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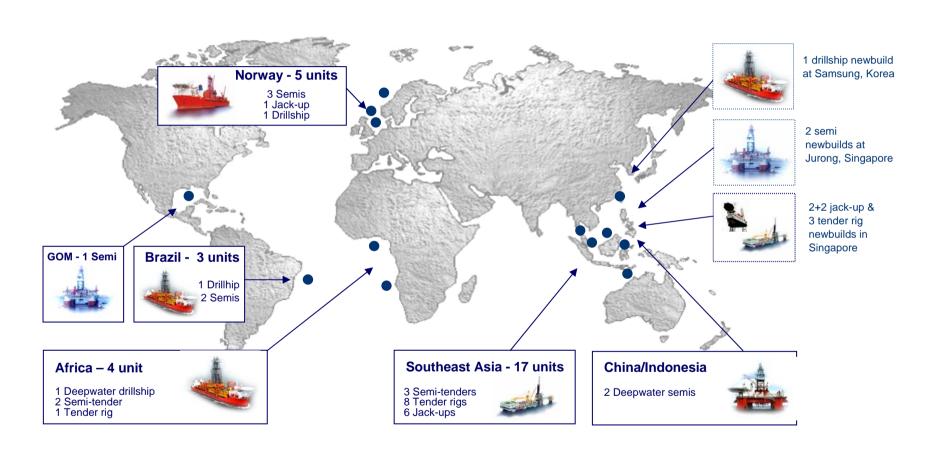
2009 versus 2008

	Sept. 2008	Sept. 2009
Oil price	~US\$100	~US\$70
Share price	NOK124	NOK107
Order backlog	US\$12.5bn	US\$11.5bn
Deepwater newbuilds in operation	1	8
New deepwater areas operations	GoM	GoM, China, Brazil, Nigeria, Indonesia
Rigs in operations	25	32
Financing of our newbuild program	Incomplete	Complete
Deepwater dayrates	~US\$625,000	~US\$500,000
Jack-up dayrates	~US\$200,000	~US\$100,000

Global slowdown strong SDRL growth



Worldwide operations



42 units including 10 under construction



All original 2008 deepwater newbuilds in operation



USA - 3Q08



Brazil - 4Q08



China - 4Q08



Norway - 1Q09



Brazil - 1Q09



Nigeria - 1Q09



Indonesia - 1Q09

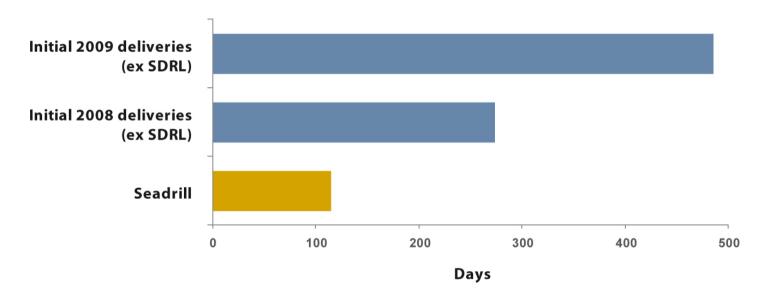


Brazil - 2Q09



Projects execution vs. peer group

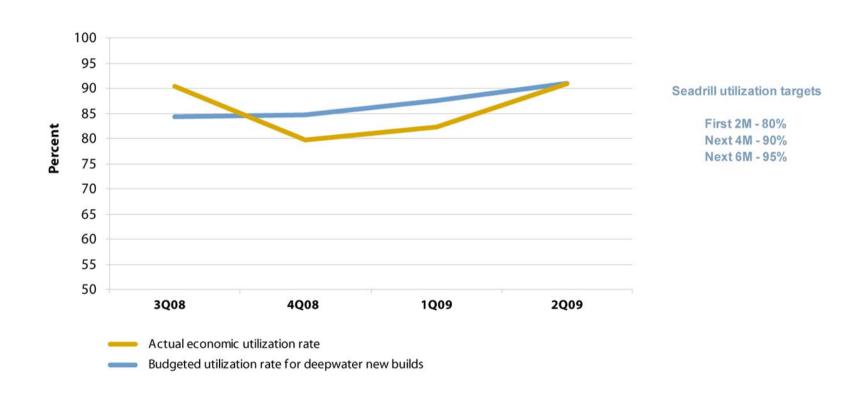
Delays in delivery deepwater newbuilds



Strong performance compared to peers



Average utilization rate deepwater newbuilds

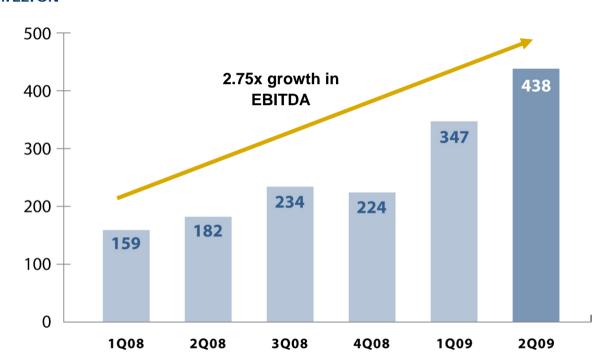


Start-up experience transferred to sister vessels



Quarterly EBITDA development

US\$ MILLION



Significant Q/Q increase in contribution



Human resources



	Number of people*	Average experience			
 Deepwater rig managers 	16	23 years			
 Drilling section leaders 	25	20 years			
Tool pushers	51	15 years			
Drillers	62	12 years			

Young Company experienced hands



10 newbuilds remaining will deliver growth

Deepwater floaters

Drillship West Gemini – 2Q2010
 Semi West Orion – 2Q2010
 Semi West Capricorn - 4Q2011

Tender rigs

Tender barge T12 – 1Q2010
 Semi-tender West Vencedor – 1Q2010
 Semi-tender West Berani III – 1Q2011

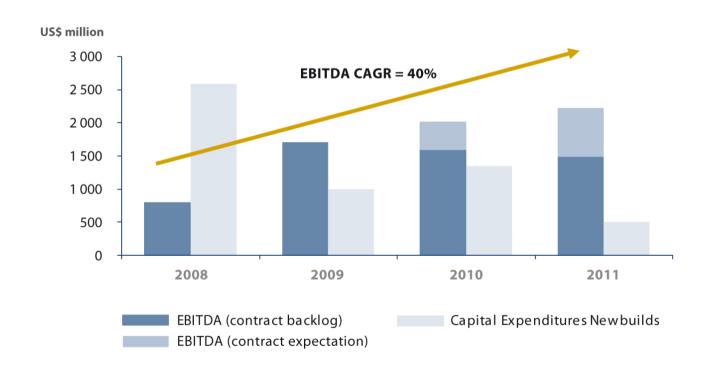
Jack-ups



Transfer of experience ensuring quality delivery and performance



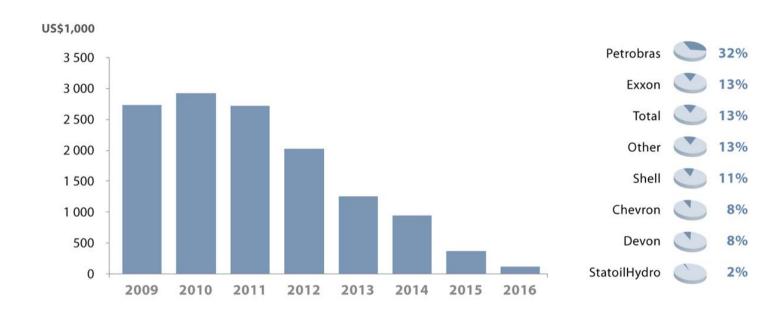
EBITDA growth replacing investments



Majority of EBITDA secured through long-term contracts



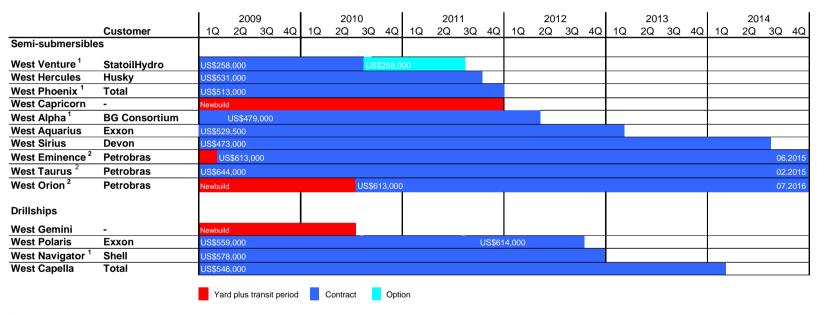
US\$11.5bn revenue backlog *



Quality contracts with the best credit in the industry



US\$9.5 billion order backlog floaters



¹ Dayrate is partly in Norwegian kroner

Continued strong earnings visibility

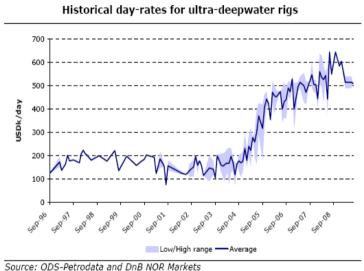


² Dayrate is partly in Brazilian Real and includes five percent performance incentive as well as estimated compensation for tax



Deepwater market outlook

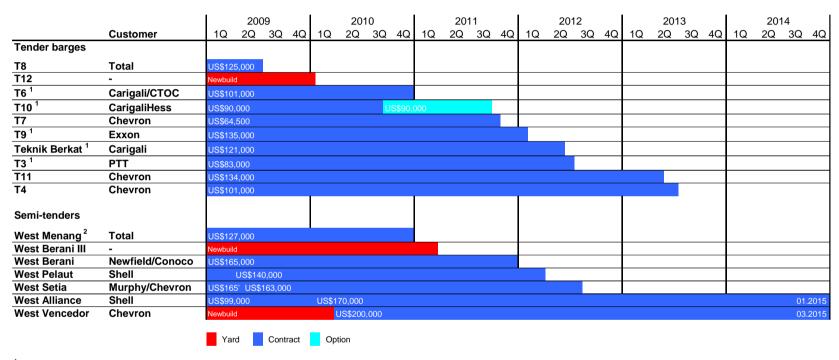
- Long-term market drivers intact as global oil basins mature and decline rates steepening
- Exploration for larger reserves taking place in more challenging and rig intensive deepwater markets
- Floater market driven by more stable capital spending of oil majors and national oil companies
- Strong contract coverage for ultra deepwater fleet
- Brazilian pre-salt development



Stop in newbuild orders secures balanced market



US\$1.8 billion tender rig order backlog



Ownership 49%

Strong portfolio of term contracts



² Early termination fee of US\$99,000 per day will be received from June, 2009



Contract status jack-ups

		2009			2010			2011					
	Customer	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q
Jack-ups													
West Epsilon	StatoilHydro	US\$31	6,000										
West Janus	PCPPOC	US\$14	9,500										
West Ariel	Vietsovpetro	US\$1	87,000	US	\$142,	000							
West Larissa	Vietsovpetro	l	JS\$126	,000									
West Atlas	PTTEP Australia	US\$25	5,000										
West Triton	PTTEP Australia			US	\$ 175'								
West Prospero													
West Callisto	-	Newbuil	d at KFE	LS									
West Juno	-	Newbuild	d at KFE	LS									
West Leda	-	Newbuild	d at PPL										
West Elara	-	Newbuild	d at PPL										
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US\$400 million order backlog





Key focus areas

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- Operations
 - HSE
 - Uptime
 - Optimize cost
- Customer satisfaction
- Financial flexibility
 - Secure additional financing
 - Develop backlog
 - Dividends
- Opportunities



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Safe and effective operations



What differentiates Seadrill

- Fleet focused on brand new assets
- Ultra-deepwater is key exposure
- Contracting strategy based on opportunistic market view
- Leverage structures applied to maximized exposure to the offshore drilling market
- Strong shareholder involvement



Returning cash to shareholders



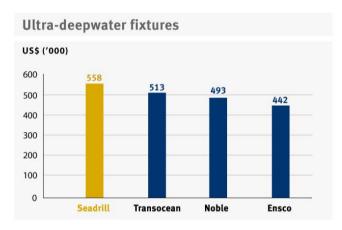
Strategy

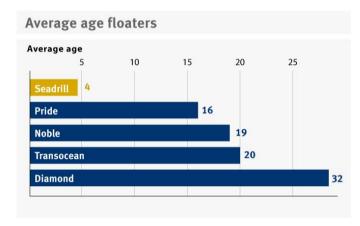
- Focus SDRL on premium deepwater operations
- Entertain further consolidation through M&A activities
- Develop current shareholdings in Pride, Scorpion and SapuraCrest
- Seek alliances to create a large jack-up entity
- Leverage the balance sheet and add term and flexibility
- Reinstate distribution of cash dividends
- Target US listing within first quarter 2010

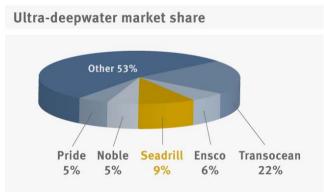
Grow Company build shareholder value



Quality ultra-deepwater exposure









Sound platform for shaping the future

















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Seadrill working for quality customers