

# RAK CERAMICS PSC Q4 2015 RESULTS PRESENTATION



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## 2015 HIGHLIGHTS

Mr. Abdallah Massaad, Chief Executive Officer

#### 2015 OPERATIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

Group Revenue

**Consolidated GM** 

**UAE Raw Material Savings** 

AED3.08bn, -1.5% YoY

28.2%, +230 bps YoY

AED 44mn

**Net Profit** 

Core Business CAPEX

Non Core Disposals

**AED310mn**, +10.2% YoY

AED257mn, +85% YoY

AED 110mn

Int'l Core Restructuring

5 Acquisitions, 2 Exits

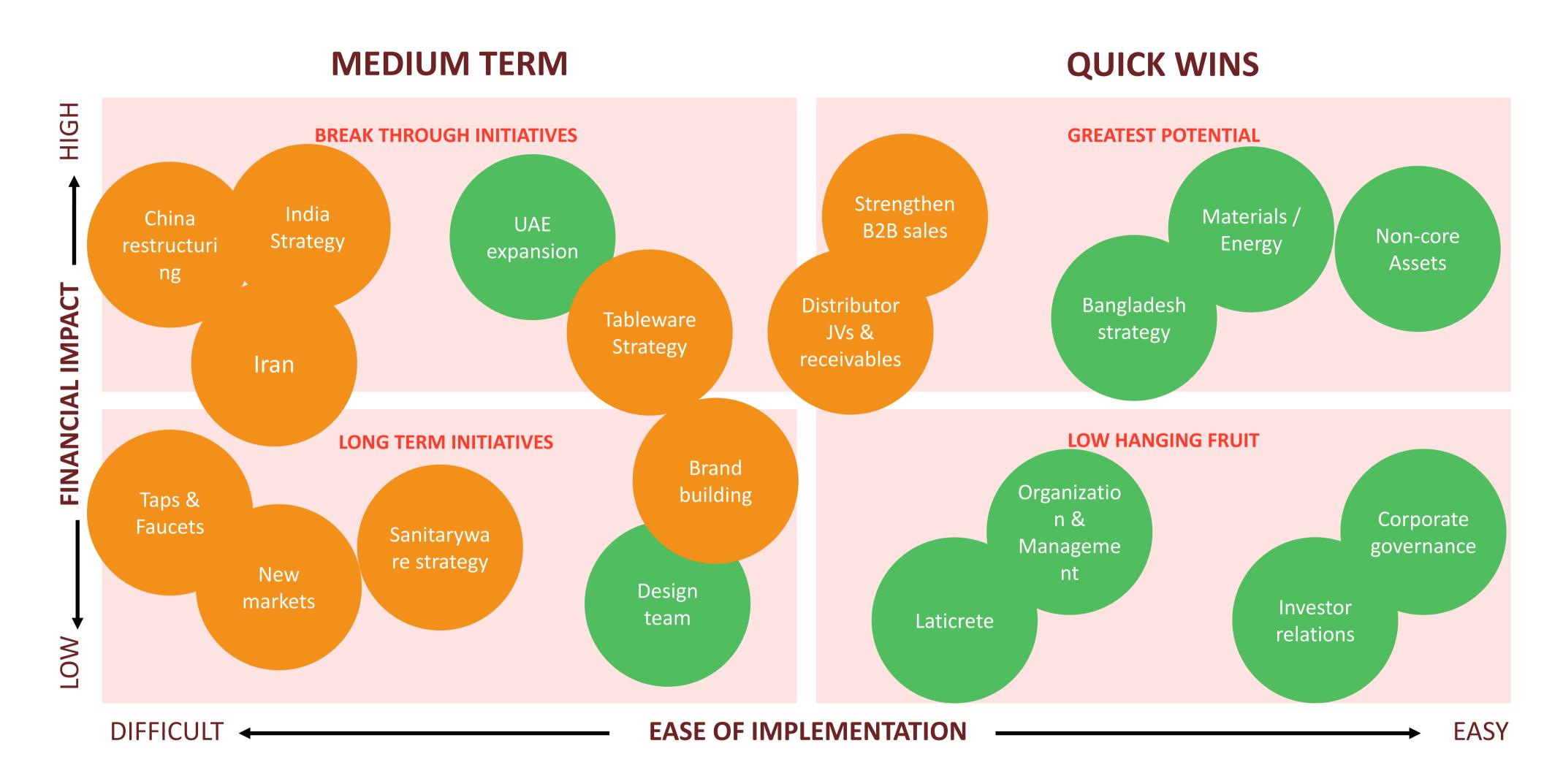
Senior Leadership

15 new hires

25 fils (reg) + 10 fils (special) for 2015 30 fils + 5% stock (reg) for 2016

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## VALUE CREATION PLAN PROGRESS



For 2016, focus moves from delivering quick wins to executing the medium term initiatives that will reshape the business

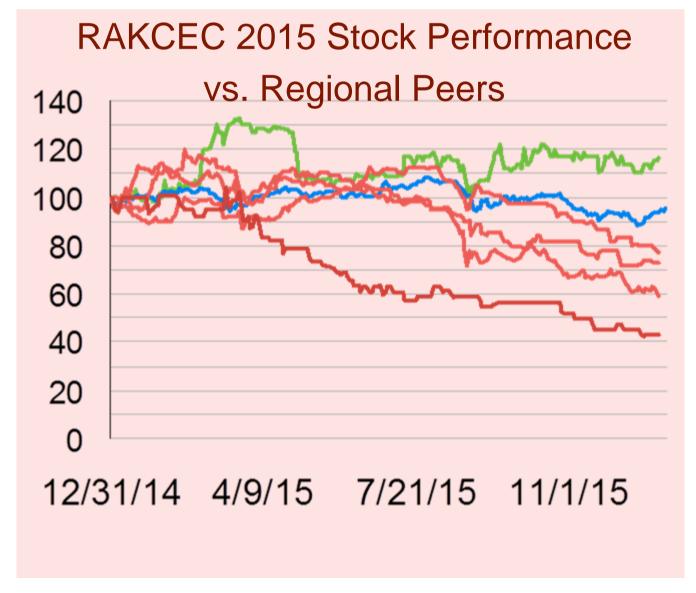
# DESPITE CHALLENGING MACROECONOMIC AND POLITICAL FACTORS





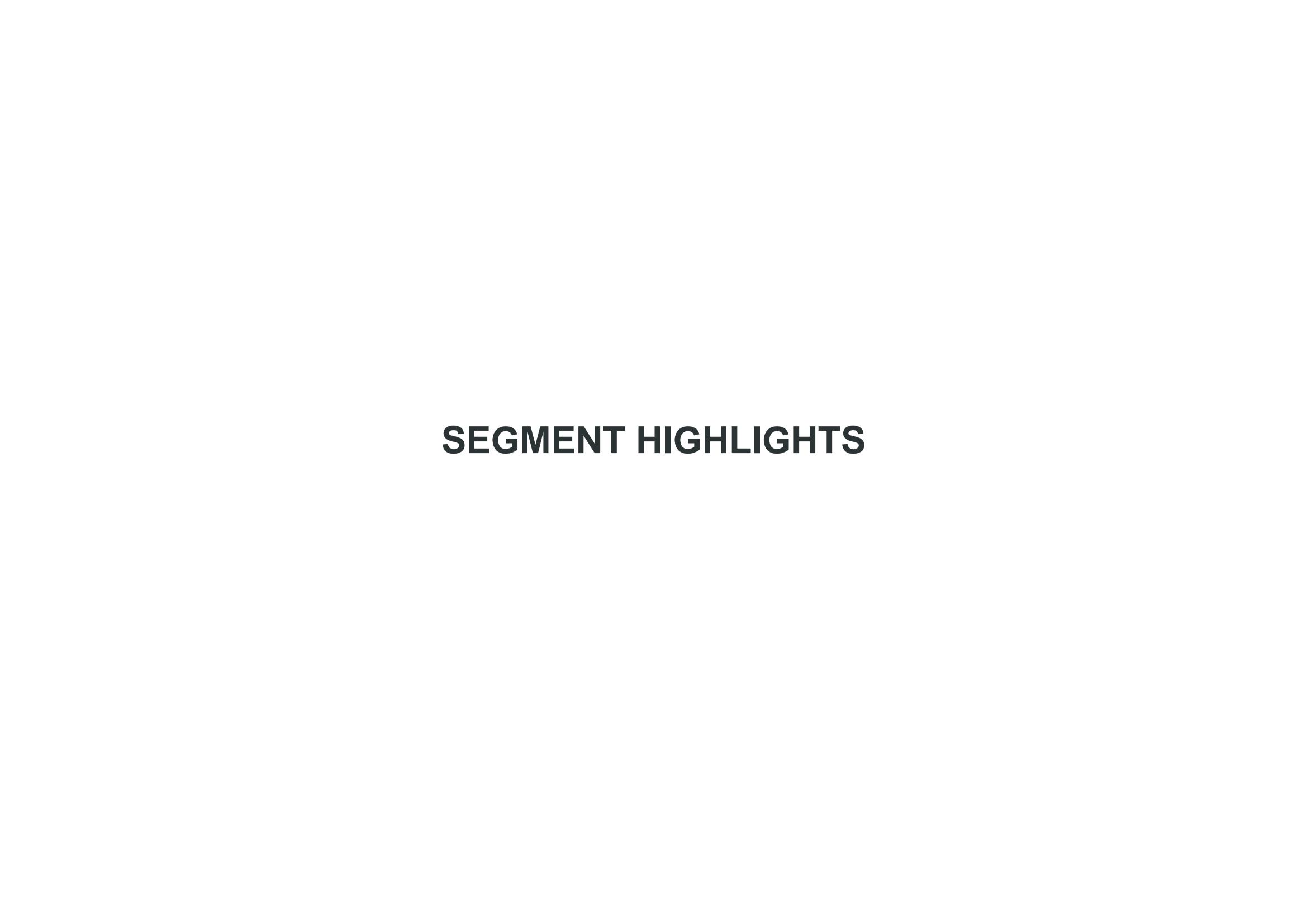
While our Cost for Natural Gas in UAE Went Up 24% YoY

In spite of these challenges, our stock substantially outperformed its peers in 2015



#### **RAKCEC**

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#### TILE - REVENUES

Q4 Tile sales were down 10.2% YoY. If we exclude China and Iran where we consciously curtailed production during year and the current issue v are facing in India, sales declined 4.3% YoY.

Q4 Tile sales in UAE and KSA, our two largest markets rose 5.4% and 17.4% respectively. Strong result in KSA reflects our efforts in the past year to improve our distribution and we are regaining lost share.

Sales in MENA continue to be weak and fell 39.6% YoY IN Q4/15 on a mix of currency weakness and geopolitical issues in the region.

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#### Tile Revenues by End Market

AED Mns	Q4/14	Q4/15	YoY	2014	2015	YoY
UAE	112.0	118.1	5.4%	451.1	482.6	7.0%
India	116.5	82.5	-29.2%	426.4	364.0	-14.6%
KSA	70.1	82.3	17.4%	330.6	370.4	12.0%
Bangladesh	35.6	40.7	14.3%	145.5	143.6	-1.3%
Europe	54.0	44.5	-17.5%	258.7	215.5	-16.7%
China & Iran	5.0	2.7	-46.0%	39.6	17.5	-55.8%
MENA	43.9	26.5	-39.6%	173.0	110.6	-36.1%
All Others	87.2	73.5	-15.7%	355.5	292.7	-17.7%
Total	524.3	470.8	-10.2%	2180.4	1996.9	-8.4%

#### Tile Revenues by Production Location

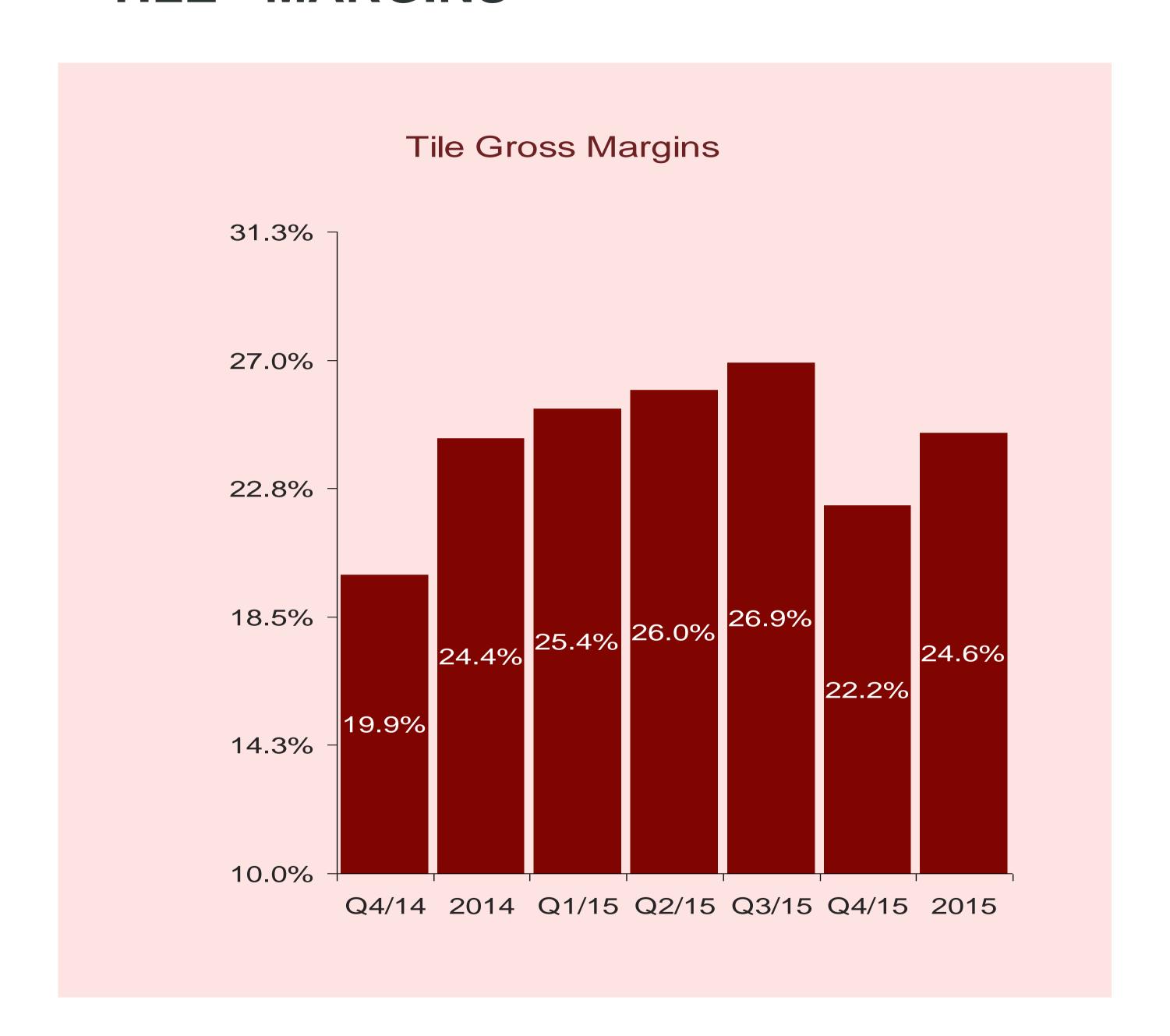
AED Mns	Q4/14	Q4/15	YoY	2014	2015	YoY
UAE	364.4	355.7	-2.4%	1,559.7	1,505.2	-3.5%
India	117.0	91.9	-21.4%	432.7	390.7	-9.7%
Bangladesh	35.5	40.5	14.2%	145.3	143.3	-1.4%
China and Iran	14.7	2.9	-80.5%	97.7	23.2	-76.2%
Total Gross	531.6	491.0	-7.6%	2,235.4	2,062.5	-7.7%
Total Net	524.3	470.8	-10.2%	2,180.4	1,996.9	-8.4%

## **TILE - MARGINS**

Q4/15 Tile margins fell 470ps QoQ but were up 230bps YoY.

Results demonstrate raw material procurement, transportation and packaging savings and favorable LPG costs in India. Consolidated results still reflect ongoing losses (though lower YoY) from the China operations and startup expenses at the Iran plant.

On a country basis, Q4/15 Tile Gross margins were 200 bps lower in the UAE to 25.4% while they rose 290bps in Bangladesh to 37.2% and 390bps in India to 19.9%.



## **SANITARYWARE - REVENUES**

Sanitaryware sales fell 3.0% YoY in Q4/15. A very strong performance in the UAE(+15.1% YoY) and Bangladesh (+13.8%) was offset by 37% decline in sales in India and 41% decline in KSA.

Indian sales performance continues to be affected by brand perception after the quality issues that surfaced in Q1/15. We continue to think performance in India will improve after Q2/16. ASPs in India Sanitaryware have already stabilized QoQ.

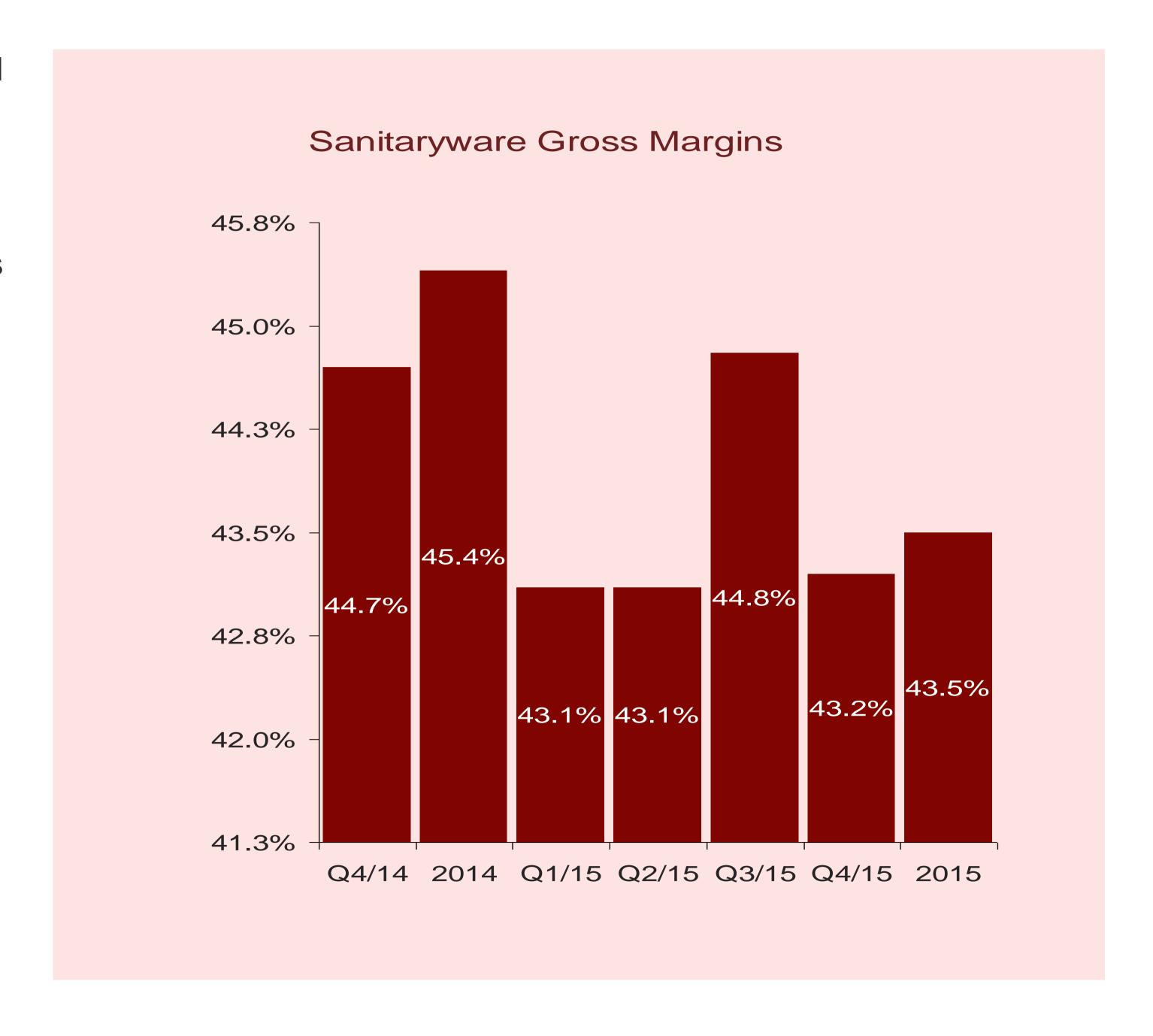
Sanitaryware Revenues by End Market								
AED Mns	Q4/14	Q4/15	YoY	2014	2015	YoY		
UAE	29.2	33.6	15.1%	123.5	136.9	10.9%		
Bangladesh	22.3	25.4	13.8%	91.9	92.9	1.1%		
Europe	28.4	27.5	-2.9%	110.8	104.5	-5.7%		
India	10.0	6.2	-37.4%	39.9	27.4	-31.4%		
KSA	7.5	4.4	-41.3%	27.9	29.3	5.0%		
MENA	3.1	1.9	-39.1%	13.5	11.7	-13.6%		
All Others	11.1	9.2	-17.1%	41	41.3	0.7%		
Total	111.6	108.2	-3.0%	448.5	444.0	-1.0%		

Sanitaryware Revenues by Production Location							
AED Mns	Q4/14	Q4/15	YoY	2014	2015	YoY	
UAE	79.8	77.6	-2.7%	319.6	328.3	2.7%	
India	9.8	6.7	-31.6%	39.9	27.7	-30.6%	
Bangladesh	22.3	25.4	13.8%	91.9	92.9	1.1%	
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## **SANITARYWARE - MARGINS**

Q4/15 Sanitaryware margins fell QoQ and YoY but was above H1/15 levels.

In terms of production location, Bangladesh margins fell 350bps to 41.4% UAE margins fell 240bps 45.2% and India margins fell 160bps YoY to 17.8%. On a QoQ, basis, India GM is up 300 bps as ASPs begin to recover.



#### **TABLEWARE**

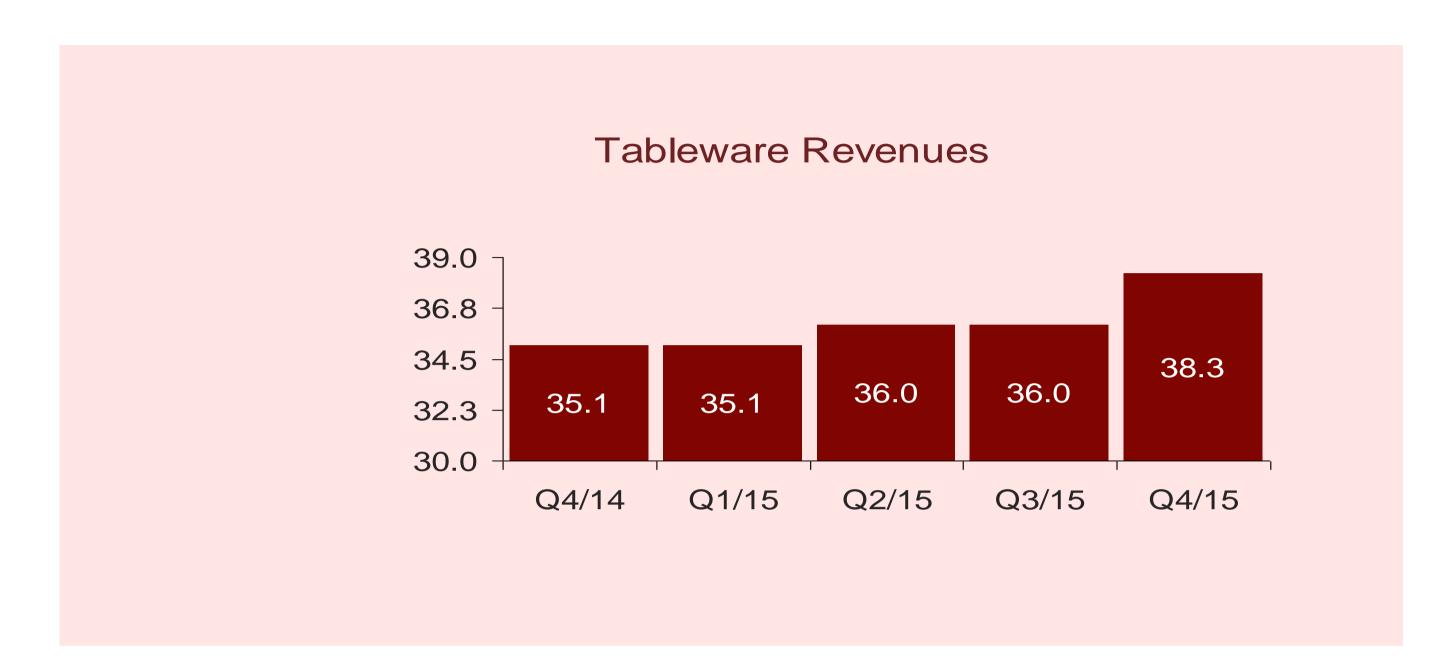
#### Revenues

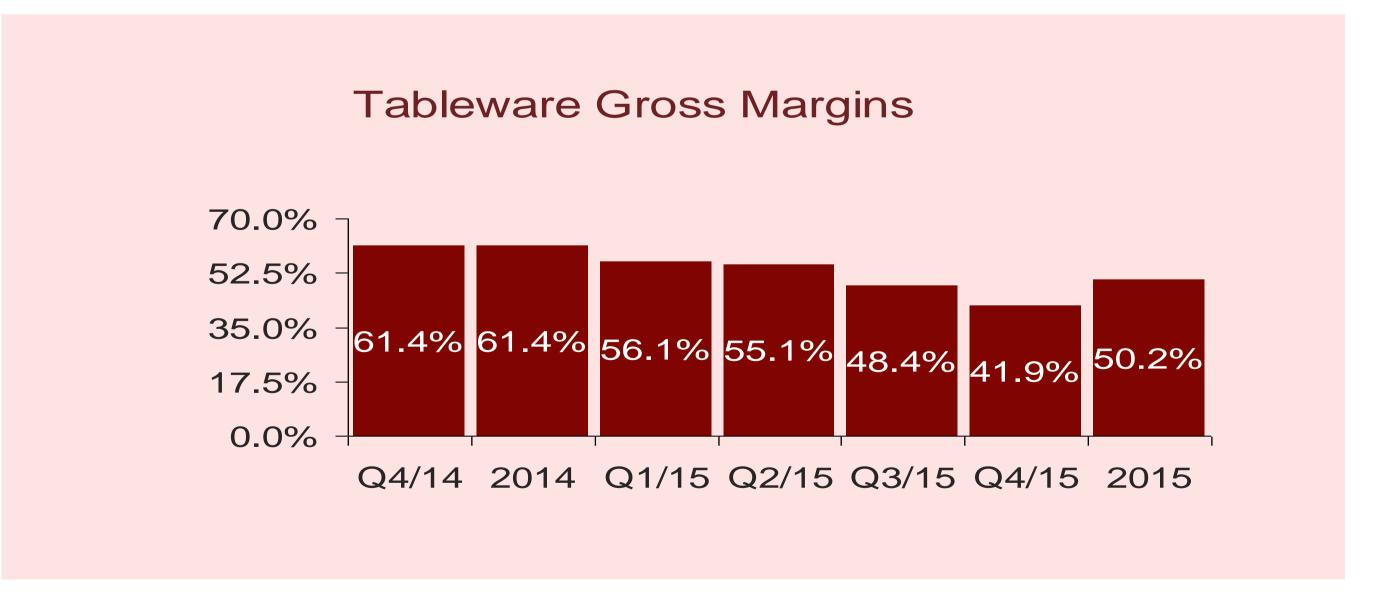
Q4/15 revenues came in at AED38mn. Excluding the impact of the acquisition of further 20% stake in RAK Europe (we now own 91%), revenues were stable QoQ and YoY.

A number of product ranges were introduced in Q4/15 including a new line of utensils and we are confident of solid growth for tableware in 2016.

#### **Margins**

Margins decline in Q4/15 reflects continued pressure from the lower Euro and the lower margins at RAK Europe (Distribution business).



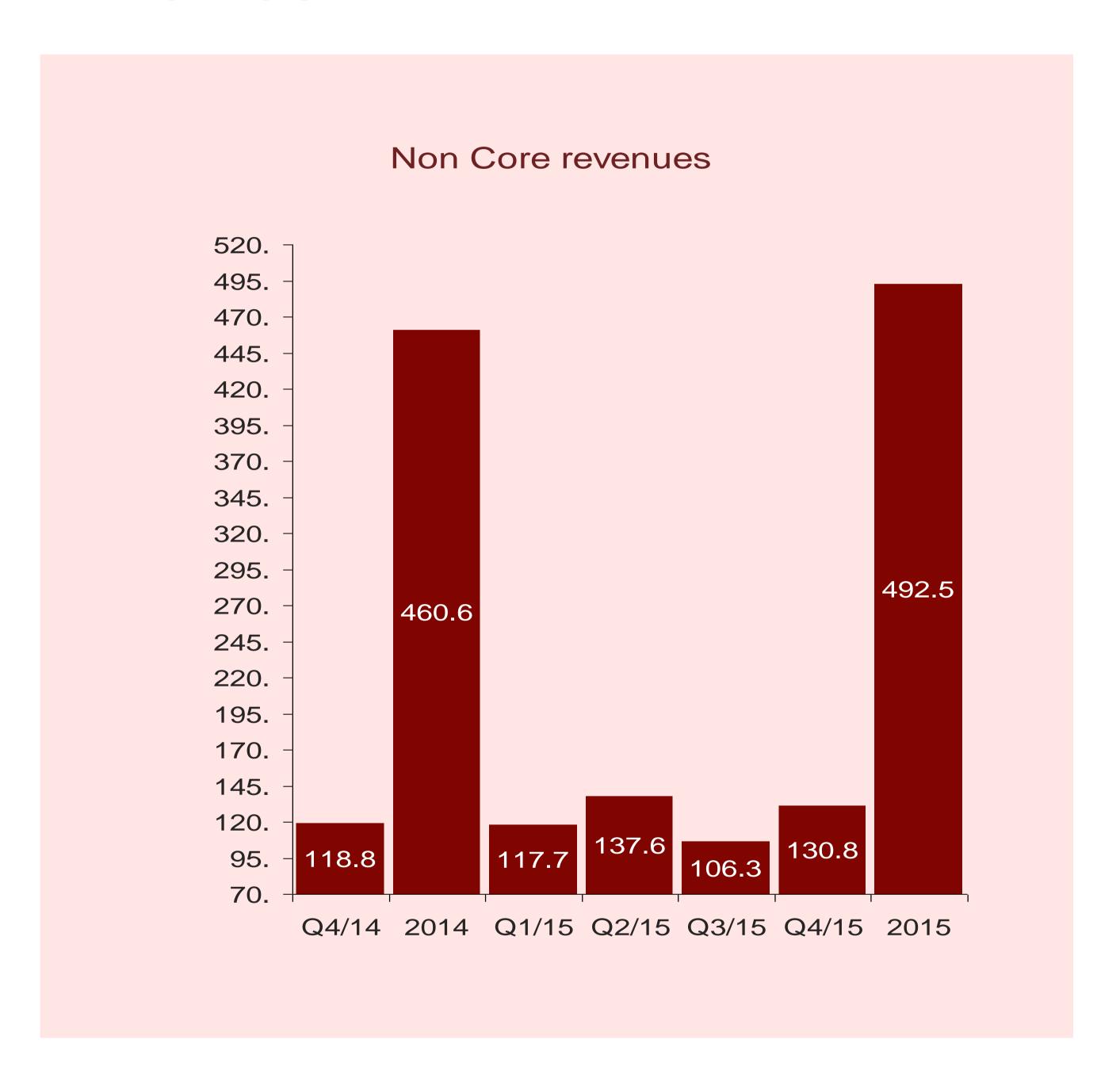


## **NON CORE**

Non Core revenues in Q4/15 rose 23.1% QoQ and 10.1% YoY. Higher revenues for the quarter and year largely reflect higher contribution from Electrogroup, our MEP business.

2015 non core revenues reflect a lower contribution from RAK logistics of AED120mn vs. AED155mn in 2014.

During the first 9 months of 2015, we sold 8 non core assets (RAK Pharma, Moshfly, RAK townhouses, Laticrete, RAK piling, 39% of RAK Watertech, Al Hamra Aluminum and RAK Gypsum) for AED95mn. In Q4/15, an agreement to sell RAK Logistics for AED16mn was reached and the unit will no longer be consolidated starting 2016.



## **NON CORE MARGINS**

Non Core Margins witnessed a substantial turnaround in their profitability in 2015 with non core EBITDA margin increasing from 13.5% to 35.6%.
Turnaround was driven by a reversal of profitability at ElectroGroup and improved profitability at AHCC, our construction unit as the current rough grading work being performed by AHCC ramps up.

Improvement in Other
Consolidated results from better
performance at Kludi RAK our
taps and faucets JV and RAK
Warehouse leasing. Results
also reflect sale of RAK Paints
Bangladesh during the year
which was loss making.

	Non Co	re EBIT	DA by Seg	ıment		
Non Core EBITDA	Q4/14	Q4/15	YoY	2014	2015	YoY
AHCC	18.5	10.7	-42.2%	12.3	92.5	652.0%
ElectroGroup	-2.1	7.4	nm	-4.5	17.6	nm
Ceramin	0.9	3.4	277.8%	9.4	15.3	62.8%
RAK Logistics*	0.8	1.0	25.0%	6.3	2.6	-58.7%
Other Consolidated	-3.1	15.8	nm	41.6	47.0	13.2%
Total	15.1	38.3	153.6%	65.1	175.0	+169.0%

<sup>\*</sup>Sold during Q4/15

## 2015 FINANCIAL REVIEW

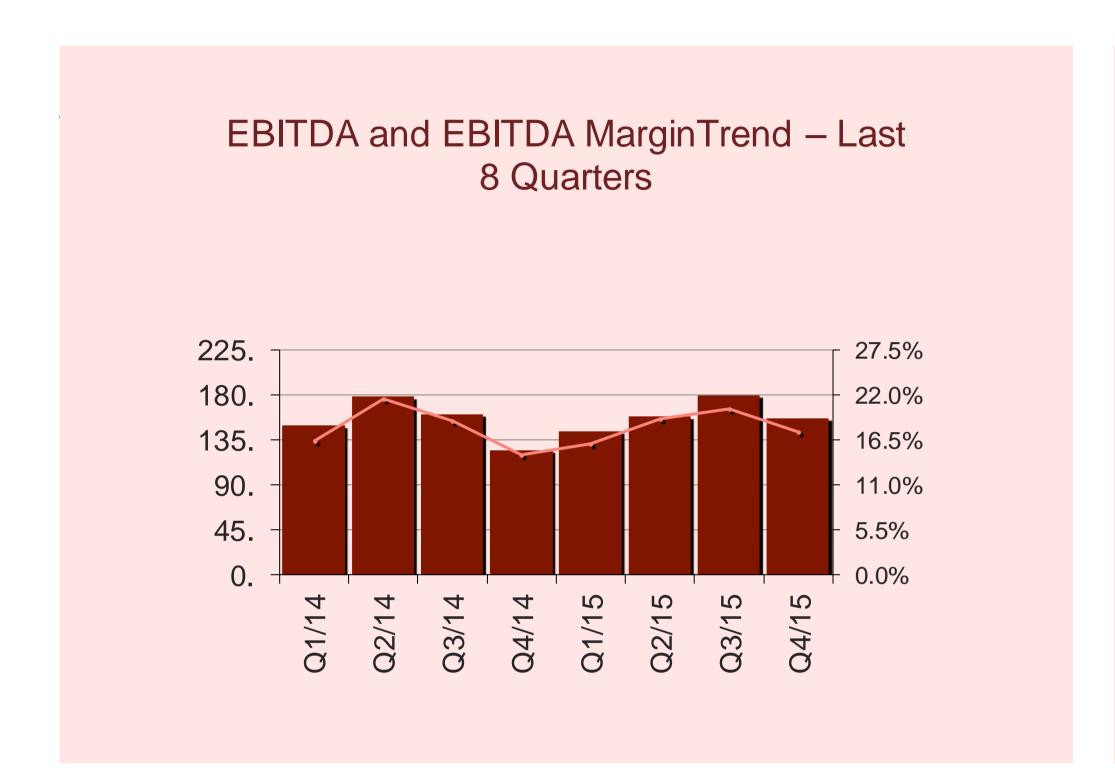
Mr. PK Chand, Chief Financial Officer

## 2015 FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

			2014					2015			Variar	ice
AED Mn	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	Q4 /15 vs. Q4/14	2015 vs. 2014
Revenue (Net)												
Tiles	539.8	574.3	542.0	524.3	2,180.4	480.3	514.3	531.5	470.8	1,996.9	-10.2%	-8.4%
SW	110.1	115.0	111.8	111.6	448.5	110.9	116.2	108.6	108.2	444.0	-3.0%	-1.0%
Porcelain	-	-	-	35.1	35.1	35.1	36.0	36.2	38.3	145.7	9.3%	
Core revenue	649.9	689.3	653.7	670.9	2,663.9	626.2	666.6	676.4	617.3	2,586.5	-8.0%	-2.9%
Non Core Revenue	87.6	123.5	131.1	118.8	460.6	118.0	137.3	106.4	130.8	492.5	10.1%	6.9%
Total Revenue	737.5	812.8	784.9	789.7	3,124.5	744.2	803.9	782.8	748.1	3,078.9	-5.3%	-1.5%
EBITDA	134.2	176.1	154.2	119.9	584.4	130.4	155.4	165.6	142.7	594.1	19.0%	1.7%
Margin	18.2%	21.7%	19.6%	15.2%	18.7%	17.5%	19.3%	21.9%	19.1%	19.3%		
Net Profit	58.7	91.2	57.4	74.4	281.7	60.4	85.9	82.1	81.9	310.3	10.0%	10.2%
Margin	8.0%	11.2%	7.3%	9.4%	9.0%	8.1%	10.7%	10.5%	10.9%	10.1%		
Adjusted Net Profit	62.0	115.1	81.8	79.4	338.3	75.8	94.5	90.7	87.9	349.0	10.7%	3.2%

Results restated to exclude Sudan

## **EBITDA**



EBITDA Calculation							
	Q4/14	Q4/15	2014	2015			
Net Profit	74.4	81.9	281.7	310.3			
Tax	5.1	6.4	23.4	22.4			
D&A	41.3	46.8	164.1	177.9			
Finance Expense	9.8	17.6	39.4	45.4			
Loss on Asset Sale	-7.6	-5.6	-5.1	-9.5			
Provisions	-8.0	17.6	24.3	29.5			
Hyperinflation Impact	4.9	6.0	56.6	38.6			
Other Non Recurring	0.0	-28.0	0.0	-20.7			
EBITDA	119.8	142.7	584.4	594.1			
EBITDA Margin	15.2%	19.1%	18.7%	19.3%			

## **NET PROFIT**

#### Net Profit (Reported and Adjusted)

	Q4/14	Q4/15	YoY	2014	2015	YoY
Reported Net Profit	74.4	81.9	10.1%	281.7	310.3	10.2%
Hyperinflation	4.9	6.0	22.4%	56.6	38.6	-31.8%
Adjusted Net Profit	79.3	87.9	10.8%	338.3	349.0	3.2%

## **NET DEBT & CAPEX HIGHLIGHTS**

During the year a short term loan of USD 100 mn has been converted to long term loans. Maturity profile of long term loans has increased from remaining reduced costs. Average Borrowing costs for the group have reduced from 3.0% in 2014 to 2.6% in 2015

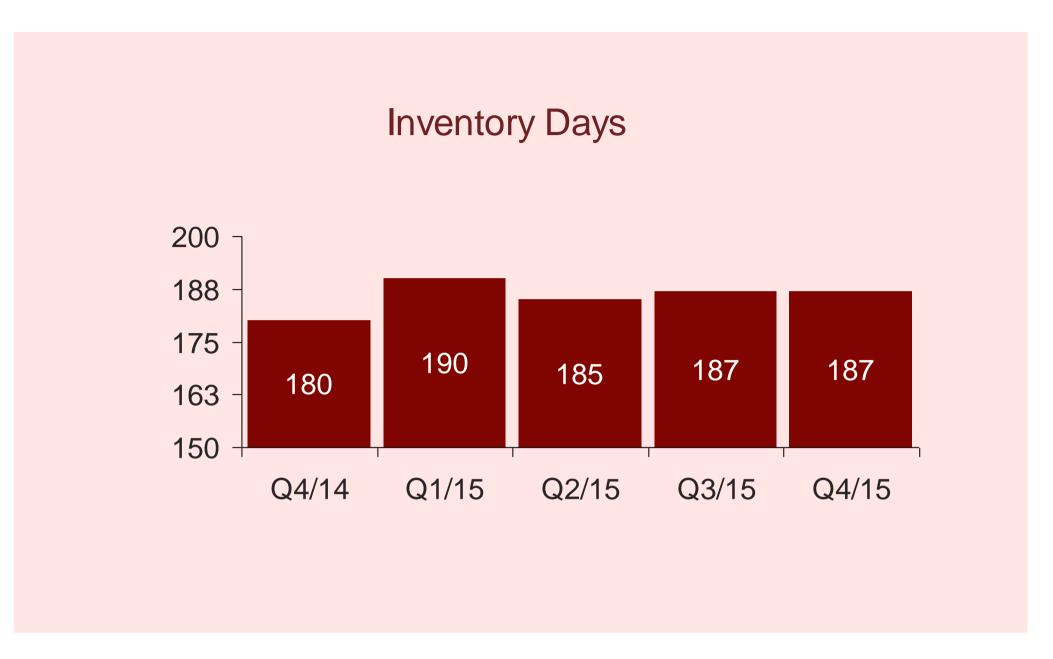
2015 saw RAK Ceramics reinvest in expansionary CAPEX to grow its core business. During the year we spent AED257mn in CAPEX on the core business, an 85% YoY increase. SW expansion in Bangladesh was completed during 2015 while Tile expansion in Bangladesh and SW expansion in UAE are due to complete in Q1/16 (see slide 25 in Appendix)

	Ne	et Debt			
Net Debt	Dec-14	Mar-15	Jun-15	Sep-15	Dec-15
Long Term Loan	770.4	809.3	1,244.5	1,350.3	1,309.7
STL & TR	976.9	1,045.3	803.8	629.7	654.7
Overdraft	122.3	164.7	177.1	121.3	8.6
Gross Debt	1,869.6	2,019.3	2,225.4	2,101.3	1,973.
Cash & Bank*	(448.4)	(652.5)	(627.2)	(508.1)	(363.4
Net Debt	1,421.2	1,366.7	1,598.3	1,593.2	1,609.
Cost of Debt	3.00%	2.80%	2.60%	2.45%	2.60%
Net Debt to EBITDA	2.43	2.60	2.80	2.64	2.7

	CAPEX	
Capex	2014	Dec'15
RAKC UAE	93.2	149.9
Bangladesh	19.7	92.2
India	19.3	11.8
Other Core	6.9	3.1
Total Core	139.1	257.0
AHCC -Rough Grading	141.8	5.9
Other Non core	1.4	4.5
Total Non Core	143.2	10.4
Total CAPEX	282.3	267.4

#### WORKING CAPITAL AND DIVIDEND HIGHLIGHTS







Receivable Days were flat QoQ and two days better YoY. Consolidation of JVs in Germany and the UK in Q4/15 had a (AED16mn) impact.

Inventory rose to 187 from 180 at Q4/14. We are looking at ways to move slower selling items in the current year.

CFO after Working Cap. was up 56.5% YoY in 2015 to AED383.8mn. Company is proposing a 30 fils cash dividend (AED245mn) and a 5% stock dividend subject to shareholder approval at AGM.

## **CLOSING COMMENTS**

Mr. Abdallah Massaad, Chief Executive Officer

## STRATEGIC UPDATE

<b>Branding Project</b>	Iran Restart	India Turnaround
China Plant	Restructuring of Distribution JVs	<b>Evaluate Options for further SW Expansion</b>
Continued Non-Core Disposals	Inventory Management	Opportunistic Acquisitions

## **APPENDIX**

## CAPACITY EXPANSION GUIDANCE

	Til	e Production Capac	city		
Tile Capacity SQM millions	2014A	2015A	2016E	16E/15A Expecte	ed Completion
UAE	81.9	81.9	81.9		
India	8.0	8.0	8.0		
Bangladesh	8.0	8.0	11.4	43.0%	Q1/16
Sudan *	7.9	0	0		
China **	5.4	5.4	5.4		

Shown in Millions of Sqm

Iran\*\*\*

Sum

109.3

6.0

6.0

3.1%

112.7

6.0

117.2

SW Capacity	2014A	2015A	2016E	16E/15A Expecte	ed Completion
UAE	2,700	2,700	3,250	20.0%	Q1/16
India	700	700	700		
Bangladesh	1,250	1,558	1,558		
Sum	4,650	4,958	5,508	11.1%	

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H2/16

<sup>\*</sup>Sudan operation was sold in Q4/15

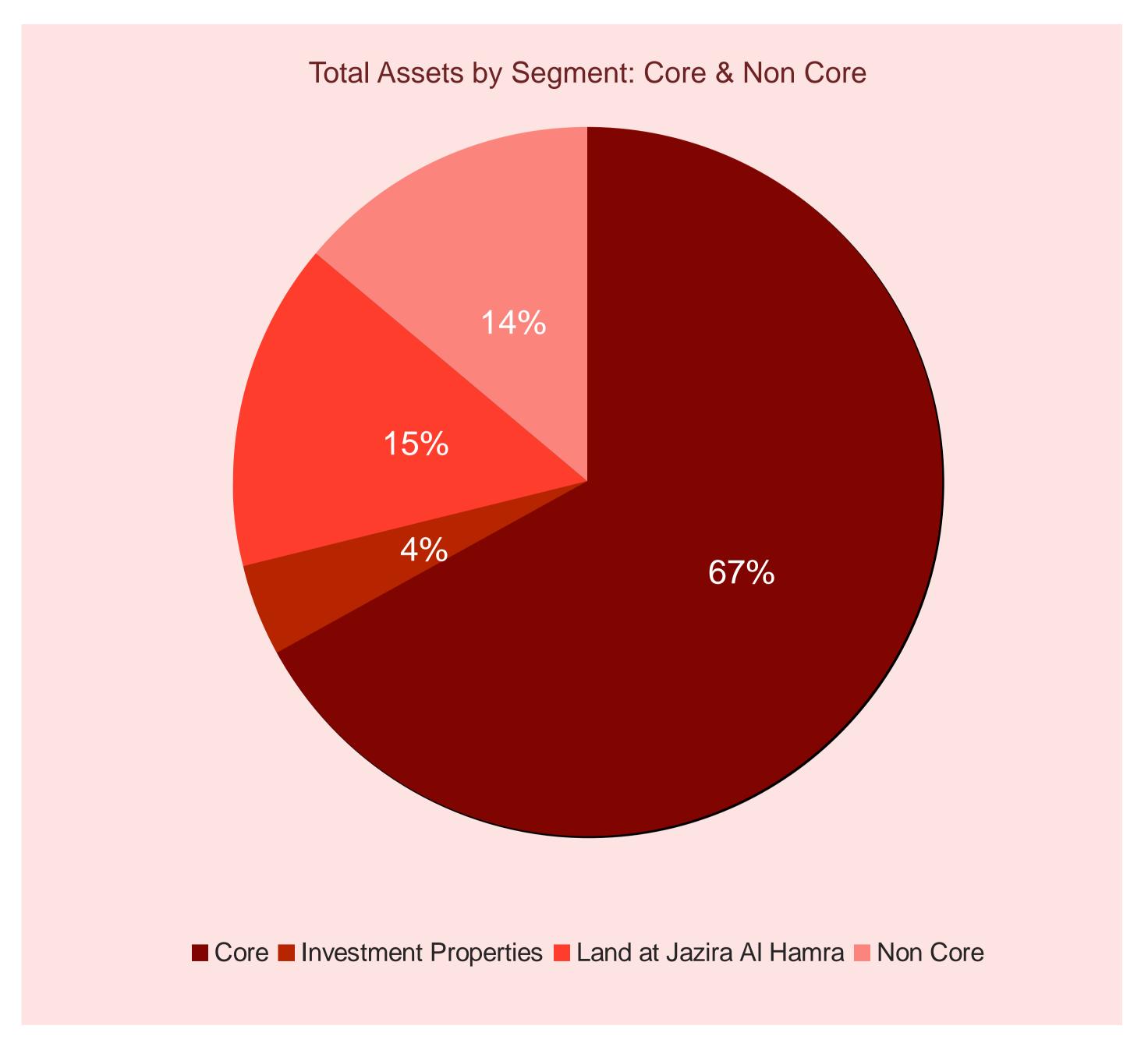
<sup>\*\*</sup>China production has been stopped. We are looking to sell our assets in that country.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Iran production was halted in 2014. We anticipate resuming production in H2/16, if sanctions permit

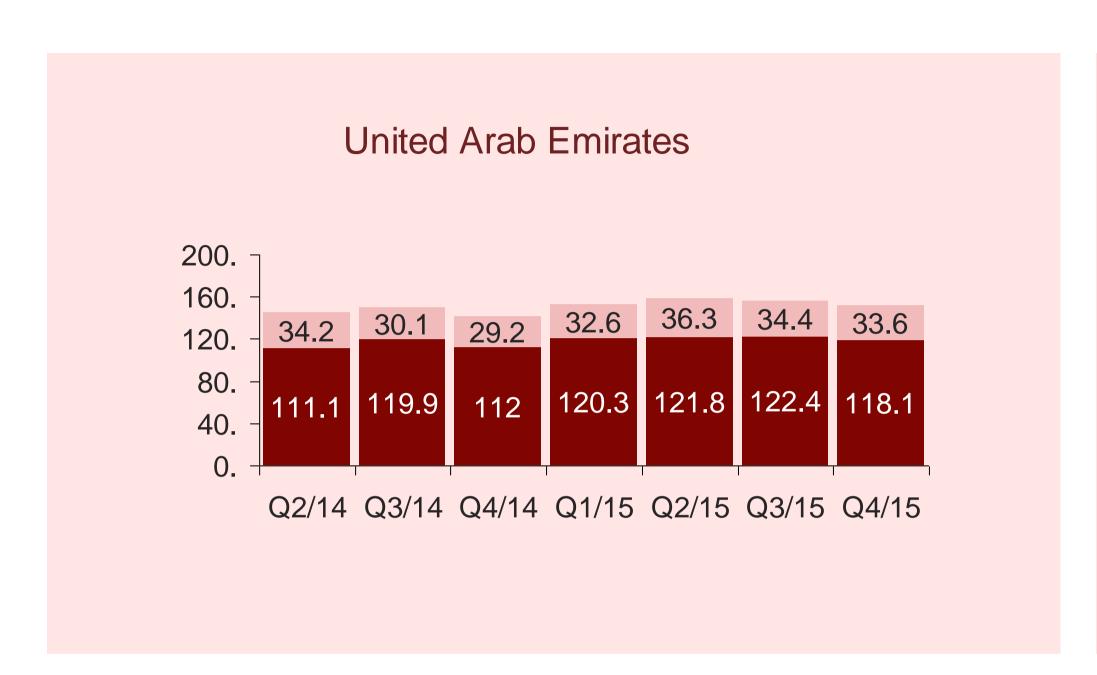
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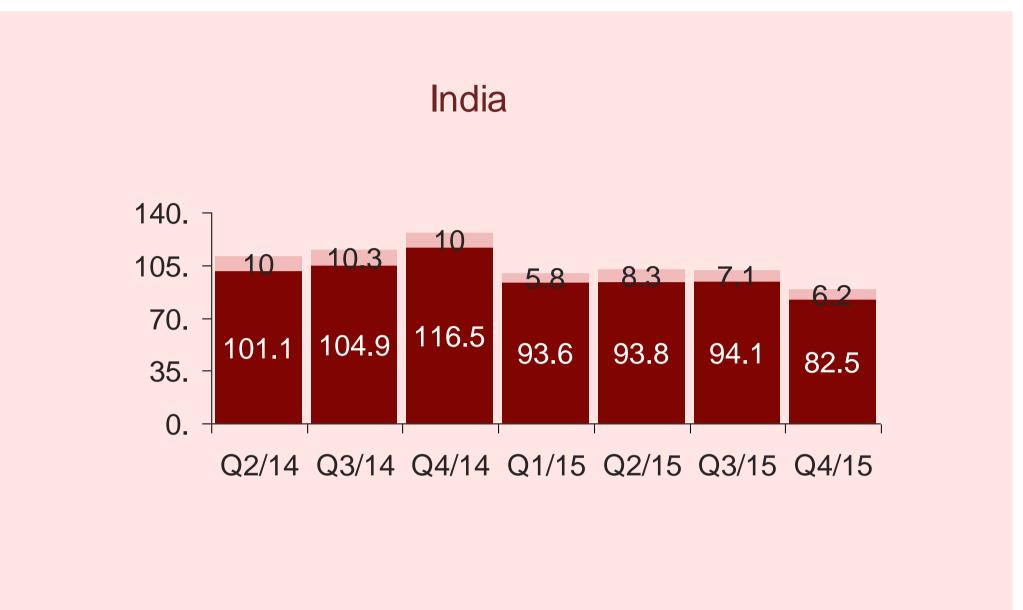
2015 disposals were AED 110mn and included 9 disposals with most important being Laticrete, Al Hamra, Aluminium and RAK Gypsum, 15 townhouses in RAK and RAK Logistics.

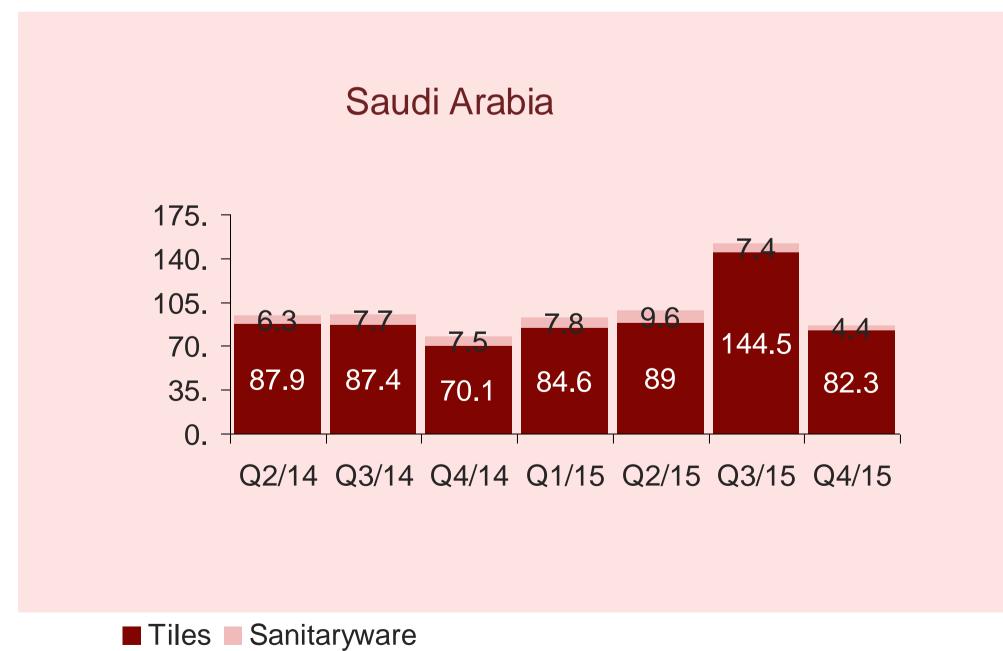
The disposal program for Non Core assets is ongoing and has room to go with only 67% of our total assets deemed core.

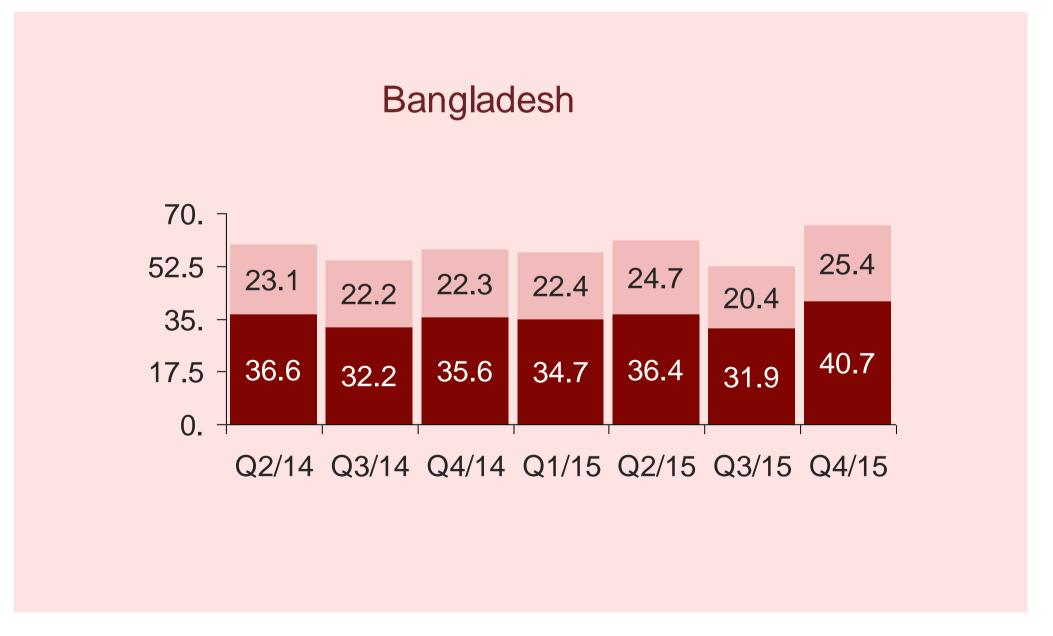


#### FOCUS MARKET SALES TRENDS









## CONSOLIDATED NET INCOME

	D 0044	D 0045
	Dec 2014	Dec 2015
Revenue	3,124.5	3,078.9
Cost of sales	(2,315.5)	(2,210.8)
Gross profit	809.0	868.0
Administrative and general expenses	(242.4)	(220.8)
Selling and distribution expenses	(326.7)	(332.1)
Other income	69.0	60.3
Results from operating activities	309.0	375.4
Finance cost	(87.2)	(84.5)
Finance income	17.3	6.4
Share of profit in equity accounted investees	38.0	16.5
(Loss) / gain on disposals of subsidiaries - net	11.1	-28.8
Gain / (loss) on disposal of equity accounted investees	(6.8)	49.0
Gain on settlement of related party balances	59.1	0.0
Gain on net monetary position	10.5	0.0
Profit before tax	350.9	334.0
Tax (expense)/income	(23.4)	(22.4)
Profit from continuing operations	327.5	311.6
Loss from discontinued operations	(45.8)	(1.3)
Profit for the year	281.7	310.3
Profit attributable to:		
Owners of the Company	278.9	281.4
Non-Controlling interests	2.8	29.0
Profit for the year	281.7	310.3
Earnings per share:		
Basic and diluted earnings per share (AED)	0.34	0.35
Earnings per share - continuing operations		
Basic and diluted earnings per share (AED)	0.39	0.35

# CASH FLOW STATEMENT

	Dec-14	Dec-1
Operating activities		
Profit for the year before tax	305.1	332.
Adjustments for:		
Share in profit of equity accounted investees	(38.0)	(16.5
Loss on net monetary position	18.8	2.
Gain on settlement of related party balances	(59.1)	0.
Interest expense	63.0	51.
Interest income	(32.4)	(6.4
Gain on sale of property, plant and equipment	(2.6)	(8.2
Depreciation on property, plant and equipment	195.1	190.
Capital work in progress written off	9.0	0.
Amortisation of intangible assets	2.9	3.
Gain on disposal of investment property	0.0	(2.0
Depreciation on investment property	7.3	9.
Impairment loss on receivables &due from related parties	39.1	26.
Provision for employees' end-of-service benefits	25.6	13.
(Gain)/loss on disposal of equity accounted investees	6.8	(49.0
Loss/(gain) on sale of a subsidiary	(11.1)	28.
	529.6	577.
Change in:	05.4	40
- inventories (including contract work in progress)	35.1	19.
trade and other receivables (including long term receivables)	(33.5)	(41.1
due from related parties (including long term receivables)	(22.5)	(138.7
- deferred tax assets	2.4	(0.0
due to related parties	(11.7)	(33.2
trade and other payables (including billings in excess of valuation)	(202.1)	23.
- derivative financial instruments	1.2	0.
deferred tax liabilities	1.3	(0.4
Employees' end of services benefits paid	(26.8)	(13.6
Income tax paid	(27.1)	(9.5
Currency translation adjustment	(0.7)	(0.5
Net cash generated from operating activities	245.3	383.

	Dec-14	Dec-15
Cash flows from investing activities		
Addition to property, plant and equipment and capital work in	(282.3)	(267.4)
progress  Proceeds from disposals of property, plant and equipment	3.9	10.6
Additions to of intangible assets	(6.4)	(0.7)
Proceeds from disposal of investment property	0.0	17.8
Interest received	29.4	6.4
Investment made in equity accounted investees	0.0	(1.7)
Dividend received from equity accounted investees	32.2	23.6
Sale proceeds of held for sale assets	0.0	41.3
Acquisition of shares in subsidiaries	0.0	(45.9)
Cash forgone as part of disposal of shares in subsidiaries - net	0.0	(51.8)
investee into subsidiary	<b>50.1</b>	6.6
Proceeds from sale of equity accounted investees	10.3	49.0
Addition to investment property	(0.1)	0.0
Proceeds from sale of shares in subsidiary	0.7	16.8
Net cash used in investing activities	(162.2)	(195.5)
	(13212)	(10010)
Cash flows from financing activities		
Long term bank loans availed	165.3	1,480.1
Long term bank loans repaid	(295.9)	(1,095.9)
Change in bank deposits	31.8	(17.2)
Net movement in short term bank borrowings	94.4	(167.0)
Interest paid	(63.0)	(51.7)
Dividend paid to non-controlling interests	(7.2)	(44.8)
Remuneration paid to the Board of Directors	(2.4)	(4.2)
Funds invested by non-controlling interests	0.8	0.0
Dividend paid	(111.5)	(286.1)
Net cash used in financing activities	(187.7)	(186.8)
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(104.5)	1.5
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	436.0	331.5
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	331.5	333.0
These comprise the following:		
Cash in hand and at bank (net of bank deposits on lien)	453.7	341.6
Bank overdraft	(122.3)	(8.6)
	331.5	333.0

## CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET

Assets	Dec 2014	Dec 2015
Non-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment	1,180.6	1,065.5
Capital work-in-progress	73.3	182.3
Goodwill	50.4	50.4
Intangible assets	19.4	18.0
Investment properties	1,113.9	1,158.9
Investments in equity accounted investees	151.3	127.5
Long term portion of receivable (Sudan)	0.0	127.6
Deferred tax assets	0.3	0.3
Total Non Current Assets	2,589.0	2,730.6
Current assets		
Inventories	1,139.4	1,141.2
Trade and other receivables	1,147.9	1,207.4
Contract work-in-progress	28.6	15.4
Due from related parties	314.9	523.8
Cash in hand and at bank	448.3	363.4
Assets classified as held for sale	331.6	0.0
Derivative financial assets	-	_
Total Current Assets	3,410.8	3,251.2
Total assets	5,999.8	5,981.8

Equity and liabilities	Dec 2014	Dec 2015
Equity		
Share capital	817.5	817.5
Reserves	1,990.8	1,950.6
Equity attributable to owners of the Company	2,808.3	2,768.1
Non-controlling interests	226.5	169.2
Total equity	3,034.8	2,937.5
Non-current liabilities		
Long term bank loans	770.4	1,309.7
Provision for employees' end-of-service benefits	78.9	78.3
Deferred tax liabilities	8.8	8.3
Total Non Current Liabilities	858.0	1,396.3
Current liabilities		
Short-term bank borrowings	1,099.2	663.3
Trade and other payables	814.0	835.9
Billings in excess of valuation	3.3	2.8
Provision for taxation	103.1	122.6
Due to related parties	56.6	23.3
Liabilities classified as held for sale	30.8	0.0
Derivative financial liabilities	(0.0)	0.0
Total Current Liabilities	2,107.0	1,648.0
Total liabilities	2,965.0	3,044.3
Total equity and liabilities	5,999.8	5,981.8

