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### Introduction

- Overview of Ridley
- Strategy "Why Ridley is in North America"
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### **Overview of Ridley**

- Ridley AgriProducts Australia's largest animal feed producer
- Ridley Inc. Top 10 producer of stockfeed in North America
- Cheetham Salt Largest refined salt producer in Australasia

## Why Ridley is in North America

- Limited growth opportunities in Australia
- Canadian market liberalisation
- Canadian market for stockfeed similar to Australia
- Size of opportunities match capital available

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### **The Cotswold Acquisition**

- Long term future for world pig industry is sound
- · Integration of genetics and nutrition
- · Our own experience with Cotswold pig
- Presents significant growth opportunities
- · Potential to increase stockfeed sales
- Create strategic alliances with pig producers

### **Ridley Half Year Results**

· Operating Profit similar to last year

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# Net Profit Ridley Corporation

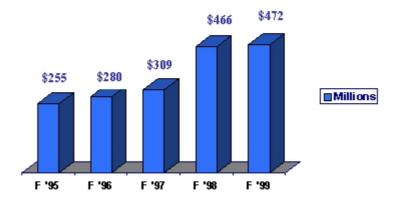


### **Ridley Half Year Results**

- · Operating Profit similar to last year
- · Sales Revenue up slightly

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### **Sales Ridley Corporation**



Mid Year

### **Ridley Half Year Results**

- · Operating Profit similar to last year
- · Sales Revenue up slightly
- Abnormal Items

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### **Ridley Half Year Results**

- · Ridley Inc.
  - steady EBIT in difficult market
- · Ridley AgriProducts
  - improved EBIT, margins constant
  - restructuring plan

### **Ridley Half Year Results**

- · Cheetham Salt
  - sales and EBIT decline but still a good result
  - -Indonesian opportunity
- Pet Products
  - -small and profitable

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### **Outlook**

- NEAR TERM
  - -Difficult external environment
  - -Restructure AgriProducts
- LONG TERM
  - AgriProducts strong upside potential
  - Cheetham to develop Indonesian potential
  - -Pet Products to increase sales
  - Ridley Inc. realise Cotswold potential

### **Outlook**

DIVIDEND

Full year dividend anticipated to remain at 7.5 cents fully franked.