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Seadrill facts

	September 2008
Employees	7,000
Rigs in operation	26+2
 Newbuild orders 	15 (26)
Presence in countries	11
 Contract backlog 	US\$12.5 bn.
 Market capitalization 	US\$9 bn.
Enterprise value	US\$14 bn.

Built from scratch since 2005 on newbuilds and M&As











Strategy

- Focus fleet on premium offshore drilling assets
- Secure term contracts at premium dayrates
- Financing structures geared towards capital repayment
- Return early cash to shareholders through dividend
- Continue to look for growth opportunities

Build a leading drilling contractor delivering attractive shareholder return



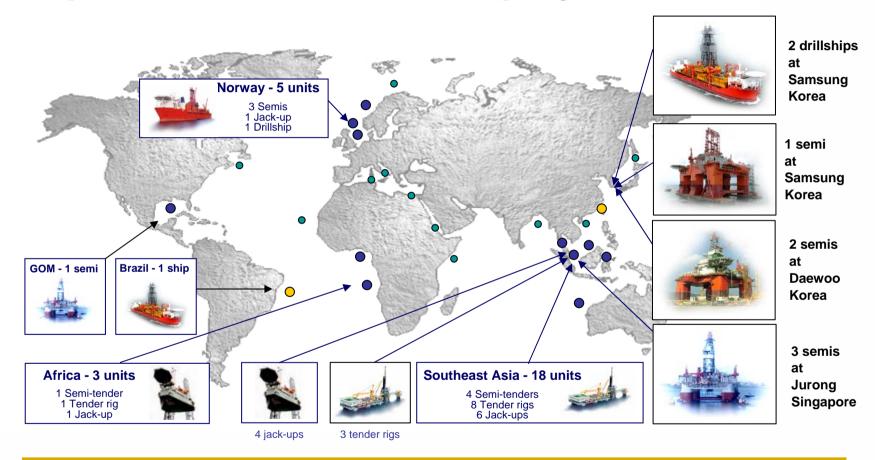








Operations and newbuild projects



43 units including 15 under construction

- Current
- Previous
- Future









Shallow water newbuild projects

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Unit	Delivery	
West Ceres	May 2006	1
West Prospero	June 2007	\checkmark
West Atlas	September 2007	\
West Triton	January 2008	1
West Ariel	May 2008	\
West Leda	On schedule	1Q10
West Callisto	On schedule	2Q10
West Elara	On schedule	4Q10
West Juno	On schedule	4Q10

Tender rigs

Unit	Delivery	<u></u>
West Berani	December 2006	✓
T10	August 2007	1
T11	April 2008	\checkmark
T12	On schedule	1Q10
West Berani II	On schedule	1Q10
West Berani III	On schedule	1Q11

Successful deliveries on time and budget











Ultra-deepwater projects 2008

West Sirius

Update

- Arrived the Gulf Of Mexico July 1
- Commenced drilling operations July 24
- Farmed out to APT
- Drilled three top holes
- Utilization in line with expectations
- Contract extended from four to six years



West Polaris

Update

- Delivered on July 10
- On time and budget
- En route to Brazil
- Commencement of operations in Brazil for Exxon anticipated in October 2008



West Taurus

Progress

- 95% complete
- Delivery scheduled in December this year
- Start-up of operations for Petrobras expected in February next year

Challenges

Final commissioning

Cost - On budget



West Capella

Progress

- 95% complete
- Delivery planned in December 2008
- Commencement of operations in Nigeria for Total expected in February/March 2009

Challenges

Final commissioning

Cost - On budget













Ultra-deepwater projects 2008

West Phoenix

Update

- Delivery taken end March 2008
- Unit has arrived Norway
- Commencement of operations in Norway is delayed to November 2008
- Activities outstanding are final commissioning and testing of drilling equipment



West Hercules

Progress

- 100% complete
- Delivery scheduled mid September 2008
- Commencement of operations in China for Husky in October 2008

Challenges

Final commissioning

Cost - On budget



West Eminence

Progress

- 99% complete
- Delivery scheduled year-end 2008

Challenges

Commissioning

Cost - On budget



West Aquarius

Progress

- 96% complete
- Delivery planned in the November this year
- Commencement of operations in Indonesia December

Challenges

- Yard capacity
- Commissioning risk

Cost - On budget













Human resources recruitment

Units	Core crew recruitment % complete	
West Phoenix West Sirius West Hercules West Polaris West Aquarius West Capella West Eminence West Taurus	100% 100% 100% 100% 100% 95% 95% 85%	 Core crews Internal and international recruiting Other crew In the country we operate

65% of non-core crew complete

Recruitment as planned retention future challenge











Deepwater contract awards

Unit	Customer	Dayrate (US\$/d)	Term	Contract value
West Taurus	Petrobras	630,000	6 yrs	US\$1,400 mill.
West Eminence	Petrobras	600,000	6 yrs	US\$1,300 mill.
West Orion	Petrobras	600,000	6 yrs	US\$1,300 mill.
West Sirius	Devon	475,000	6 yrs	US\$1,040 mill.
West Phoenix	Total	530,000	3 yrs	US\$580 mill.
West Polaris	Exxon	556'/615'	3 yrs/ 1yr	US\$835 mill.
West Hercules	Husky	524,000	3 yrs	US\$575 mill.
West Capella	Total	540,000	5 yrs	US\$985 mill.
West Aquarius	Exxon	525,000	4 yrs	US\$765 mill.
West Navigator	Shell	595,000	4yrs	US\$870 mill.

Premium dayrates from premium clients



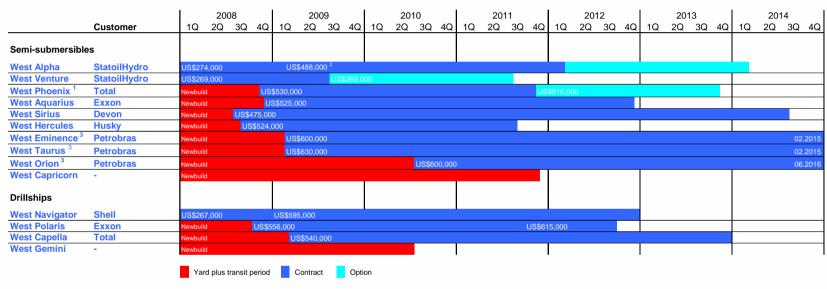








Floaters - contract status



¹ The West Phoenix contract could be extended by two years at dayrate US\$515,000

Order backlog of approx. US\$10.7 billion









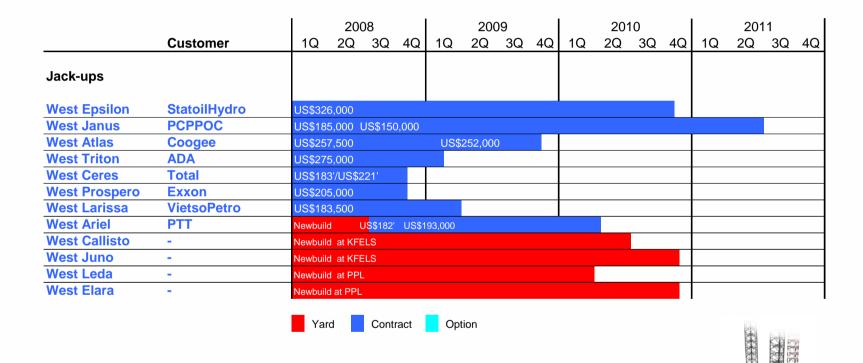




² The West Alpha contract could be extended by one or two years reducing the dayrates for the contract period to U\$\$468,000 or U\$\$448,000, respectively

³ Dayrates include five percent performance incentive as well as estimated compensation for taxes

Jack-ups - contract status



Order backlog of approx. US\$850 million



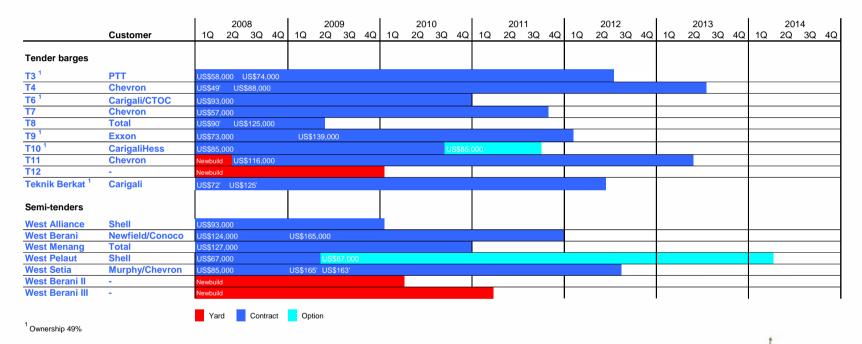








Tender rigs - contract status



Order backlog of approx. US\$1.3 billion





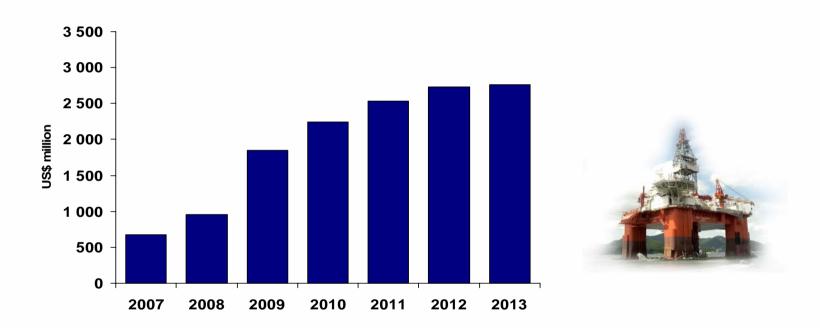








EBITDA growth forecast



Growth supported by strong market outlook

Source: DnBNor estimates







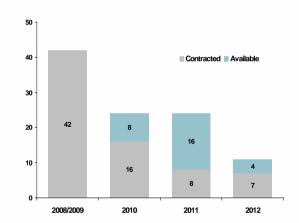




Market status floaters

- Brazil with the sub-salt discoveries is a game changer
- The National Oil Companies and Independents continue to be in the driving seat
- Super majors and majors are being more active in securing deepwater capacity
- Availability combined with operation track record is highly valued

Ultra-deepwater newbuilds – 2008 and 2009 fully booked



The market is absorbing the newbuilds

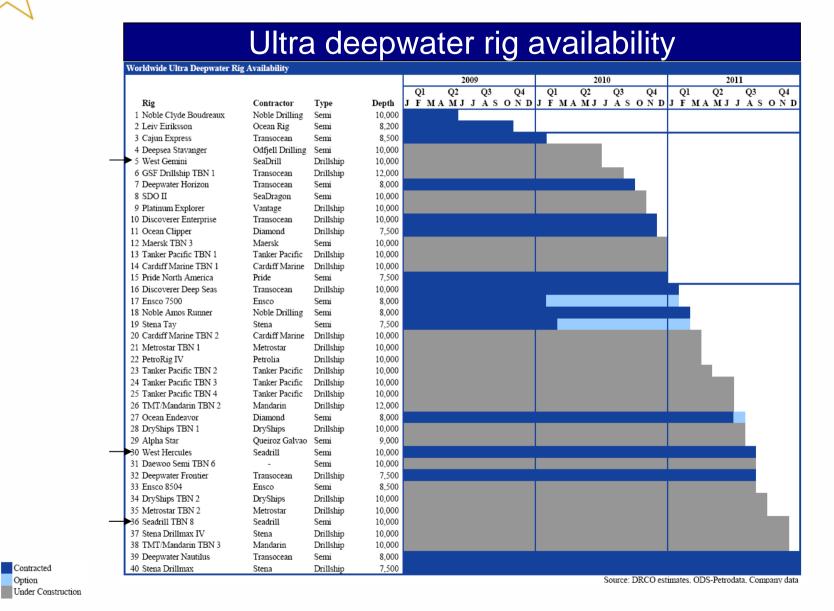












Source: Dahlman Rose

Contracted

Option







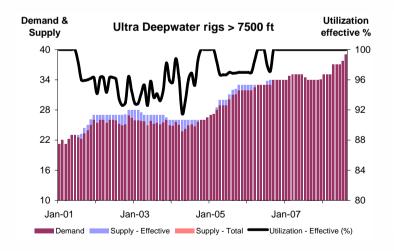


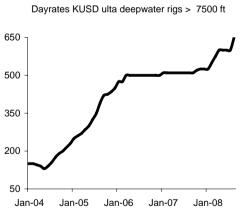


Ultra-deepwater rates established above US\$600'/day

Latest fixtures

Date	Company	Rig	Rig type	Operator	Rate \$'/day	Old \$'/day	Duration	Start-up	Comments
4-Aug	RIG	Deepwater Expedition	5GDS	Petronas	640	375	3Y	Aug-10	
8-Jul	RIG	Deepwater Pathfinder	5GDS	ENI	652	395	5Y	Apr-10	
27-Jun	Seadrill	West Sirius	6GSS	Devon	470	470	2Y	3Q12	Priced option
24-Jun	Noble	Noble Jim Day	6GSS	Marathon	515	NA	2Y	Jan-12	Priced option
23-Jun	Transocean	Petrobras Drsh Tbn1	6GSS	Petrobras	418	NA	10Y	Jul-09	+10%bonus+10Y opt.
19-Jun	RIG	GSF Dev. Driller II	5GSS	BP	580	208	5Y	Nov-08	
2-Jun	Sevan	Sevan Brasil	6GSS	Petrobras	406	NA	6Y	Jun-12	+ 6Y option
2-Jun	Scorpion	Scorpion Semi Tbn1	6GSS	Petrobras	416	NA	6Y	Jun-12	+ 6Y option
2-Jun	Delba	Delba VI	6GSS	Petrobras	382	NA	6Y	Jun-12	+ 6Y option
2-Jun	Delba	Delba V	6GSS	Petrobras	382	NA	6Y	Jun-12	+ 6Y option





Source: Pareto







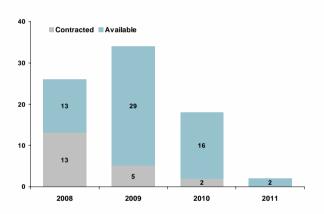




Market status Jack-ups

- Substantial oil and gas resources remain in many shallow areas
- Increasing focus on quality and fleet ageing issues
- Focus on operational track record
- A modern brand new fleet of rigs a major advantage

Newbuild jack-ups



Favorable outlook for modern premium jack-ups











What makes Seadrill different

- Fleet focused on brand new assets.
- Ultra-deepwater is key exposure
- Contracting strategy based on opportunistic market view
- Leverage structures are applied to maximized exposure to the offshore drilling market
- Shareholders are dominating at Board level
- Returning excess cash to shareholders is high priority





Returning as much cash as possible to shareholders



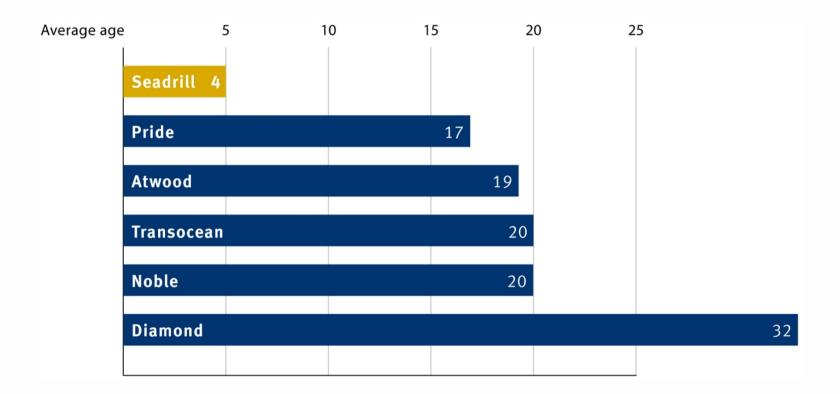








Modern floater fleet



Source: DnBNor Markets Average age floaters in 2010

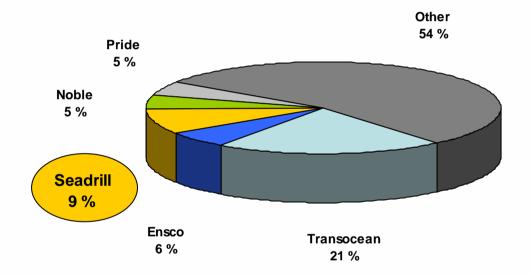








Ultra-deepwater players



Seadrill is second largest player in UDW

Source: DnBNor – 7,500ft+











Ultra-deepwater EBITDA contribution

	2008	2010
Diamond Offshore Drilling	9 %	10 %
Pride International	18 %	24 %
Noble Corp.	7 %	22 %
Transocean Inc	22 %	29 %
Seadrill Limited	19 %	63 %

Seadrill gives the most ultra deepwater exposure

Source: DnBNor



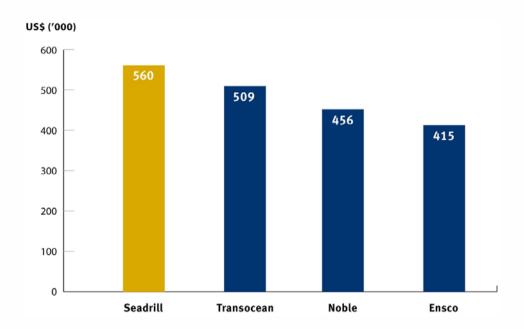








Ultra-deepwater fixtures



Seadrill delivers on successful contracting strategy

Source: DnBNor Markets
UDW fixtures since 2006

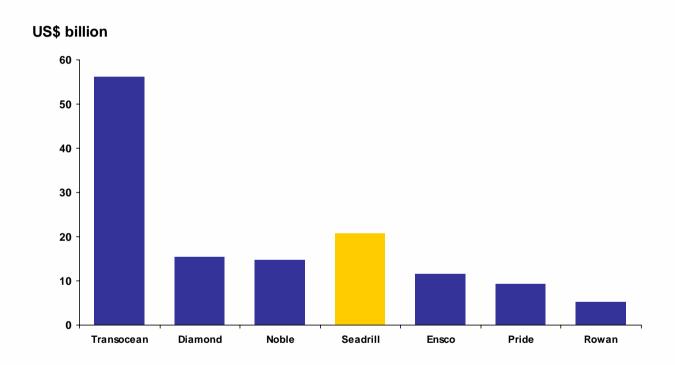








Fully invested enterprise value



Higher exposure per dollar equity invested

Source: DnBNor, includes market cap, net debt and future newbuild cap. ex.











Further growth opportunities

Opportunities are:

- Further newbuilds
- Acquisition of assets under construction, or
- Smaller newcomers
- A sizable corporate transaction

What have we done ->











Actions taken in 2008

- One deepwater unit ordered from Jurong Shipyard with option for one additional unit
- Four new jack-ups ordered with delivery in 2010
- Two tender rigs ordered with delivery in 2010 and 2011
- Increased ownership in Scorpion Offshore Ltd to 39%.
- Increased ownership in Malaysian oil service company SapuraCrest Bhd to 22%
- 9.5% ownership stake acquired in Pride Int. Inc.

Investments based on confidence in the offshore drilling market











Summary

- First deepwater newbuild has commenced operations in GoM
- Newbuilding projects in the main progressing as planned
- Ability to attract skilled and experienced people
- Strong order backlog exceeding US\$12 billion
- Favorable market outlook with increasing dayrates in particular for ultra-deepwater rigs
- Remaining debt financing to cover all newbuilds installments is expected to be in place shortly
- Third consecutive cash dividend has been resolved

Creating a world leading drilling contractor











