



AVI Limited Presentation to shareholders & analysts

for the six months ended
31 December 2011



GROWING GREAT BRANDS

AGENDA

- Key features
- Group financial results
- Capital projects
- Operating environment
- Performance and prospects
- Questions and answers



KEY FEATURES

- Revenue from continuing operations up 9% to R4,49 billion;
- Operating profit from continuing operations up 27% to R855 million;
- Headline earnings per share from continuing operations up 32% to 194 cents;
- I&J result underpinned by weaker Rand and improving operational performance;
- Strong Fashion Brands profit growth from increased volumes and improved gross margins;
- Sound overall Food & Beverage Brands performance in a competitive environment;
- High project activity in the semester;
- Annual dividend cover reduced from 2,0 to 1,5.





Group financial results

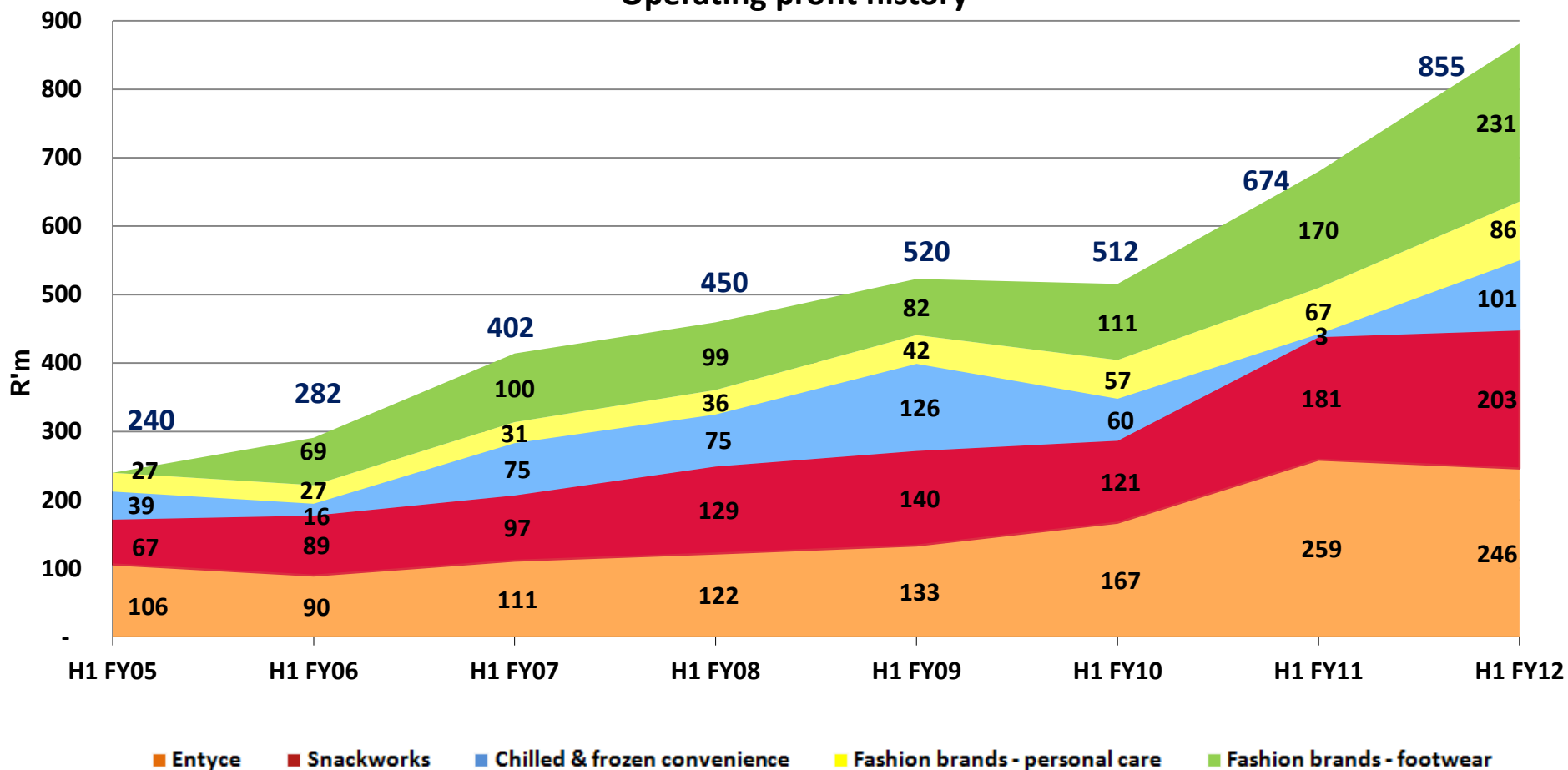


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GROUP FINANCIAL RESULTS

Continuing operations (excluding Denny and Alpesca)

Operating profit history



GROUP FINANCIAL RESULTS

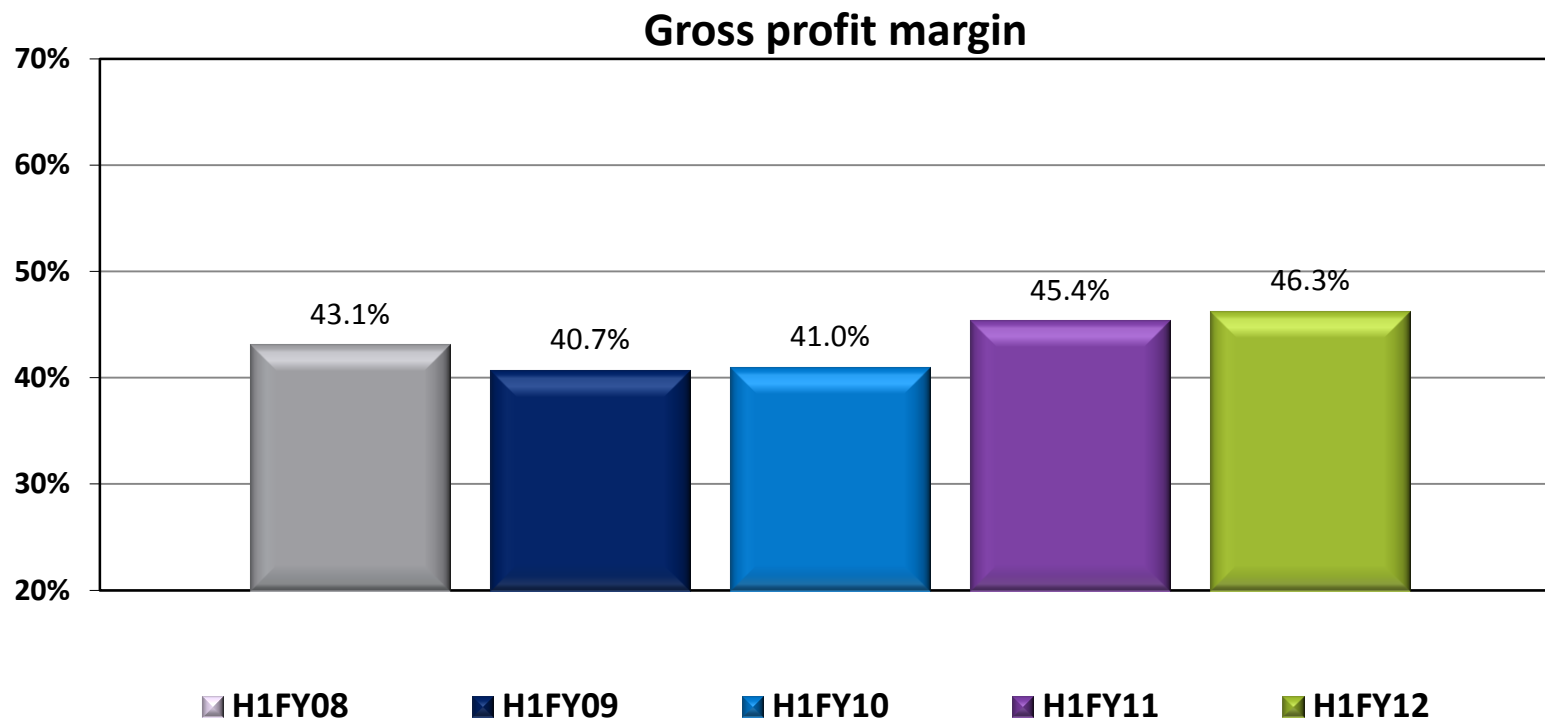
Continuing Operations (excluding Denny and Alpesca)

	1H12	1H11*	
Income statement	Rm	Rm	%Δ
Revenue	4 492,8	4 135,5	8,6
Gross profit	2 080,2	1 878,6	10,7
Gross profit margin %	46,3	45,4	1,9
Operating profit	855,0	674,2	26,8
Operating profit margin %	19,0	16,3	16,6
Net financing cost	(13,6)	(26,0)	47,7
Share of JVs and associates	25,3	14,6	73,3
HEPS (cps)	194,4	147,8	31,5

* Restated to exclude Denny now shown as discontinued

GROSS PROFIT MARGIN TREND

Continuing operations – gross profit margin history



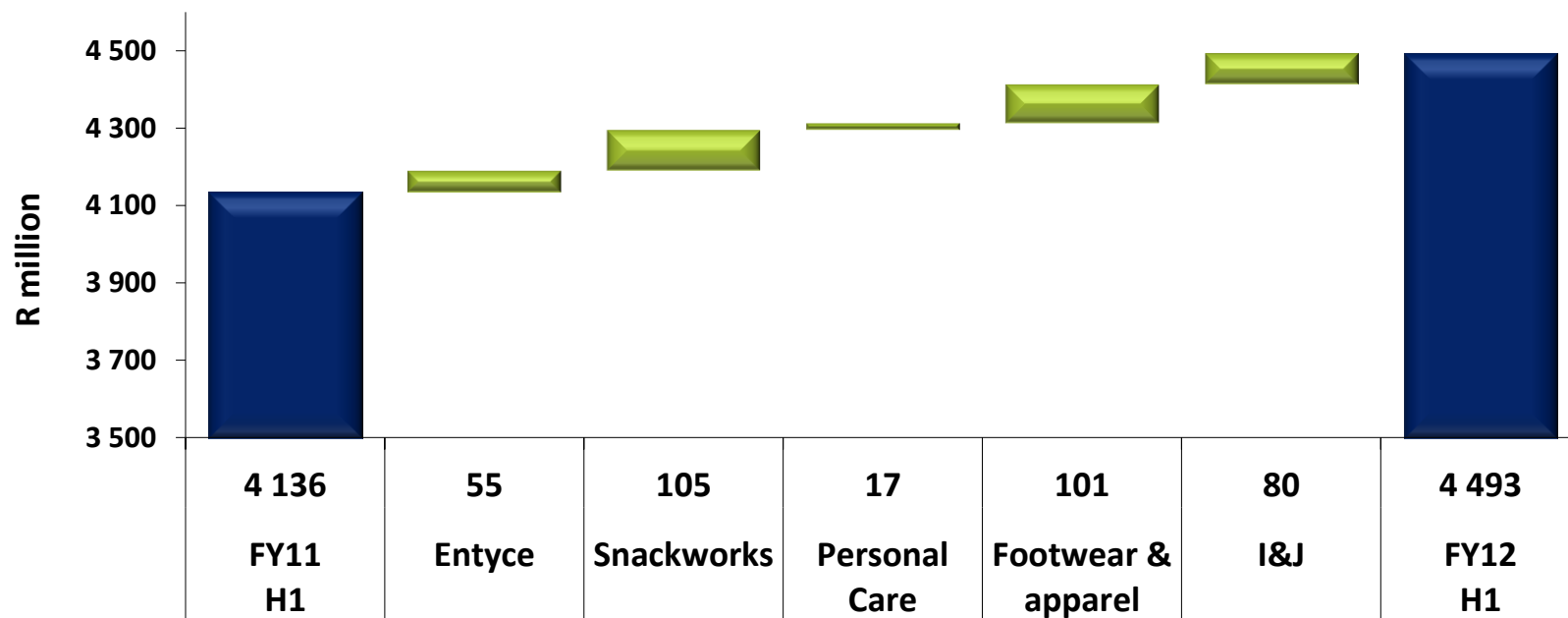
■ Improved result from I&J

■ Volume growth and increased margin in fashion brands portfolio

GROUP FINANCIAL RESULTS

Continuing operations – revenue 8,6% up

Movement in group revenue



- Entyce: price increases and tea growth offset by lower coffee and creamer volumes;
- Snackworks: higher selling prices and biscuit sales volumes;
- Indigo: sales volumes;
- Spitz: volume growth in footwear and clothing as well as price increase in H2 FY11;
- I&J: exchange gains and higher export sales volumes.

GROUP FINANCIAL RESULTS

Continuing operations – gross profit 10,7% up

Movement in group gross profit

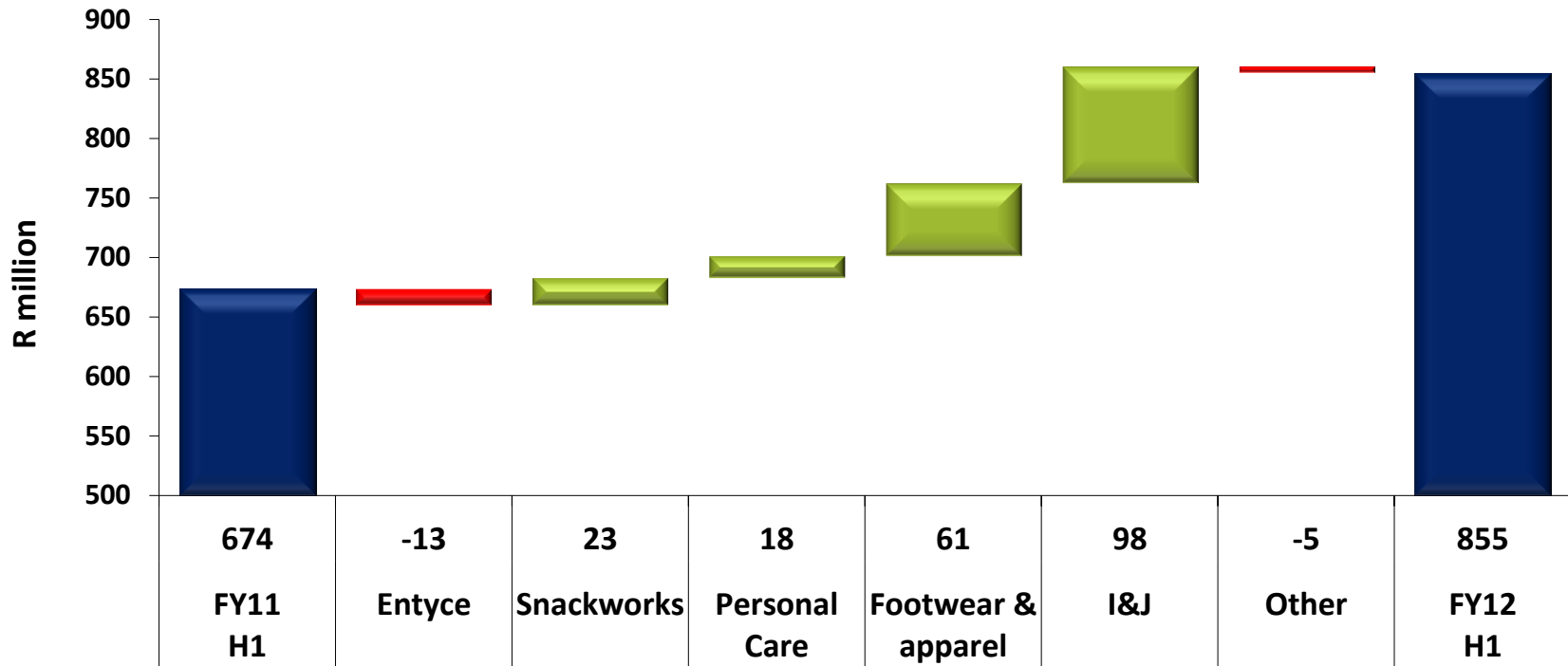


- Entyce: decrease in coffee and creamer from commodity costs not fully recovered in competitive environment, and lower sales volumes;
- Snackworks: improved biscuit factory performance offset higher commodity costs;
- Spitz and Indigo: leverage from volume growth and mix;
- I&J: primarily due to Rand weakening, supported by improving operational performance.

GROUP FINANCIAL RESULTS

Continuing operations – operating profit 26,8% up

Movement in group operating profit



- Generally good conversion of revenue growth to operating profit growth
- I&J foreign exchange gains of R23 million compared to losses of R24 million in H1 FY11
- Group selling and administrative costs well managed

GROUP FINANCIAL RESULTS

Continuing operations

	1H12 Rm	1H11* Rm	%Δ
Cash generated by operations	765,7	752,6	1,7
Working capital to revenue %	18,5	16,7	10,8
Capital expenditure	290,9	149,4	94,7
Depreciation and amortisation	106,8	96,5	10,7
Special payment to shareholders	-	226,6	-
Net (cash)/debt	(50,6)	187,7	(127,0)

* Restated to exclude Denny now shown as discontinued

■ Annual dividend cover decreased from 2,0 to 1,5

■ Special dividends and share buy-backs considered in conjunction with acquisitions

GROUP FINANCIAL RESULTS

Discontinued operations – Alpesca and Denny

	1H12	1H11		
	Denny	Denny	Alpesca	Total
Revenue	-	187,6	227,2	414,8
Operating profit	-	21,0	(9,5)	11,5
Headline earnings	-	13,4	(8,5)	4,9
Capital items	17,0	-	0,2	0,2
Attributable earnings	17,0	13,4	(8,3)	5,1

■ Alpesca sale concluded in May 2011;

■ Denny sold with effect from 1 July 2011;

□ Disclosed as discontinued operation – H1 FY11 income statement and cash flow statement restated

□ Consideration of R261,9 million - profit on disposal of R17,0 million after tax



Capital projects



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CAPITAL PROJECTS

Entyce

	Rm	COMMENTS
New creamer tower	74	<i>Commissioned December 2011 and now in normal use; annual savings of R8m on outsourced manufacture from H2 FY12.</i>
Coffee granulation phase 1	12	<i>Commissioned October 2011; Phase 2 being evaluated in conjunction with volume growth from launch of Frisco Granules.</i>
Creamer packaging line	14	<i>Commissioning March 2012; increased capacity, efficiency and yield.</i>



CAPITAL PROJECTS

Snackworks

	Rm	COMMENTS
Pumpable shortening	28	<i>Isando and Westmead in normal production; annual procurement saving R11m and improved consistency.</i>
Isando finished goods handling	45	<i>Palletising station and one case packing line successfully commissioned; case packing installed on all major lines by August 2012.</i>
Westmead Topper line upgrade	35	<i>Commissioning planned for H2 FY13; increased capacity, labour efficiency and product yield.</i>
Westmead Red Label line upgrade	19	<i>Commissioning planned for H1 FY13; improved quality, increased capacity and product yield.</i>
Westmead D plant upgrade (Royal creams and Nuttikrust)	11	<i>Commissioning planned for H1 FY13; improved quality, increased capacity and product yield.</i>



CAPITAL PROJECTS

Fashion Brands

	Rm	COMMENTS
Indigo New aerosol line	41	<i>Line fully commissioned; case packing and palletisation in progress; annual efficiency savings of R5m from H2 FY12.</i>
Spitz Kurt Geiger clothing expansion	35	<i>Store rollout on track; 26 stores by end FY12; already contributing to Spitz results; further expansion in FY13.</i>



CAPITAL PROJECTS

Shared Services

	Rm	COMMENTS
Isando DC expansion	92	<i>Completed October 2011; additional space for peak periods and business growth.</i>
Entyce and Snackworks SAP implementation	105	<i>All RSA sites now live on SAP; limited impact on service levels in October 2011 and February 2012.</i>





Operating environment

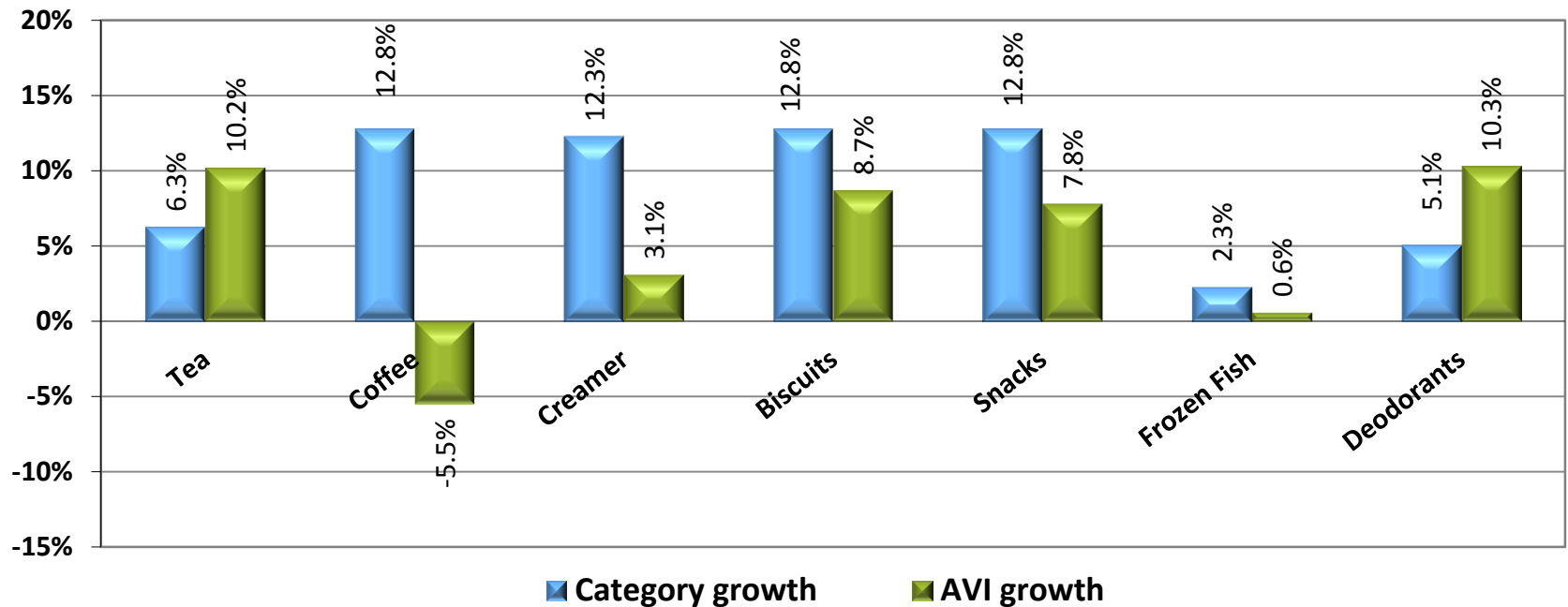


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OPERATING ENVIRONMENT

Market context

Value growth for 6 months to December 2011 (Aztec)
Total market category compared to AVI brands



- Price increases driven by input costs in food and beverage categories;
- Volume sensitivity to prices in constrained consumer environment;
- Creamer and biscuits impacted by low service levels in Qtr 2

OPERATING ENVIRONMENT

Consumer demand

- Tea: strong Freshpak and Five Roses performance - pricing and promotional activity
- Coffee: H1 FY11 boosted by competitor supply problems
- Creamer: H1 FY11 boosted by competitor supply problems; poor service levels from Nov - Dec
- Biscuits: KVI prices re-aligned; 2% volume lost to shortage of LPG at Westmead factory
- Snacks: aggressive competitor pricing for most of the semester
- I&J: growth in out-of-home volumes in local market; higher food service and fish meal volumes in export market
- Indigo: growth in body sprays and make-up
- Spitz: growth in Carvela, Kurt Geiger, Lacoste footwear; Kurt Geiger clothing

Sales volume growth	% Δ 1H12 vs 1H11
Tea	8,4
Coffee	(11,5)
Creamer	(6,6)
Biscuits	1,4
Snacks	(1,5)
I&J RSA Local	1,1
I&J RSA Export	12,1
Personal care	7,3
Spitz footwear	10,3

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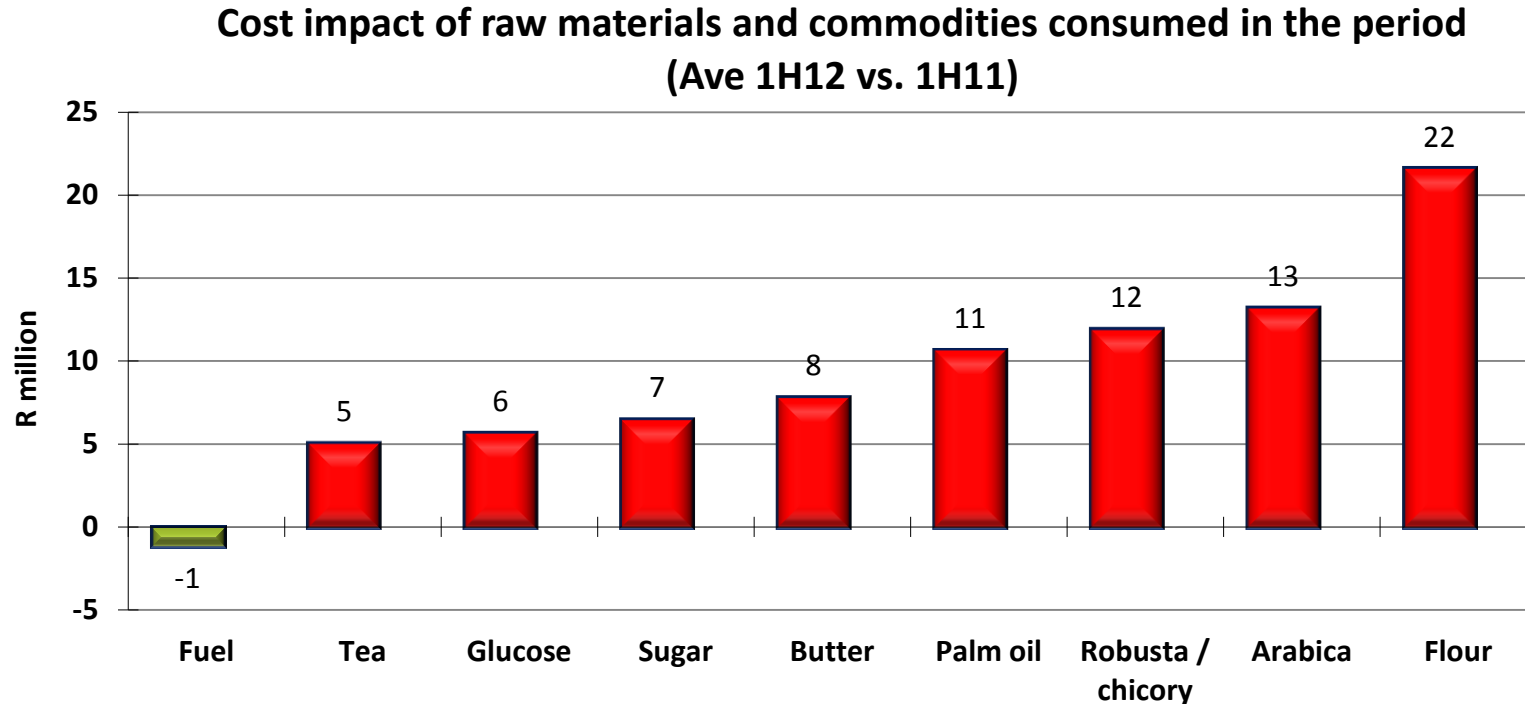
Selling prices

- Tea: limited price increases in competitive environment, supported by stable black tea cost and strong rand
- Coffee: price increases in response to increases in coffee bean, glucose and wrapping material prices
- Creamer: lower tactical discounts
- Biscuits: KVI prices re-aligned with consumer expectations during the semester; overall price increases maintained in response to higher commodity and wrapping material prices
- Snacks: increases to offset raw and wrapping material cost increases
- I&J local: decrease due to mix change, offset by higher retail prices
- I&J export: improved exchange rate; slightly better pricing in some markets offset by mix change
- Indigo: mix change offset by small increases H2 FY11
- Spitz: price increases H2 FY11 and mix change

Average realised selling prices by category	% Δ 1H12 vs 1H11
Tea	1,4
Coffee	12,8
Creamer	6,0
Biscuits	8,4
Snacks	7,2
I&J RSA Local	(2,7)
I&J RSA Export	11,9
Personal care	(3,4)
Spitz footwear	7,8

OPERATING ENVIRONMENT

Raw material / commodity costs

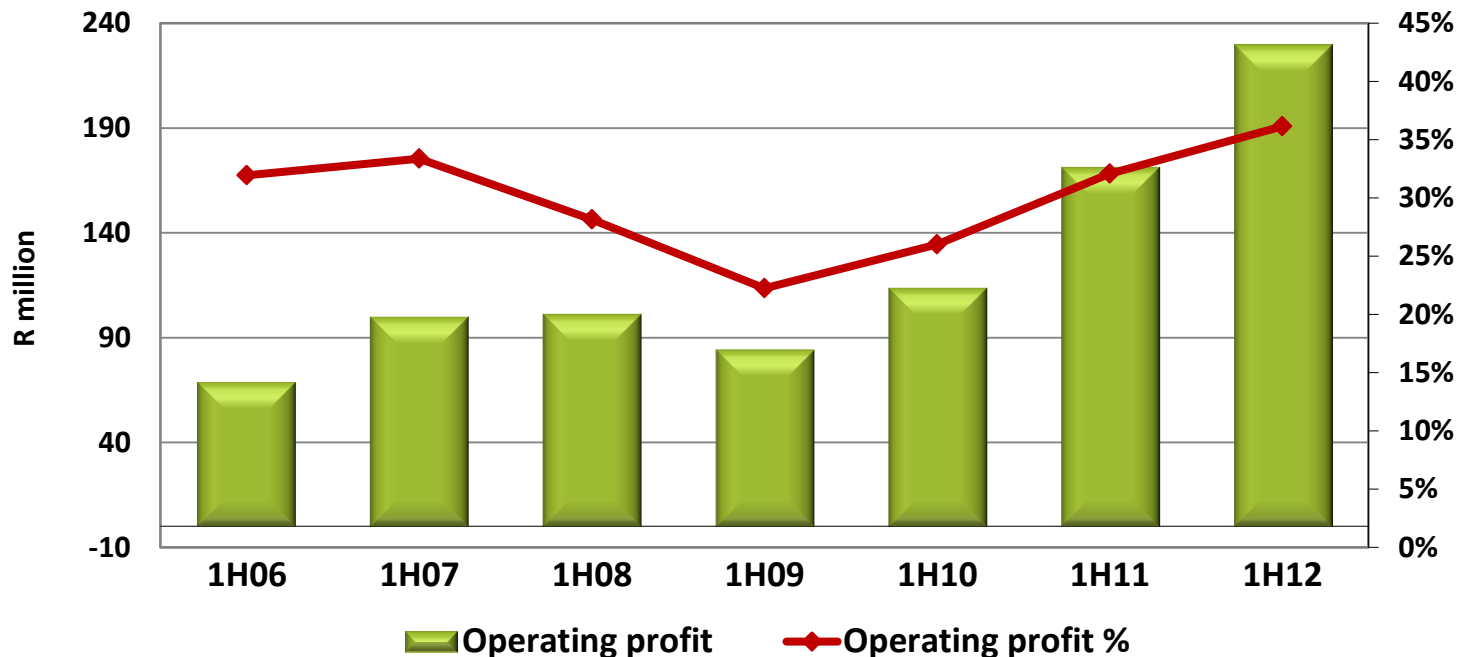


- Total increase of R85m for commodities shown
- Includes impact of exchange rate
- Fuel impact shown net of hedging – profit in FY12 vs loss in FY11

OPERATING ENVIRONMENT

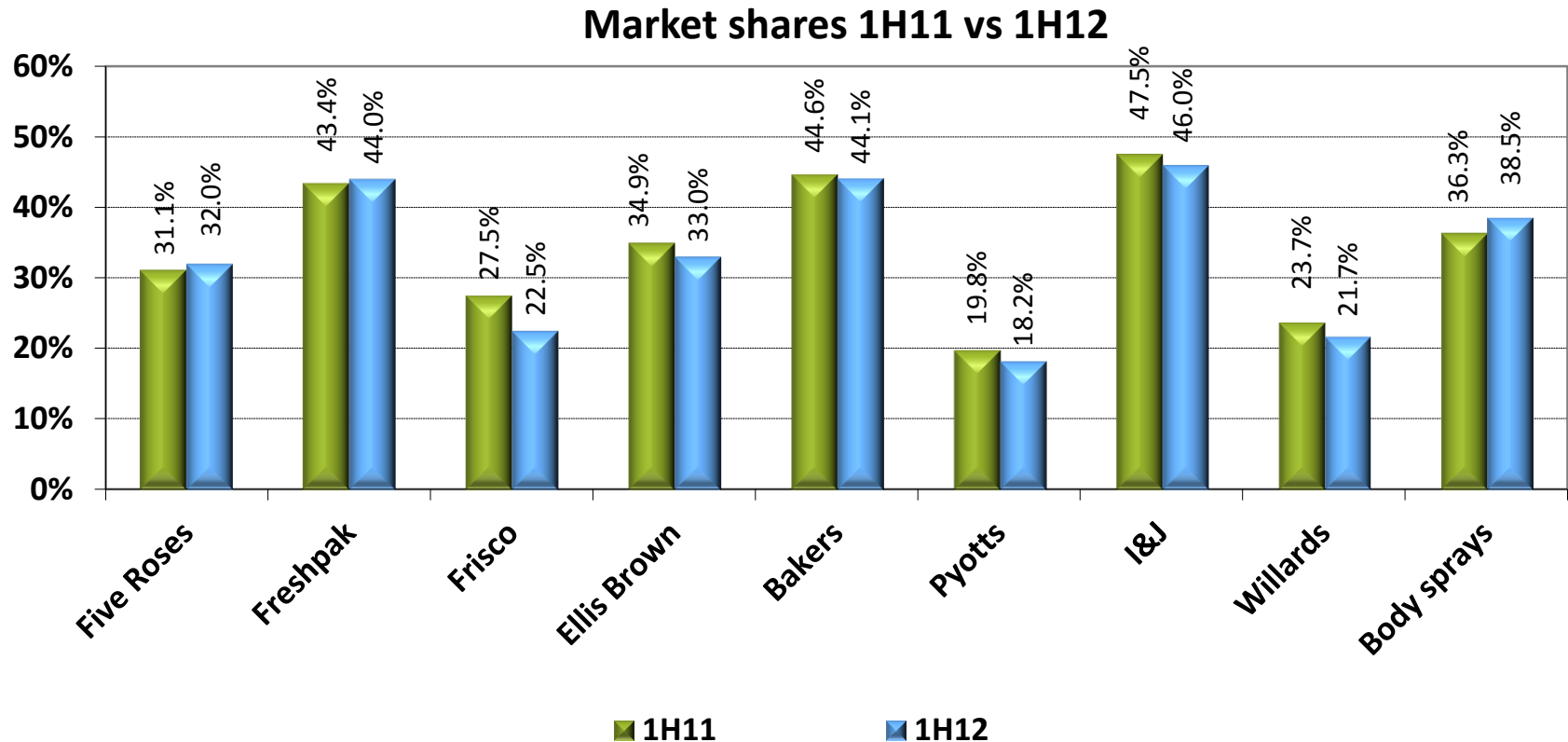
Spitz & Kurt Geiger

- Footwear volume growth of 10,3%
- Gross profit margin up from 61,9% to 66,3% - sales price / mix and exchange rate
- Operating profit up from R171,7 million to R230,1 million
- Operating profit margin up from 32,1% to 36,2%
- Kurt Geiger store roll-out on track – 22 stores at 31 December 2011; positive contribution to results in the semester



OPERATING ENVIRONMENT

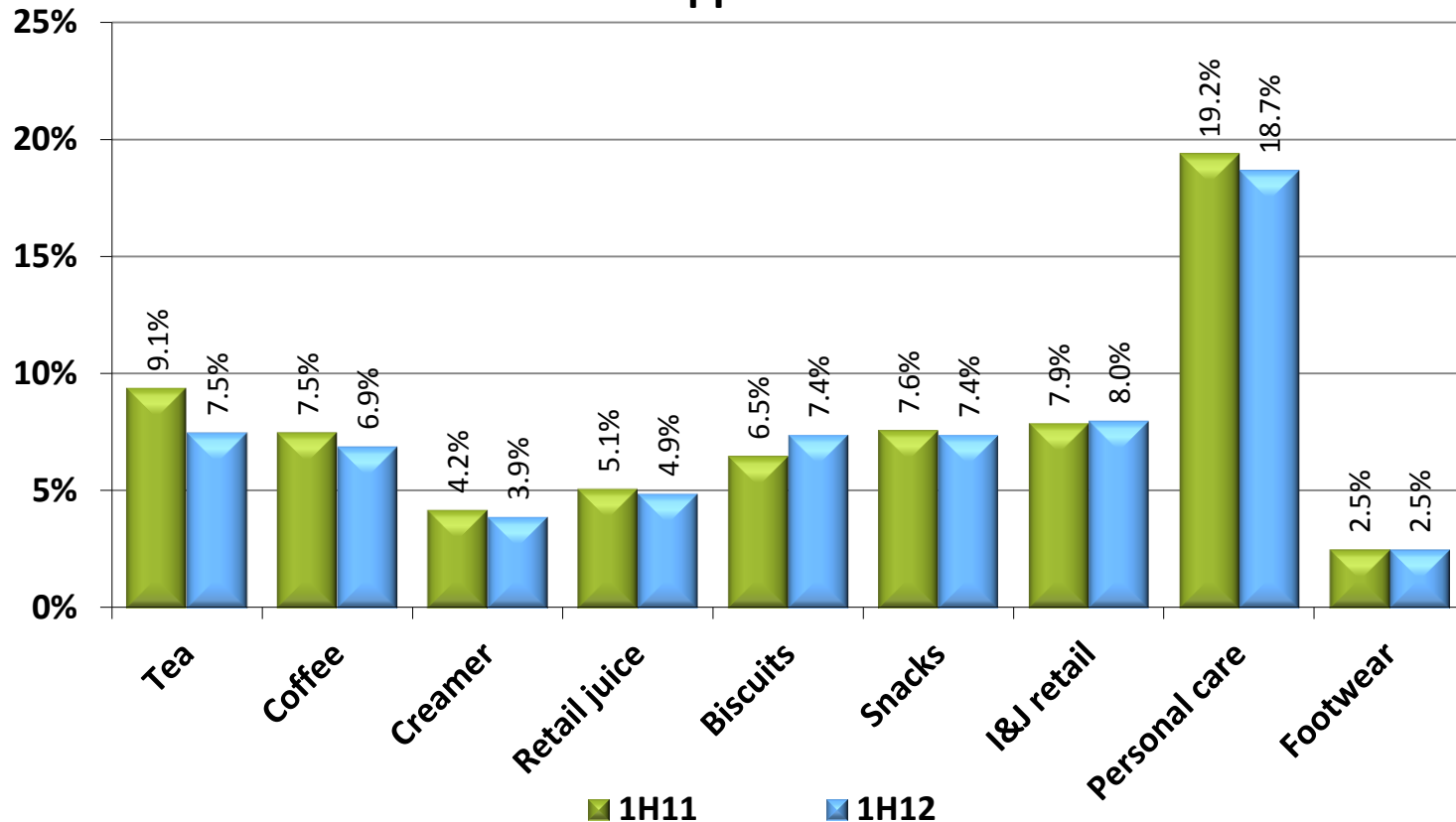
Key market shares



OPERATING ENVIRONMENT

Marketing expenditure

Brand support - % of NSV



- Includes advertising and promotions, co-operative expenditure with customers and marketing department costs
- Total expenditure for H1 FY12 was R303m compared to R294m in H1 FY11
- Tea and coffee spend biased towards H2 FY12



Business unit performance and prospects



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Performance and prospects

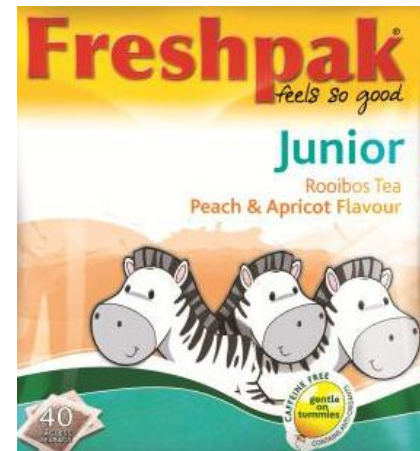


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Performance and prospects

■ Performance in H1

- ❑ Strong Freshpak growth, supported by competitive pricing
- ❑ Five Roses maintained market leadership
- ❑ Frisco volume decline due to better competitor supply and keen pricing
- ❑ Ellis Brown creamer volume decline due to better competitor supply and poor service levels Oct - Dec
- ❑ Gross margin decrease due to:
 - lower Coffee and Creamer volumes;
 - Raw material cost increases not fully recovered in competitive environment.
- ❑ New creamer tower commissioned in December
- ❑ New coffee granulation plant commissioned in October
- ❑ Frisco Granules launched end of semester 1



Performance and prospects

■ Prospects for H2

- ❑ Competitive environment and constrained consumer demand
- ❑ Improved year-on-year volume performance from Coffee and Creamer
 - No once-off demand from competitor problems in H2 FY11
 - Creamer capacity and service levels improved
 - Coffee granules promotion
- ❑ Maintain strong Tea position – Five Roses and Freshpak
- ❑ Rooibos raw material price increases may impact category demand
- ❑ Commodity and forex positions secured for most of H2
- ❑ Pressure on coffee margin due to high raw material cost
- ❑ Lower costs of creamer production using new tower instead of contract production
- ❑ New Creamer and Tea packaging lines
- ❑ Ongoing focus on factory performance



Snackworks

Performance and prospects



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■ Performance in H1

- ❑ Volume momentum recovered
 - Improving yields and more consistent quality
 - Key lines performed well
 - Selling prices reviewed and re-aligned with elasticity model
 - Effective in-store activity by AVI Field Marketing to combat competition
- ❑ Liquid petroleum gas shortage resulted in 550 tons lost production, equivalent to R8m contribution
- ❑ Higher raw and wrap costs offset by annualising price increases and procurement saving on pumpable shortening
- ❑ Improved labour management at Westmead
- ❑ Marketing impact



■ Prospects for H2

- ❑ Sustain volume momentum
 - New management team in place
 - Manage volume / price elasticity
 - Master brand support
- ❑ Ongoing focus on manufacturing yields / efficiency
- ❑ Commodity and forex positions secured for most of H2
- ❑ Improved Snacks price points and margin
- ❑ Complete finished goods handling project at Isando – case packing on all major lines
- ❑ Westmead capex projects



CHILLED AND FROZEN CONVENIENCE BRANDS

Performance and prospects



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CHILLED AND FROZEN CONVENIENCE BRANDS

Performance and prospects

■ Performance in H1

- ❑ Improved export exchange rates generated R42m
- ❑ Forex gains of R23m in S & A costs compared to losses of R24m in prior year
- ❑ Continued good performance of hake resource
- ❑ Higher sales volumes from TAC increase of 9,8%
- ❑ Improved operational performance and cost management
- ❑ Improvement in domestic retail and some export prices
- ❑ Mix change - less retail, more food service and whole fish
- ❑ Higher profit from Simplot JV in Australia driven by exchange rate movements



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Performance and prospects

■ Prospects in H2

- ❑ Current exchange rates similar to H2 FY11
- ❑ Higher hake volumes from quota increase
- ❑ Export prices constrained
- ❑ Domestic retail prices improving
- ❑ Incremental development of export market opportunities
- ❑ Strengthen local market position
 - Trade marketing;
 - Product differentiation;
 - New product development.
- ❑ Ongoing cost saving initiatives – fixed and variable
- ❑ Reduce non-core activities
- ❑ Evaluation of major factory improvement projects with 3 year payback opportunity



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Performance and prospects



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FASHION BRANDS – PERSONAL CARE

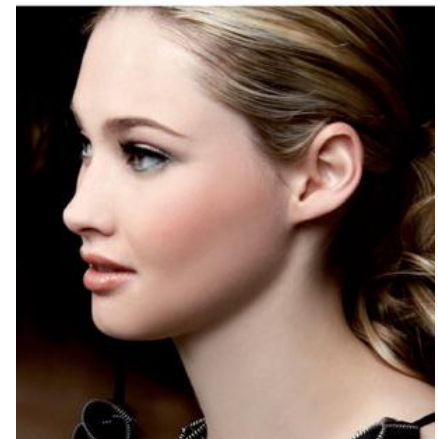
Performance and prospects

■ Performance in H1

- ❑ Good volume growth – body sprays and cosmetics
- ❑ Strong brand performance from Yardley
- ❑ Gross margin improved due to stronger Rand and sales mix
- ❑ Selling and administrative costs well controlled
- ❑ New aerosol line fully commissioned
- ❑ Technical capabilities enhanced

■ Prospects in H2

- ❑ Structure aligned with personal care focus
- ❑ Price increases to protect margin in weaker Rand environment
- ❑ Savings from new aerosol line
- ❑ Forex positions secured for most of H2
- ❑ Evaluate projects to improve fragrance, roll-on and lotion capacity and capabilities



FASHION BRANDS – FOOTWEAR & APPAREL

Performance and prospects

■ Performance in H1

- ❑ Volume growth in core brands – Lacoste, Carvela, Kurt Geiger
- ❑ Margin improvement from price / mix and better exchange rate
- ❑ Kurt Geiger clothing expansion – from 15 to 22 stores
- ❑ Investment in resources to support Kurt Geiger and other growth initiatives
- ❑ Sandton - flagship store refurbishment

■ Prospects in H2

- ❑ Slower rate of volume growth
- ❑ Incremental growth in Spitz doors – 1 to 2 new stores
- ❑ Complete Phase 1 of Kurt Geiger clothing rollout – 26 stores by end of June
- ❑ Forex positions secured for most of H2
- ❑ Launch of new brand initiatives



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Entyce, Snackworks and Personal care – exports into Africa

	1H12 Rm	1H11 Rm	% Δ	FY11
International Revenue	290,5	268,9	8,0	497,8
% of AVI Group	6,5	6,5	(0,5)	6,5
International Operating profit	63,2	48,3	30,9	91,7
% of AVI Group	7,4	7,2	3,2	8,2
International Operating margin	21,8	18,0	21,2	18,4
AVI Group Operating margin	19,0	16,3	16,6	14,6

- Dedicated management team and structure in place
- Focus on growth in existing and new markets
- Leverage RSA manufacturing base; acquisitions if appropriate





Group initiatives and prospects



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Prospects for H2

- Constrained consumer demand anticipated
- Competitive retail environment and cost of serving growing retail space
- Improved year-on-year Coffee and Creamer volume performance relative to H1
- Maintain Snackworks momentum – biscuit volumes and snacks prices
- Growth in export markets
- Commodity and foreign exchange secured for most of H2
- I&J result similar to H2 FY11 at current exchange rates
- Initiatives to sustain profit margins and compete effectively
- Continued project activity
 - Deliver benefits from completed projects
 - New projects approved / being evaluated



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Focus areas

■ Top line growth

- ❑ Volumes / market share
- ❑ Innovation - new formats and products
- ❑ Field Marketing and distribution – service levels, presence on shelf, defend against new entrants
- ❑ AVI International

■ Margin expansion

- ❑ Factory efficiencies
- ❑ Price / volume / margin management
- ❑ Procurement
- ❑ Fixed cost control

■ Increased capital program – replacement, capacity and technology

■ Portfolio housekeeping to leverage management focus

■ Acquisitions





Questions and answers





Thank you

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Business unit information



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BUSINESS UNIT FINANCIAL RESULTS

Continuing operations (excluding Alpesca and Denny)

	Segmental Revenue			Segmental Operating Profit			Operating Margin	
	1H12 Rm	1H11* Rm	Δ %	1H12 Rm	1H11* Rm	Δ %	1H12 Rm	1H11* Rm
Food & Beverage Brands	3 341,1	3 101,5	7,7	549,9	442,3	24,3	16,5	14,3
Entyce	1 301,7	1 246,4	4,4	245,9	258,8	(4,9)	18,9	20,8
Snackworks	1 290,3	1 185,6	8,8	203,2	180,5	12,6	15,7	15,2
Chilled & Frozen Convenience Brands	749,1	669,5	11,9	100,8	3,0	3 260	13,4	0,5
Fashion Brands	1 148,5	1 030,7	11,4	316,9	237,4	33,5	27,6	23,0
Personal Care	487,5	470,3	3,6	85,9	67,3	27,6	17,6	14,3
Footwear & Apparel	661,0	560,4	17,9	231,0	170,1	35,8	34,9	30,3
Corporate	3,2	3,3		(11,8)	(5,5)			
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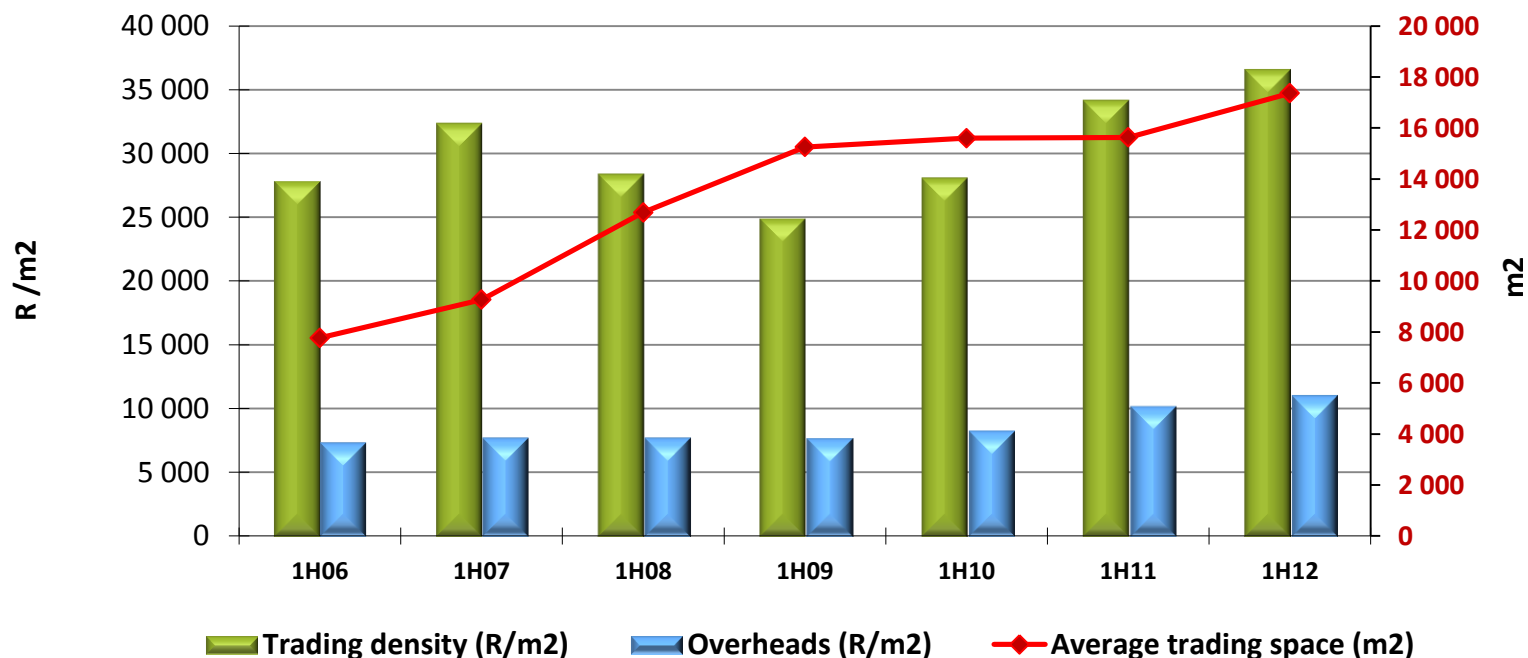
SPITZ

Trading space and trading density

	1H12	1H11
Spitz		
Number of Stores	59	57
Turnover (Rm)	593.1	525.5
Average m2	14 980	15 029
Trading Density (R/m2)	39 596	34 969
Closing m2	15 240	15 124

	1H12	1H11
Kurt Geiger		
Number of Stores	22	7
Turnover (Rm)	43.3	9.5
Average m2	2 382	600
Trading Density (R/m2)	18 173	15 902
Closing m2	2 922	1 047

Trading space and trading density



CHILLED & FROZEN CONVENIENCE BRANDS

Analysis of financial results

	Revenue		Operating Profit	
	1H12 Rm	1H11 Rm	1H12 Rm	1H11 Rm
I&J – continuing operations	749,1	669,5	100,8	3,0
Discontinued operations	-	414,8	-	11,5
Denny	-	187,6	-	21,0
Alpesca	-	227,2	-	(9,5)
Total	749,1	1 084,3	100,8	14,5

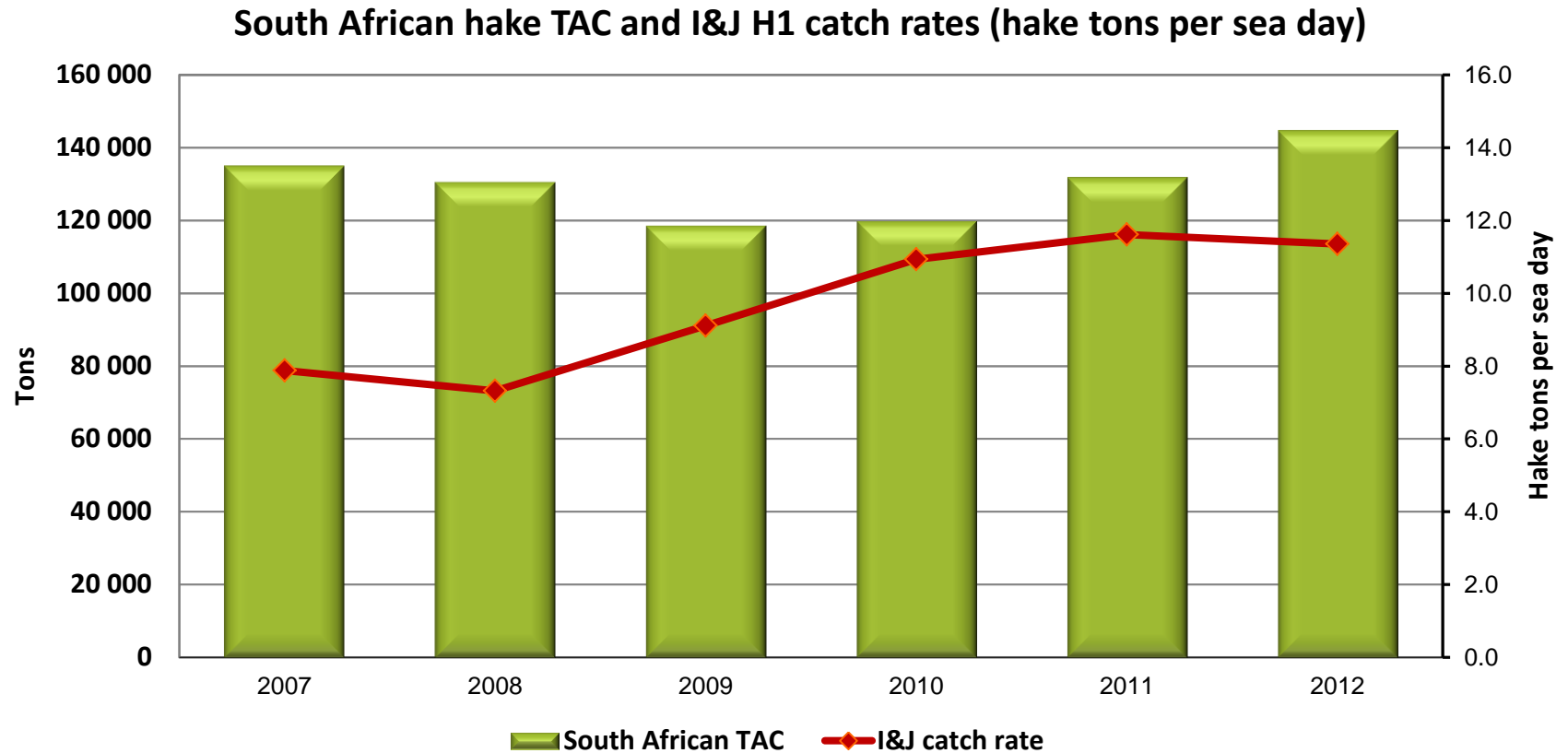
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Quota– seafood products

Hake Quota (tons)	CY12	CY11
South Africa Total Allowable Catch (TAC)	144 742	131 847
I&J	40 515	36 906
%	28,0	28,0

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I&J – Hake TAC and catch rates



	H1	H2	FY11	H1	H2	FY10
Revenue	187,6	197,6	385,2	177,2	182,7	359,9
Operating profit	21,0	29,0	50,0	22,9	23,0	45,9

■ Sold with effect from 1 July 2011

SIR JUICE

Historical information

	July – Oct 2010 Rm
Revenue	34,5
Operating profit	2,1

■ Sold with effect from November 2010