Incitec Pivot Limited 2010 Interim Results

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IPL Group performance

Overview

NPAT excluding IMIs ↓ 14% to \$146.2M

Explosives business – EBIT 3% ↑

- ✓ Asia Pacific Business improved performance
- Challenging market conditions persist in North America
- ✓ Velocity program on track
- Higher A\$

Fertiliser business – EBIT 32% ↓

- ✓ Volume recovery in domestic distribution business
- Lower global fertiliser prices, higher A\$

Balance sheet in excellent shape

Diverse markets deliver sound result

IPL Group financial performance

Results summary

Half year ended 31 March (A\$M)	2010	2009	Change
Revenue	1,236.4	1,708.0	(28%)
EBIT ⁽¹⁾	230.1	272.2	(15%)
NPAT ⁽²⁾ – excluding individually material items	146.2	169.8	(14%)
Operating cashflow	79.2	(112.8)	170%
Dividends per share (cents)(3)	1.8	2.1	(14%)
Net Debt	1,276.5	2,105.4	39%

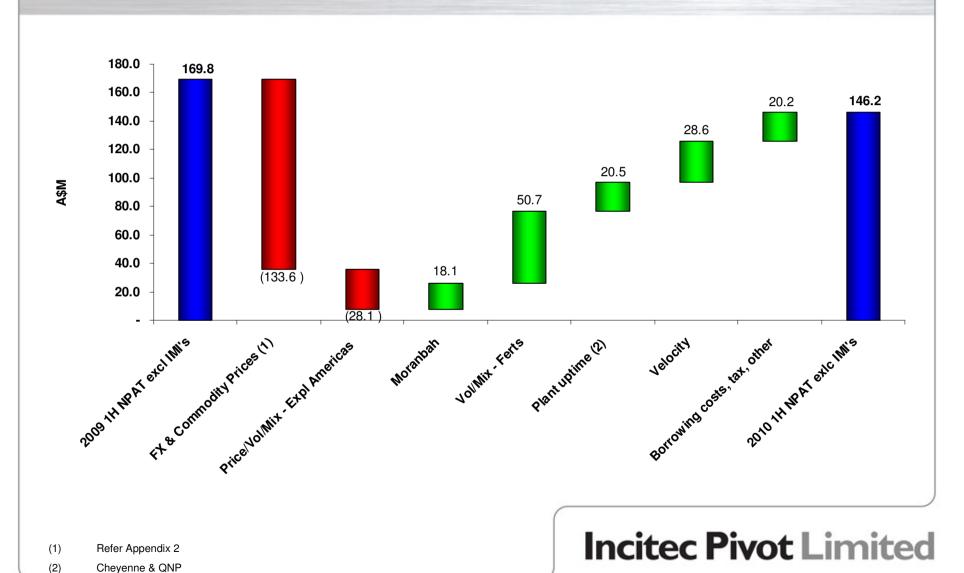
⁽¹⁾ Pre individually material items

⁽²⁾ Net Profit After Tax

^{(3) 2010} based on a diluted 1,619,569,865 weighted average number of issued shares. 2009 based on a diluted 1,478,060,354 weighted average number of shares

IPL Group performance

NPAT waterfall 1H 09: A\$169.8M v 1H 10: A\$146.2M



Strategy





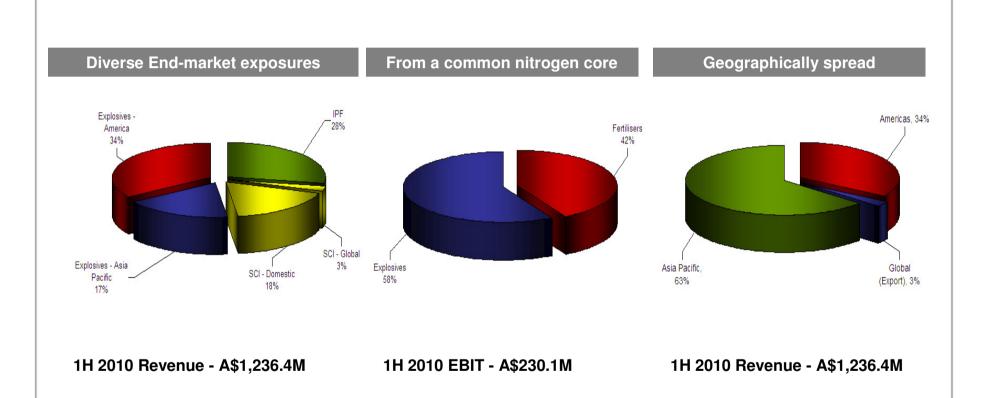


Strategy remains focused

Incitec Pivot's strategy is to leverage the industrialisation and urbanisation of the developing world (particularly China and India):

- Positioned on the input side of the value chain where returns are highest and less volatile
 - Explosives for hard commodities and fertiliser for soft commodities
- ➤ Capture value upstream through low cost, vertically integrated nitrogen based chemical manufacturing positions. Synergy created via common:
 - Nitrogen manufacturing core
 - Supply chain processes
 - Business efficiency program office processes

IPL Group performance Balance of revenue & earnings



Diverse markets deliver sound earnings

Business alignment to strategy

Americas Explosives

- Largest explosives market in the world
 - Industry size builds scale and expertise, which can be leveraged in other markets
 - Provides base scale across the broader business (eg. Initiating Systems Manufacturing)

Asia Pacific Explosives

- ✓ Growth engine of the IPL Group
 - Moranbah underpins and grows the Asia Pacific explosives business
 - Servicing customers with a direct link to the Asian growth thematic

Incitec Pivot Fertilisers

- ✓ Niche geographical positions leveraged to the global fertiliser market
 - Manufacturing assets and distribution position are directly linked to global fertiliser pricing – driven by demand for soft commodities

Southern Cross International

 Provides scale and market access for global sourcing, supply and sales

Strategic priorities

What we promised

Value – Zero Harm at the core



What we delivered

- 1H 2010 TRIFR⁽¹⁾ reducing to 1.30 from 1.37 in 1H 2009
- 36 recordable cases compared with 53 1H 2009
- 90% sites recordable case free (up from 80% 1H 2009)

Note: On 5 May, 2010 an employee fatality occurred in Quebec, Canada

Deliver on the investment in Dyno Nobel



- Velocity program delivered US\$25.9M,
 43% of 2010 target of US\$60M
- US\$96.9M delivered to date of program target of US\$204M
- Moranbah sourcing mitigates impact of project delay on customer contracts

Strategic priorities

What we promised

 Improve plant and supply chain reliability



Growth from the nitrogen core – Moranbah



 Continue to strengthen balance sheet



What we delivered

- Phosphate Hill / Mt Isa planned shut completed
- Cheyenne uptime
- Moranbah construction in progress
- 90% of plant sold out
- Project "confidently in control"
- 39% reduction in net debt to \$1.28Bn
- undrawn headroom \$1.14Bn
- Gearing 1.9x net debt / EBITDA

Moranbah update

Construction

- Engineering largely complete
- Full site mobilised 5 May 2010
- Peak workforce 4Q 2010, 1Q 2011
- 35% complete end March 2010
- \$333M spend of \$935M budget
- Production on track for end Q1 2012

Customers

- 90% sold out
- Confident 100% sold out prior to commissioning



Confidently in control

Explosives







Explosives scorecard

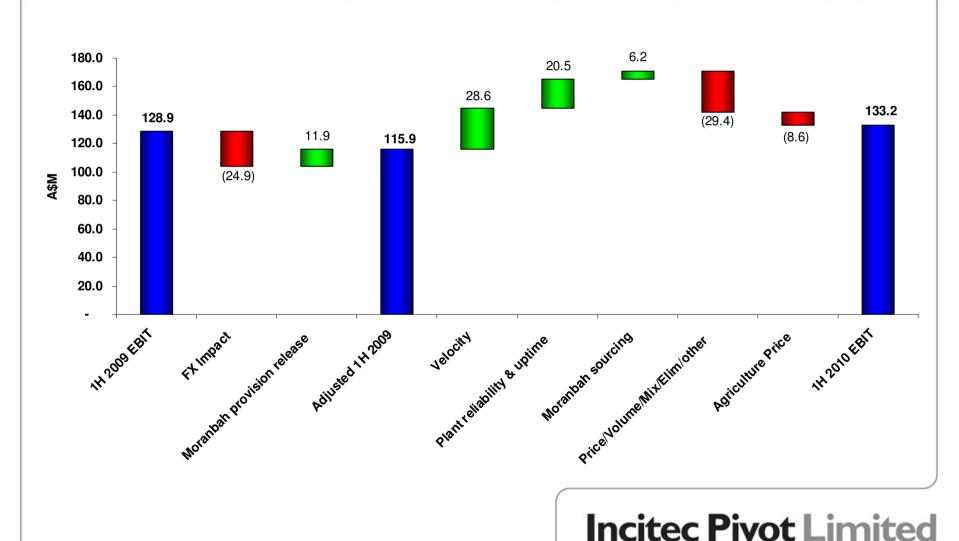
Results summary

- External market
 - North American US\$ revenues down 19%
 - FX impact on translation of US earnings \$24.9M
- ✓ Internal execution
 - ✓ Velocity: US\$25.9M cumulative EBIT benefits & US\$7.3M in cash
 - ✓ Plant reliability
 - Cheyenne uptime
 - QNP joint venture uprate benefits delivered
 - ✓ Improved sourcing in Asia Pacific global supply chain
 - Managing Moranbah supply
- ✓ Disciplined approach to Moranbah construction
 - Construction restarted "confidently in control"
 - Plant 90% committed

Improved performance in Asia Pacific, soft US markets

Explosives performance

EBIT waterfall - 1H 09: A\$128.9M v 1H 10: A\$133.2M

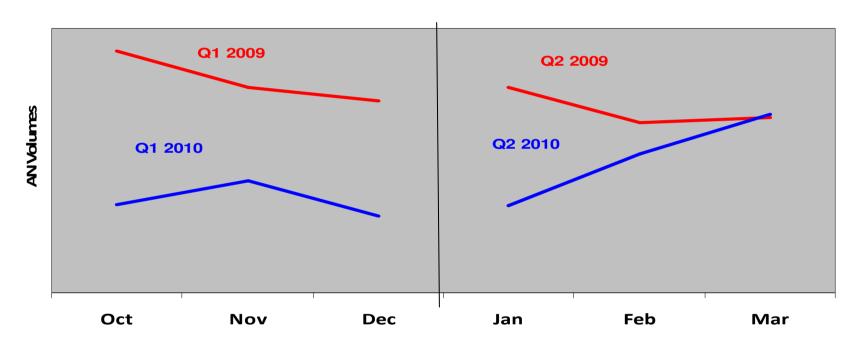


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Coal market

Destocking in 1H, inventories approaching average

US Coal Market



Coal Stocks at Power Stations:

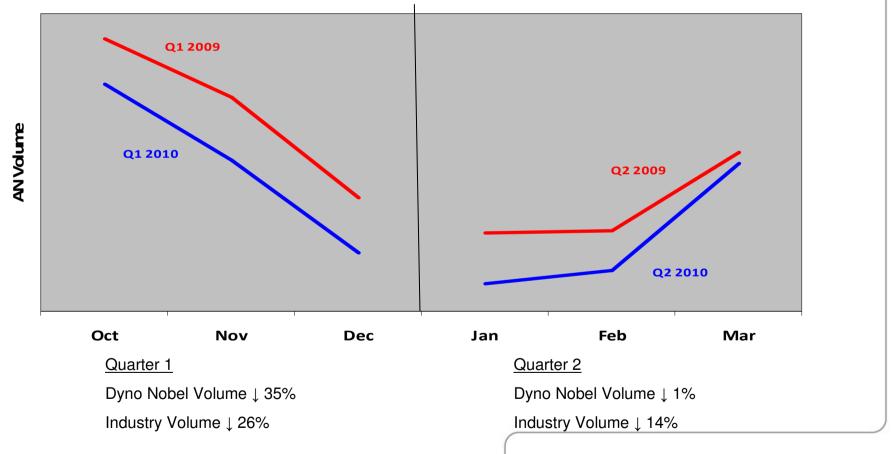
Sept 09 83 days Feb 10 59 days 3yr average 50 days

Drawdown on inventories during winter in the US

US quarry and construction

Leading share in US stone industry

US Stone Industry



Fertilisers







Fertilisers scorecard

Results summary

External market

- FX and commodity prices
- ✓ Volume and margin recovery to normal levels in distribution business

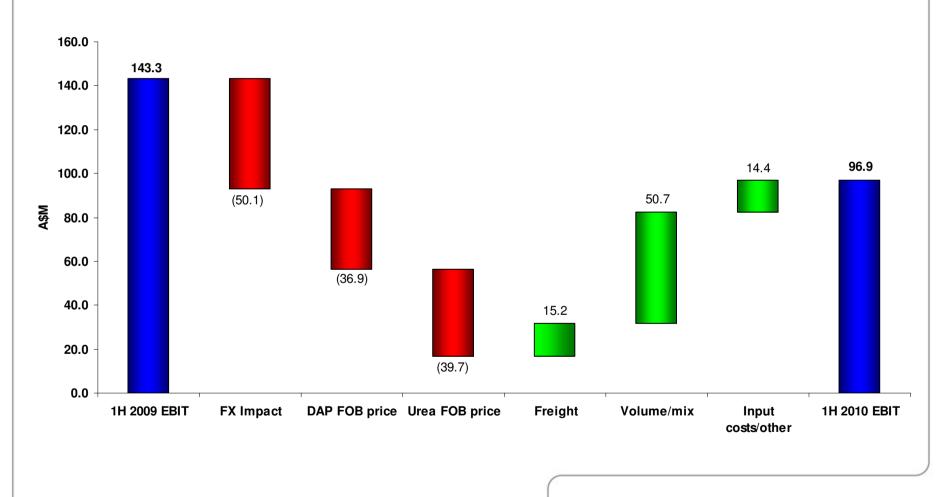
Internal execution

- ✓ More ammonium phosphate production for domestic sale (mostly benefits 2H 2010)
- ✓ Reliability issues at Phosphate Hill addressed:
 - planned shutdown complete (phosphoric acid reactors rebuilt)
- ✓ Strong cost control
- ✓ Efficient management of working capital

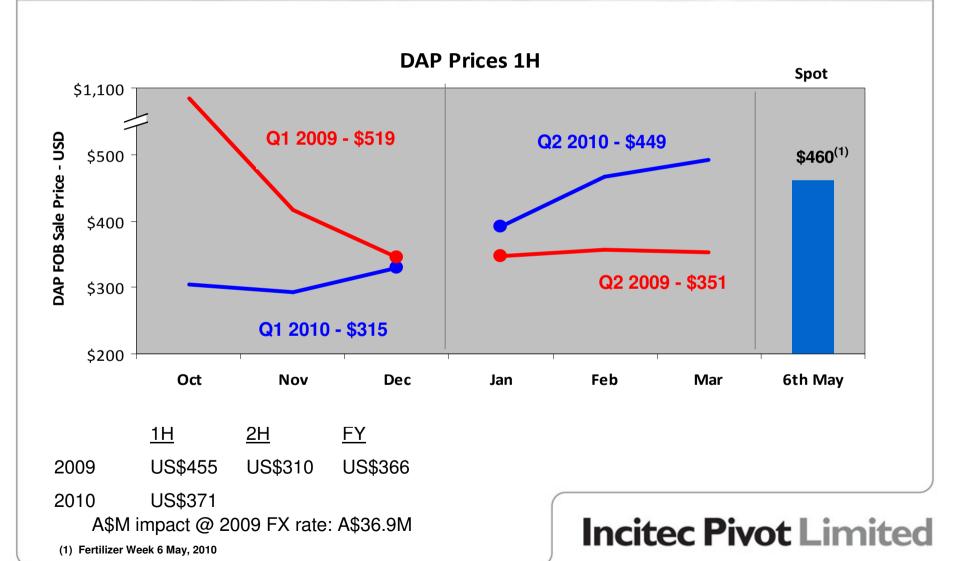
Strong internal execution; volume recovery

Fertilisers

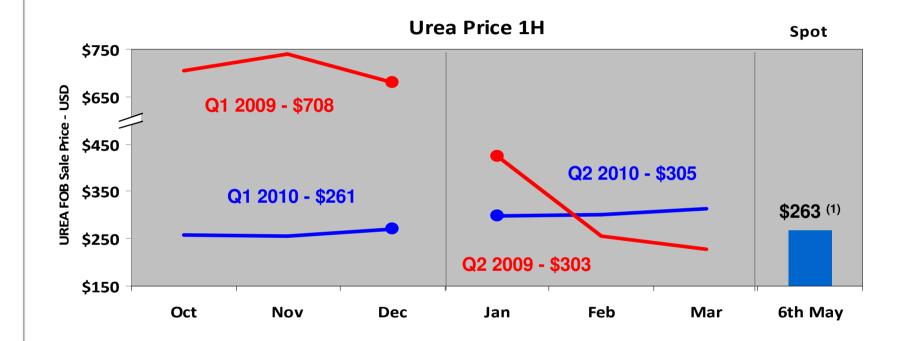
EBIT waterfall - 1H 09: A\$143.3M v 1H 10: A\$96.9M



Di-Ammonium Phosphate (DAP)



Urea



<u>1H</u> <u>2H</u> <u>FY</u>

2009 US\$505 US\$275 US\$339

2010 US\$283

A\$M impact @ 2009 FX rate: A\$39.7M

(1) Fertilizer Week 6 May, 2010

Frank Micallef Chief Financial Officer







Capital Management







Capital management outcomes – Net debt

Net debt reduced by A\$187M in 1H 2010 - from A\$1,464M to A\$1,277M and by A\$829M since March 2009:

- ✓ Positive operating cash flow for 1H 2010 \$79.2M
- ✓ Working capital management in both fertilisers and explosives
- ✓ Sustenance & turnaround capex tightly controlled
- ✓ US debt strategy delivers 5.1% average interest rate

Exceptional first half net debt outcome

Capital management initiatives - Funding

Funding Initiatives – Increased tenor and diversity of debt:

- √ 144A / Regulation S Bond issue: US\$800M; 10 years
- ✓ Diversity of funding
- ✓ Tenor of drawn funds Average 7 years
- ✓ US Debt strategy

tenor and diversity of funding has been delivered as promised

Capital management –

Headroom & credit metrics

Net debt at 31 March 2010	A\$Bn

Net debt 1.28

Headroom including cash 1.14

Investment grade credit metrics

Net debt / EBITDA(1)

Interest cover⁽²⁾

March 2010 Target range

1.9x < 2.5x

9.5x > 6.0x

strong headroom and credit metrics

- (1) Based on last 12 month historical EBITDA / Net debt at point in time
- (2) Interest cover = 12 month rolling EBITDA/net interest expense

Capital management – Dividends

Dividend policy

 20 - 40% pay-out of NPAT pre IMIs subject to franking capacity, capital requirements and other relevant factors

2010 Interim dividend

- 1.8 cents per share, unfranked, to be paid 6 July 2010 (record date 20 May 2010)
- Dividend Reinvestment Plan will not be underwritten.

prudent financial management

Transactional hedging

2H 2010 ammonium phosphates and urea sales

95% hedged @ no worse than 89.5 cents

FY 2011 ammonium phosphates and urea sales

 60% hedged @ no worse than 91 cents, fully participating down to 80 cents and partially participating below 80 cents

James Fazzino Managing Director & CEO







Outlook

- Challenging trading conditions to persist through 2010 in each of our downstream markets
- Positives for medium term outlook
 - rebuilding of soil nutrients
 - recovery in US economy
- Continued efficiency improvements from the Velocity program and plant reliability

continued focus on controllables in 2H 2010

Summary

- Diverse markets delivered a sound result, despite the higher A\$, lower global fertiliser prices, and the US economy which was at its cyclical bottom in the 1H
- Velocity program on track
- Improved plant reliability global risk and reliability focus
- Significantly improved cash flows and net debt position underpin a strong balance sheet

A sound result

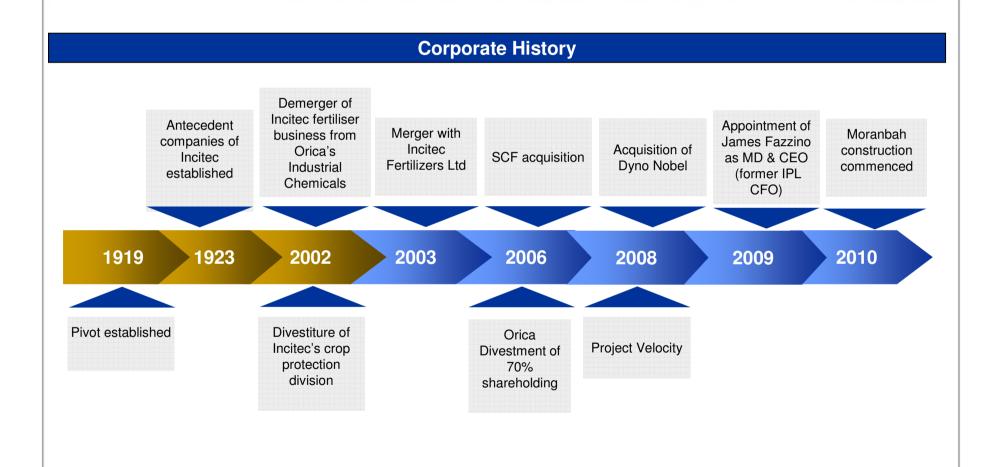
Questions?







Appendix 1: IPL history & evolution



Transition of business

Appendix 2: FX and commodity pricing

Commodity Driess

Commodity Prices	<u> </u>	
DAP US\$371 vs US\$455	(36.9)	
Urea US\$285 vs US\$505	(39.7)	
Nitrogen – US Ag business	(8.6)	
Sulphur/other	11.4	
Freight (urea & DAP)	<u>15.2</u>	(58.6)
FX Rate		
DAP 71.9 vs 89.8	(39.8)	
Urea	(10.3)	
Translational FX 90.7 vs 66.8	<u>(24.9)</u>	<u>(75.0)</u>
FX & Commodity Pricing		(133.6)

Appendix 3: Capital management - Interest cost

Half year ended 31 March (A\$M)	2010	2009	Change
Total borrowing costs	41.7	65.5	36%
Less back unwinding of discount on provisions	<u>(5.6)</u>	<u>(4.1)</u>	(37%)
Interest cost	36.1	61.4	41%
Average net debt during the period	1,413	2,225	36%
Average interest rate	5.1%	5.5%	

Appendix 4: 2010 full year EBIT sensitivities

Urea – Middle East Granular Urea (FOB)⁽¹⁾ +/- US\$10/t = +/- A\$4.6M

DAP – Di-Ammonium Phosphate Tampa (FOB)⁽²⁾ +/- US\$10/t = +/- A\$10.8M

FX – transactional (DAP & Urea)⁽³⁾ +/- 1 cent = A\$5.8M

FX – translation of Explosives US\$ earnings⁽⁴⁾ +/- 1 cent = A\$0.6M

2010 earnings sensitive to DAP, urea and US\$ currency

Assumptions:

- 1. 405kt urea equivalent sales at the 1H 2010 realised price of US\$285/t
- 970kt DAP sales at the 1H 2010 realised price of US\$371/t
- 3. DAP & Urea based on assumptions 1 and 2
- 4. For each US\$50M EBIT