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## **Shelf Drilling Q2 2021 Results Highlights**

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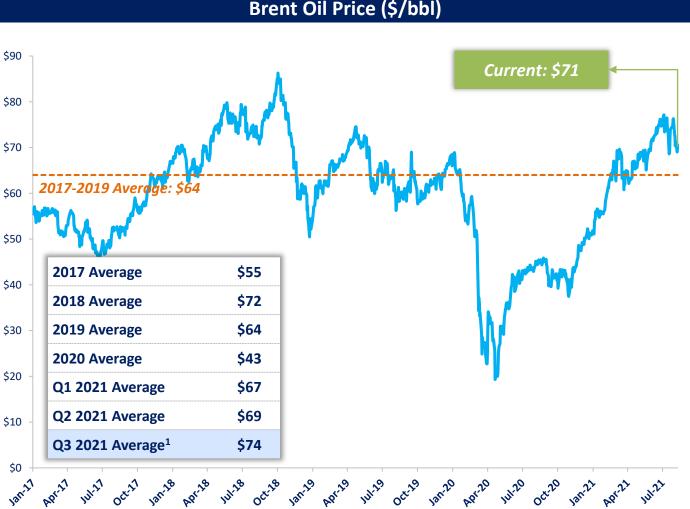
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#### Oil Price Development

- Brent crude oil prices reached a high of \$77 in the run-up to the July OPEC meeting which was the highest oil price since October 2018
- Barring a brief dip, Brent prices have held steady above \$70 level since the end of May
- Brent prices averaged higher Q2 2021 at \$69 as in compared to Q1 2021 at \$67
- Resumption in economic ٠ activity in US and Europe, increase in oil and gas demand and global vaccine rollouts have led to this resilience in oil price



#### **Brent Oil Price (\$/bbl)**

Source: Bloomberg, as of 11 August 2021.

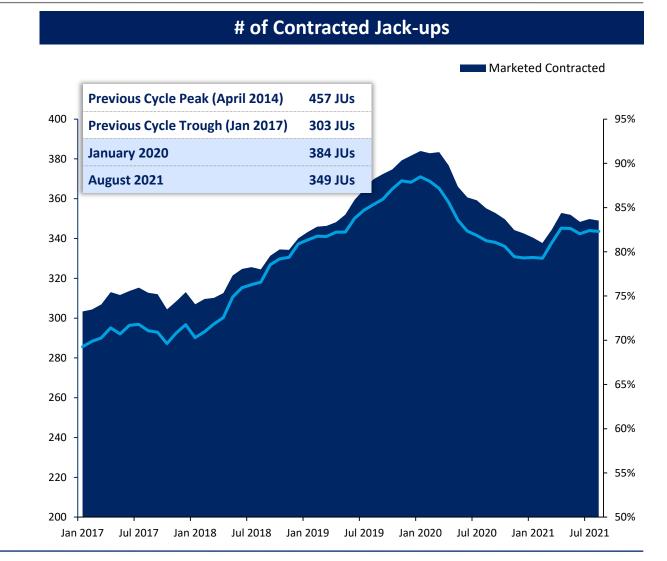
Note (1): Q3 2021 Average Brent oil price based on 1 July to 11 August 2021.



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#### **Global Jack-up Fleet**

- The improvement in the Brent price is also reflected in the global jack-up tendering and marketing activity
- Global number of contracted jack-ups has increased from 343 rigs as of end of 2020 to 349 rigs in August 2021
  - Marketed utilization has improved from 79% to 82% during the same period
- Expect further uplift in shallow water activity in 2022 with current commodity price outlook



#### SHLF Near-Term Objectives Remain Unchanged



## Keeping our rigs/operations safe and free from COVID-19

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### 2 Maintaining business continuity

#### **3** Preserving cash / liquidity

### **MITIGATING MEASURES**

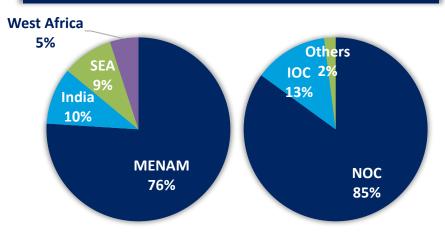
- Effective and safe crew changes / people movement
- Working closely with customers to implement COVID-19 protocols
- Frequent employee communication
- Comprehensive cost reduction
- Completed \$310 million notes offering
- Several new contracts/extensions in 2021

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#### Fleet Status Summary

Fleet Status Summary (As of 12 August 2021)								
	Contracted	Available	Total <sup>1</sup>	% Contracted	Contract Expirations			
					Q3 2021	Q4 2021	2022	2023+
MENAM	10	2	12	83%	-	1	3	6
Arabian Gulf <sup>2</sup>	7	1	8	88%	-	-	2	5
NAF/Med <sup>3</sup>	3	1	4	75%	-	1	1	1
India	7	1	8	88%	1	-	3	3
West Africa	5	1	6	83%	-	1	3	1
SE Asia	4	0	4	100%	-	-	4	-
Total	26	4	30	87%	1	2	13	10

#### Total Backlog – \$1,603 Million (As of 30 Jun 2021)



#### **Recent Developments**

- SD Tenacious: Secured 1-year plus options contract with CABGOC, Angola
- Baltic: Secured ~380-day plus options contract with Total, Nigeria
- SD Mentor: Secured 1 firm well plus options contract with Mercuria, Congo
- Rig 141: Secured 4-month extension with Gempetco, Egypt
- Key Manhattan: Completed suspension and resumed operations with Eni, Italy
- High Island II: Completed 3-yearly contractual recertification project
- High Island VII: Completed contract with ADNOC Drilling, and subsequently sold
- Compact Driller: Completed contract with ADNOC Drilling
- Harvey H. Ward completed contract with ONGC, India

Note (1): Total excludes Randolph Yost jack-up rig – stacked/held for sale, and High Island VII – sale agreement signed in July 2021.

Note (2): Arabian Gulf includes Saudi Arabia, UAE, Bahrain and Oman.

Note (3): North Africa & Mediterranean include Italy, Tunisia and Egypt operations.



# Q2 2021 Results

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#### **Results of Operations**



(In thousands USD)	Q1 2021	Q2 2021
Revenues	\$ 129,737	\$130,510
Operating Costs & Expenses		
Operating and maintenance	74,287	81,737
Depreciation	16,126	16,264
Amortization of deferred costs	9,258	9,720
General and administrative	9,642	14,562
Gain on disposal of assets	(774)	(139)
Operating income	21,198	8,366
Other Expense, Net		
Interest expense and financing charges, net of interest income <sup>1</sup>	(33,062)	(26,695)
Other, net	134	151
Loss Before Income Taxes	(11,730)	(18,178)
Income tax expense	4,644	4,461
Net Loss	\$(16,374)	\$(22,639)

Note (1): "Interest expense and financing charges, net of interest income" includes the one-time \$10.1 million loss on debt extinguishment in relation to our debt refinancing transactions in Q1 2021.

#### **Revenue Summary**

- \$0.8 million, or 0.6%, sequential increase in revenues:
  - Average dayrate increased 6% to \$60.1 thousand in Q2 2021 from \$56.3 thousand in Q1 2021
  - Effective utilization decreased to 71% from 77%, mainly due to:
    - Completion of contracts for two rigs in India India (J.T. Angel and Trident XII) and one rig in Oman (Shelf Drilling Tenacious) and one rig in India which was idle for a portion of the quarter (Harvey H. Ward)
    - Partially offset by the start up of one new contract in Nigeria (Shelf Drilling Resourceful) and the full quarter of operations for one rig in Thailand (Shelf Drilling Enterprise) that began operations in early Q1 2021 and two rigs in Saudi that restarted operations after prior suspension (Main Pass IV in Q1 2021) and planned shipyard (High Island II in Q2 2021)
- Sequential revenue increase in Nigeria, Saudi Arabia, Thailand and UAE partially offset by declines in India and Oman

	Q1 2021	Q2 2021
Operating Data		
Average marketable rigs <sup>1</sup>	31.0	31.0
Average dayrate <sup>2</sup> (in thousands USD)	\$56.3	\$60.1
Effective utilization <sup>3</sup>	77%	71%
<b>Revenue</b> (in thousands USD)		
Operating revenues – dayrate	\$ 121,185	\$121,074
Operating revenues – others	6,175	6,912
Other revenues	2,377	2,524
Total Revenues	\$ 129,737	\$130,510

Note (1): "Marketable rigs" are defined as the total number of rigs excluding: (i) rigs stacked and / or held for sale (ii) rigs under non-drilling contracts and (iii) newbuild rigs under construction.

Note (3): "Effective utilization" is defined as the actual number of calendar days during which marketable rigs generate dayrate revenues divided by the maximum number of calendar days during which those same rigs could have generated dayrate revenues.



Note (2): "Average dayrate" is defined as the average contract dayrate earned by marketable rigs over the reporting period excluding mobilization fees, contract preparation, capital expenditure reimbursements, demobilization, recharges, bonuses and other revenues.

#### **Operating Expense Summary**

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- Operating and maintenance of \$81.7 million in Q2 2021, higher by \$7.4 million versus Q1 2021:
   Higher contract preparation expenses for three rigs that are preparing for new contracts (J.T. Angel and Trident XII in India and Shelf Drilling Tenacious in Angola)
   Higher maintenance and shipyard expenses on two rigs that were being prepared to return from suspension of operations in Italy and Saudi Arabia (Key Manhattan and Main Pass I)
   Partially offset by lower expenses on two idle rigs (Shelf Drilling Mentor in the UAE and Key Singapore in Italy)
- General and administrative expenses of \$14.6 million in Q2 2021 compared to \$9.6 million in Q1 2021:
  - Included a \$2.5 million provision for doubtful accounts recorded in Q2 2021 compared to a \$1.8 million reversal of provision recorded in Q1 2021
  - Included expense for retention plans of \$1.8 million in Q2 2021 compared to \$1.0 million in Q1 2021
  - Included \$1.1 million in Q2 2021 of non-cash sharebased compensation expense

	Q1 2021	Q2 2021
<b>Operating Expenses</b> (in thousands USD)		
Rig operating costs	\$ 65,465	\$ 73,424
Shore-based costs	8,822	8,313
Operating and maintenance	\$ 74,287	\$81,737
Corporate G&A	\$ 9,945	\$11,022
Restructuring costs in G&A	577	8
Provision for / (Reversal of) doubtful accounts, net	(1,820)	2,481
Share-Based Compensation	940	1,051
General & administrative	\$9,642	\$14,562

#### Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation



(In thousands USD)	Q1 2021	Q2 2021
Net Loss	\$(16,374)	\$(22,639)
Add Back		
Interest expense and financing charges, net of interest income <sup>1</sup>	33,062	26,695
Income tax expense	4,644	4,461
Depreciation	16,126	16,264
Amortization of deferred costs	9,258	9,720
Loss on impairment	-	-
Gain on disposal of assets	(774)	(139)
EBITDA	\$45,942	\$34,362
Acquired rig reactivation costs	-	-
Restructuring costs <sup>2</sup>	577	8
Adjusted EBITDA	\$46,519	\$34,370
Adjusted EBITDA margin	35.9%	26.3%

Note (1): "Interest expense and financing charges, net of interest income" is defined as interest expenses incurred and accrued on our debt and the amortization of debt issuance fees and costs over the term of the debt, net of interest income. This also includes the \$10.1 million loss on debt extinguishment in relation to our debt refinancing transactions in Q1 2021.

Note (2): "Restructuring costs" is defined as certain one-time expenses related to cost saving and restructuring measures and third-party professional services.

#### Capital Expenditures and Deferred Costs Summary



- Capital Expenditures and Deferred Costs excluding rig acquisitions totaled \$26.3 million in Q2 2021, up \$10.9 million from Q1 2021 primarily as a result of:
  - Increased shipyard activity for two rigs in India (JT Angel and Trident XII), two rigs in Saudi Arabia (Main Pass 1 and High Island IX), one rig in Italy (Key Manhattan)
  - Higher contract preparation costs for a contract in Angola (Shelf Drilling Tenacious)
  - Partially offset by lower shipyard costs for one rig in Saudi Arabia (High Island II)
- Rig acquisitions decreased to \$0.2 million in Q2 2021 from \$1.2 million in Q1 2021 due to the completion of the contract preparation project on the Shelf Drilling Enterprise that began operations in early Q1 2021

(In thousands USD)	Q1 2021	Q2 2021
Capital Expenditures and Deferred Costs:		
Regulatory and capital maintenance <sup>1</sup>	\$7,589	\$17,208
Contract preparation <sup>2</sup>	3,650	7,113
Fleet spares and other <sup>3</sup>	4,179	1,986
	\$15,418	\$26,307
Rig acquisitions <sup>4</sup>	1,196	184
Total Capital Expenditures and Deferred Costs	\$16,614	\$26,491
Reconciliation to Statements of Cash Flow		
Cash payments for additions to PP&E	\$ 14,091	\$7,731
Net change in accrued but unpaid additions to PP&E	(6,578)	(2,922)
Total Capital expenditures	\$ 7,513	\$4,809
Changes in deferred costs, net	\$ (157)	\$11,962
Add: Amortization of deferred costs	9,258	9,720
Total deferred costs	\$9,101	\$21,682
Total Capital Expenditures and Deferred Costs	\$16,614	\$26,491

Note: (1): "Regulatory and capital maintenance" includes major overhauls, regulatory costs, general upgrades and sustaining capital expenditures on rigs in operation.

Note: (2): "Contract preparation" includes specific upgrade, mobilization and preparation costs associated with a customer contract.

Note: (3): "Fleet Spares and Others" includes: (i) acquisition and certification costs for the rig fleet spares pool which is allocated to specific rig expenditures as and when required by that rig, which will result in an expenditure charge to that rig and a credit to fleet spares and (ii) office and infrastructure expenditure.

Note: (4): "Rig acquisitions" include all capital expenditures and deferred costs associated with the acquisition and readiness projects for the Shelf Drilling Enterprise acquired in January 2020.

#### Capital Structure Summary



(In millions USD)	YE 2019	YE 2020	Q1 2021	Q2 2021	ITM Adjusted FRIT	DV of ¢1
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$26	\$73	\$287	\$286	LTM Adjusted EBITDA of \$152.0 million ratio of 5.9x as of June 30, 2021	
Total Long-lived Assets <sup>1</sup>	1,461	1,168	1,156	1,156	Total restricted cas	sh sacur
Total Assets	\$1,700	\$1,516	\$1,632	\$1,635	million at June 30	
					March 31, 2021	
8.25% Senior unsecured notes due 2025 <sup>2</sup>	\$890	\$891	\$892	\$892 .	Total shares outsta 2021	anding c
8.875% Senior secured notes due 2024 <sup>3</sup>	-	-	296	298	<ul> <li>Primary insiders: 66.2 million primarily of China Merchants</li> </ul>	
8.75% Senior secured notes due 2024 <sup>4</sup>	-	78	-	-	Castle Harlan: 17.2 million (12	
RCF Drawdowns due 2023	35	55	-	-		
Total Debt	\$925	\$1,024	\$1,188	\$1,190		
Net Debt	\$899	\$951	\$901	\$904		
Total Equity	\$561	\$289	\$274	\$252		

Note (1): "Total Long Lived Assets" are defined as property plant and equipment, right-of-use assets and short term and long term deferred costs. This excludes assets held for sale.

Note (2): Reflects carrying value. Principal value is \$900.0 million.

Note (3): Reflects carrying value. Principal value is \$310.0 million.

Note (4): Reflects carrying value. Principal value was \$80.0 million for YE2020.

#### Free Cash Flow Summary



- Q2 2021 Adjusted EBITDA of \$34.4 million and Adjusted EBITDA Margin of 26.3%
- Cash and cash equivalents decreased by \$1.7 million to \$285.6 million during Q2 2021 mainly due to:
  - Decrease in EBITDA during Q2 2021 as compared to Q1 2021
  - Increased spending on capital expenditures and deferred costs including rig acquisitions of \$26.5 million in Q2 2021 as compared to \$16.6 million in Q1 2021
  - Partially offset by no cash interest payment during Q2
     2021 as compared to bi-annual cash interest payment
     of \$37.1 million in February 2021 on the Senior
     Unsecured Notes, due 2025
  - Sale of Trident 15, Key Hawaii and Galveston Key completed in April 2021 for net proceeds of \$1.4 million as compared to Shelf Drilling Journey completed in February 2021 for net proceeds of \$76.6 million

Quarterly Cash Flow Summary (\$MM)	Q1 2021	Q2 2021
Adjusted EBITDA	\$46.5	\$34.4
Adjustments	(0.6)	-
EBITDA	\$45.9	\$34.4
Interest expense, net of interest income <sup>1</sup>	(23.0)	(26.7)
Income tax (expense)	(4.6)	(4.5)
Capital expenditures and deferred costs <sup>2</sup>	(15.4)	(26.3)
Sub-Total	\$2.9	\$(23.1)
Growth Projects		
Capex / Deferred Costs: Rig Acquisitions	(1.2)	(0.2)
Rig Sale Net Proceeds	76.6	1.4
Working Capital Impact		
Interest payable	(19.5)	25.4
Other	(6.5)	(2.8)
Net proceeds from issuance of debt <sup>3</sup>	300.9	(1.9)
Repayment of long-term debt	(84.2)	(0.1)
Repayment of RCF	(55.1)	(0.4)
Net Change in Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$213.9	\$(1.7)
Beginning Cash	73.4	287.3
Ending Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$287.3	\$285.6

Note (1): Excludes the one-time \$10.1 million loss on debt extinguishment in relation to our debt refinancing transactions in Q1 2021.

Note (2): Excludes rig acquisitions.

Note (3): Includes \$310.0 million aggregate principal amount, less \$5.9 million discount, less payments of debt financing costs of \$3.2 million in Q1 2021 and payments of debt financing costs of \$1.9 million Q2 2021.

