

## **KEY MESSAGES**

UNDERLYING REVENUE

\$59.4m<sup>1</sup>

\$7.9m increase (15%)

BALANCE SHEET

**\$41.3m** 

\$5.5m increase in cash

Zero debt

Strong balance sheet

UNDERLYING EBITDA

🕈 \$10.6m<sup>2</sup>

\$4.0m increase

Higher end of guidance

INTERIM DIVIDEND

**1**.0cps

1.0 cent per share interim dividend, fully franked

Payable 23 March 2022

UNDERLYING NET PROFIT

\$6.7m

\$2.3m increase

SPECIAL DIVIDEND

**1.5cps** 

1.5 cent per share once-off special dividend, fully franked

Payable 23 March 2022

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# UNDERLYING EBITDA UP BY 60% ON THE PRIOR YEAR



15% INCREASE
IN UNDERLYING
REVENUES<sup>1</sup>



\$4.0M UNDERLYING EBITDA GROWTH



\$2.3M INCREASE IN UNDERLYING NET PROFIT

**STATUTORY** 

UNDERLYING<sup>2</sup>

\$M	1H FY22	1H FY21	Change	1H FY22²	1H FY21 <sup>1,2</sup>	Change
Revenue	59.4	56.8	2.6	59.4	51.5	7.9
EBITDA	14.0	13.5	0.5	10.6	6.6	4.0
Net Profit after tax	6.9	8.1	(1.2)	6.7	4.4	2.3

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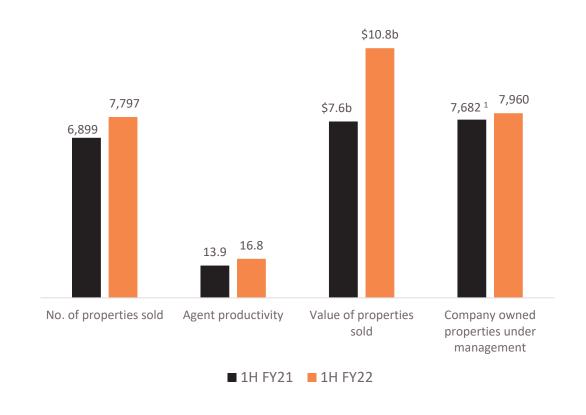
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## STRONG PERFORMANCE IN KEY BUSINESS INDICATORS

KEY INDICATORS	1H FY22	1H FY21	% Change
No. of Properties Sold	7,797	6,899	13%
Agent productivity (avg. no. of sales per agent)	16.8	13.9	21%
Value of properties Sold	\$10.8bn	\$7.6bn	42%
Company owned properties under management <sup>1</sup>	7,960	7,682	4%

### SOLID GROWTH ACROSS KEY INDICATORS

- 42% increase in the value of properties sold through improved agent productivity (+21%) and an increase in the average selling prices of +25%.
- Adjusting for impact of office disposals in the prior 12 months, a 4% increase in Company Owned Properties Under Management was achieved.



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<sup>1.</sup> H1 FY21 PUM adjusted for sale of Blacktown and Rouse Hill properties under management in the conversion of these offices to McGrath Franchise.

# SALES BUSINESSES DRIVING GROWTH



### **COMPANY OWNED SALES**

 Benefits of scale allowing the growth in the commission income to expand EBITDA margins.

# COMPANY OWNED PROPERTY MANAGEMENT

 Growth impacted by the disposal of 408 properties under management (PUM) as part of the Blacktown and Rouse Hill conversions to Franchise.

#### **FRANCHISE**

 Growth in revenue driven by strong growth in regional markets.

# UNDERLYING EBITDA<sup>2</sup> Pre AASB16 and Govt Grant





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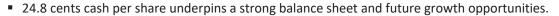
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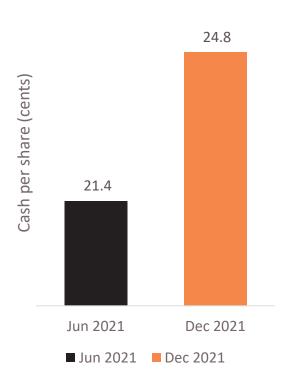


## STRONG PERFORMANCE IN KEY BUSINESS INDICATORS

\$M	Dec 2021 (Statutory) (Post ASSB16)	Jun 2021 (Statutory) (Post ASSB16)	% Change (Post ASSB16)
Cash at Bank	41.3	35.8	15%
Statutory Net Assets	50.8	47.9	6%
Assets not on Balance Sheet <sup>1</sup>	36.6	36.6	0%
Estimated Net Assets <sup>2</sup>	87.4	84.5	3%
Estimated Net Assets (cents per share) <sup>2</sup>	52.4c	50.6c	3%



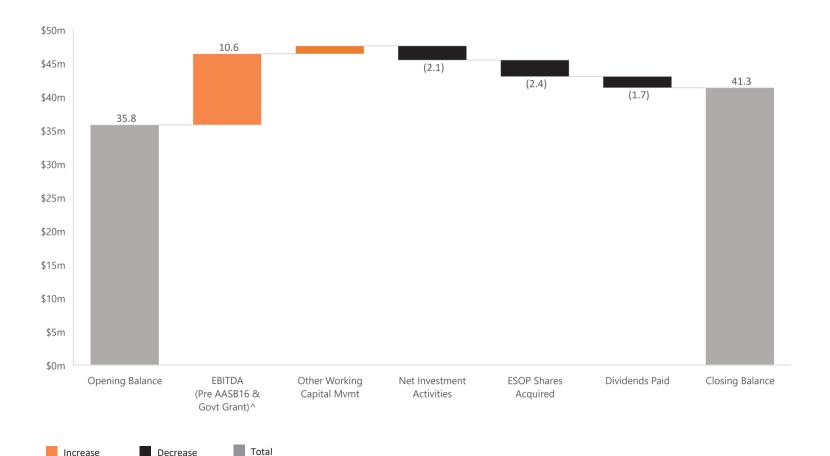
- Management's estimate of the Property Management rent roll value is \$50.0m based on a 3.5x multiple of Q2 FY22 (annualised) Management Fees. Only \$13.4m of this value is held on the Balance Sheet at Dec 2021.
- Estimated Net assets has increased by 3% to 52.4c per share.



<sup>1.</sup> Management Valuation calculated on blended valuation multiple of 3.5x on Q2 FY22 Annualised Property management fees (\$50.0m). Only \$13.4m of this value is held on the Balance Sheet.

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# \$41.3M CASH BALANCE DRIVEN BY STRONG OPERATING CASHFLOWS



### OPERATING CASH FLOW DRIVEN BY:

Strong trading performance

### FUNDING THE NET INVESTMENT ACTIVITIES OF \$2.1M:

- \$2.6m Investment in Coogee (NSW) rent roll, office refurbishments and IT initiatives.
- Offset by sale proceeds from Rouse Hill as part of the conversion to Franchise.

### CAPITAL MANAGEMENT ACTIVITIES \$4.1M

- Employee share scheme (ESOP) investment.
- Dividends.

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## CAPITAL MANAGEMENT



### **ORDINARY DIVIDEND**

The company has declared a 1.0c per share, fully franked interim dividend, payable on the 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2022.



### SPECIAL DIVIDEND

The company has declared a fully franked one-off special dividend of 1.5c per share, payable on the 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2022, flowing from one-off capital gains of approximately \$5m from the partial sell down of Oxygen business and the sale of the Parramatta office in 2021.



### ON MARKET BUY BACK

Twelve month on market buy-back program targeting the acquisition of \$2.5m of MEA shares to commence on 28<sup>th</sup> March 2022.

Due to limited other acceptable investment opportunities, a share buy-back represents the best investment at these levels.



## STRATEGIC AND BUSINESS GROWTH OPPORTUNITIES



PROVIDE CLIENTS
WITH COMPLIMENTARY PRODUCTS

Home insurance and Mortgages.



STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIPS AND INVESTMENT



ORGANIC GROWTH - FRANCHISE

East Coast opportunities to expand footprint.



INDUSTRY CONSOLIDATION OPPORTUNITIES

Continue to assess other real estate industry opportunities.



IMPROVED DIGITAL OFFERING

Generating increased customer engagement and opportunity.

# STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIP AND INVESTMENT IN HONEY



STRATEGY	Investing in real estate related businesses that provide synergies and are scalable. Pivot towards leading edge technology solutions and partnerships.
OUR CLIENTS	Provide our clients with complimentary products and services.
INVESTMENT	<ul> <li>Investment of \$6.5 million in Honey through a Convertible Note with a maturity date of 31 December 2023 which:</li> <li>At Honey's next qualifying raise will convert to equity at a discount to the current market value of Honey; or</li> <li>At maturity, at McGrath's option, is either redeemable or converts to equity.</li> </ul>
HONEY	Previously raised \$15.5 million, the largest seed investment in Australian tech history. This funding was from industry leaders such as AGL, Metricon, Mirvac, and PEXA and other leading Australian teach companies.
HOME INSURANCE MARKET	10 billion dollar market. Honey has a market edge through its first mover advantage, establishing distribution networks with investors and a 10 year agreement with RACQ as an underwriter.

# IMPROVED DIGITAL OFFERING GENERATING INCREASED ENGAGEMENT AND OPPORTUNITY

Position<sup>1</sup>

#1



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#2



#1



60.4k (+3.9%²)

26.7k (+4.3%²) 23.2k (+7.4%²) 10.1k (-1.9%<sup>2</sup>)

# A DIGITAL EXPERIENCE PLATFORM DRIVING ENGAGEMENT & GROWTH

mcgrath.com.au generated more than 2,190 seller and landlord leads, over 16,000 buyer enquires and 6,840 downloads between 1 Jul & Dec 31, 2021.

### A MULTI-CHANNEL, BEST PRACTISE APPROACH TO DIGITAL MARKETING

Partner with a leading global specialist agency and providers to leverage expertise and platforms to grow output (awareness, engagement, leads) from paid and organic media including Search, Social, GMB & Email.

# WORLD CLASS INSIGHTS DELIVERING SIGNIFICANT BUSINESS VALUE

McGrath Report 2022 experienced unprecedented growth - 200% increase in print (100K copies), 77% increase in digital downloads with National editorial exposure across print and electronic outlets.



<sup>1.</sup> Current position (Feb-22) amongst Australian Real Estate Brand Accounts in terms of followers

<sup>2.</sup> Growth on Feb-21 number of followers



# RESIDENTIAL REAL ESTATE UNDERPINS AUSTRALIA'S WEALTH

SINCE 30 JUNE 2021, RESIDENTIAL REAL ESTATE WORTH HAS GROWN BY \$1.0 TRILLION TO \$9.6 TRILLION AND NOW REPRESENTS 55.6% OF HOUSEHOLD WEALTH



















Source : CoreLogic, Monthly Chart Pack, January 2022

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# DWELLING PRICES IN KEY MARKETS CURRENTLY AT RECORD HIGHS WITH RATE OF GROWTH SLOWING OFF MID YEAR LEVELS

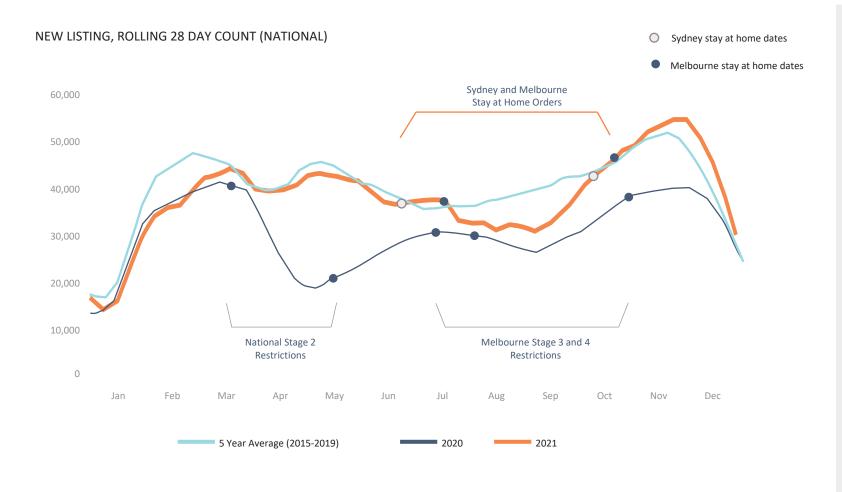


- Rate of dwelling price growth in the Sydney and Melbourne markets has continued to slow over the prior 6 months
- Brisbane dwelling price growth is still showing quarter on quarter growth



Source: CoreLogic, Hedonic Home Value Index, Jan-22

# NEW LISTINGS RECOVER AND EXCEEDED 5 YEAR AVERAGE BY YEAR END



 New listings at the end of 2021 recovered once Sydney and Melbourne exited lockdowns.



Source : CoreLogic, The housing market through pandemic lockdowns, July 2021

# SALES ACTIVITY IN THE LAST 6 MONTHS HAS CONTINUED TO BE ABOVE THE 10 YEAR AVERAGE

### 5 CAPITAL CITY, ROLLING SIX MONTH NUMBER OF DWELLING SALES



- A record number of houses sold in the last 6 months
- The increase in the number of houses being sold is outpacing the rise in units



Source: CoreLogic. Note: recent months of sales volumes are modelled estimates by CoreLogic, and are subject to revision.

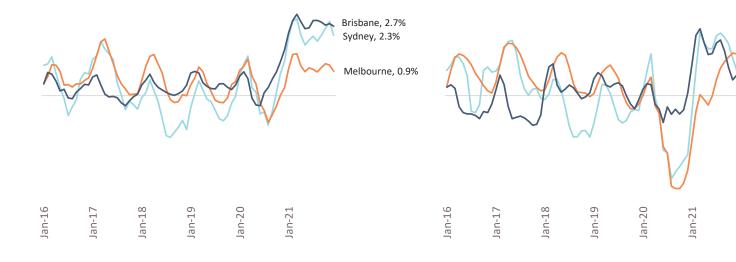
# GROWTH IN RENTS HAS RECOVERED FROM INITIAL COVID-19 LOCKDOWNS, PARTICULARLY APARTMENTS

**ROLLING QUARTERLY CHANGE IN RENTS - HOUSES** 

**ROLLING QUARTERLY CHANGE IN RENTS - APARTMENTS** 

Melbourne, 1.6% Sydney, 1.0%

Brisbane, 0.8%



- Following the reduction in rents experienced during the COVID-19 lockdowns, growth in housing rent has stabilised over the last 12 months while units has also recovered.
- 77% of the McGrath Company Owned Property Management portfolio is concentrated in the broader Sydney market. The remaining 23% is in Brisbane and Gold Coast.



Source: CoreLogic, Hedonic rental index, Jan-22

# **OUTLOOK**



SLOWER UNDERLYING EBIDTA GROWTH IN THE CURRENT HALF

 This is the second year of very strong performance and as a consequence a slower Underlying EBITDA growth in the current half compared with the exceptional 60% Underlying EBITDA growth achieved in the first half is to be expected.

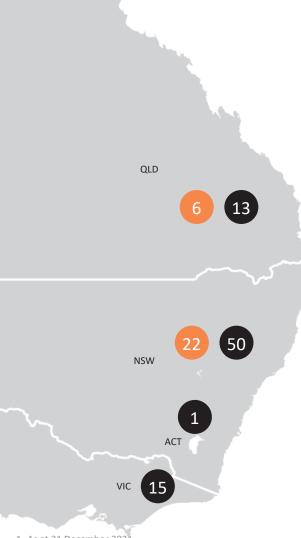


FUNDAMENTALS OF THE PROPERTY MARKET REMAIN STRONG

- Healthy pipeline of listings for the traditionally strong Autumn season
- Group is well positioned for future growth

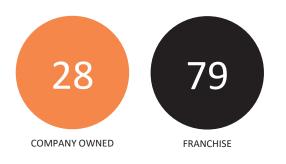


# FOOTPRINT IN CORE MARKET



107<sup>1</sup> McGRATH OFFICES

### OFFICE MOVEMENT SINCE JUNE 2021:



### **COMPANY OWNED**

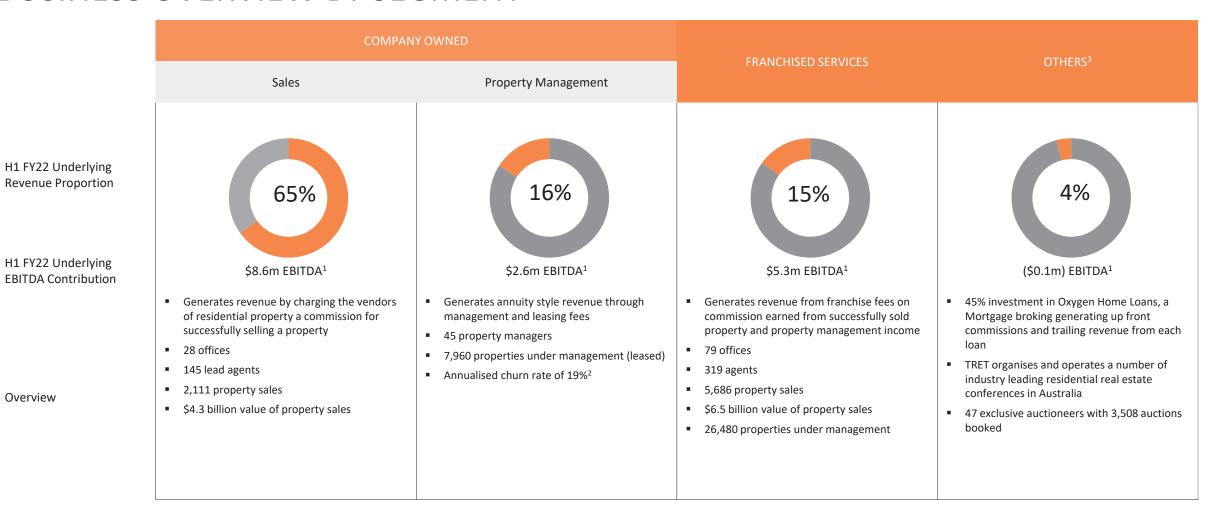
- Rouse Hill (Nov-21)

### **FRANCHISE**

- + Rouse Hill (Nov-21)
- + Stanhope Gardens (Nov-21)
- + Ivanhoe (Nov-21)
- Springwood (Jul-21)
- Sandringham (Sep-21)

1. As at 31 December 2021

### **BUSINESS OVERVIEW BY SEGMENT**



Note: Pie chart represents revenue contribution of segment. Data for 6 months ending 31 December 2021 unless otherwise stated.

- Pre AASB16, a Non A-IFRS measure. Excludes JobKeeper, gain on sale of Company owned offices and shared services costs.
- Churn rate is defined as the total number of properties lost as a percentage of total properties under management as at beginning of Financial Year.
- 3. Incorporates the mortgage broking, auctioneering and training businesses.

Overview

# **PROFIT & LOSS**

STATUTORY UNDERLYING<sup>1</sup>

\$M	1H FY22	1H FY21	% Change	1H FY22 (Pre AASB16 and One Off Items) <sup>1</sup>	1H FY21 (Pre AASB16 and One Off Items) <sup>1</sup>	% Change
Revenue	59.4	56.8	5%	59.4	51.5	15%
Other income	0.4	4.0	-89%	_	_	n/a
Cost of sales	-23.2	-23.9	-3%	-23.2	-18.6	25%
Gross Profit	36.6	36.9	-1%	36.1	32.9	10%
Share of profit of an associate	0.1	-	n.m.	0.1	-	n.m.
Employee benefits expenses	-14.4	-15.2	-5%	-14.4	-15.2	-5%
Other expenses	-8.2	-8.2	0%	-11.3	-11.1	2%
EBITDA	14.0	13.5	4%	10.6	6.6	59%
Depreciation and Amortisation	-4.0	-4.0	-2%	-1.6	-1.7	-9%
EBIT	10.1	9.5	n.m.	9.0	4.9	83%
Net finance (expense/income)	-0.6	-0.8	-21%	0.1	0.0	n.m.
Net Profit before tax	9.5	8.7	9%	9.2	5.0	85%
Income tax expense	-2.6	-0.6	n.m.	-2.5	-0.6	n.m.
Net Profit after tax	6.9	8.1	-15%	6.7	4.4	52%

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# **SEGMENT PERFORMANCE**

STATUTORY UNDERLYING<sup>1</sup>

\$M	1H FY22	1H FY21	% Change	1H FY22 (Pre AASB16 and One Off Items) <sup>1</sup>	1H FY21 (Pre AASB16 and One Off Items) <sup>1</sup>	% Change
Revenue						
Co Owned Sales	38.4	38.8	-1%	38.4	33.5	15%
Property management	9.6	10.1	-5%	9.6	10.1	-5%
Franchise	9.0	5.8	55%	9.0	5.8	55%
Other	2.4	2.2	9%	2.4	2.2	9%
Total Revenue	59.4	56.8	5%	59.4	51.5	15%
EBITDA						
Co Owned Sales	10.8	9.2	17%	8.6	6.5	32%
Property management	2.8	4.1	-32%	2.6	3.0	-13%
Franchise	5.3	3.4	56%	5.3	3.3	61%
Other	0.4	0.7	-43%	-0.1	-0.1	-
Corporate	-5.3	-3.8	39%	-5.7	-6.1	-7%
Total EBITDA	14.0	13.5	4%	10.6	6.6	61%
BITDA Margins	·					
Co Owned Sales				22%	19%	
Property management				27%	30%	
Franchise				59%	57%	
Other				n.m.	n.m.	
otal				18%	13%	

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# **CASH FLOW**

\$M	1H FY22 (Statutory) (Post ASSB16)	1H FY21 (Underlying) (Pre ASSB16)^	1H FY21 (Underlying) (Pre ASSB16)^
EBITDA	14.0	10.6	6.6
Change in net working capital	0.7	1.0	1.4
Net interest (paid) / received	-0.6	0.1	0.1
Net cash flow from operating activities	14.2	11.8	8.1
Proceeds of property, plant and equipment disposals	-	-	0.1
Proceeds of intangible assets disposals	0.5	0.5	1.8
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	-0.4	-0.4	-0.1
Purchase of intangible assets	-2.2	-2.2	-1.7
Net loans granted	-0.1	-0.1	-0.8
Net cash flow from investing activities	-2.1	-2.1	-0.8
Payment for lease liabilities	-2.4	-	-
Payment for treasury shares	-2.4	-2.4	-
Dividends paid	-1.7	-1.7	-
Net cash flow from financing activities	-6.5	-4.1	-
Opening balance	35.8	35.8	17.3
Net cash flow	5.5	5.5	7.4
Closing Balance McGrath	41.3	41.3	24.6

# **BALANCE SHEET**

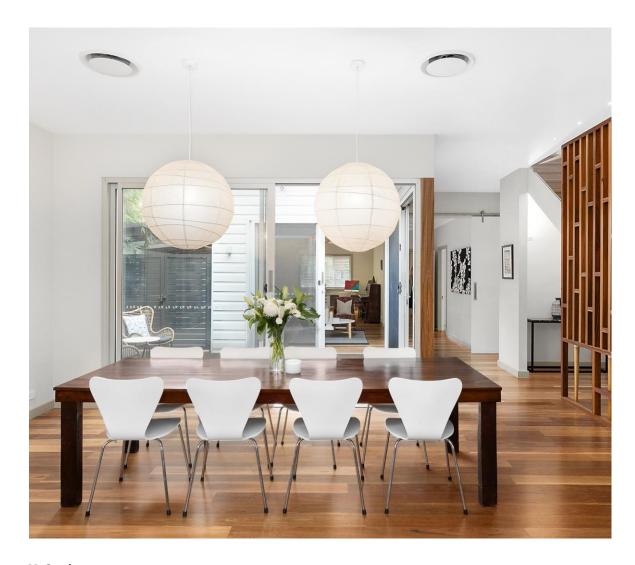
\$M	DEC 2021 (Statutory) (Post ASSB16)	JUN 2021 (Statutory) (Post ASSB16)	% Change
Cash at bank	41.3	35.8	15%
Other current assets	22.4	22.6	(1%)
Total non-current assets	39.3	43.3	(9%)
Total Assets	103.0	101.6	1%
Total current liabilities	33.5	31.4	7%
Total non-current liabilities	18.6	22.3	(17%)
Total liabilities	52.1	53.7	(3%)
Net Assets	50.8	47.9	6%
Assets not on balance sheet <sup>1</sup>	36.6	36.6	(0%)
Estimated Net Assets <sup>2</sup>	87.4	84.5	3%
Estimated Net Assets (cents per share) <sup>1</sup>	52.4c	50.6c	3%

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