverse and complex asset fleets
 - Aggregate Industries mobile asset support contract*
 - MoD construction and white vehicle fleet management contracts*
- Depth and breadth of technical knowledge and expertise recognised by our customers
 - allows us to take on contracts that others can't
 - Largest employer of nuclear qualified engineers*
 - UK's leading maritime support provider*
- Track record of managing large scale complex and critical programmes
 - trusted to deliver by our customers
 - £1.6bn PBO Dounreay decommissioning*
 - Providing critical infrastructure services and support to 30% of the MoD's estate in UK and Germany*

Bid pipeline

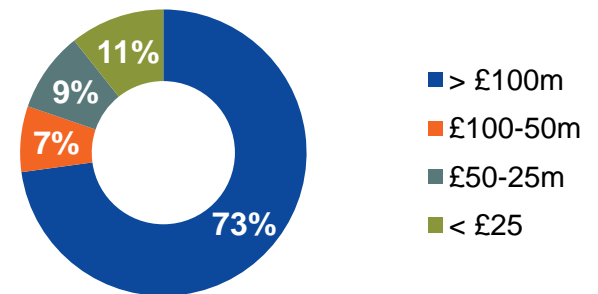
First half

- Stable at £15.5bn
- Shift in pipeline mix
 - additional overseas naval opportunities for Marine and Technology
 - Aggregate Industries, baggage handling and BA wins to order book in Support Services
- 73% of pipeline over £100m total contract value
- H1 13/14 win rate
 - new bids c 45%
 - rebids c 90%
- No change to the extended bid process required for complex outsourcing programmes
 - changes to timing not unusual
 - requires resources and financial scale to cope

Bid pipeline by division



Pipeline by contract size

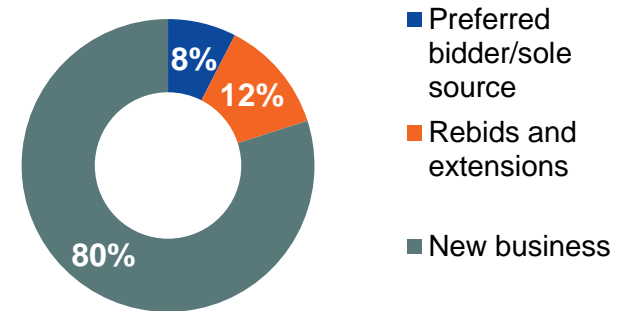


Bid pipeline

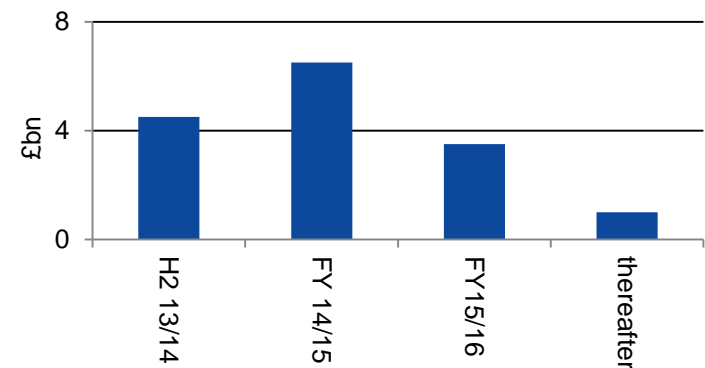
Supporting growth over the long-term

- New bids continue to be majority of pipeline
- Substantial opportunities in the near-term
 - London Fire Brigade vehicle support (H2 13/14)
 - Magnox and Research Sites decommissioning (H2 13/14)
 - Next Generation Estates contracts (H1 14/15)
- ...and the medium-term
 - Logistics Commodities Services Transformation (LCST) (H1 15/ 16)
 - and others including
 - rail frameworks
 - nuclear new build

Pipeline by contract type

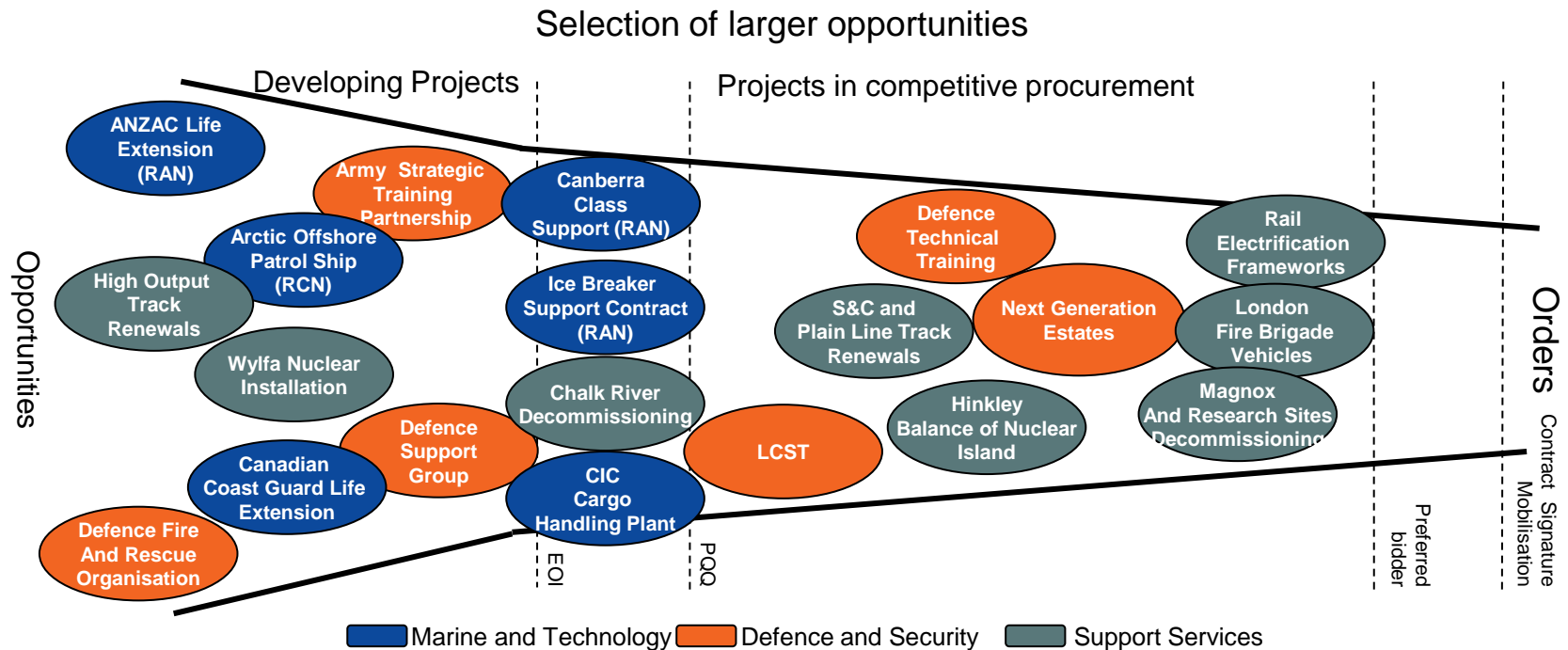


Pipeline anticipated award dates



A broad range of opportunities

- Continuing to focus on opportunities that build on strategic objectives and key capabilities
 - supporting or creating market leading positions
 - requiring significant technical skills, knowledge and experience
 - focusing on long-term support for complex programmes
- International opportunities built on UK expertise and strength of local reputation



Further steady progress in international markets

North America

Market presence

- Teaming Agreement with Davie to bid future naval support programmes including opportunities for Canadian Coastguard life extension

New opportunities

- Expression of interest documents for Chalk River decommissioning released
- Developing opportunities with mobile asset fleet operators in Canada and US - including Holcim

Brazil

Market presence

- Acquisition of Conbras to provide local knowledge and develop broader Babcock business

Europe

Market presence

- Continuing to build presence for future nuclear decommissioning activities
- Involvement in the provision of systems for S-80 submarines
- Working with DIO to support draw down of British forces

New opportunities

- On-going conversations with mobile asset fleet operators including Lafarge

Middle East

Market presence

- MoU signed with Abu Dhabi Shipbuilding to pursue opportunities to deliver through-life naval support to customers in the wider region

New opportunities

- Progressing opportunities in civil training and military equipment support

South Korea

Market presence

- Growing position in marine gas transport market following acquisition of LGE
- Involvement in the provision of weapons handling system for KSS-III submarines

South Africa

Market presence

- Opening new dealerships across region
- Scoping study at Simon's Town naval base

New opportunities

- Early conversations with mobile asset fleet operators
- Opportunities to establish a focussed training business

Australia and New Zealand

Market presence

- Established presence in the east and west coast of Australia for ANZAC Frigate maintenance

New opportunities

- Negotiating a contract extension for New Zealand naval support facility in Auckland with an expanded scope
- Looking at opportunities to support Ice breaker, Canberra class, Collins class and ANZAC life extension
- Opportunities on SEA1000 new submarine programme
- Opportunities in mobile assets, training and infrastructure support

A strong platform for the future

- Continued strong operational and financial performance
 - helping to deliver superior and sustainable shareholder returns
- Our markets remain positive
 - with common customer requirements to reduce costs, increase asset availability or provide life-extensions as well as provide knowledge and skills to manage complex transformation programmes
- We remain well suited to the operating environment
 - long-term customer focused relationships
 - platform agnostic approach
 - unique skills, knowhow and capabilities
 - proven track record of delivering for our customers
- Excellent forward visibility of revenues supported by strong order book
 - significant medium and long-term opportunities in the bid pipeline and tracking
- Growth will build on our strengths, reputation and track record
- The Board remains confident of delivering further strong progress this year, in line with its expectations



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Questions?



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Appendix

Appendix 1

H1 segmental analysis

	Revenue		Operating profit		Operating margin	
	H1 13/14 £m	H1 12/13 £m	H1 13/14 £m	H1 12/13 £m	H1 13/14 %	H1 12/13 %
Marine and Technology						
group	645.9	564.3	69.0	62.4	10.7%	11.1%
JV	8.1	-	0.6	-	7.4%	-
total	654.0	564.3	69.6	62.4	10.6%	11.1%
Defence and Security						
group	338.3	339.9	33.7	28.2	10.0%	8.3%
JV	62.7	55.5	21.6	22.2	34.4%	40.0%
total	401.0	395.4	55.3	50.4	13.8%	12.7%
Support Services						
group	448.0	403.0	31.7	30.7	7.1%	7.6%
JV	46.2	50.9	7.6	7.1	16.5%	13.9%
total	494.2	453.9	39.3	37.8	8.0%	8.3%
International	151.4	143.1	11.9	11.1	7.9%	7.8%
Unallocated	-	-	(3.3)	(3.3)		
Total						
group	1,583.6	1,450.3	143.0	129.1	9.0%	8.9%
JV	117.0	106.4	29.8	29.3	25.5%	27.5%
total	1,700.6	1,556.7	172.8	158.4	10.2%	10.2%

Appendix 2

H1 statutory to underlying reconciliation

		Continuing operations – statutory (£m)	JV and associates			IFRIC 12 income (£m)	Amortisation of acquired intangibles (£m)	Change in UK tax rate (£m)	Exceptional items (£m)	Continuing operations – underlying (£m)
			Revenue and operating profit (£m)	Finance costs (£m)	Tax (£m)					
30 Sept '13	Revenue	1,583.6	117.0							1,700.6
	Operating profit	113.3	11.2			19.4	28.9		-	172.8
	Share of profit from JV	10.2	(11.2)	12.7	3.8	(18.6)	3.1			-
	Investment income	0.8				(0.8)				-
	Net finance costs	(18.4)		(12.7)						(31.1)
	Profit before tax	105.9	-	-	3.8	-	32.0	-	-	141.7
	Tax	(11.6)			(3.8)		(7.4)	(2.7)	-	(25.5)
	Profit after tax	94.3	-	-	-	-	24.6	(2.7)	-	116.2
30 Sept '12	Revenue	1,450.3	106.4							1,556.7
	Operating profit	93.2	10.6			19.6	32.4		2.6	158.4
	Share of profit from JV	6.7	(10.6)	16.8	2.7	(18.7)	3.1			-
	Investment income	0.9				(0.9)				-
	Net finance costs	(20.4)		(16.8)						(37.2)
	Profit before tax	80.4	-	-	2.7	-	35.5	-	2.6	121.2
	Tax	(5.7)			(2.7)		(8.5)	(1.3)	(0.7)	(18.9)
	Profit after tax	74.7	-	-	-	-	27.0	(1.3)	1.9	102.3

Appendix 3

A reminder: divisional operating profit and margins restated



	Operating profit / operating margin			
	March 2013 Reported	March 2013 Restated	March 2012 Reported	March 2012 Restated
Marine and Technology £m / %	156.9 / 13.1%	136.6 / 11.4%	135.1 / 12.5%	122.3 / 11.3%
Defence and Security £m / %	112.2 / 13.7%	110.1 / 13.4%	98.3 / 10.9%	95.9 / 10.6%
Support Services £m / %	91.2 / 9.7%	82.9 / 8.8%	88.0 / 10.9%	77.3 / 9.6%
International £m / %	24.7 / 8.9%	24.7 / 8.9%	19.3 / 6.9%	19.3 / 6.9%
Unallocated £m	(8.4)	(8.7)	(11.7)	(12.0)
Group £m / %	376.6 / 11.6%	345.6 / 10.7%	329.0 / 10.7%	302.8 / 9.9%

Appendix 4

Restatement of FY 13 full year results for changes in IAS 19



Income statement Underlying continuing	FY 13 reported £m	FY 13 restated £m
Group revenue	3,029.4	3,029.4
JV revenue	214.1	214.1
Total revenue	3,243.5	3,243.5
Group operating profit	316.9	385.9
JV operating profit	59.7	59.9
Total operating profit	376.6	345.6
Net finance costs – Group	(29.6)	(29.6)
Net finance costs - JV	(29.2)	(29.2)
IAS 19 Pension	-	(11.8)
Total finance costs	(58.8)	(70.6)
Profit before tax	317.8	275.0
Tax	(55.9)	(45.6)
Profit after tax	261.9	229.4
EPS	71.3p	62.2p



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