



# **2016 Full Year Financial Results**

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# Strategic ambitions



A group portfolio generating superior returns with 6 – 8 assets and an average mine life of 8 – 10 years

6 – 8 active exploration and development programs of quality, including brownfields

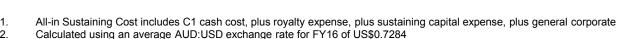
Open to all good gold, silver and copper-gold investment opportunities

We will prioritise Australia, but will be open to other opportunities

# FY16 financial highlights



- Outstanding financial results
  - Underlying profit up 114% to A\$226.9M
  - Statutory net loss of A\$24.3M after acquisition, integration and impairment costs
  - EBITDA increased by 123% to A\$607.5M
  - Record gold production up 84% to 803,476oz
  - Record low AISC<sup>1</sup> of A\$1,014/oz (US\$739/oz)<sup>2</sup>
  - Record operating cash flow of A\$628.4M and net mine cash flow of A\$428.2M
- Healthy balance sheet
  - Gearing reduced from a peak of 32%<sup>3</sup> to 15%
  - Final dividend up 100% to 2cps (unfranked)



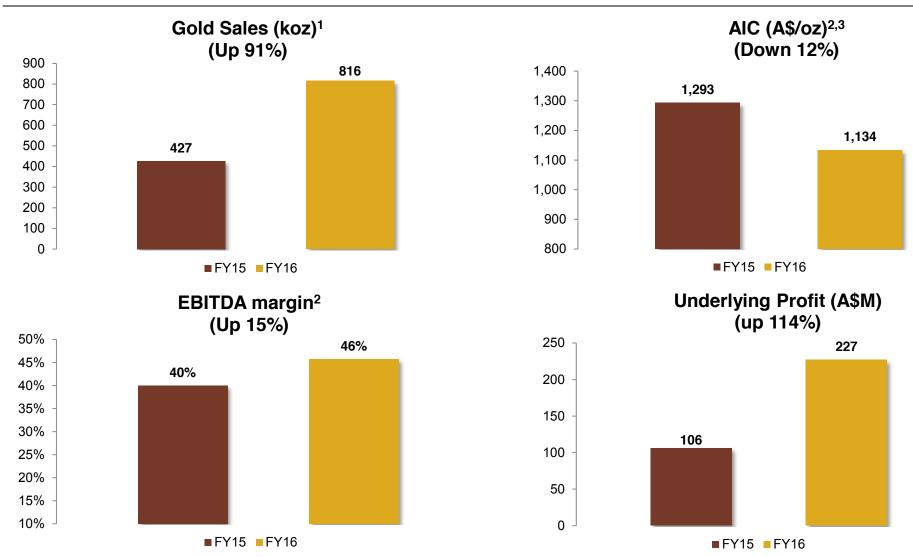
<sup>3.</sup> Post completion of Cowal and Mungari acquisitions



Delivering superior returns through capital growth and increased dividends

## Profit metrics continue to improve



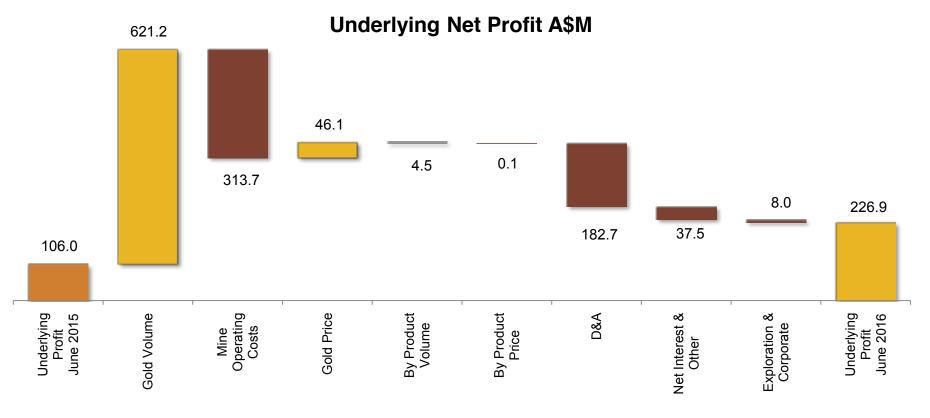


- Gold sales are gold only not gold equivalent
- 2. EBITDA margin and AIC are non-IFRS financial information and are not subject to audit
- B. Includes C1 cash cost, plus royalty expense, sustaining capital, general corporate and administration expense, growth (major project) capital and discovery expenditure. Calculated on per ounce sold basis

## Record underlying net profit



- Benefits realised from successful integration of Cowal and Mungari
  - EBITDA contributions of A\$222.2M (Cowal) and A\$115.1M (Mungari)
- Gold price increase (A\$108/oz) delivered A\$46.1M to original five assets
- Higher interest and financing costs relate to new debt facility for Cowal acquisition

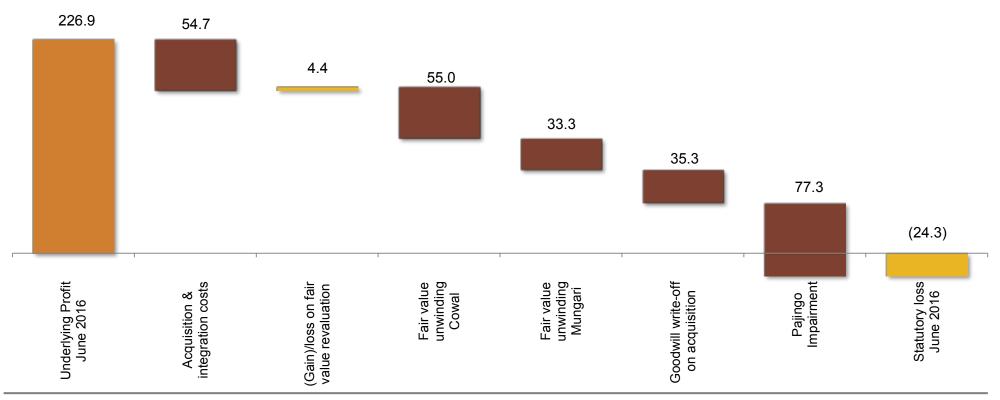


## Statutory loss reconciliation



- Stamp duty for Cowal and Mungari of A\$48.1M
- Integration costs of A\$6.6M
- Acquisition accounting fair value unwinding of A\$84.0M
- Impairment on sale of Pajingo of A\$77.3M

## Reconciliation of Underlying to Statutory Loss A\$M

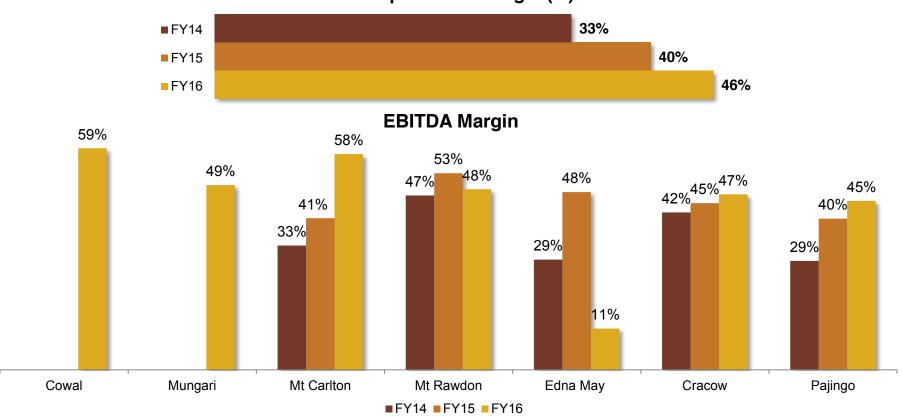


## **EBITDA** margins



- Group EBITDA margins trending towards 50%
- Improved margins at majority of sites
- Outstanding performance from Mt Carlton
- Benefiting from a diversified portfolio

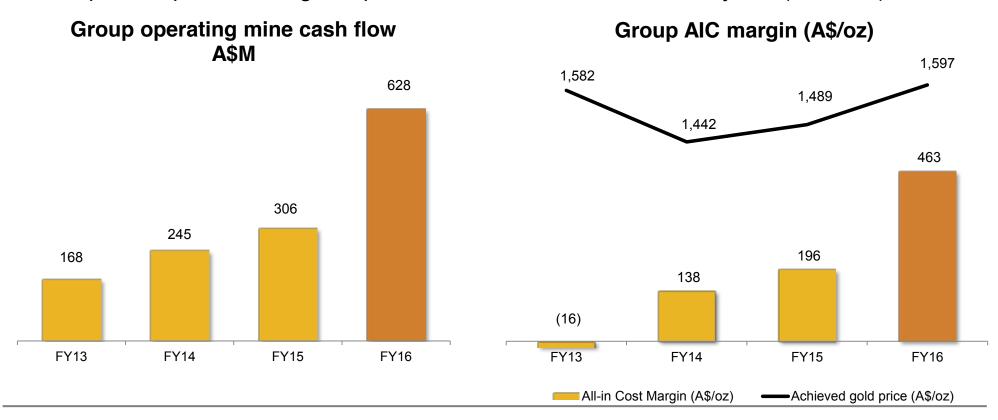
### **Group EBITDA Margin (%)**



## Operating mine cash flow & AIC margin



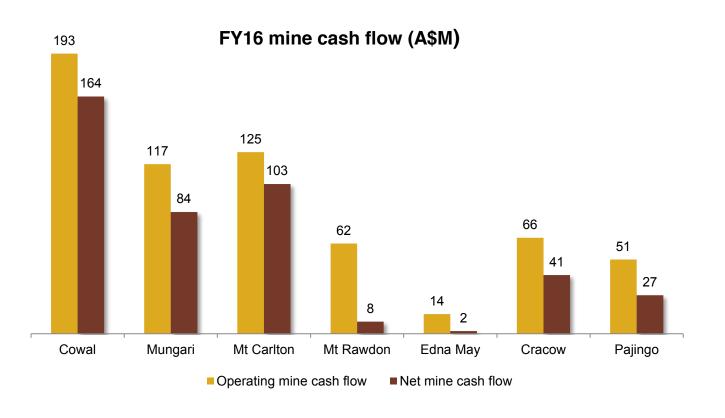
- Operating mine cash generation increased by 274% since 2013
- Group AIC Margin expanded each year for last four years
- Cash and margin growth achieved from improved asset quality; productivity improvements; and reduced cost pressures
- Gold price impact on margin expansion from FY13 to FY16 of only 1% (A\$15/oz)



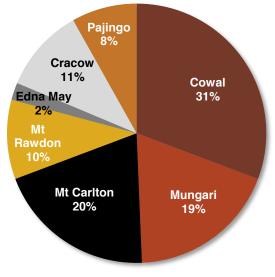
## Mine cash flow



- Net mine cash generation up 211%
- All assets cash flow positive after capital investment programs
- Strong contribution from Cowal, Mungari and Mt Carlton



## Operating mine cash flow contribution FY16

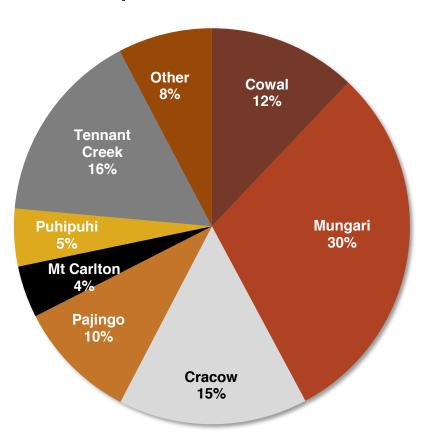


## **Discovery**



- Exploration expenditure increased by 15% to A\$27.8M (FY15: A\$24.0M)
- Increased resource definition spend of A\$14.9M undertaken to grow existing resource base (FY15: A\$10.0M)
  - Positive drill results from Cowal Stage H resource definition returning broad, consistent grades
  - Exploration success at Mungari Regional Johnson's Rest
  - Drilling at Mungari extended mineralisation at Frog's Leg and White Foil
  - Significant drill intersections at Mt Carlton supporting V2 pit extension and future underground potential
  - New mineralised structures identified by resource definition drilling at Cracow

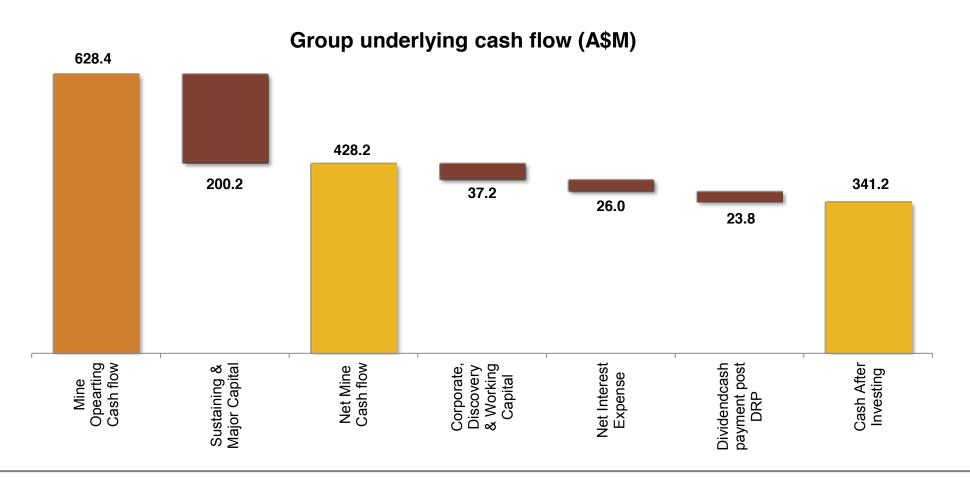
## **Exploration investment**



# Group underlying cash flow



- Record cash flow from operations underpinning Group growth strategy
- Sustaining and major capital in line with guidance
- Net cash flow allowing for rapid reduction in debt level

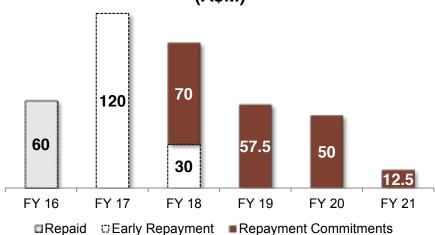


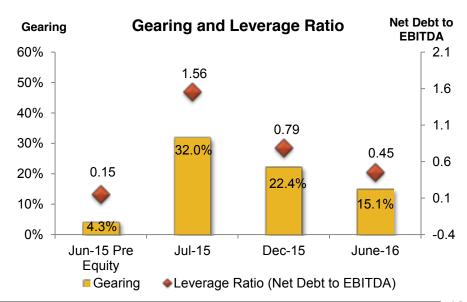
## **Balance sheet and gearing**



- Cash and undrawn debt of A\$220.0M
- Debt at end of FY16 of A\$285.0M
  - Revolver Facility: A\$95.0M
  - Term Facility: A\$190.0M
- A\$322.0M repaid during the year
  - Term facility repayments ahead by 15 months
  - Revolver facility reduced by A\$112.0M
- Gearing reduced to 15% from July 2015 peak of 32%
- Prudent level of hedging in place
  - Total of 706,989oz at A\$1,624/oz average
- Final dividend of 2 cps (unfranked) up 100%
  - Franked dividend expected from end of FY17

# Term loan facility amortisation profile (A\$M)





# **Updated FY17 guidance**



Updated FY17 Guidance	Gold production	C1 cash costs	All-in sustaining cost	D&A
	(oz)	(A\$/oz)	(A\$/oz)	(A\$/oz)
Cowal	245,000 – 260,000	615 – 675	885 – 945	240 - 250
Mungari	150,000 – 160,000	740 – 800	970 – 1,030	450 – 470
Mt Carlton	90,000 - 100,000	400 – 450	675 – 725	565 – 585
Mt Rawdon	90,000 - 100,000	690 – 770	960 – 1,040	475 – 495
Edna May	80,000 – 85,000	1,020 – 1,100	1,140 – 1,220	510 – 530
Cracow	80,000 – 85,000	740 – 800	1,100 – 1,160	550 – 570
Pajngo <sup>1</sup>	10,000	840 – 860	1,230 – 1,270	n/a
Corporate	-	-	30 – 35	
Revised Group <sup>2</sup>	745,000 – 800,000	675 – 735	970 – 1,030	420 - 450

- 1. Assumes Pajingo contribution to 1 September as per Evolution's announcement on 16 August 2016
- 2. Original Group guidance was 800,000-860,000oz at a cost of A\$685-745/oz (C1) and A\$985-1,045/oz (AISC)

## **Summary**



- Financial performance reflects quality of the portfolio
- Underlying profit up 114% to A\$226.9M
- Low cost producer with Group AISC of A\$1,014/oz (US\$739/oz)<sup>1</sup>
- Record operating cash flow of A\$628.4M and net mine cash flow of A\$428.2M
- Cash generation directed to deleveraging with A\$322.0M in debt repayments
- Gearing reduced down to 15%
- Consistent returns to shareholders via increased dividend payout rate
- Sale of Pajingo aligned to Evolution's strategy
- Revised FY17 Group gold production guidance of 745,000 800,000 ounces
- Revised FY17 AISC guidance to A\$970 A\$1,030 per ounce
- Fundamentals of the business in great shape to deliver superior returns
  - Calculated using an average AUD:USD exchange rate for FY16 of US\$0.7284





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