2014 Half Year Results

August 2014

























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Highlights

Excellent set of results

Consistent and proven strategy

Dividend up

10%

£119m spent ytd on 12 acquisitions

Adjusted earnings per share* up 14%[†]



* Before intangible amortisation and acquisition related costs

[†] At constant exchange rates



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Income statement

£m	June 14	June 13	Reported	Constant Exchange	
Revenue	2,938.7	2,956.6	(1)	7	
Operating profit*	197.2	188.8	4	13	
Net finance cost	<u>(20.6)</u>	<u>(21.2)</u>			
Profit before tax*	176.6	167.6	5	14	
Operating margin* (%)	6.7	6.4			
Effective tax rate (%)	28.0	27.9			
Adjusted earnings per share* (p)	39.0	37.1	5	14	
Dividend per share (p)	11.0	10.0	10		



* Before intangible amortisation and acquisition related costs

Dividend per share (p)

Consistently strong dividend growth





Balance sheet

Return on average operating capital 57.8%, up 90bps from Dec 13

£m	June 14	Dec 13	June 13
Intangibles	1,469.7	1,456.9	1,457.2
Tangibles	117.0	118.8	123.7
Working capital	523.1	520.3	536.7
Other liabilities	<u>(304.4)</u>	<u>(261.6)</u>	<u>(316.6)</u>
	1,805.4	1,834.4	1,801.0
Pension deficit	(59.2)	(45.0)	(59.6)
Net Debt*	<u>(880.1)</u>	<u>(849.5)</u>	<u>(872.7)</u>
Equity	866.1	939.9	868.7
Net Debt/EBITDA (x)	1.9	1.8	2.0
Return on average operating capital (%)	57.8	56.9	55.1



* See Appendix 2

Cash flow

£m	June 14	June 13
Operating cash flow*	200.2	193.9
Interest	(19.7)	(17.1)
Тах	<u>(47.1)</u>	<u>(37.9)</u>
Free Cash flow	133.4	138.9
Dividends	(32.6)	(28.8)
Acquisitions	(118.7)	(150.0)
Employee share schemes	<u>(34.7)</u>	<u>(54.5)</u>
Net cash flow	(52.6)	(94.4)
Operating cash flow* to operating profit [†]	102%	103%

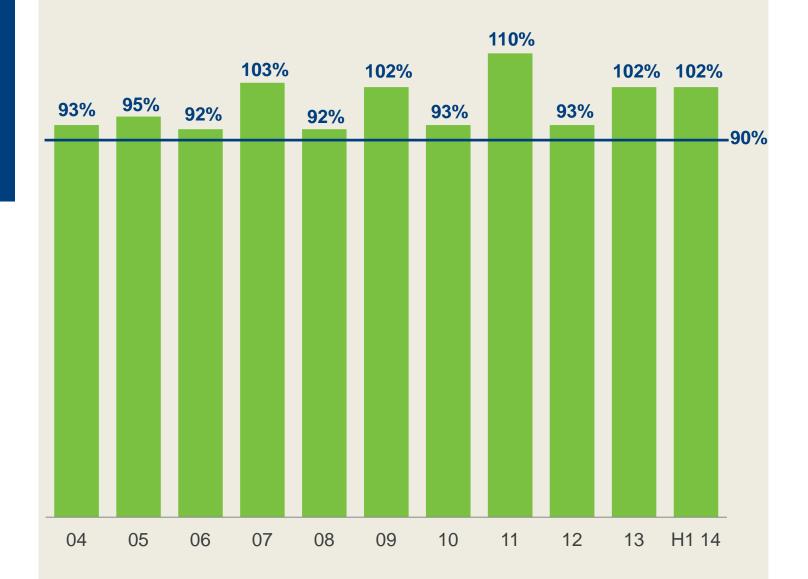


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Cash conversion*

High cash conversion funds growing dividend and acquisitions

Average cash conversion*





* Operating cash flow before acquisition related costs to operating profit before intangible amortisation and acquisition related costs 04-05 continuing operations only





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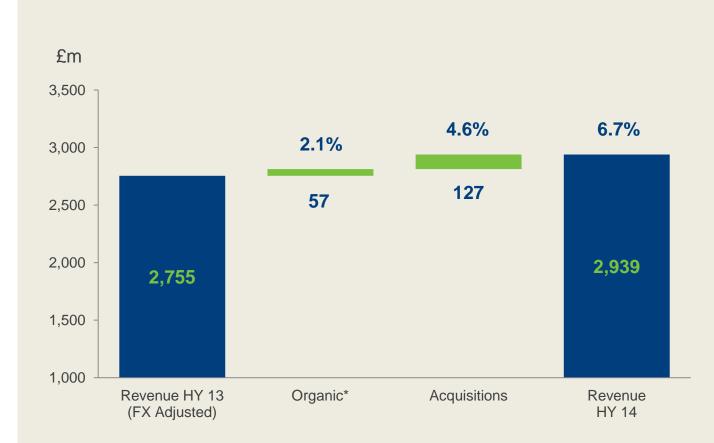
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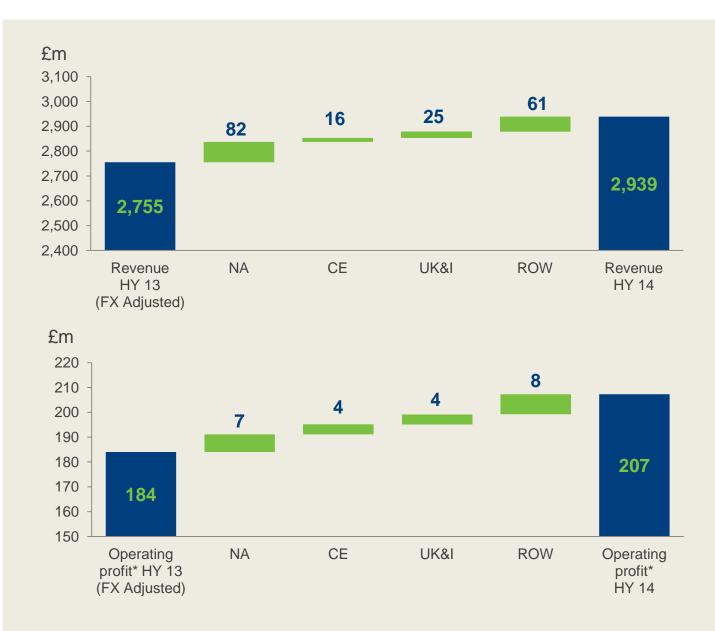
Revenue growth



* Adjusting for Q1 adverse weather in North America, underlying organic revenue growth c. 2.5%



Broad based growth





* Before intangible amortisation and acquisition related costs and corporate costs

Business area analysis

Well diversified by geography and sector





NORTH AMERICA 54% Revenue 47% Operating profit*



UK & IRELAND 17% Revenue 16% Operating profit*



CONTINENTAL EUROPE 20% Revenue 24% Operating profit*



REST OF WORLD 9% Revenue 13% Operating profit*

* Before intangible amortisation and acquisition related costs and corporate costs

Overview

Strong overall performance

- North America good organic revenue growth and acquisitions led to improved margins
- Continental Europe strong profit growth in tough economic environment
- UK & Ireland good organic growth, improved operating margin and return on operating capital of 108%
- Rest of the World 45%[†] growth in operating profit*



At constant exchange rates
* Before intangible amortisation and acquisition related costs

North America

			Growth %			
£m	June 14	June 13	Reported	Constant Exchange		
Revenue	1,590.1	1,645.5	(3)	5		
Operating profit*	97.4	98.6	(1)	8		
Margin*	6.1%	6.0%				
Return on operating capital	61.2%	60.7%				



- Growth in grocery despite the severe winter weather in Q1
- Slight increase in redistribution sales
- Food processor growth through customer wins and increased product penetration
- Significant sales increase in agricultural sector
- Convenience store and non-food retail sectors experienced strong organic growth
- Own brand offering continues to add value for all our markets



* Before intangible amortisation and acquisition related costs

Continental Europe

			Growth %			
£m	June 14	June 13	Reported	Constant Exchange		
Revenue	573.3	577.4	(1)	3		
Operating profit*	50.1	47.7	5	9		
Margin*	8.7%	8.3%				
Return on operating capital	49.6%	43.4%				



France

- Significant increased profit in cleaning and hygiene due to ongoing cost reduction measures
- Strong profit growth in safety business
- Strong profit growth in Benelux
- Good sales and profit growth in Germany
- Improved results in Denmark, driven by significant cost reductions
- Significant improvement in Spain safety business



UK & Ireland

			Growth %			
£m	June 14	June 13	Reported	Constant Exchange		
Revenue	507.8	483.9	5	5		
Operating profit*	33.7	29.7	13	13		
Margin*	6.6%	6.1%				
Return on operating capital	107.5%	92.6%				



- Organic revenue growth at highest level since 2007
- Cleaning and safety benefitted from a recovery in the construction sector
- Growth in grocery through broad customer base
- Hospitality continued to perform well
- Strong progress in healthcare
- Ongoing recovery and improving performance in Ireland



Rest of the World

			Growth %			
£m	June 14	June 13	Reported	Constant Exchange		
Revenue	267.5	249.8	7	29		
Operating profit*	26.1	22.0	19	45		
Margin*	9.8%	8.8%				
Return on operating capital	45.5%	47.5%				



- Overall strong growth with substantial acquisition impact
- Latin America
 - Strong performance in Brazil
 - Rest of Latin America in line with expectations
- Australasia
 - Growth in Outsourcing Services
 - Industrial and safety impacted by mining and resources downturn



Consistent and proven strategy

High ROIC despite significant acquisition spend

GDP+ organic growth

By outsourcing to Bunzl the purchase, consolidation and delivery of a broad range of products our customers achieve efficiencies and savings

Acquisition growth

Since 2004 we have announced 95 acquisitions with total spend of £1.8bn

Operating model efficiencies

We constantly strive to make our business more efficient and environmentally friendly

ROIC 17.9%



Acquisition growth 2014 ytd

12 acquisitions so far this year

Business	Acquired	Country	Sector	Revenue*
Bäumer	January	Germany	Cleaning & hygiene	£10m
Oskar Plast	February	Czech	Grocery	£13m
Lamedid	March	Brazil	Healthcare	£13m
Nelson Packaging	March	NZ	Cleaning & hygiene	£3m
Plast Techs	March	USA	Cleaning & hygiene	£14m
Tecno Boga	March	Chile	Safety	£23m
Allshoes	May	Netherlands	Safety	£18m
JPLUS	May	Brazil	Cleaning & hygiene	£12m
365 Healthcare	June	UK	Healthcare	£12m
Premiere Products	July	UK	Cleaning & hygiene	£4m
Lee Brothers	July	UK	Safety	£11m
Guardsman	July	UK	Safety	£9m



Annualised acquisition revenue

Acquisitions across all business areas

£m	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014 ytd
North America	115	198	103	15	-	-	35	7	410	89	14
Continental Europe	301	61	7	100	52	-	115	96	23	5	41
UK & Ireland	-	2	267	110	39	27) -	39	16	32	36
Rest of the World	14	9	9	-	60) -	4	62	69	155	51
Group	430	270	386	225	151	27	154	204	518	281	142

04-05 continuing operations only





Acquisition growth

Average annual acquisition spend

£180m

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014 ytd
Number of acquisitions	7	7	9	8	7	2	9	10	13	11	12
Committed acquisition spend (£m)	302	129	162	197	123	6	126	185	277	295	119
Annualised acquisition revenue (£m)	430	270	386	225	151	27	154	204	518	281	142

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Acquisition discipline

95 acquisitions announced since 2004 Say "no" many more times than "yes" Very selective about countries and sectors

Thorough due diligence Review performance vs investment case with Board

Retention of management and customers is key

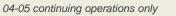


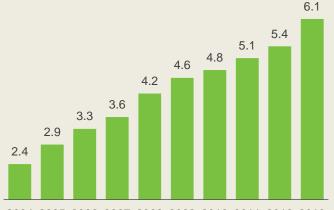
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Financial track record

All CAGRs greater than 10%

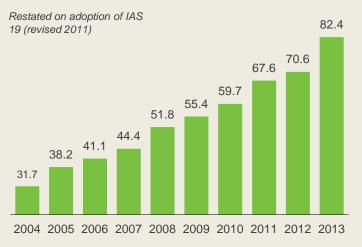
Revenue (£bn)





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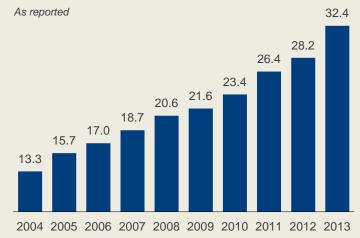
Adjusted eps (p)



Operating profit (£m)



Dividend per share (p)





Prospects

- Overall trading for the year anticipated to be in line with expectations
- Reported results will continue to be adversely affected if current exchange rates prevail
- Each business area should continue to grow at constant exchange rates with operating margins expected to be at similar levels to H2 2013
- Promising pipeline of opportunities and expect to complete further acquisitions during the rest of 2014
- Board is confident the Group will continue to build the business and increase shareholder value



Appendices













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Exchange rates

	June 14	June 13
Average rate		
US \$	1.67	1.54
Euro	1.22	1.18
Australian \$	1.82	1.52
Canadian \$	1.83	1.57
Brazilian Real	3.83	3.14
Closing rate		
US \$	1.71	1.52
Euro	1.25	1.17
Australian \$	1.81	1.66
Canadian \$	1.82	1.60
Brazilian Real	3.77	3.35



Net debt

£m	Six months to June 14	Year to Dec 13	Six months to June 13
Opening net debt	(849.5)	(738.1)	(738.1)
Net cash outflow	(52.6)	(113.2)	(94.4)
Currency inflow / (outflow)	22.0	1.8	_(40.2)
Closing net debt	(880.1)	(849.5)	(872.7)



Cash flow

£m	June 14	June 13
Operating profit*	197.2	188.8
Depreciation	11.7	12.9
Working capital movement	5.5	5.1
Other	(2.9)	0.2
Cash flow from operations	211.5	207.0
Net capital expenditure	<u>(11.3)</u>	<u>(13.1)</u>
Operating cash flow**	200.2	193.9
Operating cash flow** to operating profit*	102%	103%

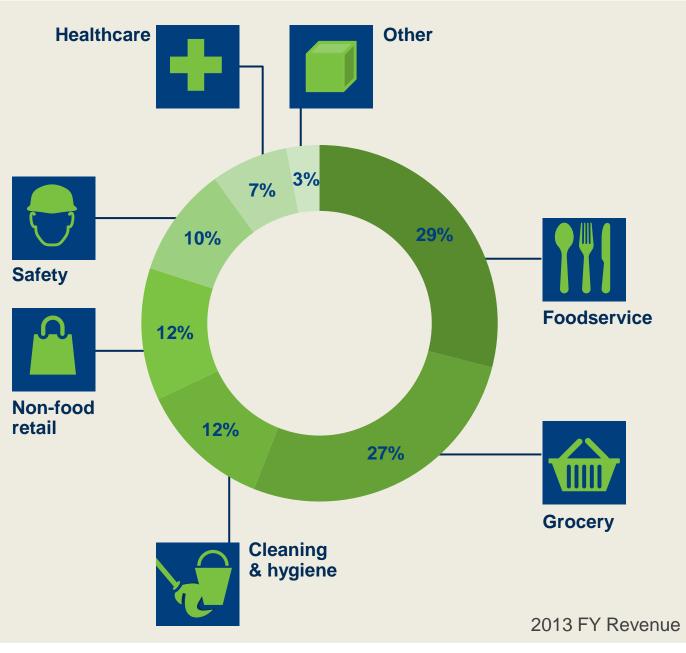


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Revenue by customer markets

c.75% resilient Grocery Foodservice Cleaning & hygiene Healthcare





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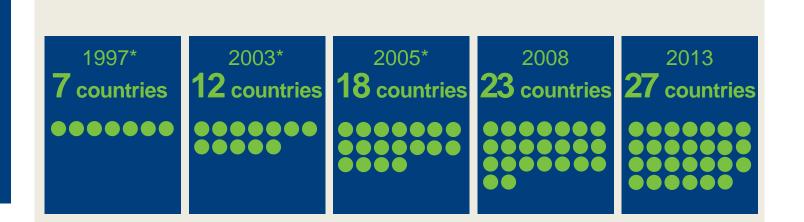
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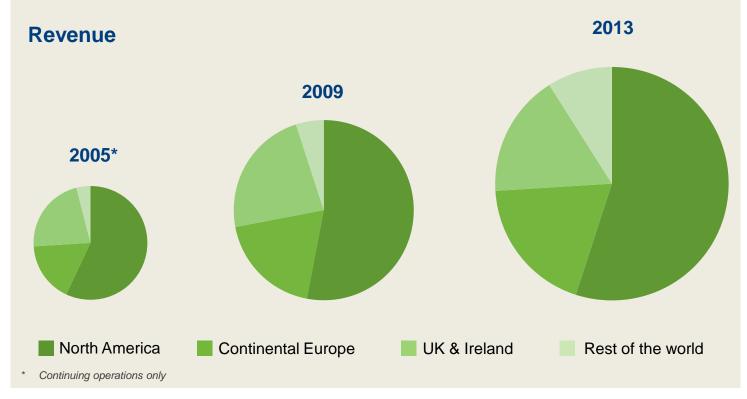
£m	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Revenue	2,439	2,924	3,333	3,582	4,177	4,649	4,830	5,109	5,359	6,098
Operating profit*	169	203	226	243	281	296	307	336	352	414
Margin* (%)	6.9	7.0	6.8	6.8	6.7	6.4	6.4	6.6	6.6	6.8



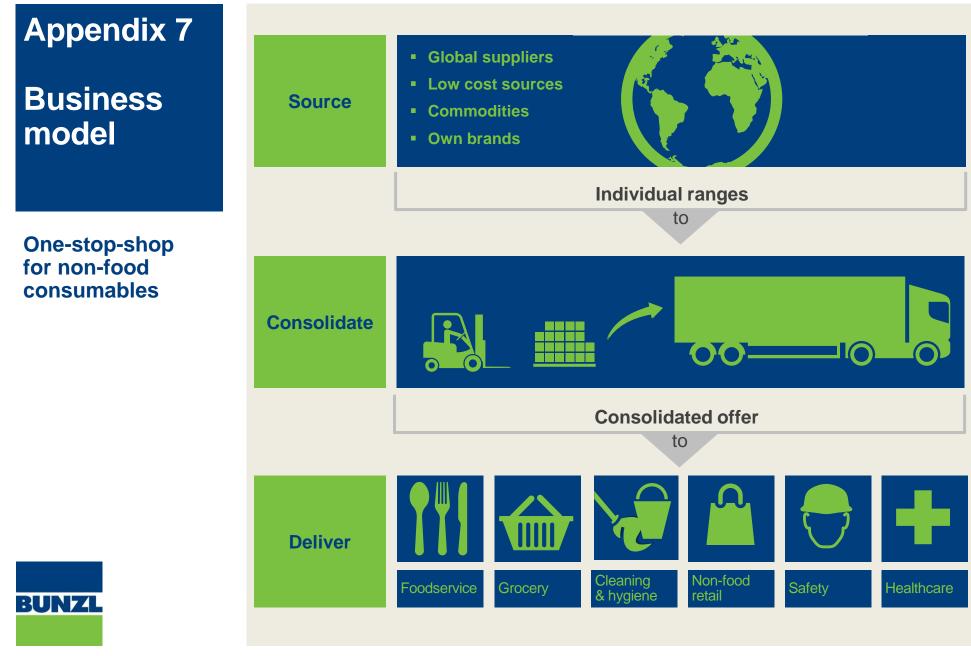
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Geographic expansion timeline









Value proposition

Outsourcing adds value for our customers



Product cost

Inventory investment Cash flow Direct labour & overtime Inventory finance cost Expedited orders Inbound freight Purchase order administration Inventory damage & shrinkage Accounts payable admin Storage space Capital employed

- In-house procurement and self distribution is costly
- Bunzl applies its resources and expertise to reduce or eliminate many of the "hidden" costs of in-house procurement and self distribution
- The benefits to customers are a lower cost of doing business and reduced working capital and carbon emissions



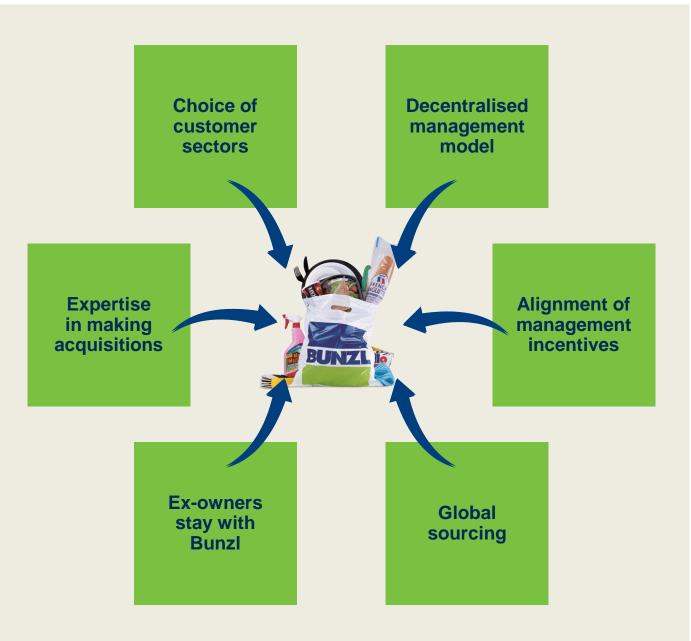
Key acquisition parameters

B2B	Goods not for resale	Consolidated product offering ('one-stop-shop')		
Sectors with growth	Fragmented customer base	Further market consolidation and synergies		
Small % of total customer spend	Opportunity for "own label" products	Attractive financial returns (ROIC, ROACE)		



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Key competitive advantages





Why invest in Bunzl?

.... because Bunzl is the leader in the market with consistently good growth, stable operating margins, a very high return on operating capital and it turns on average more than 90% of the operating profit into cash which can be reinvested at a rate well in excess of the cost of capital



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