## H1 results - 3 September, 2012 - Zurich





Compagnie Financière Tradition

### **Executive summary**

#### Market

- Soft trading activity backdrop especially in Q2. Unhinged financial markets and surge in risk aversion prompted by elevated macro and political uncertainties
- Headwinds compounded with regulatory uncertainty surrounding the outcome of key market structure reforms
- Banks' business models under strain
- Continuation of a period of adjustement to a new landscape for market participants in general and IDBs in particular

#### CFT

- Stable net income while revenues were down on challenging market conditions
- Resilience of CFT compared to revenue trends for the peer group at large
- Group technological migration under way with key milestones again in 2012
- Increased cost cutting efforts with more annualised savings implemented ytd than in the full prior year

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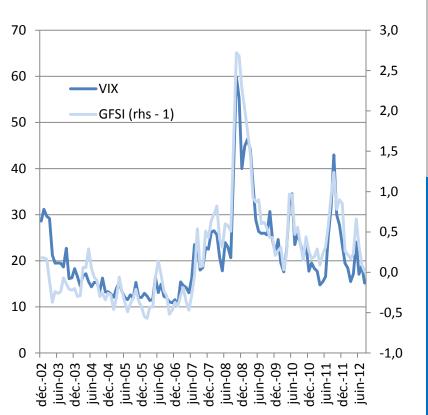
#### **Results at a glance**

- Revenues down 3.7% in constant currencies
- Underlying operating profit up 10.6% in constant currencies leading to an underlying operating margin of 7.4%
- Negative impact of exceptional costs for an estimated amount of CHF 12.8m
  - Primarily severance and legal costs
- Continued investments in new electronic initiatives in excess of CHF 10m in H1 2012
- Net annualised savings of CHF 42.6m
  - Corresponding to measures implemented between January and July
  - CHF 6.2m effectively materialised in H1 accounts
- Gaitame's revenues down 3.7% with an operating profit of CHF 1.4m compared to a loss in H1 2011

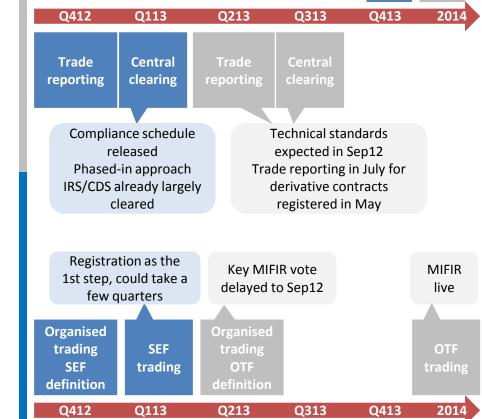
## Macro & regulatory environment

Risk aversion returned in Q2

Incremental progress toward the G20 commitments to reform OTC derivatives



Market « stress » measures

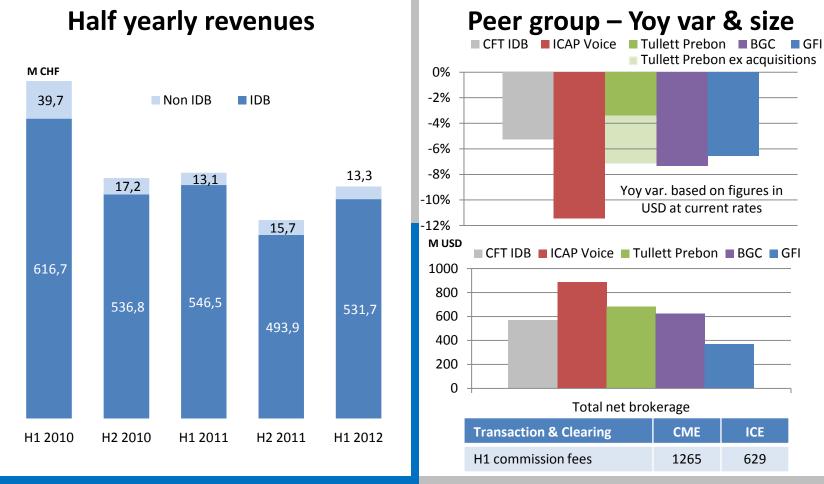


#### Tentative regulatory timeline

1- This index is a BofA Merril Lynch calculated measure of risk, hedging demand and investor flows, made up of data from a range of asset classes. According to BofA Merril Lynch, it is a healpful reflection of the overall « mood » of financial markets

## Strategic positioning<sup>1</sup>

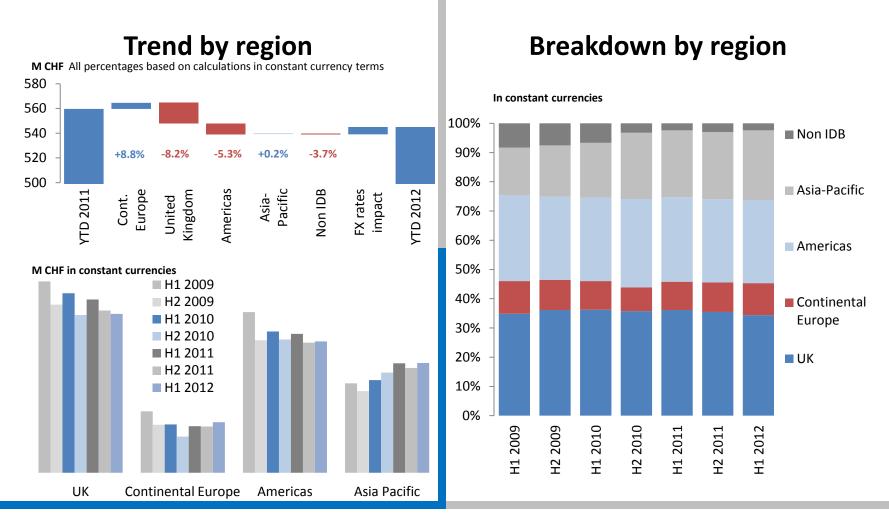
H1 down<sup>1</sup> across the IDB sector, cyclical and structural headwinds CFT IDB resisting reasonably well



1 – 6m revenue figures converted in \$ @ current FX rates - Total excluding IS&RMS for Tullett Prebon – Tullett Prebon's acquisitions refer to Convençao and Chapdelaine munis - Net brokerage for GFI - Gross brokerage excluding "Real estate" less Floor brokerage expenses for BGC – ICAP Oct 11 March 12 for relative size and yoy var

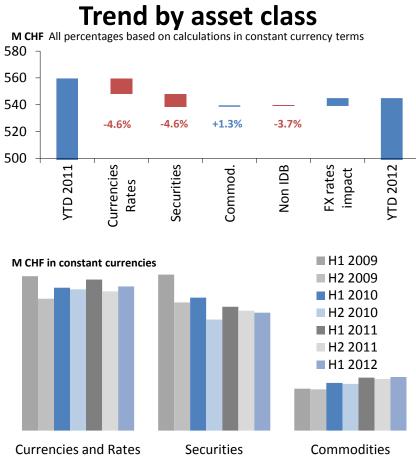
# **IDB** regional revenues

Well balanced mix - Strong franchise in Asia Pacific – Indonesia opened

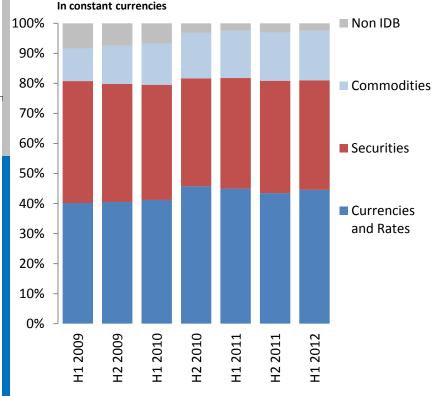


# IDB product mix

Benefit of diversification - Complementary trends across time zones



#### Breakdown by asset class



# **Electronic trading**

Clear strategy based on anticipated electronification of markets

#### **Market opportunities**

- Regulatory environment increasingly dominates clients' decision-making processes
- Mitigated counterparty risk due to central clearing
- Trend towards fragmentation of players
- Aggregation of liquidity key for the functioning of the markets
- Reduced levels of banks' inventories
- ECM/DCM as a substitute for shortage of bank lending to corporates
- Development of industry-wide market standards
- IDBs foreseen to retain critical role in price discovery and price formation

#### **Electronic global strategy**

- Ensure that its services are provided as cost effectively as possible
- Deliver electronic or hybrid capablity across all relevant products, taking into account:
  - Product
  - Competitive positioning
  - Customer base
  - Jurisdiction and legislation
- Focus on delivering liquidity to any electronic initiatives
- Partner with key liquidity providers when appropriate

# Electronic trading

Key initiatives

#### **Tradition-ICAP Volbroker**

- Pioneer and long time global market leader in FX options
- CLOB, RFQ, Auction, Hybrid
- Further deployment in light of MIFIR, EMIR, DFA

#### Trad-X EUR

- Live 1 year, leading Euro IRS platform
- 5500 orders and over €375bn volume matched
- Largest number of streaming participants
- High message volumes with an average of 1.6bn per day
- CLOB, Auction service, Hybrid, Implied message generation
- Positive impact on existing business with increased voice volumes

### TraFXpure

- Build phase in process, senior management on board, numerous bank partners
- CLOB
- New totally electronically traded asset class for the group
- High volumes expected with committed liquidity from partners

#### **Projects in the pipeline**

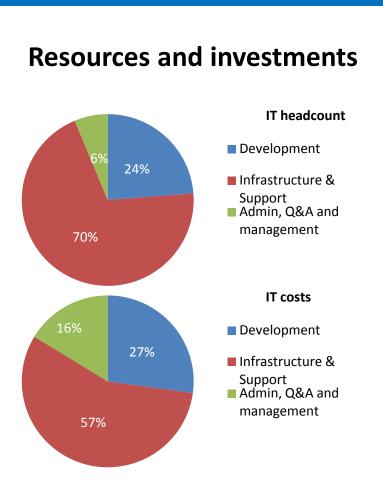
- Further developments for Tradition-ICAP Volbroker and Trad-X
- Demo and business model close to be finalised in 2 other asset classes with innovative offerings

# **Electronic trading**

Own technology and ongoing investments

#### **Proprietary technology**

- Market leading proprietary technology
- Fully electronic order entry and matching engine
- Multi asset class, rich and flexible functionalities
- Platform designed with the trading community's help
- Investments continued in 2012 in a changing regulatory environment where time to market is a key success factor
- Focus on leveraging on development capacity and building up the required infrastructure and operation support



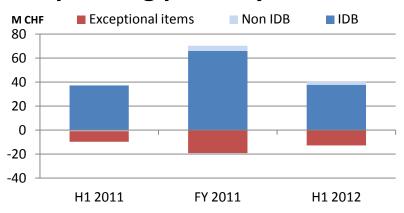
## **Operating performance**

Underlying operating profit up 10.6% in constant currencies

#### Group operating profit

M CHF	H1 2012	H1 2011	Var cst.	Var cur.
Revenue	545.0	559.6	-3.7%	-2.6%
Net operating expenses	-517.5	-532.2	-3.8%	-2.8%
Reported operating profit	27.5	27.4	-0.1%	+0.4%
Reported operating margin	5.0%	4.9%		
Amort. and impairment of intangibles	2.8	7.9		
Exceptional expenses	10.0	6.4		
Exceptional income	-	-5.4		
Underlying operating profit	40.3	36.3	+10.6%	+11.0%
Underlying operating margin	7.4%	6.5%		

#### **Operating profit by business**



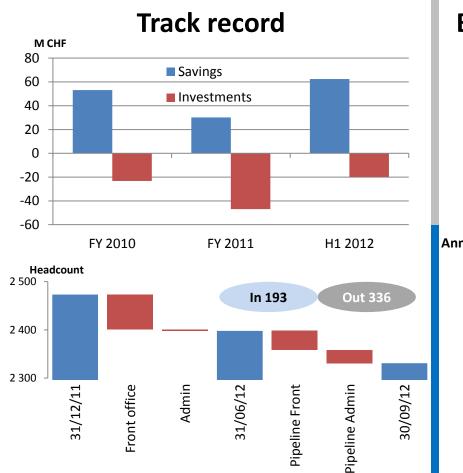
#### **Underlying IDB operating ratios**

In % of Revenue	H1 2012	H1 2011
Compensation costs	-72,6	-74,8
Operational	-60,4	-61,8
Administrative	-12,2	-13,0
Operational: variable/ total compensation	42,6	44,2
Non compensation costs	20.3	18.4
Underlying operating margin	7,1	6,8

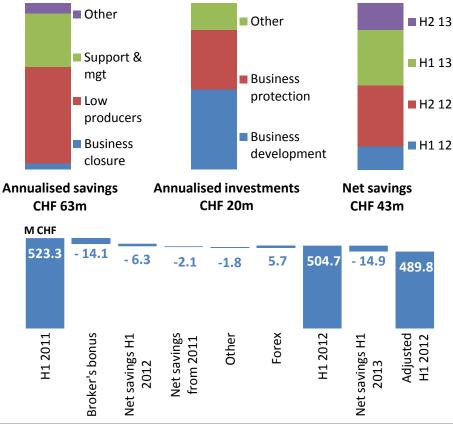
# Gross savings and investments

Proactive cost and headcount management

Year to date measures will continue to materialise in H2



#### Breakdown & H1 cost base<sup>1</sup> bridge

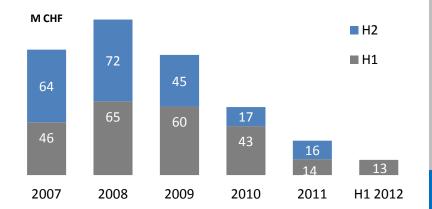


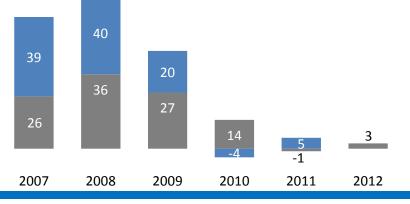
1 - Underlying net expenses

## Non IDB business

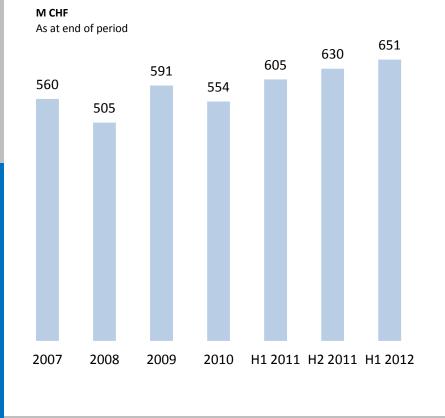
Q1 on track followed by a difficult business environment in Q2 Gaitame has scale and balance sheet

#### **Revenues & underlying op. profit<sup>1</sup>**





#### Gaitame's clients deposits<sup>1</sup>



1 - At constant rate and controlling interest

## Net profit Stable results

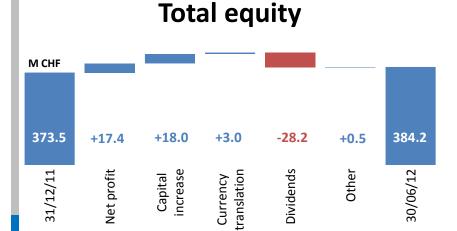
M CHF	H1 2012	H1 2011	Var cst.	Var cur.
Reported operating profit	27.5	27.4	-0.1%	+0.4%
Net financial income	0.4	-1.7		
Share of profit of associates	-0.1	-0.8		
Profit before tax	27.8	24.9	+11.0%	+11.4%
Income tax	-10.4	-9.5	+7.9%	+9.6%
Net profit for the period	17.4	15.4	+12.9%	+12.5%
Group share	13.6	13.0	+5.2%	+4.0%

- No significant currency impact on H1 2012 P&L
- Satisfactory performance for Capital Markets Holding and strong synergies with CFT
- Revenues up 42% in Ping An Tradition (Mainland China)
- Effective tax rate @37,2% in line with prior year

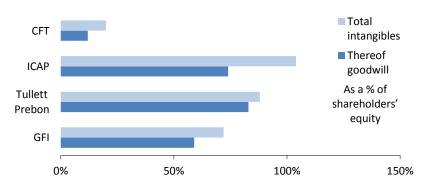
## **Balance sheet**

#### Consistent focus on sound balance sheet and capital position

-	Assets			Liabilities	
M CHF	30.06.12	31.12.11	M CHF	30.06.12	31.12.11
Property, Plant & Equipment	29.1	30.4	Capital	16.2	15.4
Intangible assets	77.2	77.3	Share premium	47.9	55.6
Investments in associates	39.4	40.3	Treasury shares	-6.2	-6.1
Available-for-sale financial assets	7.9	8.9	Currency translation	-87.2	-90.7
Unavailable cash	43.5	34.0	Consolidated reserves	347.8	333.2
Other non-current assets	34.5	34.0	Minority interests	65.7	66.1
Non-current assets	231.6	224.9	Equity	384.2	373.5
Receivables related to MP activities Receivables related to AH activities	643.7 671.2	50.5 655.3	Non-current liabilities	44.8	43.9
Trade & other receivables	243.3	209.9	Short term financial debts	175.7	149.0
Financial assets at fair value	13.1	12.6	Payables related to MP activities	619.9	52.4
Cash & Cash equivalents	305.1	333.0	Payables related to HA activities	673.3	656.0
Other current assets	19.0	22.7	Trade & other payables	229.1	234.1
Current assets	1,895.4	1,284.0	Current liabilities	1,742.8	1,091.5
TOTAL ASSETS	2,127.0	1,508.9	TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	2,127.0	1,508.9

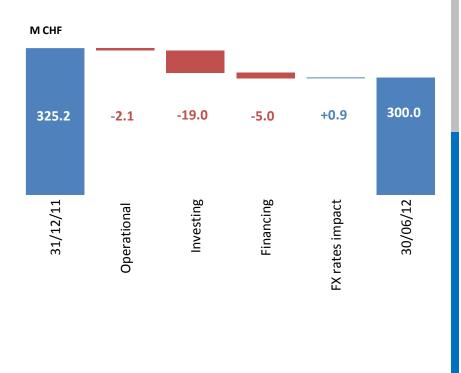


#### Capital structure comparison<sup>1</sup>



## Net cash Typical pattern between December and June

### Adjusted gross cash



### Cash and debt

M CHF	2012	2011
Cash & cash equivalents	305.1	333.0
Bank overdraft	-26.8	-5.1
Adjustments from changes in AH & MP activities	+21.7	-2.7
Adjusted gross cash for cash flow statement	300.0	325.2
Financial assets @ fair value	13.1	12.6
Financial debt <sup>1</sup>	-149.1	-144.3
Adjusted net cash	164.0	193.5

# Outlook

- Focus on technology and leverage on 2011 and 2012 key electronic initiatives to deploy group electronic strategy
- Continue to reduce cost base and prepare to accelerate in case of deterioration of market conditions
  - Investments in development and infrastructure to be offset through further cost savings
- Maintain consistent focus on sound balance sheet and capital position
- Objective is to be an influential participant in the IDB sector
  - CFT is one of only five global IDBs in the world
  - Consolidate market positions
  - Adapt to a changing landscape in terms of regulation and clients' business models
- Experts in price discovery and market structure, IDBs have a unique business model
  - Operating in unprecedented economic, regulatory and political environments since 2009
  - Seen as beneficiaries of structural shift to intermediation
  - Strong operating upside when volumes pick up

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