

# PRELIMINARY RESULTS

FOR YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2017

*November 2017*



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# INTRODUCTION

- Full year results in line with upwardly revised market expectations
  - Revenue up 25% to £109.6m (+19% in CC)
  - PBT\* up 46% to £12.9m (+32% in CC)
  - EPS\* up 42% to 18.29p
- Positive trading since year end – order book up year-on-year
- Renewed strategic focus on 3 core product areas of **citrus, sugar reduction** and **tea** (65% of revenues on combined basis) with new 2022 growth plan
- Capital investment plans to accelerate transition from ingredients business to added-value solutions manufacturer
- 10% equity placing raising £21.6m, subject to shareholder approval

# WHAT WE DO

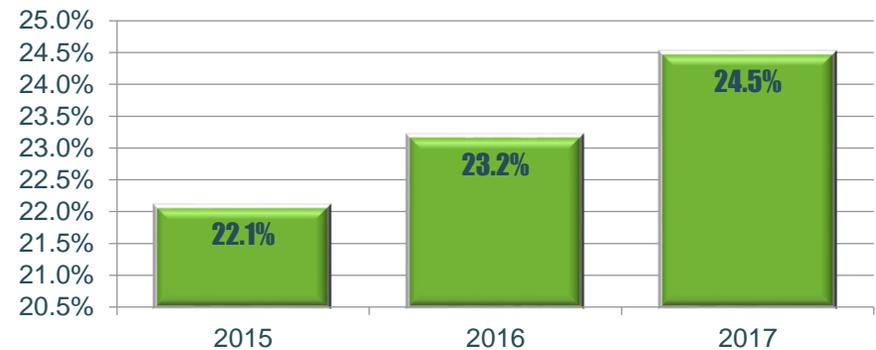
- We are a science-led ingredients solutions provider in the Flavour & Fragrance market
- We predominantly provide added-value products which represent at least 65% of our revenues, with the remainder generated by successfully trading in raw materials
- Half of our total sales are direct to end-user whilst the other half are sold indirect via Flavour & Fragrance houses
- We have a well-diversified blue chip customer list where our top 10 customer represent approx. 40% of our revenues
- Two key manufacturing sites: one in the UK, which has now become operationally inefficient and unsuitable for the current shape of the business; and one in the US, which is capacity constrained

# ADDED-VALUE SOLUTIONS

*Moving up the value chain*

- Leveraging existing key customer relationships
- Technical capability and know-how to deliver value-add products and solutions
- Changing customer engagement model with aim to become the partner of choice
  - Peer-to-peer working
  - Knowledge-sharing
- Resulting in:
  - Sustained growth and margin improvement

### Know-how Driving Gross Margin

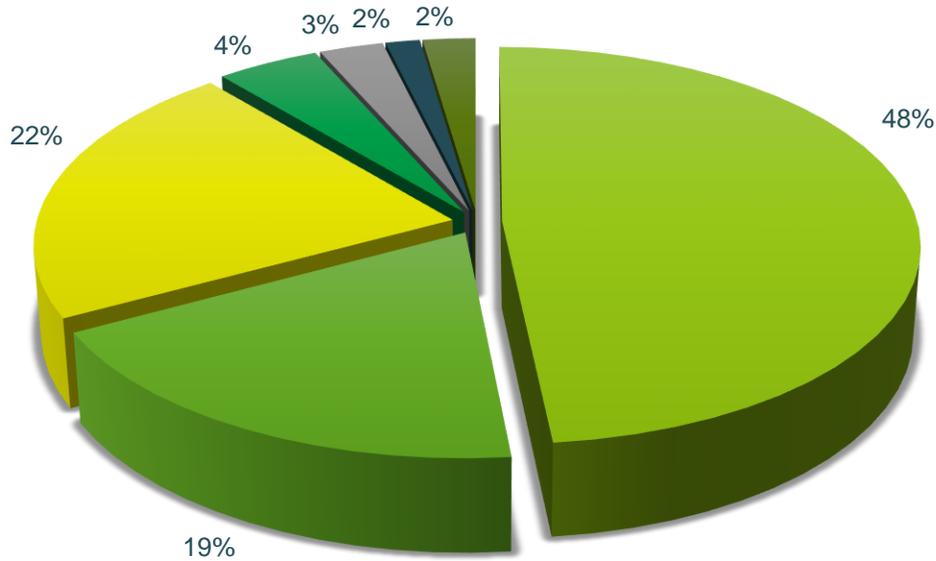


### Sales – Added Value v Traded



# ROUTES TO MARKET

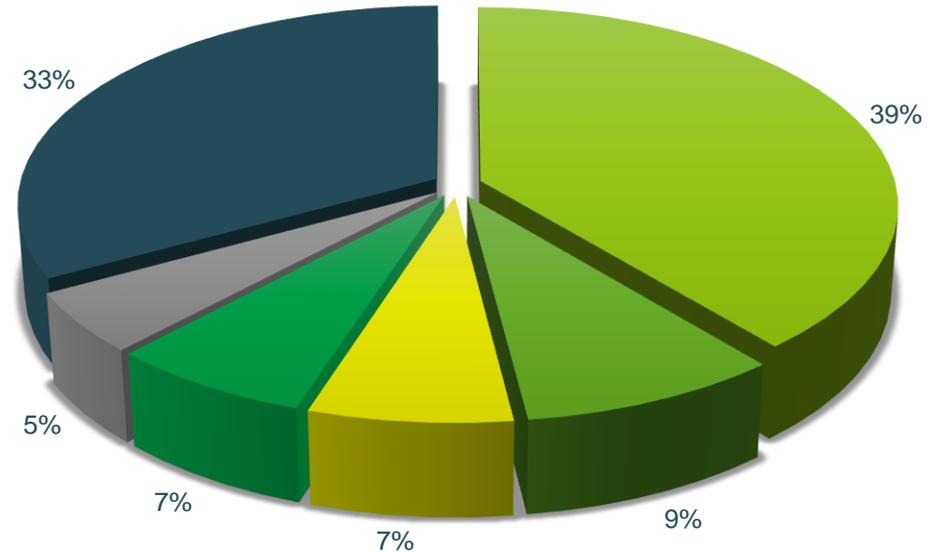
## Direct



## Indirect

- Indirect via Flavour Houses
- Beverage
- Trader or Distributor
- Other
- Personal Care
- Chemicals
- Food

# GEOGRAPHICAL BREAKDOWN OF SALES



- US
- UK
- Germany
- Ireland
- China
- Other

# PRODUCT CATEGORIES

## Citrus

- Treatt's largest product category
- Both natural and synthetic offerings create significant market opportunities
- Building on know-how and technical expertise for customer benefit



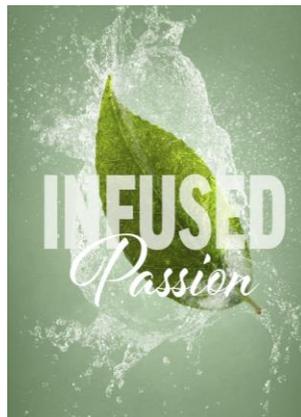
## Sugar Reduction

- Natural flavour of sugar – without carbs or calories
- Sugar tax / obesity agenda leading to strong customer demand and growth in size of market
- New business wins with global FMCGs



## Tea

- Natural tea flavours
- Continued growth in the ready-to-drink tea market
  - 2011-16 grew by > 40%
- Noteworthy wins at multiple FMCGs and F&F Houses



## Other

- Synthetic and natural flavours, e.g. natural cucumber, aroma chemicals
- Other essential oils
- Cosmetic ingredients
- Potential new growth areas e.g. coffee

# INCOME STATEMENT

Year ended 30 September	2017 £'000	2016 £'000	Change %
Revenue	109,627	88,040	+24.5% ①
Gross Profit	26,808	20,401	
<i>Gross Profit %</i>	24.5%	23.2%	②
Administrative expenses	(13,003)	(10,852)	③
Operating Profit	13,805	9,549	44.6%
<i>Operating Profit %</i>	12.6%	10.8%	
Net Finance costs	(913)	(703)	④
Adjusted profit before tax	12,892	8,846	+45.7%
Exceptional items	-	(553)	⑤
Profit before taxation	12,892	8,293	+55.5%
Taxation	(3,347)	(2,144)	⑥
Profit for the period	9,545	6,149	+55.2%
Adjusted EPS	18.29p	12.84p	+42.4%

## Key Points

1. Increase across all principal product categories. Growth of 19% in constant currency.
2. Stronger margins through increased added-value and process improvement, plus FX benefit.
3. 19.8% increase in admin costs. 14.1% in constant currency driven by 5% growth in employee nos.
4. Increased borrowings to support £13m higher inventory levels.
5. No exceptional items.
6. Effective tax rate after exceptional items unchanged at 26% - lower UK rate, off-set by higher US profits.

# CASH FLOW

Year ended 30 September	2017 £'000	2016 £'000
Operating cash flow	16,017	11,076
Increase in inventories	(13,607)	(2,501) ❶
Other working capital	2,273	2,229
Cash generated from operations	4,683	10,804
Taxation paid	(2,822)	(2,022)
Net cash from operating activities	1,861	8,782
Purchase of property, plant & equipment	(5,111)	(679) ❷
Purchase of intangible assets	(105)	(109)
Free cash flow	(3,355)	7,994
Other investing activities	(1,550)	(744)
Dividends	(3,025)	(2,095) ❸
Other financing activities	(570)	(446)
FX	(71)	(208)
Movement in net debt	(8,571)	4,501
Net debt at start of year	(1,654)	(6,155)
Net debt at end of year	(10,225)	(1,654)

## Key Points

1. £13m increase in inventory driven by growth in the business, higher raw material prices, FX and order books
2. Purchase of land - £3.7m
3. One-off change to dividend timetable - £1m impact

# CURRENT TRADING & OUTLOOK

- Order books up year-on-year
- Continuing to take market share
- Significant new business wins in tea and sugar reduction
- Trading in line with Board expectations

**INVESTMENT**

*for the future*



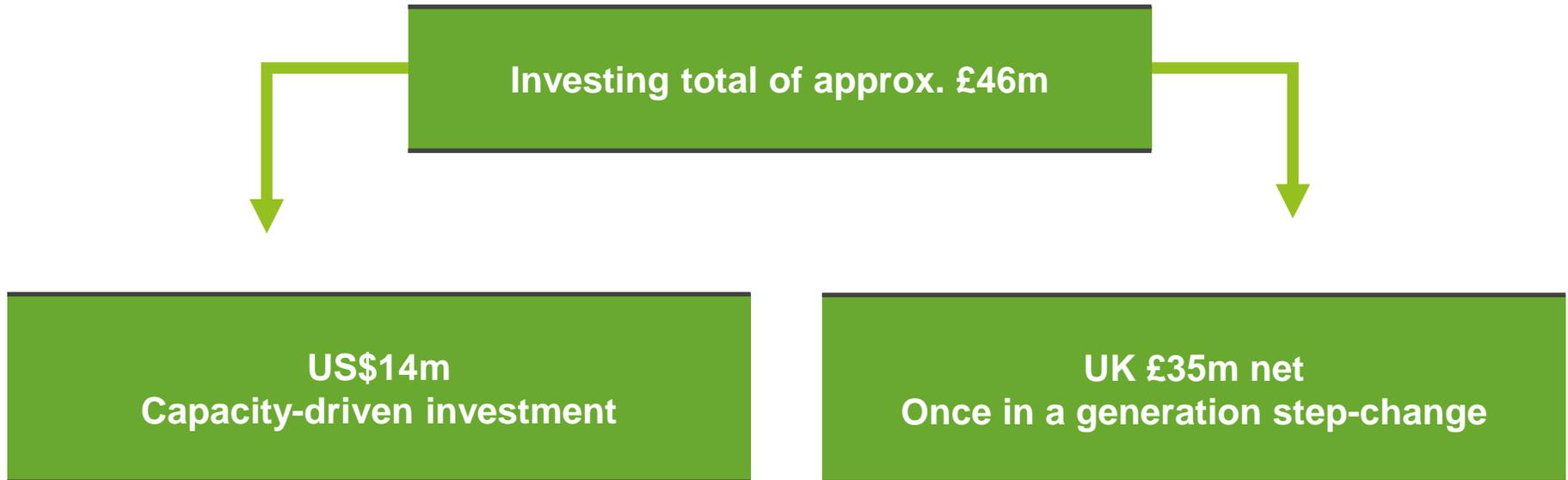
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# STRATEGIC FOCUS

## *Backing Winners*

- Treatt's 2020 Strategic 5-year Plan was delivered 3 years early
- New 2022 growth plan now in place, driven by **citrus, sugar reduction** and **tea** - backing winners:
  1. Capital investment is key to support our growth strategy
  2. Performance culture and employee engagement strategy - key to further success
  3. New opportunities with established customers
  4. Increased level of investment in R&D
  5. Strategic growth markets: US, China and India
  6. Earthoil no longer core to Group operations

# MODERNISING AND TRANSFORMING THROUGH CAPITAL INVESTMENT



# MEETING INTERNATIONAL DEMAND

*Treatt USA*

- New production capacity needed to meet demand and support future growth
- Focused on core growth areas of **citrus, sugar reduction** and **tea**
- Opportunity to upgrade to a more scientific front end
- Modular design leaves ability to add further capacity in the future
- Construction commenced late 2017 with completion due late 2018
  - No down-time at existing facility anticipated



# EXPANSION

*Treatt USA*

Investment of US\$14m to fund new capital equipment and office and technical facilities

Breakdown of Costs*	
Land and Buildings	US\$8.8m
Plant and Machinery	US\$2.9m
Contingency	US\$2.3m
<b>Total budget</b>	<b>US\$14.0m</b>

US Expansion Capex Timeline*	
FY18	\$10.8m
FY19	\$3.2m

# RELOCATION & EXPANSION

*Treatt UK*

- Current site since 1971 – no longer fit for purpose, high regulatory cost and many operational inefficiencies
- Completed on new 10-acre site in June 2017
- Located on new Suffolk Business Park which has received government funding and support – outline permission granted
- Commence construction mid 2018\*; up and running late 2019
- Contract out to tender March 2018; estimated costs include contingency of 7.5%
- Target return on investment of 10-15% after 3 years following relocation

# ENHANCED CAPABILITIES

*Treatt UK*

## Improved client interaction

- Technical/Technical collaboration
- Heightened customer experience of Treatt
- Collaborative hub space, driving customer interaction, partnership-based model and product innovation

## Step-change in capacity

- Significantly higher volumes possible
- Modular design – future expansion available throughout

## Multiple operational efficiencies

- Site logistics
- Automated warehousing
- Computer-controlled stills
- Enhanced technical facilities
- 24-hour working

**Delivering margin improvement over the medium term**

# RELOCATION & EXPANSION

*Treatt UK*

From this:



To this\*:



\* Architect's impression

# RELOCATION & EXPANSION

*Treant UK*

## Breakdown of Costs\*

New site acquisition and build cost	£26.0m
Plant, machinery and technical capability enhancements	£13.0m
Relocation expenses	£1.0m
Disposal of current site following completion of move	(£5.0m)
<b>Total net relocation budget</b>	<b>£35.0m</b>

## UK Site Capex Timeline\*

FY17	£4.0m
FY18	£14.0m
FY19	£21.0m
FY20	£1.0m
FY21	(£3.5m)
FY22	(£1.5m)

# FINANCING

- Renewed and extended working capital facilities
- Commitment letters\* in place:
  - UK RCF - £15m, 5 year commitment, 1.2% over LIBOR
  - US construction loan - \$11.0m, 10 year term, 1.25% to 2.0% over LIBOR
- Equity placing of £21.6m
- Net debt to EBITDA leverage expected to peak at 1.8x in March 2019, and de-gear quickly thereafter
- Quarterly phasing of capital requirements from January 2018 to June 2019

# SUMMARY

## *Backing Winners*

- Strong track record of growth over last 5 years
- Building on positive current trading
- New 2022 growth plan driven by continued focus on **citrus, sugar reduction** and **tea**
- Mix of capacity driven and fit-for-purpose investment

**THANK YOU**

*Any Questions?*



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# APPENDIX



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# FLAVOUR INGREDIENTS



**CITRUS**



**TEA**



**FRUIT &  
VEGETABLE**



**HEALTH &  
WELLNESS**



**HERB, SPICE  
& FLORAL**



**AROMA &  
HICS**

- Citrus Oils
- Sugar Reduction
- Tea Distillates
- Other Essential oils
- Treattarome<sup>®</sup> natural distillates
- Natural Isolates
- Natural Cosmetic Ingredients
- Aroma/Specialty Chemicals
- Fragrance Ingredients

# RESULTS AT A GLANCE



Revenue



Profit Before  
Tax\*



Earnings  
per share\*

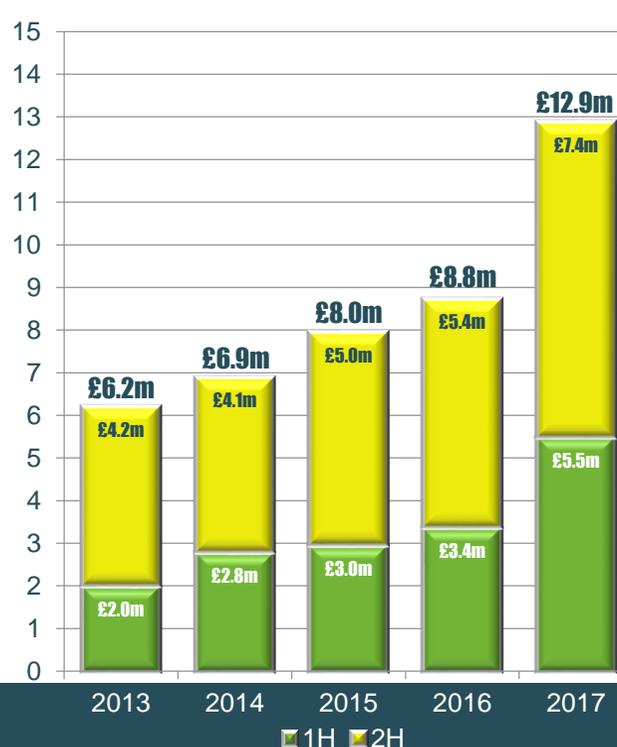


Dividend

## Revenue £'m



## Profit Before Tax\* £'m



## Net Operating Margin\* / Return on Capital Employed\*



\* Excludes exceptional items

# BALANCE SHEET

<b>As at 30 September</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
Goodwill	£2.7m	£2.7m
Fixed Assets	£15.4m	£12.0m ❶
Inventories	£42.9m	£30.0m ❷
Debtors	£20.0m	£17.9m
Creditors	(£17.8m)	(£14.2m)
Working Capital	£45.1m	£33.7m
Taxation	(£0.7m)	(£0.7m)
Net Debt	(£10.2m)	(£1.7m)
Pension deficit	(£5.8m)	(£7.4m) ❸
Other net liabilities	-	(£1.4m)
Shareholders' Funds	£46.5m	£37.2m

**Group headroom of £15.7m (Sept 2016: £20.7m)**

**Multi bank facilities totalling £25.9m**

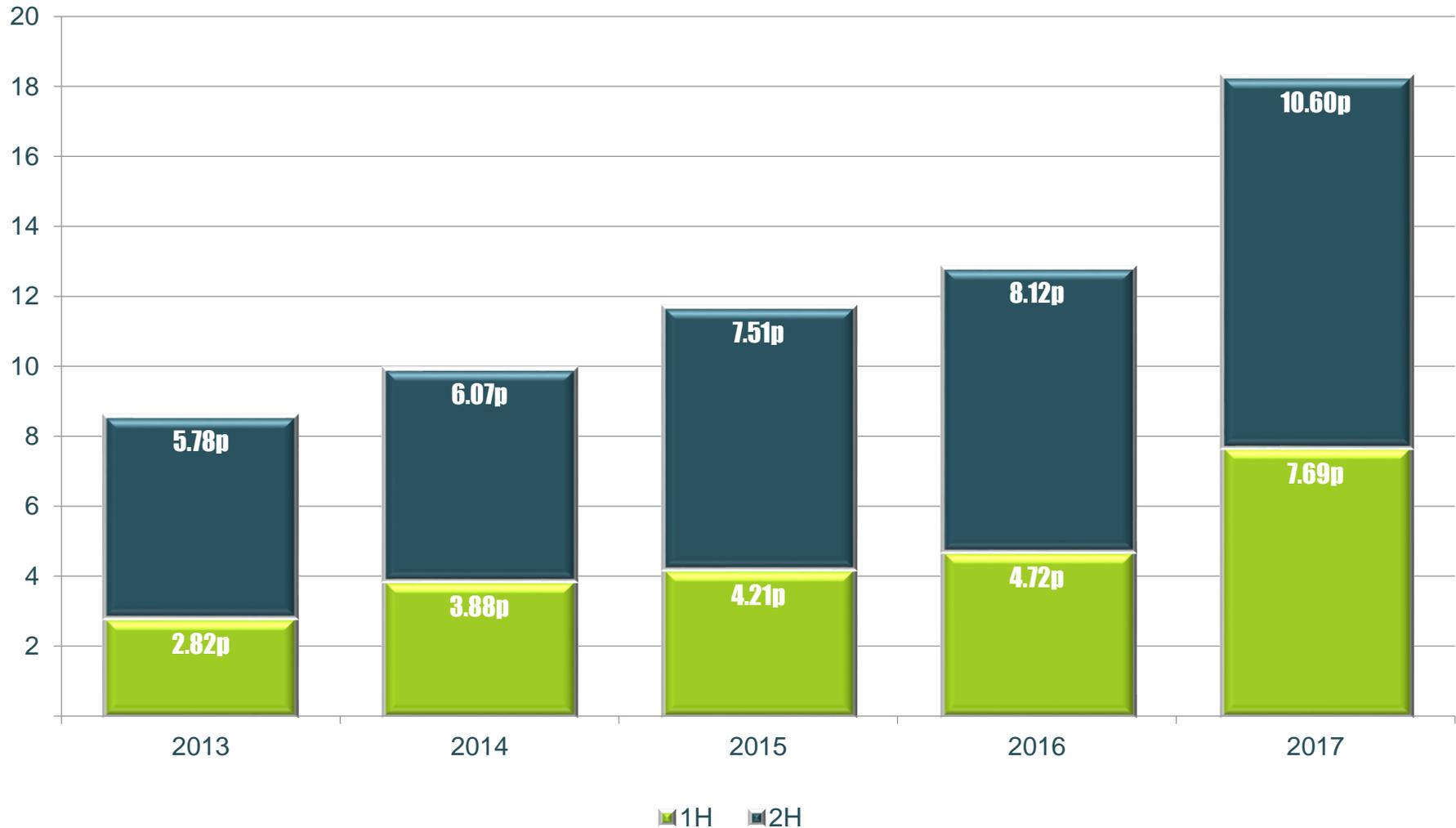
## Key Points

- 1. Fixed asset increase – land purchase**
- 2. Inventory levels higher – growth in business, raw material prices and FX**
- 3. Pension deficit reduced to £5.8m. Funding deficit only £0.3m**

# INTERIM/FINAL EARNINGS PER SHARE\*

2013-2017

“Consistent Profitable Growth”

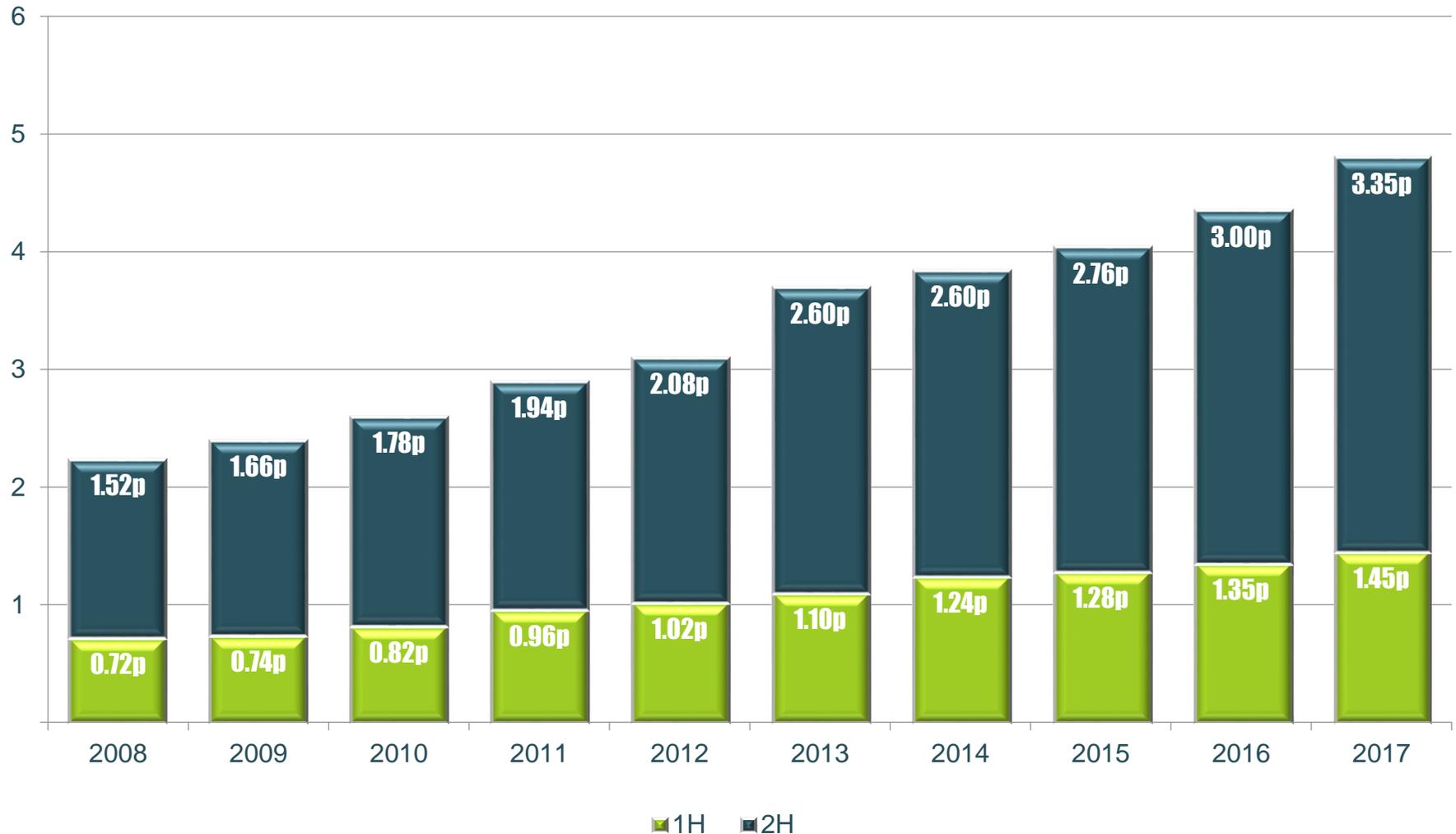


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# INTERIM / FINAL DIVIDENDS

2008-2017

“Progressive Dividend Policy”



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