

Results presentation

Half year ended 31 December 2011





Bob Lawson Chairman





Mark Clare Group Chief Executive

Overview



- Market update
- Key highlights & sales performance
- Barratt's capabilities
- Key objectives
- Government's housing strategy
- Current trading and outlook

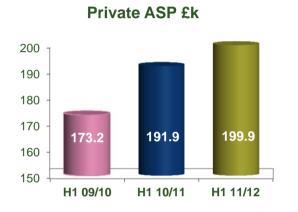


Market update

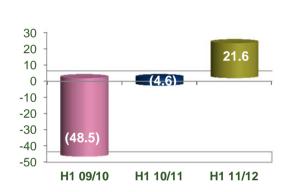
- Greater stability in sales rates since January 2011
- Stronger Autumn selling period
- Overall, underlying selling prices stable regional variation with greater robustness in the South East
- Mortgage availability improving but remains key constraint

Key highlights for H1 2011/12

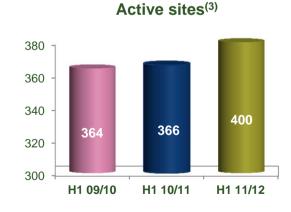




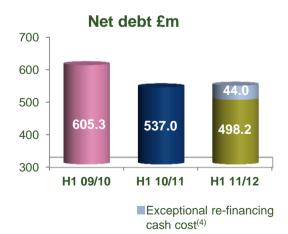




Pre-tax profits £m(2)





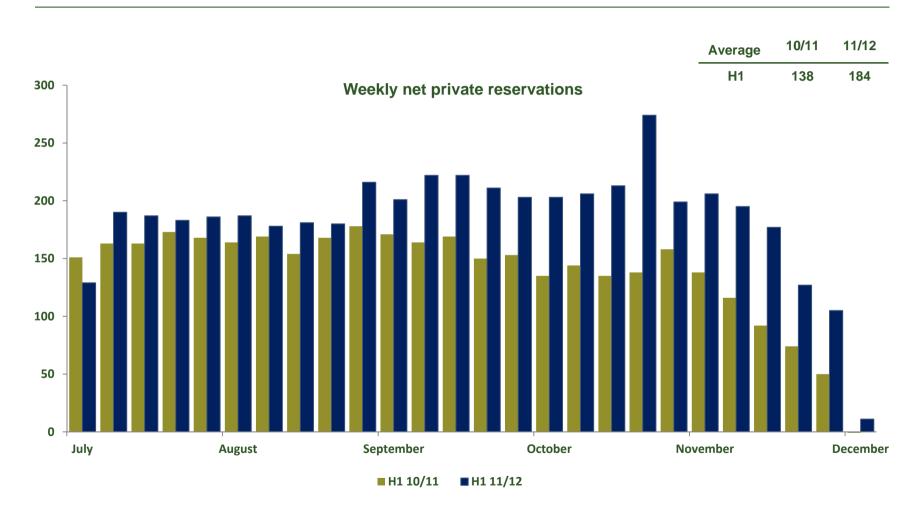


⁽¹⁾ Group profit from operations before exceptional items divided by Group revenue (2) Pre exceptional cost of H1 2011/12 Nil, H1 2010/11 Nil, H1 2009/10 £129.9m

⁽³⁾ Active site defined as a site with one unit available for sale. Active site number as at 31 December (4) Exceptional cash costs of £44.0m related to refinancing

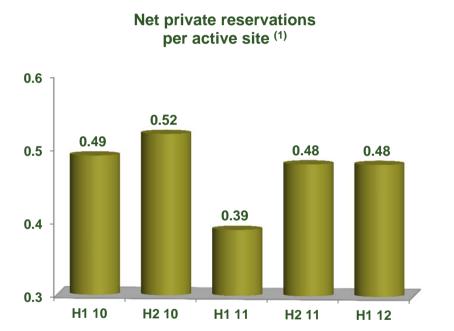


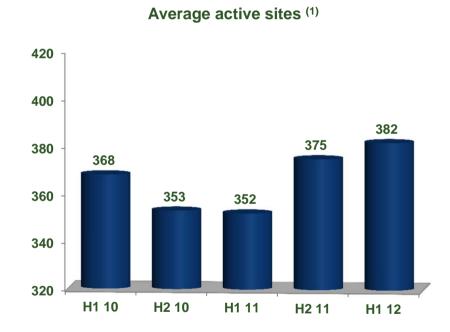
Private reservations





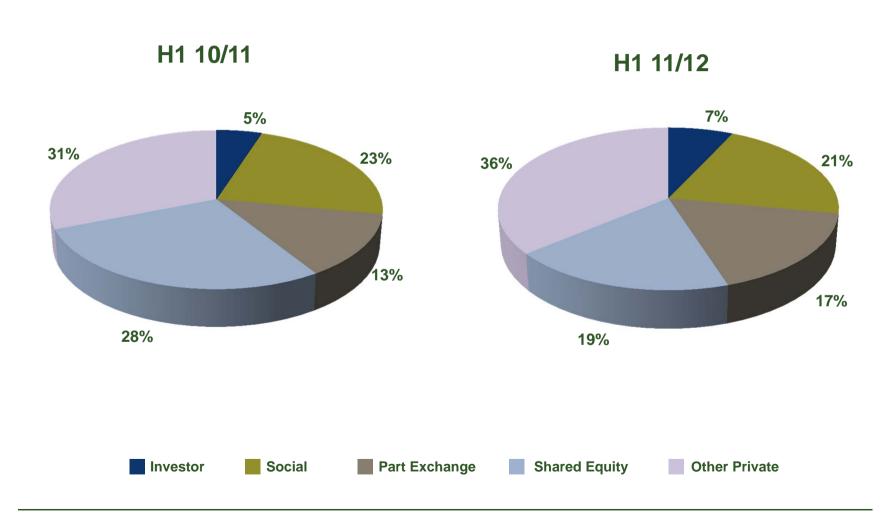
Private sales rates & active sites





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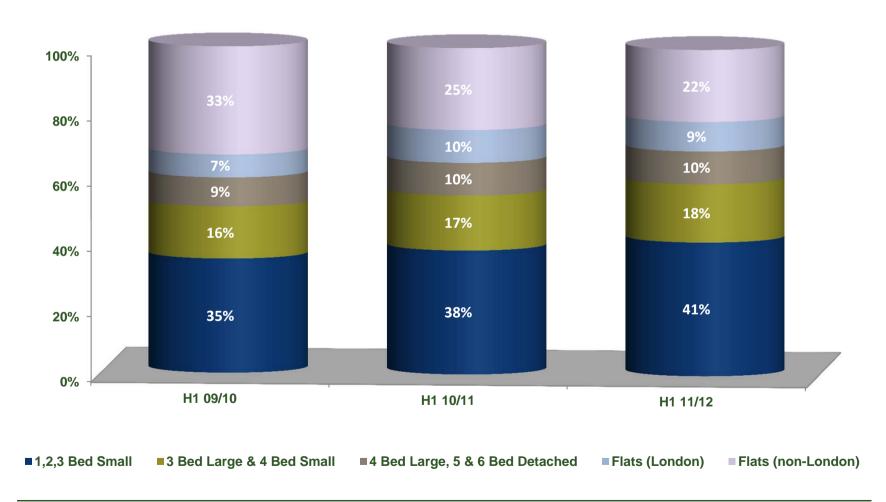
Completions⁽¹⁾ - buyer type



⁽¹⁾ Completions excluding joint ventures

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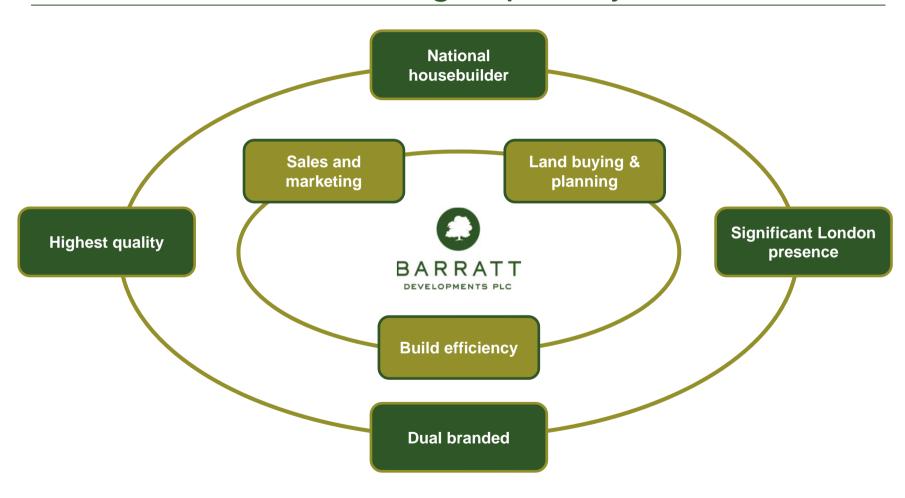
Completions⁽¹⁾ - product mix



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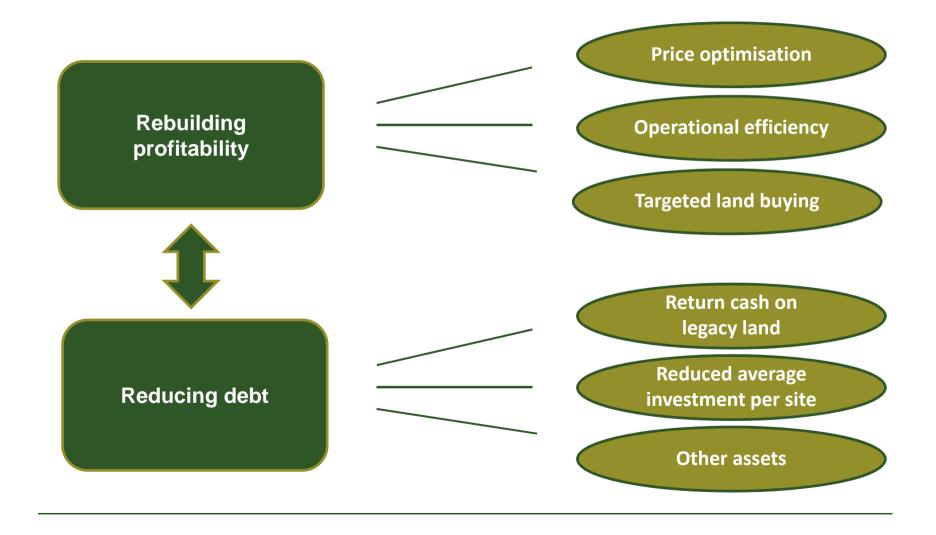
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Barratt's market leading capability





Key objectives





Price optimisation

- Value not volume
- Pricing discipline
- Highest quality
- Sales and marketing
- Strong brands









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Maximising the market potential







66%⁽¹⁾ of private H1 non-London completions with private ASP of £172.6k







31%⁽¹⁾ of private H1 non-London completions with private ASP of £227.8k



Operational efficiency

- Re-planning
- Centralised procurement
- Standard product
- Build costs





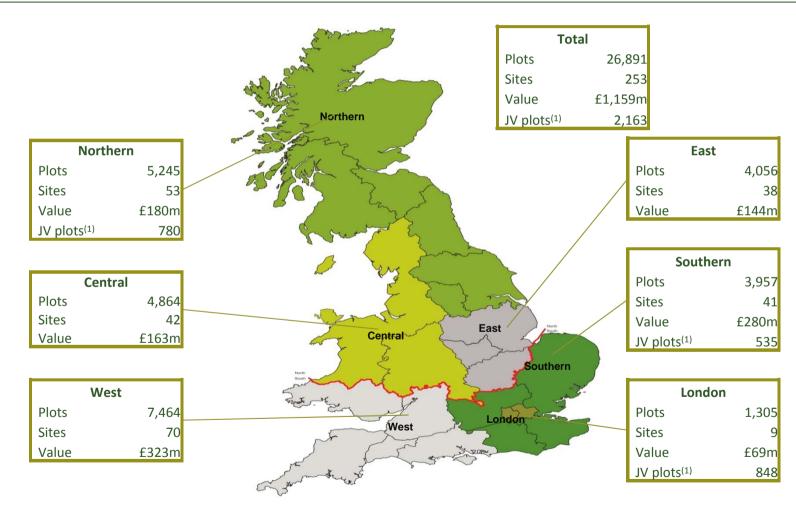
Targeted land buying

- Clear land acquisition strategy
- Industry leading land purchasing teams
- All new land approved by Group committee
- Minimum hurdle rates required on all approvals
 - Return on capital of at least 25%⁽¹⁾
 - Gross margin of at least 20%

⁽¹⁾ Return on capital employed is defined as site operating profit (site trading profit less sales overheads and allocated administrative overheads) divided by average investment in site land and work in progress.

Land approvals since mid 2009 - by region





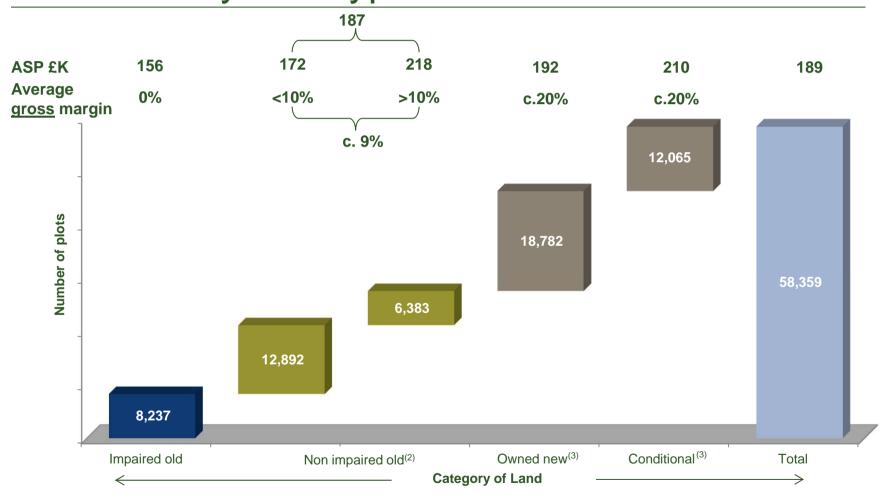


Status of land approvals since mid 2009

	Owned 31 Dec 11	Conditional 31 Dec 11	Not contracted 31 Dec 11	Total 31 Dec 11
Total sites	161	73	19	253
Total plots	17,443	7,596	1,852	26,891
Average plots/site	108	104	97	106
Sites in production % of total	130 81%			
H1 11/12 gross margin	21%			

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Landbank by land type⁽¹⁾

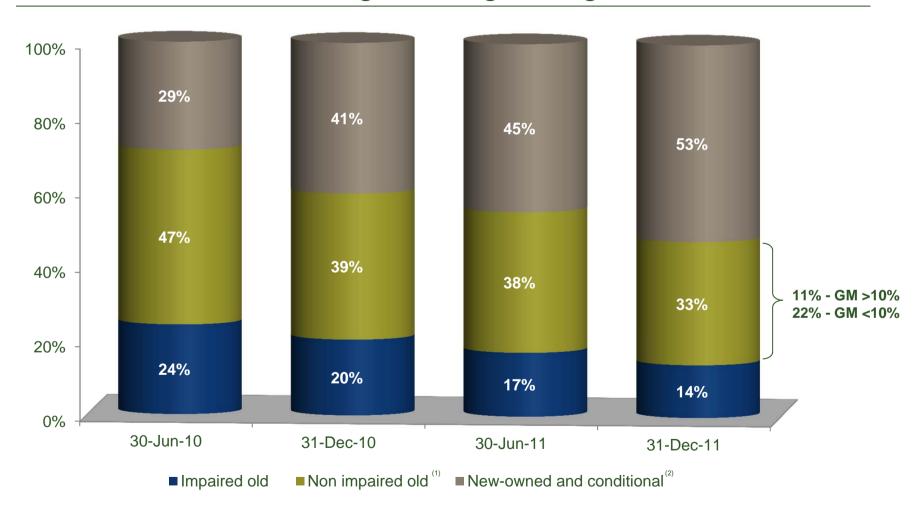


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⁽³⁾ Includes land conditionally contracted prior to mid 2009 land approval committee



Landbank - increasing % of high margin land

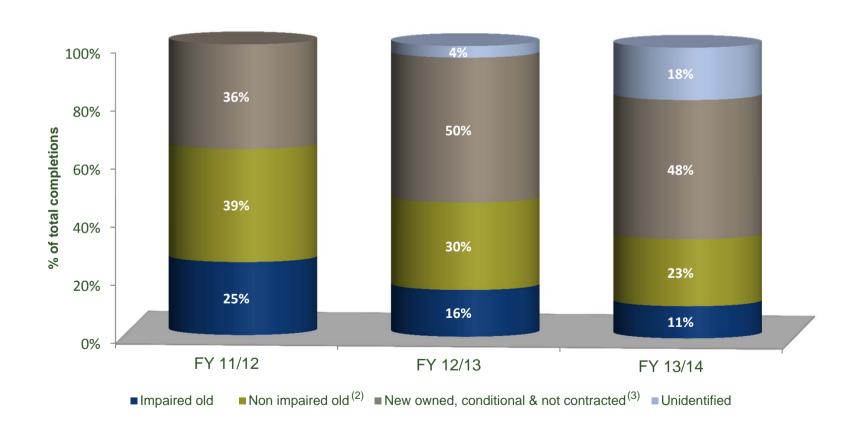


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Illustrative landbank delivery profile⁽¹⁾

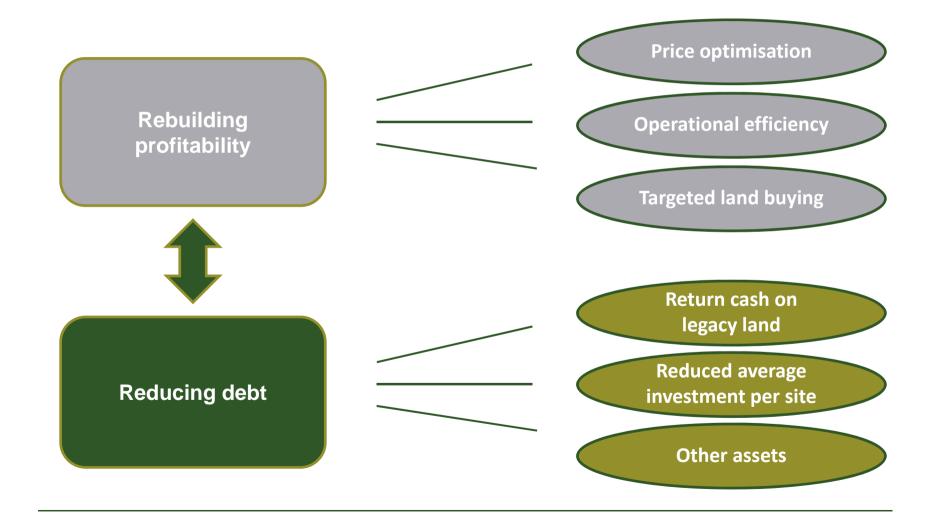


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Key objectives





Lower site investment on new land

Old sites

Larger average site size

Higher flatted content

Less standard product

High infrastructure costs

Upfront cash payments

New sites

Smaller average site size

Lower flatted content

Standard product

Lower infrastructure spend

Deferred payment terms

JV partners



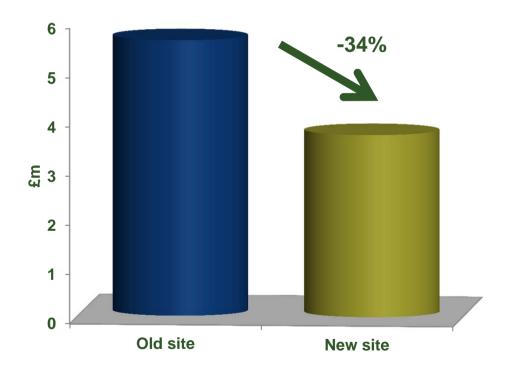
Longer land bank Higher investment/site



Shorter land bank Lower investment/site

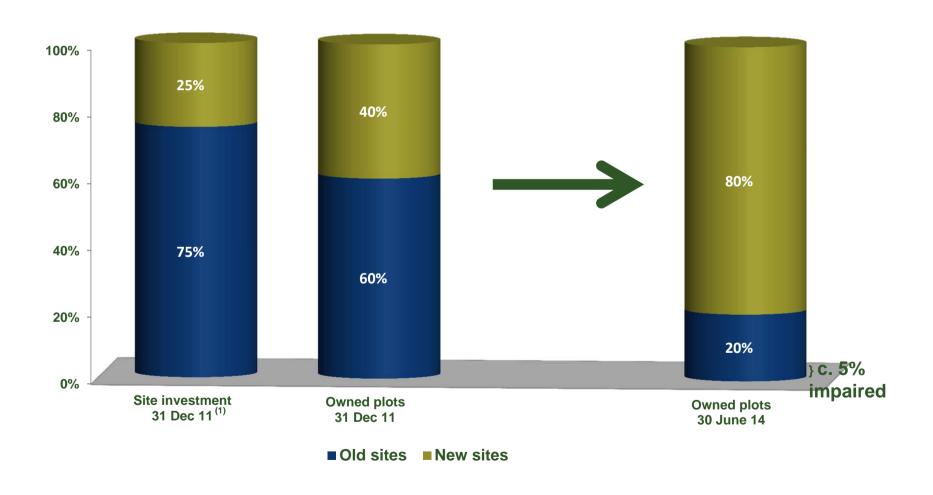


Average site investment(1)





Illustrative landbank profile



⁽¹⁾ Site investment includes land costs and WIP net of land creditors and trade creditors



Reducing debt – other assets

- Land sales / swaps
- Shared equity
 - reduction in usage
 - realisation of value of shared equity portfolio
 - £177.5m net book value
- Commercial assets
 - £85.9m gross book value



Government's housing strategy

- NewBuy mortgages
- Government land release programme
- National Planning Policy Framework / localism
- Get Britain Building



Current trading

	First 7 weeks H2 11/12	First 7 weeks H2 10/11	Change	H1 11/12
Average net private reservations per week	246	202	21.8%	184
Average net private reservations per active site per week ⁽¹⁾	0.61	0.55	10.9%	0.48
Cancellation rate	13.8%	11.8%	2.0%	17.7%
Average active sites	402	368	9.2%	382

⁽¹⁾ An active site is defined by the Group as a site with one unit available for sale.



Forward sales analysis

	19 Feb 2012	20 Feb 2011	Change	
Value (£m)				
- Private	£693.2m	m £557.9m 24.3		
- Social	£269.6m	£335.6m (19.7)		
- due in H2 (£m)	£757.8m	57.8m £623.6m		
- due after H2 (£m)	£205.0m	5.0m £269.9m		
Total value	£962.8m	£893.5m	7.8%	
Plots				
- Private	3,292	2,553	28.9%	
- Social	2,666	2,666 3,169		
Total plots	5,958	5,722	4.1%	



Outlook

- Strong start to the second half
- Some improvement in mortgage availability
- Industry fundamentals remain very strong
- Recently acquired land will drive profitability and debt reduction





David ThomasGroup Finance Director



Overview

12 H1 10/11	FY 10/11
877.6	2,035.4
) (37.6)	(92.8)
43.5	135.0
5.0%	6.6%
(4.6)	42.7
-	(54.2)
(4.6)	(11.5)
209p	211p
2 537.0	322.6
27%	16%
% 	% 27%

⁽¹⁾ Pre exceptional costs of H1 2011/12 Nil (H1 2010/11 Nil, FY 2010/11 £7.7m) (2) Pre exceptional costs of H1 2011/12 Nil (H1 2010/11 Nil, FY 2010/11 £54.2m) (3) Calculated as: year-end net debt / tangible net assets



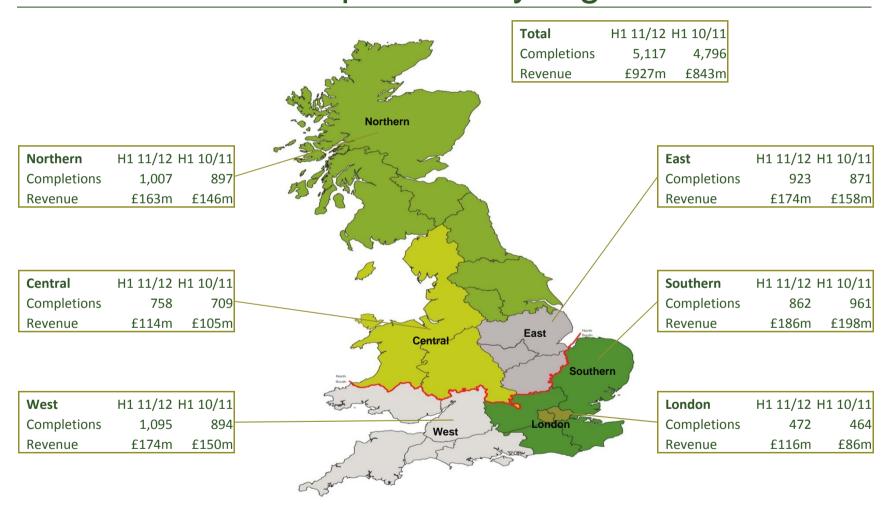
Revenue drivers

	H1 11/12	H1 10/11	Change	FY 10/11
Completions				
Private	4,028	3,669	9.8%	8,444
Social	1,089	1,127	(3.4%)	2,634
Total	5,117	4,796	6.7%	11,078
% Social	21%	23%	(2%)	24%
JV ⁽¹⁾	81	36	125%	93
ASP (£'000)				
Private	199.9	191.9	4.2%	198.9
Social	111.8	123.5	(9.5%)	112.3
Total housebuild	181.2	175.8 3.1%		178.3
Revenue (£m) ⁽²⁾	952.8	877.6	8.6%	2,035.4

⁽¹⁾ Joint venture completions in which the Group has a share(2) Includes other revenue



Revenue and completions by region



Note 1 : Revenue represents plot completions and excludes other revenue

Note 2: Northern, Central and East regions constitute Barratt North. West, Southern and London regions constitute Barratt South



Trading overview

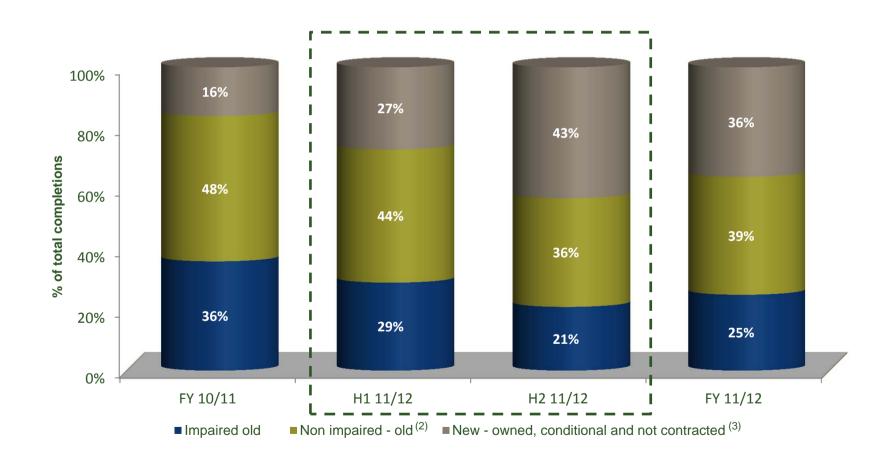
H1 11/12	FY 10/11	H2 10/11	H1 10/11	FY 09/10	H2 09/10	H1 09/10
952.8	2,035.4	1,157.8	877.6	2,035.2	1,162.8	872.4
10.4%	11.2%	12.7%	9.2%	9.1%	10.9%	6.7%
4.0%	4.6%	4.8%	4.2%	4.7%	5.0%	4.3%
6.4%	6.6%	7.9%	5.0%	4.4%	5.9%	2.4%
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⁽¹⁾ Pre exceptional costs of H1 2011/12 £nil (FY 2010/11 £nil, FY 2009/10 £4.8m)

⁽³⁾ Pre exceptional costs of H1 2011/12 £nil (FY 2010/11 £7.7m, FY 2009/10 £15.8m)



Landbank delivery profile⁽¹⁾



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⁽²⁾ Old land owned prior to re-entry into land market in mid 2009

Half Year 2012

Cash flow



£m (unless otherwise stated)	H1 11/12	H1 10/11	FY 10/11
Profit from operations (after exceptionals)	61.1	43.5	127.3
Movement in land from plot completions /other sales	211.6	208.5	468.5
WIP	(95.8)	(81.0)	(41.8)
Part exchange and other inventories	9.2	(14.2)	(31.7)
Equity share	(12.4)	(29.5)	(46.7)
Trade payables	(48.6)	(53.9)	(5.2)
Payments on account	(5.5)	(17.8)	(27.7)
Accruals	(48.2)	(65.4)	(30.2)
Defined benefit pension contributions	(6.7)	(6.6)	(13.2)
Other	6.1	7.9	(1.5)
Cashflow from operations pre land acquisitions & disposals	70.8	(8.5)	397.8



Cash flow (continued)

£m (unless otherwise stated)	H1 11/12	H1 10/11	FY 10/11
Cashflow from operations pre land acquisitions & disposals	70.8	(8.5)	397.8
Land spend (including acquisitions and subsidiaries)	(260.6)	(142.0)	(261.0)
Investments in joint ventures	(8.5)	(4.5)	(22.8)
Land sales and other	3.2	19.8	40.0
Cashflow from operations	(195.1)	(135.2)	154.0
Net interest & tax	(22.8)	(33.8)	(68.6)
Free cash flow	(217.9)	(169.0)	85.4
Exceptional finance costs	(0.2)	-	(43.8)
Share issues	0.2	-	-
Fixed assets and purchase of shares by EBT	(1.4)	(0.6)	(0.7)
Non cash items	(0.3)	(0.5)	3.4
Movement in net debt	(219.6)	(170.1)	44.3



Balance sheet - assets

£m (unless otherwise stated)	31 Dec 2011	30 June 2011	31 Dec 2010
Goodwill and intangibles	892.2	892.2	892.2
Deferred tax	144.8	143.2	163.3
Available for sale assets	177.5	169.4	155.3
Investment in joint ventures	111.9	102.8	84.5
Other non-current ⁽¹⁾	11.6	11.3	15.0
Gross landbank	2,162.1	2,189.7	2,243.7
Land creditors	(627.3)	(700.7)	(588.1)
Net landbank	1,534.8	1,489.0	1,655.6
Stock and WIP	1,119.0	1,023.2	1,062.4
Other current (excluding cash)	132.6	145.8	116.2

⁽¹⁾ Excluding foreign exchange swaps



Shared equity

£m (unless otherwise stated)	H1 11/12	FY 10/11	H1 10/11
Opening balance	169.4	136.3	136.3
Net additions ⁽¹⁾	11.0	40.4	21.2
Redemptions	(2.9)	(7.3)	(2.2)
Closing balance	177.5	169.4	155.3
Of which:			
- FirstBuy	4.3	-	
- HomeBuy Direct	33.7	33.2	
- Kickstart	3.7	2.7	
- Headstart	51.0	44.2	
- Dreamstart	84.8	89.3	

⁽¹⁾ Net of IFRS adjustments

Joint ventures



	Partner	Plots
London		
West Hendon	Metropolitan Housing Trust	178
Alie Street	London & Quadrant	235
Queensland Road	London & Quadrant	375
		788
Non- London		
Southern JVs (Horley, Thame, East Grinstead)	Wates Group	424
Hattersley, Manchester	Artisan	824
		1,248
Total Group		2,036



Joint ventures – continued

	31 Dec 11	30 Jun 11
London	£24.2m	£20.0m
Non-London	£77.0m	£71.8m
Commercial	£10.7m	£11.0m
Total	£111.9m	£102.8m

- Future completions
- Further activity



Balance sheet - landbank

31 Dec 2011	30 June 2011	31 Dec 2010
46,294	47,917	50,587
12,065	12,166	13,555
58,359	60,083	64,142
48.4	42.2	31.8
41.3	41.1	41.6
44.4	43.6	42.3
4.2	4.3	4.6
5.3	5.4	5.8
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Landbank valuation

All figures as at 31 Dec 2011	Plots	Plot £m	Plot Cost £000	ASP £000	Plot cost / ASP
Owned land					
ASP < £200k	31,869	1,070	34	147	23%
ASP > £200k	14,425	978	68	263	26%
Total	46,294	2,048	44	183	24%
Other ⁽¹⁾	-	114			
Total owned land	46,294	2,162			
Conditional land	12,065		45	210	21%
Total	58,359				

Strategic land

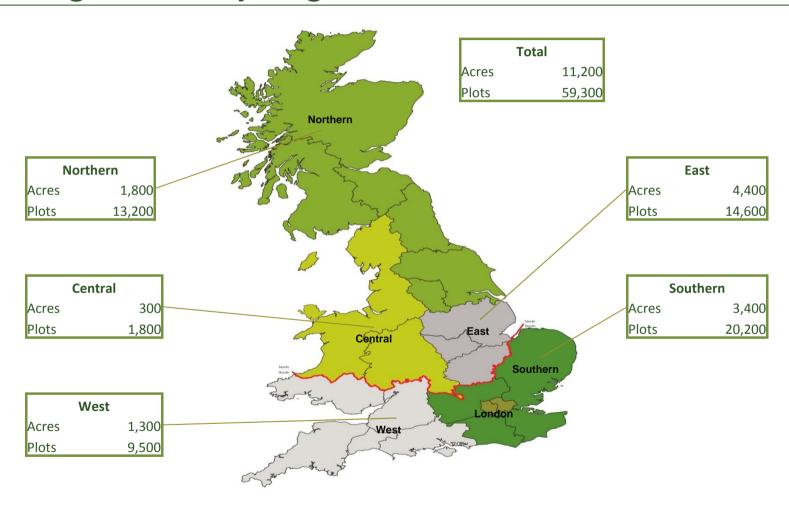


	Acres	Potential units
Strategic land as at 31 Dec 2011	11,200	59,300
New strategic land opportunities acquired in H1 2011/12	c.250	c.1,900

- Strategic land portfolio reaching greater level of maturity
- In H1 2011/12 planning consents achieved for c. 750 units
- In next few years, planning consents expected on c. 15,000 units



Strategic land by region





Balance sheet - stock & WIP

	31 De	31 Dec 2011		31 Dec 2010	
	Units	£m	Units	£m	
Stock					
Reserved	335		206		
Unreserved	899		837		
Showhomes	267		341		
Total	1,501	170.8 ⁽¹⁾	1,384	155.3 ⁽¹⁾	
Per active site	3.8	0.4	3.8	0.4	
VIP					
WIP total		1,119.0		1,062.4	
WIP per Build site		2.5		2.5	
Part Exchange					
Unreserved	355	44.3	364	43.9	
Total	559	69.8	494	61.5	

⁽¹⁾ Estimated



Balance sheet – liabilities

£m (unless otherwise stated)	31 Dec 2011	30 June 2011	31 Dec 2010
Loans & borrowings	(571.9)	(416.7)	(929.2)
Cash	2.8	72.7	369.4
Foreign exchange element of swap	26.9	21.4	22.8
Net debt	(542.2)	(322.6)	(537.0)
Trade payables	(255.2)	(303.8)	(255.1)
Other payables ⁽¹⁾	(331.0)	(375.2)	(354.5)
Pension obligations	(35.1)	(11.8)	(31.7)
Net swaps	(48.6)	(33.4)	(58.0)
Current tax	(0.4)	-	(2.8)

⁽¹⁾ Excluding land creditors



Interest charge analysis – cash interest

H1 11/12	H1 10/11
8.9	9.2
11.4	9.8
4.7	4.7
4.6	11.6
(0.2)	-
29.4	35.3
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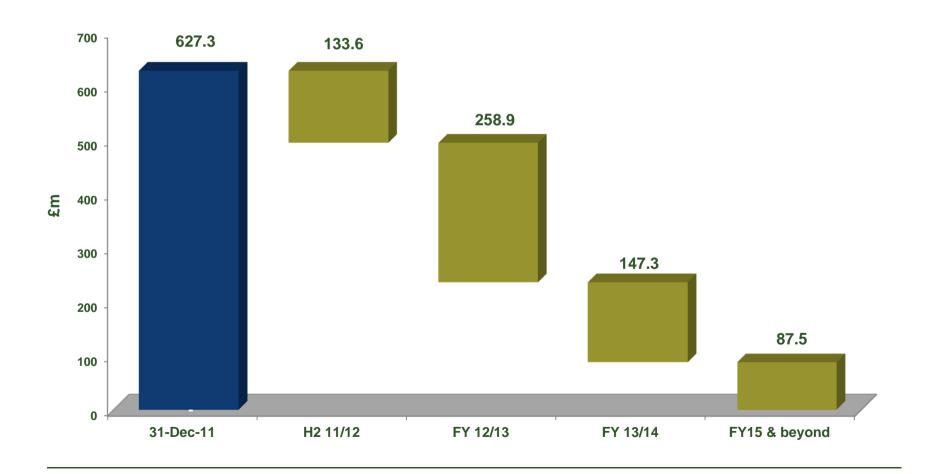


Interest charge analysis – non-cash

£m (unless otherwise stated)	H1 11/12	H1 10/11
Cash interest	29.4	35.3
Non-cash interest		
Land creditors	12.1	15.4
Financing fees	2.5	3.2
Shared equity	(4.5)	(6.8)
Kickstart	-	0.6
Pension	(0.6)	0.5
Total non-cash interest	9.5	12.9
Total net interest	38.9	48.2

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Land creditors payment profile

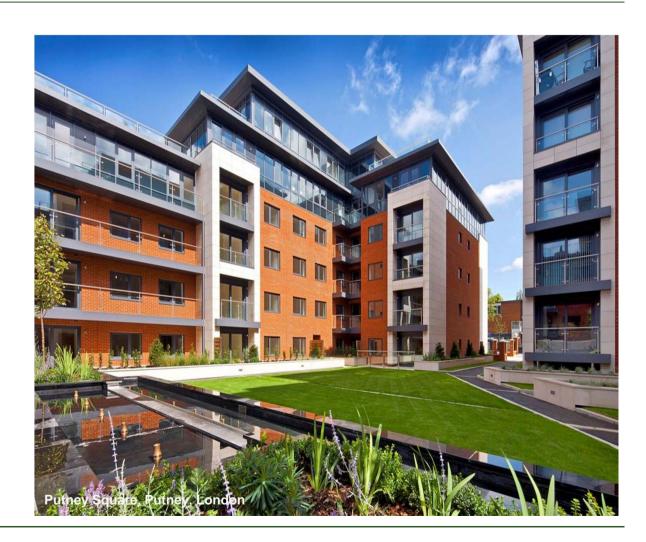




Full year 2011/12 - guidance

- Volume growth driven by increased outlets and improved market conditions
- Change in product mix will continue to drive ASP but at a slower rate
- 36% of FY 11/12 completions expected from higher margin land
- Targeting to offset any increase in costs
- Administration cost of c. £100m
- Net interest charge of c. £80m





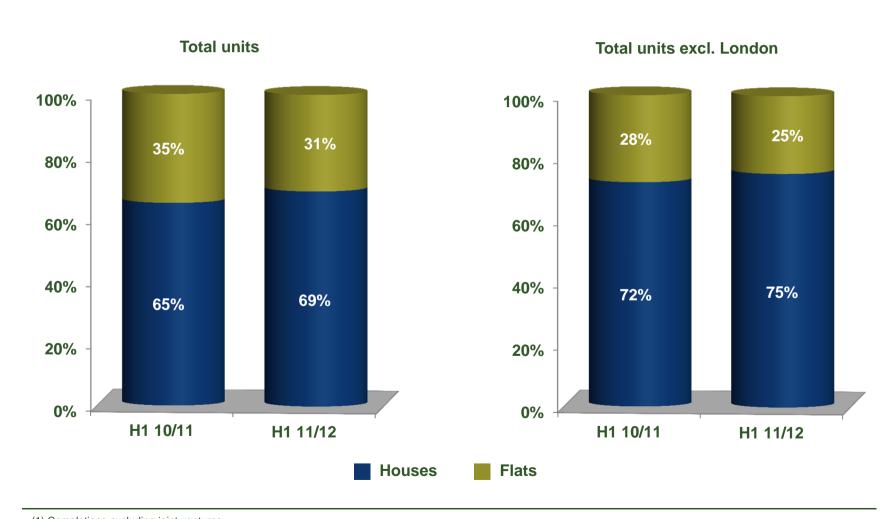




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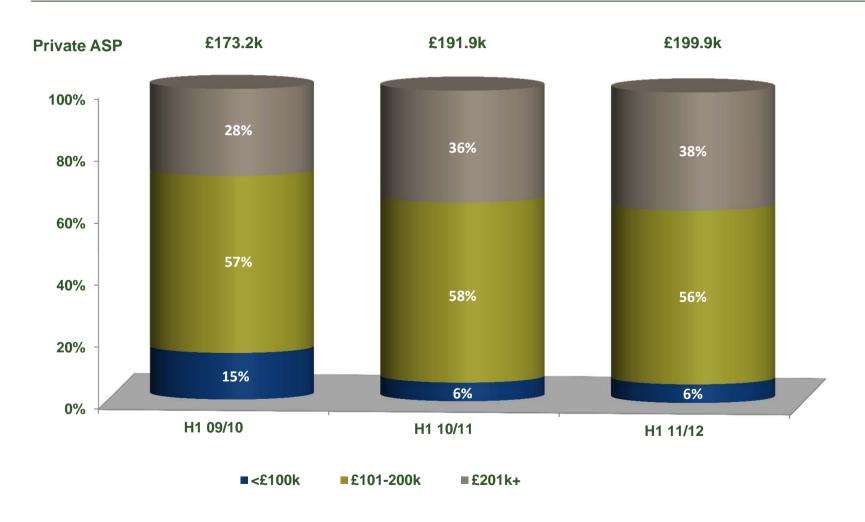
Completions⁽¹⁾: houses v flats



⁽¹⁾ Completions excluding joint ventures



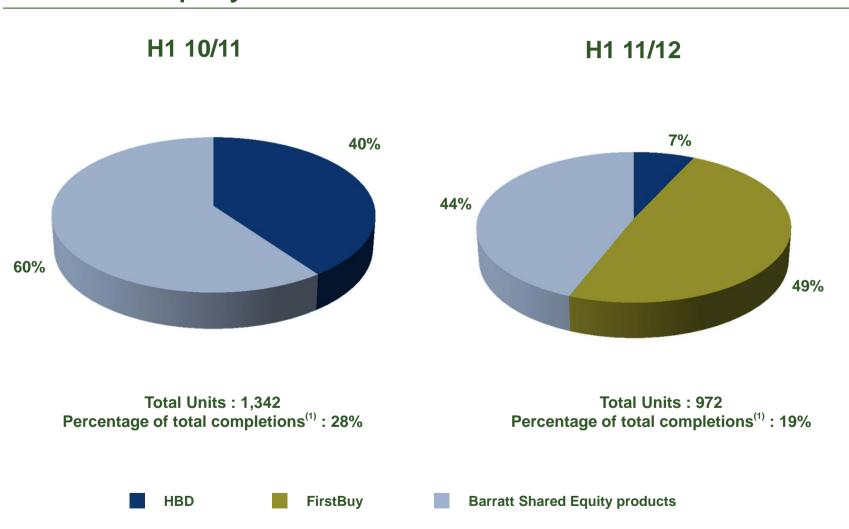
Private completions⁽¹⁾ – price segments



⁽¹⁾ Completions excluding joint ventures

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Shared equity



⁽¹⁾ Completions excluding joint ventures



Securing higher margin land

	H1 11/12	H1 10/11	Total since mid 2009
Approved land purchases	£178.1m	£318.0m	£1,159.4m
Total number of plots	4,671	6,078	26,891
Location			
South : North (by value)	58% : 42%	59% : 41%	58% : 42%
South : North (by plots)	50% : 50%	45% : 55%	47% : 53%
Туре			
Houses : Flats	85% : 15%	81% : 19%	81% : 19%



Approved land payment profile

	Owned	Conditional	Approved	Total
Plots	17,443	7,596	1,852	26,891
Value (£m)	717.3	376.7	65.4	1,159.4
Payment profile (£m)				
Paid to date	279.8	8.5	1.7	290.0
H2 FY 11/12	76.2	71.6	7.1	154.9
FY 12/13	216.7	104.9	19.8	341.4
FY 13/14	102.0	113.5	23.5	239.0
FY 15 & beyond	42.6	78.2	13.3	134.1



Financing arrangements

Loan /facility	December 2011	April 2012	Maturity
Old RCF facilities	£1,191m		April 2012
New RCF facilities		£680m £90m	May 2015 Oct 2013
Private placements	£211m	£211m	Apr 2013 – Apr 2020
Pru M&G UK Companies Fund	£100m	£100m	July 2019 – July 2021
Total	£1,502m	£1,081m	

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