

subsea 7



# Earnings Presentation

## Third Quarter

*November 18, 2013*

**12:00 noon UK time**

## Forward-looking statements

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## Solid Q3 2013 results

### HIGHLIGHTS

- Strong project execution drove performance in NSC, AFGOM and APME
- Strong contribution from SapuraAcergy and SHL JVs
- The full-life project loss previously announced on the Guar-Lula NE project remains appropriate

### FINANCIAL

- 23% Adjusted EBITDA margin
- NSC revenue impacted by redeployment of *Seven Oceans* to Brazil
- Brazil revenue impacted by slow progress on Guar-Lula (as expected)

### OPERATIONAL

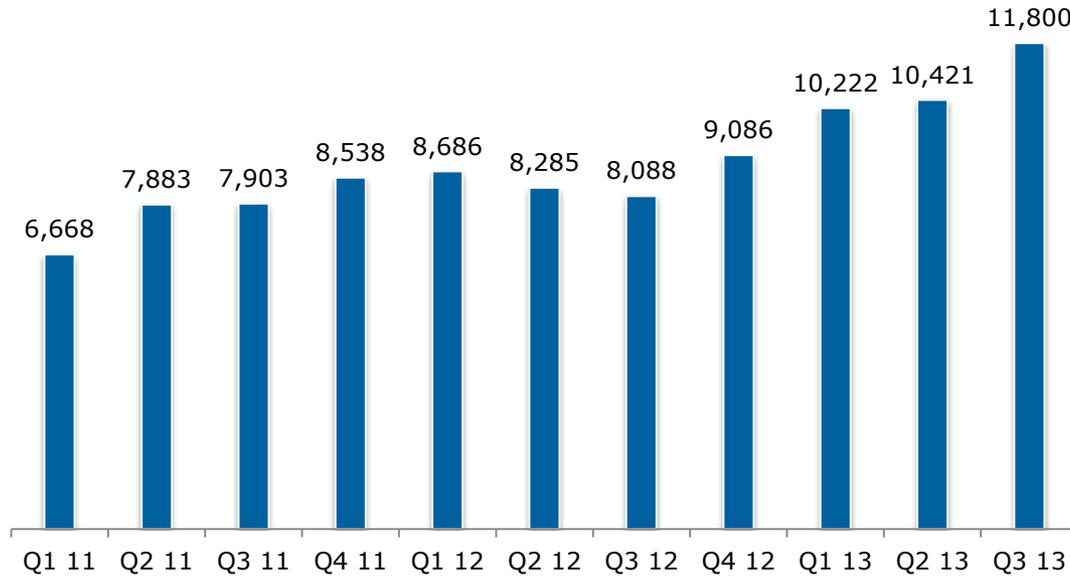
- Global vessel utilisation of 86%
- *Seven Borealis* transferred from West Africa to Mexico during the quarter
- New vessel construction projects progressing in line with time and cost estimates

### ORDER IN-TAKE

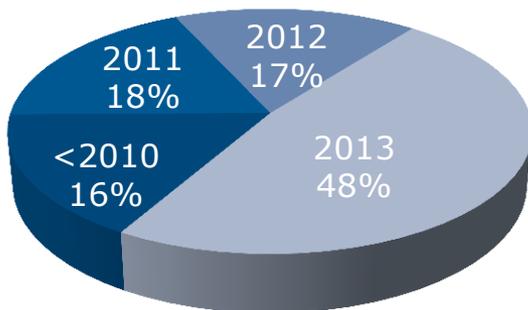
- Record \$11.8bn backlog
- Awards announced in Q3: *Normand Seven* renewal, contracts for three new-build PLSVs, Aasgard Riser, Cardona Flowline
- \$1.2bn of awards announced so far in Q4: *Seven Mar* renewal, *Seven Condor* renewal, i-Tech Far Saga, T.E.N.

# Focused on building quality backlog

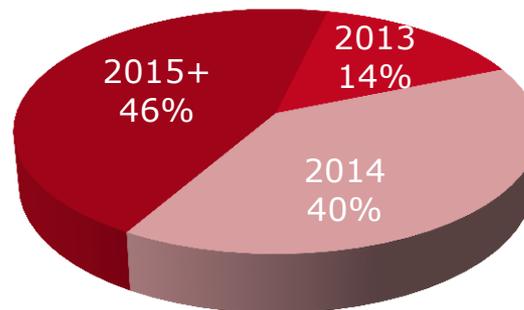
Backlog progression (\$ millions)



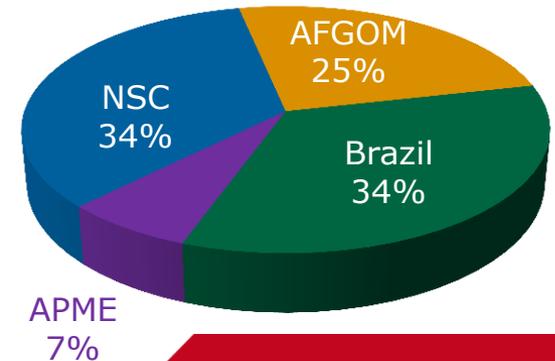
Backlog by Award Date



Backlog by Execution Date



Backlog by Segment



## Market overview

- Continuing postponement of some project awards around the world for various reasons
- Growth opportunities in all major markets, albeit at differing paces
- We remain positive about medium and long-term market prospects

### NSC

- Good levels of tendering
- EPIC model gaining traction
- Technology and cost effectiveness remain paramount

### AFGOM

- West Africa: uncertainty on timing of market awards, potential short-term slowdown in shallow water conventional
- Gulf of Mexico: US picking up from low base, growing activity in Mexico

### BRAZIL

- Demand for PLSVs remains strong with existing PLSV contracts renewed and several new-build PLSV contracts awarded
- Tendering activity continues in pre-salt

### APME

- Increased activity but timing of market awards uncertain
- Australian market impacted by cost challenges

## Income statement – key highlights

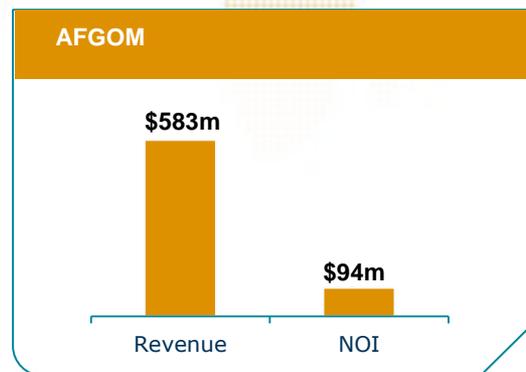
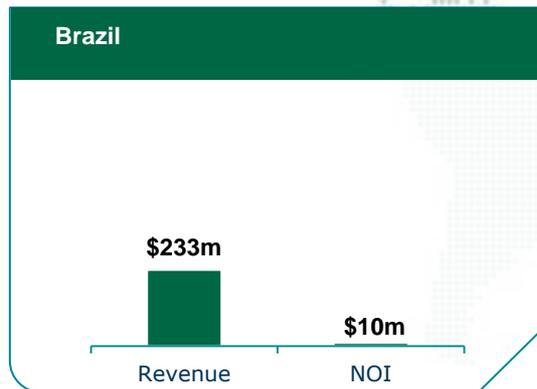
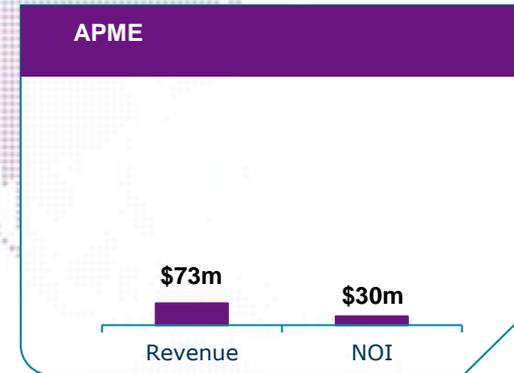
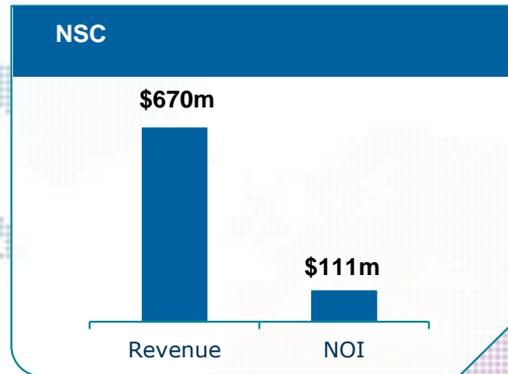
In \$ millions, unless otherwise indicated

	Three months ended		Nine months ended	
	30 Sept 13	30 Sept 12	30 Sept 13	30 Sept 12
Revenue	1,564	1,744	4,711	4,686
Net operating income	269	228	464	628
Gain on sale of NKT Flexibles	-	23	-	244
Income before taxes	219	248	397	898
Taxation	(60)	(53)	(119)	(200)
Net income	160	194	278	698
Adjusted EBITDA <sup>1</sup>	359	318	739	869
Adjusted EBITDA margin	23.0%	18.2%	15.7%	18.5%
Diluted earning per share <sup>2</sup>	\$0.42	\$0.44	\$0.77	\$1.21
Weighted average number of common shares <sup>3</sup>	398.0m	372.3m	373.7m	375.3m

<sup>1</sup> Adjusted EBITDA defined in Appendix <sup>2</sup> EPS for 2012 adjusted to exclude gain on disposal of Group's share of NKT Flexibles

<sup>3</sup> All convertible notes were dilutive in Q3 2013 . YTD the 2013 convertible loan notes were anti dilutive

# Territory performance – Q3 2013



Note: excludes contribution from Corporate segment

## Income statement – supplementary details

In \$ millions, unless otherwise indicated

	Three months ended		Nine months ended	
	30 Sept 13	30 Sept 12	30 Sept 13	30 Sept 12
Administrative expenses	(74)	(98)	(215)	(267)
Share of net income of associates and joint ventures	49	12	127	43
Net operating income	269	228	464	628
Finance costs net of finance income	(12)	(7)	(40)	(17)
Other gains and losses <sup>1</sup>	(38)	26	(28)	287
Income before taxes	219	248	397	898
Taxation	(60)	(53)	(119)	(200)
Non-controlling interests	(8)	(10)	(10)	(9)
Net income after non-controlling interests	152	184	268	690

<sup>1</sup> Other gains and losses in Q3 2012 includes \$23m gain related to the sale of NKT Flexibles, YTD 2012 (nine months) includes \$244m gain

## Overview of nine months 2013 cash flow

	<b>\$ millions</b>	
Cash and cash equivalents at 31 Dec 2012	1,288	
Net cash generated from operating activities	677	<i>Includes decrease in net operating assets of \$284m</i>
Net cashflow used in investing activities	(511)	<i>Includes capital expenditure of \$539m mainly on fleet enhancement programme</i>
Net cashflow used in financing activities	(491)	<i>Includes \$158m repayment of Seven Havila loan, \$115m loan to JV to fund construction of Seven Viking, \$199m dividend paid to Subsea 7 S.A. shareholders</i>
Other movements	(10)	
Cash and cash equivalents at 30 Sept 2013	953	

## 2013 financial guidance

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- We are on track to deliver full year Adjusted EBITDA in line with consensus expectations
- Other net income related guidance
  - administrative expenses: \$310-320 million (previously \$330-350 million)
  - share of net income of associates and JVs: \$110-120 million (previously \$85-95 million)
  - net financing costs: \$45-50 million
  - depreciation and amortisation expense: \$370-390 million (previously \$380-400 million)
  - Full year effective tax rate 35-37% net of discrete tax items; underlying effective tax rate: 47%-49% (previously 51%-54%)
- Capex: \$750-800 million (previously \$750-850 million), comprising
  - \$425-450 million operating capex (includes sustaining capex, dry-docks, ROVs, shore based facilities)
  - \$325-350 million related to the construction or acquisition of vessels

## Initial thoughts on 2014

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- Tendering level remains good in the North Sea but has moderated elsewhere, and delays in project awards remain a feature of the industry

### NSC

- *Seven Oceans* and *Skandi Acergy* expected to be deployed outside North Sea
- More competitors, but key differentiators continue to position Subsea 7 well

### AFGOM

- Timing of future market awards is uncertain
- Potential short-term softening in West Africa for conventional services

### APME

- Tendering activity expected to increase from low base
- Timing of major awards is uncertain

### Brazil

- Guará-Lula NE project expected to be completed by end of Q3
- Excluding large pre-salt EPIC projects, continued tendering to IOCs and Petrobras
- Benefits of PLSV renewals to be fully reflected from H2 2014

## New-build vessels

Pipelay Support Vessels -  
Seven Waves, PLSV 2, 3 and 4



- Delivery 2014-16
- 550t top tension VLS
- 4000t underdeck storage for flexibles

Dive Support Vessel - Seven  
Kestrel



- Delivery 2015
- 18-man twin bell saturation diving system
- Heave compensated 120t crane
- DP Class 3

Heavy Construction Vessel



- Delivery 2016
- 600t heave compensated crane
- 325t top tension VLS
- 7000t underdeck storage for Flexibles

## Summary

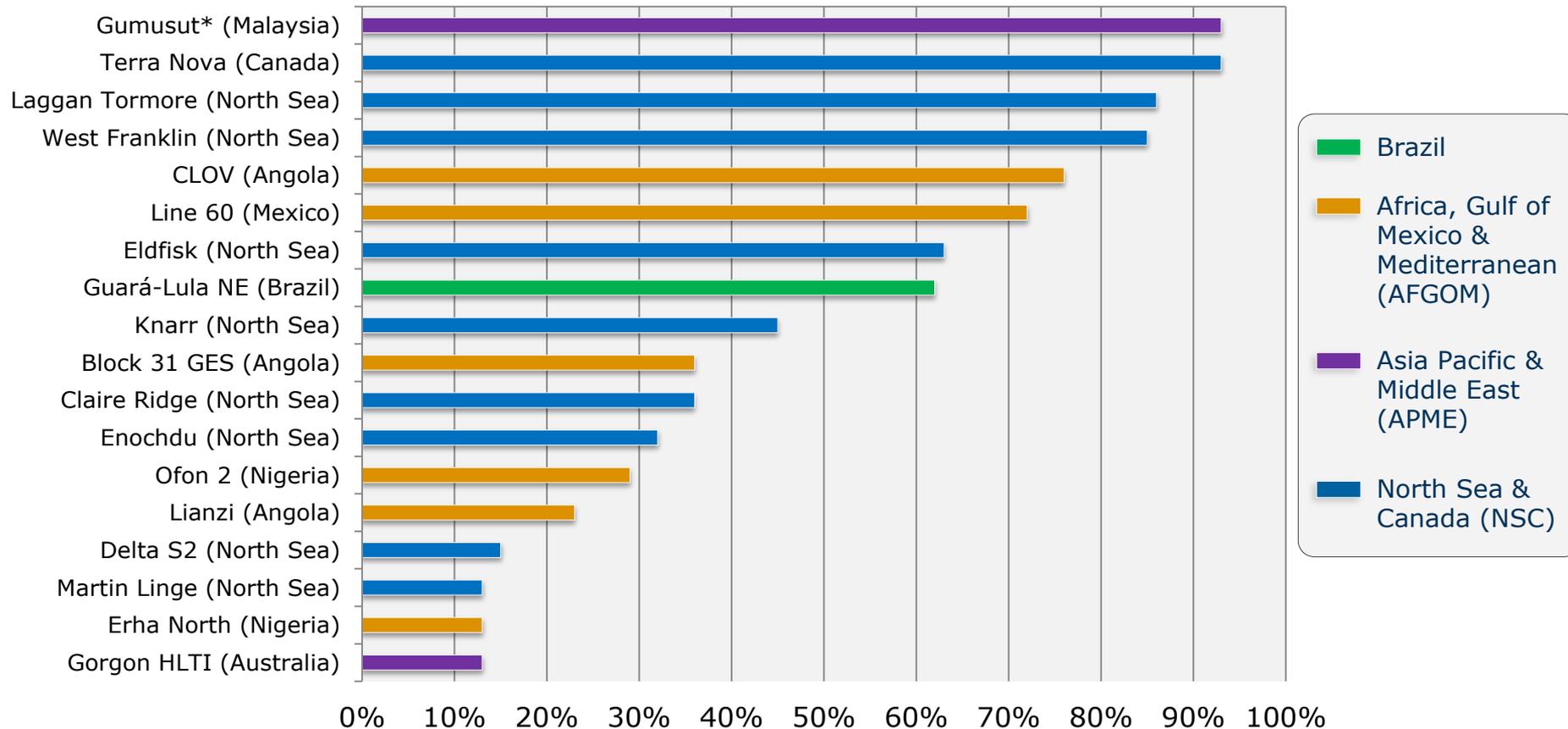
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- Results in NSC, AFGOM and APME driven by strong project execution
- Guar-Lula NE full-life project loss previously announced remains appropriate
- On track to deliver full year Adjusted EBITDA in line with consensus expectations
- Record backlog approaching \$12bn
- Fundamentals of our business have not changed, we remain positive about the medium and long-term market prospects
- Well positioned for the future:
  - engineering and project management skills
  - continued investment in high specification vessels
  - deployment of technology
  - operational track record
  - strong balance sheet

# Appendix

# Major project progression

Continuing projects >\$100m between 5% and 95% complete as at 30 Sept 2013  
excl. long-term ship charters and Life-of-Field day-rate contracts.



\* joint venture activity

## Segmental analysis

For the three months ended 30 Sept 2013

In \$ millions, Unaudited	AFGOM	APME	BRAZIL	NSC	CORP	TOTAL
Revenue	582.6	73.2	232.5	669.8	5.7	1,563.8
Net operating income/(loss) from ops	93.5	30.2	10.4	111.1	24.0	269.2
Finance income						4.7
Other gains and losses						(38.0)
Finance costs						(16.8)
<b>Income before taxes</b>						<b>219.1</b>

For the three months ended 30 Sept 2012

In \$ millions, Unaudited	AFGOM	APME	BRAZIL	NSC	CORP	TOTAL
Revenue	505.7	51.9	337.7	847.4	0.9	1,743.6
Net operating income/(loss) from ops	125.1	(1.8)	1.3	105.0	(1.4)	228.2
Finance income						2.4
Other gains and losses						25.8
Finance costs						(8.9)
<b>Income before taxes</b>						<b>247.5</b>

## Adjusted EBITDA

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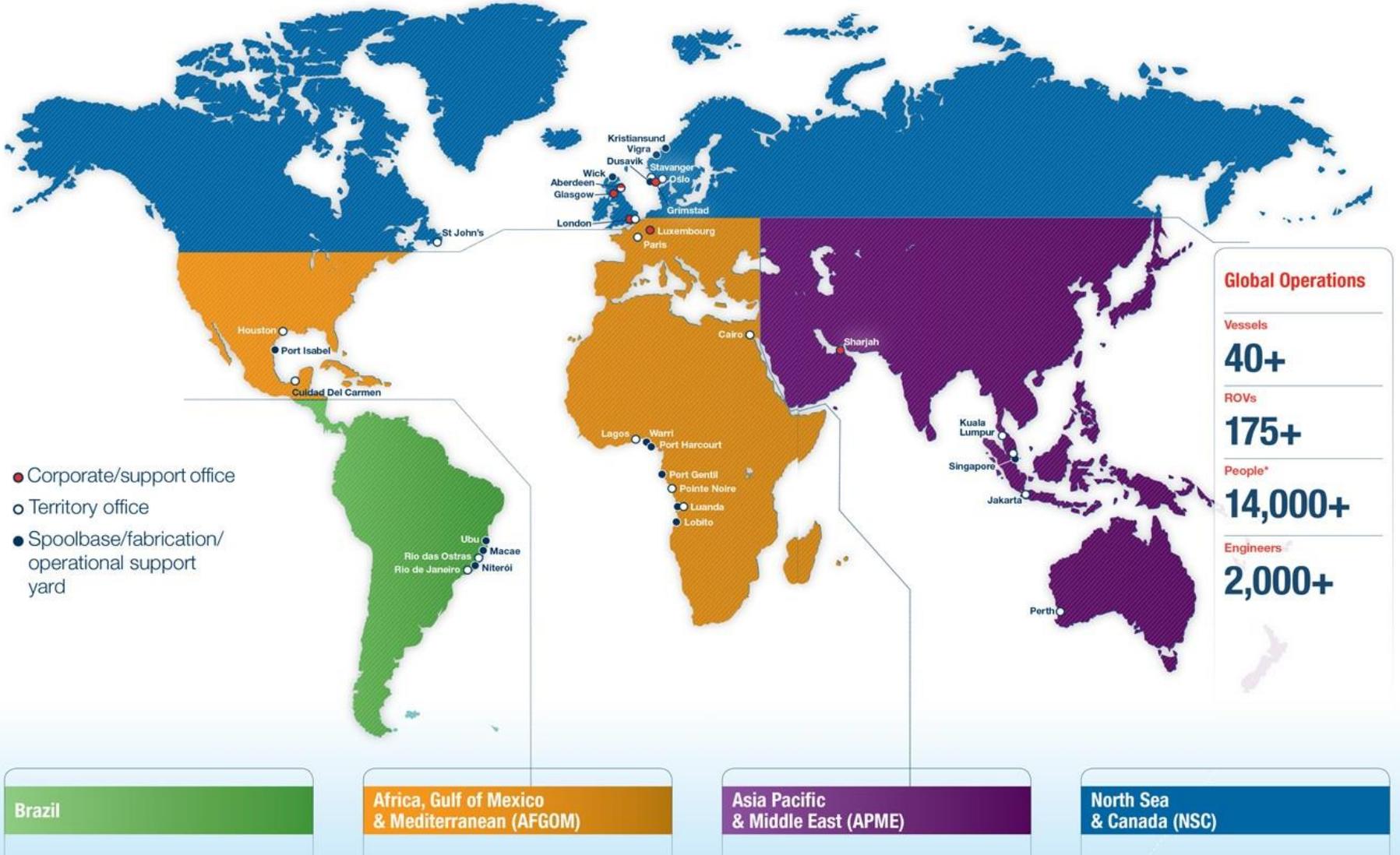
- Adjusted earnings before interest, taxation, depreciation and amortisation ('Adjusted EBITDA') is a non-IFRS measure that represents net income before additional specific items that are considered to impact the comparison of the Group's performance either year-on-year or with other businesses. The Group calculates Adjusted EBITDA as net income plus finance costs, taxation, depreciation, amortisation and mobilisation and adjusted to exclude finance income, other gains and losses and impairment charges or reversals. Adjusted EBITDA margin is defined as Adjusted EBITDA divided by revenue.
- The items excluded from Adjusted EBITDA represent items which are individually or collectively material but which are not considered representative of the performance of the business during the periods presented. Other gains and losses principally relate to disposals of investments, property, plant and equipment and net foreign exchange gains or losses. Impairments of assets represent the excess of the assets' carrying amount over the amount that is expected to be recovered from their use in the future or their sale.
- Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA margin have not been prepared in accordance with IFRS as issued by the IASB as adopted for use in the EU. These measures exclude items that can have a significant effect on the Group's income or loss and therefore should not be considered as an alternative to, or more meaningful than, net income (as determined in accordance with IFRS) as a measure of the Group's operating results or cash flows from operations (as determined in accordance with IFRS) as a measure of the Group's liquidity.
- Management believes that Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA margin are important indicators of the operational strength and the performance of the business. These non-IFRS measures provide management with a meaningful comparative for its various Territories, as they eliminate the effects of financing, depreciation and taxation. Management believes that the presentation of Adjusted EBITDA is also useful as it is similar to measures used by companies within Subsea 7's peer group and therefore believes it to be a helpful calculation for those evaluating companies within Subsea 7's industry. Adjusted EBITDA margin may also be a useful ratio to compare performance to its competitors and is widely used by shareholders and analysts following the Group's performance. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA margin as presented by the Group may not be comparable to similarly titled measures reported by other companies.

## Reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA

Net operating income to Adjusted EBITDA For the period (in \$millions)	Three Months Ended 30 Sept 2013 Unaudited	Three Months Ended 30 Sept 2012 Unaudited
Net operating income	269.2	228.2
Depreciation, amortisation and mobilisation	87.5	84.0
Impairment/(impairment reversal)	2.5	5.8
Adjusted EBITDA	359.2	318.0
Revenue	1,563.8	1,743.6
Adjusted EBITDA %	<b>23.0%</b>	<b>18.2%</b>

Net income to Adjusted EBITDA For the period (in \$millions)	Three Months Ended 30 Sept 2013 Unaudited	Three Months Ended 30 Sept 2012 Unaudited
Net income	159.6	194.2
Depreciation, amortisation and mobilisation	87.5	84.0
Impairment/(impairment reversal)	2.5	5.8
Finance income	(4.7)	(2.4)
Other gains and losses	38.0	(25.8)
Finance costs	16.8	8.9
Taxation	59.5	53.3
Adjusted EBITDA	359.2	318.0
Revenue	1,563.8	1,743.6
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# Where we operate

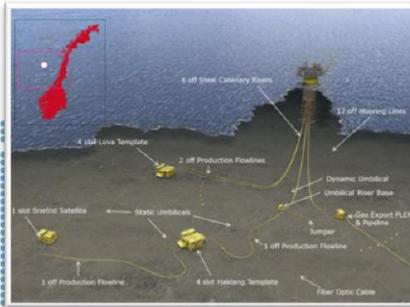


# A full range of subsea services



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## Aasta Hansteen Gas Field - Norway



- Technology-rich SURF project
- 1200m water depth, deepest in North Sea
- 300 km off northern Norway, harsh environment
- 1<sup>st</sup> SCRs (x4) in the Norwegian Sea, manufactured at Vigra spoolbase
- 1<sup>st</sup> installation of BUTTING Bubi® mechanically lined pipe by reeling in the North Sea – using the Seven Oceans
- New permanent office to be set up in Tromsø, Northern Norway

## Gorgon Heavy lift and Umbilicals - Australia



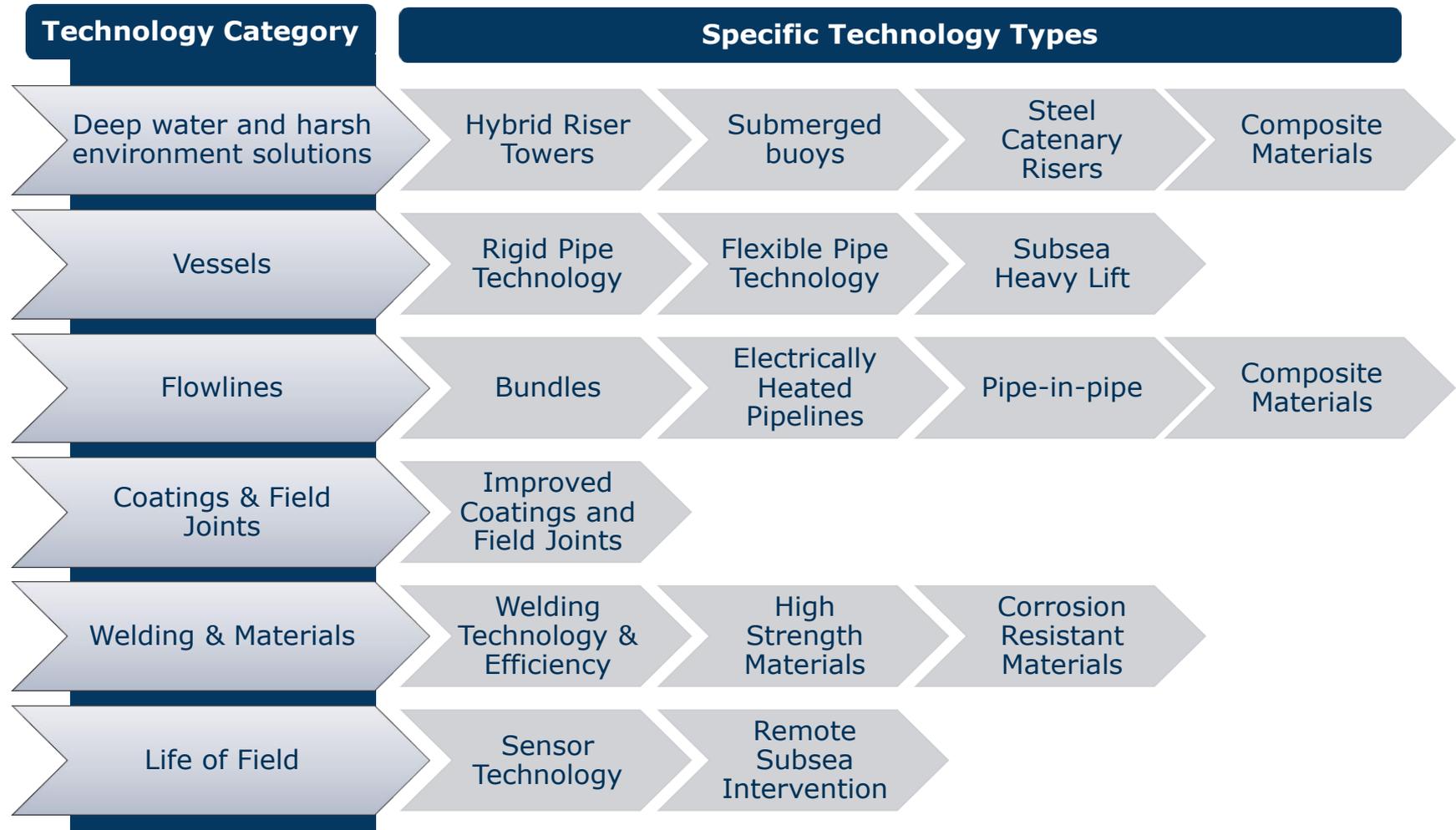
- Located 130km off the northwest coast of Western Australia
- The Gorgon project is one of the world's largest natural gas projects
- Heaviest and deepest subsea lifts in Subsea 7's history
  - 20 subsea structures and foundations (up to circa 1000T), 15 heavy spools (up to circa 200T), in water depths up to 1,300m
- Installation of the Gorgon (59km) and Jansz (136km) umbilicals

## CLOV Block 17 - Angola



- Technology-rich SURF project
- High local content with Sonamet fabrication facility
- Successful deployment of *Seven Borealis* to install
  - 40km of pipe-in-pipe production, 60km of water injection, 32km of gas export, and 37 spools and 15 jumpers
- Two Hybrid Riser Towers and a Single Hybrid Riser at the end of the gas export line using proprietary bundle/riser technology

# Technology focus



**Subsea 7 technology and know-how covers the entire range of activities**

# Technology focus - towed bundles

## Brief Description

Towed integrated assembly of flowlines and service lines/control cables etc. contained within an outer carrier pipe. Dedicated end terminations c/w manifolds, valves etc. as required by the project

## Application

Mainly North Sea subsea production systems tie backs. Towed from our fabrication facility in Wick Scotland

## Partners

Numerous technology companies partnering us with this solution



1978

First Bundle installed in North Sea

1995

First use of BuBi® mechanical lined pipe – BP Cyrus project

2012

71 bundles installed to date with over 150km BuBi® pipe utilised

# Technology focus - Hybrid riser tower (HRT)

## Brief Description

Tower assembly of multiple risers; manufactured onshore and installed by towing as a single structure

## Application

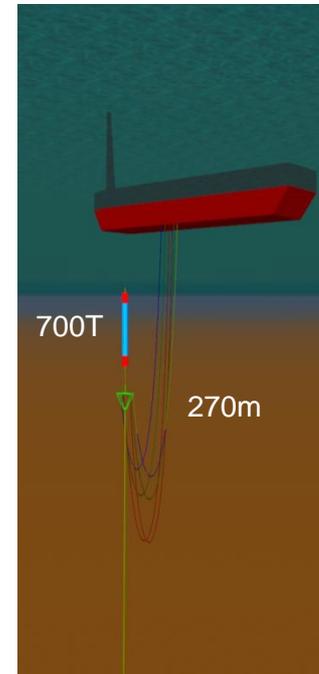
The HRT is applicable to most future deepwater developments

Latest development targeted for greater depth and enhanced architecture

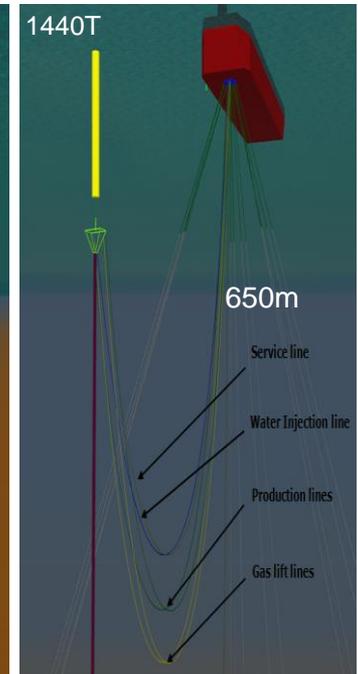
## Partners

Numerous key technology companies support us with this solution

**Total CLOV**  
(1200msw)



**Prospect**  
(2000msw)



1998

First Riser Tower installed on Girassol project

2012

Study initiated to apply technology to deeper water depths and to reduce costs

# Technology focus - Buoy supported riser (BSR)

## Brief Description

A submerged buoy anchored to the seabed

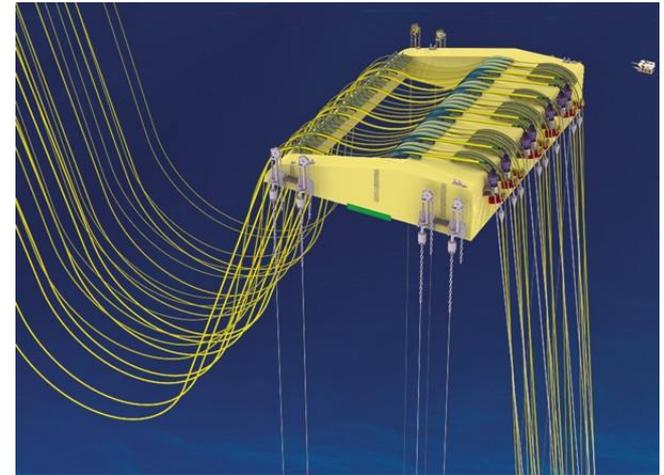
Steel Catenary Risers laid between seabed and buoy and flexible jumpers laid between buoy and FPSO

## Application

The BSR is being installed on Guar-Lula NE project in Brazil

## Partners

Numerous technology companies partnering us with this solution



2009

Guar-Lula NE design competition



2009 - 2012

Concept design, engineering and fabrication



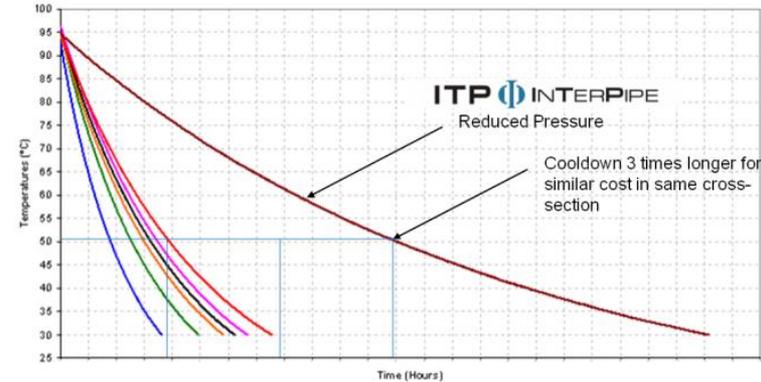
2013

Installation of buoy

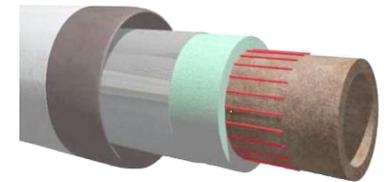


# Technology focus - High-performance pipe-in-pipe

Post Bending Cooldown Test Results Comparison



PIP Sample



Electrically Heated PIP

## Brief Description

A pipe-in-pipe system providing high thermal insulation for subsea oil and gas transportation. Utilisation of partial vacuum in combination with Isoflex insulation material

## Application

Subsea pipelines which require high thermal insulation such as long distance tie-backs

## Partners

ITP - exclusive agreement



2005  
-  
2008

Development and qualification of high performance pipe-in-pipe



2009  
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2011

Development of electrically heated pipe-in-pipe



2012

DNV Qualification "Fit for Service"



# Technology focus - Reel-lay of mechanically lined pipe (BuBi)

**Brief Description**

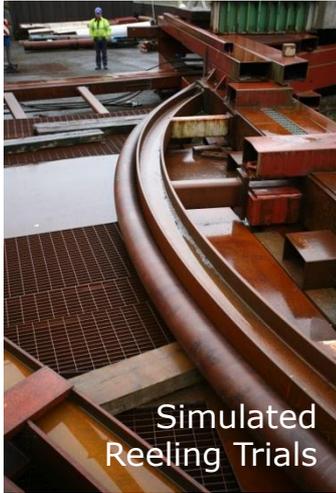
Use of BuBi® Mechanically Lined Pipe offers significant savings compared with Corrosion Resistant Alloy (CRA)

**Application**

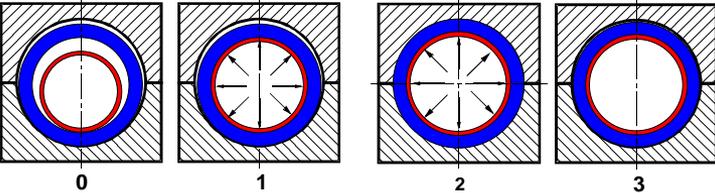
World's first award on a Petrobras Pre-Salt project (Guará-Lula), ongoing discussion with other clients

**Partners**

BUTTING - exclusive agreement

Liner Expansion stages during construction



2008

Finite element analysis and reeling trials commenced

Q4 2011

Full scale fatigue testing performed

Q1 2012

DNV qualification "Fit for Service"



# Technology focus - Autonomous inspection vehicle (AIV)

## Brief Description

A game changing inspection system comprising an autonomous vehicle without a tether (which enhances manoeuvrability), has an array of navigation tools and sensors and is powered by its onboard battery source

## Application

Can be deployed from FPSO (avoiding the need for a separate support vessel), or multiple deployment from support vessel.

## Partners

Seeyte technology




2007 - 2010

Early technology and feasibility evaluations



2010 - 2011

AIV development program started



2012 - 2013

Complete offshore trials and Mk1 ready for use



# Operational facilities

## Spoolbases

*Luanda Spoolbase, Angola*



*Ubu Spoolbase, Brazil*



*Wick Fabrication Site, UK*



*Port Isabel Spoolbase, USA*



*Vigra Spoolbase, Norway*



## Fabrication Yards

*Sonamet Lobito, Angola*



*Warri, Nigeria*



*NigerStar 7, Nigerdock, Nigeria*



# Rigid pipelay/Heavy lift assets

Seven Borealis



Seven Oceans



Seven Navica



Seven Polaris



Aceryg Antares



Stanislav Yudin\*



Sapura 3000\*\*



Oleg Strashnov\*



Heavy Construction Vessel\*\*\*



\* Operated by Seaway Heavy Lifting under JV

\*\* Operated by SapuraAceryg under JV

\*\*\* Under construction

# Construction/Vertical flexlay assets

Seven Seas



Seven Pacific



Seven Eagle



Seven Mar



Seven Phoenix



Skandi Acergy



Skandi Neptune



Skandi Seven



Normand Oceanic



Seven Waves \*\*\*



PLSV 2 \*\*\*



PLSV 3 \*\*\*



PLSV 4 \*\*\*



\*\*\* Under construction

## Construction/Horizontal flexlay assets

*Subsea Viking*



*Acergy Condor*



*Normand Seven*



*Kommandor 3000*



# Light construction/Life of field assets

Seven Viking



Havila Subsea



Acergy Petrel



Acergy Viking



Seisranger



Grant Candies



Normand Subsea



Chloe Candies



Ross Candies



Simar Esperança



Note: Seven Sisters renamed Simar Esperança

# Diving assets

*Seven Falcon*



*Seven Atlantic*



*Seven Pelican*



*Acergy Discovery*



*Seven Osprey*



*Seven Kestrel \*\*\**



*Rockwater 1*



*Rockwater 2*



\*\*\* Under construction

Note: *Acergy Osprey* renamed *Seven Osprey*, *Seven Havila* renamed *Seven Falcon*

## Other assets

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### Conventional

*Seven Inagha*



### Trenching

*Skandi Skansen*



**Over 175 ROVs**





seabed-to-surface

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