



Revenue base continues to grow

Financial Highlights

- Revenues (excl. franchised offices) up 7.3% to \$9.6m
- Gross revenues (incl. franchises) up 8.2% to \$11.9m
- Net Profit after Tax down 25% to \$456k: investment in senior valuation managers and business infrastructure

Operational Highlights

- LMW continues to increase market share in residential sector
- Recruitment of new managers for key commercial markets
- 5 year strategic plan agreed and implementation commenced

Dividend

- Fully franked 1.25 cents per share equals 2014 interim dividend
- Board confident of strategic direction and second half results



Investing for market expansion

Profitability

- Down due to prudent investment in all parts of LMW
 - Major IT refresh to support new valuation teams
 - Key hiring to build valuation expertise across property sectors
 - New internal reporting and systems to improve client engagement

Gross Revenues

- Residential valuations up 18% on previous half to \$6.5 million
- Commercial valuations in line with 2013 half year result
- Franchised offices continue to trade well
- Key hires in QLD and Victoria along with business restructure to improve revenues in next 12 months



Focus on increasing market share

Strengthen and increase revenue streams

- Bank panels continue to be important: client relationships key to building national footprint
- New senior hires bring valuation expertise
- Expertise in valuation of residential developments, going concerns, tourism and leisure
- Focus on integrated national structure to improve accountability and service delivery to clients
- Improved internal communications to capture whole of client property valuations and services

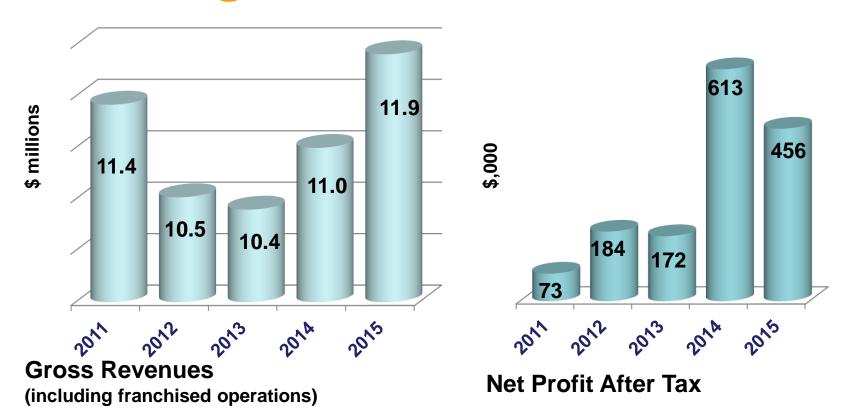


Key Financial data

	HY2015 \$	HY2014 \$m	Change %
Gross Revenues including Franchised Operations	11.9m	11.0m	8.2
Revenues excluding Franchised Operations	9.6m	9.0	6.7
Profit before Tax	673k	888k	(24.2)
Net Profit after Tax	456k	613k	(25.2)
	Cents	Cents	
Earnings per Share	1.65	2.22	(25.7)
Interim Dividend	1.25	1.25	No change



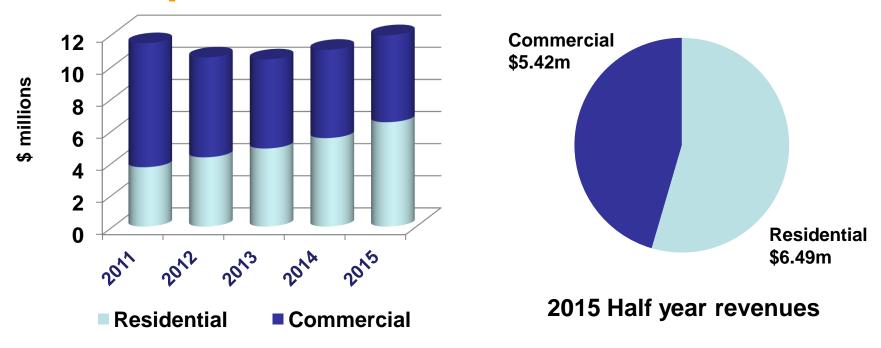
Investing for Growth – Half Years



- Gross Revenues:
 - Increasing client base, strength in residential markets
- NPAT:
 - Down due recruitment, investment in office and IT infrastructure, and building business capacity

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Residential valuations: Underpin first half results



Residential:

- Creating integrated client program to support Banking panels
- Proactive products that enhance productivity key to market success

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Commercial

- Key hires in Victoria and Queensland to build expertise and drive growth
- New valuation teams deepen sector expertise

Broadening customer base

Residential sector

- Integrated national structure to increase cross border sales
- Recruitment and training underpin long-term success
- New office infrastructure (work hubs) improve team agility

Commercial sector

- Senior Valuers hired to strengthen sector expertise
- Client prioritisation to improve share of property services
- Key national clients identified and strategies developed



Towards Excellence:

Strategic Plan: blueprint for market expansion

- End-to-end review of valuations gives new perspectives
- Improved Risk Management systems
- Focus on anticipating client needs: leading rather than reacting
- Brand development and client engagement: employer of choice

Office infrastructure

- Revamp LMW offices over 12 months to create new work hubs.
- Consistent methodologies and business processes
- IT investment creates market advantage, leverage LMW brand
- Simpler workflows; working smarter



Towards Excellence

Recruitment

- New team structures centred on sector expertise
- Investing in valuation staff trainees and senior
- Actively working to retain the talent we train
- Risk Management and Human Resources important roles

Integrated National Structure

- One business; removing blocks, improved internal reporting
- Executive Leadership Team to deliver group results
- Aggregation of sector specialisation
- Focus on reporting accountabilities for sales targets and results



Focus for 2015

	Opportunities	• Progress
Residential	 Substantial room for organic growth Market indications continued residential sales at current levels Place on banking panels increasingly important Invest in systems and products to value add to lenders and owners 	 Revenues up \$1m for the half year New structure in place to support expansion of market share Renewed focus on client engagement Continuing investment in IT to build client value
Commercial	 Right people in place to grow Victorian market Significant opportunities for organic growth Coordinated national services to align with client requirements Client specific research and sharing of knowledge to assist in property selection 	 New commercial business structure Risk management strengthened with key appointment Co-ordinated client engagement; not ad hoc Building teams around sector specialisation
LMW in total	 Continue to invest in our people – employer of choice Invest in intellectual property and develop mobile systems to assist staff with valuations 	 One business – removing silos Renewed investment in HR expertise Focus on risk management and training Major IT refresh: infrastructure and hardware Focus on brand development Premises upgrades







Our World

Market Size	 Approaching \$1bn in valuation fees Top 10 market share approaching 70% (LMW: 5th) > 3,000 valuers across Australia Few firms with national footprint Few independent – no real estate agency attached
Major players	 CBRE: property portfolio valuation main strength Opteon: conglomerate of 25+ valuers under common brand, no back office synergies Herron Todd White: strong residential focus, mixture of franchise, license and owned
Short Term Trends	 Development of firms with national footprint Increased competition on prices for residential sector Continued growth due to increased market activity
Long Term Trends	 Rationalisation of valuation sector as clients demand national business Ability to value add services to differentiate between small and large firms Independence from sales process



Residential and Commercial Markets

	Residential	Commercial
Market factors	High volume;Owner; price focusImportance of bank panels	Lower volume; repeat businessOwners expertise focusClient relationships
Major players	Heron Todd WhiteOpteonLMWCBRE	CBREJones Lang LaSalleLMWColliers
Short Term Trends	Margins under threatCurb side valuationsWar for talent	Not as price sensitiveResidential Property DevelopmentsIncreasingly specialised
Long Term Trends	Impact of technologyData aggregation	 Attraction of new talent Impending impact of technology



Creating Long Term Shareholder Value

Value Proposition	 LMW leading provider of independent valuation and accompanying professional property services Creating a suite of integrated services that align with the needs of clients Property knowledge across multiple valuation sectors
Market Gaps	 Ability to provide full range of valuations services Independent valuation advice Valuation expertise Corporate intellectual property Geographic diversity
Customer Attributes	 National property portfolios Wanting additional services – property economics, advisory, urban planning Want long-term partnerships

