# FY23 half year results

13 February 2023



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The reserves and resources in this report are prepared in accordance with the 2018 update to the Petroleum Resources Management System (SPE-PRMS) sponsored by the Society of Petroleum Engineers, World Petroleum Council, American Association of Petroleum Geologists, Society of Petroleum Evaluation Engineers, Society of Exploration Geophysicists, Society of Petrophysicists and Well Log Analysts and the European Association of Geoscientists & Engineers.

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Reserves are stated net of fuel, flare and vent at reference points generally defined by the custody transfer point of each product. Waitsia reserves include 30 PJ fuel used for LNG processing through the NWS facilities in Karratha between the second half of 2023 and the end of 2028.

Conversion factors used to evaluate oil equivalent quantities are sales gas and ethane: 171,940 boe per PJ, LPG: 8.458 boe per tonne, condensate: 0.935 boe per bbl and oil: 1 boe per bbl.

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# Key messages

Progressing and de-risking major growth projects



# Growing Gas & LNG

- Otway Thylacine first gas targeted by mid-2023
- Waitsia first gas targeted by end-2023
- Enterprise first gas targeted by mid-FY24

# **Growing Strong FCF**

- Targeting eight plants supplying local and international markets
- Growing diversified products and cash flow
- Positioned for increased shareholder returns
- >\$0.5bn in franking credits available

# **Investing in Future Growth**

- 12+ months of Perth Basin exploration
- Kupe development well targeting spud Q2 FY24
- Six rigs drilling in the Cooper Basin
- Developing plans for next rounds of drilling in the Otway and Bass

# **Gas-supported** transition

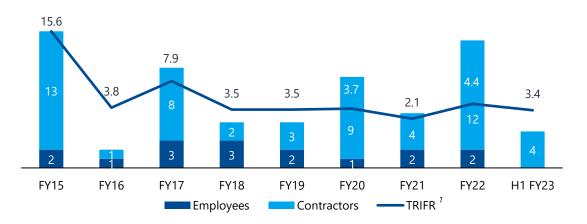
- 2050 net zero aspiration
- Targeting 35% emissions intensity reduction by 2030
- Develop large scale CCS at Moomba and Otway
- Developing plans for other abatement and new energy initiatives



# Health, safety and environment

## Improving performance during an active period

#### **Safety performance – Total recordable injuries**



#### **Environmental performance**

Spills	H1 FY22	H1 FY23	Change
Volume of hydrocarbon spills (bbl)	2.25	1.74	<b>↓</b> 23%
Volume of non-hydrocarbon spills (bbl)	1.45	0.06	<b>↓</b> 96%
Total volume of spills (bbl)	3.7	1.8	<b>↓</b> 51%
Number of significant spills <sup>2</sup>	-	-	_



#### H1 FY23 highlights

- ✓ Recipient of SA Premier's Energy & Mining Award: Environment
  - Innovative approach for acquiring geophysical data by eliminating the need to clear native vegetation on the Dombey seismic survey
- √ >8 years of no recordable injuries at Otway Gas Plant
- √ >4 years of no recordable injuries at Beharra Springs Gas Plant
- ✓ Five of six operating sites recordable injury free
- ✓ Improved environmental performance outcomes
- ✓ Strengthened HSE contractor management framework
- Continued outstanding Process Safety performance
- ✓ Moomba CCS project 40% complete
  - First CO2 injection on schedule for 2024



<sup>1.</sup> Total Recordable Injury Frequency Rate (TRIFR) represented as a 12-month rolling average

<sup>2.</sup> Significant spills are defined as spills that are included in the financial statements, for example, due to resulting liabilities

## First half financial results





















# **Progressing major projects**

## Otway and Perth Basin developments





#### **Otway Offshore Thylacine well connections**

- Environmental Plan approval for connection of wells
- ✓ Thylacine well connections on schedule
- ✓ DOF subsea vessel now fully mobilised on location
- ✓ 100 TJ/day of additional capacity for the East Coast
- ✓ Working towards Enterprise supplementing production from mid-FY24





#### **Waitsia Stage 2 project**

- ✓ Webuild confirmed as contractor to complete the project
- ✓ Targeting first gas from the Waitsia Gas Plant by end-2023
- ✓ Revised total capex of \$400 450 million net (\$350 400 million originally)
- ✓ Reserves revision Plan to supply up to 3.75 Mt of LNG and meet domestic gas commitment

# Progressing key growth initiatives

Achieving milestones despite challenges





Offshore Otway drilling campaign completed







Otway Thylacine well connections on schedule – DOF vessel on location



Waitsia development drilling campaign completed





Kupe rig negotiations progressed







New dividend policy implemented

Perth Basin gas exploration commenced





**Otway Basin CCS Select phase commenced** 

Moomba CCS 40% complete; two injector wells drilled

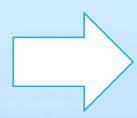


# Capital management framework

Funding growth and higher returns to shareholders



Diverse asset portfolio and revenue streams



Prudent financial management



Balance capital returns and future growth

# **Capital Management Framework**

**Continued Balance Sheet strength** 

Deliver franked returns to shareholders

Continued investment in growth



Net gearing<sup>1</sup> less than 15%

40-50% payout of pregrowth free cash flow<sup>2</sup>

Organic and inorganic



## **Second half focus**

### Major projects progressing to completion





- Western Flank oil well connections and development drilling focus to increase production rates
- Complete Thylacine well connections
- Progress construction of the Waitsia Gas Plant
- Commence Beach-operated Perth Basin gas exploration
- Investment decision for next phase of Otway Basin drilling
- Mobilisation of rig for Kupe development well



# FY23 guidance update



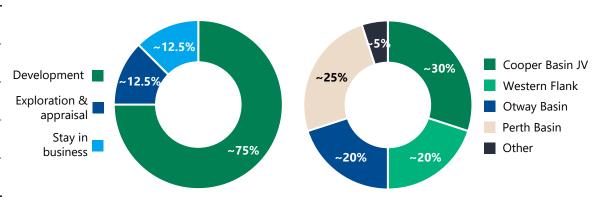
#### FY23 guidance

	Original	Revised	H1 FY23
Production (MMboe)	20.0 – 22.5	19.0 – 20.5	10.0
Capital expenditure (\$ million)	800 – 1,000	900 – 1,000	569
Unit operating costs <sup>1</sup> (\$ per boe)	12 – 13	13.75 – 14.75	14.46
DD&A <sup>2</sup> (\$ million)	410 – 440	410 – 440	201

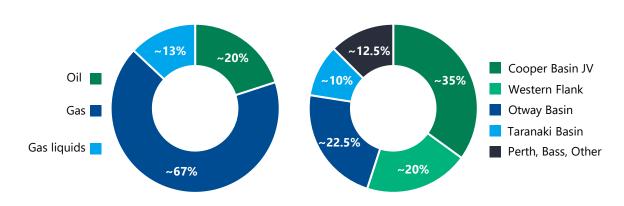
#### **FY24 production**

- Beach will no longer be referencing the FY24 production target
- FY24 production remains subject to timing of major project delivery which has been impacted by the Clough administration process and ongoing regulatory approval uncertainty
- FY24 production guidance to be provided with full year results in August 2023

#### FY23 capital expenditure guidance: \$900 - 1,000 million



#### FY23 production guidance: 19.0 – 20.5 MMboe





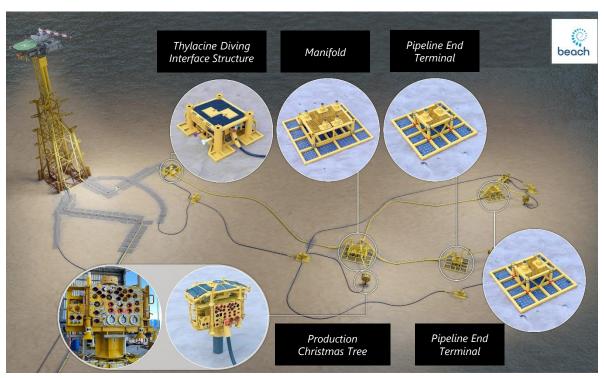
# Increasing East Coast gas market share Maturing new gas supply from existing portfolio

#### ~12% East Coast gas market share, growing to ~16% in FY24

- Offshore Otway project nearing completion
- >100 TJ/day (gross) additional supply expected from mid-2023<sup>1</sup>
- Environmental Plan approval for installation of Otway Basin Thylacine wells
- Enterprise connection progressing
  - Working towards first gas mid-FY24
- Existing discoveries to be developed
  - o Artisan, La Bella
- Maturing offshore and nearshore exploration prospects



#### Thylacine well connections to enable OGP capacity rates<sup>1</sup>



Thylacine field subsea development



# Valuable Perth Basin acreage

### LNG and domestic gas focus



#### Waitsia LNG, facility expansions and exploration

#### Waitsia LNG SPA expected to deliver superior pricing

- Webuild to complete the Waitsia Stage 2 project<sup>1</sup>
- Waitsia LNG and domestic gas commitments
- Beharra Springs Gas Plant expansion planning underway
- Beach-operated exploration to commence early Q4 FY23
- 12+ months of exploration and appraisal drilling
- Waitsia six-well development drilling campaign complete;
   11% reduction in Perth Basin net 2P reserves<sup>2</sup>

Perth Basin 2P reserves (MMboe; net to Beach)			
Perth Basin 2P reserves – 30 June 2022	99		
Revisions post Waitsia development drilling campaign	(11)		
Revised Perth Basin 2P reserves (pre-production from 30 June 2022)	(88)		



<sup>1.</sup> Refer ASX announcement of 6 February 2023 for further information

<sup>2.</sup> Refer FY23 Second Quarter Activities Report released 31 January 2023 for further information

<sup>3.</sup> Illustrative SPA prices based on average A\$:US\$ exchange rate and average Brent and JKM prices over the 3, 6 and 12 months to 31 January 2023; ranges reflect changing price parameters over the term of the SPA; Source — WA spot gas: Gas Trading Australia, Brent, JKM: Nasdag

# Targeting 35% emissions intensity reduction by 2030

## Beach targets aligned with proposed Safeguard Mechanism changes



#### **Progressing several early-stage sustainability initiatives**



- Otway Basin carbon capture and storage
  - Select phase commenced
  - Targeting completion of Select phase by end-2023
- Cooper Basin ammonia production
  - Prefeasibility study nearing completion
- Taranaki Basin wind power generation study
  - Data collection ongoing

#### Moomba CCS on schedule for first CO2 injection in 2024

- Targeting up to 1.7 Mtpa CO2 storage (>0.5 Mtpa net Beach)
- Potential to store up to 20 Mtpa gross if fully developed<sup>1</sup>
- Several progress milestones achieved in H1 FY23
  - CO2 compressor performance testing complete
  - Bulk earthworks complete and pilling commenced
  - First two injector wells drilled and completed

"While there has been relatively limited deployment of carbon capture and storage nationally or globally, it is considered to have an important potential contribution to limiting the pace and extent of climate change."

Independent Review of Australian Carbon Credit Units
December 2022



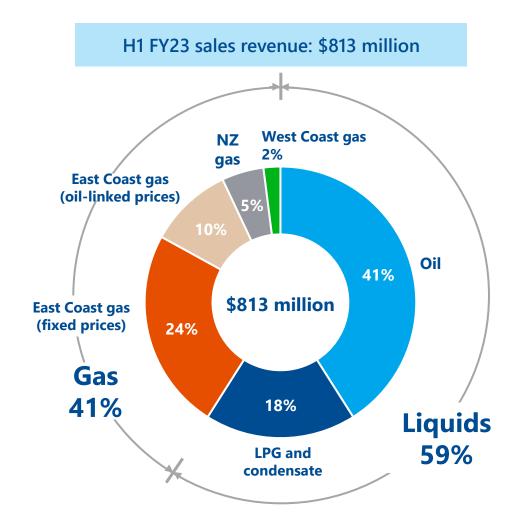


## **Headline financial metrics**

## Lower production partially offset by higher realised prices

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\$ million (unless otherwise indicated)	H1 FY22	H1 FY23	Change
Production (MMboe)	11.0	10.0	(10%)
Sales volumes (MMboe)	11.2	10.5	(7%)
Sales revenue	786	813	+3%
Average realised oil price (\$ per bbl)	113.6	148.1	+30%
Average realised gas/ethane price (\$ per GJ)	7.54	8.42	+12%
Underlying EBITDA	513	491	(4%)
Underlying EBITDA margin (%)	65%	60%	(8%)
Underlying NPAT	213	191	(10%)
Operating cash flow	605	404	(33%)
Pre-growth free cash flow <sup>1</sup>	329	84	(74%)
Dividends paid (cps)	1.0	1.0	-
Net cash / (debt) <sup>2</sup>	73	9	(88%)



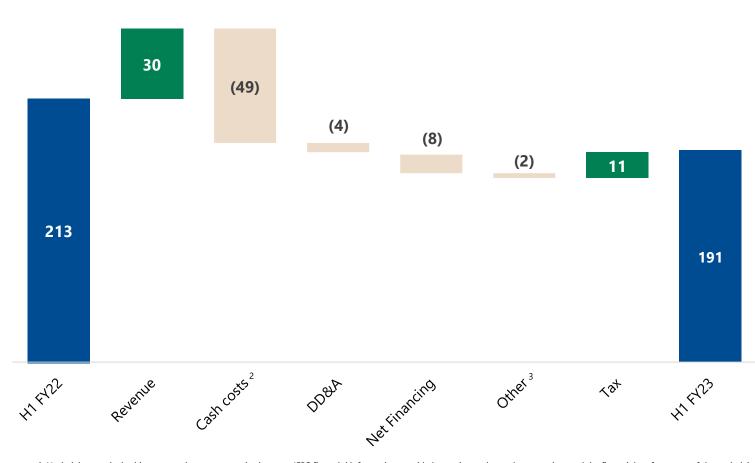
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# **Underlying Net Profit After Tax**<sup>1</sup>

## Higher-cost operating environment reflected in earnings







#### **Underlying NPAT down 10% due to:**

- Lower production and sales volumes
- One-off non-cash revenue reduction from revised Cooper Basin recognition point<sup>4</sup>
- Higher cash costs, primarily increased third party purchases and field operating costs
- Higher financing costs driven by increase in unwind of discount on abandonment liabilities (non-cash)

#### Partially offset by:

- Higher realised prices and third party sales
- Lower tax associated with lower earnings

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<sup>2.</sup> Cash costs of sales include field operating costs, tariffs and tolls, royalties and third party purchases

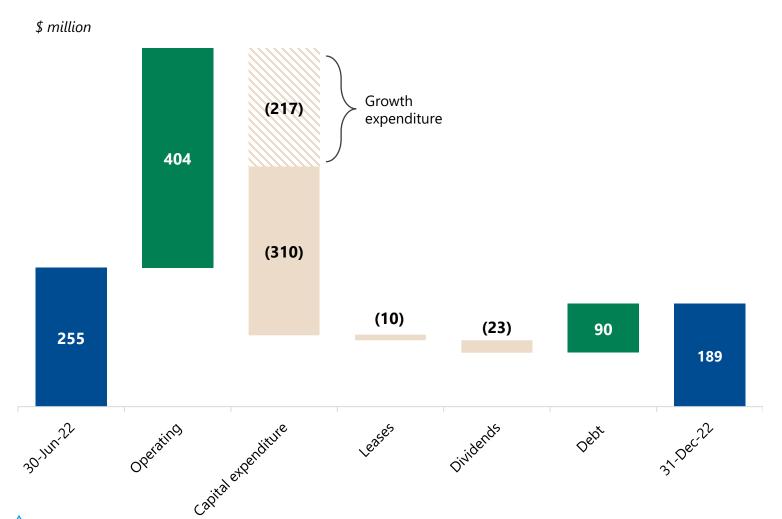
<sup>3.</sup> Other includes inventory changes, other income and other expenses, excluding corporate DD&A and any items adjusted for in calculating underlying net profit after tax

<sup>4.</sup> Refer FY23 First Quarter Activities Report for further information

### Cash flow movements

## Elevated capital expenditure for major growth projects





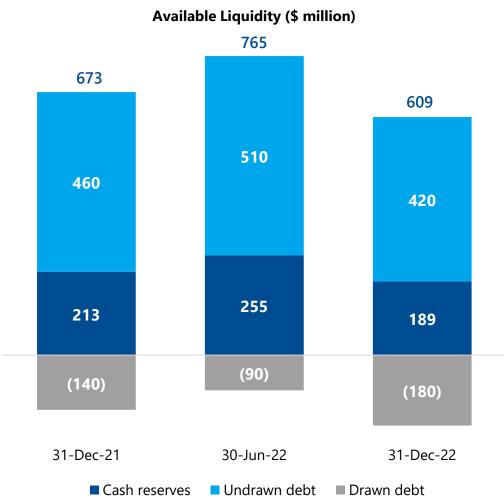
- Cash reserves down 25% to \$189 million
- \$527 million capital expenditure payments
  - Includes \$217 million growth expenditure
- Operating cash flow of \$404 million
  - \$522 million net operating receipts
  - \$97 million income tax paid
  - \$18 million restoration payments
- Final FY22 dividend of \$23 million paid in September 2022 (1 cps)
- Lease payments reflect accounting for lease liabilities under AASB 16
- \$84 million pre-growth free cash flow<sup>1</sup>



# **Balance sheet strength**

## Net cash position maintained while delivering major growth projects





- \$609 million available liquidity
  - \$9 million net cash
  - \$600 million committed revolving syndicated loan facility
- Balance Sheet flexibility enables disciplined approach to capital management through investing in growth and clarity on shareholder returns



# New dividend policy

40-50% pre-growth free cash flow<sup>1</sup> payout ratio



#### **Capital Management Framework** Maximisation of free cash flow through diverse asset **Dividend Policy** portfolio and delivery of major projects 40-50% payout of pre-growth free cash flow<sup>1</sup> **Continued Continued Balance Deliver franked** Board discretion to adjust investment in growth **Sheet strength** returns to interim dividend based on shareholders Major growth across Maintain net full year outlook multiple basins post gearing<sup>2</sup> less Dividend policy: Waitsia and Otway \$84 million pre-growth free than 15% 40-50% payout of investments pre-growth free cash flow in H1 FY23 cash flow<sup>1</sup> Responsible 2.0 cps interim dividend investment in emission reduction declared and energy transition projects >\$0.5 billion franking credits available



# **Exposure to five markets with strong fundamentals**

## Beach increasing energy supply to key markets



#### **East Coast gas market**



- Beach ~12% market share
- Targeting ~16% in FY24
- Strong gas demand outlook
- Gas supply challenged and deteriorating
- Stable policy framework needed to support investment

#### **West Coast gas market**



- Beach ~2% market share
- New industries and demand opportunities emerging
- Forecast supply tightness in late 2020s
- Perth Basin potential to underpin domestic gas needs

#### **New Zealand gas market**



- Beach ~8% of gas market share
   and ~25% LPG market share
- Gas supply constraints evident
- Major gas fields in decline
- No new gas developments
- Offshore exploration moratorium
- Reliance on coal for energy needs

# Global oil and liquids Global LNG



- Geopolitical / energy security concerns
- Increasing demand outlook due to energy transition
- Limited investment in new supply accentuating imbalances
- Beach unhedged exposure to liquids pricing



## Potential FY24 – FY25 activity

Multiple organic growth opportunities across the portfolio





### **Perth Basin**

## A major growth region for Beach

#### **Asset overview**

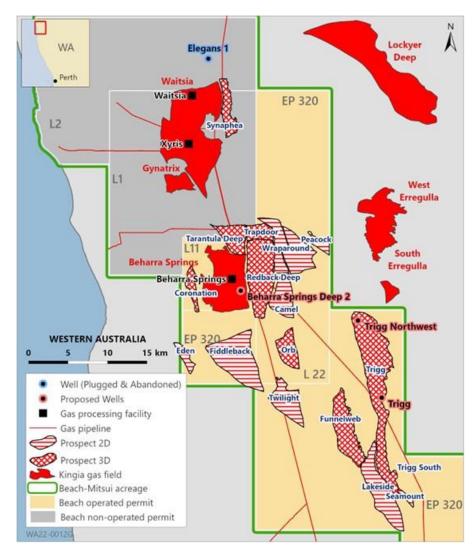
- Interests: 50% interest and operator of Beharra Springs (Mitsui 50%); 50% interest in Waitsia (Mitsui 50% and operator)
- Assets: Beharra Springs Gas Plant (22 TJ/day capacity); Xyris Gas Plant (24 TJ/day capacity); Beharra Springs and Waitsia gas fields
- H1 FY23 production: 0.7 MMboe

#### H1 FY23 progress

- Over four years of Beharra Springs Gas Plant operations with no Lost Time Injury
- Completion of the Waitsia Stage 2 development drilling program; reserves revision announced
- Agreement reached with Webuild to complete the Waitsia Stage 2 project
- Commencement of Perth Basin exploration campaign; Gynatrix gas discovery

- Progress construction of the 250 TJ/day Waitsia Gas Plant
- Continue the Perth Basin gas exploration program with the first Beach-operated wells
- Trigg 1 expected to spud in early Q4 FY23; Beharra Springs Deep 2 and Tarantula Deep 1 in H1 FY24
- Complete Select phase for Beharra Springs permeate recovery project







# Perth Basin exploration and appraisal

## 12+ months of potential drilling ahead



		Prospect	Depth (km MD)	Indicative planned spud date	Follow-on success activity			
		Elegans <sup>1</sup>	3.2		Plugged and abandoned			
	_	Gynatrix <sup>1</sup>	3.6		Production testing late 2023/early 2024			
Confirmed	firmed	Trigg 1	4.8	Q4 FY23	Trigg 2, Trigg North 1, Trigg South 1, Funnelweb 1, Lakeside 1			
	Con	Trigg Northwest 1	4.9	Q1 FY24	Development			
		Beharra Springs Deep 2	4.0	H1 FY24	Development			
		Tarantula Deep 1	3.7	H1 FY24	Development			
ect to	Subject to approvals	Redback Deep 1	3.9	H1 FY24	Trapdoor 1, Redback South Deep 1			
	Sub	Peacock 1	4.2	H2 FY24	Peacock 2, Wraparound 1			
		Trigg South 1	4.8	H2 FY24	Development			
	ivity	Funnelweb 1	4.9	H2 FY24	Appraisal			
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Follow-up activity	-wolle	Redback South Deep 1	4.0	H2 FY24	Development			
	5	Orb 1	4.7	H1 FY25	Appraisal			
		Camel 1	4.7	H1 FY25	Appraisal			
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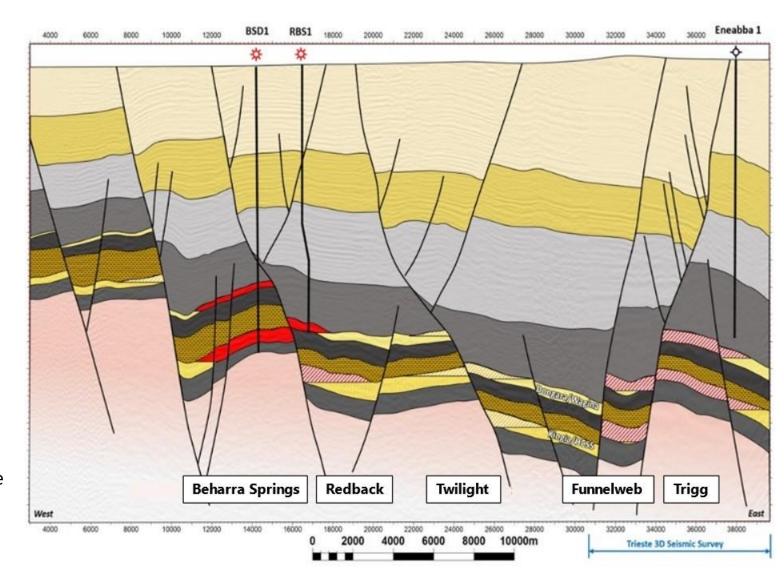
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# Multiple prospects adjacent and analogous to discoveries

## Proximal to Beharra Springs and West / South Erregulla discoveries



- Trigg 1 anticipated spud early Q4 FY23
- On trend with the West Erregulla and South Erregulla discoveries
- Rig will then move along structure to test the independent Trigg Northwest prospect
- With success at Trigg, the Funnelweb prospect and Trigg South wells will likely be drilled to add to resource size
- Redback Deep and Tarantula Deep to test Kingia below existing gas fields; directly adjacent and analogous to Beharra Springs Deep field
- Peacock prospect on-trend and directly between Beharra Springs Deep and West Erregulla Deep discoveries; potential drilling in H2 FY24
- High quality 3D seismic in Beach-operated acreage reduces risk and uncertainty



# **Otway Basin**

### Investing in new gas supply to support the East Coast market

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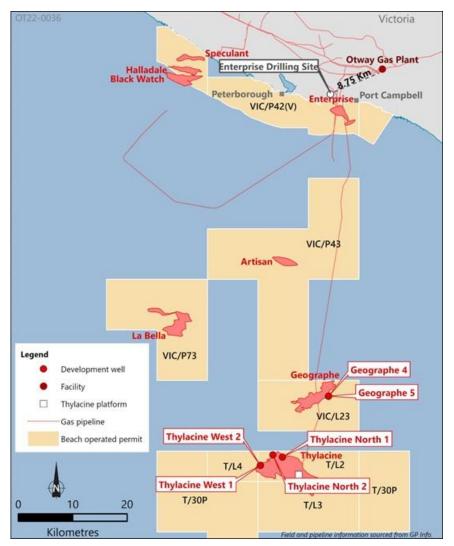
- Interest: 60% interest and operator (O.G. Energy 40%)
- Assets: Otway Gas Plant (205 TJ/day capacity); Thylacine, Geographe, Speculant, Halladale and Black Watch gas fields; Enterprise, Artisan and La Bella gas discoveries
- H1 FY23 production: 2.3 MMboe

#### H1 FY23 progress

- Over eight years of Otway Gas Plant operations with no recordable injuries
- Completion of Beach's first major offshore drilling campaign (seven wells) on time and on budget
- Progressed activities to connect the four Thylacine development wells
- Average daily sales gas production up 32% to 104 TJ/day gross (H1 FY22: 79 TJ/day)
- Completion of CCS pre-feasibility study; Select phase commenced

- Connection of Thylacine wells to the Otway Gas Plant in mid-2023 targeted
- Continue connection activities for the Enterprise discovery; targeting online in mid-FY24
- Mature planning for next exploration and development program to extend Otway Gas Plant production
- Progress engagement on nearshore and onshore 3D seismic acquisition
- Refine CCS study for potential ~200 kt CO<sub>2</sub>e per annum facility





### **Bass Basin**

## Planning developments to increase production and extend asset life

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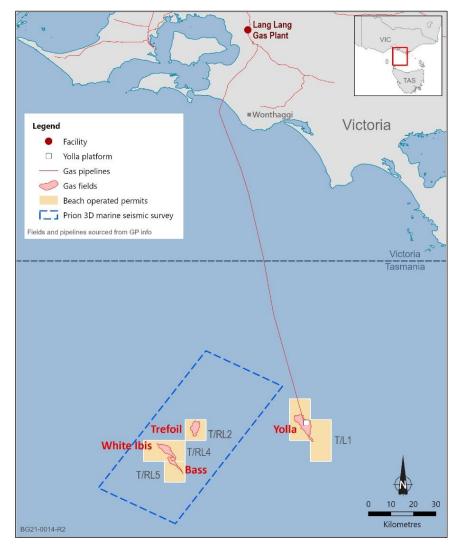
- Interests: 88.75% interest and operator of the Yolla field (Prize Petroleum 11.25%); 90.25% interest and operator of the Trefoil, White Ibis and Bass discoveries (Prize Petroleum 9.75%)
- Assets: Lang Lang Gas Plant (67 TJ/day capacity); Yolla gas field; Trefoil, White Ibis and Bass gas discoveries
- H1 FY23 production: 0.4 MMboe

#### H1 FY23 progress

- Continued well planning and initiated rig tender for the Yolla West infield opportunity
- Progressed interpretation of the Prion 3D seismic survey over the Trefoil, White Ibis and Bass discoveries – confirmed potential of White Ibis and Bass to add to resource in basin
- Began incorporation of White Ibis/Bass into development concept with Trefoil
- Commenced assessment of Lang Lang Gas Plant electrification to reduce green house gas emissions

- Progress planning and regulatory approvals for Yolla West drilling in the first half of 2024
- Update Trefoil, White Ibis and Bass resource estimates from the Prion 3D seismic survey
- Progress development strategy, costing and economics for Trefoil, White Ibis and Bass development
- Progress Develop phase for Lang Lang Gas Plant electrification







## Taranaki Basin

### Planning for development drilling in FY24

#### **Asset overview**

Interest: 50% interest and operator (Genesis Energy 46%, NZOG 4%)

Assets: Kupe Gas Plant (77 TJ/day capacity); Kupe gas field

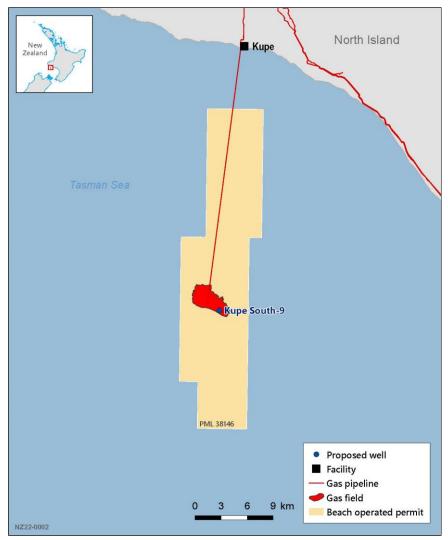
H1 FY23 production: 1.1 MMboe

#### H1 FY23 progress

- No recordable safety incidents
- Continued subsurface analysis, planning and regulatory processes for the Kupe South 9 development well
- Negotiating rig contract
- Continued data collection for wind power generation study

- Target spudding of Kupe South 9 in Q2 FY24, subject to regulatory approvals and securing rig
- Kupe South 9 base case to return Kupe to capacity production early in 2024
- Kupe South 9 to test 3P reserves scenario







## Western Flank oil and gas

## Ongoing drilling and well connections

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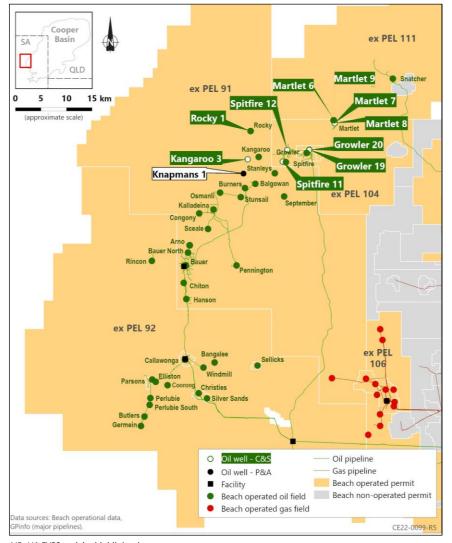
- Interests: 100% interest and operator of PEL 91, PEL 104/111 and PEL 106; 75% interest and operator of PEL 92 (Cooper Energy 25%)
- Assets: Middleton Gas Plant (30 TJ/day capacity); 29 producing oil fields and 10 producing gas fields
- **H1 FY23 production:** 1.9 MMboe

#### H1 FY23 progress

- Five successful horizontal oil development wells in the Spitfire, Growler and Kangaroo fields
- 83% oil exploration and appraisal drilling success rate from six wells
  - One oil discovery (Rocky) and four future producers in the Martlet field
- Extending PSDM seismic reprocessing to entire Western Flank following successful application of technology in south of acreage (Bangalee and Coorong exploration discoveries)

- Ten oil wells drilled but not connected at half year end to come online in H2 FY23
- Martlet facility capacity expansion for connection of new wells
- Continuation of single-rig drilling campaign and workover rig schedule
- Remainder of FY23 focused on drilling development wells to boost production
- H1 FY24 will see return to exploration using new seismic survey data





NB. H1 FY23 activity highlighted

## **Cooper Basin JV**

## Five-rig drilling campaign underway

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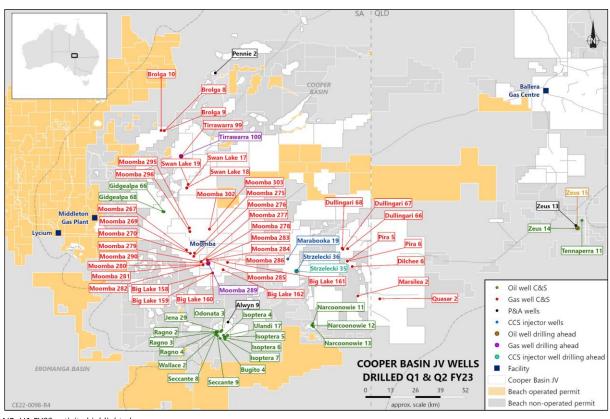
- Interest: Various non-operated interests (Santos operator)<sup>1</sup>
- Assets: Moomba Gas Plant 400 TJ/day capacity; ~190 producing oil and gas fields; depleted reservoirs for CCS
- H1 FY23 production: 3.4 MMboe

#### H1 FY23 progress

- Participation in 68 wells with an overall success rate of 95%
- Completion of Coorikiana oil appraisal and development campaign; gas development campaigns in the Dullingari, Swan Lake and SWQ fields
- Commenced gas development in Big Lake, Moomba and Tirrawarra fields
- Moomba CCS 40% complete; first two injector wells drilled and completed

- Continue five-rig drilling campaign with a primary focus on gas development
- Ongoing production and performance improvement initiatives
- Continue construction of the Moomba CCS project





NB. H1 FY23 activity highlighted



# Key messages

Progressing and de-risking major growth projects



# Growing Gas & LNG

- Otway Thylacine first gas targeted by mid-2023
- Waitsia first gas targeted by end-2023
- Enterprise first gas targeted by mid-FY24

# **Growing Strong FCF**

- Targeting eight plants supplying local and international markets
- Growing diversified products and cash flow
- Positioned for increased shareholder returns
- >\$0.5bn in franking credits available

# **Investing in Future Growth**

- 12+ months of Perth Basin exploration
- Kupe development well targeting spud Q2 FY24
- Six rigs drilling in the Cooper Basin
- Developing plans for next rounds of drilling in the Otway and Bass

# **Gas-supported** transition

- 2050 net zero aspiration
- Targeting 35% emissions intensity reduction by 2030
- Develop large scale CCS at Moomba and Otway
- Developing plans for other abatement and new energy initiatives





# Other financial statement impacts



#### **Reconciliation of EBITDA and NPAT**

\$ million	H1 FY22	H1 FY23	Change	
Underlying EBITDA	513	491	(4%)	
Reversal of accrued acquisition costs	-	17		
EBITDA	513	508	(1%)	
Depreciation and amortisation	(203)	(207)		
Finance expenses	(8)	(16) 1		
Interest income	0			
Tax	(90)	(79)		
Statutory NPAT	213	207	(3%)	
Reversal of accrued acquisition costs	-	(17)		
Tax impact of the above	-	1		
Underlying NPAT	213	191	(10%)	



# Maximising output from existing gas facilities

## Growth strategy and project delivery support supply-constrained gas markets



	Perth Basin	Otway Basin	Bass Basin	Taranaki Basin	Coope	r Basin
Ownership	50%*, <sup>1</sup>	60%*	88.75%* <sup>,2</sup>	50%*	~35.2% <sup>3</sup>	~100%* <sup>,4</sup>
Partners	Mitsui (50%)	O.G. Energy (40%)	Prize Petroleum (11.25%)	Genesis Energy (46%), NZOG (4%)	Santos (various interests)	Cooper Energy (25% PEL 92)
Gas processing capacity (gross)	46 TJ/day	205 TJ/day	67 TJ/day	77 TJ/day	400 TJ/day	30 TJ/day
H1 FY23 production	0.7 MMboe	2.3 MMboe	0.4 MMboe	1.1 MMboe	3.4 MMboe	1.9 MMboe
2P reserves at 30-Jun-22	88 MMboe <sup>5</sup>	67 MMboe	5 MMboe	22 MMboe	68 MMboe	22 MMboe
Developed / Undeveloped <sup>6</sup>	13% / 52%	13% / 33%	4% / -%	15% / 2%	41% / 11%	14% / 3%

in SA Unit and 27.68% in Patchawarra East), the South West Queensland joint ventures (various interests of 30% to 52.5%) and ATP 299 (Tintaburra) (Beach 40%)

<sup>1.</sup> Beach is the operator of Beharra Springs and EP 320. Mitsui are the operator of Waitsia

<sup>2.</sup> Beach hold 88.75% in the producing Yolla gas field and 90.25% in the Trefoil, White Ibis and Bass discoveries 3. Beach's interest of 35.2% 2P Cooper Basin JV 2P reserves. Beach owns non-operated interest in the South Australian Cooper Basin joint ventures (collectively 33.40%

<sup>4.</sup> Beach is the 100% owner and operator of Western Flank assets PEL 91 and PEL 104/111. Beach own and operate 75% of PEL 92 with Cooper Energy holding the

<sup>5.</sup> Includes impact of unaudited reserves revision announced 31 January 2023

<sup>6.</sup> As at 30 June 2022; impact of Perth Basin 2P reserves revision on developed / undeveloped split is under review

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