



Vermilion Energy Inc.

2014 Second Quarter Management's Discussion & Analysis

DEFINED PRODUCTION GROWTH
RELIABLE & GROWING DIVIDENDS

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All oil and natural gas reserve information contained in this document has been prepared and presented in accordance with National Instrument 51-101 Standards of Disclosure for Oil and Gas Activities. The actual oil and natural gas reserves and future production will be greater than or less than the estimates provided in this document. The estimated future net revenue from the production of oil and natural gas reserves does not represent the fair market value of these reserves.

Natural gas volumes have been converted on the basis of six thousand cubic feet of natural gas to one barrel of oil equivalent. Barrels of oil equivalent (boe) may be misleading, particularly if used in isolation. A boe conversion ratio of six thousand cubic feet to one barrel of oil is based on an energy equivalency conversion method primarily applicable at the burner tip and does not represent a value equivalency at the wellhead.

Financial data contained within this document are reported in Canadian dollars, unless otherwise stated.

MESSAGE TO SHAREHOLDERS

In 2014, we are celebrating Vermilion's 20th anniversary as a publicly traded company. It has been a demanding, but also tremendously rewarding 20 years. During this time, we have witnessed significant change and encountered many challenges to the industry, and we are particularly proud of our demonstrated ability to effectively navigate those challenges to the benefit of our shareholders. During this time, we have remained committed to stewarding our Company in the best interests of our shareholders. We are pleased that our efforts have been both recognized and supported by our shareholders, resulting in a compound average total return including dividends, as of June 30, 2014, of 36.8% per annum since inception. We are also proud of the consistency of those returns. Over the last one, three, five, ten and 15 calendar-year periods, we have reliably delivered double-digit compound average total returns of 24.6%, 14.5%, 24.0%, 18.6% and 25.5%, respectively.

Perhaps more important to both our current and prospective shareholders, it is our belief that Vermilion is better situated for continued growth than at any other time in our history. With the anticipated growth of fund flows from operations⁽¹⁾, the consistent strength of our operations and our expansive and growing opportunity base, we remain confident that we are positioned to deliver continued strong operational and financial performance in the future, while continuing to provide a reliable and growing dividend stream to our shareholders.

While we are confident that the assets in our current portfolio contain significant opportunity for growth for years to come, we also find ourselves uniquely positioned to advantageously grow and further diversify our opportunity base through potential acquisition activity in both North American and international markets. In North America, we are faced with an active asset market and we continue to see technology unlocking new opportunities for development. With Vermilion's access to relatively low cost capital, our conservative balance sheet, and significant near-term free cash flow⁽¹⁾ growth on the horizon (including from Corrib, which is slated to come on production in mid-2015), we are uniquely positioned to compete and transact should suitable opportunities arise. While international asset markets remain substantially less liquid than in North America, we similarly find ourselves well-positioned for assets that do become available in our selective regions of interest.

The second quarter of 2014 marks another quarter of high activity and effective operational execution for our Company. We achieved significant quarter-over-quarter production growth largely attributable to strong results from our successful Mannville condensate-rich gas and Cardium light-oil development programs in Canada. Production volumes from our Mannville development program averaged more than 4,600 boe/d, an increase of 50% during the second quarter, while Cardium production averaged more than 12,000 boe/d, an increase of 17% from the prior quarter. Operating netbacks⁽¹⁾ for our Cardium production averaged more than \$70/boe in the second quarter. Our strong Cardium results reflect continued improvements in completions design and better-than-forecasted production volumes on several of our two-mile extended reach horizontal Cardium wells. With improving efficiencies and productivity, we will require less capital and approximately five fewer Cardium wells than originally anticipated to meet our objectives for our 2014 Cardium program. As a result, we are diverting a portion of our previously planned Cardium expenditures to our Mannville development program which also generates very robust economics. With the incremental capital, we now plan to drill approximately 15 (9 net) Mannville wells in 2014, up from eight (5.7 net) wells in our original budget. Looking forward, we anticipate our Mannville drilling activity will continue to increase in future years as we develop our substantial inventory of highly economic prospects.

We continue to appraise our position in the Duvernay condensate-rich resource play, where we have amassed 317 net sections at the relatively low cost of approximately \$76 million (\$375/acre). Our position comprises three largely contiguous blocks in the Edson, West Pembina and Niton areas. To date, we have drilled three vertical stratigraphic test wells, and have completed drilling operations on two horizontal appraisal wells. The first horizontal appraisal well is located in the downdip part of our Edson block where condensate yields are expected to be lower than the average in our overall land position. We selected this location because of its proximity to one of our vertical stratigraphic test wells, allowing us to conduct microseismic monitoring in the stratigraphic test well when we frac the horizontal well (expected later in the third quarter of 2014). Our second horizontal appraisal well, which we operate at a 34.8% working interest, is located along a shared lease-line in the Pembina block to allow partner participation. Completion of this second well, also employing microseismic monitoring, is expected during the third quarter. During drilling operations, both the Edson and West Pembina wells encountered stability issues in the build section of the wellbore near the heel of the horizontal well. Both wells were ultimately sidetracked to reach total measured depths of slightly more than 4,700 metres. Drilling operations lasted approximately 100 days per well, double our original estimate. The longer-than-expected drilling time took us past break-up, resulting in wet lease conditions and further contributed to higher costs. As a result of these drilling challenges, we are now forecasting total net well costs for the two horizontal wells of approximately \$40 million, including completion, equip and tie-in, microseismic and related monitoring-well workovers. Our development-phase target for well costs (including drill, complete, equip and tie-in) is \$12 to \$15 million. We believe that development-phase savings will be achievable through learning-curve improvements, lower lease construction costs, economies of scale in procurement and lower evaluation expenditures (such as the elimination of microseismic monitoring). We anticipate that the production results and interpreted fracture geometries from the microseismic data on these appraisal wells will assist us in optimizing completions on future development-phase horizontal wells. We are confident that we will be able to project the appraisal well results to higher condensate yield locations as we move to the northeast in our acreage position, which encompasses the entire breadth of the condensate-rich window. Our Duvernay rights generally underlie our Cardium oil and Mannville condensate-rich gas rights, which creates the potential for infrastructure, operational, and timing advantages if we progress to full development of the Duvernay resource play. In combination, our Cardium, Mannville, and Duvernay positions provide us with exploration and development opportunities in our core Canadian operating region that have the potential to deliver strong production and reserve growth into the latter half of the decade.

On April 29, 2014, we announced the completion of our acquisition of Elkhorn Resources Inc., a private southeast Saskatchewan producer, for total consideration of \$427 million. The assets consist of high netback, light oil producing assets in the Northgate region of southeast Saskatchewan and include approximately 57,000 net acres of land (approximately 80% undeveloped), seven oil batteries, and preferential access to 50% or greater capacity at a solution gas facility that is currently under construction. More than 90% of the current production base is operated by Vermilion. Production from the assets was moderately impacted by recent flooding in S.E. Saskatchewan and are projected to average approximately 3,750 boe/d (97% crude oil) during the remainder of 2014. We have currently identified approximately 175 (152 net) potential drilling locations targeting the Midale, Frobisher, Bakken, and Three Forks/Torquay formations. We began a two-rig, 13-well Midale drilling program in June 2014.

We were also active in Europe during the second quarter of 2014 with drilling operations in both France and the Netherlands. In France, we drilled two of five planned wells in Champotran in follow-up to our highly successful 2013 drilling campaign. These first two wells have been put on production during July at initial rates averaging 275 bbls/d per well. The remaining three wells at Champotran will be drilled before the end of the third quarter. Our first well in the Parentis field has been put on production at a rate of 20 bbls/d. A new pool exploratory test at Cazaux North has been evaluated as dry and will be abandoned. We currently plan a seven-well drilling program in France during 2014, with two previously planned wells deferred to later-year programs to optimize surface access and reduce rig move costs. During the second quarter of 2014, we advanced preparations for the phased transfer of our shut-in Vic Bihl natural gas production from the Lacq gas processing facility where it was previously handled to a new third party facility. Delays in receiving required permit transfers have pushed our original plans to bring approximately 850 mcf/d of solution gas back on-stream from the third quarter of 2014 to early 2015. The remainder of the shut-in gas production, approximately 3,400 mcf/d of gas cap gas, is expected to be back on production in late-2015.

In the Netherlands, we drilled two additional wells during the second quarter of 2014. The Havelte-01 well in the Steenwijk concession in Friesland (50% working interest) came in low to prognosis and was plugged and abandoned. However, as part of the Havelte-01 project, we will tie-in a previously-stranded gas discovery at Eesveen-01. First gas is anticipated to occur from Eesveen in early 2015 at an anticipated rate of 3 mmcf/d net to Vermilion. The Lambertschaag-02 well was non-commercial in its primary objective but did encounter other zones of interest with significant gas shows that will be further evaluated during the third quarter of 2014. There are three wells remaining in our 2014 Netherlands drilling program with one planned during the third quarter and two in the fourth quarter. Late in the second quarter, we initiated production from the Zechstein carbonate formation of the previously-idle DeHoeve-01 well (42% working interest), at a rate of 3 mmcf/d, net to Vermilion. Our undeveloped land base in the Netherlands now totals more than 800,000 net acres, and it is our intention to generally increase annual activity levels to maintain a rolling inventory of projects so that each year's capital program will involve a combination of drilling new wells and the tie-in of previous successes.

In Germany, we have now established an office in Berlin, placed an experienced Managing Director, and are progressing well with recruiting a supporting technical team to oversee both our existing assets and potential new opportunities. Our current position in Germany enables us to participate, on a non-operated basis, in the exploration, development, production and transportation of natural gas from four gas producing fields across 11 production licenses. The assets are expected to contribute approximately 2,300 boe/d of production for calendar 2014, and include both exploration and production licenses that comprise a total of 207,000 gross acres, of which 85% is in the exploration license. Germany is a producing region with a long history of oil and gas development activity, low political risk, and strong marketing fundamentals. Our position provides us with entry into this sizable market, in the form of free cash flow⁽¹⁾ generating, low-decline assets with near-term development inventory in addition to longer-term, low-permeability gas prospectivity. We believe that our conventional and unconventional expertise, coupled with new access to proprietary technical data, will position us for future development and expansion opportunities in both Germany and the greater European region. During the first quarter of 2014, we participated in the drilling of one (0.25 net) development well in Germany. This well logged 81 metres of net pay and is expected to be tested and put on production during the second half of 2014.

On May 22, 2014, we announced the completion of tunnel boring operations beneath Sruwaddaon Bay at our Corrib project in Ireland. The tunnel boring machine has now been demobilized and the project is progressing well with respect to several key activities that remain to be completed prior to initial production at Corrib. These activities include the installation of flow and umbilical lines within the tunnel, grouting of the tunnel, certain offshore well workover activities, and receipt of final authorizations for start-up of the Bellanaboy gas facility. The most significant remaining offshore workover activity at our Corrib field was successfully completed subsequent to the end of the quarter. The Corrib P6 well was flow tested for 24 hours at a final flow rate of 112 mmcf/d at a flowing bottom hole pressure of 3260 psi, representing an approximate 44 percent drawdown from reservoir pressure. The test rates were within expectations, reconfirming previous test rates. The well was still "cleaning up" at the end of the test, exhibiting an increasing flow rate at increasing flowing bottom hole pressure when the test period ended. The P6 test confirms that all five wells required for start-up at Corrib are ready to flow. Based on the current deterministic schedule for the project, we anticipate first gas from Corrib in approximately mid-2015, with peak production estimated at approximately 58 mmcf/d (approximately 9,700 boe/d) net to Vermilion.

In Australia, we remain focused on completing preparations for the 2015 drilling program, as well as re-lifing and maintenance projects on our two platforms. In order to meet current marketing agreements and provide long-term certainty to our customers, our current plan is to maintain field-total production levels within our prior guidance of between 6,000 bbls/d and 8,000 bbls/d. We anticipate maintaining these production levels in Australia for the foreseeable future with drilling programs approximately every two years. Our Australian oil currently garners a premium of approximately US \$7.00 to the Dated Brent index and incurs no transportation cost as production is sold directly at the platform.

Our operations continue to perform strongly, generating organic production growth in a capital-efficient manner. Given the strength of our operations, we have elected to increase our previous 2014 average annual production guidance from a range of 48,000-49,000 boe/d to a range of 48,500-49,500 boe/d. Assuming commodity prices remain near current levels for the remainder of 2014, we anticipate that we can fully fund our net dividends⁽¹⁾ and development capital expenditures (excluding capital investment at Corrib) with fund flows from operations during 2014. With the shifts in capital spending outlined previously, we currently anticipate full year 2014 capital expenditure to total approximately \$650 million, an increase from our previous guidance of \$635 million. This increase largely reflects a shift in spending to increase Mannville development drilling as well as higher costs for our Duvernay appraisal wells.

We believe we remain positioned to deliver strong operational and financial performance over the next several years. We continue to target annual organic production growth of approximately 5% to 7% along with providing reliable and growing dividends. Near term production and fund flows from operations growth is expected to be driven by continued Cardium and Mannville development in Canada, oil development activities in France, and high-netback natural gas drilling in the Netherlands. A significant increment of production, fund flows from operations and free cash flow growth is expected from Corrib beginning in approximately mid-2015 with the first full year of production from the project in 2016. Our Australian and German business units are expected to provide relatively steady production as well as strong free cash flow.

The management and directors of Vermilion continue to hold approximately 6% of the outstanding shares and remain committed to delivering superior rewards to all stakeholders. Continuing to be acknowledged for excellence in our business practices, Vermilion was recognized for the fifth consecutive year by the Great Place to Work® Institute in both Canada and France in 2014. In Canada, Vermilion was ranked 5th Best Workplace in its category for 2014. More than 300 Canadian companies participated in the survey and Vermilion was the only energy company in Canada to be recognized as a Best Workplace. In France, Vermilion received a special award for corporate social responsibility and was ranked 13th Best Workplace in its category for 2014. Vermilion's Netherlands business unit became eligible to participate in the competition for the first time in 2014 and was ranked 10th Best Workplace in its category, the highest score of any energy company in the survey.

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Chief Executive Officer
July 31, 2014

⁽¹⁾ The above discussion includes additional GAAP and non-GAAP measures which may not be comparable to other companies. Please see the "ADDITIONAL AND NON-GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES" section of Management's Discussion and Analysis.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

The following is Management's Discussion and Analysis ("MD&A"), dated July 30, 2014, of Vermilion Energy Inc.'s ("Vermilion" or the "Company") operating and financial results as at and for the three and six months ended June 30, 2014 compared with the corresponding periods in the prior year.

This discussion should be read in conjunction with the unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements for the three and six months ended June 30, 2014 and the audited consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2013 and 2012, together with accompanying notes. Additional information relating to Vermilion, including its Annual Information Form, is available on SEDAR at www.sedar.com or on Vermilion's website at www.vermilionenergy.com.

The unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements for the three and six months ended June 30, 2014 and comparative information have been prepared in Canadian dollars, except where another currency is indicated, and in accordance with IAS 34, "Interim financial reporting", as issued by the International Accounting Standard Board ("IASB").

This MD&A includes references to certain financial measures which do not have standardized meanings prescribed by International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS"). As such, these financial measures are considered additional GAAP or non-GAAP financial measures and therefore are unlikely to be comparable with similar financial measures presented by other issuers. These additional GAAP and non-GAAP financial measures include:

- **Fund flows from operations:** This additional GAAP financial measure is calculated as cash flows from operating activities before changes in non-cash operating working capital and asset retirement obligations settled. We analyze fund flows from operations both on a consolidated basis and on a business unit basis in order to assess the contribution of each business unit to our ability to generate cash necessary to pay dividends, repay debt, fund asset retirement obligations and make capital investments.
- **Netbacks:** These non-GAAP financial measures are per boe and per mcf measures used in the analysis of operational activities. We assess netbacks both on a consolidated basis and on a business unit basis in order to compare and assess the operational and financial performance of each business unit versus other business units and third party crude oil and natural gas producers.

For a full description of these and other non-GAAP financial measures and a reconciliation of these measures to their most directly comparable GAAP measures, please refer to "ADDITIONAL AND NON-GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES".

VERMILION'S BUSINESS

Vermilion is a Calgary, Alberta based international oil and gas producer focused on the acquisition, development and optimization of producing properties in Western Canada, Europe, and Australia. We manage our business through our Calgary head office and our international business unit offices.

This MD&A separately discusses each of our business units in addition to our corporate segment.

- **Canada business unit:** Relates to our assets in Alberta and Saskatchewan.
- **France business unit:** Relates to our operations in France in the Paris and Aquitaine Basins.
- **Netherlands business unit:** Relates to our operations in the Netherlands.
- **Germany business unit:** Relates to our 25% contractual participation interest in a four-partner consortium in Germany.
- **Ireland business unit:** Relates to our 18.5% non-operated interest in the offshore Corrib natural gas field.
- **Australia business unit:** Relates to our operations in the Wandoo offshore crude oil field.
- **Corporate:** Includes expenditures related to our global hedging program, financing expenses, and general and administration expenses, primarily incurred in Canada and not directly related to the operations of a specific business unit.

Prior to December 31, 2013, Vermilion combined the operating and financial results of the Canada business unit and the Corporate segment and presented the combined results as Canada.

GUIDANCE

We first issued 2014 capital expenditure guidance of \$555 million on November 7, 2013. We subsequently increased our 2014 capital expenditure guidance to \$590 million on March 18, 2014, to reflect an additional \$35 million of 2014 development capital expected to be incurred in association with our acquisition of Elkhorn Resources Inc. Concurrent with the release of our first quarter 2014 financial and operating results on May 2, 2014, we further updated our 2014 capital expenditure guidance to \$635 million, reflecting the expected full-year rise in the cost to Vermilion, in Canadian dollar terms, of both actual and anticipated international capital expenditures as a result of the devaluation of the Canadian dollar against both the U.S. dollar and the Euro, and the addition of approximately \$15 million of anticipated spending associated with drilling activities. We also increased our original production guidance from 47,500-48,500 boe/d to 48,000-49,000 boe/d.

Based on the continued strength of our operations during the second quarter of 2014, we are further increasing our full-year 2014 production and capital expenditure guidance to 48,500-49,500 boe/d and \$650 million, respectively. The increase in capital expenditures is due to increased Mannville development drilling and higher than anticipated costs associated with the Duvernay appraisal program.

The following table summarizes our 2014 guidance:

	Date	Capital Expenditures (\$MM)	Production (boe/d)
2014 Guidance	November 7, 2013	555	45,000 to 46,000
2014 Guidance - Update	March 18, 2014	590	47,500 to 48,500
2014 Guidance - Update	May 2, 2014	635	48,000 to 49,000
2014 Guidance - Update	July 31, 2014	650	48,500 to 49,500

SHAREHOLDER RETURN

Vermilion strives to provide investors with reliable and growing dividends in addition to sustainable, global production growth. The following table, as of June 30, 2014, reflects our trailing one, three, and five year performance:

Total return ⁽¹⁾	Trailing One Year	Trailing Three Year	Trailing Five Year
Dividends per Vermilion share	\$2.49	\$7.11	\$11.67
Capital appreciation per Vermilion share	\$22.84	\$23.25	\$45.02
Total return per Vermilion share	49.3%	59.5%	193.9%
Annualized total return per Vermilion share	49.3%	16.8%	24.1%
Annualized total return on the S&P TSX High Income Energy Index	29.3%	6.2%	11.5%

⁽¹⁾ The above table includes non-GAAP financial measures which may not be comparable to other companies. Please see the "ADDITIONAL AND NON-GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES" section of this MD&A.

CONSOLIDATED RESULTS OVERVIEW

	Three Months Ended			% change		Six Months Ended		% change
	Jun 30, 2014	Mar 31, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	Q2/14 vs. Q1/14	Q2/14 vs. Q2/13	Jun 30, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	2014 vs. 2013
Production								
Crude oil (bbls/d)	30,184	27,318	26,638	10%	13%	28,759	25,119	14%
NGLs (bbls/d)	2,892	2,140	1,775	35%	63%	2,518	1,604	57%
Natural gas (mmcf/d)	114.08	103.32	86.40	10%	32%	108.73	84.29	29%
Total (boe/d)	52,089	46,677	42,813	12%	22%	49,398	40,772	21%
Build (draw) in inventory (mmbbl)	67	(98)	6			(31)	(238)	
Financial metrics								
Fund flows from operations (\$M)	216,076	205,363	174,592	5%	24%	421,439	338,221	25%
Per share (\$/basic share)	2.05	2.01	1.73	2%	18%	4.05	3.38	20%
Net earnings (\$M)	53,993	102,788	106,198	(47%)	(49%)	156,781	158,335	(1%)
Per share (\$/basic share)	0.51	1.00	1.05	(49%)	(51%)	1.51	1.58	(4%)
Cash flows from operating activities (\$M)	149,592	178,238	179,074	(16%)	(16%)	327,830	369,786	(11%)
Net debt (\$M)	1,168,998	966,310	674,368	21%	73%	1,168,998	674,368	73%
Cash dividends (\$/share)	0.645	0.645	0.600	-	8%	1.290	1.200	8%
Activity								
Capital expenditures (\$M)	135,073	196,375	78,118	(31%)	73%	331,448	258,587	28%
Acquisitions (\$M)	381,139	178,227	-	114%	100%	559,366	-	100%
Gross wells drilled	13.00	24.00	6.00			37.00	34.00	
Net wells drilled	6.72	18.83	4.86			25.55	31.36	

Operational review

- Recorded consolidated average production of 52,089 boe/d during Q2 2014, a 12% increase compared to Q1 2014 and a 22% increase as compared to Q2 2013. The growth quarter-over-quarter and year-over-year was primarily driven by production growth in Canada, resulting from our continued development of the Cardium and Mannville plays in Alberta coupled with approximately two months of incremental production from southeast Saskatchewan (approximately 2,000 boe/d during the quarter) following our acquisition of Elkhorn Resources Inc. and a full quarter of incremental production from our acquisition in Germany.
- Recorded consolidated average production of 49,398 boe/d for the six months ended June 30, 2014, a 21% increase versus the same period in 2013 as a result of production growth in Canada and the Netherlands. In Canada, production growth of 32% year-over-year was achieved through continued development of the Cardium and Mannville plays in Alberta, coupled with two months of incremental production from southeast Saskatchewan. In the Netherlands, production increased to 7,040 boe/d resulting from incremental production from our acquisition in the Netherlands in Q4 2013 and increased volumes following completion of the Middenmeer Treatment Centre retrofit in the latter part of 2013. In addition, we maintained Australia production at 6,795 boe/d year-to-date and added incremental volumes from our acquisition in Germany, which closed in February of 2014. These increases were partially offset by a 1% decrease in production in France, which occurred despite a 5% increase in crude oil production volumes, due to the temporary shut-in of natural gas production.
- Activity during the quarter included capital expenditures totalling \$135.1 million incurred primarily in Canada, France, the Netherlands, and Ireland. In Canada, capital expenditures of \$37.0 million were significantly lower than the \$114.9 million from Q1 2014 due to spring breakup and were related to the drilling of 3.29 net wells. In France, \$37.6 million of capital expenditures were incurred during the quarter relating to the drilling of 2.0 net wells in the Champotran field in Paris. In the Netherlands, \$21.5 million of capital expenditures were incurred during the quarter relating to the drilling of 1.4 net wells. In Ireland, \$27.2 million of capital expenditures were incurred relating to the completion of tunnel boring operations, offshore well workover and various facility activities.
- Acquisition expenditures for the quarter totalling \$381.1 million related primarily to our acquisition of Elkhorn Resources Inc. on April 29, 2014. This included approximately \$205.0 million attributed to approximately 2.8 million Vermilion common shares issued to Elkhorn's shareholders. Acquisitions in the year-to-date period also included our acquisition in Germany, which closed in February of 2014, for total cash consideration of \$172.9 million.

Financial review

Net earnings

- Net earnings for Q2 2014 were \$54.0 million (\$0.51/basic share) as compared to net earnings of \$102.8 million (\$1.00/basic share) in Q1 2014 and \$106.2 million (\$1.05/basic share) in Q2 2013. The decrease to net earnings quarter-over-quarter and year-over-year occurred despite production and sales growth, due largely to the reversal of unrealized foreign exchange gains recognized during Q1 2014 and Q2 2013. The unrealized foreign exchange gains recognized during the comparable quarters related to the Euro strengthening versus the Canadian dollar and the resulting impact on our Euro denominated financial assets. In Q1 2014 and Q2 2013, the Euro strengthened by approximately 4% and 5%, respectively, versus a 4% weakening in the current quarter.
- Net earnings for the six months ended June 30, 2014 decreased by 1% (4% per share). This slight decrease occurred as increased sales were offset by the absence of unrealized foreign exchange gains and increased depreciation expense.

Cash flows from operating activities

- Cash flow from operations decreased by 16% and 11% for the three and six months ended June 30, 2014 as compared to the same periods in 2013. These decreases occurred despite increased production and favourable Canadian dollar commodity prices due to the offsetting impacts of timing differences pertaining to working capital.

Fund flows from operations

- Generated fund flows from operations of \$216.1 million (\$2.05/basic share) during Q2 2014, an increase of \$10.7 million (5%) versus Q1 2014. This quarter-over-quarter increase was largely driven by increased sales volumes in Canada, following production growth in the Cardium, Mannville, and incremental production in southeast Saskatchewan.
- Fund flows from operations increased by 24% and 25% for the three and six months ended June 30, 2014, respectively, versus the comparable periods in 2013. These increases in fund flows from operations resulted from increased sales volumes in Canada, incremental volumes from our Germany acquisition, coupled with favorable Canadian dollar crude oil and Canadian natural gas pricing, partially offset by lower sales volumes in Australia and a decline in TTF pricing. Impacting fund flows from operations, and included in general and administration costs for 2014, are charges relating to our acquisitions in Canada (\$1.1 million) and Germany (\$0.8 million).

Net debt

- As a result of funding our 2014 acquisitions in Germany and Saskatchewan, net debt increased to \$1.2 billion as at June 30, 2014. As year-to-date fund flows from operations includes only two months of contribution from the acquisition in Saskatchewan, the ratio of net debt to annualized fund flows from operations increased to 1.4 times.

Dividends

- Declared dividends of \$0.215 per common share per month during 2014, totalling \$0.645 per common share over the quarter, an increase of 7.5% versus the 2013 comparable periods.

COMMODITY PRICES

	Three Months Ended			% change		Six Months Ended		% change
	Jun 30, 2014	Mar 31, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	Q2/14 vs. Q1/14	Q2/14 vs. Q2/13	Jun 30, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	2014 vs. 2013
Average reference prices								
WTI (US \$/bbl)	102.99	98.68	94.22	4%	9%	100.84	94.30	7%
Edmonton Sweet index (US \$/bbl)	96.85	90.43	90.56	7%	7%	93.65	88.99	5%
Dated Brent (US \$/bbl)	109.63	108.22	102.44	1%	7%	108.93	107.50	1%
AECO (\$/GJ)	4.44	5.42	3.35	(18%)	33%	4.93	3.19	55%
TTF (\$/GJ)	7.91	10.19	10.14	(22%)	(22%)	9.02	10.23	(12%)
TTF (€/GJ)	5.27	6.75	7.57	(22%)	(30%)	6.01	7.69	(22%)
Average foreign currency exchange rates								
CDN \$/US \$	1.09	1.10	1.02	(1%)	7%	1.10	1.02	8%
CDN \$/Euro	1.50	1.51	1.34	(1%)	12%	1.50	1.33	13%
Average realized prices (\$/boe)								
Canada	71.56	69.26	62.00	3%	15%	70.55	59.93	18%
France	117.29	117.54	98.04	-	20%	117.41	102.84	14%
Netherlands	48.14	63.60	65.08	(24%)	(26%)	56.06	63.19	(11%)
Germany	45.36	55.85	-	(19%)	100%	49.50	-	100%
Australia	126.87	127.26	111.54	-	14%	127.11	115.89	10%
Consolidated	82.96	88.67	80.21	(6%)	3%	85.70	81.60	5%
Production mix (% of production)								
% priced with reference to WTI	30%	25%	25%			27%	24%	
% priced with reference to AECO	18%	17%	17%			18%	18%	
% priced with reference to TTF	18%	19%	17%			19%	17%	
% priced with reference to Dated Brent	34%	39%	41%			36%	41%	

Reference prices

- Oil outperformed natural gas in Q2 2014 as a result of heightened geopolitical tensions and a generally tighter fundamental balance. Averaging the quarter at US \$109.63/bbl, Dated Brent was 1% higher quarter-over-quarter and 7% above the same period last year.
- WTI's advance quarter-over-quarter was more pronounced, up 4% from Q1 2014 and 9% higher than Q2 2013. Sliding oil inventories at Cushing, Oklahoma and elevated refining demand contributed to the oil benchmark's advance. Edmonton Sweet prices also increased in Q2 2014, up 7% from both Q1 2014 and Q2 2013.
- AECO natural gas fell 18% quarter-over-quarter to average C\$4.44/GJ in Q2. While seasonal factors weighed heavily on a quarter-over-quarter basis, AECO still managed to post a strong 33% increase over the same quarter last year and a 55% increase for the first half of 2014 over the first half of 2013 from a colder-than-normal winter.
- Increased storage levels and weaker seasonal demand led TTF to fall 22% in Q2 versus Q1, averaging C\$7.91/GJ, and down 30% versus the same quarter last year.
- The Canadian dollar posted a small increase versus both the US dollar and Euro in Q2 2014 versus Q1 2014, however, versus the same period last year the Canadian dollar has weakened by 7% versus the US dollar and 12% versus the Euro.

Realized prices

- Consolidated realized price decreased by 6% for Q2 2014 as compared to Q1 2014. This decrease was the result of a change in Vermilion's production mix coupled with a 22% decrease in TTF pricing. Quarter-over-quarter, production growth in Alberta and incremental production from our Q2 2014 acquisition in Saskatchewan increased our percentage of WTI priced production from 25% to 30% of consolidated production. As WTI continues to trade at a discount to Dated Brent, this resulted in an overall decrease to our consolidated realized price.
- Consolidated realized price for the three and six months ended June 30, 2014 increased by 3% and 5% as compared to the same periods in the prior year. These increases were the result of stronger crude oil and Canadian natural gas pricing coupled with the weakness of the Canadian dollar. These increases were partially offset by the aforementioned changes in production mix and TTF pricing.

FUND FLOWS FROM OPERATIONS

	Three Months Ended						Six Months Ended			
	Jun 30, 2014		Mar 31, 2014		Jun 30, 2013		Jun 30, 2014		Jun 30, 2013	
	\$M	\$/boe	\$M	\$/boe	\$M	\$/boe	\$M	\$/boe	\$M	\$/boe
Petroleum and natural gas sales	387,684	82.96	381,183	88.67	311,966	80.21	768,867	85.70	621,542	81.60
Royalties	(29,013)	(6.21)	(24,024)	(5.59)	(15,800)	(4.06)	(53,037)	(5.91)	(31,590)	(4.15)
Petroleum and natural gas revenues	358,671	76.75	357,159	83.08	296,166	76.15	715,830	79.79	589,952	77.45
Transportation expense	(12,032)	(2.57)	(9,861)	(2.29)	(6,653)	(1.71)	(21,893)	(2.44)	(13,294)	(1.75)
Operating expense	(58,213)	(12.46)	(57,986)	(13.49)	(48,082)	(12.36)	(116,199)	(12.95)	(100,657)	(13.21)
General and administration	(17,762)	(3.80)	(14,467)	(3.37)	(11,313)	(2.91)	(32,229)	(3.59)	(23,923)	(3.14)
Corporate income taxes	(32,635)	(6.98)	(38,603)	(8.98)	(36,719)	(9.44)	(71,238)	(7.94)	(72,276)	(9.49)
PRRT	(12,699)	(2.72)	(20,239)	(4.71)	(12,590)	(3.24)	(32,938)	(3.67)	(23,743)	(3.12)
Interest expense	(12,334)	(2.64)	(11,460)	(2.67)	(9,336)	(2.40)	(23,794)	(2.65)	(18,025)	(2.37)
Realized gain (loss) on derivative instruments	2,419	0.52	2,640	0.61	1,770	0.46	5,059	0.56	(1,017)	(0.13)
Realized foreign exchange gain (loss)	587	0.12	(2,041)	(0.47)	1,272	0.33	(1,454)	(0.16)	655	0.09
Realized other income	74	0.02	221	0.05	77	0.02	295	0.03	549	0.07
Fund flows from operations	216,076	46.24	205,363	47.76	174,592	44.90	421,439	46.98	338,221	44.40

The following table shows a reconciliation of the change in fund flows from operations:

(\$M)	Q2/14 vs. Q1/14	Q2/14 vs. Q2/13	2014 vs. 2013
Fund flows from operations – Comparative period	205,363	174,592	338,221
Sales volume variance:			
Canada	39,771	44,135	63,154
France	7,323	6,669	(4,579)
Netherlands	(1,936)	2,166	7,799
Germany	4,751	11,097	20,012
Australia	(30,964)	(20,562)	(6,516)
Pricing variance on sold volumes:			
WTI	5,026	14,192	24,876
AECO	(4,717)	3,983	13,772
Dated Brent	(447)	24,639	37,907
TTF	(12,306)	(10,601)	(9,100)
Changes in:			
Realized derivatives	(221)	649	6,076
Royalties	(4,989)	(13,213)	(21,447)
Operating expense	(227)	(10,131)	(15,542)
Transportation	(2,171)	(5,379)	(8,599)
Interest	(874)	(2,998)	(5,769)
General and administration	(3,295)	(6,449)	(8,306)
Realized other income	(147)	(3)	(254)
Realized foreign exchange	2,628	(685)	(2,109)
Corporate income taxes	5,968	4,084	1,038
PRRT	7,540	(109)	(9,195)
Fund flows from operations – Current Period	216,076	216,076	421,439

Fund flows from operations of \$216.1 million during Q2 2014 was an increase of \$10.7 million (5%) versus Q1 2014. The majority of this increase resulted from \$6.5 million of increased sales. The increase in sales was due to favourable sales volume variances, partially offset by unfavourable pricing variances. Sales volume variances included \$39.8 million relating to higher production volumes in Canada following continued development of the Cardium and Mannville plays in Alberta and incremental production from our southeast Saskatchewan acquisition and \$7.3 million relating to a draw in inventory in France. These favourable sales volume variances were partially offset by a \$31.0 million unfavourable variance relating to a build in inventory in Australia. The unfavourable pricing variance was the result of a quarter-over-quarter decline in natural gas prices, offset partially by an increase in the WTI reference price.

Fund flows from operations increased by 24% and 25% for the three and six months ended June 30, 2014, respectively, versus the comparable periods in 2013. These increases in fund flows from operations resulted primarily from the combined impacts of favourable sales volume and pricing variances. Favourable sales volume variances occurred primarily in Canada (contributing an additional \$44.1 million in Q2 2014 and \$63.2 million year-to-date 2014 versus the comparable periods) and were aided by incremental production in Germany (contributing \$11.1 million in the quarter and \$20.0 million in the year-to-date period).

Fluctuations in fund flows from operations (and correspondingly net earnings and cash flows from operating activities) may occur as a result of changes in commodity prices and costs to produce petroleum and natural gas. In addition, fund flows from operations may be highly affected by the timing of crude oil shipments in Australia and France. When crude oil inventory is built up, the related operating expense, royalties, and depletion expense are deferred and carried as inventory on our balance sheet. When the crude oil inventory is subsequently drawn down, the related expenses are recognized in fund flows from operations.

CANADA BUSINESS UNIT

Overview

- Production and assets focused in West Pembina near Drayton Valley, Alberta and Northgate in southeast Saskatchewan
- Potential for three significant resource plays sharing the same surface infrastructure in the West Pembina region:
 - Cardium light oil (1,800m depth) – in development phase
 - Mannville condensate-rich gas (2,400 – 2,700m depth) – in development phase
 - Duvernay condensate-rich gas (3,200 – 3,400m depth) – in appraisal phase
- Canadian cash flows are fully tax-sheltered for the foreseeable future.

Operational review

	Three Months Ended			% change		Six Months Ended		% change
	Jun 30, 2014	Mar 31, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	Q2/14 vs. Q1/14	Q2/14 vs. Q2/13	Jun 30, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	2014 vs. 2013
Canada business unit								
Production								
Crude oil (bbls/d)	12,676	9,437	8,885	34%	43%	11,065	8,428	31%
NGLs (bbls/d)	2,796	2,071	1,725	35%	62%	2,435	1,531	59%
Natural gas (mmcf/d)	57.59	49.53	43.69	16%	32%	53.58	42.37	26%
Total (boe/d)	25,070	19,763	17,892	27%	40%	22,430	17,021	32%
Production mix (% of total)								
Crude oil	51%	48%	50%			49%	50%	
NGLs	11%	10%	10%			11%	9%	
Natural gas	38%	42%	40%			40%	41%	
Activity								
Capital expenditures (\$M)	36,968	114,939	16,553	(68%)	123%	151,907	101,682	49%
Acquisitions (\$M)	381,326	4,768	-			386,094	-	
Gross wells drilled	9.00	20.00	3.00			29.00	27.00	
Net wells drilled	3.29	14.97	1.86			18.26	24.36	

Production

- Production in Canada increased by 27% quarter-over-quarter and by 40% year-over-year.
- Quarter-over-quarter and year-over-year increases were largely attributable to production additions from our southeast Saskatchewan acquisition, supplemented by strong production from our Mannville program and continued development in the Cardium.
- Cardium production averaged more than 12,100 boe/d in Q2 2014.
- Mannville production averaged more than 4,600 boe/d in Q2 2014.
- Saskatchewan production averaged approximately 2,000 boe/d in Q2 2014, taking into account an effective acquisition date of April 29, 2014.

Activity review

- Vermilion drilled nine (3.3 net) wells during Q2 2014.

Cardium

- In the Cardium, we drilled one (1.0 net) operated well and brought five (5.0 net) operated wells on production during Q2 2014, all of which were long reach wells with horizontal lengths between 1.5 and 2.0 miles. Year-to-date we have drilled 12 (11.5 net) operated wells and brought 18 (18.0 net) operated wells on production.
- Since 2009, we have drilled or participated in 258 (183.7 net) wells in the Cardium.
- Operating netbacks averaged approximately \$70/boe year-to-date for Cardium production.
- In 2014, we plan to drill or participate in 37 (24.5 net) Cardium wells.

Mannville

- During Q2 2014, in the Mannville, we brought two (1.5 net) operated wells on production that were drilled in the previous quarter. Year-to-date we have drilled and brought on production five (3.7 net) operated wells.
- In 2014, we plan to drill 15 (9 net) Mannville wells.

Duvernay

- We drilled two (1.3 net) horizontal Duvernay wells, with completion of the wells anticipated for Q3 2014.

Saskatchewan

- We spud two wells in the second quarter, with completions scheduled for Q3 2014.
- A 13 well Midale program is planned for 2014.

Financial review

Canada business unit (\$M except as indicated)	Three Months Ended			% change		Six Months Ended		% change
	Jun 30, 2014	Mar 31, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	Q2/14 vs. Q1/14	Q2/14 vs. Q2/13	Jun 30, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	2014 vs. 2013
Sales	163,261	123,180	100,950	33%	62%	286,441	184,638	55%
Royalties	(18,240)	(12,663)	(9,707)	44%	88%	(30,903)	(18,696)	65%
Transportation expense	(4,024)	(3,098)	(2,611)	30%	54%	(7,122)	(4,880)	46%
Operating expense	(21,179)	(16,610)	(15,975)	28%	33%	(37,789)	(29,816)	27%
General and administration	(6,560)	(2,868)	(3,948)	129%	66%	(9,428)	(7,017)	34%
Fund flows from operations	113,258	87,941	68,709	29%	65%	201,199	124,229	62%
Netbacks (\$/boe)								
Sales	71.56	69.26	62.00	3%	15%	70.55	59.93	18%
Royalties	(7.99)	(7.12)	(5.96)	12%	34%	(7.61)	(6.07)	25%
Transportation expense	(1.76)	(1.74)	(1.60)	1%	10%	(1.75)	(1.58)	11%
Operating expense	(9.28)	(9.34)	(9.81)	(1%)	(5%)	(9.31)	(9.68)	(4%)
General and administration	(2.88)	(1.61)	(2.42)	79%	19%	(2.32)	(2.28)	2%
Fund flows from operations netback	49.65	49.45	42.21	-	18%	49.56	40.32	23%
Reference prices								
WTI (US \$/bbl)	102.99	98.68	94.22	4%	9%	100.84	94.30	7%
Edmonton Sweet index (US \$/bbl)	96.85	90.43	90.56	7%	7%	93.65	88.99	5%
AECO (\$/GJ)	4.44	5.42	3.35	(18%)	33%	4.93	3.19	55%

Sales

- The realized price for our crude oil production in Canada is directly linked to WTI but is subject to market conditions in Western Canada. These market conditions can result in fluctuations in the pricing differential, as reflected by the Edmonton Sweet index price. The realized price of our NGLs in Canada is based on product specific differentials pertaining to trading hubs in the United States. The realized price of our natural gas in Canada is based on the AECO spot price in Canada.
- Sales per boe increased by 3% quarter-over-quarter as a result of a 7% increase in Edmonton Sweet index pricing, partially offset by an 18% decrease in AECO pricing.
- On a year-over-year basis, sales per boe increased by 15% and 18% for the three and six months ended June 30, 2014, largely as a result of the strengthening of the Edmonton Sweet index and AECO reference price, coupled with a higher mix of crude oil and NGL production.
- The increases in the Edmonton Sweet index combined with incremental production from our Saskatchewan acquisition and production growth in the Cardium and Mannville resource plays resulted in a 33% and 62% increase in sales for Q2 2014 versus Q1 2014 and Q2 2013, respectively.

Royalties

- Royalty expense as a percentage of sales increased to 11.2% for Q2 2014 from 9.6% in Q2 2013 and 10.3% in Q1 2014. Royalty expense as a percentage of sales increased to 10.8% for the six months ended June 30, 2014 as compared to 10.1% for the same period of the prior year.
- All periods are affected by the timing of placing wells on production due to royalty incentives on initial production volumes. Royalties as a percentage of sales were slightly higher in the second quarter partially as a result of slightly higher average royalty rates associated with Vermilion's Saskatchewan production. In addition, increased commodity prices have contributed to the year-over-year increases in royalty rates as a percentage of sales.

Transportation

- Transportation expense relates to the delivery of crude oil and natural gas production to major pipelines where legal title transfers.
- Transportation expense per boe remained consistent between Q2 2014 and Q1 2014 as higher trucking costs in the second quarter associated with Vermilion's Saskatchewan acquisition offset trucking costs incurred in the first quarter which were related to a Pembina pipeline outage.
- Transportation expense per boe increased for the three and six months ended June 30, 2014 as compared to the same periods of the prior year due to trucking costs associated with Vermilion's recently acquired Saskatchewan assets as well as pipeline tariff increases.

Operating expense

- Operating expense per boe was lower for the three and six months ended June 30, 2014 as compared to the prior periods presented due to a larger increase in production volumes than expenditures.

General and administration

- General and administration expense increased in the current quarter as compared to the prior quarter largely due to higher legal and consultant costs related to the Saskatchewan acquisition (\$1.1MM), additional salary allocations from our Corporate segment to our Canadian Business Unit to reflect internal integration effort associated with the Saskatchewan acquisition (\$0.7MM), lower third party overhead recoveries as a result of less capital activity in the second quarter due to spring break-up (\$1.0MM) as well as higher salary costs quarter-over-quarter resulting from increased staffing levels. These same items are the significant drivers for the year-over-year increases in general and administration expense for the periods presented, partially offset by expenditure timing.

FRANCE BUSINESS UNIT

Overview

- Entered France in 1997 and completed three subsequent acquisitions, including two in 2012.
- Largest oil producer by volume.
- Producing assets include large conventional fields with high working interests located in the Aquitaine and Paris Basins with an identified inventory of workover, infill drilling, and secondary recovery opportunities.
- Production is characterized by Brent-based crude pricing and low base decline rates.

Operational review

	Three Months Ended			% change		Six Months Ended		% change
	Jun 30, 2014	Mar 31, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	Q2/14 vs. Q1/14	Q2/14 vs. Q2/13	Jun 30, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	2014 vs. 2013
France business unit								
Production								
Crude oil (bbls/d)	11,025	10,771	10,390	2%	6%	10,899	10,360	5%
Natural gas (mmcf/d)	-	-	4.19	-	(100%)	-	4.20	(100%)
Total (boe/d)	11,025	10,771	11,088	2%	(1%)	10,899	11,060	(1%)
Inventory (mbbls)								
Opening crude oil inventory	238	269	218			269	354	
Adjustments	-	-	-			-	5	
Crude oil production	1,003	969	945			1,973	1,875	
Crude oil sales	(1,062)	(1,000)	(961)			(2,063)	(2,032)	
Closing crude oil inventory	179	238	202			179	202	
Production mix (% of total)								
Crude oil	100%	100%	94%			100%	94%	
Natural gas	-	-	6%			-	6%	
Activity								
Capital expenditures (\$M)	37,614	37,967	23,223	(1%)	62%	75,581	44,815	69%
Gross wells drilled	2.00	2.00	3.00			4.00	5.00	
Net wells drilled	2.00	2.00	3.00			4.00	5.00	

Production

- Quarter-over-quarter production increased 2% and year-over-year production decreased 1%. Year-over-year production of crude oil increased 6%.
- In late September 2013, the third party Lacq processing facility that processed our Vic Bihl gas production was permanently closed. As a result, our Vic Bihl gas production has been temporarily shut-in while preparations to transfer to an alternative facility are completed. We expect approximately 850 mcf/d will be back on-stream in early 2015, with the remaining approximately 3,400 mcf/d not anticipated to be back on production until late-2015.
- Production remains 100% weighted to Brent crude due to the shut-in of Vic Bihl gas production.

Activity review

- Vermilion drilled two (2.0 net) wells in the Champotran field in the Paris Basin during Q2 2014, with production from these wells anticipated to come on-line in Q3.
- During Q2 2014, we also completed a number of seismic and facility integrity projects.
- Our Parentis (PS-224) well, drilled in Q2 2014, is producing 20 bbls/d. The Cazaux North well drilled in Q1 2014 is dry and will be abandoned.
- In 2014, we are planning a seven-well drilling program in the Champotran, Cazaux, and Parentis fields.

Financial review

France business unit (\$M except as indicated)	Three Months Ended			% change		Six Months Ended		% change
	Jun 30, 2014	Mar 31, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	Q2/14 vs. Q1/14	Q2/14 vs. Q2/13	Jun 30, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	2014 vs. 2013
Sales	124,617	117,560	100,418	6%	24%	242,177	221,984	9%
Royalties	(7,796)	(7,351)	(6,093)	6%	28%	(15,147)	(12,894)	17%
Transportation expense	(5,385)	(4,753)	(2,416)	13%	123%	(10,138)	(5,170)	96%
Operating expense	(16,550)	(16,420)	(16,935)	1%	(2%)	(32,970)	(36,874)	(11%)
General and administration	(5,559)	(5,194)	(3,927)	7%	42%	(10,753)	(9,613)	12%
Current income taxes	(24,761)	(25,264)	(16,124)	(2%)	54%	(50,025)	(34,783)	44%
Fund flows from operations	64,566	58,578	54,923	10%	18%	123,144	122,650	-
Netbacks (\$/boe)								
Sales	117.29	117.54	98.04	-	20%	117.41	102.84	14%
Royalties	(7.34)	(7.35)	(5.95)	-	23%	(7.34)	(5.97)	23%
Transportation expense	(5.07)	(4.75)	(2.36)	7%	115%	(4.91)	(2.39)	105%
Operating expense	(15.58)	(16.42)	(16.53)	(5%)	(6%)	(15.98)	(17.08)	(6%)
General and administration	(5.24)	(5.19)	(3.83)	1%	37%	(5.21)	(4.45)	17%
Current income taxes	(23.30)	(25.26)	(15.74)	(8%)	48%	(24.25)	(16.11)	51%
Fund flows from operations netback	60.76	58.57	53.63	4%	13%	59.72	56.84	5%
Reference prices								
Dated Brent (US \$/bbl)	109.63	108.22	102.44	1%	7%	108.93	107.50	1%

Sales

- Crude oil production in France is priced with reference to Dated Brent.
- Sales per boe for Q2 2014 was relatively unchanged versus Q1 2014 as the 1% increase in the US dollar Dated Brent reference price was largely offset by a 1% strengthening of the Canadian dollar.
- Sales per boe for the three and six months ended June 30, 2014 were 20% and 14% higher than the respective periods in the previous year. This increase was primarily the result of increases in the Dated Brent reference price and the weakening of the Canadian dollar. These changes, coupled with increased crude oil production, resulted in increased sales for both the three and six month periods ended June 30, 2014 of 24% and 9%, respectively.

Royalties

- Royalties in France relate to two components: RCDM (levied on units of production and not subject to changes in commodity prices) and R31 (based on a percentage of revenue).
- As a percentage of sales, royalties for the periods presented remained relatively constant.

Transportation

- Historically, transportation expense in France related to the shipments of crude oil by tanker from the Aquitaine Basin to third party refineries. As a result of the closure of the Lacq processing facility in Q3 2013, Vermilion began incurring additional transportation charges to ship Vic Bihi production to market. Accordingly, transportation expense per boe for the 2014 periods presented is higher than the expense per boe for the comparative periods from the prior year.

Operating expense

- Operating expense for Q2 2014 was consistent with the Q1 2014 and Q2 2013 expense. The decrease in the expense per boe for Q2 2014 as compared to the prior periods is associated with higher volumes in the current period.

General and administration

- General and administration expense was consistent among the periods presented. Minor variances are largely attributable to the timing of expenditures.

Current income taxes

- Current income taxes in France apply to taxable income after eligible deductions at a statutory rate of 38.1% for 2014. Following the expiration of a temporary surtax, the statutory tax rate is expected to decrease to 34.4% for the tax year 2016. For 2014, the effective rate on current taxes is expected to be between approximately 28% and 31%. This rate is subject to change in response to commodity price fluctuations, the timing of capital expenditures and other eligible in-country adjustments.
- Current income taxes for Q2 2014 was slightly lower versus Q1 2014 as increased pre-tax fund flows from operations was offset by an increase in eligible tax deductions for depreciation.
- On a year-over-year basis, current taxes increased by 54% and 44% for the three and six months ended June 30, 2014 versus the same periods in 2013. These increases were the result of the absence of certain interest deductions, lower depletion for tax purposes, and higher tax rates following a December 2013 corporate tax legislation enacted by the France government which increased the rate of a temporary surtax.

NETHERLANDS BUSINESS UNIT

Overview

- Entered the Netherlands in 2004.
- Second largest onshore gas producer by volume.
- Interests include 16 licenses in the northeast region, five licenses in the central region, and two offshore licenses.
- Licenses include more than 800,000 net acres of undeveloped land.
- High impact natural gas drilling and development.
- Natural gas produced in the Netherlands is priced off the TTF index, which receives a significant premium over North American gas prices.

Operational review

	Three Months Ended			% change		Six Months Ended		% change
	Jun 30, 2014	Mar 31, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	Q2/14 vs. Q1/14	Q2/14 vs. Q2/13	Jun 30, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	
Netherlands business unit								
Production								
NGLs (bbls/d)	96	69	50	39%	92%	83	73	14%
Natural gas (mmcf/d)	40.35	43.15	38.52	(6%)	5%	41.74	37.72	11%
Total (boe/d)	6,822	7,260	6,470	(6%)	5%	7,040	6,360	11%
Activity								
Capital expenditures (\$M)	21,513	20,118	4,157	7%	418%	41,631	4,529	819%
Gross wells drilled	2.00	2.00	-			4.00	-	
Net wells drilled	1.43	1.86	-			3.29	-	

Production

- Quarter-over-quarter production decrease of 6% and year-over-year production growth of 5%.
- Production in the Netherlands is currently being managed to meet corporate targets, optimize facility use and regulate declines.

Activity review

- Vermilion drilled two (1.4 net) wells during Q2 2014. The Havelte-01 well (50% working interest) had no gas shows from the Zechstein and Vlieland targets, however the lease site of the Havelte-01 well will enable the tie in of Eesveen-01, a well located in a previously stranded gas field discovered in 1986. The Lambertschaag-02 well (93% working interest) in the Slootdorp concession was determined to be not gas bearing in its primary target zone. Lambertschaag-02 did encounter secondary zones of interest with gas shows which will be further evaluated in Q3 2014.
- Late during Q2 2014, we initiated production from the Zechstein carbonate formation of the DeHoeve-01 well at a rate of 3 mmcf/d net to Vermilion. The DeHoeve well was drilled in 2009 and had previously produced from the Slochteren sandstone (Rotliegend).
- An additional three wells are planned for the 2014 drilling program in the Netherlands, one is planned for the third quarter and the remaining two wells are planned for the fourth quarter. The drilling program will include our first new well on the lands acquired in October 2013.

Financial review

Netherlands business unit (\$M except as indicated)	Three Months Ended			% change		Six Months Ended		% change
	Jun 30, 2014	Mar 31, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	Q2/14 vs. Q1/14	Q2/14 vs. Q2/13	Jun 30, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	2014 vs. 2013
Sales	29,881	41,554	38,316	(28%)	(22%)	71,435	72,737	(2%)
Royalties	(693)	(2,208)	-	(69%)	100%	(2,901)	-	100%
Operating expense	(6,390)	(6,042)	(5,260)	6%	21%	(12,432)	(9,229)	35%
General and administration	(326)	(598)	(426)	(45%)	(23%)	(924)	(838)	10%
Current income taxes	(1,301)	(3,788)	(9,621)	(66%)	(86%)	(5,089)	(19,055)	(73%)
Fund flows from operations	21,171	28,918	23,009	(27%)	(8%)	50,089	43,615	15%
Netbacks (\$/boe)								
Sales	48.14	63.60	65.08	(24%)	(26%)	56.06	63.19	(11%)
Royalties	(1.12)	(3.38)	-	(67%)	100%	(2.28)	-	100%
Operating expense	(10.29)	(9.25)	(8.93)	11%	15%	(9.76)	(8.02)	22%
General and administration	(0.53)	(0.91)	(0.72)	(42%)	(26%)	(0.73)	(0.73)	-
Current income taxes	(2.10)	(5.80)	(16.34)	(64%)	(87%)	(3.99)	(16.55)	(76%)
Fund flows from operations netback	34.10	44.26	39.09	(23%)	(13%)	39.30	37.89	4%
Reference prices								
TTF (\$/GJ)	7.91	10.19	10.14	(22%)	(22%)	9.02	10.23	(12%)
TTF (€/GJ)	5.27	6.75	7.57	(22%)	(30%)	6.01	7.69	(22%)

Sales

- The price of our natural gas in the Netherlands is based on the TTF day-ahead index, as determined on the Title Transfer Facility Virtual Trading Point operated by Dutch TSO Gas Transport Services, plus various fees. GasTerra, a state owned entity, continues to purchase all of the natural gas we produce in the Netherlands.
- The decreases in sales and sales per boe in Q2 2014 versus Q1 2014 and Q2 2013 were largely in-line with the change in the Canadian dollar TTF reference price.
- On a year-over-year basis, sales declined by 2% as a result of the 12% decrease in the TTF reference price offset by an 11% increase in production.

Royalties

- Historically, we have not paid royalties in the Netherlands, however, certain wells associated with an acquisition completed by Vermilion's Netherlands Business Unit in October 2013 have reached payout and are now subject to an overriding royalty.

Transportation expense

- Our production in the Netherlands is not subject to transportation expense as gas is sold at the plant gate.

Operating expense

- Operating expense increased in Q2 2014 from Q1 2014 due to the timing of major project expense. Lower volumes quarter-over-quarter also contributed to the increase in operating costs on a per boe basis.
- Year-over-year, operating expense increased for both the quarter and year to date periods due to the strengthening of the Euro versus the Canadian dollar as well as higher salary costs associated with continued organic growth in the Netherlands business unit.

General and administration

- General and administration expense decreased in Q2 2014 from Q1 2014 due to a reduction in project-related consultant costs. As compared to the prior year, general and administration expense for the current quarter and year to date periods remained consistent.

Current income taxes

- Current income taxes in the Netherlands apply to taxable income after eligible deductions at a statutory tax rate of approximately 46%. For 2014, the effective rate on current taxes is expected to be between approximately 6% and 8%. This rate is subject to change in response to commodity price fluctuations, the timing of capital expenditures and other eligible in-country adjustments.
- Current income taxes decreased as compared to both Q1 2014 and Q2 2013 as a result of decreased revenues, lower TTF reference prices and an increase in tax deductions for depletion during the current quarter.

GERMANY BUSINESS UNIT

Overview

- Vermilion entered Germany in February 2014 with the purchase of a 25% participation interest in a four-partner consortium.
- The assets of the four-partner consortium include four gas producing fields across 11 production licenses and an exploration license in surrounding fields.
- Production licenses comprising 207,000 gross acres, of which 85% is in the exploration license.

Operational review

	Three Months Ended		% change	Six Months Ended
	Jun 30, 2014	Mar 31, 2014	Q2/14 vs. Q1/14	Jun 30, 2014
Germany business unit				
Production				
Natural gas (mmcf/d)	16.13	10.64	52%	13.40
Total (boe/d)	2,689	1,773	52%	2,234
Activity				
Capital expenditures (\$M)	630	196	221%	826
Acquisitions (\$M)	-	172,871		172,871

Production

- Achieved Q2 2014 production of 2,689 boe/d, an increase of 52% as compared to 1,773 boe/d in Q1 2014, taking into account an effective date for production of February 1, 2014.

Activity review

- Continued the integration of the German business with our working interest partners and have commenced planning for future wells.
- In Q1 2014, we participated in the drilling of one (0.25 net) development well, which logged 81 metres of net pay and is expected to be tested and put on production during the second half of 2014.
- We have hired a Managing Director for the German business unit and have opened an office outside of Berlin, which we are currently outfitting and staffing.

Financial review

Germany business unit (\$M except as indicated)	Three Months Ended		% change	Six Months Ended
	Jun 30, 2014	Mar 31, 2014	Q2/14 vs. Q1/14	Jun 30, 2014
Sales	11,097	8,915	24%	20,012
Royalties	(2,284)	(1,802)	27%	(4,086)
Transportation expense	(1,052)	(422)	149%	(1,474)
Operating expense	(2,043)	(1,554)	31%	(3,597)
General and administration	(830)	(568)	46%	(1,398)
Current income taxes	(506)	(537)	(6%)	(1,043)
Fund flows from operations	4,382	4,032	9%	8,414
Netbacks (\$/boe)				
Sales	45.36	55.85	(19%)	49.50
Royalties	(9.34)	(11.29)	(17%)	(10.11)
Transportation expense	(4.30)	(2.64)	63%	(3.65)
Operating expense	(8.35)	(9.74)	(14%)	(8.90)
General and administration	(3.39)	(3.56)	(5%)	(3.46)
Current income taxes	(2.07)	(3.36)	(38%)	(2.58)
Fund flows from operations netback	17.91	25.26	(29%)	20.80
Reference prices				
TTF (\$/GJ)	7.91	10.19	(22%)	9.02
TTF (€/GJ)	5.27	6.75	(22%)	6.01

Sales

- The price of our natural gas in Germany is based on the TTF month-ahead index, as determined on the Title Transfer Facility Virtual Trading Point operated by Dutch TSO Gas Transport Services, plus various fees.
- Sales for Q2 2014 were 24% higher due to the inclusion of a full quarter of production in Q2 2014 versus two months of production in Q1 2014.
- Sales per boe decreased by 19% from Q1 2014 due to a decrease in the TTF reference price.

Royalties expense

- Our production in Germany is subject to royalties at a rate of approximately 20% of natural gas sales revenue.

Transportation expense

- Transportation expense relates to costs incurred to deliver natural gas from the processing facility to the customer.

Operating expense

- Operating expenses for Germany is billed monthly by the joint venture operator and is expected to be similar to our Netherlands operating costs per boe.

General and administration

- Included in general and administration costs are expenditures totalling \$0.8 million relating to legal and consulting costs associated with the acquisition.

Current income taxes

- Current income taxes in Germany apply to taxable income after eligible deductions at a statutory tax rate of approximately 23%. For 2014, the effective rate on current taxes is expected to be between approximately 10% and 12%. This rate is subject to change in response to commodity price fluctuations, the timing of capital expenditures and other eligible in-country adjustments.

IRELAND BUSINESS UNIT

Overview

- 18.5% non-operating interest in the offshore Corrib gas field located approximately 83km off the northwest coast of Ireland.
- Project comprises six offshore wells, both offshore and onshore pipeline segments as well as a natural gas processing facility.
- Production from Corrib is expected to increase Vermilion's volumes by approximately 58 mmcf/d (9,700 boe/d) once the field reaches peak production.

Operational and financial review

Ireland business unit (\$M)	Three Months Ended			% change		Six Months Ended		% change
	Jun 30, 2014	Mar 31, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	Q2/14 vs. Q1/14	Q2/14 vs. Q2/13	Jun 30, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	2014 vs. 2013
Transportation expense	(1,571)	(1,588)	(1,626)	(1%)	(3%)	(3,159)	(3,244)	(3%)
General and administration	(252)	(282)	(410)	(11%)	(39%)	(534)	(647)	(17%)
Fund flows from operations	(1,823)	(1,870)	(2,036)	(3%)	(10%)	(3,693)	(3,891)	(5%)
Activity								
Capital expenditures	27,221	16,236	24,878	68%	9%	43,457	41,398	5%

Activity review

- Completed tunnel boring operations beneath Sruwaddacon Bay on May 21, 2014. The tunnel boring machine has been demobilized and we are progressing with remaining activities to bring the project on production, including the installation of flow and umbilical lines within the tunnel, grouting of the tunnel, and certain offshore well workover activities.
- Based on our deterministic schedule for remaining construction and commissioning activities, we anticipate first gas in approximately mid-2015 with peak production of approximately 58 mmcf/d (9,700 boe/d), net to Vermilion.

Transportation expense

- Transportation expense in Ireland relates to payments under a ship or pay agreement related to the Corrib project.

AUSTRALIA BUSINESS UNIT

Overview

- Entered Australia in 2005.
- Hold title to a 100% working interest in the Wandoo field, located approximately 80 km offshore on the northwest shelf of Australia.
- Production is operated from two off-shore platforms, and originates from 21 producing well bores.
- Wells are located 600 metres below the sea bed with 500 to 3,000 plus metre horizontal lengths.
- Contracted crude oil production is priced with reference to Dated Brent.

Operational review

	Three Months Ended			% change		Six Months Ended		% change
	Jun 30, 2014	Mar 31, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	Q2/14 vs. Q1/14	Q2/14 vs. Q2/13	Jun 30, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	
Australia business unit								
Production								
Crude oil (bbls/d)	6,483	7,110	7,363	(9%)	(12%)	6,795	6,331	7%
Inventory (mbbls)								
Opening crude oil inventory	63	130	165			130	268	
Crude oil production	590	640	670			1,230	1,146	
Crude oil sales	(464)	(707)	(648)			(1,171)	(1,227)	
Closing crude oil inventory	189	63	187			189	187	
Activity								
Capital expenditures (\$M)	10,991	5,691	8,282	93%	33%	16,682	63,631	(74%)
Gross wells drilled	-	-	-			-	2.00	
Net wells drilled	-	-	-			-	2.00	

Production

- Wandoo production decreased by 9% quarter-over-quarter and 12% year-over-year.
- Production volumes are managed to meet customer demands and long-term supply agreements. We continue to plan for production levels of between 6,000 and 8,000 bbls/d.
- Production continues to reflect strong well results from the 2013 drilling program, more than offsetting natural declines. We continue to produce the wells at restricted rates below their demonstrated productive capacity.

Activity review

- In Q2 2014, efforts were focused on facilities repairs and engineering studies, including the expansion of accommodation quarters on the Wandoo B platform and repair of the A5 conductor on Wandoo A.
- 2014 planned activities include ongoing facilities maintenance, enhancement, and refurbishment along with preparation and permitting activities in advance of our planned 2015 drilling program.

Financial review

Australia business unit (\$M except as indicated)	Three Months Ended			% change		Six Months Ended		% change
	Jun 30, 2014	Mar 31, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	Q2/14 vs. Q1/14	Q2/14 vs. Q2/13	Jun 30, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	2014 vs. 2013
Sales	58,828	89,974	72,282	(35%)	(19%)	148,802	142,183	5%
Operating expense	(12,051)	(17,360)	(9,912)	(31%)	22%	(29,411)	(24,738)	19%
General and administration	(1,661)	(1,206)	(1,378)	38%	21%	(2,867)	(2,896)	(1%)
Corporate income taxes	(5,689)	(8,841)	(10,646)	(36%)	(47%)	(14,530)	(17,859)	(19%)
PRRT	(12,699)	(20,239)	(12,590)	(37%)	1%	(32,938)	(23,743)	39%
Fund flows from operations	26,728	42,328	37,756	(37%)	(29%)	69,056	72,947	(5%)
Netbacks (\$/boe)								
Sales	126.87	127.26	111.54	-	14%	127.11	115.89	10%
Operating expense	(25.99)	(24.55)	(15.30)	6%	70%	(25.12)	(20.16)	25%
General and administration	(3.58)	(1.71)	(2.13)	109%	68%	(2.45)	(2.36)	4%
Corporate income taxes	(12.27)	(12.51)	(16.43)	(2%)	(25%)	(12.41)	(14.56)	(15%)
PRRT	(27.39)	(28.63)	(19.43)	(4%)	41%	(28.14)	(19.35)	45%
Fund flows from operations netback	57.64	59.86	58.25	(4%)	(1%)	58.99	59.46	(1%)
Reference prices								
Dated Brent (US \$/bbl)	109.63	108.22	102.44	1%	7%	108.93	107.50	1%

Sales

- Our production in Australia currently receives a premium to Dated Brent.
- Sales per boe increased for the three and six months ended June 30, 2014 versus the comparable periods in the prior year as a result of an increase in the Dated Brent reference price combined with the impact of the weakening Canadian dollar.
- Sales increased for the six months ended June 30, 2014 versus 2013, despite slightly lower sold volumes, primarily as a result of the impacts of the weakening of the Canadian dollar, which resulted in a 10% increase in sales per boe.
- Sales for Q2 2014 versus Q1 2014 and Q2 2013 were 35% and 19% lower, respectively, primarily as a result of a build in crude oil inventory (126,000 bbl) during Q2 2014.

Royalties and transportation expense

- Our production in Australia is not subject to royalties or transportation expense as crude oil is sold directly from the Wandoo B platform.

Operating expense

- Operating expense per boe for Q2 2014 remained consistent with the expense for Q1 2014.
- Operating expense per boe for the three and six months ended June 30, 2014 was higher than the expense for the comparative periods in the prior year due to increased diesel usage and higher salary costs.

General and administration

- General and administration expense increased slightly during Q2 2014 as compared to Q1 2014 and Q2 2013 due to timing of expenditures.
- For the year to date period ended June 30, 2014, general and administration expense remained consistent with the expense for the same period of the prior year.

PRRT and corporate income taxes

- In Australia, current income taxes include both PRRT and corporate income taxes. PRRT is a profit based tax applied at a rate of 40% on sales less eligible expenditures, including operating expenses and capital expenditures. Corporate income taxes are applied at a rate of 30% on taxable income after eligible deductions, which include PRRT.
- For 2014, the combined corporate income tax and PRRT effective rate is expected to be between approximately 38% and 42%. This rate is subject to change in response to commodity price fluctuations, the timing of capital expenditures and other eligible in-country adjustments.
- Combined corporate income taxes and PRRT movements for the three and six months ended June 30, 2014 versus the comparable periods was largely consistent with the fluctuations in sales. On a year-over-year basis, PRRT for 2014 increased versus the 2013 periods as a result of the lower capital spending in 2014.

CORPORATE

Overview

- Our Corporate segment includes costs related to our global hedging program, financing expenses, and general and administration expenses, primarily incurred in Canada and not directly related to the operations of our business units.

Financial review

(\$M)	Three Months Ended			Six Months Ended	
	Jun 30, 2014	Mar 31, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	Jun 30, 2014	Jun 30, 2013
General and administration	(2,574)	(3,751)	(1,224)	(6,325)	(2,912)
Current income taxes	(378)	(173)	(328)	(551)	(579)
Interest expense	(12,334)	(11,460)	(9,336)	(23,794)	(18,025)
Realized gain (loss) on derivatives	2,419	2,640	1,770	5,059	(1,017)
Realized foreign exchange gain (loss)	587	(2,041)	1,272	(1,454)	655
Realized other income	74	221	77	295	549
Fund flows from operations	(12,206)	(14,564)	(7,769)	(26,770)	(21,329)

General and administration

- The decrease in general and administration costs for Q2 2014 versus Q1 2014 was primarily the result of the Q1 2014 impact of certain outstanding VIP awards to be settled partially in cash.
- On a year-over-year basis, the increase in general and administration costs for the six months ended June 30, 2013 to the same period in 2014 was a result of the impact of certain outstanding VIP awards to be settled partially in cash.

Current income taxes

- Taxes in our corporate segment relates to holding companies that pay current taxes in foreign jurisdictions.

Interest expense

- Interest expense is incurred on our senior unsecured notes and on borrowings under our revolving credit facility. The increase in 2014 versus the comparable periods is due to increased borrowings under our revolving credit facility.

Hedging

- The nature of our operations results in exposure to fluctuations in commodity prices, interest rates and foreign currency exchange rates. We monitor and, when appropriate, use derivative financial instruments to manage our exposure to these fluctuations. All transactions of this nature entered into are related to an underlying financial position or to future crude oil and natural gas production. We do not use derivative financial instruments for speculative purposes. We have elected not to designate any of our derivative financial instruments as accounting hedges and thus account for changes in fair value in net earnings at each reporting period. We have not obtained collateral or other security to support our financial derivatives as we review the creditworthiness of our counterparties prior to entering into derivative contracts.
- Our hedging philosophy is to hedge solely for the purposes of risk mitigation. Our approach is to hedge centrally to manage our global risk (typically with an outlook of 12 to 18 months) with a goal of securing pricing for up to 50% of net of royalty volumes through a portfolio of forward collars, swaps, and physical fixed price arrangements.
- We believe that our hedging philosophy and approach increases the stability of revenues, cash flows and future dividends while assisting in the execution of our capital and development plans.
- The realized gain in 2014 related primarily to amounts received on our TTF derivatives, partially offset by payments made on our crude oil and AECO derivatives.
- A listing of derivative positions as at June 30, 2014 is included in "Supplemental Table 2" in this MD&A.

FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE REVIEW

	Three Months Ended							
	Jun 30, 2014	Mar 31, 2014	Dec 31, 2013	Sep 30, 2013	Jun 30, 2013	Mar 31, 2013	Dec 31, 2012	Sep 30, 2012
(\$M except per share)								
Petroleum and natural gas sales	387,684	381,183	325,108	327,185	311,966	309,576	241,233	284,838
Net earnings	53,993	102,788	101,510	67,796	106,198	52,137	56,914	30,798
Net earnings per share								
Basic	0.51	1.00	1.00	0.67	1.05	0.53	0.58	0.31
Diluted	0.50	0.99	0.98	0.66	1.04	0.51	0.57	0.31

The following table shows a reconciliation of the change in net earnings:

(\$M)	Q2/14 vs. Q1/14	Q2/14 vs. Q2/13	2014 vs. 2013
Net earnings – Comparative period	102,788	106,198	158,335
Changes in:			
Fund flows from operations	10,713	41,484	83,218
Equity based compensation	(1,745)	(7,493)	(7,829)
Unrealized gain or loss on derivative instruments	(5,456)	(10,172)	(5,124)
Unrealized foreign exchange gain or loss	(45,746)	(51,771)	(27,252)
Unrealized other income	358	452	603
Accretion	(238)	50	162
Depletion and depreciation	(5,450)	(26,484)	(44,488)
Deferred tax	(1,231)	1,729	(844)
Net earnings – Current Period	53,993	53,993	156,781

The fluctuations in net earnings from quarter-to-quarter and from year-to-year are caused by changes in both cash and non-cash based income and charges. Cash items are reflected in fund flows from operations and include: sales, royalties, operating expenses, transportation, general and administration expense, current tax expense, interest expense, realized gains and losses on derivative instruments, and realized foreign exchange gains and losses. Non-cash items include: equity based compensation expense, unrealized gains and losses on derivative instruments, unrealized foreign exchange gains and losses, accretion, depletion and depreciation expense, and deferred taxes. In addition, non-cash items may also include amounts resulting from acquisitions or charges resulting from impairment or impairment recoveries.

Equity based compensation

Equity based compensation expense relates to non-cash compensation expense attributable to long-term incentives granted to directors, officers and employees under the Vermilion Incentive Plan ("VIP"). The expense is recognized over the vesting period based on the grant date fair value of awards, adjusted for the ultimate number of awards that actually vest as determined by the Company's achievement of performance conditions.

Equity based compensation expense for the three and six months ended June 30, 2014 was higher than the same periods in 2013 as a result of an upward revision of future performance condition assumptions during Q2 2014. Equity based compensation expense is also higher for Q2 2014 as compared to Q1 2014 as the impact of the revision in future performance condition assumptions was partially offset by awards vested during Q2 2014.

Unrealized gain or loss on derivative instruments

Unrealized gain or loss on derivative instruments arise as a result of changes in forecasted future commodity prices. As Vermilion uses derivative instruments to manage the commodity price exposure of our future crude oil and natural gas production, we will normally recognize unrealized gains on derivative instruments when forecasted future commodity prices decline and vice-versa.

In the six months ended June 30, 2014, we recognized an unrealized gain of \$2.4 million, relating primarily to our TTF derivative instruments, partially offset by our crude oil and Canadian natural gas derivative instruments. As at June 30, 2014, we have a net current derivative liability of approximately \$0.2 million.

Unrealized foreign exchange gain or loss

As a result of Vermilion's international operations, Vermilion conducts business in currencies other than the Canadian dollar and has monetary assets and liabilities (including cash, receivables, payables, derivative assets and liabilities, and intercompany loans) denominated in such currencies. Vermilion's exposure to foreign currencies includes the US dollar, the Euro and the Australian Dollar.

Unrealized foreign exchange gains and losses are the result of translating monetary assets and liabilities held in non-functional currencies to the respective functional currencies of Vermilion and its subsidiaries. Unrealized foreign exchange primarily results from the translation of Euro denominated financial assets. As such, an appreciation in the Euro against the Canadian dollar will result in an unrealized foreign exchange gain, and vice-versa.

For the three and six months ended June 30, 2014, the Canadian dollar strengthened versus the Euro resulting in unrealized foreign exchange losses of \$23.7 million and \$1.7 million, respectively.

Accretion

Fluctuations in accretion expense is primarily the result of changes in discount rates applicable to the balance of asset retirement obligations and additions resulting from drilling and acquisitions.

Q2 2014 accretion expense was relatively consistent as compared to Q1 2014 and the comparable periods in 2013.

Depletion and depreciation

Fluctuations in depletion and depreciation expense are primarily the result of changes in produced crude oil and natural gas volumes.

Q2 2014 production as compared to Q1 2014 and the comparable periods in 2013 increased by 12%, 22% and 21%, respectively, resulting in higher depletion and depreciation expense of 5%, 33% and 28%, respectively.

Depletion and depreciation on a per boe basis for Q2 2014 of \$22.45/boe was lower as compared to Q1 2014 of \$23.13/boe as a result of increased production in Canada. Depletion and depreciation on a per boe basis increased for the three and six month periods ended June 30, 2014 to \$22.45/boe and \$22.78/boe, respectively, as compared to the same periods in 2013 of \$20.16/boe and \$20.99/boe, respectively. The increase on a per boe basis was largely due to Vermilion's increased capital and acquisition activity which results in higher per boe amounts as compared to legacy producing assets.

Deferred tax

Deferred tax expense arises primarily as a result of changes in the accounting basis and tax basis for capital assets and asset retirement obligations and changes in available tax losses.

FINANCIAL POSITION REVIEW**Balance sheet strategy**

We believe that our balance sheet supports our defined growth initiatives and our focus is on managing and maintaining a conservative balance sheet. To ensure that our balance sheet continues to support our defined growth initiatives, we regularly review whether forecasted fund flows from operations is sufficient to finance planned capital expenditures, dividends, and abandonment and reclamation expenditures. To the extent that forecasted fund flows from operations is not expected to be sufficient to fulfill such expenditures, we will evaluate our ability to finance any excess with debt (including borrowing using the unutilized capacity of our existing revolving credit facility) or issue equity.

To ensure that we maintain a conservative balance sheet, we monitor the ratio of net debt to fund flows from operations and typically strive to maintain an internally targeted ratio of approximately 1.0 to 1.3. In a commodity price environment where prices trend higher, we may target a lower ratio and conversely, in a lower commodity price environment, the acceptable ratio may be higher. At times, we will use our balance sheet to finance acquisitions and, in these situations, we are prepared to accept a higher ratio in the short term but will implement a strategy to reduce the ratio to acceptable levels within a reasonable period of time, usually considered to be no more than 12 to 24 months. This plan could potentially include an increase in hedging activities, a reduction in capital expenditures, an issuance of equity or the utilization of excess fund flows from operations to reduce outstanding indebtedness.

Absent additional material acquisitions, Vermilion currently expects the net debt to fund flows ratio to return to our internally targeted ratio over the next 12 to 24 months as a result of incremental cash flows from Corrib and our acquisitions in Germany and Canada.

Long-term debt

Our long-term debt consists of our revolving credit facility and our senior unsecured notes. The applicable annual interest rates and the balances recognized on our balance sheet are as follows:

(\$M)	Annual Interest Rate		As At	
	Jun 30, 2014	Dec 31, 2013	Jun 30, 2014	Dec 31, 2013
Revolving credit facility	3.3%	3.3%	975,297	766,898
Senior unsecured notes	6.5%	6.5%	223,569	223,126
Long-term debt	3.9%	4.7%	1,198,866	990,024

Revolving Credit Facility

Our revolving credit facility bears interest at rates applicable to demand loans plus applicable margins. The following table outlines the terms of our revolving credit facility:

	As At	
	Jun 30, 2014	Dec 31, 2013
Total facility amount ¹	\$1.50 billion	\$1.20 billion
Amount drawn	\$975.3 million	\$766.9 million
Letters of credit outstanding	\$10.2 million	\$8.1 million
Facility maturity date	31-May-17	31-May-16

⁽¹⁾ We may, by adding lenders or seeking an increase to an existing lender's commitment, increase the total committed facility amount to no more than \$1.75 billion.

In addition, the revolving credit facility is subject to the following covenants:

Financial covenant	Limit	As At	
		Jun 30, 2014	Dec 31, 2013
Consolidated total debt to consolidated EBITDA	4.0	1.17	1.06
Consolidated total senior debt to consolidated EBITDA	3.0	0.95	0.82
Consolidated total senior debt to total capitalization	50%	30%	28%

Our covenants include financial measures defined within our revolving credit facility agreement that are not defined under GAAP. These financial measures are defined by our revolving credit facility agreement as follows:

- Consolidated total debt: Includes all amounts classified as "Long-term debt" on our balance sheet.
- Consolidated total senior debt: Defined as consolidated total debt excluding unsecured and subordinated debt.
- Consolidated EBITDA: Defined as consolidated net earnings before interest, income taxes, depreciation, accretion and certain other non-cash items.
- Total capitalization: Includes all amounts on our balance sheet classified as "Long-term debt" and "Shareholders' Equity".

Vermilion was in compliance with its financial covenants for all periods presented.

Senior Unsecured Notes

We have outstanding senior unsecured notes that are senior unsecured obligations and rank pari passu with all our other present and future unsecured and unsubordinated indebtedness. The following table outlines the terms of these notes:

Total issued and outstanding amount	\$225.0 million
Interest rate	6.5% per annum
Issued date	February 10, 2011
Maturity date	February 10, 2016

We may redeem all or part of the notes at fixed redemption prices plus in each case, accrued and unpaid interest, if any, to the applicable redemption date. The notes were initially recognized at fair value net of transaction costs and are subsequently measured at amortized cost using an effective interest rate of 7.1%.

Net debt

Net debt is reconciled to its most directly comparable GAAP measure, long-term debt, as follows:

(\$M)	As At	
	Jun 30, 2014	Dec 31, 2013
Long-term debt	1,198,866	990,024
Current liabilities	377,710	347,444
Current assets	(407,578)	(587,783)
Net debt	1,168,998	749,685
Ratio of net debt to annualized fund flows from operations	1.4	1.1

Long-term debt as at June 30, 2014 increased to \$1.2 billion from \$990.0 million as at December 31, 2013 as a result of draws on the revolving credit facility during the current year to fund our acquisitions in Germany and Saskatchewan coupled with the assumption of \$47.5 million of long-term debt pursuant to the latter acquisition. This increase in long-term debt resulted in an increase to net debt from \$749.7 million to \$1.2 billion.

As the increase to long-term debt occurred to fund acquisitions, which contributed to fund flows from operations for only a portion of 2014, the year-to-date ratio of net debt to annualized fund flows from operations increased from 1.1 as at December 31, 2013 to 1.4 as at June 30, 2014.

Shareholders' capital

Beginning with the January 2014 dividend paid on February 18, 2014, we increased our monthly dividend by 7.5%. This was our second consecutive annual increase.

During the six months ended June 30, 2014, we maintained monthly dividends at \$0.215 per share and declared dividends totalled \$134.7 million.

The following table outlines our dividend payment history:

Date	Monthly dividend per unit or share
January 2003 to December 2007	\$0.17
January 2008 to December 2012	\$0.19
January 2013 to December 31, 2013	\$0.20
Beginning January 2014	\$0.215

Our policy with respect to dividends is to be conservative and maintain a low ratio of dividends to fund flows from operations. During low price commodity cycles, we will initially maintain dividends and allow the ratio to rise. Should low commodity price cycles remain for an extended period of time, we will evaluate the necessity of changing the level of dividends, taking into consideration capital development requirements, debt levels and acquisition opportunities.

Over the next two years, we anticipate that Corrib, Cardium and other exploration and development activities will require significant capital investment. Although we currently expect to be able to maintain our current dividend, fund flows from operations may not be sufficient during this period to fund cash dividends, capital expenditures and asset retirement obligations. We will evaluate our ability to finance any shortfalls with debt, issuances of equity or by reducing some or all categories of expenditures to ensure that total expenditures do not exceed available funds.

The following table reconciles the change in shareholders' capital:

Shareholders' Capital	Number of Shares ('000s)	Amount (\$M)
Balance as at December 31, 2013	102,123	1,618,443
Shares issued pursuant to corporate acquisition	2,827	204,960
Issuance of shares pursuant to the dividend reinvestment plan	601	38,034
Vesting of equity based awards	950	47,657
Share-settled dividends on vested equity based awards	108	7,519
Shares issued pursuant to the bonus plan	11	721
Balance as at June 30, 2014	106,620	1,917,334

As at June 30, 2014, there were approximately 1.7 million VIP awards outstanding. As at July 30, 2014, there were approximately 106.7 million shares outstanding.

ASSET RETIREMENT OBLIGATIONS

As at June 30, 2014, asset retirement obligations were \$390.1 million compared to \$326.2 million as at December 31, 2013.

The increase in asset retirement obligations is largely attributable to an overall decrease in the discount rates applied to the abandonment obligations, accretion, and additions from new wells drilled during the year and abandonment obligations associated with the assets acquired in Germany and Canada.

OFF BALANCE SHEET ARRANGEMENTS

We have certain lease agreements that are entered into in the normal course of operations, all of which are operating leases and accordingly no asset or liability value has been assigned to the consolidated balance sheet as at June 30, 2014.

We have not entered into any guarantee or off balance sheet arrangements that would materially impact our financial position or results of operations.

Accounting pronouncements not yet adopted

The impact of the adoption of the following pronouncement is currently being evaluated.

IFRS 15 "Revenue from Contracts with Customers"

On May 28, 2014, the IASB issued IFRS 15 "Revenue from Contracts with Customers", a new standard that specifies recognition requirements for revenue as well as requiring entities to provide the users of financial statements with more informative and relevant disclosures. The standard replaces IAS 11 "Construction Contracts" and IAS 18 "Revenue" as well as a number of revenue-related interpretations. Vermilion will adopt the standard for reporting periods beginning January 1, 2017.

RISK MANAGEMENT

Vermilion is exposed to various market and operational risks. For a detailed discussion of these risks, please see Vermilion's Annual Report for the year ended December 31, 2013.

CRITICAL ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with IFRS requires management to make estimates, judgments and assumptions that affect reported assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses, gains and losses, and disclosures of any possible contingencies. These estimates and assumptions are developed based on the best available information which management believed to be reasonable at the time such estimates and assumptions were made. As such, these assumptions are uncertain at the time estimates are made and could change, resulting in a material impact on Vermilion's consolidated financial statements. Estimates are reviewed by management on an ongoing basis and as a result may change from period to period due to the availability of new information or changes in circumstances. Additionally, as a result of the unique circumstances of each jurisdiction that Vermilion operates in, the critical accounting estimates may affect one or more jurisdictions.

The following outlines what management believes to be the most critical accounting policies involving the use of estimates and assumptions:

- i. Depletion and depreciation charges are based on estimates of total proven and probable reserves that Vermilion expects to recover in the future.
- ii. Asset retirement obligations are based on past experience and current economic factors which management believes are reasonable.
- iii. Impairment tests are performed at the cash generating unit (CGU) level, which is determined based on management's judgment. The calculation of the recoverable amount of a CGU is based on market factors as well as estimates of PNG reserves and future costs required to develop reserves.
- iv. Deferred tax amounts recognized in the consolidated financial statements are based on management's assessment of the tax positions at the end of each reporting period.

INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING

There was no change in Vermilion's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the period covered by this MD&A that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, its internal control over financial reporting.

Supplemental Table 1: Netbacks

The following table includes financial statement information on a per unit basis by business unit. Natural gas sales volumes have been converted on a basis of six thousand cubic feet of natural gas to one barrel of oil equivalent.

	Three Months Ended June 30, 2014			Six Months Ended June 30, 2014			Three Months Ended June 30, 2013	Six Months Ended June 30, 2013
	Oil & NGLs \$/bbl	Natural Gas \$/mcf	Total \$/boe	Oil & NGLs \$/bbl	Natural Gas \$/mcf	Total \$/boe	Total \$/boe	Total \$/boe
Canada								
Sales	98.82	4.60	71.56	97.30	5.02	70.55	62.00	59.93
Royalties	(11.84)	(0.30)	(7.99)	(11.38)	(0.32)	(7.61)	(5.96)	(6.07)
Transportation	(2.22)	(0.17)	(1.76)	(2.24)	(0.17)	(1.75)	(1.60)	(1.58)
Operating	(9.29)	(1.55)	(9.28)	(10.01)	(1.37)	(9.31)	(9.81)	(9.68)
Operating netback	75.47	2.58	52.53	73.67	3.16	51.88	44.63	42.60
General and administration			(2.88)			(2.32)	(2.42)	(2.28)
Fund flows from operations netback			49.65			49.56	42.21	40.32
France								
Sales	117.29	-	117.29	117.41	-	117.41	98.04	102.84
Royalties	(7.34)	-	(7.34)	(7.34)	-	(7.34)	(5.95)	(5.97)
Transportation	(5.07)	-	(5.07)	(4.91)	-	(4.91)	(2.36)	(2.39)
Operating	(15.58)	-	(15.58)	(15.98)	-	(15.98)	(16.53)	(17.08)
Operating netback	89.30	-	89.30	89.18	-	89.18	73.20	77.40
General and administration			(5.24)			(5.21)	(3.83)	(4.45)
Current income taxes			(23.30)			(24.25)	(15.74)	(16.11)
Fund flows from operations netback			60.76			59.72	53.63	56.84
Netherlands								
Sales	93.76	7.91	48.14	99.23	9.26	56.06	65.08	63.19
Royalties	-	(0.19)	(1.12)	-	(0.38)	(2.28)	-	-
Operating	-	(1.74)	(10.29)	-	(1.65)	(9.76)	(8.93)	(8.02)
Operating netback	93.76	5.98	36.73	99.23	7.23	44.02	56.15	55.17
General and administration			(0.53)			(0.73)	(0.72)	(0.73)
Current income taxes			(2.10)			(3.99)	(16.34)	(16.55)
Fund flows from operations netback			34.10			39.30	39.09	37.89
Germany								
Sales	-	7.56	45.36	-	8.25	49.50	-	-
Royalties	-	(1.56)	(9.34)	-	(1.68)	(10.11)	-	-
Transportation	-	(0.72)	(4.30)	-	(0.61)	(3.65)	-	-
Operating	-	(1.39)	(8.35)	-	(1.48)	(8.90)	-	-
Operating netback	-	3.89	23.37	-	4.48	26.84	-	-
General and administration			(3.39)			(3.46)	-	-
Current income taxes			(2.07)			(2.58)	-	-
Fund flows from operations netback			17.91			20.80	-	-
Australia								
Sales	126.87	-	126.87	127.11	-	127.11	111.54	115.89
Operating	(25.99)	-	(25.99)	(25.12)	-	(25.12)	(15.30)	(20.16)
PRRT ⁽¹⁾	(27.39)	-	(27.39)	(28.14)	-	(28.14)	(19.43)	(19.35)
Operating netback	73.49	-	73.49	73.85	-	73.85	76.81	76.38
General and administration			(3.58)			(2.45)	(2.13)	(2.36)
Corporate income taxes			(12.27)			(12.41)	(16.43)	(14.56)
Fund flows from operations netback			57.64			58.99	58.25	59.46
Total Company								
Sales	109.89	6.19	82.96	110.73	7.04	85.70	80.21	81.60
Realized hedging (loss) gain	(0.66)	0.42	0.52	(0.21)	0.32	0.56	0.46	(0.13)
Royalties	(8.31)	(0.44)	(6.21)	(7.54)	(0.51)	(5.91)	(4.06)	(4.15)
Transportation	(2.89)	(0.34)	(2.57)	(2.74)	(0.32)	(2.44)	(1.71)	(1.75)
Operating	(14.16)	(1.59)	(12.46)	(15.26)	(1.49)	(12.95)	(12.36)	(13.21)
PRRT ⁽¹⁾	(4.32)	-	(2.72)	(5.79)	-	(3.67)	(3.24)	(3.12)
Operating netback	79.55	4.24	59.52	79.19	5.04	61.29	59.30	59.24
General and administration			(3.80)			(3.59)	(2.91)	(3.14)
Interest expense			(2.64)			(2.65)	(2.40)	(2.37)
Realized foreign exchange gain (loss)			0.12			(0.16)	0.33	0.09
Other income			0.02			0.03	0.02	0.07
Corporate income taxes ⁽¹⁾			(6.98)			(7.94)	(9.44)	(9.49)
Fund flows from operations netback			46.24			46.98	44.90	44.40

⁽¹⁾ Vermilion considers Australian PRRT to be an operating item and accordingly has included PRRT in the calculation of operating netbacks. Current income taxes presented above excludes PRRT.

Supplemental Table 2: Hedges

The following table summarizes Vermilion's outstanding risk management positions as at June 30, 2014:

	Note	Volume	Strike Price(s)
Crude Oil			
WTI - Swap			
May 2014 - July 2014	1	500 bbl/d	101.12 CAD \$
July 2014 - December 2014		750 bbl/d	99.00 USD \$
July 2014		1,000 bbl/d	99.95 USD \$
July 2014	2	1,000 bbl/d	103.63 USD \$
July 2014 - September 2014		1,250 bbl/d	108.53 CAD \$
July 2014 - September 2014	3	1,250 bbl/d	101.33 USD \$
May 2014 - November 2014	1	250 bbl/d	97.25 CAD \$
Dated Brent - Collar			
April 2014 - September 2014		1,000 bbl/d	105.00 - 112.00 USD \$
April 2014 - December 2014		1,000 bbl/d	106.00 - 110.73 USD \$
Dated Brent - Swap			
January 2014 - December 2014		500 bbl/d	108.28 USD \$
July 2014 - September 2014		350 bbl/d	111.75 USD \$
July 2014 - September 2014	3	1,000 bbl/d	110.00 USD \$
July 2014 - December 2014		1,000 bbl/d	109.64 USD \$
July 2014 - December 2014	4	500 bbl/d	109.40 USD \$
ICE Brent less WTI - Fixed Spread			
July 2014 - September 2014		500 bbl/d	5.99 USD \$
MSW - Fixed Price Differential (Physical)			
April 2014 - December 2014		1,030 bbl/d	WTI less 8.20 USD \$
July 2014 - December 2014		2,052 bbl/d	WTI less 8.68 USD \$
Canadian Natural Gas			
AECO - Collar			
January 2014 - December 2014		10,000 GJ/d	3.18 - 3.81 CAD \$
April 2014 - December 2014		1,000 GJ/d	3.60 - 3.96 CAD \$
April 2014 - March 2015		2,500 GJ/d	3.60 - 4.08 CAD \$
November 2014 - March 2015		2,500 GJ/d	3.60 - 4.27 CAD \$
AECO - Swap			
January 2014 - December 2014		5,000 GJ/d	3.71 CAD \$
April 2014 - October 2014		8,000 GJ/d	4.00 CAD \$
European Natural Gas			
TTF - Swap			
March 2014 - September 2014		5,400 GJ/d	6.62 EUR €
April 2014 - September 2014		16,200 GJ/d	6.74 EUR €
Electricity			
AESO - Swap			
January 2014 - December 2014		7.2 MWh/d	54.75 CAD \$
AESO - Swap (Physical)			
January 2013 - December 2015		72.0 MWh/d	53.17 CAD \$
US Dollar			
USD - Collar			
July 2014 - September 2014		5,000,000 USD \$/month	1.070 - 1.116 CAD \$
July 2014 - September 2014	5	4,500,000 USD \$/month	1.077 - 1.099 CAD \$

(1) Assumed as part of Vermilion's April 29, 2014 acquisition of Elkhorn Resources Inc.

(2) Prior to the expiration of this swap, the counterparty has the option to extend the swap to August 31, 2014 at the contracted volume and price.

(3) Prior to the expiration of this swap, the counterparty has the option to extend the swap to December 31, 2014 at the contracted volume and price.

(4) Prior to the expiration of this swap, the counterparty has the option to extend the swap to June 30, 2015 at the contracted volume and price.

(5) Vermilion has upside participation on this hedge up to the limit price of 1.152 CAD; above which, settlement will occur at the conditional call level of 1.099CAD.

Supplemental Table 3: Capital Expenditures

By classification (\$M)	Three Months Ended			Six Months Ended	
	Jun 30, 2014	Mar 31, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	Jun 30, 2014	Jun 30, 2013
Drilling and development	117,975	168,840	75,005	286,815	254,525
Dispositions	-	-	-	-	(8,627)
Exploration and evaluation	17,098	27,535	3,113	44,633	12,689
Capital expenditures	135,073	196,375	78,118	331,448	258,587
Property acquisition	-	178,227	-	178,227	-
Corporate acquisition	381,139	-	-	381,139	-
Acquisitions	381,139	178,227	-	559,366	-

By category (\$M)	Three Months Ended			Six Months Ended	
	Jun 30, 2014	Mar 31, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	Jun 30, 2014	Jun 30, 2013
Land	950	4,753	2,307	5,703	5,436
Seismic	1,869	3,432	5,569	5,301	9,382
Drilling and completion	42,083	106,536	20,235	148,619	146,420
Production equipment and facilities	60,547	68,755	40,819	129,302	90,761
Recompletions	13,459	4,226	4,510	17,685	8,641
Other	16,165	8,673	4,678	24,838	6,574
Dispositions	-	-	-	-	(8,627)
Capital expenditures	135,073	196,375	78,118	331,448	258,587
Acquisitions	381,139	178,227	-	559,366	-
Total capital expenditures and acquisitions	516,212	374,602	78,118	890,814	258,587

By country (\$M)	Three Months Ended			Six Months Ended	
	Jun 30, 2014	Mar 31, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	Jun 30, 2014	Jun 30, 2013
Canada	418,294	119,707	16,553	538,001	101,682
France	37,614	37,967	23,223	75,581	44,815
Netherlands	21,513	20,118	4,157	41,631	4,529
Germany	630	173,067	-	173,697	-
Ireland	27,221	16,236	24,878	43,457	41,398
Australia	10,991	5,691	8,282	16,682	63,631
Corporate	(51)	1,816	1,025	1,765	2,532
Total capital expenditures and acquisitions	516,212	374,602	78,118	890,814	258,587

Supplemental Table 4: Production

	Q2/14	Q1/14	Q4/13	Q3/13	Q2/13	Q1/13	Q4/12	Q3/12	Q2/12	Q1/12	Q4/11	Q3/11
Canada												
Crude oil (bbls/d)	12,676	9,437	8,719	7,969	8,885	7,966	7,983	7,322	7,757	7,574	6,591	4,526
NGLs (bbls/d)	2,796	2,071	1,699	1,897	1,725	1,335	1,106	1,204	1,321	1,302	1,246	1,305
Natural gas (mmcf/d)	57.59	49.53	41.43	43.40	43.69	41.04	31.41	35.54	41.32	41.83	43.96	42.94
Total (boe/d)	25,070	19,763	17,322	17,099	17,892	16,140	14,323	14,449	15,965	15,848	15,163	12,987
% of consolidated	49%	42%	43%	41%	42%	41%	40%	40%	40%	40%	41%	38%
France												
Crude oil (bbls/d)	11,025	10,771	11,131	11,625	10,390	10,330	9,843	9,767	9,931	10,270	7,819	7,946
Natural gas (mmcf/d)	-	-	-	5.23	4.19	4.21	3.91	3.39	3.57	3.48	0.94	0.97
Total (boe/d)	11,025	10,771	11,131	12,496	11,088	11,032	10,495	10,333	10,526	10,850	7,976	8,108
% of consolidated	21%	23%	27%	30%	26%	29%	29%	28%	27%	28%	22%	23%
Netherlands												
NGLs (bbls/d)	96	69	62	48	50	96	70	41	84	72	66	64
Natural gas (mmcf/d)	40.35	43.15	37.53	28.78	38.52	36.91	33.03	34.59	33.74	35.08	34.58	33.15
Total (boe/d)	6,822	7,260	6,318	4,845	6,470	6,248	5,574	5,806	5,707	5,919	5,829	5,589
% of consolidated	13%	16%	15%	12%	15%	16%	15%	16%	15%	15%	16%	16%
Germany												
Natural gas (mmcf/d)	16.13	10.64	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total (boe/d)	2,689	1,773	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
% of consolidated	5%	4%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Australia												
Crude oil (bbls/d)	6,483	7,110	6,189	7,070	7,363	5,287	5,873	5,958	6,970	6,648	7,686	7,992
% of consolidated	12%	15%	15%	17%	17%	14%	16%	16%	18%	17%	21%	23%
Consolidated												
Crude oil & NGLs (bbls/d)	33,076	29,458	27,800	28,609	28,413	25,014	24,875	24,292	26,063	25,866	23,408	21,833
% of consolidated	63%	63%	68%	69%	66%	65%	69%	66%	67%	66%	64%	63%
Natural gas (mmcf/d)	114.08	103.32	78.96	77.41	86.40	82.16	68.34	73.52	78.63	80.39	79.48	77.06
% of consolidated	37%	37%	32%	31%	34%	35%	31%	34%	33%	34%	36%	37%
Total (boe/d)	52,089	46,677	40,960	41,510	42,813	38,707	36,265	36,546	39,168	39,265	36,654	34,676
	YTD 2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009						
Canada												
Crude oil (bbls/d)	11,065	8,387	7,659	4,701	2,778	2,137						
NGLs (bbls/d)	2,435	1,666	1,232	1,297	1,427	1,518						
Natural gas (mmcf/d)	53.58	42.39	37.50	43.38	43.91	47.85						
Total (boe/d)	22,430	17,117	15,142	13,227	11,524	11,629						
% of consolidated	45%	41%	40%	38%	36%	37%						
France												
Crude oil (bbls/d)	10,899	10,873	9,952	8,110	8,347	8,246						
Natural gas (mmcf/d)	-	3.40	3.59	0.95	0.92	1.05						
Total (boe/d)	10,899	11,440	10,550	8,269	8,501	8,421						
% of consolidated	22%	28%	28%	23%	26%	27%						
Netherlands												
NGLs (bbls/d)	83	64	67	58	35	23						
Natural gas (mmcf/d)	41.74	35.42	34.11	32.88	28.31	21.06						
Total (boe/d)	7,040	5,967	5,751	5,538	4,753	3,533						
% of consolidated	14%	15%	15%	16%	15%	11%						
Germany												
Natural gas (mmcf/d)	13.40	-	-	-	-	-						
Total (boe/d)	2,234	-	-	-	-	-						
% of consolidated	5%	-	-	-	-	-						
Australia												
Crude oil (bbls/d)	6,795	6,481	6,360	8,168	7,354	7,812						
% of consolidated	14%	16%	17%	23%	23%	25%						
Consolidated												
Crude oil & NGLs (bbls/d)	31,277	27,471	25,270	22,334	19,941	19,735						
% of consolidated	63%	67%	67%	63%	62%	63%						
Natural gas (mmcf/d)	108.73	81.21	75.20	77.21	73.14	69.96						
% of consolidated	37%	33%	33%	37%	38%	37%						
Total (boe/d)	49,398	41,005	37,803	35,202	32,132	31,395						

Supplemental Table 5: Segmented Financial Results

(\$M)	Three Months Ended June 30, 2014							Total
	Canada	France	Netherlands	Germany	Ireland	Australia	Corporate	
Drilling and development	26,071	34,828	18,234	630	27,221	10,991	-	117,975
Exploration and evaluation	10,897	2,786	3,279	-	-	-	136	17,098
Oil and gas sales to external customers	163,261	124,617	29,881	11,097	-	58,828	-	387,684
Royalties	(18,240)	(7,796)	(693)	(2,284)	-	-	-	(29,013)
Revenue from external customers	145,021	116,821	29,188	8,813	-	58,828	-	358,671
Transportation expense	(4,024)	(5,385)	-	(1,052)	(1,571)	-	-	(12,032)
Operating expense	(21,179)	(16,550)	(6,390)	(2,043)	-	(12,051)	-	(58,213)
General and administration	(6,560)	(5,559)	(326)	(830)	(252)	(1,661)	(2,574)	(17,762)
PRRT	-	-	-	-	-	(12,699)	-	(12,699)
Corporate income taxes	-	(24,761)	(1,301)	(506)	-	(5,689)	(378)	(32,635)
Interest expense	-	-	-	-	-	-	(12,334)	(12,334)
Realized gain on derivative instruments	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,419	2,419
Realized foreign exchange gain	-	-	-	-	-	-	587	587
Realized other income	-	-	-	-	-	-	74	74
Fund flows from operations	113,258	64,566	21,171	4,382	(1,823)	26,728	(12,206)	216,076

(\$M)	Six Months Ended June 30, 2014							Total
	Canada	France	Netherlands	Germany	Ireland	Australia	Corporate	
Total assets	1,854,501	916,712	235,723	174,735	799,394	277,624	125,726	4,384,415
Drilling and development	127,744	64,681	33,425	826	43,457	16,682	-	286,815
Exploration and evaluation	24,163	10,900	8,206	-	-	-	1,364	44,633
Oil and gas sales to external customers	286,441	242,177	71,435	20,012	-	148,802	-	768,867
Royalties	(30,903)	(15,147)	(2,901)	(4,086)	-	-	-	(53,037)
Revenue from external customers	255,538	227,030	68,534	15,926	-	148,802	-	715,830
Transportation expense	(7,122)	(10,138)	-	(1,474)	(3,159)	-	-	(21,893)
Operating expense	(37,789)	(32,970)	(12,432)	(3,597)	-	(29,411)	-	(116,199)
General and administration	(9,428)	(10,753)	(924)	(1,398)	(534)	(2,867)	(6,325)	(32,229)
PRRT	-	-	-	-	-	(32,938)	-	(32,938)
Corporate income taxes	-	(50,025)	(5,089)	(1,043)	-	(14,530)	(551)	(71,238)
Interest expense	-	-	-	-	-	-	(23,794)	(23,794)
Realized gain on derivative instruments	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,059	5,059
Realized foreign exchange loss	-	-	-	-	-	-	(1,454)	(1,454)
Realized other income	-	-	-	-	-	-	295	295
Fund flows from operations	201,199	123,144	50,089	8,414	(3,693)	69,056	(26,770)	421,439

ADDITIONAL AND NON-GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES

This MD&A includes references to certain financial measures which do not have standardized meanings prescribed by IFRS. As such, these financial measures are considered additional GAAP or non-GAAP financial measures and therefore may not be comparable with similar measures presented by other issuers.

Fund flows from operations: We define fund flows from operations as cash flows from operating activities before changes in non-cash operating working capital and asset retirement obligations settled. Management believes that by excluding the temporary impact of changes in non-cash operating working capital, fund flows from operations provides a measure of our ability to generate cash (that is not subject to short-term movements in non-cash operating working capital) necessary to pay dividends, repay debt, fund asset retirement obligations and make capital investments. As we have presented fund flows from operations in the "Segmented Information" note of our unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements for the three and six months ended June 30, 2014, we consider fund flows from operations to be an additional GAAP financial measure.

Free cash flow: Represents fund flows from operations in excess of capital expenditures. We consider free cash flow to be a key measure as it is used to determine the funding available for investing and financing activities, including payment of dividends, repayment of long-term debt, reallocation to existing business units, and deployment into new ventures.

Net dividends: We define net dividends as dividends declared less proceeds received for the issuance of shares pursuant to the dividend reinvestment plan. Management monitors net dividends and net dividends as a percentage of fund flows from operations to assess our ability to pay dividends.

Payout: We define payout as net dividends plus drilling and development, exploration and evaluation, dispositions and asset retirement obligations settled. Management uses payout to assess the amount of cash distributed back to shareholders and re-invested in the business for maintaining production and organic growth.

Fund flows from operations (excluding Corrib) and Payout (excluding Corrib): Management excludes expenditures relating to the Corrib project in assessing fund flows from operations (an additional GAAP financial measure) and payout in order to assess our ability to generate cash and finance organic growth from our current producing assets.

Net debt: We define net debt as the sum of long-term debt and working capital. Management uses net debt, and the **ratio of net debt to fund flows from operations**, to analyze our financial position and leverage. Please refer to the preceding "Net Debt" section for a reconciliation of the net debt non-GAAP financial measure.

Diluted shares outstanding: Is the sum of shares outstanding at the period end plus outstanding awards under the VIP, based on current estimates of future performance factors and forfeiture rates.

Cash dividends per share: Represents cash dividends declared per share.

Netbacks: Per boe and per mcf measures used in the analysis of operational activities.

Total returns: Includes cash dividends per share and the change in Vermilion's share price on the Toronto Stock Exchange.

The following tables reconcile fund flows from operations, net dividends, payout, and diluted shares outstanding to their most directly comparable GAAP measures as presented in our financial statements:

	Three Months Ended			Six Months Ended	
	Jun 30, 2014	Mar 31, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	Jun 30, 2014	Jun 30, 2013
(\$M)					
Cash flows from operating activities	149,592	178,238	179,074	327,830	369,786
Changes in non-cash operating working capital	64,103	24,474	(6,852)	88,577	(35,323)
Asset retirement obligations settled	2,381	2,651	2,370	5,032	3,758
Fund flows from operations	216,076	205,363	174,592	421,439	338,221
Expenses related to Corrib	1,823	1,870	2,036	3,693	3,891
Fund flows from operations (excluding Corrib)	217,899	207,233	176,628	425,132	342,112

	Three Months Ended			Six Months Ended	
	Jun 30, 2014	Mar 31, 2014	Jun 30, 2013	Jun 30, 2014	Jun 30, 2013
(\$M)					
Dividends declared	68,710	66,007	60,776	134,717	120,388
Issuance of shares pursuant to the dividend reinvestment plan	(19,149)	(18,885)	(18,630)	(38,034)	(34,162)
Net dividends	49,561	47,122	42,146	96,683	86,226
Drilling and development	117,975	168,840	75,005	286,815	254,525
Dispositions	-	-	-	-	(8,627)
Exploration and evaluation	17,098	27,535	3,113	44,633	12,689
Asset retirement obligations settled	2,381	2,651	2,370	5,032	3,758
Payout	187,015	246,148	122,634	433,163	348,571
Corrib drilling and development	(27,221)	(16,236)	(24,878)	(43,457)	(41,398)
Payout (excluding Corrib)	159,794	229,912	97,756	389,706	307,173

	As At		
	Jun 30, 2014	Mar 31, 2014	Jun 30, 2013
('000s of shares)			
Shares outstanding	106,620	102,453	101,418
Potential shares issuable pursuant to the VIP	2,751	2,714	2,317
Diluted shares outstanding	109,371	105,167	103,735

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ABBREVIATIONS

\$M	thousand dollars
\$MM	million dollars
AECO	the daily average benchmark price for natural gas at the AECO 'C' hub in southeast Alberta
bbl(s)	barrel(s)
bbls/d	barrels per day
bcf	billion cubic feet
boe	barrel of oil equivalent, including: crude oil, natural gas liquids and natural gas (converted on the basis of one boe for six mcf of natural gas)
boe/d	barrel of oil equivalent per day
GJ	gigajoules
mbbls	thousand barrels
mboe	thousand barrel of oil equivalent
mcf	thousand cubic feet
mcf/d	thousand cubic feet per day
mmboe	million barrel of oil equivalent
mmcf	million cubic feet
mmcf/d	million cubic feet per day
MWh	megawatt hour
NGLs	natural gas liquids
PRRT	Petroleum Resource Rent Tax, a profit based tax levied on petroleum projects in Australia
TTF	the day-ahead price for natural gas in the Netherlands, quoted in MWh of natural gas, at the Title Transfer Facility Virtual Trading Point operated by Dutch TSO Gas Transport Services
WTI	West Texas Intermediate, the reference price paid for crude oil of standard grade in U.S. dollars at Cushing, Oklahoma

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At Vermilion, we operate with honesty and fairness, and can be counted on to do what we say we will.

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We embrace diversity, value our people and believe every employee and business associate worldwide deserves to be treated with the utmost dignity and respect.

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