

### **INTERIM RESULTS** FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2013

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## HIGHLIGHTS FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2013

#### TOTAL REVENUE UP 2% TO £78.1 MILLION (2012: £76.5 MILLION)

— Retail revenue up 6%, up 4% like-for-like

- UK retail up 5%
- International retail up 29%
- Wholesale down 5%

#### PROFIT BEFORE TAX OF £7.2 MILLION (2012: £10.0 MILLION)

Reflecting continued investment in international expansion and increased seasonality

#### ON TRACK WITH OUR KEY STRATEGIC INITIATIVES

- Second UK factory completed on time and to budget
- Nine new international stores opened during the period
- New global web platform launched during July 2013
- Continued to build a strong team

# **ON TRACK**



# AGENDA

**1. FINANCIAL REVIEW** 

2. OPERATING REVIEW

3. CURRENT TRADING AND OUTLOOK



# 1. FINANCIAL REVIEW





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# REVENUE BY CHANNEL VALUE OF SALES



Retail Wholesale

Note: Online included in retail sales



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### **INCOME STATEMENT** FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2013

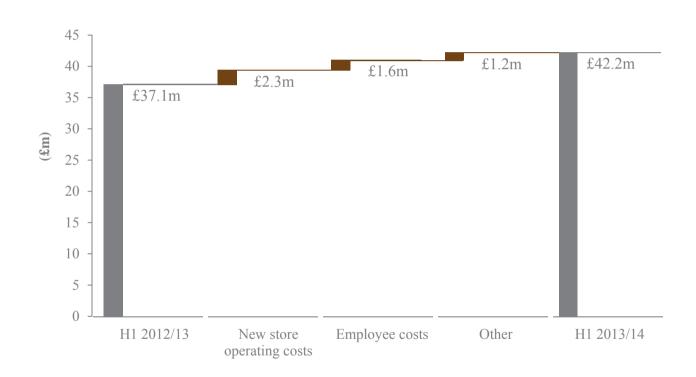
£ MILLION	30 SEPTEMBER 2012	30 SEPTEMBER 2013	VARIANCE
Revenue	76.5	78.1	+2%
Gross profit	46.9	49.2	+5%
Gross margin	61.3%	63.0%	
Administrative expenses (net)	(37.1)	(42.2)	+14%
Operating profit	9.8	7.1	-28%
Operating margin	12.8%	9.1%	
Profit before tax	10.0	7.2	-28%
Basic earnings per share (pence)	12.9	8.7	-33%

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## NET ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2013



Note: New store operating costs include employee costs related to the new stores



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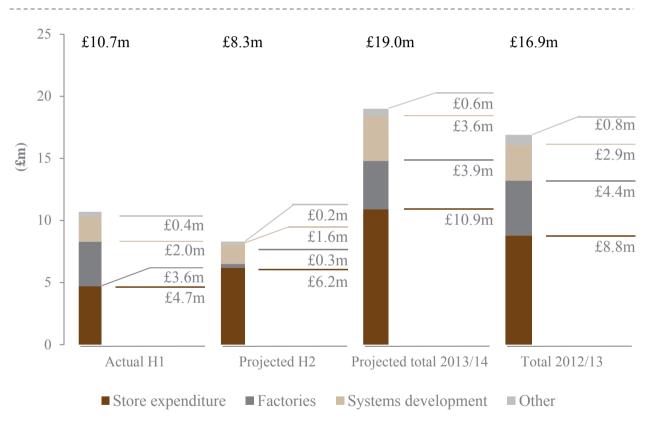
## BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30 SEPTEMBER 2013

BALANCE SHEET (£ MILLION)	30 SEPTEMBER 2012	31 MARCH 2013	30 SEPTEMBER 2013
Fixed assets and investments	33.8	39.7	46.0
Inventories	36.9	35.7	33.4
Trade and other receivables	17.2	14.2	17.4
Cash	12.6	21.9	11.1
Current liabilities	(33.8)	(32.8)	(26.9)
Shareholders' funds	66.6	78.7	81.0



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## CAPITAL EXPENDITURE ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31 MARCH 2014



# INVESTMENT



# 2. OPERATING REVIEW

MULBERRY



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# **KEY PRIORITIES**

- 1. CREATIVE DIRECTOR APPOINTMENT
- 2. INTERNATIONAL EXPANSION
- 3. RAISE GLOBAL BRAND AWARENESS
- 4. CONSISTENT GLOBAL BRANDING, LOCAL RESONANCE
- 5. SOURCING AND PRODUCTION



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### **INTERNATIONAL EXPANSION** OPENED 9 NEW STORES IN THE SIX MONTHS TO 30 SEPTEMBER 2013

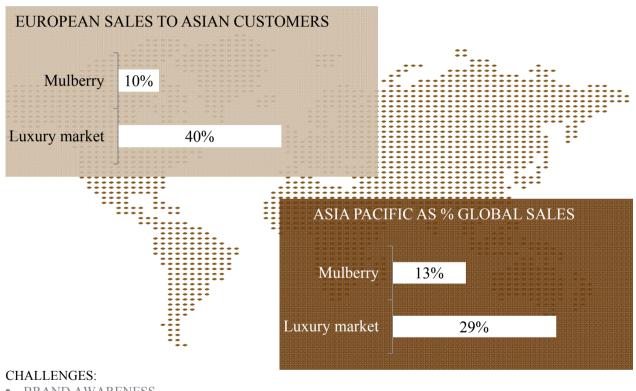


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### **INTERNATIONAL EXPANSION** UNDER-EXPOSURE TO ASIA: A CHALLENGE AND AN OPPORTUNITY



- BRAND AWARENESS
- AVAILABILITY OF PRIME LOCATIONS
- SIGNIFICANT INVESTMENT REQUIRED



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## RAISING BRAND AWARENESS COMMUNICATION: BRAND ACTIVITY, CONSUMER EVENTS, LONDON FASHION WEEK



# **AUTHENTIC LUXURY**



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# RAISING BRAND AWARENESS HARRODS CHRISTMAS WINDOWS AND POP-UP STORE





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# **ONLINE** UPGRADED WEB PLATFORM IN JULY 2013

#### UPGRADED PLATFORM TO OPTIMISE MULBERRY'S ONLINE PRESENCE

#### E-COMMERCE

- Responsive design optimised for tablet, mobile and desktop
- Refined site navigation and sophisticated worldwide payment gateway
- Rich product focus

#### COMMUNICATION

- Rich editorial content
- Social media integration
- Local language, currency and content to follow for key international markets – e.g. Mandarin translation





# **BRAND VISIBILITY**



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## PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT NEW HANDBAG LAUNCHES PERFORMING STRONGLY



DOUBLE ZIP BAYSWATER

NEW AW13 STYLES PRICED ABOVE £1,000 ARE PERFORMING STRONGLY

#### WILLOW

4<sup>TH</sup> BESTSELLING BAG BY VALUE 3<sup>RD</sup> BESTSELLING BAG IN USA

#### DOUBLE ZIP BAYSWATER

HIGHEST FULL PRICE SELL-THROUGH OF ALL AW13 SEASONAL BAGS

#### BALANCED WITH CONTINUED INNOVATION AT ENTRY PRICE POINT



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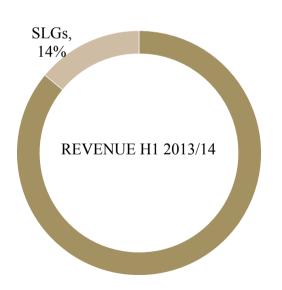
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## PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT SMALL LEATHER GOODS SALES GROWING

# INCREASED COLOUR AND STYLE OPTIONS FOR AW13

SMALL LEATHER GOODS AND GIFTS SALES UP 8%

NOW 14% OF SALES, UP FROM 13% LAST YEAR





# OPPORTUNITY



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## PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT MEN'S



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## PRODUCTION NEW FACTORY COMPLETED

#### "WILLOWS" FACTORY IN SOMERSET COMPLETED ON TIME AND TO BUDGET

- Production commenced during June 2013 and training phase on schedule with 240 of 300 staff now on site
- On track to achieve target of 50% of handbags made in England for AW14

#### LEATHER SOURCING REMAINS AN ONGOING CHALLENGE



# DELIVERING



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# **OPERATIONS** SYSTEMS UPGRADE UNDERWAY

#### SUPPLY CHAIN

- Supply chain system implementation underway, on track to go live in 2014/15
- Outcomes: End-to-end visibility, efficient planning and production allocation, improved forecasting and inventory management

#### CUSTOMER RELATIONSHIP MANAGEMENT (CRM)

- Global roll-out of a new point of sale system commenced in Europe
- Once the roll-out is complete, a new CRM system will be implemented to deliver significantly improved CRM capability from 2014/15



# EFFICIENCY



# 3. CURRENT TRADING AND OUTLOOK





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# CURRENT TRADING AND OUTLOOK

#### RETAIL

- Retail sales up 3% for the nine weeks to 30 November 2013 (excluding the sample sale, moved from November to Q4)
- International retail sales up 49% for the nine weeks to 30 November 2013
- On track to open 15 stores during 2013/14

#### WHOLESALE

— Expect wholesale sales trend to continue for the full year, with continued impact of cautious ordering

#### CAPITAL EXPENDITURE

— Expect approximately £19m for full year 2013/14

#### PARIS FLAGSHIP LOCATION SECURED

- Prime location in Rue Saint-Honoré
- Target opening in 2014/15
- Important milestone to increase global visibility

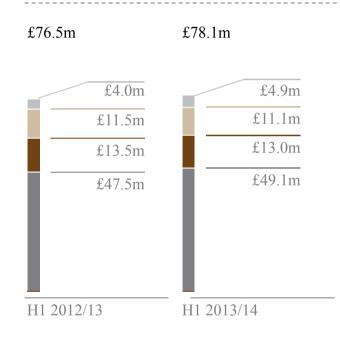


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## APPENDIX REVENUE BY REGION







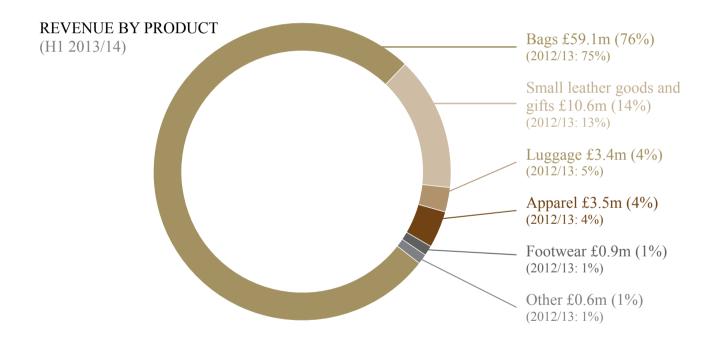
## **APPENDIX** WORLDWIDE RETAIL FOOTPRINT: SEPTEMBER 2013

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	Department store Shop-in-Shop	Free Standing Stores	Total	Changes from 31 March 2013
Directly Operated Stores				
UK	25	19	44	-1
Europe	3	7	10	+2
North America	-	9	9	+3
Total Own Stores	28	35	63	+4
Partner Stores				
Scandinavia	-	9	9	-
Other European	-	1	1	+1
South Korea	23	1	24	-
Other Asia Pacific	5	15	20	+2
Middle East	1	5	6	+1
Total Partner Stores	29	31	60	+4
Total Retail Footprint	57	66	123	+8



### APPENDIX REVENUE BY PRODUCT





### APPENDIX EXTENDING THE PRODUCT MIX

