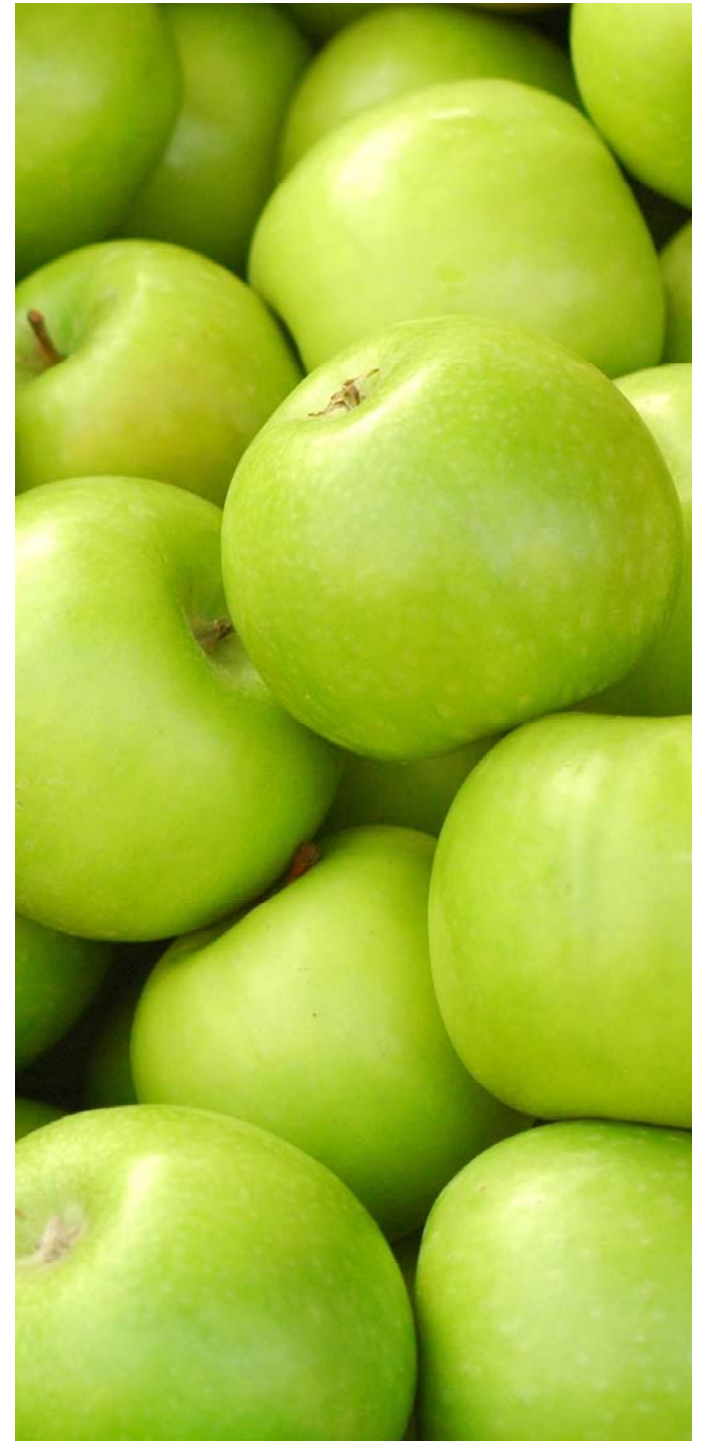




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18 April 2012



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Group Chief Executive



TESCO

The image shows the Tesco logo, which consists of the word "TESCO" in a bold, red, sans-serif typeface. Directly beneath the text is a horizontal graphic element made of five parallel, slanted blue bars.

The first year – Decisive action taken

- Got Fresh & Easy moving towards break-even
- Announced our decision to exit Japan
- Slowed down Bank migration to focus on reliability
- Significant step in the UK on price position
- Addressing underperformance in the UK

UK industry – Running up the down escalator

- Industry space growth too fast
- Additional very big stores not the answer any more
- Customers moving faster to smaller stores and internet
- Social media soon to be as influential as press advertising

Following the customer....

A new approach:

- Slower new space growth
- Fewer bigger new stores
- More convenience
- More online
- More personalisation
- More localisation

Building a better Tesco....

- Put more back in for customers
- Get back to driving profits through sales
- Make multi-channel a profitable reality
- Act decisively to tackle underperformance
- Strike a better balance between growth and returns for shareholders

Laurie Mcilwee

Chief Financial Officer



Financial performance

- Group headlines
- Segmental performance
- Balance sheet
- Cash flow
- Key financial metrics

Group performance

Group sales*
Group trading profit
Underlying profit before tax
Group profit before tax
Underlying diluted EPS
Full-year dividend
Net debt
Return on capital employed

11/12	vs. 10/11	
£72.0bn	↑	7.4%
£3.8bn	↑	1.3%
£3.9bn	↑	1.6%
£3.8bn	↑	5.3%
37.41p	↑	2.1% **
14.76p	↑	2.1%
£6.8bn	↔	£0.0bn
13.3%	↑	40bp

* Group sales (inc. VAT) exclude the accounting impact of IFRIC13

** Underlying diluted EPS growth calculated on a constant tax rate basis; 3.2% growth on an actual tax rate basis

Group performance

- In line with revised market expectations*
- Demonstrates breadth of Group
- Strong performances internationally
- Delivering profit growth despite:
 - Challenging year in the UK
 - Impact of PPI⁺

* Source: Vuma consensus estimates, published February 2012

⁺ PPI (Payment Protection Insurance)

UK

- Strong total sales growth
- Good new store performance
- Like-for-like sales weakened during H2
- Some improvement post-Christmas

	UK
Sales growth (inc. petrol)	6.2%
LFL (exc. petrol)	0.0%
Trading profit	£2,480m
Trading profit growth	(1.0)%
Trading profit margin	5.79%
Trading profit change	(35)bp

Asia

- Good performance across all markets
- Solid like-for-like growth
- Thailand returning to strong growth post-floods
- Margins up
 - Thai insurance cover
 - Good growth in Korea and Malaysia
- Challenging year in China

	Asia
Sales growth (inc. petrol)	10.5%
LFL (exc. petrol)	1.9%
Trading profit	£737m
Trading profit growth	21.8%
Trading profit margin	6.81%
Trading profit change	64bp

Europe

- Resilient overall performance
- Two impacts:
 - £(38)m Hungary crisis tax
 - Poland – distribution centre disruption & non-food stock write-off
- Double-digit profit growth in Central Europe*
- Robust performance in Ireland
- Ireland and Hungary – focused on driving trade from existing stores

* exc. Hungary crisis tax



	Europe	
	Inc Tax	Ex Tax
Sales growth (inc. petrol)	7.7%	
LFL (exc. petrol)	0.9%	
Trading profit	£529m	£567m
Trading profit growth	0.4%	7.6%
Trading profit margin	5.36%	5.75%
Trading profit change	(37)bp	+2bp

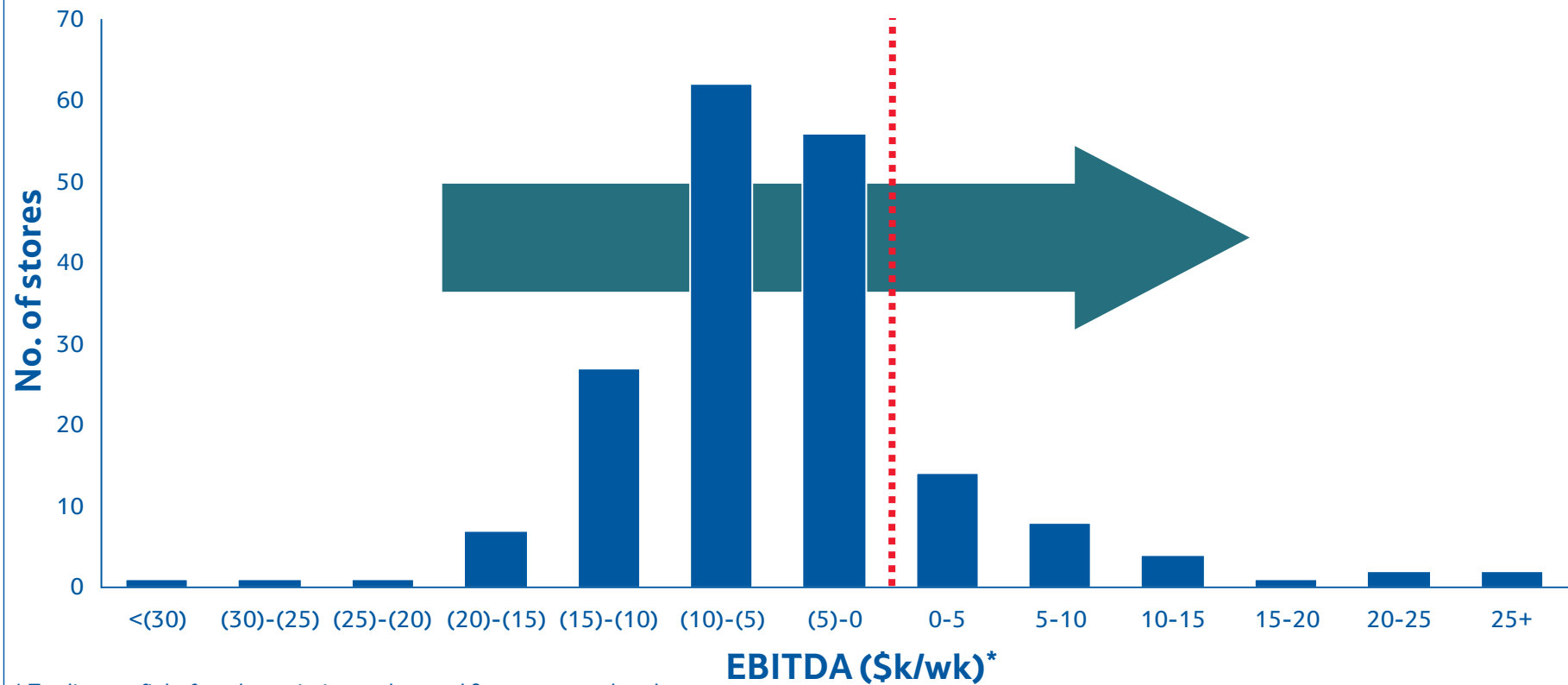
US

- Strong top-line performance
- Reduced losses by nearly 18%
- First full-year reduction in losses since entry

	US
Sales growth (inc. petrol)	27.1%
LFL (exc. petrol)	11.9%
Trading profit	£(153)m
Trading profit growth	17.7%
Trading profit margin	(24.29)%
Trading profit change	1,329bp

US – Improving store profitability

Store profitability – grouped by weekly contribution cohorts



* Trading profit before depreciation and central & campus overheads

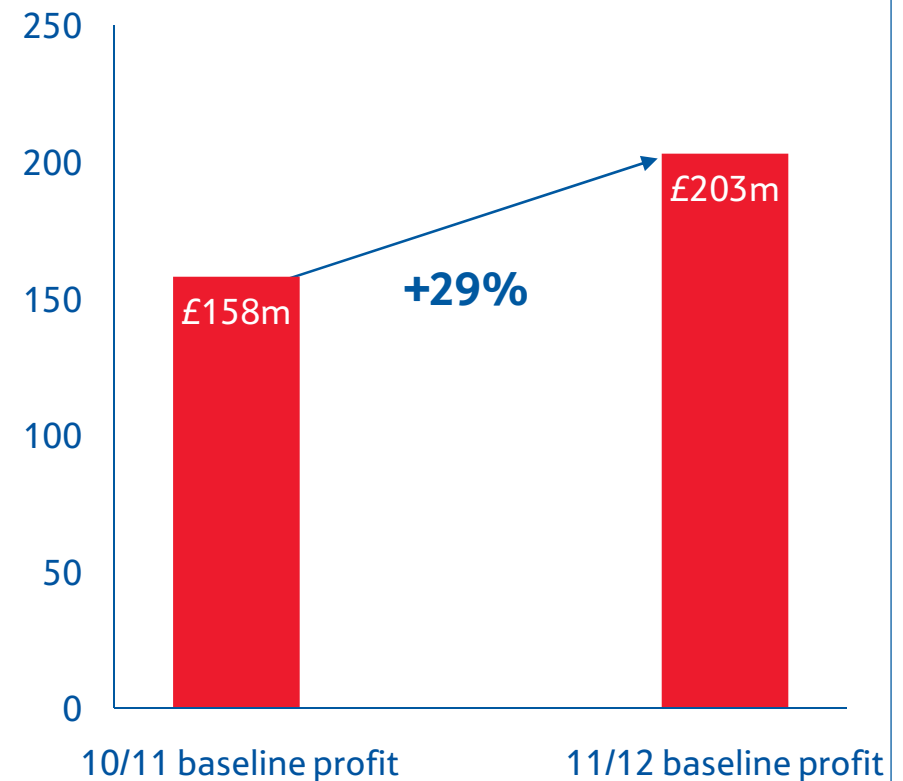
Tesco Bank

- Baseline profit increased by 29% to £203m*
- Fair value releases reduced from £155m to £22m
- Trading profit of £168m
- Capital position improved
 - Risk asset ratio now 16.0%
- Liquidity also improved

* Baseline profit is defined as Bank trading profit before provisioning movements (PPI) and Fair value



Strong baseline profit growth



Japan – Discontinued

Revenue
Trading loss
Non cash impairment
Restructuring
Other (property and interest)
Loss before tax
Tax
Loss after tax

11/12 (£m)	10/11 (£m)
436	476
(25)	(35)
(77)	(55)
(20)	(9)
(3)	(7)
(128)	(106)
(14)	0
(142)	(106)

Cash flow and balance sheet

- Net debt remained stable at £6.8bn
- Group capital expenditure slightly below guidance at £3.8bn
- Retail operating cash flow £3.8bn*

* Cash generated from retail operations excluding Tesco Bank

Releasing value from property

- Successful year
 - £376m property profits
 - £1bn disposals
- Tesco Lotus Property Fund, Thailand
 - Raised £379m from 17 stores and malls after the 2011/12 year-end
 - Priced at top end of range
 - Strong demand – 11 times over-subscribed
 - Initial trading ahead of list price



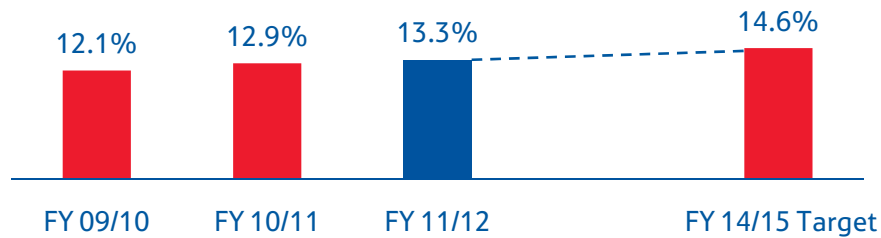
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- £ 1bn property proceeds; £376m property profits
- Net IAS19 pension deficit (post-tax) increased to £1.4bn
- One-off cash contribution of £180m to defined benefit scheme after year-end

* Cash generated from retail operations excluding Tesco Bank

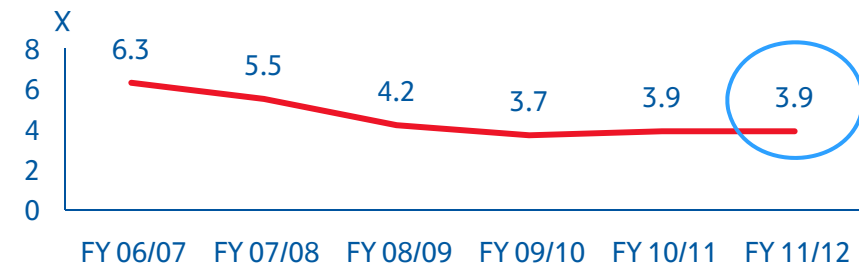
Key financial metrics

Return on Capital Employed



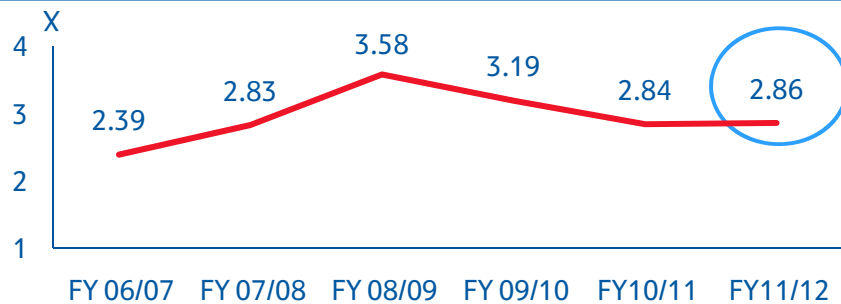
Target to hit 14.6% ROCE by 2014/15

Fixed Charge Cover: EBITDAR/(Interest + Rent)



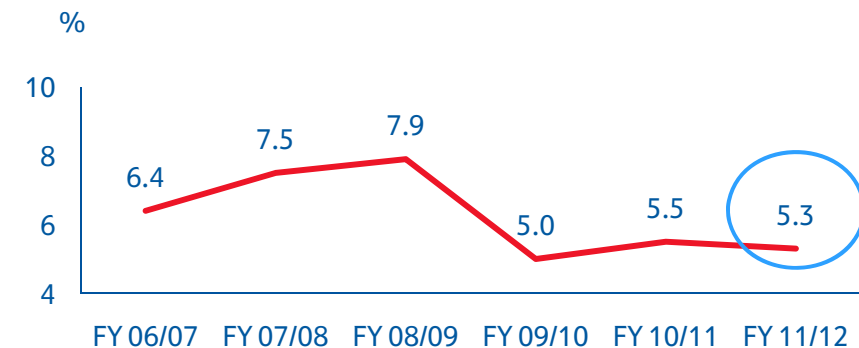
Target of 4.0 to 4.5x

Net Indebtedness: Adjusted Net Debt/EBITDAR*



Target of <2.5x

Capital Expenditure as % of Group Sales



* Adjusted net debt = statutory net debt + pension deficit + NPV of lease obligations

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Group Chief Executive



A tough year

- Strong International performance only just compensated for UK
- Difficult environment for consumers at home
- Important financial consequences
- Decision to give up some short-term profit to safeguard the long-term

Diagnosis

- Pace of change needed to accelerate
- Inherited a great business
- Built around customers and staff
- High quality assets
- Multiple opportunities for growth
- Recession hit hard – longer and deeper than expected

Driving change – Decisive action

1. Putting more back into the UK business
2. Reducing the drag :
 - United States
 - Japan
 - Bank migration
3. Increased focus on remaining well-positioned for the opportunities and challenges of the internet

Team priorities

**Keeping the UK
strong and
growing**

**Becoming
outstanding
internationally,
not just
successful**

**Becoming a
multi-channel
retailer
wherever we
trade**

**Delivering on
the potential of
retailing
services
– The Bank**

**Applying
Group skill and
scale**

**Delivering
higher returns**

International performance strong

- Total profit growth 22%*
- Despite very tough economic conditions in several markets



* Pre-Hungary crisis tax



Fresh & Easy

- Reduced losses, more progress
- Decisive change of trend
- Customer offer significantly improved
- Two year like-for-like over 20%
- Focus on store profitability
- Measured approach to new capital



Market share growth – Good progress

Asia	Market Share	Change
South Korea [*]	5.7%	↑ 0.1%
Thailand [±]	13.0%	↑ 0.6%
Malaysia ⁺	10.2%	↓ (0.1)%
China ^{+x}	2.9%	↔ 0.0%

Sources:

* KNSO market share (Month of January 2012)

± Kantar Panel (12 weeks ending 26 February 2012)

+ Kantar Panel (12 weeks ending 27 January 2012)

x China's market share coverage is based on the 7 cities coverage



Europe	Market Share	Change
Poland [§]	6.9%	↑ 0.4%
Hungary [§]	20.0%	↑ 0.8%
Czech [∞]	11.2%	↑ 1.0%
Slovakia [∞]	20.3%	↑ 1.2%
Turkey ^μ	1.7%	↔ 0.0%
Ireland ^α	28.2	↑ 1.0%

Sources:

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∞ Kantar Panel (3 months ending December 2011)

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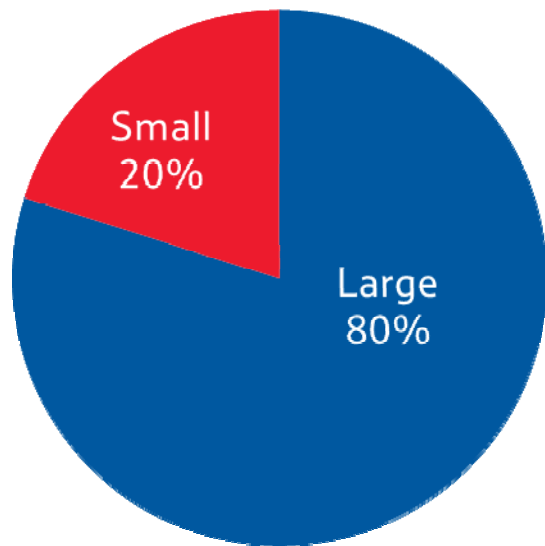
α Kantar Panel (12 weeks ending 18 March 2012)

Thailand

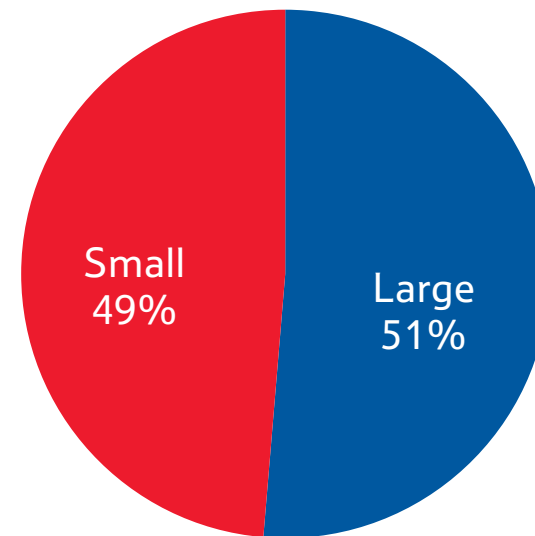


Smaller formats driving growth

Total international space – as at Feb 2012



New international space – forecast 12/13



The hypermarket – more to come

- 31 conversions to Extra in Europe, 3 in Asia
- 17% cumulative improvement in sales
- Food and service-focused, tight general merchandise assortment, strong clothing offer



Poland



China

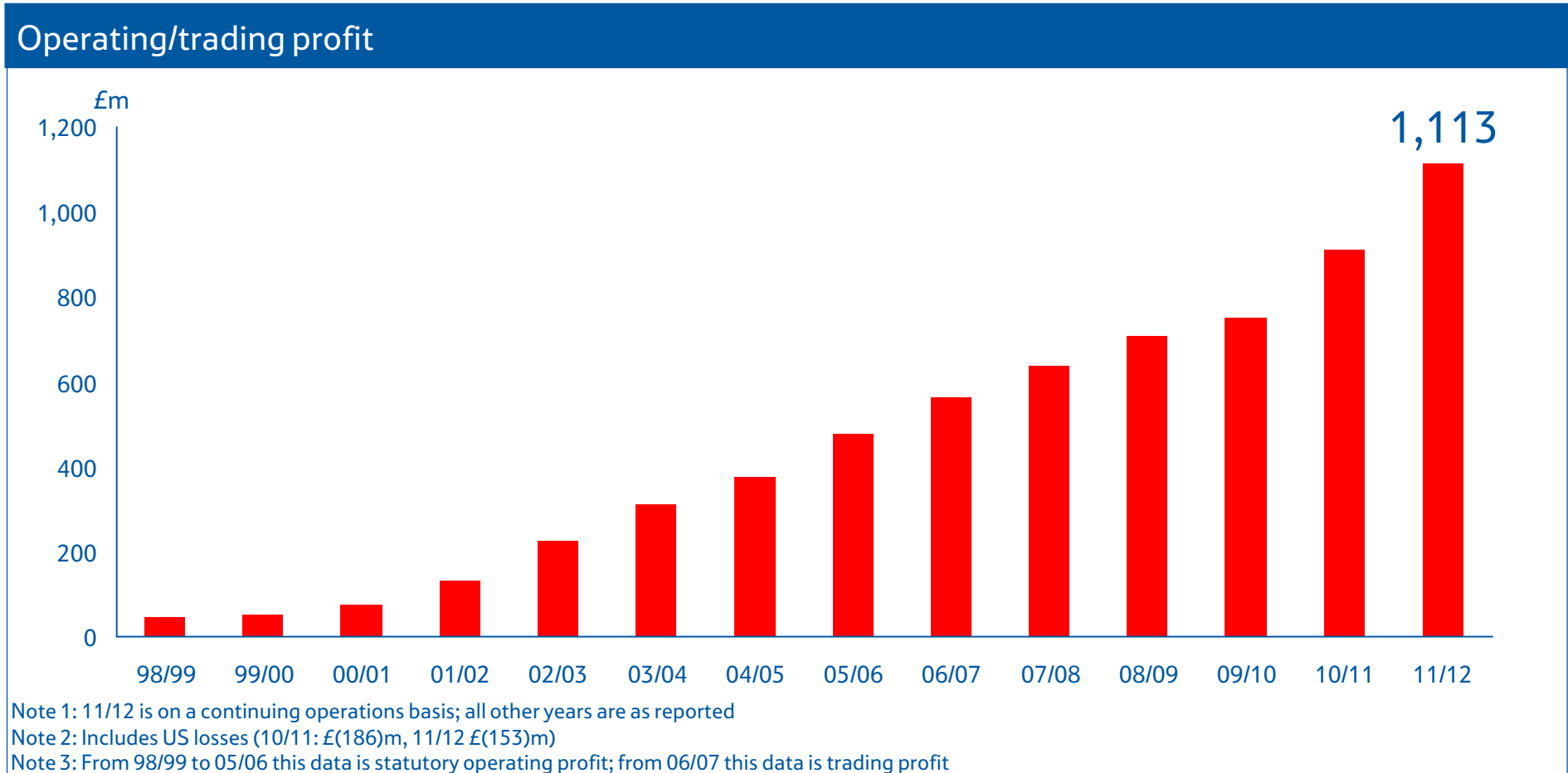
- Tough environment
 - Slowing economy
 - High inflation and wage costs
- More cautious stance
 - No new substantial freehold commitments
 - Holding back on leasehold hypers for the time being
 - 16 new hypers in 2012/13
- Potential engine of growth, constrained by short term challenges



Korea



Tesco International – Rapid growth



Tesco Bank

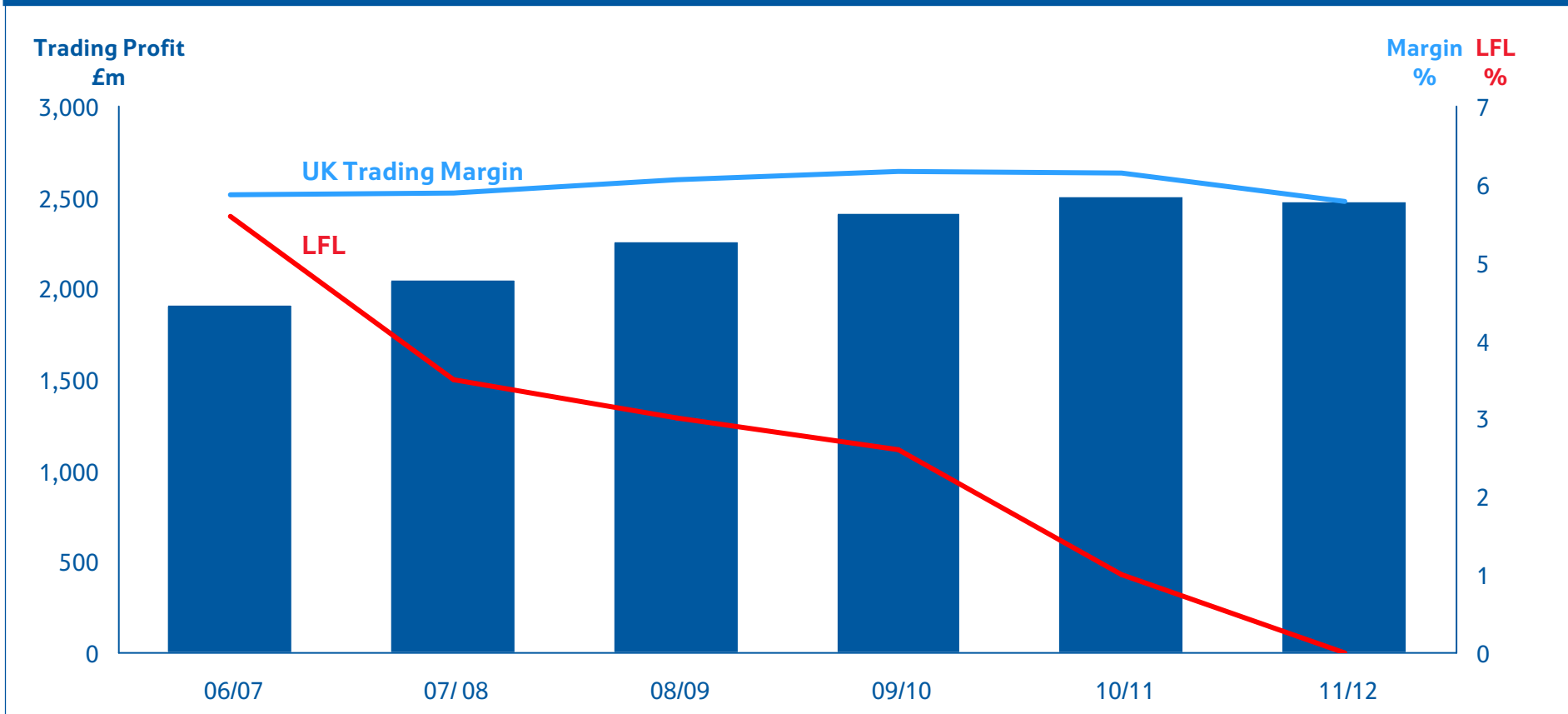
- Migration project almost complete
- Low cost model
- Robust, modern systems
- Good market positions
- 75% of business online
- New products appearing soon
- Well-placed to deliver good growth



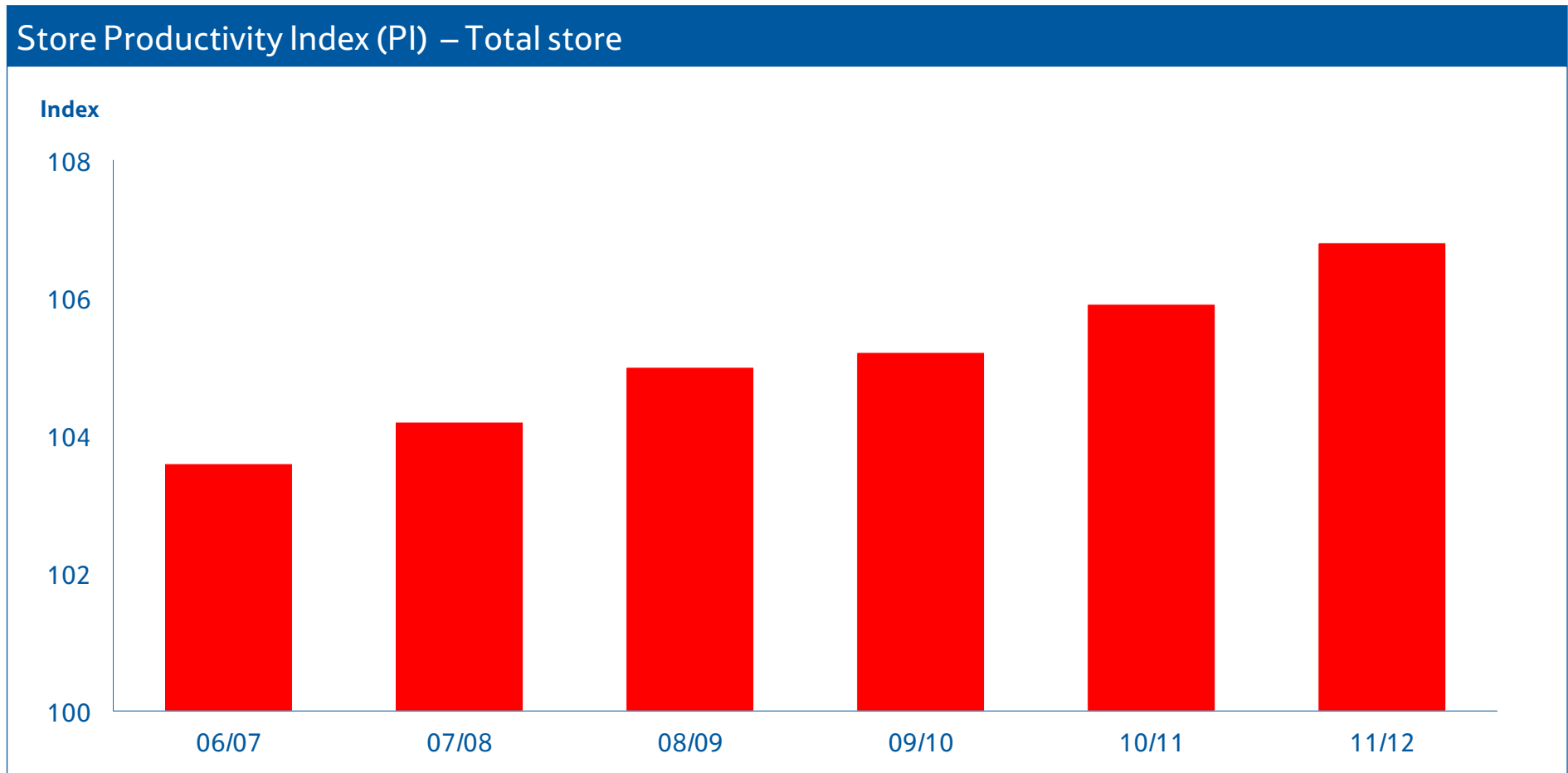
**Keeping the
UK strong
and growing**

UK performance

UK Sales and Profit Growth – 2006/07 to 2011/12



Productivity index too high



UK



TESCO

Customer perceptions

Shopping Trip – Long Term Performance Summary				
Promise	Every Little Helps Measure	2002 Position	2007 Position	2011 Position
Prices are good	Price		2nd	2nd
	Promotions			
I can get what I want	Food Range	1st	1st	1st
	Food Quality		2nd	2nd
	Availability		1st	2nd
I don't queue	I Don't Queue	1st	1st	2nd
Shopping is easy and enjoyable	Enjoyable Shopping	1st	2nd	2nd
Staff are great	Staff Helpfulness	1st		

Source: Customer Spotlight reports; TNS image and attitude tracker;

BLUE = Best in market

GREEN = 2nd position amongst leading grocery retailers

AMBER = 3rd position or below amongst leading grocery retailers



The UK Plan – Building a Better Tesco

1. Service & Staff



2. Stores & Formats



3. Price & Value



4. Range & Quality



5. Brand & Marketing



6. Clicks & Bricks



Service & Staff

- Putting staffing levels back in
- Particularly in fresh areas & large stores
- Recruiting, training, equipping 8,000 staff
- Our biggest ever service investment: over £200m
- Dedicated staff in key departments
 - Produce
 - Meat
 - Chilled convenience food

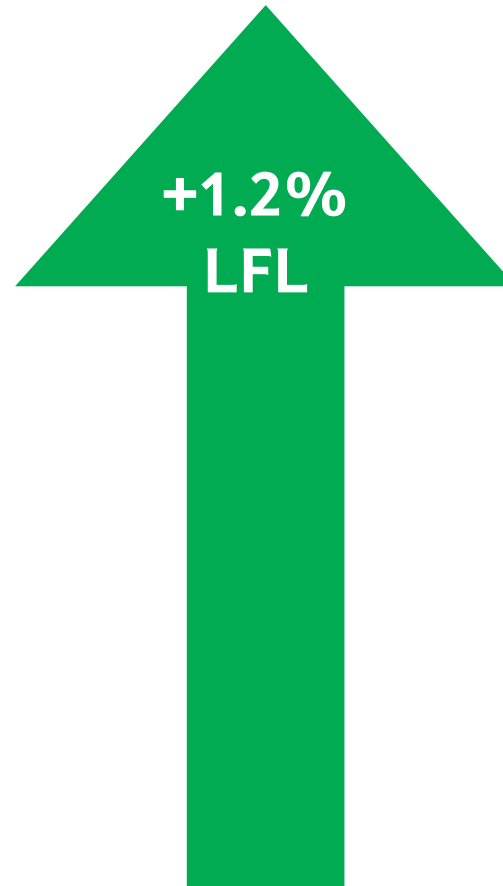


Service & Staff – Encouraging results

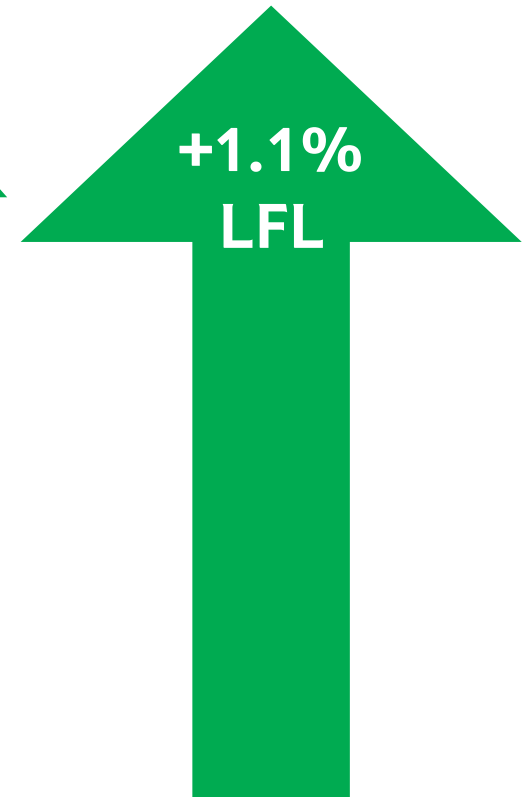


**Mystery shopper
scores 7.8% higher
than control group**

**All invested
stores to date**



**16 Stores after
31 weeks***



**200 Stores after
17 weeks**

Stores & Formats



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New space – A fundamentally new approach

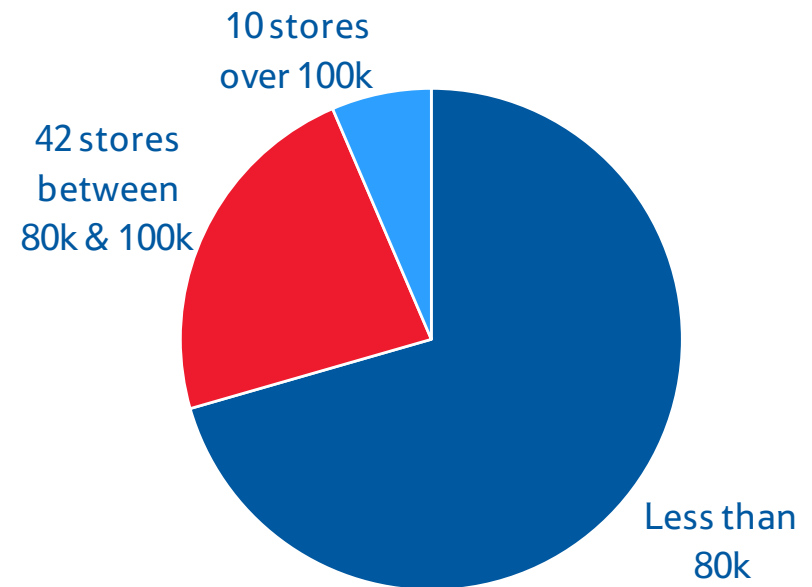
- Less new space overall
- 1.5m sq ft new space in 2012/13 – nearly 40% less than last year
- Reflecting growing importance of online
- Focusing on most productive use of capital
- Continued growth in all formats; some clear priorities:
 - Express
 - dotcom-only stores
 - Building out committed projects



The hypermarket

- Extra – still an opportunity for growth
- New stores smaller on average
- Food, services and clothing-focused
- Reflecting rapid growth of non-food online
- Existing estate profitable and popular with customers

Proportion of Extra stores by size



Price & Value



Range & Quality



Ranging – More store and format-specific

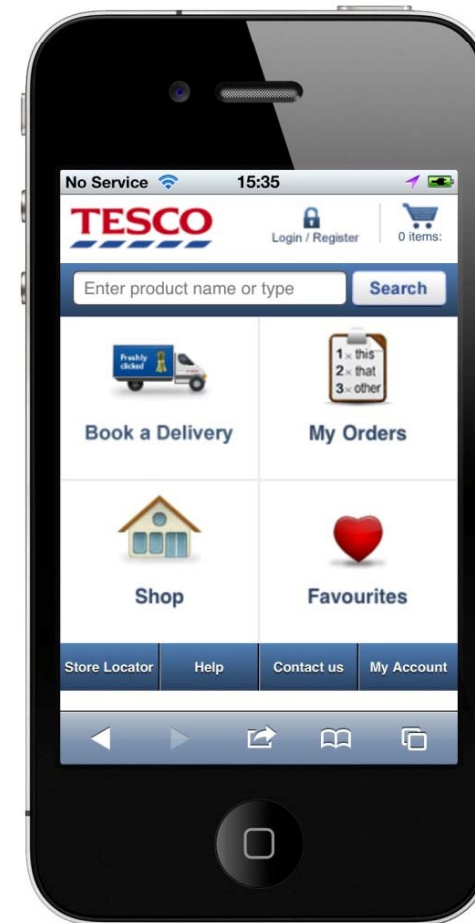


Brand & Marketing



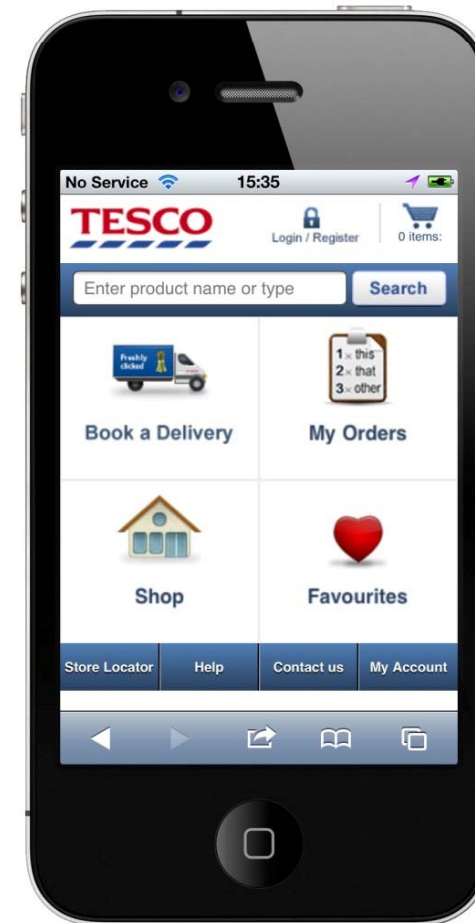
Clicks & Bricks

- Strategic opportunity of internet for business with our scale, reach and capability
- Well-placed to prosper
- Grocery first
 - Profitable
 - Advantage in international markets from our UK model



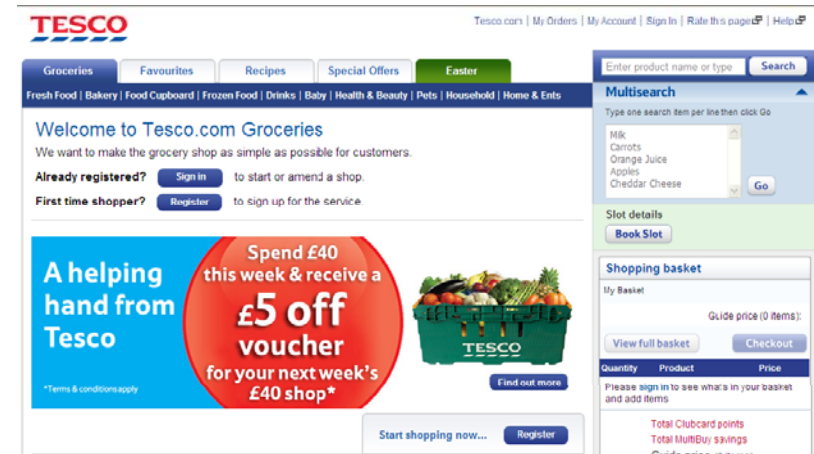
Clicks & Bricks

- Total online sales of £2.8bn
- Profits up, despite development cost headwind
- UK grocery accelerating its growth
- Tesco Direct – step-change in offer



Grocery online – UK

- Sales grew 10%; profits increased
- Investment in offer well-received:
 - More capacity
 - More delivery slots
 - Flexible delivery charges
- Click & Collect Grocery now in 45 stores



dotcom-only store network

- Enfield opened January 2012
- Offering greater range to diverse London market
- Freeing up room for existing store growth
- Last two London locations open by end 2013



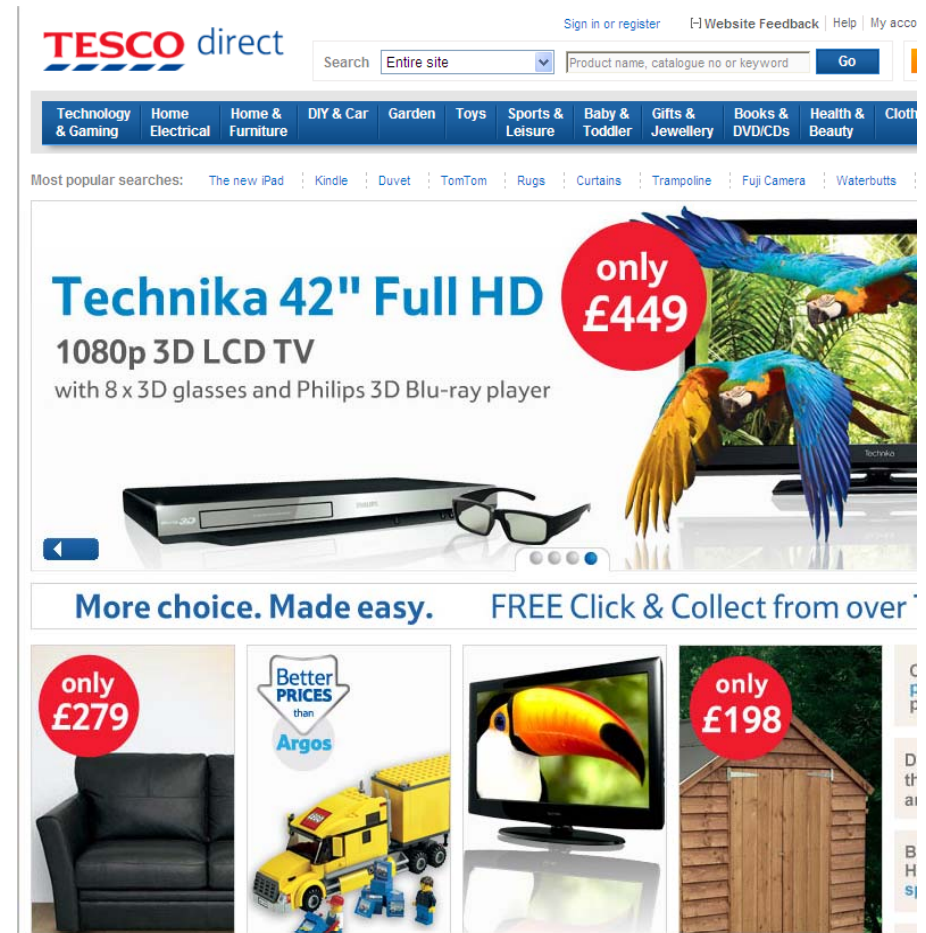
International dotcom

- Existing operations performing well
 - Korea operation doubled profit in H2
- Strong start in Prague – ahead of plan
- Warsaw to launch soon



Tesco Direct

- New website launched
 - More content
 - Doubling range to over 75,000 SKU's
 - First stage of Marketplace
 - Phased improvements throughout year
- Click & Collect in nearly 800 stores
 - 70% of non-food online volume
 - In 70 Expresses now – 700 by year-end



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The UK team



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Director



Steve Rigby
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Director



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Director



David Wood
UK Marketing Director



Andrew Yaxley
UK Commercial Director

UK – Summary

- We know what the issues are and we know how to fix them
- Pilots encouraging
- Execution is key
- Getting the UK back to form: the priority
- Strong, hand-picked management team
- Confident we can get the business leading, performing and growing

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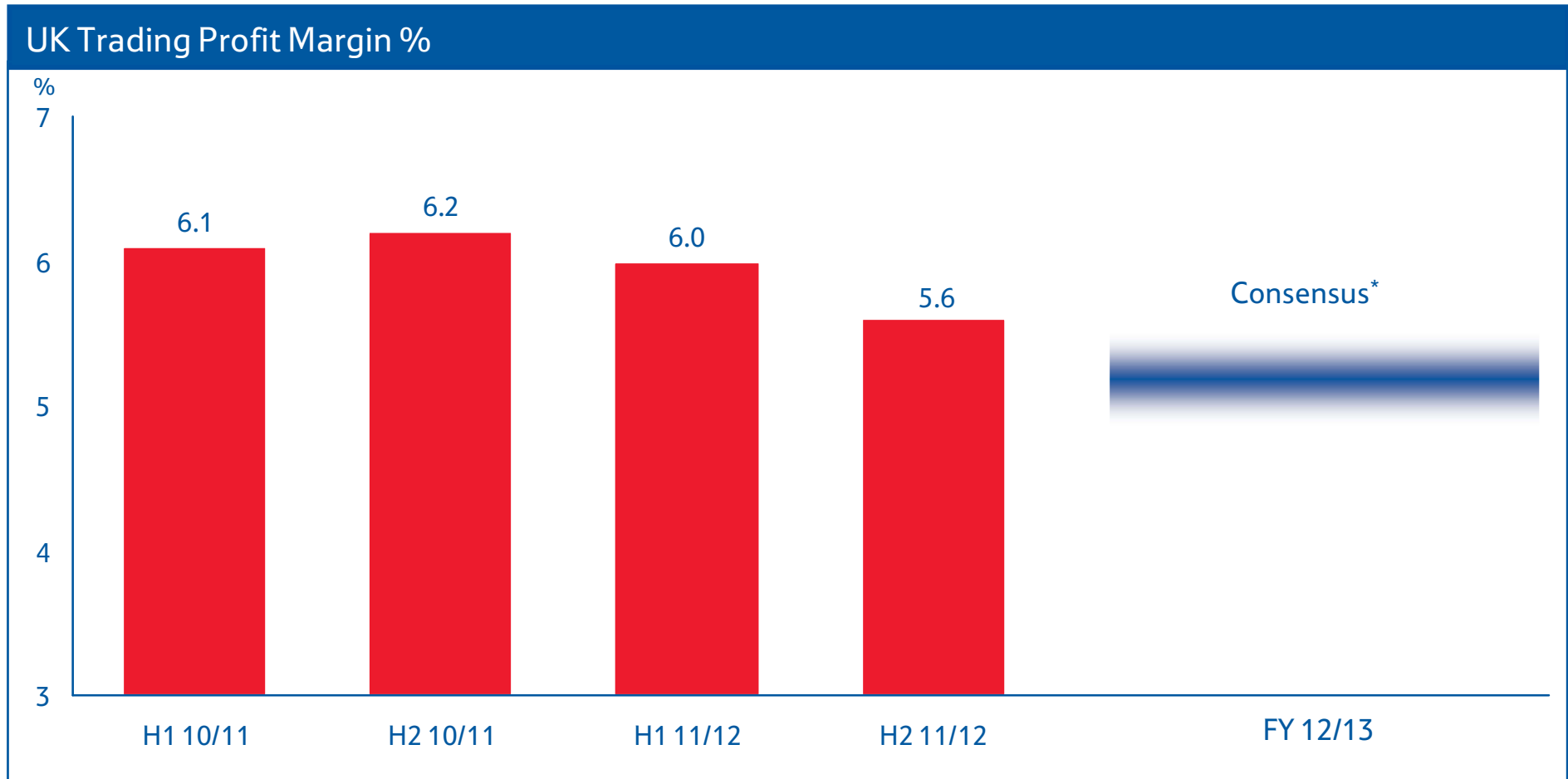
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Outline

- Financial implications of UK plan
- Financial strategy
 - Capital expenditure
 - Space
 - Returns
 - Cash

UK – Financial implications



Financial Strategy – Group capex

- Group capital expenditure will reduce to £3.3bn in 2012/13
- Going forward, less than 5% of sales
- New phase of growth
- Businesses competing for capital
- Balancing growth and returns

Financial Strategy – Capex and space

- Greater share of Group capital expenditure into smaller, higher-returning formats
- UK:
 - Less overall capital expenditure
 - Less new space
 - New stores: smaller, more focused on food than non-food
- More on existing stores – over £200m in enlarged Refresh programme
- Stepping up investment in online
- Higher returns on new space
 - 2010/11 opening programme ahead of target

Financial Strategy – Capital work-in-progress

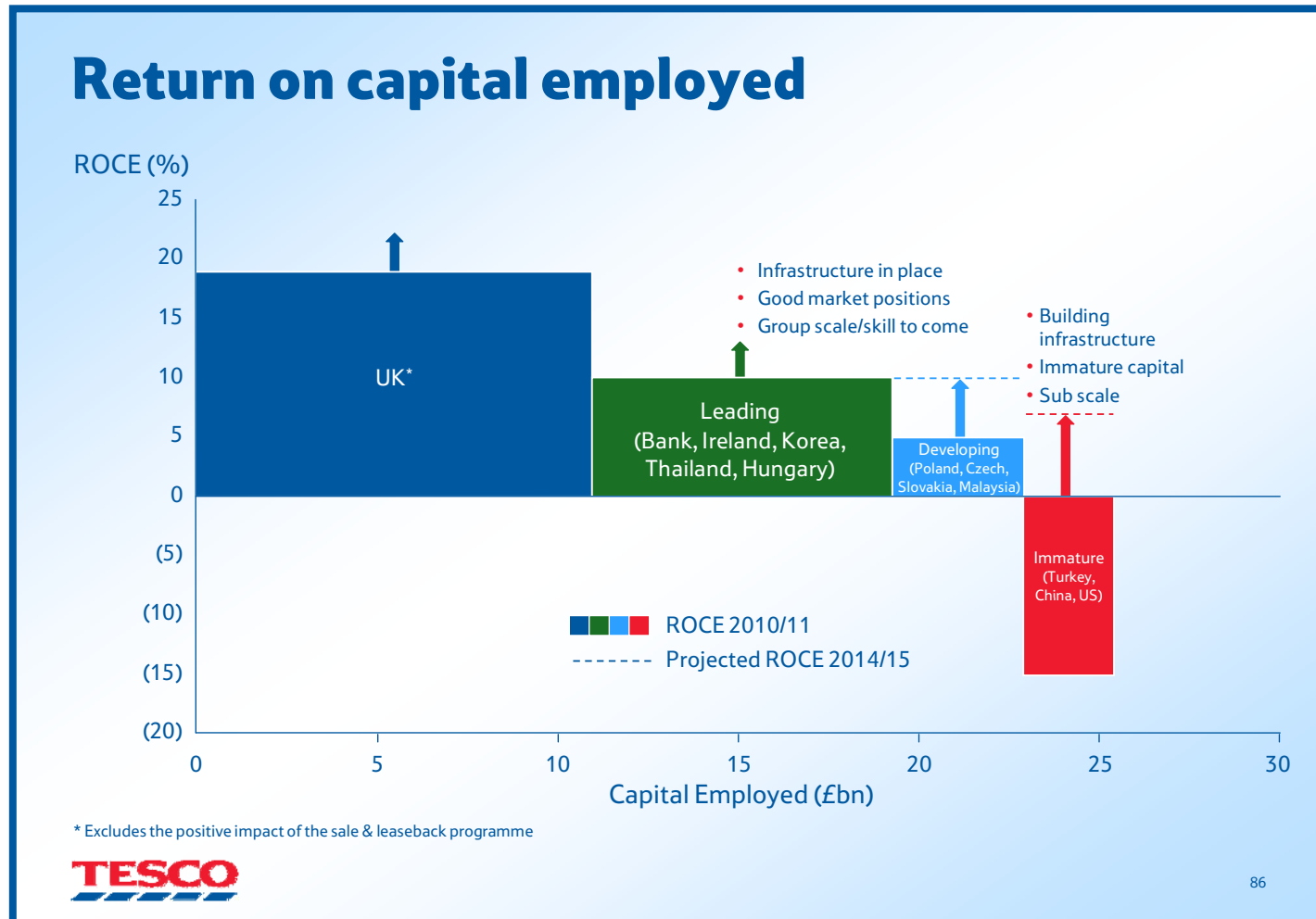
- Pipeline – around £2bn UK work-in-progress
- Reduction going forward
 - Building out pipeline faster than adding new sites
 - Key contributor to UK space growth
 - Completion of mixed use schemes, with build phase in 2012/13



Financial Strategy – Cash

- Overall reduction in Group capex
- Return to growth in cash contribution from UK
- International businesses making increasingly positive contribution
- Strong plans to improve working capital inflow
- Outlook for Tesco: increasingly cash-generative

Maintaining ROCE target of 14.6%



Summary

- Greater capital discipline and restraint
- More sustainable level of growth
- Less capital-intensive investment
 - Less new space
 - More focus on existing stores
 - More new small stores
 - More online
- Reduced non-productive capital and higher hurdle rates for new opportunities
- Higher returns and higher cash-generation
- Better for shareholders

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Group Chief Executive



Summary

- Great business
 - UK's biggest retail company
 - Record Group profits
- Confident we can get UK business where we want it to be
 - Innovating, changing, adapting to meet customers' needs
 - Leadership in new era of retailing
- Focus on what we have
- Making sure each part of business is successful, strong and growing
- Making right calls on margins, services, space
- Putting the customer first

Building a better Tesco

Q & A





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