

Financial results for the half year ended 31 December 2009

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Financial Overview

	HY 2010	HY 2009	Change (%)
Sales Revenue (\$m)	3,388.9	5,575.8	(39.2)
EBITDA (\$m)	136.0	254.1	(46.5)
Depreciation (\$m)	56.3	57.4	(1.9)
Amortisation (\$m)	17.6	24.4	(27.9)
EBIT (Pre-goodwill impairment in HY09) (\$m)*	62.1	172.3	(64.0)
EBIT (Post-goodwill impairment in HY09) (\$m)*	62.1	(0.7)	NMF
NPAT (Pre-goodwill impairment in HY09) (\$m)*	39.9	93.6	(57.4)
NPAT (Post-goodwill impairment in HY09) (\$m)*	39.9	(79.4)	150.3
EPS (cents) (Pre-goodwill impairment in HY09)*	21.2	51.5	(58.8)
EPS (cents) (Post-goodwill impairment in HY09)*	21.2	(43.7)	148.5
Net cash inflow (outflow) from operating activities (\$m)	61.8	541.6	(88.6)
Capital Expenditures (\$m)	49.8	113.9	(56.3)
Net Debt / (Net Cash) (\$m)	(224.0)	53.6	NMF
Net Debt/(Net Debt + Equity) (%)	NMF	1.6	NMF
Sales Tonnes ('000) (exc. associates)	6,568.0	7,088.3	(7.3)
Interim Dividend (100% franked) (cents per share)	10.0	28.0	(64.3)

^{*}In HY 2010 there was no goodwill impairment. In HY 2009 there was a goodwill impairment of \$173 million pre and post tax.

**NMF indicates not meaningful



Sales Revenue by Region



\$m	HY 2010	HY 2009	Change (%)
Australasia	597.8	683.7	(12.6)
North America	2,236.6	4,231.2	(47.1)
Europe	554.5	660.9	(16.1)
Total	\$ 3,388.9	\$ 5,575.8	(39.2)

- Decline in HY10 sales revenue is related to 7.3% and 34.4% declines in unit shipments and average selling prices, respectively.
- Decline in HY10 sales revenue in North America is related to 9.5% and 41.6% declines in unit shipments and average selling prices, respectively.



Sales Revenue by Product

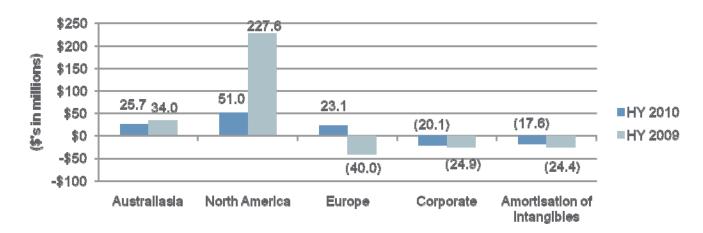


\$m	HY 2010	HY 2009	Change (%)
Ferrous Trading	\$ 1,601.7	\$ 2,787.7	(42.5)
Non Ferrous Shred Recovery	162.5	182.9	(11.2)
Ferrous Brokerage	558.2	1,434.8	(61.1)
Non Ferrous Trading	603.1	728.8	(17.3)
Non Ferrous Brokerage	59.9	60.4	(0.8)
Manufacturing/Other	95.8	72.4	32.3
Recycling Solutions	307.7	308.8	(0.4)
Total	\$ 3,388.9	\$ 5,575.8	(39.2)

- Ferrous brokerage sales associated with SAR JV were \$339.5 million and \$721.3 million, in HY 2010 and HY 2009, respectively.
- Average selling prices declined in HY10 by 39% and 27.3% for ferrous trading and non ferrous trading, respectively.
- Recycling solutions sales revenue has proven more sustainable, despite lower commodity prices, due to unit growth.



EBIT by Region



\$m	HY 2010	HY 2009	Change (%)
Australasia	25.7	34.0	(24.4)
North America	51.0	227.6	(77.6)
Europe	23.1	(40.0)	157.8
EBIT by Region*	\$ 99.8	\$ 221.6	(55.0)
Group Corporate Costs	(20.1)	(24.9)	(19.3)
Amortisation of intangibles	(17.6)	(24.4)	(27.9)
EBIT (pre-goodwill impairment in HY09)	\$ 62.1	\$ 172.3	(64.0)
Non-cash goodwill impairment	-	(173.0)	-
EBIT (post-goodwill impairment in HY09)	\$ 62.1	\$ (0.7)	NMF

HY10 Atypical Items:

 Group Corporate Costs include circa \$5 million of redundancy charges.

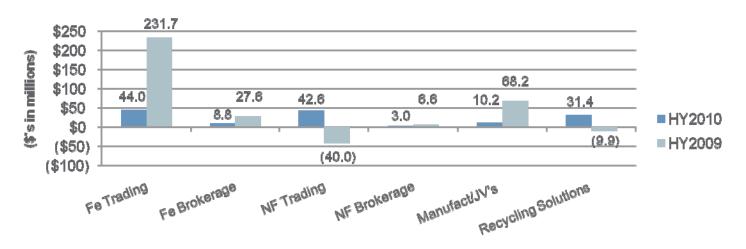
HY09 Atypical Items:

- North America EBIT in HY09 includes \$69 million of inventory adjustments and \$22 million of non-ferrous contract renegotiations.
- Australasia EBIT in HY09 includes \$7 million of inventory adjustments and \$10 million of non-ferrous contract renegotiations.
- Europe EBIT in HY09 includes \$40 million of inventory adjustments and \$10 million of non-ferrous contract renegotiations.

*EBIT by Region is before add back of atypicals other than goodwill impairment (HY09), group corporate costs and amortisation of intangibles.



EBIT by Product (pre-goodwill impairment HY09)

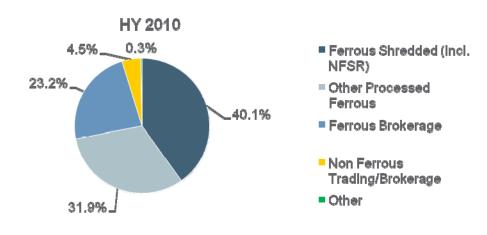


\$m	HY 2010	HY 2009	Change (%)
Ferrous Trading (incl. NFSR)	44.0	231.7	(81.0)
Ferrous Brokerage	8.8	27.6	(68.1)
Non Ferrous Trading	42.6	(40.0)	206.5
Non Ferrous Brokerage	3.0	6.6	(54.5)
Manufacturing/JVs/Other	10.2	68.2	(85.0)
Recycling Solutions	31.4	(9.9)	417.2
EBIT by Product	\$ 140.0	\$ 284.2	(50.7)
Group & Regional Corporate Costs	(60.3)	(87.5)	(31.1)
Amortisation of intangibles	(17.6)	(24.4)	(27.9)
EBIT (pre-goodwill impairment in HY09)	\$ 62.1	\$ 172.3	(64.0)

- EBIT by product is presented pre-corporate costs (including group head office costs) and amortisation of intangibles.
- EBIT by Product for HY09 is before inventory adjustments and does not reflect any allocation of the write-off of non-cash goodwill impairment in HY09 to the product categories.
- EBIT for non ferrous trading in HY09 reflects the atypical item related to non ferrous contract renegotiations which reduced EBIT by \$42 million.
- Group and regional corporate costs in HY10 include an atypical item relating to redundancies of \$5 million.



Intake Volumes



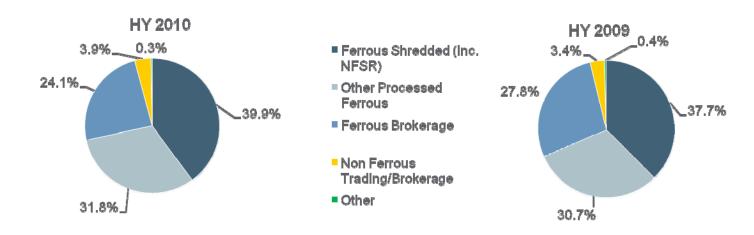
HY 2009 3.6%_0.4% 27.2%
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Total Tonnes ('000's)	HY 2010	HY 2009	Change (%)
Ferrous Shredded (inc. NFSR)	2,640	2,525	4.6
Other Processed Ferrous	2,102	1,981	6.1
Ferrous Brokerage	1,532	1,779	(13.9)
Non Ferrous Trading/Brokerage	298	235	26.8
Other	21	27	(22.2)
Total	6,593	6,547	0.7

- Ferrous brokerage tonnes associated with SAR JV were 1.1 million and 1.3 million tonnes for HY 2010 and HY 2009, respectively.
- Intake in HY10 compared to HY09 increased in Australasia by 7%, increased by 8% in Europe and was relatively unchanged in North America at 5 million tonnes.



Sales Volumes



Total Tonnes ('000's)	HY 2010	HY 2009	Change (%)
Ferrous Shredded (inc. NFSR)	2,622	2,677	(2.1)
Other Processed Ferrous	2,089	2,173	(3.9)
Ferrous Brokerage	1,581	1,971	(19.8)
Non Ferrous Trading/Brokerage	256	240	6.7
Other	20	27	(25.9)
Total	6,568	7,088	(7.3)

- Ferrous brokerage tonnes associated with SAR JV were 1.1 million and 1.3 million tonnes for HY 2010 and HY 2009, respectively.
- Sales volumes in HY10 compared to HY09 decreased in Australasia by 1%, increased in Europe by 2%, and decreased by 9% in North America to 5 million tonnes.
- Sales volumes for non ferrous trading metals increased in all three regions.



Group Income Statement

\$m	HY 20	10	HY 2	009	Change (\$)	Change (%)
Sales Revenue	\$ 3,3	88.9	\$ 5,	575.8	(2,186.9	(39.2)
EBITDA	1	36.0		254.1	(118.1	(46.5)
EBIT (pre-goodwill impairment in HY09)		62.1		172.3	(110.2	(64.0)
Non-cash goodwill impairment		-		173.0	(173.0	(100.0)
EBIT	\$	62.1	\$	(0.7)	62.8	NMF
Net Interest Expense		(6.6)	((12.9)	(6.3	(48.8)
Tax Expense	(1	15.6)		(65.8)	(50.2	(76.3)
Net Profit / (Loss) After Tax	\$	39.9	\$	(79.4)	119.3	150.3



Group Balance Sheet

\$m	As of 31 December 2009	As of 30 June 2009	Change (\$)	Change (%)
Cash & Cash Equivalents	225.0	69.5	155.5	223.7
Current Assets, excluding cash	923.8	916.4	7.4	0.8
Non-current Assets	2,647.5	2,822.7	(175.2)	(6.2)
Total Assets	3,796.3	3,808.6	(12.3)	(0.3)
Current Liabilities	531.6	577.0	(45.4)	(7.9)
Non-current Borrowings	0.5	174.3	(173.8)	(99.7)
Other Non-current Liabilities	153.7	198.2	(44.5)	(22.5)
Total Liabilities	685.8	949.5	(263.7)	(27.8)
Net Assets/Equity	3,110.5	2,859.1	251.4	8.8
Working Capital, excluding cash	392.2	339.4	52.8	15.6
Net Debt/(Net Debt +Equity) (%)	NMF	3.6%	-	-



Group Cash Flow

\$m	HY 2010	HY 2009	Change (\$)
Net cash inflow from operating activities	\$ 61.8	\$ 541.6	\$ (479.8)
Net Payments for PP&E	(46.4)	(110.1)	(63.7)
Payments on acquisitions of subsidiaries, net of cash acquired	(110.3)	(67.8)	(42.5)
Return of capital from jointly controlled entities	0.4	3.2	(2.8)
Net cash outflow from investing activities	\$ (156.3)	\$ (174.7)	\$ 18.4
Net cash (outflow) / inflow from operating & investing activities	\$ (94.5)	\$ 366.9	\$ (461.4)



North America Regional Results

	HY 2010	HY 2009	Change (%)
Sales Revenue (\$m)	\$ 2,236.6	\$ 4,231.2	(47.1)
EBITDA (\$m)*	\$ 83.7	\$ 263.2	(68.2)
Depreciation	(32.6)	(35.6)	(8.4)
EBITA (\$m)*	\$ 51.1	\$ 227.6	(77.6)
Amortisation of intangibles	(16.3)	(22.9)	(28.8)
EBIT (\$m)*	\$ 34.7	\$ 204.7	(83.1)
Assets (\$m)	\$ 2,705.6	\$ 3,413.1	(20.7)
Employees	3,291	3,517	(6.4)
Sales Margin (%)	16.9%	15.2%	-

^{*}Pre-goodwill impairment in HY09 and group corporate costs.



Australasia Regional Results

	HY 2010		HY 2009		Change (%)
Sales Revenue (\$m)	\$	597.8	\$	683.7	(12.6)
EBITDA (\$m)*	\$	36.8	\$	43.7	(15.8)
Depreciation (\$m)		(11.1)		(9.7)	14.4
EBITA (\$m)*	\$	25.7	\$	34.0	(24.4)
Amortisation of intangibles (\$m)		-		(0.1)	-
EBIT (\$m)*	\$	25.7	\$	33.9	(24.2)
Assets (\$m)	\$	530.3	\$	434.4	22.1
Employees		889		1,052	(15.5)
Sales Margin (%)		22.2%		17.2%	-

^{*}Excludes group corporate costs.



Europe Regional Results

	HY 2010	HY 2009	Change (%)
Sales Revenue (\$m)	\$ 554.5	\$ 660.9	(16.1)
EBITDA (\$m)	\$ 35.1	\$ (28.7)	222.3
Depreciation (\$m)	(12.0)	(11.3)	6.2
EBITA (\$m)	\$ 23.1	\$ (40.0)	157.8
Amortisation of intangibles (\$m)	(1.3)	(1.5)	(13.3)
EBIT (\$m)	\$ 21.8	\$ (41.5)	152.5
Assets (\$m)	\$ 560.4	\$ 553.3	1.3
Employees	1,321	1,426	(7.4)
Sales Margin (%)	28.1%	19.3%	-





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