



First Quarter 2013 Financial Results
Conference Call

April 25, 2013



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## **Recent Transactions**



### **Deliveries**

 On March 14 and April 8, 2013, the Company took delivery of the 8,827 TEU newbuild containership vessels MSC Athens and MSC Athos, which were both built by Sungdong Shipbuilding and Marine Engineering in South Korea. Upon delivery, both vessels commenced their 10-year charters with Mediterranean Shipping Company, S.A. ("MSC").

### **Vessel Sales**

Sold the 1984-built, 3,584 TEU containership MSC Austria for demolition for approximately \$7.9 million. The vessel was delivered to its buyers on April 24, 2013. The sale of the MSC Austria resulted in a book gain of approximately \$4.0 million.

# Chartering Agreements

- Agreed with MSC to replace the 1981-built, 3,876 TEU containership MSC Kyoto in the charter party of the MSC Austria which was sold for demolition.
- No laid up ships.
- Entered into an agreement to charter the 1996-built, 1,504 TEU containership Prosper to COSCO, for a
  period of approximately one year at a daily rate of \$7,350. The vessel was delivered to its charterers on
  April 16, 2013.
- Exercised the option to extend the charter of the 1995-built, 1,162 TEU containership Zagora with MSC, for a further period of two years starting from May 1, 2013. The daily rate for the first year of the extension was set at \$5,700, based on the closest category on the ConTex Index.

# Dividend Declaration

Declared a dividend for the first quarter ended March 31, 2013, of \$0.27 per share, payable on May 8, 2013 to stockholders of record at the close of trading of the Company's common stock on the New York Stock Exchange on April 24, 2013. This will be the Company's tenth consecutive quarterly dividend since it commenced trading on the New York Stock Exchange.



## **Income Statement**



### **Q1 2013 RESULTS**

	1Q 2012	1Q 2013	% Change
Ownership Days	4,227	4,221	(0.1%)
Average Number of Vessels	46.5	46.9	0.9%
Voyage Revenues	\$ 100,031	\$ 91,536	(8.5%)
EBITDA <sup>(*)</sup>	\$66,451	\$64,022	(3.7%)
D&A	\$(21,961)	\$(21,932)	(0.1%)
Net Interest and Finance Costs	\$(19,956)	\$(17,355)	(13.0%)
Net Income	\$24,534	\$ 24,735	0.8%
Weighted Average Number of Shares	61,124,176	74,800,000	-
EPS	\$ 0.40	\$ 0.33	-

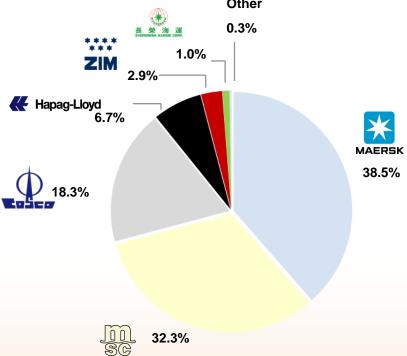
	1Q 2012	1Q 2013
Net Income	\$24,534	\$ 24,735
Accrued Charter Revenue	\$505	\$3,292
(Gain)/ Loss on Derivative Instruments	\$(3,030)	\$(2,989)
(Gain)/ Loss on Sale/ Disposal of Vessels	\$2,801	\$(2,909)
Realized (Gain) Loss on Euro/USD forward contracts	\$368	\$(190)
Adjusted Net Income <sup>(*)</sup>	\$25,178	\$21,939
Adjusted EBITDA <sup>(*)</sup>	\$67,095	\$61,226
Adjusted EPS <sup>(*)</sup>	\$0.41	\$0.29

#### Motos

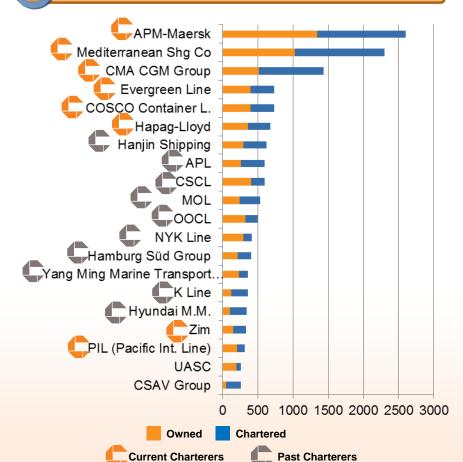


## **High Quality Cash Flows- Strong Relationships**





# Top 20 Largest Operated Containership Fleets (4)



### Notes

- 1. Based on total contracted revenues as of April 24, 2013
- 2. Assumes earliest possible re-delivery dates and exercise of owners' extension options
- 3. Assumes that Zim New York and Zim Shanghai will not be redelivered early during the three year extension period
- 4. Based on number of ships in the water as of April 24, 2013

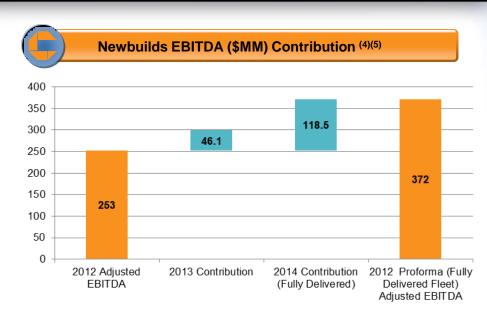
## **Cash Flow Stability and Built-in Growth**

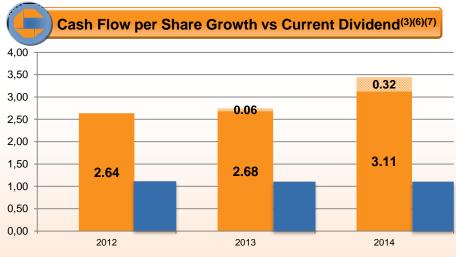


- As of April 24, 2013, contracted revenues of approximately \$2.8Bn<sup>(1)(2)(3)</sup>
- TEU-weighted average remaining time charter durations for the fleet is 5.1 years<sup>(1)(2)(3)</sup>
- Significant built-in growth from cash flow generated by contracted newbuilds

### Notes

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- 2. Assumes earliest possible redelivery dates and exercise of owners' extension options
- Assumes that Zim New York and Zim Shanghai will not be redelivered early during the three year extension period
- Assuming current delivery dates per shipyard schedules. 2012 EBITDA per company's earnings report dated January 23, 2013.
- 5. EBITDA = Revenues Operating Expenses Management Fees (See Appendix)
- See Appendix for reconciliation of Cash Flow per Share to Contracted Revenue and a description of the
  assumptions used in the presentation of Cash Flow per Share for 2013 2014 and 2012 Reconciliation
  of Adjusted EBITDA to Cash Flow per Share
- 7. For comparison, share count for 2012 Cash Flow per Share assumed at 74.8 million





- CFPS Assuming Rechartering at 100% of Current Rate
- Dividend per Share (Annualized)
- CFPS Assuming Rechartering at 60% of Current Rate

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## **Small Re-chartering Risk for 2013**



- Solid revenue base; even if re-chartering reaches 60% or 70% for all ships coming out of charter during the year, minimal cash EBITDA effect of \$5 million or \$3.5 million, respectively.
- EBITDA variation becomes even less meaningful if ships built prior to 1995 are sold for demolition upon opening.
- Assuming scrap price of \$400/LDT, additional cash proceeds of approximately \$24 million would more than offset any EBITDA shortfall due to low re-chartering.



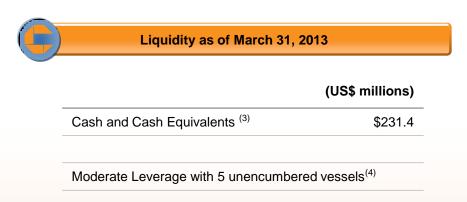
## **Balance Sheet Management**



## Debt Repayment Schedule as of March 31, 2013 (US\$ thousands)(1)

2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
\$ 125,975	\$ 209,541	\$ 210,319	\$ 185,248	\$ 224,488	\$ 543,294	\$ 34,201	\$ 13,638	\$ 66,851

- Smooth amortization schedule minimizes re-financing risk
- Distributable cash flow calculated on a post debt service basis, providing for a safe dividend
- Approximately 85% of loan portfolio hedged from floating rates to fixed rates with a weighted average rate of 4.1%<sup>(2)</sup>
  adding to the cash flow visibility

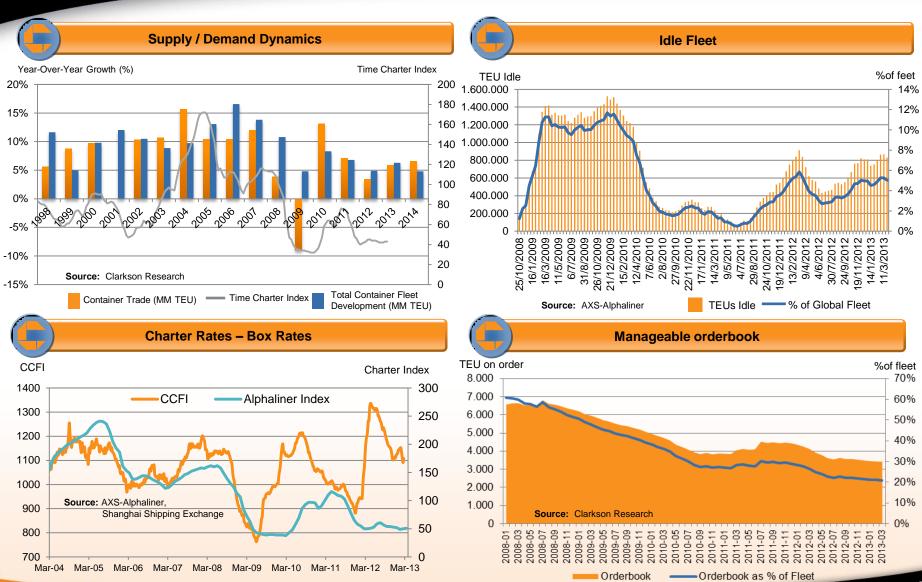


### Notes

- Includes debt drawn on our committed credit facilities with regards to our newbuilds. In particular \$133.7M in aggregate was drawn from April 2011 through March 31, 2013 for the financing of the
  pre-delivery and delivery installments for hulls \$4010 and \$4011, \$114.6MM in aggregate was drawn from August 2011 through March 31, 2013 for the financing of the pre-delivery installments for hulls \$4020-\$4024 and \$32.2MM in aggregate was drawn through March 31, 2013 for the financing of the pre-delivery installments for hulls H1068A- H1070A.
- 2. Excludes swap contracts with regards to debt not drawn yet.
- 3. Includes cash and equivalents and restricted cash as of March 31, 2013.
- 4. Excludes MSC Kyoto, for which on April 8, 2013, the Company entered into a supplemental agreement with one of the lenders, which released the mortgage over the MSC Austria (which was subsequently sold for scrap), and replaced it with a mortgage over MSC Kyoto.

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# **Container Shipping Industry**





# Q & A



# **APPENDIX**





## Net Income to Adjusted Net Income and Adjusted EPS Reconciliation

	_	Year ended December 31,			
(Expressed in thousands of U.S. dollars, except share and per share data)		2011	2012		
Net Income	\$	87,592	\$	81,129	
Accrued charter revenue		30,313		6,261	
(Gain)/ Loss on sale/disposal of vessels		(13,077)		2,796	
Realized (Gain)/ Loss on Euro/USD					
forward contracts		(1,971)		698	
(Gain)/ Loss on derivative instruments		8,709		462	
Initial purchases of consumable stores					
for newly acquired vessels		1,197		-	
Adjusted Net income	\$	112,763	\$	91,346	
Adjusted Earnings per Share	\$	1.87	\$	1.35	
Weighted average number of shares		60,300,000		67,612,842	

		Three-month period ended March 31,			
(Expressed in thousands of U.S. dollars, except share and per share data)	_	2012	_	2013	
Net Income	\$	24,534	\$	24,735	
Accrued charter revenue		505		3,292	
(Gain) Loss on sale/disposal of vessels		2,801		(2,909)	
Realized (Gain) Loss on Euro/USD					
forward contracts		368		(190)	
Gain on derivative instruments		(3,030)		(2,989)	
Initial purchases of consumable stores					
for newly acquired vessels		-		-	
Adjusted Net income	\$	25,178	\$	21,939	
Adjusted Earnings per Share	\$	0.41	\$	0.29	
Weighted average number of shares		61,124,176		74,800,000	

Note: Adjusted Net income and Adjusted Earnings per Share represent net income before gain/(loss) on sale of vessels, non-cash changes in fair value of derivatives, non-cash "Accrued charter revenue" recorded under charters with escalating charter rates and the cash of partial purchases of consumable stores for newly acquired vessels. "Accrued charter revenue" is attributed to the timing difference between the revenue recognition and the cash collection. However, Adjusted Net income and Adjusted Earnings per Share are not recognized measurements under U.S. generally accepted accounting principles, or "GAAP." We believe that the presentation of Adjusted Net income and Adjusted Earnings per Share are useful to investors because they are frequently used by securities analysts, investors and other interested parties in the evaluation of companies in our industry. We also believe that Adjusted Net income and Adjusted Earnings per Share are useful in evaluating our operating performance and liquidity position companed to that of other companies in our industry because the calculation of Adjusted Net income and Adjusted Earnings per Share generally eliminates the effects of the accounting effects of capital expenditures and acquisitions, certain hedging instruments and other accounting treatments, items which may vary for different companies for reasons unrelated to overall operating performance and liquidity. In evaluating Adjusted Net income and Adjusted Earnings per Share, you should be aware that in the future we may incur expenses that are the same as or similar to some of the adjustments in this presentation. Our presentation of Adjusted Net income and Adjusted Earnings per Share should not be construed as an inference that our future results will be unaffected by unusual or non-recourring items.





## **Net Income to EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation**

	_	Year ended December 3		
(Expressed in thousands of U.S. dollars)		2011		2012
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Net Income	\$	87,592	\$	81,129
Interest and finance costs		75,441		74,734
Interest income		(477)		(1,495)
Depreciation		78,803		80,333
Amortization of dry-docking and specia	.1			
survey costs		8,139		8,179
EBITDA		249,498		242,880
Accrued charter revenue		30,313		6,261
(Gain)/ Loss on sale/disposal of				
vessels		(13,077)		2,796
Realized (Gain)/ Loss on Euro/USD				
forward contracts		(1,971)		698
Gain/ (Loss) on derivative instruments		8,709		462
Initial purchases of consumable stores				
for newly acquired vessels		1,197		-
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	274,669	\$	253,097

		Three-month period ended March 31,		
(Expressed in thousands of U.S. dollars)	_	2012	_	2013
Net Income	\$	24,534	\$	24,735
Interest and finance costs		20,240		17,564
Interest income		(284)		(209)
Depreciation		20,013		19,882
Amortization of dry-docking and special				
survey costs	_	1,948	_	2,050
EBITDA		66,451		64,022
Accrued charter revenue		505		3,292
(Gain) Loss on sale/disposal of vessels		2,801		(2,909)
Realized (Gain) Loss on Euro/USD				
forward contracts		368		(190)
Gain on derivative instruments		(3,030)		(2,989)
Initial purchases of consumable stores for newly acquired vessels		-		-
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	67,095	\$	61,226

Note: EBITDA represents net income before interest and finance costs, interest income, depreciation and amortization of deferred dry-docking & special survey costs. Adjusted EBITDA represents net income before interest and finance costs, interest income, depreciation, amortization of deferred dry-docking & special survey costs, gain/(loss) on sale of vessels, non-cash changes in fair value of derivatives, non-cash "Accrued charter revenue" recorded under charters with escalating charter rates and the cash of partial purchases of consumable stores for newly acquired vessels. "Accrued charter revenue" is attributed to the time deference between the revenue recognition and the cash collection. However, EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA are not recognized measurements under U.S. generally accepted accounting principles, or "GAAP." We believe that the presentation of EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA are useful to investors because they are frequently used by securities analysts, investors and other interested parties in the evaluation of companies in our industry. We also believe that EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA are useful in evaluating our ability to service additional debt and make capital expenditures. In addition, we believe that EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA are useful in evaluating our operating performance and liquidity position compared to that of other companies in our industry because the calculation of EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA generally eliminates the effects of financings, income taxes and the accounting effects of capital expenditures and acquisitions, items which may vary for different companies for reasons unrelated to overall operating performance and liquidity. In evaluating EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA, you should be aware that in the future we may incur expenses that are the same as or similar to some of the adjustments in this presentation. Our presentation of EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA should not be construed as an inference that our future results will be unaffected by unusual or non-recurring items.

Note: Items to consider for comparability include gains and charges. Gains positively impacting net income are reflected as deductions to net income. Charges negatively impacting net income are reflected as increases to net income.





## Assumptions for 2013 – 2014 Projected Newbuild Revenues and EBITDA

- 9 newbuild vessels delivered in 2013; 1 newbuild vessel delivered in 2014
- Delivery dates per current shipyard schedules
- Utilization of 364 days per year
- Operating expenses per current estimates
- Management fees per current management agreement





## Reconciliation of 2012 Adjusted EBITDA to Cash Flow per Share

	Year ended December 31,		
(Expressed in thousands of U.S. dollars, except share and per share data)	2012		
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	253,097	
Interest Income		1,495	
Interest & Finance Cost		(74,734)	
Dry-dockings and special survey costs		(11,171)	
Proceeds from the sale of vessels		28,723	
Cash Flow	\$	197,410	
Cash Flow per Share	\$	2.64	
Number of shares		74,800,000	

Note: Cash Flow per Share represents adjusted EBITDA minus net interest expense and dry-docking and special survey costs plus proceeds from vessel disposal divided by the number of shares outstanding and excludes the amortization of debt and prospective drawdowns on available credit facilities. Cash Flow per Share is not a recognized measurement under U.S. generally accepted accounting principles, or "GAAP". We believe that the presentation of Cash Flow per Share is useful to investors in evaluating our future operating performance and liquidity position because it provides an estimate of the cash available for distributions to shareholders in the future, before amortization of debt. In evaluating our Cash Flow per Share, you should be aware that in the future we may incur expenses that are not included in the adjustments reflected in this presentation or that differ materially from the assumptions used in this presentation. Our presentation of Cash Flow per Share should not be construed as an inference that our future results will be unaffected by unusual or non-recurring items. Please review the cautionary statements set forth under "Forward Looking Statements" in this presentation.





## Assumptions for 2013 - 2014 Projected Cash Flow per Share

### Revenue:

- Based on Contracted Revenue as set forth for our current vessels under the heading "Fleet List" in the Company's press releases dated January 23 and April 24, 2013 (assuming 364 revenue days per annum per vessel, the earliest redelivery dates possible under our containerships' charters and no exercise of options to extend the terms of those charters)
- Includes Contracted Revenue for our 10 newbuild vessels based on signed charters for such vessels and current shipyard schedules for the expected delivery dates: 9 delivered in 2013 and 1 delivered in 2014
- Additional revenue from re-chartering existing vessels with expiring charters at both 100% and 60% of the last daily charter rate prior to expiration
- Fleet utilization assumed at 364 days per year
- Vessels beyond the age of 30 years scrapped at \$400/LDT: 2 scrapped in 2013
- No secondhand vessel acquisitions or additional newbuild acquisitions

### Minus:

- Voyage expenses, representing brokerage commissions
- Operating expenses per current 2013 budget for current vessels and per current estimates for newbuild vessels
  - Operating expenses assumed to escalate at 3% annually
- General and administrative expenses assumed at \$4.5MM per year and assumed to escalate at 2% annually
- Management fees under the terms of the current Management Agreement
  - Assumes management fee of \$884 per day for each vessel is adjusted annually after December 31, 2013 by 4% and assumes no additional adjustments
- Dry-docking and special survey costs per current management estimates, 9 vessels in 2013 and 6 vessels in 2014
- Interest expense assumed at a constant average interest rate of 5.20%
- Excludes amortization of debt and prospective drawdowns on available credit facilities

### Divided by:

Number of shares assumed to be 74.800.000 for 2013 and 2014

Equals: Projected Cash Flow per Share

Note: Projected Cash Flow per Share represents contracted revenue minus voyage expenses, operating expenses, general and administrative expenses, management fees, dry-docking and special survey costs and interest expense plus proceeds from vessel disposal divided by the number of shares outstanding and excludes the amortization of debt and prospective drawdowns on available credit facilities. Projected Cash Flow per Share is not a recognized measurement under U.S. generally accepted accounting principles, or "GAAP". We believe that the presentation of Projected Cash Flow per Share is useful to investors in evaluating our future operating performance and liquidity position because it provides an estimate of the cash available for distributions to shareholders in the future, before amortization of debt. In evaluating our Projected Cash Flow per Share, you should be aware that in the future we may incur expenses that are not included in the adjustments reflected in this presentation or that differ materially from the assumptions used in this presentation. Our presentation of Projected Cash Flow per Share should not be construed as an inference that our future results will be unaffected by unusual or non-recurring items. Please review the cautionary statements set forth under "Forward Looking Statements" in this presentation.