

#### **Pareto Oil & Offshore Service Conference**

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#### **Company profile**

- 2<sup>nd</sup> largest offshore driller based on EV
- 2<sup>nd</sup> largest ultra-deepwater fleet
- Largest and most modern jack-up and tender rig fleet
- 2Q/10 EBITDA annualized ~ US\$2.0 billion
- Contract backlog ~ US\$12.2 billion
- Quarterly dividend annualized ~ US\$1.0 billion
- Strong shareholder involvement
- Current market capitalization ~ US\$10 billion

Focus on quality operations & shareholder value



#### 2010 versus 2009

	Sept. 2009	Sept. 2010
SDRL Share Price	NOK107	NOK 147
• Oil price	~US\$70	~US\$75
<ul> <li>Deepwater dayrates</li> </ul>	~US\$500,000	~US\$430,000
<ul> <li>Premium Jack-up dayrates</li> </ul>	~US\$100,000	~US\$125,000
<ul> <li>Semi-tender rigs</li> </ul>	~US\$150,000	~US\$150,000
Contract backlog	US\$11.5bn	US\$12.2bn
<ul> <li>Additions to contract backlog</li> </ul>	US\$0.1bn	US\$3.3bn
Number of rigs	41	48
<ul> <li>Number of rigs in operation</li> </ul>	32	44

Strong business fundamentals prevail



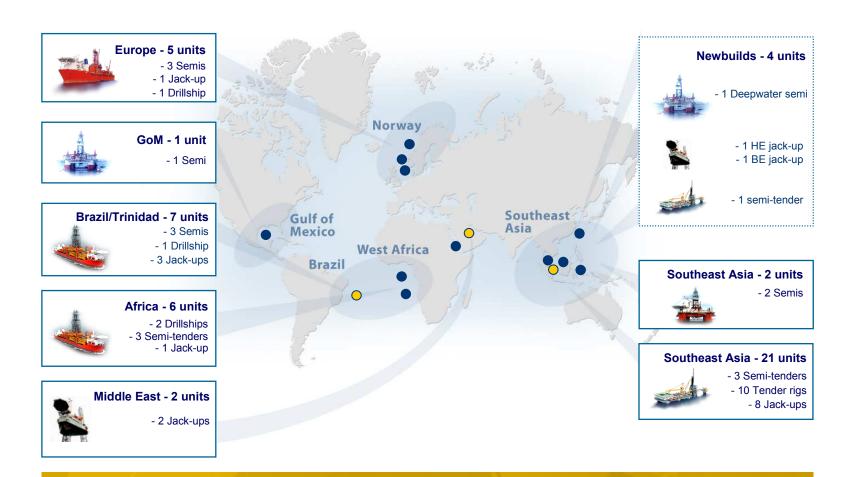
# What have we achieved over the last twelve months

- Acquired 7 jack-ups through the Scorpion acquisition
- Bought the CJ70 harsh environment jack-up rig
- Secured US\$3.3 bn in new contracts
- Resumed regular quarterly cash dividends
- Raised US\$2.4 bn in new debt financing and US\$320 million in new equity
- Listed on NYSE April 2010
- Taken delivery of 2 deepwater units, 3 jack-ups and 2 tender rig on time and cost
- Added 9 rig years of ultra-deepwater experience

Secured strong growth in line with Company strategy



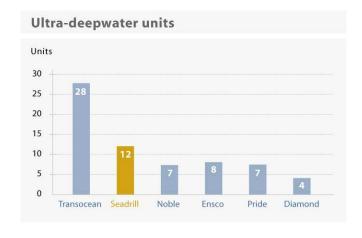
## **Worldwide operations**

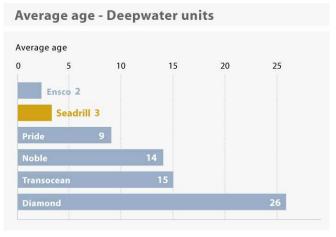


Increased presence in all important oil and gas regions



# Second largest in deepwater - most modern fleet in the industry



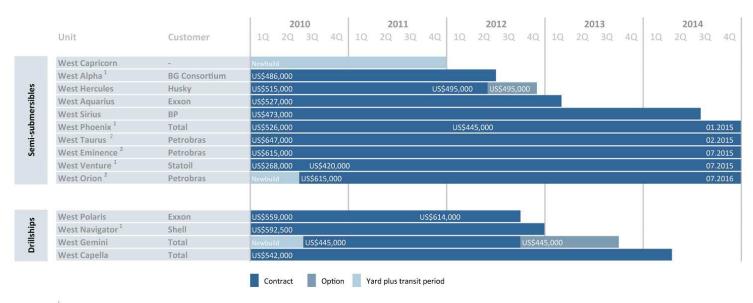




**Age related issues underestimated** 



#### **US\$9.1** billion contract backlog - Floaters



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Dayrate is partly in Norwegian kroner

**Superb earnings visibility** 

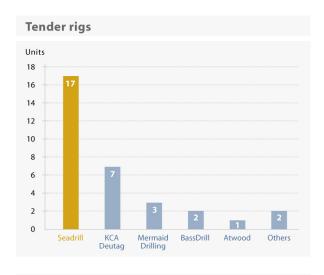


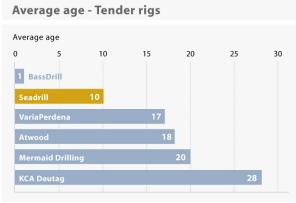
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Dayrate is partly in Brazilian Real and includes five percent performance incentive as well as estimated compensation for tax.

Dayrate will in the accounts be booked partly net of tax.



# Largest operator of tender rigs - most modern fleet in the industry



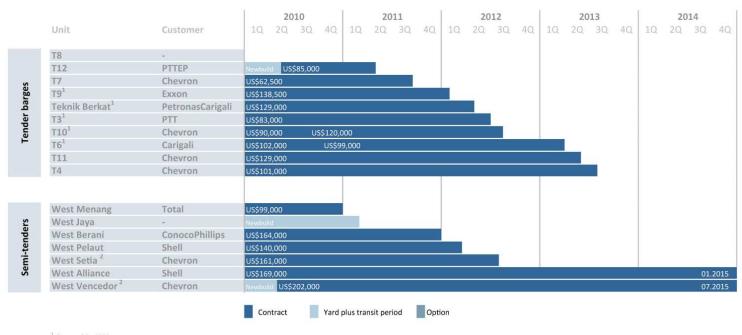




**Maintaining market share** 



#### **US\$1.5** billion contract backlog - Tender rigs



<sup>1</sup> Ownership 49%

**Improved market condition** 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Dayrate is partly in Euro



#### Jack-up rig acquisitions last 6 months

- 1 harsh environment jack-up CJ70
  - Gusto MSC CJ70 X150A design
  - 450ft water depth capacity
  - Delivery scheduled in the 2Q 2011
  - 5-year contract awarded by Statoil for operations in Norway
- 7 benign environment jack-ups
  - Seven LeTourneau Super 116 (C&E) jack-up rigs
  - 350ft water depth capacity
  - Backlog of US\$600 million
  - Average contract backlog of 1.4 years per rig

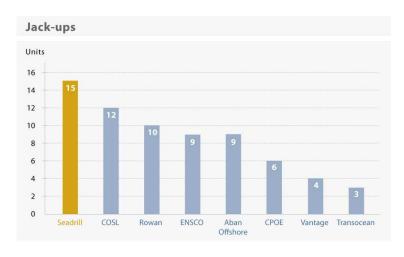


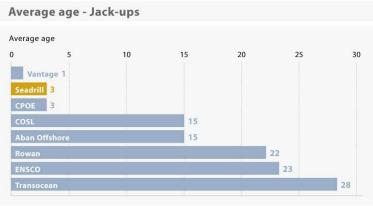


**US\$1.6** billion in new rig exposure



## Largest operator of premium jack-up rigs built after Year 2000



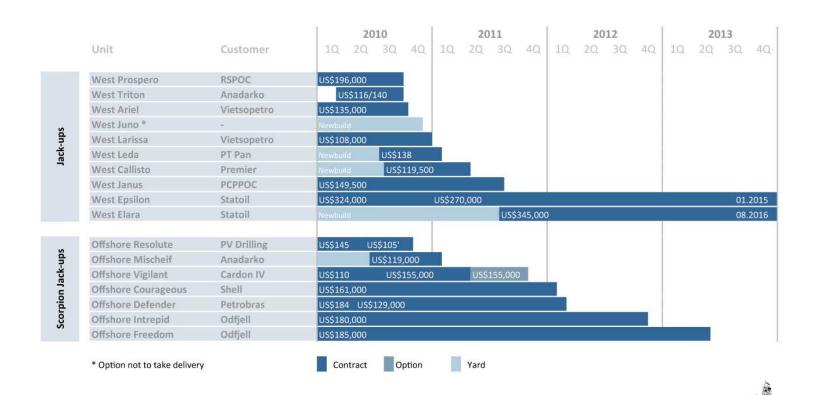




**Most modern fleet** 



#### **US\$1.9** billion contract backlog - Jack-ups



Sound market outlook for premium rigs



#### Why investment in new jack-up rigs

#### Growing demand for new jack-ups

- The "easy" oil is gone operators require jack-up rigs with greater capabilities than the typical rig built in the 1980s
- Targeting: deeper water, deeper wells, more challenging reservoirs, more remote locations and redevelopment of older fields
- Using: larger diameter well bores, larger and more complex completions and advanced drilling fluids

#### Benefits of new jack-up rigs

- Increased deck-load and open deck space
- Greater engine horsepower
- Longer cantilever
- Higher torque top-drives
- Larger mud pumps and greater drilling fluids capacities
- Longer independent-leg configurations
- Safer working environment

Jack-up market segmentation ... focus on high capacity units



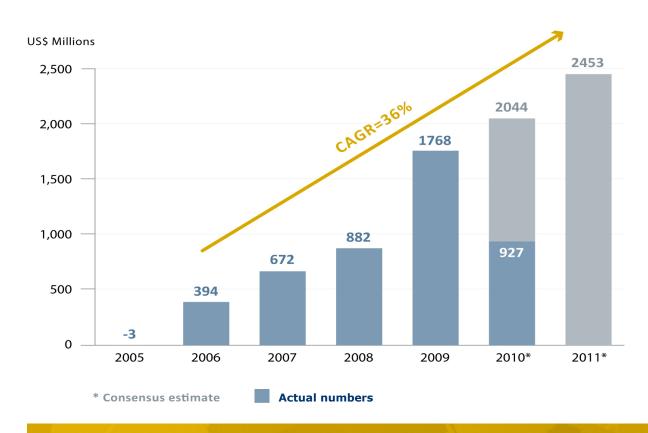
## **Economics of jack-up rig investments**

Harsh environment Actual 5Y contract – CJ70		Benign environment Assumed contract terms		
Dayrate	US\$345,000	Dayrate	US\$130,000	
Opex incl. G&A	US\$120,000	Opex incl. G&A	US\$50,000	
Tax	3.5%	Tax	3.5%	
5Y cash-flow	US\$376 million	5Y cash-flow	US\$133 million	
Investment	US\$410 million	Investment	US\$175 million	
Repaid in	5.4Y	Repaid in	6.6Y	

Selective investments still create strong returns



## **EBITDA\*** development



Unique opportunity to continue growth



#### How do Seadrill continue its growth?

Shareholder value Strong M&A currency

Cash dividends

**Contract backlog** 

Focus on Premium Asset
Delivering Quality operations

Optimistic market view longer term

Single assets acquisitions, selective newbuilds and M&As



#### **Market Outlook**

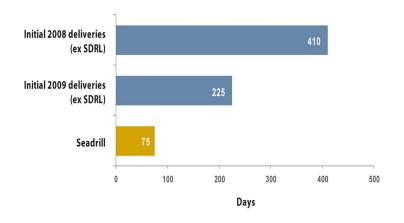
- Long term market drivers intact as global oil basins mature and decline rates increase/stay high
- Exploration for oil and gas reserves takes place in more challenging areas
- Significant exploration success in new areas will lead to more growth in development activities
- Macondo oil spill in the GoM reminds the industry of the risk involved and stresses the requirement to high-grade the world rig fleet

Favorable outlook for premium rigs with operational track record

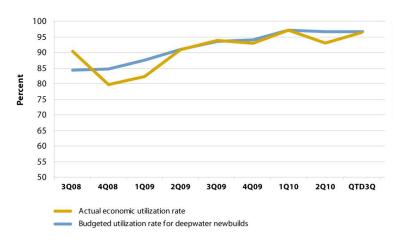


# Strong operational performance and project execution

#### **Delays in delivery deepwater units**



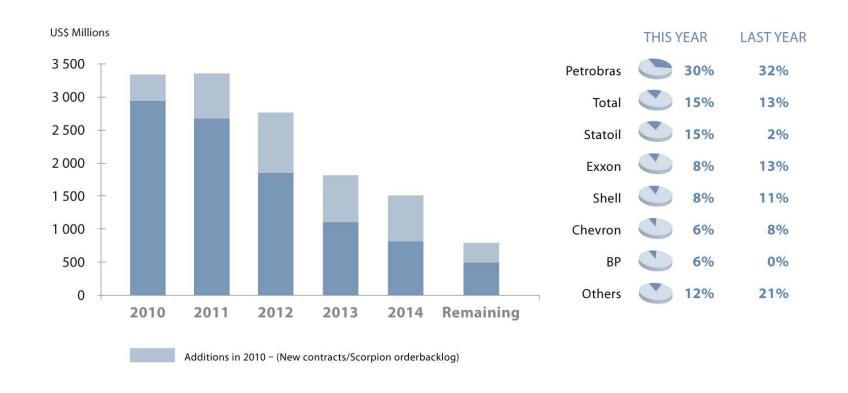
#### **Effective start-up of deepwater newbuilds**



**Performance second to none** 



## **US\$12.2** bn contract backlog



**Quality customers .... superb visibility** 



# **Share price and dividends**

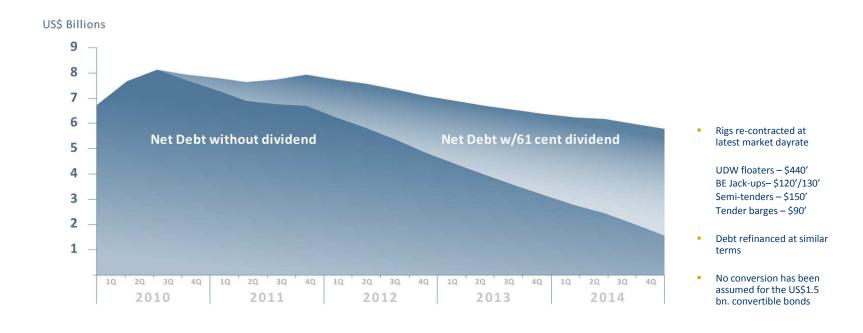
	Share price Sep.09	Share price Sep.10	Share price increase*	Total dividend paid (US\$ mill)	Dividend Yield
Seadrill	18	24	47 %	927	9.8%
Rowan	20	26	29 %	-	-
Ensco	36	42	17 %	60	1.0%
Noble	34	31	-7 %	171	2.1%
Pride	25	23	-7 %	-	<b>~</b> )
Diamond	88	60	-25 %	886	10.8%
Transocean	75	52	-30 %	.=	-

<sup>\*</sup> Adjusted for dividends

#### **Outperforming peer group**



#### Net interest bearing debt and dividend



Dividend level sustainable ... currently US\$1 bn per year



#### **Seadrill uniquely positioned**

- Brand new fleet of rigs
- Sound operations
- Global presence
- Strong contract backlog and earnings visibility
- Unique bank relationships
- Confidence and trust from the equity markets
- Track record of accretive investments and M&A transactions

Thinking shareholder value 24/7



#### **Asset portfolio**

# Core fleet - 36 units built after 2000 12 Ultra Deepwater Units + 1 Deepwater Unit 14 High Specification Jack-ups 9 Tender Rigs 8 Tender Rigs

#### **Shareholdings**



9.4% of Pride (MV - US\$383m)



23.6% of Sapura Crest (MV - US\$222m)



52.3% of Seawell (MV - US\$410m)



9.3% of Seahawk (MV - US\$7m)