

Irish Continental Group plc

Half Year to 30 June 2013



ICG Business Units



1. Ferries Division

Irish Ferries, the leading ferry company operating between UK/Continent and the Republic of Ireland.

2. Container Division

Eucon, leading Container shipping operator between Ireland and the N.W. Continent with its own container terminals in Dublin & Belfast.





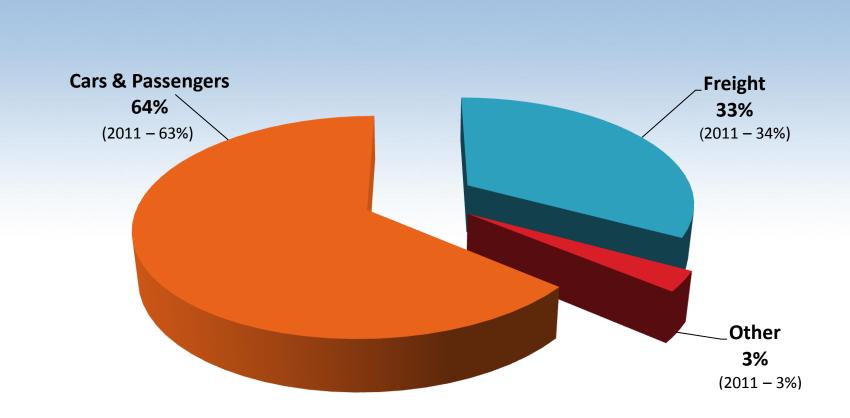
Irish Sea Routes





Ferries Revenues 2012

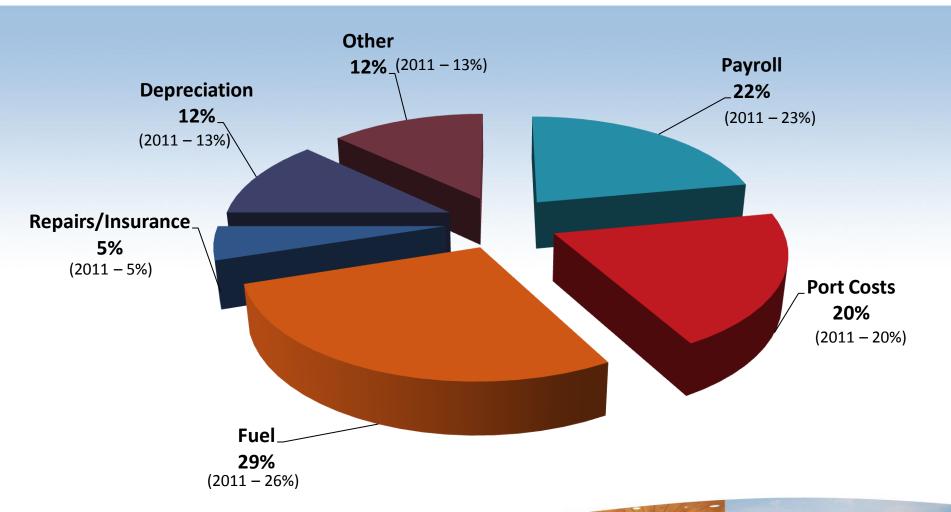














Ferries Division



- Brand: Irish Ferries
- 3 Conventional combined Car / RoRo ferries
- 1 fast car carrying ferry, light freight
- 4100 sailings UK (Holyhead 2650 Pembroke 1450)
 Sailing Time Holyhead Cruise Ferry 3¼ hours
 Holyhead Fast Ferry 2 hours
 - Pembroke Cruise Ferry 4 hours
- 275 sailings France
 Sailing Time Cruise Ferry 16½ hours
- 1 ferry on charter to P&O to June 2013 New charter commenced on 1st July 2013 to KiwiRail for an initial period of 4 years

Distribution



Car Bookings

On-Line 80%
Telephone 14%
Ports 6%
100%

irishferries.com - 2012

- √ 4.5m visits
- √ 191,000 Bookings
- √ €60m revenue







Passenger Market



CAGR

	YTD 2013	H1 2013	1 Year 2012	3 Year 2009 - 2012	5 Year 2007 - 2012
Irish Ferries	4%	0%	+1%	+3%	0%
Republic of Ireland		-3%	-4%	-1%	-3%
All Ireland		-2%	-3%	-2%	-3%



Car Market



CAGR

	YTD 2013	H1 2013	1 Year 2012	3 Year 2009 - 2012	5 Year 2007 - 2012
Irish Ferries	0%	-4%	0%	-2%	-3%
Republic of Ireland		-4%	-7%	-4%	-3%
All Ireland		-3%	-6%	-3%	-3%



RoRo Market



CAGR

	YTD 2013	H1 2013	1 Year 2012	3 Year 2009 – 2012	5 Year 2007 - 2012
Irish Ferries	+9%	+8%	-6%	-2%	-7%
Republic of Ireland		+3%	-2%	+3%	-2%
All Ireland		+2%	-2%	+2%	-2%

	2012	2011	2010	2009	1992 -2007
Irish Ferries	-6%	+9%	-9%	-19%	+12%
Republic of Ireland	-2%	0%	+11%	-12%	+10%
All Ireland	-2%	0%	+6%	-10%	+6%



Ferries Division



	H1 2013 €m	H1 2012 €m	Change	FY 2012 €m
Turnover	69.4	69.5	-0.1%	160.0
Operating Costs	<u>(57.3)</u>	<u>(58.5)</u>	-2.1%	(121.0)
EBITDA	12.1	11.0	+10.0%	39.0
Depreciation/Amortisation	<u>(8.1)</u>	(<u>7.8)</u>	+3.8%	(16.6)
Operating Profit	4.0	3.2	+25.0%	22.4

- Passenger, Car & On Board revenue down 3% at €40.0m
- RoRo Freight revenue up 4% at €27.2m
- Fuel costs €17.2m, down €1.3m (7.0%)
- Other operating costs flat

Container & Terminal Division



- 5 chartered vessels
- 2,900 owned and leased containers, 5,500 teu (20ft, 40ft, 45ft, reefers, flats, curtain siders)
- 6 ports served (2 owned terminals)
- Door to Door (55%) Transport plus Quay to Quay (45%) (feeder)
- DFT Terminal in Dublin Principal terminal in ROI
- BCT Terminal in Belfast









Eucon Container Routes - Market Share 23%



Terminals



2 strategically located container handling terminals at Dublin and Belfast.



- Annual throughput of 142,000 lifts (2012)
- Design Capacity of 260,000 lifts
- 3 Gantry Cranes and 8 Rubber Tyre Gantry's (RTG's)
- Largest and most modern container terminal in Ireland
- Market Share 2012, 34% Republic of Ireland (2011, 35%)



- Annual throughput of 43,000 lifts (2012)
- Design Capacity at BCT 50,000 lifts
- 1 Harbour mobile crane and 3 straddle carriers
- Market Share 2012, 32% Northern Ireland (2011, 30%)

DFT and BCT have a combined market share of 34% (2011, 33%) of all containers handled in Container Terminals on the island.

Container & Terminal Division



Continuing Operations	H1 2013 €m	H1 2012 €m	Change	FY 2012
Turnover	51.5	47.5	+8.4%	96.1
Operating Costs	<u>(47.8)</u>	<u>(44.4)</u>	+7.7%	<u>(89.3)</u>
EBITDA	3.7	3.1	+19.4%	6.8
Depreciation/Amortisation	(1.3)	<u>(1.4)</u>	-7.1%	(2.7)
Operating Profit	2.4	1.7	+41.2%	4.1

- Container volumes up 11.3% at 140,600 teu
- Terminal volumes down 3.5% at 86,400 lifts
- Fuel costs €6.7m, down €0.5m (6.9%)
- Other costs up 10.5% (volume related)







Container Handling Irl.





ICG - Group Results



	H1 2013	H1 2012	Change	FY 2012
Turnover*	€120.9m	€117.0m	+3.3%	€256.1m
Operating Costs (exc. Dep)*	€105.1m	€102.9m	+2.1%	€210.3m
EBITDA*	€15.8m	€14.1m	+12.1%	€45.8m
Operating Profit*	€6.4m	€4.9m	+30.6%	€26.5m
Finance Costs	€(3.1)m	€(1.2)m	+158.3%	
PBT	€3.3m	€3.7m	-10.8%	
Profit on Sale of Subsidiary/Other	-	€0.2m		€19.8m
Basic EPS	16.4c	14.5c	+13.1%	183.2c
Adjusted EPS	21.8c	17.7c	+23.2%	108.5c
Dividend	33c	33c	-	100c
Net Debt	€105.4m			€116.0m

^{*} Continuing operations

Results By Division



Continuing Operations	H1 2013 €m	H1 2012 €m	%
Ferries	€m	€m	
Revenue	69.4	69.5	-0.1%
Costs exc. fuel	(48.2)	(47.8)	+0.8%
Fuel	(17.2)	(18.5)	-7.0%
EBIT	<u>4.0</u>	3.2	+25.0%
Container			
Revenue	51.5	47.5	+8.4%
Costs exc. fuel	(42.4)	(38.6)	+9.8%
Fuel	(<u>6.7)</u>	<u>(7.2)</u>	-6.9%
EBIT	<u>2.4</u>	<u>1.7</u>	+41.2%

ICG Fuel Costs



Continuing Operations	H1 2013	H1 2012	FY 2012
Consumption (000 tons)			
Heavy Fuel Oil	37.9	37.5	78.0
Marine Diesel	<u>6.6</u>	<u>6.1</u>	<u>14.2</u>
	44.5	43.6	92.2
Price (€ per ton)			
Heavy Fuel Oil	€491	€551	€536
Marine Diesel	€716	€740	€720
Brent Crude (guide)	\$107.95/€82.16	\$113.58/€87.46	\$111.60/€86.85
Total Cost (inc. lubs)	€23.9m	€25.7m	€53.2m
% of Operating Costs (exc. Dep)	23%	25%	25%



ICG Cash Flow



	H1 2013	H1 2012	FY 2012
EBITDA	15.8	14.3	46.5
Working Capital Movement	9.8	6.5	(2.6)
Pension Payments	(2.4)	(3.0)	(5.4)
Other	(0.1)	(0.2)	(0.3)
Cash Generated from Operations	23.1	17.6	38.2
Interest	(2.1)	(0.4)	(1.8)
Tax	(0.1)	(0.2)	(0.4)
Capex	<u>(6.6)</u>	<u>(5.1)</u>	<u>(8.5)</u>
Free Cash Flow	14.3	11.9	27.5
Asset Sales	6.9	0.4	19.1
Payments received on finance lease receivable	1.4	1.3	2.7
Accelerated MNOPF Payment	-	-	(9.0)
Dividends	(12.3)	(16.7)	(24.7)
Share Issues/Buybacks (net)	<u>0.1</u>	<u>(9.8)</u>	(123.6)
Net Flows	10.4	(12.9)	(108.0)
Opening Debt	(116.0)	(7.8)	(7.8)
Translation/Other	<u>0.2</u>	(0.1)	(0.2)
Closing Debt	(105.4)	(20.8)	(116.0)

Dividend / Share Buybacks



Cash Returned to Shareholders 2008 - 2013

		Dividend/ Redemption	€m	Buyback/ Tender Offer
2008	Paid	100c	24.5m	
2009	Paid	100c	24.6m	
2010	Paid	100c	25.0m	
2011	Paid	100c 33c	25.1m 8.2m	4.0m
2012	Paid Paid	67c 33c	16.7m 8.0m	10.1m 111.5m
2013	Paid Proposed	67c 33c	12.3m <u>6.1m</u>	
			<u>150.5m</u>	<u>125.6m</u>
Total			276.1m	

Group Pension Funds



Company Sponsored Funds	June 2013 €m	Dec 2012 €m	Dec 2011 €m	Dec 2010 €m	Dec 2009 €m
Assets	218.8	213.5	193.5	200.3	191.9
Liabilities	<u>270.1</u>	<u>268.1</u>	215.2	<u>206.5</u>	<u>207.6</u>
Surplus/(Deficit)	(51.3)	(54.6)	(21.7)	(6.2)	(15.7)
Discount Rate € / £	3.8% / 4.6%	3.8% / 4.4%	5.3% / 4.9%	5.5% / 5.5%	5.6% / 5.7%

⁻ Company in negotiation with Trustees on extended recovery plan

Merchant Navy Officer Pension Fund (MNOPF)	June 2013	Dec 2012	Dec 2011	Dec 2010	Dec 2009
	€m	€m	€m	€m	€m
ICG allocated share of deficit	(2.4)	(0.0)	(10.8)	(11.3)	(11.5)

- Multi employer scheme with 400 employers, joint and several liability for employers



Current Trading / Outlook



Background

Current fuel prices are lower than in 2012

Tourism

- Passenger numbers up 4% YTD (up 9% July/August)
- Car numbers flat but up 6% July/August
- Weaker sterling impacting yields

Freight

- RoRo volumes up 9% YTD
- LoLo volumes up 12% YTD (partly due to vessel sharing arrangements)
- Terminal volumes down 4% YTD (also due to vessel sharing arrangements)



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APPENDIX FLEET







Year Built	2001
Cost	€106m
GT	50,900 tons
PAX	1875
Cars	1342
Lane Meters	4.1km
Speed	22 knots



Year Built	1999
Cost	€38m
GT	6,000 tons
PAX	800
Cars	200
Speed	39 knots







Year Built	1997	
Cost	€81m	
GT	34,000 tons	
PAX	2200	
Cars	855	
Lane Meters	2.1km	
Speed	21.5 knots	

Year Built	1987	
Purchased in 2007 - plus upgrade	€51m	
GT	32,000 tons	
PAX	1458	
Beds	1376	
Cars	580	
Lane Meters	1.2km	
Speed	21.5 knots	





Year Built	1995
Cost	€62m
GT	22,300 tons
PAX	1650
Beds	274
Cars	600
Lane Meters	1.7km
Speed	19 knots

