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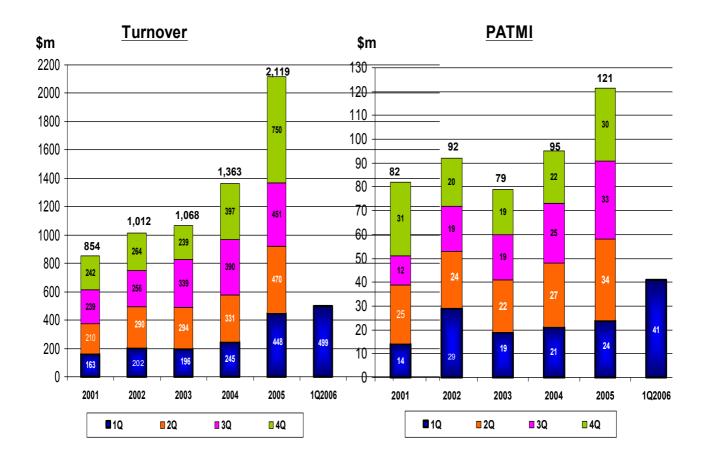
# SEMBCORP MARINE DELIVERS STRONG 72% GROWTH IN PROFIT FOR 1Q 2006 WITH HIGHEST CONTRIBUTIONS FROM RIG BUILDING & SHIP REPAIR SECTORS

#### FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

\$'m	1Q 2006	1Q 2005	% Change
Turnover	499.1	447.7	12
Operating Profit	50.7	23.6	115
EBITDA	60.8	31.8	91
Profit before tax	56.1	30.5	84
PATMI	40.8	23.8	72
PATMI, exclude non-operating expense	47.0	23.8	97
Earnings per share (cents) - Basic - Diluted	2.81 2.75	1.67 1.64	68 68

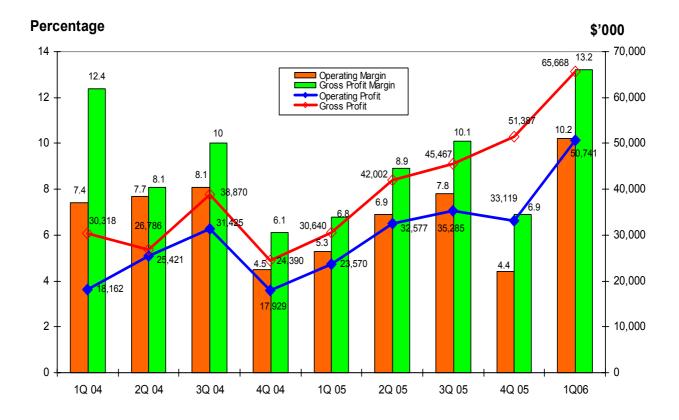
- Group turnover increased by 12% from \$447.7 million in 1Q 2005 to \$499.1 million in 1Q 2006. Work-in-progress in rig building and the ship repair business contributed to the increase in group turnover. Conversion revenue was lower due mainly to the near completion of the marine hull conversion of turnkey FPSO P-54 project while the new conversion projects secured are still in the early stages of production and are not taken up in 1Q 2006
- Group operating profits increased 115% from \$23.6 million in 1Q 2005 to \$50.7 million in 1Q 2006
- EBITDA increased 91% to \$60.8 million
- Group pre-tax profits increased by 84% from \$30.5 million in 1Q 2005 to \$56.1 million in 1Q 2006. The increase was attributed to better operating margins from rig building and ship repair business as well as better contribution from associated companies
- PATMI increased 72% from \$23.8 million in 1Q 2005 to \$40.8 million in 1Q 2006. Excluding one-off non operating expense of \$6.1 million, PATMI increased by 97% to \$47.0 million
- EPS increased 68% to \$2.81 cents per share in 1Q 2006

# QUARTERLY TURNOVER & PATMI (2001 to 1Q 2006)



- Turnover grew by 12% to \$499.1 million in 1Q 2006 as compared with \$447.7 million in 1Q 2005 attributable mainly to increase in rig building and ship repair business
- PATMI at \$41.0 million in 1Q 2006 is the highest ever achieved in a quarter. It is also at a record high based on historical records. Compared with 1Q 2005, it grew by 72% from \$23.8 million to \$40.8 million in 1Q 2006.

#### **QUARTERLY OPERATING MARGIN & OPERATING PROFIT (2004 to 1Q 2006)**

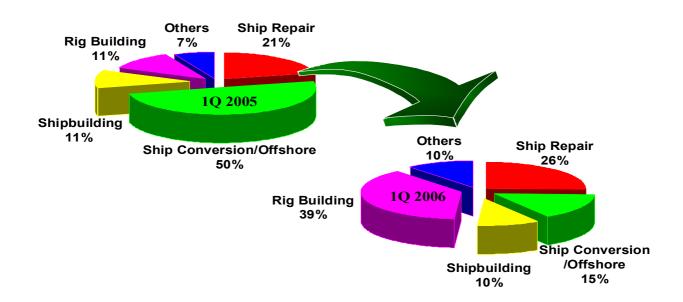


- Gross profit and gross profit margin show increasing trends
- Gross profit increased from \$51.4 million in 4Q 2005 to \$65.7 million in 1Q 2006
- Similarly, gross margin also increased from 6.9% to 13.2% in 1Q 2006
- Operating profit and operating margin show increasing trend
- Operating profit increased from \$33.1 million in 4Q 2005 to \$50.7 million in 1Q 2006
- Operating margin also increased from 4.4% in 4Q 2005 to 10.2% in 1Q 2006

#### **TURNOVER BY SECTORS**

Sector	1Q 2006 (\$'m)	1Q 2005 (\$'m)	+/(-) (\$'m)	+/(-) %
Ship Repair	130.2	96.1	34.1	35.5
Shipbuilding	46.9	51.4	( 4.5)	(8.8)
Ship Conversion & Offshore	75.7	223.1	(147.4)	(66.1)
Rig Building	194.5	47.9	146.6	306.1
Others	51.8	29.2	22.6	77.4
Total	499.1	447.7	51.4	11.5

#### REVENUE CONTRIBUTIONS BY SECTORS (1Q 2005/1Q 2006)



- The rig building and ship repair sectors registered the strongest growth at 39% and 26% respectively for 1Q 2006
- Ship conversion/offshore sector is lower due mainly to the marine hull conversion of turnkey FPSO P-54 project nearing completion while the new conversion contracts secured in 2005 and early 2006 are still in the early stages of production

### **SECTOR OPERATIONS REVIEW**

#### **SHIP REPAIR**

	1Q 2006	1Q 2005	% Change
Revenue contributions (\$'m)	130.2	96.1	36
Number of Vessels	81	80	1
Average value per vessel (\$'m)	1.61	1.20	34

- Ship repair revenue increased 36% to \$130.2 million in 1Q 2006
- Average value per vessel increased from \$1.20 million to \$1.61 million in 1Q 2006, an increase of 34%
- Number of vessels repaired increased by 1% to 81 in 1Q 2006 as compared with 80 vessels for the same period last year

# **SHIPBUILDING**

No. Completed in 1Q 2006	1	2 <sup>nd</sup> unit 2,600 TEU container vessel for Wan Hai Lines
No. of projects in work- in-progress stages	5	<ul> <li>3<sup>rd</sup> unit 2,600 TEU container vessel for Wan Hai Lines</li> <li>4<sup>th</sup> unit 2,600 TEU container vessel for Wan Hai Lines</li> <li>1<sup>st</sup> unit 2,600 TEU container vessel for Reederei F Laeisz</li> <li>2 units 4,950 dwt tankers for Kuwait Oil Tanker</li> </ul>
Projects in planning and engineering stage	3	<ul> <li>5<sup>th</sup> &amp; 6<sup>th</sup> units 2,600 TEU container vessel for Wan Hai Lines</li> <li>2<sup>nd</sup> unit 2,600 TEU container vessel for Reederei F Laeisz</li> </ul>
Percentage completion (\$'m)	\$46.9	

- Shipbuilding revenue declined 9% from \$51.4 million in 1Q 2005 to \$46.9 million in 1Q 2006
- The decline was due to the completion of the 2<sup>nd</sup> unit of 2,600 TEU container vessel with the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> units of the 2,600 TEU container vessels still in early stages of production

# **SHIP CONVERSION & OFFSHORE**

No. Completed in 1Q 2006	1	P-50 Topsides installation & integration
No. of projects in work- in-progress stages	4	<ul> <li>P-54 FPSO Marine Conversion</li> <li>P-54 Topsides Fabrication</li> <li>P-54 Compressor modules</li> <li>PRA-1 FPSO conversion for Modec</li> </ul>
Projects in planning and engineering stage	4	<ul> <li>ConocoPhillips Topsides Installation &amp; Commissioning</li> <li>Heavy Loft Derrick Pipelay vessel for SapuraCrest</li> <li>RJS FSO conversion for Modec</li> <li>BW Enterprise FPSO conversion</li> </ul>
Percentage Completion (\$'m)	\$75.7	

- The ship conversion and offshore sector registered a decline of 66% from \$223.1 million in 1Q 2005 to \$75.7 million in 1Q 2006
- The decline was mainly due to the marine hull conversion of turnkey FPSO P-54 project near completion with three other projects in various work-in-progress stages
- 4 other projects are still in the planning and engineering stages

# **RIG BUILDING: JACK-UP RIGS**

No. Completed in 1Q 2006	nil	
Number of projects in work-in-progress stages	5	<ul> <li>1<sup>st</sup> unit Jack-up for Kristiansand Drilling</li> <li>2<sup>nd</sup> unit Jack-up for WilPower</li> <li>3<sup>rd</sup> unit Jack-up for Petrojack I</li> <li>4<sup>th</sup> unit Jack-up for Apexindo</li> <li>5<sup>th</sup> unit Jack-up for Deep Drilling Invest</li> </ul>
Projects in planning and engineering stage	6	<ul> <li>6<sup>th</sup> unit Jack-up for WilSuperior</li> <li>7<sup>th</sup> unit Jack-up for Seatankers</li> <li>8<sup>th</sup> unit Jack-up for PetroJack II</li> <li>9<sup>th</sup> unit Jack-up for Japan Drilling</li> <li>10<sup>th</sup> unit Jack-up for Petrojack III</li> <li>11<sup>th</sup> unit Jack-up for Awilco</li> </ul>
Newly secured projects secured in 2006 to-date	4	<ul> <li>12<sup>th</sup> unit Jack-up Aban Lloyd</li> <li>13<sup>th</sup> unit Jack-up for Sinvest</li> <li>14<sup>th</sup> unit Jack-up for JackInvest 1</li> <li>15<sup>th</sup> unit Jack-up for Awilco</li> </ul>
Percentage Completion (\$'m)	\$172.5	

- Revenue for jack-up rig for 1Q 2006 at \$172.5 million
- 1<sup>st</sup> unit jack-up rig for Kristiansand Drilling not taken up due to equity participation
- 5 jack-up rigs are in various work-in-progress stages of production
- 6 jack-up rigs are in planning and engineering stages
- 4 other jack-ups were secured in 2006 to-date

# **RIG BUILDING: SEMI-SUBMERSIBLE RIGS**

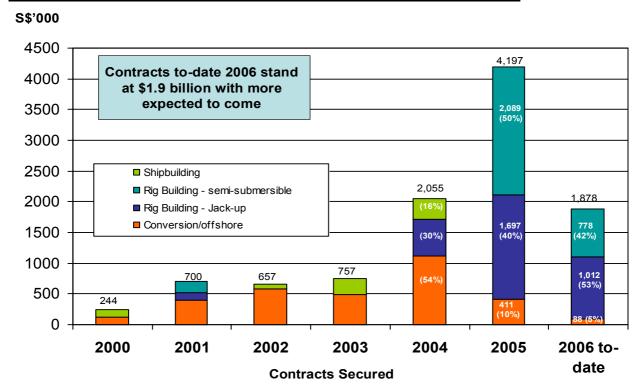
No. Completed in 1Q 2006	nil	
Number of projects in work-in-progress stages	1	Lower semi-submersible hull for Atlantia Offshore
Projects in planning and engineering stage	3	<ul> <li>1<sup>st</sup> unit semi-submersible rig for SeaDrill</li> <li>2<sup>nd</sup> unit semi-submersible rig for SeaDrill</li> <li>3<sup>rd</sup> unit semi-submersible rig for PetroMena</li> </ul>
Newly secured projects secured in 1Q 2006	1	4 <sup>th</sup> unit semi-submersible rig for PetroMena
Percentage Completion (\$'m)	\$22.0	

- Only 1 unit of the lower semi-submersible hull for Atlantia Offshore taken at work-in-progress stages
- 3 units of semi-submersible rigs are in planning and engineering stages and no revenue recognition for these projects
- 1 unit of semi-submersible rig secured in 1Q 2006

 CONTRACTS SECURED: 2006 vs 2005 (January to April)
 Strong contract flows in 2006 to-date (S\$1.9 billion) as compared with 2005 for same period (S\$1.6 billion)

	2006			2005			
Month	Value (S\$m)	Details	Value (S\$m)	Details			
January	\$ 288	<ul> <li>1 unit Baker Marine         Pacific Class 375 Jack-         up rig for Aban Lloyd         Chiles</li> <li>1 FPSO conversion –         BW Enterprise for         Bergesen Worldwide         Offshore</li> </ul>	\$ 217	1 unit Baker Marine Pacific Class 375 Jack-up rig for PT Apexindo			
February	\$ 228	1 unit Baker Marine Pacific Class 375 Jack- up rig for Sinvest ASA	\$ 161 \$ 123 \$ 82 \$ 194	<ul> <li>Fabrication &amp; integration of topsides production modules for newbuild FPSO for ConocoPhilips China</li> <li>Design &amp; construction of a self-propelled DP2 Heavy Lift Pipelay vessel for SapuraCrest Petroleum Berhad</li> <li>Fabrication of a deep draft semi-submersible hull for Atlantia Offshore</li> <li>1 unit Baker Marine Pacific Class 375 Jack-up rig for Deep Drilling Invest</li> </ul>			
March	\$ 778	1 unit Friede & Goldman ExD design semi-submersible rig for PetroMena ASA	\$ 196	1 unit Baker Marine Pacific Class 375 Jack-up rig for WilSuperior, a subsidiary of Awilco Offshore ASA			
Total for 1Q 2006	\$1,382		\$ 973				
April	\$ 266 \$ 230	<ul> <li>1 unit Baker Marine         Pacific Class 375 Jack-         up rig for JackInvest I     </li> <li>1 unit Baker Marine         Pacific Class 375 Jack-         up rig for Awilco         Offshore     </li> </ul>	\$ 212 \$ 209 \$ 215	<ul> <li>1 unit Baker Marine Pacific Class 375 Jack-up rig for Seatankers</li> <li>1 unit Baker Marine Pacific Class 375 Jack-up rig for PetroJack II</li> <li>1 unit Baker Marine Pacific Class 375 Jack-up rig for Japan Drilling</li> </ul>			
Total	\$ 496		\$ 636				
Overall Total to- date	\$1,878		\$1,609				
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# CONTRACTS SECURED: 2000 TO 2006 (JANUARY TO APRIL 2006)



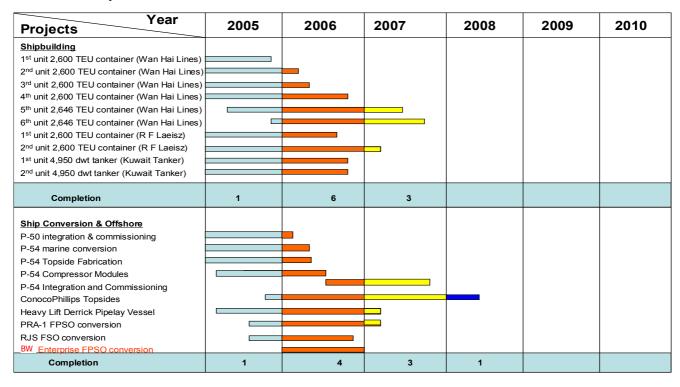
#### **TOTAL ORDER BOOK (EXCLUDE SHIP REPAIR)**

 Order Book remains strong at a record high of \$6.8 billion, including new contracts secured as at April 2006

S\$'m Sector	Contract Value carried forward from December 31, 2005 plus new contracts secured as at todate	Taken 1Q 2006	Balance	Percentage of Total Order Book
Shipbuilding	298	47	251	4
Ship Conversion & Offshore	1,071	76	995	15
Rig Building				
- Jack-up	2,960	172	2,788	40
- Semi-submersible	2,811	22	2,789	41
Total	7,140	317	6,823	100

# SCHEDULE OF DELIVERY & COMPLETION OF PROJECTS (exclude ship repair)

- Shipbuilding and ship conversion/offshore earnings visibility strong in 2006
- We expect to secure more



- Strong earnings visibility for jack-up and semi-submersible rigs till 2009
- We expect to secure more

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Jack-up						
1st Jack-up (Kristiansand Drilling)						
2 <sup>nd</sup> Jack-up (Wilpower)						
3 <sup>rd</sup> Jack-up (Petrojack I)						
4 <sup>th</sup> Jack-up (Apexindo)						
5th Jack-up (Deep Drilling Invest)						
6th Jack-up (Wilsuperior)						
7 <sup>th</sup> Jack-up (Seatanker)						
8th Jack-up (Petrojack II)						
9th Jack-up (Japan Drilling)						
10th Jack-up (Petrojack III)						
11th Jack-up (Awilco)						
12 <sup>th</sup> Jack-up (Aban)						
13th Jack-up (Sinvest)						
14th Jack-up (JackInvest 1)						
15 <sup>th</sup> Jack-Up (Awilco)						
Completion (15 jack-ups on order)	(0)	(3)	(5)	(7)		
Semi-submersible						
Lower semi-submersible hull (Atlantia)						
1st Semi-submersible (SeaDrill)						
2 <sup>nd</sup> Semi-submersible (SeaDrill)						
3 <sup>rd</sup> Semi-submersible (PetroMena)						
4 <sup>th</sup> Semi-submersible (PetroMena)						
Completion (4 units)	(0)	(1)	(0)	(2)	(2)	
Total (17)	0	4	5	9	2	

## <u>OUTLOOK</u>

Total contracts secured in 2006 to-date stands at \$1.9 billion as compared with \$1.6 billion for the corresponding period.

Total outstanding order book, excluding ship repair, stands at \$6.8 billion with deliveries and completion till 2009.

Going forward, the Group expects the current year's overall performance to be stronger than FY2005, based on the scheduled completion of projects

The ship repair sector remains strong despite a competitive environment.

For the ship conversion and offshore sector, market fundamentals for Floating Production Storage and Offloading (FPSO) vessels and Floating Storage and Offloading (FSO) vessels continue to be strong, driven mainly by high oil prices and increased exploration and production activities.

Rig building continues to provide robust demand due to high worldwide utilization rates, unprecedented high charter rates as well as an ageing rig fleet worldwide.

Overall, the market outlook for all sectors in the marine and offshore industry remains strong.

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