

# EXHILARATING DRIVE

2014 Results 10 March 2015

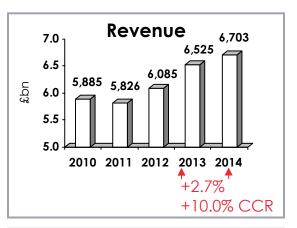


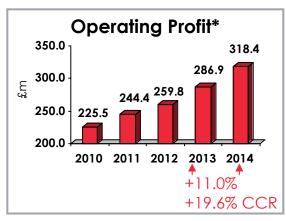


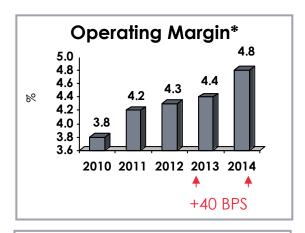
### ANDRÉ LACROIX GROUP CHIEF EXECUTIVE

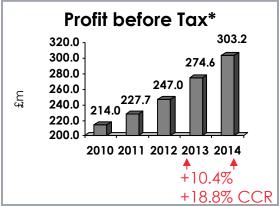


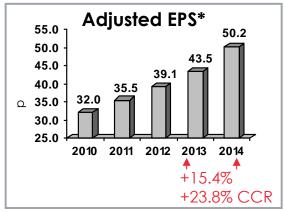
#### FIFTH CONSECUTIVE YEAR OF DOUBLE-DIGIT EPS GROWTH

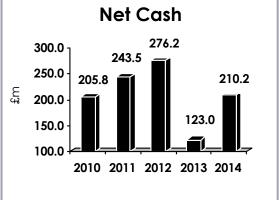








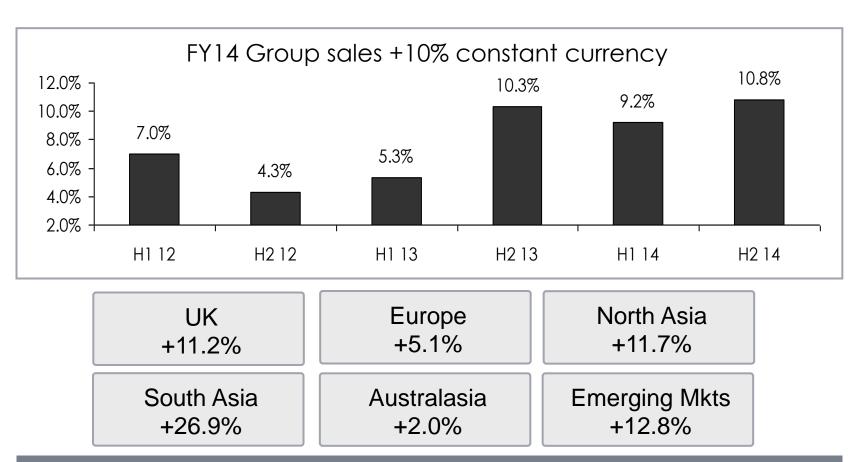




Acceleration of LFL sales momentum in 2014: + 10.1% LFL at CCR



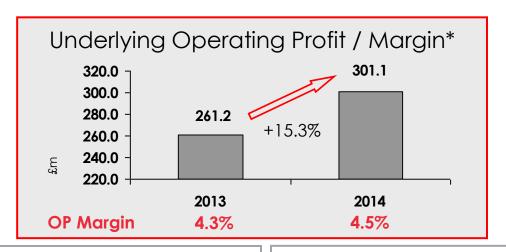
#### ACCELERATION OF SALES MOMENTUM



Constant currency revenue growth across all regions



#### STRONG 2014 UNDERLYING PROFIT GROWTH OF +15.3%\*



#### Group Analysis

#### GM 14.2% stable YoY

- Value drivers mix effect
- Strong pricing power performance on New vehicles in distribution markets partially offset by competitive vehicle pricing in the UK & Russia
- Aftersales margin remained strong

#### Overheads\* 9.7% of Sales, improved 20 BPS YoY

- Fixed cost leverage
- Continued cost discipline

#### Regional Margin Analysis

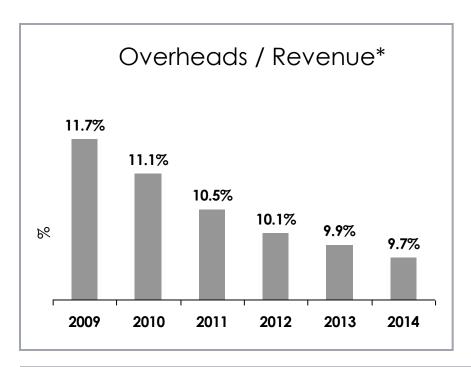
3.3%	-30 BPS
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2.6%	-20 BPS
9.4%	+140 BPS
11.1%	+60 BPS
	9.4% 2.6% 3.3%

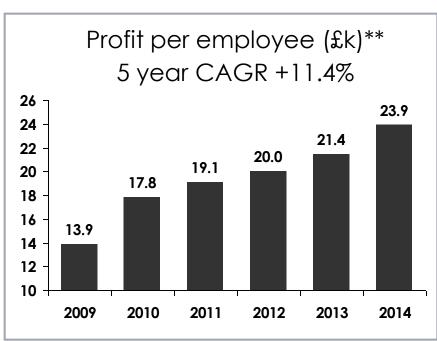
<sup>\*</sup> Constant currency, pre exceptional items and property disposal profits in 2013 and 2014

<sup>\*\*</sup> South Asia 2014 trading margin excludes property disposal profit \*\*\* Emerging Markets 2013 trading margin excludes property disposal profit



#### CONTINUED DISCIPLINE ON COST AND PRODUCTIVITY





#### 5 year overheads / revenue improvement of 200 BPS

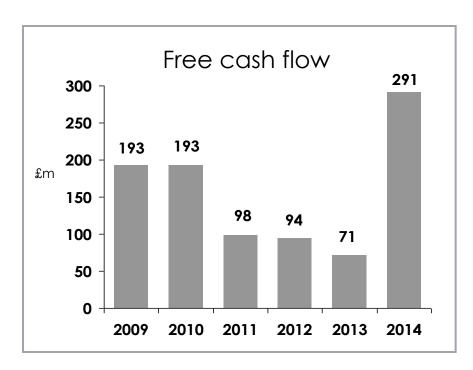
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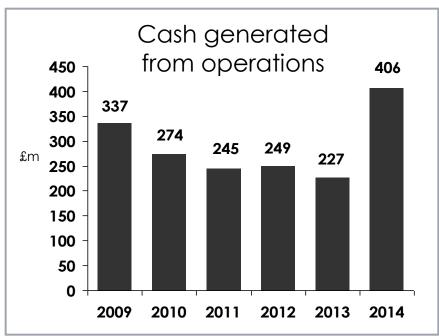
<sup>\*</sup> Overheads / Revenue - Pre exceptional items and 2013 property disposal profit of £6.2m and 2014 property disposal profit of £17.3m

<sup>\*\*</sup> Profit per employee based on trading profit (pre centrals)



#### 2014 STEP-UP IN CASH GENERATION





Working capital and Capex timing benefit



#### SUSTAINABLE DIVIDEND GROWTH



£307m cash returned through dividends & the buyback in the past 24 months



# JOHN McCONNELL GROUP FINANCE DIRECTOR



#### SUMMARY PROFIT & LOSS ACCOUNT

	2014 £m	2013 £m	Change %
Sales	6,702.7	6,524.9	+2.7%
Operating profit*	318.4	286.9	+11.0%
Net financing costs	(13.3)	(12.3)	-8.1%
Profit before tax*	303.2	274.6	+10.4%
Tax rate (%)**	24.0%	24.0%	
Basic adjusted EPS (p)*	50.2p	43.5p	+15.4%

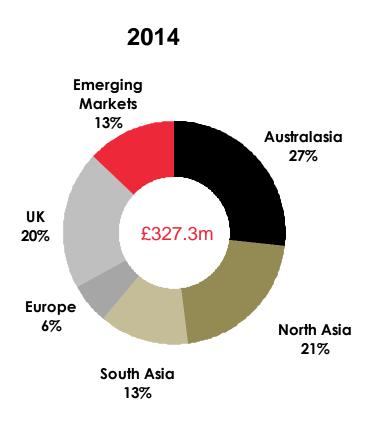
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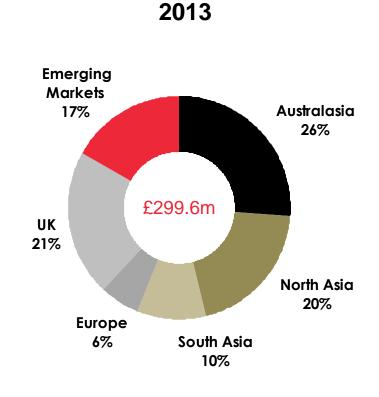
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<sup>\*\*</sup> Effective tax rate



#### **REGIONAL ANALYSIS: TRADING PROFIT\***



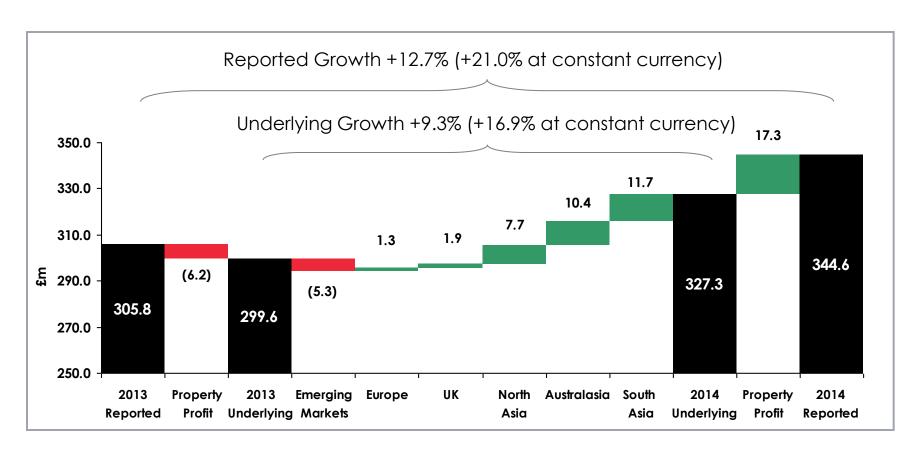


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<sup>\*</sup> Excluding property profit disposals



#### **GROUP: TRADING PROFIT**



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#### **NET FINANCE COSTS**

Total net finance costs	(13.3)	(12.3)
Mark to market gain	1.5	2.3
FV on cross currency interest rate swaps	10.4	(22.0)
FV on private placement	(8.9)	24.3
Interest excluding mark to market	(14.8)	(14.6)
Other including capitalised interest adj.	0.5	0.7
Pension interest net	5.1	5.4
Interest on private placement notes	(2.9)	(2.8)
Stock holding interest	(18.6)	(19.9)
Bank and loan interest	1.1	2.0
	2014 £m	2013 £m



#### IMPACT OF CURRENCY ON OPERATING PROFIT\*

£m	2013 @ actual exchange rates	2014 @ 2013 actual rates	2014 @ actual exchange rates	Impact
Australasia	78.9	99.9	89.3	(10.6)
Europe	19.5	21.9	20.8	(1.1)
North Asia	59.2	70.5	66.9	(3.6)
South Asia	29.7	62.6	58.7	(3.9)
Emerging Markets	55.2	48.4	43.7	(4.7)
Total overseas	242.5	303.3	279.4	(23.9)
UK	63.3	65.2	65.2	-
Central costs	(18.9)	(26.2)	(26.2)	-
Operating profit	286.9	342.3	318.4	(23.9)

<sup>\*</sup> Pre exceptional items



#### **CASH FLOW**

Operating cash flow	2014 £m	2013 £m	Free cash flow	2014 £m	2013 £m	Net cash	2014 £m	2013 £m
Operating profit*	318.4	286.9	Operating cash flow	405.8	227.0	Free cash flow	290.7	71.0
Depreciation / amortisation	44.4	39.7	Net interest	(17.8)	(17.8)	Share issue	1.0	9.6
Other non cash items	(12.6)	(9.1)	Taxation	(52.5)	(48.7)	Share buy back	(100.0)	(50.0)
Working capital	66.5	(18.6)	Non controlling interest	(9.8)	(4.6)	Acquisitions	3.6	(74.1)
Pension	(1.0)	(31.0)	Net capex	(35.0)	(84.9)	Disposals	1.9	14.9
Payment in respect of exceptional items	(1.3)	(15.4)				Equity dividends	(81.5)	(75.5)
Other	(8.6)	(25.5)				Other	11.3	(5.5)
						Net cash flow	127.0	(109.6)
						Opening net cash	123.0	276.2
						Non cash movements**	(39.8)	(43.6)
Operating cash flow	405.8	227.0	Free cash flow	290.7	71.0	Closing net cash	210.2	123.0

<sup>\*</sup> Pre exceptional items

<sup>\*\*</sup> Includes fair value re-measurements & currency translation All numbers at actual exchange rates



#### GUIDANCE - FULL YEAR 2015

Tax rate	24%
Interest cost (excl. mark to market)	c £14m
Capital expenditure	£85m
Net cash	c £210m



### BUSINESS UPDATE



#### CUSTOMER 1ST STRATEGY DIFFERENTIATION

#### STRENGTHEN

Superior customer value proposition through Inchcape Advantage



#### **EXPAND**

Selective investment in high margin & high growth areas



<sup>\*</sup> Rebased Inchcape data



### LEADING PREMIUM AND LUXURY BRANDS WITH EXCITING NEW PRODUCT DEVELOPMENTS

	BMW / MINI	Land Rover / Jaguar	Mercedes Benz	Subaru	Toyota / Lexus	VW / Audi / Porsche
	X6	XE	AMG GT	Outback	Alphard	TT
Н1	3 Series (f/I)	Discovery Sport	CLA SB	Liberty	Prius C (f/I)	Passat
	6 Series	XJ (f/I)	S Class Cab		Vellfire	911 GTS
	MINI Clubman	XF	GLE	XV (f/I)	Auris	Touran
H2	7 Series		GLC		Prius	A4
	X1		C Class Coupe			Q7



Inchcape's brand partners are investing in R&D ahead of the industry Inchcape's partners R&D +66% vs. Industry +39% (2010 - 2013)



#### DRIVING CUSTOMER CONVERSION WITH DIGITAL

Group-wide digital standards driving customer traffic to retail centres, leads, conversion and enhancing customer satisfaction / retention



#### Functionality update of Group's 150 websites in 2014



Fully adaptive websites



Subaru Australia TVC for Outback over 1.1 million views on social media in 4 days



Car comparators
- compare
selected vehicle
to 2-3 models
from any brand



Online service and courtesy car booking



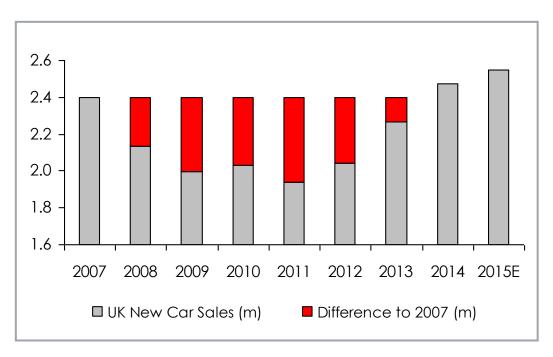
#### 2015 OUTLOOK

- Good visibility across our markets and categories
- New vehicle segment to grow in most markets, Inchcape's premium and luxury brands to continue taking market share
- Vehicle margin improvement expected in the UK and Russia
- Aftersales Service and Parts, to benefit from growth of the 1-5 year
   Car Parc across the majority of our markets
- Operational discipline on costs, productivity and continued benefit from the Yen in Australasia
- Strong free cash flow generation and disciplined capital allocation

Robust underlying constant currency performance expected in 2015



#### UK: 2M UNITS POTENTIAL FROM PENT UP DEMAND



Sources: SMMT and Inchcape estimate

#### **Industry Growth Drivers**

Pent up demand

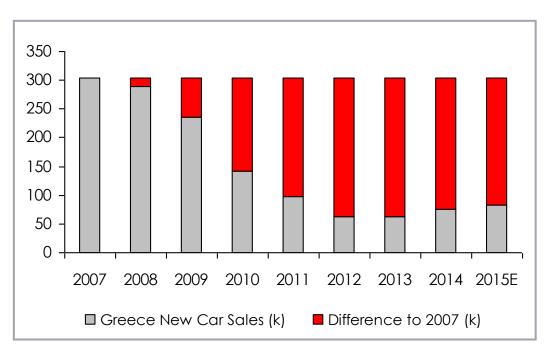
PCP financing shortening the replacement cycle

Growth of the 1-5 year Car Parc

Population growth



#### EUROPE: THE START OF A REPLACEMENT CYCLE IN GREECE



Sources: SEAA and Inchcape estimate

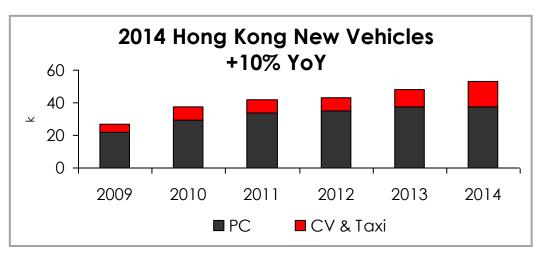
#### **Industry Growth Drivers**

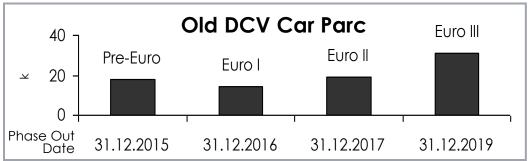
Replacement cycle growth in Greece, driven by the aged Car Parc (av. age 14yrs)

Hybrid taking share in the Belgian market



### NORTH ASIA: 82K COMMERCIALVEHICLES TO BE PHASED OUT OVER 5 YRS





Sources: HK EPD and HK TD

#### **Industry Growth Drivers**

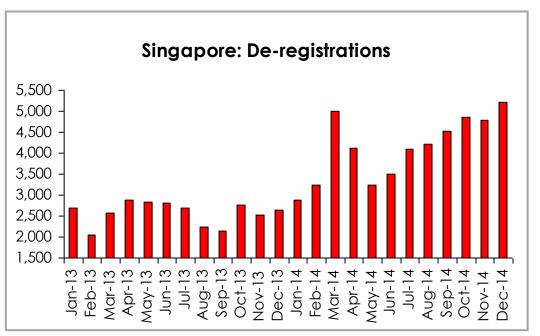
Multi-year diesel commercial vehicle (DCV) replacement scheme

New Territories: Population and road infrastructure growth

Premiumisation of demand



#### SOUTH ASIA: COE CYCLE DRIVING GROWTH



Source: LTA (De-Registrations is ex motorcycles and scooters)

#### **Industry Growth Drivers**

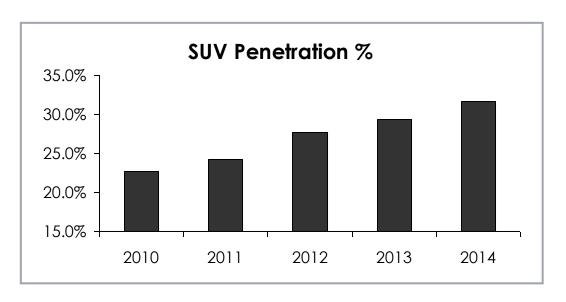
De-registrations growing significantly as vehicles reach 10 years old

c190k vehicles aged over 8 years at 31 Dec 2014

2015e new vehicle market +48%



#### AUSTRALASIA: INCREASING SUV MARKET PENETRATION



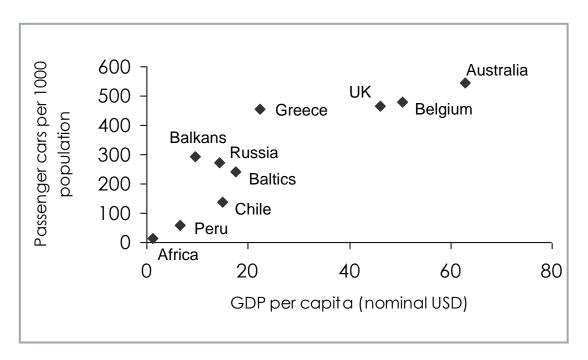
2014	Trivett ROS	Trivett ROCE
	3.9%	20.5%
YoY Chg	+60 BPS	+320 BPS

Source: FCAI

#### **Industry Growth Drivers** SUV Growth (Subaru) Population growth New South Wales – strong macro Premiumisation of demand Japanese brand import duty reduction



#### EM: MOBILITY LINKED TO WEALTH CREATION



Sources: IMF and IHS (Africa is an average of Kenya, Tanzania, Sudan and Uganda)

#### **Industry Growth Drivers**

Population growth

Growth of middle class

Improving road infrastructure

Premiumisation of demand



#### RUSSIA: LONG TERM POTENTIAL

#### **Short Term Drivers**

#### Demand:

- Rouble devaluation increasing local prices and impacting demand
- Aftersales resilience
- Premium / Luxury brand resilience
- Higher Used car demand
   Share Opportunity:
- Funding cost pressure for local competitors
   Margin Opportunity:
- Russia less attractive as a push market, improving supply-demand balance and vehicles margin
- Tight control of the cost base

#### **Long Term Drivers**

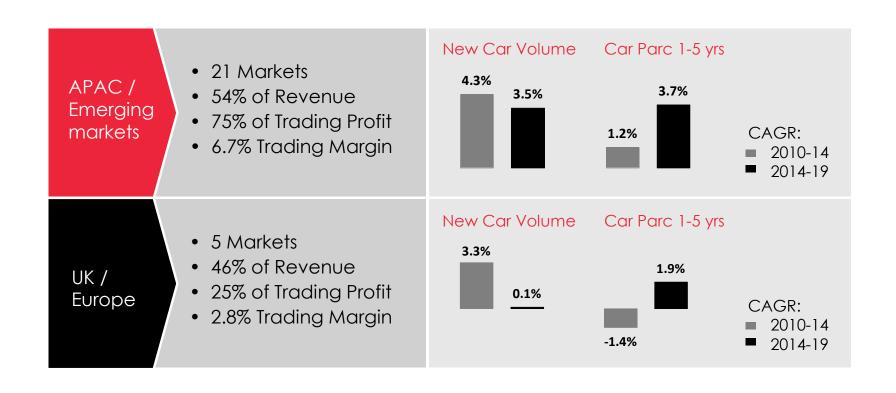
- Growing vehicle penetration
- Premiumisation of demand
- Increasing finance penetration
- Develop scale across
   Car Parc drivers:
- Used cars
- Service
- Parts



### LOOKING AHEAD



#### POSITIONED TO PERFORM IN A GROWTH INDUSTRY



Source: IHS Automotive 2014 Revenue and Trading Profit data (APAC/EM trading margin excludes South Asia 2014 H1 property profit of £17.3m)



#### STRONG IN SMALL MARKETS WITH DISTRIBUTION

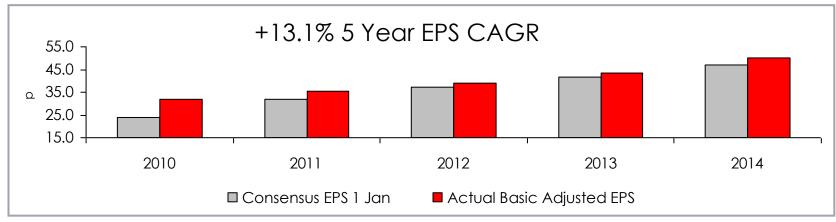
APAC & EMERGING MARKETS 75%	DISTRIBUTION TRADING PROFIT 83%	RETAIL ONLY TRADING PROFIT 17%
	74%	1%
UK AND EUROPE		
25%	9%	16%

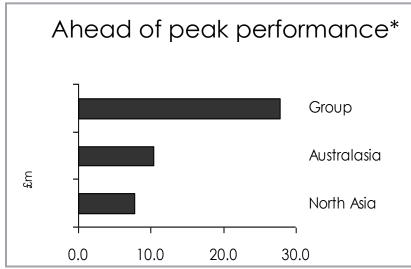
...AND SELECTIVE IN LARGE MARKETS WITH RETAIL

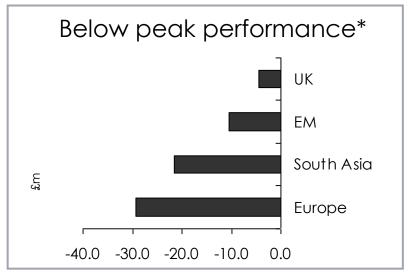
2014 Revenue and Trading Profit data



#### SUSTAINABLE EARNINGS GROWTH WITH HIGH ROCE







<sup>\*</sup> Trading profit (Actual Currency), ex property profits. Company compiled consensus.



#### EFFICIENT CAPITAL STRUCTURE

#### Strong cash flow:

- Sustained revenue and earnings growth
- Operational discipline on cash conversion
- Lower pension contributions
- Lower capex

Disciplined capital allocation

Support growth with WC and Capex investment

Fund progressive dividend policy

Selective M&A in high margin / high growth markets

- Invest in organic growth
- Dividend 40% payout ratio
- Seize attractiveM&A opportunities
- Efficient capital structure to maximise shareholder returns



#### INCHCAPE: AN EXHILARATING DRIVE

#### HIGH QUALITY DISTRIBUTION & RETAIL BUSINESSES

OPERATING IN A GROWTH INDUSTRY

BENEFITING FROM UNIQUE LOCAL DRIVERS

SALES, PROFIT & CASH MOMENTUM

DISCIPLINED CAPITAL ALLOCATION





### APPENDIX



#### **DEFINITIONS**

#### Like-for-like

The following are excluded from like-for-like sales:

- Businesses that are acquired, from the date of acquisition until the 13<sup>th</sup> month of ownership
- 2. Businesses that are sold or closed
- 3. Retail centres that are relocated from the date of opening until the 13<sup>th</sup> month of trading in the new location

#### **Emerging markets**

Emerging markets are those countries in which the Group operates that have yet to reach a mature stage of development and accordingly are in, or are expected to return to, the growth phase of the development cycle.

This currently covers the following countries:

The Balkans The Baltics Poland Russia

China Africa South America



#### **CAPEX INVESTMENT**

£30m

£5m

Capacity expansion

• UK

Australia

Singapore

Greenfield expansion

• Ethiopia

Australia

• IT upgrades £28m

• Maintenance capex £22m

• Total £85m





#### SEGMENTAL PERFORMANCE

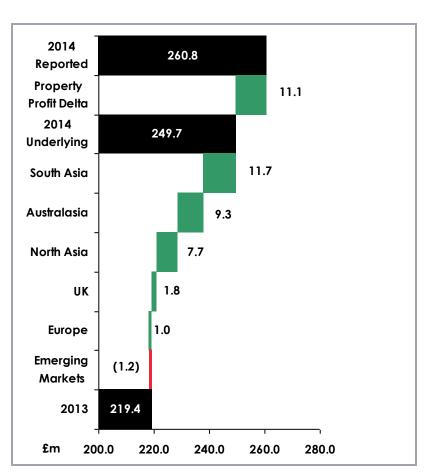
	2014	2013	Change
	£m	£m	%
Sales			
Distribution	2,584.1	2,540.0	1.7
Retail	4,118.6	3,984.9	3.4
	6,702.7	6,524.9	2.7
Operating profit*			
Distribution	260.8	219.4	18.9
Retail	83.8	86.4	(3.0)
Central costs	(26.2)	(18.9)	(38.6)
	318.4	286.9	11.0
Operating margin*			
Distribution	10.1%	8.6%	150 BPS
Retail	2.0%	2.2%	(20) BPS
	4.8%	4.4%	40 BPS

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<sup>\*</sup> Pre exceptional items



#### DISTRIBUTION: TRADING PROFIT



#### 2014 trading margins

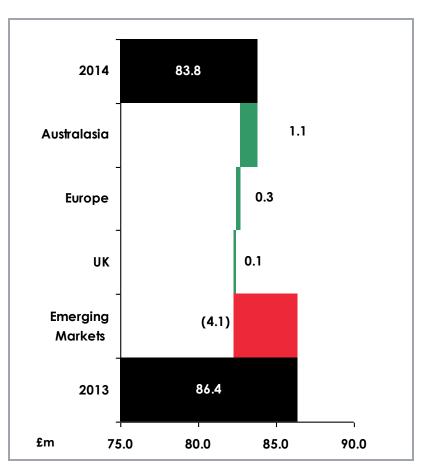
Distribution*	9.4%	+100 BPS
Australasia	11.3%	+310 BPS
South Asia	9.4%	+140 BPS
North Asia	11.1%	+60 BPS
Europe	4.0%	+10 BPS
UK	20.2%	-60 BPS
Emerging Markets	9.6%	-100 BPS

<sup>\*</sup> Excluding property profit

Note: Pre exceptional items
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#### **RETAIL: TRADING PROFIT**



#### 2014 trading margins

Retail	2.0%	-20 BPS
Europe	0.2%	+20 BPS
Australasia	3.7%	+20 BPS
UK	2.3%	-20 BPS
Emerging Markets	0.4%	-40 BPS

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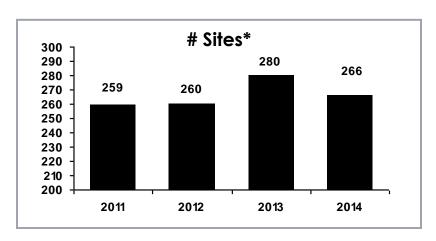


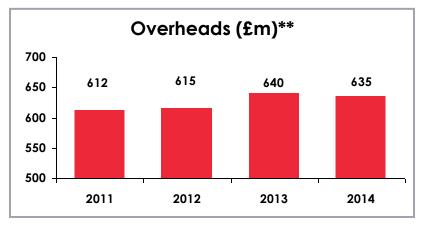
#### **EXCEPTIONAL ITEMS**

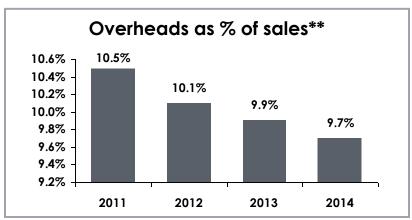
£m	2014	2013
Restructuring costs	+	(4.6)
Acquisition of business	-	(3.9)
Goodwill impairment	(47.4)	-
Total operating cost exceptionals before tax	(47.4)	(8.5)

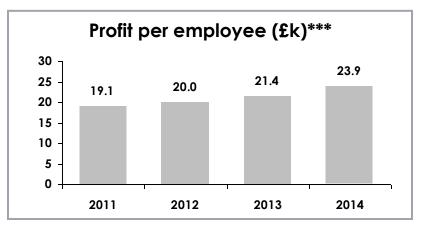


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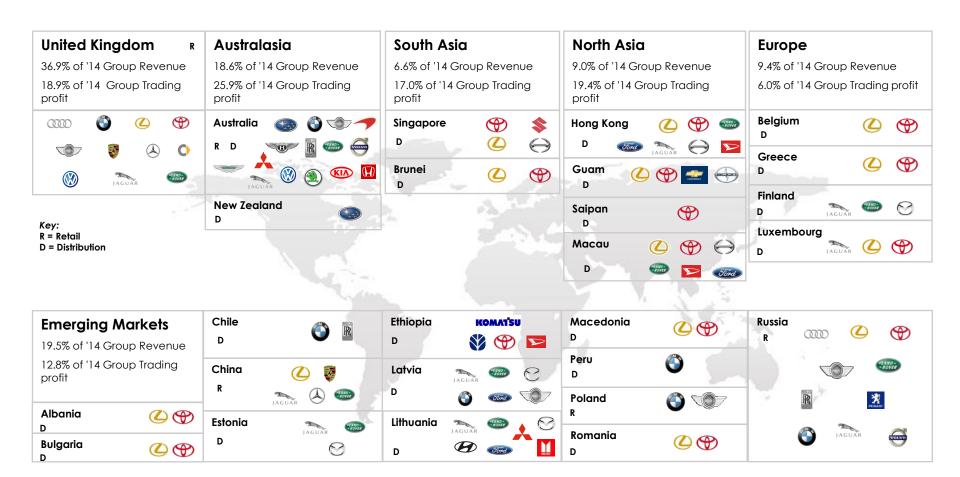
<sup>\*</sup> Owned retail (sales & aftersales) sites

<sup>\*\*</sup> Pre exceptional items (Overheads as % of sales pre property disposal profit profits)

<sup>. \*\*\*</sup> Profit per employee based on trading profit (pre centrals and pre exceptional items)



#### BROAD GEOGRAPHIC SPREAD - TRULY INTERNATIONAL



Note: Percentage figures represent revenue from third parties and trading profit (defined as operating profit excluding the impact of exceptional items and central costs)



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