

# **Presentation to Analysts**

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# Highlights and challenges

For the year ended 30 June 2023

#### **Group Net Profit After Tax**

million 2021 2023 \$102.4 \$111.3 **\$117.1** 

#### Revenue

million 2021

2022

2023

**\$338.3 \$375.3 \$420.9** 

#### Container volumes

million TEUs1

**2021 2022** 2023 **1.20 1.24 1.18** 

#### Shipvisits

2021

2023

1,432

1,307 1,369

2022

#### Total trade

milllion tonnes

**2021 2022** 2023 **25.7 25.6 24.7** 

#### **Imports**

million tonnes

**2021 2022** 2023 9.4 9.7 **9.0** 

#### **Exports**

million tonnes

2022 2023

16.3 15.9 **15.7** 

# Subsidiary and associate company earnings

million 2021

2022

2023

\$18.6 \$15.0 **\$13.3** 

#### Total ordinary dividend

cents per share 2021

2021 2022 2023 13.5 14.7 **15.6** 

#### Final dividend

cents per share

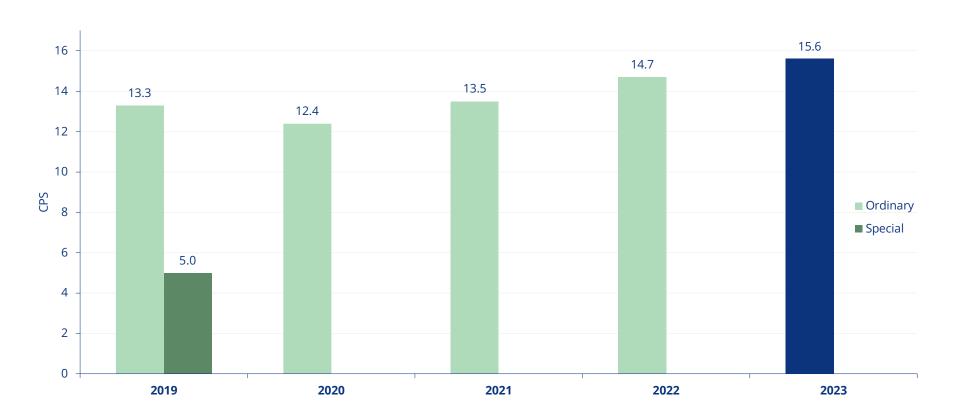
2021 2022 2023 7.5 8.2 **8.8** 



# **Group net profit after tax up 5.2%**

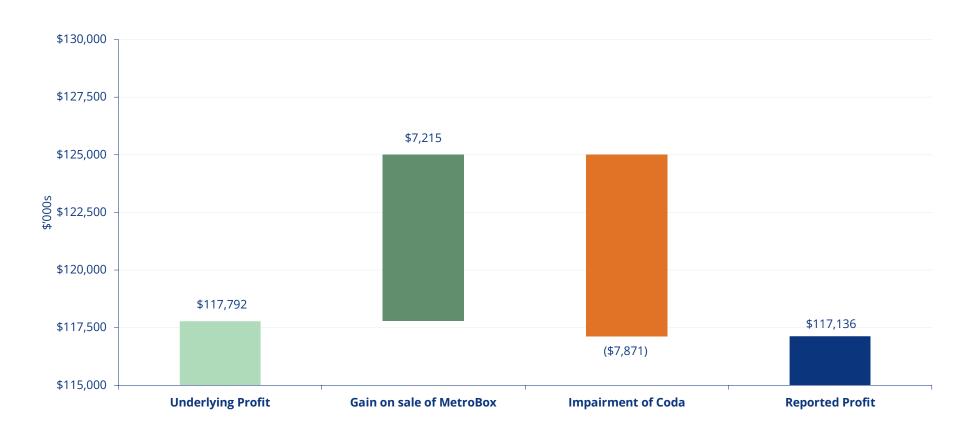


# **Ordinary dividends increased 6.1%**





# **Group underlying earnings**



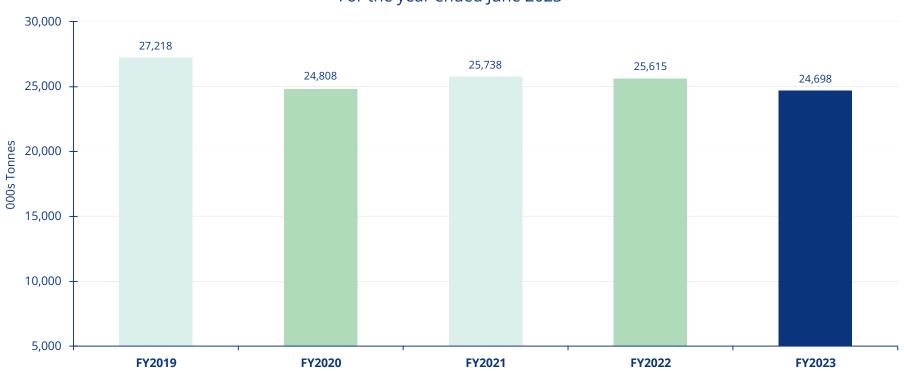


# Net debt / net debt + equity



#### **Total trade down 3.6%**



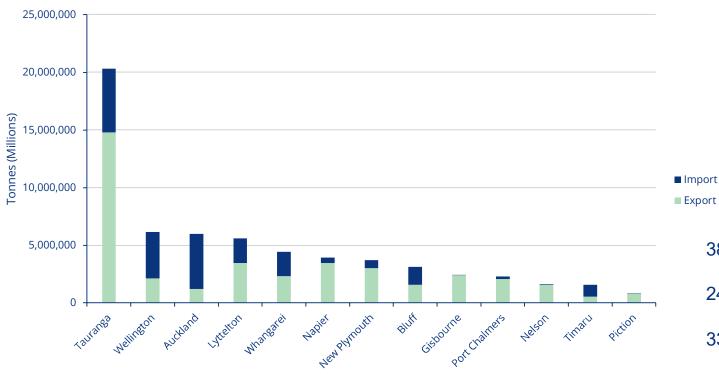


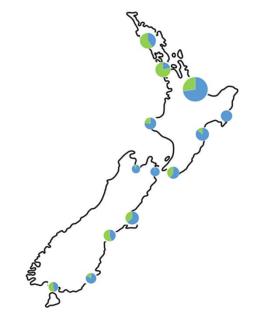


# **New Zealand's largest port - volume**

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38% of New Zealand exports (tonnes)

24% of New Zealand imports (tonnes)

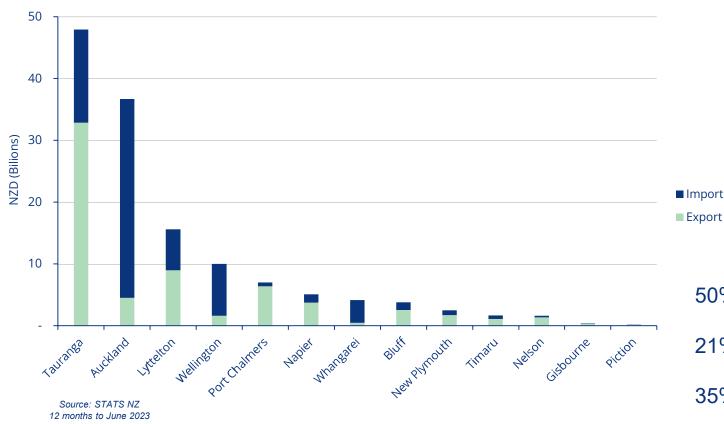
33% of New Zealand's total trade

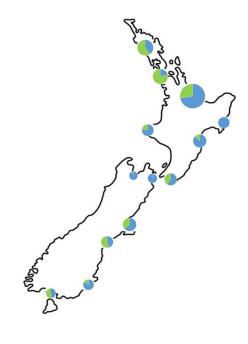
Source: STATS NZ 12 months to June 2023

### **New Zealand's largest port – value**

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#### **Total New Zealand sea port cargo value FY2023**



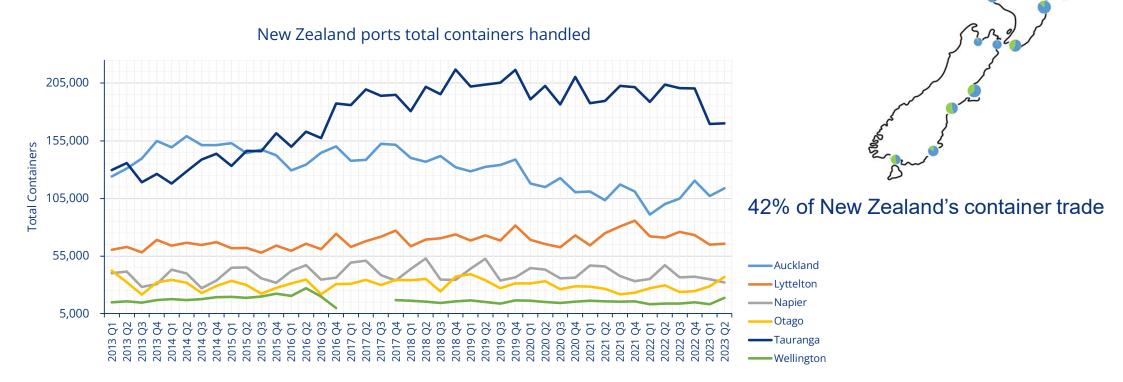


50% of New Zealand exports by value21% of New Zealand imports by value35% New Zealand's total trade by value



# New Zealand's largest container terminal

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Source: FIGS, Ministry of Transport 12 months to June 2023

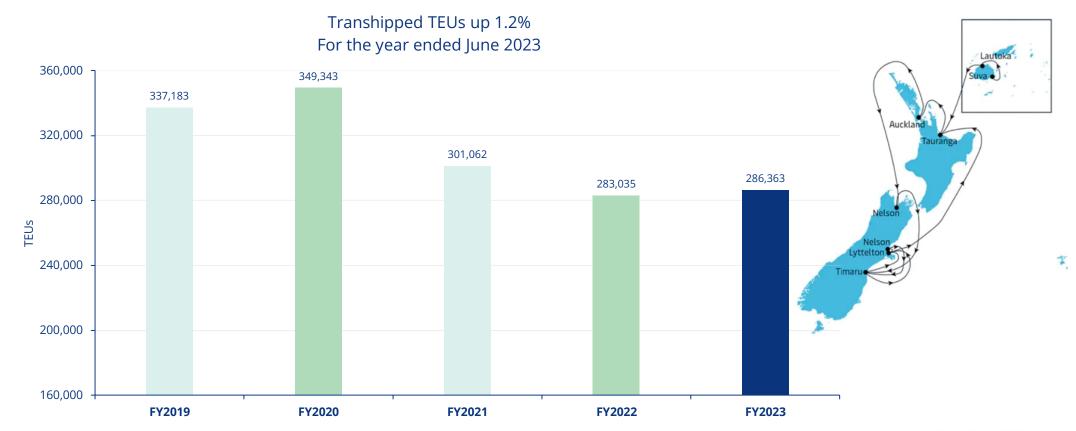
#### **Container volumes down 5.1%**

For the year ended 30 June 2023

Container volumes down 5.1% For the year ended June 2023



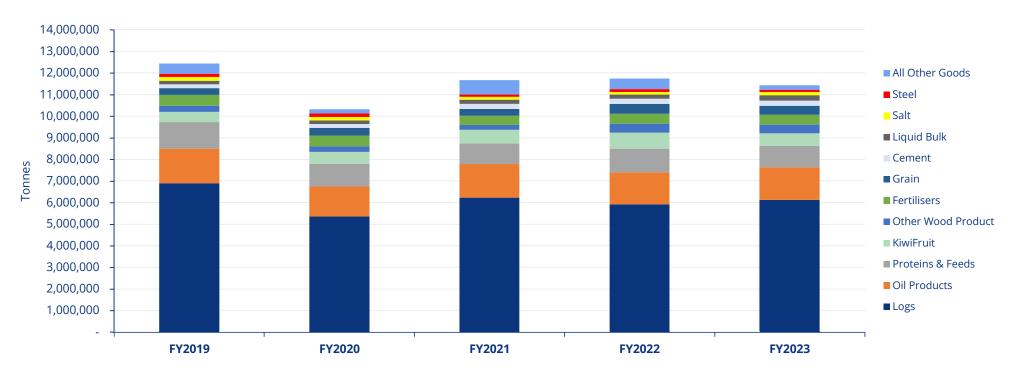
# **Transhipment TEUs up 1.2%**



# **Bulk cargo down by 2.6%**

For the year ended June 2023

Overall breakbulk volumes by commodity For the year ended June 2023



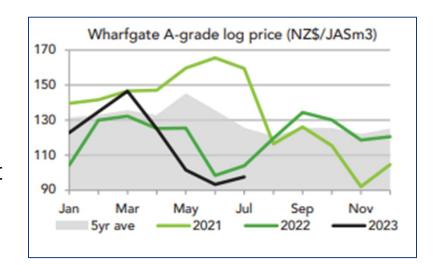
# Log exports up 2.6%

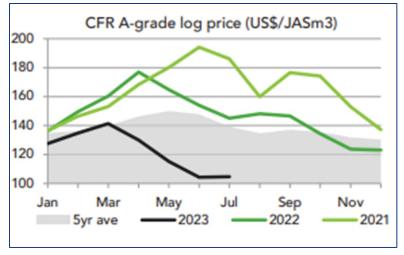
Log exports
For the year ended June 2023



### **Forestry outlook**

- Downturn in China having significant influence on market.
- Optimism that log prices have bottomed out not expecting a rapid improvement through remainder of 2023.
- 65% Tauranga export volume from forest estate owners who manage a sustainable cut to generate fixed income - as such less price sensitive.
- POTL upside from Lake Taupo / CNI windthrow volume likely to continue for 12 18 months.





#### **Total kiwifruit volume down 20.3%**

For the year ended 30 June 2023

Kiwifruit volume down 20.3% Year ended June 2023

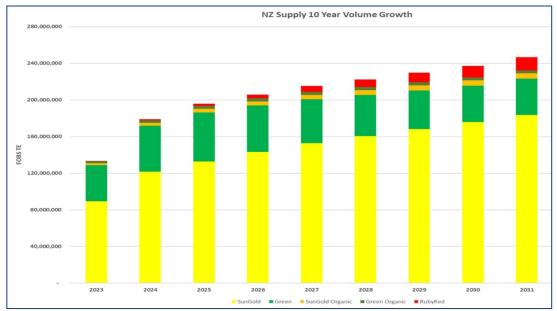


#### **Kiwifruit outlook**

- Kiwifruit has experienced two difficult seasons (2022 fruit quality issues, 2023 low volumes).
- The low volume in 2023 has put significant financial pressure on the post-harvest industry who had invested in infrastructure to cater for anticipated volume growth.
- Yield assumptions for Gold have been reduced in the 2023 10-year plan.
- Future license release plan expected October 2023 at the earliest.

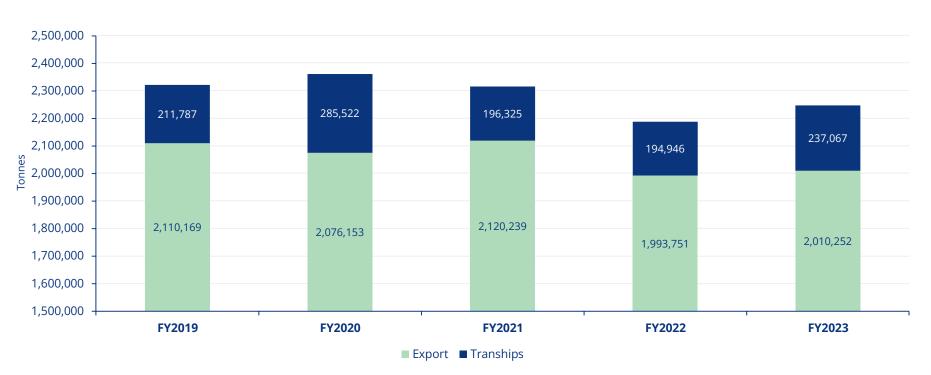






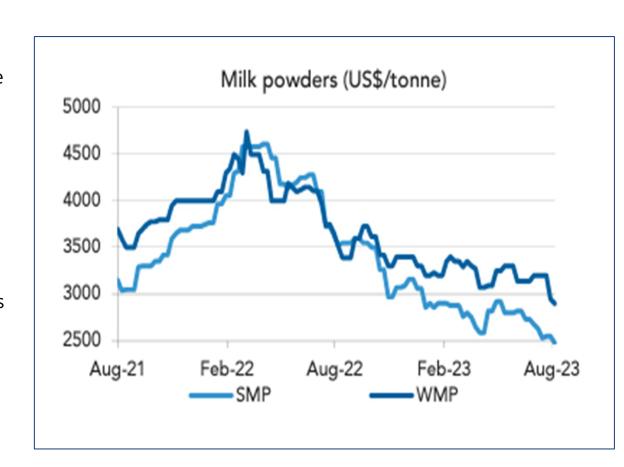
# **Total dairy volume up 2.7%**

Dairy – export and transhipment For the year ended June 2023



### **Dairy outlook**

- Milk volumes continue to remain flat to declining,
   Fonterra are forecasting same milk volume for the
   North Island as last year with similar product mix.
- Inventory has returned to normal pre covid levels with strong demand second half of FY23.
- Ongoing reduced import demand from Greater China due to elevated domestic supply - forecast payout \$7.27- \$6.62
- Flatter milk curve will provide opportunity to focus on value add / commodity mix
- Expect reorientation in shipping profile to reflect changing global markets



### **Total meat volumes up 3.0%**

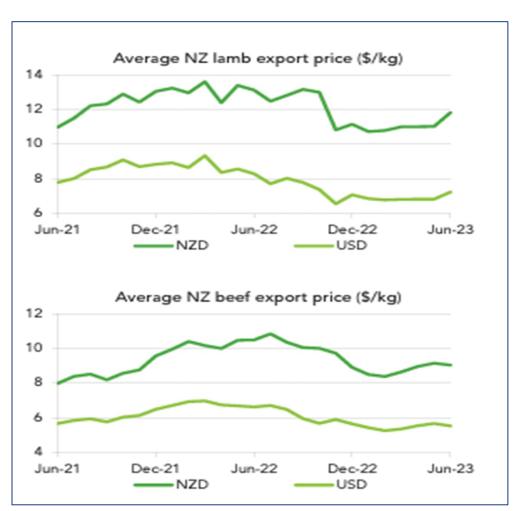
For the year ended 30 June 2023

Meat – export and transhipment For the year ended June 2023

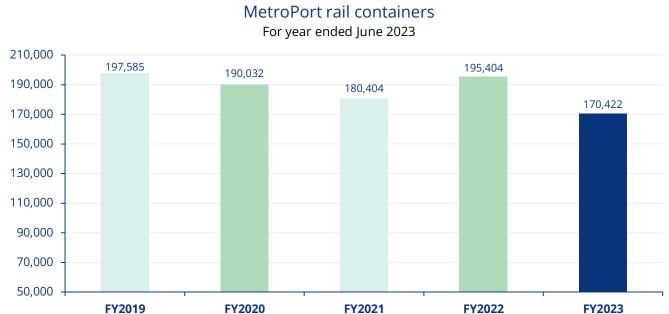


#### Meat outlook

- International market prices have fallen, very soft for past nine months.
   Driven by low global consumer confidence and slow China post covid recovery.
- Inflation and economic pressure moving consumers to lower value poultry, pork or commodity red meat – not good for NZ quality products.
- Red meat production volumes and global trade dominated by South American volumes, particularly present in China in past two years.
- Recovery expected as underlying protein demand is strong but will depend on pace of China resurgence and domestic situation in US market. Trade Access to EU for beef and poor economic situation in UK leave these markets on the fringe of driving value but UK remains an important lamb leg market.
- Livestock volumes still reducing year on year. Labour situation a little better with some overseas worker availability but still insufficient for industry needs.



#### **MetroPort containers down 12.8%**





- Increased cost of rail from February 2023
- Reduced import demand second half of FY23
- Current programme 64 trains per week vs 92 PCP

#### **Vessel calls**

- 4.6% increase in total vessel calls FY23 vs PCP
- 3.4% increase in container vessel calls FY23 vs PCP





#### The return of cruise vessels

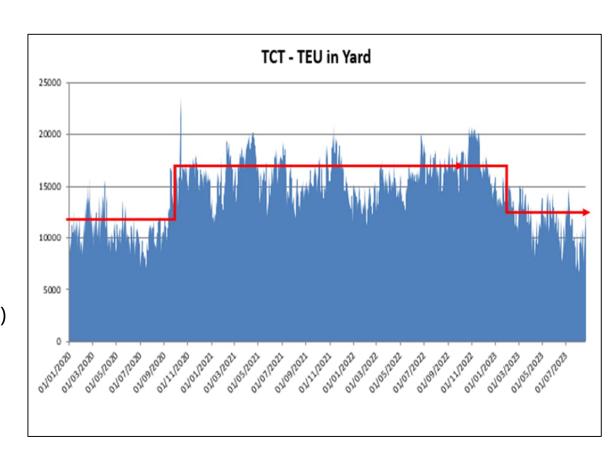






#### **Pro-forma berth window reinstatement**

- Berth windows reinstated 6 March 2023.
- Average yard intensity since berth window reinstatement - 11,150 TEU.
- November 2020 March 2023 average yard intensity 15,900 TEU.
- Average exchange FY23 1,725 TEU (-5.7% PCP) expect lower per vessel exchange FY24 with greater call frequency.
- Congestion surcharges removed with berth window reinstatement.



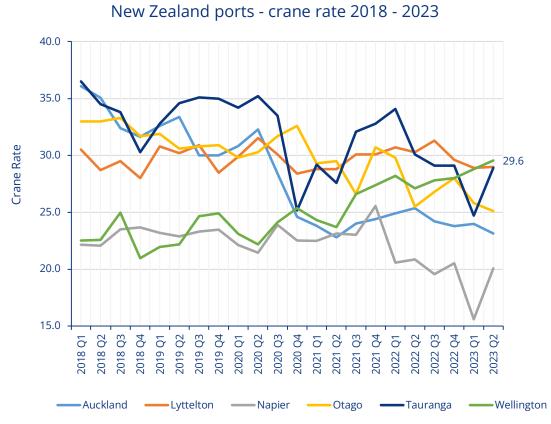
# **Container storage income normalising**

For the year ended 30 June 2023

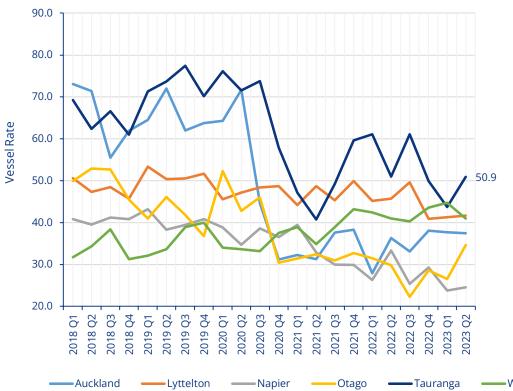
Terminal container storage income For year ended June 2023



### **New Zealand port productivity**

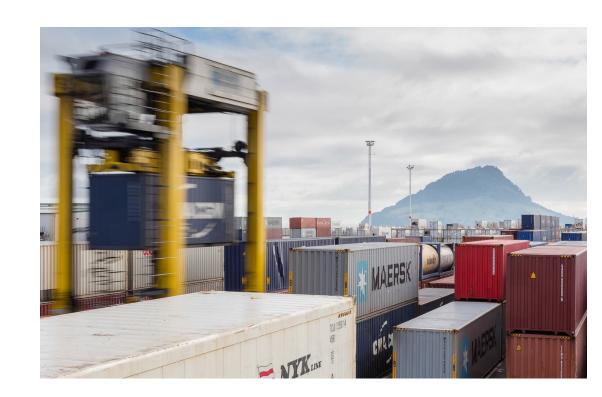






#### Port sector labour challenges

- On port labour improving from early 2023, some benefit from access to foreign labour.
- Significant staff turnover over in some areas over past 2 3 years.
- Improving productivity as staff obtain greater levels of experience.
- Significant labour cost inflation across the port sector.



#### **Berth extension resource consent**

- Consenting process underway since 2019 direct referral request lodged May 2021.
- July 2022 Environment Court hearing adjourned due to covid.
- Environment Court three-week hearing March 2023.
- No decision to date or time frame provided.
- Currently unable to provide three container services berth windows due to berth capacity constraints.
- 2-year construction once consent obtained.
- All berth developments are within the current Port footprint.

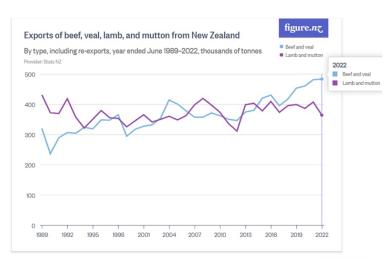


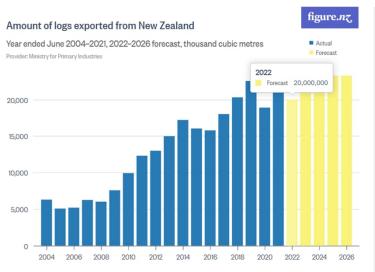
**Facilitating New Zealand's** 

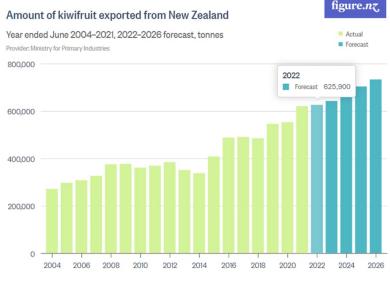
trade

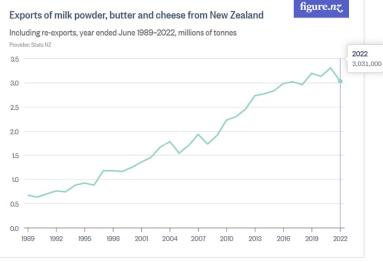
 ~70% of New Zealand's dairy trade (2.3M tonnes)

- ~61% of NZ's meat exports (550,000 tonnes).
- ~30% of NZ's export logs (6.7M tonnes).
- ~85% of NZ's kiwifruit (530,000 tonnes).
- ~ \$30B in key export commodities plus many more.
- ~40% growth in kiwifruit in next five years.











### **Terminal automation project**

- Introduction of new electric Auto Stacking Cranes (ASC).
- Request for Tender process closed April 2023.
- Down to shortlist of two potential vendors.
- Detailed vendor evaluation and discussions nearing completion.
- Expect to select provider Q4 2023.
- ~75% reduction in emissions relative to straddle operation.





### A resilient upper North Island supply chain

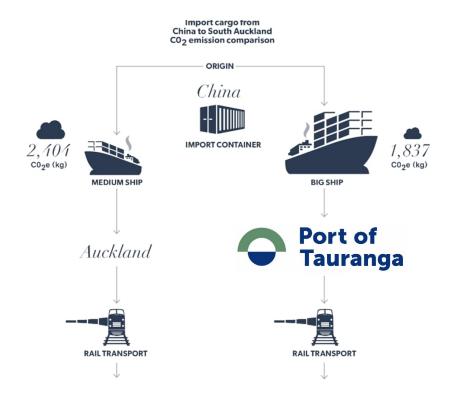


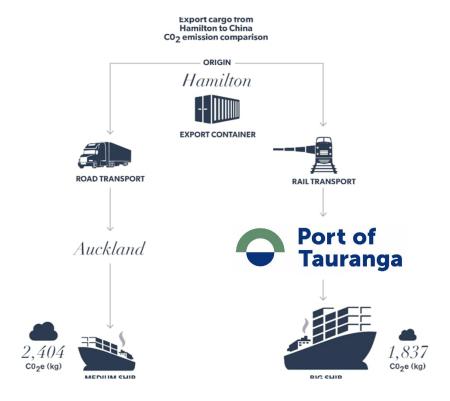






# **Bigger ships = lower carbon supply chain**





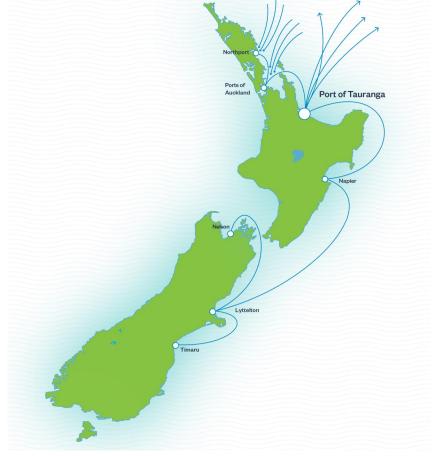
CO2e calculations are based on a 20' 15 tonne container shipped on a typical container vessel size of 3,000-4,000 TEUs (via Auckland) and 8,000+ TEUs (via Tauranga)

# **Coastal shipping = lower carbon supply chain**

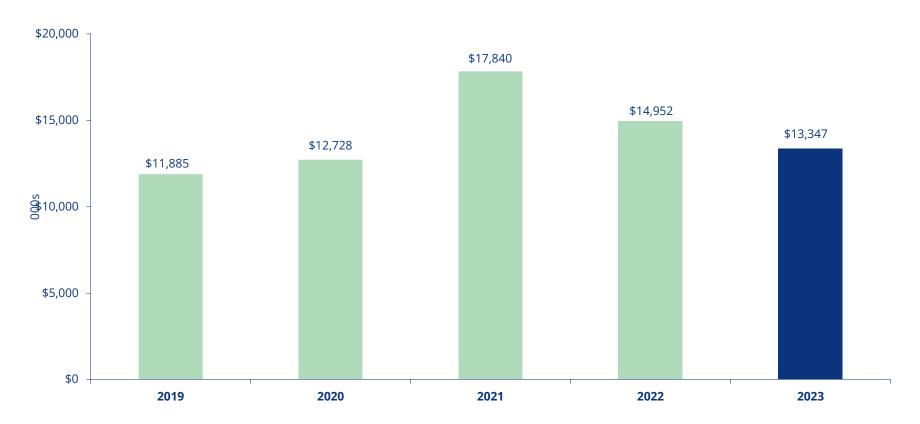
Tauranga berth extension crucial to enabling coastal shipping

Mode	Grams of CO <sub>2</sub> per tonne-kilometre
Road	123.1
Heavy duty road vehicles	92.0
Rail	22.8
Coastal shipping	13.9





# Subsidiaries and associates net profit after tax down 10.7%





- Profit down 5.7% to \$7.096 million.
- Breakbulk volumes down 11.3% to 2.591 million tonnes.
- Log volumes down 12.6% to 2.027 million tonnes.
- Container volumes down 11.4% to 16,925 TEU.
- Strong contribution once again from NorthTugz.



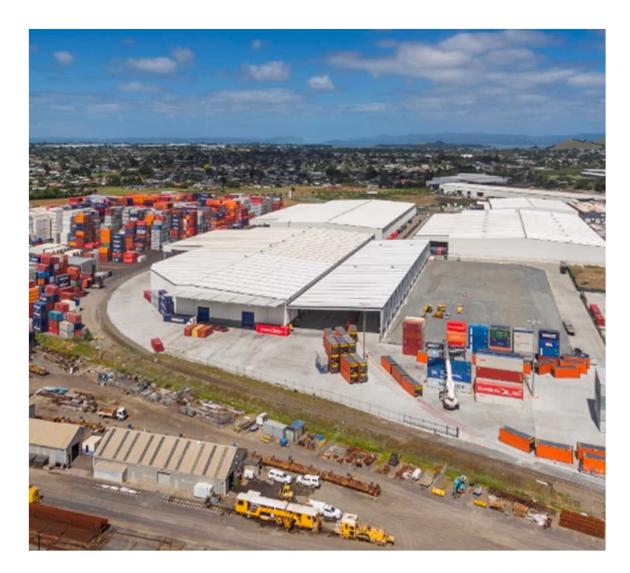


- Profit down 15.9% to \$1.899 million.
- Bulk trade volumes down 14.5% to 1.771 million tonnes.
- Log volumes down 30.8% to 0.335 million tonnes.
- Vessel calls increased by 0.2% to 433 including 14 cruise vessels.
- Significant investment being undertaken to upgrading wharf infrastructure.





- Reported an underlying operating loss of \$0.245 million vs \$1.283 million profit in the prior corresponding period.
- Weakness in distribution centres and 3PL transport division.
- Challenging trading environment with inflationary costs and the import slow down seen in 2023.
- Concentrating on simplifying and right sizing the business.
- Sale of MetroBox and consolidation of operational sites part of simplification of business.
- Board and management focused on turning around this business.





- Profit of \$1.537 million up 212.4% from \$0.492 million in the prior year.
- Container volumes up 2.4% to 78,650 TEU.
- New contracted rates and increased storage income driving result.
- New mobile harbour crane ordered.





- Profit of \$2.919 million down 9.7% on the prior year.
- Profits impacted by lower TEU volumes at Tauranga.
- Reefer and generator revenue impacted by lower kiwifruit volumes.
- Quality Marshalling appointed as operator of the Ruakura Inland Port.



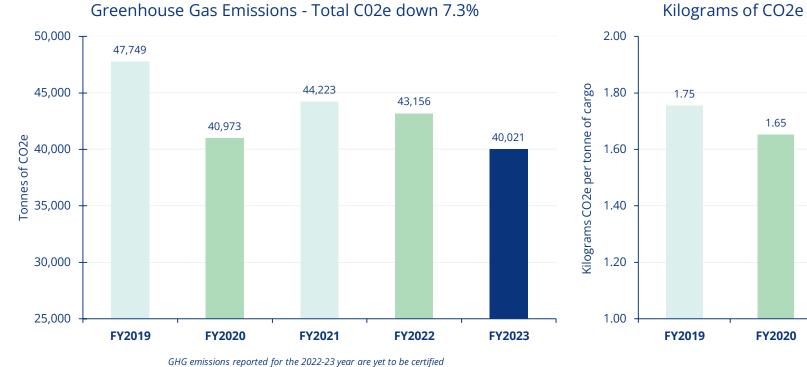


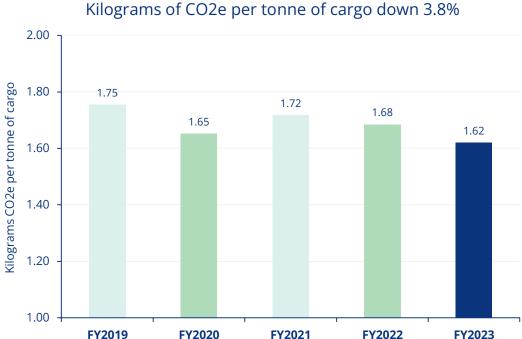
- Inland Port construction completed.
- Total Investment to 30 June 2023 \$24.300 million.
- Expect total investment circa \$28.000 million.
- Opened on 1 August 2023.
- Waikato expressway opened July 2022.
- Kmart distribution centre opening on 6 September 2023.
- Maersk cool store opening early November 2023.



#### **Total greenhouse gas emissions down 7.3%**

For year ended June 2023

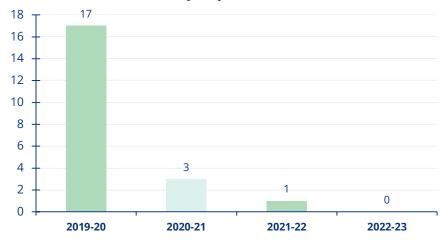


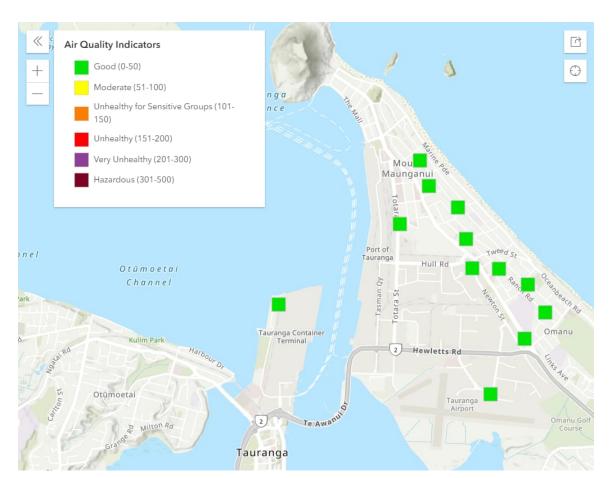


#### Air quality initiatives and improvements

- Port of Tauranga assisted with funding in conjunction with BOPRC of 12 air quality sensors located in key points in the Mount Maunganui residential area.
- Provides residents the ability to check the air quality in real-time and measures PM10, PM2.5 and NO2 particles.

# Number of PM10 exceedances immediately adjacent to the Port





## Air quality initiatives and improvements





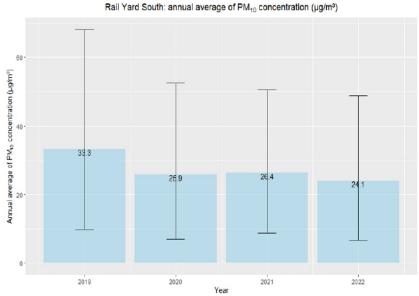


Figure 1. Annual mean (calendar years) dry weather  $PM_{10}$  concentrations downwind of the Port at Bay of Plenty Regional Council's monitoring station 'Railyard South'.<sup>1</sup>





#### Water quality - stormwater and harbour health

- Comprehensive stormwater monitoring.
- Compliant with all stormwater consented water quality limits.
- · Regular harbour water monitoring.
- Harbour water quality meets Aus NZ Environment & Conservation Council (ANZECC) guidelines for marine water quality.







#### Sponsorship and community partnerships















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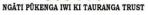
















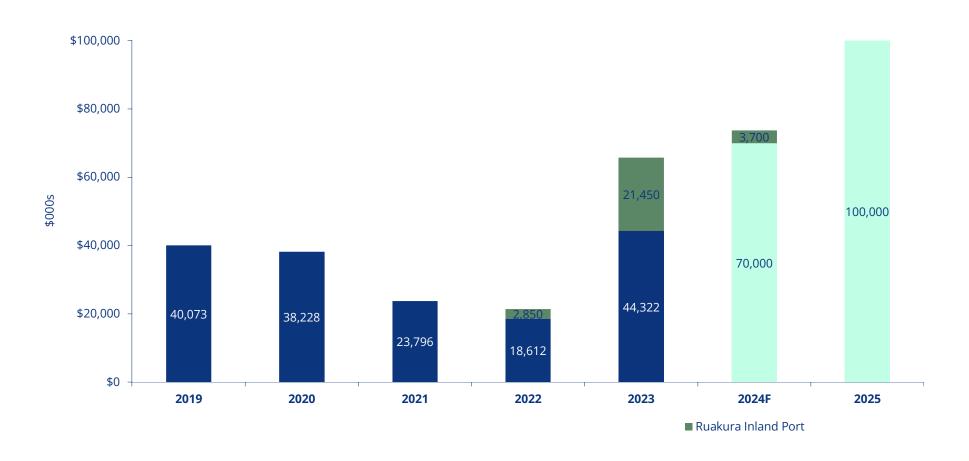








# Parent capital expenditure 2019 - 2025





## Outlook 2024

- Commodity price pressure and cost inflation will provide challenging export conditions in short term – some relief with lower international shipping prices.
- Slowing domestic consumer demand translating to lower import volumes.
- Expect to handle about 1.1 1.2 million TEU.
- Log volume forecast flat circa 6.1M JAS FY24.
- Kiwifruit harvest expected to rebound from past last season.
- FY24 earnings guidance will be provided at AGM in October.
- Port of Tauranga remains well placed to weather economic challenges.



## Thank you

