# **Preliminary Results**

Presentation

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## Financial Headlines



	FY 06 £'m	FY 05 £'m	% Change
Branded Revenue	677.7	695.8	(2.6)
EBIT EBIT Margin	73.7 10.9%	73.3 10.5%	0.5 <i>0.4%pt</i> s
Profit after Tax	39.6	39.7	(0.3)
Basic earnings per share	18.4	18.5	(0.5)
Free cash flow	48.9	(10.3)	
Return on Invested Capital	17.0%	16.8%	

### Full year Dividend per share of 10p

Note: all numbers exclude the effect of the discontinued Private Label Water business and are before exceptional costs. 2005 numbers are proforma numbers.

## Summary FY 06 - Operating Profit



	FY 06 £'m	FY 05 £'m	% Change
Branded Volume (million litres)	1330.6	1375.5	(3.3)
Average Realised Price (ARP) per litre	50.9	50.6	0.6
Branded Revenue	677.7	695.8	(2.6)
Brand Contribution	289.1	299.0	(3.3)
Non brand A&P	(6.1)	(6.6)	7.6
Fixed Supply Chain	(68.0)	(66.2)	(2.7)
Selling Costs	(86.0)	(88.8)	3.2
Overhead and other costs	(55.3)	(64.1)	13.7
EBIT	73.7	73.3	0.5
EBIT Margin	10.9%	10.5%	0.4%pts

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## Performance H2 on H1



	H1 06 on H1 05	H2 06 on H2 05	Movement
	%	%	% pts
Volume			
Carbonates	(7.2)	(4.2)	+3.0
Stills	0.3	3.8	+3.5
Total	(4.9)	(1.7)	+3.2
Revenue			
Carbonates	(9.0)	(4.7)	+4.3
Stills	(1.0)	5.6	+6.6
Total	(5.3)	-	+5.3
Brand Contribution Margin (%pt mov	ement)		
Carbonates	(3.0)	0.8	+3.8
Stills	(2.7)	3.2	+5.9
Total	(2.7)	1.9	+4.6
EBIT Margin (%pt movement)	(0.9)	1.3	+2.2

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## Carbonates



	FY 06 £'m	FY 05 £'m	% Change
Volume (million litres)	848.3	899.6	(5.7)
ARP per litre	39.2p	39.7p	(1.3)
Revenue	332.5	356.9	(6.8)
Brand Contribution	130.1	143.3	(9.2)
Brand Contribution Margin	39.1%	40.2%	(1.1)% pts

Direct product costs increased by 2.1%

## Stills



	FY 06 £'m	FY 05 £'m	% Change
Volume (million litres)	446.5	437.3	2.1
ARP per litre	72.1p	71.9	0.3
Revenue	321.7	314.3	2.4
Brand Contribution	152.0	147.5	3.1
Brand Contribution Margin	47.2%	46.9%	0.3% pts

Direct product costs increased by 0.9%

## International



	FY 06 £'m	FY 05 £'m	% Change
Volume (million litres)	35.8	38.6	(7.3)
ARP per litre	65.6p	63.9	2.7
Revenue	23.5	24.7	(4.9)
Brand Contribution	7.0	8.2	(14.6)
Brand Contribution Margin	29.8%	33.2%	(3.4)% pts

Direct product costs decreased by 3.2%

## Overheads and other costs



	FY 06 £'m	FY 05 £'m	% Change
Non Brand A&P	(6.1)	(6.6)	7.6
Total A&P spend A&P as % Net Revenue	(44.6) 6.6%	(48.9) 7.0%	8.7
Fixed Supply Chain	(68.0)	(66.2)	(2.7)
Selling Costs	(86.0)	(88.8)	3.2
Overheads & Other	(55.3)	(64.1)	13.7
Total	(215.4)	(225.7)	4.6

## **EBIT** to Earnings



	FY 06 £'m	FY 05 £'m	% Change
EBIT	73.7	73.3	0.5
Interest	(17.8)	(16.5)	(7.9)
Profit before tax	55.9	56.8	(1.6)
Tax	(16.3)	(17.1)	4.7
Tax rate	29.2%	30.1%	
Profit after tax	39.6	39.7	(0.3)

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## **Exceptional Items**



		FY 06 £'m
Cash items	IPO Costs	5.5
	Restructuring costs	7.0
		12.5
Share items	Transitional Share Awards	3.0
	All employee share offer*	2.8
		18.3
Non cash items	Wind up of IHG share options	0.8
	Total exceptional items	19.1
	Total exceptional items after tax	15.4

<sup>\*£300</sup>k purchased rather than issued

## Improving Cash Position and Reducing Working Capital



	FY 06 £'m	FY 05 £'m	% Change
Operating Profit pre exceptionals	73.7	73.3	0.5
Depreciation	47.3	47.0	0.7
EBITDA	121.0	120.3	0.6
Working Capital	12.3	(16.2)	
Capital Expenditure	(33.0)	(51.7)	36.1
Pension contribution	(30.0)	(30.0)	_
Other	(21.3)	(32.8)	34.9
Free Cash flow	48.9	(10.3)	
Dividends	(105.0)	(236.0)	55.5
Net Cash Flow pre exceptionals	(56.0)	(246.4)	77.3
Free Cash Flow post exceptionals	36.1	(16.2)	
Net Debt	(282.6)	(312.3)	
Return on Invested Capital	17.0%	16.8%	

## Dividends



- Interim Dividend of 3 pence per share
- Final Dividend of 7 pence per share payable on 16th February 2007
- Total Dividend of 10 pence per share

#### Guidance



- Hot summer benefit in FY06 of £2.5m at an EBIT level
- PVO £2m further saving in 2007
- Brand contribution reflected in FY06 numbers expected to be sustainable
- On track to deliver £18m of planned cost savings by 2008:
  - · 2007 incremental savings of £4m identified
  - 2008 incremental savings of £3m identified
  - No employee bonus paid in 06 07 employee bonus provision of £5m
- EBIT margin growth of 10-15 bps
- Exceptional items:
  - c.£2-4m of Transitional Share Awards costs each year through 07 and 08
  - c.£1.5m restructuring costs in 07
- Taxation:
  - FY tax rate at c.29% in line with 06
  - Cash tax rate c.29%
- Capex £40-45m

### Summary



- Improved H2 revenue and profit performance on H1 despite continued challenging market assisted by benefit of hot July
- Strong brand contribution margin improved in H2
- EBIT margin growth through strong management action:
  - · Continued focus on ARP
  - · Further cost reductions delivered
- Strong cash management resulting in £48.9m free cash flow
  - Full year Dividend of 10p per share
- Return on Invested Capital increased to 17.0%

# **Paul Moody**

**Chief Executive** 



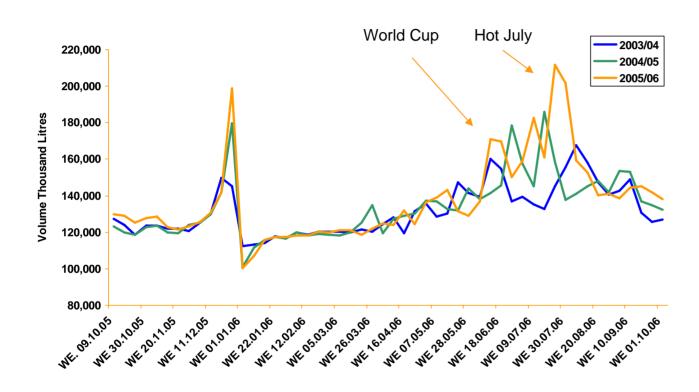
## Agenda



- Market
- Strategy
- Management action:
  - Profitable revenue growth
  - Innovation
  - Driving efficiency
- Current trading

#### Soft Drinks Market Volume



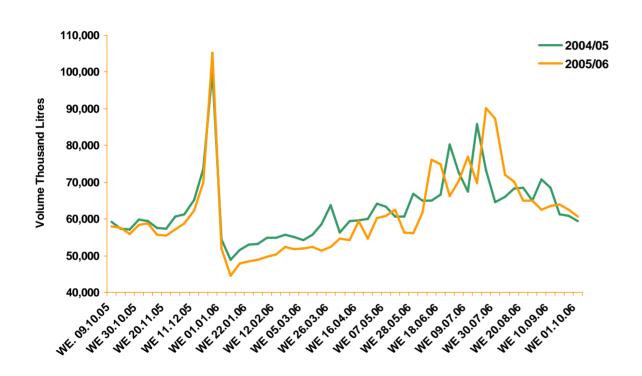


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Market ahead of last year, despite challenging conditions

#### Carbonates Market Volume

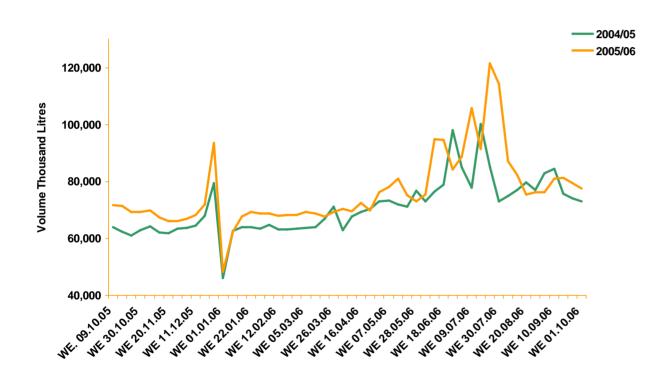




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Marginal growth in H2 driven by World Cup, a hot July and new product launches



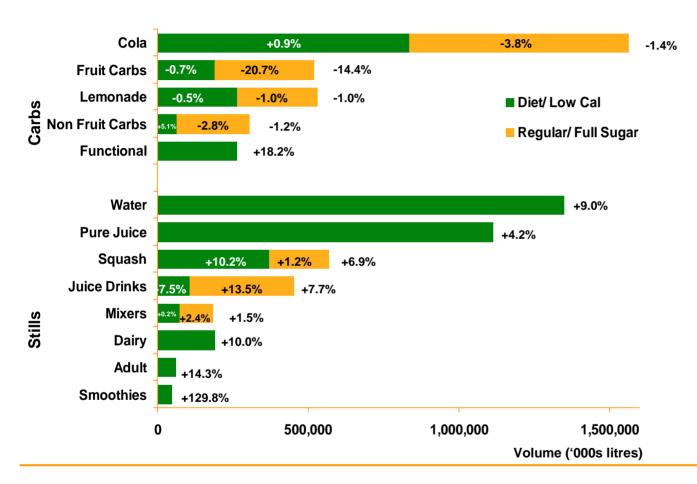


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Market consistently outperformed prior year

## Relative Size of Categories and Growth





Take Home MAT to 30.09.2006 AC Neilsen Scan Track

Stills category growth continues to outperform Carbonates.

## Our strategy



#### Growth

- Aggressively grow stills
- Drive profitable revenue growth in core brands
- Continued success from innovation and international

#### **Productivity**

 A focus on efficiency, driving margins and optimising working capital

#### **Enabling**

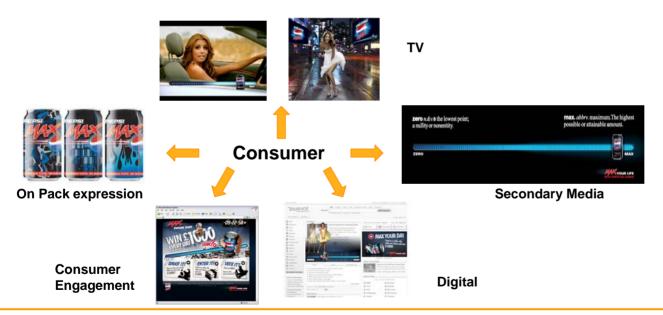
 Delivering great leadership, driving a high performance culture and growing capability



### Driving Profitable Revenue: Pepsi



- Heavy weight advertising campaign to continue to drive the Pepsi Max share of 'better for you' carbonates
  - · Utilising all media elements
  - Significant investment in communicating 'Max your life'
- Campaign has delivered a strong share performance with Pepsi share of the cola market up 4.8%\* pts to 23.7%



<sup>\*</sup> Movement in share based on latest 8 week AC Neilson scantrak data (to WE 04.11.06) compared to the 8 weeks prior to the football world cup (to WE 10.06.06)

Success through working closely with PepsiCo

### Driving Profitable Revenue: A Focus on Robinsons



- Category importance growing
  - · Largest soft drinks category as drunk
  - · High price per litre
  - · Consumers switching in from Carbonates
- Improved range and distribution
- Significant consumer promotions:
  - Pre-Christmas Narnia-related activity
  - Most successful Wimbledon ever
- 7th largest grocery brand
- Further growth opportunity in larger packs
  - Improved large pack design and range consistency
  - In house large pack PET production capability as of October 06
  - Increased promotional competitiveness
  - Large pack distribution growing





## Driving Profitable Revenue: J20/ Pressed & Squeezed



- J20
  - Continued growth in brand performance / share of adult category
  - Global supply issue in Passion Fruit now resolved
  - Growth in space in major grocers
  - Introduction of Ltd Edition Orange & Pomegranate in October
  - New TV advertising to build brand equity & personality running end December through Easter
  - PET bottle launch gained new distribution
- Britvic NFC Pressed Apple & Squeezed Orange
  - · Encouraging ROS where stocked
  - Distribution opportunities to be exploited



## Driving Profitable Revenue: Fruit Shoot



- Introduction of Fruit Shoot 'natural'
  - No artificial flavours or colours
  - 15% reduction in sugar
  - Removed sodium benzoate
- Supported by Press campaign to mums:
  - Two versions rotating from Oct 06 to Jan 07
  - Total campaigning will reach 73% of all households with children







## Driving Profitable Revenue: Building a strong presence in water



- Fruit Shoot H20
  - No 1 in kids water market 8 weeks from launch
  - 90% of volume incremental to Fruit Shoot
  - 79% incremental to the Kids Water category
  - Planned growth in distribution to drive weight of purchase
    - · New 8 pack from April
    - £3m continued investment in TV advertising and product sampling to drive awareness and trial
- Drench
  - In line with distribution expectations
- Pennine Spring
  - · Reached planned distribution
  - Build on solid on-premise performance



### Driving profitable revenue: Innovation



- 2007 innovation programme
  - 1 to 2 major launches
  - 2 to 3 supporting launches
  - All innovation centralised around the four themes of:
    - · Health and well-being
    - Naturalness
    - Occasionality
    - Indulgence
- Really Wild
  - · 6 Natural juice drinks with spring water
  - · Opportunity to utilise existing asset base
    - · vending machines in schools
    - · good margin
  - Priced for kids



### Driving profitable revenue: International



- Squash in Scandinavia
  - Successful advertising campaign
    - First TV campaign was seen by 72% of Danish population
    - Advert was voted 6th best advert in a recent consumer poll by the largest commercial station in Denmark
  - Strong share performance category share levels up c.4%
  - Focus firmly on securing remaining distribution
- Fruit Shoot in Holland
  - First bespoke TV advertising created for Dutch mums and kids
  - · Significantly higher recognition than long established brands
  - · Fastest growing brand in its segment





### Efficiency: Business Transformation Programme



- A huge programme delivering efficency and effectiveness improvements
  - £11m of sustainable cost savings in FY06:
  - Headcount reduction across the business
  - Total centralisation and automation of the procurement processes onto SAP
  - · Reduction in out-store costs as we reduce finished goods stock levels
  - Production wastage reduction
- Strong progress to date:
  - Logistics execution, planning and production
  - Cost reduction and working capital improvements including procurement
  - · Improved innovation process
  - KPI reporting framework
  - Commercial optimisation including promotional effectiveness
- Additional benefits from embedding the business practices into the "culture" of the organisation remain available

### Efficiency: Product Value Optimisation (PVO)



- £2m saving delivered in FY06:
  - Vertical integration savings e.g. Rugby bottle blowing
  - Productivity savings e.g. Sugar reduction
- £2m additional savings identified for FY07:
  - · Further bottle blowing
  - In house large pack PET squash production at Norwich
- Further vertical integration and productivity savings opportunities:
  - · Continued flavour optimisation
  - Sugar reduction
  - · Pack design for logistic efficiency and cost

### Summary



- Carbonates show continued volatility
- Stills are growing at a very attractive rate
- A real focus on efficiency
  - ARP
  - Margin
  - Costs
- All innovation focused in the growth areas of the market
- Business started well in the new financial year

Well positioned in this growth market

## **Questions & Answers**

