



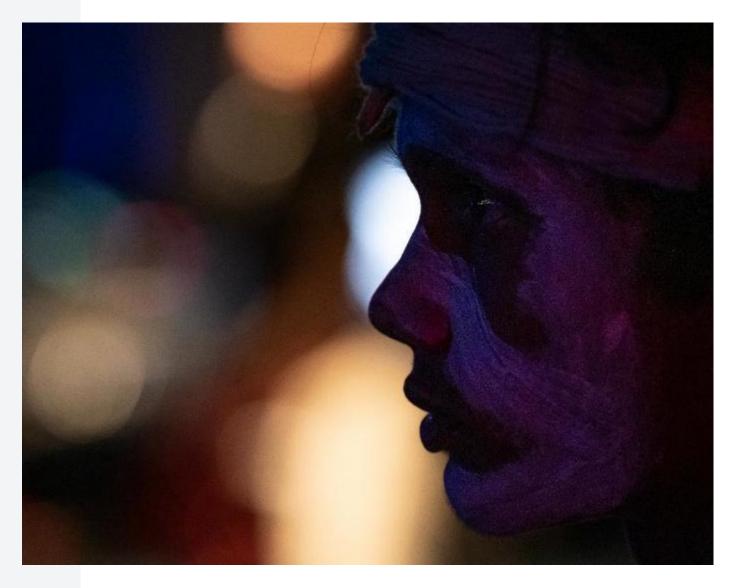
## Acknowledgement of Country and Mihi



Ventia would like to respectfully acknowledge the Traditional Custodians of country throughout Australia and their connection to land, sea and community. We pay our respect to them, their cultures and to their Elders past and present.



He tautoko te ahurea i ngā kawa me ngā tikanga o ngā Iwi whānui o Aotearoa, me ka kawa me ka tikaka o ka Iwi whānui o Te Waipounamu. We recognise and celebrate the culture of manawhenua in Aotearoa and Te Waipounamu where our teams respect local Iwi and communities across the country.





## Early intervention and proactive management of injuries

**Employee utilisation of preventative health program** 

1739 Employees

Over rolling 12 months

Workers' compensation claims reduced by

5%

Over last 12 months

Serious injury claims reduced by

25%

Over last 12 months





## Consistent financial performance and sustainable shareholder returns



**Delivering on expectations** 

**NPATA** growth

11.9%

Delivered 3-year CAGR of 11.9%

**Cash conversion** 

93.2%

Up from 87.3% in HY22



Realising sustainable growth

Renewal rate<sup>1</sup>

95.0%

Up from 83.3% in HY22

**Work in Hand** 

\$20.6b

Up 18.9% since HY22



**Delivering for shareholders** 

Interim dividend declared

10.71cps

Increased 43.4% on HY22

On market buy back continuing

\$82.5m

Capital returned in HY25

**Upgraded FY25 guidance – NPATA growth of 10-12%** 

(excluding the one-off positive impact of the Toowoomba novation)





## **HY25 result highlights**

**Total Revenue** 

\$3,037.2m

Decrease of 1.5% on HY24

**EBITDA Margin<sup>1</sup>** 

8.3%

▲ Increase of 0.3pp on HY24

Cash conversion ratio<sup>1</sup>

93.2%

▲ Increase of 2.5pp on HY24

EBITDA1

\$252.6m

▲ Increase of 2.8% on HY24

NPATA<sup>1</sup>

\$119.4m

▲ Increase of 11.9% on HY24

**Work in Hand** 

\$20.6b

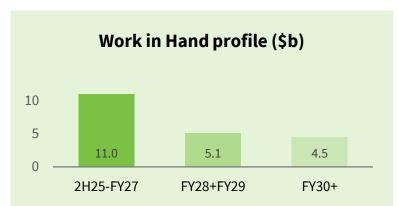
▲ Increase of 19.4% on HY24



## **Current pipeline underpins future growth**







#### **Strategic wins in HY25**





## **Customer focus: Voice of the Customer**

## We are maturing our customer model to deliver on our strategy

In 2025, we launched an enterprise-wide Voice of the Customer Program embedding our listen, understand, act framework

85% of customers gave feedback

86% Customer satisfaction score

## Over 80% of our customers agree that Ventia:



Partners with the right people







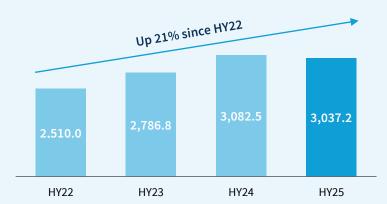






## Consistent track record of financial performance



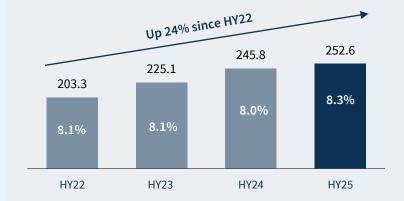


Revenue growth a solid trajectory since HY22

(1.5%)

HY25 Revenue growth was impacted by lower Defence and Social Infrastructure revenue

#### EBITDA<sup>1</sup> and Margin (\$m/%)



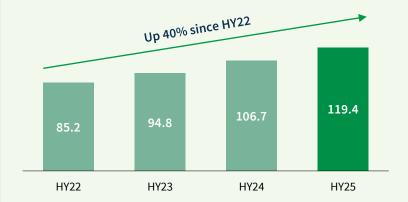
Up since HY22 **24%** 

**EBITDA** growth since HY22 demonstrates consistency

8.3%

EBITDA margin improvement due to mix shift and focus on higher margin projects

#### NPATA<sup>1</sup> (\$m)



Up since HY22 **40%** 

**NPATA growth** continues, strong track record since HY22

**11.9**%

NPATA grew in HY25 underpinned by D&A and higher interest income



## Statement of profit or loss

Statuto	ory P&L		ng¹ P&L	
HY25	HY24	Delta	HY25	HY2

\$ millions	HY25	HY24	Delta	HY25	HY24	Delta	
Revenue	3,037.2	3,082.5	(1.5%)	3,037.2	3,082.5	(1.5%)	
Other income	24.9	-	n/a				•
Expenses	(2,785.4)	(2,837.4)	(1.8%)	(2,785.4)	(2,837.4)	(1.8%)	
Share of JV profits	0.8	0.7	14.3%	0.8	0.7	14.3%	
EBITDA	277.5	245.8	12.9%	252.6	245.8	2.8%	•
Depreciation expense	(48.7)	(57.6)	(15.5%)	(48.7)	(57.6)	(15.5%)	•
Amortisation expense	(14.3)	(18.5)	(22.7%)	(14.3)	(18.5)	(22.7%)	•
Earnings before interest and income tax	214.5	169.7	26.4%	189.7	169.7	11.7%	•
Net finance costs	(22.5)	(25.2)	(10.7%)	(22.5)	(25.2)	(10.7%)	•
Profit before income tax	192.0	144.5	32.9%	167.1	144.5	15.6%	
Income tax expense	(57.5)	(43.1)	33.4%	(50.0)	(43.1)	16.0%	
Profit after income tax	134.5	101.4	32.6%	117.1	101.4	15.5%	
Amortisation of acquired intangible assets (after tax)	2.3	5.3	(56.6%)	2.3	5.3	(56.6%)	•
Net Profit after Tax and Amortisation	136.8	106.7	28.2%	119.4	106.7	11.9%	•
Basic earnings per share (cps)	15.87	11.85	33.9%	13.81	11.85	16.5%	•

#### Other income

In January 2025, the Group novated the contract for Toowoomba Second Range Crossing (TSRC). The novation resulted in a one-off gain of \$24.9 million

#### **Depreciation expense**

Decrease attributable to an assessment of the remaining useful life of certain plant and machinery which occurred in HY24

#### **Amortisation expense**

Decreased as a portion of acquired intangible assets became fully amortised in FY24

#### **Net finance costs**

Decreased due to savings from refinance and higher average cash balance over the period

#### **Amortisation of acquired intangible assets**

All acquired customer contracts and relationships are fully amortised as at 30 June 2025

#### **Earnings per share**

Higher than profit after income tax growth due to the buyback reducing shares on issue  $$_{10}$$ 

<sup>1.</sup> Excludes the one-off positive profit from the novation of TSRC in HY25



### Improving margins across portfolio



Revenue

\$1.2b

**V** 6.0%

**EBITDA** 

**13.6%** 

▲ 1.4 pp **Work in Hand** \$101.1m \$5.0b

Margin

8.1%

#### **Key drivers**

- Revenue reduced due to lower Defence Base Service projects, exited contract and revised scope of Housing and Community contract
- EBITDA and margin have increased due to strategic focus on higher margin work



#### Infrastructure **Services**

Revenue

\$690.6m

**4** 9.6%

**EBITDA** 

\$60.6m

**1** 21.4%

Margin

8.8%

▲ 0.9 pp

**Work in Hand** 

\$4.6b

#### **Key drivers**

- Revenue and EBITDA have increased due to the full year impact of 2024 contract wins in Energy and Water
- Ongoing mix shift towards higher margin end markets is expected to continue in the second half



#### **Telecommunications**

Revenue

\$772.7m

**V** 1.2%

**EBITDA** 

\$97.0m

**V** 3.3%

Margin

12.6%

▼ 0.2 pp

**Work in Hand** 

\$6.6b

#### **Key drivers**

- Revenue and EBITDA marginally lower due to the moblisation of new contract wins with Telstra and NBN
- Second half expected to benefit from revenue associated with recent contract wins



#### **Transport**

Revenue

Margin \$324.5m 7.6%

**V** 5.0%

**EBITDA** 

**Work in Hand** 

\$24.6m

\$4.4b

▲ 0.2 pp

**V** 2.0%

#### **Key drivers**

- Revenue and EBITDA are lower due to completion of works in 2H24 and timing of contracted work
- Contract award commencements will benefit the second half



### Delivery against capital allocation framework



Maintain financial strength and flexibility

**Cash generation** 

93.2%

Cash conversion up 2.5pp on HY24

**Strong credit profile** 

1.1x

**Net debt /EBITDA** at the bottom of target range



Invest to grow core business

**Organic growth (capex % of revenue)** 

1.4%

Capex of \$41.1m for HY25

**Bolt-on acquisitions since listing** 

>\$50m

Combined purchase price for **Kordia, ATC Energy, Landscape Solutions** and **PowerNet** 



Maximise total shareholder returns

**Sustainable distribution payout** 

75% of NPATA

Declared an **Interim Dividend** of 10.71cps

**Buyback completed to date** 

\$82.5m

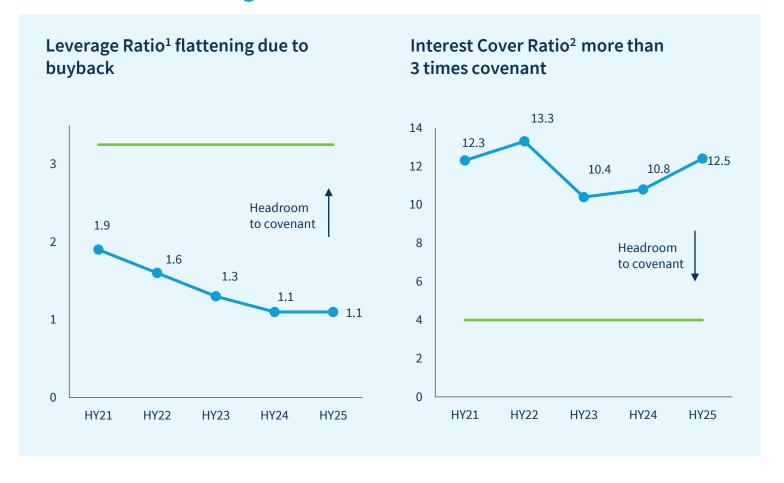
Full year target increased to \$150m



## Maintaining financial strength and flexibility

#### Net Debt/EBITDA continues to be at the bottom end of the range

30 June 2025 metrics (\$m)	
Cash on hand	324.4
Undrawn revolver	400.0
Total liquidity	724.4
Term loan and drawn revolvers	750.0
Lease liabilities	151.3
Total debt	901.3
Net debt	576.9
Total debt facilities	1,150.0
Credit rating	S&P: BBB (stable outlook) Moody's: Baa2 (stable outlook)
Covenants	Leverage Ratio¹≤3.25x (1.1x as at 30 June 25)
	Interest Cover Ratio <sup>2</sup> ≥4x (12.5x as at 30 June 25)



<sup>1.</sup> Calculated as Net Debt/bank adjusted EBITDA

<sup>2.</sup> Calculated as bank adjusted EBITDA/Interest Expense

## Investing to grow capabilities in energy and renewables

**Acquisition of PowerNet** 



#### **Market opportunity**

- ✓ Transmission and distribution market (Aust + NZ) – Ventia specific opportunity estimated to be \$9 billion by 2028¹
- ✓ Substation market (Aust + NZ), estimated at \$1.6 billion by 2028¹
- ✓ Ventia is expanding our capabilities in the energy and renewables market

#### **PowerNet**

On 1 July Ventia acquired PowerNet, an electrical services business specialising in the design, build and installation of substations and complex electrical high voltage projects. The business provides a base in Southeast NSW and has 32 employees.

#### **PowerNet delivers**

- ✓ Strategic positioning for Ventia in the energy transition market
- ✓ Regional footprint and deep relationships
- √ Key personnel and deep expertise





## Maximising total shareholder returns

#### Reliable and growing dividends

**Interim dividend for HY25** 

**10.71cps**<sup>1</sup>

Increased 14.5% on HY24

**Policy to payout** 

60-80% of NPATA

Target dividend payout of 75% NPATA

**Dividends partially franked** 

90% franked

Increased from 80% on HY24

**On-market buyback commenced** 

**Bought back in HY25** 

\$82.5m

Equates to 9.64 cents per share 2

**Buyback target increased to** 

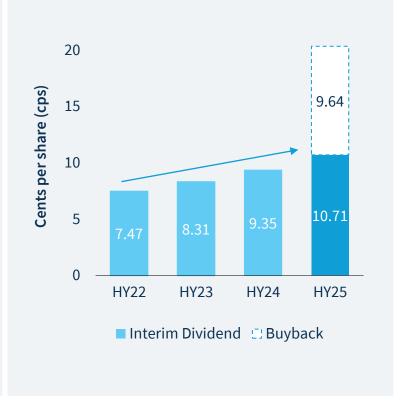
\$150m

Target for completion in 2025

Leverage to remain within the target range of

1-2X Net Debt/EBITD/

#### Increasing returns to shareholders



<sup>1.</sup> Interim dividend to be paid 8 October 2025

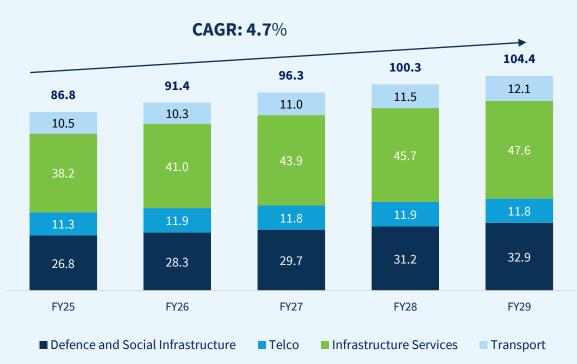
<sup>2.</sup> Calculated using \$82.5m of buyback purchase divided by shares on issue at the commencement of buyback – 855.5 million





## Addressable market opportunity and mega trends underpin future growth

## Outsourced Maintenance Services addressable market size Australia & New Zealand (\$b)<sup>1</sup>



- Oxford Economics (2025) Refers to the financial years ended 4. Economy Federal Budget 2025-26
   June.
   Clean Energy Council April 2025
- 2. Australian Government Defence media release May 2024 6. Oxford Economics 2025
- 3. Australia to 2030 www.infrastructure.gov.au

#### **Opportunity pipeline across our sectors**

### **Defence and Government spending**

- The Australian Government has reaffirmed a significant uplift in defence spending, which is expected to exceed 2.3% of GDP by 2033/34<sup>2</sup>
- Australian government spending on outsourced services and infrastructure is expected to grow 14% to \$80 billion by 2030<sup>3</sup>

#### **Energy transition**

- Australian Federal budget 2025-26 has allocated \$8 billion to support the energy transition<sup>4</sup>
- Over \$58 billion of private sector investment on clean energy projects is either committed or in the pipeline in 2025<sup>5</sup>

### Digitisation and demand for data

- By 2030 the total number of connected devices is projected to exceed 75 billion, up from 20 billion today, the demand for data, speed and connectivity are all expected to grow exponentially
- Telecommunications capital works are projected to rise 0.5% on average per year to FY29<sup>6</sup>

#### **Population growth**

- Population growth expected to increase 1-2% p.a. over the next 5 years
- Long-term road and rail maintenance demand remains strong and is underpinned by increased road and rail usage



## **Expansion of strategic partnership with nbn**

#### Snapshot

Ventia has been a strategic partner to NBN Co. since 2010, delivering end-toend services including design, construction, on-demand deployment, field services and network operations and assurance.

Ventia is currently partnering with nbn on the fibre to the node upgrade program, on-demand fibre installation, fixed line connection, assurance and fixed wireless greenfield build and network resilience upgrade works.

# A 15+ year partnership with nbn

## Ventia has secured ~\$3.2b of new work with nbn in the past 6 months Expanded geographic footprint in QLD & NSW under Field Module and on-demand fibre installation contracts Including Field Module and Fibre to the Node Upgrade works secured in ACT (new awarded region)

Ventia provides services to nbn in all States & Territories of Australia

#### Services provided



- Fixed line connections and assurance (Field Module) (\$2.1b, 5 years)
- Fibre to the Node upgrade program (\$1.1b, 3.5 years)
- Fibre installations for new developments and businesses (\$300m, 3 years)
- Fixed Wireless greenfield build and network resilience upgrades



## What is Ventia's competitive advantage

#### **Our strategy**

**Redefining Service Excellence:** 



#### **Customer Focus**

Building enduring long-term strategic partnerships



#### **Innovation**

Leveraging data and industry leading technology



#### **Sustainability**

Positively impacting the people and communities we serve





#### **Trusted delivery**

Collective focus to improve every day



#### **Industry expertise**

Deep knowledge and experience across our industry sectors



#### **National reach**

Urban, regional and remote presence that can quickly scale

Safety and health is our license to operate



### Full year 2025 outlook



**Upgraded FY25 Guidance NPATA growth** 

10-12%

**Continued strong cash generation** 

>90%



Realising sustainable growth

Sustainable financial growth

+90% renewal rate

**Growing Work in Hand to** 

>\$21b



Creating long term value for shareholders

**Dividends** 

60-80% of NPATA

**Executing on-market buyback of up to** 

\$150m

Second half to benefit from recent work won and ongoing margin improvement

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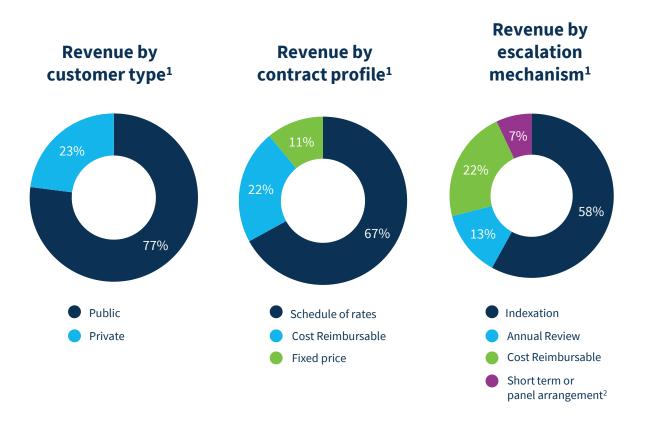




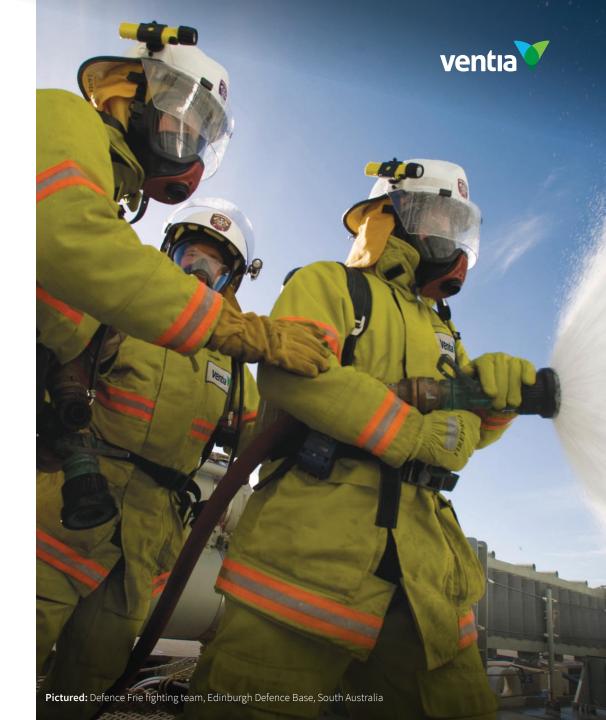
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**Pictured:** Member of our firefighting & rescue services team, Oakey, QLD

## **Diversified portfolio**



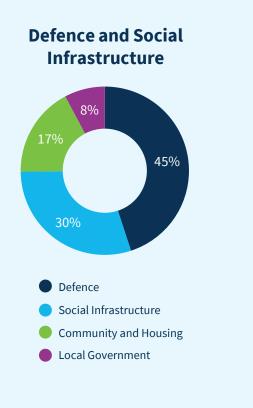
- 1. Revenue by customer type, contract profile and escalation mechanism reflects HY25 Total Revenue
- 2. Panel arrangements relate to specific projects that are short term and individually priced, taking into account the prevailing market conditions at the time of the tender



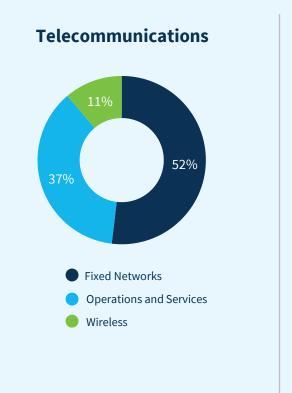


### Sectors split by end market

#### Diversified and resilient portfolio provides consistent financial performance











## **Cash flow conversion continues to improve**

#### **Underlying HY25**

\$ millions	HY25	HY24	Delta	
EBITDA	252.6	245.8	2.8%	
Changes in net working capital and other non-cash items	(17.2)	(22.9)	(24.9%)	Cash flow conversion Improved due to a strong focus on invoicing and cash collecti
Operating cash flow <sup>1</sup>	235.4	222.9	5.6%	
Operating cash flow conversion <sup>2</sup>	93.2%	90.7%	2.5pp <b>◄</b>	Net capital expenditure
Lease payments	(34.5)	(32.1)	7.5%	Increased investment in growth capex including:
Net capital expenditure	(41.1)	(28.5)	44.2%	<ul><li>Digital capability uplifts</li><li>Rigs and Wells investment</li></ul>
Acquisition	-	-	n/a	Maintenance capex remains relatively stable Capital expenditure in HY25 was 1.4% of revenue
Cash flow before financing and tax	159.8	162.3	(1.5%)	
Net financing cash flows	(19.3)	(18.7)	(3.2%)	Net Finance costs
Free cash flow before tax and dividends	140.5	143.6	(2.2%)	Decreased due to debt refinancing and higher average cash

 $<sup>1. \</sup>quad \text{Operating cash flow represents EBITDA plus any non-cash share payments, after changes in net working capital.} \\$ 

<sup>2.</sup> Operating cash flow divided by EBITDA expressed as a percentage.

