

# Financial performance

- NPAT increased by 20.9% from \$4.7m to \$5.7m and in constant currency by 22.6%, and is in line with expectations
- EBITDA<sup>1</sup> increased by 12.4% from \$11.3m to \$12.7m
- Sales revenue up 0.7% in constant currency but down 0.4% on conversion to NZ\$
- Over \$3.9m invested in breakthrough showering system, digital capability, and the team to support future performance
- Net Debt<sup>2</sup> increased to \$22.8m due to acquisition and investment in future
- Fully imputed final dividend of 4.0 cps to be paid on 30<sup>th</sup> June 2015
- Balance date to change to 30<sup>th</sup> June 2016



<sup>1</sup> EBITDA is earnings before interest, tax, depreciation and amortisation

<sup>2</sup> Refer to reconciliation of Net Debt on Slide 39

# Key components

- Modest revenue increases in Australia (2.9%) and UK (2.8%)
- NZ revenue down \$0.5m or 1.6% result of customers' stock reductions
- Australian revenue up 2.9% and profits up 10.6% due to rightsizing of cost structure
- UK EBITDA increase to NZ\$1.4m from NZ\$0.6m as revenue shows a 2.8% increase
- China market sales refocused, stand-alone Xiamen office closed, back office functions consolidated in Heshan factory
- Excellent trade and consumer response to new showerware and tapware – Aio<sup>TM</sup>
- Full year annualised NPAT from Methven Heshan (formerly Invention Sanitary) expected to be in line with expectations of at least US\$2m



# Key outcomes

- Positive earnings growth as we invest for the future
- Cautiously optimistic about future prospects
- Fully imputed dividend maintained
- Heshan performing in line with expectations
- Balance date change to help improve forecast accuracy
- \$3.9m invested in future-focused projects
- Comfortably within banking covenants
- Three year strategy launched as we prepare to celebrate being 130 years new





Positive earnings growth as we invest for the future

# Group performance

#### Good progress on making Methven fit for the future

			Constant currency
2015	2014	Variance %	Variance %
96,349	96,720	-0.4%	0.7%
12,682	11,286	12.4%	13.4%
5,690	4,708	20.9%	22.6%
-22,754	-14,450	57.5%	
	96,349 12,682 5,690	96,349 96,720 12,682 11,286 5,690 4,708	96,349     96,720     -0.4%       12,682     11,286     12.4%       5,690     4,708     20.9%

<sup>3</sup> No adjustment has been made for non-recurring Items as year-on-year movement immaterial. Refer to Slide 38 for summary



#### Business review

What we said at the ASM:	How are we tracking:
Deliver US\$2 million annualised NPAT from Hesha	on track
Launch our new showering system and tapware in all markets in early 2015	ACHIEVED
Launch our new website	ACHIEVED
Achieve double-digit growth in the UK	Earnings yes/Revenue no
Revenue and profit growth in Australia	ACHIEVED
Activity based on sell through	Good progress
Build a business that delivers long term sustainable earnings growth	Good progress



# Performance of Methven Heshan (China)

- NPAT contribution FY15 NZ\$1.1m
- Earnings on track to deliver at least US\$2m NPAT annualised
- 100% staff retention
- Group ERP successfully implemented
- Passed full quality and ethical audit by ISO Global
- Methven NZ global Health & Safety standard implemented though existing standards good



# Group performance – excl. China acquisition

			Constant currency
FY15	FY14	Var %	Var %
96,320	96,251	0.1%	1.2%
10,633	11,273	-5.7%	-4.2%
4,625	4,708	-1.8%	0.0%
-17,354	-14,450	20.1%	
	96,320 10,633 4,625	96,320       96,251         10,633       11,273         4,625       4,708	96,320     96,251     0.1%       10,633     11,273     -5.7%       4,625     4,708     -1.8%



#### Investment for future

- Operating expense \$1.6m
  - Launch and promotion of Aurajet<sup>®</sup> technology and the Aio<sup>™</sup> product range
  - New online marketing strategy
  - Enhancement of organisational capability
- Capital expense \$2.3m
  - New product development
  - Digital capability



# Group performance

#### Net Debt higher than desired but under control

NZ \$000	2015	2014	Change %
Net debt	22,754	14,450	57%
Capital expenditure	3,433	1,138	202%
Working capital	25,072	18,685	34%
Working capital turn	4.3X	5.0X	

- Net debt increased by 57.5% primarily due to acquisition
- Stock higher than targeted
- Capex increased by \$2.3m to deliver future growth



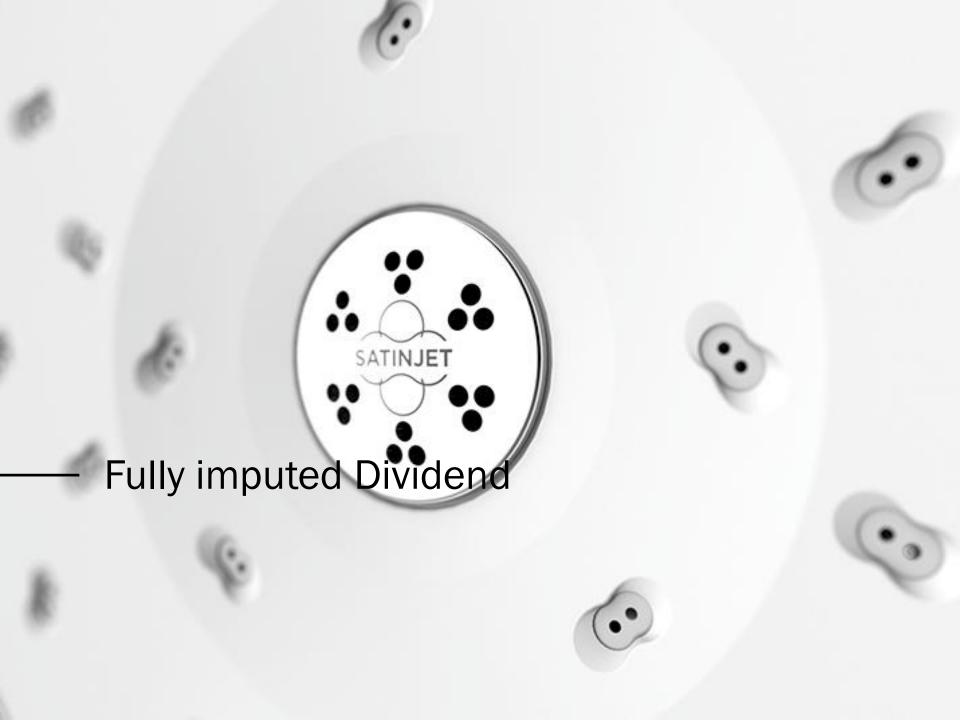
# Group performance (cont'd)

#### Well within banking covenants

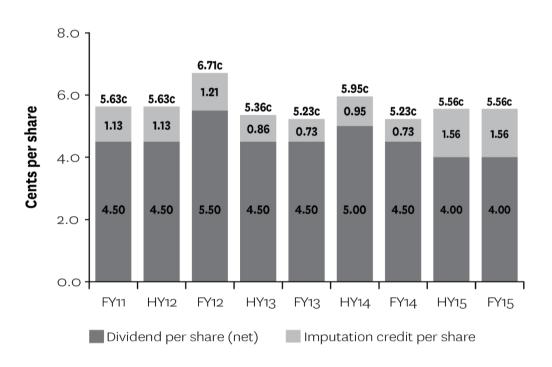
NZ \$000	2015	2014
Interest cover (EBITA/interest) - not less than 2.5	9.1x	10.1X
Gearing ratio (net debt/EBITA) - not to exceed 3.5	2.0X	1.5X

 Despite funding of acquisition, the Business remains comfortably within banking covenants





# Dividend history



- Dividend maintained in line with half year
- Final fully imputed dividend of 4.0 cps to be paid on 30<sup>th</sup> June





### Market review - NZ

NZ \$000	2015	2014	Variance %
Sales revenue	32,114	32,648	-1.6%
EBITDA <sup>1</sup>	4,836	5,909	-18.2%
EBITDA % of Revenue	15.1%	18.1%	-3.0%

What we said at the ASM:	How are we tracking:
Regain lost market share	2 of 3 categories
Deliver incremental growth in Christchurch	ACHIEVED
Successful launch of new shower system incremental	to Satinjet ACHIEVED
Invest in brand equity	Underway
Win online	Launched/Activity to follow



#### Market review - AU

AU \$000	2015	2014	Variance %
Sales revenue	35,995	34,994	2.9%
EBITDA <sup>1</sup>	2,980	2,694	10.6%
EBITDA % of Revenue	8.3%	7.7%	0.6%

What we said at the ASM:	How are we tracking:
Profitable revenue growth	ACHIEVED
Successful launch of new shower system increme	ental to Satinjet ACHIEVED
Tapware share growth	Not in line with expectation
Invest in brand equity	Ongoing
Win online	Launched/Activity to follow



### Market review - UK

2015	2014	Variance %
12,187	11,858	2.8%
675	307	119.9%
5.5%	2.6%	2.9%
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What we said at the ASM:	How are we tracking:	
Strong revenue and earnings growth	Earnings yes/Revenue no	
Successful launch of new shower system incremental	to Satinjet ACHIEVED	
Complementary positioning for Methven and Deva ranges  On trace		
Invest in brand equity	Deferred to second half	
Win online	Good progress	



#### Market review - China

CN ¥000	2015	2014	Variance %
Sales revenue	1,933	2,022	-4.4%
EBITDA¹	(39)	913	-66.9%
EBITDA % of Revenue	-2.0%	45.1%	-29.5%

NZ \$000	2015	2014	Variance %
Sales revenue	389	403	-3.5%
EBITDA <sup>1</sup>	(8)	181	-66.3%
EBITDA % of Revenue	-2.1%	44.9%	-29.2%

#### What we said at the ASM:

#### How are we tracking:

Very strong revenue and earnings growth from a low base	Not Achieved
Invest in brand equity	Deferred
Win online	Not Achieved



# Group Operations segment

NZ \$000	2015	2014	Variance %
Sales revenue	539	1,054	-48.9%
EBITDA <sup>1</sup>	3,282	1,557	110.8%

- Includes:
  - NZ and China manufacturing operations
  - R&D and other Group support functions
- Increase reflects acquisition earnings and reduced M&A project costs





#### Balance date

- Balance date to change to 30<sup>th</sup> June 2016
- Helps improve forecast and predictability of results

#### **Rationale**

- Currently four events can materially effect our second half performance:
  - Historical sales variation in December and January
  - Less trading days in second half
  - Chinese New Year in February means we have committed to stock in December
  - March clearance of stock imbalances





# Three point plan

- Think and act like the market leader
- Know the consumer better than anyone else
- Ensure organisational clarity with an aligned three year plan



#### Think and act like the market leader





#### Our new Head Office

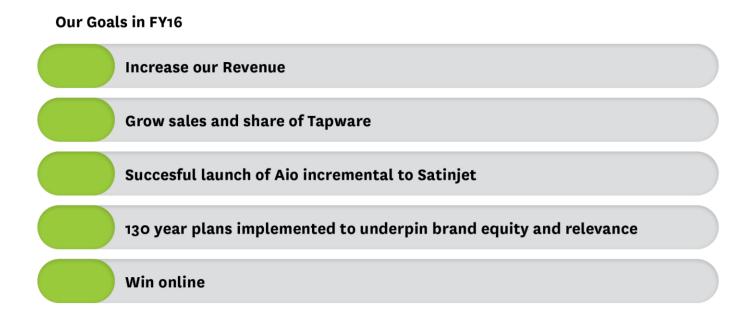


Cost neutral move to new site with enhanced capability



#### Market focus

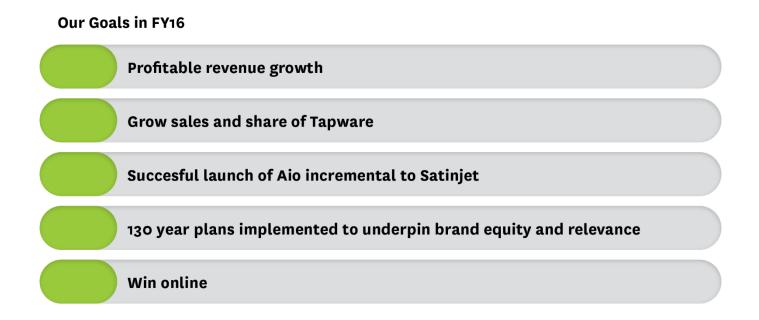
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### Market focus (cont'd)

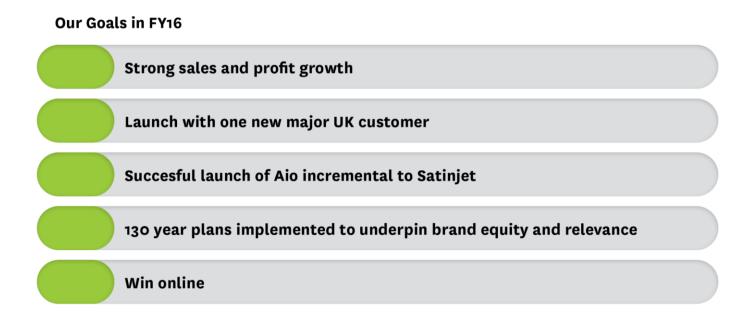
#### Australia





### Market focus (cont'd)

UK





## Market focus (cont'd)

#### China





# Guidance - Year ending June 2016

- Annual Group NPAT growth of 15 25% including benefits from our acquisition
- Group revenue growth (constant currency) of 5% or more
- Group net debt reduction



# Directors update

#### Director retirement

- Peter Stanes has retired after 11 years of exemplary service, effective from 15<sup>th</sup> July 2015
- Peter to stand down as Head of Audit & Risk Committee and as an Independent Director
- The Board would like to express their thanks and appreciation to Peter who has been a tireless promoter of improving standards at Methven
- Peter was an integral part of the team that oversaw the recent completion of our acquisition in China



# Director appointments

- Following a thorough and extensive search, Norah Barlow appointed with effect from January 2015
  - Finance and commercial background
  - Summerset public listing on the NZX and ASX in 2011
  - Now professional director



## Director appointments (cont'd)

- Board appointed David Banfield as a director with effect from 25 May 2015:
  - Joined Methven in January 2014 as Group CEO having previously established a track record of building and growing international businesses
  - Appointment recognises Board's confidence in David's contribution over the past 17 months and
  - Will bring a valuable executive and industry perspective to an otherwise independent Board



# Questions?

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Full year results and outlook 2014 - 2015

#### Non-GAAP Financial Information

#### Non-recurring Items

Year-on-year impact of Non-recurring Items minimal

CONSOLIDATED	31 M	31 Mar 15		31 Mar 14 (restated)	
NZ \$000	EBITDA <sup>1</sup>	NPAT	EBITDA <sup>1</sup>	NPAT	
Merger and acquisition costs	452	360	729	658	
Restructuring costs	256	199	-	-	
Legal fees	334	234	183	128	
TOTAL	1,042	793	912	786	



### Non-GAAP Financial Information (cont'd)

Reconciliation of Net Debt to the consolidated balance sheet

NZ \$000	As at 31 March 2015	As at 31 March 2014
Cash and cash equivalents	2,008	2,104
Non-current interest bearing liabilities	-24,762	-16,554
Net debt	-22,754	-14,450

