



**1,000 PRODUCTS  
ENDLESS POSSIBILITIES**

# 1H25

RESULTS  
PRESENTATION

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REDOX LIMITED (RDX.ASX)



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# 1H25 Highlights

Raimond Coneliano

Chief Executive Officer & Managing Director

# 1H25 Highlights

**\$632m**

Sales Revenue  
+8.6% growth vs PCP

**21.6%**

Gross Profit Margin  
(within historical range)



New channel partner agreements

**\$137m**

Gross Profit up 1.7% vs PCP

**45.8%**

Conversion Margin  
(Gross Profit to EBITDAFX)

**\$138m**

Cash or Cash Equivalents  
Zero Net Debt

**6 cps**

Interim Dividend  
payout ratio 78%



Acquisitions Completed

## Sales Revenue

**1H25 sales increased by 8.6% vs PCP driven by strong volume growth in a subdued demand environment**

### Industry segment performance

- Crop Production & Protection sales increased 38% vs PCP driven by industry demand and integration of the Oleum product suite
- Water Care sales increased 16% due to portfolio addition, share of wallet initiatives and new customers
- Mining & Explosives declined 16% driven by the lower cyclical demand in various sub-sectors such as Nickel

### Regional performance

- APAC sales grew 9.7% vs PCP driven by stronger growth in Australia & NZ
- US sales fell 7.7%, offset in part by strong Mexican sales
- The US business grew the number of active customers and invoices in 1H25, however as this region is in its early stages of development, business will be lumpy period to period.

## Unit Prices & Gross Profit

### Unit Prices

- Global commodity prices generally stabilised in 1H25, however higher prices in Q1 FY24 were a headwind during Q1 FY25

### Gross Profit

- 1H25 gross profit margin of 21.6% sits within the historical range
- Gross profit margin driven by higher commodity volumes (e.g. fertilisers) with structurally lower margins and lower margin acquired businesses

## Logistics & Sea Freight

### Logistics

- 1H25 total storage and logistics costs increased with higher sales volume

### Sea Freight

- Sea freight remained elevated in 1H25 vs PCP as geopolitical events impacted availability, costs and shipping times
- Redox passes costs of increased sea freight onto clients and assists them to smooth out impact of delays



## M&A

### Redox completed 2 acquisitions \* in 1H25 –



**Oleum (completed July 2024)** an Australian distributor of surfactants and specialty chemicals to a variety of industry sectors



**Auschem (completed November 2024)** an Australian distributor of solvents & specialty chemicals with bulk storage and blending capabilities including distribution deal with Viva Energy Australia

\* Redox acquired Oleum Holdings Pty Ltd, and certain assets and liabilities from Auschem (NSW) Pty Ltd



# 1H25 Financials

Kim Yap  
Chief Financial Officer

# \$632m

Top line revenue grew 8.6% in spite of price headwinds in Q1 FY25

# 7.7cps

Proforma Basic Earnings Per Share +1.7%

## Profit & Loss overview

	1H25	1H24	Change
	\$m	\$m	%
Revenue	632	582	8.6%
Gross profit	137	134	1.7%
Gross margin	21.6%	23.1%	-1.5ppts
Underlying EBITDAFX <sup>1</sup>	63	71	-12.9%
Underlying EBITDAFX <sup>1</sup> margin	9.9%	12.3%	-2.4ppts
Underlying NPATFX <sup>1</sup>	41	48	-12.9%
Underlying NPATFX <sup>1</sup> margin	6.6%	8.2%	-1.6ppts
Proforma basic Earnings Per Share (cents)	7.7	7.5	1.7%
ROIC <sup>2</sup>	14.8%	18.1%	-3.3ppts

### Notes:

- Underlying EBITDAFX and NPATFX excludes unrealised currency revaluations relating to non-cash mark-to-market adjustments on Redox's open forward exchange contracts and foreign currency denominated balances at period end . The mark to market adjustments arise as Redox does not qualify for hedge accounting treatment under the terms of AASB 9 Financial Instruments & AASB 121 The Effects of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rates and so is required to include the non-cash gain or loss on open foreign currency denominated exchange positions at period end within its statutory result. Redox does not consider these amounts to form part of the Group's "underlying" earnings, and accordingly presents NPATFX metrics which exclude the impacts of these balances.
- Return on Invested Capital ("ROIC") is defined as net operating profit after tax (NOPAT), divided by average invested capital (total equity plus net debt and lease liabilities).



# 10%

ANZ Revenue growth achieved driven by acquired businesses and turnaround in Crop Production

# 21.6%

Gross Profit Margin eased 1.5ppts as volumes of commodities recover

## Revenue and Gross Profit

	1H25	1H24	Change
	\$m	\$m	%
Revenue – Australia	537	493	8.9%
Revenue – New Zealand	55	45	22.2%
Revenue – USA	36	39	-7.7%
Revenue – Other	4	5	-20.0%
<b>Total revenue*</b>	632	582	8.6%
COGS	-495	-448	10.5%
<b>Gross profit</b>	137	134	1.7%
<b>Gross margin</b>	21.6%	23.1%	-1.5ppts

Note

• Revenue impact of acquisition in 1H25 not material.

**\$6m**

**Increase in administration cost equally spread between salary inflation, increase in headcount and higher incentive payments**

**\$5m**

**Increase in storage and distribution costs driven by volume growth (\$4m) and cost inflation (\$1m)**

## Operating costs

	1H25	1H24	Change
	\$m	\$m	\$m
Administration expenses	38	32	-6
Distribution and storage expenses	30	25	-5
Other expenses	11	10	-1
<b>Total underlying operating expenses<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>79</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>-12</b>

Notes:

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# \$12m

Cash from operations lower driven by higher inventory and timing of lunar New Year shipments

# 30.7%

Net working capital driven by higher inventories but within historical range

## Cash flow

	1H25	1H24	Change
	\$m	\$m	\$m
Cash from operations	12	80	-68
Cash flows from investing <sup>1</sup>	22	-84	106
Cash before financing	34	-4	38
Free cash flow conversion <sup>2</sup>	19.7%	125.9%	
Net working capital (NWC) <sup>3</sup>	387	337	50
NWC as % of revenue <sup>3</sup>	30.7%	29.0%	
Net cash & cash equivalents	138	177	-39

Notes:

1. \$80 million was invested in short term deposit
2. Free cash flow conversion is calculated as underlying cash from operations divided by underlying EBITDA
3. Net working capital as a percentage of sales is calculated as period end working capital (the sum of trade and other receivables, inventory, prepayments, other assets, trade and other payables, accruals, provision for income tax and other liabilities) divided by revenue.

# Dividend & Dividend Policy



## Interim Dividend

Interim Dividend for FY25 of 6 cents per share, representing a pay out of 78% of profits

Dividend to be paid on the 25<sup>th</sup> March 2025

Record date 4<sup>th</sup> March 2025.

## Dividend Policy

Long term Dividend payout ratio will be 60%-80% of profits





# Strategy & Outlook

Raimond Coneliano

CEO and Managing Director

# Strategy



- Expand product portfolio
- Develop technical expertise to provide customers with added value
- Refine Redebiz CRM/ERP to ensure it remains a source of strength
- Explore new industry sectors and establish a presence in new geographies
- Make strategic acquisitions in ANZ/US to speed growth

# Outlook



- Macroeconomic and geopolitical headwinds expected to continue into 2H25
- The company is strongly positioned for recovery
- Volume growth above historical average expected
- 2H25 gross profit margins expected at similar levels to 1H25
- 2H25 cost overheads expected to be in line with 1H25





## Summary

- Large and attractive sector with numerous avenues to grow across various industries, geographies and products
- Fragmentation of the industry provides ample opportunity to acquire strategically
- Strong volume growth achieved in 1H25 to continue for the remainder of the year despite the challenging environment
- Flexible balance sheet with no net debt and healthy cash balance which will be used to fund future growth
- Delivering growth through our scale, systems and strategies
- Strong operating metrics





# Q&A

**Raimond Coneliano**

CEO and Managing Director

**Kim Yap**

Chief Financial Officer



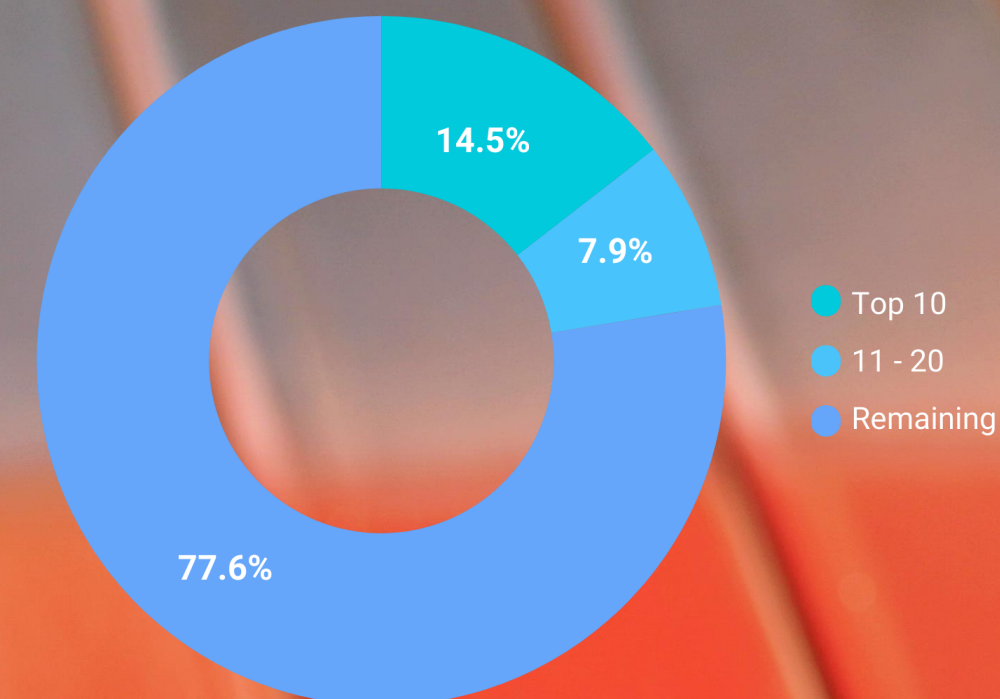


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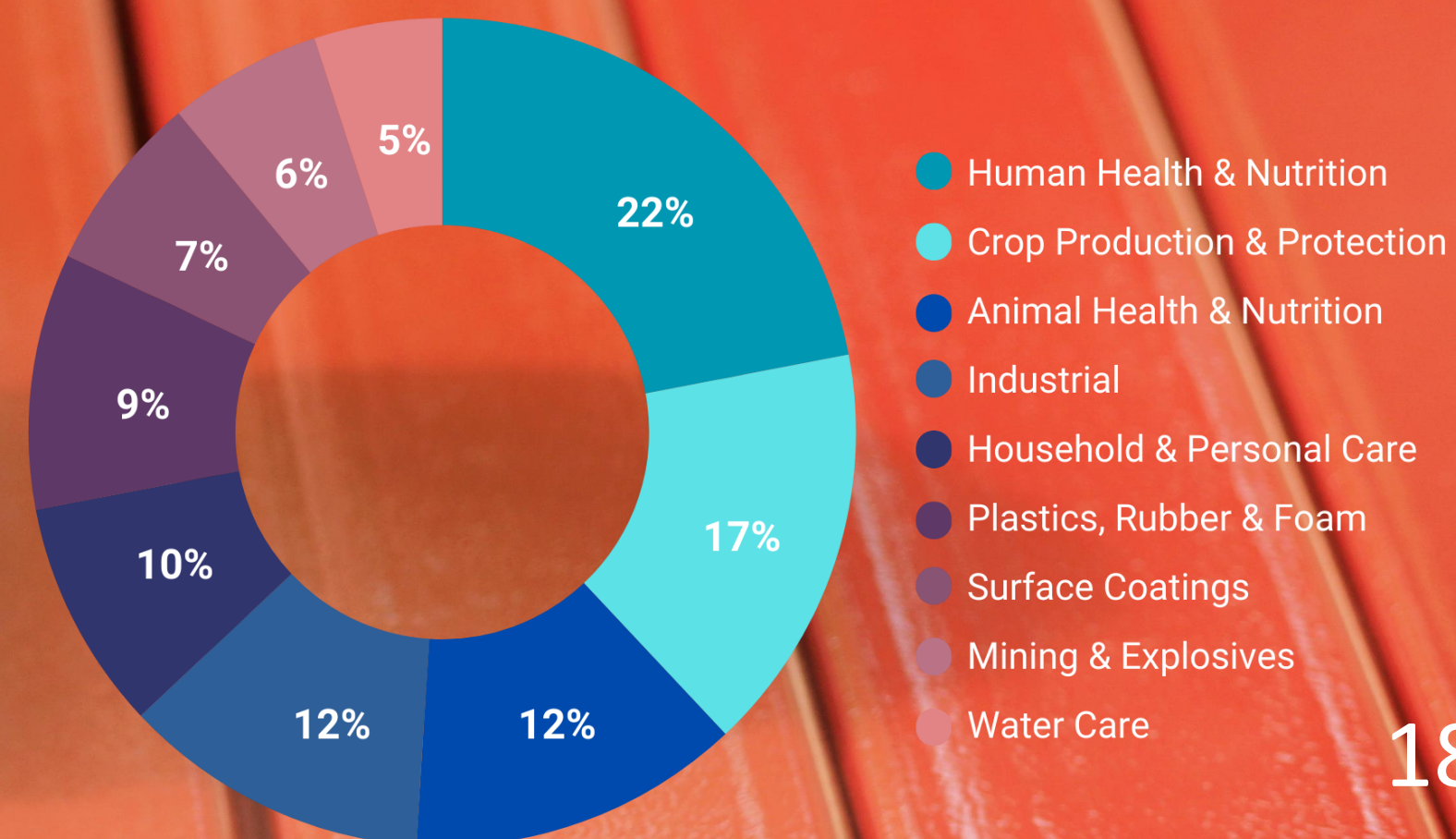


**Diverse client,  
industry,  
product and  
supplier base**

**Customer Concentration 1H25**



**Sales by Industry Segment 1H25**





# Chemical Distribution is highly attractive



Thousands of specialty & commodity chemical manufacturers



Tens of thousands of potential SKU's/products



Hundreds of thousands of potential customers globally

Large market growing at GDP++ across diverse industry sectors providing multiple growth pathways

Fragmented sector that provides opportunity for a well-financed, well organised business like Redox to grow through acquisition

Demand for specialty storage, logistics, formulation and repackaging rising

Distributors deliver valuable technical assistance & provide assurance against vulnerable supply chains

Increasing complexity & regulatory burden preferences larger more established players with scale



# Leading distributor of chemicals, ingredients and raw materials



8,000+  
ACTIVE CUSTOMERS



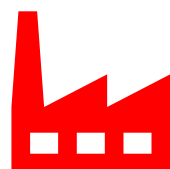
5,000+  
SKU'S

Primary focus organic growth complimented by acquisitions & geographic expansion

Extensive and growing customer, supplier and product base

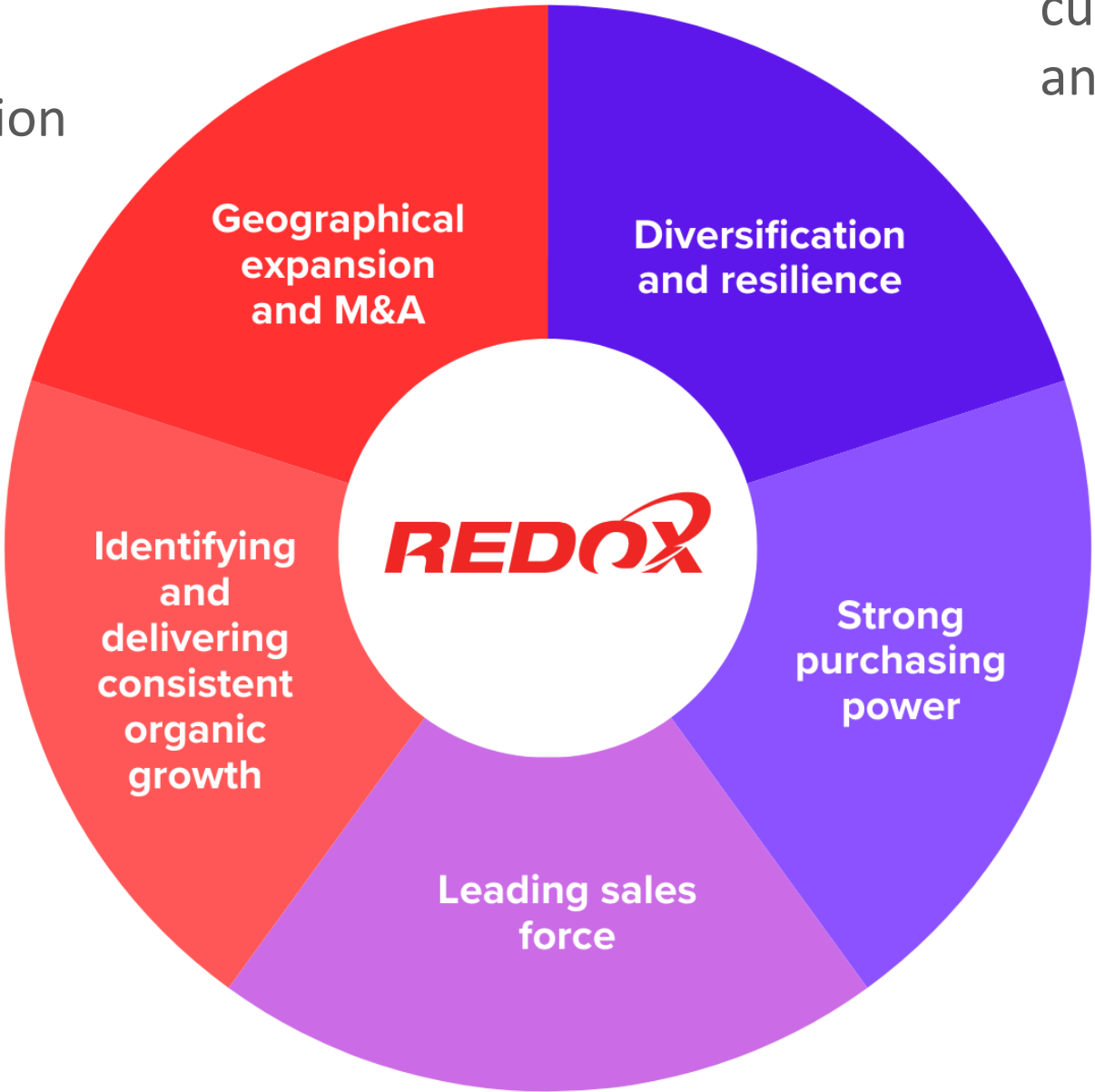


100+  
STOCK LOCATIONS



1,000+  
ACTIVE SUPPLIERS

30-year revenue CAGR of 10.84%



Largest supplier in Australia by revenue



400+  
STRONG TEAM\*



1,200+  
PRODUCT GROUPS

Trained the Redox way

\* Team includes 190+ salespeople across APAC & USA

# Profit & Loss 1H25



	1H25	1H24	Change
	\$m	\$m	\$m
Revenue	632	582	50
COGS	-495	-448	-47
<b>Gross profit</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>3</b>
Operating expenses excluding depreciation	-74	-63	-11
<b>Underlying EBITDAFX</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>-8</b>
Depreciation and amortisation	-5	-4	-1
<b>Underlying EBITFX</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>-9</b>
Net finance costs	2	2	0
<b>Underlying profit before tax</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>-9</b>
Effective tax	-19	-21	2
<b>Underlying NPATFX</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>-7</b>
Unrealised loss on foreign exchange contracts	-1	-5	4
<b>Listing cost</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>-3</b>	<b>3</b>
Statutory NPAT	40	40	0

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