

2015 Annual Results











2015 Annual Results – Highlights

2015	2014

EBITDA	US\$88m	US\$82m
Operating Cash Flow	US\$99m	US\$94m
Underlying Loss	-US\$28m	-US\$56m
Net Loss	-US\$18.5m	-US\$285m

- Reduced losses in one of the weakest dry bulk markets on record
- Positive turnaround of Supramax by focusing trades, growing parcelling business and significantly reduced charter-in costs
- Reduced vessel opex per day through scale benefits & good cost control
- Positive Towage results, RoRo sale fully finalised
- Overall G&A reduced by US\$19 million
- Operating more owned ships and redelivering expiring medium and long-term chartered ships to further reduce our daily vessel costs while enabling greater control and service quality



Our Performance in 2015 and Cover for 2016

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US\$/day	Handysize	Supramax
PB TCE per day 2015	\$7,870	\$9,170
Market Index Rate	\$5,110	\$6,620
PB Outperformance	\$2,760	\$2,550
	54%	39%

2016

PB TCE per day 2016	\$7,800	\$7,330
% of Contracted Days Covered	44%	59%



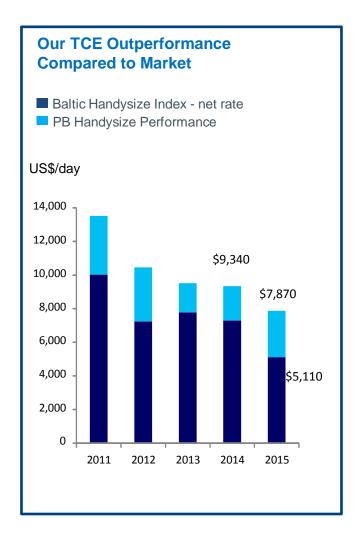








Our Ability to Outperform



Our business model has been built up and refined over many years. Through a combination of the following factors, we are able to generate a premium over market rates due to our high laden percentage (minimum ballast legs):

- Experienced staff & global office network
- Large fleet of high-quality substitutable ships
- Our cargo contracts, relationships & direct interaction with end users
- An increasing proportion of owned vessels facilitating greater control and minimising trading constraints
- Handysize Segment's versatile ships and diverse trades

Average premium last 5 years:

- Handysize TCE: US\$2,650/day (2015: \$2,760)
- Supramax TCE: **US\$1,780/day** (2015: \$2,550)



Balance Sheet & Liquidity

31 December 2015

US\$m	2015	2014
Cash Position	358	363
Committed but undrawn loan facilities	375	
Remaining Newbuilding Capital Commitments	274	
Net Borrowings	568	
Vessels & Other Fixed Assets	1,611	
Net Gearing	35%	40%

- New US\$125million convertible bonds in 1H15, maturity 2021
- US\$140million proceeds from RoRo & Towage Sales collected during the year
- US\$14million of Towage assets sold with payment & delivery early 2016 and about US\$22million of towage assets remains in Middle East
- Repayment of US\$230million Convertible Bonds due 2016



Dry Bulk Spot Market at 30 Year Lows

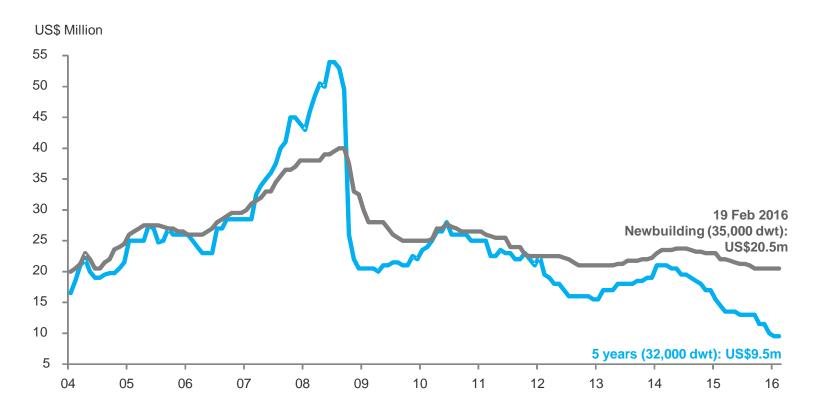
Baltic Handysize Index (BHSI) & Baltic Supramax Index (BSI)



- BDI fell 38% in 2015 and registered its weakest average since the index began in 1986
- Strong South American grain exports drove up rates in 3Q15
- Rates reduced thereafter to record low levels slight recovery after Chinese New Year



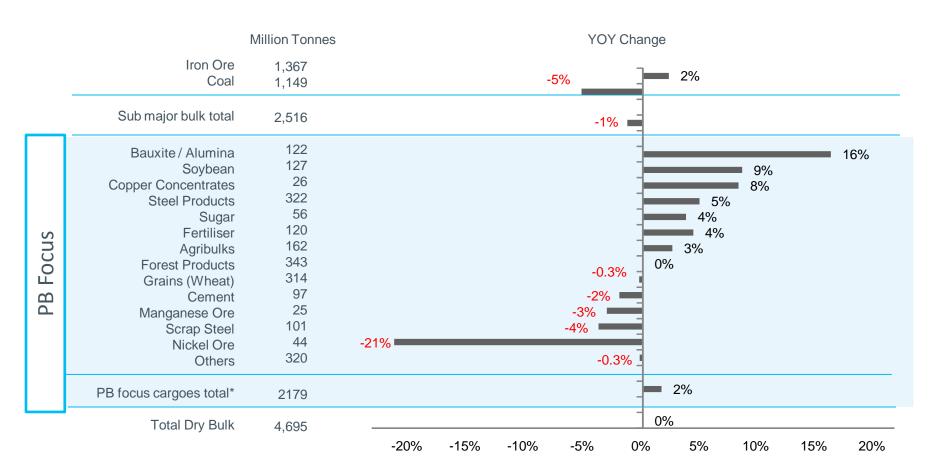
Handysize Vessel Values



- All time high spread between newbuilding and secondhand values
- Leading to very few new orders
- Increasingly difficult to establish vessel fair market values



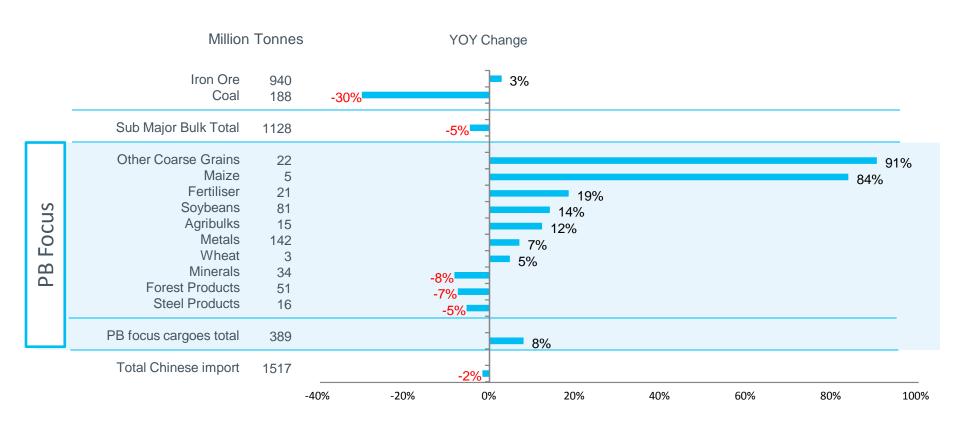
Dry Bulk Seaborne Trade in 2015



^{*} Minor bulk trade: 1,588 mil tonnes

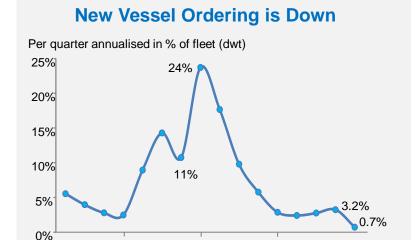


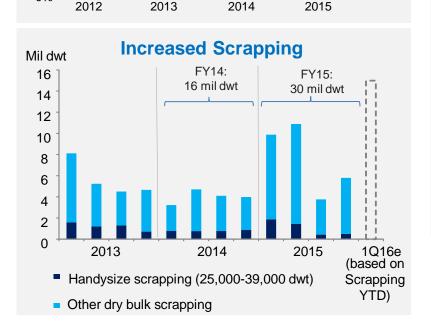
Chinese Seaborne Dry Bulk Imports 2015



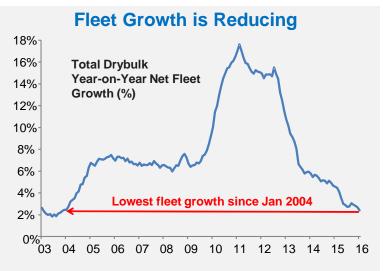


Self Correcting Supply Factors









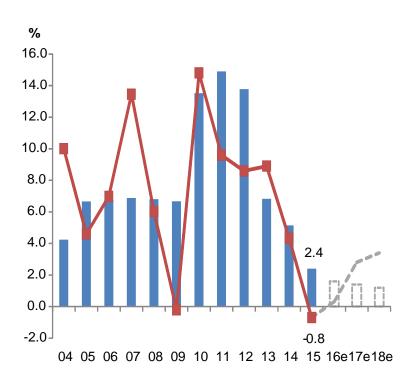
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Source: Clarksons Platou

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Dry Bulk Supply & Demand



Net fleet growth Effective Demand growth Analyst's forecast

Supply:

- 2015 net fleet growth: 2.4% (smallest growth since 2003)
- New deliveries partly offset by increased scrapping (Handysize: 8.5% new deliveries vs 6% scrapping)
- Low fuel prices
 - → ↑ increasing ship operating speeds in 3Q
 - → increasing effective shipping supply
- Scrapping YTD indicates potential contraction of the global fleet in full year 2016

Demand based on tonne-mile:

- 2015 overall dry bulk -0.8%; minor bulk: +1%
- Slower Chinese economic growth:
 - ↑ hydro-electric power
 - ↑ China's domestic coal industry protection
 - → 30% decline in Chinese coal imports

Source: Clarksons Platou



2015 Financial Highlights

US\$m	2015	2014
Pacific Basin Dry Bulk	(33.8)	(39.4)
PB Towage	6.2	(15.1)
Others		(1.0)
Underlying loss	(27.8)	(55.5)
Unrealised derivative income/(expense)		(28.9)
Sale of towage assets	2.8	(7.6)
RoRo and towage exchange loss	(1.5)	(17.7)
Provision for onerous contracts		(100.9)
Towage impairments and provisions		(70.5)
Other impairments and provisions		(3.9)
Loss attributable to shareholders		(285.0)

- Results in line with 26 Nov 2015 announcement
- Underlying loss cut in half
- Our significantly reduced Towage operation generated US\$6.2m profit -US\$1.6m from operations and US\$4.6m from OMSA transaction



2015 Pacific Basin Dry Bulk

Handysize		2015	2014	Change
Revenue days	(days)	51,600	56,210	-8%
TCE earnings	(US\$/day)	7,870	9,340	-16%
Owned + chartered costs	(US\$/day)	7,930	8,750	+9%
Handysize contribution	(US\$m)	(8.4)	28.5	>-100%
Supramax				
Revenue days	(days)	23,300	22,410	+4%
TCE earnings	(US\$/day)	9,170	10,460	-12%
Owned + chartered costs	(US\$/day)	8,190	11,050	+26%
Supramax contribution	(US\$m)	22.6	(14.8)	>100%

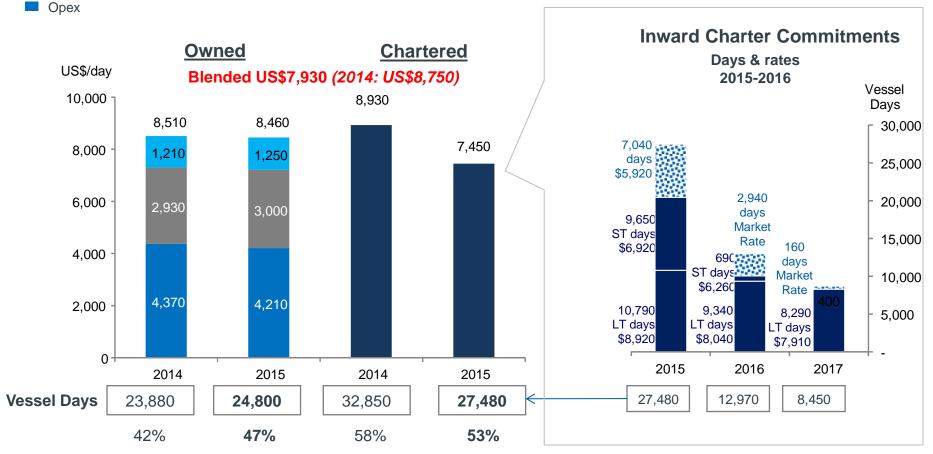
- Weak market condition impacted both Handysize and Supramax TCE
- Significant turnaround in our Supramax performance from:
 - concentrating on key trades;
 - more parcelling;
 - significantly reduced charter-in costs



2015 Daily Vessel Costs – Handysize



As at 31 December 2015

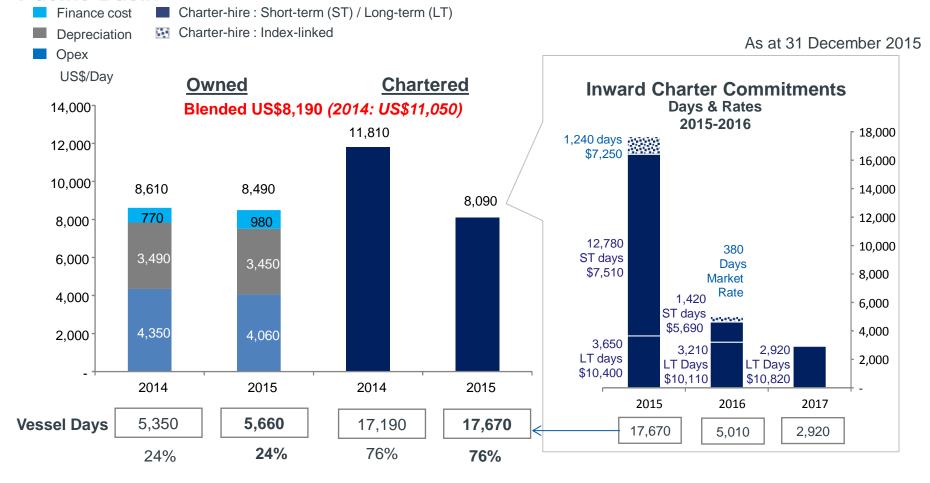


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- Charter-hire cost significantly reduced

^{*} Chartered rates are shown net of provision



2015 Daily Vessel Costs – Supramax



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2015 Balance Sheet

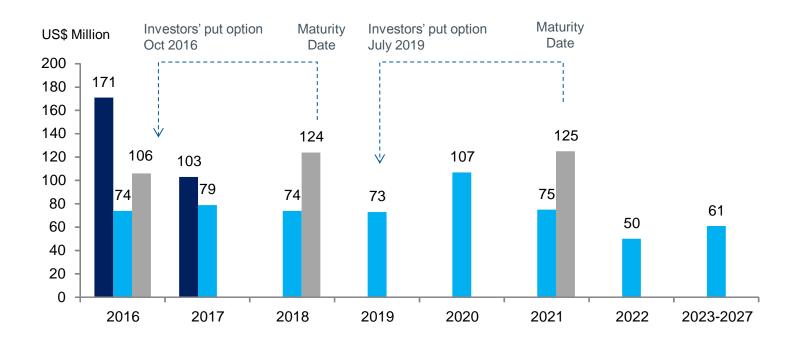
US\$m	PB Dry Bulk	31 Dec 15	31 Dec 14
Vessels & other fixed assets	1,578	1,611	1,585
Total assets	1,740	2,146	2,308
Total borrowings	926	926	1,000
Total liabilities	1,118	1,175	1,306
Net assets 622		971	1,002
Net borrowings (total cask US\$358m)	568	636	
Net borrowings to net book value of property, plant and equipment KPI		35%	40%

- Vessel average net book value: Handysize \$16.2m, 8.4 years, Supramax \$22.7m, 6.4 years
- Towage net asset: US\$36m
- KPI: net gearing below 50%
- Group in compliance with loan covenants



Borrowings and Capex

As at 31 December 2015



- Vessel capital commitments (US\$274 million)
- Bank borrowings (US\$593 million)
- Convertible bonds, face value US\$355 million, book value US\$332million
- US\$375m of undrawn banking facilities



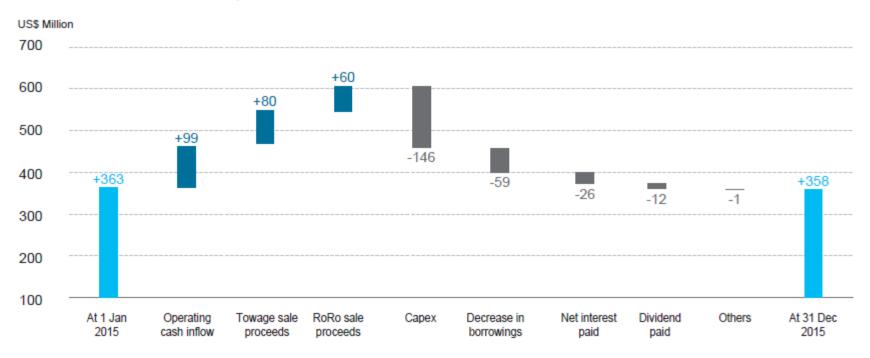
Cash Flow in 2015

As at 31 December 2015

- Cash and deposits balance
- Cash inflow
- Cash outflow

Operating cash flow	US\$99m
EBITDA	US\$88m

Sources and Uses of Group Cash Flow in 2015





Our Outlook and Strategy

Dry Bulk Outlook

- Minor bulk demand is growing and less dependent on China than iron ore and coal. Reduced commodity prices is also stimulating demand.
- The shipping market has a track record of over-reacting in both directions -This is not the end of dry bulk transportation!
- Current market rates below operating cash costs are not sustainable
- Scrapping will be encouraged by low freight rates, cost of routine dry-dockings and new ballast water treatment system requirements
- Negative sentiment and low secondhand values discourage new orders and increase cancellations and postponement of newbuildings
- These self-correcting supply side factors will drive the market to better balance but the timing of the recovery is hard to forecast

Strategy

- Make the most of our business model, customer focus and position as a strong/preferred counterparty.
- Continued focus on cost savings and efficiencies (without compromising safety) and further reductions in vessel costs by redelivery of long and medium term chartered-in ships
- We are managing our business for a continued weak market in the medium term and are prioritising safety and staying power





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Appendix: Pacific Basin Overview

- A leading dry bulk owner/operator of Handysize & Supramax dry bulk ships
- Cargo system business model outperforming market rates
- About 200 dry bulk ships on the water serving major industrial customers around the world
- Hong Kong headquarters, 12 offices worldwide, 330 shore-based staff, 3,000 seafarers*
- Our vision: To be a shipping industry leader and the partner of choice for customers, staff, shareholders and other stakeholders





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Pacific Basin business principles
and our Corporate Video



Appendix: Strategic Model

MARKET-LEADING CUSTOMER FOCUS & SERVICE

Priority to build and sustain long-term customer relationships

Solution-driven approach ensures accessibility, responsiveness and flexibility towards customers

Close partnership with customers generates enhanced access to spot cargoes and longterm cargo contract opportunities of mutual benefit

LARGE LEROS ATILE FLEET STRONG CORPORTER STRONG CORPORTER

LARGE FLEET & MODERN VERSATILE SHIPS

Fleet scale and interchangeable high-quality ships facilitate service flexibility for customers, optimised scheduling and maximised vessel and fleet utilisation

In-house technical operations facilitate enhanced health & safety, quality and cost control, and enhanced service reliability and seamless integrated service and support for customers

COMPREHENSIVE GLOBAL OFFICE NETWORK

Integrated international service enhanced by experienced commercial and technical staff around the world

Being local facilitates clear understanding of and response to customers' needs and firstrate personalised service

Being global facilitates comprehensive market intelligence and cargo opportunities, and optimal trading and positioning of our fleet

STRONG CORPORATE & FINANCIAL PROFILE

Striving for best-in-class internal and external reporting, transparency and corporate stewardship

Strong cash position and track record set us apart as a preferred counterparty

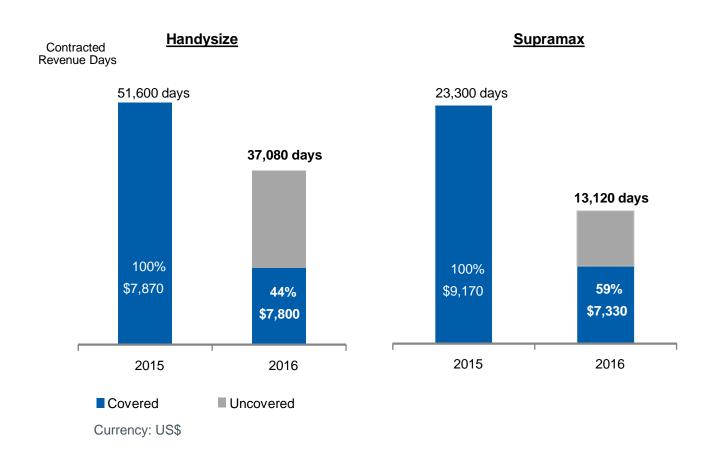
Hong Kong listing & location facilitates good access to capital

Responsible observance of stakeholder interests and our commitment to good corporate governance and CSR

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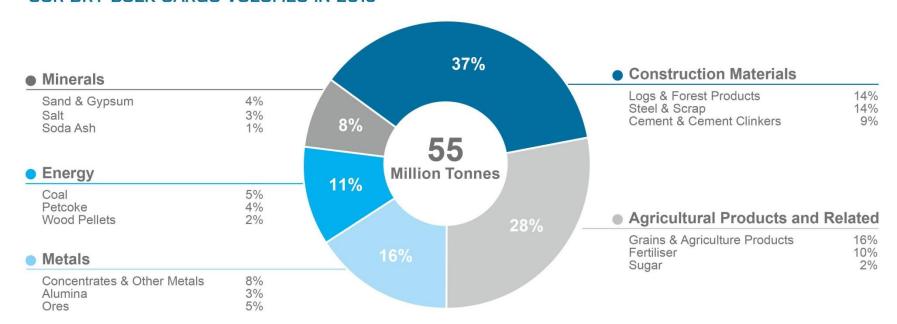
Appendix: Earnings Cover for 2016





Appendix: Pacific Basin Dry Bulk – Diversified Cargo

OUR DRY BULK CARGO VOLUMES IN 2015



- Diverse range of commodities reduces product risk
- China and North America were our largest market
- 60% of business in Pacific and 40% in Atlantic

More than 400 customers!



Appendix: Fleet List – 31 Jan 2016*

Pacific Basin Dry Bulk Fleet: 225

Average age of core fleet: 6.5 years old

	Owned		Chartered		Total
	Delivered	Newbuilding	Delivered*	Newbuilding	
Handysize	69	8	66	5	148
Supramax	16	5	53	1	75
Post-Panamax	1	0	1	0	2
Total	86	13	120	6	225

PB Towage: 12

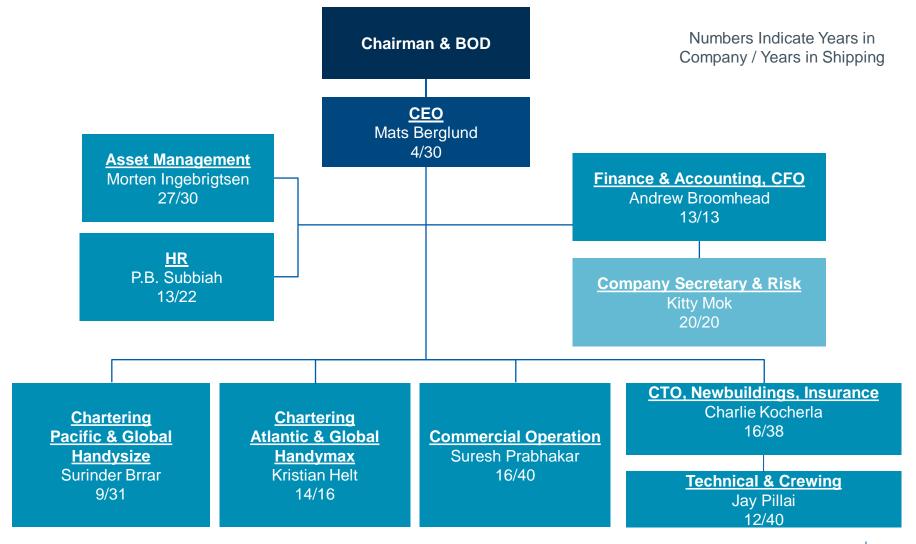
	Owned
Tugs	10
Barges	2
Total	12



^{*} Our delivered fleet in operation is defined as the number of owned ships at 31 Jan 2016 + average number of chartered ships in full month of January



Appendix: Experienced Management - Team





Appendix: Sustainability

- Applying sustainable thinking in our decisions and the way we run our business
- Creating long-term value through good corporate governance and CSR

Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR)

- Guided by strategic objectives on (i) workplace practices (primarily safety), (ii) the environment, and (iii) our communities (where our ships trade and our people live and work)
- Active approach to CSR, with KPIs to measure effectiveness

www.pacificbasin.com CSR report



- Reporting follows SEHK's ESG Reporting Guide
- Disclosure also through CDP, HKQAA, CFR for HK-listed companies

Corporate Governance & Risk Management

- Adopted recommended best practices under SEHK's CG Code (with quarterly trading update)
- Closely integrated Group strategy and risk management

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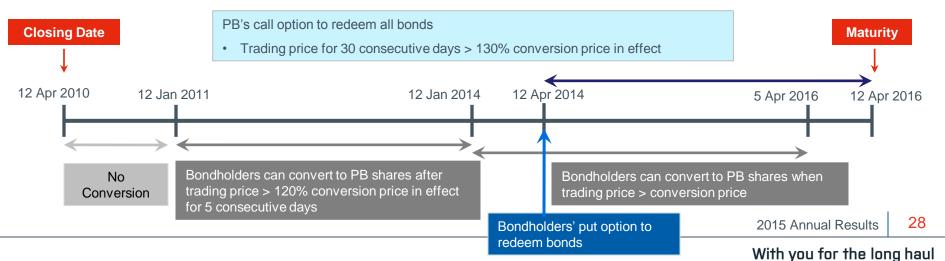
- Transparency priority
- Stakeholder engagement includes in-depth customer and investor surveys
- Risk management committee interaction with management and business units
- Integrated Reporting following International <IR>> Framework of IIRC



Appendix: Convertible Bonds Due 2016

Current size as at 31 Dec 15: I	US\$106m)
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12 April 2016 (6 years)	
12 April 2014 (4 years) at par	
1.75% p.a. payable semi-annu	ually in arrears on 12 April and 12 October
100%	
HK\$7.98 (Current conversion)	price: HK\$ 6.97 with effect from 27 April 2015)
Before 11 Jan 2011:	No Conversion is allowed
12 Jan 2011 – 11 Jan 2014:	Share price for 5 consecutive days > 120% conversion price
12 Jan 2014 – 5 Apr 2016:	Share price > conversion price
To purchase the 3.3% Existing Convertible Bonds due 2013, then redeem the 2013 Convertible Bonds (now all redeemed & cancelled)	
 Shareholders' approval at SGM to approve the issue of the New Convertible Bonds and the specific mandate to issue associated shares. If the specific mandate is approved by the shareholders at the SGM, the Company would not pursue 	
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Conversion/redemption Timeline

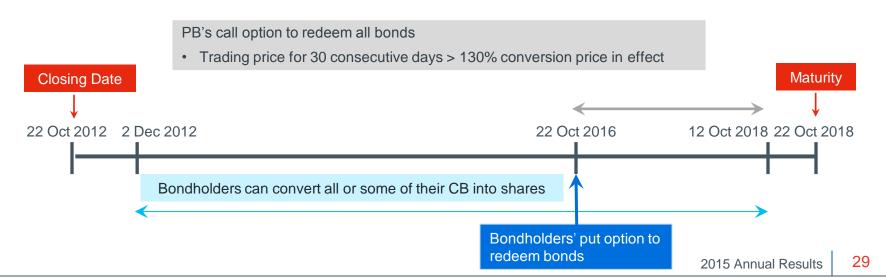




Appendix: Convertible Bonds Due 2018

Issue size	US\$123.8 million
Maturity Date	22 October 2018 (6 years)
Investor Put Date and Price	22 October 2016 (4 years) at par
PB's Call Option	 Trading price for 30 consecutive days > 130% conversion price in effect >90% of Bond converted / redeemed / purchased / cancelled
Coupon	1.875% p.a. payable semi-annually in arrears on 22 April and 22 October
Redemption Price	100%
Initial Conversion Price	HK\$4.96 (current conversion price: HK\$4.75 with effect from 27 April 2015)
Intended Use of Proceeds	To acquire additional Handysize and Handymax vessels, as well as for general working capital

Conversion/redemption Timeline

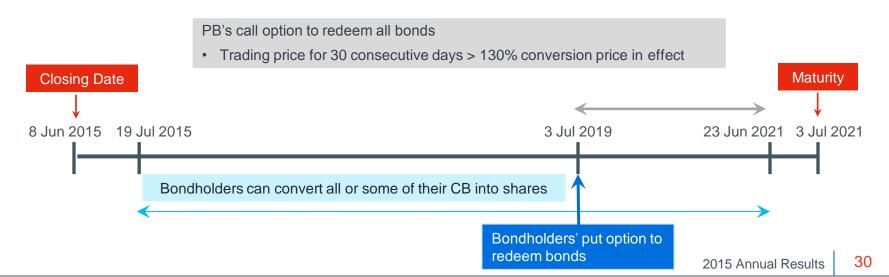




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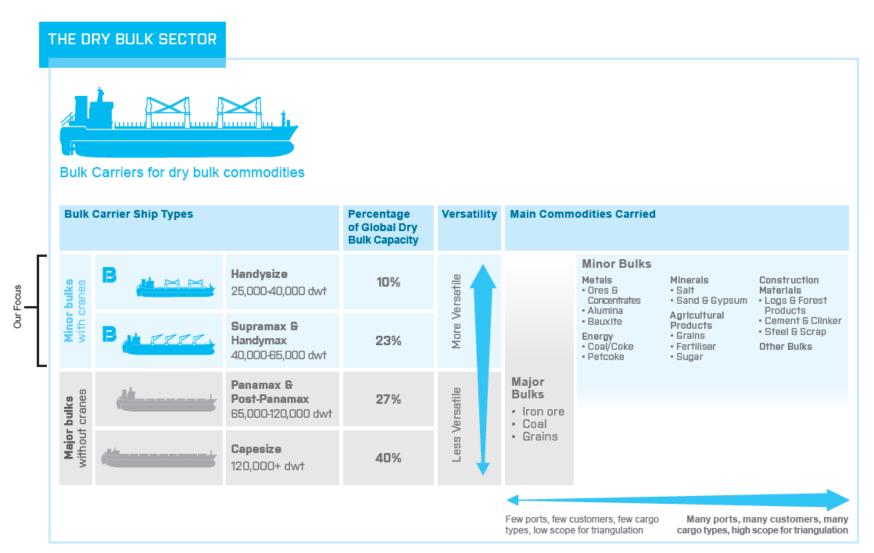
Issue size	US\$125 million
Maturity Date	3 July 2021 (approx. 6 years)
Investor Put Date and Price	3 July 2019 (approx. 4 years) at par
Coupon	3.25% p.a. payable semi-annually in arrears on 3 January and 3 July
Redemption Price	100%
Initial Conversion Price	HK\$4.08
Intended Use of Proceeds	To maintain the Group's balance sheet strength and liquidity and to continue to proactively manage its upcoming liabilities, including its Existing Convertible Bonds, as well as for general working capital purposes
Conditions	Shareholders' approval at a SGM to approve the issue of the new Convertible Bonds and the issue of new shares upon conversion of the new Convertible Bonds.

Conversion/redemption Timeline



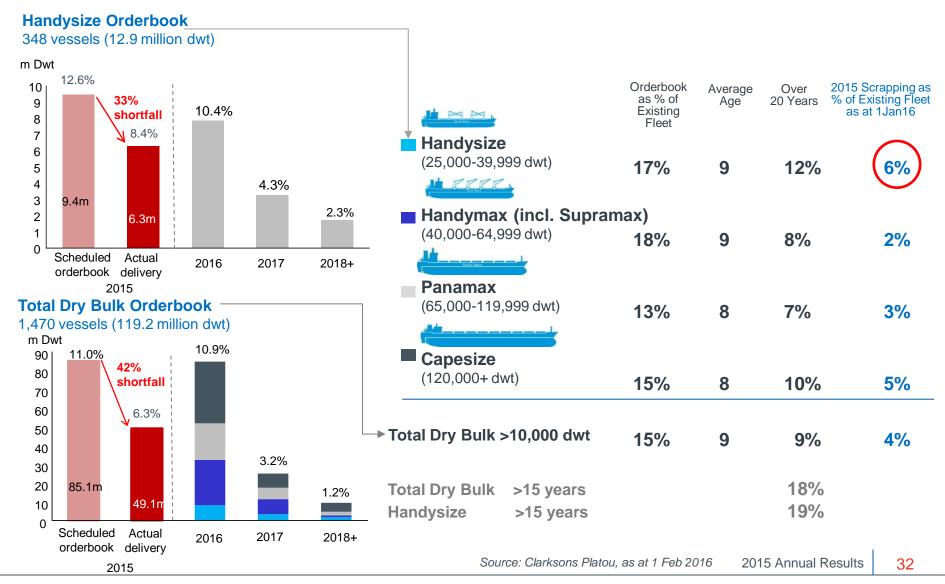


Appendix: Understanding Our Core Market





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Appendix: China Dry Bulk, Coal & Iron Ore Trade

