

#### **Q4 2013 Presentation**

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# 1. Highlights

- Announcement of USD 1.10 dividend
- Total Q4 Revenue USD 61.4 million; EBITDA USD 40.5 million
- Q4 Opex per rig approx. USD 88,700 per day
- Total contract backlog at end of Q4 was USD 762 million
- Revenue efficiency during Q4 was 95.6%



# 2. Q4 2013 and Preliminary Full-Year 2013 Financial Results

#### Q4 2013 Income Statement

#### Condensed statement of comprehensive income

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in USD thousands, except earnings per share		Full Year		Full Year
	Q4 2013	2013	Q4 2012	2012
_	(unaudited)	(unaudited)	(unaudited)	(audited)
Contract revenue	60,733	233,152	51,799	147,210
Reimbursables	635	3,314	770	4,800
Other revenue	29	66	184	217
-	61,397	236,532	52,753	152,227
Rig operating expenses	16,313	56,568	14,445	56,545
Reimbursables	204	1,239	450	951
Provision for doubtful debts	-	-	3,562	9,700
General and administrative expenses	5,688	20,887	1,702	11,132
Other (income)	(1,335)	(3,535)	-	-
Other expense	-	1,900	-	-
Depreciation _	4,415	17,609	4,219	17,474
-	25,285	94,668	24,378	95,802
Operating profit	36,112	141,864	28,375	56,424
Interest income	20	120	5	19
Interest expense	(2,238)	(9,379)	(3,001)	(13,447)
Other financial items	-	(128)	(626)	(920)
Net financial items	(2,218)	(9,387)	(3,622)	(14,348)
Profit before tax	33,894	132,477	24,753	42,076
Tax (expense)	(2,332)	(10,214)	(1,842)	(2,682)
Net profit	31,561	122,263	22,911	39,394
Other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-
Total comprehensive income	31,561	122,263	22,911	39,394
Attributable to minority interests Attributable to shareholders of the parent	- 31,561	- 122,263	- 22,911	- 39,394
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Basic and diluted earnings per share	1.05	4.07	0.76	1.31



#### Q4 2013 Balance Sheet

#### Condensed statement of financial position

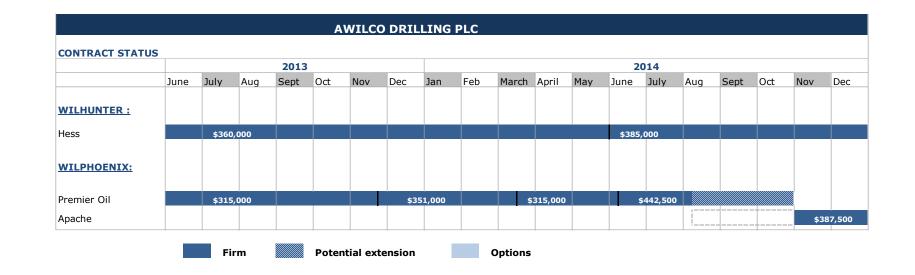
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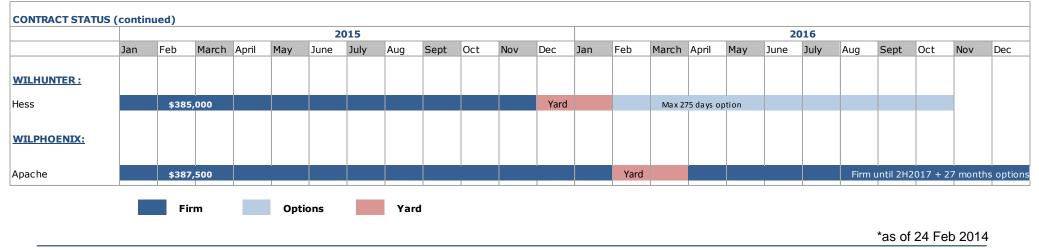
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	(unaudited)	(audited)						
Rigs, machinery and equipment	245,279	250,173						
Deferred tax asset	2,763	853						
	248,042	251,026						
Trade and other receivables	14,417	22,285						
Prepayments and accrued revenue	25,835	15,529						
Inventory	4,800	4,800						
Cash and cash equivalents	52,347	16,926						
Current tax	42,317	6,542						
	139,716	66,082						
Total assets	387,758	317,108						
Paid in capital	130,142	130,142						
Retained earnings	77,370	48,206						
	207,512	178,348						
Deferred tax liability	554	769						
Long-term interest-bearing debt	87,098	98,098						
	87,652	98,867						
Current portion of long-term debt	11,000	16,500						
Trade and other creditors	3,140	1,965						
Accruals and provisions	25,182	12,041						
Current tax payable	53,272	9,387						
	92,594	39,893						
Total equity and liabilities	387,758	317,108						



# **3. Operational Update**

#### Contract Status – Current Backlog USD 724 million\*







## **Operational Performance**

- Good operational performance in Q4 with 98.5% operational uptime
- Adverse weather conditions caused extensive waiting-on-weather
- Continued positive customer feedback
- Opex in Q4 close to guiding for 2013
  - Increased spend on major expense projects as planned



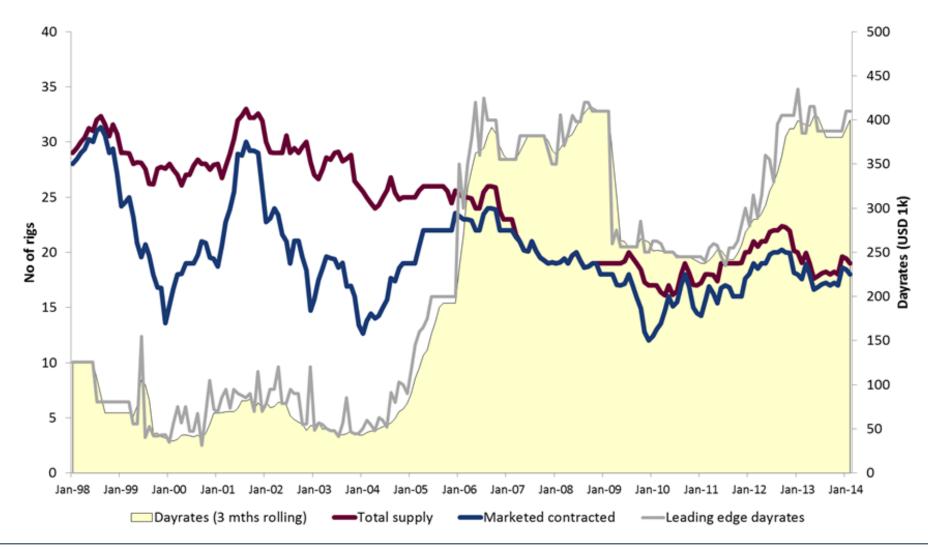


- Announcement of dividend payable in Q1 of USD 1.10 per share
- Dividend payable on or around the 20<sup>th</sup> March 2014
- Share will trade ex-dividend on 4<sup>th</sup> March 2014, the record date will be 6<sup>th</sup> March
- Future quarterly dividend payments will be in line with the Company's intent of distributing all free cash flow above a robust cash buffer to support operational working capital requirements and planned capital expenditure



# 4. Market Outlook

#### Dayrates and Contract Duration remain Attractive in the UK Market





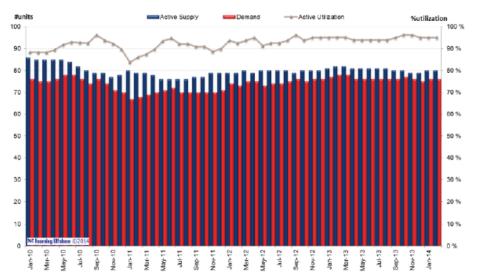
# Limited Influx of Rigs to the UK and Limited Orderbook should keep the Market in Balance

MW Region		
ASIA PACIFIC,	Active Supply	23
INDIAN SUBC. &	Demand	21
AUS/NZ	Cold stacked	4
	Active Utilization	91,3 %
	Active Supply	35
NORTH SEA	Demand	35
NUR IN SEA	Cold stacked	1
	Active Utilization	100,0 %
	Active Supply	4
	Demand	3
WEST AFRICA	Cold stacked	1
	Active Utilization	75,0 %
	Active Supply	3
GULF OF MEXICO	Demand	3
GULF OF MEXICO	Cold stacked	4
	Active Utilization	100,0 %
	Active Supply	9
SOUTH AMERICA	Demand	8
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	Active Utilization	88,9 %

#### MW (<3000ft)

Semis	Drillships	Total
75	5	80
72	4	76
12	0	12
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## The UK Market is close to Sold Out until mid-2015

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## Why do we expect the UK market to be tight beyond mid-2015?

- Sustained "high" oil price well above investment triggers is under-pinning operator confidence
- UK Government has set out a new vision to maximise the recovery of hydrocarbon reserves
- Major Operators increasing activity in new developments West of Shetland
- Major Operators increasing decommissioning and well abandonment activity
- Independent Operators continuing to exploit marginal fields & push the sublet market
- UK market has barriers to entry



# 5. Summary

- Market fundamentals remain positive
- Solid current contract backlog of USD 724 million
- Continued focus on operational efficiency
- Announcement of dividend payable in Q1 of USD 1.10
- Evaluating growth opportunities on a case-by-case basis



# Q&A