

**RESULTS
PRESENTATION**
for the 6 months ended
30 June 2025

RESET AND GROWTH
IN A SUSTAINABLE MANNER
WITH A FOCUS ON AFRICA

10 September 2025

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1 CEO UPDATE & OPERATIONAL REVIEW: PAUL O'FLAHERTY

Operating environment

External trends

- Stable performance from Metair OEM customers, in line with Metair expectations
- Automotive battery demand strong in Romania
- US tariff turmoil creates uncertainty
- Continued strong vehicle imports from China and India
- Tough competition for aftermarket parts in South Africa

Internal impacts

- Improved performance across most subsidiaries
- Debt restructuring concluded
- Hesto consolidation reduces complexity
- AutoZone integration being bedded down

Highlights

Reshaping the portfolio

- Hesto fully consolidated from 1 April 2025
- Closures of: ATE manufacturing line, First Battery Industrial Division and Automould, East London plant
- Various shared services and indirect overheads cost cutting initiatives underway to bring further cost savings

Capital structure

- Sustainable debt structure and repayment terms agreed

Operational performance

- Improved volumes for OEM Segment
- Significant cost reductions across the portfolio
- Strong profitability turnaround at Hesto
- AutoZone H1 incurred an expected loss as it emerges from business rescue

1H 2025 HIGHLIGHTS

Revenue

R8 657 m

↑ 53%

EBITDA

R716 m

↑ 40%

EBIT

R450m

↑ 27%

EBIT Margin

5.2 %

↓ 1ppt

HEPS

(Total)

65 cps

H1'24: -3cps

HEPS

(continuing operations)

71 cps

H1'24: 77cps

Hesto consolidated with effect from 1 April 2025

Volume recovery, cost savings and efficiencies contribute to improved performance

All debt covenants met

Unless otherwise stated results presented are on a continuing basis, pre capital items, and include three months of consolidated results for Hesto and six months for AutoZone. Comparative information has been represented to reflect the classification of Mutlu as a discontinued operation and the separate presentation of capital items.

Organisational enhancements

- July 2025 – appointment of new CFO
- New verticals in place:
 - › OEM (OEM Direct Component Manufacturing)
 - › AFM (Aftermarket Parts and Retail)

Diversification strategy

- AutoZone to grow aftermarket sales channel
- Strategy to diversify into new markets and regions
 - › Expand customer base and partners
 - › African opportunities and expansion

OEM focus:

- Manufacturing excellence
- Concentrate on areas within control
 - › operational execution
 - › customer support
- Restructure and right-size operations
- Dynamically adapt to market and volume shifts
- Flexible and agile operating models

Aftermarket Parts and Retail focus:

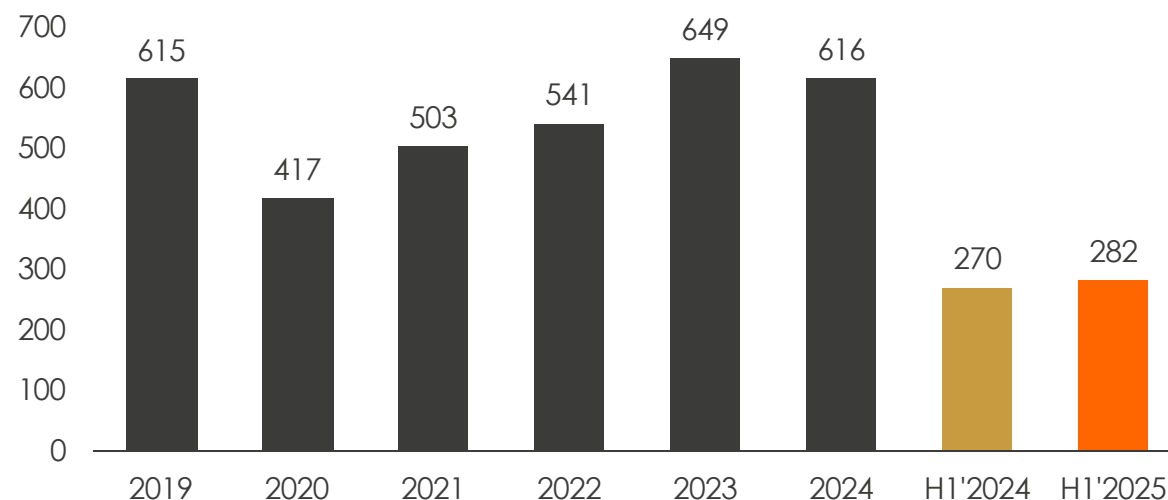
- Integrate and identify synergies with AutoZone
- Reposition ATE as purely aftermarket
- Capitalise on ABM as a footprint into Africa
- Expand partner aftermarket offerings

Leading Sustainable African Mobility Player

VEHICLE VOLUMES

SOUTH AFRICA

SA motor vehicle production – passenger cars and LCVs ('000)



OEM volumes	2022 FY	2023 FY	2024 FY	H1'2024 YTD	H1'2025 YTD	PY var (units)	
Toyota	115 327	175 311	125 938	54 115	64 011	9 896	^
Ford	92 166	130 963	129 859	66 293	61 559	(4 734)	v
VW	134 864	140 324	173 548	52 244	70 230	17 986	^
MBSA	87 023	88 056	85 488	38 338	34 620	(3 718)	v
BMW	61 823	64 233	58 085	35 431	32 251	(3 180)	v
Nissan	24 800	22 207	16 866	10 770	6 620	(4 180)	v
Isuzu	21 884	25 348	23 936	12 158	12 254	196	^
Other	2 681	2 789	2 269	1 316	1 103	(213)	v
	540 568	649 231	615 989	270 665	282 748	12 083	^

- US accounts for 6.5% of SA vehicle exports
- Primarily Mercedes impacted
- Metair OEM customers do not export to US
- Chinese and Indian brands account for over two thirds of domestic vehicle imports into South Africa

OPERATIONAL PERFORMANCE

AUTOMOTIVE COMPONENTS MANUFACTURING

HESTO

Products

Wiring harnesses, instrument cluster / combination meters, moulded parts

REVENUE

R3.1bn⁽¹⁾ up 7%

EBIT

R212m⁽¹⁾ up 88%

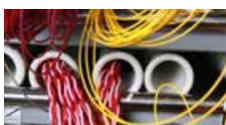
EBIT margin

6.9% (H1 '24: 3.9%)

GROUP
REVENUE
CONTRIBUTION

24%⁽²⁾

(1) Results for the company H1 2025 compared to H1 2024
(2) Based on the contribution for 3 months of current period



SMITHS
MANUFACTURING (PTY) LTD

Products

Heating, ventilation and air conditioning (HVAC) and climate control systems, other products, etc

LUMOTECH 
lighting your way

Headlights, taillights, reflectors and plastic injection mouldings

AUTOMOULD

Plastic injection moulding, chrome plating, body colour painting and assemblies, etc

**SUPREME
SPRING**

Coil springs, leaf springs, stabiliser bars, torsion bars

UNITRADE
wired for success 745

Automotive wire, PVC insulated copper

REVENUE

R3.6bn up 9%

EBIT

R228m up 16%

EBIT margin

6.4% (H1 '24: 6.0%)

GROUP
REVENUE
CONTRIBUTION

40%

AFTERMARKET PARTS AND RETAIL

**FIRST
BATTERY**

Products

Automotive batteries, solar systems, back-up systems, standby systems, charging systems, battery distribution networks, & Battery Centre franchise

ROMBAT
Member of Metair Group

DYNAMIC
BATTERY SERVICES LTD



REVENUE

R2.3bn down 1%

EBIT

R143m down 19%

EBIT margin

6.1% (H1 '24: 7.5%)

GROUP
REVENUE
CONTRIBUTION

27%

autoZONE

Products

Wholesale and retail distributor of automotive replacement components



Brake pads, brake discs, brake shoes, hydraulics and other braking components

REVENUE

R868m

EBIT loss

R24m

GROUP
REVENUE
CONTRIBUTION

9%

2 FINANCIAL REVIEW: ALASTAIR WALKER

1H 2025 RESULTS SUMMARY

REVENUE⁽¹⁾

increased 53% to

R8.7bn

(H1 '24: R5.7bn)

EBITDA⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾

increased 40% to

R716m

(H1 '24: R513m)

EBIT⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾

increased 27% to

R450m

(H1 '24: R354m)

GROUP NET DEBT

increased to

R5.1bn⁽⁴⁾

(Dec'24: R2.7bn)

Total HEPS

Increased by 68 cents to

65 cps

(H1 '24: -3cps)

HEPS⁽¹⁾

From continuing operations
decreased by 6 cents to

71cps

(H1 '24: 77cps)

Total EPS

decreased by 90 cents to

-93 cps

(H1 '24: -3 cps)

ROIC

reduced to

5.2%

From 7.1% (Dec'2024)

(1) Figures reported on a continuing basis

(2) EBIT is calculated as earnings before interest and taxes and excludes capital items

(3) EBITDA is calculated as earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortisation, and excludes capital items

(4) Includes Hesto net debt

GROUP RESULTS

Turnover increases from R5.7bn to R8.7bn and EBITDA increases from R513m to R716m

Income statement	H1'2025 Continuing operations as reported	H1'2024 Continuing operations as reported (represented)	FY2024 Continuing operations as reported
R'million			
Revenue	8 657	5 672	11 819
EBITDA	716	513	812
EBIT	450	354	504
EBIT margin	5.2%	6.2%	4.3%
Capital items	(307)	-	99
Operating profit	143	354	603
Net interest	(227)	(120)	(222)
(Loss) / Profit for the period from continuing operations	(137)	158	282
Attributable (loss)/ profit from continuing operations	(168)	150	272
Headline earnings	139	149	172
HEPS from continuing operations (cps)	71	77	89
HEPS – Group (cps)	65	(3)	(203)

Balance sheet	H1'2025 Group reported ⁽¹⁾	H1'2024 Group reported ⁽²⁾	FY2024 Group reported ⁽³⁾
R'million			
Non-current assets	5 003	6 358	4 112
Current assets	7 673	7 486	5 567
Total assets	12 677	13 844	9 679
Total equity	2 549	5 810	2 797
Non-current liabilities	5 975	1 764	644
Current liabilities	4 152	6 270	6 238
Total liabilities	10 127	8 034	6 882
Total equity and liabilities	12 677	13 844	9 679
Net cash	143	626	808
Gross borrowings	5 194	4 047	3 536
Net debt ⁽⁴⁾	5 051	3 421	2 706
Net working capital	3 830	3 734	1 955
Net asset value per share (cps)	1 301	2 923	1 388

(1) Includes Hesto

(2) Includes Mutlu and excludes Hesto

(3) Excludes Mutlu and Hesto

(4) Excludes financial guarantee

SEGMENTAL SUMMARY ANALYSIS

	OEM SEGMENT			AFM SEGMENT			Group		
R'million	H1'2025	H1'2024	Var.	H1'2025	H1'2024	Var.	H1'2025	H1'2024	Var.
Reported revenue	5 491	3 287	67%	3 166	2 385	33%	8 657	5 672	53%
EBITDA	535	285	88%	235	242	(3%)	716	513	40%
EBIT	387	197	96%	118	174	(32%)	450	354	27%
EBIT %	7.0%	6.0%	1.Ppt	3.7%	7.3%	(3.6ppt)	5.2%	6.2%	(1ppt)
ROIC	17.5%	15.4%	2.1ppt	6.2%	14.4%	(8.2ppt)	5.2%	11.9%	(6.7ppt)

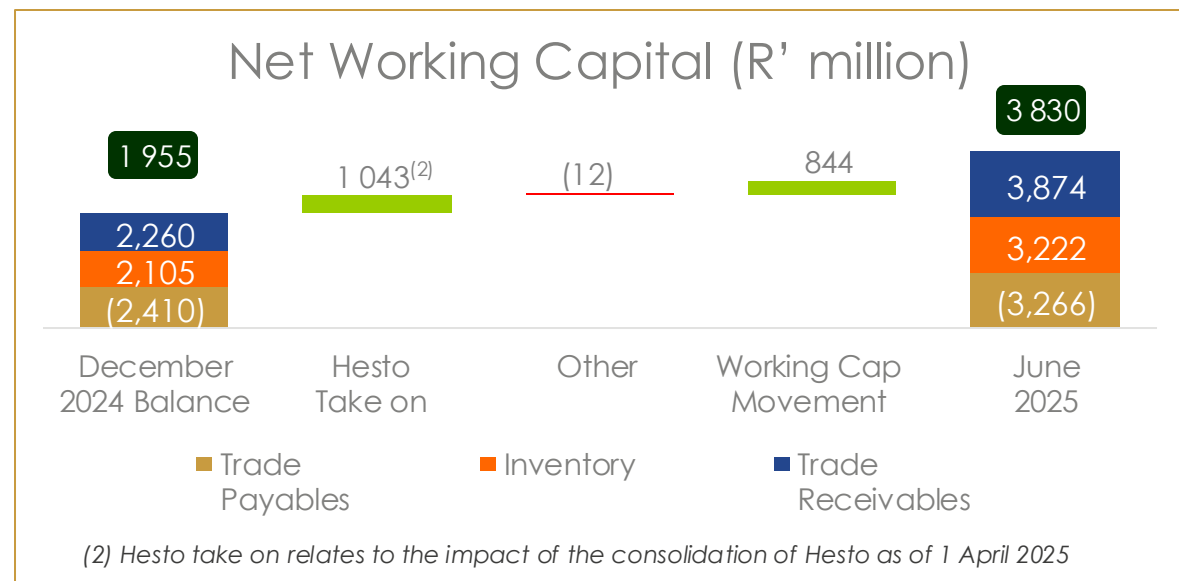
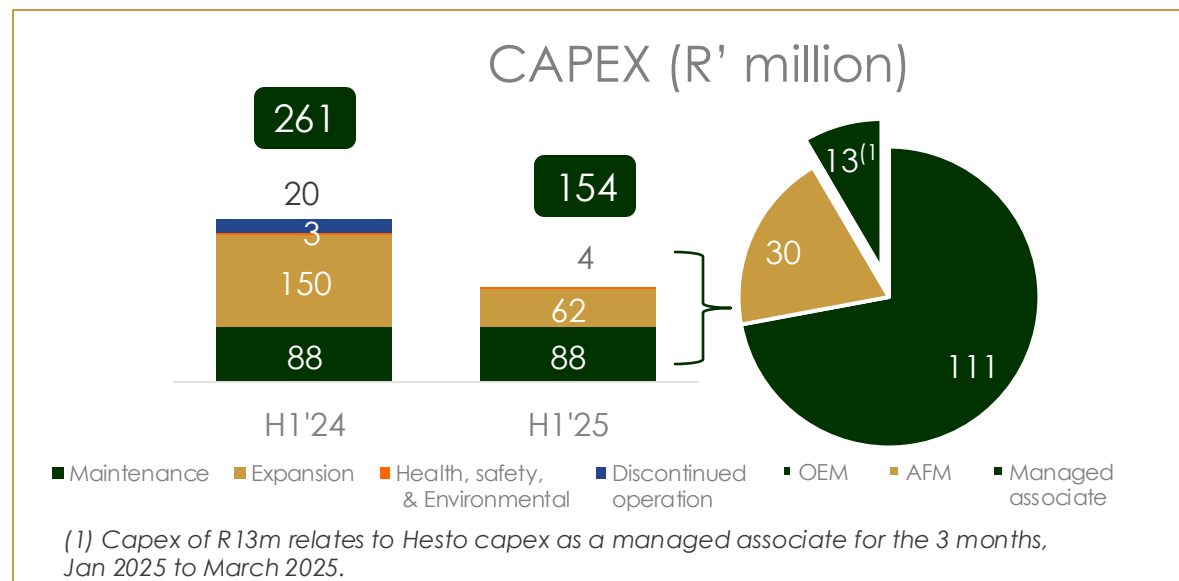
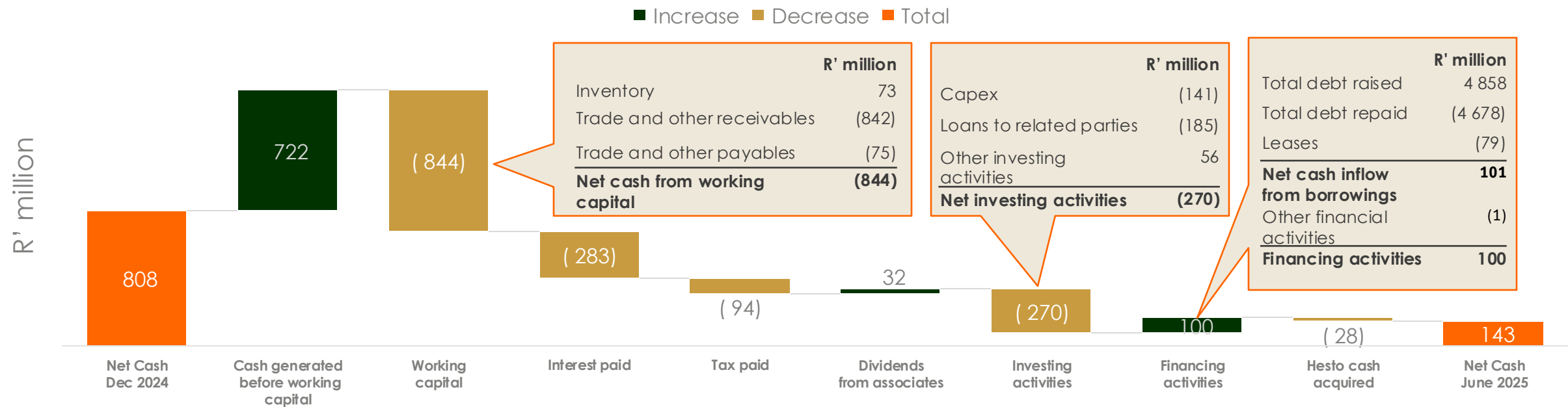
OEM segment

- SA OEM volumes up by 4% to 282k units
- EBIT pre capital items increased to R387m
- Hesto consolidated from 1 April 2025
- Including Hesto for 6 months in both comparative periods :
 - Revenue R6 661m (+8% on H1 2024)
 - EBIT pre capital items R440m (H1 2024: R309m)
- EBIT margin for Hesto for the 6 months 6.9% (H1 2024: 3.9%)
- EBIT margin for the other entities 6.4% (H1 2024: 6.0%)
- ROIC increased to 17.5% (H1 2024: 15.4%) supported by performance of Hesto

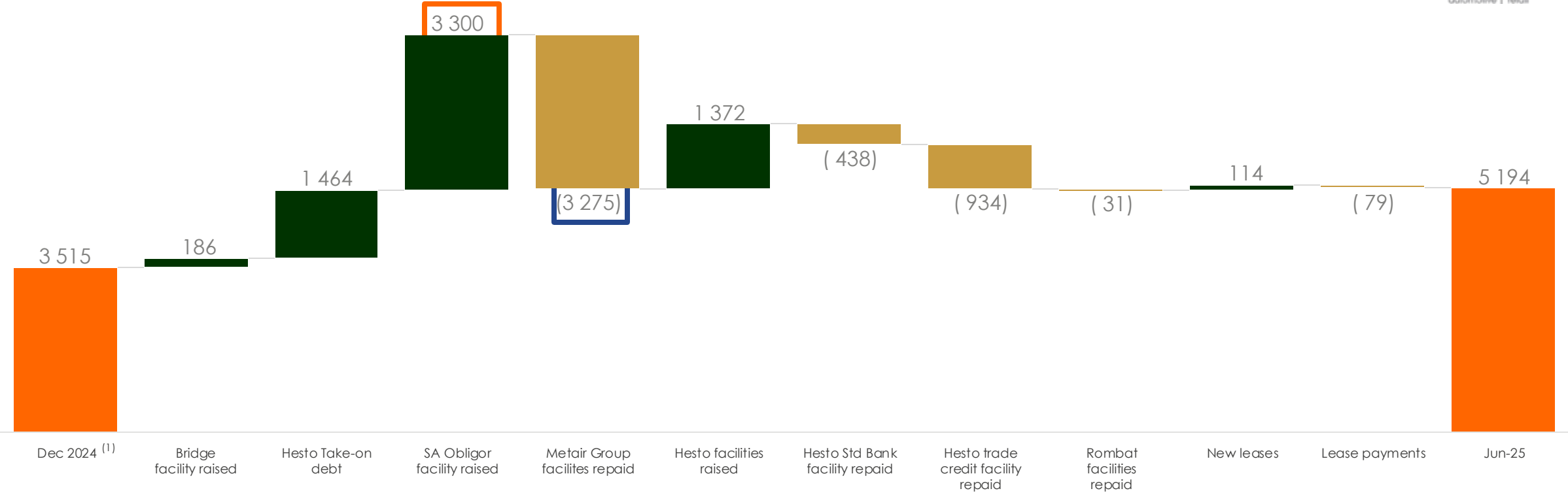
AFM segment

- Battery volumes from 2.1 million to 2.2 million units , supported by Rombat volumes up 6%
- FB's EBIT decreased to R93m at 8.6% margin(H1 2024: R152m at 14.0% margin) due to competitive market conditions
- Rombat volumes increased to 1.4 million units – EBIT of R53m at 4.3% margin (H1 2024: R19m at 1.7%)
- Overall EBIT decreased 32% to R118m at 3.7% margin from R174m
- AutoZone & ATE EBIT per capital items loss of R24m in line with business recovery plan
- ROIC decreased to 6.2% impacted by AutoZone losses for H1 2025

CASH FLOW BRIDGE



CAPITAL STRUCTURE



(1) Excludes financial guarantees

■ Increase ■ Decrease ■ Total

SA Obligor facility raised	
SA Obligor Term A Loan raised	850
SA Obligor Term B Loan raised	850
SA Obligor Facility C raised	1 600
Total SA Obligor facilities raised	3 300

SA Obligor facility repaid	
Pref share facility repaid	(840)
Metair Term A facility repaid	(750)
Metair RCF Facility repaid	(525)
Bridge facility repaid	(870)
AutoZone acquisition facility repaid	(290)
Total Metair Group facilities repaid	(3 275)

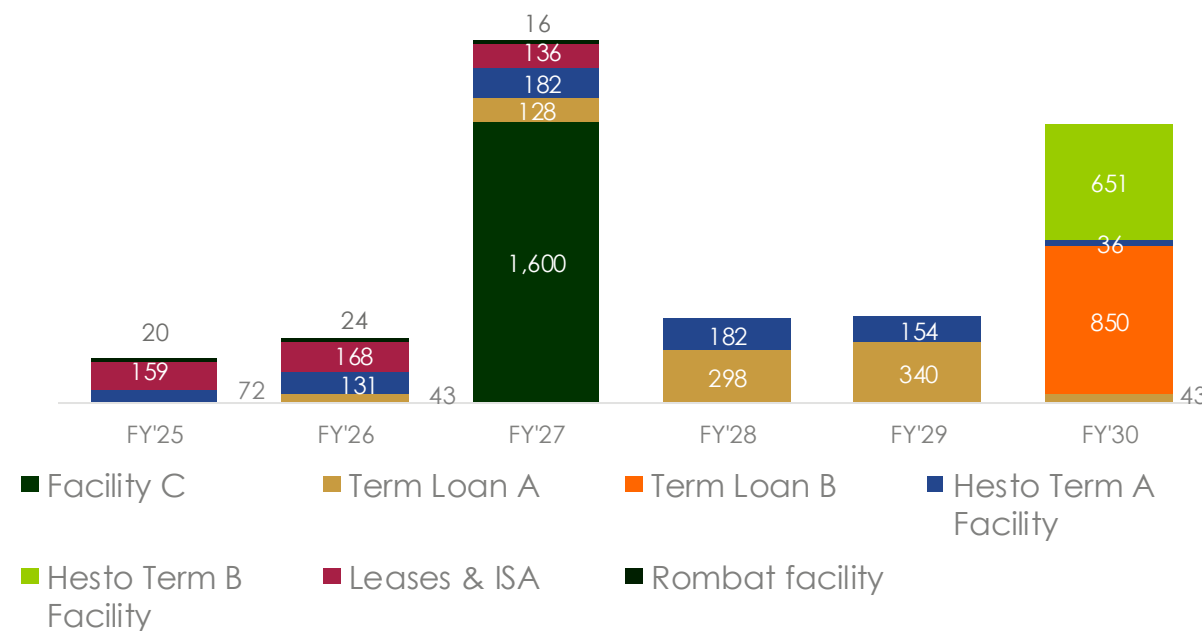
Total facilities raised and repaid	
Hesto bridge facility raised	186
SA Obligor facilities raised	3 300
Hesto facilities raised	1 372
Total facilities raised	4 858
Metair group facilities repaid	(3 275)
Hesto Std Bank facility repaid	(438)
Hesto trade credit facility repaid	(934)
Rombat facilities repaid	(31)
Total facilities repaid	(4 678)

CAPITAL STRUCTURE (CONTINUED)

More sustainable debt structure and terms

- Capital restructuring plan approved 10 March 2025
- Repayment profile matches expected earnings growth and cash flows over five years
- Focused strategies to enhance cash generation
- All SA Obligor debt covenants met
- Hesto refinance on 30 June with covenants being first measured in September 2025
- New leases comprise R114m new IFRS 16 leases

Debt maturity (R' million)



DISCIPLINED CAPITAL ALLOCATION

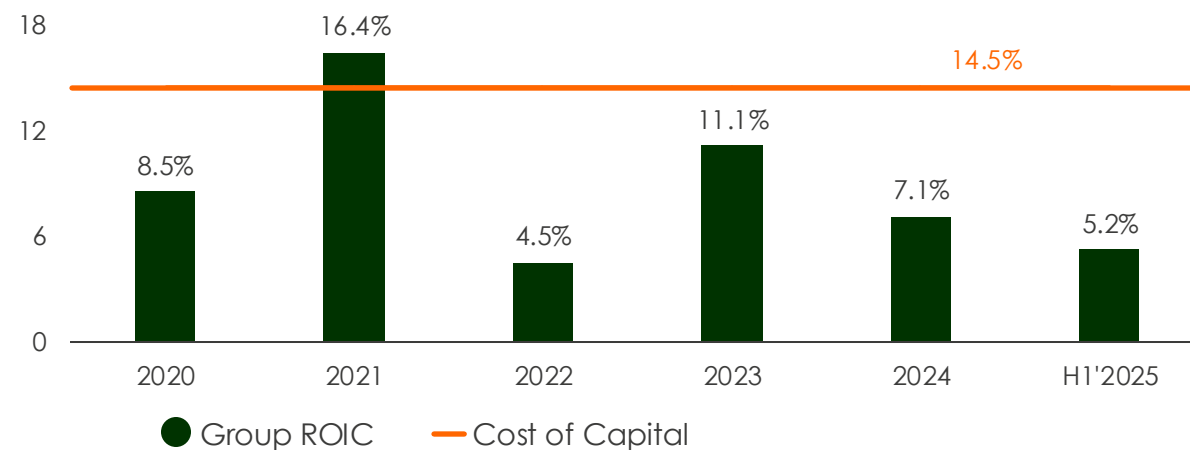
Optimising return on capital

Metair financial return criteria:

- Return on invested capital (ROIC)
- Return on assets
- Internal rate of return
- Cash generation



Return on Invested Capital (ROIC) vs Cost of Capital



3 OUTLOOK AND PROSPECTS: PAUL O'FLAHERTY

Progress to stabilise and reset our businesses on a growth path

- Good progress made in turnaround strategy
 - › Continuation of initiatives commenced in 2024 to restructure, right-size operations, stringent focus on efficient project management to ensure a more agile, dynamic business particularly in light of a new vehicle introduction at a major customer in FY2026 and as announced another of our key customers is currently optimizing their manufacturing operations to market demand conditions
 - › Restructured debt package provided Group with sustainable platform
- Focus on areas within Group's control
 - › Building on foundations of continuous operational improvement
 - › Implement and drive shared services
 - › Efficient project management established over the past 18 months.
 - › Enhance margins and improve returns on invested capital.
 - › Continue with efforts to create a more flexible and agile operating model
 - › Continue with alternative steel supplier negotiation as a results of AMSA close
- Stabilise and turn around AutoZone
 - › Return to profitability
 - › Open new aftermarket sales channels
 - › Diversify dependence on local OEMs
- Assess opportunities and expand partnerships
 - › Broaden customer base and product set
 - › Sub-Saharan Africa's mobility sectors offer significant potential

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4 Q & A

APPENDIX

HESTO TAKE ON BALANCES – 1 APRIL 2025

BALANCE SHEET	1 April 2025 R' million
PPE & intangibles	1 131
Deferred tax assets	350
Total non-current assets	1 481
Trade and other receivables	777
Inventory	1 181
Cash and cash equivalents	32
Total current assets	1 990
TOTAL ASSETS	3 471
Total equity	(578)
Borrowings	1 002
Shareholders loans	1 544
Other non current liabilities	64
Total non-current liabilities	2 610
Trade and other payables	915
Borrowings	462
Other current liabilities	2
Bank overdraft	60
Total current liabilities	1 439
Total liabilities	4 049
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	3 471
Net working capital	1 043
Total borrowings	1 464

INCOME STATEMENT	Apr to Jun 2025 R' million	H1'2025 R' million	H1'2024 R' million
Revenue	2 044	3 087	2 875
EBITDA	214	310	208
EBIT	159	212	112
Net interest	(57)	(108)	(104)
PAT	75	76	6

TOTAL BORROWINGS	1 April 2025 R' million
Other borrowings	93
Bank borrowings	437
Minority ringfenced trade credit	934
Total borrowings	1 464
<i>Comprising</i>	
Long term	1 002
Short term	462
Total borrowings	1 464