# **Presentation to Analysts**

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### **Highlights and Challenges**

For the six months ended December 2021

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

\* \$56.3

million<sup>1</sup> (an increase of 15.6% from the previous corresponding period)

#### Total trade steady at

\* 13.0

million tonnes (a decrease of nearly 0.3% from the previous corresponding period)

#### Imports

*§* 5.0

million tonnes (an increase of 2.7% from the previous corresponding period)

#### **Exports**

*8.0* <sup>∗</sup> 8.0

million tonnes (a decrease of 2.0% from the previous corresponding period)

#### Container volumes

*622,271 622,271 6* 

TEU<sup>2</sup> (an increase of 1.5% from the previous corresponding period)

#### Transhipped containers

\*21.4%

(a decrease to 143.339 TEUs from the previous corresponding period)

#### Subsidiary and Associate Company earnings

11.2%

(a decrease from the previous corresponding period)

#### Log exports

\*3.1

million tonnes (a decrease of 6.1% from the previous corresponding period)

#### Direct dairy exports

\*2.3%

(an increase from the previous corresponding period)

#### Direct kiwifruit exports

§ 16.0%

(an increase from the previous corresponding period)

#### Interim dividend of

6.5

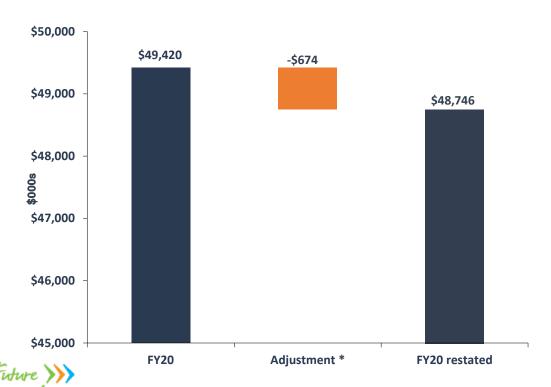
cents per share (an 8.3% increase on the same period last year)



# **Group Net Profit After Tax up 15.6%**

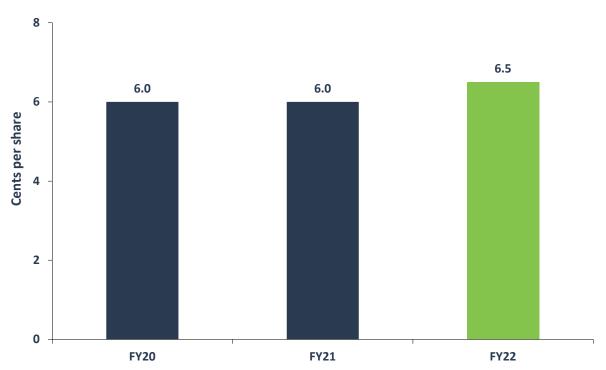


### **Restatement of Prior Period Profit**



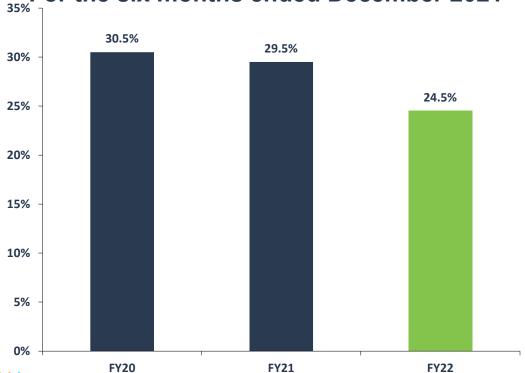
<sup>\*</sup> Additional depreciation expense recognised on EAIs' revalued assets net of tax.

### **Interim Dividend**



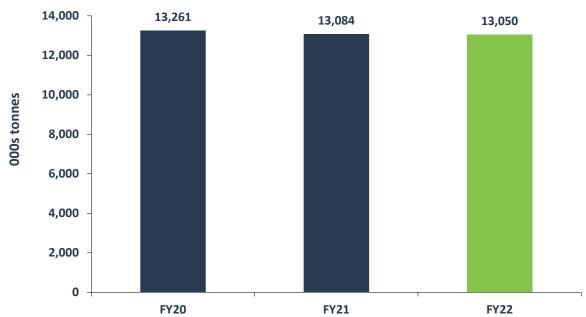


## **Net Debt / Net Debt + Equity**



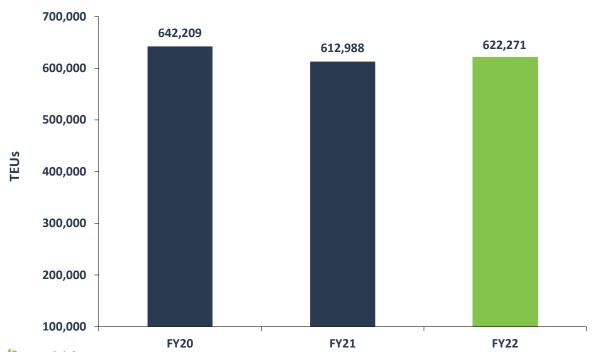


# **Total Trade Steady**





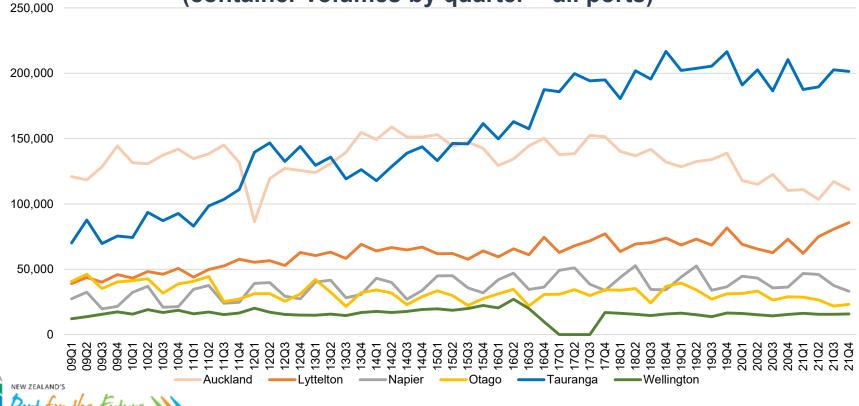
# **Container Volumes up 1.5%**





# **NZ's Largest Container Terminal**

(container volumes by quarter – all ports)





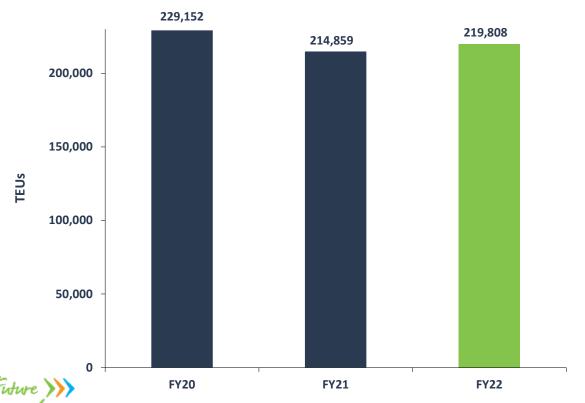
### **Transhipped TEUs down 21.4%**



## Import TEUs up 29.5%



## **Export TEUs up 2.3%**



# Exports – Logs down 6.1%



# **Forestry Outlook**

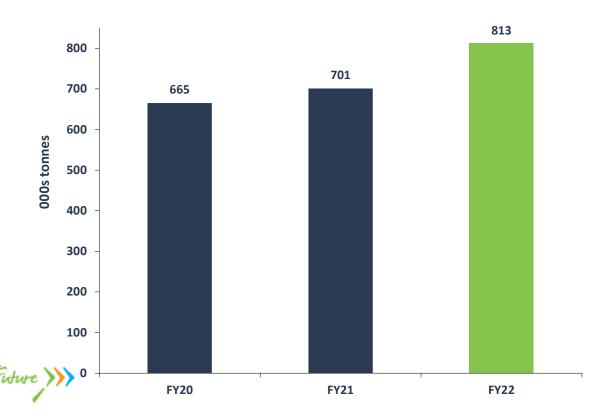
- Uncertainty in the Chinese construction sector a concern over the next 6 - 12 months.
- Circa 85% Tauranga log volume to China.
- Current China on wharf inventory levels circa 5M JAS.
- Some silver linings with expected reductions in log volumes to China from Russia and South America.



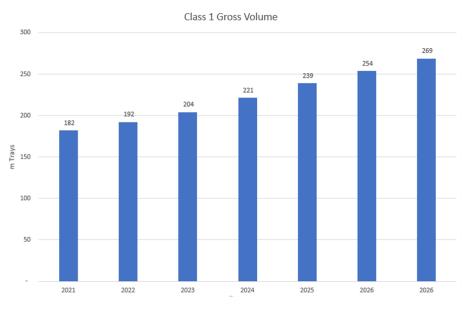




## **Exports – Direct Kiwifruit up 16.0%**



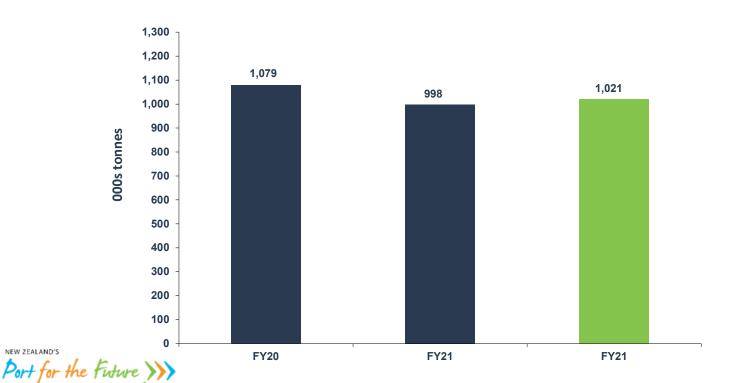
#### **Kiwifruit Outlook**



- Strong growth driven by Gold license release and orchards coming into production.
- Strong Gold yields ~16,000 trays per Ha.
- Expected decline in Green crop ~ 68.7M 2022 vs 78M trays 2021.
- Market side demand continues to be very strong.
- Labour supply from overseas and labour availability due to Covid continues to be a concern, as does ongoing disruption to global shipping.

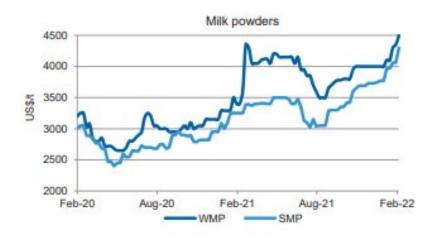


# **Exports - Direct Dairy up 2.3%**



## **Dairy Outlook**

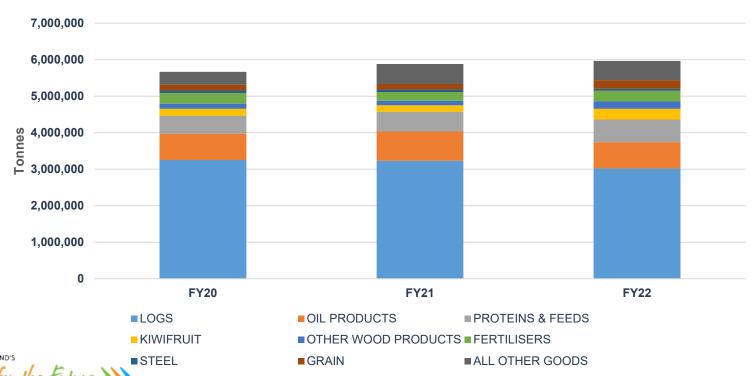
- Strong commodity price and Covid supply chain risk, driving early season volume push.
- Waikato dry conditions impact volume and demand for supplementary products (feed and fertiliser).
- Expect lower inventory levels for second half of FY22.







# Bulk Cargo up 1.4%



### **Subsidiaries & Associates**





- · New Zealand's largest port and international freight gateway
- · Container terminal, bulk cargo wharves and bunkering/bulk liquids facilities
- · Extensive cargo storage and handling facilities
- . Rail connections to Hamilton, Auckland and the central North Island
- Extensive road networks and coastal shipping connections.







#### WITH KOTAHI

- · Freight logistics group incorporating Tapper Transport, Dairy Transport Logistics, Priority Logistics and MetroPack
- 50% shareholding in MetroBox
- · Operates New Zealand's largest intermodal freight hub at Otahuhu in Auckland.





#### 50% OWNERSHIP WITH MARSDEN MARITIME HOLDINGS

· Deep water commercial port near Whangarei.

#### **PORTCOMECT**

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#### 50% OWNERSHIP WITH PORTS OF AUCKLAND

 Online cargo management system.







#### COMPANY AND KIWIRAIL

- · Inland port in the heart of Auckland's commercial and industrial area. connected by rail to Tauranga and Hamilton
- New Zealand's fourth largest container terminal.





#### 50:50 JOINT VENTURE WITH TAINUI GROUP HOLDINGS

- · Inland port connected by rail
- to Tauranga and Auckland Part of the Ruakura

Superbub

Due to open in mid-2022.





#### OPERATED BY TIMARU CONTAINER TERMINAL

- · Intermodal freight hub at Rolleston
- · Rail connections to Timaru Container Terminal and rest of South Island
- New warehouse built for Coda Group.





#### 100% OWNERSHIP

- · Direct links to Tauranga · Operates MetroPort Christchurch at Rolleston
- Specialist cargo handling services company with operations at Tauranga and Timaru.

100% OWNERSHIP









#### 50% OWNERSHIP WITH TIMARU DISTRICT HOLDINGS

- · Commercial port in Timaru
- · Bulk cargoes including major cement handling facility
- New oil terminal.



# Subsidiaries & Associates Net Profit After Tax down 11.2%







Earnings down 6.3% to \$3.944 million.

Break Bulk trade down 9.3%, log volumes down 12.1%.

Containers up 71.1% to 9,221 TEUs.

Port for the Future >>>>









Earnings up to \$0.558 million vs \$.069 million in the prior year. Current period reported profits impacted by SaaS IT projects being expensed.







Earnings down to \$1.141 million vs \$1.916 million in the prior year.

Total trade volumes up 6.4% on last year.

Profits impacted by depreciation, labour, maintenance and fuel costs.







Container volumes down 8.6%.
Reported loss of \$0.088 million.
Expect stronger container volumes in second half.











NPAT up 8.3% to \$1.692 million.

Took over the management of Timaru Container Terminal from 1 November 2020.



### **Ruakura Inland Port**



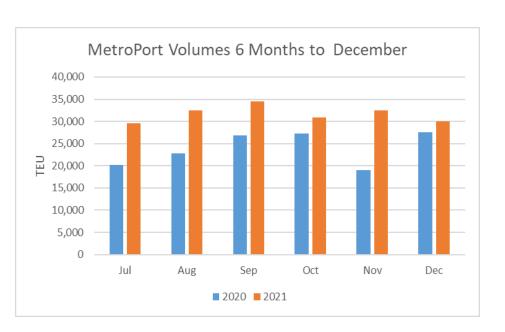


Inland Port construction underway.

Expect opening mid 2022 (timing linked to Waikato expressway).



### **MetroPort**







MetroPort rail volumes up 21%. Current programme 92 trains per week.



# **Port Congestion**

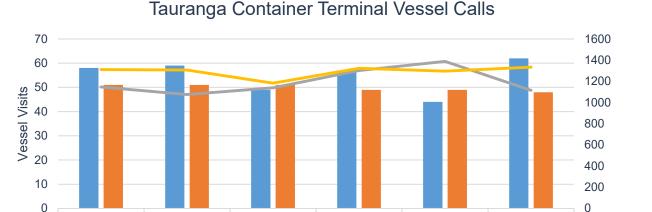
- Vessel schedules remain suspended in New Zealand ~40% of services meet proforma berth windows.
- Proforma berth windows not expected to be reinstated in 2022.
- Berth priority given to services on window in Tauranga.
- Berth window reinstatement will require all NZ ports working at normal productivity.





### **Congestion Impacts**

30 fewer container vessels July - December 2021 vs PCP





Oct

Nov

Dec

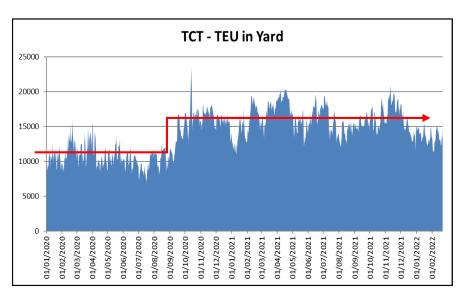
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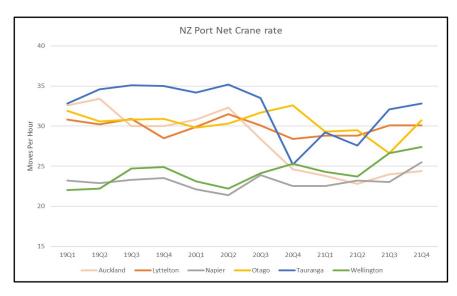


July

Aug

### **Congestion Impacts**





- Some improvement in static terminal volumes as customers stage volumes off site.
- Yard intensity continues 40% above PCP.
- Improving productivity ~ 33 NCR.
  - Average crane rate still ahead of top five Australian ports in 21Q3 (32.1 versus 27.0).





### **Critical New Zealand Infrastructure**

- Direct referral of resource consent to the Environment Court accepted.
- Currently awaiting Environment Court hearing date.
- Terminal capacity head room circa 2 3 years.



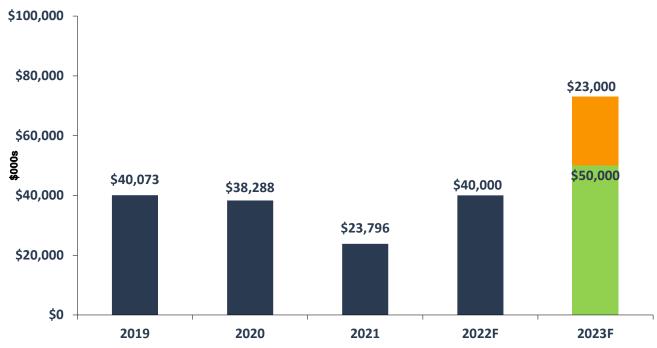
### **Terminal Automation**

- Continued progress of automation design and scope.
- Shortlist of suppliers for final RFP and selection.
- Global demand on terminal equipment may extend delivery windows.





### Parent Capital Expenditure 2019 - 2023



Terminal Southern Berth Extension



### **Debt Profile Extended**

Weighted average debt maturity profile now over 4 years





### Port Sector Labour Challenges

- Industry wide labour supply challenges continue.
- Shortages likely to be exacerbated by Omicron outbreak and isolation requirements.
- Operational work groups separated into small work bubbles, PPE used by all, work-from-home where possible.
- Mandatory vaccination for all Port of Tauranga employees.
- Currently utilising RAT tests for critical workers / close contacts.





### Outlook 2022

- Port congestion is expected to continue for the remainder of this financial year.
- Expect to handle about 1.225 million TEUs with Log volumes around 6M JAS.
- Full impact of Omicron still to come.
- FY22 earnings guidance still expected to be between \$103 and \$110 million.





### **Chair Retirement**

- David Pilkington retiring from the Board after 17 years (nine years as Chair).
- During his tenure, market capitalisation has grown from \$663 million to in excess of \$4 billion in 2022.
- Deloitte Top 200 Business Awards Chairperson of the Year 2019.





#### **New Chair – Julia Hoare**

- Joined the Board in August 2015 and chairs the Audit Committee.
- Comprehensive range of commercial, financial, tax, regulatory and sustainability experience.
- Deputy Chair of The a2 Milk Company, Director of Auckland International Airport and Meridian Energy.
- President of the Institute of Directors and a Member of the Chapter Zero New Zealand Steering Committee.
- Appointment effective 1 August 2022.





