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Intervention riser system undergoing testing



Executive Summary



(\$ in millions, except per share data)	Quarter Ended							Six Months Ended			
	6/3	0/2014	6/3	0/2013	3/3	1/2014	6/3	0/2014	6/3	0/2013	
Revenues	\$	306	\$	232	\$	254	\$	559	\$	430	
Gross profit:	\$	109	\$	67	\$	76	\$	185	\$	120	
		36%		29%		30%		33%		28%	
Net income from continuing operations	\$	58	\$	27	\$	54	\$	112	\$	28	
Net income from discontinued operations	\$	-	\$		\$	1	\$	-	\$	1	
Diluted earnings per share:											
Continuing operations	\$	0.55	\$	0.26	\$	0.51	\$	1.05	\$	0.26	
Discontinued operations (Oil and Gas)	\$	-\	\$	- 1	\$	\/ -	\$	-	\$	0.01	
Adjusted EBITDA (A)											
Business Segments	\$	123	\$	86	\$	94	\$	217	\$	160	
Corporate / Elimination		(14)		(12)	46.	(1)		(15)		(44)	
Adjusted EBITDA from continuing operations	\$	109	\$	74	\$	93	\$	202	\$	116	

⁽A) See non-GAAP reconciliations on slide 22.

Executive Summary



- Q2 2014 earnings of \$0.55 per diluted share compared to \$0.51 per diluted share in Q1 2014
 - Q2 includes a \$5.2 million, \$(0.03) per diluted share after-tax, charges associated with the provision for uncertain collection of a portion of our existing trade receivables
 - Q1 includes a \$10.5 million gain on the sale of our former spoolbase facility, and a \$7.2 million insurance claim settlement related to our former oil and gas business, which together contributed to \$0.11 of after-tax diluted earnings per share
- Contracting Services and Production Facilities
 - 98% utilization of Well Intervention vessels; strong outlook and backlog expected for 2014 and beyond
 - Helix 534 continues operations in the Gulf of Mexico; for Q2 the vessel was fully utilized
 - All three North Sea well intervention vessels utilized 100% throughout Q2
 - Skandi Constructor is operational for the company's first ever well intervention campaign in Canadian waters (project continues into Q3)
 - Robotics chartered vessel fleet utilization of 89% in Q2; 78% for ROVs, trenchers and ROVDrill
 - Latest 1,500 hp newbuild jet trencher, T1500, placed into service in Q2 and immediately mobilized in the North Sea for a trenching project
 - Marco Polo platform (Production Facilities) was out of service for over half of Q2 following a compressor fire on May 8th; the platform was placed back in service in early July

Executive Summary



Balance sheet

- Liquidity* of \$1.1 billion at 06/30/2014
- Cash and cash equivalents totaled \$501 million at 06/30/2014
- Net debt of \$57 million at 06/30/2014
- See updated debt maturity profile on slide 14

^{*} We define liquidity as the total of cash and cash equivalents (\$501 million) plus unused capacity under our revolving credit facility (\$583 million).



Business Segment Results



(\$ in millions)

	Quarter Ended										
	6/30	6/30/2014			6/30/2013			31/2014			
Revenues											
Well Intervention	\$	181		\$	99		\$	160			
Robotics		120			88			88			
Subsea Construction		- Q			38			-			
Production Facilities		24			24			23			
Intercompany Eliminations		(19)			(17)			(17)			
Total Revenue	\$	306		\$	232		\$	254			
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Gross Profit											
Well Intervention		69	38%		26	26%		53	33%		
Robotics		30	25%		16	18%		13	15%		
Subsea Construction		-			12	32%		-	-		
Production Facilities		11	44%		15	61%		12	50%		
Eliminations / Other		(1)			(2)			(2)			
Total Gross Profit	\$	109	36%	\$	67	29%	\$	76	30%		

- 98% utilization for the Well Intervention fleet
- 89% chartered vessel utilization in Robotics
- T1500 trencher placed into service in the North Sea
- Skandi Constructor commences company's first ever well intervention campaign in Canadian waters



Seawell

Well Intervention



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- Q4000 was 90% utilized during Q2; off hire 9 days for planned annual inspection and thruster repairs
- Helix 534 fully utilized during Q2
- Both vessels have full backlog for the remainder of 2014
- IRS no. 2 on hire for 86 days during the quarter (24 days at standby rate)

North Sea

- 100% utilization of all three vessels during Q2 on a variety of well intervention projects
- Skandi Constructor left UK in mid-June to commence a well intervention campaign in Canadian waters
- All vessels with full backlog in Q3 and limited availability in Q4 2014
- Seawell and Skandi Constructor are both scheduled for dry docks in Q4 2014



Intervention Riser System



Well Enhancer

Robotics



- 89% chartered vessel fleet utilization in Q2
 - 161 days utilized on spot vessels
 - Olympic Canyon and Deep Cygnus dry docked in May
- 78% utilization for ROVs, trenchers and ROVDrill
- Awarded long term ROV services contract support for McDermott construction vessels
- Newbuild jet trencher, T1500, placed into service in Q2 and mobilized onboard a spot vessel for summer trenching project in the North Sea
- REM Installer fully utilized in Q2 on an accommodations project in the North Sea
- Grand Canyon completed trenching project offshore Saudi Arabia utilizing i-Trencher and T1200, then returned to North Sea to commence ROV services project
- Olympic Canyon continued operations in India through mid-May prior to completing a dry dock in Singapore; the vessel was returned to service in late June
- Deep Cygnus completed a trenching project utilizing T750 prior to entering dry dock in May; the vessel returned to service in June performing ROV services projects in the North Sea



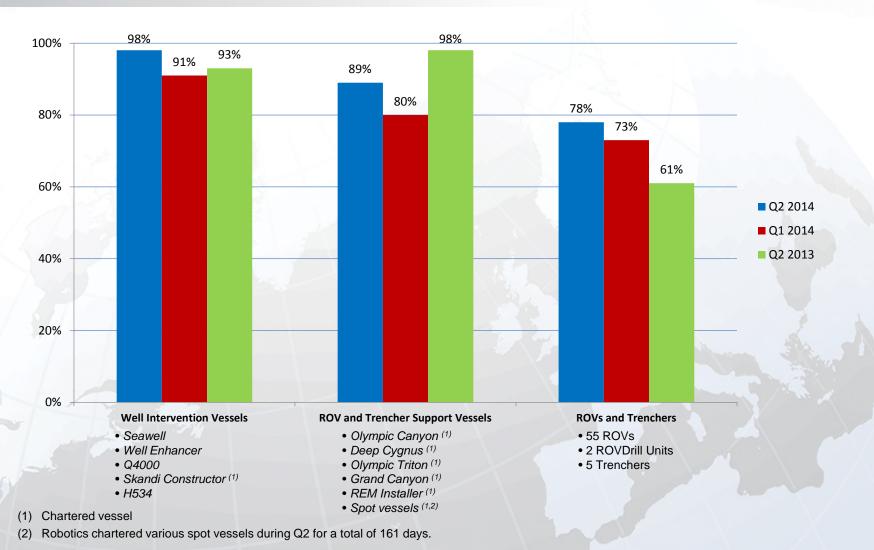
T1500



Grand Canyon at dock

Utilization





Built for success, positioned for growth



Debt Instrument Profile

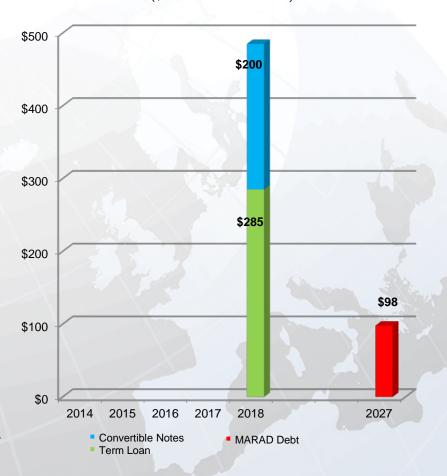


Total funded debt of \$583 million at end of Q2 2014:

- \$200 million Convertible Senior Notes 3.25% (A)
 (\$176 million net of unamortized debt discount)
- \$285 million Term Loan LIBOR + 2.50% (B)
 - Annual amortization payments of 5% in years
 1 and 2, 10% per annum in years 3 through 5
- \$98 million MARAD Debt 4.93%
 - Semi-annual amortization payments

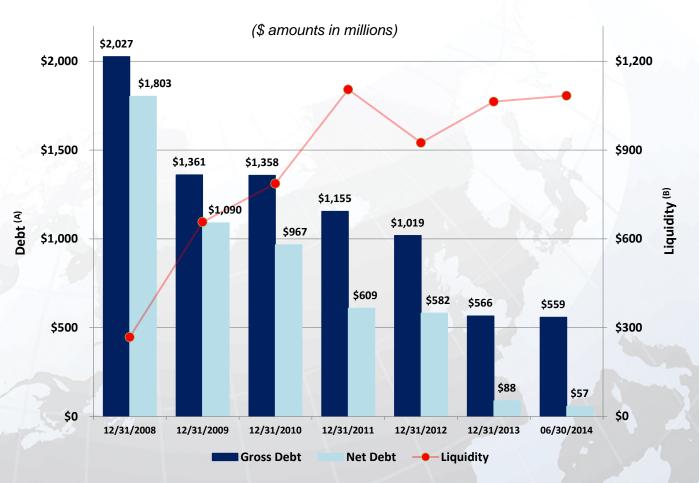
- (A) Stated maturity 2032. First put / call date is March 2018.
- (B) We have fixed through October 2016 the LIBOR interest rate on 50% of the Term Loan debt at 0.75% utilizing interest rate swaps.

Debt Instrument Profile at 06/30/2014 (\$ amounts in millions)



Debt and Liquidity Profile





Liquidity of approximately \$1.1 billion at 06/30/2014

- (A) Includes impact of unamortized debt discount under our convertible senior notes.
- (B) We define liquidity as the total of cash and cash equivalents (\$501 million) plus unused capacity under our revolving credit facility (\$583 million).



2014 Outlook



(\$ in millions, except per share data)		2014 utlook	2013 Actual		
Revenues (on-going operations)	\$	1,060	\$	805	
ЕВПОА		> 360		300	
CAPEX		~ 375		343	
Earnings Per Share (A)	~ \$1.6	5 - \$1.75		\$1.04	
Revenue Split:					
Well Intervention	\$	635	\$	452	
Robotics		385		333	
Production Facilities		95		88	
Elims	<u> </u>	(55)	1	(68)	
On-going Operations	\$	1,060	\$	805	
Oil and Gas		-\		49	
Subsea Construction		-		71	
Total Revenues	\$	1,060	\$	925	

⁽A) Earnings per share estimates based on a corporate tax rate ranging from 25% – 30%.

2014 Outlook



- Total backlog as of June 30, 2014 was approximately \$2.7 billion, of which approximately \$2.5 billion is associated with our Well Intervention and Robotics businesses
- Utilization expected to remain strong for the well intervention fleet
 - Q4000 has full backlog through 2015; current clients have first right of refusal to extend commitments into 2017
 - Helix 534 has full backlog through 2015, with visibility into 2017
 - Q5000 backlog currently a minimum of 270 days annually in first 5 years of operations
 - Siem Helix 1 & 2 chartered vessels, in construction, under contract in Brazil for an initial period of four years, commencing mid 2016
 - Seawell, Well Enhancer and Skandi Constructor have high levels of backlog in 2014 with contracts extending into 2015
 - Seawell re-fit dry dock expected to commence in December 2014 with return to service at the end of Q1 2015
 - Skandi Constructor scheduled for ~30 day dry dock in Q4 of 2014

2014 Outlook



- Trenching market in the North Sea, Norwegian Continental Shelf and Middle East more robust compared to 2013
- T1500 performing well and has full backlog through Q3 2014
- Rem Installer expected to transit to the Gulf of Mexico in late Q3 2014 at the conclusion of its current "walk-to-work" accommodations project in the North Sea
- Grand Canyon, T1200 and i-Trencher scheduled to commence cable burial offshore Qatar mid Q4 2014 through Q2 2015
- Grand Canyon II vessel expected to enter Robotics long-term chartered fleet early 2015
- Olympic Triton planned to be returned to vessel owner at the end of its current charter period in Q3 2014

2014 Outlook - Capex



- Total capital expenditures forecasted at approximately \$375 million for 2014; \$174 million incurred year-to-date^(A)
- \$105 million incurred in Q2, including:
 - Approximately \$69 million for well intervention newbuilds; inclusive of \$58 million milestone payment for Q5000
 - Approximately \$16 million for ROVs and T1500 jet trencher
 - Approximately \$9 million incurred intervention riser system newbuilds
 - Approximately \$11 million of maintenance capex, IT and leasehold improvements; includes \$7 million in capex associated with the Seawell life extension project
- Total growth capital of approximately \$285 million
- Total maintenance capital of approximately \$65 million
- Other capital includes \$5 million in IT and leasehold improvements and approximately \$20 million to acquire the minority interest in the Helix Producer I

(A) Incurred capital expenditures include capitalized interest



Non-GAAP Reconciliations



(\$ in millions)	Quarter Ended						Six Months Ended			
	6/30/2014		6/30/2013		3/31/2014		6/30/2014		6/30/2013	
Net income from continuing operations	\$	58	\$	28	\$	54	\$	112	\$	29
Adjustments:										
Income tax provision		17		9		21		38		9
Net interest expense and other		5		12		5		10		29
Depreciation and amortization		28		25		25	Sept.	53		50
EBITDA	\$	108	\$	74	\$	105	\$	213	\$	117
Adjustments:										
Noncontrolling interests		-\		(1)		(1)		(1)		(2)
(Gain) loss on disposition of assets		1		1		(11)		(10)		1
Adjusted EBITDA from continuing operations	\$	109	\$	74	\$	93	\$	202	\$	116

We calculate Adjusted EBITDA from continuing operations as earnings before net interest expense and other, taxes, depreciation and amortization. This non-GAAP measure is useful to investors and other internal and external users of our financial statements in evaluating our operating performance; it is widely used by investors in our industry to measure a company's operating performance without regard to items which can vary substantially from company to company, and help investors meaningfully compare our results from period to period. Adjusted EBITDA from continuing operations should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for, but instead is supplemental to, income from operations, net income and other income data prepared in accordance with GAAP. Non-GAAP financial measures should be viewed in addition to, and not as an alternative to our reported results prepared in accordance with GAAP. Users of this financial information should consider the types of events and transactions which are excluded from this measure.

