

Introduction to Breedon Group plc

January 2025



Making a material difference

Breedon's Vision

To be a leading, vertically-integrated, international construction materials group

Breedon's Purpose

To make a material difference to the lives of our colleagues, customers and communities

Breedon's Values

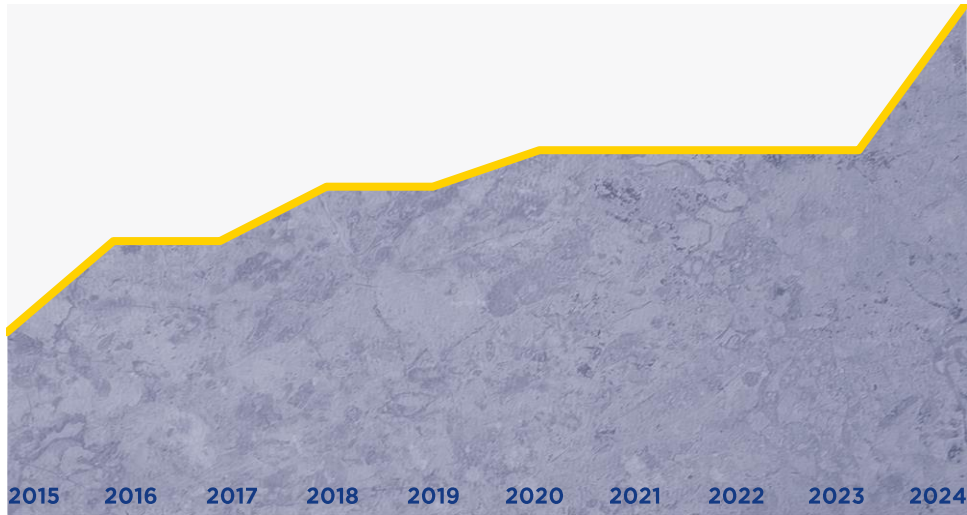
To adopt clear authentic behaviours to ensure long-term success



Our business is asset backed

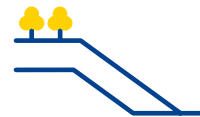
Strong local market positions

c.1.4 bn tonnes
Reserves and resources



>350 sites

Aggregates



>100
quarries

Ready-mixed concrete



>200
plants

Cement



2
plants

Asphalt



>50
plants

Supplying attractive end-markets

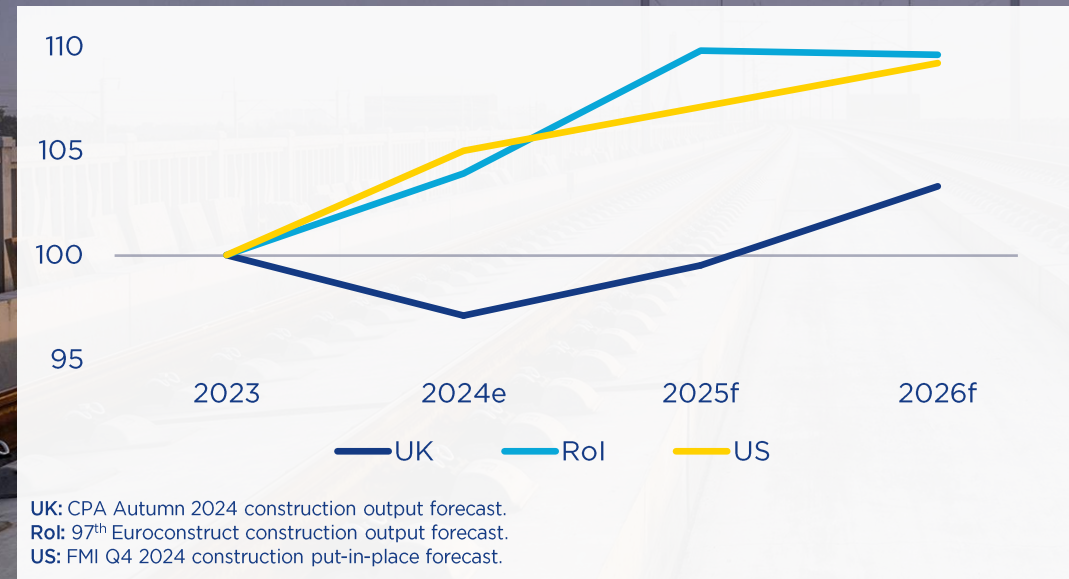
Long-term structural growth trends in infrastructure and housing

Clear need to invest in the built environment:

- Significant housing shortfall across all geographies
- Requiring more than three years to resolve at current build rates

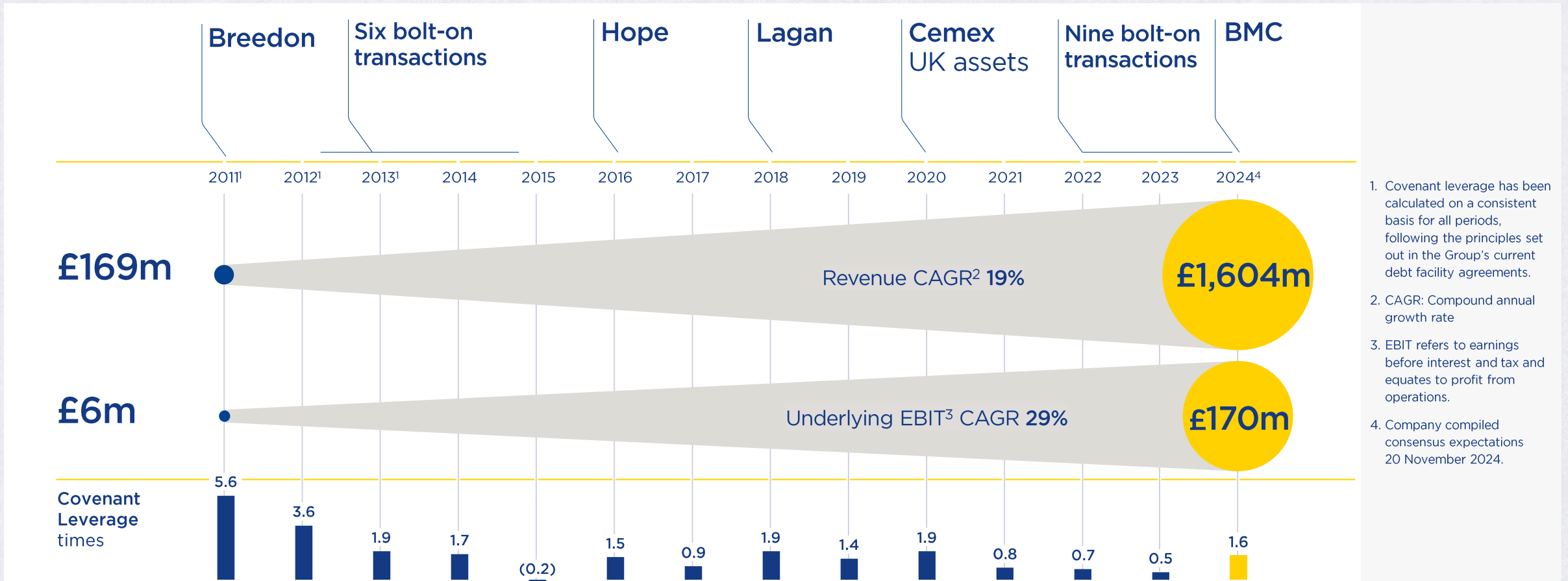
UK up to **1m** c.5 years
Ireland up to **0.4m** c.12 years
US more than **4m** c.3 years

Construction output: Forecast to grow



Outstanding track record of sustainable growth

Organic growth complemented by M&A



Evolving our strategy: Breedon 3.0

Virtuous circle of enhancement

EXPAND



IMPROVE

Our people make the most material difference

Our greatest asset

Our first-class team :

- c.4,500 highly engaged colleagues
- Entrepreneurial and empowered
- Living our values every day



KEEP IT
SIMPLE



MAKE IT
HAPPEN



STRIVE
TO
IMPROVE



SHOW
WE
CARE



Significant sustainability progress

Upgrading targets

New

2030

Targets

- **23% reduction** in absolute gross scope 1 and 2 greenhouse gas emissions, and scope 3 emissions from purchased clinker and cement by 2030
- **£500 million cumulative social value** to be generated through our activities
- **50%** of the Group's revenue to be from the **Breedon Balance range**

Our capital allocation model

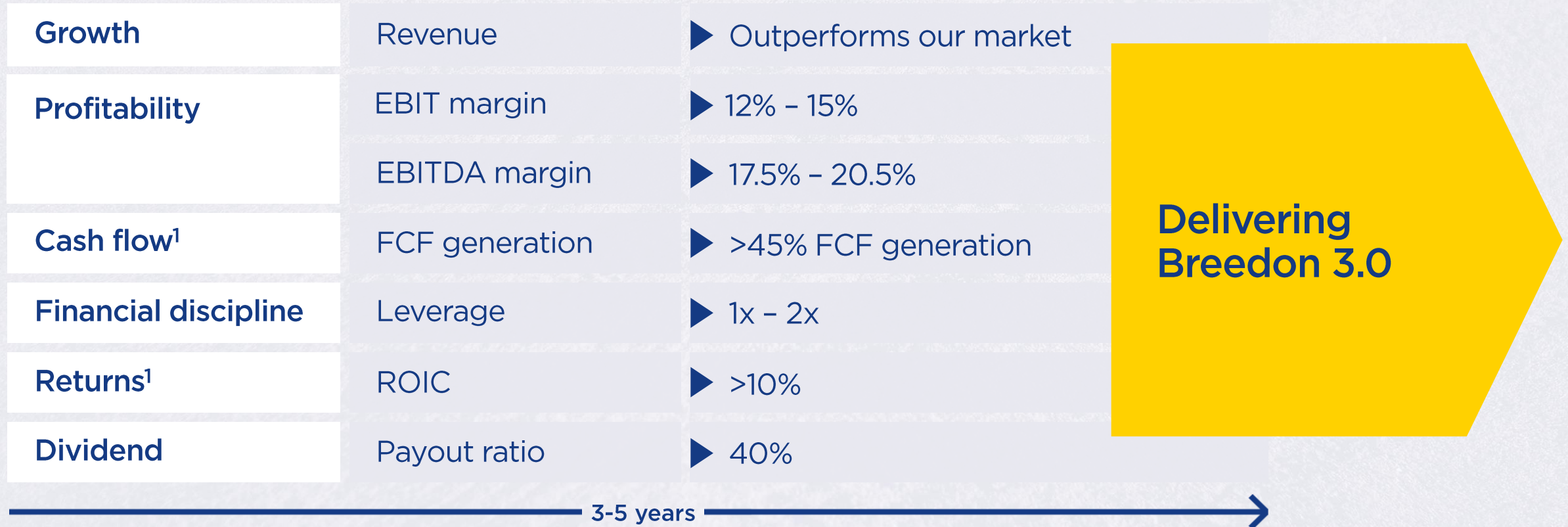
Investment as a differentiator through the cycle



1. Company compiled consensus expectation 20 November 2024.

Our evolving financial framework

Financial metrics aligned to our strategy



1. Post-tax measure.

Financial update



Ten-month trading update: November 2024

Resilient performance; outlook in-line with expectations

Trading and Outlook

- **Resilient performance**
 - Revenue increased 7% in the first ten months and 11% for the four months to 31 October
 - On a like-for-like basis revenue decreased 4% in the first ten months and 1% in the four months to 31 October
 - Generated good free cash flow and on track to deliver a further reduction in covenant leverage at the year end
- **Expect to deliver full year 2024 underlying EBIT in line with market consensus¹**
 - Enquiry and tendering levels across all three geographies are healthy
 - While market risks remain, we expect 2024 will represent a floor in construction materials volumes

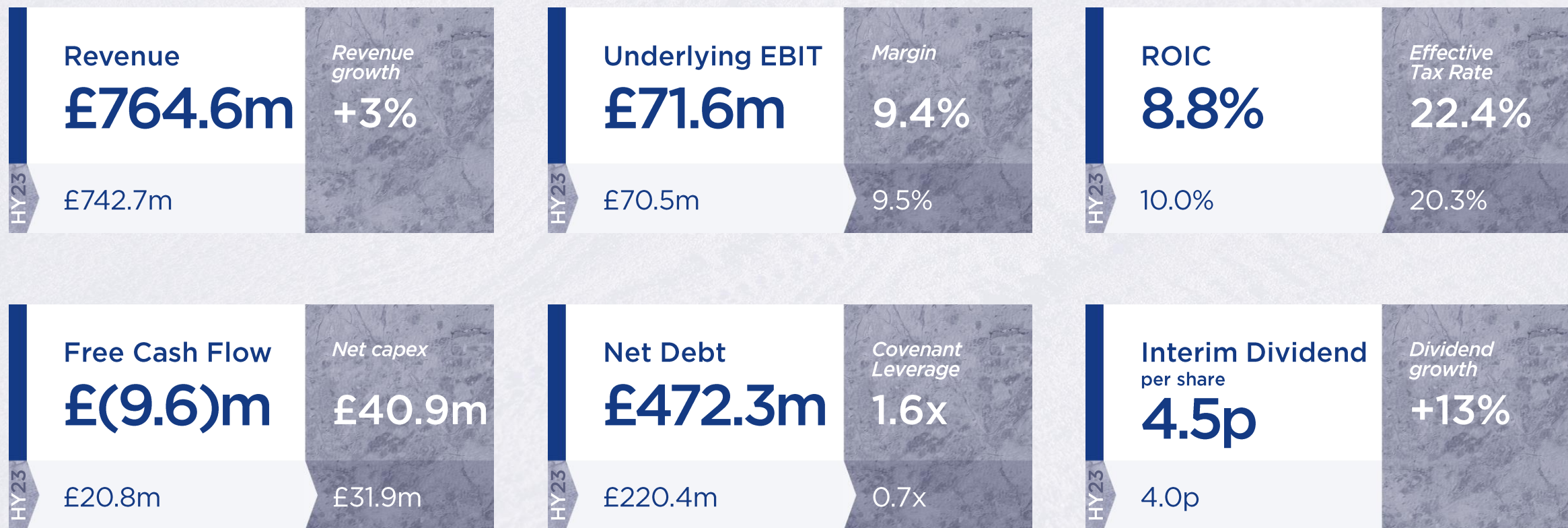
Highlights

- GB performance has improved since the half year and Ireland continued to perform well
- Both GB and Ireland have seen encouraging levels of forward enquiries
- Integration of BMC is well advanced; performance under Breedon ownership was robust and ahead of plan
- During October BMC completed its first transaction under Breedon ownership, acquiring a manufacturer of downstream products in Western Illinois
- Cement completed the scheduled kiln shutdown and primary crusher replacement on time and within budget
- Further progress in respect of our sustainability priorities with our carbon reduction targets validated by SBTi

1. Company compiled consensus can be found on the Breedon IR website [Analysts & consensus estimates](#); FY24 company compiled consensus mean Underlying EBIT including associates and joint ventures of £169.4m 20 November 2024.

2024 interim financial highlights

Strategic progress delivers a resilient financial performance

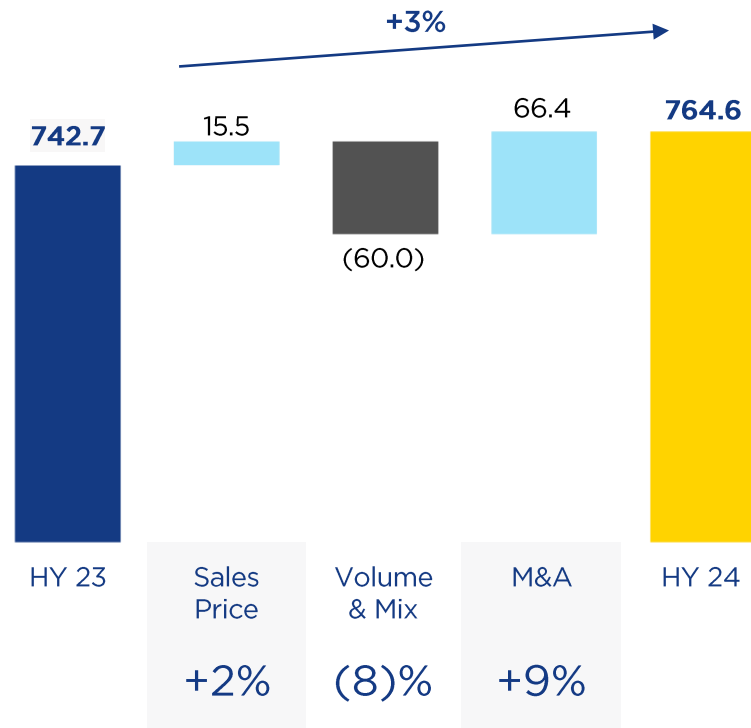


Notes: Underlying results are stated before acquisition-related expenses, property gains and losses, amortisation of acquisition intangibles, AIM to Main Market costs (2023 only) and related tax items. ROIC is post-tax return on average invested capital. Covenant Leverage is as defined by the Group's banking facilities. This excludes the impact of IFRS 16 and includes the proforma impact of M&A.

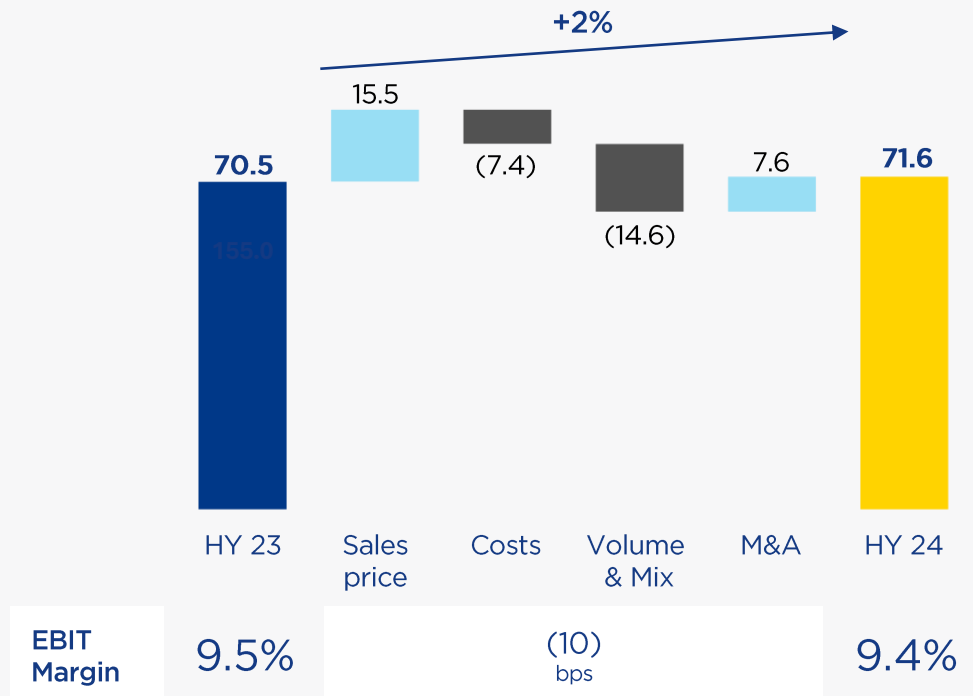
H1 2024 Revenue and EBIT bridges

Third platform and pricing offset volume headwinds

Revenue bridge £m



EBIT bridge £m



Economic and political landscape stabilising

Growth expected in all markets from 2025

Outlook and Summary

Macro forecasts revised

Construction output forecasts revised down for 2024, up for 2025

Healthy balance sheet

Highly cash generative model enables rapid debt reduction

Increasing political clarity

New UK and US Governments supportive, government at Stormont resumed

Strategic flexibility

Maintain progressive dividend, invest for growth, execute M&A pipeline

Structural long-term drivers

Significant housing and infrastructure deficits across all three platforms

Factors in our control

Enhance operational excellence, maintain disciplined execution

Management expectations unchanged for the full year

Breedon in the US: BMC and beyond



Building a third platform

Replicating the Breedon model

Market with long-term growth prospects

A robust legal system

A reliable planning regime

A benign local culture

With minimal political risk



Confidence
in replicating the
Breedon model in
a third platform

M&A strategic priority; US scale-up

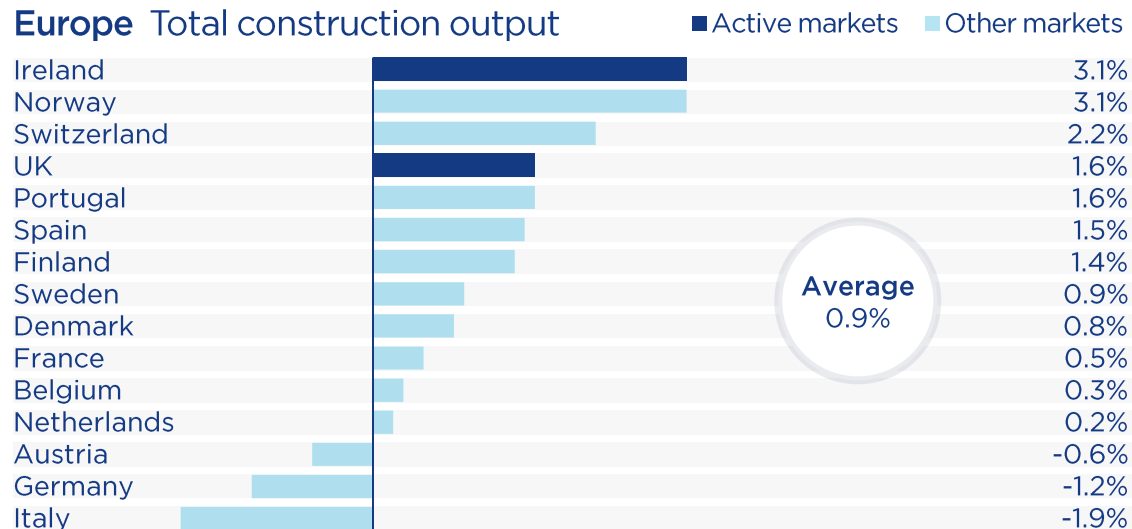
US construction materials markets; high relative growth, highly fragmented

High relative growth

US Construction starts

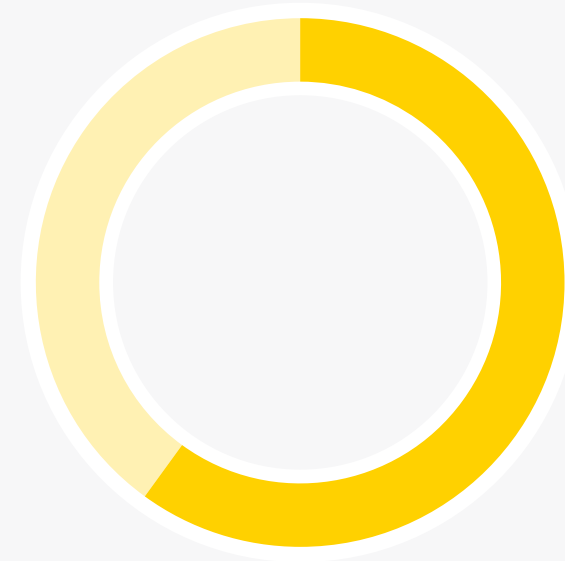


Europe Total construction output



Highly fragmented

Top 10 market share
40%
Comprising global and domestic majors



Rest of market market share
60%
Over 5,000 companies managing close to 11,000 operations

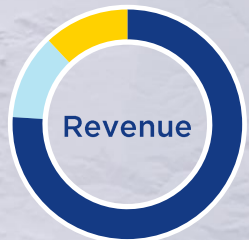
BMC at a glance

Breedon's platform for growth in the US

Sales mix



Residential	50%
Non-residential	25%
Non-building	25%



Ready-mix concrete	76%
Aggregates	12%
Building products	12%

A leading Missouri producer



Product mix

Aggregates

- 2023 tonnes: c.2.8m
- No. of locations: 12
- c.440m short tons¹ reserves and resources

Ready-mixed concrete

- 2023 cu yd²: c.740k
- No. of plants: 44
- Highly technical team

Building products

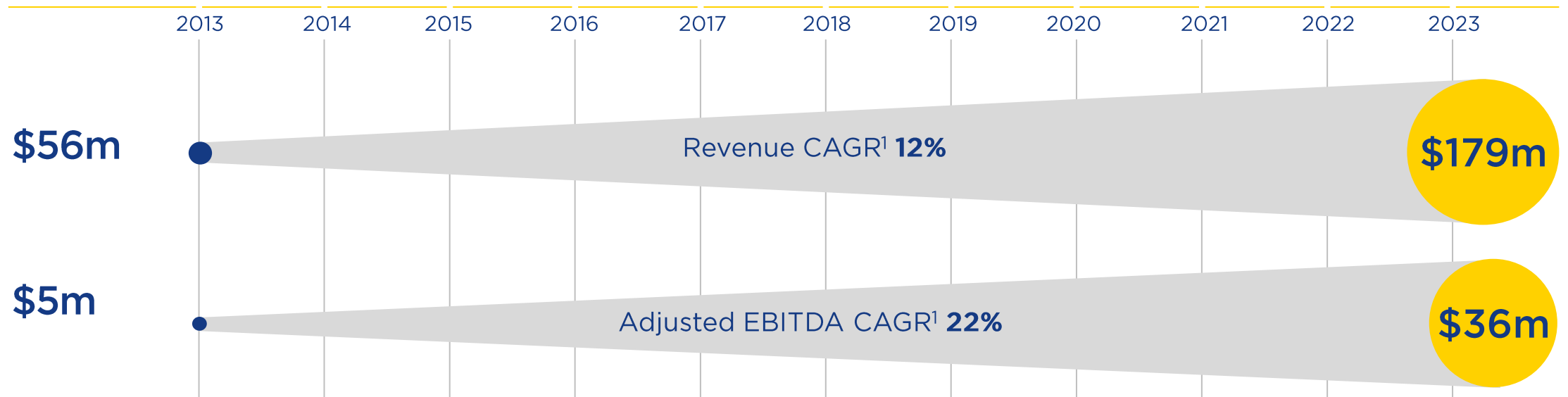
- No. of plants: 10
- Focused on meeting customer needs

1. One metric tonne is equal to 1.1 US short tons.

2. One cubic metre is equal to 1.3 cubic yards.

Strong track record of growth

Familiar profile



Note: BMC financials are unaudited and have been prepared under US GAAP.
1. CAGR: Compound Annual Growth Rate 2013-2023.

Acquisition of BMC

Meeting Breedon's transaction returns criteria

Transaction Highlights

- Enterprise Value - \$300m
- Cash Consideration - \$285m
- Share Consideration - \$15m (held for at least 1 year)
- Customary adjustments and retentions

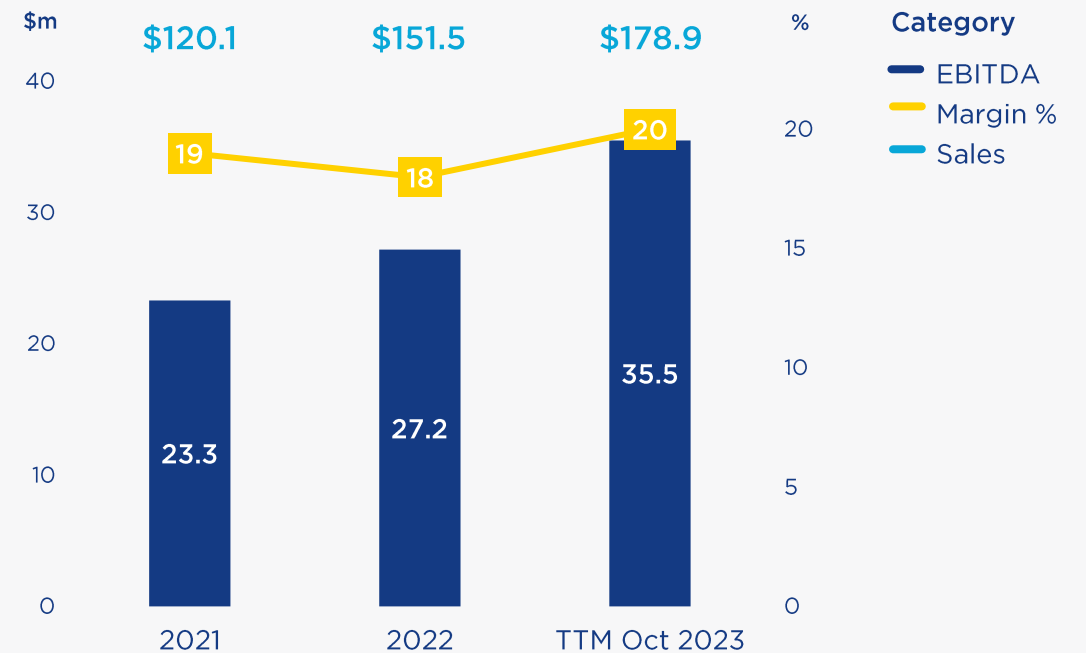
Key metrics

- Valuation c.8.5x TTM Oct 23 EBITDA
- Earnings enhancing in first full year
- Pro-forma leverage of 1.4x

Key dates

- Announcement - March 6 2024
- Completion - March 7 2024

Financial performance



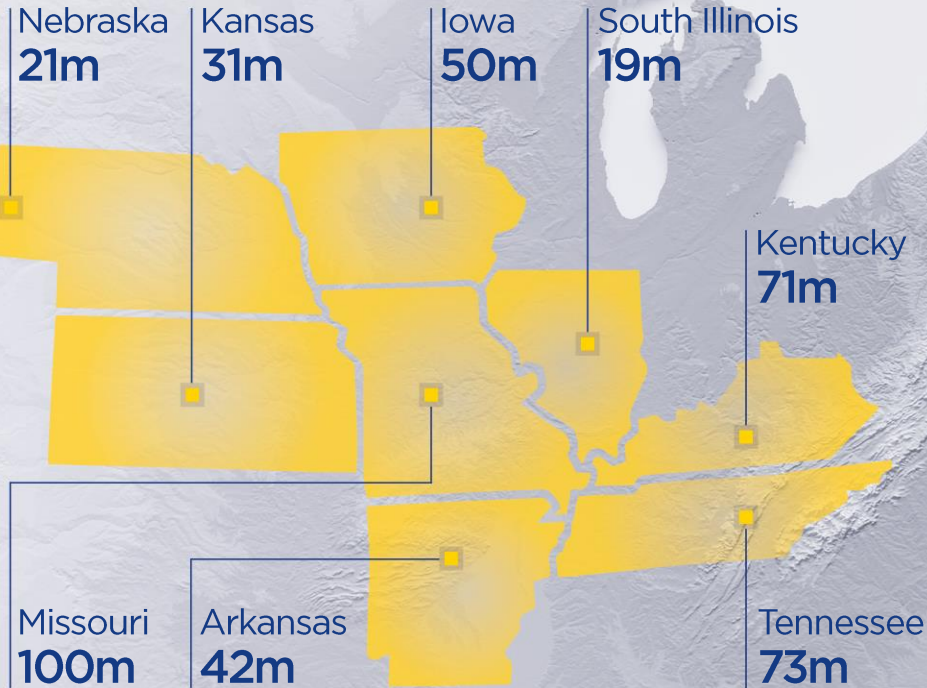
The Midwest opportunity



Target markets: Aggregates production >2x GB

GDP comparable

Demand
2023



Midwest
408m
short tons

GDP
2023

Midwest
\$3.2trn¹

1. Midwest GDP includes Illinois state

UK
\$3.5trn

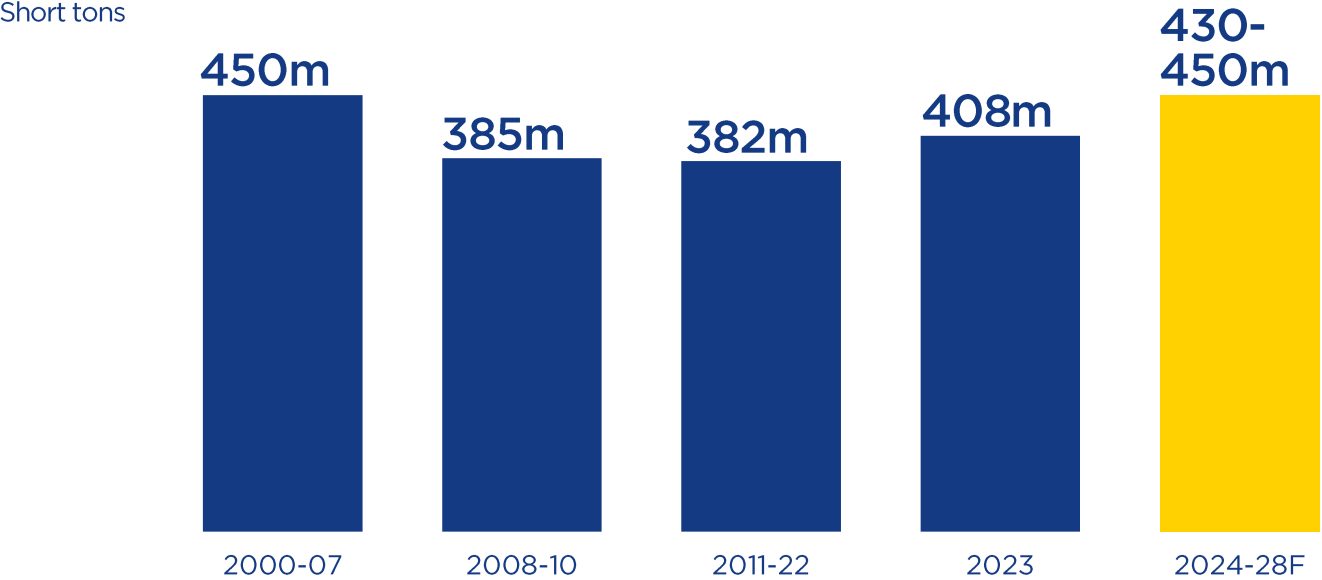
Great Britain
178m
short tons

Rising Midwest materials consumption

Returning to pre-global financial crisis levels



Midwest average aggregates consumption p.a.
Short tons

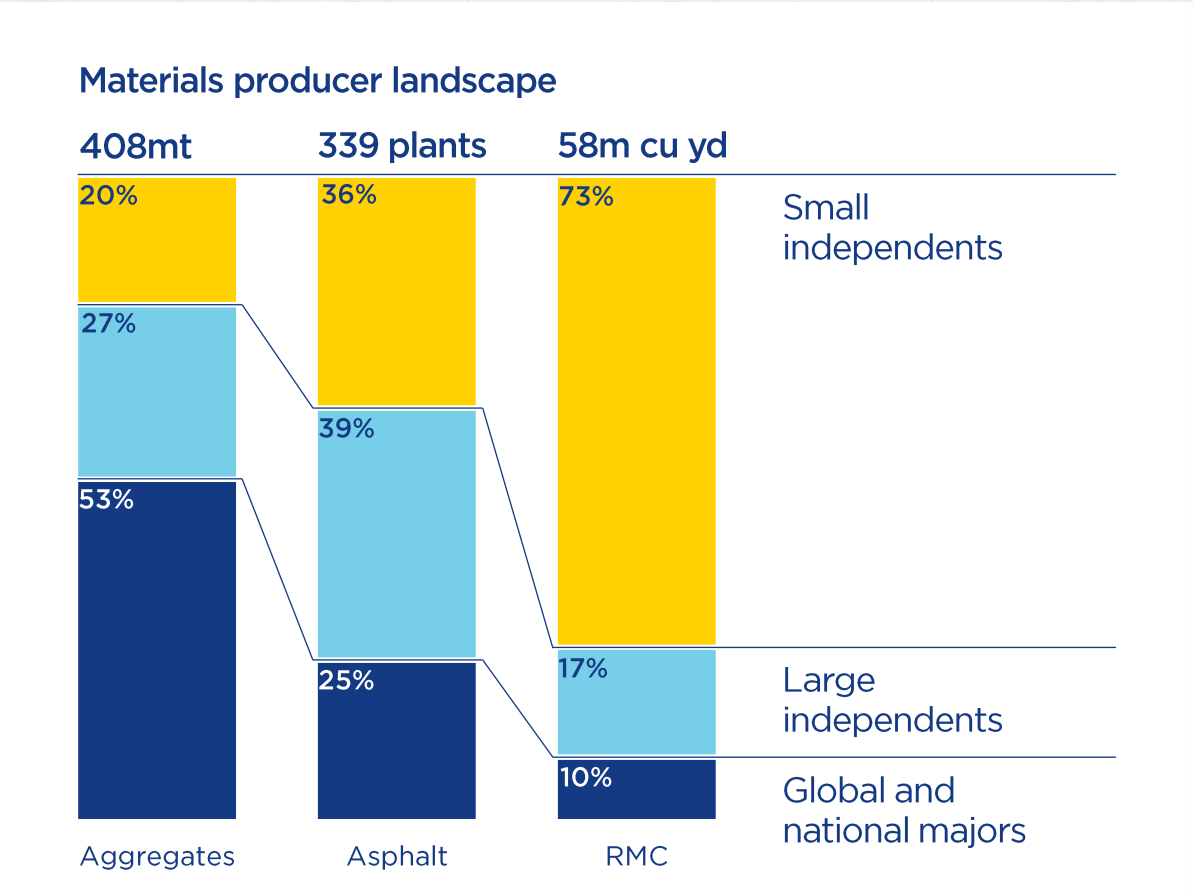


Asphalt ton	N/A	46m*	45m	52m	59m
RMC cu yd	61m	45m	50m	58m	61m

Note: * Average for 2009 and 2010
Source: USGS; NAPA; FMI; Woods & Poole, NRMCA; L.E.K. research and analysis

Significant Midwest consolidation opportunity

Highly fragmented markets



Note: Small independents operate five or less quarries or plants.

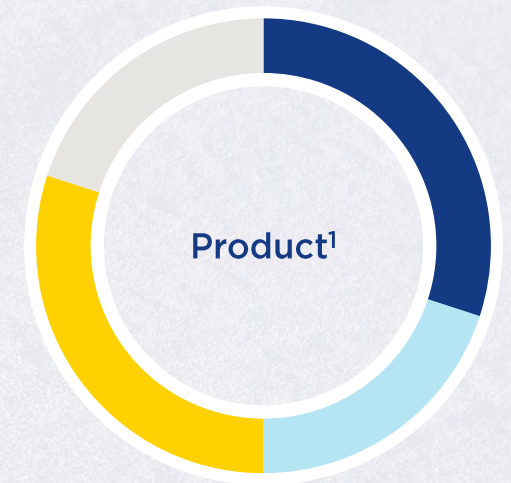
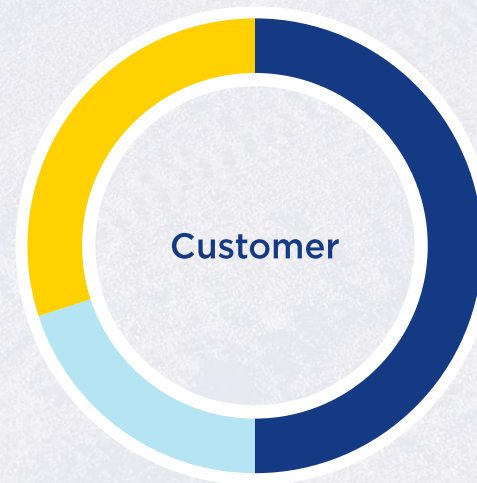
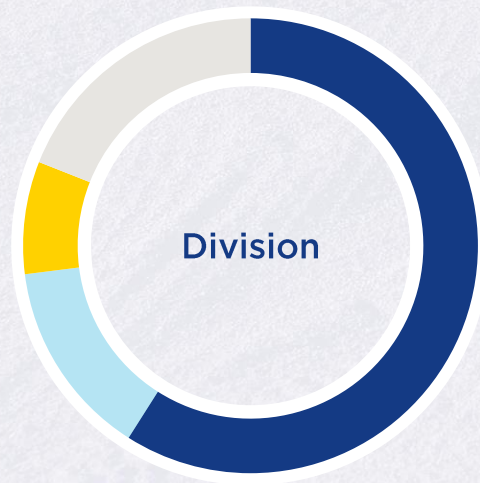
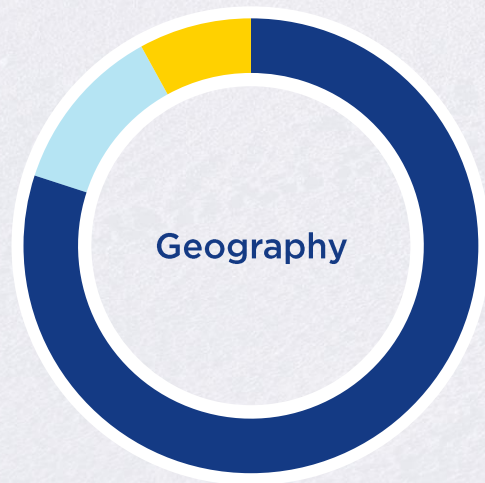


Appendix



Breedon pro-forma* 2023

Sales mix



Note: * See glossary for definition.

1. Product data excludes surfacing, building products and other.

2024 technical guidance

Management expectations unchanged for the full year

Income statement

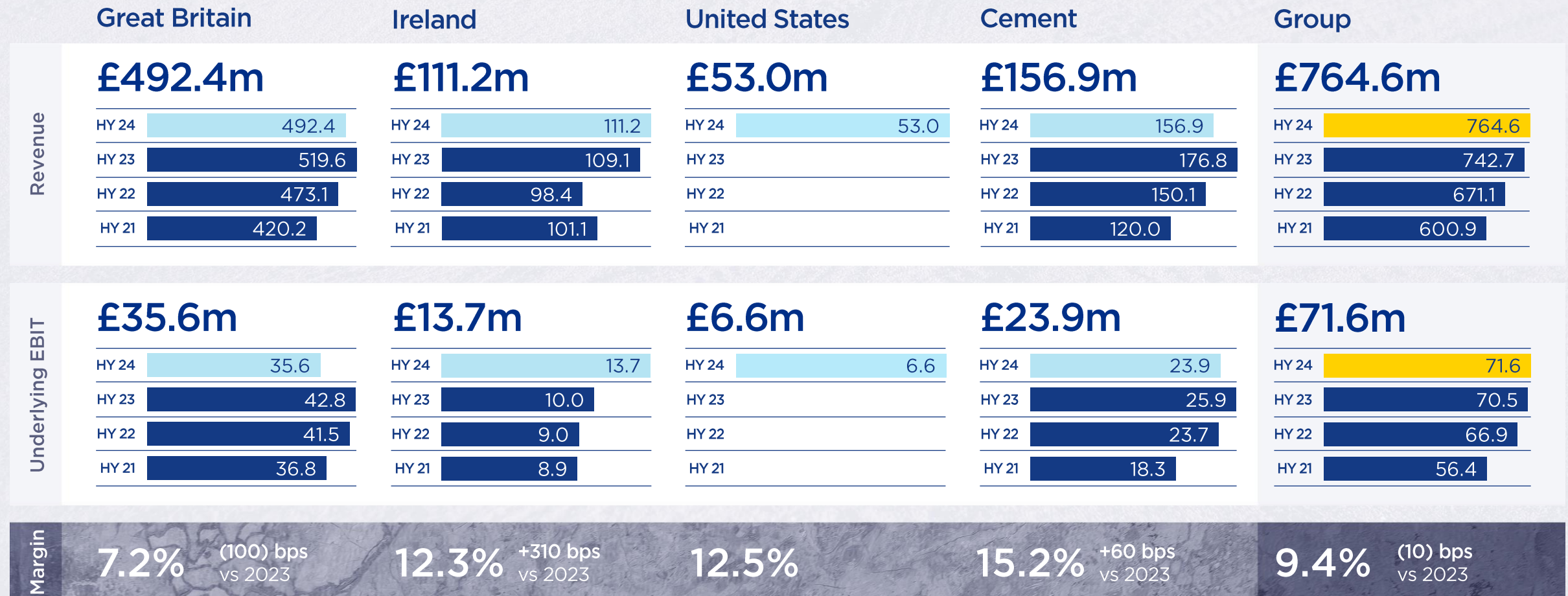
- Net interest expense c.£22m
- Effective tax rate c.22% (cash tax payments materially in line with that of effective rate)
- Underlying EBIT slightly more weighted to H2 in 2024

Cashflow

- Cash interest c.£25m
- Working capital outflow c.£30m
- Capital expenditure c.£130m
- Cash cost of dividends paid in 2024 £48m

H1 2024 divisional contributions

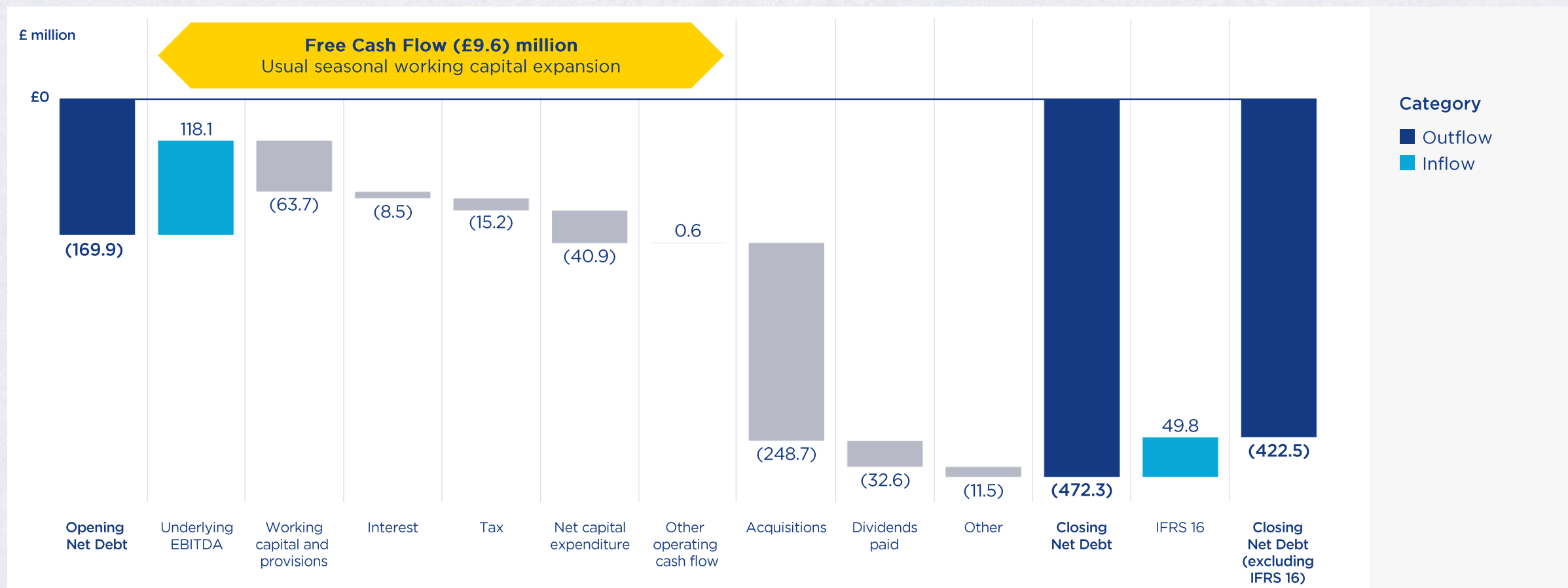
Ireland strongest performance since acquisition



Note: Divisional revenue and EBIT excludes eliminations, head office costs and JV/Associates.

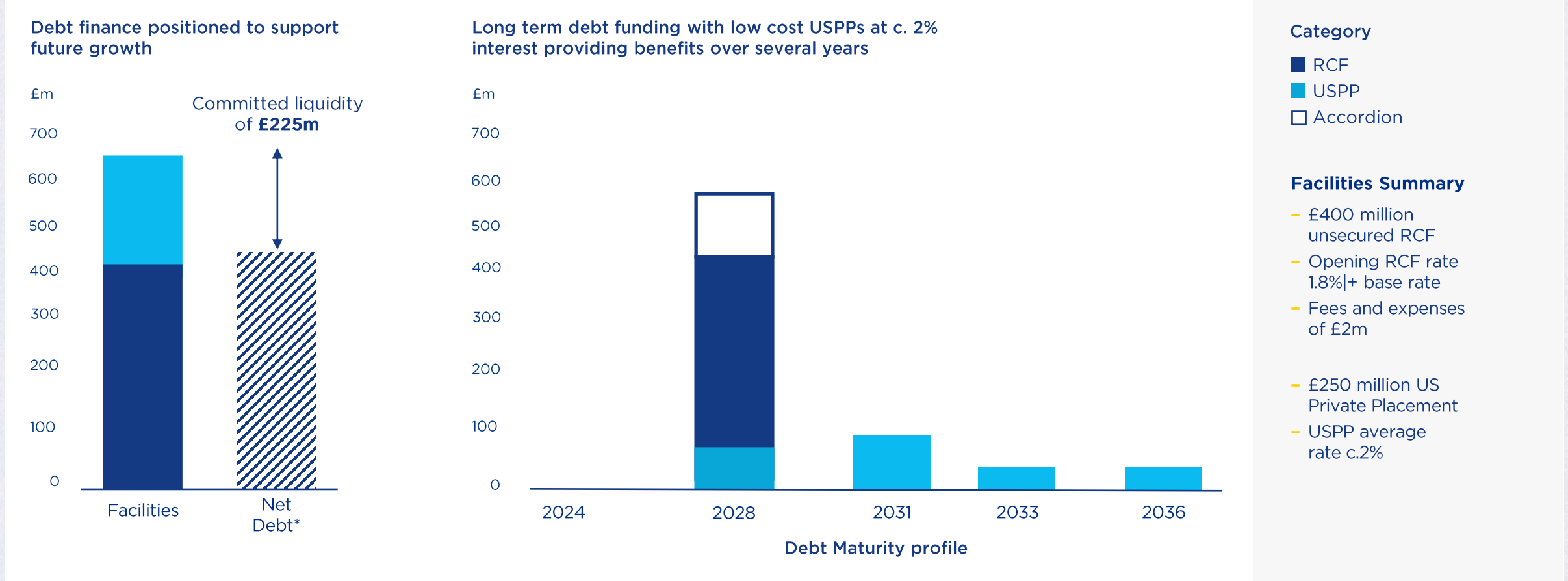
H1 2024 Net Debt and cash flow

Debt increased to finance BMC acquisition



Long-term committed borrowing facilities

RCF upsized to £400m and maturity extended to at least June 2028



* Net debt as at 30 June 2024 excludes IFRS 16 lease liabilities.

Disciplined cost management

Flexible cost base supported by forward hedging programme

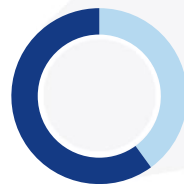
34% Materials & other direct costs

- Includes imported cement, bitumen, subcontractor and direct mineral costs
- Cost inflation moderated and successfully passed on through pricing.

21% Other

- Depreciation
- Repairs & maintenance
- Administrative expenses

c.40% Fixed
c.60% Variable



12% Energy, fuels and carbon

- Energy and carbon costs principally due to cement manufacture
- Hedging strategy provides cost certainty and manages risk
- Fuel cost aligned to market rates
- Other fuels purchased at spot and passed on

16% Workforce

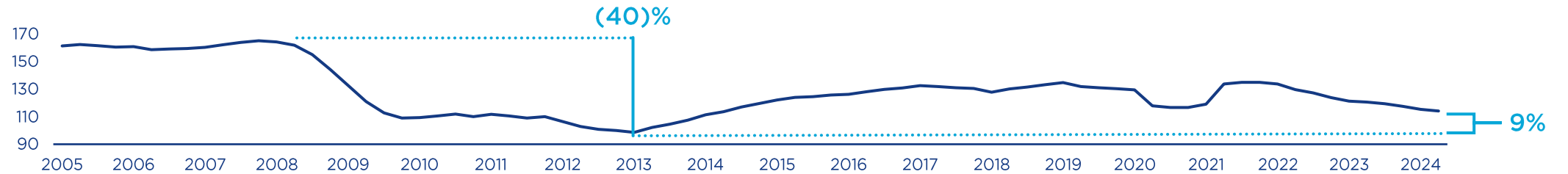
- Highly engaged workforce of 4,500 people
- Wage rise in 2024, supporting colleagues with cost of living pressures

17% Distribution

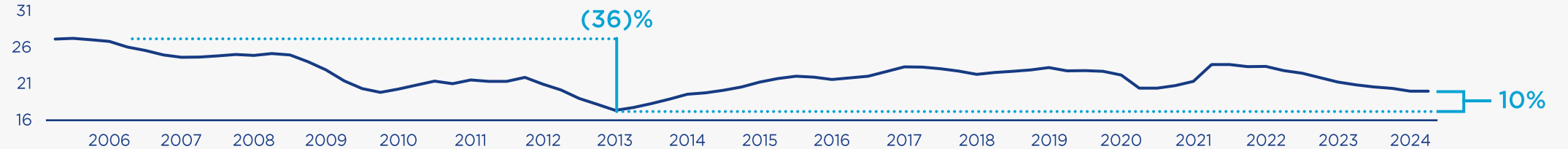
- Flexible mix of directly employed and outsourced hauliers
- Costs passed on at point of sale

MPA volumes

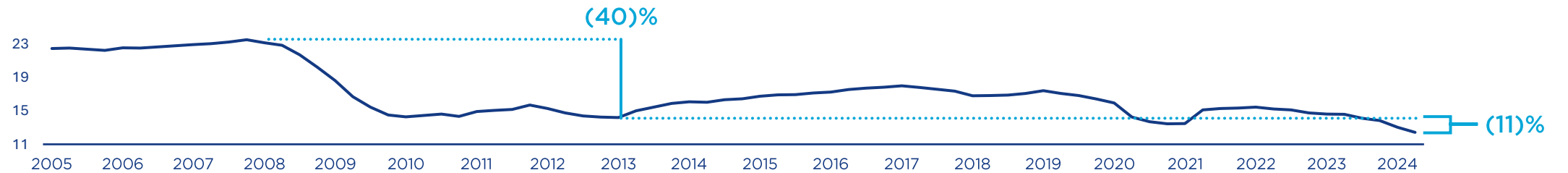
MPA
Aggregates
volumes
(million
tonnes)



MPA
Asphalt
volumes
(million
tonnes)



MPA Ready-
mixed
concrete
volumes
(million m³)

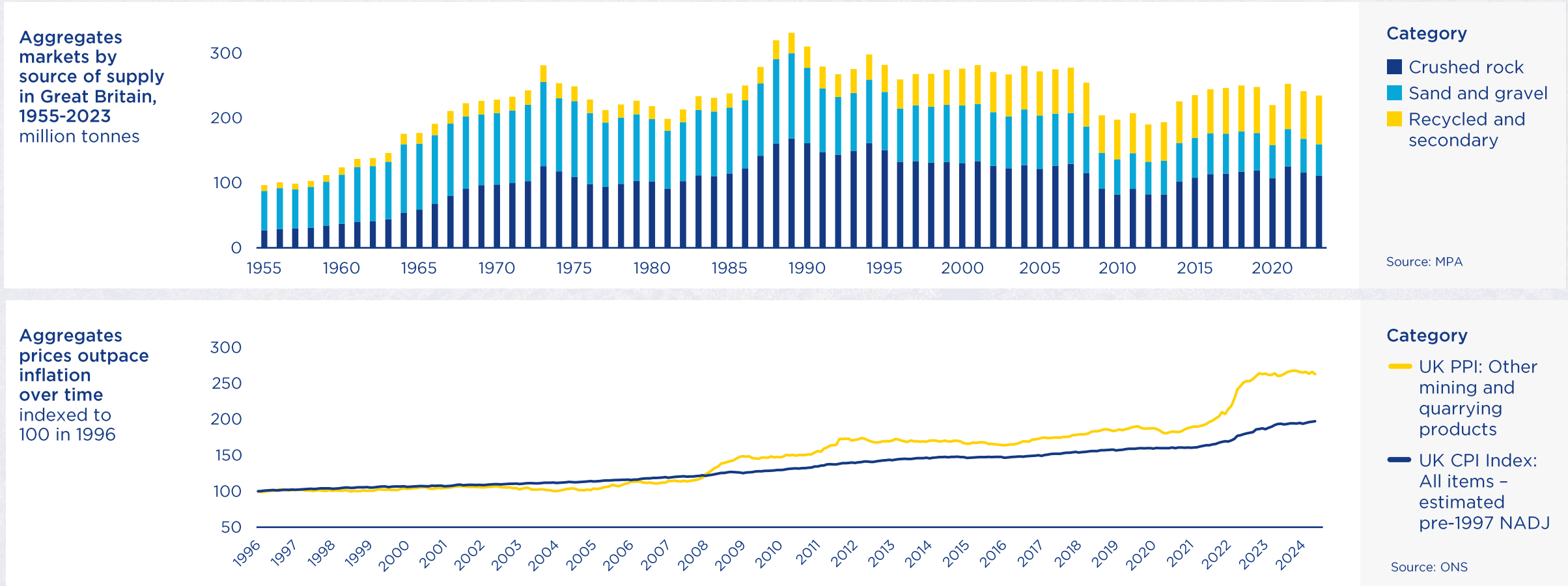


Note: Percentages show the % fall from peak to trough and the % recovery of the peak to trough fall to date. MPA data to Q2 2024.

Source: MPA member volumes. Product volumes reflect total market volumes for primary aggregates and MPA member volumes for asphalt and ready-mixed concrete.

Aggregates pricing outpaces inflation

Asset base and local model provide a natural inflation hedge



Market consensus

Company compiled as at 31 December 2024

	2024		2025	
	Value	Range	Value	Range
Revenue	£1,604m	£1,569m – £1,667m	£1,697m	£1,651m – £1,774m
Underlying EBIT	£170m	£167m – £173m	£187m	£185m – £191m
Underlying basic earnings per share	33.1p	32.0p – 35.7p	36.7p	35.3p – 38.3p
Net debt	£424m	£414m – £437m	£382m	£346m – £440m
Dividend per share	13.8p	12.1p – 15.0p	15.0p	14.4p – 15.6p

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